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FIVE DAYS REMAIN FOR GETTING AUTO TAGS AND PERMITS

Five days remain for purchase of automobile license plates and obtaining drivers' licenses, with the deadline for obtaining both midnight Wednesday, April 1.

Registration of automobiles in Clay county is proceeding at a more rapid rate than last year, according to Miss Gladys Wright, deputy assessor-collector.

A total of 1,401 license plates for the current year had been issued Wednesday afternoon. With an estimated 2,500 automobiles in the county, the halfway mark is already reached. 2,300 tags were issued last year up to the 1st of April.

4,500 drivers' licenses had been issued up to Wednesday afternoon, with 1,500 more automobile drivers yet to apply for permits before midnight April 1.

After April 1 any peace officer in the state may halt any motorist at any time and demand to see his or her driving license. Failure to have the same will result in arrest and prosecution, according to the state bureau of public safety.

County Canneries Booked Until Garden Products are Ready

The two canning plants in the county located at Bellevue and Henrietta are operating full time (5 days in the week) according to Mrs. Willie Lumpkin, County Canning Supervisor and are booked up until after the 1st of May. At that date, fresh garden vegetables will begin to come in and they will book for the canning of those products. Canneries will also be placed at Byers and Joy after May 1 to help take care of the summer canning over the county.

At the present time hominy, sweet potatoes and turnips are being canned.

This has been one of the greatest seasons the Clay county canneries have ever known, and they have not only canned products for local people but for a number of people in Fort Worth and Dallas. These canning plants have served more people in different ways than any other project known, besides giving 35 people employment.

During this period of operation which covers from October 22, 1935, to March 23, 1936, 76,265 cans of vegetables, 4,972 cans of fruit, and 332 cans of meat have been canned in the two county plants. The total number cans of fruit mentioned above includes 310 bushels of apples which was transferred to Clay county from the district office at Mineral Wells, canned here and placed in the local commodity department to be used for relief.

Mrs. Lumpkin stated that they have enough cans in the warehouse to operate the two plants until May, then more cans will be ordered for operation during the summer.

The toll on vegetables and fruits

BIDS ASKED FOR HIGHWAY WORK IN NORTHWEST TEXAS

Bids totaling one-half million dollars for highway construction on Northwest Texas roads have been asked for April 7 and 8 by the state highway commission at Austin, according to an Associated Press dispatch Tuesday.

Highway 5, the most heavily traveled road in this area, will be further improved by the construction of a 12-mile strip of concrete from Henrietta to the Montague county line. A low bid of \$60,023 for construction of 12.4 miles of asphalt surfacing from the Armstrong county line to Clarendon, has been announced by the department. The contract went to the Public Construction company of Denton.

Besides the Clay county pavement, the advertisements include 19 miles of caliche base and triple asphalt surface from Floydada to the Hale county line and Lockney loop on highway 28; 9.2 miles of grading and drainage structures from 4 to 13 miles south of Henrietta; 16.5 miles of asphalt seal and prime coat from Claude to the Donley county line on highway 5; 10.9 miles of asphalt seal coat from Hedley to the Hall county line on highway 5.

The paving job on highway 5 south of Henrietta, a 20-foot wide roadway similar to the one now running between Wichita Falls and Henrietta, will be about a \$300,000 project, according to Division Highway Engineer E. C. Woodward. The bridges and drainage structures are already in place.

The grading and drainage work in Clay county is on a WPA project a farm-to-market road connecting Jacksboro and Henrietta, Mr. Woodward reported. Contract on the work will approximate \$40,000.

Prohibition Head to Talk at Union Service In Henrietta Sunday

A united service of the Baptist, Christian and Methodist churches will be held Sunday evening at 8 o'clock at the Methodist church. All citizens of the town are invited to attend.

The speaker will be Dr. Francis Scott McBride of Washington, D. C., national head of the prohibition forces of the United States, who is touring the south speaking in the interest of prohibition. Dr. McBride has some helpful facts concerning the liquor question and will present them to the people of Henrietta Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thomas attended the track meet Saturday at Fort Worth.

is as follows: To government 50 per cent and to producer 50 per cent; toll on meats, to government 40 per cent and to producer 60 per cent.

VOTING BOXES OF CLAY TOTAL 3,312 FOR CURRENT YEAR

According to the official tabulation by Assessor-Collector W. H. Douglass, Clay county has a total of 3,312 qualified voters this year. Of this number, 164 are exemptions, unders.

An increase of 1,537 poll taxes were paid this year over the 1,775 poll taxes paid last year.

Henrietta shows to be the largest voting box with 732 voters. Petrolia is second in number with 338 voters.

Totals in all boxes in the county are as follows:

Southeast Henrietta	97
Northeast Henrietta	224
Northwest Henrietta	188
Southwest Henrietta	223
Doss	38
Rural	11
Willow Springs	53
Riverland	44
Byers	251
Hurnville	25
Vashti	151
Dean Dale	82
Jolly	72
Thornberry	43
Charlie	147
Friendship	40
Halsell	42
Blue Grove	140
Joy	125
Prospect	24
Shannon	81
Cobb	28
New London	56
Bellevue	269
Newport	56
Buffalo Springs	108
Pleasant Valley	27
Petrolia	338
Brown	46
Stanfield	62
Secret Springs	18
Windthorst	39
Valentine	47
Ikard	27
Deer Creek	90
Total	3,312

Another 1st Monday Auction Sale To Be Held On April 6th

An unusually large crowd is expected in Henrietta Monday, April 6, to attend the regular First Monday Auction Sale.

