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This And That About One Thing and Another

Fifty years ago, over in Dickens County, a lonesome West Texan advertised as follows: Wanted, a wife, no special qualifications required. Apply to Jim. Yeats at Shields Store.

H. A. Counts, editor of the paper, The Western Star, published every Friday at Dickens, said "A good rain would be acceptable," and also noted "Wanted, chickens on subscriptions." Times haven't changed much in fifty years as far as these last two items and this editor are concerned.

Date of the paper is Friday, the 13th of July, 1900. Mrs. Pete Clark brought it to us and it has been more fun than anything we've seen in a long time. She discovered it when she took the picture of her grandmother out of the frame to replace the glass or something. It had been used as packing, and noting the date on the paper, and knowing how interesting it would be, she very thoughtfully brought it to us.

Particularly interesting are the advertisements, many of which are on the front page. Of course the paper is all hand-set. There were no linotypes in that day. And the type faces are very ornate. Patent medicine ads. predominate.

There are several grocery and other advs. from Quannah stores, and the no prices are listed, one store announces "Something you must have to exist is groceries, and I have them.—C. H. Harwell." Another grocerman announces "This is the 20th Century and I am strictly in the fight for trade on groceries.—W. W. Gwynn, Dickens."

We'll try, as space permits to publish items from the issue. The paper is old and very fragile, and will not stand much handling but we are looking for more items from The Dickens County Western Star, issue of July 13, 1900.

Doc Chandler brought in some nice green cotton stalks this week (May 2) which he said were sprouted from stalks left in his field last year. This is the first time, says Doc, that cotton left in the field has sprouted since 1921, when the same thing happened to his cotton. We asked him what would happen if he just left the stalks... how they'd effect his this years cotton allotment. He could say he "hadn't planted them." He said he left stalks in the field in 1921 and the stalks which had produced big bolls the first year grew little knots the next year. The mild winter just passed is the reason given for so much stuff sprouting from old stalks left in the field. Several weeks ago Mugg Loving brought in some Plainsman maize which was greening up from old stalks.

The Post is running a series of pictures and information from the Texas Safety Council, which it would be wise for everyone to read. The loss of life through careless driving has become so alarming it is imperative that steps be taken to avoid it. You may be perfectly familiar with the information in these articles, but more than likely you are not. Most of us have a drivers license because we keep them renewed when needed, and the majority of us could not answer the quest which would qualify us for a

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Two Injured When Car Misses Bridge

Two people miraculously escaped death Sunday afternoon about 5 o'clock when their car missed the bridge and dived off a 15-foot embankment on the Clarendon-Silverton highway, about 10 miles north of Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murdock, about 45 years old, of Lodge near Memphis, were returning home from a scenic drive down Schott Cap, traveling east, and making the sharp turn in the road at the bridge, about two miles northwest of the Buster Campbell place, the wheels were cut too sharply and the car missed the bridge and made a nose dive into the dry creek bed, hitting first on the front end, turning a somersault and landing flat on the top, crushing the auto like a deflated accordion.

Mrs. Murdock managed to crawl out the left door of the car, a 1937 Plymouth, and climb to the top of the embankment where she hailed Mr. and Mrs. Doc Minyard of Silverton, who passed a short time after the accident. Mrs. Minyard remained with the injured couple while he drove to Silverton and notified the Douglas ambulance, and also called Quitaque to send the Daniel ambulance, to get help to the spot as quickly as possible.

Mr. Murdock, who suffered chest injuries, was taken to the Goodal hospital at Memphis by the Daniel ambulance, and Mrs. Murdock was taken there by the Douglas ambulance. Mrs. Murdock received a compound fracture of the right leg, requiring treatment which the Goodal hospital was not equipped to render and she was moved Monday to an Amarillo hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Qualls have returned to their home at Albuquerque, N.M., accompanied by her step-mother Mrs. Clarence Wise who will visit them for a week or two.

Venoi Cain came in this week from Camp Wood, Texas, where he taught school the past year, and Olin Patrick has come in from Three Ways where he has been teaching.

The Bank Will Be Closed

Tuesday, May 30
MEMORIAL DAY

Please arrange your banking business accordingly and avoid possible inconvenience. Thank you.

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SUNRISE BREAKFAST FOR THE SENIORS

The sunrise breakfast Wednesday morning for the seniors was almost more than they could take. They had a grand time and a sumptuous meal — but getting up so early!

Mrs. Boone McCracken and Mrs. E. P. Lewis were hostesses and furnished the food which the young people cooked for themselves, down in the McCracken meadow.

Five o'clock was the hour set for waking and when Seats Lewis tore himself from pleasant dreams and stopped by for Whizzer White he found him still sleeping away. Seats lay down to rest while Whizzer was getting ready, and then Whizzer had a time getting Seats ready again. When the boys stopped by for Patsy Stark, she too was stealing a few more winks—and so it went.

Robert Hamilton came in this week from Waco where he completed the work which entitled him to a degree, and he has passed his bar examination which entitles him to practice law in the state. Mr. Hamilton published an announcement of his candidacy for the office of County Judge of Briscoe County two weeks ago, and since his arrival home he has been busy contacting the people in the interest of his campaign.

SENIORS ENJOY OUT-DOOR PARTY AT STARK HOME

The Senior class parents entertained the seniors and juniors with a delightful affair Wednesday night of last week at the Orlin Stark home. Supper was served to them on the lawn in the back yard, where they had planned to roast weiners and marshmallows. However, the wind was too high to cook on the grill, so the food was prepared indoors. They had weiners and onions and pickles, potato chips and soda pop, and a big decorated cake with "Seniors 1950" across the top.

After eating all they could hold they went to Turkey and skated for awhile, then returned to the Stark's yard, to "clean up the scraps" — that is, eat the leavin's. They played out-door games and had a fine time.

The hosts were Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Stark, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Pierce White, and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Burgess. The senior Burgesses could not attend but were represented by Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn Burgess.

Mrs. L. D. Payne who is here from California visiting her parents at Lubbock and with other relatives, and Mrs. Paul Kinard and daughter of Lubbock were here Wednesday to attend the graduation exercises and see their brother Bobby Payne receive his diploma.

