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5000 Attend Jayton's Centennial Celebration

Many Interesting Relics Displayed In Exhibits

Centennial Exhibits arranged for Jayton's Centennial Celebration and Settlers Reunion were not only attractive but constituted a veritable museum of historical and archeological relics. In addition there were many articles included in the exhibits that were of more recent origin, but were nevertheless of great interest.

The largest exhibit was placed in the show windows at Jones Drug Store, and the major portion of this collection belonged to S. A. (Uncle Sam) McCombs and wife of Luzon. It would require a fair sized book to chronicle the histories and legends connected with each of the items in the exhibit, but we want to mention a few of the most important.

The center of the exhibit was an old U. S. Army Cavalry Saddle, which was unearthed by the sons of Mr. McCombs when they were children. Uncle Sam tells us that he investigated the history of the saddle through the War Department and it was found that the saddle was ridden by Sergeant J. W. Kilpatrick, who was killed in the last Indian battle fought in what is now Kent county. Sergeant Kilpatrick was under the command of General McKinzie, whose famous expedition cleared the way for the peaceful settlement of this part of Texas. It is said that Sgt. Kilpatrick's body was first buried in the southern part of Kent county, but that his remains were later moved by army officials to the Spur Cemetery. Also holding a place of major interest in this collection was an old Colts revolver, carried through the Civil War by Captain Winsley. The old firearm has thirteen notches on one side of the handle and five on the other side. Other items of special interest were; a quilt, over 103 years old, that was made by hand, the thread spun from cotton picked from seed by hand, spun on an old spinning wheel, made on a hand loom, and quilted by hand; a pocket knife over 100 years old; a knife that had been in Kent county over 40 years; a cut glass vial that holds only three drops of liquid, and which is the center of a romantic story of great interest: old pipes of peace; many Indian relics, arrow and spear points, various beadwork and basket work relics, pottery, and a dirk with a thrilling history. There are many kinds of ore, bits of petrified redwood bark, a lump of crystal rock, and petrified pine cones that complete the collection belonging to Uncle Sam and Mrs. McCombs.

J. A. (Gulf) Lafoon had several items in the exhibit in Jones Drug window, among which were a set of horned frog horns measuring 3 1-2 inches from tip to tip, and said to have been taken from a horned frog caught in the brakes in the interior of the island of Haiti. Gulf had a handmade rawhide lariat and several other interesting objects in the window.

An old muzzle loading musket made by J. C. Jones' father who was a gunsmith for the Confederacy held a prominent place in this display. Mr. Jones has owned the gun for 62 years. R. L. (Uncle Dick) Jones also had a very old gun in the window. It was an old muzzle loading shotgun and has a wonderful history.

Among the more recent items in the window was a trench knife brought home from France by B. J. Smith after the close of the World War. The knife is said to have accounted for the lives of four men.

Other mementos of the Great War shown were decorations and medals belonging to Earl Draper. The Croix de Guerre with star for second citation, the Kings Medal for Meritorious Service, awarded by the late King George V of England in 1918, and the Canadian Service Medal together with certificates for the same were in the display. Mr. Draper was also awarded a Mons medal.

Aletha Sprouls is spending this week at Post with Dorothy Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Whitaker spent last week end here with their mothers and father.

Mrs. Woodrum and Francis Buck have the honor of having their father visit them this week.

L. H. Matthews was brought home last Saturday from the Lubbock Sanitarium greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Bowie and children of Bay City visited relatives here last week.

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Card of Thanks

The Committee for the Centennial Day Parade wishes to take this opportunity to express sincere appreciation to everyone who assisted in making this part of our celebration an outstanding success. We have had many compliments, both from outsiders and home folks, saying that they did not expect such a wonderful parade in a town the size of Jayton, but we feel that the spirit of wholehearted cooperation shown by everyone in helping out, made this possible. Again we thank every one of you.

The Parade Committee
Jayton Centennial Day Celebration.

Old West Recreated At Frontier Centennial In Fort Worth

Fort Worth, — June 24, — Roaring activity of an old frontier town will be recreated on the pioneer village street called Sunset Trail at Billy Rose's Fort Worth Frontier Centennial.

