

People Attend Meeting Of Oil Dealers

of the Conoco dealers of the district was attended evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Gibbs and Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell. The purpose of the meeting was held at the Crawford Spring was a discussion of the advertising campaign for the next year.

er editors were invited as the Continental Oil Company advertising show and for the following.

most of the advertising campaigns outlined by any oil company, program to be built on the any oil really different?"

radio, billboards, farm and a number of other media will be used to bring this before the motoring public.

ed campaign was accompanied by means of an e-described lecture explaining points.

seventy-five dealers and a newspaper folders were present at the meeting.

Discusses Problems of Soil Conservation

tion—"The work of the Soil Conservation Service in the 19th Congressional District was discussed last week between Con. George Mahon and Mr. H. W. Finnell, Amarillo, Regional Director of the Soil Conservation Service in Washington for other Regional Directors.

Administrative officials. Finnell outlined general phases work as it has been conducted CCC Camps in Lamb County Texas. He said: "I consider the conservation of our soil to be the most pressing problem confronting our Texas farmers. The vitality of the work which Mr. Finnell is inestimable. One of the virtues of the new farm bill passed by Congress last week is to concentrate interest in the great problem of soil conservation. Efforts to preserve the national soil which lies in our soil will meet my complete cooperation."

Teachers Receiving Songs Texas Sings For Use in Schools

Delias, Texas—"Songs Texas Sings" book, is being sent this week to public school teachers of the state by the Department of Publicity for Texas Centennial Celebrations.

book is designed to assist teachers in preparing school and community programs planned for Centennial celebrations. The 28 songs contained in were chosen after conferring with supervisors in Texas nationally. The selection is representative not only of songs of and about Texas but also some songs of the nation and the world which are best known to Tex-

Ann A. Lomax, compiler of Texas Song Book, says in the preface. "Some of these songs sprang out of the soil of the Southwest like prairie grass. No one knows the author of the music or words. Texas has certainly the right to claim them as her own folk songs."

reproduction of "Driving the Nails" by Frank Reaugh, Texas artist, appears on the inside of the cover. The picture has been nationally acclaimed as one of the outstanding things of the Texas range. The cover features a photograph of the Texas soil dome.

Palmer Implement Announces Reduction in Parts Prices

Attention of our readers who farm Palmer tractors is called to an from Palmer Implement company. Palmer dealer, which appears in Index this week.

enuine Palmer sleeves and pistons been reduced in price from \$20 to \$16.50. Buy your genuine Palmer parts at home, and thus help your home town merchant and at the same time preserve the life and usefulness of your tractor.

Miss Beverly Wells, school tax collector, was confined to her room several days last week and this with a of German measles.

Local People Attend Funeral of Relative

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Gibbs and Mrs. Clara Hardin were called to Bonar-ton last Sunday by the sad news of the death of Velma Lee, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Parker. Funeral services were held at Bonar-ton on Sunday.

The baby, who was born in O'Donnell in the stucco residence which is the property of Mr. Ed Gillispie of Levelland, died suddenly and of undetermined cause. She had apparently been as well as usual, had been up and playing in her accustomed manner, and dropped at her play. Physicians are of the opinion that an unexpected heart complication was undoubtedly the cause of her death.

Mrs. Parker is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Latham, while Mr. Parker and Mrs. Gibbs are brothers and sisters. The family has a score of friends and acquaintances here who will grieve with them in this great loss.

The Index joins with these friends in extending sympathy to members of the family here and to the bereaved parents.

Interesting Cases Tried In Dist. Court

District court went into its third week Monday with several interesting cases on the calendar. Early in the week, evidence was introduced seeking to prove that Oscar Sumner, charged with cattle theft, was in Clark-Ketchum at Lubbock at the time of the alleged misdemeanor.

Buck Brewer; also on trial for a similar offense, will likely not be tried this week, the case having been delayed because of the illness of his attorney, Tom Garrard.

Y. S. Barnett, 42-year-old man sentenced Wednesday of incest, was sentenced Wednesday to serve two years in the penitentiary. District Attorney Trust Smith states that a similar complaint against the man's 18-year-old niece will be dismissed.

