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Graduation Exercises Sunday, May 29

Commencement exercises for the 1938 graduating class of the Quitaque high school will be held Sunday, May 29, the baccalaureate sermon in the morning and presentation of diplomas that evening, both in the school auditorium.

Dr. Z T Huff, dean of Wayland college, Plainview, will deliver the baccalaureate address at the morning service which will start at 11 o'clock. The music for this service has been arranged by Mrs C E Bedwell who will play the processional and recessional.

The program for the evening following a new precedent, does not include a main speaker, but will be presented by the class itself. The program, beginning at 8:30, will open with the processional and invocation followed by a song by the class. A talk on "Individuals" by the salutatorian, Charles Burgess, will be followed by Edna Young whose subject is "Character." Then a song by three girls, the valedictory "Art of Being Friendly", Orval Graham. Dorothy Dee Sachse will read a poem, followed by a song by the class.

Gold medals will be awarded to Jay D. McCutchen, senior honor boy; Doris Kimbell, senior honor girl; La Rue Patrick, junior honor student; Emily Margaret Gardiner, sophomore honor student and Ava Hardy, freshman honor student. Chosen best all around boy is Walter Patrick and girl, Reba Gowin.

Prof. E W Scheid will present diplomas to the following members of the class:

Charity Marjorie Cain, Inetha Lynn Chandler, Beatrice Clary, Anna Belle Gregg, Polk Hall, Clarence W Grant, Orval L Graham, Charlie Burgess, Inetha M. Hawkins, Doris L Kimbell, Jay D. McCutchen, Robert N Young, Le Roy Cupell, Christeen Adele Merrell, Jimmie Payne, Harold F. Bogan.

Walter Taylor, Bryant Eddleman, Edna Young, Harvie Williamson Dalsie White, Dorothy Dee Sachse, Gilford B Moore, Wayne C Whittington.

Seniors Return From Trip To Carlsbad

Tired but happy, the senior class, its sponsors and chaperones returned home in the early hours Sunday morning from Carlsbad, N. M.

Leaving here Friday morning in a school bus driven by O D Lowry and accompanied by Mrs Smithee, senior sponsor, Mrs Bryant Eddleman and Mrs Connie Faulkner, they arrived at Carlsbad that afternoon, choosing the route through the West Texas oil fields and encountering good roads all the way.

Establishing headquarters at the Camp Dixie tourist camp, they separated into groups, some indulging in a swim in the beautiful natural pool on the Pecos river, others going on a sight seeing tour. A quantity of food was taken along to ease out the slim expense account, but finances didn't worry that bunch, most of them being used to "managing."

The trip through Carlsbad cavern was begun Saturday morning after visiting the museum and interesting scenic spots adjacent to the cavern mouth. The tour of the caverns is complimentary to school students, some 12 schools being represented on this trip. About 800 persons were in the party including our graduates, 400 of them from Texas.

The return trip was begun immediately upon completion of the tour of the caverns, meeting with some rain and bad weather but coming around by way of Matador to avoid bad roads. The trip was successful in every way and will be a pleasant memory to the exes of '38.

Gasoline Pie Supper Is Success

The pie supper and candidate speaking at Gasoline last Friday night, under the auspices of the tennis club, went over in a big way, according to report. The sponsors received a profit of \$28.80.

Precinct, county and district candidates were in attendance and each was allotted time to speak. A very large crowd was on hand to enjoy and assist in the festive spirit.

Grade School Exercises Friday Night, May 27

Perhaps lacking the thrill of completion of an undertaking, but nevertheless marking a step forward and decided change in school atmosphere, diplomas will be awarded Friday night, May 27, to students completing the seven years of grade school work. The exercises will be held in the grade school auditorium, beginning at 8:30 p. m., and the following program has been arranged: Processional, Mrs Sam T Bryan. Invocation, Rev G L Keever. Song, Sixth Grade. Poem, Willadean Owens. History, Jeanne Hamilton. Address, Rev. J Taylor Smithee. Benediction.

The following are "candidates" for these diplomas, final examination grades still to be considered in averages:

Charles Auburg, Arthur Boaman, Oles Case, Robert Dunavant, Wanda Everhart, Edgar Hatton, Rudell James, Olin Patrick, Byron Wise, John Young, Marvin Freeman, J D Blankenship.

Billie Bedwell, Betty Bogan, Mary L Boyles, Melva Cobb, Charline Gregg, Jeanne Hamilton, Isabel Hollamon, Milba Kilgore, Evelyn Mochen, Jean McBride, Juanita Merrell, Willadean Owens and Pauline Robertson.

Four student of this class ran a close race for the highest average, however in the final reckoning the winner of this honor was Willadean Owens with Jeannie Hamilton running a close second and not far behind them, Betty Jo Bogan and Isabel Holloman.