Peopled with characters out of the legendary old West, Sunset Trail will be one of the free attractions at the wild and whoopee show at Fort Worth.

To begin with Rose recreated the little old church, the saloon, the bank, blacksmith shop, two-story hotel, town hall and pool hall of a frontier town.

Inside these picturesque structures will be dignified collections of historical relics, guns, paintings, Indian paraphernalia, old hand presses that put out the frontier news and bandit reward notices.

Outside and in the streets will be the raw, lusty going-on of the wildest town east or west of the Pecos. Bandits will ride in daily to hold up the bank and make a get-away into the Frontier Centennial crowd. Old hand presses will grind out reward notices, to give somebody a chance to spot the villain, lead him to the sheriff's office and claim the reward.

Cowboys will ride through the street, their guns blazing skyward. Whittlers will sit around the porch of the general merchandise store to spin yarns. Frontier belles and raw-boned swains will be married in the church. Bearded prospectors, two-gun desperadoes, checked vest slickers from the east, buffalo hunters, the town drunkard, the cowboy evangelist, strolling troubadors, the consumptive poet, the Lady known as Lou — the lady card shark, the stage-coach driver, all these and a dozen other old West figures will live the raw life of a frontier town on Sunset Trail.

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Crop Prospects Good

HAS SOME MIGHTY PRETTY COTTON

Mr. F. A. Cox and sons whose farm lies about three miles southeast of Jayton, have some of the prettiest crops this year that we have had the pleasure of looking over. The entire crop is looking fine, with most all of the weeds cleaned out, and the ground well cultivated, but they have one patch of cotton that is a humdinger. It got off to an early start and is certainly a pretty sight. A perfect stand and the growth so uniform that the field appears to have been set out by hand makes it look like the picture books. A look at that cotton brings visions of busy days that took to put it where it is, and also a vision of busy days to come. Spared calamity, Mr. Cox and the boys will reap a rich harvest for their toil and effort.

Mahon Attending National Democratic Convention This Week

Washington, June 24 — Congressman George Mahon is attending the National Democratic Convention this week, having gone to Philadelphia from his Washington office on Tuesday. He is one of the two Texas Representatives in Congress who are delegates to the Convention, Representative Sam Rayburn of Bonham being the other.

In discussing his plans, the Congressman stated: "I am anxious to return to Texas and visit throughout my District. But I have been chosen as a delegate to the Convention and I felt that I should go to Philadelphia and render any possible service in the formulation of party policies."

Mr. Mahon will go from Philadelphia directly to his home in Colorado where his office is being opened this week by his Secretary, Lloyd Croslin. Both his Washington office and the District office will be kept open throughout the recess.

Good Rain

It was a good rain that came the first of the week. The fall ranging from 1-4 to more than three inches in some section of the Jayton Trade territory. The 1-4 in fall in Jayton, south and east and northeast it was much heavier. The temperature dropped from more than 100 down to 70 which was a delightful relief to those who suffer from heat.

Dr. M. H. Brannen of Spur and Mr. McArthur of the same city were seeing friends in Jayton, Thursday morning.

BRINGS IN FIRST COTTON BLOOMS TUESDAY

Walton Davis, our good farmer friend who has a wonderful farm close in to the southeast part of town, brought in the first cotton blooms of the year Tuesday of this week. Mr. Davis has a splendid crop. He states that it was planted in April, that it was plowed twice and hoed twice, and that the plants are among the largest that he has seen this year. Mr. Davis is a splendid farmer and his farm is a model that it would pay to use for an example in any year, but this year he has been fortunate he says in getting rains every time just when he needed them and that he expects a wonderful harvest. We certainly wish for him a great harvest as a proper reward for his work.

Girard-Dickens Tied For Lead In Texas Spur Soft Ball League

Dickens and Girard are still tied up for the lead in The Texas Spur Soft Ball League as the end of the first half draws near.

Dickens won two games and lost two over the week, winning from Spur Creamery and Girard while losing to Jayton and Bryant-Link Co.

Girard won three games and lost one, defeating Bryant-Link Co. two games and Jayton one, losing to Dickens.

Jayton won games from Dickens and Spur Creamery, losing to Girard.

Bryant-Link Co. won two games from Dickens and Kinney while losing two games to Girard.

