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## FRIDAY & SATURDAY ARE DOLLAR DAYS IN CLARENDON

### Locals Place High In Texas Tech FFA Judging Contest

T. H. Seay's judging teams representing the Clarendon F.F.A. Chapter accounted well for themselves at the Texas Tech Judging contest at Lubbock Saturday, especially since there were over 1200 teams competing in 9 contests. They placed 2nd in the poultry judging, 3rd in the dairy products, 10th in crop judging, 10th in Dairy cattle and the livestock team did not place in the high ten.

Making up the poultry judging team were David Lane, George Thompson, Weldon Edens and Bobby Hewett was the alternate. Dairy products — Allen Homer Estlack, Bernie Benson, Ralph Harmon and Bill Hicks had a sore throat and wasn't able to judge. In the individual scoring, Harmon placed 1st in Milk Judging and Estlack 5th in Cream Judging.

The crops judging team was Bobby Cole, Lloyd Risley and W. T. Elliott; Dairy Cattle—Claude Porter, Kenneth Evans and Charles Bates; Livestock—Jimmy Smith, Basil Banister and Bobby Cosper.

The Dairy Products team and the Poultry Team will go to College Station May 1st to compete in the A&M state contest. In the Dairy Products division, Hedley team, coached by Doyle Messer, placed first with the following making up the team: Joe Wood, Terry Bailey, and Carl Morris.

### Candidate Filing Deadline May 3

Candidates for election in both Democratic and Republican primaries must file with their respective county chairmen not later than May 3rd to be on the July election ballots.

W. M. Patman, Donley County Democratic chairman, stated that all candidates except one who had already announced their intentions, had already filed for a place on the ballot. Anyone contemplating getting into politics will have to make up their minds by midnight Monday, May 3rd.

In county politics to date we have six offices drawing two or more candidates. Jack E. Gray and H. T. Burton are candidates for county judge; Mrs. A. G. Lane and Mrs. Melvin Cook are candidates for county Treasurer; Helen Churchman and P. C. Messer for County & District Clerk; F. M. Murray and F. L. (Tige) Hill for Commissioner Precinct 3; George Preston, Jess Finley and H. W. Sherty Burr for Precinct No. 4, and R. C. (Bob) Hill and C. Huffman for Constable Precinct No. 2.

Those not having any opposition at the present time are: Truett Behrens, Sheriff-Tax Assessor-Collector; Hubert Rhoades, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; Edd Mooring, Commissioner Precinct No. 2 and G. A. Anderson, Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2.

### HIGH SCHOOL BAND TO GUYMON

Plans are underway enabling the Clarendon High School Band to attend and take part in the Guymon Pioneer Day Parade and Celebration Saturday, May 1.

J. H. Gain, band director, will drive the bus with at least four responsible sponsors making the trip. Plans call for the group to leave the College and High School at 5 o'clock Saturday morning. Any of the people of this area who would like to make the trip are invited to join the group at the College Saturday morning. The bus is due to arrive back home no later than 10 p. m. Saturday night.

Sponsors for the trip will be Mrs. J. Spier, Mrs. Johnnie Blocker, Mrs. Paul Schull and Mrs. Dale Hill.

### Hedley Lions Club To Present A "Mellerdrummer"

The Hedley Lions are giving the play "The City Slicker and Our Nell" at the High School Auditorium Friday, April 30th, at 8:15. Everyone is invited to come to this show. No admission. Just give what you want to. The proceeds go to the Cripple Children, Cripple Children, sight conservation, and blind, are the two major projects of Lions International.

Myrtle Reeves is director of this play, and the cast includes: Little Nellie Beard, a beautiful little mountain flower, Cotty Gibson (Hedley's Minnie Pearl); Frank Beard, with a heart of oak, and a head of hickory, Leon Reeves; Minnie Beard, his wife, pure as the driven snow, Carolyn Morris; Violet Beard, another little flower, Dolores Ray; Aunt Marthy, as old as the hills, but still can remember Way-Back, Jean Bailey; Toby Snodgrass, couldn't possibly be as dumb as he looks and acts, Red Doherty; Dan Tucker, finest squares, bestest man, one of nature's noblest, R. M. Saunders; Claribel Worth, ain't worth much, comes from the Gold Bar Saloon, in San Francisco, Calif., Katherine Lattimer; Sheridan Douglas, blast his ornery hide, he leaves a trail of broken hearts, on and off the stage from San Francisco's Gold Coast to Boston's Back Bay, Jiggs Blankenship.

"Between acts we go back to the 'Gay Nineties', so come out and help the Cripple children for an hour of fun," stated Clifford Johnson, prominent Hedley Lion.

### 1st Round of Dusters Schedule Announced

Teams in the Caprock League have changed considerably this year with several of the old contenders missing and several new names appearing. Clarendon, Hedley and Groom are the only old members left, with White Deer, Claude, Panhandle and St. Francis unable to muster teams. The new teams are Pampa, Amarillo Laundry, and Pierce St. Green House of Amarillo rounding out the six team league. The first round of the league schedule is as follows with the exception of the game that was played last Sunday with Amarillo Laundry:

- May 2—Pampa, here.
- May 9—Pierce Street Green House, here.
- May 16—Hedley, here.
- May 23—Groom, there.
- May 30—Amarillo Ldry., here
- June 6—Pampa, there.
- June 13—Pierce Street Green House, there.
- June 20—Hedley, there.
- June 27—Groom, here.
- July 4th—All star game.

The second round schedule will be announced at the end of the first round of play.

### Hung Jury In Rape Trial

A twelve man jury was released here last Thursday afternoon when they were unable to return a verdict in the trial of William D. Ballew, Memphis businessman who was indicted by a Donley County Grand Jury on February 25th with the offense of rape. Sheriff Behrens said that it was understood that the jury was divided with 7 for acquittal and 5 for conviction. The case went to the jury about 9 o'clock last Wednesday evening. District Attorney, Allen Harp, is due here today and probably will release information regarding future action in the case.

### ALTAR GUILD TO HOLD BAKE SALE SATURDAY

The Altar Guild of the Episcopal Church will hold a bake sale from 1 to 5 p. m. Saturday afternoon at the Thrift Shop located south of Alderson's Studio. Cakes, pies and the usual baked items will be for sale.

### Marching Fiesta Reveals Progress Of Local Bands

One of the largest crowds in years to witness a band program here, was on hand to watch Clarendon's three bands perform in their spring "Marching Fiesta" Tuesday night at Broncho stadium.

The beginners band, all in western attire, started the program off and did a swell job of marching considering the fact that they had only been marching a very short time.

The High School Band came on the field next and went through numerous marches, counter marches, turns, etc., and later came back on the field to display their ability in several trick marches and maneuvers. They certainly showed those present that Clarendon again has a High School Band with plenty of class.

Following the High School Band was the North Ward Color Guard Drum & Bugle Corps. These youngsters' showed much improvement over their first appearance here several weeks ago and certainly should be complimented on their efforts as this Corps was only formed shortly before Christmas.

The progress of our bands can be attributed to numerous hours of hard work on the part of all the members and the untiring efforts of J. H. Gain, local band director. Mr. Gain has revived the old band spirit and produced a band that can take its place along with any in this area. With continued community support and parent interest, we will have a band that will keep on growing.

Band parents appreciate the splendid cooperation contributing to the success of this program.

Winners in the ticket selling contest were Iva Jean McAnear 1st, Mary Ann Longan 2nd, and Georgia Bell Harmon 3rd.

High School Band members will enjoy a picnic and outing at Palo Duro State Park today (Thursday). Responsible sponsors are making the trip. Plans call for the group leaving the school about 9 a. m. and return before night.

### MOOSE LODGE TO HOLD IMPORTANT MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT

Noel Cudd Jr. announced yesterday that an important meeting of the local Moose Lodge was scheduled for Friday night at 7:30 at the lodge hall. It is urgent that all members that possibly can, attend this meeting.



**MYSTERY FARM NO. 37**—This is the Leader Mystery Farm of the Air for this week. Rules governing this guessing contest and prizes are as follows: 1st in town and first living and receiving their mail in country to identify the mystery farm will receive a one year subscription to the Leader. The fifth to identify the farm, both town & rural will receive a free ticket to the Mulkey Theatre. The owner or tenant identifying his farm at the Leader office will receive a mounted picture free. Hours for making identification are 8 to 12 and 1 to 5 starting Thursday morning. Last weeks Mystery Farm is identified on another page of this week's issue of the Leader.

### MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION

On Saturday, the first day of May, 1954, the members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce will offer individual and collective prayers asking that God bring together in spirit the Communist leaders and the leaders of our own country so they may hand-in-hand conduct a zealous search for lasting peace. The Jaycees ask that the citizens of this community join them in their prayers. The program of special prayer - - called May Day - Pray Day - - is designed to give new, lofty significance to the Communist holiday and provide an opportunity for the citizens of this community to join together for a single purpose in exerting the most powerful force at our command - - prayer. In aid and assistance of such a worthy program, I Major B. Hudson, as Mayor of Clarendon, Texas, do hereby proclaim Saturday, May 1, 1954, as May Day - Pray Day and do urge that all the citizens of Clarendon join with the Junior Chamber of Commerce in asking God to bring together in spirit the Communist leaders and the leaders of our own nation so they may hand-in-hand conduct a zealous search for lasting peace.

Major B. Hudson, Mayor.

### 1954 Cancer Crusade Chairmen Announced

The names of the volunteer chairmen who will direct the work of five communities in the American Cancer Society's 1954 Crusade here were announced this week by campaign chairman, Mrs. W. J. Lewis, Jr. The drive opened here on April 26th.

In making the announcement, Mrs. Lewis said that she had been fortunate in enlisting the services of competent community leaders whose identification with the joint fund-raising and educational campaign should go far to ensure its success. The community chairmen are:

- Hedley, Mrs. Clyde Bridges; Lelia Lake, Mrs. D. M. Cook; Martin, Mrs. Richard Cannon; Ashtola, Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey; and Jericho, Miss Annie Reeves.

Campaign Chairman, Mrs. W. J. Lewis, Jr. said that she felt confident that Donley County would meet its crusade quota.

"With the capable leadership represented in our campaign committee," she predicted, "we can't miss."

### NOTICE TO ALL FEDERATED CLUB WOMEN

Friday, April 30, will be Seventh District Federation Club report day. Don't forget your free will offering for the Cancer Crusade drive. The meeting will be held at 4 o'clock at Patching Club House. Hostesses will be the presidents of Federated Clubs.

### BRICE POST OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED SOON

Postmaster J. C. Estlack has been notified that the post office at Brice will be closed May 15, 1954.

The Postal Department letter states "After discontinuance, all mail for that post office will be received, delivered, and accounted for by you."

Brice will become a sub station and Charley Murff will likely continue in charge since he has an excellent record through the long years of service as postmaster following that of his esteemed father who was postmaster for some thirty years.

Many of the fourth class post offices are being closed over the nation as a matter of economy and convenience, the Postal Department states.

### Services Today For R. E. Mann

Funeral services have been set for 3 p. m. this afternoon at the Hedley Christian Church for Robert Emery Mann with Tom Posey and E. H. Coston officiating.

