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## Bulldogs Meet Lubbock Christian College In Game Here Sat. Night

The CJC Bulldogs will meet their second conference opponent at the local gymnasium beginning at eight o'clock Saturday night when they encounter the team from Lubbock Christian College. The Lubbock college is a new member of the West Zone Junior College Conference this year. This is only the second year for the new school and they are participating in basketball for the first time.

The current record of the Lubbock basketball team is unknown, but they lost their first conference game in Amarillo last week by the thin margin of 83 to 78 which would indicate that they have a good team.

The Bulldog's record is now six wins and six losses and Coach Travis is hoping that his charges will hit their stride in this game. They looked rough and ragged in last Saturday night's win over Howard County and the coach says they will have to improve fast if they expect to hold their own against the tough conference competition coming up.

After Saturday night's game with Lubbock Christian, the Bulldogs will travel to Borger to meet the always strong Frank Phillips Plainsmen on Monday night of next week.

Coach Travis has indicated that he will go along with his usual starting line-up of Alva Carter, Loyd Stephens, Bub Eldridge, Jack Buttram and Beamy Lesley. However, Felix Johnson, the freshman from Quitaque, is improving fast and may move into a starting position soon. Other boys currently on the squad include Max Whittington, Gerald Garvin, H. D. Yarbrough and Carl Irlbeck. Buzz Bailey left the squad before the Christmas holidays and Dennis Love dropped out of school prior to the Christmas recess.

## NEW C OF C DIRECTORS NAMED FOR 1959

As a result of ballots mailed in December, six new directors have been named to the local Chamber of Commerce directorate. They are T. M. Caldwell, Jr., Frank Phelan, Jr., A. R. Henson, J. G. McAnear, M. M. McCully and George Thompson.

The retiring directors are Frank White, Jr., C. A. Pitts, Joe Lovell, Billy Goodman, Bill Todd and Bill Greene. The hold-over directors are Jr. Spier, Dr. H. R. Beck, Jake Lambreth, George Benson, J. B. Melton and Dr. Geo. W. Smith.

The Chamber is planning on having their new brochure out soon advertising Clarendon and Donley County.

## Louis Marshall Services Held

Louis Miller Marshall, 76, Donley County resident for 31 years and a resident of Clarendon for the past eight years, died at his home Thursday evening. Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First Methodist Church, Clarendon with the Rev. C. M. Ryan, pastor, and the Rev. W. F. Vanderburg, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

Pallbearers were Guy Sibley, Charlie Hearn, Earl Easterling, O. T. Hill, Othel Elliott, and George Bulman. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with services under the direction of Murphy Funeral Home.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Willie Ollie Marshall of the home; five daughters, Mrs. Oneta Morris of Tucumcari, New Mexico, Mrs. Mona Jackson and Mrs. Billy Ray Allison, both of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Gladys McFadden of Klamath Falls, Oregon, and Mrs. Cecil Culver of Midwest City, Oklahoma; a son, R. B. Marshall of Portales, New Mexico; two sisters, Mrs. Lula Smith of Cross Plains, Texas and Mrs. Belle McKee of San Angelo; six brothers, Ben of Pioneer, Texas, Emery of Dallas, J. H. of Compton, California, Lee of Clarette, Texas, and Pink and Bill Marshall, both of Clarendon; sixteen grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren.

## "Talk Back" Is New TV Program

Talk Back is a new idea in religious television. The Amarillo Ministerial Alliance is sponsoring this series which will be shown over KGNC at 3:30 p.m. every Sunday afternoon for thirteen weeks. The series will start this coming Sunday, the 18th.

Each of the half-hour programs consists of a filmed drama and an on-the-air discussion from the local television station by guests from the viewing area. Thirteen problems which people encounter most frequently were selected as subjects for the TALK BACK programs.

The new concept in TALK BACK is that the program is not complete until the viewer responds with his own thinking, discussion and decisions for action. Thus after the problem is posed in the filmed drama and the guests discuss it, viewing and discussion groups can talk it over.

This film series was produced by the Methodist Radio and Film Commission. Dr. Robert Skinner of the First Presbyterian Church of Amarillo will be the panel moderator, stated Rev. C. M. Ryan, pastor of the local Methodist Church.

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## Ray J. Noblitt Named Butane Dealer Of State

The Texas Butane Dealers Association has named Ray J. Noblitt, owner of the Noblitt Sales Co., Clarendon, "Butane Dealer of the Year." Mr. Noblitt was presented as the winner of the LP-Gas Industry's top honor at the Association's final meeting of its Mid-Winter Conference at Houston's Rice Hotel Saturday night, January 10th.

Mr. Noblitt was selected for the "Butane Dealer of the Year" award from a group of 18 nominations made by the members of the Association's various districts prior to Saturday's meeting. He was chosen for the award for his outstanding civic work in Clarendon, his continuous efforts over the years to upgrade the Texas LP-Gas Industry through Association work and the model operation of his butane firm.

Mr. Noblitt entered the butane business in 1943 and since that date has taken a very active part in all Association activity. He served as director of the Association's District 18 for several years, which is made up of 20 upper Panhandle counties. At the present time he is a member of the Association's Training and Industrial Development Committee.

He is past president of the Clarendon Chamber of Commerce and has worked on many projects designed to bring industry to his trade area. He pioneered a plan to drill irrigation wells in Donley County and today irrigation farming has grown into one of the county's leading activities.

Mr. Noblitt is also very active in local church work and is a member of the First Baptist Church of Clarendon. He has served as program chairman of the Baptist Brotherhood and at the present time is president of that group in Clarendon.

Upon being presented the award, Mr. Noblitt humbly stated that now he had attained his second highest goal in life. His first goal is to continue his church work in the Clarendon area.

## BAPTIST BROTHERHOOD MEETS TONIGHT

The Honorable R. E. Drennan will speak to the men of the First Baptist Church and their guests tonight, Thursday. The meeting will be a dinner followed by the message. There will be no charge for the meal. The program chairman, O. C. Watson, states that the Judge's message will be of great importance to the fathers of this community, and to those men interested in the good of this community's youth problems. The meeting will begin with the meal at 7:00 p.m., but even if one is late for the beginning the opportunity to eat will be afforded him.



Mr. and Mrs. Ray J. Noblitt were honored Saturday night at the Rice Hotel in Houston at the Texas Butane Dealers Mid-Winter Conference when Mr. Noblitt was named "Butane Dealer of the Year" for the State of Texas.

## Highway Robbers Caught In Arizona

Two men being held in Kingman, Arizona, were to be questioned Wednesday by Sheriff Bill Cornell and Texas Ranger J. P. Lynch, on their admission they staged a highway robbery east of Clarendon early last Friday morning. Sheriff Cornell and Lynch left Tuesday morning to question the men and see if Federal authorities would release them to be brought back here for trial. Federal authorities were expected to charge them with interstate transport of a stolen car. Joe Ray Smith, 35, a Fort Worth cab driver on his way to Amarillo for a visit, was robbed of about \$100 cash when bandits stopped him.

Using a red blinker light on their car to simulate a police unit, the bandits forced Smith to the east of Highway 287 about 5 miles east of town. He was forced to drive about 2 miles south of the highway on a country road where the money was taken and his car was put out of commission. He had to walk to town to report the incident which gave the men a good head start on their get-away.

The two robbery suspects were identified as Oby Gene Watters, 22, and Gerald Wayne Holder, 17, home address not available. The robbers admitted stealing a car in Arkansas and another in Florida. They were driving the Florida car when arrested in Kingman.

## White Deer Invades Clarendon Next Tuesday Night

The Clarendon high school boys and girls will play their first home conference games here next Tuesday night starting at 7 o'clock, when the always powerful White Deer teams will come to town. This will be an extreme test for the Bronchos who have hopes of winning their third straight district basketball crown. The Bucks are holding over three of their outstanding performers from last year's fine team and seem to be improving with each game.

The White Deer girls have probably by far the best girls team in the district since McLean lost Laura Switzer, their six-foot pivot girl. The White Deer girls went to the state tournament last year and have most of their girls back this year. With Paula Adams out of the Bronchoettes line-up with an injured foot, the chances for a Clarendon victory in the girls contest are slim. The boys game should be one of the better games of the year.

## Duckett Services Held Sunday

Funeral services for Mrs. Cordelia Florence Duckett, 77, of Clarendon were conducted at the First Baptist Church in Lelia Lake at 2:30 p.m. Sunday. The Rev. Dick Allen, and the Rev. Jerry Molane officiated with interment in the Citizens Cemetery at Clarendon under the direction of Murphy Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Leonard Goad, LeRoy Luttrell, Nelson Seago, Leo Smith, Dennis Reed, and Willard Knox.

Mrs. Duckett died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Short, early Saturday morning. She was a member of the Lelia Lake First Baptist Church.

Survivors are four daughters: Mrs. Albert Standiford of Hot Springs, Ark.; Mrs. John Short of Clarendon; Mrs. S. L. Tidwell of Texarkana, Arkansas; and Mrs. Leonard Darnell of Amarillo; also one son, J. B. Duckett of Plainview; twenty-five grandchildren; and twenty great-grandchildren.

## VISIT HERE

A-3c Donald Mills and wife, Virginia, left Saturday to return to Severt AFB near Murfreesboro, Tennessee after spending a 15 day furlough with their families, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mills.

## Clarendon Junior College Adult Education Program To Continue

### Local Group Attends Water Meeting At Childress

Eight of our local citizens were on hand for the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority meeting in Childress last week. W. Carroll Knorpp, one of the directors reported a very informative meeting. He said the project was moving along nicely and that an engineers report on the core drilling should be forthcoming within the next 60 days.

