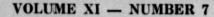


# The Wheeler Times



#### WHEELER, TEXAS, THURSLAY, JANUARY 27, 1944

#### THE COUNTY SEAT NEWSPAPER

# **Locker Equipment** Shipped Jan. 3

Cold storage rooms of the new Wheeler cold storage locker plant have been completed and other necessary renovation made on the ice plant building and things are in readiness for the compartments and machinery to be installed upon arrival.

The equipment was shipped from a northern factory on January 3 and should have arrived in Wheeler before now. Authorities have sent out tracers to find the shipment that has been in transit since that date.

It is estimated that it will take only a week or 10 days to get the plant in operation after the equipment arrives.

Much of the credit for helping secure the 326 unit cold storage locker with local authorities when the plant was up before War Food Administration at Washington and the state USDA war board. After helping get the application in proper form, Mr. Worley saw that it was given immediate consideration by proper authorities. The application for the plant was approved by the War Food Administration Nov. 3 and a few days Production Board.

# A. B. Crump Sells **Texaco Station To** E. H. Kennedy

A. B. Crump, owner and manager of the Crump-Mundy Service Station since 1925, in the days when the Model T had come into its own and a "fillerun" of the car gas tank a "fillerup" of the car gas tank meant that all front seat occupants had to clamor out and the seat cushion be removed, last Friday sold the a line of Federal tires and Delco batteries.

P. L. Farmers, who has helped Mr. Crump with the station for the past ten years, has removed the repair and parts department to the building just back of the station.

Elsewhere in this issue of The Times Mr. Crump expresses his appreciation for the loyal patronage afforded him these many years by the citizenship of this section. He has

# **217 Persons Attend Credit Association 10th Anniversary Meet**

from Hemphill county, 18 from Ochil-tree county, 12 from Roberts county, Ft. Sill February 8. Harold Hart Wilscomb county and 62 from Wheeler county.

Sarah Wiggins, asst. treasurer.

system goes to Congressman Gene of M. H. Smith and Frank McMordie, January 17 to begin his training in Worley, communicating almost daily with H. H. Keahey and Lloyd G. Bus- the Marines. sard as alternates.

The membership and finance committee consists of J. A. Bryant, H. H. Keahey and Lloyd G. Bussard.

Members present from Wheeler county were: M. N. Bradstreet, Mr. Wade Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. later was given an okey by the War and two children, Mr. J. B. Harvey, Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Laman.

ter Walser. The guests present from Wheeler mons and C. W. Wells.

# T. L. Gunter Asks **Reelection To Office Of** Tax Assessor-Collector

Offering himself on the basis of satisfactory service rendered by his farming and stock feeding interests office since he took over, T. L. Gunfarming and stock feeding interests that he intends to devote his time to and he and Mrs. Crump will continue to make their home in Wheeler. this week announces as a candi-to make their home in Wheeler. date for re-election to the office of to make their home in Wheeler. this week announces as a candi-tif elected, bring to the office my ex-perience by which, with your council and aid, we shall bring our local af-to make their home in Wheeler. Even the transmission of the office of the state. Counties receiving the had the experience necessary to the highest total dairy feed payments in-clude Bexar, Dallas, Harris and Tar-that their taxes are paid before they become delinquent Feb. 1. In announcing for re-election, Mr. fairs closer to the tax payers. Every- your support will be in all things apthe Cactus Ordnance plant north of Gunter states: "I do not do so in a Dumas and has oil interests in the spirit of pride for having served the sible. I have had actual experience in county for several years, but in a construction and maintenance of spirit of thankfulness to a citizenship business offered farmers and ranch- that has always been generous to He invites examination of his record as a county official and solicits the influence and support of voters at the July Primary.

# **Branches Of Service**

Out of the group that left Mon-day, January 17, to go to Lubbock The annual meeting of the Canad- for their pre-induction examination, ian Valley Production Credit Asso- the following were accepted for the ciation which met in Canadian, Jan- Army: Linden Curtis Keys, Troy uary 22, was well attended. A total Adair Wilkinson, Hoyt Nolen Dunn, of 217 persons attended, including 60 Willie Berry North and Willie Nich-27 from Gray county, 38 from Lip- liams and John Doise Jeter were accepted for the Army Air Corps and are waiting for their call. Those ac-The following officers were elected cepted for the Navy were: Kell Wagfor the year: J. A. Bryant, president; ner, George Champion Davis, Wil-M. H. Smith, vice-president; C. W. liam Wallace Wiley, Harold Edgar Allen, secretary-treasurer; R. N. Lester, John Kendell Reed and Mil-Matthews, asst. sec.-treas., Mrs. lard Elmore Carver. They reported to Lubbock Tuesday. Darville Ed-The executive committee consists ward Atherton left from Lubbock

## J. P. Keeton Announces As Commissioner Pct. 1

J. P. Keeton, well known resident and Mrs. J. A. Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. of the Jowett community, announces Thos. J. Daughtry, Mr. and Mrs. that he is a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 of Wheeler brother. Dysart, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Guenzel, county. Mr. Keeton, who made the race two years ago, was defeated by J. E. Hathaway, C. B. Handerson, E. his opponent by a small margin, and E. Henderson, and J. B. Henderson, received the majority of the votes in Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Johnson, A. A. three out of the four precincts. Mr. Keeton is well known in this com-Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lowrie, Mr. C. munity and is well liked by his E. Loter, Wiley McCray, R. B. Mann, neighbors. He has made a success of Floyd A. Mooney, A. B. Pond, Gordon his business, that of being a farmer W. Stiles, Robert Terry, and W. F. and stockman. He promises if he is Wright, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Prater, elected to fill the office to the very

In making his announcement, Mr.

"In the interest of strict economy and full publicity, I will be in favor county were: J. H. Caperton, S. P. of having published quarterly all re-Britt, Miss Florence Merriman, Mary ceipts, disbursements of general, station to E. H. Kennedy. Mr. Ken-nedy has taken over the management of the station and will continue to handle Texaco products, along with Savage and two children, Verne will, if elected, devote all time nec-Hardcastle, Harry Wofford, Bert Betenbaugh, Glynn Bell, Haskle Sam-realizing that taxes are burdensome and that our war efforts will require more economy in our local government. I therefore would recommend our county going on a cash basis. Eventually this can be done and we could pay as we spend.

# **Shamrock Sports Star Killed Early Saturday**

Summoned to the scene of a traffic accident early Saturday morning, R. H. Fuller found the fatally injured victim was his son, Robert Maxwell (Big) Fuller, Shamrock basketball and football letterman who had competed in the Shamrock annual invitation cage tournament only 30 minutes before.

Justice of the Peace T. E. Burkwas walking home about 1 a. m. Saturday when he was struck by a car driven by Felton Leake, Shamrock just getting under full headway. High school student.

Burkhalter said Leake was blindthe youth blameless.

After the accident, Leake, who December amounted to \$5,742.60. was driving two members of the his home to spend the night, rushed someone.

followed young Leake and discovered the victim was their son and

The Shamrock athlete is survived by his parents; four brothers, Marine Pvt. J. D. of Camp Pendleton, Calif., Cecil and Troy of Shamrock and Doyle of Pryor, Okla.; and two sisters, Mesdames J. T. Jennings of Shamrock and L. A. Barnett of Millington, Tenn.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church in Shamrock at 2 p. m. Sunday with the Rev. Edward C. Derr, pastor, in charge.

Geo. W. Hefley Is **Candidate For** County Judge

To the voters of Wheeler County, Texas:

I take this opportunity of offering myself as a candidate for the office I am not approaching you with any high sounding phrases relative to my qualifications, because I have been a public servant for a number of years as a County Commissioner and my record will speak for itself.