Mr. Mann died Wednesday morning in the Groom hospital. He had been a resident of Hedley since 1919. He was county agent at Childress prior to moving to Hedley. He was a charter member of the Hedley Lions Club and was a member of the Hedley Christian Church. He and Mrs. Mann observed their 50th wedding anniversary in 1951.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Minnie Lee Mann, Hedley; three daughters, Mrs. Carroll Beahl, Hedley; Mrs. Ray Mosman, Hedley and Mrs. Carl Gerlach, Amarillo; one son, Capt. Everett E. Mann, Millbrae, Calif.; two brothers, two sisters and 9 grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be W. E. Grimsley, Hurlie Moreman, Alva Simmons, Hobart Moffett, Dr. D. H. Cox and Ike Rains.

Burial will be in Citizens Cemetery with the Murphy-Spicer Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

### School Cafeteria Menu, May 3-7th

- MONDAY**  
Meat balls and spaghetti, lima beans, whole grain corn, pickles, bread, milk, pudding, orange juice.
- TUESDAY**  
Cheese, red beans, scalloped potatoes, spinach, corn bread, butter, milk, fruit.
- WEDNESDAY**  
Barbecue weiners, blackeyed peas, boiled okra, cabbage slaw, bread, milk, cherry pie.
- THURSDAY**  
Roast beef, green beans, cream potatoes, jello salad, hot rolls, butter, milk, cake.
- FRIDAY**  
Hamburgers, beans, buns, milk, fruit salad.

### Dusters Win First League Game

The Clarendon Dusters opened League play in a big way last Sunday afternoon by defeating the Amarillo Laundry team 16-6.

The Dusters racked up seven runs in the first inning to give them a comfortable lead which they held throughout the game. They added two more in the 2nd, three in the 4th, three in the 6th and one in the ninth. The visitors scored their six runs in four of the nine innings, making one in the 2nd, two in the fourth, two in the 6th and one in the ninth.

B. F. Dorman went all the way on the mound for the Dusters while Amarillo was using three pitchers in an effort to silence the Dusters bats. A strong wind was blowing from the southeast which prevented any home runs during the game, although there were several hard hit balls.

As you will notice by turning through the pages of this issue of the Leader, Friday and Saturday, April 30th and May 1st will be Dollar Days in Clarendon. Two big days when your dollars will be worth much more than usual.

This event is being sponsored by the local Chamber of Commerce in an effort to show people of this trade territory that they can save more money by trading with Clarendon merchants.

You will notice in the various advertisements, that these merchants are offering quality merchandise at unusually low prices. The majority of items listed are popular, wanted, every day items; not clearance or close-out items that are usually featured in many dollar day events elsewhere.

Take advantage of these savings this week end. If this dollar day event meets with success, these merchants will continue with dollar days each month which will mean additional savings to shoppers in this trade area. Everyone is interested in saving all they can, so don't pass up this opportunity this weekend.

### Jaycees To Hold Teen-Age Driving Contest May 9

Preliminary plans to conduct a Teen-Age Road-e-o, a driving contest for teen-agers, have been completed by the Jaycees, and this program is scheduled to be held May 9, at the Rodeo Arena at 1:30 P. M.

Designed to create good driving habits among the teen-age set and to select the community's most skillful young driver, the Road-e-o elimination will consist of a written examination and a skill test involving driving through prescribed exercises such as parking, smooth stopping and others.

The local winner in this national Jaycee contest will be eligible to compete in the state Road-e-o June 26th in Austin. State winners will compete for \$3,100 in scholarships in a national contest August 10-14 in Washington, D. C.

Jack Ballew, local Jaycee president, stated that six committees have been organized to handle the various aspects of the program. "By emphasizing the rules of the road and the skills needed for safe driving, we intend to give local youths a chance to prove that some of America's best drivers are teen-agers," he said.

Dain Domich, national Jaycee president, recently said this Jaycee project is "widely acclaimed by law enforcement, safety and school authorities as a positive program to encourage teen-agers to become expert drivers."

If you are a teen-ager, and are interested in entering this contest, contact any Jaycee for further information.

### Mike Spier To Appear On T-V May 4th

Mike Spier has accepted a special invitation from Myer's Music Mart in Amarillo to appear on the Myer's Music Mart T-V Show in Amarillo next Tuesday afternoon, May 4th at 4:30 o'clock.

One child is chosen from various towns in the district and Mike was selected as representing Clarendon for the April T-V Show.

Mike is under age for the show, but his music talent has created much interest and was asked to give a piano solo on the show. He will also be honored by performing his number on one of the most beautiful Baldwin Grand pianos made.

This will be Mike's second trip for T-V appearance, as he played, "My First Waltz," by Bjare Rolseth op. 40, No. 1 at the age of 4 on the Kiddies Hour over T-V some two weeks ago.

Mike is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Spier and piano student of Mrs. Page Harmon the past two years.



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**HUDGINS NEWS**

Mrs. Carl Barker

Bro. and Mrs. Don Willingham of Tucumcari visited Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Shields Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Tyler visited Mrs. Smith and Lester Wednesday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dub Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Koenig and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Koontz Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. Price Webb visited Mrs. Dub Smith Tuesday.  
W. T. Elliott and Charles Bates went to Lubbock on a judging team the week end.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Self, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Tyler attended the Greenbelt Electric annual meeting Friday at Wellington.  
Mrs. Roy Beverly spent Monday night with Mrs. Lovett Noble.  
Bob Williams of Carlsbad visited Davis Williams Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shaw visited Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bain Wednesday night.  
Mrs. Pink Marshall visited Mrs. Slim Caraway Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Koontz visited in Hedley and Memphis Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brogdon and children of Fritch spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Lindley and children picnicked at Burson Lake Sunday.  
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann, R. A. Bayne of Memphis, Mrs. Lena Springer of Amarillo.  
Mrs. Herbert Shields and children of Wheeler spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Shields.  
Mrs. Ethel and Eunice Mann visited Mrs. Satterwhite of Ashtola Friday afternoon.  
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Marshall Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sibley and his mother, Mr. Vandever of Memphis, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Banister.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shaw visited the Molesworths Thursday night.  
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Barker during the weekend were Don Barker of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barker and children of Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring and boys.  
Rumania more than doubled in size and population after World War I.

**ASHTOLA NEWS**

Mrs. Doyce Graham

Clyde Tims is in Hereford this week.  
Bill Graham of Ralls spent Friday night with his parents.  
Mrs. Clyde Hudson and Mrs. G. J. Hinders were in Dalhart Wednesday.  
Among those attending the REA meeting at Wellington Friday were the A. J. Garlands, Dane Perdues, Mrs. Myrne Rhoades, Mrs. Watt Hardin and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wheeler.  
Caroline Finley and Eldon Marshall of Borger visited in the Willard Marshall home Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Roberson of Claude visited Mrs. S. G. Evans Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. Bur DeBord visited Thursday with the Cliff DeBords at Claude.  
C. E. Wheeler was in Wellington Monday on business.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Nelson have gone to Dallas for medical treatment.  
Linda Kay Hardin spent Sunday with Kay Lane.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Medart and girls and Mrs. Clyde Crawford and daughter were guests Sunday of the Bob Crawfords. Mr. Crawford accompanied them to Hedley.  
Mr. and Mrs. Cliff DeBord, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence DeBord and Steve Reynolds were visitors in the Burk DeBord home during the week end.  
Mr. and Mrs. Vance Gray and family visited the W. H. Gray Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Tolleson and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Thomas at Wellington over the week end.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blandford and children of Amarillo and Mr. Jimmie Bowen of Wellington visited the C. W. Tollesons last week.  
Mrs. Charles Catoe received word that her husband had arrived in Ft. Jackson, South Carolina, so she left by plane Sunday morning to meet him there. He has spent the last 1 1/2 years in Korea with the armed forces. Leslie remained with his grandparents to finish school.  
John White was in Amarillo Monday.  
Chester Myers and Mrs. Johnny Brooks of Apparillo visited relatives Thursday and took Mr. H. W. Lovell home with them for a visit in the Myers home at Amarillo.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Reid visited Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Burk DeBord attended Fred Tidwells funeral at Hedley Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hardin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones.  
Fireman 3/c and Mrs. Wayburn Wilson have been visiting the W. H. Wilsons and Slick Wilsons. Wayburn left Monday for San Francisco where he will be on active overseas duty aboard his ship the USS McKean.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harp and Lucky spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny R. McClellan at McLean.  
Sarah Hodge spent the week

end with Glenda Wilson. Glenda went with her on her picnic Sun. Mrs. Isla Mae Marshall drove to Abilene Monday for her mother, Mrs. Webb, and brought her here for a stay.  
Mrs. Nora Vandeveter attended a quilting and SS party in the Dunn home last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vandeveter and Mrs. Nora Vandeveter visited at Memphis Sunday.  
Ladies of the community met Tuesday and quilted for Mrs. Crawford.

**NOTICE THAT BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY DONLEY COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1 FOR SELECTION OF DEPOSITORY.**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that in accordance with an order of the Board of Directors of Donley County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, passed at a meeting of said Board of Directors held on the 9th day of April, 1954, proposals will be received by said Board of Directors from any banking corporations, associations or individual banker in Donley County, Texas, that may desire to be selected as Depository of the funds of said Donley County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1. All bids must conform to and embody the provisions of the order of the Board of Directors which are in words and in figures substantially as follows:  
(a) All bids must be sealed and delivered to the President of the Board of Directors prior to 10:00 o'clock, A. M., on the 6th day of May, 1954, at which time all bids so received shall be opened.  
(b) All bids submitted must state the rate of interest offered on funds of said District for the period of time beginning the 1st day of April, 1954, and ending the 31st day of March, 1955.  
(c) All bids must be accompa-

nied by a certified check for \$1,000.00, payable to the order of the District as guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder that if said bid be accepted the bidder will enter into the bond required by law as such depository of Donley County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1.  
(d) In the event any bidder to be selected as such depository shall fail or refuse to execute and furnish the bond required by the District within the time stipulated by law for filing same, the bidder's certified check shall be forfeited to the District as liquidated damages.  
(e) The depository so selected and designated shall be named for the period of one year beginning with the 1st day of April, 1954, and ending the 31st day of March, 1955.  
(f) The bond of the depository selected for the first year shall be and is now fixed at the sum of \$40,000.00, and shall be conditioned as required by law; that the Board of Directors in selecting and designating said depository reserves the right to require additional bond as authorized by Article 2548 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925.  
(g) The duties of such depository shall be those prescribed in Sections 113 and 114 of Chapter 25 of the General Laws of the 39th Legislature, Regular Session, and those prescribed for county depositories in Chapter 2, Title 47, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 not in conflict therewith.  
(h) The Board of Directors reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

DATED this the 9th day of April, 1954.  
Delbert W. Robinson  
President, Board of Directors, Donley County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1.