The sale will start at 11 a. m. and will continue until all entries are sold.

There is a good demand for field seeds, pigs, milch cows, and work stock, and all persons with items to sell are asked to list them at the county agent's office.

The general public is welcome to attend, benefit from this sale and help make it a big success.

Marriage License

March 21, Jim Petrie and Mrs. Carrie Petrie.

March 23, H. V. Whatley and Mrs. Celia Vinson.

March 24, Sublett Phillips and Miss Melba Divison.

COMMISSIONERS ORDER BEER VOTE IN COUNTY APRIL 8

Citizens of Clay county will go to the polls Wednesday, April 8, to vote for or against the sale of vinous and malt liquors in the county, this time not exceeding fourteen per cent alcohol.

The election was called by the Commissioner's Court who was presented with a petition signed by 268 voters of Clay county. This was over the required number of 10 per cent of the votes cast in the county in the last governor's election which petitions the Commissioners to call an election.

The last county-wide election, which was held to legalize the sale of vinous and malt liquors containing 4 per cent alcohol, was on December 20, 1935. At this election Clay county went dry with a 163 majority.

The polls throughout the county will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m.

Those citizens of the county in favor of the sale of liquor will vote as follows: "For legalizing the sale of vinous and malt liquors that do not contain alcohol in excess of fourteen per cent (14%) by volume."

And those citizens of the county not in favor of liquor will vote the ticket as follows: "Against legalizing the sale of vinous and malt liquors that do not contain alcohol in excess of fourteen per cent (14%) by volume."

Investigation Begins In County On Old Age Applications

J. V. Boyd of Henrietta, recently appointed investigator for the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission, returned Thursday from schooling in Fort Worth, and immediately began field work in Clay county.

Mr. Boyd will make a personal call on each applicant in Clay county, and he urges that they assemble at once insurance policies, marriage license, poll tax receipts and other evidence that it will be available when he calls.

Since there are approximately 500 applicants in Clay county, Mr. Boyd will not be able to designate a certain time of calling on the various applicants for investigation.

Application blanks for Old Age Assistance can be secured at the office of County Judge C. J. Sherrill in the court house of Henrietta.

Car Registrations

O. T. Roach of Henrietta, a Chevrolet coach.

Carl Olsen of Henrietta, a Plymouth sedan.

Mrs. L. B. Hapgood of Henrietta, a Packard sedan.

J. V. Boyd of Henrietta, a Chevrolet coach.

Mrs. Joe White of Bellevue, a Chevrolet coach.

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**CAPITOL
NEWS
LETTER**

By W. D. McFarlane, M. C.

Lobbying Investigation

Senator Black's Lobby Investigating Committee held the spot light last week and promises to continue to do so because of their earnest efforts to secure information in spite of the fact that many of the different utility holding companies burned or destroyed their records to prohibit any one from knowing to what extent they went to try to block the Wheeler-Rayburn bill.

Other special interests lobbyists were brought into the picture such as Arnold's Tax Payers' League, William Randolph Heart's publications et al because of their telegrams received to investigate their lobbying activities. Disclosures show Arnold's so-called Tax Payer's League collected \$860,000 and has rendered little if any service to his so-called clients, most of whom he admitted he secured their names out of different publication lists, and wrote them. It looks like because of disclosures made by the Senate Lobbying Committee that we will have anti-lobbying legislation finally enacted during this session. The Senate passed the Black registration bill in May 1935; the House Judiciary Committee has reported the Smith bill on anti-lobbying, which is due to be called up next week.

War Department Appropriations

The Senate debated the War Department appropriations bill most of last week and spent two days debating whether or not they would accept the writer's 10 per cent profits limitation amendment to this bill. This amendment is pending business when the Senate convenes Monday. Showing necessity of this amendment disclosures were made in the Senate showing lack of competition in procurement of aircraft and accessories. For example last month Douglas Aircraft secured an army contract at \$49,500 each for 20 airplanes. Fairchild Aircraft Corporation was the low bidder at \$29,000 and their specifications were 78 per cent above minimum requirements of the Army. On these 20 airplanes the Government paid over \$40,000 more than the lowest responsible bidder asked for competent planes. Another illustration was shown, where the War Department purchased 1400 spark plugs at \$2.97 each without competition. It will be remembered that the writer has spoken repeatedly urging compliance with the existing law requiring competition and has pointed out the losses incurred because of lack of competition. The writer talked with the President who states that he favors rigid competition and limitation of excess profits.

The President's Relief Message

The President last week sent up his relief message asking Congress for another One and One-half Billion dollars work relief money for the next year. Congress is now holding hearings on this measure. About 100 members of the House Saturday met in a caucus and passed resolutions calling a democratic caucus to decide to what extent this money would be ear-marked for certain purposes including CCC camps, PWA and WPA projects.

More Tax Exempt Bank Stock

The House called up S3978 which is the same as H. R. 11047 defeated February 25th in the House and finally passed same by a vote of 218 to 144. This measure exempts from taxes all National Bank preferred stock held by the RFC which will deprive the states and local communities of more than \$8,000,000 in taxes according to Mr. Jones' estimates. The House Banking and Currency Committee refused to follow the recommendations of Mr. Jones which would have amended this bill so as to allow the RFC to trade its preferred stock for notes and debentures so as to leave the state taxing authorities their power to tax the assets of National Banks the same as State Banks. The opposition to the bill was given less than one-fifth of the time allotted in debate.

