

The Wheeler Times

COUNTY SEEKS SCHOOL TEACHER FOR VETERANS

W. Harris, postmaster at Mobeetie, has been conducting an investigation of the possibilities of establishing a Vocational School in Wheeler county.

Harris is optimistic about prospects of securing a school program sufficient public interest be aroused in Wheeler, Shamrock, Mobeetie and rural communities.

Under a brand-new program offered cities and counties by the Veterans Administration, Harris learned there have been a half dozen vocational schools established in Texas where war veterans may study agriculture, livestock, various trades and business administration, at home centers.

The Veterans Administration pays teaching salaries and other expenses of the school up to \$500 a year, also paying veterans \$90 per month, depending whether married, on a plan similar to on-the-job training which many veterans are now taking in privately owned businesses.

Harris has spent considerable time with state and federal veteran agency officials, and has the promise of Ray Chappelle of Lubbock, area vocational supervisor, that he will come to Wheeler county at a date to be set later.

Harris became interested in the vocational school plan because of personal knowledge of so many cases in which veterans are desirous of studying agriculture, livestock raising or some town trade, but who cannot afford to go to distant points to serve their apprenticeship.

INSURANCE ON CROPS CHANGED

Under a new provision, partial insurance protection is being offered by Federal Crop Insurance, replacing the 50 or 75 per cent coverage of his average yield. V. B. Hardcastle, administrative officer of the Wheeler County ACA, has announced.

"Under past programs Federal Crop Insurance offered two choices of coverage," said Hardcastle. "A farmer could take insurance to cover either 50 or 75 percent of his average yield. If he felt that 75 percent insurance was too expensive for him, his only other choice was to take the lower 50 percent level of protection."

"Under the new provision a partial insurance protection is being offered giving the insured the option of 60, 70, 80 or 90 percent of either the 50 or 75 percent average yield insurance. Example: Assume that a farmer applies for 75 percent insurance and the premium without partial insurance protection is 100 pounds. If he elects 60 percent partial insurance protection, his premium will be only 60 percent of the 100 pounds—60 pounds. Likewise, in this case, assuming a 500-pound loss, the amount of indemnity payable will be only 60 percent of the 500 pounds—300 pounds."

"Producers who have already taken out insurance and wish to have the above described protection may do so by calling at the county office and signing an amendment to their application before the closing date, April 25."

Public Is Invited To Briscoe Revival

A warm welcome awaits the public during the Briscoe Baptist church revival now in progress, said Rev. B. C. Stonecipher, pastor, who is conducting the meeting. The revival opened last Sunday and will continue through Sunday, April 7.

Local talent is in charge of the singing.

County Vet Enrolls Texas Tech College

Of the more than one thousand veterans enrolled in Texas Technological College at Lubbock this semester, one student, Horace Glen Gordon, is from Wheeler county.

Gordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Gordon, of Mobeetie, is a junior pre-medical major.

Mayor Forrester Declared Winner As Nash Supporter Is Outnumbered

With the exception of one complimentary vote given to Harold Nash, Mayor R. H. Forrester was returned to the office of head man of Wheeler by unanimous decision of electors participating in Tuesday's biennial election.

Hizzoner, the mayor, received 33 of the 34 ballots cast in the "wide-open election" in which printed ballots were not used. There were 35 votes cast, one of them (the finger of suspicion points at the incumbent's wife) taking no part in the mayoralty contest, if a contest it could be called.

S. D. Conwell and Aaron Williams were returned to office as councilmen and Levi Reid was officially sanctioned as successor to

Tony Puckett who resigned when he moved to Clinton, Okla., on January 1.

Of 13 other "favorite sons" whose names were written in for aldermen on the unprinted ballot, the name of Harold Nash bobbed up most frequently, Harold polling 4 votes to three each for his man Friday, Luther Parks, and Floyd Pennington.

Roland Russ, better known as R. G. Russ, Jr., and Bud Burgess, the fishing shoe cobbler, had two staunch admirers each, while single ballots showed up for each of the following: Bob Rodgers, D. O. Beene, Bill Owen, Lonnie Lee, Dr. H. E. Nicholson, Joe Tilley, Frank Wofford and George Warren.

Mayor Forrester and Mrs. For-

rester left for Oklahoma City Wednesday morning before appraisal of his re-election. Approached by The Times editor for a statement just before his departure, the Mayor said, "In the event of my re-election, convey my heartfelt gratitude to my constituents and in the event of my defeat, thank them a thousand times more."

The unsuccessful "candidate" for Mayor, Harold Nash, asked The Times to thank city voters (corrected, city voter) and to inform the public that he holds nothing but the kindest feelings toward his successful opponent, and will work with him for the best interest of Wheeler in spite of everything.

A. N. HARRIS IS BURIED MONDAY

Funeral rites were conducted at the Wheeler Baptist church Monday for Acel Newman Harris, 81-year old former Wheeler county resident who passed away last Saturday morning at Roy, New Mexico. Rev. P. D. Fullingim, pastor, conducted the service. Interment was made in Wheeler Cemetery with Hunt Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Harris spent most of his life in Texas and New Mexico, working cattle for about 25 years and farming for about the same length of time. He was retired, making his home at Espanola, N. M. He was visiting at Roy when he passed away.

Mr. Harris was born near Springfield, Ill., on Sept. 29, 1865. He was married to Margaret Wilson in 1894 and to the union, eight children were born. Mr. Harris was converted at Briscoe in 1930 and joined the Baptist church there under the evangelism of Reverend Dunsworth of Pampa.

He is survived by six children, Joseph Wayne Harris, Ernest Lee Harris, Mrs. R. H. Clemons, Mrs. J. C. Brown, Coney Clifford Harris, and Mrs. C. D. Denham. He is survived by a sister of Pampa, and a brother. The two other children, John and Acel, are buried at Wheeler.

8 Names Appear On City School Ballot

Voters of Wheeler Independent School District will have their choice of eight candidates in the election to be held next Saturday to choose trustees to succeed Shelby Pettit and Rufus Watts whose terms expire.