ATTEST:  
Rayburn L. Smith  
Secretary, Board of Directors, Donley County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1. (10-3c)

**LELIA LAKE NEWS**

Mrs. H. R. King

Mr. and Mrs. John McCauley and Melissa of Amarillo spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. V. McCauley.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mace and Jemie of Farwell spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nolie Simmons and his father, Will Mace.  
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Leathers Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitfield of Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. Piercy of Goodnight, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Holland of Clarendon.  
Mrs. E. C. Dewey returned last Monday from Dallas, where she went for a medical check-up.  
Mr. and Mrs. Weatherly of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. James Smith Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Weatherly is Mrs. Smith's niece.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hunt of Borger spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Brock.  
Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox and Pat of Ashtola spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Smith.  
Mrs. Kelly Neighbors' mother passed away Monday night at Childress. Burial was at Olney Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Neighbors of Borger came and accompanied Mrs. Neighbors and Warren to Olney.  
Mr. Robinson, the father of Mrs. Bill DePauw passed away in an Amarillo hospital Wednesday morning. Burial was in Quail Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. Moore of Amarillo left Monday after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Robert Leathers and children.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference was held at the Methodist Church. Rev. White of Childress presided over the conference. Other visitors were: Mrs. E. E. White of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Beck and son of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blakely, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Worsham and children, Mrs. Crisp, Mrs. Cunningham, and Mrs. Palmer, all of Alanreed.  
Mrs. Charlie Myer went to Vernon Sunday to visit relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Darnell and children of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Duckett Sun.  
Miss Billie Jean Poole of Chaning spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Poole.  
Mr. and Mrs. Boner Howard and daughters of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Knox Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Granville Wood and son of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. B. H. King Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Monk and children spent the weekend with relatives in Augusta.  
Miss Winnie V White and Boyd White accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myers of Quail to Wichita Falls for the weekend. They visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White.  
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Leathers entertained a number of friends with a 42 party Saturday evening. Those to enjoy the games and refreshments were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ayers, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Quinn Aten, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Christal, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Castner, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Seago, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King, Mr. and Mrs. Rice Batson, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Leathers.

**NEW-DELICIOUS**  
*Ellis*  
**NOODLES N' BEEF**

**FREE—We Give Away \$15.00 in Groceries April 30th**

**CHECK the EXTRA SAVINGS FOOD VALUES**

**Be Sure and Register for Special Event—April 30th**

<b>Coffee</b>	With Cash Purchase of \$10.00 or More	<b>.59</b>
<b>STRAWBERRIES</b>	Stokely's Frozen—10 oz. Pkg.	<b>29c</b>
<b>6 COKES FREE</b>	Plus Deposit with \$5.00 Cash Order	
<b>TOMATOES</b>	Solid Packed, 303 size—4 Cans	<b>98c</b>
<b>1/2 PRICE SALE</b>	NEW BLUE DETERGENT	<b>53c</b>
<b>SLAB BACON</b>	1 Pound	<b>75c</b>
<b>CHEESE</b>	Kraft American—1 Pound	<b>49c</b>
<b>HAMBURGER</b>	1 Pound	<b>35c</b>
<b>LUNCH MEATS</b>	1 Pound	<b>45c</b>
<b>FRYERS</b>	Fresh Dressed—1 Pound	<b>47c</b>
<b>Golden Sweet CORN</b>	Cream Style, 303 Size—5 Cans	<b>98c</b>
<b>Sugar</b>	10 lbs. PURE CANE	<b>98c</b>
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A reader sends us the following clipping from some newspaper. We think it is pretty good. It is called:

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Balance left to do the work	111,000,000
People under 21	56,000,000

Balance left to do the work	55,000,000
People working for the government	29,000,000
Balance left to do the work	26,000,000
People in armed services	11,000,000
Balance left to do the work	15,000,000
People in state and city offices	12,800,000
People left to do the work	2,200,000
Burns and those who don't work	2,000,000
People left to do the work	200,000
People in hospitals, etc.	126,000
People left to do the work	74,000

Persons in Jail 73,998

Balance left to do the work 2

Two? Why, that's you and I. Then you better get to work, for I'm awfully tired of running this whole country by myself. The author signs himself as Unknown. I guess he was too tired to sign his name. We didn't ask this reader's permission to use their name, so we won't, but thanks anyway for the above clipping.

Another reader gave us the following little saying: "The rising generation retires at about the same time that the retiring generation rises."

This week we have been reading from the scrap book of Mrs. Jim Christian. It has been a real treat. By all means go by her house sometime and ask to see this wonderful collection of this and that from the panhandle newspapers during her long and interesting life. Practically every pioneer of this great area is men-

tioned in some news item or story. Anyway, I guess we felt the greatest honor when we found a few of Uncle Zeb's poems and thinkings among the pages.

Little poems yellowed with age. Poems that one day had brought a bit of cheer or courage into her life. Poems such as this one called

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For seed and soil and sun and rain,  
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As we enjoyed this book of stories about those she had known and loved; about her folks, her doctors, her pastors, and the church she loved, along with all the other churches and community activities; graduations from the schools along with the honors that came to the grand children; as we read on we resolved anew to keep our own selves a better scrap book for our own enjoyment some day.

Anyway, thanks Mrs. Christian for sharing your keepsake with us. Thanks also, for the fine unselfish life that you have lived

among our pioneers. Thanks for the letters and cheerful words that you have written and spoken to cheer the way of others. Thanks for being such a wonderful and gracious pioneer lady, and most of all thanks for being our neighbor and our friend. Thanks just a whole lot.

**GABIE BETTS BURTON**  
**LIBRARY NOTES**  
By May L. Prewitt

These frequent sandstorms prevent us ever having clean books to issue. The rains ceased too quickly.

A young reader gave us "Dressing Up" — A Ding Dong school book series, and "The Wonder Book of Bible stories." They are new copies she had read.

We have added "Making Men Whole" by J. B. Phillips, to our Bible writers' shelf. With his remarkable talent for language "shaped cunningly to pass men's defenses and explode silently and effectually within their minds," Mr. Phillips succeeds to an extraordinary degree in restoring the wonder and glory of the Christian

purpose. He is an English writer, and served as Vicar of the Church of the Good Shepherd, London until almost the end of the War.

There has been a fiction science edition added to the shelf for boys. "Starship Through Space" written by Lee Correy who insists that he is a scientist first and a writer second—while he is a physicist, his wife is a biologist. This book was dedicated to the memory of Tom Goodner by his aunt, Mrs. Kitty Martin of Dallas, at Easter. Our teen age boys all clamor for "science fiction" and the publications are not plentiful. This copy is a 1954 publication and was ordered with two others, but they will not be published until the last of the month.

When you read articles that will be useful for future club work, please clip the article as I have a case for clippings, but no room for anything but current



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## Mooring - Spann Nuptials Read In Candlelight Service

In a double ring ceremony, Friday evening, April 16, at the First Methodist Church, Clarendon, Texas, Miss Naoma Mooring, daughter of Edd Mooring, became the bride of Joe C. Spann, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spann of Munday, Texas. Rev. I. E. Biggs, pastor, officiated.

Vows were read before an altar banked with tree fern and greenery ornamented with baskets of yellow and white gladioli and bows of blue satin ribbon. Basket arrangements were placed against a background of branched candelabra of wrought iron bearing white tapers, and were flanked with tree fern and candelabra with white tapers. Pews were marked with blue satin ribbon.

As a nuptial prelude, Miss Mantie Graves, organist, played "At Dawning," "Sweetest Story Ever Told," and "O Promise Me." As the candles were being lighted by Misses Pat Wilson and Kay Lane, Miss Rebecca King, violinist, accompanied by Miss Graves, played "Wanting You" by Romberg and "Ava Maria" by Schubert. Mrs. Ray Moore, also accompanied by Miss Graves, sang "I Love You Truly" by Carrie Jacobs Bone. Throughout the ceremony "Meditation" by Messenet was played as a soft musical background, and as a closing prayer, Mrs. Moore sang "Wedding Prayer" by Fern Dumlap.

The traditional wedding marches were used.

Serving as maid of honor, Miss Jane Johnson of Amarillo wore a ballerina length gown of ice blue net over taffeta styled with a fitted bodice and full skirt. She wore a bandeau, corsage and wristlet of yellow roses with yellow meline and ribbon. Wearing an identically styled gown of yellow net over taffeta, Miss Genella Mooring, sister of the bride, served as bridesmaid. Her bandeau was of blue daisies, meline and ribbon with matching wristlet and corsage.

Little Miss Billie Carole Phillips, flower girl, similarly gowned in yellow, carried a basket of yellow meline filled with yellow rosebuds and blue daisies. Master David Mooring served his aunt as ring bearer.

Johnny Spann, twin brother of the groom, was best man while Arlis Mooring, brother of the bride, was groomsman. Ushers were Ray Moore and W. H. Bledsoe of Canyon, Texas.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was beautiful in a gown of chantilly lace and net over white slipper satin. The bodice was fitted forming a wedding ring to the back, with long, lace sleeves tapering to points over the hands. The low scalloped lace neckline was filled with a net insert. The bouffant skirt of accordion pleated nylon tulle was worn beneath a scalloped overskirt of chantilly lace. Her fingertip veil of illusion fell from a Juliet cap of net accented with designs of seed pearls. She wore pearl earrings and necklace and carried a colonial bouquet of white rosebuds with white satin streamers.

Mrs. Spann, mother of the groom, wore a navy blue lace dress complemented by white accessories and a corsage of white



MR. and MRS. JOE C. SPANN

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception for members of the wedding party, relatives and friends was held in Fellowship Hall.

Guests were received by Mrs. Juanita Dickenson, sister of the bride, Mrs. John Spann, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spann, Miss Jane Johnson and Miss Genella Mooring. Mrs. Arlis Mooring presided at the guest registrar.

The refreshment table was laid with a white lace cloth. The centerpiece of yellow and blue carnations with yellow jonquils and greenery in a crystal epergne carried out the bride's chosen colors of yellow, blue and white and was flanked with white tapers in crystal candelabra. The tiered cake was decorated with yellow flowers, blue lovebirds and wedding bells. Mrs. Johnny

Spann of Abilene served the cake while Mrs. Chester Sarsfield, Jr. of Ft. Worth ladled the punch.

For the wedding trip to Santa Fe, New Mexico, the bride chose to wear a navy blue crepe dress and white accessories. Her corsage was of white rosebuds.

Mrs. Spann is a graduate of Clarendon High School and Clarendon Junior College and is presently employed with the Farmers State Bank. Mr. Spann attended Munday High School and is a graduate of West Texas State College, Canyon. He is employed with the Clarendon Public Schools as assistant athletic director. The couple will make their home in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMurtry returned home last week from Tucson, Arizona where they have been the past three months.

## Clarendon Ladies Win Honors At Dalhart Convention

Federated Club Women of the Seventh District met in convention at Dalhart April 21 through April 23 with Mrs. H. P. Munday, district president, presiding at the sessions which were held in the High School Auditorium.

Attending from Clarendon were Mrs. C. T. McMurtry, a member of the district resolutions committee; Mrs. Pete Kunz, delegate from Pathfinder; Mrs. W. C. Thornberry, Les Beaux Art Club delegate; and Mrs. Clyde Hudson, delegate from the 1926 Book Club.

Several members of Clarendon Federated Clubs received outstanding honors. In the Fine Arts Division, Poetry Contest, Mrs. Lena Antrobus won first in the district with her poem "Life's Seasons."

In the Art show, Miss Ruth Richardson won second in pastels with her picture entitled "Autumn." She was also awarded second place with her avocative water color, "The Duster," and third place with an oil painting, "Night Shades." In all, Miss Richardson exhibited 12 paintings.

In the metal division, Mrs. Clyde Hudson won first place with a metal tray.