Kinney won a game from Spur Creamery and lost one to Bryant-Link Co.

Team	W	L	Pct.
Girard	14	5	.736
Dickens	14	5	.736
Jayton	9	8	.529
Spur Creamery	8	10	.444
Bryant-Link Co.	7	11	.389
Kinney	3	14	.176

Notice!

Floyd Embree from the Church of Christ, Petersburg, Texas, will preach a series of sermons at Golden Pond School house beginning Friday night July 3rd. Everybody is invited to come. Three Sermons first Sunday and dinner on the ground. Subject Sunday morning, "The Lord's Supper."

Entire Program Friday Declared Big Success

Deeply Appreciated

The ladies and the menfolks as well and all others certainly appreciate the kindness of the B. E. Needles Company of Lubbock for supplying the town with the sound equipped truck, on last Friday, which certainly did as much or more than any other one thing to make of the day a great success. With out this modern piece of machinery or what ever it is called, much of the program would have fallen short of what would have been needed to take the music, the speaking, and the other parts of the entertainment to the great crowds. Mr. Needles, please accept the thanks of the entire town.

3,000,000th Ford V-8 Arrives At Centennial In Dallas

The 3,000,000th Ford V-8, which was driven from the Ford plant in Dearborn, Michigan, to Dallas, has arrived. Its entry into the city and the Texas Centennial Exposition was observed with colorful pomp and ceremony at the city hall and again at the Exposition gates.

Touching Texas soil first at Texarkana, the epoch-marking Ford V-8 driven by James Rooney, enjoyed an official police escort across the state and from the Dallas city limits to the Exposition gates. Seven cars traveled with the 3,000,000th car from the Texas-Arkansas state line. Stops were made in many towns and cities en route.

The 3,000,000th V-8 with smiling Rooney at the wheel received its first formal welcome at the city hall where distinguished Dallas Officials, including Mayor George Sergeant, City Manager Hal Mosely, Chief of Police, R. L. Jones and Dallas County Sheriff Smooth Schmid, participated. All officials spoke highly of the 3,000,000th V-8's part in publicizing the Exposition. Afterward the city leaders rode in a parade to the Exposition grounds.

Fred Florence, president of the Centennial Central Exposition, greeted Driver Rooney and his car at the Parry street Exposition gates and presented the car the "Ambassador of Goodwill" scroll, heretofore given only to prominent persons who have contributed generously to the success of the Exposition, was one of the many outstanding persons who officially welcomed the car to the Fair Grounds.

A parade circled the "Roads of the Southwest," the nine famous cattle trails and highways which have been remodeled opposite the Ford building and afterward the 3,000,000th V-8 was placed in the court of the building where it will remain during the Exposition.

Mrs. J. T. Bond and Mrs. Glen Huls and Mary Dell have been visiting in Tucumcari, N. M.

LOST: Hub cap off 1936 V-8. Finder please return to Dr. Alexander at Huls Drug.

Dallas Kenady and Mrs. Jim Teaver took their parents Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Kenady to the Centennial this week.

Dell Landsdown is visiting relatives in Brownsfield during her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. P. Johnston attended the Centennial last week at Dallas.

Mrs. Thos. P. Johnston is visiting with Mrs. Glen Hancock in Big Spring this week.

District Court is to be in special session at the court house in Claremont, Monday.

Fountain Beautifies Exposition



WORLD'S FAIR OFFICE FRONT.—One of the picture spots of the \$25,000,000 Texas Centennial Exposition which opened in Dallas June 6, is the changing-color fountain and pool before the Administration Building, which reflects the beautiful mural over the lobby door.

Jayton, the Biggest Little Town in Texas, was the center of attraction for thousands of people upon last Friday, when they staged their Centennial Celebration and Old Settlers Reunion. Planned and managed by the club ladies of the town, gotten up and put over on a two weeks notice, it will long stand out as the most successful and most complete day of recreation and entertainment in the annals of town and community.

