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A Common Paper for Common People

## \$100,000.00 Rural Electric Project Is Approved For Donley County

County Agent, H. M. Breedlove stated this morning that he had conferred with Mr. Orval Couch, Supt. of the Greenbelt Electric Coop. and that Mr. Couch stated that the allotment of funds for the building of the electric line in Donley County had been definitely approved. The route that the lines will follow under the first allotment will be from Hedley through Windy Valley, Naylor, Bray, Sunnyview and North of Clarendon into Martin, through Ash-tola and on into Goodnight. Mr. Couch stated that work would start on a second allotment of funds in the very near future to put Extensions on this approved line so that it could go to other parts of the county that this first line does not touch.

Wiring contracts will be mailed out in the very near future to all consumers. These wiring contracts should be signed and returned at once because work on the line cannot start until these contracts are signed by the consumers. Mr. Couch also stated that the contractors building the line in Donley County would operate out of Clarendon.

County Agent, H. M. Breedlove is urging that all consumers who are mailed wiring contracts by Mr. Couch to sign and return them at once so that actual construction of the line can start at an early date. The allotment as approved by the Washington office for the construction of this line is \$100,000.00.

## Gifted Teacher Dies Wednesday

Taught Past Four Years Near Pampa; Was Ill Several Weeks

Death ended the suffering of Mrs. Grace Lewellen at 1:25 Wednesday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. H. Tyree, where she had been critically ill for several weeks.

A native of Carthage, Missouri, she came to Texas with her family in 1903. She was educated in the schools of Carthage, Clarendon college, and the higher schools of Gunnison, Colorado, Denton and Canyon, Texas. She taught public music in Dallas for seven years. For the past four years she taught in a public school near Pampa.

Mrs. Lewellen was possessed of rare talent in music and fine arts. Her personality won many friends. During her long illness, she remained optimistic, though she knew that her passing was near.

Her husband, J. C. Lewellen, died in Brownfield seven years to a day preceding Mrs. Lewellen. He is buried in Vernon.

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. H. Tyree, two sisters and four brothers. The sisters are Miss Neva Tyree here and Mrs. Faye Scoggins, Quitque. The brothers are Carl, Tucumcari; Murl of Gilmer, Texas; Walter of Wichita, Kans.; Will Tyree of Mayer, Arizona.

Funeral services will be conducted at the home of Mrs. H. Tyree by Rev. J. Perry King at 10 a. m. Friday morning, October 13th. Interment in Vernon cemetery.

## Donley Youth To Show Calf At Kansas City

County Agent, H. M. Breedlove, announced this week that Floyd Lewis, 4-H Club member of Lelia Lake would leave for Kansas City with his beef calf on Wednesday 11 of October. This calf will be shown in competition and sold at the Kansas City Royal Stock show to be held in Kansas City all next week.

Floyd Lewis' calf weighs 860 pounds and Breedlove stated that the calf would have a good chance to run high in the competition in which he will compete. This is the first time that any calf has ever left Donley County to compete in the Kansas City Royal Livestock show which is regarded as one of the biggest in the nation.

VISIT IN LANE HOME

Visiting their aunt, Mrs. A. G. Lane, at this time are Miss Grace Felner of Alcock, Kentucky, and Miss Joveta Franklin of Jacksboro, Texas.

## LOCAL MEN SELL CATTLE TO AN AMARILLO FIRM

Recent cattle sales to H. D. Porter and Son are: 237 steer yearlings by McMurtry and Patchin; 82 yearling steers by McMurtry Bros.; 122 yearling steers by Knorpp and Chamberlain; 202 yearling steers by Jim McMurtry.

The sale of 1,200 pure cows and 1,450 pure bred calves by W. J. Lewis, owner of the RO ranch to Theodore Pyle of Logan, N. M. is said to be the biggest cattle deal for some time. Steer calves are said to be bringing 10c and heifers 9 cents.

## City Park To Be Dedicated

Monument to Energy Local Women To Be Officially Opened Friday

Formal opening of the City Park will be at 4 p. m. Friday, October 15th, is announced by Mrs. U. J. Boston, chairman of the Projects Committee. The program will be opened by a twenty-five minute concert by the Clarendon High School band.