New Fire Equipment Christened Tuesday

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a four room house on the farm of P C Hamilton, a mile west of town, about 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening. The house was occupied by Theo Ivory, colored. Ivory stated that he lost practically everything he possessed in the way of household goods.

Ivory was at the barn a short distance north of the dwelling doing his evening chores when the fire was discovered, the alarm being turned in to the Quitaque fire department which succeeded in saving a "few sticks of kindling."

The fire department got a little practice and also tried out a new nozzle that had just arrived which can be made into a spray affording a water screen for firemen while advancing on a blaze. It also is very effective in close-in fire fighting, like, for instance, throwing the stream through a window or door inside of which is a regular inferno, that is not directly accessible to a straight stream. With this new addition to the equipments put into use its merits and value were immediately recognized.

FLOMOT PIONEER BURIED MONDAY AFTERNOON

Last rites were held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Flomot Church of Christ for D H Cooper, who was 89 years, 9 months and 22 days old. The service was conducted by Rev. Prichard of Turkey, with burial in the Flomot cemetery under direction of the Harcastle Funeral Home.

Mr Cooper, an old-timer of the Flomot community, having moved there in 1903, was born in Kentucky July 31, 1848. He is survived by his wife and two daughters.

Singing At Silverton May 29

The four county, Briscoe, Hall, Floyd and Motley, fifth Sunday singing will be held at Silverton, May 29. The Stamps Quartette will be there from Dallas, also singers from Cottle county and others. Everyone is invited to attend.

Nora Stephens, Secy.

THANKS

I wish to thank the Quitaque fire department and my other friends and neighbors for their efforts and assistance during the fire on my farm Tuesday afternoon.

P. C. Hamilton

Farmers' Cooperative Pays Dividend

The Farmers' Cooperative Society No. 1 of Quitaque met at school building Saturday afternoon for the annual election of directors and officers. The old board of directors was re-elected who likewise retained the same officers.

A dividend was declared on last year's business which totaled approximately \$5,000, 25 per cent being paid to the stockholders while the other 75 per cent, which figured \$1.25 per bale, was paid to the members of the association. Practically all of the checks, some exceeding amount of \$300, went to farmers living below the caprock.

The dividend was possible despite the fact that \$4,000 was spent last summer for new cleaning machinery and the low price charged for ginning on account of the cheap price of cotton.

The board of directors is composed of the following: John A Johnson, president; H J Bailey, secretary; L E Graham, R E Persons, J B Chandler, Frank W Wise and N V Hamilton.

BUILDING AT NO RECESSION

"Granpa" Jim Tunnell at Willson & Son Lumber Co., reports that the "spring recession fever" suffered by the majority of local businesses, has not affected them particularly, as they have had a very good season, furnishing material for several new buildings in the immediate vicinity.

Flomot is enjoying a slight building boom, boasting a new Methodist church, new residence for W C Webb, and some renovating. James Wyatt, negro, is building a new house in Quitaque, Cleat Miller has just completed a new residence on his farm west of town and the company is furnishing material for quite a bit of remodeling and repair work locally.

AGRICULTURAL BRIEFS

BY THE BRISCOE COUNTY AGENT

Well it looks like we're in for something different this year. Here we are with school all closed up, diplomas delivered and still no rain storms to mess things up. If you don't believe that's a record just look back over the pages of history for the past 50 years and you'll be convinced.

The rains just couldn't hold off till school closed this year. We've had about three inches of rain thus far in May. Farmers report an excellent planting season and ranchers report range conditions improving rapidly. The farmers are planting and the ranchers are branding since the rains started.

What To Do For 1938 Compliance

There are plenty of questions coming in these days as to how to be in full compliance with the farm program this year.

The following high points will serve as a guide for every one who really wants to comply. (1) Do not over plant the cotton acres allotment for your farm. (2) Do not over plant the feed acreage allotment for your farm. (3) Be sure you have as many acres in sudan, peas, cane or summer fallowed as are called for on your farm. By following the above 3 suggestions you will be 100 per cent in line for your big (class 1) payment.

In order to qualify for your small payment (class 2) you should earn all soil building units set up in your Soil Building goal. And here's the way to figure out how many soil building units in your goal. (1) If your Soil Conserving acreage is 30 you can earn 50c per acre or \$15. If you have 80 acres in grass you can earn 2c per acre or \$1.60 and \$1.00 for each animal unit for that 80 acres of grass (figure 10 acres to each animal unit) or \$8.00. Now \$15 plus \$1.60 plus \$8 gives you \$24.60 class 2 payment. Now to find out how many soil building units you need to qualify for your \$24.60 you get 2-3 of \$24.60 (to the nearest whole number) which is 16. In order to earn your \$24.60 it will be necessary for you to earn this money by reaching this goal of 16 units.