If I have pleased you in such cap- made this month. "Having lived in Wheeler county acity, I am very thankful. If I have Payments have been made on 94,-

# \$61,431.75 Paid Wheeler **County Producers Under** 1943 AAA Program

5c Per Copy

Texas farmers will be brightened by yesterday totaled \$86,193.50, R. J. the receipt of AAA payments which Holt, co-county chairman of the they have earned for building soil drive, reported this morning as the fertility and increasing food produc- second week of the drive gets undertion for the war effort.

B. F. Vance, State AAA administrator, announced that payments covhalter said the 18-year-old Fuller ering 138,804 applications have already been made to over 195,000 producers, and the pay off program is According to V. B. Hardcastle,

AAA, administrator for Wheeler ed by the lights of a truck and held county, dairy feed payments in this county for October, November and

AAA payments for 555 producers visiting Groom basketball team to in Wheeler county have amounted to to a nearby house, frantically call- ment have been submitted to the ing for help, exclaiming he had hit state office for payment out of the

checks. cultural Conservation Program payments totaling \$38,644,000 will be dit for purchases.

made to Texas' farmers who cooperated in the program, the Administrator said.

Payments for 1943 will include their campaigns. Several plan box \$16,854,000 for cotton; \$2,622,000 for suppers and pie suppers while others wheat; \$100,000 for Irish potatoes; intend to hold auctions and enter-\$250,00 for fresh vegetables; and tainment programs as a means of \$14,547,000 for soil-building practices. getting out large crowds. Increases in small payments will total about \$4,271,000. Payments of ers for bond rallies are asked to g less than \$200 are automatically in- in touch with J. B. Clark, H. B. Hill creased by a designated amount. The or Bill Walker at Shamrock, or R. smaller the payment, the higher the H. Forrester, Homer Moss or Harry

proportionate increase. Special dairy feed payments totaling \$480,280 have been made to 34,of County Judge of Wheeler County. 745 dairy farmers in Texas through December, Vance said. 'These payments covering production for market in October were made to dairymen to help them meet the increased cost of feed. Similar payments for November and December will be

for several years, I have learned to not, I assure you that I have per- 758,400 pounds of milk and \$1,094,850 admire my neighbors and friends, be- formed the duties of the office to the pounds of butterfat sold. Payments lieving my neighbors know me to be best of my ability, I believe I have have gone to nearly every county in without penalty is fast coming to a

War Loan Bond Sales Total \$86,193.50 War bond sales in Wheeler, Mo-

beetie and Shamrock since the open-The new year for thousands of ing of the Fourth War Loan, late way. \$68,709.75 worth of bonds had been sold in Shamrock, \$4,375.00 worth in Mobeetie and the bank and postoffice of Wheeler had issued \$13,218.75 in bonds during the drive. This is approximately a fourth of the county's \$363,000 quota.

The twenty towns and communities of Wheeler county have been assigned definite quotas. These quotas and community committeemen were announced in the county's two newspapers last week.

County Co-Chairman Holt and Montgomery are suggesting that lo-\$55,689.15. 1,350 applications for pay- cal chairmen contact their school, church and women's groups to discuss plans for the community drives. 1,385 filed. To date 914 applications They urge community chairmen to R. H. Fuller and his son, Troy, have been audited in the state office make known to all residents that it and payments will be received in the is necessary they notify their comnext few days on 359, the balance munity chairman of all bond purnumber audited. All payments will chases so that community will be be received as soon as the state can sure to get credit. Issuing agents at complete auditing and mailing the banks and post offices at Shamrock, Wheeler and Mobeetie should Under the 1943 State AAA Agri- also be teld by bond buyers what community they wish to receive cre-

> Many rural communities are expected to call mass meetings at their school houses and churches to launch

> Rural communities wish Wofford at Wheeler.

# 2,158 Poll Taxes Paid; **Deadline Is Monday**

T. L. Gunter, Wheeler county tax assessor-collector, announced late yesterday that 2,158 poll tax receipts had been issued through his office and that the tempo of payments is increasing as the deadline for securing the voting right nears, 28 exemp-

tions had been issued. an upright, honest citizen, and I shall, had the experience necessary to the the State. Counties receiving the close and county, city and school of-This is presidential election year and several county and state offices are to be decided. Your poll tax will be more valuable in 1944 and you must pay it by January 31.

eastern part of this county. The Texaco wholesale oil and gas

ers over the area will be continued me. through the station. Those desiring purchase of petroleum products in such quantities are asked to leave their orders with Mr. Kennedy.

# W. B. Wofford Honored On 70th Birthday

To compliment her father, W. B.

colors and was centered with a tall crystal stand on which was a large white cake decorated in yellow. Crystal candle sticks holding yellow candles were placed at either side of it and an effective arrangement of cut flowers were used as other decorations.

Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Ansel McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Bronson Green, Mr. and Mrs. R. William Brown, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Porter, Miss Florence Merriman, Miss Reba Wofford, Harry Wofford and E. H. Kennedy.

## **Three Negroes Get** Sentences In Court

fonday were given sentences of one Canadian. Mrs. Troth's husband is in can. day in jail and fined court costs on the armed forces. charges of possessing unstamped bevin dry area and offering for sale bev- ed with him at the yard. erage in dry area.

Pfc. Harley Pond, who is stationed somewhere on the group of Hawaiian Islands, has written his brother, Cur- of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crump Sun- to say any harsh words of my honortis, that he was privileged with at- day afternoon, at which time a turtending the Texas Round-up January key dinner was served to the follow-16th. He spoke of seeing young ing: Greenhouse from Mobeetie, Murry Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Mundy, Mr. and of Wheeler, Bill Wright of Kelton Mrs. Geo. L. Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. and Pansey Purcell of Shamrock and Gus Leftwich and daughter, Ann, Mr. reported that all were getting along and Mrs. R. Stuart Tisdal and daughfine.

Eli Smith, West Texas Utilities manager of Shamrock was in Wheel- afternoon for a visit between semeser Wednesday.

trip to Childress yesterday.

# **Near Inch Of Rain Falls Last Night**

Wofford, on his seventieth birthday by considerable wind and a display anniversary, Mrs. E. H. Kennedy was of electricity, fell over this area late hostess at a surprise buffet dinner at vesterday and last night. Resembling her home Monday evening, Jan. 24. more an April downpour than that The dining table was laid with a of mid-winter, the rain fell in one white cloth embroidered in pastel hard shower after another until 7/8 of an inch of moisture was received.

> J. E. Bowman Named **Temporary Manager Cicero-Smith Yard**

J. E. Bowman, former manager of Allison Cicero-Smith Lumber the Yard, has taken over the management of the local yard belonging to that company while J. M. Lawrence will devote his full time for the next two or three months to his hatchery and feed business. The yard at Allison has been closed and the Wheeler county yards.

Mr. Bowman has been working for the Cicero-Smith company since 1915. He, Mrs. Bowman and their daughter, Mrs. Mary Troth, have moved to

erage, possession of whiskey for sale Caughron of Allison will be associat-

#### MR. AND MRS. A. B. CRUMP ENTERTAIN RELATIVES

Shamrock relatives were the guests

ters, Pamelle, Cheramy and Apriell.

the state of the s

one should have the best road pos- preciated. highways and promise, if elected, to make constant inspection of our roads. A chain is no stronger than its weakest link. A road is no better than its worst places.

"Our form of government should our state and federal government in home of her son, B. D. Cox, in Pampa planning and assisting in every way Wednesday of last week. Funeral possible to win the war for our free-A hard dashing rain, accompanied dom and for generations to come.

"Education has never been more important to youths than it is today. want to help see that they shall prepare themselves for the future. "Certain bonds in the past must have been sold for par. Our past fin- Pampa; three daughters, Mrs. Ellen ancing should be examined to determ-

ine if we are entitled to rebates. "I believe in freedom of speech, free and religious liberty. I shall continue to work for the betterment of our roads, schools and churches and believe each community should receive their pro rata share, believing in equals rights to all and special privileges to none.