Boys Are Hurt In Jeep-Truck Collision

A group of Quitaque youths barely escaped serious injury last Friday afternoon about 2:00 o'clock when the jeep in which they were riding collided with a heavy trailer truck driven by Floyd Bynum of Flomot. The accident happened at Edgin, south of Quitaque on the corner where the old Edgin store building was formerly located.

The jeep was driven by Elbert Sperry and with him were Jackie McFall, Corky Garner, Gus Gibson jr. and Odell Farley. The boys had been swimming at the gravel pit and were returning to the Sperry home.

Mr. Bynum was driving west and almost at the corner when the boys coming north, turned east into the side road. The jeep driver lost control in the loose gravel, it was reported, and the two vehicles struck headon. Had Mr. Bynum been making any speed, the little jeep would most likely have been demolished.

The Sperry youth and Jackie McFall were the only boys who received injuries. The others were badly shaken and frightened, but unhurt. Mrs. Walter Kelly, who lives near the corner, heard the crash and hurried to their aid. The telephone connections with Quitaque were out, so she and Mr. Bynum put the injured lads, and Corky Garner, in her car and drove them to the Silverton hospital, letting Corky out of the car at Quitaque to phone the hospital that they were enroute.

The boys in the jeep were accompanied by three more boys in a model-A driven by Bobby Phillips. They had driven on ahead, but hearing the crash they turned back and picked up the other boys and brought them to Quitaque.

The Sperry boy had a deep gash in his head which required 12 stitches to close, and an injured arm. He lost lots of blood, they stated, and remained in the hospital for observation until Saturday. He was returned to the hospital Monday for a re-check and was getting along ok.

Jackie was knocked unconscious and remained so for several hours. Several x-rays were made at the hospital but no bones were found broken, or other serious injuries. He suffered mostly from shock and remained overnight in the hospital and was kept at home several days until he recovered from the soreness and bruises. He is ok.

W. Q. Jacks who was returned to the Stanley hospital at Matador last week with another severe heart attack, was reported today to be improving.

Seniors Hear Address By Dr. J. B. Roberts

Nine seniors received their diplomas of graduation from Quitaque high school at the commencement exercises Wednesday night at the school auditorium. They were Patsy Stark, Paulita McCracken, Veda Mae Buckalew, Melba Jo Woods, Eugene Farley, Donald Ray Lewis, Bobby Payne, Wayne White, Joe Bob Ward.

Mrs. C. E. Bedwell played the music as the class marched to their places on the stage, and also played the accompaniment as the class sang "Beyond the Sunset". Olen Holland asked the invocation and the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Ray Riley.

In her salutatory address Miss Paulita McCracken expressed the appreciation of the class to the community for the school facilities, to the parents and the teachers for the help and encouragement given them. In her interesting class history, Melba Jo Woods noted that of a class of more than 30, only three (of the original class) had completed their school work together. These were Patsy Stark, Melba Jo, and Wayne White.

Miss Patsy Stark, valedictorian of the class, made a beautiful talk, expressing gratitude to all who were in any way responsible for their privilege of education, and urging her classmates to pursue further and higher aims, keeping always in sight the highest attainable goal, that the Most High Teacher might some day tell them: "Well done thou good and faithful servant."

Prof. J. B. Roberts, dean of the graduate school of WTSC, Canyon, made a splendid commencement address, advising the young people to continue their studies in college — but not in search of "greener pastures." He told them to go to college to prepare themselves to come back to their home community to do better work, and make it a better place in which to live. The goal of higher education, he admonished, was not greener pastures, but the improvement of the place they were in. He told them that success was the achievement of a peaceful and happy life, and that peace was based on three factors: peace with oneself, peace with one's fellowman, and peace with God.

Mrs. Runt Vardell was returned home today (Thursday) from the Matador hospital and is getting along nicely following major surgery last week.

QUEEN THEATRE

QUITAQUE, TEXAS

Thursday-Friday May 25-26

In The Good Old Summertime

Technicolor
Judy Garland, Van Johnson, Spring Byington
Short: CITY OF CHILDREN

Saturday Mat. & Night May 27

The Golden Stallion

In Color
Roy Rogers, Dale Evans, Estelita Rodriguez, Pat Brady, Riders of the Purple Sage
Short: CATNIP GING
Chapter 1 of New Serial KING OF THE JUNGLELAND

Sunday-Monday May 28-29

AMBUSH

Robert Taylor, John Hodiak, Arlene Dahl, Don Taylor, Jean Hagen

Short: Roaming Through Northern Island

Tues.-Wed. May 30-June 1

Two Weeks To Live

Lum & Abner
Short: SATURDAY EVNING PUSS

Thursday-Friday June 2-3

Blossoms In The Dust

Technicolor
Greer Garson, Walter Pidgeon, Felix Bressart, Marsha Hunt, Fay Holden
Short: JERRY AND THE LION

GEM THEATRE

TURKEY, TEXAS

Thursday-Friday May 25-26

South Sea Sinner

Macdonald Carey, Shelley Winters, H. Carter, L. Adler
Short: BREAKING THE TAPE
Pathe News

Saturday Mat. & Night May 27

Riders Of The Range

Tim Holt, Richard Martin, Jacqueline White
Selected Short Subjects
Chapter 4 of Serial CODY OF THE PONY EXPRESS

Sunday-Monday May 28-29

Chain Lightning

Humphrey Bogart, Eleanor Parker, Raymond Massey, R. Whorf
Selected Short Subject

Tues.-Wed. May 30-June 1

The Stratton Story

James Stewart, June Allison
Selected Short Subjects

Thursday-Friday June 2-3

Dancing In The Dark

In Technicolor
William Powell, Betsy Drake, Mark Stevens, Adolf Menjou
Selected Short Subjects
Pathe News

Do We Remember?

OH, I KNOW HOW easy it is to forget things which are painful to remember—unless such have been branded so deeply that conscious thought is never free from the ugly recollection. Thus it comes as a shock, a hurting shock to hear that more than fifty thousand disabled American veterans have been in the hospitals for an entire year without a single visitor.