Last Rites Saturday For Mrs Gilcrease

Last rites were held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home south of town for Mrs L T Gilcrease, 41 years old, who died Friday night following a prolonged illness. The service was conducted by Rev. J T Smithee, pastor of the Baptist church, deceased being a member of that congregation. Interment was in the Quitaque cemetery, under direction of Harcastle Funeral Home.

Surviving are her husband and eight children, three sons, Thurston, Johnnie and Arnold Gilcrease, and five daughters, Fae, Georgia, Lorraine, Dmie and Sylvia Gilcrease.

Mrs Gilcrease, who before her marriage was Miss Jewel Richard, was born October 22, 1897. She was married to Mr Gilcrease July 27, 1919 at Corsicana, Texas.

The family moved to the Plains in 1927, making their home in Plainview until the fall of 1935 when they moved to Quitaque.

JUNIORS FIND INTEREST CLOSE TO HOME

Four car loads of juniors, 23 in all, went on a jaunt to Amarillo, Canyon and Palo Duro Park last Friday, spending the day having fun and learning things.

Mrs Scheid, junior sponsor, Mrs Stewart and H S Case, accompanied the young people. At Amarillo they visited the zoo, the broadcasting station, Steffin's Ice Cream Factory, (testing samples while there), took in a show and several other places of interest. Coming back home they stopped in Canyon for an instructive tour of the museum before visiting Palo Duro canyon. Several of the young people had never had the opportunity to visit Amarillo or Palo Duro before and the trip to them was of particular interest, though all reported a grand time.

Severe Hailstorm Strikes Here Wed.

A severe hailstorm accompanied by rain visited this section Wednesday afternoon, starting about 4 o'clock. While real ice cubes fell in the city, the heaviest fall was south of town where hailstones many as large or larger than hen eggs covered the landscape. The roofs of a number of residences were damaged by the storm.

The full force of the storm, which covered an area approximately two miles wide and three miles long, set in about a mile south of Quitaque. Newly listed land was completely covered by the hail, the furrows filling up and the hail covering the ground to where no sod was visible. In drifts and bar ditches the depth of the hail was from about six inches to a foot. On level ground, the road bed for instance, it was about four inches. The fall was so heavy that ditches were clogged, forcing the water from the rain and melting hail in torrents over the roadbed and making traffic over the low stretches practically impossible. A number of cars which had gone out to view the scene were drowned out by deep, rushing flood waters.

The fall in town apparently did no damage but drove folks to shelter. The precipitation in town was .37 inch. The cloud did not seem to extend very far to the north.

Some farmers had corn and other crops up and looking very pretty that were swept away by the hail. Many had planted cotton and according to report, this will have to be replanted, as well as the feed seed that were in the ground that had not come up.

The hail south of town was the most severe for many years if not a record breaker for all time.

The area immediately adjacent to Quitaque received .10 inch of moisture Saturday night (or rather in the wee sma' hours Sunday morning) accompanied by a high wind and hail. Some of the hailstones were of exceptionally large size, about half as big as hen eggs. The fall continued only a few minutes but had plenty of zip while it was in progress.

Some damage was reported, resulting from a small twister striking at the Jimmy Stroup place south west of town. The Stroups were not at home at the time but returned to find several chickens killed, their residence damaged considerably, the roof partly torn off and a chicken house demolished.

Mrs Burgess Honored With Birthday Dinner

Mrs Roy Burgess was hostess Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at a surprise birthday dinner for her mother-in-law, Mrs E E Burgess, at the home of the latter.

Mrs Burgess had been at the store most of the day and all the guests had assembled before she arrived home in the evening.

A delightful meal was served, the table set for twelve, being decorated with roses and larkspur. Following dinner, games and contests were enjoyed, prizes being awarded to the winner of each, which were presented to the honoree as a birthday gift.

Those enjoying the occasion were Rev and Mrs J T Smithee, Mr and Mrs R B Persons, Mr and Mrs S T Bogan, Mr and Mrs George Owens, Mrs Endie Cox, the honoree and her husband and Mrs Roy Burgess.

At the Methodist Church

This church will cooperate with the program in our school on next Sunday. Both the morning and evening services will be given over to the school program.

The church school hour will be held promptly on time so that all may attend the service at the auditorium.

Let every member of the church and church school look forward to an active summer. Let's make vacation for our school and for our college young people a happy occasion.

G. L. Keever, Pastor

Dr and Mrs E C Price drove to Hobbs, N. M., Sunday and brought home Miss Rosemary, who has taught school there this year.

Quitaque Schools Show Marked Growth

The local school board met Wednesday night and elected a vocational agriculture teacher, completing the faculty for next year, except for filling vacancies from resignations as they are presented. The faculty as it now stands is as follows:

Sam Bryan, principal of the high school; Raymond King, vocational agriculture; R B Street, math; Mrs T H Stewart, Home-making; Lois McCaslin, English; Mrs E W Scheid, science. O D Lowry, grade school principal; Agnes Cottingham, Sybol Hazel, Mary Lee Cooper, Mrs Dora Hawkins and Margaret Bergner.