The starting feature was a parade that formed in the north part of the town came down the new highway, circled the business part of Jayton and the main residence section. The Parade was led by one of the old timers, Mr. W. S. Hancock, on his claybank cow horse. Jayton's hurriedly reorganized band supplied the music and all steps of the settlement and improvement of this country was represented. The old prospectors with their donkey, picks and packs, the covered wagons loaded down to the ground with everything from long chin whiskers to limping hound dogs, cowboys, and cowgirls, buffalo hunters with their skinning knives and long rifles, Indians in their war paint, and squaws with their paposes swinging from their backs, the old grey mare and the high wheeled buggies, the tin lizzie and the modern high powered automobile and six wheeled trucks, and many other things we have not the space to mention. It took more than a half an hour for the parade to cover the route over which it traveled and the sight was certainly enjoyed by all who saw it.

After the parade, dinner was served under the shade trees on the square and was it a feast and was there plenty. You tell the world that all were fed and the scraps that fell from the tables were sufficient to feed all the dogs in the state, plenty of which were on hands to do the clean up work, for as usual the dog is always in forefront of the march of civilization.

Upon seeing what an unexpected overflow of people were coming to Jayton for the day, H. D. Black put in a hurry up call to the B. E. Needles Company of Lubbock for their Sound Equipped truck and the it was late, Mr. Needles rushed the equipment to our city and by the time dinner was over everything was ready for the political orators, the musicians and the other feature entertainers of the afternoon. Judge J. B. Earnest delivered a short welcome address and then turned the job over to Judge J. E. Robinson, who acted as ringmaster for the rest of the afternoon and night. The district candidates, we believe ten in number, which included one candidate for congress, two for district Judge, three for district attorney and four for State Representative, were in turn presented to the people, and as one gentleman remarked all of them recommended themselves powerfully to the voters. Two of the candidates for State Superintendent of Public Instruction had speakers on the ground who were also given a chance to tell of the qualifications of their superiors. At the close of the speaking, cowboy songs were sung and old time fiddling livened up the crowd. This was followed by a special feature supplied by Lee J. Harrison, formerly of Jayton, but now of Big Spring, Texas, in the person of Mr. Bob Taylor, Mr. Harrison's secretary. While this feature was not listed on the program, it was one of the outstanding numbers and rivaled in many ways the entertainments one time given by the World renowned Bob Taylor, of Tennessee. It was a humdinger from start to finish.

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Absentee Voting To Start July 5th

If you are planning on taking a vacation trip in July and are likely to be absent from the county on primary election day, July 25 arrange to vote as an absentee.

Absentee voting begins July 5th and if possible you should vote before leaving the county.

If you are out of the county after July 5th in order to vote absentee it will be necessary for you to write the clerk of your county. The clerk on request mails the application, the applicant signs and returns it. Then the clerk sends the ballot, which the voter marks and returns. You will have to send your request early in order that this routine can be completed by July 25.

HARD TO GET A HEARING

Candidates for state office are finding it difficult to get a hearing, especially in this section of the State. People of the State are Centennial-minded and even candidates for Governor who are campaigning while Governor Allred has been assisting the Centennial, are finding crowds of forty and fifty out to hear them.

From talking with voters from various points in the State, it becomes more evident daily that Governor Allred is going to win in the first primary. Neither of the candidates opposed to him have been able to get up steam. Frankly we look for the biggest one-sided election in the governor's race that this State has held in a number of years. And with the record that Governor Allred has made he richly deserves it.

B. E. Needles Compliments Jayton

Lubbock, Texas
June 22, 1936

Dear Mr. Wade,
Mr. Duke and I arrived back in Lubbock Saturday morning at 2:30 with our equipment. Two very tired men, but very happy. We really did enjoy ourselves immensely.

In all the pages of print there aren't words to tell just how much we enjoyed and appreciated assisting in your program. We want to say this — the Jayton people are most hospitable, so sincere in their friendliness, our visit did not satisfy us. Somehow, we would have liked to have stayed. I still believe the Brunswick Tire will last longer than Uncle Dave's tune on the fiddle.

We were reluctant to leave. We were almost like the old negro slave

Roper Greeted at Exposition



SECRETARY ROPER AT FAIR. Secretary of Commerce Daniel C. Roper is shown above left as he arrived in Dallas Saturday for the opening of the exposition. He is being greeted by Governor James V. Allred with whom he participated in the opening ceremonies.

who never had enough ice cream. One day his white folks made him a gallon of cream, gave him a big spoon and told him to eat all he wanted. After eating most of the cream, he laid down his spoon sighing as he did so. "Well, George," said his master, "do you have enough?" "Yassuh," replied the slave, "all but my mouth."