THEY are the gray walls, the gray corridors, the gray bathrobes, the gray ceilings and the gray faces of the patients in the veterans' hospitals are so easy to forget. So easy to put out of mind in the rush and color and goodness of life in these United States.

But we must not forget. We must not forget so soon. We promised a lot of times that we wouldn't forget them. Now it is time to pay the debt—and it is a real debt.

IT IS THE TIME NOW when the veteran who has been awarded a compensation payment under the law is looked upon as a tax liability and moves are under way in both houses of congress to effect some economies in this part of governmental expense.

This, too, is further evidence that we are forgetting.

Good to relate is the fact that the Disabled American Veterans (the DAV) are organized in order to help each other. No other program or project is on their agenda. The idealism of the organization is not left to walk on clouds. It is practical and hard headed in its approach to the problems of the disabled veteran. Of course there are some mistakes made, but they are few and hundreds of worthy, needy and honest veterans are honestly helped.

So it behooves us who are fortunate to remember—to remember that the war isn't over—that it won't be over—that it comes back again and again and again, into the lives of those it hurt in body and mind.

Fifty two thousand completely forgotten disabled American veterans is a national disgrace. Add to that figure those other hundreds of thousands who still bear the burden of war with a tiny money payment as compensation.

THAT'S ALL FOR TODAY.—Don't forget those who can't forget.

—J. M. Hester, "Sounding Off", Pough Valley Democrat, Pough Valley, Oklahoma, winner of Disabled American Veterans annual newspaper column award.

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barham were on vacation last week and visited in Fort Worth, Mexia and Corpus Christi. His mother Mrs. J. A. Barham of Fort Worth returned with them when they came home Sunday, for a visit here.

N. V. Hamilton, accompanied by Rev. Marvin Fisher went to Big Spring this week as delegate from the Quitaque Methodist church, to the Annual Conference in session there. Mrs. Jim Tunnell accompanied them and will remain for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Price Colwell and family.

FOR SALE—Farmall H. Tractor; 1941 Dodge pickup; both little used; priced to sell.—Mrs. W. L. May, Box 183, Silverton. 43-2

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Harris and son of Amarillo visited over the weekend with her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Richmond and with the L. B. Monks.

Bill Hulsey and family of Floydada visited relatives here Sunday. They had dinner in the Jack Hulsey home and their mother Grandmother Hulsey and Lloyd also had dinner with them.

Willson and Son
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Russell Smylie and nephew R. E. Hardberger Jr., came in this week from Beaver, Okla., and joined by his mother Mrs. Willie Smylie, they went to Burnett for a week end outing at the lakeside campsite of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Bolton made a trip Tuesday to Amarillo.

Victor Hall is in Ada, Okla., this week visiting his brother Cleveland Hall and family.

WORK WANTED — Housekeeping or care for children. References and health card furnished. — Miss Juanita Mattingly, star rt, Quitaque, co Cecil Payne 19-1

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hawkins left Wednesday morning for a visit with her children in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kaether were here last week for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Persons. They have moved from Amarillo to Fort Worth where he is with the Star-Telegram.

Mrs. Com Hudson and children are visiting her parents in Dallas. Mr. Hudson took them to Seymour last Sunday where relatives met them and took them on to Dallas.

Oliver and Clark Payne drove to Sulphur, Okla., last week and took Clark's children who will visit a while with relatives. They brought their mother Mrs. W. C. Payne of Sulphur home with them

to visit here for awhile.

DON'T let your cotton float the loan. July is the loan date. Will pay \$22.50 for S. L. M. L. Spots. Will be at Cantrell store in Quitaque Saturday. Andy Daniel. 19-1c

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph (Tarzan) Craig and their young son were here last week visiting friends. Their home is Bakersfield, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Hamilton went to Amarillo Tuesday and returned home their grandson Donald Jack Meeks who had been visiting them while his new brother Charles Ray and his mother were resting up.

Mrs. Clara Hamilton went to Olney last Friday and remained until Sunday visiting her sister Mrs. John King. Other members of the family joined them for a reunion there.

Mrs. M. E. Loving and her sister Mrs. Keyth Tiffin of Silverton went to Corpus Christi this week end to visit their brother Rudolph Pyron and their father who went to Corpus with his son after the burial of Mrs. Pyron two weeks ago at Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Seaney and David, and Misses Lila Fern Jones and Sue Barrett were in Amarillo Friday night where they were guests at a birthday dinner honoring Clovis Hill, at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Herrington went to Decatur Saturday where they are guests in the home of his cousin Mr. and Mrs. Granville LeMay. Mr. Herrington's relatives are holding a family reunion this week, the occasion being the visit of some of their kinfolks from California.

THANK YOU

Thanks to all for the nice cards and all the funny books and good wishes which I have received since the accident. All your kindness has helped me to get well quick. Thanks.

Jackie McFall.

THANKS TO ALL

I am deeply grateful to all who sent cards and flowers, and visited me during my illness. I want you to know that I appreciate every kindness and expression of cheer and encouragement. Sincerely,
 Mrs. L. A. Payne.

THANKS TO EVERYONE

We want to thank everyone who was so kind and helpful after the

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White Swan

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Plainsman

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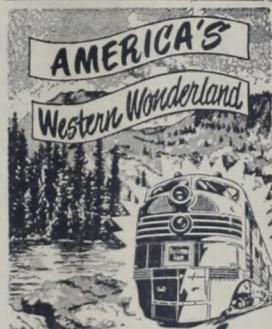
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FIFTH DIV. AMERICAN LEGION MEETS IN AMARILLO MAY 27-28

The Fifth Division of the American Legion will hold its annual convention in Amarillo on May 27-28, next weekend. In connection with the convention, the new home of the Hanson Post No. 54, of Amarillo, will be dedicated.

All towns in the 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th and 21st Congressional districts compose the Fifth Division. Legionnaires from Oklahoma, Kansas, Colorado, New Mexico and Texas are expected to be present to hear Col. Ernest O. Thompson dedicate the new \$100,000 home of Hanson Post of the American Legion.

