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Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cabool made a business trip to Lubbock Sunday.

CLUB NEWS

H. D. CLUB: 10 HOLD ALL-DAY MEET

We are asked to announce that the Randle H. D. Club and the O. K. Club will hold a joint meeting at the O. K. school building on Friday, May 17. All members of both clubs are urged to come, and to bring a well filled basket, as this is to be an all day meeting.

Demonstration of correct methods of mattress making will be the program for the day.

DRAW CLUB GIRLS TO IMPROVE BEDROOMS

"Each girl must do something to improve her bedroom this summer," said Miss Sylvia Robb, C. H. D. A. The girls are also taking cooking this summer. We were given recipes that require farm products with the exception of fruits. Each girl is to try her best with at least two of these recipes before the meeting in June.

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CLUB DISCUSSES RECIPE FILE

"What value would a file for recipes, menus, bulletins be to you?" was the question Mrs. R. L. Littlepage asked the members of the Midway Home Demonstration Club, that met with Mrs. L. M. Norykne on May 15.

The following guests were present: Mmes. S. J. Kitchens, Durvie Luttrull, and L. M. Matthews. Guests are always welcome to our meetings. Ten members were present including three new members.

WILSON H. D. CLUB MET MAY THIRD

Wilson Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Louise Muller May 3. As the weather was bad, only nine members, a new member and one was to be given by the garden demonstrator, Mrs. J. P. White and Mrs. L. C. Hamilton. As Mrs. Hamilton was absent Mrs. J. P. White gave both parts.

EDITH CLUB DISCUSSES FURNITURE REPAIRING

The Edith 4-H club girls met Friday, May 3, with Dorothy Kahl, the garden demonstrator. Miss Robb was present and discussed repairing an old piece of furniture, which is one of the goals of the bedroom co-operators.

Miss Robb also gave several recipes for us to try for our cooking project.

H. D. MEMBERS DISCUSS VALUE OF CANDLEWICK

"When we make a candlewick bed spread, we have something that will last for years and that will increase in value and beauty as it grows older," said Miss Sylvia Robb, county home demonstration agent, when she met with the O'Donnell club at the

home of Mrs. F. G. Wheeler, Tuesday afternoon, May 14.

"One may also use the candlewick to ornament lounging robes, scarfs, and pajamas," said Miss Robb.

A candlewick bedspread can be made for as little as \$3, but should you buy one at a store, the price would be something like \$15 for one with an average amount of work. So club women effect a nice saving by making their own.

The next club meeting will be at the home of Mrs. F. A. Anderson on May 28. Those present Tuesday were: Mmes. Carroll, Anderson, Edwards, Clayton, Tredway, Tunn, Saurin, Miss Robb, and the hostess and her daughter, Miss Ozelle Wheeler.

Rendering School Taxes; Tax Maps Being Made

Several weeks ago the Board of Education of the O'Donnell Independent School District employed Miss Beverly Wells to take renditions of real and personal property for school taxes, and this work is now in progress. Several weeks ago the Board of Education of the O'Donnell Independent School District employed Miss Beverly Wells to take renditions of real and personal property for school taxes, and this work is now in progress. Several weeks ago the Board of Education of the O'Donnell Independent School District employed Miss Beverly Wells to take renditions of real and personal property for school taxes, and this work is now in progress.

Of special interest to patrons of the school district will be the information that for the first time in the recollection of present school authorities, a complete and up-to-date map of the district has been made. W. E. Singleton, treasurer of the board, outlined the map, and with the assistance of practically everybody in town, the tax collector has printed the property owners names and the acreage in their property in the correct section and block. As much of the land in our district has changed hands frequently in the past and had not been rendered by its owners, this task was rather tedious. These names were lightly printed in pencil, in order that they may be erased and changed when necessary. The map is hanging in Mrs. Farrington's office, and has created quite a bit of interest among residents of the district. Members of the board believe that it will be much easier to keep track of each piece of property now.