Among other exhibitors were Mrs. C. T. McMurtry with her Ceramics, Mrs. Frank Phelan, Jr. with two pastel paintings, and Mrs. Clyde Hudson with leather craft.

One of the most outstanding honors of the Convention, the Friendship Award, was presented to the Pathfinder Club of Clarendon in conjunction with a Lorenzo Club for their Friendship Day reports in competition with 67 other reports.

A splendid program was presented throughout the Convention with such outstanding speakers as Judge Philip Gilliam, Judge of the Juvenile Court, Denver, Colo.; Mrs. L. E. Dudley, president of Texas Federated Club Women, Abilene; Mrs. Albert Palmer, president of Colorado Federated Club Women, Boulder, Colo.; and Dr. Per J. Stensland of Texas Tech, Lubbock.

Taking part in the Forum presented Wednesday evening were Mason King and J. B. Linn of Amarillo; Robert E. Clements, president of Superior Manufacturing Co. of Amarillo; Kenneth Kendrick of Stratford, president of the American Wheat Growers Association; Rav E. Koehler, president of the Citizens National Bank of Dalhart; and others.

A meeting will be held at Patching Club House, Friday afternoon, April 30, at 4 o'clock when delegates to the convention will give their reports on the Dalhart meeting. All women are urged to attend. The presidents of the three federated clubs will be hostesses for the afternoon and a free will offering for the Cancer Crusade will be taken. For details regarding all the interesting and informative materials given by these splendid speakers and others, attend the reports meeting. All the exhibits on display at Dalhart may be seen here at this meeting also.

The Kil Kare Klub convened in the home of Ida and Etta Harned Thursday afternoon, April 22nd. The entertaining rooms were decorated with yellow roses, spirea and fern.

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**BETROTHAL ANNOUNCED**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. Carroll Knorpp, Clarendon, Texas, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Doris Bliss Knorpp, to Mr. Horton Cleveland Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horton Winter Reed of Boston, Mass.

The service will be read June 20th, at the First Presbyterian Church, Clarendon, Texas.

## MIDWAY CLUB

The Midway Club met with Bobbie Dishman on April 20. One quilt was finished and work done on another. One more quilt was completed for Mrs. J. F. Jones.

Loyd Hillis gave a very interesting report of Amelia Anthony's talk on Girlstown.

We were happy to have Jose Simmons' sister, Mrs. David McIrae of Idalou, for a visitor. The next meeting will be with Lucille Eanes, May 4th.

There were 15 members present with 10 absent. Those present to enjoy the lovely dinner were: Lucille Eanes, Loyd Hillis, Delia King, Nell Land, Ellen Moreland, Ida Pickering, Allie Quattlebaum, Louise Riley, Leona Scott, Sarah Shaller, Jose Simmons, Pearl Terry, Katie Bell Wells, Eddie Williams, and the hostess, Bobbie Dishman, with Edward Dishman, Jim Riley, and Jimmie Ray Riley at the noon hour.

—Secretary.

## MOTHERS STUDY CLUB

Members of Mothers Study Club and their guests met at the Household Supply Company Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. for a demonstration of the latest model Whirlpool Washer and Dryer. The demonstration covered approximately two hours and was enjoyed by all those attending. Refreshments of Cokes and cookies were served the ladies.

After the demonstration, the group adjourned to Patching Club House for a short business session presided over by the president, Mrs. Grady Tyler. Final plans were made for the annual Spring Luncheon.

Present were Mesdames Richard Cannon, T. H. Gattis, H. W. Martin, Bill Phillips, Grady Tyler, Chauncey Hommel, Tommy Gattis, C. M. Bennett, Dwayne Naylor, Frank Cannon, M. L. Evans and Nelda Jones.

Mrs. J. R. Bartlett is visiting relatives at Las Cruces, N. Mex.

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PATHFINDER

"Spring Foolery" was the program here when members of Pathfinder met at Patching Club House Friday afternoon, April 23. Hostesses were Mrs. Simmons Powell and Miss Ruth Richerson.

The business session was opened by Mrs. J. H. Howze with prayer followed by her reading of the Club Collect. Mrs. Clyde Hudson, president, reported on the Seventh District Convention of Federated Club Women, stating that a full report would be given, Friday, April 30, at 4 p. m. at Patching Club House.

From her report, the "Friendship Program" shared a first place honor. Mrs. Lena Antrobus was awarded first place in the poetry division. In fine arts-leather craft, metal craft, ceramics, and paintings were exhibited with Miss Ruth Richerson winning two second places with her pastels and water colors, and a third place in her oils.

Mrs. T. M. Caldwell, Jr. resigned as corresponding secretary for the coming year, and Mrs. Geo. Benson was elected to fill this vacancy. Mrs. Wm. J. Lowe was leader of the program "Spring Foolery." Everyone was gaily attired in a "Spring bonnet of the past" and several were in costume representative of "days gone by." Each member brought a prank or joke for the program. Judges for the afternoon's entertainment were Mrs. Clyde Hudson, Mrs. C. D.

McDowell, and Mrs. Carl Allmond. Mrs. Lena Antrobus won a prize for her hat while Mrs. R. Y. King was presented the prize for her costume. The cooperation of all made the program most enjoyable. Refreshments of a cup of water in a paper cup and a slice of cornbread were served on paper plates with napkins trimmed from the latest newspaper. Each member was responsible for the return of her paper plate to the kitchen and was presented a plate with individual cakes decorated with miniature umbrellas in pastel shades. Guests were invited to the dining room where red tinted punch was served from the dining table laid with a white linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of Iris. Mrs. Simmons Powell presided at the crystal service. Nineteen members attended.

BETA SIGMA PHI MEETING

Home of Bert Garland was the scene of the regular monthly meeting of Texas Mu Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi on April 22nd. During the regular business meeting it was voted to donate \$5.00 to the local cancer drive, and \$30.00 to the High School Band to be used as they see fit.

Mrs. Mary Gain reviewed the book "The Wind Blows Free" by Loula Grace Erdman. Everyone sincerely enjoyed the review. Members receiving a delicious refreshment plate at the close of the meeting were: Mrs. C. B. Morris, Sponsor; Juanita Phelps, Louise Lamberth, Essie Putman, Mae Naylor, Dee Williams, Jane Bownds, Ann Reeves, Frankie Henson, Lois Schollenbarger, and the hostess, Bert Garland. —Reporter.

SILVER ANNIVERSARY OBSERVED

The Delta Kappa Gamma organization, a national sorority for women teachers, met in Austin, April 22, 23 and 24th for its annual meeting, and to honor its founders on the 25th birthday of this rapidly growing organization. Fifty-one \$1000 scholarships were raised in a drive which was completed at this meeting. Texas "went over the top" with \$8306.56 as her contribution. The National president, Mrs. J. Maria Pierce, was the guest speaker at the Founders' Dinner Saturday evening in Hotel Driskill. Miss Eugenia Terry, the State president from Texas, presided over the general sessions. Local teachers attending were Miss Zada Belle Walker of Memphis, president-elect of the Gamma Kappa Chapter, and Miss Lucile Polk, out-going president of this chapter. Miss Polk served on the State Committee, Pioneer Women Teachers of Texas. This committee has had published 1000 copies of "Pioneer Women Teachers of Texas." These are on sale. Other biographies are being collected and kept on file at National Headquarters in Austin. Programs, teas, and such have been given throughout the year in honor of these retired teachers. Mr. E. L. Gaylean of the Research Department of Texas State Teachers Association spoke to this group at their workshop meeting in the Stephen F. Austin Hotel, and gave many worthwhile suggestions on the recruitment of teachers, the raising of professional standards, and contactual relations with the public.

JR. H. D. CLUB

The Junior Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon, April 22, at Patching Club House with Helen Land and Jean Putman hostesses. President, Polly Schull, presided over the business session. Plans were completed for the book review to be presented at the next meeting date, May 13, at the Club House.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Helen Land and Jean Putman, to members Klyda Blackman, Ruby Fitzgerald, Polly Schull, Clara Finley, Stella Spurgeon, Noma Lewis, Sadie Head, Leona Henson, Cleo Crutchfield, Thelma Behrens, Dollie Wilson, Gladys Hommel, Verdine Tipton, and Wilma Spier.

The last meeting of the Chamberlain Club was with Mrs. H. A. Harrison, Sr. A very pleasant afternoon was spent quilting and visiting. Those present were: Willie Hott, Mary Cannon and boys, Emma Jean Harrison and children, Nelda Jones and children, Mary Mann and hostess, Mrs. Harrison. The next meeting will be May 6th with Mary Mann.—Reporter.

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CHURCH SERVICES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Wm. A. Cockerell, Minister Sunday School—9:45 A. M. Sunday School Superintendent Dr. J. Gordon Stewart 1st. Assistant Superintendent, H. Lee Shaller 2nd Assistant Superintendent, Lee Bell Morning Worship—11:00 A. M. Evening Worship—7:30 P. M. Junior Choir sings at the evening worship service.

The Men-of-the-Church meet every third Wednesday night for food, fellowship and fun. Friends are invited. The Choir meets on Wednesday night for rehearsal. The Deacons meet each First Sunday night at 6:15 for their monthly meeting.

The Session meets each Second Sunday night at 6:15 for their monthly meeting. The local Board of Women meets each 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 3:15 P. M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH J. E. Byers, Pastor SUNDAY 9:45—Bible School Bill Lowe, Supt. 10:55—Worship Hour 6:45—Training Union N. Richardson, Dir. 8:00—Worship Hour TUESDAY 4:15—Y. W. A. 7:30—Brotherhood twice monthly WEDNESDAY 3:00—Sunbeams 3:00—W. M. U. 4:15—Nina Hankins G. A. 4:15—Mildred Crabtree G. A. 6:30—Jojola R. A. 7:00—Sunday School Officers & Teachers Meeting 7:30—Mid-week Prayer Service THURSDAY 4:15—Clyde Hankins R. A. 7:30—Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal FRIDAY 4:15—Marjorie Stevens G. A. SATURDAY 7:00—Group Prayer Meetings.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Rev. I. E. Biggs SUNDAY Church School—9:45 A. M. Morning Worship—10:50 A. M. Junior and Primary Fellowship—6:00 P. M. Methodist Youth Fellowship—6:15 P. M. Evening Worship—7:00 P. M. WEDNESDAY Woman's Society of Christian Service—3:30 P. M. Homemakers' Circle, Fourth Wednesday—4:00 P. M. Bible Study and Prayer Service—7:00 P. M. Choir Practice—7:30 P. M.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Harold Fowler, Supply Minister Bible School—9:45 W. L. Clampitt, Supt. Morning Worship—10:50. K.Y.B. Club—6:30.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE C. E. Townsend, Pastor Sunday School—9:45 A. M. Morning Worship—11:00 A. M. N. Y. P. S.—6:45 P. M. Evening Service—7:30 P. M. Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 7:00 P. M.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Ernest Phillips, Pastor Sunday School—10:00 A. M. Pat Myers, Supt. Preaching Service—11:00 A. M. Training Union—7:00 P. M. Winefred Self, Director Preaching Service—8:00 P. M. Wednesday evening: Prayer Service—7:30. An old time Baptist Church that preaches the Bible as it is to people as they are.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Chas. B. Wells, Minister Services Sunday Morning—Bible Classes—10:00 A. M. Worship Service—10:50 A. M. Young People's Meeting—6:30 Preaching—7:30 P. M. Ladies Bible Class Wednesday Morning—9:30. Midweek Services Wednesday evening—7:30. You are invited.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH T. E. Gibson, Pastor SUNDAY Sunday School—9:45 Morning Worship—11:00 Young People's Christ Ambassador Service and Booster Band—6:45 P. M. Evangelistic Service—7:30 P. M. WEDNESDAY Bible Study—7:30 SATURDAY NIGHT SERVICE First Saturday night in each month only—7:30 P. M.

