

Morrow First Veteran To Buy County Farm

H. C. Morrow, a veteran of World War II, has succeeded in getting a farm approved for a loan through the Farm Security Administration office. He is the first* veteran in Collingsworth County to buy a farm under the GI Bill of Rights. The farm will be purchased from Mrs. Lucy J. Montgomery. He is buying 320 acres, located 13 miles northwest of Wellington, at a cost of \$11,000 and an additional \$1,000 is included in the loan for remodeling the present improvements on the place, making a total of \$12,000 which is the maximum amount to be paid for farms.

This loan will run for a period of 40 years, or until paid, at the rate of 3 per cent interest. The repayment plan will be known as the variable payment plan which means he will pay in annually his net income on the loan. Net income means all of the proceeds remaining after all necessary farm and home operating expenses have been taken care of. Under this plan, some years the borrower might pay in \$2,000, and other years he might pay none.

One other farm was approved but the veteran withdrew his application. One more option is pending and there is a good possibility of making this loan to another World War II veteran.

"We are still accepting applications from World War II veterans," Truman Jones said. "Any veteran interested might call at the Farm Security office located in the O'Neil Building, Wellington."

Baumgardner To Wyoming Meet

Marion Baumgardner, National Vice-president of the Future Farmers of America, attended the Wyoming State Convention of F. F. A. at Casper, Wyoming on April 5 through the 6th. He addressed the opening session of the convention and explained plans for the National Victory Convention to be held next fall in Kansas City, Missouri. Baumgardner also helped in selecting the Lone Star Farmer of Wyoming, and acted as Parliamentarian for the entire session. He stated that there were only six hundred in the Wyoming organization compared with ours which is over twenty thousand. Baumgardner was awarded an honorary degree by the Wyoming F. F. A. Association for his participation in their meeting.

He flew by plane from Amarillo to Casper, and back. He was the guest of Jack Ruch, State Adviser of the Wyoming F. F. A.

Grass Fire Burns Moore Shrubbery

A grass fire which broke out at 9:15 Friday morning destroyed some shrubs and cactus plants and grass at the Sam Moore home in the south part of the town. Several lilac bushes that were in full bloom as well as some cactus plants were burned to a crisp although it is commonly believed that green plants will not burn.

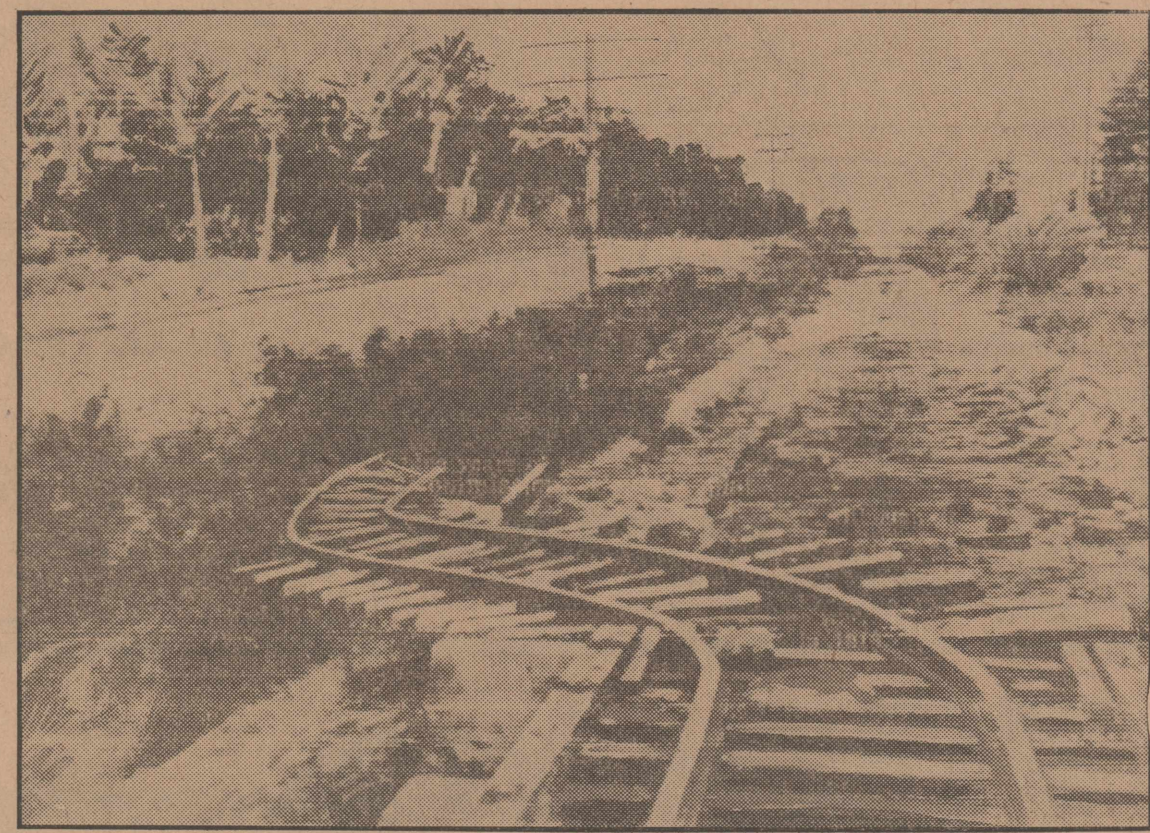
Singing At Salt Fork Next Sunday

The second Sunday singing will be held at the Salt Fork Church on April 14. Everyone is cordially invited to come regardless of where they may live.

Club Women Now Taking Orders For Pineapple

The women of the Home Demonstration Club have again announced their plans for securing pineapple by the truck load for canning. This is the third consecutive year the club women have distributed pineapple and they hope to get as many as two or three truck loads. Miss Mabel Clement is in charge of all arrangements. She announced that ordering is open to all women of the county regardless of whether you are a club member.

Miss Clement stated that orders will be taken by the seven community chairmen, beginning April 6 through April 19. The pineapple will be sold by the dozen and will average in weight about 5 pounds each. Due to good growing



WRENCHED RAILS SHOW TIDAL WAVE FORCE

Ripped up railroad tracks indicate terrific force of the tidal wave which swept down from the Aleutian Islands area and wreaked devastation in Hawaii. This Signal Corps Radio-Telephoto picture was taken on Oahu, site of Pearl Harbor.

Dr. Rainey Makes Opinion Survey Here

T. M. Mahugh Dies April 1

T. M. (Tandy Matthew) Mahugh, 57 of Loco died at St. Joseph's Hospital in Wellington April 1. Funeral services were held Tuesday, April 2, at the First Baptist Church in Hollis, Okla. with Rev. Frank O. Baugh in charge of the services. He was buried at Fairmont cemetery in Hollis.

Mr. Mahugh had lived in the Loco community for the past 22 years during which time he had been engaged in farming. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

He is survived by the following relatives, Mrs. Drecella Mahugh, wife, Mrs. Robert Fletcher, Mrs. C. B. Fletcher, daughters and H. R. Mahugh, R. C. Mahugh and T. J. Mahugh, sons; He is also survived by four sisters and four brothers. The sisters are Mrs. Dan Baker, Mrs. Edger Farmer, Mrs. Elmer Dyer and Mrs. Odie Cupp. The brothers are: H. L. Mahugh, C. R. Mahugh, T. C. Mahugh and A. C. Mahugh.

Roy Chappelle To Speak Here

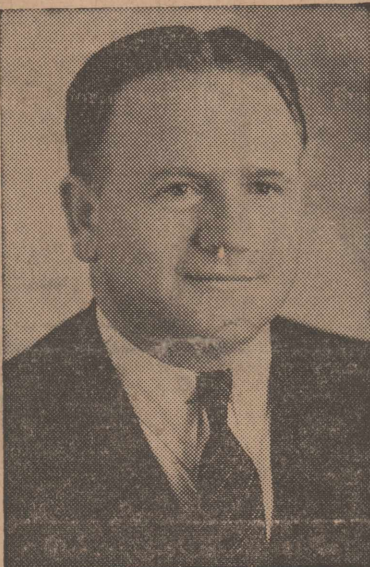
Mr. Roy I. Chappelle, head of the Department of Agricultural Education, Texas Tech College will be the guest speaker at the Annual Father and Son banquet to be given by the Wellington Chapter of Future Farmers Wednesday night April 17, 1946 at 8 o'clock in the community building. Invitations have been sent to all the boys and dads and to several business men who have shown an interest in the work that the boys are doing. A menu including fried chicken with all the trimmings is to be offered and a program prepared by the boys will be given.

Committee chairmen were appointed at the last regular meeting to be responsible for the success of the banquet. They were: Dwane Scott, Tommy Lewis, Don Kutch, Billy Joe Scott, and Don Van Pelt.

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TO PREACH HERE

Rev. Elmer Schmelzenback, who recently returned from Africa, will preach at the Nazarene Church at 7:30 on Monday evening, April 6.

Tom Bryant Buys Pullman Back

Tom Bryant has repurchased the Pullman Cafe which he formerly operated. For the past few months it has been operated by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bell.

The cafe is closed at the present time for remodeling and the installation of new fixtures. Mr. Bryant said that he hopes to have the cafe open the latter part of this week or early next week.

Dodson Festival Set For April 18

The Dodson High School will sponsor a box supper on Friday, April 12 to help raise funds for the baseball team in particular and the athletic fund in general. The box supper will be held at the high school auditorium and will start at 8 p. m. The feature of the box supper will be a program by "The Texas Playmates," who specialize in musical comedy, fun and foolism.

At the present time the boys of the Dodson school are playing baseball and the girls are playing volleyball.

Thus far the boys have had a very good start in baseball with

Singers To Meet At Hotel Here Thursday, April 11

The regular Thursday singing of the Collingsworth Singers will be held at the Wellington Hotel on Thursday, April 11. The Hollis Quartet and other out-of-town singers will be present for the regular meeting which is held twice each month.

According to Mrs. Paul Lamkin, the meeting will last about one hour and a half.

Dr. Homer P. Rainey, former president of the University of Texas and a possible candidate for governor, was in Wellington Tuesday April 9. He was making a survey of public opinion in the state and was accompanied by D. B. Hardeman, former editor in chief of The Daily Texan. They stopped at The Leader office for thirty minutes.

Dr. Rainey has not made a public announcement as to his intentions about entering the race for governor; but most political observers hold to the belief that he is a candidate.

Dr. Rainey said simply that he was going over the state to see what the public sentiment is. Mr. Hardeman said that it was surprisingly favorable and that they were encouraged by the number who had offered not only to vote for Dr. Rainey but who had volunteered to work for his cause if he decided to run for governor.

Mr. Hardeman quoted one editor of the Rio Grande Valley whom he said: "The amazing thing is that while all candidates have supporters, the Rainey supporters are the only fervent ones."

The Leader reporter asked Dr. Rainey if he cared to make a brief statement regarding what he stood for; and Dr. Rainey replied that he would be glad to tell anyone at anytime what he stood for.

"Let's take the shackles off Texas," Dr. Rainey said. "What I want to see is this state come into its own and realize its full potential. We ought to have the highest standard of living of any people in the world; because we have the greatest abundance of raw materials. But we are not getting out of our great natural wealth what we ought to receive."

In support of this Dr. Rainey said that the people of Texas have the lowest per capita income of any state in the union. Over seventy per cent of our family groups

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Mrs. Bell Buys Walker Beauty Shop And Changes Name

Mrs. Arlene Bell announced this week that she had purchased the Walker beauty shop located on the west side of the square. Mrs. Bell formerly operated a beauty shop in Pampa and has had 11 years experience in the work. The name of the shop will be changed to the Orchid Beauty Salon. Other operators in the shop are Odell Fenley and Leota Branum.

Farmers Co-op Gin Will Hold Annual Meeting Sat., April 13

Members of the Farmers Co-op Gin will hold their 19th annual meeting at the Wellington High School Auditorium at 2 p. m. Saturday, April 13. Rebates this year will be paid in the amount of \$22,585.48. This will amount to \$4.50 a bale on a percentage basis. Dick Sweet, manager of the gin, said that the Co-op was fortunate this year in ginning the largest percentage of the county cotton

Three County Teams In New Baseball League

By DAVID RASCO

With the revival of the old Red Rived League, Wellington is back in baseball after a lapse of six years.

Final organization plans for the league were made at Quana Monday night by representatives of eight towns, including three from Collingsworth County.

Quail and Samnorwood will join Wellington in the eight-team program. Other teams will represent Quana, Childress, Memphis, Vernon and Clarendon.

Although the final schedule of games has not been determined, opening games were named at Monday night's session.

The eye-opener for the new league will see Wellington matched against Quana, at Quana, on May 28. First home game of the Wellington outfit will be announced with the summer's schedule from headquarters of the league at Quana.

Polly O'Neil heads up the Wellington Club as manager-coach. Dick Richards will assist in coaching duties. Jim Sullivan has been named secretary of the local unit.

Zelby Neeley is manager of the Quail team, and Martindale will lead the Samnorwood hardballers.

Uniforms and equipment for the Wellington team already have been purchased, according to secretary Sullivan. Monies defraying the cost of this equipment is being raised by public subscription.

Sullivan also reported plans are being completed for rebuilding the old diamond at the Fair Grounds, which will be the site of the local contests.

All games will be played on Sunday, Wellington representatives to the organizational meeting indicated. Admission prices, as yet undetermined, will be charged for entrance to the ball park.

No tentative line-up has been made for the Wellington team.

Sullivan, O'Neil and J. M. Strong, Jr. represented Wellington at the Quana meeting.

Turkey Poults To Be Flown Here

Boyd and Franklin Produce announced this week that the first shipment of turkey poults ever to be flown to Wellington would arrive here in the next two weeks.

The poults will be flown from Cordell, Okla. The advantage of flying the young turkeys is in the quick change to their new home. Turkeys are the most difficult of all domestic fowls to raise from hatching to 4 weeks of age. This is the critical period. Any slight change of temperature or moisture can cause a whole brood to die.