County Calf Show To Be Saturday

County Agent V. F. Jones announces from his Tahoka office that the annual Fat Calf Show for Lynn county will be held on Saturday of this week at Tahoka. While there are no prospective entries so far from this end of the county, we make this announcement in the hope that some of our boys will be interested in making a trip to the show Saturday with a view toward breeding and raising an entry for next year.

Judging will begin at two thirty. Mr. Jones stated by telephone Tuesday evening, and it is hoped that a good crowd will be present.

It will be remembered that both Jordan Goddard and J. W. Gardenhire have reared fine calves in past years, and that our end of the county can carry off honors along this line when anyone takes the necessary trouble.

Three Local Boys Enlist In Army

Among fifty men recently enlisted in the United States Army at Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas, were Fred Murray, Edgar H. Lambert and John G. Smith, all of O'Donnell. These young men were recommended by several local business men, and their age and consent for enlistment was secured from their parents who are also residents of O'Donnell.

A number of vacancies are to be filled in the headquarters troop of the first Cavalry division, and also in the Eighth Cavalry, and Eighty-second Field Artillery with station at Fort Bliss.

Notice has been received that some colored men may be accepted for the Twenty-fifth Infantry stationed at Ft. Huachuca, Arizona, which is a colored regiment. All colored candidates should report at the Lubbock recruiting office immediately for preliminary examinations and preparation of enlistment papers.

Miss Ovell Warren was down from Tech over the weekend, visiting her parents and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Carl Richter of Skellytown was here Monday, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hancock.

McCarley Variety Have Moved To Their New Home

Variety goods and equipment of the J. C. McCarley interests here were moved Friday and Saturday to their new home in the Carlisle building, and the entire force has been busily engaged this week in arranging the new store to the best advantage.

This move leaves the entire old location to accommodate the ready-to-wear shop, under the direction of Mrs. Allen, and the dry goods stock, thus making it possible to arrange both places more attractively and also to make it possible to carry much larger stocks than have been possible this last year because of cramped quarters.

Mr. McCarley is unpacking huge shipments of new variety stock this week, preparing for early spring and Easter trade. Tables, shelves, and counters are conveniently and attractively arranged, and all the staff is rejoicing in the big new display windows.

At the dry goods store, several truck loads of equipment and furniture were installed recently, so that this store has one of the best equipped floors in this part of the South Plains. A shirt case, glass-cases for dresses, sweaters, full length mirrors, and a complete baby shop, are added features which will be appreciated by residents of the territory.

Every member of the staff at each of the stores has been thoroughly versed in the slogan that "honesty and fair dealing to everyone, and the best possible service at all times." You are cordially invited to come in and look the new stores over at any time.

H. L. HOHN WILL ENTER RACE FOR COMM. PRECINCT 2

We have been authorized to announce H. L. Hohn as a candidate for the office of Commissioner for Precinct No. 2, Dawson county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. Hohn needs no introduction to the people of his precinct, having made his home in this county for a number of years. He also served Precinct 2 as commissioner a few years ago. Mr. Hohn plans to see each voter personally before the coming election. He will make a formal statement to the people of Precinct 2 in the near future in this paper.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that there will be an election on the first Tuesday in April, which will be April 7th, for the purpose of electing two (2) aldermen for the City of O'Donnell.

A. C. Lambert, City Secretary.

To Paint Woodwork At M. E. Church

Through the industry and efforts of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church, woodwork at the church is to be varnished this week, or as soon as it can be done.

Recently this improvement was made in the young people's room, and the effect was so attractive that the ladies immediately decided that it should be done in all the other classrooms and the auditorium as well.

A public dinner, held in town Saturday, brought approximately \$36 into the treasury, and part of this sum is to be used in purchasing the necessary varnish, brushes, etc. The ladies will do the work themselves.

Well s Students Present Centennial Program Monday

Sixth grade students of the Wells public school presented a most interesting and worthwhile program Monday, March 2nd, joining with the state in observing the one hundredth birthday of the Texas' independence.

Under the direction of Miss Marie Davis, the children presented the following numbers during the assembly hour:

'Texas, Our Texas', sung by the class.

'Father of Texas—Austin', Hornaday McLaurin.

'The First President of the Republic', James Lindly.

'The Texas Flag', Francis Nelms.

'The Eyes of Texas', sung by the class.

'Texas' Independence Holiday, March 2, 1936', Emma Jo Hinkle.