Joe Carter, who is with the state agency, said the state would do everything possible to help put the dam project over and that everyone in this area should really get behind it as it was the best thing that could happen to the towns of this region. The people over in Oklahoma are just waiting for us to let the project drop so they can grab the water. They already have plans drawn up just in case we fail. Carter pointed out that this was the last source of water for this area and should this project fall through, our prospects for the future would go with it.

After the engineers core drilling report is released, it will be up to the towns of the Authority to vote for the dam and get construction underway within a two year period from the date of the state grant.

Those attending the meeting other than Knorpp were Jr. Spier, Mayor H. T. Burton, commissioners Oscar Thomas and W. M. Pickering, Frank Phelan, Jr., C. A. Pitts and Edwin Eanes.

## Mayor H. T. Burton Announces For Re-Election

Mayor H. T. Burton announced this past week that he would be a candidate for re-election as Mayor of Clarendon.

In making his announcement, Mayor Burton expressed his appreciation for the cooperation he has received while serving in this capacity and stated that his main purpose was to do the things that would benefit our city the most and would effect the majority of our citizens.

The City Mayor election will be held in April.

Mayor Burton, along with commissioners Oscar Thomas and W. M. Pickering, have one of the best progress records in the history of our city.

## Services Held Wed. For Mrs. Lula Allen

Funeral services for Mrs. Lula Ann Allen were held Wednesday afternoon at the Murphy Memorial Chapel with Rev. C. M. Ryan officiating.

Mrs. Allen, 82, died Tuesday morning in Adair Hospital following a lengthy illness. She had been a resident of Donley County for over 53 years. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

She was married to George M. Allen in 1897 at Ennis and the family moved to Donley County from Fort Worth in 1905. Mr. Allen died here Sept. 9, 1943.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Minnie Brooks of Tyler and Mrs. Eula Josey of Hale Center; a son, Riley Allen of Clarendon; nine grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Nelson Riley, Dudley Wilson, Glen Williams, Z. D. Davis, Marvin Jones and Frank Hardin.

Burial was in Citizens Cemetery with the Murphy Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Will McDonald of Lockney visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald and family Wednesday and Thursday.

The surprisingly large enrollment for the first semester of the Evening Adult Education Program has been highly successful is the opinion of both the faculty and the students who have been enrolled in the numerous classes which are completing their semesters work this week. The demand and enthusiasm of the present Night School students has prompted Dean Abel to continue the work of the program through the spring semester.

The Clarendon Junior College will offer the following courses: Monday, Beginning and Advanced Typewriting, Bible, (The life and teaching of Jesus), Tuesday night, Business Law, American History, State & Federal Government, Wednesday Night, Secretarial Accounting, and Chemistry. Other courses which will be scheduled if classes materialize with 10 or more students include; Art, (Creative Hobbies) or (Painting); Bible, (Survey of the Old Testament), English, (Grammar), Education, (Elementary or Secondary teaching), Beginning Shorthand.

Classes in each course meet for only one night per week from 7:00 p.m. until 9:40 p.m. with intermissions on each hour. All courses carry three hours credit except Chemistry and Secretarial Accounting which carry four hours credit, and the cost is only \$5.00 per semester hour.

Registration will be held on January 19th at 7:00 p.m. in the student lounge of the Administration building for all classes which will be taught during the spring semester in the Evening School.

The night school program has been established to offer courses required of those who are seeking a college degree, teacher certification, or vocational competency, as well as to offer courses that afford persons who have never had the opportunity to attend college a chance to achieve cultural, social, artistic, and religious ambitions and goals they have hoped many times they could pursue. In addition, the vocational courses are designed to improve the individual's competency on the job he or she now holds, and to aid the individual in choosing a field of employment that will be satisfying.

"We hope that many in this area will form car pools and drive over to Clarendon one night or more each week to attend the spring semester of the Night School Program," Dean Abel said.

The Dean points out also that the enrollment for the Day School, which offers a full two year course of freshman and sophomore college work, which can be fully transferred to the senior college or university of your choice is scheduled for Monday, January 19, and students who were unable to begin their college work last September may enroll next Monday and get their college work started.

## SIMS P-TA MEETING SET FOR TONIGHT

Mrs. C. B. Morris will review "The Three Worlds of Albert Schweitzer" by Robert Payne at a night meeting of the Sim's P-TA this Thursday, January 15, 1959.

The P-TA meeting will be in the Junior High School Auditorium at 7 p.m.

All members and others interested are invited to hear Mrs. Morris who is an outstanding reviewer of this area.

Cartoons will not be shown for this meeting.

## SIX YEAR OLDS MUST REGISTER THIS MONTH

Parents of children who will be six years old on or before Sept. 1, 1959, must register their children for school during the month of January. See Kenneth Vaughan at his office in the high school building.

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## Griffin Services Held At Hedley

Funeral services in memory of Mrs. Nancy Ellen Griffin were held in the First Methodist Church at Hedley, Monday afternoon, January 12. The Rev. Melvin Mathis and the Rev. J. S. Tipton officiated.

Pallbearers were Sam Owens, Doyle Messer, O'Neil Weatherly, Roy McKee, Loyd Bailey, and Hobert Moffett. Interment was in Rowe Cemetery at Hedley under the direction of Murphy Funeral Home of Clarendon.

Mrs. Griffin was 64 years old at the time of death, Saturday, January 10, and had lived in Donley County for thirty years.

Surviving are her husband, William Edward Griffin of Hedley; a son, Edward Griffin of Plainview; four sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Kempton of Borger, Mrs. Nora Goodner and Mrs. Minnie Goodner of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Annie Lawson of Clarendon; and one brother, Marvin Baker of Hobbs, New Mexico.



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**LELIA LAKE NEWS**

Mrs. J. R. Batson

Ronald Castner and Jim Barnett made a business trip to Mt. Pleasant last week.

Jimmy Myers of Amarillo spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Holland and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Robert Leathers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring and boys, Elmer Dishman and Jo left Wednesday to attend the Fatt Stock Show in Odessa.

The young baby of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holland spent last week in the hospital at Groom. It is improving slowly.

Mrs. Dub Smith, who recently underwent major surgery in Memphis, was able to return home Thursday.

Ernest Harp and family of Amarillo spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Kinch Leathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Leathers

and Richard had business in Amarillo Thursday.

Robert and Rita Mooring of Amarillo spent the weekend with their grandparents, while their parents attended the funeral of a relative in New Mexico.

Mrs. Marilyn Hill and Pam spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Butler.

Fred Young and sons of Winters came Tuesday for a short visit with Mrs. A. K. Thurman.

Mrs. Ernest Knesse, who had been visiting her daughter, accompanied Mr. Young home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Noble of Altus, Oklahoma spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Noble.

Don Tomlinson and H. R. King left Thursday to visit relatives and friends in Clarksville.

Kinch Leathers underwent surgery in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertie Leathers and Mrs. Jane Leathers accompanied them. Bro. and Mrs. Molane also visited the Leathers.

Miss Nancy Young of Winters returned home Tuesday after

visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith and Sheila spent the weekend in Canyon as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Self. Boyd Thurman of Amarillo visited his mother, Mrs. A. K. Thurman Sunday.



The practice of pipelines and laterals in irrigation systems are becoming popular in the Donley County Soil Conservation District. John Knorpp who lives about 4 miles west of Clarendon has just completed the installation of several hundred feet of un. erground pipeline.

The purpose of these practices is to establish a permanent irrigation water delivery facility that will meet the requirements

of the farm irrigation system, conserve water and prevent erosion. Laterals or pipelines that are installed must fit into the proposed or established conservation irrigation system. Pipelines can be used for both gravity and pressure flow and are adapted to all types of irrigation systems, including sprinkler. Pipeline provides excellent water control, eliminates seepage losses, are flexible in operation and offer very little obstruction to farming operations.

Richard Finch and Douglas Johnson, technicians of the Soil Conservation Service made the site selection, layout, and approved the design for the system on Mr. Knorpp's farm.

Information on all types of irrigation practices may be obtained from the local SCS office.

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**Lyndon Johnson To Head Heart Fund Campaign This Year**

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson, Senior Senator from Texas, will head the 1959 Heart Fund Campaign in the Lone Star State, it was announced today by William B. Adamson, M.D., Abilene, President of the Texas Heart Association.

This is the second time Senator Johnson has served as Heart Fund Chairman since his near fatal heart attack in July of 1955. In 1956 Senator Johnson led the Heart Fund in a successful campaign when over \$700,000.00 was raised.

The annual nation wide fund raising campaign which supports the research, education and community service programs of the American Heart Association, the Texas Heart Association and community associations begins with the opening of Heart Month, February 1, and continues through

February 28. In Texas, the Heart Fund Drive will reach its high point on Sunday, February 22nd, when scores of volunteers will conduct a door-to-door collection among their own neighbors. Similar Heart Sunday collections are to be carried out by more than a million and a half Heart Fund volunteers in residential communities throughout the nation.

In accepting the Texas chairmanship Senator Johnson said, "I am happy to accept the chairmanship of the 1959 Heart Fund and to join actively in this health crusade which is saving hearts in our community and throughout the nation. I undertake this assignment with a keen sense of responsibility," he continued, "for I regard the Heart Fund as

a dynamic symbol of an inspiring partnership between the public and the nation's physicians—a partnership that must be strengthened and expanded in the course of each annual drive."

"Funds contributed to the Texas Heart Association during the Heart Month may be given through community Heart associations of the Texas Heart Association or they may be mailed to Heart, care of your local post office," the Senator said.

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**CHAMBERLAIN NEWS**

Mrs. A. O. Hott

Mrs. Donald Ballew returned home Sunday after spending several days visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Darby and son; a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Carter of Fort Worth; her mother, Mrs. V. E. Carter; a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Carter and son, in Sherman. Also a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Carter and son, Bob of Bells, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Heathington made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday. While there they visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Holland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ayers Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Newton returned to their home in Padueah and before reaching home they had car trouble. Mr. Clyde Gilbreth was called to help them with their car Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Welch, Jr. and children of Memphis visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Welch and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, Jr. and children spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, Sr. of Clarendon.