A map of the City of O'Donnell, on a considerably larger scale than it has ever been drawn, is also being made this week. Mr. Singleton drew the map, dividing it into streets and blocks. Mrs. Farrington will complete the work in a manner similar to that of the school district map, printing the names of the owner of each lot, and the value of the property. In order that differences in valuations as listed in the map will be easily understood, it is planned to show whether the lot is a vacant one, whether it has a good house and other improvements, or whether the property is only a shack, etc. This will be done by using pins with different colored heads. For instance a lot which has a well-built stucco residence will be indicated by the presence of a pin with a white head; a vacant lot will be without a pin of any kind; a lot with just a fair house will have a pin with a red head, while a lot on which there is a shack will have a black headed pin.

Following this method, it is explained, will be very convenient in

making up tax rolls. For instance, when the house is sold and moved away, or if it burns, or if the property should be improved, the change in the color of the pins would readily explain any drastic change in valuation on the next year's tax roll.

BLUE DARTER—

News of Joe Bailey Community By Mary Frances Brewer

Miss Tempo Bolch of the Wells community and Miss Geneva Farris of O'Donnell spent the week end with Miss Theo Warren. Misses Anne and Annette Brewer visited in O'Donnell last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brewer spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Lonnie Williams. Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Brewer and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Yandell Sunday. Miss Erma Eaker of O'Donnell spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. U. C. Rains. Misses Jewel Singleton and Melba

Harris of O'Donnell spent the week end with Anne and Annette Brewer. L. T. Brewer made a business trip to Tahoka last Saturday. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mary Frances, and Miss Ruby Ratliff. Everyone who received any of the rain Saturday afternoon is busy planting this week. There was a good attendance at Sunday school Sunday morning. The lesson was discussed and enjoyed by everyone. Bro. Henderson of O'Donnell preached two fine sermons, one in the afternoon, and another in the evening.

Miss Vera Jean Ward of the young people of Tahoka reported a party Saturday to notify the young people in address of this party. A. Blackmon, she being Tarzan to Lenora. Miss Merle Womack Sheriff B. L. Paul from Tahoka Saturday.

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ANNUAL SENIOR DINNER HELD MAY 12

The annual Senior Dinner was held at the home of Jim Ellen Wells on Sunday May 12.

Guests were entertained into the reception room by Misses Dorothy Jordan and Merle Miles.

The living room was decorated in the class colors, pink and orchid. Strips of crepe paper draped from the sides of the room to the ceiling with several strips woven among the pink roses were placed around the room.

Five tables seating four persons each were cleverly arranged. The place cards were made in small three page books, the front page cover consisting of a basket of flowers and individual name.

Misses Merle Miles, Dorothy Jordan, Connie McConal and Modene McLaurin were elected by the Seniors to serve.

The Seniors attending were Misses Mildred Coplin, Opal Talley, Winnie Vaughn, Margaret Vermillion, Jim Vaughn, Margaret Doolley, Jim Vaughn, Margaret Doolley, and Ovell Warren; Messrs. Kenneth Askew, Wayne Clayton, Odwin Harley, J. D. Hunt, Bob Line, Ben Morrison, Glenn Payne, Julian Pirtle, Neall Stokes, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cathey.

ANNUAL JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET IS HELD

(Delayed from last week)
Varying from the traditional formal banquet, the annual banquet held during high school graduates this year took the form of a garden party. The members of the Junior class were hosts to the graduates and to high school faculty members, as well as a number of special guests.

Strands and evergreens were arranged in the upstairs hall of the high school building in such a manner that the staid old gathering place took on the appearance of a lawn. Tables for four were ranged in the garden, gaily colored Japanese lanterns further carrying out the garden theme. Guests marched upstairs in couples, passed through the flower-twined, arched gateway, and were welcomed by officers of the Junior class before being directed to their places. Miniature May baskets filled with sweets, the Senior class flowers, were place cards. Pastel colored liners further emphasized the spring like atmosphere of the scene and carried out the colors of the year.