'Texas State Capitol', James Barnes.

'The World War—Texas' Part', Artis Trotter.

'Texas Centennial', Lucy Alice Baum.

'Fall of the Alamo', Laleon Jordan.

'What Has Pat M. Neff Done for Texas?', Harley Meyers.

An added feature of the program was the fact that it was arranged by the pupils themselves after being planned by a committee composed of Laleon Jordan, James Barnes, and Billie Louise Eiter. Their teacher may well be proud of their work, and the Index extends hearty congratulations to her to the students, and to the parents.

We only wish we might have known about it in time to hear it ourselves.

Mrs. John Stokes and children were in Lamesa Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Haynes and family spent Sunday in Levelland with relatives.

B. L. Davis made a business trip to Tahoka Wednesday morning.

Editor E. I. Hill of the Lynn County News at Tahoka was in O'Donnell Friday afternoon.

Carveth Wells To Explore America For Conoco Again

Carveth Wells is back on the air! After spending nearly three years roaming U. S. Scenic highways, the jungles of Panama and the high, practically unexplored mountain regions of Mexico, this internationally famous reporter and globe trotter has announced that he will conduct a new series of "exploring America" broadcasts for Continental Oil Company.

The first of his 1936 Conoco radio travels will go on the air Sunday, March 8, over 20 of America's largest and best known stations, says Wells. This program will deal with scenic and historical attractions of Santa Fe, Taos and other sections of northern New Mexico.

Wells, whose wanderings have taken him to many strange corners of the earth, gained widespread popularity as a radio star during 1931, 1932 and 1933 when he conducted a series of 56 travel broadcasts for Continental and the Conoco Travel Bureau.

Prior to this, he had lived in the jungles of Malay, explored the Mountains of the Moon in Africa; visited the Holy Land, Russia and many other parts of Europe and Asia. He also has written several travel books.

The first broadcast of Wells' new series will feature some of the Indian pueblos and historical ruins for which New Mexico is famous, as well as many facts about the state's great scenic wealth.

Local listeners who wish to hear Wells on Sunday, March 8, may do so by dialing station WFAA at 12:15 to 12:45 P. M.

Government Will Pay Farmers For Last Year Contracts

College Station, Texas—With the passing of a recent appropriation bill by the President of the United States, Texas farmers are due to receive approximately \$17,500,000 to fulfill all old contracts for government acreage according to E. N. Holmgren, administrative assistant of the AAA at College Station.

"Some payments should begin to arrive within the next 30 days," Holmgren announced.

"Obligations of the U. S. Government to Texas farmers consist of second payments on the corn-hog contracts, and the payment of rental and party checks of cotton and the cotton adjustment payments," he said.

Holmgren went on to say that nearly all counties in the State have some second cotton rental and party payments due and also that all counties have some cotton adjustment payments coming.

With the opening of action again and an appropriation of \$296,183,000, skeleton forces were put to work February 13 and 14 in College Station to push with all speed the paying up of government obligations to the farmers.

Information rushed to the field and county agents by E. N. Holmgren consisted of the statements: "All contracts and obligations made and completed prior to January 6 will be paid."

"We are to proceed in liquidating all 1934 and 1935 cotton, corn-hog, and other contracts which were suspended or returned for correction."

Chester C. Davis, administrator of the Agricultural Adjustment Act in Washington, D. C., recently released this statement: "We will try to prevent delay in fulfilling obligations and in reimbursing those producers who carried out their agreements with the AAA in good faith."

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hays and Mr. and Mrs. Amos McMillan and little daughter recently spent several days with relatives at Donna and other S. Texas points. Mrs. Hays and Mr. and Mrs. McMillan, accompanied by Mr. Bill Hays, returned from the trip last week, but Mr. Hays remained through the winter.

Little Miss Jennie Mae Shoemaker has been quite ill for several days with an attack of flu. She is able to be up a few minutes at a time today.

Mrs. W. R. Gibson, Lee Gibson and Misses Aveline Gibson and Ruby Sawyer spent Sunday in Andrews with Mr. and Mrs. Guy McGill.

Mmes. Carey Shook, G. E. Bryant, Roy Gibson, Rudolph Middleton, and W. R. Gibson were in Lamesa Tuesday on business.