"We are all aware that we are in the worst war of any in history. Our boys are offering their life's blood that we may preserve our freedom. We should ever be ready to lend all aid possible from our home front. stock distributed among the other Our boys and girls are looking to us for such help. We should give more and more help to them and less to our own selfish interests. We should continue to produce all food and equipment possible in order that we Three negroes tried in county court the Shelby Pettit property on South may win the war as quickly as we

> "I realize the necessity of saving Mr. Bowman states that Leon Caughron of Allison will be associattime trying to contact the voters of this precinct as best I can. My farm H. Ashby, Paul C. Christian, W. Purwork will require most of my time. I expect to conduct my campaign on a high standard plane and don't care able opponents, I am making the race on my own merits and not on my opponents demerits, and will thank my neighbors and friends for their support on election day.

Respectfully submitted, J. P. Keeton

G. A. Asbery, C. G. Asbery and A. Miss Pauline Miller arrived Friday H. Asbery were business callers in Wheeler Sunday afternoon.

Wednesday. Curtis Kidwell made a business ip to Childress yesterday. ters ,with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller. She returned to school in Edmond, Oklahoma Sunday.

Fred Ashley Resigns Yours very truly, Position With S. W. Geo. W. Hefley Public Service Co.

#### **Funeral Services Held** Fred Ashley, manager of the local office of the Panhandle Division of For Mrs. Josephine Cox

Mrs. Josephine Cox, 83, resident of The Southwestern Public Service be the pride of every American citi- Wheeler for 12 years before moving Company, since June 1939, has tenzen. If elected, I shall co-operate with to Pampa six months ago, died at the dered his resignation and will be asary 1. The Canadian River Company Central Baptist church, at 2 p. m. in the Rule building. Mrs. Ashley Friday. Burial was in the Wheeler cemetery. She was a member of the in Wheeler indefinitely until living for burial. This misunderstanding have every opportunity possible to Wheeler Baptist church. She was a quarters are secured in Amarillo. was due to the reference of the transnative of Warren County, Kentucky. Survivors are the son, B. D. Cox, Martin, also of Pampa; Mrs. Ethel Potts, Wheeler; Mrs. Cora Fuller,

> County Agent To Be In Mobeetie Each Monday, Shamrock Wednesday

County Agent Jake Tarter announces he plans to be in Mobeetie on Monday afternoon of each week and in Shamrock each Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Tarter has been going to Shamrock on Tuesday. The county agent feels that by his going to these communities weekly it saves several trips by the farmers to Wheeler as well as the time they would lose from their farms.

#### **GRAY-WHEELER MEDICAL** GROUP MET THURSDAY NIGHT

serving in the U.S. Army and Jerry, The Gray-Wheeler County Medical age nine. Society met in regular session January 20, at the Schneider hotel in Pampa. Doctors present were Chas. viance, R. D. Falkenstein, W. C. Jones, R. M. Brown, J. H. Kelley, K. W. Pieratt, H. L. Wilder of Pampa;

H. E. Nicholson and G. R. Walker of Wheeler; Jason H. Robberson, and E. A. Rowley of Amarillo and Lt. Col. Euclid M. Smith of Pampa Army Air Field.

sions.

# Courtney's Body Not Shipped Back To States

Just as The Times went to press last week it was learned that Sgt. sociated with the Canadian River Gas Weldon Courtney, nephew of Mrs. J. Company beginning Tuesday, Febru- M. Burgess and Bill and Elmer Lowrie, had been killed in action in Italy headquarters in Amarillo with offices Dec. 20. From the message received it was first construed that the body and their son, Oscar, plan to remain was being shipped back to the states Mr. Ashley has been with the power fer of a brother, Jennings Courtney, company for 13 years and was with here in the states. Mrs. Burgess left the gas division before becoming here early Friday to go see her sister, Mrs. W. F. Courtney, of Rooseing Wheeler, Mobeetie, Magic City, velt, Okla., mother of the young Briscoe, Allison, Kelton, Reydon and man. Enroute back to Wheeler, Mrs. Durham. Mrs. Ashley has been help- Burgess stopped at Wichita Falls to visit an uncle, Jack Lowrie, who recently underwent a major operation.

## Car License Tabs For 1944 Received Yesterday

The 1944 car licenses for Texas will again be a small metal tab to

attach to your 1942 license plate. This year's tabs are about two inches square and are painted a light green with yellow letters and numerals. The tabs arrived at the Wheeler county seat at the office of tax collector-assessor T. L. Gunter yesterday. This year's passenger car license numbers begin at FX9440 and go through FY1849.

1944 licenses cannot be sold until February and cannot be put on cars until March 1.

# Nash Is New Amalie

### Dealer In Wheeler

Harold Nash, manager of the Nash Appliance and Supply Company, announces this week that the store now is distributors for Amalie oils and

"Amalie Pennsylvania motor oil for both tractor and car lubrication.

Lt. Col. Smith invited the society seed, hogs, farm implements and sev-to hold the next meeting at the field eral miscellaneous items. Leonard wide variety of SAE grades including

**Joint Auction Sale** Is Set For Wednesday

H. Briley and Charley Brittain of lubes. In commenting on his new the Kelton community are announc- product Mr. Nash said:

ing a public auction sale to be held Drs. Jason H. Robberson and R. D. 11/2 miles south and 1/4 mile east of offers an extra margin of protection Falkenstein read papers on socializ- Kelton beginning at 1 o'clock next ed medicine. The papers were well Wednesday afternoon. Items listed because it is **non-corrosive and pro-**received and caused lengthly discus-for sale include 14 head of cattle, 6 vides greater oiliness combined with head of horses, considerable feed and outstanding heat-resistance.

Mr. Sayre will assume his new duties soon after Feb. 1 and will move his family here as soon as a house can be found.

and Gruver, living at the latter place a little more than 4 years. Sayres have two sons, Donald Lee

services were conducted by the Rev. T. M. Sumrall, pastor of the Pampa

manager of the local territory includ-Cheek, Okla., and 14 grand children.

ing with the clerical' work for the past several months.

During their stay in Wheeler the Ashleys have become favorably known for their keen interest in community affairs including active parts in Red Cross work, bond drives, United War Chest drives and other civic

interests. Raymond Sayre, an employee of the Southwestern Public Service Company and its predecessor, The Panhandle Power and Light Company, for 17 years, has been named local manager. Mr. Sayre has managed offices at Texhoma, Boise City

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It All Helps

of the lack of care it has received. If just moving again." you are now hoping to raise fruit for sale from such trees it will mean ferplanning upon getting the fruit growtake many applications to get results and when the fruit is ripe you will Two weeks later the neither ier to enjoy its bounty.

#### Strikers Help The Enemy

enemy. Labor leaders say strikes do like. not have an effect because they are not that far reaching, but knowing how Germany would feature the fact that our government took over the railroads, is enough to convince us that the German people are aware of Axis! With a good propaganda system to work on it we would be optimistic about the enemy weakening and though tired of fighting and thinking of quiting, it would bolster our nerves and courage to the extent we would try hard to hold on longer since our enemy was fighting and striking within their own boundaries. We would welcome such news of our enemy and would they not of us? Sources say we are prolonging the war and taking American lives by such strikes. And it isn't a morale builder to our Allies, either!

#### **Poor Babies**

the trouble mothers have buying to the taxpayers, would there? deal. If you haven't tried to buy for come popular. babies you are not aware of the sitnation but take the word of a young mother who had to put five-year old's that was all that was available in he ought to go to the mourner's shoes on her baby of 18 months since the stores of a fair sized town! Perhaps you have noticed the high-pric- bring forth fruits meet for repened reptile shoes for ladies that run from \$18 through \$38, or the large number of sport shoes shown in the oddly enough, claiming to be the Gov- 614 as printed. Haven't been able to men's department. Babies are feeling ernor's friend while doing so! the effects of war because in some towns it is difficult to get them pana cry from those mothers who sew that it is a job to find good, durable cotton material by the yard and the inferior grades aren't worth the time and money since the wearing quality is so poor. Pity the mothers when you go into the stores and find expensive adult items while they are scouring about trying to find something to wrap baby bunting in! Outing flannel is really "out" in many places and flannel has a price tag attached that resembles the cost of precious gold cloth, they tell us. In this case it is not "women and children first," but "children first.'