Two trustees will be named from among the following eight men whose names will appear on the printed ballot: George Porter, Chester Lewis, Buford Conwell, O. W. Pendleton, R. G. Russ, Jr., J. C. Moore, Jr., Bill Lowrie and Luther Parks.

Hold-over members of the board are: Fred Waters, Cecil Johnston, Otis Ford, Henry Greenhouse and Joe Tilley.

School Census For Wheeler Shows 370

The Wheeler school district showed an enumeration of 370 pupils when the census was concluded last week, Supt. W. O. Carrick said. This is a gain of 2 over last year, he said.

Carrick is now completing the enumeration which is supposed to include all children who will be six years of age and not over 18 on September 1, 1946. He must have his report in Austin by April 20.

Bill Christa Killed In Wreck At Needles

W. W. (Bill) Christa of Needles, Calif., was killed in an automobile accident near Needles on March 28. His wife, Frankie, was living in Wheeler with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Carter.

L. B. Pendleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barron Pendleton of Wheeler, was seriously injured in the wreck. He is now under care of doctors in Needles.

The wreck was a head-on collision.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Herd and daughter and Mrs. J. M. Herd spent a few days with Mr. Herd's sister, Mrs. H. O. Hargett of Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McWhorter and Misses Tiny Mae Melton and Ruby Fay Montgomery of Childress, were visitors in the Luther McWhorter home Sunday.

Red Cross Campaign Is Short

The Wheeler Red Cross Chapter comprising the north part of the county, is still about \$600 short of its quota of \$1,985, after contributions totalling approximately \$250 were received the past week.

Dr. H. E. Nicholson, Wheeler chapter chairman, and Harry Wofford, home service chairman who is heading the finance drive, made an urgent appeal this week for additional contributions. Persons who have not already given are asked to do so now while others who did not realize the quota would be so hard to meet and made small donations, are invited to increase their contributions.

T. M. Britt of Kelton, became the largest single contributor to the campaign when he presented the Wheeler chapter with his check for \$50.00 last week.

Contributions of \$25 each had previously been received from H. M. Wiley, Citizens State Bank (with officers and employees making a donation), Wheeler Hospital, and Southwestern Public Service company.

Mobeetie made additional contributions this week to swell its total to \$319.60. Kelton sent in additional funds to make a total of \$113.21 to date while street collections in Wheeler accounted for about \$35 additional and the Wheeler schools turned in \$20.11.

An unofficial tabulation by The Times shows total contributions to date are approximately \$1,325.00 against a quota of \$1,985.00.

Doctor Nicholson and Wofford emphasized that two-thirds of the money contributed remains in the local chapter to finance aid to war veterans and their families, and to provide relief to distressed Wheeler county families.

Mail or take your contributions to Harry Wofford at Wheeler.

Frances Wood Is In Philippines Sector

Miss Frances Orvilla Wood, daughter of A. C. Wood of Wheeler, has arrived in the Philippines to serve the armed forces as an American Red Cross assistant field director.

Before her overseas assignment, Miss Wood served with the Red Cross at State Hospital, Fort George Wright, Wash., and Barnes General Hospital, Vancouver, Wash. A former student of Columbia University and the University of California, she was previously a physical education instructor in Pomona college.

Piano Pupils Will Present Recitals

Mrs. Inez Kennedy will present members of her adult class in a piano recital at the Wheeler Methodist church at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

At 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, Mrs. Kennedy will present her Beginners and Intermediate piano pupils in a recital at the Wheeler high school gymnasium.

The public is cordially invited.

Visitors in the Bill Taylor home this week were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker of Shamrock, Mrs. Mabel SoRelle of Amarillo, and Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Frye of Sulphur, Okla. The many friends of Mr. Taylor will be glad to know his health is improving.

MOBEETIE WILL GET IMPROVED MAIL SERVICE

Here is some news eagerly awaited by residents of North Wheeler county, particularly by persons residing on Mobeetie rural route one.

Effective May 1, the 65-mile rural mail route out of Mobeetie will be split into two routes, enabling carriers to maintain regular schedules and making it possible for mail picked up on the routes to leave the Mobeetie postoffice on the day it leaves the rural box.

Grady W. Harris, Mobeetie postmaster, made the announcement this week.

The two Mobeetie routes to be known as routes one and two, will cover the same territory as the old route one, with a few additions, Harris said. New route one which will be carried by J. A. Thompson, present carrier, will be 38 miles long while new route two, carrier to be designated, will be 37 miles long, Harris said.

Under the new schedule to become effective May 1, carriers will leave the Mobeetie office at 12 noon, giving plenty of time for the arrival of mail from the south, and carriers will return to the Mobeetie office at 2 p. m., in time for all mail to be dispatched South.

The old schedule called for the mail to leave Mobeetie for route one subscribers at 10 a. m., but it is frequently noon before mail reaches Mobeetie from the south. The carrier is often unable to cover the long route and return to the Mobeetie office in time to connect with the out-going schedule.

FARM SECURITY LENDING AGAIN

The Farm Security Administration which recently ran out of funds has been given an additional appropriation by Congress and is again ready to help World War II veterans and other Wheeler county farmers with loans for crop and livestock operations.

County Supervisor Frank O. Wofford said this week that he is making loans for livestock, equipment, feed, seed, and other things needed by farmers to make their crops and improve living conditions.

At the present time loan funds are restricted to ex-servicemen and farmers not previously served by FSA. "We have no authority," Wofford stated, "to make loans to 'old borrowers' or farmers who have previously borrowed from FSA but haven't received their loan this year."

Veterans are given preference for these loans, but other farmers and stockmen may receive them. The supervisor urged veterans and other farmers to call at his office immediately, as loan funds are still not ample and may be exhausted before all those needing them can be taken care of.

The FSA, an agency of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, makes loans only to those who cannot obtain suitable financing from other sources.

Offices are located in the Courthouse at Wheeler.

Pvt. John Noah Signs Up With Army Again

Pvt. John A. Noah has enlisted in the army for one and one-half years. Pvt. Noah has been in the army for one year and two months of which seven and one-half months were spent overseas. At present Pvt. Noah is in Hdq. Co. 7th Major Port, Kobe, Japan.

He is authorized to wear the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon and the victory medal. His mother, Mrs. Lillie Mae Noah, lives in Wheeler.