After grace had been said by T. R. Harrison, Junior class sponsor, Miss Norma Ruth Vermillion, president of the class, welcomed the Seniors and other guests. Miss Dorothy Wallis, Senior class president, responded most graciously for the guests. During the meal numerous brief talks were made by members of the faculty, of the two classes, by special guests, and by the muscists. Guy Stanley, Cathers for the Seniors and Jo Anne Campbell for the Juniors. As a special attraction, the Senior quartet rendered several numbers.

At the close of the meal, which was served by members of the upper classes, the assembly adjourned to the auditorium for a program of musical and novelty dance numbers. Miss Ava John Anderson sang "We'll Forget You" dedicating the song to the Seniors. Misses Yvonne Westcott and Betty Rhea Caldwell gave a song-and-dance, in clever costume, which was roundly applauded. To close the affair, the class muscists appeared in a vaudeville skit "Mr and Mrs. Is the Name."

MRS. VAUGHN HOSTESS TO QUILTING CLUB

Members of the Busy Bee quilting club met in regular session at the home of Mrs. J. M. Vaughn last Thursday. One quilt was completed and another begun. Those present were Misses G. G. Vaughn, Vau Pearce, Perry Clayton, Dallas Vau Pearce, Emmet Pearce, Bill Brunson, W. E. Simmons, T. M. Pearce, John McLaurin; Miss Effie Vaughn.

Table appointments carried out the colors of the class, green and orchid. An informal and delicious dinner was enjoyed, with plenty of time for visiting and "do you remember?"

C. Nunnally and James Cathey of Lubbock. Both young men are now students at Tech, and their appearance in time for dinner was a happy surprise for their classmates.

WITH OUR NEIGHBORS

Corn-Hog Producers have been all smiles the past few days as two hundred and forty-two checks have arrived for delivery and totaling \$9,034. All checks have been delivered but 14. However, there are yet to be paid only nine checks for those producers who have cooperated in the reduction program. The sign-up this year for the reduction is three hundred and sixty producers.—Dawson Co. Courier.

While most of the counties were taking a loss in school population in this section, Terry county showed a gain of 143 over the 1934 census. Brownfield alone gained 98 pupils over last year. Thirteen of the districts made a gain, nine showed a loss from last year, while one showed the same as last year, making fourteen not to show a loss.—Terry Co. Herald

Twenty-eight boys of the rural schools of Crosby county left Monday morning on a thousand mile trip with Austin as their destination. They will return home on May 12. San An-

tonio will be one of the main stops, as well as other interesting places along the road. The delegation will visit in Austin two days and pay the governor a visit.—Crosbytown Review.

A meeting of the Old Settlers will be held Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock in County Judge Tom W. Deens office, George L. Fawver, president of the Pioneer Settlers Association stated yesterday afternoon.

Plans are to be discussed for the 45th anniversary of Floyd County on Tuesday, May 28. Officers and directors of the association and any other old settler who wishes to help, are invited to be present.—Floyd Co. Hesperian.

The O'Donnell Index came to us last week dressed in royal purple. Whether this is the future color of attire, or they ran out of regulation white and substituted poster, our copy said so.—Terry County Herald. (Just a delay in a shipment of newspaper, Brother Stricklin, but have we been razzed about it.)

Announcement was made this week of the creation of a "Planning Board" for Floyd County. Members of the board will serve for an indefinite period of time without remuneration. These members were appointed by the respective official of his district, precinct, or municipality.—Lockney Beacon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Tume and little son, who recently moved to Lamesa, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Tume.

O'Donnell Club Easy Winner Over Meadow

Skipper Lee Wright's hard-slugging, speedy Hubbers trotted in an easy victory over the visiting Meadow nite here Sunday afternoon, the final counts being 15-3.

Attendance at the game was very good indeed, reaching a new high mark. The boys were glad to see the numerous fans from the various communities in our territory, while local people turned out better than usual also.

Lefty Reeves pitched a real game for the locals, winding up his south-paw with even more than his usual vim and vigor, and the boys rallied handsomely to his lead. "Little" Harris, who, by the way, is little no longer, officiated behind the bat, and was in the game every minute.