The Calendar

The House considered private and consent bills Monday and Tuesday, the Tax Exempt Bank bill Wednesday and Thursday, and Friday debated the Pettengill Long and Short Haul Bill, H. R. 3263. This bill is pending business Monday morning.

This week the House will consider the Commerce, State, Justice and Labor Departments Appropriation bill and the Senate will consider appropriations bills.

Home Demonstration Clubs Notes

MISS MARGARET STEWART
Home Demonstration Agent

Training School

Saturday, March 28th at 1:30 at the Baptist church of Henrietta, there will be a training school for the April Program Leaders of the Home Demonstration Clubs.

County Home Demonstration Council to Meet

The Clay County Home Demonstration Council will meet Saturday, March 28th, at 2:30 at the First Baptist church in Henrietta.

Keeps Canning Record

That Mrs. S. L. Russell, co-operator of the Neville Home Demonstration Club may keep a record of the number of containers canned, she has tacked on the wall by her kitchen cabinet a sheet with a list of products to be canned in 1936. Mrs. Russell says that each time she cans she marks down the number of containers, then she always knows just how much she has stored away and when the Home and Food Supply Demonstrator calls for a response she is ready to give it, and then too, it serves as a check on her canning budget.

Cambridge Club

The Cambridge Home Demonstration Club met Friday, March 20th, with Mrs. C. W. Graves, hostess and Miss Stewart, present to instruct the meeting.

Quick breads was the subject of the day's meeting. Miss Stewart made Soda Biscuits and Ginger Bread which were very delicious and economical and various recipes for quick breads were given out.

A short business session was held with the vice-president, Mrs. A. F. Goehring in the chair, due to the president's absence. As all members were not present and as there was not time to discuss all the matters fully the business part was left unfinished until the next meeting, which will be held at the home of Mrs. A. H. Witte, March 27.

Mrs. Graves' clothes closet, after being remodeled was inspected and the improvements admired.

Those present were Mesdames A. F. Goehring, L. D. Wright, C. A. Spangler, L. E. Anderson, T. K. Henry, J. and C. W. Graves, and Misses Stewart, Pocahontas Graves, and Ruby Willingham.

Buffalo 4-H Club

The 4-H Club girls of Buffalo Springs, met March 17, 1936 with their sponsors, Mrs. Edd Rogers and Mrs. Arnold Fuller. We had our sewing boxes ready for work, we had our cup towels finished, and we are to have our material ready for pajamas in the next meeting which will be next Tuesday. The club will meet with Miss Stewart next time.

Everyone enjoyed the work and all had an enjoyable time. We played a few club games. We hope to have more members join us and to make a success of the 4-H Club work. Nineteen members were present.

Mrs. Claude Nix of Bowie, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alma Henderson.

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MISS GERTRUDE PAYNE IS VICE PRES. OF MARQUIS HALL DENTON COLLEGE

Denton, March 26.—Miss Gertrude Payne, daughter of J. C. Payne, has been elected vice-president of Marquis Hall, new residence hall for women at North Texas State Teachers College. Miss Payne, a senior, is a member of the Mary Ardens, literary club for young women; the Kaighlirs, social club for women; Pi Omega Pi, national honor society for teachers and students in commercial education; and the Council of the Young Women's Forum. She was recently elected by student vote for the favorites' section of the 1936 Yucca, college annual.

Hurnville News

There was Sunday School and church last Sunday and Bro. Hientze gave a very interesting sermon. Be sure and attend next Sunday.

Party
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Oster entertained a few friends with a birthday party Saturday night honoring Miss Marie Oster. Refreshments of cake, jello and coffee were served to Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Wiest and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Oster and son, William, Miss Rosemary Oster, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wiest and family, Miss Hazle Wagner, Mr. Morris Gilbert and son, Bobbie, Mr. A. L. Chadwick and son, Curtis. Everyone reported a very nice time.

Personals
Mr. Eugene Moser was in Fort

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March 27th - 28th
"ANOTHER FACE"
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SUNDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT
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—also—
Musical Act and Latest Fox News

MONDAY - TUESDAY
March 30th - 31st
EDMUND LOWE - ANN SOTHERN
—in—
"GRAND EXIT"
Lowe is the G-Man of the fire fighters . . . matching clues and kisses with a blonde baby who knows more about arson than love!!
—also—
Comedy: "RAISED AND CALLED"

WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY
April 1st - 2nd
BARGAIN NITES
ALL SEATS 10c
WALTER CONNOLLY
—in—
"SOAK THE RICH"
—with—
John Howard and Mary Taylor
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—also—
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Worth and Dallas Friday and Saturday visiting his brother, Emil Moser, of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schaffner and Mrs. Dan Schaffner were in Me-gargle last week visiting Mrs. Dan Schaffner's father and son, Mr. Krieter and Bill, and Mr. and Mrs. Emma Ewing.

Misses Mary, Ruby and Ida Wiest visited their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wiest, Sunday.

Mr. Jacob Bachman and son, Walter, were in Byers Tuesday.

Mr. W. G. Wiest was the dinner guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Wiest, Tuesday.

Misses Edna Bachman and Ida Wiest visited in the school Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. John Haeffner and family and Misses Edna Haeffner and Eloise Groff and Messrs. Ernest Wiist, William Oster and Paul Haeffner visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gilbert Monday night.

Messrs Edd and Walter Bachman visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gilbert Tuesday night.

Messrs. Dan Oster and Gotfred Schaffner were in Fort Worth Monday and Tuesday.

Messrs Eugene Moser and Lee Bachman visited in the Jacob Bachman home Thursday.