Fullingim Will Hold Kellerville Revival

The public is extended an invitation to attend a Revival opening at the Kellerville Baptist church next Sunday, April 7, and lasting through Sunday, April 21.

Rev. P. D. Fullingim, pastor of the Wheeler Baptist church, will conduct the meeting, assisted by Rev. Rufus Strickland, pastor. Services will be held twice daily, at 10 a. m., and 8 p. m.

Mayor Ennis DeWeese and City Engineer Richard Baird of Hugo, Okla., were visitors at The Wheeler Times office last week. Mr. DeWeese is publisher of the Southeast Oklahoman.

Tragedies Claim Lives Of Two Wheeler County Children During Week

Tragedies claimed the lives of two Wheeler county babies this week.

Terry Milum, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Milum of Magic City, died in the Wheeler Hospital at 8:45 o'clock Wednesday morning as the result of eating a large quantity of aspirin tablets Tuesday morning.

Phillip Jessie Hudson, 17-months old son of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hudson of Briscoe, died at 5:30 o'clock Thursday morning, about 12 hours after being struck by an automobile driven by a neighbor.

ASK MORE HELP FOR RED CROSS

Dr. H. E. Nicholson, chairman of the Wheeler chapter of American Red Cross, told members of the chamber of commerce at their bi-weekly luncheon Tuesday it was going to be necessary for Red Cross solicitors to make a "second round" in order to raise North Wheeler county's quota of \$1,985.

Dr. Nicholson and Harry Wofford, home service chairman who is directing this year's finance drive, called on Wheeler citizens to give freely, pointing out two-thirds of the money will remain at home for aiding war veterans and their families, and others in need.

Bob Holt, called on to comment on progress of efforts to secure an air landing field, said he believed a suitable plot was available on Gordon Stiles' place if the acreage could be leased or purchased. A chamber of commerce committee is studying several proposed sites.

Guests introduced Tuesday were: Rev. Taft Holliday, guest of Mayor R. H. Forrester; T. M. Caldwell, Jr., guest of his father-in-law, Tom Britt; Donald Sayre, guest of his father, Raymond Sayre, and Mr. Kaufman, guest of Bob Holt.

MILK PAYMENTS ARE ANNOUNCED

The Department of Agriculture has announced the continuation of dairy payments through April at 17 cents per pound on butterfat and 70 cents per 100 pounds for whole milk. V. B. Hardcastle, administrative officer of Wheeler County ACA, said this week.

May and June payments will be 10c for butterfat and 35c for milk. The rate of pay for January, February and March is 17c per pound on butterfat and 70c per CWT on whole milk. The closing date for taking applications for January, February and March is May 31.

Bring your tickets to the county office Monday through Fridays or to the Chamber of Commerce at Shamrock on Wednesday.

If it is not possible for you to bring your tickets in and sign your application they can be mailed. Payments are delayed on tickets mailed as the application must be mailed to the producer for signature.

Two County Sailors Get Walking Papers

Louis Wayne Grayson, SM3C, of Allison, and J. W. Mann, S3C, of Mobeetie, were among the personnel receiving honorable discharges from the U. S. Navy at Norman, Okla., recently.

Grayson, whose last duty station was the U. S. S. DuPage of New York, served over 23 months in the Pacific theatre. Mann was stationed on the U. S. S. Minneapolis and served eight and one-half months in the Pacific.

Books Are Needed By Wheeler School

Persons having books suitable for use in the schools can put them to good use by donating them in the current book drive being conducted by the Wheeler Parent-Teachers association. The drive opened April 1 and will continue through Monday, April 8.

If you would like to contribute any reference books, fiction, novels or classics, take them to Supt. W. O. Carrick's office or contact Mrs. A. O. Vanpool at the grade school and the books will be called for.

The shortage of men has made a lot of girls good and lonely.

The Milum baby was asleep when his mother went out in the yard shortly before 8 a. m. Hearing her child crying a few minutes later, Mrs. Milum rushed to his bed to find Terry in an unconscious condition. He was grasping a bottle of aspirin tablets in one hand.

Emergency treatment failing, Mr. and Mrs. Milum rushed the child to the Wheeler Hospital where he was placed in an oxygen tent. Death came about 24 hours later.

Funeral services were conducted from the Shamrock Baptist church at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon with Rev. A. J. Roberts of Lefors who is pastor at Magic City, in charge. Burial was in Shamrock cemetery.

Terry is survived by his parents, one brother, Walter, and two sisters, Betty Jo and Janet. Mr. Milum is employed by Smith Bros. Refinery and has resided at Magic City for several years.

The Hudson child was playing in the yard Wednesday afternoon, unnotified by a neighbor who started to back his car out, striking the baby.

Funeral services will be held from the Briscoe Methodist church at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon with Reverend McAnally officiating. Burial will be at Zybach with Hunt Funeral Home of Wheeler in charge.

The Times extends sympathy to the Milum and Hudson families in their sorrow.

LIONS CLUB TO GET CHARTER

The Methodist church at Mobeetie will be the scene of one of the town's most important civic functions when business men of the community with their wives and guests gather for the Charter Night program of the newly organized Lions club.

The Ladies Night affair will begin at 8 o'clock. Charlie Deene, district governor of Lions International, will be guest of honor.

The Mobeetie Lions club has a charter membership of 34: L. D. McCauley, S. H. Salley, Roy Beck, J. M. Boswell, J. M. Hathaway, Floyd Hunter, Jack Miller, Grady W. Harris, A. G. Caldwell, W. R. Coward, W. E. Gaines, W. H. Atkins, Aubrey Huff, B. L. Higdon, Glenn O. Render, F. A. Coker, Tom Beck, Byron Simpson, R. C. Martin, E. E. Johnston, J. H. Scribner, J. A. Stinson, A. W. Carmichael, H. L. Flanagan, A. A. Burch, Charlie Mixon, F. L. Worthington, C. H. Candier, Frank Breeding, T. A. Greenhouse, E. T. Brown, John Dunn and Bo Barnett.