Standing peacefully and generally When Mark Twain was a reporter neglected in many a backyard, is in San Francisco, a friend saw him some kind of fruit tree. An old friend with a cigar box under his arm and offering shade to children's play, it remonstrated, "Mark, you are going has been a total loss as far as pro- to smoke yourself to death." Twain duction is concerned, perhaps because replied, "These aren't cigars; I'm

tilizing, spraying and pruning will be stories concerning the famous writer a more rigid process than if you are is the one about the time that Twain ing for your own canning use. But interested in a book, so he asked perwhy not plan to prune out dead wood, mission to take it home in order to mained in politics. He did not close unproductive small branches and finish reading it. But the owner said, the door to running for office, which water sprouts, apply nitrogen fertil- "You are welcome to read my books would be governor evidently, as there ization or chicken manure and do here as much as you like but I've lost will be no United States senatorial some spraying or dusting. It won't so many books that I've made it a

Strikes build up the morale of the come to use it here as much as you

#### He got the book.

. . . once has gotten interested in allowing man, recently in the Herald office, public controversy with Attorney measures. General Sellers and Governor Stevernor couldn't possibly be thinking political races. of running for Attorney General or Governor himself!

He ought to answer a few questions

the legislature?

he care?

A woman has complained about on the subject at a cost of \$250,000 of like character, if we are to pre-For more than two years, Boyce for. those necessary things that little ones House has insisted that, when a need. There is a problem in panty Texas citizen enters the Army or waists, panties, slips, diapers, tod- Navy during war, he is still a Texas dlers' shoes and it has raised the ire citizen and is entitled to vote — nor home front. The current orgy of of many a woman who knows that should the State act like Shylock name calling and bitter feeling this is not absolutely necessary in demanding his pound of flesh and in- among high ranking government ofspite of shortages and war. In fact, sist on \$1.75 out of the service man's ficials in Washington is a fine exorganizations of mothers have protested and are insisting upon a fair and come out on this after it had be- citizens. We have always thought it

Pertinent Paragraphs from Panhandle Press

Items of interest culled from news papers on the Times' exchange list.

Although John Lee Smith is serving his first term as lieutenant governor, it is indicated that he is going to have considerable opposition. V. E. Arnold of Houston, candidate two years, has already announced again. It is expected that Boyce House, Fort Worth newspaper man, will get in the race for a second time.

Most people expect Governor Coke Stevenson, who has served so efficiently in that office since August, 1941, to be a candidate again. He is serving his first elective term, having succeeded W. Lee O'Daniel when he became U. S. Senator.

An unknown factor is Gerald C. Mann, former attorney general, who resigned a few weeks ago to practice law in Dallas. He announced somewas visiting a neighbor and became time before his resignation that he election this year.

Gene Howe recently wrote that Two weeks later, the neighbor there was opposition brewing to Conregret that you had not started earl- came over to borrow Mark's lawn- gressman Gene Worley. An Austin mower. Twain said, "I've made it a dispatch stated that Senator Grady rule never to allow my lawn-mower Hazelwood undoubtedly would be a candidate for reelection.

There has been some rumor that Representative Ennis F. Favors of Pampa, state representative, would run for senator. He almost entered The Lieutenant Governor all at the race four years ago. An Austin Texas soldiers and sailors to vote said that Favors received more mail our troubles. Consider this sort of and he is clamoring for a special than any other legislator because of news if brought home about the session and is seeking to engage in his sponsorship of old age pension

> Any way, war or no war, it seems enson. Of course, the Lieutenant Gov- that Texas is going to have several

-Panhandle Herald

It is to be hoped that candidates for legislative posts this year will For instance, why didn't he do or refrain from promises of pensions, say something about the soldier vote bonus drives and such like. With the question during the regular session of country running into debt to the tune of 300 million dollars in the past Didn't he know about it or didn't 11 years and the prospect of 500 millions before the war ends, we need If action had been taken at the men in legislative halls who will regular session, then there would be think of balanced budgets, stabilized no occasion to urge a special session finance, free enterprise, and things serve the democracy we are fighting -McLean News

The administration floods us with oodles of advise about unity on the a pretty good thing to put your own house in order before you start It's all right for the Lieutenant straightening up the other fellow's

ation in bank holidays, so they won't must have set the scene that eve- trieve it. Little eddies of laughter have to take a walk to the bank to ning when the orchestra music drain- rose from the crowd. Finally an atfind out that it is Robert E. Lee's ed away and couples wandered off birthday — or the anniversary of the the dance floor. An upper plate of and whick broom and the music invention of the cotton gin - or false teeth lay near the center of and whisk broom and the music some thing.

-Hereford Brand the pavilion. The orchestra waited started. Pride is one of the most painand a raw spot of light played on the ful thorns that pierce the hide of -Matador Tribune

Some jester in the court of fates object but the owner declined to re- mortals. 

# A Note Of Appreciation

After nineteen years of operating the Crump-Mundy Service Station I have sold the station to E. H. Kennedy and want to express my appreciation for the splendid patronage afforded the station during these many years. Having sold the station, I intend to devote my time to other interests.

# Same Courteous Service Assured

I want to invite the station's patrons to call upon Mr. Kennedy, who will continue to handle a full line of Texaco Gasoline, Oils and Greases, Federal Tires and Delco Batteries. I am sure that you will find him offering the same courteous, prompt service practiced by your Texaco station in the past.

# Note To Wholesale Customers

Farmers and ranchers who purchase Texaco products in wholesale quantities are asked to please leave their orders with Mr. Kennedy who will see that delivery is promptly made.

# P. L. Farmer Has Parts and Repair Service

P. L. Farmer, who has been associated with Crump-Mundy for 10 years, is located in the building just back of the station and has purchased the full line of genuine Ford and Chevrolet parts. He will continue to offer these parts and his expert mechanical services to the public. Regardless of the make of your car, you are invited to call upon him when in need of parts and repair service.

THANKS, AGAIN, FOR ALL PAST COURTESIES

A. B. CRUMP



Probably the best of the many

to leave my yard but you are wel-



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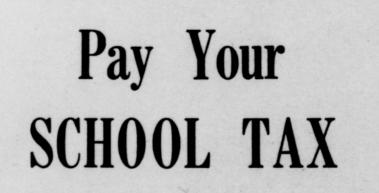
Governor to come over to the people's side, even at the eleventh hour, but bench and ask for forgiveness and tance instead of throwing stones at

It might be nice if, by going out ties but you can still buy \$30 sweat- and purchasing the product, you ers and \$25 silk nightgowns. And could put a stop to some of the radio

Well, we are stuck for several stogies as a result of the "telephone number-age" problem presented in this column last week. It just wouldn't work for the final deduction fig-Governor Coke Stevenson - and, ure should have been 616 instead of check on the responsibility but we know it cost us several stogies.

-Ochiltree County Herald

Recommended required course for what about sewing? There has been advertising lauded by the announcer. bookkeepers: A thorough indoctrin-



Schools are necessary and they cannot run without money.

See me before February I, for on that day, school taxes become delinguent and a penalty is added.



**Tax Collector** 

Wheeler Independent School District



HIS is what we've been working for all along. This is the year to hit and hurt the enemy. This is the time when everything you do counts double. If we all get together and do all we can, we'll be over this hurdle and well on our way to complete and crushing victory.