Mrs. W. G. Wiest and babies visited in the P. W. Wiest home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haeffner and sons, Karl and Victor, and daughter, Selma, and Mr. Jacob Bachman and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Schaffner and Mr. Edd Bachman visited Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Wiest and family Friday night.

Miss Mary Wiest visited Mrs. Dan Schaffner Friday.

Misses Selma Haeffner, Esther and Ida Wiest, Messrs. Karl and Victor Haeffner, Edd and Albert Wiest and Edd Bachman visited in the Jacob Bachman home Friday.

Misses Edna Bachman and Ida Wiest were Sunday guests of Miss Ruth Moser.

Mr. Edd Wiest was the guest Sunday of Mr. Alfred Bachman.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Hientze and son were the supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Schaffner Sunday.

Messrs. Eugene Moser, Palmer Moser and Cecil Worley visited in the Jacob Bachman home Saturday night.

Misses Ida and Esther Wiest visited Miss Edna Bachman Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wiest and family were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Wiest and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Oster and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wiest and family Sunday night.

Mr. Jacob Bachman and family were in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wiist were in town Saturday.

Messrs. Edd and Walter Bachman, Eugene Moser and Ernest Wiist were in town Saturday.

Texas Remembers Tragic Massacre With Observance

The aged, stone walls of Mission La Bahia near Goliad, from which 390 Texans, prisoners of war, were Marched on Palm Sunday, March 27, 1836, to be massacred on the South Texas Coastal plain, will be the background for one of the most impressive of the state's Centennial year observances.

Solemn ceremonies at the mission Friday, March 27, will commemorate the tragic event which decreed the independence Texas won less than a month later on the fields of San Jacinto.

The Goliad massacre came as Texas was waging its revolt against the tyranny of Santa Anna, the Mexican dictator. Colonel James Walker Fannin of Georgia was in command of the Texan force at Goliad when the order was received to evacuate the frontier post as Houston re-

treated from Gonzales to the east. The retreat from Goliad was started on March 19 but Fannin's force was engaged by the enemy at Colito. The battle lasted into the next day and ended with the surrender of the Fannin men as prisoners of war. They were returned to Goliad and imprisoned in the walls of the mission.

A few days later Colonel William Ward and a Georgia battalion, captured near Victoria, were added to the prisoner band.

At daylight on Palm Sunday, March 27, the Texans were roused from sleep and marched from the fort in three different companies, each guarded by a file of soldiers. They had been told they were going for wood, to drive up beeyes, or to proceed to Copano and were entirely unprepared for the assault made on them when they were mowed down by fire from their captor's guns. Only a few men were saved or escaped.

Colonel Fannin, wounded at Colito and other wounded men were killed in the fort.

The commemorative observance at Goliad will be opened Friday morning with a solemn pontifical field mass to be celebrated in the quadrangle of the mission. The service is planned by the Corpus Christi diocese of the Catholic church and there will be in attendance six bishops of the church, ten monsignori, and several hundred priests and nuns.

The mass in the morning will be followed that afternoon by a colorful parade of historical floats and military and school bands. Later in Goliad State Park, talks will be made by Governor James V. Allred of Texas and other state officials. Markers at La Bahia and San Rosario missions will be unveiled as part of the ceremonies.

Goliad's observance of the Fannin massacre is one of the 175 events planned in all parts of the state this year in celebration of the Centennial of independence and progress.

Great Smoky And Shenandoah Parks Broadcast Coming

There is a spot in the United States where old pioneers are still living in log cabins built over 100 years ago—where women still depend on spinning wheels and men use rifles that were in service during the days of Daniel Boone.

That spot is the Great Smoky Mountains National Park of Tennes-

see and North Carolina, according to Carveth Wells, entertaining globe trotter now conducting a series of "Exploring America" broadcasts for Continental Oil company.

In his program for Sunday, March 29, Wells will tell many little-known facts about the Great Smokies and about Virginia's Shenandoah National Park. Garden Week in the Tidewater state and Winchester's Apple Blossom Festival will receive special mention.

Frank Ventre's 14-piece Conoco Orchestra will fill in the musical background.

Local listeners who wish to hear Wells on Sunday, March 29, may do so by dialing station WFAA at 12:15 o'clock.

Mrs. S. B. Householder and daughter, Dorothy, and son, Sam Baker, and Miss Lula Yarbrough attended the 26th annual session of the Woman's Council of the Methodist church convening in Dallas. Delegates and Missionaries from all parts of the world were in attendance.

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SOCIETY



MR. HERRIN HONORED AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. Gordon Herrin was honored at his home Sunday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Herrin, the occasion being his birthday. The party suite was decorated with a profusion of spring flowers, the color scheme being pink, green and orchid gave a colorful setting.

The attractively appointed dining table was covered with a handsome lace cloth. The beautiful two tiered birthday cake with the candles, carrying out the color scheme formed a picturesque centerpiece for the table. Covers were laid for Messrs. Gordon Herrin, Allen Bates, Pete Harding, Misses Lillian Ellen Harrison, Wanda Barger, Nellie Leath, Mr. and Mrs. Herrin and Billy Paul Herrin.