Jayton is a good town, in a fine country, and populated with great folks. We hope the citizens of Jayton continue with their pioneer Western spirit. Everyone that we met was so sincerely friendly. We know it is a fine community to live in.

Too much cannot be said about the co-operation of the Jayton citizens. They just decide to do something, and do it a little bigger and better than anyone else.

We wish to sincerely thank Mr. Black and the sponsors of the program for the invitation to assist in so good a program, and if we helped and pleased you, we are as happy as a mosquito in a nudist colony.

We want to thank you personally Mr. Wade, for the courtesies shown us. Please call on us any time you are in Lubbock, and let us know if we can serve you.

With kindest personal regards, we are,

Most sincerely,
C. H. Hutto,
Advertising Dept.
Elmo Duke,
Radio Technician

CURTAINS!

Jim Jones lives out in the country, twenty miles from his office, and drives to work daily. The drive takes place largely on a modern highway, with the last few miles confined to busy streets.

The drive can be made safely in about thirty-five minutes. But Jim would feel ashamed of his record if he ever took that long. So, by "stepping on the gas" hard, he manages to make it in twenty-five minutes, and sometimes less. The other day, in fact, he did it in twenty-two minutes — a saving of thirteen minutes over the time taken by more conservative pilots.

That saving of time is a great boon to Jim. It permits him to spend ten or fifteen minutes talking golf to the boys at the cigar store, or reading the funny papers. And the day he made his record he spent the saved time, plus a few extra minutes more, boasting about it.

Of course, Jim has to weave in and out of traffic occasionally, cursing the slowpokes who move along at a sedate forty-five. And sometimes he has to steal a right of way. Now and then he misses a crash by an inch, and after the first flush of nervousness passes, he chuckles to himself about what a good driver he is. Once he did have a minor accident, but the insurance company paid for that.

There are many thousand Jim Joneses driving cars in this country. They go on for years with nothing happening to them and then the inevitable occurs.

Curtains!

MAHON ATTENDING DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

Congressman George Mahon of this district, is one of two Congressmen from Texas, selected as delegates to the Democratic National Convention meeting in Philadelphia, this week. We call that some honor for our young congressman. In the meantime, Bro. Speck who would like to have Mahon's job, is out shelling the hills for votes. Mr. Speck has neither a chance or a hope to accomplish his purpose, but since he is out nothing but a little wind, why not?

Half of the year of 1936 has just about disappeared. How many of you kept the resolutions made when we were proud to see 1936 come around.

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General Civil Practice

Dr. Warner the eyesight specialist makes regular visits to Jayton office with Huls Drug Store. Eyes Examined. Glasses fitted. Next visit Saturday July 25.

Don't forget homecoming day at Centerview Sunday.

Rev. W. T. North and family are here for the Homecoming Day program at Centerview, Sunday.

John Jones and family will leave the first of next week for a month vacation and visit with Mrs. Jones' parents in Mississippi.

Mrs. F. T. Whitaker and Freddie Marie Estes spent a few days last week at Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Simpson and at Tokio with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Whitaker.

Miss Ruby Prince of Aspermont visited in the home of her sister Mrs. Charlie Barbee last week.

If Jimmie Allred is such a little guy and Tom Hunter is such a BIG one, wonder why the democratic hosts of Texas selected little Jimmie to nominate John Garner for Vice President at the Philadelphia convention, instead of BIG Tod Hunter? Evidently there are lots of simple minded Democrats in Texas and they will multiply greatly on the date of the first primary.

THE SPUR HOSPITAL

JOHN T. WYLIE, M. D.

Surgeon in Charge

X-RAY and RADIUM

Sam F. Steele

Attorney at Law

GENERAL PRACTICE

JAYTON, TEXAS
Office With N. E. Porter

Political Announcements

SUBJECT TO THE ACTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARIES

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE

JOE A MERRITT, of Snyder, Texas.

LEONARD WESTFALL, of Aspermont, Texas.

C. L. HARRIS, Dickens County.

W. A. CRADDOCK of Dickens Co.

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

DENNIS P. RATLIFF, of Haskell, Texas.