The convention chairman, Geo. E. Broome, says there "will be fun and business for everyone of the Legion Auxillary, and Forty and Eight."

ATTEND FUNERAL IN KANSAS FOR MRS. MARY WESSELS

Mr. and Mrs. George Brunson returned home last Thursday from Kansas where they were called by the death of her mother, Mrs. Mary Wessels.

Mrs. Wessels, 78 years and 6 months old, died Friday, May 12, at the home of a daughter in Tulsa. Burial was Monday, May 14, in Ellenwood, Kans. where Mrs. Wessels had been a pioneer settler.

She was the mother of eleven children, seven of whom survive, one son and six daughters. Mrs. Brunson is the youngest daughter. Mrs. Wessels was well known at Quitaque having stayed here with her daughter for about two years.

Surviving besides the children are 7 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, four brothers and a sister.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Brunson, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brunson and James Brunson went to Ellenwood, Kans. last week to attend the last rites for Mrs. Wessels.

DANCE

Saturday Nite, May 27

SILVERTON FIREMAN'S HALL

Music By

**Texas
Melody Boys**

Dancing From 8:30 till?

Admission \$1.00

GRADE SCHOOL TURNED OUT MONDAY FOR PICNICS

Monday was picnic day for all the classes in the grade school. The children with their teachers, the room mothers, other mothers, and various modes of conveyance, all took off for parts afar for a big day.

The first grade went to the city park for their picnic. The second grade went out south of town to Sauls Ranch.

Mrs. Gardiner, with the help of parents, took her third grade students to Canyon to go through the museum, and have dinner in the park there.

The fourth grade went to Merrells crossing south of town, and the fifth grade went to Devil's

Hollow. Sixth grade students went to Roaring Springs and the seventh graders went up to the Boy Scout camp.

Everybody had a grand time. Town was quiet and peaceful all day after the excitement of the take off was over, even when the youngsters came in late that afternoon, they were too tired to make much fuss.

FW&DC EXTENDS SERVICES TO TEXAS GULF CITIES

Extension of the FW&DC Railway through from North Texas to Houston, Texas City and Galveston, effective June 1st, will result in the establishment, May 24th, of a new traffic agency in Galveston

Agent there to be filled by Harold E. Rich, formerly of Houston. At the same time the transfer of key traffic personnel to several new posts will be made, it was announced today by R. Wright Armstrong FW&DC Vice President, Fort Worth.

Roy H. Kimble, formerly District Passenger Agent for FW&DC in Fort Worth, will succeed Rich at Houston.

Paul Ryan, a native of Fort Worth, will be assigned to a new position of City Freight and Passenger Agent in the Houston office.

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we know that animals are influenced perhaps more than humans by emotional changes caused by fear jealousy, pain, suspicion, frustration and the dominance of stronger members of their species.

Dozens of examples can be cited on livestock farms. A good example, points out Banks, is the dairy cow. When she is subjected to a sudden change or something happens to upset her, she gives less milk. A number of things can cause her milk production to drop. Unusual noises, rough handling, change of caretakers or even a dislike for the milking time attendant may effect her production.

Believe it or not, says Banks, the relationship between cows is important. In every large herd, he says there are a few outstanding characters. One cow may try to dominate all the other cows; one may enjoy hurting others. Some cows require a great deal of affection from owners before they produce at their best while some resent being petted.

It seems that some sheep don't like to take their pills any better than some humans. When they are given a large medicated pill and then turned loose, they may wait until the owner is out of sight and then get rid of it.

Banks says when dealing with pigs, it is well to remember that they are comfortable looking animals and only when they are comfortably housed and properly cared for, will they turn feed and water into the maximum amount of pork.

Dr. Banks believes that one of the secrets of successful livestock production comes from knowing your animals and then taking advantage of this knowledge to get from them their maximum production. He adds, good care, shelter, plenty of good feed of the right kinds and good clean water will all help to make the animals on your farm comfortable, satisfied and maximum income producers.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN!

The tall, dignified man joined the crowd in front of a bargain counter, in an attempt to get a very special pair of hose for his wife. He inched his way patiently, but was buffeted here and there by the women, and made no progress.

Suddenly he lowered his head, stretched out his arms, and barged through the crowd.

"Can't you act like a gentleman?" inquired a cold feminine voice at his elbow.

"I've been acting like a gentleman for the past hour," replied the man still charging forward. "From now on I'm going to act like a lady."

FASHION PLATE?

From Philadelphia Evening Bulletin: "At an attractive party given by Miss Geneva Koppen, bridge formed the amusement, the prize being captured by Miss Nourse, a hand-painted plate."



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New Handy Fence Tool

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THE RIGHT TO VOTE

We often complain of the freedom and liberties that are being taken away from us by the federal government: we view with alarm the trend toward bureaucratic government that would undermine our constitutional rights. And it is well that we should become aroused to the extent that we do all within our power to protect our rights as individual citizens.

But, there is a privilege that no politician has dared to deny every American citizen—that is, the right to vote. The failure of millions of our best citizens to exercise this right is nothing short of a national disgrace.

In the last Presidential election, for instance, less than half of the eligible voters troubled to go to the polls. In many elections in which the Presidency is not involved, less than a third of the voters cast ballots. What we have as a result, is government by minority.

Free elections are at the root of all our freedoms. But free elections mean little if the people are too lazy or too indifferent to participate. A man who does not vote has no moral right to criticize the acts and policies of officeholders.

When you vote you are building on the foundation of the best system of government ever devised.

And that is as true of primary as of general elections. In the near future, primaries will be held in many states. The candidates of the parties will be chosen and will start their campaigns for elections in November. If you want your party to nominate the candidate you believe best fitted, go to the polls.

If you value your freedom—if you have any interest at all in defending and maintaining a free nation—vote. Vote in every election, whether it involves a President or local officials. Every time you fail to vote, you fail to discharge the most basic American duty.—From The Lamar County Echo

TWO BROTHERS HAVE BIRTHDAY DINNER

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Slick Merrell, on the Plains, was the scene of a happy family gathering Sunday when a joint birthday celebration was staged for Slick and his brother Tub.

All of the family and several friends were present for the birthday dinner and a pleasant visit.