While each man on the team turned in a workmanlike game, three high lights brought wild cheers from the fans. One of these was Paul Reeves homer late in the game, another was McVicker's two-bagger on a bunt, and still another was Ritchey's three base hit.

(Editor's Note: We wish our readers to understand that we are making no attempt to write up this game as it should be written; we've never seen a woman who could qualify as a sports writer. So if we have some of our terms all wrong, excuse it please. Anyhow, you get the idea that we're right there adding our coaching to the boys' own ideas. Next week we hope to have our official sports writer, Alvis Treway, on the

job for the duration of the season. Until then we can only report that it was a good game and that "we whipped."

To Play Post May 26

Unless the schedule is changed this week, the Hubbers will probably go over to Punkin Center this Sunday. Manager Wright is still trying to get a game at home, but could make no definite announcement as we go to press.

However, he authorizes us to announce that the Post boys are to be here Sunday week, or May 26, and that this is expected to be one of THE games of the season. The boys are exceedingly anxious to have a good line-up of home folks on hand that day. Come on out folks; these boys are playing some real baseball, and J. M. Payne will appreciate any advice and assistance you can give him in this unipire business. And by the way, he did a good job Sunday afternoon.

City Tax Rendition Completed Last Week

Rendition of real and personal property in the City of O'Donnell is practically complete, states Miss Beverly Wells, city tax assessor.

B. M. Haymes announces that the equalization board will be ready for work within the next week or ten days. There has been very little change in property valuation, Mayor Haymes states, but in some few instances such as the case. Formal no-

deed to appear before the board will be sent to interested parties in plenty of time for a complete discussion of such cases.

It is hoped that it will be possible to complete making of the 1935 tax roll before the end of the month, Miss Wells said Tuesday. Mr. Cliff Lambert is city secretary and tax collector.

Mother's Day Program Is Well Attended

An attentive and responsive congregation was present at the special Mother's Day service arranged by the First Baptist and Methodist Churches Sunday evening, and the program was much enjoyed. The auditorium of the Methodist church was filled to capacity long before the hour set.

Three special musical numbers were rendered, the first being a chorus, "Dear Mother, 'Tis of Thee" by twelve children. Hilton Henslee gave a vocal solo the appealing "Baby Your Mother Like She Babied You". A quartet by Mr. and Mrs. Carey Shook, C. H. Mansell, and Cecil Pearce was also much appreciated.

Rev. A. Loper, pastor of the First Baptist Church, delivered the address of the evening.

Mrs. R. E. Schoeler writes that she is feeling much better since her stay in Dallas with her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Morton, and that she hopes to be home soon, fully recovered. Her many friends will be very glad indeed to know this.

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2,000,000 LBS. OF TURPENTINE
62,000,000 LBS. OF COTTON
128,000 GALS. OF TUNG OIL
2,500,000 GALS. OF MOLASSES

This map does not pretend to locate the SOURCES of farm products, except in a general way.

"I foresee the time when industry shall no longer denude the forests which require generations to mature, nor use up the mines which were ages in making but shall draw its raw material largely from the annual produce of the fields... I am convinced that we shall be able to get out of yearly crops most of the basic materials which we now get from forest and mine."

Henry Ford

THE map above tells only part of the story—the little-known story of the inter-relationship of the Ford V-8 car and the farm.

The figures in the map are based on what will be used this year if the Ford Motor Company reaches its intended production of 1,000,000 cars and trucks.

- WOOL** goes into upholstery, floor coverings, lubricants and anti-rust preparations.
- LEATHER** goes into upholstery—and in addition, glues are made from cow hide, and from cow's milk... Other parts of cattle, through other processes, yield stearic acid, greases, glycerine (for shock absorbers and body enamel) and soap chips (used in washing machined parts and bodies before painting).
- HOGS** furnish lard oil, oleic acid and brush bristles.
- GOAT'S HAIR** (Mohair) goes into upholstery.
- BEEWAX** goes into electrical imbedding compounds.