It is believed that transportation by air will eliminate many of the hazards that have been attached to growing turkeys in this area. A record will be kept of the time it takes to bring the poults from Cordell to Wellington as well as the time it takes to get them in the brooders of the buyers.

Stephens Asks Re-election

G. T. Stephens has announced his candidacy for the office of Commissioner of Precinct 3. His announcement follows:

"I wish to announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of Commissioner of Precinct No. 3."

"I want to thank the citizens for their kindness and patience shown during the time that we were without any machinery in this precinct to maintain our roads."

"I appreciate the support that you have given me in the past and hope that I may merit your continued good will and support."

"Respectfully,
"G. T. Stephens."

Gas Tank Explodes At Gulf Station Saturday, April 6

An empty 550 gallon gasoline tank exploded at 8:45 a. m. Saturday, April 6, at the Gulf Station operated by Homer Holton. The explosion was caused by burning trash and it is believed that a spark blew in the opening in the tank and caused the vapor to explode.

The wall of Mrs. John Fuson's cafe cracked as well as the wall of the station. No people were injured and the damage appeared negligible. The tank was lying out on top of the ground.

Funeral Services Of C. R. Tucker Held Here Tues.

Funeral services for Clarence Reed Tucker, 26, were held at the Church of Christ in Wellington at 2 p. m. Tuesday. Mr. Tucker died Sunday, April 7 after having been ill for three years. He had been suffering from Brights disease and other complications. He was buried in the Dozier cemetery not far from where he was born.

Funeral services were in charge of Minister V. D. Shofner and Minister Clinton V. Oldham. Pall bearers were Leon Coleman, Frank Thomason, J. C. Emmert Jr., Gordon L. Hazard, Leo Massey and Dan Jones. Flower bearers were: Mrs. J. C. Emmert Jr., Mrs. Leon Coleman, Mrs. Frank Thomason, Mrs. Paul Starr, Mrs. Odelle Finley and Mrs. Shelton Nunnally.

Mr. Tucker is survived by his wife and three children, his parents and eight brothers and sisters. These are: Ethel Juanita Tucker, Clifton Ray Tucker, Anita Ann Tucker and Mary Elizabeth Tucker. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Loyd M. Tucker Sr. His brothers and sisters are: Loyd M. Tucker, Jr. of Wellington, Dorothy Belva Moore, Shamrock, Maxine Elizabeth Thompson, Lela, Fay May Seago, Lela, David Carroll Tucker, Bonnie Ruth Tucker, Joe Tucker and Evelyn Tucker all of Wellington.

Browning Dies From Scald Burns

Rev. Horace J. Browning, 24, died Sunday April 7, as the result of scald burns suffered when he fell into a tank of boiling water at a steam laundry in Abilene, Texas. He was the nephew of Mrs. R. L. Porter, Sr. and the cousin of J. K. and R. L. Porter of Wellington.

Rev. Browning was a ministerial student at Hardin Simmons University and was working part time and going to school the remainder of each day.

Browning was working near the vat of hot water at the time he fell into the tank. The water reached to his midwaist. He made an effort to get out and nearly succeeded; but just as he neared the edge he slipped and fell back in again. On the second attempt he pulled himself out and his screams attracted other workers who carried him to the hospital. He lived for five days after falling into the boiling water.

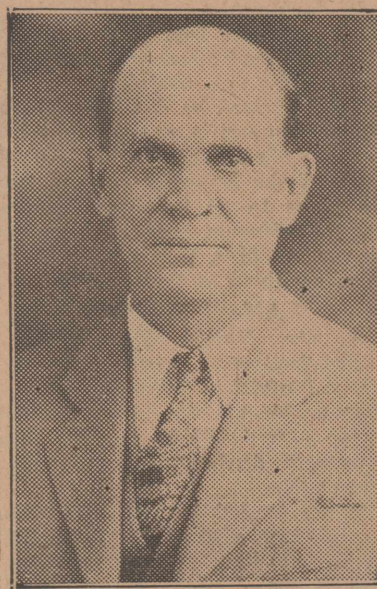
He was buried in Merkel, his old home, on Monday, April 8. Relatives from Wellington who attended the funeral were: Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Porter, J. K. Porter, and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Porter, Jr.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Porter of Peacock, Texas also attended the funeral.

Rotary Elects New Officers

New officials of the Wellington Rotary Club were elected April 2 and will take office on July 1. R. F. Curry was chosen president, J. W. Wells, vice-president and Kelly Pigg was re-elected secretary and treasurer. New directors of the club are: Leon Coleman, L. A. Gilmore and Walker P. Todd.

The president, vice-president and secretary are planning on attending the district Rotary convention which will be held in Amarillo on April 28, 29 and 30.



ROTARY PRESIDENT

R. F. Curry, Wellington postmaster, was elected president of the Rotary Club April 2. He will take office on July 1.

Future Farmers Enter Contests

The members of the local FFA chapter have been busy the past week working on judging contests to be held at Clarendon April 20. The livestock judging team made a field trip to the J. B. Baumgardner farm last week to judge sheep and beef cattle. The following boys made the highest scores: Billy Joe Scott, W. C. Boykin, Gene Harrison, and Clifton Hartman.

Last Friday a local contest was held on crop judging in which each boy identified forty different kinds of seeds; judged three-4 sample classes of seed; and graded six samples of commercial grain. The highest four boys in this contest were: Burl Brim, Marshall Peters, Clifton Hartman, and N. E. Childers.

The V. A. one boys will try out for the poultry team this week. It will consist of identifying forty varieties of chickens and telling whether or not to keep or cull them according to good culling practices.

Each team representing the local chapter will consist of three boys and an alternate. These boys will judge in the Greenbelt District judging contest at Clarendon Saturday, April 20.

REA Will Elect Directors April 26

Orval Couch announced this week that the annual meeting of the members of the Greenbelt REA would be held in Wellington on Friday, April 26. At that time new directors for the next fiscal year will be elected. In addition the past year's business will be reported and an outline given of plans for the future.

Callahan Brothers of KWFT will also give a program during the afternoon.

Layman's Day Set For April 14 At Quail M. E. Church

Layman's Day will be observed at the Methodist Church at Quail Sunday April 14, according to C. D. Damron, pastor. R. F. Curry of Wellington will be the principal speaker at the morning services. Lunch will be served at noon and there will be singing in the afternoon. All singers of the area are extended a cordial invitation to be present.

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Four More Countians Home From Service

Travis Wayne Somerville

At the Navy Separation Center at Norman, Oklahoma, on March 19, Machinist Mate 2-c Travis Wayne Somerville received his honorable discharge from the United States Navy. Since he has been in the Navy for the past two years and a half, Somerville served on the USS Bassett in the Pacific eleven of these months.

Somerville was inducted into the service on July 5, 1944, was sent to Gulfport, Mississippi where he received his basic engineer training. When this course was completed, he was sent to the Naval Training School at Syracuse, New York, to study refrigeration.

Prior to serving in the Pacific area, Somerville was stationed at the Naval Training Center at San Diego, California. He has been authorized to wear the Victory Medal, American Campaign Medal, and the Asiatic-Pacific Campaign ribbon.

His wife, Mrs. Margaret Somerville and two-year-old daughter, Sherry Ann, have made their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weaver at Quail, while MM 2-c Somerville was overseas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Somerville.

Lloyd F. Cook

Having served for the past eleven months in the European Theater of Operations, Technician 4th Grade Lloyd F. Cook arrived back in the United States on March 26, and received his honorable discharge from the Army at the Separation Center at Ft. Sam Houston in San Antonio.

Cook was inducted into the service at Lubbock on February 25, 1943, and left the United States for Europe on March 31, 1945. While overseas he was a specialist as a statistical clerk with the 19th Machine Record Unit. Cook has been authorized to wear the American Theater Campaign Ribbon, Good Conduct Medal, EAME Campaign Ribbon, Victory Ribbon, and one overseas service bar.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook of Wellington.

Gurrie Otis Kelly

On Monday, April 1, 1946 at the United States Naval Separation Center at Norman, Oklahoma, Seaman First Class Gurrie Otis Kelly received his honorable discharge.

Kelly entered service on January 2, 1945 at Oklahoma City, Okla., and was sent to Great Lakes, Michigan, for five weeks of intensive training in boot camp. He

was next sent to Camp Endicott in Rhode Island.

On May 8, 1945, Kelly shipped out of the States from California on the USS Florence Nightingale. Their destination was Okinawa, and he remained there for ten months with the 36th Special Seabees. His particular job was work in the bakery department. When questioned about his work, he said "We baked 58 loaves of bread at a time; there were only three of us in the kitchen. But," he said joyfully, but meant seriously, "please don't put that in the paper."

In January he was drafted into the Navy and sent to Tsingtao, China, where he remained until he was eligible for discharge.

Kelly arrived in Wellington last Wednesday and is at present visiting with his sister, Mrs. Elvis Ement, of the Houselog community. He plans to go to North Hollywood, California soon to be with his mother, Mrs. Virgie Kelly, who formerly lived in this county.

Alfred White

At the United States Coast Guard Separation Center, Eleventh Naval District in Wilmington, California, Machinist's Mate Second Class Alfred White received his honorable discharge on Tuesday, March 26.

White landed in San Francisco in January after serving in the Pacific for twenty-five months, although he landed at different times on the coast for short periods of time. While at sea his ship, APA Cambria, which is an assault transport, covering practically the entire Pacific. Some of the many places where they landed were Hawaii, Marshall Islands, Okinawa, Guadalcanal, New Guinea, the Philippine Islands, Mariana Islands, and Yokohama, Japan.

He arrived here about a week ago and is visiting with his mother, Mrs. W. L. White, at the present. He is the grandson of Judge W. G. (Patty) Hite.

Turning out stuffed toy animals during the crafts hour at Cushing General Hospital, Framingham, Mass., one convalescing GI reports he plans to go into the business when he is discharged. The potential manufacturer explains he started the project in an English hospital where he cut up—secretly—Army blankets to make playthings for toy-starved British children.

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POLITICAL CALENDAR

Representative, 122nd Dist.: R. L. TEMPLETON

District Attorney, 100th Judicial Dist.: SAM J. HAMILTON LEONARD KING

District Clerk: J. McBROOME MRS. GEORGE KELLER

County Superintendent: B. W. BEARD

Sheriff: OZRO BARTLETT CLAUDE MCKINNEY

County Clerk: MARGARET SHIELDS PREBBLE GREEN RUSSELL

County Treasurer: VIOLA HUDSON

Tax Assessor-Collector: J. W. HOLDER

County Judge: HOWARD RIGGS

Commissioner, Precinct 1: B. A. VANDIVERE TROY GARDNER T. E. BENGE RILEY DUNSON

Commissioner, Precinct 2: ELMER SMITH WAYNE JOHNSON SELBA RAINEY

Commissioner, Precinct 3: JIM LOWE PAT O'HAIR WARREN CARTER

Commissioner, Precinct 4: CORTEZ BARNETT OSCAR PAYNE

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Hollis Votes Bonds For Pool

HOLLIS, Okla.—Hollis voted \$33,000 in bonds last week for a swimming pool. Total vote in favor of issuing bonds for a swimming pool was 258. Ninety-three persons voted against the issue.

The other issue approved was \$7,000 for sewerage extension, with 394 persons voting yes and 50 persons voting against the issue. Arnet school district voted for \$17,500 in bonds for a modern hot

lunch room and gymnasium. Gould voted \$12,500 for transportation purposes.

One of the stranger sites for servicemen's recreation in Manila is a bullet-scarred monastery, once the property of the Order of St. Vincent de Paul. As an American Red Cross billet, it now provides beds for 1,200 men who visit the city on 24-hour passes.

Mills near Austin, Texas, are producing cedar oil and other chemical by-products from the common cedar.

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BEEF ROAST 30c Rolled Boneless and Seasoned, lb

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11c

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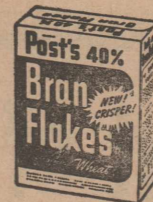
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Society News

American Indian Studied By Excelsior Club

The Excelsior Club met Thursday evening, April 4, with Nell Davis. After a brief business session, Marguerite Bartlett and Mary M. Todd gave a program on racial problems.

Mrs. Bartlett spoke on the problems concerning the American Indian. She explained contrary to belief that the Indian is gradually disappearing, his numbers are increasing. Governmental agencies on Indian affairs have found it an error to try to make our economics and religious schemes fit the life of the Indian. He does better when given land grants and is allowed quite a bit of liberty in patterning his local government, economy and religious life.

Mary M. Todd spoke on the problems concerning the negro population. She spoke to the effect that the negro needs to help make better opportunities to become a better citizen. She added that when the negro is given better housing and more opportunities he is not so great a problem.

Refreshments were served to the following: Inez Leach, Mary M. Todd, M. Bartlett, Hattie D. Wells, Bessie Jean Willis, Loeva Pierce, Floy Rapp, Loula Daniel, Frances Jones, Mary Alston, Nell Davis, Ruth Barton, members, and guests, Prebble Russell, Delia Cowan and Olean B. Leggett.

Eighth Grade Science Club Enjoys Party On Monday Evening

The Eighth Grade Science Club was entertained Monday evening, April 8, by the Sponsor, Mrs. Betty Welch. The club members joined in several games.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served by Mrs. Betty Welch, Mrs. W. C. Johnson, and Miss Rosemary Jones to the following students: Donald Hiett, Jo Ann Bumpas, Leland Finley, Dorothy Abney, Cecil Clark, Eldon Lockhart, Betty Finley, Patsy Smith, Clyde Cason, Barbara Brickey, Richard Brown, Billy Hughey, Thomas Cooper, Cameron Beam, Jr., Rudell Burkhalter, Morris Johnson, Glen Ketchum, Tommy

Harris, Bobby McCutchen, Jean Jones, Maurice Francis, Wilbur Earl Smith, Evia Jo McClain, Avis Nell Powell, Almata Shipley, Donald Terry, Elouse Richards, Roger Melton, Tommy Way, Jerry Austin, Patsy Robertson, Phyllis Leggett, Gent Todd, Jo Ann Thompson, June Ann Robertson, Joyce Watson, Marion Davis, Eddie Jo Richards, J. C. Nelson, Pat Riley, Dolores Somerville, Joe Simmons, Dorothy Simmons, Stanley Henard, Bonnie Mae Lee, Joe Lynn Moore, and Bernice Welch.