Quitaque Independent school district may well look with pride on the growth and advancement in the past few years of the school system. The closing exercises of the grade and high schools this week mark the completion of the sixth year under guidance of the present superintendent, Prof. E W Scheid, who has been elected to serve another year.

Answering the demand for more room resulting from increased enrollment the present high school building was erected in 1927, supplying the school plant with adequate class rooms, a good gymnasium and attractive auditorium. Boasting 19 credits of affiliation in 1932-33 when Prof. Scheid was chosen head of the system, in the period since then the affiliation has grown to 28 1-2 credits, comparing favorably with any school system in the state. The present enrollment in the schools is around 400 and 14 teachers are employed.

The home economics department was added to the curricula last year and while some equipment is still lacking, the necessities are supplied and the students made excellent progress this first year. Plans are complete for an agricultural department to make its debut next fall. Business administration and speech are already included in the list of subjects offered, presenting to the youth of this district a varied and complete list of studies with which to prepare for their future careers.

BAPTIST WMU CIRCLES PLAN TO WORK AND STUDY

The Baptist WMU met last Monday, circle no. 1 with Mrs Huck Berry and circle no. 2 with Mrs W W Jenkins, hostesses.

The lesson was mission study, Mrs Bedwell teaching in circle 1 and Mrs Finley, circle 2.

The following members were present at circle no. 1: Mrs Berry, hostess, Mesdames R B Persons, Gene Bedwell, Roy Leslie, Everhart, Dunavant, Brittain, McBride and Miss Mildred Wilson.

Mrs Jenkins served refreshments of ice cream and cookies to twelve members, including herself. They were Mesdames J A Johnson, O W Stroup, Jimmy Stroup, H G Finley, Lee, Rumph, Rhoderick, J G Gowin, Morris, Noman Hamilton and a new member, Mrs Mollie Chambers.

It was decided at these meetings to have a "sewing party" Thursday, June 2, all the ladies of the church including the active members of the WMU and any others who wish to attend, invited. The party will be held in the homes of Mrs Gene Bedwell and Mrs J C Rhoderick, lasting all day with a covered dish luncheon at the noon hour.

The fifth Monday social will be held May 30 at the home of Mrs Herrington.

TWO QUITAQUE BOYS ARE SUL ROSS GRADUATES

Alpine—The largest June graduating class in the history of Sul Ross State College will receive their diplomas on June 1, 1938. The class numbers 44 members. Dr H W Morelock, president of Sul Ross State college will deliver the commencement address. The graduation ceremonies will take place in the Auditorium.

Two students from Quitaque are listed among those obtaining degrees with this class: Homer J Morris, major in History, graduate of Quitaque High School and Nolan Tipps, major in History, graduate of Quitaque High School.

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GASOLINE NEWS

ETHEL CARTER

J T Whittington, Jesse Couch and
Gaylon went to Lake Kemp the
first of the week fishing.

Mr and Mrs Carl Thrasher came
home Wednesday from a trip over
East Texas.

Truman Bradshaw of South Plains
visited relatives here Saturday.

Mrs Vaughn Chandler and children
of Kent visited Mrs L J Bedwell
Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Roy Smith and Clara
Mae of Littlefield spent the week
end here visiting Mrs Smith's father.
Mr Montgomery of Olton came with
them.

Jesse Lay of McFarland Cal., and
daughter, Mrs Bony Mashore and
children of Wellington visited his
brother G E Lay and family the first
of the week.

Born to Mr and Mrs Lawrence
Bedwell, May 24, a son whose name
is Nathan Ernest.

**COLORED BOYS BASEBALL
GAME PLENTY INTERESTING**

The negro ball team from Mem-
phis came over Sunday afternoon for
a game with the local colored boys,
winning the contest 8 to 5.

The darkies played a good game—
except for some costly errors by the
Quitaque negroes which perhaps cost
them the game.

There is nothing that we know of
that has more pep, "show" and by-
play than a negro ball game. The an-
tics not only of the players them-
selves but their brother and sister
fans are as colorful as the game
itself, and often causes the white
spectators to miss salient points of
the game. The rooters themselves
miss about half of the plays made—
but they are doing all they can to
win the ball game. They work as
hard as the ball team.

There is more real comedy and
showmanship in a negro ball game
than there is in a negro minstrel—
they give you both when they "cross
bats."

LOCAL BRIEFS

Keltz Garrison of Silverton was
in Quitaque Tuesday.

Eldon Merrell spent several days
last week visiting in Plainview.

Miss Don Hall of Plainview spent
the week end with relatives here.