Program for Charter night has been announced as follows, with B. L. Higdon as toastmaster: Call to Order, Jack Miller; America, group; Pledge of Allegiance, group; Invocation, Rev. S. H. Salley; songs, group. After the meal the program will be: Coronet Solo, Mary Lou Beck; Address of Welcome, L. D. McCauley; Introduction of Guests and Visiting Clubs; Introduction of District Governor, C. A. Cryer; Address and Presentation of Charter, Charlie Deene; Acceptance of Charter, Jack Miller; Songs, group; adjournment.

The club will meet twice monthly, every second and fourth Tuesday night, at 8 o'clock at the Methodist church.

Borrowed Equipment Is Needed By School

Supt. W. O. Carrick this week made an appeal to persons who have borrowed certain items from the home-making and agriculture departments of Wheeler high school, to please return them. The superintendent says students need the equipment and he will appreciate borrowers returning them as soon as possible.

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GOVERNMENT AND THE UNIONS

(From The Dallas News)
In the industrial field collective bargaining has been adopted as a method of solving private labor problems. However, because of fundamental concepts and principles of government, it is obvious that collective bargaining cannot apply to public employment and public labor which involve the expenditure of public funds. The moment any agency of government recognizes any individual or group of individuals, be it capital or labor, as superior to any other group or individual, government for all on an equal basis ceases and we would have a government, not by the people but by organized minorities which would only engender bitterness and result in chaos defeating the very purpose of government.

Collective bargaining means that if the employer refuses to agree to the terms of the employees, they have a right to strike to enforce their demands. Thus the "collective bargaining" process cannot possibly apply to public employees in this state. Public



By **BOYCE HOUSE**

Jim White in his column in the Brownwood Banner says that when the Pioneers Association meets, the membership regulation should be changed so that all who came to Brown County 40 years or more ago would be eligible. Mr. Grantham was 80 years old the other day, writes Mr. White, "but due to a regrettable error in judgment, he did not come here 50 years ago, and would like to be on the roll."

If the limit is lowered to 40 years, your columnist would be eligible for membership for it was in January, 1906, that I moved with my parents to Brownwood. My father opened a small grocery store on the principal street and, ever since then, the smell of spices and of freshly-ground coffee has reminded me of those days. The most important business establishment from the standpoint of a nine-year-old boy was not however the Crescent Grocery—it was Kaneaster's Kandy Kitchen, where

employees are without power to enforce their demands by means of a strike against the sovereignty.

A strike of public employees is in reality a form of rebellion against the government. . . . To permit public employees to exercise such power is to deny the sovereignty of government itself and to substitute government by coercion, fear and favor rather than government by law.

The three paragraphs above were not written by The News. The stark phrases embody the opinion of Herbert J. Rushton when as Attorney General of Michigan he was called upon to define the obligations of County Road Commissioners in regard to recognition of a union as bargaining agent for their employees. What he held as to his state and its governmental agencies applies to Texas and Dallas.

all the spare nickels that I could get were spent.

When we first arrived in Brownwood, we had rooms at a boarding house just across from the campus of Daniel Baker College and I remember some of the college boys—men, they seemed to me, and their athletic yells, one of which was a real gem of poetry:

"Johnny get a rat-trap bigger than a cat-trap;
Johnny get a cat-trap bigger than a rat-trap—
Cannibal, cannibal, siss-boom-bah!"

I regret that my memory has not preserved the masterpiece in its entirety but that will give you the general idea.

After a few weeks, we found a house to move into; it was cat-cornered across the street from the elementary school, about three blocks from the business section—north of the business section, I think. Directions always confused me in Brownwood, on account of the twisting streets. I remember there was a standpipe near the center of town and they told a story of a traveling man who walked around and around for half an hour, then said, "This is the dumbest place I ever was in; five standpipes and not one post-office."

In our yard there was an oak tree, a big, tall one—about the biggest in the world, I reckon. One day, a playmate jumped out of the fork of the tree and so of course I wouldn't take a dare; I jumped out, too; it certainly was a long way to the ground. Nearly 20 years later, when I revisited Brownwood, I strolled past and, you know, the oddest thing; you'd think that in 20 years that tree would have grown a good deal; but it hadn't, in fact, it looked to me as though it had shrunk; it really wasn't very far from the fork to the ground.

I can remember the Carnegie Library and of reading books from it; books written by G. A. Henty and Horatio Alger and a wonderful volume called "Forty Years on the Plains" that was full of Indian fights and scalplings and prairie fires. One time, we chose sides and pretended to be settlers and Indians. The settlers were barricaded in a stockade which in this instance was the loft of a barn and the ammunition was corn-cobs. The Indians could get at the settlers in only one way; one at a time, they had to climb a narrow ladder that led to an opening and when a head was thrust through, there was the greatest whizzing of corn-cobs you ever saw. I thought it was great fun. I was one of the settlers.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Schaub of Pampa visited in the home of the niece, Mrs. M. E. Pride, last week. Miss Mildred Watts of Dumas spent the weekend in Wheeler with friends and relatives. Mrs. Earl Barnes and Gwendolyn D'Ann spent one day last week in the F. E. Barnes home at Pampa.

Tony Puckett of Clinton spent the weekend in Wheeler with his family.

Jack and Kenneth Pitcock of Garden City, Kansas, spent the weekend in Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Obal Dollins and

son, Bill, of Pampa spent Sunday the weekend in Dill, Okla. They left this week for California.

Miss Lutie Melhany of Shamrock, Mrs. Jim Porter and Dr. and Mrs. V. N. Hall were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. M. Melhany and Miss Blance Grainger.

Burl Cheser of Amarillo spent the weekend with his wife and children in Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ayres spent the weekend in Dill, Okla. They left this week for California.

Mrs. N. P. Woosley and children of Borger spent last week in the W. J. Greenhouse home. They returned to their home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Cantel and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Galt were callers in Pampa Sunday.

It isn't WHEN you change, it's WHAT you change to!

Probably you are already thinking about that regular spring oil change for your car. It's important. But equally important—is the kind of oil you change to!

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Make your spring change-over with an oil you can be sure about—Phillips 66 Motor Oil! It has been proved by 66,000,000,000 miles of all kinds of driving . . . by hundreds of thousands of pleased drivers.