H. R. Cowan and Junior Mann of Amarillo visited Junior's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dinger Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carter, Ruth and Nell Corbin had New Years dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Heathington and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shields visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ivey Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Carter and family of Dumas visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carter over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ivey visited in Pampa Thursday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Hall and son, also Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ivey and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Welch visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Green last Thursday.

Mrs. A. C. Carter and Nell Corbin visited Mrs. John Semrod Wednesday night.

Albert Formway was transferred to the Household Supply Co. in Memphis. He will move this week. He is a T. V. repairman for the company. Hope him

success in his move.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Heathington called on Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rexroad Sunday night.

R. W. Moore of Amarillo lunched with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harrison last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, Sr. lunched with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, Jr. and family Sunday.

Rember Ivey of Amarillo spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ivey and Merlene.

Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arie Smith and children of Dumas and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Ivey and children of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ivey Saturday.

Johnny Satterwhite lunched with Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill and Mrs. A. C. Carter visited the Corbin girls Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Payne of Lakeview visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ivey.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gilberth and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Treble and boys of Memphis Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayt Peabody, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blackman and Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott called on the Bob Williams Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott and Mrs. John Watters called on Brother and Sister Davis Sunday night.

**HEDLEY NEWS**

Mabel Bridges

Several have moved since January 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster moved to a farm in the Chamberlain Community. R. M. Saunders and family have moved to the Foster's home in Hedley. The Blodgett family moved away from Hedley, the Sam Morgan family moved into the house vacated by the Blodgetts known as the Jim Everett home now owned by John Blankenship.

**NEW PARSONAGE**  
The members of the First Baptist Church voted in conference Sunday to build a new parsonage. The present parsonage was traded for the home of the late Mrs. J. W. McPherson where the new parsonage will be built. More news later as plans are worked out.

Mrs. W. B. Meeks received word Monday of the death of her brother who suffered a heart attack in Alamogorda, New Mexico. She left Monday afternoon to attend the funeral.

Mrs. W. E. Reeves spent a few days in a Memphis hospital the first of the week. Glad she is able to be home feeling some better.

Chas. Rains, Emmett Howery and son, Emmett, Jr., of Amarillo spent the weekend with Mrs. W. I. Rains.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson spent Saturday night in Canyon with their son, Creg Johnson and family.

Bill Bridges, LeRoy Richerson, Jim Mitchell and Don Furgerson of Amarillo visited Mrs. Mabel Bridges Saturday.

Mrs. J. D. Masten is slowly improving but not able to leave the hospital yet. She suffered a fall in her home several days back. We wish her a speedy recovery. She is being missed.

Mrs. Edith Cunningham and little granddaughter of Enid, Oklahoma spent a few days last week with their mother and great grandmother, Mrs. Eva Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Alewine returned home last week after several weeks visit in Biloxie, Mississippi with their son, Ralph and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blankenship returned home Sunday after an extended visit in points in California visiting their children. The Jiggs Blankenship family met them in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Richards and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beavers and family of Amarillo spent the weekend with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hansard.

Mrs. W. I. Rains and Ike were in Amarillo Monday where Mrs. Rains received medical attention.

Joe Thomas of Amarillo formerly of Hedley suffered a heart attack last week. His condition has been very serious. Last report he was resting. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas, have been in Amarillo several days.

Mrs. Ora Grimsley of Groom visited in Hedley Friday.

Mrs. Nanny Griffen passed away at her home in Hedley Saturday, January 10th, after a long illness. Funeral services were held Monday from Methodist Church with the pastor in charge. Burial was in Rowe Cemetery. She is survived by her

husband and one son, Ed of Stamford, several sisters and one brother.

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ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Loans & Discounts	\$1,436,844.09	Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Overdrafts	889.22		
Banking House	24,653.60	Surplus	55,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures	10,566.79		
Other Real Estate	1.00	Undivided Profits & Reserves	61,789.33
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	4,500.00		
Municipal Bonds & Other Securities	234,219.51	Deposits	3,336,817.12
U. S. Gov't Securities	622,676.73		
C. C. C. Notes	295,188.64		
Cash & Due from Banks	924,066.87		
	2,076,151.75		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,553,606.45</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,553,606.45</b>

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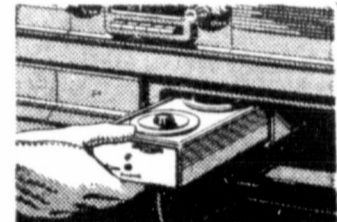
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I believe it was Emerson who is quoted as saying: "It is never too early to do a good deed—you can never tell when it will be too late."  
Each New Year one of my resolutions is to do more good deeds during the year. It always seems that we get bogged down

in the run of the mill hurry and scurry of everyday life and fail so miserably with our good intentions. Anyway, Mr. Emerson was right and this year we can try again.

We were visiting with Hall Hardin who farms near Ashtola the other day and he has promised to put our name on a special watermelon vine and notify us when one gets ripe. Now, if we can locate a black-eyed pea patch, a pecan grove, a bean row, and a few other necessities then the unemployment situation over the country won't bother us none at all. Oh yes, we forgot a date for a fried chicken dinner and a turnip green patch to graze on. We still have several open dates. Then by the time we make most

of the summer celebrations we should have it made.  
Of course we are just kidding. We have enjoyed knowing so many fine folks such as the Hardin family. Just because we are kidding doesn't mean that we don't want to be invited. This I almost forgot, next year we are going to expect an invitation from someone to hunt quail, perhaps a person from the Quail community. We can't remember having a good mess of quail. . . Now I'm hungry. . .

"A good citizen lives so that instead of being a part of the world's problem, he is part of the answer."

"When we pick the beginning of a road, we are also choosing our destination."

Recently we heard of the fel-

low who had become stooped from carrying a chip on his shoulder.

A little prayer: Lord, give me the will to do, and the patience to endure.

The other day we were visiting with Van Kennedy and our conversation came around to the movement of folks into town which just about hits at all of us. It does bring a tinge of sadness to see what was once a nice farm home all deserted and neglected and with crops growing right up to the front door where once children used to run and play. We know that it is a trend and that there are good arguments perhaps on both sides. But as we sometimes see entire communities deserted it does make us wonder. Some of our fondest memories have to do with the

freedom of a romp in the fields and pastures. This sort of gets us back to the question we asked last month as to which we like best the present or the good old days. We received comment on both sides but we didn't get it settled. . . What do you think

Thinking along the same lines of "The Gold Old Days" John Luther was telling a group of us about a school he once attended. At first it was a two teacher school but by the time the pay was split it wasn't enough to live on, so one of the teachers offered to take the whole capoodle for one dollar per head per month which added up to sum of \$125 per month.

If each of these 125 students gave the teacher as much static as they did in the school we attended it would have just about kept this teacher busy applying knowledge to the lower parts of the body much less trying to improve their brains.

It is and was possible to learn a lot in the little schools a lot of real learning. I remember how we used to work along with the kids in the grades above our own and by the time we were promoted we knew as much about that grade as we did the one we left. By the same token we were continually getting a review as we listened to those coming on behind us. It turned out better than some folks would think.

I guess there is always some good with every band and with progress comes some losses, as well as gains. One thing is certain people want a change every so often. So, by the method of trial and error our great country keeps on being the best in the whole world. . . Thank God for America.

**GABIE BETTS BURTON LIBRARY NOTES**

By May L. Prewitt

We had some gift books of fiction Christmas. They were "We Have Given Our Hearts Away" by Helen Topping Miller, and "Held's Angels" by John Held, Jr. and Frank B. Gilbreth, Jr. You are probably familiar with the delightful novels by Helen Topping Miller, and Held's Angels is likely to amuse you from first to last pages.

In memory of Mr. F. M. Caldwell, Sr. we had given an edition for the junior reader by Robert Penn Warren. This copy is "Remember The Alamo." Robert Penn Warren's books for adults have been excellent editions, so I'm sure this will be of value to our junior section. It is a landmark shelf book. We have several from this list. Fifteen of them perhaps.

A book for the Junior readers is McCaleb's Stephen F. Austin. These biographies could be of lasting value to our young readers, and they are written in a fascinating style that enables the reader to forget it is a biography.

I was delighted that Grace Noll Crowell is the Texas Woman of the year. There was an article in the Progressive Farmer that stated when and why she began to write poetry. She prayed that she could write and comfort others as the poems she read had encouraged her and she likewise

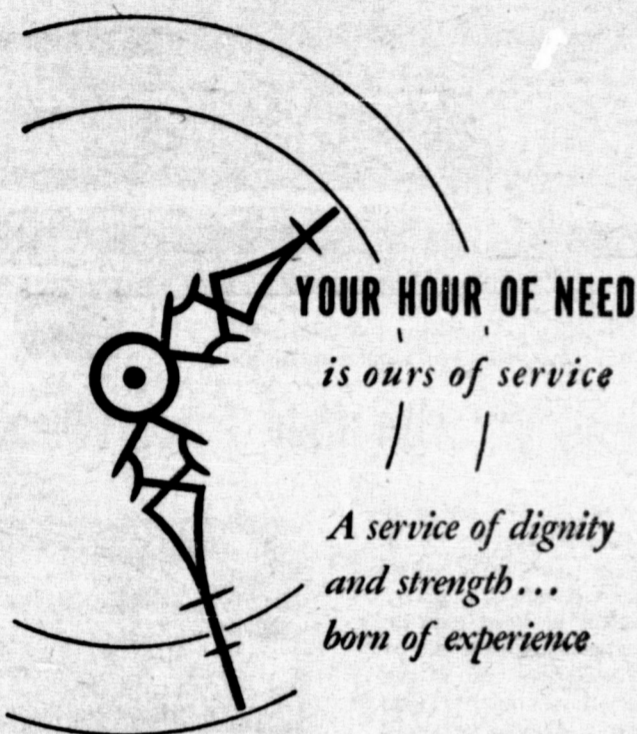
promised the Lord she would honor him. She has sold 3,500 poems in this country and 1,200 in England.