They included the parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Merrell, Tub and Betty Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pigg and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Merrell and Warren Lee, Glenna Boyles, Curtis and Roy Monk.

FLOMOT NEWS

By Mrs. A. M. Tanner (Delayed)

Visiting relatives in Greenville for four days were Bernice Gates and son Weldon and nephew, Beryl Monk.

A new front is being put on the old barber shop building.

Visiting in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tanner and boys over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Hicks and family of Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tanner were in Matador Friday night. Mr. Tanner attended lodge meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Martin and daughters were Sunday visitors in Plainview. They were guests of his mother Mrs. Millsted. Also Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Martin and daughter of Whitflat were visitors in Plainview.

The senior class of Flomot High School held their Commencement Exercises Thursday evening, May 18 in the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. A. J. Bynum is in Vernon where she is receiving medical treatment.

We are glad to see Harold Allen back in he Skaggs No. 2 store where he is manager, after a long illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert I. Thomas have purchased the Bryon Martin house in Flomot. They are doing some remodeling before moving in.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Turner of Matador visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Luther Turner Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gunn and daughter have moved into their new home in Flomot. They were visited by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Boots Gunn over the weekend.

Miss Ima Nell Gunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Gunn is a May graduate of West Texas State College of Canyon. She is a Home Ec. major. She will teach in the Silvertown High School next year.

Many a man thinks he has an open mind when it's merely vacant.

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GEORGIA FUN

Pierce White and Ray Persons returned home last week from a trip to Georgia where they visited Pierce's relatives. His parents Mr. and Mrs. H. W. White accompanied them home for a visit here.

The senior Mr. and Mrs. White have eleven living children and all of them reside within 50 miles of their Georgia homeplace except Pierce. All eleven of them were present for Mother's Day, and with the children and grandchildren there were about 58 in all. Mr. Persons was the "outsider", but a most welcome one. He said to picture what a lively family the Whites are just multiply Pierce when he is feeling good by eleven, and you'd know what a big time in Georgia is like. All of the family like to sing, play the piano, or make music somehow, and when they joined their voices, led by their parents, they could really make the welkin ring.

Shapely Showgirl: "I want you to vaccinate me where it won't show."

Doctor: "Okay! My fee is ten dollars in advance."

Showgirl: "Why in advance?"

Doctor: "Because I often weaken in such cases and don't charge anything!"

NEVER LEARN ANY YOUNGER

Burglar: "Please let me go, lady, I've never done anything wrong."

Old Maid: "Well it's not too late to learn."

Medicine King



SENATOR DUDLEY J. LeBLANC

HADACOL sales or shipments have reached the amazing total of 5,000,000 bottles since January 1, more of any one tonic than has ever been sold in so small an area in so short a time.

Senator Dudley J. LeBlanc, Founder and President of The LeBlanc Corporation, Lafayette, Louisiana, makers of HADACOL, said the sales and shipments would have been far greater if his company could have obtained enough material to meet the demands.

"We have been several hundred thousand bottles behind in shipments since January 1," said Senator LeBlanc. "It looks like we just cannot catch up because every time we increase production the demand increases."

Senator LeBlanc credited the South's heaviest newspaper schedule with much of the success of HADACOL.

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HADACOL HELPS SUFFERERS OF VITAMIN B₁, B₂, NIACIN AND IRON DEFICIENCIES



Mrs. Wallace tells her granddaughter, Maynell Wallace, over the phone how HADACOL brought relief to her.

Mrs. Belle Wallace, 449 Formwalt St., S. W., Atlanta, Ga., is so grateful to HADACOL for the blessings it has brought her that she has recommended HADACOL to a number of her friends. She told them she would pay for their bottles of HADACOL if it didn't help them. She explains with a smile that she hasn't had to pay any of her friends, because HADACOL has helped them.

Mrs. Wallace, who is 74 years old, has five children, seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was suffering from a deficiency of Vitamins B₁, B₂, Niacin and Iron, which HADACOL contains.

Mrs. Wallace said: "I couldn't sleep or eat until I started taking HADACOL. I'd lie awake and toss and turn until the small hours of the morning. I was highly nervous. I couldn't even thread a needle. But, since I've been taking HADACOL, my nerves are as steady as can be. I couldn't eat because when I did my stomach would puff and bloat and fill with gas. I am on the 7th bottle of HADACOL and my stomach is so much better."