Mrs Otho Arnold of Turkey was
in Quitaque Monday.

Hal Overstreet and family are
moving this week to Weatherford.

Mr and Mrs Edgar Cupell were in
Amarillo Monday.

Mr and Mrs F D Auburg were in
Matador Sunday afternoon.

Special term of district court is
called for June 1, to try the Burson-
Kitchens civil case.

Born Tuesday morning to Mr and
Mrs Lawrence Bedwell of Gasoline,
an eight-pound son.

Mr and Mrs Jim Stell and LaJuan
and Mr and Mrs P P Rumph were
Memphis visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs O D Lowry and Jimmy Dick
spent the week end in Childress with
her parents, while Mr Lowry drove
the bus load of seniors to Carlsbad.

Virgil Gregg has returned home,
the Hedley school where he taught
the past year having dismissed for
the vacation period.

Mr and Mrs C B McDonald and
daughter Carolyn of Floydada were
here last Friday evening visiting
friends.

Bill Merrell, son of Mr and Mrs
Warren Merrell, is recovering from
a serious siege of pneumonia. He is
in the Matador hospital.

Mr and Mrs O K Stevens and
daughter, Miss Elsie Louise, of Mem-
phis were here Monday attending to
business and visiting old friends.

Mrs Fred Swift and Mrs Jim
McMurry of Memphis visited here
Sunday, Mrs Swift with her daugh-
ter, Mrs Clyde Tunnell and family,
and Mrs McMurry with her brother,
N. B. Herrington and family.

Attending a district league meet-
ing of Methodist young people at
Turkey Monday night were Rev and
Mrs Keever and Koren, Mrs H G
Gardiner and Emily Margaret, Lor-
ene Rhoderick, Frances McCormick,
Jane Scott, Marie Hall, Evelyn Mes-
simer and Miss Bergner.

Friends here of Mr and Mrs Roy
F. Davis will be pleased to learn of

Mrs. Amos Persons is in Childress
taking treatment from a physician.
Miss Lucile took her over Monday
morning and returned home that af-
ternoon.

Sheriff Honea left Tuesday morn-
ing for Huntsville to take two boys,
Norris and Alexander, both sentenc-
ed to two years each in the peniten-
tiary for burglary.

Miss Jackie Robinson, assistant
operator at Vera's Beauty Shop, at-
tended the two day convention of
beauty operators at Lubbock Tues-
day and Wednesday of this week.

The front of the W. C. Wooldridge
Co. buildings have been given a new
coat of paint. Yes, Huck Berry didn't
do the work—he "passed" and let
Wes Harvey do it.

Miss Seney Persons, Mrs Glenn
Wise and Bruce drove to Olton Sat-
urday and brought Miss Lucile Per-
sons home, the Olton schools having
dismissed for the summer.

Mr and Mrs John Smylie and
Johnny, Jr., of Sabinal, Texas and
Mr and Mrs Tom Handley and daugh-
ter of Edinburgh visited here Sun-
day in the home of Mrs Ben Smylie.

Mr and Mrs R A Rodgers and
daughter and Mr and Mrs Mitchell
of Plainview were in Quitaque Sun-
day afternoon visiting Mr and Mrs
W R Scott. Mr Rodgers is superin-
tendent of the mechanical depart-
ment of the Herald.

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F. Davis will be pleased to learn of

the arrival at their home in Carls-
bad, N. M., of a son who was named
Roy Frank, Jr. The young man was
born May 18. Mrs Davis is a niece
of Mrs J I Merrell, and formerly
lived near Quitaque, when she was
Miss Beatrice Cook.

Rev and Mrs Keever, Paul Hamil-
ton and J W Ewing made a trip to
Memphis Sunday afternoon. Bro.
Keever stated that they encounter-
ed a real downpour just west of Es-
telline, the water rising so high in
a short time that some people were
busy ditching it away from their
door steps.

**HUNTERS BAG WOLF
SOME COULDN'T TAKE IT**

A wolf hunt was enjoyed (by some
and not so much by others) Satur-
day night on the river south of
town. The party left Quitaque about
dark and twelve hounds were taken
along.

One wolf was caught, a great big
fat rascal that had been previously
snapped by a trap but plenty tough.

Some of the party had returned
home before this gentleman was
jumped and therefore missed the
fun. These were Fletcher Lee, R S
Lewis and W R Scott, the latter a
tenderfoot and also tender footed
and on his first wolf hunt.

The other members of the party
were Delmer Powell (and his dogs),
Coach Sam Bryan, Will and Bob

Gas Gas All-Time
Mrs. Jas. Miller says: "Gas on my stom-
ach was so bad I couldn't eat or sleep.
Gas even pressed on my heart. Adlerika
brought me quick relief. Now, I eat as I
wish, sleep fine, never felt better."
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Lee, Earl Kirkpatrick, Horace
Hunter, Joe Chandler, Von Chan-
dler (and his dogs).