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cent you have is fighting. Tough? Of course, it's tough—unless it is a sacrifice you're simply not doing your share! Make the sacrifice now—buy more than the extra \$100 Bond your country counts on you for—winning the war is worth any sacrifice you make. Besides, you aren't giving, you're lending to Amer-ica! You'll get back every dollar you invest in War Bonds with

you invest in War Bonds, with interest. An extra \$100 War Bond now

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Division

# Mrs. Clarence Zybach Succeeds Mrs. Jim Trout As H. D. C. Chairman

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The Wheeler County Home Demonstration Council met at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, January 22. The council chairman was in charge A ten min. "Then use a soft brush dipped in chairman was in charge. A ten minute parliamentary review was given by Mrs. Hester Dodson of Twitty. The roll call was answered by the president of each of the eight clubs represented, giving a report of the club's activities for the preceding month.

Fourteen members and nine visitors were present. 1943 rules were amended to provide needed changes for 1944. Mrs. C. G. Cantrell was elected vice-chairman to fill the vacancy created when Mrs. Earnest Zybach became chairman of the ler and children, Irene and Clarence, council on the resignation of Mrs. Mr. Olan Smith and son, Donald Ray, Jim Trout from that office. Mr. and Mrs. Trout have moved ot Pantex Village near Amarillo.

The Wheeler, Victory, Three Leaf, Myrtle, Pakan, Magic City, China Flat and Briscoe Home Demonstration clubs were represented at the training school held Saturday morning when the duties of the club officers were explained by the County Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Bettie Sue Bownds.

#### METHODIST W. S. C. S. GROUP HAS YEAR'S PLEDGE PROGRAM

Monday afternoon at the Methodist church with Mrs. John English in the dinner menu and decorations. charge of the "Pledge Program for the Year." Those present were: Mesdames H. E. Nicholson, John English, H. M. Wiley, L. D. Davidson, Tom Britt, D. A. Hunt, Clarence Robin-son, Pete Mayfield, D. E. Holt, Luther Parks, and Mrs. J. M. Porter.

#### WEDNESDAY STUDY CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. HYATT

The Wednesday Study Club was entertained in the home of Mrs. Joe Hyatt, January 26. Mrs. Max Wiley reviewed "The Robe" by Lloyd Douglas. The house was beautifully decorated with red carnations.

Others present were: Mesdames Glenn Walker, guest, Bronson Green, Lee Guthrie, R. J. Holt, R. D. Holt, Jimmie Mitchener, Ansel McDowell, Floyd Pennington, J. M. Porter, Glen Porter, T. S. Puckett, H. M. Wiley, W. L. Williams, Vernie Hardcastle, Nelson Porter, R. W. Brown, George Porter and John English.

#### MRS. PAUL GREEN HONORS SON ON BIRTHDAY

MYRTLE H: D. C. LEARNS CLEANING SEWING MACHINE

who was assisted by Miss Beckett, dleton, and other relatives. at the Myrtle Home Demonstration Club meet in the home of Mrs. Leocoal oil, taking off all the small

pieces, be very careful not to change the tensions as they may be hard to regulate. Last, wipe all the parts dry and put back together." There were six members present.

They were: Mesdames Walter Sorenson, Alan Smith, Edward Arrington, Elmer Miller, Miss Ruby Lee Sorenson and the hostess, Mrs. Leonard Hagerman. Visitors were: Mr. and Mrs. Peterman and sons, Ray and Earl, Mr. Walter Sorenson and daughter, Dorothy, Mr. Elmer Mil-Mr. Edward Arrington and sons, Billie and Kenneth. Miss Gwinell Reed, Miss Katie Faye Miller, Mr. Leonard Hagerman and children, Charles, Verlin, Billie Joe, Rita and Dale.

All enjoyed the demonstration and the refreshments.

#### MISS LEONA CROSSLAND HOSTESS TO BUSINESS WOMEN

Miss Leona Crossland entertained the Business Women's Club with a dinner-bridge in her home in the east part of Wheeler, Monday night, Jan-The Methodist W. S. C. S. met uary 24. The valentine motif was carried out throughout the evening in

WHEELER

Mrs. Myrl Norman won high score and Mrs. Artie Lee Hunt won low score for the evening.

Enjoying the delightful occasion were: Mesdames R. H. Forrester, Max Wiley, Myrl Norman, Arthur Carmichael, Artie Lee Hunt, Misses Mary Noah, Ina Fay Robison, Helen Green, Mary Lou McIlhany, Clara Finsterwald, and the hostess, Miss Crossland.

#### VICTORY CLUB TAKES PLEDGE TO HELP WIN WAR

"As a Victory Demonstrator doing my best to help win the war . . . I will take good care of every thing I

use." This pledge was taken and suggestions on cleaning, repair and general upkeep to get the best service from a sewing machine, was demonstrated by Miss Betty Sue Bownds, assisted by Miss Amy Sue Beckett at the home of Mrs. Troy F. Welty on January 14. Most needed equip-ment for cleaning a machine are: 1 small paint brush, 1 small screw

Betty Sue Bownds, Miss Amy Sue Beckett and Mrs. Troy Welty.

the Center school house Friday, Jan-

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pendleton left Wm. Pendleton, and other relatives Saturday for their home in Portland, Saturday afternoon. "Use a dry brush first," said Miss Oregon, after spending some time Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Gierhart, Mrs.

Bownds, Home Demonstration Agent, visiting his mother, Mrs. Wm. Pen- W. L. Hubbard and Z. R. Deering of Twitty and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mr. and Mrs. Compton Pendleton Deering and family of Lakeview and his daughter, Tommie Jo, of spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Amarillo visited his mother, Mrs. George Robinson.

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Mrs. Paul Jeffus and daughter, of Mobeetie were Wheeler visitors Mary Ruth, and Mrs. W. H. Williams Monday.



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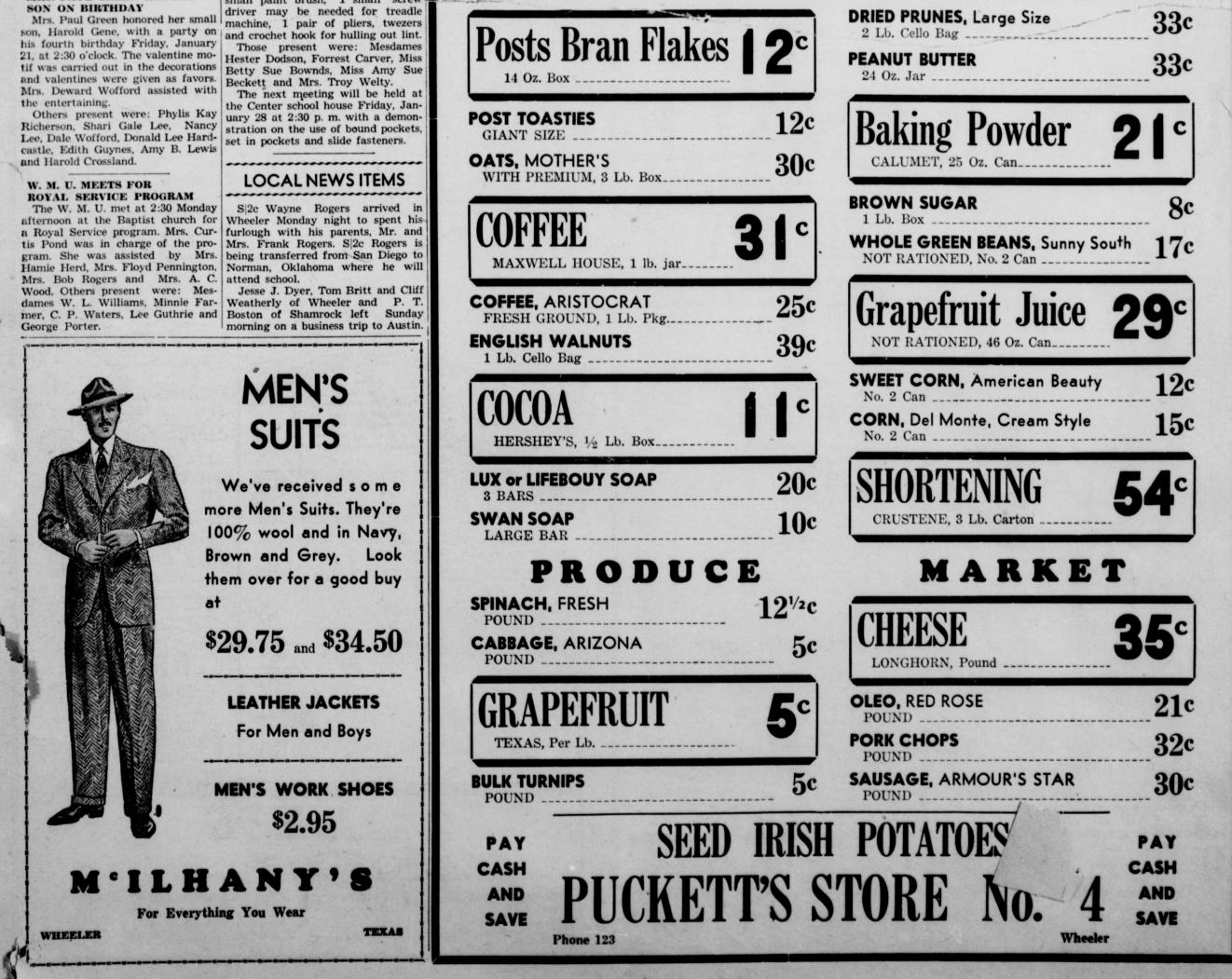
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Come to PUCKETT'S GROCERY and MARKET for your food needs and you're sure to get the highest quality foods that it is possible to obtain.