BILLY HERRIN HONORED ON SIXTH BIRTHDAY

Honoring her son, Billy Paul, the occasion being his sixth birthday, Mrs. L. Y. Herrin entertained with a lovely party at her home Thursday afternoon, March 19th, from 3 to 5 o'clock. The entertaining rooms were very attractive with pink flowering almond and white spirea. Games were enjoyed by the children. The attractive dining table was covered with lovely white linens. The color scheme being carried out in the lovely white angel food cake with the pink candles on it. Small baskets of Easter eggs placed for each little guest. Brick ice cream and cake were served to the following: June and Margie Allen, Billy Dean and Billy Jean Harrison, Patsy Ann Murray, Dorothy Ann Graves, Estelle Cummings, Patsy Ann Warren, Dorothy Faye and Billie Lee Henderson, Margaret Ann Harding, Roxie and Thomas Yarbrough, Truman and Roy Fleming, Buddy O'Dell and Billy Paul Herrin.

Other guests were Miss Orena Bussey, Mesdames Stephen Fleming, Joe Dunn, J. C. Thomas, Jr., Hershell Kendricks, of Lawton, Okla., and the hostess, Mrs. Herrin.

MRS. C. E. HARDING IS HOSTESS TO THE MISSIONARY SOCIETIES

Members of the Baptist Missionary Society were guests of the Methodist Missionary Society Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. E. Harding. The president, Mrs. Bryan Allen, presided. Opening hymn "O Master Let Me Walk With Thee." Prayer by Mrs. Leo J. Curtis.

Mrs. S. B. Householder and Miss Lula Yarbrough who were delegates to the Woman's Missionary Council in Dallas, gave interesting reports. Mrs. Householder read a number of poems by Koyona. Mrs. Allen read a sketch of Lucinda Helm's life and works. The social settlement, "A Trail Blazer of Home Missions," was presented by Mrs. O'Dell.

Mrs. R. E. Harrison gave a beautiful devotional.

A delightful social hour and lovely refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostess.

Those enjoying the affair were Mesdames Agnes Lyons, H. D. Vaughter, Lawrence Rush, W. E. Dyer, L. W. Chapman, Virgil Skipworth, J. W. Aubrey, Roy Tomlin, Tom Force, Elmer Roberts, Bryan Allen, Ed Balch, Johnson, J. F. Doyle, Susie Tucker, J. S. Richardson, J. E. Marshall, Leo Curtis, R. E. Harrison, Stewart O'Dell, Hub Stine, Ray Stine, S. B. Householder, Ona Hopkins, J. R. Cummings, Miss Lula Yarbrough, Paul, Tensley, Helm, Marshall, Margaret Harding, and the hostess, Mrs. C. E. Harding.

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rogers of Henrietta, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Roger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ligon have returned home after an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harrison of Llano, Texas.

Mrs. Carrie Hasley and children, Marion Jr. and Mary Betty and Patty Ann, of Kemp City, Texas, spent the week-end in Byers with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Norman and her sister, Mrs. Bert Chumley, and family.

Mrs. J. S. Richardson had as her guests Sunday Supt. and Mrs. F. W. Richardson of Henrietta.

Mrs. Leo J. Curtis was the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. F. Evans, of Temple, Okla., Thursday.

Mr. J. H. Whitehurst who has been a patient in the Clinic hospital at Wichita Falls, is now at home and improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith and son, Jimmie, and Miss Mildred Hodges were in Henrietta and Wichita Falls Thursday.

Faculty members and students of the Byers high school attended the county meet at Henrietta Thursday and Friday.

Mr. S. J. Henderson of Indianola, Okla., who has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Henderson, returned to his home Thursday.

Mr. Walter Murray of Little Rock, Ark., has returned to Byers and is

Mr. Howard Henderson of Norman, Okla., spent several days in Byers looking after business.

Mrs. W. D. Cooper and daughter, Marie, were week-end visitors in Wichita Falls, Texas. Her son who has been seriously ill is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan of Bowie, are the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Henderson, connected with the W. C. Murray & Son merchandise firm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Cashion of Waurika, Okla., spent the week-end with Mrs. Cashion's mother, Mrs. J. R. Cummings.

Jas. Campbell Laid To Rest in Hopewell Cemetery March 17

James R. Campbell, age 76, another pioneer of Clay county, died at his home east of Bellevue Monday, March 16.

The deceased was born in Madison county, Alabama, February 5, 1860, and came to Texas in 1901 and to Clay county in 1912. He was converted to Christ and united with the Baptist church about fifty years ago. He was a member of the Blue Grove Baptist church at the time of his death.

Mr. Campbell was married to Miss Emily O. Styles December 15, 1880, and to this union was born twelve children. She departed this life June 15, 1910. The children who survive are: R. S. Campbell of Blue Grove, Texas; E. L. Campbell of Bowie; E.

P. Campbell of Bellevue; Mrs. W. S. Sollinger of Bellevue; Mrs. D. G. McMahon of Henrietta.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Hopewell cemetery, Bellevue, by Rev. J. A. Matthews.

The pallbearers were R. S. Campbell, C. L. Campbell, Edd Campbell, Lee Sullinger, R. S. Campbell, Jr., and J. T. Campbell.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McBride are the parents of a baby boy born March 21.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Allen of Lone Star, are the parents of a baby boy born March 22.

First Baptist Church

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Mr. Clayton Edwards, superintendent of Sunday School.

Morning Worship at 11:00 o'clock. Young People's Meeting, 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.

Week-Day Activities: Monday, 2:30 p. m. Woman's Missionary Society. Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Teachers and Officers meeting. Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Prayer Service.

WEDDINGS

Phillips-Davidson

Miss Melba Davidson and Sublett Phillips of Bowie, were united in marriage Tuesday night, March 24, by Judge C. J. Sherrill of Henrietta.