- COTTON** goes into tires, batting, cloth, battery box, timing gears, brake linings and, not least important, into Safety Glass. (Every Ford V-8 car built this year will have Safety Glass in every window, at no extra cost to the car buyer... Cotton, in the form of cellulose acetate, is the central part between the two sheets of glass that make up every finished sheet of Safety Glass.)
- CORN** yields butyl alcohol (for enamel finishes and other purposes) and starch (for stiffening cotton linings).
- LINSEED OIL** is the basis for paint—is used in foundry cores—and is one of the ingredients of the beautiful, synthetic baked enamel finish on a Ford V-8.
- SUGAR CANE** yields molasses for solvents, anti-freeze and shock absorber fluids.
- CASTOR OIL** goes into lacquers and artificial

leather suitable for rumble seats, where real leather would be damaged by exposure to the weather.

TUNG OIL is part of the top material used in Ford cars and is also used in brake linings.

TURPENTINE is used in paints, adhesives and solvents.

SOY BEANS are used in making cores for metal castings in our foundry and are also an important part of the baked enamel finish of a Ford V-8 and of the plastic knobs and buttons in the car's interior.

LUMBER is used for packing purposes. It is not used for any structural part of the Ford car, which has a welded, all-steel body, reinforced with steel, for maximum safety.

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Dawson Co. Farmers Prepare for CCC Erosion Work

Coming fast on the heels of the announcement from Washington last week that a CCC camp will be located in Dawson county to carry on soil erosion work, Dawson county farmers have listed approximately 110,000 acres of land for the erosion campaign with the Chamber of Commerce at Lamesa.

Hon. George H. Mahon announced Tuesday of last week that the soil erosion service had asked Robert Fechner, CCC camp director, to establish a camp in Dawson county. Joe Williams, Dawson county agent, stated the latter part of the week, that H. H. Finnell, director of the Dalhart soil erosion experiment station, had tentatively located the camp. We understand that the land and water are to be furnished by Dawson county and the city of Lamesa respectively.

Dr. Finnell states that there will likely be a considerable amount of work to be done, so that the camp will be in existence for some time.

Lynn Co. Farmers Go To Washington

Farmers of Lynn county sent four delegates to Washington on the "Farmers' Washington Special" train, which left Texas on May 12 and will return May 17.

This movement to Washington by farm representatives is for the purpose of asking Agricultural Adjustment Administration officials and Congress, not to make any radical changes in the AAA work as it now working and, to insist that the processing tax on basic farm commodities be retained as fair and just tax to raise funds to make the rental benefit payments.

Two of the representatives from Lynn County are making the trip on funds supplied by corn-bag contract signers, and the other two representatives were sponsored and selected by the Lynn County Farm Association and the funds for these two were raised in the various communities in the county through the community Farm Association. The delegates from this county making the trip are: Joe McLaurin, Marshall Stewart, Joe Poindexter and J. E. Morgan.

J. B. Bureson, pioneer resident and old-timer of this section who has buck slid and moved over to Tatum, spent a short time here Friday with his daughter, Mrs. E. T. Wells, and family.

South Plains Get \$90,000 Erosion Aid

More than \$90,000 has been distributed among 12 counties over the South Plains for soil erosion work while 11 counties in the Plainview territory will add around \$75,000 to that total.

The Lubbock territory was allotted approximately \$121,000. Reports so far, according to G. B. Basham, auditor for the Texas Relief Commission show a total of \$90,200.

Counties in the territory are: Borden, Cochran, Crosby, Dawson, Dickens, Gaines, Garza, Hockley, Lubbock, Lynn, Terry and Yoakum.

Wanette-Hart Test Still In Difficulties

With about 2,800 feet of pipe stuck in the hole for the past several days, operations at the Wanette-Hart Oil Company's No. 1 Cass O. Edwards well have been at a standstill.