Shower In Frances Home For Mrs. Denny Judd

A bridal shower was given Friday, April 5th, in the home of Mrs. Floyd Francis at 1407 Bowie St. for Mrs. Denny Judd, who before her marriage was Miss Delia Pearl Bell. Hostesses for the occasion were: Mrs. L. N. Francis, Mrs. John Judd, and Mrs. Floyd Francis.

Garden flowers decorated the entertaining rooms. Mrs. Floyd Francis welcomed the guests and presided over the bridal book. Mrs. Buck Judd played several popular selections on the piano. Games were played throughout the afternoon and those winning prizes were: Mrs. A. C. Parrigan and Mrs. Emmert Wisdom. The gifts were on display for the guests to admire. Mrs. John Judd served punch and cookies from a table which was laid with a beautiful hand crocheted cloth and appointed with crystal.

Those attending were: Mmes. Edgar Lockhart, Otis Jesse, A. C. Parrigan, D. E. Herring, Lorene Clark, Sam McGill, Dan Culp, Helen Blackshare, Ruford Riley, Jay Bryan Easter, Emmert Wisdom, Paul Lamkin, Jack Pritchard, Dick Judd, Buck Judd, and hostesses. Misses: Joyce Phillips and Doris Lamkin.

Those sending gifts were: Mmes. Vida Bell, R. L. Tension, Buck Harris, D. S. Herring, Lucile Baird, Frank Jones, Loy Bowen, Oran Starkey, Mike Burkhalter, Mildred Brown, A. B. Cooper, Frank Reynolds, Lorene Johnson, Peter Loving, I. T. Judd, Ernest Nunnally, Shelton Nunnally, J. D. Gibson, Marjorie Roy, Hezze Jones,



GETS BOOTS & WINGS

Pvt. Carrol H. Jones, son of R. D. Jones of Quail, recently completed eight weeks of combined Parachute and Glider training which earned him the right to wear the "Boots and Wings" of the United States Army Airborne Troops.

Wilburn Jones, J. D. Tidwell, Fred Bell, of Brownfield, J. B. Williams of Fort Worth, W. C. Bell of Dodson, J. H. Woodman of Crowell, L. P. Tow of Quail, Barney Jones, A. E. Reddoch, and J. E. Loman. Misses Betty Judd, Dorothy Robertson, Mary Ann Bledsoe, Louella Trimble, Lois Cooper, Glennis Escoc, Opal Boyles, Imogene Judd, Jaynell and Floy Faye Bell of Brownfield.

Latest now-it-can-be-told war story concerns the rushed production of 5,000 gauze masks for the Marines invading Iwo Jima last March. For 17 days the Marines had been harried by the clouds of fume and mist-fine ash swirling across the island. A call went out to the Hawaiian Division of the American Red Cross who put the hand-made masks on a plane 12 hours later.

Prevent pasture and forest fires.

Phosphates Make Pastures Produce More In Texas

COLLEGE STATION—Phosphates applied to pasture in the central and eastern parts of Texas caused a considerable increase in the percentage of phosphoric acid in many of the pasture grasses, according to the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. Relative increase in the percentage of this essential element, however, was found to vary widely with different soils, grasses, stages of growth and season.

The Station is releasing findings of a study, "Effect of Phosphates upon the Percentage of Phosphoric Acid in Pasture Grasses," which was made by J. F. Fudge, chief, Division of Chemistry, and R. R. Lancaster, Extension pasture specialist.

This research consisted of analyzing samples of grasses, principally Bermuda and carpet grasses, secured at different seasons over a three year period by county agricultural agents from phosphated and unphosphated pastures where demonstration work is being conducted in cooperation with the Tennessee Valley Authority. In most instances, phosphated areas received 100 pounds of phosphoric acid per acre from either 48 per cent superphosphate or calcium metaphosphate.

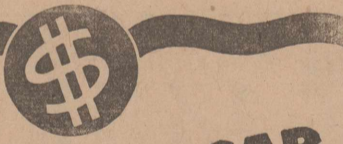
Findings reported in the current study—Progress Report 996—are in essential agreement with those secured in other phosphate studies conducted recently by the Station. These are Bulletin 672, "The Value of Different Phosphates for Various Texas Soils and Grasses as Indicated by Pot Experiments;" Progress Report 875, "Yield, Chemical Analysis and Fertilizer Response of Eleven Forage Grasses;" and Progress Report 983, "Effect of Large Amounts of Phosphates upon Yield and Composition Grasses."

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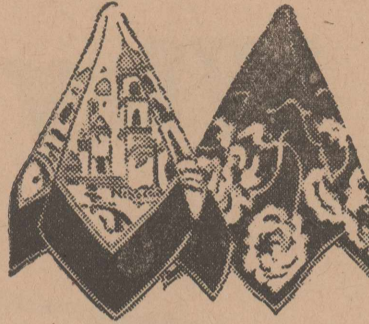
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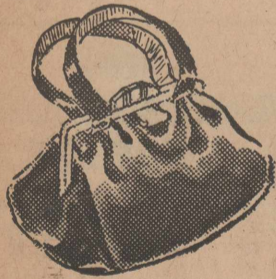
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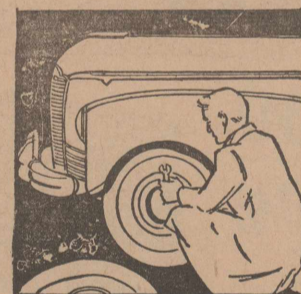
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Shamrock Rodeo Set For May 3

Dates for the Shamrock Rodeo have been set as Friday, Saturday, and Sunday May 3, 4, and 5. Bob Clark, secretary-manager of the Chamber of Commerce, announced this week.

The three-day event is being sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce with Slim Emmert serving as director.

Approximately fifteen hundred dollars in cash and merchandise prizes are being offered winners of the arena sports during the four performances to be held Friday night, Saturday afternoon and night and Sunday afternoon.

The awards will go to the winning contestants in saddle bronc riding, bareback bronc riding, calf roping, bull dogging, wild cow milking and bull riding.

In addition to the cash prizes the three best all-round cowboys will be presented merchandise prizes as follows: first place, a saddle

valued at \$150; second, chaps and spurs valued at \$52; third, hat and belt buckle valued at \$40.

The show stock is being furnished by Bill Lyon of Petrolia, Texas, whose string of wild animals were used in the Shamrock Rodeo last year. Lyon furnishes stock for the biggest amateur rodeos in the world.

Roy Gaddis and his trick horse, Fibber, both of movie fame, will be here for the performances. Fibber, the trick horse used in one of Roy Rogers' latest pictures, is valued at \$7,500 and wears a saddle that cost \$2,500.

Bands will be here to play before each show and during each performance, Emmert declared. Bands have been promised from Amarillo, Pampa and Hobart, and others are expected.

Street parades will be held Friday afternoon, Saturday afternoon and preceding the final show Saturday night.

Much interest is being shown by cowboys, many of whom have already sent in entries in the six different events.

In addition to the regular contest events, there will be a cutting horse contest and cow milking contest for the cowgirls.

SWEARINGEN

By MRS. DOC TURNER

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Yarbrough visited recently with their children in Plainview.

Miss Edna Messer is in Hope, Arkansas, visiting with her brothers and sisters.

A large crowd was present at the singing Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill Wells and

family were visitors in Palaska recently.

Mrs. Clyde Brown, who has been ill for some time, is slightly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Pellit in Marella Sunday.

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BUCK CREEK

By EDITH AMBURN

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lancaster were in Wellington Sunday afternoon to attend the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cunningham spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Lacy.

Rev. J. O. Richardson of Turkey filled his regular appointment at

the Friendship Baptist Church last Sunday, which was the first Sunday of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hartman and daughter, Gayle, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wren Hartman last Monday.

That part of the coconut we eat, the kernel or the meat, is copra, which is dried for shipping.

Flowers that bloom at night are white, for visibility, to attract insects to pollinate them.

RING

By MRS. A. V. MOTE

Everyone is urged to attend Sunday School next Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m. and help carry on with our religious work.

Mrs. Marie Stout and LeJuan recently returned to the home of her father, W. H. Allen, after an extended visit with relatives in Pampa, Goodnight, and Phillips. Mrs. Stout recently received word from her husband, Pvt. W. M. Stout that he is on his way home after serving overseas for the past year.

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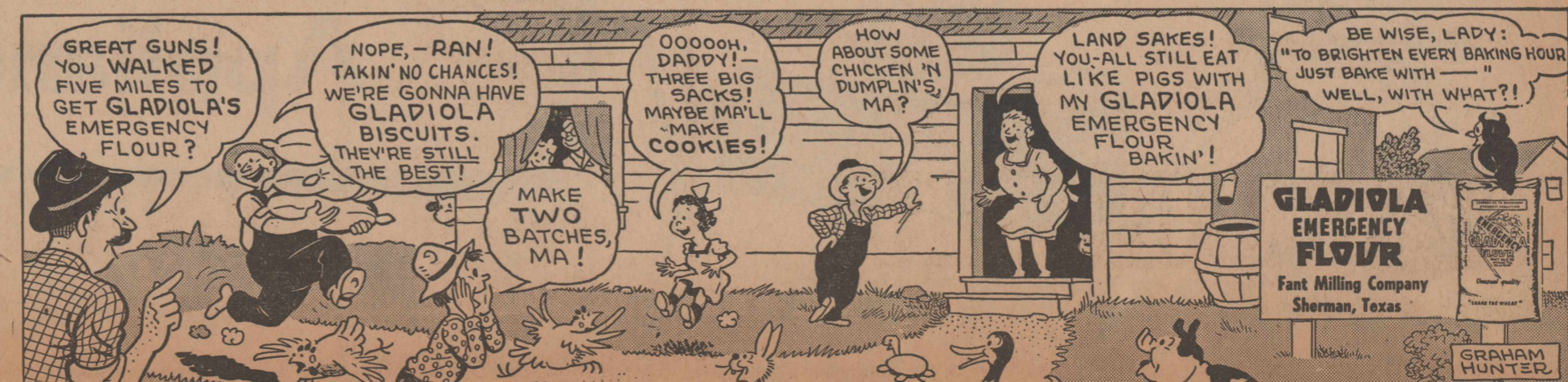
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Editorial

Newspapers all over the country April 2 headlined the fact that Iran had offered to withdraw her charges against Russia, if the Red Army were withdrawn unconditionally by May 6.

That's a big story, of course. But somehow, we believe the headline writers missed a bet.

The big story in the reconvening of the Security Council was not Iran's offer. It was the simple fact that Russia sent a reply to the questions submitted by the council last week.

Every diplomat in the UNO was holding his breath, hoping against hope that the Russians would answer. Most of them feared that Moscow would ignore the summons. Up to the last minute yesterday morning it looked as though there would be no news from Moscow.

But the formal reply was there. It was brief, and perhaps not entirely satisfactory. But it was an answer. Russia was not ignoring the authority of the council.

And that was the big news—the good news—of the day.—Amarillo Daily News.

Reports that a Republican researcher has been sitting in on the Pearl Harbor inquiry lead to just one conclusion: although the nation as a whole was not prepared in 1941, the G. O. P., at least, does not intend to be caught without ammunition in 1948.

Other Editors Say

Clean-Up Troubles

Once West Texas State boasted of its beautiful lily pond, which is located behind the band house. That was several years ago when its clear water was covered with large lily pods and blooms. Since that time, the lilies have died and with water gone, sand has filled its bottom. Did someone ask the students to help beautify the campus? They cooperate with the school by keeping it clean. Now the students ask why someone doesn't improve the campus by keeping up the things the school already has. The lawns, trees, dahlia and canna beds are beautiful, but think of the effect a pretty lily pond would have on young lovers in the spring!—The Prairie (WTSC paper).

A Reason, At Least

A sign on a car passing through here Sunday read: "Please drive carefully. I have lived through prohibition, the new deal, OPA, GM picket lines, and now, facing a sandstorm, I really want to live until July so that I can vote for O'Daniel."—The Donley County Leader.

More Advice

Isn't it true that we are prone to bind ourselves too much to this world and to worldly gain, while neglecting our spiritual gain? How much will it mean to us to have gained a vastness of worldly goods, if we are not prepared to meet Him? Remember, you can't take it with you.—The Canadian Record.

Happiness

Happiness is a commodity which may be paid for at the time of purchase, or obtained by a mortgage on the future. Interest is based on the quality of happiness and the length of the loan.—Douglas Meador in The Matador Tribune.

The Unions

Experience has proved that when labor unions believe government will support their demands against the employer, the temptation to short-circuit orderly collective bargaining procedures is almost irresistible. Humanly enough, they shoot for the greatest amount by traveling the shortest route in the quickest time—their own members, and the public as well, must pay the price in the long run.—The Ochiltree County Herald.

Advice

Drive as though you are being trailed by a traffic cop—and you won't be.—The Tullia Herald.

Questions On Veterans Aid

Q. Where should veterans seek information about their problems?

A. At the nearest office of the United States Veterans Administration.

Q. Where are the Veterans Administration offices located in this area?

A. Rolla Fisher at court house Wellington, Texas — Thursday, Friday and Saturday. VA regional offices are located in Texas at Dallas, Houston, San Antonio and Waco; in Louisiana at New Orleans; and in Mississippi at Jackson. Contact units may be found in most large centers of population by inquiring at local post offices.

Q. If a person may be entitled to veterans' benefits desires advice as to how to proceed, but is not close enough to a Veterans Administration office to go there conveniently, and would rather not write or telephone, may there be some other place to which he or she go for guidance?

A. Yes. Advice about veterans' benefits may be secured at the nearest Selective Service Local Board and at each United States Employment Service office. Also advice may be secured at Veterans Information Centers or from servicemen's organizations.

Q. What identification data should be given in writing about claims for the benefits administered by the Veterans Administration?

A. Initial application or communication should state the full

name of veteran, service grade and organization, serial number, date of entrance into the service, date of discharge, and date and place of birth.