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WHEELER, TEXAS

**THE TRUTH
ABOUT HOME BUILDING
in 1946**

IT'S TIME VETERANS AND ALL CITIZENS WERE TOLD THE TRUTH ABOUT THE HOME BUILDING SITUATION.

The main bottleneck to home construction is production of materials and equipment.

No legislation, Presidential announcement, government control plan, or system can produce a single additional home until production of materials is speeded up.

Lumber Dealers and the Building Industry are eager to build homes for veterans and all citizens who need them. The reason few homes are being built is because materials are not being produced.

WHY?

1. Governed by OPA's war-time pricing formulas, it is still more profitable for lumber mills to make items for export—and the items formerly required for war use, than it is to make lumber usable in Home Construction.
2. OPA's war-time pricing formulas are still keeping thousands of small mills out of production.
3. OPA's enforcement policies have allowed the creation of a large black market in lumber which is moving outside of regular channels of trade.

4. OPA's slowness in adjusting mill ceiling prices on hardwood flooring, siding, millwork and plywood has contributed to the difficulties mills are having in securing necessary manpower.

With 400 brick and tile plants closed, it took 6 months for OPA to adjust prices. Now an additional 125 plants have opened and production is up 35%.

Clay sewer pipe, cast iron soil pipe and Gypsum board manufacturers have experienced a similar OPA delay in the granting of price adjustments to make increased production possible.

No amount of juggling with an insufficient supply will produce a single home more than can be built with material available.

The OPA can hardly hold present price ceilings when it has no control over volume of employment, labor wage rates, cashing of government bonds, and installment or credit expansion—BUT THE OPA CAN ACT AS A BLOCK TO RECONVERSION BY CLINGING TO UNREALISTIC WARTIME PRICE CEILINGS.

Unblock the production of materials caused by unrealistic wartime price controls and the building industry will build enough homes for veterans and all Americans!

Any government program that does not FIRST remove the obstacles blocking production of materials will simply add additional difficulties to the problem facing the building industry.

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WE CAN SUPPLY ALL YOUR HOG RAISING NEEDS



GET YOUR BIRDS IN the Nest Parade

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NARVILLE ARGANBRIGHT, Manager

V. B. Hardcastle, Geo. Lamb, Gordon Whitener, J. F. Rathjen and A. A. Jones, Directors

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WHEELER

Mrs. Dick Pope of Albuquerque returned to her home Saturday after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Tillman.

KEEP TUNED-UP FOR WINTER DRIVING!



Let Our Expert Mechanics Keep Your Car (OR TRUCK) Running Smoothly!

You can make sure your car or truck will start every morning—and give you dependable "on-the-job" service—when you have it tuned up by our trained mechanics!

Reasonable Prices DEPENDABLE Work!

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DODGE-PLYMOUTH COURTEOUS AND DEPENDABLE SERVICE

DONATIONS TO RED CROSS IN AREA LISTED

Additional contributions to the 1946 Red Cross campaign fund in North Wheeler County have been announced as follows:

Kelton, (T. M. Britt, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bledsoe) T. M. Britt \$50, A. O. Krug \$5, Mrs. A. O. Krug \$5, H. F. Krug \$1, Mrs. H. F. Krug \$1, H. B. Krug \$1, Ralph Krug \$1, Patricia Krug \$1, Ollie Elliott \$1, Mrs. Ollie Elliott \$1, W. H. Willoughby \$1, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cornelius \$1, Carrell Pitcock 25c, Bettie, Ray, Kay and

T. C. Newkirk 20c, Lawrence Harris \$1, Leonard Mills \$2, Mrs. Leonard Mills \$2, Amateur Program \$17.61, Gordon Stiles \$20, B. T. Clemens \$1, Junie Burrell 10c, Dale Flanagan 5c. Total \$113.21

Churches of Wheeler, (Harry Wofford, T. M. Britt and R. G. Russ) Hugh H. Hunt, Methodist Church, \$5, Mrs. J. M. Porter, Methodist Church, \$15. Total \$20.

Wheeler Street Collection, American Legion; E. T. Cosper \$2.50, G. W. Mason \$3, H. R. Grasz \$1, Clint Starkey \$1 Evert Goad \$1, Claud R. Cox \$1, Mrs. Rich Brown \$1, Wilbur Thornton \$1, W. A. Sorenson \$1, Vada Lunsford \$10, H. S. Poole 25c, E. B. Woodruff 25c, Gracie Pannell 25c, W. L. Pannell 25c, H. F. Pannell 20c S. L. Smith \$1, M. C. Jaco \$1,

H. N. Patterson \$1, Tom Bradstreet \$1, Nile Patterson \$5, J. R. Austin 50c J. F. Carter 50c, Roy Johnston 25c, W. L. Erwin \$1, Leonard Reid 50c, Mrs. Patterson 50c, Miss Patterson 50c, Noah Geyer \$1, L. K. Fields \$1.

Nick Stedman \$1, Ben P. Graham \$1, Paul George \$1, Mrs. H. L. Jenkins \$1, J. E. Risner \$1, Nona Hall \$1, Mrs. Sam Risner 50c, C. C. Crowder \$1, Bert Davis 50c, M. V. Callan \$1, Mrs. S. W. Shirley \$1, Mrs. W. L. Callan 25c, Mrs. Milton Finsterwald \$1, Wheeler Hospital \$25, Delbert McWhorter \$1, Richard McWhorter 25c, Gilbert Parker 25c, Wayne Jolly 20c, R. M. Beauchamp \$5, Floreen Beaty \$2, Mrs. E. D. Guynes \$3, Gertie E. Haskett \$2, T. J. Cole, Jr., \$3, J. H. Watts \$2.50, Mrs. J. H. Watts \$2.50, S. W. Williams \$5, Reberta Lee Adams \$1, Sherwood Blasdel \$5, Janet M. Blasdel \$5, W. B. Wileman \$1, Mrs. W. B. Wileman \$1, Claude Crouch \$2.50, Mrs. Claude Crouch \$2.50, Mrs. Ada Alexander \$2, Ben Trout \$5, P. Mayfield \$5, Jas. C. Moore \$5, I. M. Passons \$5, Mrs. I. M. Passons \$5, Mrs. J. L. Bailey \$1, J. E. Willard \$1, Mrs. J. E. Willard \$1. Total \$149.40.