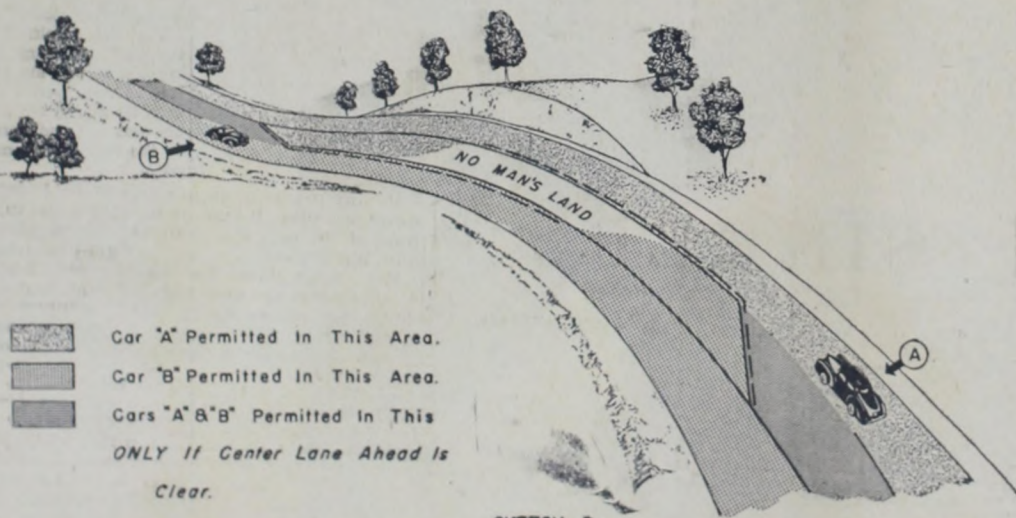
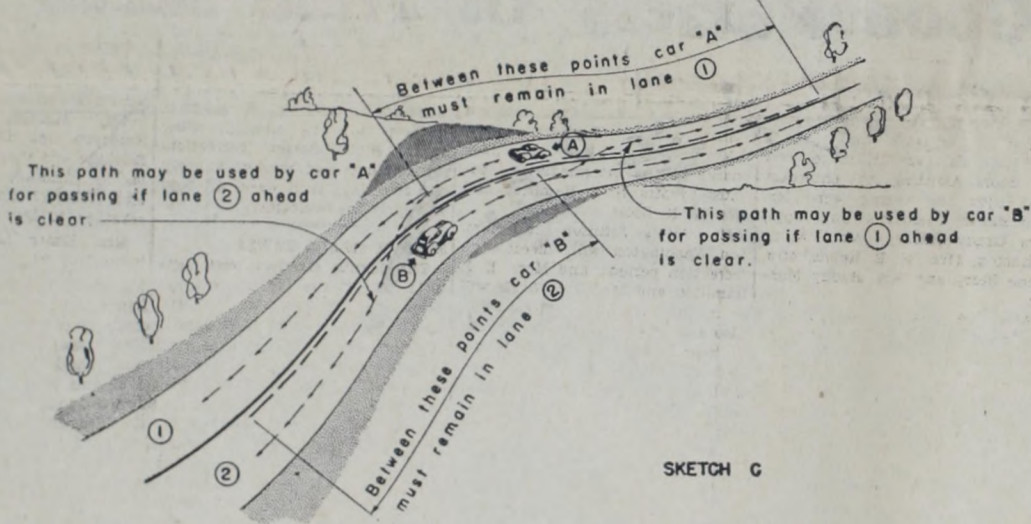
Appetite Good

"I have a good appetite and my stomach does not bloat or fill with gas. I sleep like a log. I have recommended HADACOL to a number of friends and have told them that if it didn't help them, too, I'd pay for it, but I didn't have to because HADACOL did help them. HADACOL has done me more good than anything I have ever taken."

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BARRIER LINES FOR NO-PASSING ZONES

Take a look at the broken or dashed line in the sketches shown above and then again. This is a barrier line for a no-passing zone and it can be readily recognized on the road because it is yellow paint covered with thousands of small glass beads that reflect light from car headlights at night to make the stripe more visible.

This is a companion line for the center line on two lane roads and lane lines on three lane roads at points where you do not have a clear view of the road ahead for a distance of at least 1,000 feet, and

there are some 23,000 miles of highways on the State Highway System on which such points are marked. The broken yellow barrier line is one of the big guns fired by the Highway Department in the battle for traffic safety. The Highway Commission recently provided ammunition in the form of a \$500,000 appropriation for highway pavement markings during the year 1950.

What does the broken yellow barrier line mean? It means that you are violating the law when you cross a barrier line that is on your side of the center line, and you are subject to arrest and fine if

you are caught. Even if you are not caught, it means that you are inviting a chance to shake hands with death.

Remember that it takes about 2,400 feet or six and one-half blocks for you to pass a car traveling 50 m. p. h. when you are traveling 60 m. p. h. and there is a car in the opposite lane traveling toward you at 60 m. p. h. When the dashed line is in your lane you cannot see the roadway ahead for more than 1,000 feet, or three blocks, and blind flying is hazardous.

Last year's toll from violations of the broken barrier line was 22

dead, 109 injured, and \$589,350 in economic loss. The accidents that resulted in this toll of deaths, injuries and property damage cannot be justified on the basis of a mistake in judgement on the part of motorists—they were violations of the law; violations in which the innocent as well as the guilty paid the price.

Don't let your impatience get the better of you and try to pass when there is a broken yellow barrier line in your lane unless directed to do so by an officer, for you are not only endangering your own life but that of an innocent motorist as well.

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HONOR ROLL STUDENTS OF QUITAQUE SCHOOLS

Following is the final honor roll list for Quitaque students for the year:

First Grade: Carroll Bedwell, Jovana Goodwin, Carol Ann Grundy, Patsy Lewis, Murry Morrison, Wanda Myers, Willie Mae Woods.
Second Grade: Peggy Brunson, Betty Monk, Yvonne Wise, Billie Jean Woods, Sharon Woods, Melvin Carter, Herbert Dudley, Jimmy Rhoderick.

Third Grade: Peggy Grundy, Grady Lee Jacobs, W. E. Hawkins,

Jack Bradley, Byron Lewis, Deloy Myers.

Fourth Grade: Fannie Lewis, Murry Wise, Janelle Woods, Ann Farley, Tillman Bradley, Lou Nell Burgess.

Fifth Grade: Reba Jo Boyles, Patsy Eddleman, Vernell Edwards, Kayron Parker, Barbara Jo Taylor, John Lewis Bedwell, Don Cross.

Sixth Grade: Carol Berry, Jo Nell Brummett, Joe Ed Helms, Betty Carpenter, Neva Jean Barbee, Anne Barefield, John Lynn Johnson, Willie Gragson.

Seventh Grade: Glenda McCracken, Gwendolyn Chase.

Ninth Grade:

Tenth Grade: Monte Wise, Clara Ruth Woods.

Eleventh Grade: Lynn Rhoderick, Una Lee Duck, Jo Dean Bedwell.

Twelfth Grade: Paulita McCracken, Patsy Stark.

SIXTH GRADE PARTY

The Sixth graders enjoyed a weiner roast last Friday night at

the Johnny Brummett home. About 23 youngsters were present for the picnic supper, cooked out of doors. Assisting to entertain and enjoy the outing were Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Bourns and boys, Mrs. Grady Starkey, Mrs. W. O. Johnston, Mrs. W. E. Helms, Mrs. Gene Berry and Mrs. Buddy Morris.

After the meal a pleasant time was spent playing games and singing songs.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The vacation Bible School of the Methodist church will start June 2, and continue through June 11. Classes are scheduled from 8:30 till 11:00 a. m. each day.

Mrs. Fred Meyer is general director of the school and Mrs. Grady Starkey is pianist.