Q. What permanent plans of insurance are available to veterans who want to convert their National Service Life Insurance?

A. At present the permanent plans available are ordinary life, 20-payment life, and 30-payment life.

Q. How may I reinstate my National Service Life Insurance?

A. By written application to the VA signed by the insured, accompanied by evidence of good health and insurability, and the payment of 2 monthly premiums on the amount of insurance to be reinstated.

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Skyrockets Win Track Meet Held Here April 3

Wellington Skyrockets came out on top in their own triangle track meet held at Powell Field Wednesday, April 3. Coach Tommy Austin's cinder pathmen piled up 85 1-2 points as compared to 25 for Quail and 15 1-2 for Samnorwood.

Saturday the Rockets went to White Deer to participate in the meet there. The winners at White Deer will go to Lubbock on April 18 to compete in the district meet.

The complete results of the triangle tournament follow:

120 Yard High Hurdles. Time: 19.5. T. O'Neil, Wellington, 1st; B. Moore, Wellington, 2nd; H. Terry, Wellington, 3rd.

100 Yard Dash. Time: 10.9. Russell, Wellington, 1st; Jones, Samnorwood, 2nd; Hatch, Wellington, 3rd; Young, Samnorwood, 4th.

220 Yard Dash. Time: 25.9. Orr, Wellington, 1st; Laycock, Samnorwood, 2nd; Young, Samnorwood, 3rd; Hatch, Wellington, 4th.

440 Yard Dash. Time: 61.2. Copeland, Wellington, 1st; Neeley, Quail, 2nd; Raburn, Wellington, 3rd; Coleman, Samnorwood, 4th.

880 Yard Run. Time: 2:20.7. Langley, Quail, 1st; T. O'Neil, Wellington, 2nd; B. Moore, Wellington, 3rd; Johnson, Wellington, 4th.

440 Yard Relay. Time: 50.4. Wellington (Orr, Hatch, Copeland, Russell) 1st; Quail, 2nd; Samnorwood, 3rd.

1 Mile Run. Time: 5:55 1-2. Langley, Quail, 1st; McPherson, Wellington, 2nd; W. O'Neil, Wellington, 3rd; Mounts, Wellington, 4th.

Running High Jump. Height: 5 ft. 2 in. O'Neil, Wellington, 1st; Russell, Wellington, 2nd; Neely, Quail, 3rd; Jones, Samnorwood, 4th.

Running Broad Jump. Distance: 17 ft. 2 in. Russell and Hatch, tie, Wellington; Laycock, Samnorwood, 2nd; T. O'Neil, Wellington, 3rd.

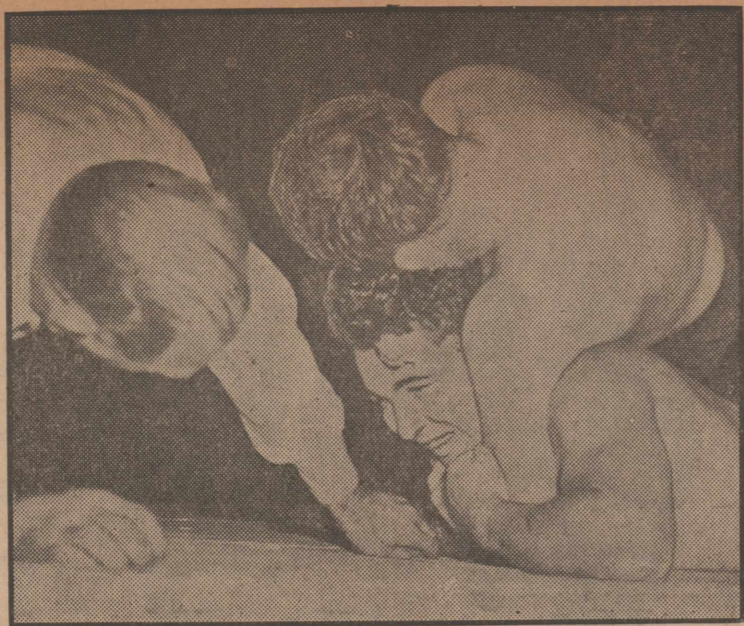
Pole Vault. Height: 10 ft. 5 in. Russell, Wellington, 1st; T. O'Neil, Wellington, 2nd; Terry, Wellington, 3rd.

Shot Put. Distance: 34 ft. 2 in. Russell, Wellington, 1st; Browning, Quail, 2nd; Neeley, Quail, 3rd; Copeland and Laycock, tie for 4th.

Discus. Distance: 94 ft. 2 in. Russell, Wellington, 1st; Copeland, Wellington, 2nd; Neely, Quail, 3rd; Jones, Samnorwood, 4th.

Mike Capp has recently been visiting in the lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas.

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Personal

Dolphus Wood is visiting in Alva, Oklahoma this week with Kenneth Vincent, a buddy of his who only recently returned to the United States.

A. S. Wood, his brother, K. A. Wood, of Lubbock, and Jim Dewap of Austin returned last week from a two month fishing trip on the coast near the Aransas Pass. While there, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Luke Vandergriff and Mr. and Mrs. F. Garvin McCaskill, who are all former residents of Wellington.

Mrs. Mason Lee Benton is visiting for two weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Watson of Nocona.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Templeton and son, Pat, of Austin were here over the week end visiting with his mother, Mrs. Lutie Templeton, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Tension and family.

Mrs. Frank Anderson and Miss Ruth Anderson were in Shamrock last Tuesday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Benson.

Legal Notices

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Ed Hawkins, Defendant,
Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Collingsworth County at the Court House thereof, in Wellington, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 20th day of May, A. D. 1946, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court,

on the 5th day of April A. D. 1946, in this cause, numbered 3157 on the docket of said court and styled Mae Hyde and Jewell Simpson and husband, C. M. Simpson, Plaintiffs, vs. Linnie Kirby, W. B. Kirby, Roy Hawkins, Vella Hawkins, Clifford Hawkins, Della Rigdon, G. C. Hawkins, Merriman Hawkins, Lucile Strintz and ——— Strintz, Ed Hawkins, Beggs Hawkins, Annie Ruth Hawkins, Wayne Hawkins Poling, Margaret Walker and Lewis Walker, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

Plaintiffs and defendant are the joint and sole owners of all of two acres of land out of Section No. Three (3) in Block No. Fifteen (15) of the H & G. N. Ry. Co. Surveys in Collingsworth County, Texas, described as Beginning at a point on the South boundary line of said section 264 yards west of the southeast corner thereof; THENCE west 88 yards to a point; THENCE North 110 yards to a point; THENCE East 88 yards to a point; THENCE South 110 yards to the place of beginning, except that portion conveyed to railroad for right of way; such property has the estimated value of \$750.00.

Plaintiffs sue for partition and allege such property not susceptible of and equitable partition in kind and pray that same be sold and the proceeds be divided among the owners in proportion to their respective interests and for general relief, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to the law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wellington, Texas, this 5th day of April A. D. 1946.

Attest:
J. McBroome, Clerk,
District Court,
Collingsworth County, Texas.
(SEAL) 40-4-c

ROUNDUP

By THELMA W. JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pheu and family of Mangum, Oklahoma spent last Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hart Marchbanks.

Robert Ray Hill spent the past Sunday with Joe Ray Irvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Rainey spent last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Webb and daughter Vernell of Aberdeen.

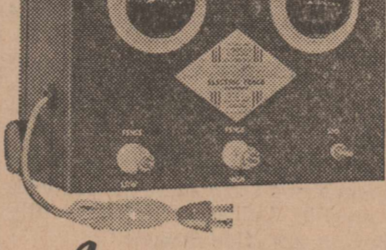
Visitors in the Wayne Johnson home Tuesday were Buddie Whally of Marlow, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Benton and sons, Bill and Clarence, of Aberdeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Marchbanks of Wellington spent last Sunday with Mr. Marchbanks' brother, Leonard Marchbanks.

Miss Lorene Calcote of Aberdeen spent Sunday with Miss Robena Johnson.

Miss Florence Johnson spent Sunday with Miss Vernell Webb of Aberdeen.

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Texas industry, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

In a survey of 1,689 industrial and commercial establishments, the number of wage earners decreased 4.9 percent in February, in comparison with January. The February, 1946 figure was a 2.9 percent drop under February, 1945.

Payroll statistics show that there was a decline of 5.7 per cent in February over January, and a 4.4 per cent decline over February, 1945.

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Katy's ANNUAL REPORT on its DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY YEAR...

How Katy's Dollars... were Earned and Used!

1945 Income Account in Brief

DOLLARS EARNED	\$63,533,030
Transportation of Freight	13,052,816
Transportation of Passengers	6,508,048
Other transportation Revenues	83,093,894
Making a Total Operating Revenue of	224,823
Other Income Was	83,318,717
Making a Total Income of	\$34,319,191
DOLLARS USED	\$34,319,191
Wages and Salaries Paid Employees	20,007,724
Miscellaneous Materials, Rental of Equipment, Etc.	12,973,903
Taxes	4,393,741
Locomotive Fuel	2,675,732
Depreciation Charge on Rolling Stock and Structures	74,370,291
Making a Total Operating Expense of	\$8,948,426
LEAVING	3,080,827
Income before Fixed Charges of	5,867,599
Fixed and Contingent Charges	2,886,765
RESULTING	2,980,834
In Net Income After Fixed Charges and Other Deductions	2,000,000
OF WHICH	\$3,867,599
There was appropriated for Possible Increase in Tax Liability and for Other Purposes	2,000,000
Balance of Income Transferred to Earned Surplus	\$3,867,599

With the victorious conclusion of the war, Katy also celebrated its 75th year of service to the Nation and the Southwest.

Operating revenues for the year were lower than 1944 by \$928,148 but the decrease was more than offset by a reduction of \$1,680,808 in operating expenses. Decrease in operating income occasioned by an increase in taxes was overcome in part by reduction of rent and interest payments. Income carried to earned surplus was \$3,867,599.

Continuing a long-term program of modernization and fixed-charge reduction, designed to place the railroad in a more favorable position to meet the foreseeable future, Katy's physical properties during the year received the benefit of \$26,006,455 worth of intensive maintenance and construction, at the same time bonded debt was being reduced by \$4,538,500. Total fixed-interest debt reduction in the 4 years ending December 31, 1945 aggregates \$41,686,765.

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REDUCTION OF FIXED INTEREST DEBT

Outstanding Dec. 1941	\$98,443,419
Outstanding Dec. 1945	\$56,756,654
Reduction in 4 years	\$41,686,765

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Navy Men Can Secure Help

NEW ORLEANS — Twenty branches of the Eighth Naval District's Civil Readjustment Office are located throughout the district to help the discharged naval veteran with problems, before and after, his return to civilian life.

At each Separation Center, Civil Readjustment officers and enlisted specialists are on duty. As general interviewers they review the past training, experience, abilities and ambitions of the dischargee.

Nine other consultants available to the servicemen at the time of separation are: the Chaplain and government and civilian representatives from the Veterans Administration, American Red Cross, U. S. Employment Service, U. S. Civil Service Commission and Selective Service Commission.

A month after discharge the veteran receives a letter from his District Civil Readjustment Office. It suggests that the veteran can get prompt answers to problems connected with civilian life from Information Centers, Veterans Administration Representatives or veteran organizations in or near his community.

However, if an answer cannot be obtained at one of these agencies, he is invited to contact the District Civil Readjustment Office, 302 Balter Building, New Orleans.

Civil Readjustment officers are also at the following district activities:

Receiving Station, Galveston, Texas; Naval Hospital, Norman, Oklahoma; Naval Hospital, Corpus Christi, Texas; Naval Medical Unit, U. S. Public Health Service Hospital, Fort Worth, Texas; Na-

val special Hospital, Camp Wallace, Texas; Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, Texas; Naval Repair base, Algiers, New Orleans, Louisiana; Officer Separation Center, Camp Wallace, Texas; Personnel Separation Center, Camp Wallace, Texas; Personnel Separation Center, Norman, Oklahoma.

Dodson Revival Starts Friday

Rev. Hugh Blaylock, pastor of the Dodson Methodist Church will start revival services Friday, April 12, and will continue them through April 21. He will be assisted by Rev. Ira Hart of Estelline, who will be in charge of the song services.

The morning services will start at 10:30 in the morning and the evening services will start at 7:30 in the evening. Everyone is welcome to attend these services, Rev. Blaylock said.

Dodson Festival -

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one loss to Vinson 8 to 6 and one win 7 to 1. Both the senior and the junior boys teams will play Arnett, Okla., on April 15.

Concerning the box supper, Mr. Risinger invited all women and girls of the community to bring a box.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Salem visited in Tyler last week with his mother, Mrs. S. A. Salem and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Haddab.

Mrs. L. C. Jones of Shamrock and Mrs. L. J. Campbell were in Fort Worth last week visiting with Mrs. Sammie D. Davis and Mrs. Zula Porter.



TO CONDUCT REVIVAL
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Personal

Mrs. Martha Muncie and Mrs. St. Patterson made a business trip to Hedley Saturday.

Misses Evelyn Thomason and Billie Thomason visited last week with their mother, Mrs. W. H. West. Both are employed with the Gates Rubber Company in Denver, Colorado.

Children who have been in the St. Joseph's Hospital recently are Clinton Carter Scott, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Odus Scott, and Lyle Boone Martin, the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Martin.

Dr. and Mrs. C. E. High and son, John of Pampa were week end visitors in the home of Mrs. High's sister, Mrs. Dewey Ellis and Mr. Ellis. Dr. High who holds a private flying license was kept busy Sunday taking his friends riding in the cub cruiser at the Municipal Flying Field.

Mrs. L. A. Black, who had a bad case of pneumonia and bronchitis, is reported to be improving very slowly. Mrs. Black has been in Amhurst since January 30th, receiving medical treatment.

Orval Couch of the R. E. A. flew to Memphis Monday to keep an appointment for a trip to Lubbock. He had planned to ride with the R. E. A. crew who were enroute to Clarendon and failed to tell them ahead of time. With only a short time left to reach Memphis for his ride to Lubbock he made the trip with the Wellington Flying service with Weldon Thomas piloting the plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller and son, Kenneth, of Amarillo spent the week end with Mr. Miller's mother, Mrs. Lena Miller.