The little Phelon boys, Frank III and Charles, gave us some books published by World Books, Inc. These are: Sherlock Holmes, A Study in Scarlet; Football For Beginners; You Reader's Bible Stories; Mel Dick; Davey Crockett, and The Legend of Sleepy Hollow. They are all arranged for children from the third grade thru the under high school. They are very helpful. We have numerous Lar Mark editions that would be helpful if the boys and girls could side tracked from mysteries, realities. They would be a foundation worth the time.

There is seldom any time after 2:30 that students aren't working here. I do wish arrangements were more comfortable, but we have advanced greatly in the past six years.



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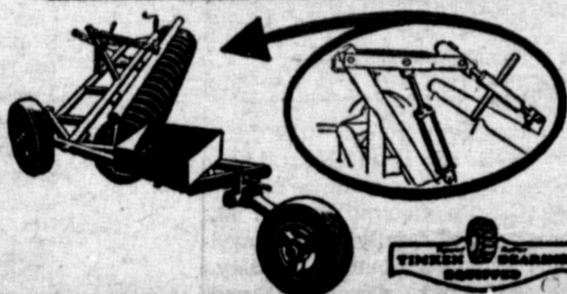


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Walter B. Knorpp, Vice-Pres. & Cashier

William J. Lewis, Jr. D. N. Grady Kelly Chamberlain

Close of Business December 31, 1958

RESOURCES

Loans & Discounts	\$1,599,932.64
Overdrafts	6,853.96
Warrants	19,731.30
Furniture & Fixtures	13,299.10
Banking House	43,750.00
U. S. Bonds Owned	\$1,151,000.00
Cash & Exchange	961,340.48
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,112,340.48</b>
<b>Less</b>	<b>\$3,795,907.48</b>

LIABILITIES

CAPITAL	\$100,000.00
SURPLUS	60,000.00
UNDIVIDED PROFITS & RESERVES	51,427.89
DEPOSITS	3,584,479.79
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$3,795,907.48</b>

The above statement is correct: Walter B. Knorpp, Vice-President & Cashier

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**TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 18TH DISTRICT**

By Congressman Walter Rogers

**THE DOMESTIC OIL AND GAS INDUSTRY**

The domestic oil and gas industry will be faced with some grave and severe challenges in the new Congress. Like the American farmer, it is one of the favorite whipping boys of the large metropolitan areas. Many political hopefuls look upon it as a splendid target for further abuses and vilification. Many of them figure that since none of the stuff is produced in their particular areas, they are free to engage in a flagrant and wanton attack on the industry as a whole and, if need be, put the Congressmen from the big city districts on the spot, politically speaking. Their analysis of the situation might be correct, strictly from a political standpoint, but it can play havoc with the economy of this country. They fail to realize the tremendous purchasing power created by the active oil and gas industry that creates a direct need for everything from steel to textiles, to say nothing of the many benefits that might be chargeable as indirect requirements of the industry and the great number of good Americans associated with it. The industry has long been victimized by adverse publicity which will be used in an attempt to further subject it to additional governmental controls, as well as to wring more taxes out of it. The trouble is that the "oil man" is always portrayed as a "money bags" type of fellow with all the money in the world at his disposal, or some unknown reason, no one seems to realize that the oil business is constituted primarily of tool pushers, drillers, roughnecks, dirt contractors, oil field supply employees, bookkeepers and truck drivers, to mention a few. These are the kind of people who make up an average community, and these are the people who are going to be hurt if some of the threats against the oil business, that have been voiced by some politicians from the metropolitan areas, are carried out.

The oil and gas business is in bad enough condition at the present time—thanks mainly to the total ineptness of this Administration to deal effectively with the import problem.

It is now generally conceded around Washington that the so-called "voluntary import program" that received so much publicity when it was instituted has fallen flat on its face as I said it would a year ago. Anyone who expects the owners of foreign oil to stick hot needles under their own economic fingernails, is whistling in the dark. The fact is that the program has been a dismal failure, and there seems to be no relief in sight. This was as well as admitted when the Administration extended the program for an additional two months, although the oil and gas people had been promised many times that a new program was in the making and would soon be announced; that it would be a program acceptable to all phases of the industry and one that would carry out the objectives of the President's Cabinet Committee Report. No such program has been announced and, so far as is known, no concrete program is in the making.

A letter was issued by the Department of Interior, Office of Oil and Gas, under date of December 4, 1958, announcing a meeting of the National Petroleum Council to be held on Monday, December 29, at 10 a.m., in Washington, D. C. It was hoped that some information would come from that meeting that would enable the oil and gas people to at least be able to guess what the future might hold. But, alas and alack, those who went down to the meeting were unable to find it. It seems that for some reason a quorum could not be gathered together during the holidays, so the meeting was just not held but postponed until January 27, 1959. Finding out about the postponement of the meeting was almost as difficult as finding out what the plans are for a new oil and gas program. Those who are invited were not advised of the postponement.

This sort of vacillation simply means that the domestic oil and gas industry can expect quite a number of attacks from some segments of the Congress and very little help from the Administration. I sincerely hope that both the Administration and the

Congress will weigh the matter and try to appreciate the true picture, before doing something that should not be done or failing to do something that should be done.

**VISITORS**

We were pleased to have Mr. Burrell B. Evans of Tulsa, Texas, as a visitor in our office last week.

**WALTER ROGERS,**  
Member of Congress,  
18th District of Texas

**Legislation For The Department of Agriculture In 1959**

Improvement and updating of existing state farm laws is first on the agenda of requests to be made of the Texas Legislature early in January of the new year.

Chief among these suggested improvements are proposed amendments to the Texas Egg Law to provide for increased license fees for egg handlers and the addition of a license fee for retailers who are presently licensed without charge. These fees are needed to make enforcement of the law more nearly self-supporting.

Another proposed change is the Texas Weights and Measures Law, administered by the State Department of Agriculture. It calls for fees to be paid for accuracy tests and regulation of large commercial scales. Commissioner John C. White said the added revenue is "absolutely essential" to provide funds for replacement of expensive equipment without having to call for new tax money.

White said his department also plans to ask the Legislature to strengthen enforcement of the Warehouse Law by adding a provision to make minor violations punishable as misdemeanors. The law presently provides only for prosecution of felony offenses, leaving a potential loophole for minor offenders.

A new industry-sponsored nursery law will be submitted providing new classifications and regulations for plants moving into the state. A marketing assistance program for Texas peanut growers calls primarily for a peanut research and promotion commission to be set up to work with

TDA marketing officials in expansion of Texas peanut farmers. Commissioner White emphasized that his department is "not asking for additional drains from the general revenue fund." "The bulk of the cost of improving facilities and enforcing regulations should be provided in the form of fees from those who derive the greatest amount of benefit and service from them," said White. He added that he hopes this legislature will help him achieve his goal of placing the program of his department on a self-supporting basis.

**Amarillo Stock Show To Be Held, Jan. 23-29**

Amarillo — Blue Ribbons, trophies, premium awards for livestock, sheep and swine, and cash awards totaling \$11,130 await the hundreds of 4-H and F.F.A. Club members, livestock producers and Quarter Horse owners at the 30th annual Amarillo Stock Show, January 23-29.

And for the first time in history, the 1959 Amarillo show will feature a Quarter Horse auction, in which 44 selected stallions and mares have been consigned by the region's top breeders.

Stock Show Week will open officially at 8 o'clock Friday night, January 23, with the first performance of the annual all-high school rodeo in Fair Park Coliseum. Last year's rodeo attracted 193 contestants from several states. Competition is limited to youngsters 19 years of age and under. The rodeo continues through Tuesday night, January 27, with a matinee at 3:30 p.m., Sunday, January 25.

There will be no admission charge to view this year's stock show.

The first two go-rounds in the cutting horse contest is set for 2 p.m. Saturday, January 24, in the Coliseum. The last go-round will be at 4 p.m., on January 26.

When a lad starts the study of Latin and algebra he says goodbye to his boyhood and, also, to any help on his homework from dear old dad.

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## FHA HAS FIRST MEETING OF YEAR

The Senior Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America held their first meeting for the new year Monday night at 7:30 in the High School Auditorium. In the business meeting the Sweetheart Banquet and dance were discussed. It was voted to hold the banquet on Saturday, February 14, 1959. Money must be in by February 4.

The F.H.A. girl of the month nominating committee; Pat Spurgeon, Pat Owens, and Elaine Behrens brought three girls' names before the members to be voted on as girl of the month. They were Carole Woods, Robbie Johnson, and Sandra Pinkerton. Sandra was elected girl of the month.

It was announced that Linda Self had won the honor of representing our school on the McCall's Teen Fashion Board.

On February 23 the American National Bank of Amarillo will bring the film "A Tenderfoot In Europe" down to show the girls and their dates. This is to be date night.

The treasurer gave her monthly report.

The program from Draughon's Business College was introduced by Patricia Spurgeon. The speakers were Miss Marion Golden, Mr. Bill Soule, and Mrs. Dixie Dalton. They told of the many various classes and opportunities of Draughon's. They told of all the expenses, classes, and the jobs they get for you. Mrs. Dalton handed out several booklets from Draughon's. The chapter filled out a personality chart for Mr. Soule.

Other guests were Mrs. Soule from Amarillo and various guests from here.

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## PATHFINDER

Pathfinder Club met January 9, in Patching Memorial Club House. In the absence of the president, Mrs. L. N. Cox presided. The Club Collect was read in unison and the roll call was answered by the members giving "Safety Slogans." Following roll call, there was a report from the Constitution and By-Laws committee given by Miss Mabel Mongole. A letter from the City Librarian was read.