In charge of the kindergarten group are Mrs. Gerald Smith, Mrs. Johnny Cagle and Mrs. Denver Anderson.

The primary directors are Mrs. Frank Hawkins, Mrs. M. E. Loving and Mrs. Morris Wilson.

For the juniors the workers are

Mrs. E. A. Puckett, Mrs. Marvin Fisher and Mrs. Jake Merrell.

Mrs. Frank Gillespie will have charge of the intermediates, assisted by Mrs. N. V. Hamilton and Mrs. W. R. Scott.

Mrs. Alton Johnson and Mrs. Son Washington will direct the recreation periods, and Mrs. E. J. Hamilton and Mrs. Bill Woods will be in charge of the refreshments. Also assisting in various ways will be Rose Davis, Lavada Davidson and Shirley Foster.

All the children in the community are invited to attend. There will be a place for each one and all are welcome.

BAPT. VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Ray Riley, Pastor

Vacation Bible School, May 29-June 9, at the First Baptist church. Boys and girls, plan to be on hand.

There will be a big parade Saturday, May 27, at 3:00 p. m. Registration will be at 4:00 p. m. Bible School starts properly Monday, May 29 at 8:30 a. m. But we want to register Saturday so there will be more time for other things

Monday.

There will be singing, Bible study, Bible stories, recreation, refreshments and hand craft every day five days each week. All boys and girls are welcome.

EIGHTH GRADE PARTY

The Eighth Graders were entertained Friday night with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter. Some upper classmates joined them to even up the boys and girls, and they had lots of fun. Ice Cream and cake were served to the group.

Some of the girls remained for a slumberless slumber party and they ate most of the night. They had tuna sandwiches, pop corn, candy, fritos and potato chips, and koolade.

LOCALS

Frank Hawkins went to Lubbock Saturday and brought home Mrs. Lockett Payne from the hospital there where she underwent major surgery two weeks ago. He took her to the home of her sister-in-law Mrs. Graves at Turkey where she will remain for a few days. She is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ramsey, Jr., moved this week to the former home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wise, east of town.

Mrs. Bungy Rhoderick and children visited last week with relatives here and at Turkey and Saturday Bungy came in for a visit of a day or two and returned his family home to Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Roberson and Minnie Mae Roberson went to Clarendon Sunday where they at-

tended a reunion of the Roberson family. Sunday afternoon, Mr. Roberson met Clayton Ham at Estelline and they went on to Dallas to transact business while Mrs. Roberson and Minnie Mae returned to Quitaque.

Mrs. Elmer Lanham returned home last week from a visit with her parents at Carlsbad, NM.

LOST — A small brae corde purse with billfold containing important papers. Reward for return to Mrs. R. B. Persons. 19-1c

Ray Carpenter and family moved back to Quitaque from Alamogordo, NM. They are staying for the present with his parents at the Quitaque Hotel, but the Carpenters are adding a room and bath to their home and they will move there when it is ready.

Mrs. Letha Mae Jacobs and Mrs. Orb Payne made a trip Wednesday to Amarillo.

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Flies that have become immune to D.D.T. may be killed with Chloradane and Toxaphene. These products were scarce and hard to get last year, but are now on the market in large quantities. The Department of Agriculture recommends the use of Toxaphene for the control of ticks, lice and flies in all livestock except dairy cows. Chloradane is recommended for the control of flies and the other insects on the milking herds. This is the only insecticide that should be used on dairy cows according to state and federal bulletins.

Toxaphene is marketed under many trade names, Mar Tox being

one of the largest sellers in the southwest. It is not only used on cattle for fly control but also on swine for lice. For this purpose it is used in concentrations of .5%. When used as a fly control it will give protection about 3 weeks. It also has an excellent usage as an insect control on crops and gardens. The boll weevil, leaf worm, Bollworm and many other pests on cotton are victims of this powerful insecticide.

Toxaphene is one more long step toward the control of all harmful insects. It may be purchased from the Burgess Pharmacy in Quitaque. (Adv.)

FLOMOT NEWS

Mrs. A. M. Tanner
Don't forget Memorial Services at Sunrise, May 30, at the Flomot Memorial Park. Everyone is invited.

The Flomot HD Club has sponsored the funds for the Rock Arch Gate opening at the Flomot Memorial Cemetery. The gate will be dedicated at the Memorial Day service to be held at the cemetery on May 30. Mrs. Joe Speer will be the speaker, representing the club.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bourlnad are remodeling their home in Flomot. Their children have been here thru-out the week helping. They are Mrs. Fred Simpson of Northfield, Mrs. Luther Green of Barton Community, and Mrs. Belmont of Hereford. Some of their families accompanied them.

Mrs. Pearl Martin has also been remodeling in her home. Her children who were here helping were Mrs. Boots Gunn of Smyer, Mrs. Irene Irby of Floydada, Bruce Martin of Matador and Barney Martin of Flomot. Their families also accompanied them.

W. H. Webb was a patient of the Stanley clinic of Matador. He underwent an emergency appendectomy Sunday, May 14. He was

brought home May 20. The first thru the fourth grade children went on their closing of school picnic Tuesday, May 16, at the Quitaque Creek. Games were played and a picnic lunch enjoyed. Some of the sponsors were Mrs. Ikie Gilbert, Mrs. Howard Standefer, Mr. and Mrs. James Monk, Della Butler, 1st and 2nd grade teacher, and Mrs. Geo. Pope 3rd and 4th grade teacher.

Bernice Gates attended a Postmasters meeting in Amarillo Saturday. It was the 18th district Postmasters meeting. She was accompanied by her son, Weldon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tanner attended the Fisher-Spray wedding Sunday in Matador.

Mrs. Boyd Morris and son Mike of Garland were here over the weekend for her sister's wedding and to visit relatives. Mike remained with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tanner were in Plainview Monday. Mr. Tanner attended a Farm Bureau meeting returning to Matador for lodge.

The cafe in the old barber shop building is expanding and remodeling. It will install new booths.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Lee and daughter attended the Fisher-

NOTICE!

Will those who have baseball uniforms return them to Quitaque Cleaners.