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Dr. Rainey -

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make less than \$1,600 a year which is the minimum income the average family should have to maintain a decent standard of living according to surveys made by the Federal Government.

Dr. Rainey also cited the need for an improved educational system in Texas. "With our natural resources, we should rank first in the nation in education. We are 38th. We should rank among the first in health; but actually we are 41st. More of our old people are drawing old age assistance than those of any other state if you figure it on a percentage basis.

"To overcome these evils we must remove the restrictions, Dr. Rainey said. Our state suffers from the highest freight rates in any part of the nation. There must be scientific and technological research. We must find new uses for cotton. West Texas should be interested in this since this region is rapidly becoming the world leader in producing short staple cotton."

When asked about the OPA restrictions on the price of oil, which The Leader reporter said that he had heard had deprived the school funds of millions of dollars, Dr. Rainey said that the monopolies controlled many of the policies of OPA.

"Let's get the state government back in the hands of the representatives of the people," Dr. Rainey said.

Dr. Rainey left Wellington for Pampa and from there he will visit Amarillo, Lubbock, Plainview, Big Spring and San Angelo.

Dodson High School Baseball Team Gets Old Ball Rolling

The baseball team of the Dodson High School is showing up remarkably well. The boys are coached by Herschel Risinger, superintendent of the school. Players on the senior team are: Ralph Carter, catcher; Darvin Chrisco, pitcher; Lawrence Stewart, first base; Gerald Warren, second base; J. E. Darnell, short stop; Harold Darby, third base; Edwin Bonneau, left field; Kenneth Rippetoe, center field; Garland Covey, right field and Joe Risinger, right field.

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The Easter Gospel

"And when the Sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of Jesus, and Salome, had bought sweet spices, that they might come and anoint Him. And very early in the morning, the first day of the week, they came unto the sepulchre at the rising of the sun. And they said among themselves, Who shall roll us away the stone from the door of the sepulchre? And when they looked, they saw that the stone was rolled away: for it was very great. And entering into the sepulchre, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, clothed in a long white garment; and they were affrighted. And he said unto them, Be not affrighted: ye seek Jesus of Nazareth, which was crucified; He is risen; He is not here; behold the place where they laid Him. But go your way, tell His disciples and Peter that He goeth before you into Galilee; there shall ye see Him, as He said unto you. And they went out quickly, and fled from the sepulchre; for they trembled and were amazed: neither said they anything to any man; for they were afraid." Mark 16: 1-8.

The Message of the Empty Tomb

VICTORY! HOPE! ASSURANCE!

- The Message of the Empty Tomb is a message of **VICTORY** for all people. It proclaims to the world that Christ has won a complete and full victory, vanquishing sin and death.
- The Message of the Empty Tomb is a message of **HOPE** for all who accept the victory of Christ in faith and confess and serve Him as their Redeemer, Lord and King. Without faith in the Crucified and Risen Christ there is no real hope in life. "And if Christ be not raised, your faith is vain, ye are yet in your sins." (1 Cor. 15:17)
- The Message of the Empty Tomb is a message of **ASSURANCE**, assuring us that we have a living Christ in whom we may place our trust, and that through Him we shall have a more glorious life beyond the grave for He has promised "Because I live, ye shall live also." Easter assures us that we shall one day be reunited with all our loved ones who having died in Christ are even now walking with God.

Go to the Church of Your Choice

Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

Correction and apology. F. O. Masten did originate the particular type of guide for a driverless tractor that he used on his farm east of Wellington. Furthermore Dick Sweat says that he saw one very similar in operation on the Masten farm near Sudan as far back as 1936. This was one of those times when I got my information from the wrong man or else I totally misunderstood what he told me.

Last Saturday I took my first long trip in a small plane. I have been on the big liners before; but each of these trips was in cloudy weather or at night and I saw nothing except white round topped clouds below me or fog outside the window.

But Saturday I took off with Mack Wood in a cub cruiser. We left here as soon as Mack could see the horizon, which was 5 a. m. At 7:20 I was at Meacham Field in Fort Worth and at 7:30 I was eating breakfast with B. W. Beard, who edits the Southwest Magazine.

Previously I had been going over to Childress and sitting up until 2 p. m. and waiting until 3 to 5 o'clock to catch the Denver. Then I would arrive at the meeting place worn to a nub; get through with the business and then wait until midnight to get back on the train to start for Childress. I would get off at Childress between 4 p. m. and 7 p. m.—carry my bags first to the bus station—next to the Childress hotel—phone my wife to come after me—catch the mail bus, etc.; but generally it amounted to waiting when I wanted to get to work and needed to get to work. It also amounts to the fact that Wellington is hard to travel from unless you drive your own car or go by plane.

Wellington needs a larger air field. The City has done its best to enlarge the present one. Perhaps a larger field could be obtained a little bit farther from town.

Many people think that Childress has a great advantage in the location of the Childress Army Air Field. Actually they may be poor with riches. If and when they buy it, they will need to reduce the size of the field. There will be more problems; but I leave these to the people they concern.

Wellington does not need such a tremendously large field; but it needs a good one. It should be like our community building — large enough to serve the town and the surrounding area; but it should also be the best of its kind. My goal has never been to make Wellington the largest city in this area. It has been to make it the best town in Texas.

Back to the trip to Ft. Worth.

We took off when it was dark. Just before we started Weldon Thomas asked Mack if he knew his course and Mack said something that I did not hear clearly. I did not care about the course —all I wanted to do was get there on time.

The interesting things to me were different, perhaps, from those that move the air "teched" people. I could see the lights of Wellington, Childress and the Loco field at the start. Later I could see the lights of Childress, Dodson, Hollis and Quanah simply by turning my head. In fact, I nearly wore out my neck. But the thing which stimulated my imagination the most was the lights from the farm homes. They are so bright. I wondered about who lived there. I speculated on how a light from a window could seem so clear to a person who was 3 to 10 miles distant by ground and 2,000 feet above them in the air.

The second item concerns rivers. I saw where Salt Fork joins Red River. If you have walked down it by foot, you still do not know anything about it unless you have seen the whole picture from the air. Not long ago some person told me that the Pease River ran into the Brazos. I thought then that it ran into Red River; but I backed off from the argument because I did not have a map. The Pease River does run into Red River not too far southeast of where Salt Fork joins. Both the Pease and Salt Fork took a double hold on getting their water into the Red. I would hate to do it on a windy day in a light plane; but I would like to see some of these conjunctions of waters when we have our floods.

You would be amazed at the amount of small ponds and lakes that can be seen from any given direction north of Vernon and on past Bowie. Coming back we flew on a more northerly course due to the wind. You would be startled at the soil erosion that is so plainly visible from the air in the Southwestern tip of Oklahoma. They know it and they are doing something about it. You can see the terraces, the small dams and many other signs of soil conservation. The level wheat fields are beautiful; but it is bad to see the land that has been ruined by erosion.

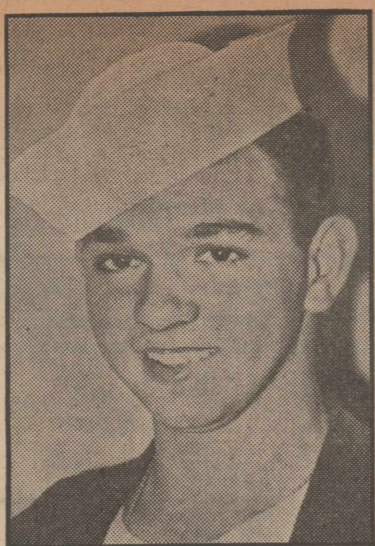
So much for the trip. I like Mack Wood. He does not talk much when a man is looking.

Happy days are here again. We are going to have softball just as we had during the drouth and depression years. This is good and

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3-YEAR VET AT 16

Doyle Fontana of Modesto, Calif., admits he fibbed a bit when he entered the Navy at age 12. Now, newly discharged at 16, an age when most lads are high school sophomores, he's one of the nation's youngest war veterans, with twenty months' action packed into his three-year hitch.

should be encouraged. But skies above are blue again. There is also talk of having real baseball. Now they call it hardball. What a name for one of the most interesting of all sports! It would be good to see some real baseball in Wellington such as Coon Coker, Polly O'Neil and many others of something like the same ability once played.

Lafayette M. Hughes has given me some information in confidence on the prospects for oil in this county. It can not and will not be published until Mr. Hughes learns more about core tests. I do not say these reports will be either good or bad. What I do say is that he has promised me that he will release the first announcement to The Leader.

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Hanes To Carry Advertising In Wellington Leader

On May 6 1946, the Leader will carry the opening advertisement of the Spring and Summer campaign on Hanes Underwear.

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Due to conditions beyond Hane's control, material shortages and difficulties of the OPA price control program, this company will not be able to supply all of the underwear good merchants will need to meet the demand. They are, however, continuing to make and supply as great a quantity as possible. Every dozen this company produces is divided equitably among the established Hanes wholesalers, who in turn are following the same policy in supplying their retailer customers.

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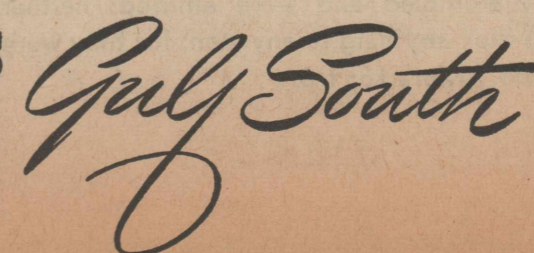
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Personal

Miss Faye Messick of Albuquerque, N. M., arrived last Friday to spend two weeks here visiting with her sister, Mrs. Vertrees Langford, and her father, A. P. Messick.

George Shadid returned Monday from a marketing trip in St. Louis, Mo., Peoria, Ill., and other points in the midwest.

Mrs. J. L. Hays, Miss Myra Hays, and Miss Lois Cooper took Miss Mary Frances Hays to Wichita Falls Saturday, where she plans to make her home.

Mrs. Tom Parker returned here Sunday after visiting for the past two weeks in New Orleans, La., with her son, Edwin Parker, and wife. She also visited for a short time in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Hardy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thompson of Quannah were here a short time Monday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McPherson, Mrs. Leon Nachlinger of Lefors were here Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Luther McPherson and family.

John Shadid and Rose Shadid visited in Oklahoma City over the week end with relatives.

Mrs. T. E. Caldwell of Dallas was a recent visitor of her aunt, Mrs. Ona Smith.

Mrs. Ober Johnson and son, Jon, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Berryman, Mrs. Buford Hobbs and two children, all of Matador, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Berryman.

Miss Erma Ruth Godbey of Lawton, Okla., spent the week end here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Godbey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fuller of Los Angeles, Calif., were here recently visiting with his grandmother, Mrs. T. C. Fuller.

W. E. Hall left Sunday for Hereford to visit with his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Raburn McKee of White Deer were here over the week end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Robertson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brickley and daughter, Barbara, and Veda Mae Kiker were in Erick, Okla., Sunday visiting with Mrs. Brickley's mother, Mrs. Ella George.

Miss Pollyanna O'Neil was here over the week end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin O'Neil and family. Miss O'Neil is a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Mrs. R. S. Ozment of Modesto, Calif., arrived here recently to visit with Mrs. Stella Mattox. They have been friends for many years since the time Mrs. Ozment taught school in Tupelo, Okla., and Mrs. Mattox taught school at Centrahoma, Okla.

Harley Hatch left Sunday for Dallas to market, and will return sometime this week.

Mrs. Joe Davis of Sherman spent last week here with her sister, Mrs. Bob Bengé.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Sears and daughter, Jo Ann, of Amarillo, were week end visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lancaster, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Sears.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wilkerson and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilkerson were visitors in Vernon Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wilkerson Jr. and Mrs. Mac Wilkerson, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wortham.

Mrs. R. L. Stewart and Miss Anna Jean Prescott of Childress visited Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Farris and baby, and Mrs. Blanche Dakil were in Oklahoma City recently visiting with relatives.

Mrs. George Paschal of Fort Worth arrived here Saturday to visit several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Bert Starkey. She will also be in Shamrock some visiting with another sister, Mrs. C. C. Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Clonts of Eldorado, Okla., visited over the week end with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood Hatch.

Mrs. Urban Gibbs and children, Laquance and Darrel arrived here Thursday from Albuquerque, N. M., to visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Driskill and Mrs. Minnie Gibbs. When they left Monday for Albuquerque, Mr. and Mrs. Driskill returned with them for a visit.

J. E. Daffron of Dallas visited last week with his sisters, Mrs. Rolla Fisher and Mrs. A. E. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bengé of Borger spent the week end here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bengé and family.

Lt. and Mrs. J. B. Clothier visited recently with her mother, Mrs. S. B. Jackson and family. Lt. Clothier is being transferred from Charleston, S. C., to Great Lakes, Illinois.

Recent patients in the St. Joseph's Hospital are Mrs. Lee Moseley of Reed, Okla.; Mrs. Everett McBroom of Dozier Rt., Shamrock; Mrs. Horace M. Small Jr.; Mrs. C. W. Robinson of Quail, E. P. Tucker of Hollis, Mrs. Robert Montgomery of Shamrock, Mrs. W. G. Hite, and Mrs. J. L. McCracken of Dozier Route, Shamrock.

Al Duncan was called to the bedside of his mother several days ago. Mrs. Duncan, who is sixty-nine years of age, lives about five miles from Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pritchard and children, Shirley and Joe, of Cee Vee, were here Saturday visiting with his mother, Mrs. W. S. Pritchard.

Is A County Agent Classed As Migratory?

County Agent T. A. Barfield of Lamesa thought he'd solved his housing problem. He moved a farm house into town.

He was working on it one day when a fellow stopped and asked: "Whatcha take for it?" Barfield said he automatically and immediately replied, "Four thousand bucks."

"Sold," the man agreed. Just like that Barfield had no home. Now he is living at the Lamesa Farm Labor Center, which houses migratory farm labor in addition to county agents.