Late last Friday, hydraulic jacks were rigged under the derrick floor. Large quantities of oil have been poured in hole in an effort to loosen the pipe. Two shots of nitroglycerin have been given, but up to Monday night no reports had been received as to the success of these attempts. Drilling was stopped at about 5,000 feet more than a week ago.

Supt. Gilbreath Injured By Foul Ball Sunday

The game between O'Donnell and Meadow here Sunday took on unusually exciting aspects for Superintendent E. E. Gilbreath, and he is showing signs of his attendance at the game this week.

The school official had picked a strategic position immediately back of the home plate, and was lending vocal and moral support to the home team when batter Paul Reeves hit a foul ball. The foul connected with Mr. Gilbreath's right eye, inflicting a gash and severe bruises.

He was hurried to the office of a local physician who took two stitches remedies to the bruise.

Mr. Gilbreath returned to the game, and Reeves reentered himself by knocking a homer later in the game.

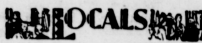
Carl Alexander made a business trip to Tahoka Wednesday of last week.

Miss Nell Boyer is much improved this week from a recent attack of the flu.

Dr. and Mrs. Campbell Home From Long Trip

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Campbell returned home Thursday night after an absence of more than two months and have been busily engaged in pruning trees and shrubs and watering the lawn, and getting rid of the accumulated dust of ten weeks' sand storms.

Most of the time they spent in the Valley, with Mission and McAllen as headquarters for short sightseeing trips. They also visited relatives and friends at various points on the way home. We are glad to report that both of them seem in much better health than before they left in March. The Index joins with other friends in welcoming them home.



Mrs. C. P. Tate is visiting relatives and friends here.

Messrs. Eddie and Benny Landon of Colorado were guests Sunday of Miss Beverly Wells here and of Miss Evelyn Wells at Tahoka.

Mr. Chas. McConal of Loop was here on business Wednesday.

J. B. Hancock was in Lamesa on business Wednesday.

Mrs. E. T. Wells and daughter, Miss Beverly, were in Lubbock Thursday of last week.

Will Ed Tredway made a business trip to Tahoka Friday.

G. Bert Davis and son, Alan, were in Lubbock on business Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh P. Harbert of Lubbock were here on business Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wilson returned several days ago to Lovington, N. M. where they both have employment.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Carter are now keeping house for Mr. Sanderson.

Last week's Lynn County News states that Mr. Hall Robinson recently underwent an operation for appendicitis in a Lubbock hospital and that his recovery had not been as rapid as was hoped. Mr. Robinson, one of the old-timers of Lynn county is well known to most of our readers.

Mrs. J. Mack Noble and little son spent Wednesday in Lamesa with her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. E. Garland.

Claude Tucker of Ropesville, former resident of O'Donnell, was here on business and greeting friends Monday afternoon.

"The Old Time Chuck Wagon Cook"

By W. F. Robinson, Lamesa, Texas

(Editor's Note: Mr. Robinson is one of the last of the old cowmen of the pioneer west, and writes this story from actual experiences and facts. We think it make extra good reading and recommend it heartily to our readers.)

The old time chuck-wagon cook was a distinct type, a product of his time, and an indispensable actor in the great drama of Western civilization, during the period from the close of the civil war to the end of the last century, and he played his part well.

Conditions and circumstances brought about a change when his services were no longer necessary, and he passed off the stage amid some of the most mysterious and unexplained of the disappearing West. Little has been written about this unique character and very little said during his active career, especially in his presence, but all old timers of the range and trail remember him with fond recollections. He was a peculiar figure whether white, black, or Mexican, but generally white, depending mostly upon the locality in which he held forth and rolled his dough. He generally had a bad temper and some times had notches on his gun. The most reckless cowboy was very shy about fooling with the cook, not that he was a better man, but that he had resources for retaliating that were not available to the cowboy; coffee might betray a sudden weakness and chuck deteriorate in quality. Even the boss wisely made concessions to him, for good cooks were hard to find. Cooks in those days knew nothing of the new fangled idea of calories and vitamins, but knew how to prepare gigantic meals of nourishing food for hard working men. Weighing of rations were not the custom of the range or trail and all appetites were satisfied and no man left camp hungry.