Mrs. W. W. Hancock called us Saturday and placed subscriptions for their son, Mr. Eldon Hancock, and for their daughter, Mrs. Carl Richter. We thank you, ma'am.

Big Frost In O'Donnell Wednesday Morning

But it was a very warm, pleasant and genial Frost—240 points of him. Big Jack Frost, factory representative for Waples-Platter Grocery company is making a flying tour of the territory, and stopped at the Index office long enough to express the appreciation of the company to O'Donnell customers for their loyal patronage.

The Waples-Platter company, as most folks are aware, started business in a tent on the banks of the river back in 1872. Now the factory site covers 27 acres, and 35 staple items are put up by the company, in 50 different styles. Containers. The daily capacity of the canning plant, incidentally, is 63,000 cans of ranch style beans daily. Quite a few beans, eh?

Waples-Platter Company early in its history adopted as its slogan these words: "What Texas Makes, Makes Texas," and the entire personnel has stuck by that slogan throughout the career of W-P. Now it is the largest wholesale grocery packer and canner south of the Mason and Dixon line, and a credit to the state that gave it birth.

Index readers will be interested to know that our local salesman, Mr. Jack Tucker, who was seriously injured two weeks ago in a car smash-up near Meadow, is finally on the mend at his home in Lubbock, and will soon be back on the job. Mr. Tucker makes this territory regularly, always trying to make to O'Donnell in time for lunch, and is well-known among local people.

Mr. Frost states that business throughout the territory is exceptionally good, and that he is heartily enjoying this opportunity of becoming better acquainted with West Texas and New Mexico.

Davis Child Injured As He Saves Pen

A little boy and his dog—two friends who are seldom separated in life—almost met death together here Monday afternoon on the John B. Davis farm west of town.

J. B. Jr. six-year-old son of the family, and one of the most engaging small boys since Huckleberry Finn or Penrod, was enjoying a romp with his pet dog when a car came down the highway. The little dog bravely attempted to chase this newcomer out of his own sacred precincts, and dashed unheedingly right under the wheels.

Unhappily, the boy swooped to his pet's rescue, snatching him from danger. But he was not quick enough to save himself and some part of the machine struck him. The little fellow was rushed immediately to a Lubbock hospital with a broken right thigh. As we go to press today reports as to his recovery are favorable.

Plan More Jobs For Young People

W. B. Bishop, in charge of the NRS office for Lynn county, is making a strenuous effort to place all eligible young people who are not in school or who are not employed otherwise, in some kind of WPA work.

According to Mr. Bishop, any youth between the ages of 16 and 25 and whose family is certified to the WPA, and who have themselves been certified, is eligible for this work. Such youths are asked to register with the NRS in room 5 of the Thomas Building at Tahoka, and then write a letter to the State or Local director of the National Youth Administration, giving a brief account of yourself and your qualifications, sending a copy of the letter to the Division of Employment, WPA, at Big Spring.

Only a limited number of youths can be selected. Mr. Bishop points out. The selection will be carried out under the joint supervision of the State Youth Director of the WPA Division of Employment, or Assistant Director of Intake and Certification. The daily wage for this part time employment ranges from \$1.21 to \$4.34, and the maximum number of hours per month is 46. It is not the intention however, for any youth who is in school to drop his studies for these part time jobs. Days for registration in Lynn county are Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week.

Eugene Debenport left Saturday for Kilgore, where he will be employed for some time.

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**RANDALL H. D. CLUB
 TO MEET THURSDAY**

Members of the Randall Home Demonstration Club are reminded of the club meeting which is to be held next Thursday at the home of Mrs. Clarence Gillispie.

Demonstration of the foundation pattern will be the subject of the meeting. It is announced, Miss Esther Davis is the club pattern demonstrator. All members are urged to be present, and any visitors and new members will be cordially welcomed.

**MRS. McLAURIN HOSTESS
 TO SEWING CLUB**

The Busy Bee Sewing Club met at the home of Mrs. John McLauren last Wednesday and spent the day in profitable and pleasant work, completing one quilt. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. G. G. Vaughn on March 4th.

Those present for the last meeting were Mmes. Emma Pearce, J. M. Vaughn, Jack Henry, Cecil Pearce, G. G. Vaughn, Perry Clayton, Marcus Pearce, John Etter and Harris; Misses Fay and Effie Vaughn.