LELIA LAKE BAPTIST CHURCH Roland Jenkins, Pastor Sunday School—10:00 A. M. Leo Smith, Supt. Preaching Service—11:00 A. M. Training Union—7:30 P. M. Virgil Cosper, Director Preaching Service—8:30 P. M. MONDAY W. M. U.—2:00 P. M. WEDNESDAY Prayer Meeting—7:30 P. M.

UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH N. J. Pope, pastor SUNDAY Sunday School—10:00 A. M. Evening—7:00 P. M. THURSDAY Evening—7:00 P. M.

MARTIN BAPTIST CHURCH T. H. Harmonson, Pastor Sunday School—10:00 A. M. George Bulman, Supt. Morning Service—11:00 A. M. Training Union—7:00 P. M. Nelson Christie, Director Evening Service—8:00 P. M. Wednesday Evening Prayer Service—7:30.

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH Samuel M. Black, Vicar 11:00 A. M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon. 11:00 A. M.—First Sunday in month, Holy Communion.

GOLDSTON BAPTIST CHURCH C. T. Williams, Pastor Sunday School—10:00 A. M. Odell McBrayer, Supt. Morning Worship—11:00 A. M. Song and Praise Service—7:30 P. M.

SAINT MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. L. Connaughton Mass Every Sunday at 9:00 A. M.

WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS" By C. WILSON HARDER Justice Department is now investigating Swiss watch cartel. Whether or not any action results under direction of reluctant Herbert Brownell, facts developed will be interesting to American business men and consumers. \* \* \* Already facts seem to indicate these two conclusions: 1. Idea that cartel business benefits the public is a fallacy; 2. Nobody in the U. S. A. with exception of small minority benefits. \* \* \* Justice Department is studying Bulova records, probably nation's biggest importer of foreign watch movements. \* \* \* According to Justice Department allegations, the price of 17 jewel Swiss watch movements set by a Swiss cartel at \$4.00 each. Present import duties on foreign 17 jewel watch movements brings the price up to \$6.00 each landed in this country, where they are then cased, and sold to public at prices ranging from around \$40 to \$100 or over. \* \* \* In American plants, it costs \$10 to make a 17 jewel watch movement. Thus, even with present tariff, Swiss watch movements enter nation for 60% of the cost of American made movements. \* \* \* While Justice Department is investigating legality of an American firm procuring merchandise at cartel pegged prices, deeper significance appears in issue. \* \* \* First there is this question: Does the public benefit by the fact that 17 jewel Swiss watch movements land in nation for 40% less than U. S. cost? \* \* \* As retail prices of 17 jewel

Swiss and surviving American makes are comparable, the answer appears negative. \* \* \* Then this question: Do retailers make better profit on Swiss watches? From all evidence at hand independent dealers make as much profit on American made watches, although there are unverified reports some chain outlets make extra profit on Swiss watches. \* \* \* In meantime entire American economy has suffered. A generation ago there were many American made watches, famed for accuracy and long life. \* \* \* Today, apparently only Hamilton, Elgin and Waltham survive, fighting a bitter battle. And it is a tribute to their ability that under American standards they can produce for \$10 a quality mechanism that with cheap foreign labor costs \$4.00. \* \* \* New England, home of American watch tradition, suffers serious unemployment. \* \* \* Situation also affects security. \* \* \* Modern defense depends heavily on time measuring mechanisms. Yet, shrinking of U. S. watch making industry is also reducing the people trained in difficult precision techniques. \* \* \* As already reported, it is not known whether Justice Department has valid case on the issue it is investigating. Many feel the time would be better spent investigating monopoly practices at home, rather than abroad. \* \* \* But situation appears to emphasize this viewpoint in coming Congressional battle: the best interests of the United States will be served by protecting American business and labor, not destroying it with low tariffs. And the American watch industry is just one of the many jeopardized by lack of protection.

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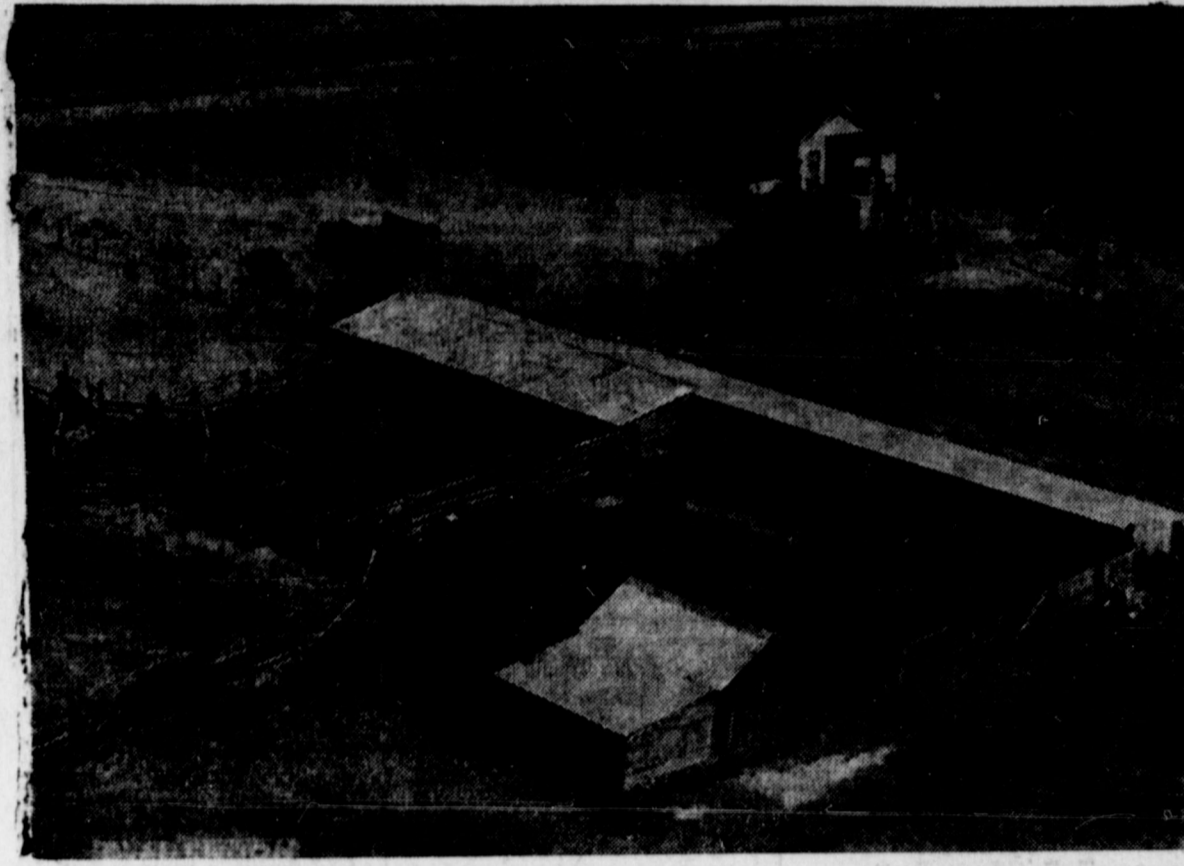
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**MYSTERY FARM NO. 36**

This farm home was identified by five persons last week as the Blair farm located five miles north of Clarendon on highway 70. Mrs. Ermine Blair, owner of the farm, came in and made positive identification and received her free picture. At the present time Carroll Lewis has the place leased.

This 314 acre farm was purchased from Sid Harris approximately 20 years ago. There are 100 acres in cultivation and 214 acres in pasture. The cultivated land is usually put in wheat or feed. In recent years this farm home was modernized and barns were remodeled and corrals were built.

Mrs. Blair makes her home in Clarendon. She has four children: Dwight L. Blair, Lubbock, Harry Edward Blair Jr., Corpus Christi, Mrs. Delene Tyler, Clarendon and Mrs. Biffie Dee Bradley of Amarillo. Mrs. Blair is a member of the United Pentecostal church.

**Farm Bureau's Proposed Farm Program**

Farm Bureau's proposed farm program—a compromise between two extremes in agricultural planning—has been introduced in Congress, according to Henry Moore of Hedley, Texas, president of the Donley County Farm Bureau.

Companion bills embodying specific proposals for improvements in price support and adjustment legislation were introduced recently by Reps. Martin (Rep.) of Iowa and Herlong (Dem.) of Florida. The House Agriculture Committee, of which Congressmen W. R. Poage of Waco and Clark Thompson of Galveston are members, is studying the bills now.

Provisions of the bills carry out the major policies on price supports and related legislation adopted by the official voting delegates to the American Farm Bureau Federation convention last December in Chicago.

Included in the proposed legislation are certain recommendations adopted by the voting delegates to the Texas Farm Bureau annual convention last November in Mineral Wells.

The bills call for the variable provisions of the Agricultural Act of 1949 to go into effect next year,

but with several important amendments. At least two of the amendments were compromises on recommendations adopted by the Texas Farm Bureau.

One of these would make it mandatory for the government to pay 90 percent supports for any basic commodity, except tobacco, the first year that marketing quotas are in effect on that crop after a year in which they were not in effect. This gives producers an extra year in which to bring supplies in line with demand before any changes may be made in the support level.

Another Texas Farm Bureau recommendation in the two bills is the provision establishing a soil fertility bank to alleviate the surplus problem and store up fertility in the soil. This is a compromise on the TFB acreage retirement plan. Under the provisions of the Farm Bureau-sponsored bills, the Secretary of Agriculture would be authorized to require producers to devote a percentage of their cropland to soil building crops or practices as a condition of eligibility for conservation payments and price supports on commodities which are not under marketing quotas. The Secretary would be directed to require that a producer comply with all marketing quota programs in order to be eligible for conservation payments and price supports.

One proposed amendment to the 1949 Act provides that up to \$2.5 billions worth of surplus commodities be set aside before

computing support levels so that the crops in surplus now could start off under the variable system with supports at or near 90 percent of parity. Farm surpluses in this "commodity set-aside" would be used to expand international trade and in foreign aid programs. However, the surpluses in the commodity set-aside would be used in figuring marketing quotas and acreage allotments.

Another proposed amendment would require the Secretary of Agriculture to provide for a marketing quota referendum for a crop when supplies reach a specified level. This guarantees producers the right to indicate how they feel about keeping supplies in line with demand. Had a referendum on quotas and allotments been called in 1952, the problem of unmanageable surpluses might not exist now. The amendment takes some of the politics out of national farm legislation.

The Farm Bureau-sponsored bills also provide for a gradual transition for the basic commodities from the old to modernized parity in steps of five percentage points per year until the change has been accomplished. These commodities would be affected beginning Jan. 1, 1956. Modernized parity supercedes the old formula which is based on 1910-1914 figures. It takes into account technological and economic changes since the 1910-1914 period. For all commodities except the basics the modernized formula is already in use.