H. F. GRINDSTAFF, Of Haskell, County, Texas.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

VERNON D. ADCOCK, of Kent County Texas.

FRENCH M. ROBERTSON, Of Haskell County, Texas.

GEN CHARLIE CHAPMAN Of Haskell County, Texas.

FOR SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR, AND COLLECTOR

B. A. (BARNIE) CUMBIE

R. I. GOODALL

FOR COUNTY JUDGE AND EX-OFFICIO SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

J. B. EARNEST, (re-election)

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK

MRS. LAMORA PAGE.

W. T. (BILL) CATHEY, Re-election.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

ASTENA B. WADE (Re-election).

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4.

C. H. (CAL) CADE

MARK CAVE

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NUMBER ONE:

W. W. THOMPSON

TOM HUNNICUTT.

M. F. HAGAR

J. A. SUITS

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2

J. R. (JETT) GEORGE

A WOOD

BAXTER I. SCOGGIN

EDD FUQUA

FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NUMBER THREE:

A. C. (AB) CARGILE.

J. B. DURHAM

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER, JAYTON

M. D. FULLER.

LESS MATTHEWS

EBB SMITH

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER CLAIREMONT

BOY UNDERWOOD (Re-election)

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

SAM F. STEELE

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE, JAYTON

G. W. BILLINGSLEY

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In the meantime you may add additional brightness to our days and your days by trading here. The goods the prices and the service is our inducement to you for your business, if you are one of our regular customers you know this means much. If not a regular customer, give us a months trial and if we disappoint you its our misfortune. See our new offerings this week, see them every week, keep posted on the prices we make. It Will More Than Repay You For The Time Spent With Us.

Cash Prices Saturday

- SUGAR, 100 lb. \$5.40
- COFFEE, Dakwell, 3 lb. 75c
- BROOMS, Good ones, 29c
- PEACHES, Gallon cans 45c
- BRAN FLAKES, Kellogs, 3 pkg. 25c
- MACKEREL, Tall cans, 3 for 25c

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- PEACHES, Gallon, 40c
- MUSTARD, Qt. 2 for 25c
- ORANGES, Doz. 15c
- COFFEE, 3-Meal, 3 lb. (knife - fork) 79c

All kinds of fresh and cured meats, and a complete line of packing house products. The best place in town to trade when you are hunting the makings of a square meal,

Landers & Gardner

You always save money by trading here!

COWBOY STAMFORD

Stamford, Tex., June 24 — Final preparations are being completed by the Texas Cowboy Reunion...

Ornamental trees and native mesquites on the grounds have made good growth in the past twelve months...

Officials plan to give the patrons their money's worth at all performances. A full carload of 4 and 5 year old, wild Brahma steers has just been received...

The Reunion draws a list of notables each year. Last year the late Will Rodgers characteristically dropped in unannounced to see the show...

tended nearly every year, and the governor has given positive assurance that he will be back this year.

BIG SPRINGS PREPARING FOR BIG CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION JULY 4

Big Spring, June 24. — Big Spring is preparing to accommodate and welcome the thousands of visitors expected to participate in a day of recreation and pleasure on July 4.

The program will precede a Junior Bathing Revue for girls from 3 to 10 years inclusive.

The climax of the affair will be a beauty revue staged at the swimming pool under the auspices of the City of Big Spring, Chrysler Sales Corporation, radio station WFAA, The Dallas News and Dallas Journal...

NOTICE

I have one Marvel waterless cooker left on the public square last Friday after the dinner. Person owning same please call and receive same. — Mrs. Byron Smith.

H. D. CLUB NEWS

GALLON CONTAINERS FOR FLOUR, SUGAR MAKE KITCHEN MORE CONVENIENT

"Keeping a small amount of flour sugar and meal out on my kitchen cabinet is much more convenient than keeping these supplies stored away when no flour bin is provided in the cabinet," reported Mrs. Fred Shipp of Harmony.

This was made possible by painting three one gallon buckets with tight fitting lids and placing them well back on the cabinet.

With this arrangement Mrs. Shipp has all of her supplies at her work table and does not have to walk back and forth about the kitchen collecting supplies.