Briscoe, Lee Barry, chairman; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Standlee \$2, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mason \$2, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Steen \$5, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mason \$1, Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Hefley \$7.50, Mr. and Mrs. C. Zybach \$5, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barry \$5, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Price \$2. Total \$29.50.

Elwin Dysart spent last week in his parents' home and left Sunday evening for Channing, where he will begin his work as County Agent of Hartley County.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn D. Hodges of Pampa visited in his parents' home Sunday.

Mrs. Russ Hogan of Jacksboro is visiting relatives in Mobeetie.

Dale Corcoran is in the hospital with the measles.

The Cicero Smith Lumber Co.,

Isma Sims has left to attend a business school at Chicago.

Mrs. Nora Murrell has returned from Temple, where she was at the bedside of her sister and brother-in-law. Her brother-in-law passed away but her sister was improving when she left.

The Juniors presented their play in Alanreed Friday night.

Lou Beck was a visitor in the St. John home Tuesday night.

The Seniors went to Canadian Monday night to see the Canadian Senior play.

Lou Beck, Edwin Hagan, Edith Byron and Louise St. John were visitors in Wheeler Monday night.

Mrs. Frank Worthington and Mrs. Mary Nixon are visiting relatives in Fairfax, Okla.

C. A. Dysart is in Mineral Wells taking treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Candler entertained with a "Get Acquainted" 42 party in their home Wednesday evening, March 27.

Paul Green won high score for men. High score for women went to Mrs. Bruce Alexander.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Green and Harold, Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Buck Scribner, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Matthews, Mobeetie, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. McClusky, Mr.

has been redecorating their store.

Mobeetie Seniors

The seniors have started practicing on their play, "A Case of Springtime," which will be presented April 19th.

The Texas Valley Folks of KWFT will be here at the high school gym soon. A more definite date will be announced later.

The seniors went to Canadian onday night to see the senior play.

Mobeetie Juniors

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Bonita Armstrong Is Bride Albert Gunter

Miss Bonita Mae Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Armstrong became the bride of Albert W. Gunter, son of Mrs. M. L. Gunter, in a ceremony performed at the First Baptist parsonage at Shamrock on March 27, with Rev. Edw. Derr officiating.

The bride wore a blue suit with a corsage of white carnations. Mrs. Alton Nations was matron of honor, and Alton Nations served

and Mrs. Odell Upchurch, Weaver Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Oldham, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Newman, and the host and hostess.

The groom as best man.

The bride is a graduate of Kelton high school, later attending Women's State College at Denton. She is presently employed at the National Farm Loan office in Wheeler. Mr. Gunter was a student of Wheeler high school. He spent several months in the armed services and was recently discharged.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunter are constructing a home south of the Gunter Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williams had as Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Williams and son, of Mobeetie.

Chester Andrews and family of Groom visited in the J. W. Williams home Monday.

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Mobeetie Happenings

By Louise St. John

Mrs. Lester Hathaway's mother visited her over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Myers left Thursday evening for California.

Mrs. Elmer McCormack from Hinton, Okla., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Dora Hogan, and her brother, W. C. Hogan of Mobeetie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ariza Corcoran are the proud parents of a son and have named him Lester Ray. Mrs. Jake Allen and baby have returned home.

Mrs. Jerry Mixon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mixon over the weekend.


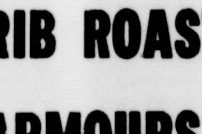


Leon Prescott from Pampa attended to business in Mobeetie Thursday.

Virginia Bailey visited her parents over the weekend.

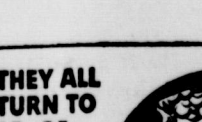
Wilton Sims has returned to his job at Bakersfield, Calif.







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	TEA SCHILLING'S 1/2 POUND	45¢		MARVENE SOAPLESS SUDS, 2 LBS.	45¢
	THEY ALL TURN TO Hi Ho 1 LB.	19¢		GLOCOAT JOHNSON'S PINT	55¢

	FLOUR 25-LB. SACK	\$1.09
	COCOA HERSHEY'S 1/4 POUND	10¢
	RAISINS 2-LB. PACKAGE	27¢
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(First published in The Wheeler Times March 14, 1946) 4tc.
CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: ROBERT PEACE, GREETING:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday, the 29th day of April, A. D., 1946, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Wheeler County, at the Court House in Wheeler, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 13th day of March, 1946. The file number of said suit being No. 3694.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Emmer Peace as Plaintiff, and Robert Peace as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce on the grounds of three years abandonment.

Issued this the 13th day of March, 1946.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Wheeler, Texas, this the 13th day of March, A. D., 1946.

(SEAL) OLLIE W. BEENE,
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JUNIOR NEWS