"I'm sorry I didn't ask \$500," he said. "A guy as anxious to buy as that fellow was, would gladly have paid it without a second thought."

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No Wrinkles

Non-crushable jersey in white with gay print in bright colors makes this summer costume. There's a playsuit underneath the draped overskirt. White ballet shoes complete the costume.

Louise Cox And James Sessions Marry In Church Ceremony Saturday Morning

Lora Frances Jones, Former Resident, Wed In Denver

On Saturday afternoon, March 30, at four o'clock, in the Berkeley Presbyterian Church of Denver, Colo., Miss Lora Frances Jones, formerly of Wellington, became the bride of Robert G. Steele of Minatare, Neb. Rev. Charles R. Martin officiated in the double ring ceremony. Attendants were Miss Joan Rousseau of Santa Fe, N. M., and Kenneth Deines of Minatare, Neb. The bride wore a pale blue wool suit with black accessories and a corsage of white roses. Miss Rousseau wore a black wool suit and a corsage of pink roses.

Mrs. Steele graduated from the Wellington High School in 1940 and received her degree from West Texas State College in 1943. Since that time she has been teaching in Roswell, N. M.

The groom attended high school in Minatare, Neb., and Canisus College in Buffalo, N. Y. During the war he became a lieutenant in the Army Air Corps and served as pilot of a B-29. He is now attending the University of Denver where he plans to complete his degree before taking up his commission in the Army.

After the wedding, a reception and champagne party was held at the Pelican Club.

The couple are at home at 3520 Quitman Street, Denver, Colo.

Mrs. Lois Tyson Hostess To All Day Meeting Of Club

The Good Neighbors Club met in the home of Mrs. Lois Tyson on Friday, April 5, for an all-day meeting and quilting party. At noon a family style luncheon was served to seventeen members.

During the day two quilts were finished and a business meeting was held in the afternoon. Plans were made for the next meeting in the home of Mrs. Frank Roberts on Friday, April 12.

New members drawing numbers were Mrs. D. E. Watson, Mrs. J. A. Killian and Mrs. W. W. Byrd. Refreshments were served in the afternoon by Mrs. Tyson and Mrs. H. M. Clubb.

Those registering during the day were Mmes. D. E. Watson, Hayden Williams, A. B. Hicks, J. L. Black, C. A. Kesler, Wilton Ketchum, J. A. Battles, W. W. Byrd, Lorraine Harwell, Green Hodges, J. L. Green, J. A. Killian, H. M. Clubb, S. E. Elmore, Misses Inez and Mabel Clement and hostess.

Officers will be elected at the next meeting.

—Reporter, Mrs. J. A. Battles.

O. E. S. Members Study Constitution And By-Laws

When the Order of Eastern Star met with Mrs. Bessie Slay on Friday, April 5, there were eleven present, which is the largest attendance for a daytime study class since the beginning.

All questions covering the constitution and laws were answered in the course of the afternoon.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Pearl Duncan, Mary Jones, Mary Todd, Zena LeDerer, Lee Ella Seal, Vera Wilder, Cora Hurst, Marian Couch, Inez Cummings, Alda Wynn and Bessie Slay, hostess.

The time and place for the next study class will be announced at the stated chapter meeting of April 9.

Maxine Swearingin, Thomas Holton Marry In Home Wedding Sunday Afternoon

A wedding of interest to many friends in this section was that of Miss Maxine Swearingin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Swearingin of Springfield, Mo., to Thomas Holton, SK 2-c, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Holton of Wellington. The impressive wedding vows were spoken in the Holton home on Sunday afternoon, April 7, at 5 o'clock p. m. An improvised altar of greenery and bridal wreath formed the background for the wedding party. Rev. E. J. Norman read the vows.

The bride wore a pastel blue suit with a faint overplaid. Her corsage was of white flowers.

Miss Mary Alice Holton, sister of the groom, was maid of honor, and wore a white dress with black trim. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

Howard Holton attended his brother as best man.

The bride graduated at Springfield High School and was with the Naval Supply Depot at San Pedro from June 1945 to January 1946.

The groom came to Wellington at the age of eight years and received his education in the Wellington Schools, graduating in the class of 1942. He enlisted in the Navy October 1, 1944 and received his boot camp training at San Diego, Calif. He was with the Naval Fuel Annex at Tupman, Calif., until the end of the war and was then transferred to the Naval Supply Depot at San Pedro. He hopes to get his discharge in time to enter school at Texas Tech in September.

Immediately following the wedding a reception was held in the Holton home for the bridal party and wedding guests. A large white wedding cake was served with punch from the bride's table which was laid in white and decorated with white flowers.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Francis and son; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cowan of Spur; Mrs. D. J. McFarland of Prairie Hill; Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Johnson and family of Idalou; Mrs. Sam Lester of Skellytown; Mrs. Tom Holton, Mr. and Mrs. James Holton and son; and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holton of Childress. Local guests were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Griffin, Mrs. G. E. VanPelt, Mr. and Mrs. James Van Pelt, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Henard, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Elliott, Mrs. E. J. Norman, Mrs. Nancy Rasco, members of bridal party and hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Holton.

After the reception the couple left for a trip to Amarillo. They will visit here until Sunday when they will leave for San Pedro, where the groom will report for duty.

Clara J. Hamilton and Horace G. Smith Wed On March 29

Miss Clara J. Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Hamilton of Dodson, became the bride of Horace G. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl N. Smith of Route 5, Wellington, on Friday, March 29 at 9:30 p. m. Justice of the Peace W. G. Hite read vows in the presence of the groom's brother and his sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carl N. Smith Jr. and daughter, Lindy.

The bride was reared in Sulphur Springs and lived there until two years ago when she moved to Dodson with her parents. She attended Wellington High School after moving to this county.

The groom, also a former resident of Sulphur Springs, received his education there. He received his discharge from the U. S. Army on December 10, 1945. While in the Army he served three years in the Pacific theater of war.

The groom is engaged in farming and the couple will make their home in Levelland.

Dodson Jr. Civic Club Meets In Lowrie Home

The Dodson Junior Civic Club met Thursday night, April 4, in the home of Mrs. Orvil Lowrie.

The following committees were planned: Program Committee, Mrs. Neil Doolittle, Mrs. M. G. Duval, Mrs. Clinton Norman. Courtesy Committee, Mrs. Bill Brewster, Mrs. Talbert Painter, Mrs. R. L. York.

After the business meeting games were directed by Mrs. Lowrie.

Refreshments were served to: Mmes. M. G. Duval, Neil Doolittle, Zeldia Painter, Margaret Birchfield, R. L. York, Clinton Norman, Harlon Rollins, Janet Hunt, Lloyd Mills, Bill Brewster, and hostess Mrs. Lowrie.

Reporter: Mrs. Harlon Rollins.



Mrs. Frank Reynolds

Mrs. Reynolds was before her marriage Sunday, March 31, Miss Thelma Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cooper. The wedding was solemnized in the home of the bride's parents. The couple left for a trip to Mineral Wells immediately follow the reception.

1924 Study Club Members Hear 'Turquoise' Reviewed April 2

The 1924 Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Chester Fires Tuesday, April 2. Miss Katherine Boverie reviewed "Turquoise," by Anya Seton. The story takes place in the last half of the 19th century in Santa Fe, New Mexico and New York.

Three new members were voted into the club. They were Mrs. Sam Moore, Mrs. Sam Gholson, and Mrs. Joe McWilliams.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Clark Anderson, Tom Campbell, Dewey Ellis, Frank Eikenburg, John D. Glenn, W. O. Richards, J. W. Wells, Morris Wells, and Miss Katherine Boverie.

Mrs. T. E. Bengé Hostess To W. M. U. Circle No. 2

Monday afternoon Mrs. T. E. Bengé was hostess to the members of the Baptist Circle No. 2 in her home when members took part in a Bible study program. Mrs. Lee Fortenberry was leader of the study which was taken from 2nd Kings.

Mrs. Joe McWilliams was welcomed into the circle as a new member.

Members present were Mmes. Frank Eikenburg, C. C. Bishop, Fred LeDerer, L. A. Moore, J. C. Whisenant, A. N. Hutcherson, Lee Fortenberry, Orval Couch, and the hostess, Mrs. Bengé.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. C. Bishop.

St. Joseph's Auxiliary To Meet Friday Afternoon At 4 P. M.

The St. Joseph's Hospital Auxiliary will meet on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock p. m. for their regular monthly meeting.

All members and visitors are cordially invited to attend the meeting. Mrs. Austin O'Neil, president of the auxiliary, especially urges all members to be present for a very important business meeting.

Lora Frances Matney Bride Of Ralph W. Martin

Miss Lora Frances Matney, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Matney of Wellington, and Ralph William Martin, son of Rev. and Mrs. Clyde Martin of Wellington, were married on Sunday evening, April 7, at 9 o'clock p. m. Rev. J. J. Grubbs, pastor of the Assembly of God, read the double ring vows at the church.

Mrs. John Brownlow was matron of honor, and Billie Joe Grubbs served as best man.

The bride wore a white two-piece dress of eyelet embroidery. She used black accessories and wore a corsage of pink carnations and sweetpeas.

The bride's mother and groom's mother each wore corsages of white carnations.

Mrs. Matney received her education in Mountain View, and Decha, Ark., and Wellington High School where she graduated with the class of 1945. She was employed for several months in the county clerk's office.

The groom attended the Wellington schools and was active in various sports. He was recently discharged from the U. S. Army and wears the Asiatic-Pacific campaign medal.

After a trip to Oklahoma the couple will be at home in Wellington.

Miss Betty Berry Pledges Las Vivarachas At Texas Tech

Miss Betty Berry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berry, was recently formally presented as a pledge to Las Vivarachas Club at Texas Tech College.

The presentation was made in the ballroom of Hotel Lubbock, which was decorated with greenery and floor baskets of spring flowers. The songs, "Oh You Beautiful Doll" and "Violets" were played as the pledges appeared for their presentation from a large white and violet gift wrapped doll box, which was on a revolving stand. The box was opened by little Rose LeFevich and each escort to reveal the presentee who was standing in the silver and lace lined box. Miss Berry was escorted by Harold Williams.

Miniature doll boxes lettered with the names of pledges and members who were presented added to the decoration of the ballroom.

Weiner Roast Saturday Evening At Shipley Home

On Saturday, April 6, at 8 p. m., Almeta Shipley was co-hostess to a weiner roast at her home. Host and hostess for the event were Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Shipley.

Weiners were roasted over a big fire and were served with cold pops.

Games were played in the back yard during the evening.

Those attending were: Jo Ann Thompson, Rudell Burkhalter, Joe Simmons, Joyce Watson, June Robertson, Bobby McCutchen, Patsy Robertson, Stanley Hennard, Betty Finley, J. D. Bell, Jean Jones, Richard Brown, Cecil Clark, Jerry Strickland, Jerry Austin, J. C. Nelson, Wayne Roberts, Whitcomb Riley, Eddie Jo Roberts, Loreta Huckabay, Donald Hiett, and hostess, Almeta Shipley.

A half done job in terracing a field is worse than no terraces at all.



Crowned Queen

Katherino Reeve, junior from Menard, Texas, was selected as Red-bud Queen from twenty-five hundred students at Texas State College for Women. The attractive blond was chosen for possessing the ideal criteria of poise, beauty, graciousness and scholastic standing.

Arthur V. Capps Weds Schoolmate Miss Lutie Neal On March 29, In Indianapolis

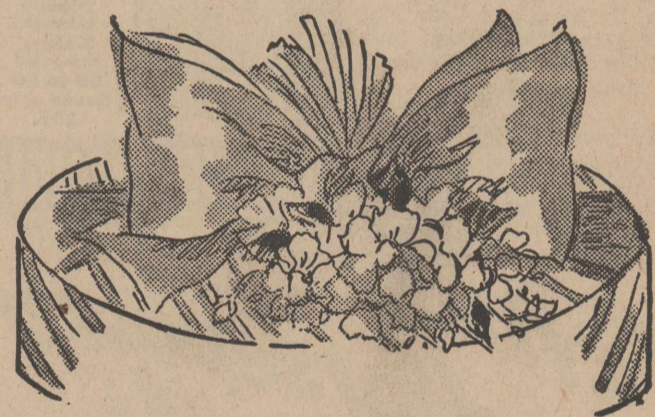
Miss Lutie Neal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Neal of East Sullivan, Ind., became the bride of Arthur V. Capps, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Capps, Wellington. The marriage was performed Friday evening, March 29, at 6:30 p. m. Minister Earl C. West of the Church of Christ read the single ring ceremony in his home at 34 N. Layman Avenue, Indianapolis, Indiana.

The bride was attractive in a powder blue traveling suit with a corsage of red rosebuds. Her accessories were black.

The bride and groom were classmates at Harding College at Searcy, Arkansas. Mrs. Capps has been with the Indianapolis city schools as a teacher for the past several years.

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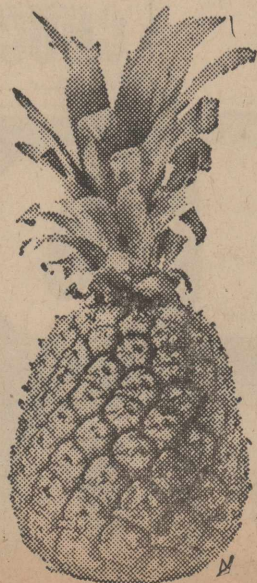
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Missionaries To Preach Here Mon.

Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Schmelzenbach, who have returned from the Transvaal, South Africa for their first furlough to the states will hold a service in the Wellington Church of The Nazarene Monday night, April 15. The meeting will start at 7:30.

These missionaries were sent to South Africa in 1936 under the auspices of the Department of Foreign Missions of the Church of the Nazarene, with International Headquarters in Kansas City, Missouri. Rev. Schmelzenbach, the son of the late Harman F. Schmelzenbach, veteran missionary in Africa, was born in Africa. For the past two or three years he has been in charge of the Bible Training School.

"During their furlough, these missionaries will do deputation work throughout the United States," says Dr. C. Warren Jones, Foreign Missions Secretary for the denomination.