Another hunt is planned in the
near future in a more wolf-infested
locality, according to Powell. In fact
Powell stated that very soon a party
would be staged which would include
the wives, going out and having sup-
per before dark and having the wolf
chase if and when. But he said he
would have some candidates for the
race located beforehand and follow-
ing the picnic supper the hunters
would go right into that stage of en-
joyment.

Mr and Mrs H S Case and Mr and
Mrs Laroyce Case were in Estelline
Sunday.

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CORN, No. 2 cans, 2 for	15c
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PRUNES gal	29c
SALMON, tall can, 2 for	25c
SUGAR, 10 lbs	55c
MACARONI, 3 boxes	10c
CORN FLAKES, Kelloggs, 3 for	25c
PRINCE ALBERT, per can	10c
CIGARETTES	15c
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- Q. First of all, Mrs. McFall, are you pleased with your electric range?
A. Indeed, I am!
- Q. Would you recommend it to other women as the coolest, fastest, cleanest and most economical method of cookery you've ever used?
A. Yes. During the 14 years I've been keeping house I've used most of the other types. After making this test, I know that electric cookery is cheaper as well as cooler, faster and cleaner.
- Q. With five in your family, how many kilowatt-hours did the meter show your range used on a monthly average during the test period?
A. 109 kilowatt-hours per month.
- Q. You get a special low electric cookery rate on this current, don't you?
A. Yes. All over 50 kilowatt-hours cost only 2 1/2c each. Since this same low rate applied to lights and refrigeration, too, we actually reduced our average previous fuel and electric bills by \$1.14 a month.
- Q. You mean, then, that by using electric cookery, with its lower rate, and by reducing your consumption of other fuel, you had a cooler, cleaner kitchen by far and it actually cost less money?
A. Believe it or not, that is true!
- Q. Were there any other savings you noted?
A. Well, during the test period my records showed an average-per-month saving of \$3.83 in groceries and incidentals connected with cooking. I give the electric range credit for that, too.
- Q. Then your savings totaled \$4.97 per month—practically enough to make the monthly payments on an electric range?
A. Yes. But I am prouder of the fact that cooking has been made easier for me and that my kitchen is so cool and clean!

"I Recommend . . .

Cool → ← Fast
Clean → **ELECTRIC COOKERY** ← Cheap

—Says MRS. McFALL

Comment on Speed:

"Fastest cooking I ever saw. Gives me more time for other household duties."

SMALL DOWN PAYMENT, TRADE-IN ALLOWANCE
NO INSTALLATION CHARGE

See Your Electric Dealer . . . or

**West Texas Utilities
Company**

BEST WISHES TO OUR GRADUATES

ORVAL GRAHAM, Valedictorian

CHARLES BURGESS, Salutatorian

WE ARE INDEED PROUD OF EACH OF YOU AS INDIVIDUALS . . . AS WELL AS AN ENTIRE GROUP. MAY YOU MEET ANY CHALLENGE IN FURTHER STUDY OR IN A BUSINESS CAREER WITH THE SAME DEGREE OF SUCCESS THAT YOU HAVE MASTERED THE TASKS OF THE LOCAL CLASS ROOMS. WE BELIEVE IN YOU, AND THINK YOU CAN AND WILL.

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The period at which you have arrived is an epoch in your lives which will be remembered and cherished always and will never be repeated. Even though you continue your studies at some college or university, graduation from that institution will compare very lightly in your own heart with the completion of the local schools. Any other attainment will lack the momentous thrill you received when presented with the credentials of graduation from high school. Again we wish you health, happiness and success in whatever your future undertakings may be.

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Quitaque Beauty Shop

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Compliments of Your Hired Hand

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City Shoe Shop

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Case Motor Company

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West Texas Gas Co.

A. L. Patterson

Finley Variety Store

Lemmons Cafe

West Texas Utilities Co.

L. E. Graham

Commissioner Precinct 2

Broxson Service Station & Camp

The Quitaque Post

Vera's Beauty Shop

Clark's Cafe

Cobb's Service Station

First National Bank

Auburg Laundry

P. O. Woods Chevrolet

O K Cafe

D. N. Powell

Willson & Son Lumber Co.

J. W. Ewing

Paul Hamilton

Candidate for Commissioner Precinct 2

City Tailors

A. C. Bickford, Prop.

And to the graduates The Post wishes to extend this word on behalf of the business firms and citizenship generally. It is through their efforts and finances that your schooling and graduation has been made possible. Bear this in mind and let your expression of appreciation of their investment in the citizens of tomorrow and the opportunities they have made possible for you, be shown by your patronage and consideration.