The cook felt that he was superior to the cowboy and held himself aloof from the common waddy, but the cowboy took the opposite view, but lacked the courage to express it within his hearing.

The wagon was the cook's royal chamber on wheels, where he ruled

with despotic sway. He could take shelter during stormy weather in his canvas covered wagon, a place of refuge that he closed arbitrarily to all others.

The autocrat forbade hitching or staking horses too close to his domain, and the unpleasant custom of carelessly permitting a horse to pitch through camp in such a manner as to upset pots and kettles or otherwise interfere with the decorum of the culinary department was sure to bring forth the wrath of the cook.

The horse wrangler was the cook's nan Friday in rustling fuel and water or otherwise playing the part of general roustabout.

During pleasant moments, the cook sometimes posed as an encyclopedia of general knowledge. He would quote scripture and different authors relate historical events, but after associated historical characters of different periods, but the common waddy didn't care whether Washington crossed the Delaware or the Rio Grande for his early Christmas morning short and never questioned his authority.

As a general rule, if all went well, the cook was pretty good natured,

though the crankier he became under imaginary adversities, the better cook was he. No matter how hard the work, how bad the weather, how scarce the water or short the grub, he never deserted his post and always had his meals on time. His greatest down he proved to be a pretty good weakness was his love of power he held over the common waddy, yet a pinch he was a regular fellow. He would tear up his best shirt to make bandages in case of an injury, and the first to pick up the spade to dig a grave. When it came to a shove down he proved to be a pretty good fellow.

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This statement has no foundation. Mr. I. W. Cutler registered druggist No. 756, is the only person who compounds prescriptions in our drug store. Mr. Cutler has been a registered druggist for 30 years. Furthermore, in order that the public may know the true facts according to law, the doctor who wrote the prescription, Mr. I. W. Cutler, and Mr. W. E. Vermillion, are the only persons employed in O'Donnell who can legally compound a prescription, these two gentlemen being the only two registered druggists employed in O'Donnell.

If anyone permits others than these two gentlemen and the doctor who prescribed, to compound their prescription, they are doing so at a great risk. Any man other than a registered pharmacist who will compound a prescription in a case of serious illness is jeopardizing the life and health of your loved one.

We offer a reward of \$100 if at any time anyone in our store compounds a prescription other than the physician or a registered druggist. We offer an additional \$100 reward if we at any time substitute one single ingredient in any prescription. A man who will substitute medicine other than that prescribed by the physician is jeopardizing your life. God help the man or woman who entrusts a prescription for compounding in a major illness to a fellow of low integrity. If the patient survives, he is lucky.

G. BERT DAVIS

Subscribed and sworn to before me, Charles Cathey, notary public in and for Lynn county, on this the 15th day of May, 1935.

(SEAL)

Chas. Cathey, Notary Public.

STATEMENT BY I. W. CUTLER, Registered Druggist No. 756

I, I. W. Cutler, registered druggist No. 756, do hereby affirm that no one other than myself, the physician who wrote the prescription, or some other registered druggist, has in the past or will ever compound a prescription at the Davis Drug Store as long as I am employed there. I further affirm that I have never used a substitute, nor will I substitute medicine unless I am so authorized by the physician who wrote the original prescription. Substitution of medicines is a direct violation of the law, and as I have been compounding prescriptions for thirty years and heretofore have never been guilty of substitution I feel that in the sunset of my life, it is too late for me to begin such unlawful and unethical practices.

Signed: I. W. CUTLER.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, Chas. Cathey, notary public in and for Lynn county, on this the 15th day of May, 1935.

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Chas. Cathey.

My commission expires June 15, 1935.

NOTICE: This advertisement has not been published with the view of casting reflection upon any of our competitors in the Drug business in O'Donnell. We have the highest respect for all of them. We want to merely clear up the RECORD for the ones that are deliberately circulating the reports referred to above as in regards to the

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