Farmers Plant Winter Peas

COLLEGE STATION — More than 100 times as many Austrian winter peas were obtained by Texas farmers through the AAA conservation materials program in 1945 than in 1940, the first year of the program's operation.

This tremendous increase—from 58,925 pounds in 1940 to 6,085,899 pounds in 1945—was disclosed this week in a report to the State ACA Committee. Under the conservation materials program farmers can obtain soil-building materials with a large part of the cost being charged against the amounts they earn in the PMA's soil-building program.

Vetch seed—hairy, willamette and common—also showed a great increase over 1941, the first year it was offered, climbing from 410,282 in that year to 1,427,150 pounds in 1945. Shortage of seed last year hampered the program, but it was pointed out that these figures do not take into consideration the hundreds of thousands of pounds of seed harvested in the state and distributed locally by growers.

Another fast comer in the winter legume field is melilotus indica, or yellow blooming sweet clover.



Who's New In Collingsworth

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ogletree of Arlington, Texas, announce the birth of a son, James Max. He was born on March 28 in the Methodist Hospital in Dallas, weighing 9 pounds and 13 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Ogletree are former residents of Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Ray are the parents of a son, James Norman, born on April 7 at the St. Joseph's Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds and 7 ounces.

In 1943, 124,129 pounds were issued while in 1945, 1,338,170 pounds were issued. Hubam clover seed issued went from 32,189 pounds in 1942 to 984,720 pounds in 1945.

An Army Air Forces jet-propelled plane has flown across the nation almost with the speed of sound.

Frozen food removed from quick freezer locker and thawed should not be refrozen.

Fertilize the soil regularly.

Quail FFA Boys Hold Annual Banquet April 5

The annual F. F. A. father and son banquet of Quail was held Friday evening, April 5th, at 8:00 p. m. The program was opened with the invocation by Rev. Killian, which was followed by the regular F. F. A. ceremonies. Each of the F. F. A. Chapter members introduced their fathers, and guests.

The banquet was served and prepared by the Quail F. F. A. girls, under the supervision of Miss Beatrix Kelka. Fried chicken was the main course of the meal. The chicken were those raised by the F. F. A. boys.

The chapter president, Lloyd Langley presented to their chapter sweetheart, Miss Bobbie Jean Harris, a pair of coveralls that were embroidered with the F. F. A. emblem on them. Lloyd Langley acted as the master of ceremonies and introduced Elmer Shanks, who gave the creed, Weldon Sullivan, who gave the report of work done by the chapter, and Misses Betty and Laqueta Wofford, who sang three songs, that were enjoyed by all.

E. K. Alexander of A. and M., who was to be the principal speaker was unable to be present due to unforeseen reasons. T. C. Crabtree, who is president of the Quail School Board, spoke on "The Future of F. F. A. Chapter Possibilities of Work".

Special guests for the banquet were Lee Carter, Agriculture teacher of Samnorwood, Walker Todd, Agriculture teacher of Wellington High School, and J. W. Thomas, County Agent. Each of the men gave short speeches, and also Noah Cunningham, superintendent of the Quail School. Their entire school board attended the banquet as guests. About 140 attended the banquet in all.

Concluding the program was the regular closing ceremonies of the F. F. A. Chapter. The entire program was supervised by Frank Kennedy, Agriculture teacher of the Quail School, who has done outstanding work with his boys. At the present time he is engineering a soil conservation program whereby it is expected that enough weeping love grass seed will be produced to enable the farmers to plant much of the sandy land in grass in another year. Two acres of school ground have been planted with it, and the public is invited to observe the growth of these plants.

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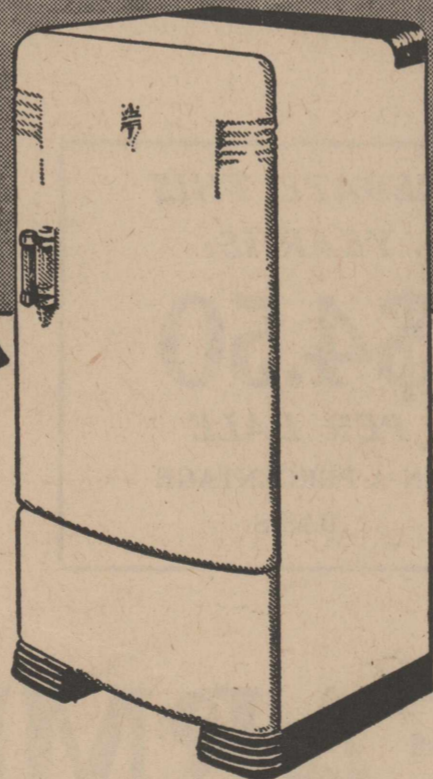
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FOR SALE: Air conditioned ice refrigerator, 100 lbs. ice capacity, good condition. See at Stark-ey's Electric Shop. Price \$50.00. 39-2p

FOR SALE: Tomato plants potted in wooden bands ready to set out. Bands protect them from cutworms and they will not wilt. Strong Floral Co. 39-3c

FOR SALE: Brand new 4-row John Deere Cultivator. Also 2-row John Deere planter, 3 bottoms. Tom Berry. 40-2p

FOR SALE: Four year old brown mare (Tobe Deahl stock) with Palomino horse colt. Allen I. Smith, 18 miles North, 1 mile West of Wellington. 39-2c

FOR SALE: Sudan Seed, \$8.00 per hundred. 100 bushels of Northern Star Cotton Seed at \$2.00 per bushel. J. A. Killian, Fresno. 39-2p

FOR SALE: Sweet Sudan and Red Top Cane seed. Recleaned, state inspected, tested and tagged. Pat O'Hair, Quail, Texas. 39-4p

Banded Plants

Get an early start on your plants. We have banded plants ready to set out—band protects against cutworms and prevents plants wilting. We have pepper, frost proof cabbage and Marglobe tomato plants ready to go.

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COTTON SEED FOR SALE:

Lockhart no. 140, Western Wonder first wear seed ginned by themselves in 6 bale lots, also Storm proof cottonseed, well cared for. Boge White, Quail, Rt 1 Box 40, 9 miles west of Quail 38-4-p

CEILING PRICE FOR GOOD AND CHOICE HOGS. Sandown Smith. 38-tfc

FOR SALE: Northern Star Cotton Seed. Three bushel bags at \$7.50. Culled, de-linted, and treated. See Floyd Nipper, 1400 Dallas St., or call 293-J. 38-4p

FOR SALE: 12 ft. Refrigerator Meat Case, Electric Meat Slicer, Electric Sausage Mill. See R. H. Eads or phone 151. 36-tfc

FOR SALE: P. S. Darlington farms in Collingsworth County, Texas. Will Crow, Canadian, Texas. 43-tfc

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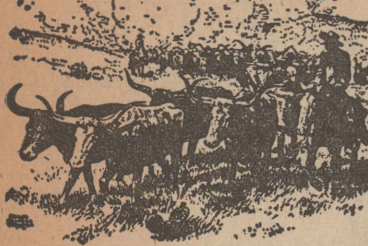
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TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



In old Miami the past approaches at night like coyotes to chew the boot ears of the present. Bricks worn deep with long-silenced spur rowels lie before the time-mellowed buildings. A vagrant wind whines in the rusty lace of a decaying metal stairway; only boots of phantoms climb the stair. New buildings seek their own associations, but old Miami, sweetheart of the Panhandle, remains a Mecca of cowboy tradition. Warm sunshine of another spring leaves the hamlet drowsy, and with a spirit of content after the noisy hammering of progress has passed to the forks of other trails.

Alone on the scarred hillside, the blossoming peach tree stands with its bouquet like a lover waiting for a hopeless tryst. Violins of the melancholy wind are tuned through its boughs and dew falls from the soft petals like tears from the depths of an empty heart. There is no more laughter that the old orchard knew. Time has broken the golden thread of whispered promises. A lonely tree wastes its splendor in the hurrying feet of another spring.

Scattered across a hundred miles, the machinery of abandoned oil wells is scattered like the debris of dreams. Each rusting wheel, each decaying timber had a part in some man's hopes. The earnings of many life-times are wasting under the slow emory of time. Scars on the prairie are healing but the plunder of failure awaits the convenience of the elements.

There is no bitterness in my heart with the realization that much unhappiness in this world could be avoided if we held less faith, but the price is too dear for so little.

Only when the gates of Paradise are ajar does the fragrance of the lilac drift into this world's musty vaults. With a few unguarded days the flower is gone, except the crumbling brown blossoms my mother left pressed in the old Bible.

Now that the fires of pain have died in his eyes, his friends know that a part of his soul perished when the brown-eyed girl betrayed him. At first he thrashed in the underbrush of space like a wounded animal seeking privacy in which to die. He rode the long trails that left a man to his thoughts and the scraping of a rolled slicker tied behind the cantle of his saddle. When he drank it was not for pleasure, but forgetfulness; his laughter was as empty as the wind in leafless mesquites. There was no mystery about the freshly bladed place on the white wood of a fallen cottonwood log. Two initials had been engraved there and circled with a crude heart; he knew pain amid the skeletons of memories. Fate must laugh in the cuff of a satin sleeve. Time left her a fat and dreamless woman, two sizes larger than her girdle.

Our estimations of values change with the years. I once thought our family was poor because the table contained unlimited quantities of fresh, sweet milk, golden butter, hot cornbread, hock-cured ham, sweet cottage cheese, black-eye peas, plum preserves and ribbon cane syrup. The first time I was away from home and without food for two days, I majored in the art of appreciation.

In 1912 the Army Signal Corps accomplished the first successful radio message from airplane to ground, and a few years later successfully demonstrated the first airplane radio telephone.



GIFT FROM AMERICA

This little lad in Eastern Slovakia, one of the most devastated regions of Europe, eagerly tries on his new shoes, a gift from America. The shoe on his left foot shows how badly he needed them. Now if he can just find some pants—

Norwood Methodist Church To Hold One Week Revival

The Samnorwood Methodist Church will begin a revival meeting on Sunday, April 14, to run one week, with Rev. S. H. Salley of Mobeetie doing the preaching. The meeting will close on Easter Sunday.

A cordial invitation has been extended to the public by Rev. Vernon Willard of the Shamrock Circuit who is in charge of the arrangements and by the members of the church.

FRESNO

By MRS. J. A. BATTLES

Mrs. Frank Roberts returned home last week from Corpus Christi where she visited relatives.

Miss Helen Atkins of Wellington visited with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Cook Sunday.

Miss Mary Austin of Wellington visited with friends here last week end.

Bro. Nipp and C. A. Kesler returned Thursday from El Paso, where they attended the Tri-State Sunday School Convention.

Leonard Beagles is home after having received his discharge from the army. Mr. and Mrs. Beagles have moved to Wellington to make their home.

Mrs. E. C. Clement and daughters entertained the H. D. Club on March 22. Mrs. Clement gave a talk on food spoilage. The next meeting will be with Mrs. H. E. Wynn, April 26. That is also the day our district council meets at Childress.

Among those attending the H. D. county council meeting at Wellington, March 30, were: Miss Inez Clement, Mrs. W. A. Morrow, and Miss Mabel Clement.

The Methodist Church is planning an Easter program. Mrs. Wilton Kitchem has charge of arrangements for the little folks.

Rev. Hugh Blaylock will begin a meeting at Dodson April 12. Ira Hart of Estelline will be the singer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gibson of Lubbock were visitors in the home of their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reynolds, recently.

Mrs. Betty Clubb and son, Billy Gene, left Saturday for Pawhuska, Okla., to be with her mother, Mrs. Hazel Gray, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sullivan and family of Sandy, Okla., and Miss Opal Sullivan of Borger visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hoaks and children of Borger visited here during the week-end.

Mrs. William Ructashel has been ill.

The terrace is an age old device to combat soil erosion.

Youth Week Observed At Baptist Church

The young people of the First Baptist Church are observing Youth Week at the church by leading in the services throughout this week. They will begin the observance by taking part in the regular prayer meeting service on Wednesday evening. Both the boys and girls will take part.

On Sunday morning and at the evening service there will be special choir music. All announcements and ushering will be under the direction of the young people.

The Baptist Training Union program Sunday evening will also be carried on by the youths of the church.

LILLIE

By MRS. G. D. THOMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Hermond Lee Jenkins of Wheeler, Texas visited with Mr. and Mrs. Beatrice Jenkins on Thursday. Mr. Jenkins has just received his discharge from the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lee Ashton of Abernathy, Texas visited with

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Thomas Thursday. Mr. Ashton has just received his discharge from the army.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Squires of Mouteau Park, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Squires visited in the William Squires home Thursday. Dale has just returned from the Pacific. He reports to San Antonio at the end of his leave.

When American Red Cross club workers in Chengtu, China, wanted to run a dance for U. S. servicemen, they had difficulty rounding up dance partners, finally obtained permission to have Chinese girls from the nearest city, 200 miles away, flown in to the base.

It is estimated that between 8,000 and 10,000 bee colonies are located in the Rio Grande Valley.

Do YOU suffer from CRAMPS NERVOUS TENSION

on "CERTAIN DAYS" of the month? If female functional monthly disturbances make you suffer cramps, headache, backache, weak, tired, nervous, cranky feelings—at such times—try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. Taken thruout the month—Pinkham's Compound helps build up resistance against such symptoms. Also great stomachic tonic! Try it!

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\$22,585.40

IN REBATE WILL BE PAID TO MEMBERS THIS SPRING

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Wellington High School

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ON A PERCENTAGE BASIS

The Farmers Co-Op Gin is paying \$22,585.48 in rebates this year, which have been made possible by your cooperation and loyalty. The officers and directors are grateful to each of you and we are confident that you are grateful to each other for the cooperation of every individual who has helped to make these rebates possible.

This is also to advise you that the 19th annual meeting will be held at the high school building in Wellington on Saturday, April 13, beginning at 2:00 p. m. Rebate checks will be issued at that time, and new directors for the next fiscal year will be elected. In addition the business of the gin for the past year will be explained to the membership.