Children of the Junior High and South Ward schools will sing and march, directed by Dean R. E. Drennan of Clarendon Municipal College. Rev. J. Perry King, pastor of the First Baptist church will deliver the invocation as the crowd gathers at the Park, after which Mayor Tom F. Connally will present the Park to the citizenship of Clarendon and Donley county.

A representative of the Park Board will express appreciation, and will be followed by a talk by A. A. Meredith, district WPA official of Amarillo. The program will close by the singing of "The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You."

A loud speaker will enable the entire assembly to hear the program through each feature. All citizens are urged to be present in the formal opening of the first out-door civic asset of the county.

Work on the Park began June 5th, A. C. Donnel being in charge of the crew of workmen. Being a WPA project, contributions were made by local firms and individuals toward the purchases of materials, and the federal government supplied the labor.

Mrs. C. C. Powell is president of the Park Board, Mrs. U. J. Boston is chairman of the Projects Committee, and Mrs. Geo. B. Bagby is secretary of the Board. It was through the efforts of Mrs. J. D. Swift and other ladies of the town that the project was obtained here. The Park today represents the energy, skill and civic pride of the ladies who made it possible.

## The Industrial West

W. P. BLAKE, Publisher

(41 years ago in Donley county.)

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Miss Lizzie Beverly of Crowell arrived this week to attend college here.

Bond Johnson of Caddo Mills mentioned last week, has bought out Mr. Fiker and will conduct a larger furniture business.

Miss Robertson left Tuesday for Toronto, Canada where she will go through a thorough course of music.

Rev. J. M. and Mrs. Sherman celebrated their china wedding Monday. An oyster supper will be served in the Griffin building Tuesday night to feed the hungry while waiting for election returns.

O. T. Reeves shipped 4 cars of cattle to Kansas City Monday, and Rowe Bros. shipped 15 cars to the same place.

Numbered on the school honor roll are Room One, Allan Jeffries and Emily Gentry, Middle Kendall, Esie Taylor, Room Two, Andy and Mantie Graves, Clarendon Hillbrand, Roy Stevens, Room Three, Ester Willie, Beatrice Lewis, Clyde Atteberry, Ethel Kendall, Nellie McKillop, Drew Burton, Room Four, Fred Chamberlain, Buck Sayer, Lloyd Blackwell, Cooper Morgan, Minnie Kelly, Effie Ferguson, Room Five, Walter Taylor, Eva Caraway, Ada Graves, Daisy Blake, Claude Atteberry.

## DAUGHTRY'S IN CLARENDON FIRST OF WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. C. Daughtry, who have been in Amarillo since the first of June, arrived here Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. Allen J. Bryan, her mother and other relatives and friends. Mr. Daughtry had a number of pianos for attention. They had only a very short time to spend here since they were due in their home city of Ft. Worth the first of the month, and were already behind schedule.

## RAIN STOPS IRRIGATION JOB FOR SHANNON

W. F. Shannon returned from Hale county Sunday. He had gone down there two days before to irrigate wheat land, planning to sow for winter pasture. Just while he and his son Raymond were getting the irrigation machinery tuned up, rain began falling. "We got a good rain and saved over a hundred dollars by not having to irrigate," Mr. Shannon stated Monday.

## J. R. SELF IS CRITICALLY ILL NEAR CHAMBERLAIN

Ill for more than a year, Mr. Self is said to be a victim of creeping paralysis. His condition is reported as critical at this time.

Visiting here at this time are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Self of Winters, California who came to be with the stricken father. Mr. Self operates a barber shop, and Mrs. Self a beauty parlor in Winters. They have resided out there several years.

## OTHER ATTRACTIONS SHOWN BESIDES PIGS SATURDAY

The temptation is too great when folks own something especially good. While the young men and boys were showing their pigs Saturday, three registered Jersey bulls owned by the FFA dairy breeders of Donley were on exhibit.

The coop of turkeys of the new baby beef type shown by Mrs. Karl Adams also attracted a lot of attention. Toms of this type often weigh more than fifty pounds, it is said.