QUITAQUE FIRE DEPT.

Spray wedding Sunday, also Mr. and Mrs. James Monk and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fisher are remodeling and putting additions to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ammonet and children visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Amick over the weekend.

Mrs. Irene Smith of Adrian visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bourlnad over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fisher of Lubbock were here for his sister's wedding.

FISHER-SPRAY NUPTIALS

Marriage vows were exchanged Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, May 21, by Miss Wanda Pearl Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fisher of Flomot and Cpl. Wayne Spray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spray of Matador. Rev. Clifford Potts read the double ring ceremony in the First Baptist Church at Matador.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was her sister Mrs. Boyd Morris. Best man was Joe Spray, brother of the bridegroom. Ushers were Albert Marshall and Don Akinson.

The bride chose a white nylon street length dress and white accessories. Her corsage was of red roses. Her attendant wore a pink frock with navy accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Mrs. Spray is a graduate of Flomot high school with the class of

1949. Since graduation she had been employed with the First State Bank at Matador. She is a talented pianist and takes a leading part in musical activities in the community.

Cpl. Spray is a graduate of Matador schools with the class of 1947. The next year he enlisted in military service and is now stationed at Shepard Field air base, Wichita Falls.

A reception was held at the church following the marriage ceremony, and the couple left for a short honeymoon. They will make their home in Wichita Falls.

FLOMOT HD CLUB

The Flomot HD Club met May 16, in the home of Mrs. Bertie Gunn.

The house was called to order and the president, Mrs. Harrison George, gave an interesting talk on Safety in Driving.

We voted to pay a 4-H club girl's bus fare to the A&M Short Course in June. The club girl is Myra Nan Whitaker.

Ice cream, devils food and angel food cakes were served to the following Mmes. Pearl Martin, R. N. Cagle, Harrison George, Earl Whitaker, A. M. Tanner, R. H. Tanner Hattie Jones, James Monk; Myra Nan Whitaker, Jana Morris, Rosella and Don Monk and the hostess.

The next meeting will be an all-day affair in the home of Mrs. Hattie Jones on May 30, to quilt a quilt for some needy family.

Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Davis returned home last week from a business trip to Colorado, near Durango.

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BRIDAL SHOWER HONORS

MRS. PAT COGDILL

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Pat Cogdill of Pampa, nee Reba Jo Barrett, was given Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Reg Cushmanberry. The hostesses were Mesdames Jack Holcomb, Jack Merrell, A. L. Morris, Misses Jo Dean Bedwell and Una Lee Duck and Mrs. Cushmanberry.

The house was decorated with garden flowers and the gifts, displayed in the bedroom included pottery, crystal, silverware, linens, blankets, a pretty chime clock, a coffee maker and other kitchen ware.

Miss Una Lee Duck presided at the pretty brides book where the guests registered and Miss Jo Dean Bedwell was in charge of the refreshment table. A lace cloth covered the table which was centered with a bowl of roses and corn flowers, surrounded by miniature parasols in gay colors.

The parasols were used for favors on the refreshment plates of ice cream and frosted angel food squares.

Receiving the guests with the honoree were her mother Mrs. A. C. Barrett, er mother-in-law, Mrs. her sister-in-law, Mrs. Arnold Brown of Silverton and Mrs. Crosby of Erick, Okla., grandmother of the bridegroom.

MRS. RUDELL JAMES IS

COMPLIMENTED AT SHOWER

Mrs. Rudell James, nee Betty Cantrell, was complimented with a bridal shower last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hom-

er Gregg. Assistant hostesses were Mesdames Frank Hawkins, Jack Bradley, C. A. Hawkins, J. W. Lyon, J. C. Rhoderick, jr., Foy Peacock, Reg Cushmanberry and C. E. Anderson, jr.

The attractive home was decorated with roses, wisteria, columbine and other garden flowers. The lovely bride wore an orchid corsage, the gift of Mrs. Victor Hall. Her mother, Mrs. Claude Cantrell and mother-in-law Mrs. A. A. James each wore corsages of pink and white carnations.

Mrs. Gregg greeted the guests and directed them to register in the white brides book. The gifts were displayed in the bedroom where Mrs. Lyon was in charge. The honoree received beautiful gifts of crystal, pottery, linens, blankets, lamps, and other articles for the home.

The refreshment table was covered with a lace cloth and the centerpiece was an arrangement of columbine and wild clover in a yellow bowl. Golden fruit punch was served from the crystal punch bowl, with angel food squares decorated with yellow frosting.

Mrs. W. M. McKay left last Wednesday for a visit with her daughter Mrs. Mollie Chambers in California. Her son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McKay took her to Amarillo where she caught a bus for California.

Mrs. E. W. Scheid and Mark were down Saturday from Tulla and Mark took in the Western at the show while his mother visited with friends—on her "time off."

Clearance Sale

Friday & Saturday Only

May 26-27

Be sure to take advantage of these Bargains which we are offering for this week end.

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Sun. Mat. & Nite-Mon. May 28-29

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Clark Gable, Loretta Young

Tues.-Wed. May 30-31

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Spencer Tracy, James Stewart
Valentina Cortesa

Announcement Column

The following political announcements are subject to action of the Democratic primary, July 22, 1950:

For Congressman from the 18th District of Texas:
LeROY LeMASTER, Perryton

Commissioner of General Land Office of Texas:
JAMES L. ALLRED, Mansfield

For State Representative
HAROLD LaFONT, Plainview

For District Attorney, 110th Judicial District of Texas:
JOHN B. STAPLETON
(Re-Election)

For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent:
J. W. LYON, JR.
(Re-election)
ROBERT HAMILTON

For District & County Clerk:
DEE McWILLIAMS
(Re-election)

For Sheriff Tax Assessor-Collector:
RAYMOND GREWE
FRANK GILLESPIE
GLYNN MORRISON
W. R. (BILL) HARDIN

For County Attorney:
C. D. WRIGHT (Re-election)

For County Treasurer:
ANNIE J. STEVENSON
(Re-election)

For Commissioner Pref. No. 2:
B. K. HAMILTON
(Re-election)

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