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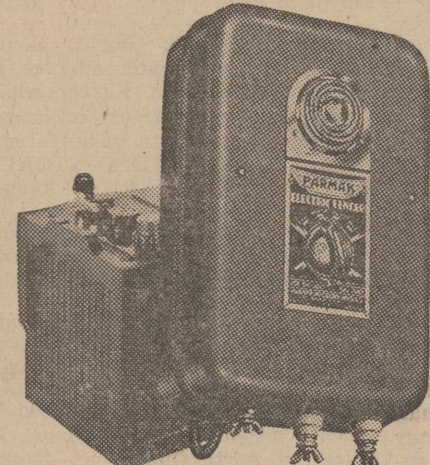
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Barbara Baumgardner

Eva Mae Wilkins

Gerald Squyres

Betty Jean Alexander

Are you looking for an efficient, dependable secretary? Let me recommend Betty Jean Alexander. Betty is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Alexander of Dodson, Texas. Betty was born on November 11, 1928 in Hollis, Okla. Since coming to Wellington, nine years ago, Betty has been active in all scholastic affairs. Prior to coming to Wellington she attended school for one year at Loco and one year at Dodson.

Betty has served efficiently as secretary of the senior class. She has been an active member of the Glee Club, the F. H. A. Club, the Sub-Deb Club, and the Pep Squad since coming to Wellington. Along with her many other activities she took time out to serve as art editor of the "Skyrocket" for one year.

Typing, shorthand, and book-keeping are her favorite subjects, and when she attends Texas Technological College next year, Betty plans to major in business administration.

So good luck to a swell personality! Wellington looks forward to success for you!

Neva Jo Wolf

That delightful bundle of joy that Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wolf received on October 29, 1929 at Loco, Texas was named Neva Jo. Before coming to Wellington she attended school at Loco for several years.

Neva Jo finds that collecting postcards and keeping scrapbooks are very interesting hobbies. She was a member of the F. H. T. Club for one year, and an active member of the Dramateers Club for one year.

Though she finds all subjects interesting, she chooses math and history as her favorites.

Neva Jo is undecided as to her future plans, but we know that the future holds many delightful things for such a wonderful person.

Edna Mae Bennett

Remember the many successes of the girls' basketball team? The manager of this successful team was Edna Mae Bennett, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bennett. Edna Mae entered this wonderful world on May 2, 1929 at Hedley, Texas.

Before coming to Wellington, Edna Mae attended school four years at McLean and one year at Hedley. Since coming to Wellington she has participated in the F. H. A. Club, the Pep Squad, and she served one year as a twirler.

Edna Mae especially enjoys dancing, skating, horseback riding, and bowling.

Though her future is undecided, we know she will meet with much success.

Kathleen Kay Carter

I'm sure everyone knows Kathleen by her sweet disposition and friendly smile. She was born September 7, 1930 at Wellington to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Carter. She attended school at Cross Roads for six years and then came to Well-

ington where she has been a student for the past five years.

She chose chorus, typing, and sociology as her favorite subjects. Her hobby is collecting post cards. She has been an active member of the glee club, band, pep squad, sub-deb, F. H. A. and the basketball team. She has added much to the merriment of these organizations by being a member.

She plans to major in secretarial work at Draughton's Business College at Wichita Falls.

Kathleen's wonderful personality will be a big asset in making any profession she chooses a successful one.

Virginia Ann Sachse

Virginia Sachse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sachse, came into this wonderful world on October 21, 1929 at Quitaque, Texas. She attended the Loco school for seven years before coming to Wellington for her remaining four years.

Her love for the wide open spaces is the main reason for her choosing hunting, fishing, and horseback riding as her hobbies.

During her four years in Wellington High School she has been F. F. A. sweetheart, high school queen, picture editor of the annual, reporter of the dramatics club, and president of the service club. She has been a member of the band for four years and the F. H. A. for two years. I'm sure you will remember the part Virginia played in the senior play. The beautiful red evening dress she wore so typically brings out her personality.

The Pre-Med department at Texas Technological College will have the honor of claiming Virginia as one of its students next year. After receiving her degree, Virginia plans to become a laboratory technician.

Just keep working, Virginia, we know you can be successful in whatever profession you choose.

Floyd Richard Morton

On the morning of January 8, 1929, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morton received into their home a boy whom they named Floyd Richard. At the present time Mr. and Mrs. Morton live at 604 West Avenue.

When asked how long he had attended school here, Richard replied "All my life." It may have seemed like a long time, but actually he has attended only 11 years in the Wellington schools.

Richard's hobby is keeping bees. I think that he may be quite mechanically minded, because he likes to "tinker" with engines of all sorts.

Although Richard is not certain about his future agenda, we of Wellington High know that he will make good because of his past record as a citizen here in school.

Timothy A. Hatch

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hatch of 1301 West Avenue took upon themselves a problem on May 2, 1929, in Eldorado, Okla. They named it Timothy A. Hatch. Since then Tim has been a very busy boy. He attended school in Eldorado for five



OKAY, BUT SCORCHED

Commodore James K. Vardaman Jr., presidential naval aide whose nomination to the Federal Reserve Board drew intense fire before the Senate approved him, is shown at his desk in Washington.

years, then because of the notoriety of Wellington, he moved here.

In his six years here he has been secretary of his junior class, vice-president of his senior class, business manager of the high school annual this year, and sports editor of the Skyrocket paper in 1945. He also played as the "Casanova" in the senior play this year. Tim is considered as one of the best athletes that Wellington has ever been honored to have. He has had three years of football, three years of basketball, and one year of track.

Tim's favorite subjects are mathematics and history, and he plans to major in business administration at Texas Tech, his choice of schools.

Teresa Beth Hunsaker

Everyone will remember what a fine piece of acting Teresa did as the leading lady in the senior play this year. Teresa was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunsaker on July 5, 1923, at Wellington.

Although she has attended Wellington High School less than two years, she has made herself well known as a good student. Her schooling has been quite widespread. She had attended schools in Wichita Falls, Texas, Memphis, Tenn., Macon, Georgia, and Knoxville, Tenn. She was very active in all these schools, having held class

offices and entering into all kinds of sports.

Her hobby is collecting records and post cards. She has taken piano, chorus, and served as reporter of the senior class in the short time she has been here.

Teresa is undecided as to what college to attend but hopes to go to a girls school where she will major in journalism. After finishing college, she plans to work on a newspaper.

We wish you luck and shall be watching in all the big newspapers for "Teresa Hunsaker, Reporter."

A typewriter small enough to fit into a waistcoat pocket has just recently been patented.

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Gospel Of Christ

(Rom. 1:16)

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Theologians have been industrious to divorce water and the Spirit in the new birth, but Jesus said a person cannot be born of water without the Spirit, and he cannot be born of the Spirit without the water. One cannot be born of his mother without his father, nor is one born of his father without his mother. And that this birth of water is baptism is affirmed by all unprejudiced commentators.

A similar divorce is effected by many between faith and baptism. Though Jesus says: "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved," many teach one is saved at the point of faith only. Thus they divorce "believeth and is baptized," but God joined them together with an essential co-ordinate conjunction "and."

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'Twixteen,' Senior Play, At Quail Friday

On Friday evening, April 12, the Quail Seniors will present their annual play which will be entitled "Twixteen." The play will begin at 8:30 p. m. and will be under the direction of the sponsors, Miss Frances M. Smith and W. C. Risinger.

It concerns Rodney Wells Jr., played by Kelsie Gosnell, who has suddenly discovered muscles, girls and prestige, and the combination certainly is confusing. Rod is firmly convinced that large biceps and notes delivered the "hard way" are necessary, to win the heart of Doris Mahnsfield, played by Mildred Clay.

The first snag is hit when Rod's best friend, Pete, enacted by Connie DeBord, accidentally delivers the note to Gwendolyn Todd, portrayed by Barbara Wilson, who rushes in at a most opportune moment to tell Rod how happy she is. Calamity after calamity hits Rod until he just about decides to leave home and considers the peace and quiet of a ranch out West. That is, until Pete delivers an evening paper and Gwendolyn arrives with a piece of pie. The public is invited to come Friday night and find out what is in the paper and what happens to Gwendolyn's pie.

The supporting cast includes Melvin Breeden, Bobbie Harris, Dorothy Morgan, Josephine Riley, and Don Manuel who seems never to have any clothes when he needs them most.

Treating Seed Improves Stand And Yield

This spring, when there is such a big need for feed grain and forage for livestock it is more important than ever for farmers to treat the seed chemically. This is the opinion of E. A. Miller, agronomist of the A. and M. College Extension Service, and he says it's good insurance to treat all grain sorghum, sweet sorghum and corn planting seed every year.

Treating these seed is standard recommended practice for the control of most seed-borne diseases, says Mr. Miller. It also protects the seed and young seedling blights. It improves the stand, the yield, and the quality of the grain.

Some farmers can have their grain treated in custom machines that will come to the farm. Others have central treatment stations to which they can take their grain. But farmers who lack such facilities find that, with homemade equipment, they can do quite a good job of treating the seed. Grain sorghum and sweet sorghum seed should be treated with 2 ounces of copper carbonate per bushel of other chemicals which can usually be bought at the local seed store. For corn semasan Jr. is recommended. Exact directions for use of the chemicals are found on the container.

If a mixing machine isn't at hand, Mr. Miller recommends treating the seed in any tight can such as a calcium arsenate or lard can. The treatment is for kernel smut



HOW TO SPARKLE

A new thing in beach and street wear—jeweled sun glasses! Lorraine Edelstein of Brooklyn, N. Y., makes them look their best.

News

— from the —

Army Navy Air Force Marines Coast Guard

Sgt. Stewart Jones of the Air Transport Command was recently transferred from Tripoli, Libya to Cairo, Egypt. Sgt. Jones has been overseas for the past seventeen months. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jones.

Seaman 2-c Harold Maddox arrived here last Wednesday on a fifteen day leave to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Maddox. The ship he has been stationed on, the USS Harrison, was recently decommissioned, and when he reports back to Charleston, S. C., he expects to be reassigned.

Pvt. Mason Lee Benton recently left Washington for Alaska. He will be stationed there to cook in the Post Officers Mess. Benton is stationed near Anchorage.

His wife, Mrs. Benton, will make her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miller, while Pvt. Benton is overseas.

BM 2-c Charles Hester left Guam on April 3 to return to the U. S. Hester has been stationed with the CASU 12 there for the past eighteen months. During the recent typhoon that so tragically hit many of the Pacific islands, Hester was on night patrol of that island. There were no lives lost there.

He is the son of Mrs. Vera Hester of Wellington.

and other seed-borne diseases of grain sorghum and sweet sorghum and certain corn rots and protection against seed rots by moulds and fungi in the soil, thereby giving better stands and yields.

Richard Halliburton, the famous author, crossed the Alps on an elephant.

Ben Bolt is a character in a song.

Famed Word Picture Artist Visits Here

Douglas Meador, noted small town columnist, who is recognized as the best exponent of painting word pictures in the Southwest area, was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Deskins Wells last week.

Douglas Meador was born in the little cowtown of Matador where he has operated the Matador Tribune for the past 14 years. He moved away with his parents when six months of age and returned 17 years ago.

His first recognition was achieved in 1934 when his column, "Trail Dust," was awarded first place by the Dallas Fair as the most outstanding Texas column. Later the column was accorded two pages in the magazine "Column Review" with such notables as Will Rogers, O. O. McIntyre and others. It was also given mention in "Time" magazine the same year.

A book of his column published in 1940 received favorable review throughout the country but only fair sale. The book is still being sold by book stores over the state.

Meador started in the weekly newspaper business with only \$1.60 when he assumed management of the handset "Roaring Springs News," which he operated for one year before moving into the county seat of Matador. There he purchased the "Motley County News" and changed the name to the Matador Tribune. Meador was president of the West Texas Press Association in 1938 and has been president of the Panhandle Press Association for the past two years.

Water in the Danube River is not blue, but muddy.

Do not mine soil.

ABERDEEN

By LORENE CALCOTE

Misses Ferne and Glenna Gully of Mobeetie spent the week end with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Fletcher.

J. V. Calcote of Kelton has been visiting with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Calcote and family.

Jimmie Willard cut three of his fingers badly Monday.



Douglas Meador

Rockets Win Fourth Place

Wellington trackmen won fourth place in the district meet held at White Deer April 6, with a total of 9 1-2 points as compared to 54 for first place Panhandle.

I. D. Russell set a new district record in the pole vault when he went over the bar at a height of 10 feet and 4 inches. This was the only first place won by the Rockets.

Ted O'Neil won third in this same event by clearing the bar at ten feet. Hunter also tied for fourth place in the same event. O'Neil also tied for second with

Morgan of Shamrock in the high jump. The mile relay team composed of Hatch, Hunter, O'Neil and Russell, won fourth place.

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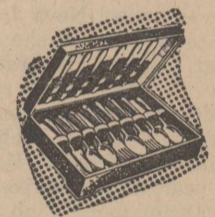
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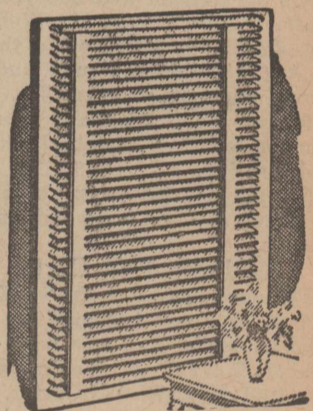


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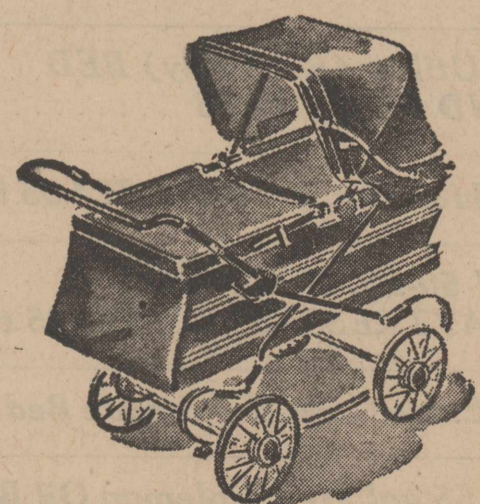
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