#### THE CORRAL

Items of interest pertaining to the Wheeler Schools

#### **Judgment Day**

"Judgment Day" is here! Mid term exams are in full swing. For the past three weeks Mr. Dyer has been say-Although, some the devil comes." have found it to be true.

and Friday with double periods for time. each class. All morning class tests ments, were given Thursday, and all afternoon class tests will be given Friday.

Mr. Dyer always said that "Judgment Day" always brought "weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth." It so seems this prophecy was right.

#### **Rehearsals Resumed**

Senior play rehearsals will be rethe cast has not met because of midterm exams.

The cast has almost mastered the act soon.

> . . . **Basketball News**

the better."

days of this week.

Discipline

taste of discipline Friday, January 21, when they were made to pick up grains of corn they had just thrown is a corn cob hanging in study hall as Macbeth.) tails ask Bobby Rodgers.

#### Senior Personality

Name, Mable Lamb; age, 16; years plane geometry; favorite teacher, I week. like them all; favorite actress, Lucille Seniors and freshmen are all blue Federal Land Bank of Houston. Ball; favorite actor, Abbott and Cos- about mid-term. orite like, to ride in Ford cars; fav- school Monday? That seems to be Oklahoma where he will work for orite dislkie, jealous people. She has left for you to guess. no definite plans after she has finished high school.

### Important Events

them? (Ask Dorothy).

Why was Mr. Dyer conferring with door glass, boys?)

MOBEETIE HI-LIFE Items of interest pertaining to the Mobeetie Schools

#### Editorial

Now is the time for all good students to come to the aid of their Alwyn Savage Sunday. grades. With a nearly forgotten past ing that it is "too late to pray after and a clear sheet for the future we should make a new semester's resostudents did not believe this, they lution - to start out on the right foot this year by starting with keep-Exams are being given Thursday ing up your work, getting it in on and not forgetting assign-

Your English teacher asks that you east aside such expressions as "T" done," "I seen," and "ain't." We know better than to say them, and with a little practice we can improve our good English.

We can also stop talking in class without permission and we might just talk one at a time. We can also sumed Monday. For the past week become better listeners and better students by practicing these rules.

We think some of our song hits fit first act and will start on the second some of our Seniors. What do you think?

"Kentucky Baby," Lanelle Scribner; "Shoo, Shoo Baby," Bill Bailey; Coach English did not comment "Rag, Time Cowboy Joe," J. B. Cormuch on the basketball tournament. coran; "Bomb Shell From Brooklyn," He summed it all up in one short Glorice Haynes; "The Dreamer," L. snappy statement, "The least said. D. Smith; "Pistol Packin' Mamma," Juanell Shelton; "No Love No Nothing,"' Annas Hodges; "Pretty Baby,' Superintendent Dyer was on a Tom Walker; "Walking My Baby business trip to Austin the first few Back Home," Nadine Henderson; "My Ideal," Freda Eubank; "Mr. Five By Five," Imogene Herd; "Scatterbrain," Jessie Ray Leanord; "Sweet

It seems that eight boys got a Little Headache," Lucille Gordon; "Paper Doll," Stacy Arnold. Has anyone noticed the change in

periods to pick all the corn up. There (They have just finished reading Gus Jones a warning to anyone else who might want to throw corn. For further de-tickled about Tuesday? (Could it Hollis, Oklahoma.

have been about their hobby?) Smith, we have been hearing about; Shamrock Sunday. we think it is just another one of

#### **Guess** Who

This senior girl has brown hair, R. J. Holt, Jr., of Stephenville arher classmates. Answer next week.

Lloyd and Jr.? (Could it be for a Mrs. O. C. Murrell of Mobeetie end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. was a visitor in Wheeler Saturday. Floyd Pennington.

# LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. A. B. McPherson and sons, Bob and Bill, of Waynoka, Oklahoma, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dysart, of Mobeetie during the week end. They ate dinner with Mrs.

Mrs. L. C. Laflin and daughter, Virginia Rose, and Naomi Merrit, went to Canyon Friday to see her daughter, Mrs. Mary E. Whitener, off for El Paso to be with her husband, Sgt. Hiram A. Whitener, who is stationed there.

H. E. Young of Borger and TSgt. H. E. Young, Jr. of Sherman, were visitors in Wheeler Tuesday.

Mrs. J. D. Herd visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. White George of Magic City, over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Murrell and

son of Mobeetie were vistors in Wheeler Saturday.

Miss Evelyn Mason visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Mason, and amily over the week end. Mrs. George Robinson made a busi-

ess trip to Shamrock Monday. Sgt. J. F. Haning, Jr., of Camp Ellis, Illinois, arrived Friday to spend his furlough with his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. J. F. Haning, Sr., and Harold of Mobeetie. Bill Genthe of Henrietta spent the

week end in Wheeler visiting his father, Wm. Genthe, and sister, Birdella Genthe. Miss Neva Sampson of Canadian

arrived in Wheeler Sunday for a few days visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Davidson of Canadian were visitors in Wheeler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Jones spent Saturday night and Sunday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones. Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Owen all over the study hall. It took two the mood of the English IV class? Jones were his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

> Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Pendleton and Mr. J. A. Bradshaw spent Friday in

Mrs. Jimmie Mitchener and Mrs. Who is this person Loretta Ann R. H. Forrester were vistors in

R. H. Forrester went to Amarillo in W. H. S., 3; favorite subject, Dorothy's ideas. Will answer next Sunday to attend a meeting of the secretaries and treasurers of the

Clyde Foster was in town Friday tello; favorite food, lamb chops; fav- Wonder why Peggy was crying at on business. He has moved to Minco,

> the Douglas Aircraft Corporation. Mrs. Jim Selby of Mobeetie was a

visitor in Wheeler Saturday.

blue eyes, 5 ft. 3 in. tall, weighs 110. rived in Wheeler Sunday to spend a Did everyone see Bobbye's new She likes to play basketball and week between semesters with his coveralls, wonder where she got other sports. She is well liked by all parents,, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Holt, Sr. ACW. E. Pennington of the Ama-

rillo Army Air Field spent the week



SPECIALS FOR WEEK BEGINNING JAN. 28th ENDING FEB. 3rd



11/2 miles south and 1/4 mile east of Kelton or 9 miles east, 41/2 miles south and 1/4 mile east of Wheeler.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY

STARTING AT 1:00 P. M.