POR SALE: One extra good pair work horses. See Ed Hammack, on highway 2 miles north of O'Donnell.

METHODIST CHURCH

Order of services:
 Church school 10:00 a. m.
 Morning worship 11:00 a. m.
 Epworth League 6:30 p. m.
 Evening service 7:00 p. m.
 Church Loyalty night, Wednesday, 7:07 p. m.
 Board of finance meets 1st Monday night in each month.
 W. M. S. Monday afternoons at 3:00 at church.
 You will always find a cordial welcome awaiting you at the Methodist church.
 "A church with the glad hand."
 M. Russell Pike, Pastor.

4-H Club News

**WELLS 4-H GIRLS
 START YEAR BOOKS**

Beginning of year books and completion of club aprons were the two main objects of the regular meeting of the Wells 4-H club girls at the school building Thursday, Feb. 6.

Miss Sylvia Robb, county home demonstration agent, met with the club and helped to outline some of the year's plans.

**WELLS H. D. CLUB
 ELECTS NEW OFFICERS**

Election of officers for the coming year was completed at the last meeting of the Wells Home Demonstration club. The club on February 6th at the home of Mrs. John Etter.

Officers were elected as follows: Chairman, Mrs. Dewey Greenwood; vice-chairman, Mrs. Fred McGinty; secretary, Mrs. Levi Gray; assistant-secretary, Mrs. Ellis Barnes; reporter, Mrs. Etter.

Miss Robb was present and gave some interesting and helpful suggestions on kitchen improvement.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. L. J. Barrett on February 20th.

**MESSES EDWARDS, GODDARD
 HOSTESSES AT PARTY**

(Accidentally omitted last week)

T. E. L. Class members had their regular meeting of this month with Mrs. J. A. Edwards and Mrs. Ed Goddard co-hostesses. The meeting was held at the Edwards home.

A Valentine motif was carried out in appointments for games during the social hour which followed the business session.

At the close of the afternoon, delicious refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, stuffed olives, angel food squares and hot chocolate topped with whipped cream were served to Mmes. Vermillion, Middleton, Loper, Smith, Vaughn, Hancock, Yandell, Lambert, Huff, Cummins, Lehman, James, and the hostesses. Plate favors were Valentines and candy hearts.

**STUDY CLUB INTEREST
 GROWING WEEKLY**

A new organization which is growing rapidly and attracting much attention is the recently organized book club, which is also something of a study club as well.

This club was organized several weeks ago with Rev. M. R. Pike as sponsor, and meetings are held each Monday evening in the pastor's study at the Methodist church. Members were numbered as they enrolled, and each member contributed one book of standard, current fiction, poetry, biography, drama, or any volume which would be considered interesting or instructive. Member No. 1 hands his or her book on to No. 2, No. 2 passes his selection on to No. 3, etc.

Programs will vary in their nature, sometime one member discussing a book of article for the benefit of the others, or there may be a roundtable discussion. As soon as the club is settled in its routine, we hope to be able to publish the program for each meeting.

**DISTRICT SUPERVISOR
 NAMED FOR OLD AGE
 PENSION MOVEMENT**

A further step in the workings of the Old Age Pension Assistance Commission was taken last week when the District Supervisor was named. The



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 Geo. D. Norman 51

**State Old Age Pension bill into
 effect last Friday.**

George B. White of Big Spring was named supervisor of District 18, which includes both Lynn and Dawson counties. Mr. White states that it now appears that there will be little difficulty for those eligible to secure this pension, a statement which we sincerely hope will prove correct. It is believed that this pension may be secured without the aid of paid agents and all our citizens who are eligible to receive it are warned to beware of any one who tries to charge for any services.

D. M. Estes, president of the local club, states that there are approximately 50 persons in our territory eligible to receive this assistance.

PERSONALS

Mr. John R. Mayo stopped us Thursday and renewed their Index subscription. Mr. and Mrs. Mayo have read the Index continuously since the first issue back in 1923, and he was kind enough to say some very flattering things about it as he renewed. Thank you sir; we will try to be worthy of all the things you said.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Nelson of the New Moore community on Monday March 2nd, a fine nine-pound son. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Allan Davis returned Thursday from Rotan, where he had visited relatives and friends since Sunday.