The Farm Bureau proposals, as embodied in the Martin and Herlong bills, represents a "middle road" or compromise between extremes in agricultural farm programs. Producers of some commodities which will be affected by acres diverted this year from basic commodities generally favor straight flexible price supports. Some favor doing away with all price supports. On the other hand, some producers of basic commodities favor straight 90 percent supports regardless of supply and demand.

Cash farm receipts from the six so-called basic crops constitute 23 percent of total cash farm receipts. The other 77 percent of gross farm income is derived from all other farm and ranch commodities. Some 60 percent of the gross income of American farmers and ranchers comes from the sale of commodities which do not have any government price support whatsoever.

The Farm Bureau program contains some of the best features of both variable and rigid price support plans. It guarantees a certain amount of freedom from government control, and, at the same time, provides essential price protection.

**GOLDSTON NEWS**

Mrs. Roy Roberson

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barker and Vickie of Clarendon visited Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scoggins of Dallas visited with Mrs. Walter Goldston last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scoggins of Dallas and Mrs. Walter Goldston visited Friday in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. D. Blanks and Bobby.

Mrs. H. C. Smith of Clarendon and Mrs. Walter Bible and Nancy of Borger visited Friday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tipton and children of Pampa visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Godbey and Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pegram and girls of Pampa spent Sunday with Mrs. Jim Pegram.

Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Williams took dinner Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moss and baby of Clarendon visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moss and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Williams and son moved last week to Goodnight.

Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reid and Bertha Mae of Clarendon.

Rev. and Mrs. C. T. Williams of Clarendon took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Odel McBrayer and family.

Mr. J. Aldridge of Brownwood, Texas is visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Aldridge and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and

Pat and Mrs. Al Covington and children of Clarendon spent Sunday in Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sullivan.

Those who took dinner Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield were Jim Littlefield of Tulsa, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ray Littlefield and Jerry Littlefield and Duane Littlefield.

Mrs. Duane Littlefield and baby returned home Friday after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barrett of Chandler, Okla.

Mrs. Doyle Ray Littlefield and Jerry Littlefield visited Wednesday eve with Mrs. Roy Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ray Littlefield took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Duane Littlefield and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and Pat visited in Wellington Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hatley and Mrs. Dall Hall of Amarillo spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenord Hatley of

Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Hatley of Fort Wayne, Ind. visited from Monday night until Wednesday morning with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley and Mr. and Mrs. Onroe Hatley visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Hatley of Brice.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scoggins of Dallas visited Friday eve with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mrs. Oma Pierce and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Perdue all of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Roy and Wayne Wood of Clarendon visited Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and family and grandma Perdue.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Littlefield and baby and Mrs. Roy Roberson took dinner Monday with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield.

Mrs. Roy Roberson visited a while Monday eve with Mrs. Edgar Talley and grandma Perdue.

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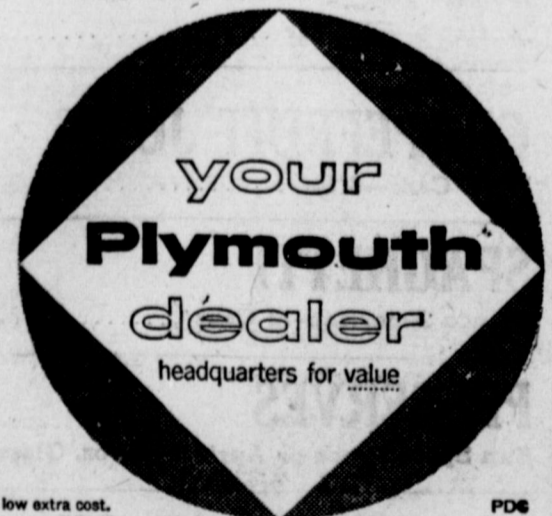
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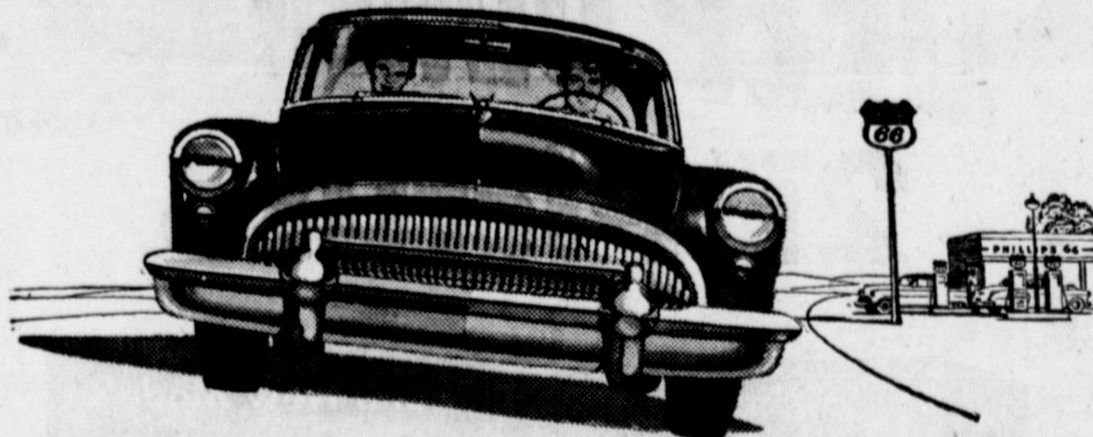
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# FARM NEWS

from the County ASC Committee

## INTERTILLED ACREAGE OF ALLOTMENT CROPS

Intertilled crops shall be considered to occupy the land at the same time only if intertilled during the entire growing season of the allotment crop.

(a) Where an allotment crop and another row crop or two allotment crops are planted in alternate rows or in alternate strips of two rows that are intertilled during the entire growing season, only the land actually occupied by the allotment crop being measured will be considered as each row of the crops planted is not less than the normal row width for the allotment crop in the locality.

(b) If an allotment crop is planted in alternate strips with either idle or fallow land or with other crops that are not intertilled during the entire growing season, the following will apply:

(1) If the strips of idle or fallow land or other crop(s) are less than four normal rows in width, the entire area shall be considered as planted to the allotment crop.

(2) If the strips of idle or fallow land or other crop(s) are at least four normal rows in width, only that part of the land that is actually occupied by the allotment crop, shall be considered as planted to the allotment crop.

## DOUBLE CROPPING

If any land is planted successively to two crops during the same crop year, the acreage of both crops shall be counted in determining the total acreage of the respective crops. This land shall be counted only once in determining cropland.

## MEASUREMENT OF EXCESS ACREAGE

If the measured acreage of any allotment crop is in excess of the

farm acreage allotment, the farm operator may dispose of it. The rate of charge to the farm operator will be specified by the county committee and approved by the State Committee at a later date. The farm operators will have a 20 day limit in which to destroy excess acreage.

## American Legion To Stage 3-Day Rodeo At McLean, April 30 And May 1-2nd

The annual American Legion rodeo will be staged in McLean Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, April 30, and May 1 and 2nd, with three performances scheduled.

First performance will be Friday night at 8 o'clock, and the other two are set for Saturday and Sunday afternoons at 2 o'clock Bill Kingston, chairman of the rodeo committee, stated.

A parade will be held Saturday morning at 11 o'clock, and an old fiddlers contest at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Sunset Ramblers will play for dances at the Legion Hall both Friday and Saturday nights.

Stock for the show is being furnished by Morris Stephens of Silverton. Rodeo events will include wild mare riding, saddle bronc riding, bareback bronc riding, bull riding, calf roping, and ribbon roping.

## ATTEND INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE MEET

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McAnear and Iva Jean, and Tommy Dunlap were in Lubbock Saturday where Iva Jean was entered in the Junior Girls Declamation contests. Iva Jean placed second with her reading "Silence" by Masters.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hutson and children of Borger visited the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Spurgeon and other relatives.

## Official Highway Travel Map for 1954 Now Available

AUSTIN — Publication of the Official Highway Travel Map for 1954 was announced in Austin today by D. C. Greer, State Highway Engineer, and it is now available for free distribution.

Incorporating many changes and new features, it is believed that this is one of the best travel maps the Highway Department has published. Greer stated. For the first time this year type has been used for all names and symbols appearing on the map, instead of the hand lettering previously used. This greatly improves legibility of all names.

A different size and type face was selected for the various categories of names that appear on the map; counties appear in one type, cities of similar population density will have the same size type; mountains will have their own lettering style, while rivers will appear in still another size and type face, Greer stated. In all, thirty-three different styles and sizes of type were ordered for the new map.

Over 1350 villages, towns and cities are to be shown on the new guide. Each of these falls into one of the five population categories—towns of less than 1,000 persons, towns up to 5,000, those with 25,000, and cities with populations up to 100,000. After a city's population passes this mark, Greer said, it will be shown as a stippled outline of the city limits. Thirteen insets of Texas' largest towns showing highway routes through these towns are continued in the margins of the map again this year.

For the past two years the Department has been attempting to develop a relief base for the travel map that would succeed in showing the contours of the land to better advantage without adding to the expense of the printing, Greer said. This year a method has finally been developed to show a true relief which can be reproduced in brown, conforming to all standard cartographic relief practices.

Also to improve the legibility of the map and to allow for the showing of more detail, the width of the highway bands has been reduced in size on the 1954 map. This is a particular advantage around cities where several highways converge, Greer pointed out.

He went on to say that Texas is so large that any attempt to map it at a scale that will accommodate all information of interest to tourists would not be practical. The size of road maps has been fairly well standardized all over the United States, and any attempt to squeeze Texas onto the same size sheet of paper required by the average state must necessarily prohibit the use of much interesting information.

All items that render service to the traveling public are clearly designated, including roadside parks, historical points of interest, state and national parks, and tourist information bureaus. A mileage index, which shows the distance between principal cities in Texas, is also compiled for the users assistance.

The Department usually receives about one-half million requests each year for a copy of the travel map. Copies may be obtained free of charge from any of the district highway offices in the state, the travel information bureaus, or by writing direct to the Texas Highway Department, Austin 14, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Muse and Mrs. Arria May were guests Easter Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Heckman and family at Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Evans and family visited the week end in Memphis.

Sheriff Truett Behrens attended the North Texas-Southern Oklahoma Peace Officers Association at Lawton, Oklahoma Tuesday.

Mrs. Blanche Davis, a long time Clarendon property owner, left Wednesday for Seattle, Washington to make her home.

Grandmother Lowe was taken to a Wichita Falls hospital Monday afternoon for medical treatment. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Inez Castleberry of Borger visited Tuesday last with her sister, Mrs. Arria May.

Mrs. Eva Atteberry and Mrs. Pauline Watters visited in Amarillo Sunday night and Monday.

## CITY HALL NOTES

Subject: Garbage service, Residential District.

You are required to furnish drum or container with good bottom. Do not set fire to contents until after 3 p. m. Contents will not be emptied in case of fire. Put all grass clippings and trash in drum container, cartons or sacks. Tree limbs and trunks should be cut to not exceed five feet in length. Do not put rocks or stones in drums as they can not be handled without damaging our equipment. Contents of containers shall not exceed 50 pounds.

The city has plenty of 55 gallon drums with top cut out that we will deliver at \$2.00.

Your city officials' desire is to cooperate in every way possible within the bounds of reason to take care of this problem and with your cooperation, we feel this can be accomplished.