OLD QUILTS AID IN UPHOLSTERING CHAIR

Old worn quilts make a good pad for chairs that are to be upholstered according to Mrs. Van North of the Jayton Home Demonstration club.

She is using an old rocking chair that has never been upholstered and is converting it into a soft upholstered chair that looks new and modern.

The back, seat and sides of the chair are to be padded with the old quilts, and a layer of cotton will be placed under the quilts to make the padding softer.

COUNTY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING JUN. 27

The county home demonstration council will hold its regular meeting Saturday June 27 at the home demonstration agents office.

Each council representative will be expected to bring a report of her club's decision on reducing the delinquent body to the Texas Home Demonstration Association.

Each club will announce the demonstration to be given at the Foods Exhibit in October.

Plans will be made for club encampment in August. All members are urged to be present.

RIVERDALE H. D. CLUB NEWS

Riverdale H. D. Club met at the school house June 17. The president took charge of the meeting. The minutes were read. Miss Grimes, the H. D. Agent gave a demonstration on how to make refrigerators and sinks.

The club is sending Mrs. Tillie Coddell to the Short Course.

The club had one new member. There were fourteen members present.

Crop prospects in this territory were never better at this time of the year. Cotton and all kinds of feed is simply looking fine.

Next week Texas will start the payment of old age pensions. Just how many within this county are to receive this aid we have not been informed, but we hope every deserving man and woman of the proper age who have qualified will receive this time aid.

Gov. Allred will open his campaign for re-election on the 30th. His speech will be broadcast. It will be his first political address of the campaign. It is going to be interesting. Let everyone who can listen for it and if we are not mistaken the fighting Governor is going to clean up on some of his political enemies.

Judge J. B. Earnest and wife had business in Austin the first of the week.

The candidates have been plentiful in Jayton this week as most of them have been making a house to house canvass of the town.

J. T. Lyles had business in Aspermont, Tuesday.

Edd Cobb came in from Rockwall County Wednesday for a visit with his sister, Mrs. L. F. Wade.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hutto Jr. of Olney, Texas are visiting with friends and relatives in Jayton and Spur this week.

All who have attended the Texas Central Centennial Show at Dallas claim it is the most wonderful and interesting exhibition they have ever seen, former world fairs and Century of Progress celebrations far surpassed by the Dallas alone, to say nothing of the other exhibits in the parts of the state.

Cobb Wade of Bowie, Texas, was seeing home folks in Jayton, the past week end.

Geraldine, Virginia and Dean Callicote have returned from Dallas where they visited the Texas Centennial.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Massey of Kilgore, Texas visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Benton, and other relatives last week.

Mr. Hollabough reports that the Centennial at night is one of the most beautiful sights he ever hopes to witness.

Mr. Lester Hollabough returned from Fort Worth this week. He visited his sister Mrs. E. Hedge of that city.

Miss Ruth Grimes attended a family reunion in San Angelo last week.

Miss Virginia Whitten of Paris, Texas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Miller.

Dorothy Pearl Lee is visiting Miss Lavesta Lee in Aspermont this week.

Milton Ramsey and Claude Darden left Sunday morning for the mountains of New Mexico for a weeks outing.

John Yerk is one of the few seriously sick in this community.

Mrs. J. W. Barfoot and Henri Sue are visiting in Weatherford and Athens and going to take in the Centennial while they are gone.

Van North, Mrs. J. W. Sewalt and Ivey Murdoch were honored with a picnic and swim at the Mandell tank Sunday P. M., as was their birthday. Thirty two were present to enjoy the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Exwell of Carlton Texas, spent a few days last week visiting relatives and friends here.

Steve Hargus had business in Waco last week end.

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CENTENNIAL EXHIBITS

(Continued From Page One) for participation in both battles of Mons. The first battle of Mons was fought in 1915 and the last battle of Mons was fought the day the Armistice was signed. Earl states that his outfit lost 20 men and 2 officers the day of the signing of the Armistice. He was a member of the 21st Battalion Canadians, called General Foche's Shock Troops. Mr. Draper saw continuous service with the exception of 4 months spent in the hospital, from September 1914 until May 26, 1919. He was made a King's Sergeant and was Acting Battalion Sergeant Major at the time of his discharge.