APPRECIATION

NATURALLY, we feel proud of Our New Shop Home and we deeply appreciated the vast throngs of friends, patrons and well wishers who visited our Shop—OPENING NIGHT, MONDAY, MARCH 23rd.

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The entertainment is mingled with hair-raising mysteries as well as humor that will make you laugh your sides out as well as the blues away.

The big spook show Monday night will be full length and no picture will be shown but on the other nights a picture will be shown with the Prince Zogi mysteries.

Stanfield Notes

Forty-two Party

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Maddox were host and hostess to the Tuesday Night Forty-two Club March 17. A St. Patrick motif was used throughout the party. After a delightful series of games prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Croxton Maddox for first high and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stuart for second high. Guest prize went to Mr. and Mrs. Worley Wiseman. Cut went to Claude Zachry and Mrs. F. S. Thompson. Miss Zachry also received a lovely prize.

Refreshments carrying out the St. Patrick motif were served to the following guests:

Misses Iris and Beth Edwards of Addington, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Worley Wiseman of Petrolia, and Mr. Wallace White and members Messrs. and Mesdames Ted Kafer, Croxton

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Maddox, J. C. Womble, S. F. Matherly, F. S. Thompson, E. J. Bouldin, W. H. Stuart, Claude Zachry, Misses Willie F. Zachry, Hazle Parker and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Maddox.

Mrs. Kafer Complimented

Mrs. Croxton Maddox complimented Mrs. Ted Kafer with a lovely shower Wednesday, March 18. The party came as a surprise to the honoree. A small quilt was pieced and presented to the honoree with a basketful of dainty gifts.

A delicious ice course was served to Mesdames W. R. Walker of Oklahoma City, Moser and Wiest of Hurnville, W. H. Stuart, J. S. Overstreet, Paul Overstreet, H. C. Zachry, Claude Zachry, S. T. Matherly, Jim Maddox, Clyde Maddox, Murdock Rogers, Minnie Duncan, E. J. Bouldin, Fred Kafer, the honoree Mrs. Ted Kafer, and the hostess, Mrs. Croxton Maddox. Cards were received from Mesdames J. C. Womble, and J. W. Wallace.

Stock Show Visitors

Those attending the Stock Show at Fort Worth, from this community during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Womble and their guests, Misses Iris and Beth Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Zachry, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Zachry, Miss Willie Fae Zachry, Mr. Hymer Davis, Johnnie Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Maddox, Carmen Shaw and Buck Stuart.

Personals

Mrs. Carl Zachry and small son, Lindly Don, have returned from Ryan, Okla., where they were in the hospital. Both are doing nicely.

Misses Iris and Beth Edwards of Addington, Okla., spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Womble. Mrs. Womble and guests spent the week-end in Fort Worth and Dallas.

Mrs. W. R. Walker of Oklahoma City, is here on an extended visit with her mother and family, Mrs. J. S. Overstreet.

Funeral for Sister of Allred Attended By Throng of 5,000

Bowie, March 22.—Five thousand persons from over the state of Texas gathered Sunday at funeral services for Mrs. W. B. Stokes, Jr., youngest sister of Gov. James V. Allred.

Visitors overran the little town and when the services began at 4 p. m. the area for blocks around the First Methodist church was crowded with those who could not get inside the building.

Mrs. Stokes was killed in an automobile accident near Mineola Saturday. Her husband, although injured in the same crash, was able to attend the funeral.

Officiating was Rev. Patrick Henry Christian minister of Fort Worth. He was assisted by the Rev. O. P. Kiker of the Bowie Methodist church and the Rev. C. A. Turner of the local Baptist church. Services were extreme in their simplicity.

The Rev. Patrick D. Moreland, private secretary to the Governor, spoke brief words of comfort to the family.

Burial was in Elmwood cemetery, on a hill near Bowie, Mrs. Stokes' girlhood home. The funeral procession, which formed in a light rain, was more than two miles long.

Mrs. Stokes is survived by her aged parents, who live in Bowie; five brothers, Governor Allred of Austin and Wichita Falls, O. H. Allred of Fort Worth, Ben P. Allred of Dallas, R. S. Allred of Tyler, and Renne Allred, Jr., of Longview; a sister, Mrs. T. J. Christian of Fort Worth; an uncle, Sergt. R. M. Hurst of the Wichita Falls police force; and three aunts, Mrs. Edley Cox of Bellevue, Mrs. A. S. White of Lawton, Okla., and Mrs. R. M. Noe of Denison.

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RIVERLAND NEWS

Mrs. Dee Hager and daughter, Gladys Marie, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Blaylock.

Miss Lillian Callaway spent Sunday with Molea Patterson.

Mr. Willie Earl Burton is still in the hospital in Wichita Falls, after undergoing an operation. We hope he has a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Winton and daughter, Laverne, spent the week-end in Sunset, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Callaway and children of Stanfield, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Callaway.

Everette Robbins spent Monday and Tuesday with his sister, Mrs. Arlie Massie and Mr. Massie.

Molea Patterson and Lillian Callaway visited school Friday evening.

We are proud of the Riverland boys that won places in the track meet. Some won first places, some second and others third.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanson, Paul, Nathan and Lillian Callaway went to the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Curry Tuesday night. They reported a nice time.

HAVE YOU CONTRIBUTED?

The Red Cross organization wishes to give public thanks to the citizens of Clay county for their prompt and substantial response to the call for funds for the relief of the flood stricken people in the Eastern States. We wish especially to thank the people of Byers, Bellevue, Petrolia and Henrietta.