Mrs. J. L. McCarty, chairman of the nominating committee, presented the names of officers nominated for the 1959-1960 club year. The following officers were unanimously elected: President, Mrs. George Benson; Vice-President, Mrs. Forrest Sawyer; Recording Secretary, Miss Mabel Mongole; Treasurer, Mrs. J. H. Howze; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Heckle Stark; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Ernest Hunt; Federation Counselor, Mrs. Clyde Hudson; Historian, Miss Ruth Richerson.

The Anniversary Luncheon was discussed and each member will be called to remind her of the meeting.

On the program, Mrs. C. T. McMurtry gave an informative quiz on Federation; also Mrs. Carl Allmond gave some interesting parliamentary hints. Miss Janice Smith, as guest musician, played two lovely piano selections.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Cap Morris and Mrs. Lee Holland to fifteen members and guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain of Memphis visited a while Sunday afternoon with Mrs. John Goldston, also Lt. and Mrs. Vernon Goldston and Steve.

## MIDWAY CLUB MET TUESDAY, JAN. 6

The Midway Club met with Lillie Mae Carmichael on Tuesday, January 6 for our regular meeting. A beautiful rose quilt was finished for the hostess.

Those present to enjoy a wonderful dinner, including a bear meat roast were Eddie Williams, Josie Simmons, Jewel Myers, Allie Quattlebaum, Leona Scott, Lucille Eanes, Bobbie Dishman, Ida Pickering, Katie Belle Wells and Terry, Loyd Hillis, Ellen Moreland and the hostess, Lillie Mae Carmichael.

We will have an all day call meeting with Josie Simmons on January 13. Everyone bring a sack lunch and come early.

Our next regular meeting will be with Allie Quattlebaum on January 20.

Nell Land, a former member and her husband Rosco, invited the Midway Club and their husbands to their home in Wellington, Texas, on January 9th to a 42 party.

Those going to a very enjoyable evening were, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Quattlebaum, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dishman, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Moreland, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Wells, Mr. and Mrs. George Hillis, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Nollie R. Simmons and Mrs. Maude Palmer.

## LELIA LAKE MYF

The M.Y.F. of the Lelia Lake Methodist Church met at 6 p.m. Sunday evening. There were seven present. The program was on "There's Always An Answer." Lacy Noble brought the program.

We were closed by the M.Y.F. Benediction.

Reporter

## LITTLE SISTER FHA

On January 12th the Little Sister FHA chapter met in the study hall. A safety program was presented by Highway Patrolman Bill Cornelius and Constable R. C. Hill. A question and answer period followed the talk. Judy Blair, Carolyn Taylor and Susan Williams were hostesses.

## BETA SIGMA PHI-MU GAMMA MEETS

Mu Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at Patching Club House at 8 p.m. Thursday, January 8. After the business session the program was presented in two parts. "Poetry Into Music" was the part given by Anness Bennett and Jane Bownds. A guest speaker, Mrs. Frank Phelan, Jr., was introduced. She sang "Trees" accompanied at the piano by Miss Mantie Graves.

"Absolute Music" was the title of the second part of the program and was presented by Jo Ellen Pfeiffer and Dee Williams. Miss Graves also provided their accompaniment.

The raffle was won by Jane Bownds.

The hostesses Juanita Phelps and Lena Morris served cake, coffee or Cokes to: Beth Bennett, Jo Ann Davis, Pat Day, Bert Garland, Hazel Guy, Annette Hardin, Frankie Henson, Glenda Lacey, Frances Long, Evelyn Mann, Barbara Morris, Jo Ellen Pfeiffer, Mabel Dean Porter, Mary Neal Risley, Lois Schollenbarger, Nancy Shelton, Marilyn Simpson, Vapetta Thornberry, Melba Ruth Vaughan, and two guests; Mrs. Frank Phelan, Jr. and Miss Mantie Graves.

The Birthday Calendars worked up and printed by Mu Gamma are now on sale and may be bought from any member of the Chapter.

Reporter

## KIL KARE KNEEDLE KLUB

The Kil Kare Klub met for the first meeting of 1959 at the home of Mrs. R. O. Thomas. It was a business meeting and officers were elected; Mrs. G. C. Heath, President; Mrs. M. C. Rampy,

Vice-President; Mrs. R. O. Thomas, Secretary - Treasurer; Mrs. Harry Brumley, Reporter.

After the social hour, a lovely salad plate was served to Mesdames S. W. Lowe, J. R. Bartlett, Buel Sanford, Frank Whitlock, G. C. Heath, E. H. Noland,

Homer Mulkey, Robert Davis, Cap Lane, Harry Brumley, and M. C. Rampy by the hostess, Mrs. R. O. Thomas.

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ASHTOLA NEEDLE CLUB

Ashtola Needle Club met January 8 at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. C. B. Harp with Mrs. J. T. Hill assisting her in hostess duties. In the regular business session, Mrs. Van Knox, president, was in the chair. Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey opened the meeting with prayer, and roll call was answered with a program suggestion for the coming year. The president appointed her committees, and hostess dates were read, and a general outline made for program plans with a round table discussion.

The next meeting will be January 22, a night meeting at the school house. Everyone bring a picnic supper and lets eat together before we play 42. Bring sandwiches, cookies, etc. for your family, and plan for the whole family to attend. Bring your card tables and dominoes, and come about dark.

Mrs. Harp served delicious cake, coffee, and cocoa. We always enjoy meeting in her home, and she so graciously welcomes us every year for our first meeting. Present to enjoy the very pleasant meeting were Mesdames: N. L. Jones, John Hill, J. T. Hill, John White, Van Knox, Frank Mahaffey, Slaton Mahaffey, George Gresham, Doyce Graham, Clyde Hudson, J. R. Brandon, Jack Lamberson, and Millard Word, and Hugh Mahaffey, Carol and Johnny Hill, Neva Hill, Sandy and Dwayne Lamberson.

JR. H.D. CLUB

The Jr. Home Demonstration Club met at Patching Club House Thursday afternoon, January 8, with sixteen members, two guests, and several children present. Gladys Blackburn, president, presided over the business session.

The program was presented by Ruby Jewell Hardin who gave a very informative demonstration on cake decoration.

Hostesses, Noma Lewis and Sadie Head, served refreshments to guests, Ruby Jewel Hardin and Stella Spurgeon, and to members Gladys Blackburn, Patsy Reid, Cleo Crutchfield, Dollie Bain, Wilma Spier, Ona Tatum, Eddith Spivey, Leona Henson, Bernice Adams, Nora Decker, Lucille Swinney, Mary Belle DeBord, Cula Jo Trout, Mildred McClellan, also to the following children, Valerie, Patricia, and Wanda Trout, Trena Reid, Tommy Blackburn, and Paula Jo Hardin.

CHAMBERLAIN CLUB

The Chamberlain Club met January 8 at the Community Center with Mrs. John Heathington as hostess. The evening was spent visiting.

Refreshments were served to members: Bradis Ballew, Ethel Dingler, Clara May Carter, Eunice Mann, Maudie Self, Leona Mae Shaw, Nelda Jones, Suzan Hardin, Willie Hott, Lee Welch, one visitor, Ruth Corbin and the hostess, Velma Heathington.

Next club meeting will be with Suzan Hardin as hostess, January 22.

MARTIN QUILTING CLUB

The club met January 1, 1959 with Mrs. George Bulman as hostess. One quilt was completed. A delicious meal was served to 11 members and three visitors. Members present were Veda Elliott, Velma Hearn, Elsie Sibley, Margaret Waldrop, A. Waldrop, Blanche Higgins, Lois Stevenson, Eunice Land, Dortha Reynolds, Dorothy Sullivan, Lela Bulman. Visitors were Della Barker, Helen Land, Mrs. Mack Spurgeon.

Next Meeting will be January 21, at the club room with Blanche Higgins as hostess.

MOTHER'S STUDY CLUB

Tuesday evening, January 13, the Mother's Study Club met at Patching Club House. Cherrye Shadle, president, presided over the business session. Plans for the Husband's Party were discussed and officers elected for the coming year. Elected were: Jo Ann Edens, president; Doris Salmon, vice-president; Patsy Robertson, secretary; Jo Ann Kidd, treasurer; Cherrye Shadle, reporter; Clarice Choate, parliamentarian.

Refreshments of German chocolate cake, coffee or Cokes were served to Cherrye Shadle, Jo Ann Edens, Clarice Choate, Genelia Eads, Jeannie Johnson, Doris Salmon, Janie Hill, Patsy Robertson, and Joquita Owens, by the hostesses, Joy Martin and Charlotte Johnson.

RAYBURN SMITH CONTINUES WITH NFLA AT SHAMROCK

The Wheeler County and the Wellington NFLA completed consolidation effective January 1. Rayburn L. Smith is continuing as secretary-treasurer of the association with office to be in new quarters at Shamrock. Mr. Smith was secretary-treasurer of the Donley County NFLA from 1943 until he moved to Shamrock in 1957.

Smith will spend part of his time in both Wellington and Wheeler in order to bring the services of the organization to the entire two counties.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Hermesmyer, Deceased, Number 1236, County Court, Donley County, Texas.

All persons having claims against the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Hermesmyer, deceased, are hereby notified to present their verified claims to Bernard Hermesmyer, executor of said estate whose post office is Elk City, Kansas, RFD 1, within the time provided by law.

This January 13th, 1959, being the date I qualified as executor of said estate.

Bernard Hermesmyer, Executor Estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Hermesmyer, Deceased.

LELIA LAKE SCHOOL NEWS

Lena Ivey, petite sophomore, is proudly wearing the jacket given her by Secretary Lynn Rumpy, on behalf of the Lelia Lake chapter of FFA, as their Sweetheart for 1958-59. President of the organization is John Bob Butler.