Mr. Glen Allen renewed their Index subscription Thursday afternoon. We thank you, sir.

Mr. George Burdett renewed their Index subscription Monday. Thank you very much, sir. Every Burdett family is on our subscription list, which is a mighty fine record, we think.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McCarter, Mrs. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alexander were in Lubbock Sunday, buying spring merchandise for the two stores here.

Mrs. Roy D. Smith dropped by the office Thursday morning and asked us to send the Index to her daughter, Mrs. Ray McCarter, at Snyder. We have had this pleasure for almost a year, and enjoy sending it almost as

much as we hope she enjoys receiving her home town news. Thank you, Mrs. Smith.

Lloyd Shoemaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shoemaker, Jr., has been ill this week with flu, being out of school a day or so. William has also been quite ill with the same complaint, so the Shoemakers have had a pretty tough time of it this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alexander, Mrs. J. C. McCarter and Mrs. F. M. Jones were in Lubbock on business Friday of last week.

Hershel D. Collings, candidate for the office of clerk of Lynn County, was here Saturday meeting O'Donnell folks and getting acquainted.

J. B. Miles dropped by Saturday and got his subscription all straightened out and paid up in full for another year. Thank you, sir.

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C. C. Nunnally, O'Donnell, made the fall semester honor roll at Texas Technological college with an average grade of B.

W. C. Edney, one of our subscribers way out on Route 1, was in town Saturday with his little daughter. Mr. Edney has been ill since a car wreck early in the fall, and has been confined to his bed much of the time.

Miss Edna Muriel Lewis of Lubbock was the guest several days last week and this, of Miss Ruth Marie Howard

**O'Donnell Lodge
 No. 1187**

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 Dick Foran in
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**Sat. Owl Show
 Timothy Que
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**Sunday - Mond
 MARCH 8-9
 James Dunn in
 'The Crusader'
 with Loretta Young, He
 Wilcox**

**Tuesday
 MARCH 10
 'Bad Boy'**

**Wednesday - Thu
 MARCH 11-12
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Centennial Motif Used For Afternoon Bridge
 Centennial influence was displayed for the first time at a party here Friday afternoon when Mmes. Marshall Whitsett and B. J. Boyd were co-hostesses at the home of the latter.
 Reception rooms were beautiful with pot plants, and game appointments carried out the Texas Centennial theme. Tally cards were hand-painted miniature Texas maps, decorated with a landscape scene featuring blue bonnets. Score pads were in the same design in a larger size.
 Three tables were placed for games of bridge, which was the diversion of the afternoon. High score went to Miss Marie McDonald, who was given a beautiful Texas plaque handpainted in the bluebonnet motif, while consolation went to Mrs. Harvey Jordan. Her prize was a piece of hand-decorated china.
 Delicious chicken salad, cheese balls, wafers, jam cake topped with whipped cream, and coffee were served to Mmes. Harvey Jordan, Guy Bradley, Thuman Wells, Ferrell Farrington, C. C. Caldwell, C. H. Cabool, J. M. Noble Jr., Fay Westmoreland, DeWitt Knox, L. E. Robinson, Fred Henderson; Misses Marie McDonald and Alice Busby.

Miscellaneous Shower Honors Recent Bride
 Honoring Mrs. Pat Gary, who was Miss Verna Mae Anderson before her marriage early in February, an informal reception and miscellaneous shower was held last Thursday afternoon in the home of Miss Dimple Hancock. Assisting her in entertaining were Misses Ruth Marie Howard, Edwyna Vermillion and Winnie Vaughn.
 Texas Centennial motifs were used throughout the delightful affair. The reception rooms were profusely decorated with national and Lone Star flags, carrying out a color scheme of red, white and blue. The central decoration was a placard in the form of a Texas flag, bearing the words "To honor Pat and Verna" on the blue field.
 Games were listed in a book decorated in the chosen colors, and led by Miss Hancock, guests enjoyed this form of entertainment. During the social hour, the honoree was blindfolded and was asked to pin a star on the Texas map. As she did this, the gifts were brought in and presented.
 After the handsome array of gifts had been opened and admired, refreshments of coffee, cake, and mints were served buffet style. Mrs. Hollis Hunt and Miss Louise Anderson, sister of the bride, poured coffee.
 The table was beautifully decorated in the chosen theme. Two hearts with the names Pat and Verna, formed the centerpiece, and a lattice-work of red and blue covered the white damask cloth.
 Some sixty guests called during the afternoon, and scores of others sent gifts.