We wish to suggest however, that it has been quite impossible to personally see each of you, and with the thought that many will wish to contribute who have not been directly solicited may we urge you who have not contributed to do so promptly while the need is greatest. Contributions may be mailed or delivered to the undersigned, and will be promptly forwarded to the proper authorities.

The great disaster resulting from unprecedented floods in the Eastern States has rendered thousands of people homeless and destitute, and each of you should respond in accordance with your ability.

Frank Bunting, Chairman,
Clay County Chapter of the
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NOBODY'S BUSINESS

By Julian Capers Jr.

Austin.—The most noteworthy contribution that has been made this year from any source to the study of the financial condition of the state of Texas has been compiled by C. A. Jay, executive vice-president of the Industrial Commercial and Agricultural Conference, of Dallas. Jay makes a continuous study of Texas' tax problem. His figures and estimates are entirely unbiased, because he never advocates any legislation or any tax plans, but confines himself simply to the task of digging out facts and publishing them. His analyses in the past have proved to be more accurate and more informative than those of any political source. Here are the facts as Jay reveals them in his latest analysis of Texas finances:

When this fiscal year ends there will be a deficit of around \$8,000,000 in the general fund, as compared with around \$6,000,000 at the beginning of the year. There will be a cash balance in the available school fund of \$4,000,000 after payment of the maximum per capita apportionment of \$17.50, the highest ever paid in history. Besides, the school fund received \$10,000,000 of rural aid this year—\$4,000,000 more than it ever got before.

Two Problems

The Confederate pension fund will continue to have a considerable deficit, but under the present constitutional allotment of 7 cents this deficit is being reduced about \$400,000 annually.

The state this year had a non-recurring expenditure of \$3,000,000 for the Centennial and another \$3,000,000 for the first installment of interest and principal on the relief bonds which will decrease annually. The highway fund is adequate and in good condition.

This leaves only two problems demanding attention—schools and old age pensions. Jay estimates that if per capita appropriations of \$17.50—the maximum—and the \$10,000,000 rural aid appropriation of this year are continued the school fund will have from \$10,000,000 to \$12,000,000 cash balance at the end of the biennium, with present revenues.

Old Age Cost

He estimates the cost of old age pensions at \$8,000,000 a year under the present law if it is efficiently administered. He estimates 240,000 Texans over 65, using adjusted U. S.

Census figures, and 36,000 of these as "indigents" within the meaning of the Texas law, using figures of the U. S. senate committee on social security. Allowing a liberal sum for the cost of administering the law, he fixes the maximum cost at around \$8,000,000 a year. Liquor taxes will furnish \$4,000,000, or half the sum, he believes. He concludes: "Therefore, the only additional revenue actually necessary would be four or five million dollars to supplement the funds now allotted to old age pensions. Certainly these facts ought to convince the average taxpayer there is no reason for the state to become panicky in search of new revenue in the next regular session of the legislature."

Revenue Sources

Actually, revenues of last year are showing substantial increase due to better business conditions and tightening of laws and administration of state tax laws. Notable increases have occurred in gasoline tax and cigaret tax collections already. Federal income taxes are up 45 per cent this year in Texas, indicating greatly improved business in all lines. More than \$25,000,000 in delinquent ad valorem taxes are owing to the state now and reviving business doubtless will bring in some of this revenue. This is not over due taxes on the little homesteads of widows and small home owners, because an accurate study shows that 46 per cent of this \$25,000,000 is owed by only 6 per cent of the delinquent property owners. If the legislature would take steps to collect delinquent state taxes from large property owners who are perfectly able to pay, but have avoided doing so and thus cast their tax burden upon the little tax payer, who, the figures prove, had met his obligation, there would not only be no need for any new taxes, but the state would be able to go on a cash basis within a few months. These large tax payers many of them edilnquent, are the chief agitators for a sales tax in Texas, and they maintain a well-financed lobby which is constantly working to unload the cost of the government on the man of small income and relieve property of its share of the tax burden.

Former Gov. Dan Moody has a weakness for striking shirts, his fancy running to stripes of blue, lavender and pink. He has them

made to order, with the highest stiffest collars he can get, and frequently wears two or three different shirts in a day.

Freak Oil Pool

A freak of nature in the Yates oil pool in Pecos county promises to form the basis of a forthcoming bitter legal battle. When the field came in, back in 1929, major oil companies which owned most of the leases entered an agreement with a few operators who owned leases on small "vacancy" tracts. All the lease owners agreed on a proration factor of acreage plus well potential, taking a 100-acre tract as the unit. The oil and sand there is very "streaky" and by chance some of the largest wells in the world yielding up to 150,000 or more barrels daily, came in on the little two and four-acre leases. As a result, under the formula, the man with two acres is permitted by the railroad commission rules in some cases to take more oil out of his leases than the major company with 100 acres, where wells are much smaller producers. So the California Oil Co. and the Marathon Oil Co. have petitioned the railroad commission to cancel the agreement they entered into and establish a new system that would give them more oil. The state is opposed, because the school funds draw royalties from the "vacancy" leases. If the commission turns down the request, as it indicated after a two-day hearing, a long-drawn-out court fight probably will result.

No Session

The rumor that Governor Allred will call a special session before the elections, fostered by those who want a session, dies hard. Twice recently the governor has again denied that he plans to call a session before the July primary. If he does not, it is believed virtually certain he will not call the legislature before the regular session in January, since a "lame duck" session would almost certainly pass a sales tax, which Allred would veto, and no other constructive legislation. The governor's attitude confirms the growing belief that liquor taxes will furnish sufficient funds to pay old age pensions for several months after July 1—probably enough to last until the January regular session.