A big PTA program on Monday evening helped get the busy week off to a busy start. Mid-term exams were on Tuesday and Wednesday; then on Thursday the freshman basketball tourney was to begin, to go through Saturday. Then it's back to school on Monday for a new semester, with some fresh books, a schedule very much like the last, and only a few short months until the end of the school year. Meanwhile, the summer in winter was being enjoyed.

M. R. Mathis

JR. HIGH FILLIES WIN GAME

The Jr. High Fillies handed Silverton its first defeat of the basketball season here last Friday night, January 9, with a score of 26 to 22.

On Monday night, January 12, the Jr. High teams both won games over Lakeview. The girls' game ended 24 to 22. The boys had no trouble running up a score of 49-9 with the second team playing much of the game.

The next games will be Monday night when the Colts and Fillies will meet the Lelia Lake teams at the local gym.

GOOD NEIGHBORS CLUB

The Good Neighbors Club met on January 9 in the home of Nova Barker with a covered dish luncheon at the noon hour. We had eleven members present. Lida Warren received a polyanthus gift. Our next meeting will be with Rosie Bingham, January 23.

Present were Nova Barker, Rosie Bingham, Della Barker, Bennie Crabtree, Emma Davis, Florence Harp, Bessie Helton, Ruby Jordon, Carrah Mixon, Lida Warren and Louise White.

Bronchos Win Two; Lose One At Eunice

Coach Roy Young took his high school Bronchos to Eunice, New Mexico, last weekend for a basketball festival in which they were victorious in two of three games played. They defeated Jal, New Mexico, on Thursday night by a score of 56 to 36; met defeat at the hands of the host team, Eunice, on Friday night 51 to 45, and trounced Cloudercroft on Saturday night 65 to 36.

John Morrow paced the attack against Jal with 22 points with Melvin Housden coming in with nine, Keith Schollenberger, Jimmy Johnson and W. N. Elam had seven each and Kenneth Housden had four. The Bronchos led 8 to 5 at the first quarter, 25 to 13 quarter.

The game with Eunice was close all the way with the home team taking a 9 to 7 first quarter lead and holding on to a 22 to 19 halftime advantage. They also led at the third quarter rest period by 33 to 30. Schollenberger had 13 points to top the Broncho scorers followed by Kenneth Housden with 11, Morrow with 10, Elam with six, Melvin Housden with three and Jimmy Johnson with two.

In the final game, the Cloudercroft boys offered little competition for the Bronchos as the Clarendon boys ran up a 15 to 7 first quarter lead, stretched it to 38 to 12 at the half and 53 to 20 at the third quarter. All of the Bronchos got into the scoring act as Elam led with 17 points with Schollenberger making 14, Melvin Housden, nine, Morrow and Wayne Mann seven each, Kenneth Housden six, James Allen three, Jimmy Johnson and Sandy Skelton two each and Philip Abel one.

Silverton Defeats Bronchoettes

The Silverton girls edged the Bronchoettes here last Friday night by a score of 41 to 39. The game was close all the way with Silverton leading 12 to 10 at the first quarter, 24 to 22 at the half and 37 to 29 at the third quarter. Joan Bennett made 27 points for Clarendon with Paula Adams making eight, Ann Slaviv and Charlene White making two each. Miss Adams left the game with an injured foot early in the third quarter. Pat Spurgeon, Beth Lamberth, Pat Owens and Gay Watson all played well on defense.

C. J. C. Adult Typists Achieve High Speed

When Dean Abel completed the checking of the final speed tests written by his students in typing 113 which met on Monday nights for the past 18 weeks, he reported a very pleasant surprise in the speed and accuracy progress of members of the class.

Leading the class was Lawrence Overcast, Basketball Coach at Quail, and Viola Bones of Clarendon, with 44 and 45 words per minute respectively. Others who wrote between 35 and 40 words per minute on the test were: Letha Smith, Ruth Melton, and Ernestine Cross of Clarendon, and William C. Smith, Principal and Girls' Basketball Coach at Quail. Writing between 30 and 35 words per minute were Rachel Butler, elementary teacher from Lelia Lake.

This class will continue into the second semester according to Dean Abel who will be teaching it, and he invites anyone who could not enroll last September, for any reason, to report to the Administration building next Monday night and join the class.

A TRIBUTE TO MRS. CORBIN

Written by Mrs. Lena Antrobus

She has gone but not forever, She is free from pain and care. She has gone to live with "Jesus," And she is happy over there. Do not grieve for her dear children, Be like her so kind and true.

Try to live as she has taught you, She is waiting there for you. Trust in "Jesus He will guide you, Till you reach the other shore. Where your mother waits to join you, In his praise forever more.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Phillips announce the arrival of a son, January 14. The young man weighed 7 pounds, 5 ounces and has been named Mark. He is the grandson of Mrs. Bert Smith and Mrs. Stella Phillips.

Cattle Need Mineral Supplements

Beef cattle need a liberal supply of minerals for proper bone development and growth. County Agent H. M. Breedlove says that mineral supplements are no cure-all, but they are necessary for successful grassland cattle production in areas where soils have become deficient in minerals. Minerals most likely to be needed by cattle are sodium, chlorine, phosphorus and calcium. You can supply sodium and chlorine by feeding common salt. The other two — phosphorus and calcium — can be furnished through mineral supplements.

Phosphorus deficiency may occur in any part of the state at any time, but in some sections it is present at all times. A year round supplement feeding program should be carried on if you live in one of these sections.

BROTHER OF LOCAL RESIDENT DIES

Mrs. Melvin Cook and Miss Emma Sheffield were called to Dallas last week by the death of their brother, T. J. Sheffield. Mr. Sheffield died of a heart attack Monday, January 5. Services were held at the Brooklyn Avenue Methodist Church in Dallas Wednesday and burial was in Llano Cemetery there.

Survivors include the wife, eight children, sixteen grandchildren, three sisters and two brothers.

Mrs. Cook returned home Saturday night. Miss Sheffield remained in Dallas for a few days.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Vick returned home Thursday of last week after spending the past month in Simi, Calif. where they visited in the home of their daughter and family, Cpl. and Mrs. Harold Holland and Vickie Sue. They were also there for the arrival of a new grandson, Donnie Jesse.

SR. H.D. NOTICE

The senior Home Demonstration Club will meet Friday afternoon, January 16, in the home of Mrs. Lena Antrobus with Mrs. O. C. Watson co-hostess. Meeting time has been set for 3 p.m. and all members are urged to be present. Bring a current event.

HUDGINS QUILTING CLUB HOLDS MEETING

The club met with Martail Webb Tuesday, January 6. One quilt was finished. Refreshments was served to Pauline Koontz, Cora Elliott, Pearl Hill, Ruth Lindley and the hostess Martail Webb.

The next meeting will be January 20 with Pearl Self as hostess. Everyone come and don't forget your club dues.

FORMER DONLEY COUNTY RESIDENT DIES IN CALIF.

Mrs. Cora Shadle, a former resident of Lelia Lake, died in Corona, California Thursday, January 8, according to word received by G. C. Heath this week. Mrs. Shadle was an aunt of G. C. Heath and Mrs. Lloyd Risley and a sister-in-law of Tom Shadle, all of Clarendon.

Burial was in Memorial Cemetery at Corona, California Saturday, January 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Helton and Tammie spent the weekend in Lubbock with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dumas, and a cousin.

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Year-End Farm Values Up Again

Farm land values in Texas and the nation are headed up again. An early 1958 breathing spell was short-lived and the previous rate of climb was fully resumed as the year closes. During the past-month period, values set new record highs in 45 states.

The farm land price index now stands at 5 per cent above a year ago and 23 per cent above five years ago—and a whopping 60 per cent above 10 years ago. All regions and all classes of farm land appear to be sharing alike in the rise.

Sellers are as responsible as anyone for the up-trend in values. With bumper harvests and few farmers having acres to spare, the volume of farm land offered for sale has steadily decreased. Farmers with land to sell know they are able to demand a fancy price—and get it.

On the buying side, active farm operators are still the most important single group, accounting for eight out of every twenty farm purchases. Most buy to enlarge the size of existing farm operations. Five years ago, only 25 per cent of farm land bought was for this purpose; now 40 per cent it.

Non-farmers are now running a close second as the major buyers of farm real estate. During the past twelve months reported, they accounted for seven of every twenty purchases. Non-farmers buy mainly for long-term investment. As an inflation hedge, dollar gains from holding farm land have been less spectacular than from common stocks, but are considerably more sure, and involve less risk.

Tenants climbing the agricultural ladder are a third important group bidding up farm values, with four out of every twenty purchases to their credit. Note, however, that of all land purchases the percentage which are made by tenants has declined one-sixth in three years.

The remaining one out of twenty farm real estate purchases, is by a retired farmer buying either to re-enter farming or for investment income. Though still not a major force in the market, the percentage of land purchases which are made by retired farmers has increased one-fourth since 1953.

Records Key To Improving Dairy Herds

Not many farmers would put up with a tractor that's hitting on only half its cylinders. Yet many dairy farmers keep cows that aren't carrying their full load.

The difference, of course, is that the tractor usually coughs and sputters and otherwise lets the owner know that it isn't on its best behavior. Not so with the low-producing cow. A cow that isn't producing enough to pay her feed bill may appear as pretty and smooth looking as her more productive stablemates.

It is estimated that one-third of the 728,000 milk cows on Texas dairy farms don't produce enough milk or butterfat to return a profit on the feed and labor they require.

A herd of uniformly good cows free from a bunch of "loafers" must be developed gradually by systematic culling, says J. W. Davis, extension dairy husbandman. In order to cull accurately and intelligently, dairymen must keep records.