Mayor and City Commissioners.

Mrs. E. L. Speed accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Tyler and children of Amarillo visited in Clarendon Thursday enroute to Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Ernest Tipton and children visited relatives in Poolville thru the Easter holidays and on Easter Sunday attended the Texas State Singing Convention at Stephenville, returning home Monday.

## CARD OF THANKS

Words can't express our appreciation to all our friends who visited or helped in the home, who sent flowers and foods, who helped render the beautiful music, songs and message. Your prayers and love expressed made our sorrow lighter in the passing on of our loved one. We can only say, "Thanks and God's blessings on all."

The Wallace and Duckett families.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Britten and children of Groom, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Muse, and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Muse of Canyon visited in the home of Mrs. Arria May Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Lawrence and David, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Frisbie and Tamara all of Memphis, and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wells and Addie Lou of Amarillo were guests Easter Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Evans and family.

## Fifty Seven Identify Mystery Farm No. 36

We had a large number of people to identify the last Mystery Farm of the Air last week. The grand total of correct identifications was fifty-seven with thirty-five of this number on the city list and twenty-two on the rural list. When you can identify one of the Mystery farms, call or come in, for the more names the better and you never know when you will be the winner of the free subscription or movie ticket.

Winners of the free subscriptions to the Leader were Mrs. W. A. Poovey on the rural list and Mrs. Brack LaGrone on the city list. Winners of the free tickets to the Mulkey Theatre were Helen Churchman on the city list and Mrs. Clarence Moss on the rural list.

Those making correct identification were: Rural—Mrs. W. A. Poovey, Delma Graham, Mrs. Dick Eichelberger, Walter Lowe, Mrs. Clarence Moss, Mrs. J. H. Helton, Mrs. James Ashcraft, Mrs. L. M. Porter, Mrs. W. E. Emmons, Mrs. D. E. Leathers, Mrs. W. H. McDonald, Mrs. B. J. Leathers, H. A. Harrison Jr., Mary Chenuault, Mrs. Raymond Waldrop, Mrs. M. W. Hatley, Mrs. W. D. Higgins, Mrs. Doyce Graham, Mrs. J. C. Ashcraft, Mrs. Woodrow Ashcraft, Alton Webb and Mrs. Carl Barker.

City list—Mrs. Brack LaGrone, Mrs. Arlis Mooring, Flip Breedlove, Mrs. Tom Roberts, Helen Churchman, Bill Greene Jr., James Gouldy, Mrs. H. C. Smith, W. H. Ellis, Wallace Raney, Mrs. W. H. Ellis, Mrs. Hazel Guy, F. A. Fitzgerald, Wesley Farr, Jeff Ward, Jaunita Phelps, Jack Edgings, Sid Stewart, David Spivey, Delbert Robertson, W. O. Butler, Joe Baten, Bob Head, Mrs. W. M. Cross, Shy Johnson, C. Huffman, M. E. Hopkins, Clyde Barker, Mrs. R. C. Bingham, Maude Palmer, Mrs. Dick Chunn, R. C. Bingham, Glenn Hall, Mrs. W. E. Hodges and Mrs. Herman Vinson.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this way of thanking each and every one who helped us when we lost our home by fire. May you have such nice friends if the need ever comes to you. May God bless each and every one.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy C. Sims and children.

Mrs. Norris Spurgeon and children and Mrs. Abbie Warner were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF

### THE FARMERS STATE BANK

of Clarendon, Texas, at the close of business April 15, 1954

A State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$688,206.99
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	272,500.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	73,947.56
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$432.50 overdrafts)	842,011.27
Bank premises owned \$20,606.00, furniture and fixtures \$5,285.24	25,891.24
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$1,855,557.97</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,367,376.07
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	237,589.75
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	11,637.83
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	60,858.43
Deposits of banks	24,676.92
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	4,511.63
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$1,706,650.67</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)</b>	<b>\$1,706,650.67</b>
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	48,907.30
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>148,907.30</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$1,855,557.97</b>

\*This bank's capital consists of:  
Common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00

MEMORANDUM

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$110,000.00

I, Emmett O. Simmons, Vice President, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CORRECT—ATTEST:  
J. D. SWIFT  
FRANK WHITE JR.  
J. H. HURN  
Directors.

State of Texas, County of Donley, ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th day of April, 1954.

(SEAL) JOYCE GOULDY, Notary Public

Charter No. 5463 Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

### THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF CLARENDON

IN THE STATE OF TEXAS

at the Close of Business on April 15, 1954

Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$202,867.99
United States Government obligations direct and guaranteed	440,318.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	5,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$388.64 overdrafts)	\$17,541.43
Bank premises owned \$3,428.50, furniture and fixtures \$5,513.43	8,941.93
Other assets	274.50
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$978,446.94</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$688,222.85
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	55,313.28
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	2,220.47
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	77,785.82
Deposits of banks	19,792.90
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	3,180.58
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$843,516.20</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$843,516.20</b>
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
(c) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	34,936.74
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$134,936.74</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$978,446.94</b>

MEMORANDUM

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$120,000.00

State of Texas, County of Donley, ss:  
I, W. W. Taylor, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CORRECT—ATTEST:  
GEO. B. BAGBY  
A. T. JEFFERIES  
JOHN H. HEAD  
Directors.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23rd day of April, 1954, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

(SEAL) JENNIE ATEN, Notary Public.  
My commission expires June 1, 1955.

## Cancer Fund-Raising Crusade Underway

"Nearly a quarter of a million Americans will die of cancer this year according to reliable estimates," Mrs. W. J. Lewis, Jr., chairman of the Donley County ACS Unit, said today in emphasizing the vital importance of the American Cancer Society's 1954 fund-raising crusade which is being conducted throughout the United States this month, and throughout Donley County this week.

"Cancer accounted for one out of every seven deaths in the United States last year and now ranks as this country's second most deadly killer," she continued. "Unless its appalling annual death rate can be checked, it is estimated that 23,000,000 Americans now living will die of the disease."

Mrs. Lewis pointed out that most persons share an erroneous belief that cancer is contracted only by persons of middle or old age. But death statistics last year, she added, revealed that more children from three to 15 years died of cancer than from any other disease.

"But despite the grim picture presented by the cancer mortality rate," the chairman said, "there are encouraging figures that should help to dispel the deadly fear of the malady entertained by so many persons who are not acquainted with present cure statistics. It is now estimated that about half of those who develop cancer can be cured if their cases are diagnosed promptly and they are given adequate treatment by one or a combination of the three approved techniques of surgery, radiation and radium."

"Last year, 73,000 American cancer victims were saved and an estimated 73,000 among those who died of the ailment might have been spared had they received treatment soon enough."

"The American Cancer Society, with its annual grants of more than \$4,500,000 to institutions where some 900 investigators are engaged in cancer research, is spearheading the nationwide quest to discover new and more effective methods of fighting this killer that will strike an estimated one out of every five Americans at some time during their lives."

"The people of this community will have an opportunity to join in this tremendously important

## NOTICE

Members of Clark-Brock Post 128 American Legion

There will be a chicken barbecue at the Clarendon Country Club on Tuesday, May 4th at 7:00 P. M. This will be for members and family and invited guests. Each member is requested to take half of chicken for each of his family and guests and leave same at the Donley County Food Locker not later than the afternoon of Monday, May 3rd. Please cut chickens in half.

Coffee will be furnished by the Legion. Bring any other food that you care to have.

B. C. Antrobus, Adjutant.

campaign to conquer cancer by giving generously when local ACS volunteers call for contributions for the 1954 drive."

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brigman of Snyder, Texas announce the arrival of a 6 lb. 7 oz. boy, named Mark Lang, on April 16th. Mrs. Brigman will be remembered as Faye Phillips.

Mrs. Ben Daniels of Ft. Worth is visiting a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson.



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OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

### DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK

AT CLARENDON, TEXAS

at the close of business on the 15th day of April, 1954, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$1,061,501.71
United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	882,000.00
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	6,427.80
Cash, balance due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house)	\$44,440.60
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	1.00
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	1.00
<b>TOTAL RESOURCES</b>	<b>\$2,734,372.11</b>
LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Common Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus: Certified \$50,000.00	50,000.00
Undivided profits	44,866.07
Capital reserves (and debenture retirement account) Contingencies	5,416.59
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,338,054.08
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	65,028.92
Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	137,270.77
Deposits of banks (excluding reciprocal balances)	38,466.53
Other deposits (certified & cashier's checks, etc.)	5,268.85
<b>TOTAL ALL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$2,584,989.15</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$2,734,372.11</b>

STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF DONLEY

I, Walter B. Knorpp, being Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WALTER B. KNORPP

CORRECT—ATTEST:  
F. E. CHAMBERLAIN  
W. CARROLL KNORPP  
K. CHAMBERLAIN  
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of April, 1954.

MARY NEAL RISLEY,  
Notary Public, Donley County, Texas.





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### DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS

	REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE
Whites Special 18 mo. Battery, Reg. price \$9.95	\$9.95	\$8.88
Plastic Seat Covers, Reg. price \$16.00	\$16.00	\$9.95
Steering Wheel Cover, Reg. price 29c	29c	23c
Door Mirror, Reg. \$1.15	\$1.15	88c
Imperial House Paint, Reg. \$2.98	\$2.98	\$2.39
Plastic Coat Car Polish, Reg. \$1.19	\$1.19	89c
Whisk Broom, Reg. 59c	59c	47c
Tire Pump, Reg. \$1.15	\$1.15	98c
24" & 26" Bike Tire, Reg. \$2.19	\$2.19	\$1.98
5 Pc. Wrench Set, Reg. \$1.19	\$1.19	98c
Hack Saw, Reg. 75c	75c	59c
Glass Casting Rod, Reg. \$2.69	\$2.69	\$2.19
Minnow Bucket, Reg. 98c	98c	69c
Full size Ball Glove, Reg. \$4.49	\$4.49	\$3.49
Baseball Bat, Reg. 98c	98c	88c
1 Pint Vacuum Bottle, Reg. \$1.49	\$1.49	98c
Fur Polish Cloth, Reg. 25c	25c	19c
16 Pc. Set Dishes, Reg. \$2.98	\$2.98	\$2.19
20 ft. Lawn Sprinkler, Reg. \$1.49	\$1.49	\$1.25
Lawn Rake, Reg. \$1.09	\$1.09	98c
25 ft. Plastic Garden Hose, Reg. \$2.49	\$2.49	\$1.89
Camp Stool, Reg. 98c	98c	79c
1/2 gallon Outing Jug, Reg. \$1.89	\$1.89	\$1.49

**WHITE AUTO STORE**  
Phone 162  
Clarendon, Texas

### DOLLAR DAYS

**\$1.50 Haley's M-O ..... 99c**  
**65c Alka Seltzer—2 for ..... 98c**  
**\$3.25 Metamucil ..... \$1.98**  
**\$1.00 Woodbury Lotion—3 for ..... \$1.00**  
**\$1.00 Jergens Lotion—2 for ..... \$1.00**  
**\$2.00 Coty Face Powder—compact combination ..... \$1.00**  
**\$1.50 Toni Refils ..... \$1.00**  
**45c Pablum Cereal—3 for ..... \$1.00**  
**\$1.49 Vaporette Bug Killer ..... \$1.00**  
**Delsey Tissue—10 Rolls ..... \$1.00**  
**\$1.00 Stick Cologne—2 for ..... \$1.00**