S. S. Class Entertained With Weiner Roast
 Members of the Junior Girls' Sunday School class of the Methodist church held a pleasant social occasion Wednesday afternoon at the church when losers of a Bible reading contest entertained the winners.
 Games were played and the picnic supper enjoyed by Allie Jo Schooler, Marcille Lambert, Elouise Shoemaker, June Gibson, Juanita Cargal, Katherine Allen, Ruth Hall, Helen June Gantt, Wilda Gene Campbell, Dorothy Clayton, Doris Nell Gates, Betty Lou Pierce, Ruth Walker the mascot, Helen Jones, and the teacher, Mrs. Roy Gibson.

SUNSHINE SHOWER GIVEN FOR RANDALL LADY
 Mrs. Jim Dorsey was the much surprised honoree Wednesday afternoon of this week when Mrs. Claude McKee entertained with a miscellaneous sunshine shower at her home in the Randall community.
 Mrs. Dorsey was the recipient of a number of dainty and useful gifts, all of which were much appreciated.
 Mrs. McKee served delicious homemade candies to twenty-one guests.

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Miss Anna Mae Miller And I. D. Ables Wed
 Completely surprising families and friends, Miss Anna Mae Miller and I. D. Ables slipped quietly away to Lamesa at noon Monday, March 2, and were married.
 The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller of the Help-Yourself Laundry here, and has many friends throughout the territory during the residence of the family in O'Donnell.
 Mr. Ables is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ables, well-known residents of this section for a number of years, and is highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends.
 The couple will make their home on the farm near O'Donnell.
 The Index joins with other friends in extending hearty congratulations.
 Miss Laynette Smith returned Wednesday night from an extended visit with relatives and friends in Dallas.

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Beans	Curtis brand, cut green stringless, 2 No. 2 cans	15c
Apricots	California packed Gallon can	39c
Corn	Iowa club brand 2 No. 2 cans	19c
Tomatoes	Full standard hand-packed No. 2 can, 3 for	21c

Pineapple, Red & White, No. 2 tin	17c
Blackberries, Texas, No. 2 tin	9c
Beans, B. & W. Mexican Style, size 300, 3 for	25c
Peas, Fresh Blackeyed, No. 300 size	9c
Corn, R. & W., 2 No. 2 cans	25c
R. & W. Pineapple Juice, 12-oz. tin	9c
Peas, Kuner's, Economy, No. 2 tin	14c
Macaroni, Y-D brand, 2 pkgs	9c
Raisin Bran, package	12c
Wafers, Vanilla, 14-oz. pkg.	19c
Ovaltine, regular 50c size	33c
R. & W. Tomato Juice, 13-oz. tin	7 1/2c
Pork & Beans, Blue & White, full 16-oz. can	5c
Soap, P & G, 6 bars	18c
Soap, Camay, 2 bars	11c
Chipso, small size	8c
Tuna Fish, Mission brand	13c
Mackerel, 1-lb tall can, 3 for	25c
Oval Sardines, 16-ounce	9c
Mayonnaise, Red & White, 8-oz.	14c
Sun-Spun Salad Dressing and Salad Spread, 8-oz. 16-oz. jar	22c; Quart jar 35c

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CURB SERVICE

Health Department Warns Against Colds

Austin, Texas—"Keep your body in good condition," advised Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer. While colds, influenza, and pneumonia are different conditions, all three may be brought on or made worse by lowered bodily resistance, and all three may often be prevented in the same ways.

When these communicable diseases are prevalent, avoid crowds as much as possible and plan your work and recreation so that you will not overtax your strength and get tired out. Be sure that the room where you are is well ventilated. Drink plenty of water and don't let your system get clogged up.

Sufficient rest, cleanliness of hands, mouth and teeth, fresh air while at work and at sleep, regulation of meals and bodily functions, wholesome food and freedom from anxiety will increase bodily resistance and avoid contracting the disease.