## ATTENDING RELATIVE NOW IN ELRENO HOSPITAL

Mrs. R. Y. King received word Wednesday that her aunt, Mrs. A. J. Thompson, had fallen and had broken her limb, after which she was taken to an Elreno hospital. Friends here will recall Mrs. Thompson on former occasions when she visited here in the King home.

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## Four Indicted By Grand Jury

Criminal Cases Are Set For Third Week of Session

Members of the present grand jury have been busy investigating complaints and investigations have gone steadily forward weeding out law violation charges.

Back about the 25th of September, a stranger bought groceries and gave Ed Duncan a check for \$19.75, the greater portion being received back as change. The same fellow is said to have played the same trick at Canyon. Anyhow, the grand jury is against one "John Doe" for a forgery charge. Yes, the check was dry.

Walter Lee King, colored, charged with burglary, entered a plea of guilt before Judge A. S. Moss Wednesday and was given a 4-year suspended sentence. King was charged with burglarizing the Clarendon grain company.

Joe Dean of Hedley is being held pending a bond for four thousand dollars. He is charged with statutory rape.

W. S. Scivally made bond of \$750 on a charge of drunk driving. He and another fellow are said to have collided with Luther Johnson's service station down the way while allegedly trying to outdistance a ranger.

The above cases have been set by Judge Moss for the third week of the present term of district court.

## Wheeler Finds Bronc Forward Line An Impregnable Fortress

Sparked by the brilliant offensive thrusts of Melton and Grady, the Clarendon Bronchos bowled over the powerful Wheeler Mustangs here Friday night, 7 to 0, to keep their goal line uncrossed so far this season. Fumbles and penalties at critical stages of the game cost the Bronchos at least two touchdowns. Although Wheeler offered a fast charging backfield, the Broncho forward line refused to give ground, and the Mustangs reverted to aerial thrusts which were of little advantage.

Well executed spinners and off-tackle plays finally spelled disaster for the Wheeler boys, although they fought stubbornly and faithful to the last. Four times the Bronchos marched within the shadows of the Mustang goal line, but failed to make the coveted marker.

Clarendon won the toss and elected to receive. Gathering the pig skin in on their 32 yard line, the Bronchos went into action with the backfield reeling off plenty of yardage until a fumble halted their victory march. Wheeler was held for downs after they had hung up a first down. Again Clarendon took over and marched deep into enemy territory. Taking the Mustangs completely off guard, Grady of the Bronchos broke through the left flank of the Wheeler boys, and dashed to pay dirt, but Clarendon was proclaimed off side and the play was called back. The Bronchos reached the Wheeler 8 yard line before they were held for downs. The first quarter ended with Clarendon on the Mustang 40 yard line.

Marching to the Wheeler 25, Clarendon fumbled and the Wheeler lads took over. Again the Mustangs found stiff opposition in the Broncho line, with Colle Huffman, Howard Gibbs and big Bud Hermesmyer surging through to stop them for no gain. Wheeler punted out on the Clarendon 10 yard line, and after a play or two failed to make the required yardage. Carlton Gordon stepped back and booted the oval for 50 yards. The Mustangs were held for downs, and once more the Bronchos took possession of the ball. A pass to McWhorter was good for a first down. Using deceptive spinners and line bucks, the Bronchos drove to the Wheeler 16 yard line before they re-

## \$300 In Prizes Won By FFA Boys At State Fair

Returning home Wednesday, J. R. Gillham was enthusiastic over the fact that his FFA boys had made big winnings on their hog exhibits at the State Fair in Dallas.

They won first in FFA Club exhibits on Chester White, Hampshire, Poland China, Spotted Polands, and first on car lot.

## Rainfall Comes Month Too Late

Wheat Dusted In Ahead of the Rain Coming to Good Stand

The slow but general rain that fell over this section Saturday night and Sunday came too late to help cotton or feed, but helped the wheat growers. Some late feed will be helped, farmers reported.

The fall in Clarendon was given as eight tenths by official recorder Joe Goldston. The amount varied over the county. The general rain extended from Albuquerque, N. M. into Louisiana to the east, and from San Angelo on the south to Kansas on the north. The heaviest fall recorded was at Childress where 2.25 fell within 24 hours.