# 14 HEAD OF CATTLE

- 1 White Face Jersey Cow, 5 yrs. old, 5 gal., 3 weeks old heifer calf by side
- 1 Jersey Cow, 6 yrs. old, 41/2 gal., 2 weeks old calf by side
- 1 Black Jersey Cow, 6 yrs. old, milking now, fresh in spring
- 1 Yellow Jersey Cow, 6 yrs. old, fresh in spring 5 gallons
- 1 Blue Jersey Cow, 6 yrs. old, fresh in spring, 41/2 gallons
- 1 Jersey Guernsey Cow, 10 yrs. old, fresh in spring, 4 gallons
- 1 Brown Jersey Cow, 5 yrs. old, fresh in spring, 4½ gallons White Face Heifer, heavy springer
- 1 White Face Heifer, fresh in summer
- 1 Black Angus Yearling Bull, a beauty
- 2 Jersey Heifer Calves, 5 and 7 mo. old 1 Spotted Jersey Heifer Calf, 6 mo. old
- 1 Holstein Steer Calf, 9 mo. old

# **6 HEAD OF HORSES**

1 Bay Horse, 16 hands high, smooth mouth 1 Blue Filly, coming 4 yrs. old, 1,250 lbs. Blue Horse, coming 3 yrs. old, 1,100 lbs. 1 Black Horse, coming 4 yrs. old, 1,300 lbs. 1 Black Horse, coming 3 yrs. old, 1,200 lbs. 1 Sorrel Horse, coming 2 yrs. old, 1,000 lbs.

# FEED AND SEED

12 to 14 Tons Headed Feed 3,500 Bundles 1,200 lbs. Cotton Seed Meal 1 Bale Cotton Seed

# HOGS

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY:

## 3 Gilts, good stock

# MISCELLANEOUS

- Kerosene Heating Stove
- Coleman Gasoline Lamp
- Cream Separator
- Five gallon Cream Can, new
- 2 Twelve-quart Buckets
- 1 Butane Gas Bottle 1 Six Tube, Dry Pack Battery Radio 4 Fifty-five gallon Barrels Thirty gallon Barrel 2 Five gallon Oil Cans
- Set Cotton Scales, new
- Seed Fork
- Quart Spray Gun
- 12' x 20' Brooder House - 6' x 8' Seed House
- Saddle
- 1 Kid Saddle, same as new

# FARM IMPLEMENTS

- Row Binder Iron Wheel Wagon Wagon with a good bed Ten-inch John Deere Hammer Mill Sets of Leather Harness Collars, Bridles and Lines **Two-row Oliver Cultivator One-row** Oliver Lister **One-row Stalk Cutter**
- Other Items Too Numerous To Mention



**LEONARD GREEN, Auctioneer** 

TERMS, CASH

L. W. DAVIDSON, Clerk

25c PEACH PRESERVES, K-B Brand 12 Ounce Can 8 Points, 16 ounce jar\_\_\_ 25c Pork & Beans, 10c DICED CARROTS, Scott County Scott County, 2 - 20 oz cans 4 Points, 161/2 Ounce Jar .... Assorted, I Lb. I Lb. Cello С Cello Bag Bag MARKET SPECIALS ROUND STEAK 39c 10 Points. Lb. \_\_\_ CHUCK ROAST 26c 6 Points, Lb. \_\_\_\_ SHORT RIBS 20c 4 Points, Lb. \_. 33c Home Made Chili 6 Points, Lb. ---Recibe Scalloped Potatoes No. 1 RUSSETS 3 tablespoo PORK CHOPS 32c 15 lbs. 59c Fill covered baking dish with 6 Points, Lb. **GRAPEFRUIT**, Texas Seedless 5c The Jamily Standby! Per Pound 31c **ORANGES**, Sunkist Navels SUNSHINE 220 SIZE, Dozen CELERY, Fresh, Crisp 20c Each \_\_\_\_\_ 39c PECANS 1-LB. PKG. PER POUND WALNUTS 350 PER POUND FINER QUALITY AT LOWER PRICES FROM COAST TO COAST \* Home-Owned Kome-Operated  $\star$   $\star$ 

MOVIE CHATTER thing could happen there among in all, we'll have a good time. James those superstitious natives. We will Ellison, Frances Dee and Tom Con-Times Wantads-5c a line. Girls' Sports News (By a Rogue) The girls practiced most all last week for the Shamrock tournament. Henry Aldrich Gets Glamour The high school and grade school Fri.-Sat. Dear Snooper, why were all the girls had several practice games. TAX NOTICE It's time for all you mamas and Those going to Shamrock were: Espapas to load the kids into the jalopy in their manes Monday after being telle Aderholt, Nelda Barry, Marie and take in a movie. "Henry Aldrich Finsterwald, Sammie Lee Daughtery, Gets Glamour" is strictly a family I. W., We will have to blame Mother Nature for tempting the little Bron-Smith, Alice Cowan, Lottie Marie picture and contains more laughs and chuckles than any of its predecos to throw snowballs. Dear Snoop- Zybach, Alva Lee, Lola Faye Wood, cessors. Jimmy Lydon is seen in the er, Why were the basketball girls Maidel Sorenson, Bessie Davis and title role with Charles Smith as Coach Salser. Everyone had a nice "Dizzy." It's a merry-mix-up and you **CITY TAXES** time and wish to thank those making will enjoy it. something to do with a certain tour- the trip and games possible. . . . **Commandos Strike At Dawn** Sixth Grade News Pre.-Sun. Mon. The sixth grade has been working ARE DUE want some thick, new curtains for on their science work books once a In this heavy vehicle we have Paul Muni returning to the screen and week. They are going to have a test using the reins with competent bold hands. Although this picture is not so new, it has never been shown on Junior Music News They Will Be Delinquent the local screen. The story starts We have some new song books and with the gay life of a peaceful little have been learning quite a few new fishing village in Norway. As oppressongs. The eighth grade girls came sion comes, it sobers until finally into our music class to help us sing. there is an authentic version of the Cecil thinks Ja-Da is a very pretty coming of the British Commandos. After January 31 song. Paul Muni carries the important role and Lillian Gish supports. Seen And Heard

Then Interest Will Be Added

→ is in the West Indies Isles and any- see a little "voodooism" too, so all way make this a successful hit

PAY YOUR TAXES NOW!

Terrell Gunter

**City Tax Collector** 



**BRISCOE BRONCO** 

Items of interest pertaining to the Briscoe Schools

#### oper's Column

little Broncos coming in with snow outside? Interested Watcher. Dear very unhappy Monday? High School Boys. Dear H. S. B., It seems to have nament. Dear Snooper, Why do Ro-zena, R. L., Lottie Marie, Jimmy, Mabel Alice, Roy Harold and others the auditorium when we have shows? An Observer. Dear Observer, Come in language. now, you know the answer to that. Dear Snooper, Why don't we hear from you more often? Broncos. Dear Broncos, Why don't you do more things?

#### Senoir Gossip

We Seniors received our announcements last week. We are glad to get them even if it is early. We are glad that we have finished the Canteberry Tales in English. We will start reading short stories next, which we hope as been in three major engagesiting us. The first semester of grade, Lara Lee Snyder, who came

from Allison.

lent. Rozena not liking boys. Richard day? wanting to play basketball with Wheeler: Lola Faye liking swing parties. Dorothy liking to play winkcome. Dude not coming to school.

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#### Social

Iris and Juanita Clepper. We were are yet to be worked out. glad to have as visitors Monday; Bud McCarroll, Junior Sarter and Joe Tayler.

day. They played Wheeler first, win- last week.

# ning that game. Friday night Wellington beat the team.

Jack Riley coming home. Basketball girls and boys going to the Shamrock tournament. Boys going to we will enjoy. One of our former the Canadian tournament. Kelton classmates, Junior Sarter of the basketball teams coming Tuesday avy, is visiting school this week. He night. Wayne and Zane coming to school. Estelle getting a letter from ents. We are glad to have him a soldier from Camp Wolters. La Verne Ellison visiting school Monday. hool will soon be over and, sen- Armell being seen with Charles Ray s, that means to study hard for the Riley. R. L. having sores on his feet. sts that are soon to come. We are Pat couldn't find the number of his ad to have a new pupil in our cabin. The boys highwaying their way from Shamrock. Cecil talking to much.