Many Texans Join In Celebration Of State Independence

Texas celebrated her one hundredth birthday Monday of this week, and thousands of her citizens took part in public ceremonies observing the anniversary. At the birthplace of Texas' independence, quiet little old Washington-on-the-Brazos, Gov. James V. Allred personally took part in the re-enactment of the signing of the declaration of Texas independence from Mexico. All students of Texas history are familiar with this story and with the original document, which had been transferred for the day from Austin.

Two other governors were present to take part in these ceremonies. Gov. Philip LaFollette of Wisconsin, and Gov. Hill McAllister of Tennessee. The three governors made impressive addresses appropriate to the historic occasion.

Similar celebrations were held at other points throughout the state and the year-long birthday party of a state was officially begun. It is believed that the Centennial celebration will be the means of bringing Texas and her enormous development and possibilities before the eyes of the nation in a way which would be possible in no other manner. Long acknowledged one of the most picturesque and romantic of the states, Texans everywhere are of the opinion that it is high time the world should know that this empire is worthwhile for more things than ten gallon hats, boots and saddles, and whiteface cattle.

As that radio favorite has it, you can live on the plains or the mountains or down where the sea breezes blow, and the climate is only one of the thousands of wonderful features of this wonderful state of ours. From now on, South Plains folks, let's talk Texas as we have never talked before; this is our Centennial, and it's up to us to show the world that all the things we've said about our state in the past were mild compared to realities.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations as follows:

- Flat-bed bookkeeping machine operator, \$1,620 a year.
- Associate research physiologist, Air Corps, Material Division, Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, \$3,200 a year.
- Principal agricultural research writer, \$5,600 a year, special agricultural research writer, \$3,800 a year, agricultural research writer, \$2,900 a year, agricultural research writer (radio), \$2,900 a year, Department of Agriculture.

All States except Colorado, Iowa, Maryland, Minnesota, South Dakota, Vermont, Virginia, and the District of Columbia have received less than their quota of appointments in the apportioned departmental position in Washington, D. C. The position of associate research physiologist is not affected by the State apportionment law.

Full information may be obtained from the Secretary of the United States Civil Service Board of Examiners at the post office in any city that has a post office of the first or second class, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Mr. Roy O. Nettles, who is a candidate for the office of county clerk of Lynn county, was in O'Donnell Saturday in the interests of his campaign.

G. Bert Davis returned Friday evening from Rotan, where he had spent several days recuperating from an attack of flu.

H. C. Story, who is a candidate for re-election to the office of clerk of Lynn county, was in O'Donnell Saturday afternoon.



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Quaint Old Paper Proves Interesting

Index readers who are interested in old relics will be glad to see a copy of the Dallas Morning News dated August 4, 1902. The old paper, its pages yellow and worn with age, is the property of Mrs. M. M. Simpson, and was loaned to us for a few days.

The paper was sent to Mrs. Simpson by a friend, Jeff Crow, Jr. of Ruston, La. The most interesting item is an account of another old paper which had been sent to the Dallas News. The paper was the Natchez, Miss. Gazette of August 10, 1809, and the Dallas News mentions particularly the old-fashioned appearance of that publication. The Gazette, states the News, had carried a story of the abdication of King Charles IV of Spain, and his appeal to the Emperor Napoleon, which occurred at Aranjuez.

The old copy of the News looks very little like the News of today. An advertisement from the book department at Sanger Bros. appears on the front page in the upper left corner, as does another ad from the Murray Gin Co. One important news story is headed simply 'Church and State', and proved to be an account of a sermon preached by the Archbishop Ireland in St. Paul, Minn. An Ohio streetcar strike is headed in type about the size of this you are reading, and another news item states Sunday plans for President Roosevelt and family at Oyster Bay. Another item, on the Woman's Page, describes in great detail the wedding gown worn by Miss Lily May Oelrichs.

However, it is in the advertising columns that the most interesting changes are to be found. In the entire ten pages, there are perhaps 200 inches of advertising. Studebaker advertises 'the latest and most complete' motor car, and the picture accompanies the ad. (It looks like a buggy.)

Mrs. Simpson has kindly given her permission for us to keep the old paper at the office for a few days, in order that Index readers may see it at their leisure.

Mrs. W. L. Palmer and daughter, Miss Thelma, spent the week-end in Hamlin with her mother, Mrs. D. M. Poe.

Mrs. A. A. House of Sweetwater, former resident and business woman of O'Donnell, is here for an indefinite stay, looking after business interests.

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