QUEEN Theatre

QUITAQUE, TEXAS

WED. - THURS. - FRI.
May 25 - 26 - 27

Arsene Lupin Returns

With Virginia Bruce and Melvyn Douglas and the Pete Smith Specialty "Candid Cameramanias"
Admission 10c and 25c

Saturday Matinee and Night
Bob Baker in
"The Last Stand"

—Also—
"Lodge Night"
With Andy Clive
Admission 10c & 15c

Wednesday - Thursday - Friday
June 1 - 2 - 3

The First Hundred Years

Featuring Robert Montgomery and Virginia Bruce

Also "Cap'tain and the Kids" Comedy
"Cleaning House"

BALL CLUBS SHOWING PLENTY OF ACTIVITY

The Gasoline baseball club has been rather active the past week playing three games and taking two out of the three.

Sunday afternoon they took on the boys from Edgin who knocked the Gasoline representatives under by a score of 11 to 9. Starting batteries in this contest for Gasoline were P John Monk and Alonzo Rogers; for Edgin, Woody Slover and Buck Payne.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 23, 1938.

For District Judge, 110th Judicial District:
KENNETH BAIN
ALTON B. CHAPMAN

For District Attorney:
WINFRED F. NEWSOME
JOHN A. HAMILTON

For Sheriff and Tax Assessor-Collector:
N. R. (JAKE) HONEA (Re-election)
BEN O. KING

For County and District Clerk:
R. E. DOUGLAS (Re-election)
KELTZ GARRISON

For County Judge:
W. COFFEE, JR. (Re-election)
J. W. LYON, JR.

For County Treasurer:
MISS LIZZIE GREGG (Re-election)
MRS AGNES (Donnell) TURNER

For Commissioner Precinct 2:
L. E. GRAHAM (Re-election)
PAUL HAMILTON
W. E. (Bill) HELMS

Friday afternoon witnessed a double affair, a game between Gasoline and Edgin, resulting 7 to 5 for the former, and a concert between Gasoline and Quitaque which was won by Gasoline 15 to 1.

Starting batteries for Edgin were Johnson and Starkey; for Gasoline, Bob Patrick and Glenn Morrison.

In the second affair with Quitaque the batteries were P John Monk for Gasoline; Pete Womack and Bob Young for Quitaque.

Quitaque is scheduled to play Edgin there Sunday and Glenn Morrison of Gasoline stated that he was as busy as a catfish trying to find an assignment for his cohorts for the same days.

It seems that the fans hereabouts are likely to see some real baseball this summer when the boys really get strung out and "hit their stride."

The Post—\$1 a year in territory.

LEGAL NOTICE

In the United States District Court in and for the Western District of Texas and Waco Division:

J. M. Hubbert vs Temple Trust Company, No. 236 in Equity.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his application with the Clerk of the United States District Court in and for the Western District of Texas, Waco Division, for an order authorizing him to sell and convey to C A Hawkins and wife, Dora Hawkins, all of Lot Two (2) in Block Thirteen (13) original town of Quitaque, Briscoe County, Texas, together with all improvements thereon situated, and for a consideration of \$700 and of which amount \$150.00 will be paid in cash, and the balance, \$550.00, to be evidenced by one note in said sum, to be executed by said purchasers, payable to the order of the undersigned at his office in the city of Temple, Bell County, Texas, and the principal and interest on said note to become due and payable in monthly installments of \$15.00 each, the first installment to become due and payable on or before June 1, 1938, and one each on or before the first day of each succeeding month until said note has been fully paid off and discharged, both principal and accrued interest, to bear interest from May 1, 1938 at the rate of seven per cent per annum, the interest to become due and payable monthly, and each payment when made to be applied first to the accrued interest on said note, and the balance to the principal, and providing that failure to pay any monthly installment of principal or interest as above mentioned when due shall at the option of the holder mature said note, and stipulating for ten per cent additional as attorney's fees, and said note to be secured by a vendor's lien and deed of trust lien on the property and premises above described.

Said application will be heard by the Honorable Charles A. Boynton, Judge of said court, after this notice shall have been published for a period of ten days, and any person interested in said Receivership Estate may contest this application.

Witness my hand at Temple, Texas, this 13 day of May A D 1938.

H. C. GLENN,
as Receiver for Temple Trust Company, Temple, Texas.

Plenty of sales pads for sale at the Quitaque Post.

SEASON'S FISH YARN CHALLENGES COMPETITION

Glenn Morrison, who went to Arizona a couple of weeks ago accompanied by Earl and Murry Morrison, to return his brother Ray home from junior college at Fort Thomas, came home last Friday—without brother Ray. The latter had employment there and decided to remain.

Glenn says he went fishing in the Gila river while in Arizona and they caught plenty of fish, he leaving there with about 65 pounds and reaching Gasoline with 50 pounds (the balance presumably consumed enroute.)