#### Wonder Why

Imagine Emil Lee liking Algebra. Alford Coleen was unhappy Monday? Do you suppose Cecil would know? having a black cow in his pocket. Someone doesn't give a party? The Eddie keeping an encyclopedia out a girls hearts were beating so wildly whole week. Ladell throwing orange Monday afternoon? Mary Ruth was peelings. Kirk getting his lessons so excited Monday? The basketball every day. Grant having short legs. players looked so tired? Jimmy was Armell liking cokes. Maidel being si- in such a hurry to get home Satur-

**Us Juniors** 

Margaret Anglin has been missing school for some time. Hurry back soon! The girls are planning a dinner for the Freshmen girls for Friday. Billy Jean spent the week end with The menu, foods and color scheme

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Steen, formerly of Briscoe, have moved to the property they recently purchased in Boys' Sports Review The Briscoe team attended the who have been residing at the proptournament at Shamrock last Thurs- erty, moved to Arapaho Tuesday of

like something that would make your spine tingle. It's time for all of you thrill seeking fans to turn out and get your money's worth. The scene

Want A

VOU CAN very likely find just the chance you're looking for-in the WAC.

If you haven't a skill, Army experts will teach you. Perhaps you'd like to drive a jeep, work a teletype machine, or help direct airplane traffic.

Whatever you do, you will get valuable training - learn interesting things - and help get this war won!

TODAY-get full details at the nearest U. S. Army Recruiting Station (your local post office will give you the address). Or write: The Adjutant General, Room 4415, Munitions Building, Washington, D. C.

#### I Walked With A Zombie Wed.-Thurs.

Well, what is a "Zombie," anyway? could tell you but I won't. Sounds

**New Career?** 

# High Gas Bills

?? ? ?

There's a month of continuous cold on your present Gas Bill. Gas service statements being prepared now include the season's coldest weather. In addition to this period of unusually severe weather, there was not a single day from the 20th of December to the 20th of January when heat was not required. This is one reason statements covering this period are high.

Another reason is the Christmas holiday season. During this season extra gas was required for entertaining, extra cooking and for the comfort of house guests.

During this continued spell of cold weather we have kept the gas coming to town. Good service is never an accident — it means constant care and vigilance, and an investment sufficient to take care of the coldest day possible.

So, when you receive your statement this month, consider what you have received for your money. You'll find that your gas service is your cheapest convenience.

WHEN YOUR GAS BILL SOARS, REMEMBER THE OLD COAL BUCKET

Wheeler Gas Company



Do you remember that soldier you saw on the bus with his arm in a cast? Do you recall that sailor you saw hobbling down the street on a cane? Have you noticed the list of casualties printed from time to time in this newspaper?

What you are asked to do, compared to the boys who are really in it, is easy. But your job is mighty important, too. Once again



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# LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Miss Genevieve Britt returned Saturday from San Antonio where she visited her cousin, Max Britt, who is stationed at Ft. Sam Houston. On her return she visited with her sister, Louise, at Southwestern University at Georgetown.

W. R. Toler of Mobeetie was a Wheeler visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Alvin Hampton and son and Mrs. Dorsey Hutchison left Thursday to visit Pfc. Alvin Hampton at Tommie Allen visited in the Henry FOR SALE - Model B John Deere Camp Stewart, Georgia.

Mesdames Paul Green, Carl Laflin, Bill Perrin and Deward Wofford were Visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shamrock visitors Tuesday.

Jno. A. Reed was on the sick list last week

in Pampa Friday Mrs. Jno. Barr and son, Nathan, were in Pampa Friday.

Clifford Hefley of Briscoe was a visitor in Wheeler Monday.



MOBEETIE HAPPENINGS By Mrs. F. C. Peace Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bailey and daughter. Virginia, visited their son

and brother in the hospital at Ama- FOR SALE - Jersey bull, 18 months rillo Sunday. He is very ill. Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Greenhouse coe. and children were guests of his brother at Briscoe Sunday. Sgt. and Mrs. J. W. Wolfe, Cpl.

Thomas of Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Shelton home Sunday. Mrs. A. M. Trout and children Davidson, Kelton.

Bradley, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Bumpers, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bumpers of Sham-Monroe Galmer and daughter, rock, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Patter- FOR SALE - Good electric Maytag Dorothy Cantrell, transacted business son and Marcella visited Mr. and Mrs. Fay Bearden Sunday

Miss Virginia Bailey of Canyon was a week end visitor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bailey.

Mrs. Nellie Sharp and Nancy and Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Carwile were Wheeler.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Jno. R. Ferguson, minister of the Baptist Church of Kellerville attended the B. T. U. conference in Wheeler Thursday, others attending from Kellerville were Mesdames W. L. Schapf, Cecil M. Hagan, Jack Boyd, and G. F. Johnson.

Mrs. Herman Wiley and daughter, Patsy, were in Pampa on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nash and Mrs. C. B. Nash made a business trip to Pampa yesterday.

Lee Barry, mail carrier on Rt. 1 of Briscoe, was taken to the Veteran's hospital of Amarillo Thursday for treatment.

Leo Hubble of the U.S. Navy came Monday afternoon to visit his wife, Mrs. Leo Hubble, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Willard near Wheeler.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Whitener were: Mrs. C. A. Whitener and daughters, Mrs. A. Vanpool and Louise Whitener. Afternoon callers were: Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Younger and daughter, Kather-

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FOR SALE - Easy electric washing machine, with extractor. See McKay at Wheeler Times. FOR SALE-Nos. 3 and 4 wolf traps. See H. N. Potter at Dr. Hall's. 7-1tr

7--2tp FOR SALE-Baled prairie hay. Miss For County Judge: Ethel Allred, 8 miles west of 7-1tp Wheeler. tractor, in good shape. George 7-1tp FOR SALE - 200 White Leghorn, White Rock and Buff hens, Fred

old, good blood. Jim Helton, Bris-

7-tfc Ashley. washing machine. Bogan Griffin. 7-1tp

FOR SALE - 6 tons of maize; Superfex heater, good as new; 1 Coleman iron. C. O. Killingsworth, 6 miles east, 1½ miles south of

7-1tp

ine Sue, Miss Virdie P. Wheeler, Miss Army Sue Beckett, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Williams, Mrs. Weldon O. Sandifer and daughter, Suzanne, and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Young of Shamrock.

Mrs. M. O. McKay and son, Donald Ray, returned Monday morning after spending the week end in Borger with her mother, Mrs. G. A. Asbery, who is ill.

# **KELTON NEWS**

(By Rena Johnson)

Mrs. William Podbregger is spending the week here in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rives, and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson and Georgana were business visitors in Pampa Saturday.

A birthday dinner was given recently for Byron Clemmens and Bill Stansel at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tillmon Clemmens. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Barney Stansel. Bill, Raymond D., and Velda, Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson, Kenneth Wayne, Glenda and Sandra; Junior Hink, Kenneth Killingsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Clemmens and Wanda Lou, Byron and Carrol.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson and Georgana were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Johnson Sun-

day.

# POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of voters, in

the Democratic Primary, July 22, 1944 GEO. W. HEFLEY For County Tax Assessor-Collector: JAMES O'GORMAN T. L. GUNTER For County Clerk: HARRY WOFFORD For Commissioner: Precinct No. 1: LLOYD ANGLIN D. G. (DOUG) SIMS J. P. KEETON **Professional Column** INSURANCE C. J. MEEK

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Rena and Marye Emma Johnson | 'The Kelton W. S. C. S. was held at spent Monday night in the home of a regular meeting at the church Sun-Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rives. day night.

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