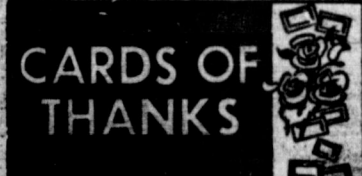
Davis recommends using any of three record-keeping plans sponsored by the National Cooperative Dairy Herd Improvement Program. The three are the standard DHIA, the owner-sampler and the weight-a-day-a-month.

He reminds that just keeping records is of little value. They must be analyzed and used as a guide for herd improvement. Records that are "used the most are worth the most."

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Bentley and Dan and Mr. and Mrs. Holloway and David, all of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fontayne Elmore and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Helton of Amarillo visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Helton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Scott, Glenda and Connie, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Harlan and Latrice, also Mr. and Mrs. Billy Scott and Cheryl visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Scott Sunday.



We are truly grateful to the good friends who did so much for us during our recent sorrow. May we take this means of saying thank you for the many comforting expressions of your friendship. The family of L. M. Marshall. I wish to express my sincere thanks to the many friends who have sent cards and flowers to me during my illness. Mary H. Howren

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FOR SALE—4-room house in northeast part of town. Price \$1,250. Ralph Davenport. (50-p)

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MISCELLANEOUS Alcoholics Anonymous meet every Monday night, 8 p. m. Episcopal Parish House, 1 block west of court house. All interested are invited.

NOTICE Have it shipped by Morgan Express. Overnight service from Dallas. Sid McElroy, agent. Phone 279-R. (51-p)

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WANTED—Two porters for work at 95 unit motel in Oklahoma City. Positively no drinkers, must be tidy. Bennie Nevels, Mgr., Rt. 7, Box 133, Oklahoma City, Phone CE 2-4344, Extension 16. (49-3c)

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WANTED: To buy good used roping saddle. Call 358. (51-p)

RAWLEIGH Business Now Open in Donley County. Excellent opportunity. See Mrs. J. D. Harrick, 2415 Buchanan, Amarillo, at once or write Rawleigh's Dept. TXA-190-189, Memphis, Tenn. (48-p-50-p-52-p-1-p)

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FOR RENT: 4-room house with bath, at Ashtola. See Hubert Rhoades, Phone 922-K5. (50-p)

FOR RENT: Four room house with bath four miles west of town on paved road. L. H. Skelton, Phone 252-J. (51-c)

FOR RENT: 2 Small Stucco Houses. Inquire at Ruby's Grocery or Phone 441-W. (50-p)

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FOR RENT: Two room downstairs apartment, nicely furnished. Adults only. Phone 292-R. (50tc)

WORK WANTED TYPING—Isla Smith. 6 Blks. E. of Clarendon Hotel. (1-p)

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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Vern Sanford TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Austin, Texas—Holidays are over, but Austin is entering another period equally festive, active and exhausting for participants.

Tuesday (the 13th) the 56th Legislature convenes, bringing hundreds of new residents to the Capital City for five or six months or more.

A week later comes the inauguration of Gov. Price Daniel, with a parade, swearing-in ceremony, Capitol reception and a multitude of balls and special parties.

Thereafter, if the usual pattern continues, there'll be more social activities for and by the visitors. Lawmakers' wives, separated from home-town friends and, often, from their husbands by long hours of debate and committee hearings, form their own luncheon clubs.

Many organizations send delegations to Austin during the session. These groups—over breakfasts, luncheons, dinners, barbecues or maybe just commee—meet with their legislators to tell them their special woes and hopes.

Even school children come by the busload to supplement their civics studies by observation.

Last session, a period of uncomfortable concern over ethics and lobbying, saw a dropping off in the lavishness of party-giving for legislators. This round may be even more grim and business-like. Lawmakers will face staggering problems in trying to pull the state out of debt and find money for new needs.

Whatever the social leanings of the lawmakers—for champagne in crystal goblets or coffee in paper cups—their activities give Austin its liveliest, newest months.

One frequent gallery-sitter, with no particular legislative interest, said he came regularly because a session provided spectators absolutely free "the excitement of a football game, the fervor of a revival meeting and more education than a year in the University."

Some events and issues on which interest is likely to focus immediately:

SPEAKERSHIP of the House of Representatives still is in doubt. Even those who claim it's "sewed up" know that pledges can come unhitched. There'll be a big crowd on hand to find out whether the secret vote hands the gavel to Waggoner Carr of Lubbock or Joe Burkett, Jr. of Kerrville. Secretary of State Zollie Steakley will preside as the successful opening session.

After the speaker is picked, attention will shift to committee assignments—who'll get the top jobs. There's also speculation as to how well members who've fought each other so hard in the speaker's race are going to get along afterward.

MONEY gets top billing on almost everybody's list of legislative problems.

Governor Daniel's recommended budget calls for spending \$2,311,434,306 during 1960-61. An extra \$185,000,000 in new tax revenue would have to be raised to cover it and wipe out the current deficit.

Overall, the governor's budget is a 10 per cent increase over present spending. Almost all the increase, he pointed out, would go to meet a growing population's need for basic state services—education, highways, welfare and hospital and correctional institutions. Governor Daniel said he found "no public sentiment" for reducing these services.

Not included in this budget are several items for which there is certain to be a demand, such as teacher pay raises and medical aid for persons on the welfare rolls.

EDUCATION, on all levels, will be a broth that many will try to stir.

For public schools, the Hale-Aikin Committee of 24 is presenting a lengthy report on ideas for improving programs. Included are more pay for teachers, longer school terms, special instruction for the gifted, driver education, etc. Total cost of the additions would be \$80,000,000 a year for the state, about \$32,000,000 a year for local districts.

Both the Commission on Higher Education and Governor Daniel have recommended in-

creased appropriations for state-supported colleges and universities. Both also recommended Arlington State College be made a senior college.

Not happy with these are (1) University of Texas officials who regard the UT appropriation share as too meager and (2) residents of three other towns, who also had wanted their junior colleges expanded.

HIGHWAY bills will abound. Seen as likely are proposals to (1) allow the Highway Commission to set higher speed limits on new divided highways, (2) restrict billboard advertising on new interstate routes, (3) prohibit location of utility lines on highway right of way outside of cities and (4) prohibit car owners' registering their cars in counties other than where they live in order to escape auto property tax.

SAFETY legislation, both to punish the guilty and train the innocent, has widespread support.

Recommended measures would (1) allow chemical tests for drunkenness, (2) increase the State Highway Patrol, (3) strengthen traffic courts, (4) provide state aid for driver education in public schools and (5) overhaul the drivers license law.

WATER law will again be in the news when the State Board presents its report to the Legislature with the recommendation that \$5,000,000 be spent on water planning in the next five years.

Texasans lost hundreds of millions in this decade through drought and uncontrolled floods, the Board noted. It suggested planning directed toward capturing for use some 20,000,000 to 25,000,000 acre feet of the 42,000,000 acre feet estimated to run annually into the Gulf from Texas.

SMALL LOAN COMPANIES likely will be the center of some heated legislative debate as they have been in the past.

Texas Legislative Council has suggested a law giving the State Banking Commission authority to police the small loan industry and a constitutional amendment to allow the Legislature to fix interest rates.

INSURANCE will, as usual, be the subject of a few bills. Probably the most controversial will be a measure to provide for "flexible auto insurance" rates, as opposed to the present state-set rates. Legislative Council declined to endorse this, but suggested the Board of Insurance work on a plan to reward careful drivers.

Several proposals are likely to emerge in an effort to resolve present uncertainty as to whether the Board of Insurance should operate full-time or part-time.

LOOKING? ...FOR INCOME TAX DEDUCTIONS? You can legally uncover more "needles in the haystack" when you have all your cancelled checks on hand. Open your checking account here soon. The Donley County State Bank Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation FOUNDED 1906 CLARENDON, TEXAS

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ASHTOLA NEWS

Mrs. Doyce Graham
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reid have been in Phillips with their daughter and family...

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FARMERS STATE BANK of Clarendon, Texas, at the close of business December 31, 1958. ASSETS, LIABILITIES, CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK AT CLARENDON, TEXAS. RESOURCES, LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.

Statement of Condition Memphis Production Credit Association MEMPHIS, TEXAS December 31, 1958

ASSETS: Loans and Interest \$558,484.39; Government Bonds and Interest 285,843.18; Cash on Hand and in Banks 38,292.25; Stock Owned in Federal Intermediate Credit Bank 28,076.00; Furniture, Fixtures, Equipment and Automobile 4,486.33; Other Assets 614.74. Total Assets \$915,795.89.

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL: Money Due Federal Intermediate Credit Bank \$494,163.84; Provision for Bad Debt Losses 50,141.08; Class A Capital Stock 77,430.00; Class B Capital Stock 137,725.00; Surplus and Reserves 135,847.13; Other Liabilities 20,488.84. Total Liabilities \$915,795.89.

For COLDS take 666

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# FARM NEWS

from the County ASC Committee

## EMERGENCY F-4b PRACTICES

All producers who have not reported their Emergency F-4 Practices completed or substantially completed must do so by January 15th. Any practices not reported by that date will have to be cancelled.

## 1959 COTTON 'NEW GROWERS'

February 16, 1959 has been established as the final date on which farm owners or farm operators may file applications for New Growers allotments.

## MEASUREMENT OF COTTON ACREAGE

Again this year cotton Pre-measurement Service is offered to Donley County producers.

The charges for this service are the same as they were last year, \$10.00 per farm plus \$4.00 for each plot more than one.

The final date on which this service may be requested is April 1, 1959. Anyone interested in having his allotted cotton acreage measured in the field before planting should make application on or before April 1st. We'll remind you from time to time, but if you are interested you should let us know as soon as you have made up your mind regarding the Choice A or B cotton allotment you are going to plant.

## CONSERVATION RESERVE—SOIL BANK

This office has completed at this time 97 conservation reserve contracts, which includes 64 modified and 33 new contracts.