We are not vouching for this story, nor buying any drinks for telling it, but Glenn stated that they merely got in the river and ran the fish down. "And boy," says Glenn, "did we have fun!" Well—we imagine; and to run down 65 pounds of fish at about three pounds per each, they must have had a little exercise in connection with their fish rodeo. He avers, however, that they really had a large time.

The Young Women's circle of the Methodist missionary society enjoyed a picnic at Roadside park Tuesday evening. Lunch was served to Misses Lorene Oliphint, Mabel Atkinson, Bernice Puckett, Jean Puckett, Mary Rucker and Mesdames Paul Hamilton, T H Stewart, Jr., Sam T Bryan, Frank Gillespie, Bud Bailey and O D Lowry. Secret friends were revealed and gifts exchanged during the social hour that followed.

The group plans to meet monthly during the summer.

Mrs A Vinyard and son Wren, of Turkey were visiting friends here Wednesday afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the many acts of kindness and for their assistance during the illness and after the passing of our dear wife and mother. May God bless each of you.

L T Gilcrease and children

FOR SALE—Second Year and First Year Half and Half Cotton Seed, 75c and \$1.00 bu. At my farm 7 miles south of Quitaque. R. L. Green. 25-4

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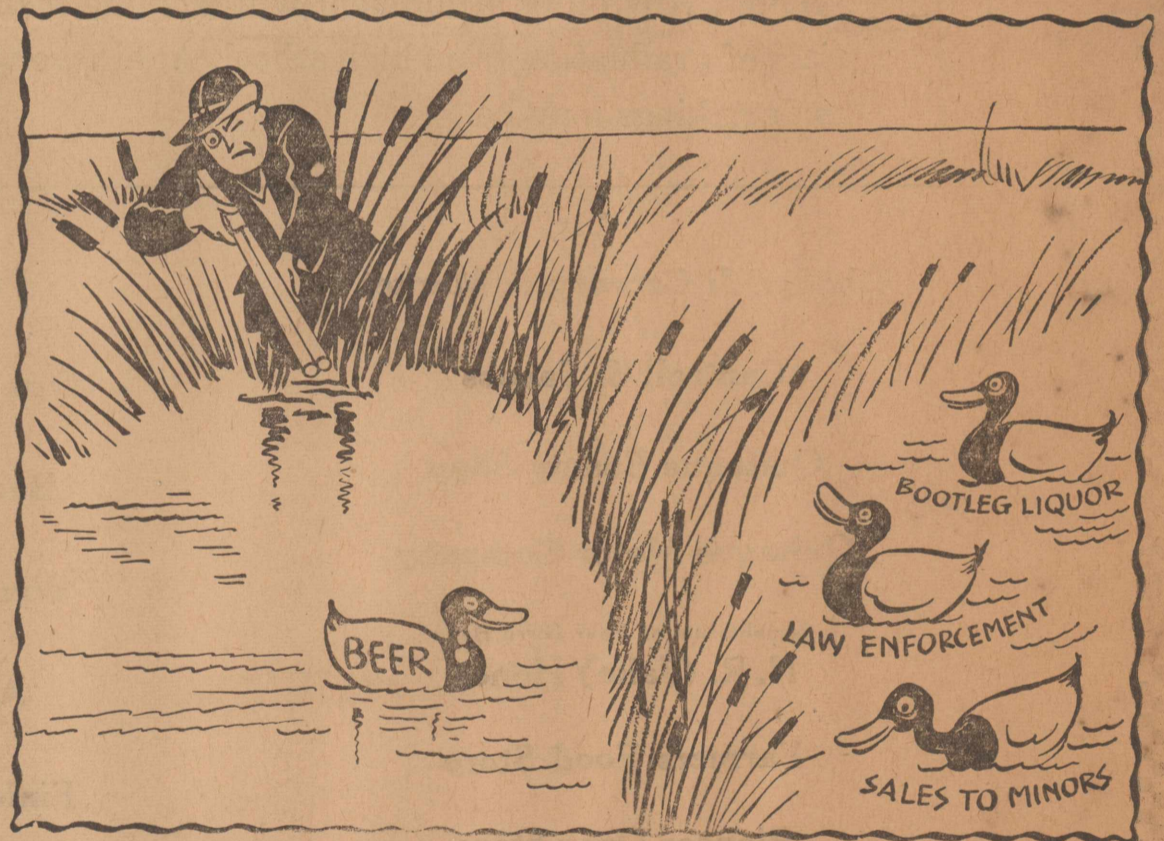


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2 No. 2 Cans	Prunes, 1 gal. ---	31c	2 Bars
15c	Meal, 20 lbs ---	44c	15c

Bologna, lb ---	15c	Sliced Bacon, 1st grade. lb -	35c
Melo Cure Cheese, lb ---	19c	Espuela Butter, lb ---	33c

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New Potatoes, lb ---	5c	EVERLITE FLOUR
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