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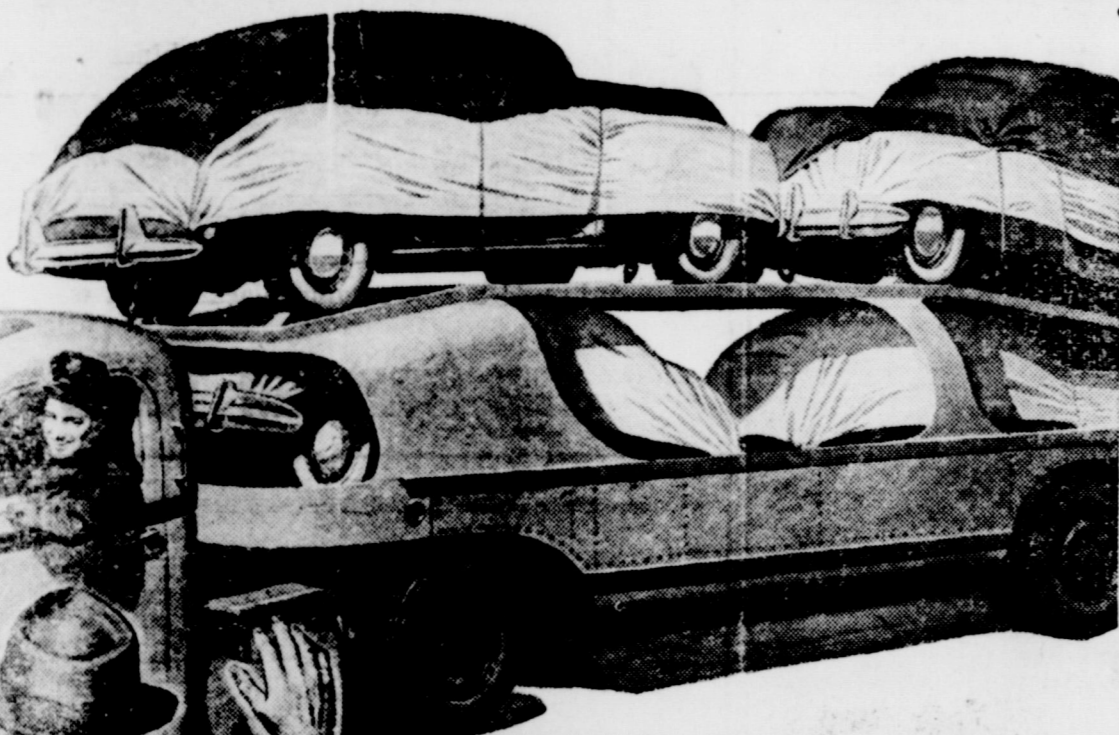
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The Methodist W. S. C. S. met in the home of Mrs. C. J. Meek for the fourth lesson on Africa. Mrs. H. H. Hunt gave the devotion and Mrs. J. M. Glover gave the principal part of the program from a study book, "The Cross over Africa" by Newell S. Booth. Her listeners learned of many of Africa's resources.

As secretary of Christian Social Relations, Mrs. Wiley presented the subject of collecting food now for the starving peoples of Europe and raising and canning surplus vegetables for them this summer. Those present were: Mmes. Dorey Hutchinson, H. H. Hunt, Wiley, Mitchell, Hubbard, Wren, J. G. Davidson, Fred Farmer, Lloyd Davidson, Mayfield, Glover, Holt, Robison, Meek, Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Tucker and baby of Clovis spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jones, and other relatives. They also visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Riley of Briscoe.

Mrs. E. Tillman spent the week-end in Borger visiting relatives.

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Many Friends Gather At Mobeetie Affair

A very pleasant time was spent in the home of Mrs. Susan L. Murrell of Mobeetie, when relatives and friends gathered Friday, March 29, to visit with Mrs. W. O. Wren of Temple, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wren, Jr., and Orville Wren of San Francisco, Calif.

The Wrens were on their way to California and stopped in Mobeetie where their aunt, Mrs. Murrell joined them for the remainder of the trip to California.

Mrs. Murrell had returned home Monday from Temple where she was called by the death of her brother-in-law and the serious illness of her sister.

Those present who enjoyed the hours of visiting and dinner were: Mrs. W. O. Wren of Temple, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wren, Jr., and Orville Wren of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Murrell of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Selby

and Jimmy Dewayne of Mobeetie, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton R. Murrell of Mobeetie, Mrs. Van Webb, Marie and Joy of Miami, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Webb, James and Rose Marie of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Vernor Webb, Mrs. Redding, Mrs. L. H. Webb, Mrs. A. H. Bartram and Mrs. Clara Selby, all of Mobeetie.

Some women look like they had been poured into their dresses, and forgot to say "when."

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF WHEELER

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the usual voting place in the city of Wheeler, Wheeler County, Texas, on the 2nd day of April, 1946, same being the first Tuesday in said month, for the purpose of electing a MAYOR and THREE ALDERMEN for said city.

W. B. Wofford has been appointed by act of the City Council to hold said election, and he shall select a clerk to assist in holding same, and said election shall be held in the manner prescribed for holding elections by general law.

Witness my hand, as Mayor of the City of Wheeler, this 5th day of March A. D. 1946.

R. H. FORRESTER, Mayor of the City of Wheeler, 12-4tc

(First Published in The Wheeler Times March 28, 1946) 4tc

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: JAMES GIDEON AND OWEN WHITE, Defendants.
GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct 1 of Wheeler County at the Court House thereof, in Wheeler, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., on the first day of the first term of said court which convenes next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday, the 13th day of May, A. D. 1946, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1946, in this cause, numbered 478 on the docket of said court and styled R. L. JACKSON vs. OWEN WHITE and JAMES GIDEON, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Suit for full title and right to possession of one 1936 model Ford Coupe, Motor No. 2388220, State Highway Dept. recorded certificate of title No. A. 581071 issued in the name of James T. Gideon, Bronte, Texas, recording a first lien in the amount of \$200.00 in favor of Owen White of Bronte, Texas.

Plaintiff alleges purchase in good faith on or about Dec. 1, 1943 through Homer Pitcock, with permission of defendants and further alleges peaceful, exclusive adverse possession under good faith claim of ownership of said automobile for more than two years, 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 law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wheeler, Texas, this 23 day of March A. D. 1946.

Attest:
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Bride Elect Honored By Mobeetie Friends

A bridal shower honoring Miss Juanita Walker was given in the home of Mrs. Billy Morgan at Mobeetie, Thursday, March 28.

Miss Walker who is the bride-elect of Sgt. Glen Scribner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abby Sharp. Sgt. Scribner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Scribner.

Refreshments of chocolate and cake were served to the following guests: Madames Abby Sharp, J. A. Scribner, A. H. Burke, Alvis Burke, Fannie Bartram, Elvin Zell, Mrs. J. H. Gunter of Claude, Cora McGagor of Amarillo, J. H. Scribner, T. W. Hale of Pampa, Dwayne Williams, Wallace Robinson, Will Powers, H. L. Flanagan, Aubrey Ruff, Nora Trusty, Audrey Alexander, Ransom Carter, Jack Miller, L. D. McCauley, K. S. Corse, Jeff Brewer, Frank Worthington, W. D. Key, L. W. Williams, W. H. Atkins, R. B. Leonard, Henry Ruff, John Hodges, Loy Seitz, Douglas Baird, and Misses Evelyn Robinson, LaRue Flanagan, Ervine Ruff, Mary and Bernice Carter, LaNelle Scribner, and the hostess and honoree.