The show window at Bryant-Link Co. also contained an interesting exhibit. The first pill bags ever carried by Dr. J. H. Fowler were prominently displayed. They were of the old type that were made to be carried across the saddle. Dr. Fowler states that he bought these bags with him when he came to Kent county 39 years ago. There were several rare coins in the window, among which was a half dollar 123 years old and an old 2c piece. These belong to W. K. Joimer. An old pair of ear rings that belonged to Mr. Joimer's mother were also displayed. They were the kind that necessitated piercing the ear lobes before they could be worn. Mr. S. R. Lee had several interesting exhibits in the Bryant-Link window. An old candle mold that was used during the Civil War, and an old handmade wooden mixing bowl that has been in Mr. Lee's family for two generations attracted much interest. An old cap and ball rifle Mr. Lee purchased in Coleman county in 1907 from a man who stated to Mr. Lee at the time the gun was then 65 years old was also an object of interest. It is an old fox gun. Mr. Lee says that it

had tremendous range, and that he used it to hunt with on several occasions. Uncle Ed Foster (colored) had an old 45-70 buffalo gun in the group. Uncle Ed says that the gun was given to him by H. H. (Uncle Henry) Bilberry. In the exhibit at the Robinson building were two old spinning wheels, one of which belongs to Grandmother S. A. Knudson of Clairemont. Mrs. C. S. Kenady gave the people a demonstration of how to use the old spinning wheel Saturday. Mrs. Dick Sampson of Clairemont brought over her collection of arrowheads, beautifully and artistically arranged in glass top cases. Space does not permit the enumeration of all the wonderful things displayed for the interest and education of the throngs that came to help Jayton with her Centennial Celebration, but it was marvelous how many unusual and noteworthy objects were brought into town to help carry out the spirit of the day. The committee on exhibits wishes us to express for them their sincere appreciation for the helpful and generous cooperation that was extended them by everyone who helped make this part of the celebration something worthwhile and something not easily forgotten. We are proud of the exhibit and proud of the people who made it possible.

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

(Continued From Page One) gathered in Jayton. The game was close and hard fought. Jayton winning over Dickens by a score of 7-6.

Recess for the evening meal was then called and the sound equipment put in shape to broadcast to the crowd the Joe Louis-Schmeling fight which came on the air from the Yankee Stadium in New York City at eight o'clock. When the hour arrived for the fight to start, the city park was packed with people as close as sardines in a box and when it ended in a knockout of the Black Bomber, you may guess what happened. The Old Fiddlers Contest followed the prize fight hearing, with awards being given to the best fiddlers. We may state here that in this contest some of the best fiddling ever heard in this part of Texas was produced.

When a boy from the Spur territory played the Mocking Bird, the judges declared that he could beat any mocking bird they had ever heard. After the fiddlers contest came the grand final, the old time dance which lasted until 12:00 midnight. This about tells the story. It was a great day and a happy day, no accidents, no misconduct, no complaining and no disappointments as every thing went off better and was better than could have been hoped for. There were folks here from all the surrounding counties and some of the surrounding states. They enjoyed themselves and those we talked with said, "This beats anything we have seen in a small town an beats many of the larger towns in many ways."

Never Forgets A Buddy

Malakoff, June 24 — Ernest O. Thompson, chairman of the State Railroad Commission, never forgets a wartime buddy. Recently while riding through East Texas on a trip the former World War Colonel and the man who planned and executed the greatest machine gun barrage in history, remembered one of the men in his war-time division lived here. They had not met in many years. Malakoff was out of his way but Thompson decided to take the longer route to his destination so he could pay a call on the man who had served under him eighteen years before.

So he came here to see Roger Horbour. So delighted was Horbour at seeing his old Colonel that he had him to dinner and to meet his friends. And so pleasant was the renewal of old acquaintanceship for Thompson that he remained for several hours with Horbour to look at orders he had written in the front line trenches, and which Horbour had preserved, and joined with his former war-buddy in recalling incidents of their association on the battlefield.

WOMENS MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The W. M. S. met with Mrs. Chas. Robinson this week. Eight members were present. All members of the society are urged to be present at our next meeting next Monday at the home of Mrs. William Alexander.

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