The Conservation Reserve Practice Handbook is complete. Please let us know what kind of perennial grass you are going to plant, so we can fill out the proper forms for you before you start your practice.

## Donley Resident Dies In Amarillo

Charley Terrell McClenney, a resident of Donley County since 1907, died Friday in the Half Thomas Convalescent Home in Amarillo.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in Boxwell Brothers Ivy Chapel with the Rev. Stanley Letcher, pastor of West Amarillo Christian Church officiating. Burial was in Citizen's Cemetery at Clarendon.

Mr. McClenney was a retired farmer. He was born October 12, 1870 in Virginia. He moved to Amarillo from Clarendon six years ago.

Survivors are seven sons, John, Charley, Joe, Emmett, and Willie, all of Amarillo; Frank of Greggton and James of Seaside, Ore.; five daughters, Mrs. Beulah Summers and Mrs. Lillie White, of Amarillo; Mrs. Mary Sullivan, Oklahoma City; Mrs. Virginia Taylor, Socorro, New Mexico; Mrs. Pearl Otto of San Antonio; also forty-nine grandchildren and eighty-four great-grandchildren.

Lt. and Mrs. Vernon Goldston and Steve visited a few days the past week with his mother, Mrs. John Goldston. They were enroute to Baton Rouge, Louisiana and Pensacola, Florida.

## LET'S DANCE



Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Thackston

Junior, senior high and college boys and girls, parents and young couples are invited to the Canteen Friday night, January 16th from 7:30 to 9 p.m. for a dance "just for fun."

Mrs. Mickey McDonald from the John Robert Powers school in Amarillo, will bring Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Thackston who will direct the party and teach the new dance steps. Mrs. McDonald recently taught a Charm Course for the high school girls.

There is no admission charge for the party; however, if there is sufficient response, classes will be formed for a short dance course.

## RECEIVED PROMOTION

Word has been received that Harold Holland has been promoted to the rank of Corporal. He is the son of Mrs. C. W. Martin. Cpl. Holland is stationed at Chatsworth, California where he is in missile training. He and his family live at Simi, California.

## High Schoolers Lose To Hedley Teams

The Hedley Owls and Owletts came to Clarendon Tuesday night and went home with two basketball victories over the local boys and girls. The visitors had little trouble with the Bronchoetts, winning 61 to 37, but the boys game was a thriller all the way with Hedley gaining a 52 to 51 decision in a double-overtime battle.

The Bronchos, playing without the services of one of their standouts, Keith Schollenbarger, blew a seven point lead in the last three minutes to allow the Owls to tie the regulation game at 48-48. Each team made two points in the first overtime period, and Hedley came through with two free throws in the sudden-death overtime period to win. In the sudden-death second overtime period, the first team to make two points is the winner.

The Bronchos held a slim lead throughout most of the game. They were ahead 14 to 9 at the end of the first quarter and held a 24 to 16 advantage at the half. Hedley put on a rally in the quarter to pull into a 34-34 tie at the end of the period. In the opening minutes of the fourth quarter, the Bronchos looked like they were going to win easily as they forged to a 47 to 40 lead with a little less than three minutes to play. Jimmy Johnson, who left the game with five fouls midway of the fourth quarter, paced the Broncho scorers with 16 points, followed by Kenneth Housden with 12, John Morrow and W. N. Elam with eight each and Melvin Housden with seven. Don Wiggins led the Hedley scoring attack with 15 points with Bobby Lesley making 14.

The fast and smooth Hedley girls took a quick lead over the Bronchoetts and were never in any apparent danger. They held leads of 20 to 10 at the first quarter, 33 to 21 at the half and 48 to 32 at the third quarter. The Sanders sisters, Hedley's ace forwards, paced the scoring attack with 21 and 20 points. Joan Bennett made 20 for Clarendon with Charlene White making 14 and Ann Slavin three.

## Bulldogs Take Opening Conference Game

The Clarendon Junior Bulldogs took the measure of the Howard County College Yellowjackets in a rough and tumble game here last Saturday night by a 54 to 42 margin. Neither team could hit consistently with the Yellowjackets hitting 23 per cent and the Bulldogs doing little better with 24 per cent. A total of 55 fouls were called in the game, 30 against Howard County and 25 against the Bulldogs.

The Bulldogs led throughout the contest but their margin was slim until the fading minutes of the game when their ball-control tactics proved superior to the visitors' ability to score. Alva Carter paced the Bulldog scorers with 13 points followed by Bub Eldredge with 10, Jack Buttram and Felix Johnson with eight each, Benny Lesley with seven, Loyd Stephens six and H. D. Yarbrough two. Roy Clay was high for Howard College with nine.

The game got off to a slow start with the Bulldogs leading only 12 to 10 after 14 minutes of play. The Bulldogs extended their lead to 20 to 13 at the half.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients as of Wednesday, January 14th—Mrs. Pearl Masten, Mrs. Harlene Phillips and new baby boy, U. T. Fowler, Rev. G. H. Gattis and Mrs. Mattie Allen. Dismissals—Mrs. Lee Leek, Geo. Bagby, Mrs. Frank Hommel, Mrs. Leek Goldston, Fern Fields, G. R. Grogan, Beverly Edgett, Felix Johnson and Charlie Hines.

## FORMER PUPILS VISIT HERE

Guests in the J. C. Estlack home Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Carson of Eunice, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Fred King of Fort Sumner, New Mexico.

It was a pleasure to meet and visit with these fine people again. They were pupils of J. C. Estlack when he taught school in Eunice back in the pioneer days of the founding of the present large oil town.

## 4-H Club Members Sell Steers At Odessa For Big Price

Donley County 4-H Club members sold three steers at the Odessa Fat Stock Show for a big price says County Agent H. M. Breedlove. There were two hundred Hereford steers in the show and Gene Floyd of Hedley placed fifth and seventeenth in a class of middle weight steers out of a total of 68 steers, and Richard Thornberry placed eighth.

Gene Floyd sold one steer that weighed 907 pounds for fifty-two cents per pound and his other steer that weighed 873 for fifty cents per pound. Richard Thornberry sold his 89 pound steer for fifty-four cents per pound. Seven steers were brought home to take to the Amarillo Fat Stock Show on the 23rd of January.

Breedlove reports that Donley County 4-H Club members will show twenty-three steers at the Amarillo show. This will include both Angus and Hereford steers. Three of the top steers in the county show, shown by 4-H Club members were not taken to Odessa but will be shown for the first time at the Amarillo show. 4-H steers will go to Amarillo on the 23rd and the sifting of the steers will be on the 25th. They will go in the show ring on Monday 26th and sell at auction on Thursday the 29th at 2 p.m.

## Mother Of Local Resident Dies At McLean

Funeral services were held at the First Presbyterian Church in McLean Friday, January 9, for Mrs. Annis Windom, mother of Millard Windom of Clarendon. Rev. J. Edwin Kerr, a former pastor of the church and Rev. Gerald L. Hill, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery. Mrs. Windom died Thursday at the age of 79.

Survivors other than Millard include the husband, a daughter, a sister, a brother, five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

## High School Teams To Play Canadian Friday Night

The Clarendon High School Bronchos and Bronchoetts will travel to Canadian on Friday night of this week for their third conference game of the season. The Bronchos lost their first conference game to Lefors but came back and defeated McLean in their second game. The girls, on the other hand, defeated Lefors but lost to McLean, so each team is standing at one win and one loss for the season in conference play.

The Bronchos are getting off to a good start and it looks like they may have a good chance at their third district championship in a row. However, the addition of White Deer and Panhandle to District 2-A this year may prove a stumbling block. White Deer had a good team last year and are returning three regulars this year. They lost their first game but have won their last four. They got a late start due to their long football season. Panhandle is also tough, but the Bronchos hold one win over them in their recent tournament.

The Bronchos record now stands at fourteen wins and only three defeats not counting Tuesday night's game with Hedley. The girls record is even at seven wins and seven defeats.

Coach Young is using a starting team of Keith Schollenbarger, John Morrow, Melvin Housden, Jimmy Johnson and W. N. Elam with Kenneth Housden a first string reserve and sometimes starter. In the girls game Friday night the starters will probably be Joan Bennett, Ann Slavin and Charlene White at forwards with Beth Lamberth, Pat Spurgeon and Pat Owens at guards. Paula Adams, who has been starting and playing well all year, suffered a broken foot in the game with Silverton last Friday night and will be out of action for some two or three weeks.

Mrs. John Goldston and Lt. and Mrs. Vernon Goldston and Steve visited LaVerne Goldston and family at McLean Sunday afternoon.

# SPUDS

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10 Pound Bag ...

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Winner of the Electric Clock last week was **Mina Rich.**

**APPLE BUTTER** 27c  
WHITE SWAN—22-Oz. Jar  
**CRACKERS** 49c  
2 POUND BOX

**CARROTS** 10c  
POUND  
**APPLES** 39c  
WINEAPS—5 Pound Bag  
**CABBAGE** 7c  
MEDIUM HEADS—Pound

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Campbell's  
Tomato  
2 Cans ..... **25¢**

**PINTO BEANS**  
6 Pounds ..... **49c**  
**WHITE SWAN**  
**SHORTENING**  
3 Pound Can **69c**

# COFFEE

Ranch Style  
Pound ..... **.59**

**NU SOFT**  
Pint Bottle ... **39c**  
**TEA**  
WHITE SWAN  
1/4 Pound ..... **29c**

# BACON

SUNRAY  
2 Lb. Pkg. .... **\$1.19**

**TIDE** 69c  
GIANT BOX  
**CHILI** 43c  
WHITE SWAN—15-Oz. Can  
**KRAUT** 2 for 29c  
WHITE SWAN—303 Cans

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BORDEN'S—Pound  
**SAUSAGE** 45c  
FRESH PAN—Pound

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