Those sending gifts were: Madames Floyd Roberts of Logan, Tom Walker of Pampa, Floyd Hunter, Dale Brown, W. E. Gaines, Mollissa Marton, Johnnie Newman, A. G. Holliday, Jim Hathaway, Maurice Babb, Byron Simpson, C. U. Parker and Doris, Cleo Ruff of Pampa, R. St. John, Douglas Sims, Murel Trout, Leroy Robinson, John Gilliam, Jeff Williams, A. A. Burch, Arlie Jeffus Albert Newman, Stacy Arnold Ernest Moore, and Laura Jeffus, Misses Louise and Edith St. John, Helen Trout and Francis Ford.

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Kappa Betas Meet At Mrs. Harry Wofford's

The members of the Kappa Beta Wesleyan Service Guild met with Mrs. Harry Wofford Tuesday night.

Miss Ruth Barr, leader of the program, gave the devotional. Miss Barr gave a few high points for the yearbook program for April, the theme of which is "Peace Through His Cross."

Mrs. J. M. Porter, a guest speaker, gave a very interesting and educational talk about the conference she attended recently. She gave reports of three missionaries, two of whom are from the Panhandle, who gave their services as young women and who have just recently returned. One, Miss Flora Foreman, from Stratford, was a missionary to Africa; and the other two, Miss Mittie Shelton, who served for 35 years, and Miss Hester Dale West, from Floydada, who was missionary to China.

Refreshments were served to: Mrs. J. M. Porter and Mrs. Bert

Former Kelton Girl Marries At Clovis

The marriage of Miss Mozelle May of Texico, New Mexico, and Vernon Kirby of Clovis, New Mexico, was performed in a simple ceremony at the Nazarene parsonage in Clovis, March 9 by Rev. J. V. Langsford.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denver May of Texico. She is a senior of Texico high school and formerly attended high school at Wheeler. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Kirby of Clovis. He attended school at Pleasant Hill and Grady and is now employed at Clovis.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. Charles May of Wheeler and Mr. and Mrs. John Cornelius of Kelton.

The couple is at home at 216 Thornton Street, Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby were honored with a bridal shower Saturday night March 23 in the home of Denver May, with Mrs. Russell Johnson and Miss Wanda Lee Huber as hostesses.

While the younger set enjoyed games, the adults enjoyed games of 42. Many lovely gifts were presented the young couple after which refreshments were served.

Among those sending gifts were Mr. and Mrs. John Cornelius of Kelton, Mrs. Charles May and John May, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Amos May, and Mr. and Mrs. Rubin May all of Wheeler.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of voters in the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1946:

For District Judge:
WALTER ROGERS
of Gray County

For District Attorney:
TOM BRALY
of Gray County

**For State Representative
122nd District:**
R. L. TEMPLETON
of Collingsworth County

For County Judge:
G. W. HEFLEY

For County Clerk:
HARRY WOFFORD

For County Attorney:
HOMER MOSS

For Sheriff:
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For County Treasurer:
LILLIE M. MCCLAIN

**For Commissioner:
Precinct No. 1:**
LLOYD ANGLIN

**For Commissioner:
Precinct No. 2:**
S. B. DAVIS
W. E. MASON
JESS B. CROWDER

For County School Supt:
ALLEN KAVANAUGH

For District Clerk:
MRS. OLLIE W. BEENE

For Tax Assessor-Collector
T. J. DAUGHTRY
T. L. GUNTER

Kennedy, guests: Mrs. Max Wiley, Misses Para Cobb, Ruth Barr, Evonne Hubbard, and the hostess, members.

The previous meeting of the group was a social, given in the home of the president, Miss Leona Crossland, on March 19.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Max Wiley on April 16, with Mrs. Harry Wofford as leader. All members are urged to attend.

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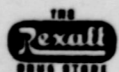
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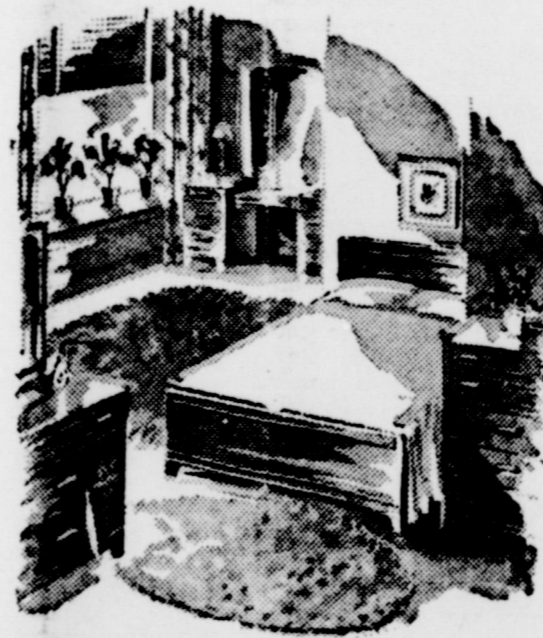
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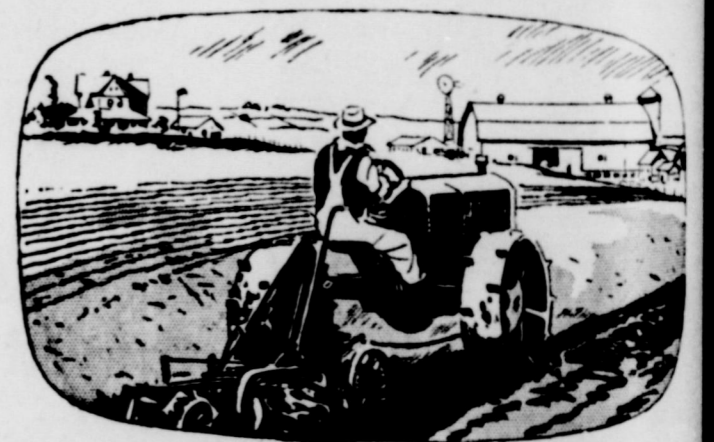
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