**Bob Moss Pharmacy**  
The Rexall Store



**GREENE DRY GOODS CO.**

Phone 41

**Dollar - Day Values**

Ladies <b>OXFORDS &amp; SANDALS</b> Values to \$8.00 Sizes broken Choice <b>\$1.98</b>	39 Pair Childrens <b>SANDALS</b> Sizes 3 to large 3 Choice <b>\$1.00</b> Values to \$2.98
<b>ATHLETIC SHIRTS</b> Size 34 to 52 2 for <b>\$1.00</b>	Broadcloth or Knit <b>SHORTS</b> 3 for <b>\$2.00</b>

**PRINTS**

49c - 80 square Fruit-of-the-Loom 39c yd

Mens <b>HANDKERCHIEFS</b> 10 for <b>\$1.00</b>	<b>BATH TOWELS</b> 22x44-2 for <b>\$1.00</b> All wanted colors.
<b>BEACH TOWELS</b> 27 x 54 . . . <b>\$1.00</b>	<b>\$1.00 EAR SCREWS</b> 1 lot—all colors. 2 for <b>\$1.00</b> Plus tax.
<b>WHITE T-SHIRTS</b> 2 for <b>\$1.00</b>	

**DRESS GOODS—Values to \$1.98**

Spring Woolens — Rayon Suiting — Orlon — Nylon  
Butcher Linens — Sheers — Choice . . . \$1.00 yd.  
Cotton Plisses — Voiles — Batiste — 2 yds. . . \$1.00

**Mens Oxfords — Freemans & Randcraft**  
Both ventilated and Regular styles — Sizes broken in  
each style—All sizes in group—Values to \$12.95.  
Choice . . . . . **\$5.00**

**Womens PLAY-SHU—Choice \$2.98**  
Washable—Red, beige, wheat, Cinnabar.  
All sizes.

**Dickie's Army Cloth Shirts & Pants**  
Tan - Grey - Forest Green.

Choice—Two Days Only . . . **\$2.98 each**

See our after Easter Specials on Ladies Ready-to-Wear.  
**NO CHARGE TICKETS MADE AT ABOVE PRICES.**



**SUPER Kemtone**

Quarts—Reg. \$1.65 & \$1.75  
for **\$1.00**

Gallons—Reg. \$5.15 & \$5.45  
for **\$4.00**

**GORDON'S HARDWARE**

Phone 115

New... fully automatic... at a wonderful budget price!

**HOTPOINT AUTOMATIC WASHER**

NOW ONLY **Dollar Day Special \$199<sup>95</sup>**



**ALL THE FEATURES WOMEN WANT MOST!**

- Sanitary solid-wall spin tub
  - Convenient top loading
  - Flat, table-top work surface
  - Smooth vibrationless operation
  - No bolting to floor necessary
  - De luxe Thriftivator Action
  - Flush-to-wall installation
  - Beautiful porcelain finish
- So easy on clothes, yet hard on dirt!  
Just a few minutes of your time and a whole week's laundry is automatically washed, triple-rinsed, spin-dried. All you do is set the Wond-R-Dial and drop in your load. It will make your "washday" a thing of the past!

**A. R. HENSON TIRE COMPANY**

Clarendon, Texas YOUR GOODYEAR STORE Telephone 71

**Special** FOR A LIMITED TIME! Free Oak Leaf Plastic Dish with each **Fruit Salad Sundae 30c**

**TRIFLING** BELLEZZA COLOGNE with Gift Atomizer... **\$2.00**

REGULAR UPJOHN UNICAPS 100's... **\$2.89**

DUSTING POWDER... NET WT. 8 OZ. . . . . 1.50

PERFUME "LENELETTE" . . . . . 1.75

ONE OZ. 3.25 VALUE

**HAIR BRUSH and COMB SET . . . \$1.00**

Both for only **1.75** PLUS TAX by **LENELE**

**CITY DRUG** Phone 93

EVERYBODY SAVES ON **Dollar Days**

**WASH CLOTHS \$1.00**  
12 for

**TOWELS 59c**  
89c Value

**Cottage Curtains 59c**  
PLASTIC—79c Value

Closeout Prices on Life Brassieres and Formfit Girdles.

**PRINT—80 square \$1.00**  
3 yards for

**TWISTALENE \$1.00**  
2 yards for

**PIQUE—Solid Color \$1.00**  
2 yards for

Other Items will be on Sale.

**BROOKS VARIETY STORE**  
Clarendon, Texas

**Give Mom** for MOTHER'S DAY SPECIAL

*A Most Heavenly Gift*

**Miss Elaine's**

Perfect Fitting... Straight Cut **PRECISIONAL SLIP**

Made of NYLAINE Shrink Proof ACETATE NYLON CREPE

Finest slip in the pin money class! (Most beautiful, too!) Never pulls, sags, droops. Gives you lavishly lace trimmed beauty plus Precisional fit and quality backed with a money-back guarantee!

Give a Precisional Slip and you give the finest.

Regular **\$3.98**  
**\$2.98**

SPECIAL PRICE - WHITE or NAVY - Sizes 32 to 44

**PARKER-PERKINS**

**Dollar Day Specials**  
APRIL 30th & MAY 1st.

**2 Table Lamps**  
for the Price of **One plus \$1.00**

You buy one Lamp at regular price; Second Identical Lamp or Lamps of same price for only \$1.00.

**\$1.00 DOWN**  
Will open your account on any item in our store up to \$50.00.

**Clarendon Furniture Company**



# J-LEE DEPARTMENT STORE

# DOLLAR DAYS



FOR GIRLS

**Can - Can  
PETTICOAT**  
TWO & THREE TIER

**\$1.00**

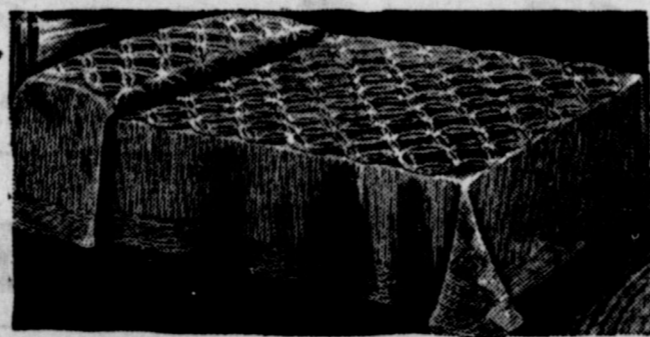
Now you can afford several of these popular Can-Can Petticoats. Polished cotton and Organdy. Compare at much higher prices.



**FAMOUS CANNON  
SHEETS!!**

Every Sheet type 130 or more. Size 81 x 99. Every sheet first quality. No seconds. The lowest prices since pre-war days. Compare.

**\$1.57**



**FLUFFY CHENILLE  
SPREADS!!**

Dark backgrounds with multi-color design.

Double bed size. Made on extra heavy muslin.

**\$4.88**

A SPECIAL PURCHASE FOR  
THIS SPECIAL EVENT.  
Over 200 New Summer

**Dresses**  
**\$3.98**

Polished Cotton. No iron cottons and many other fabrics ideal for summer. Sizes 9 to 15, 10 to 20 and 14½ to 24½. Compare these dresses with others at twice this price.



- SOLID COLOR
- SKIP DENT
- SHORT SLEEVE

**SPORT SHIRTS**

**\$1.00**

Completely washable. Fast color. Keep cool this summer in these skip dent sport shirts.




**Cotton Plisse Can-Can  
PETTICOAT!!**

Needs no ironing. Now you too, can afford a Can-Can Slip.

**\$1.00**

**CANNON SHEETS**

Extra large, 81 x 108. Type 130 or more. First quality only. Compare!


**\$1.67**

**Famous Cannon  
TOWELS!!**

Extra Large—20" x 40". Stripes only. Extra Fluffy.

Extra absorbent. First Quality only. Buy Now and Save!

**47c**



**COTTON BRASSIERE**

Circular stitched. White only. Size 32 to 38. A and B cups.

**2 for \$1.00**

**Foam Rubber Padded Brassiere**

White only. Circular stitched. A and B cups.

**\$1.00**

**Solid Color Cotton Plisse**

Needs no ironing. Fast color. 36" wide.

**37c**

**ARMY TWILL WORK SUITS!!**

Made of extra heavy 8½ oz. Army Twill. Tan or Grey.

**\$5.47 SUIT**

FOR BOYS

**Short Sleeve  
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**\$1.00**

Rayons, Linens and many others. Size 6 to 16.



**Nylon  
EVENT**

The sheerest of  
**NYLONS!!**

66 gauge  
12 denier

**67c**

Every pair first quality. New summer shades. Size 8½ to 11. Compare at much higher price.



Not a substitute but the  
Genuine, first quality

**TWISTALENE**

Full bolts. About twelve colors to choose from.

Completely washable. Needs no ironing. Ideal for Squaw dresses & skirts.

**59c**





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CASH  
AND  
PAY  
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"TRADE AT HOME WITH HOMEFOLKS"

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WE DELIVER

6 cans Luncheon PEAS \$1  
WHITE SWAN  
303 Cans

Peaches OUR VALUE  
No. 2 1/2 Can ... .25

3 cans ORANGE JUICE \$1  
WHITE SWAN  
46 oz. Cans



1/2 lb. Box .... 59c  
48 count Bags 53c

8 cans MILK .95  
WHITE SWAN  
Large

Tide Giant ..... .69

6 cans CORN \$1  
WHITE SWAN  
303 Cans

Spuds PICK-O-MORN  
Reds—10 lbs. .... .43

Green Onions 3 Bunches ..... .10

Corn FRESH EARS  
Each ..... 5c

Strawberries FRESH  
Pint ..... .25

4 cans Crushed Pineapple \$1  
WHITE SWAN  
No. 2 Cans

4 cans Grapefruit Juice .95  
WHITE SWAN  
46 oz. Cans

10 cans PORK & BEANS \$1  
WHITE SWAN  
300 size Cans

4 cans PEARS .95  
WHITE SWAN  
303 size Cans

Pillsbury FLOUR 25 lb. Sack ..... \$1.79

8 Cans SPINACH \$1  
LIBBY'S  
303 Cans

3 cans Fruit Cocktail \$1  
HEARTS DELIGHT  
No. 2 1/2 Cans

Vegetole 3 lb. Carton ..... .63

4 Jars PICKLES \$1  
CONCHO  
Quarts

Crisco 3 lb. Can ..... .87

6 cans PEACHES \$1  
HEARTS DELIGHT  
303 size Cans

Sugar PURE CANE  
10 lbs. .... .89

7 Cans GREEN BEANS \$1  
OUR VALUE  
303 size Cans

IT'S ICE CREAM WEATHER  
SO make Charlotte Freeze  
your next choice

...an exceptionally fine product  
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HALF GAL. 49c

Hamburger ALL MEAT  
3 lbs. .... \$1.00

Beef Bacon ARMOURS  
Pound ..... .67

Cheese VELVEETA  
2 lb. Box ..... .89

Wieners PINKNEYS  
3 lbs. .... .89

REDEEM YOUR  
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COUPONS HERE!

NEW Pillsbury  
SPICE  
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