First Methodist Church

Church School, 9:45 a. m. W. S. Cummings superintendent.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m. The pastor, Rev. Stewart O'Dell, will speak to the Boy Scouts.
Young People's Meeting at 6:00 p. m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the following, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 25, 1936:

For Congress 13th District:
W. D. McFARLANE
(Re-election)
ED GOSSETT
BEN G. ONEAL
GRADY WOODRUFF

For District Judge:
EARL P. HALL
of Clay County.
HOMER B. LATHAM
of Montague County.
H. S. CALAWAY
of Montague county.

For District Clerk:
JESSIE C. CHESNUTT
(Re-election)

For Sheriff:
E. P. BOMAR
(Re-election)

For County Jerrill:
C. J. SHERRILL
(Re-election)

For County-Attorney:
PIERRE M. STINE
HOUSTON McMURRY

For Assessor-Collector:
W. H. (HAM) DOUGLASS
(Re-election)
HOLLIS B. MOORE

For County Clerk:
JEAN C. CALLAWAY
(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
J. C. PAYNE
(Re-election)

Public Weigher, Precinct 2:
CLIFF DAVIS (re-election)

Mrs. T. H. Ellis of Nocona, visited relatives here Sunday.

Evening Worship, 7:00 Sermon by the pastor.

Week-Day Activities: Woman's Missionary Society at the church at 2:00 p. m. Monday.

Wednesday, 7:00 p. m. Prayer Service.

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Federal Land Bank Normal Says Local Secretary A.V. Slagle

Return to normal purchasing of farm lands is shown by a study of applications received by the Federal Land Bank of Houston in the past five months, according to word received from the bank by A. V. Slagle, Secretary-Treasurer of the Henrietta National Farm Loan Association. Nearly three million dollars, or about twenty per cent of the Land Bank Commissioner loans applied for in that period have been for the purchase of farms.

For some months past, Land Bank Commissioner as well as Federal Land Bank Loans have been available for financing the purchase of farms. Prior to the broadening of their scope, Land Bank Commissioner loans could be made only to refinance existing indebtedness.

From October 1, 1935 through February 29, 1936, 4,160 new and reinstated applications were received by the Federal Land Bank of

Houston, for amounts totaling \$15,023,950.

Federal Land Bank loans are available through N. F. L. A.'s said Mr. Slagle, at the lowest interest rates in history and may be made for the following purposes: (a) To purchase land for agricultural uses; (b) to buy equipment, fertilizers, and livestock necessary for the proper and reasonable operation of the mortgaged farm; (c) to provide buildings and for the improvement of farm land; (d) to liquidate indebtedness of the owner of the mortgaged land incurred for agricultural purposes or incurred prior to January 1, 1933; and (e) to provide the owner of mortgaged land with funds for general agricultural uses.

Loans to farmers may be made by the Land Bank Commissioner for the same purposes as Land Bank loans. However, the purposes for Commissioner loans are broader than for Land Bank loans in that Commissioner loans may be made to refinance any indebtedness of the farmer without regard to its purpose or the time it was made. Indebtedness for which the farmer is not personally liable, but which is secured by a lien on his farm property, may also be refinanced.

Wheat Canning is Proving Popular In Canning Plants

Wheat canning has become very popular, according to Mrs. Willie Lumpkin, County Canning Supervisor. After the wheat is canned it may be used in the following ways:

1. As a breakfast cereal with cream or milk and sugar. Raisins may be added.
2. As a breakfast cereal with butter and brown sugar.
3. As a breakfast cereal or dessert with dried fruits added the last half hour of cooking, with cream or milk and sugar. Raisins may be added.
4. As a side dish with butter, jam, jelly or honey.
5. In place of rice in soups and stews.
6. In place of rice in baked main dishes and desserts.
7. In place of macaroni in baked cheese and tomato dishes.
8. In place of rolled oats in cookies and bread.
9. As a dessert with butter and brown sugar syrup or other syrup.

FARMERS MEETING HELD AT PROSPECT THURSDAY NIGHT

Thursday night there was a farmers meeting at the Baptist church in Prospect. The meeting was for the purpose of discussing the farmers problems.

Miss Margaret Stewart, county home demonstration agent, of Henrietta, made a talk which was enjoyed by those present.

Miss Marcella Cunningham and Ralph Garrett were also visitors from Henrietta.

A committee was appointed including Ross Brand as chairman and Dock Montgomery, J. W. Savage and Will Bell.

ia, four children in Fort Worth, two sons, Jack and John; two daughters, Miss Mamie Grace and Miss Mary Francis; two brothers, Jess Wallace of Charlie, Texas, Bill Wallace of Ponca City, Okla., and one sister, Mrs. Bob Douglass of Henrietta.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Darby and little daughter of Lubbock, are visiting their parents and friends. Mr. Darby is recuperating nicely from an operation.

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Services Held For James L. Wallace Los Angeles, Calif.

Funeral services for James L. Wallace, who passed away Monday, March 9th, at 9:30 a. m. were held at Wesleyan Methodist church at Los Angeles, Calif., March 14th at 2 p. m. Mr. Wallace was born in Young county, April 15, 1886, his age being 49 years, 10 months and 2 days. At the age of 5 years he moved with his parents to Clay county, near Blue Grove, where he lived until after he married. He was a successful druggist in Weatherford and Fort Worth until his health broke and he moved to California in 1931.

He was married to Miss Marie Espeland, a registered nurse, whose home is in Los Angeles.

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