A large number of farmers are already sowing grain for a winter pasture to avoid buying so much grain to run them, inquiries made this week indicated.

Stockmen were benefitted by tanks being filled in several parts of the country, and in other sections where running creeks had dried up, the flow has been brought back to normal.

## SINGING CONVENTION DRAWS LARGE CROWD HERE SUNDAY

People from four states, Colorado, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Texas made up the largest crowd to be seen here in years Sunday. Singers from as many states took part on the program presented by the Texas-Oklahoma Singing Convention.

Loud speakers placed outside the Methodist church where the sessions were held, enabled hundreds more to hear the singing. Quite a number of colored people from several Panhandle towns were grouped in the outside audience.

Practically every town in the Panhandle was represented at this, the 11th annual convention that will be held in Clinton, Oklahoma on November 5th of 1940 next time.

Clarendon ably took care of the visitors. Many were heard to praise the hospitality of our little city, private homes being opened to them. Hostleries and rooming houses were far inadequate to care for the throngs that began arriving early Saturday, and continued up until midnight.

Sunday's crowd was divided during the morning, a number of singers appearing at the Baptist church at that time.

## Gordon Dies In Pampa Sunday

Was Resident Here Over Eight Years While Schooling Children

John Wesley Gordon, 73, resident of the Panhandle for over 40 years, passed away due to heart failure at his home in Pampa Sunday night. After his marriage in 1897, the couple settled near Miami two years later.

The family resided here some eight years while schooling the children.

Mrs. Gordon passed away in 1936. Survivors of the family are two daughters, Mrs. G. R. Robinson, Port Arthur, and Miss Alice Gordon, New Orleans, La.; two sons, Joseph Gordon, county attorney of Gray County, and Robert Gordon, Pampa attorney, three grandsons, a sister, Mrs. S. P. Heare, Mobeetie and a brother, E. G. Gordon, Miami.

Funeral services were conducted in the First Methodist Church Monday, of which he had been a long time member. The Rev. W. M. Pearce, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Miami Cemetery under direction of Clay Funeral Home of Pampa.

## RECOVERS FROM FALL

Her friends will be glad to know that Mrs. W. A. Davis continues to improve after suffering the ill effects of a bad fall at her home some two weeks ago.

## Old Timer Here Dies In Denver

Former Business Man Was Here Over 20 Years

Friends of Ed "Dad" Peltzel will regret to hear of his passing at his home in Denver after an illness of several months. He died in a Denver hospital September 30th at the age of 82 years.

The kindly old tailor was probably the most skilled of his class ever to operate in the Panhandle. Bankers and business men from a wide section came to him to have their suits made to measure. He had a pattern for more patrons than possibly any other tailor in Texas, a friend stated Tuesday. When he received an order and selection, he had to turn to that measure chart and get busy.

Dad Peltzel was charitable to a fault. In early life he left Chicago and went to Arizona for the benefit of his family's health. It was there that they all passed away with the exception of one son, Ed, who lived with him here in after years. Leaving here some ten years ago, they moved to Arizona, and later to Denver.

## LANES PURCHASE HOME AND MAKE IMPROVEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lane, who purchased the Joe Rady place south of the Lee Holland home recently, have made extensive improvements with stucco and woodwork on the outside. The inside of the home has been renewed, papered and painted and other changes to suit the occupants. The yard has been terraced the past week. The home presents a very tidy appearance in general.

## PIG SHOW ATTRACTS LARGE PART OF CONVENTION CROWD

Frank Mahaffey of Ashtola Placed Grand Champion. Claude Judging Team Takes Lead Over Field

The third annual Donley county swine show has become history, but the memory will live on in the minds of youths who had a big part in making it a great success. Four breeds, Hampshires, Duroc Jerseys, Poland Chinas and Chester Whites were entered to total 150 in number.

Frank Mahaffey's Hampshire, aged six months and weighing 200 pounds was adjudged the grand champion. A purse of \$130 was divided into four classes, equal attention being given to each of the breeds named above.

Claude's FFA judging team took first honors with 1,175 points. Other teams named in order of rating are Erick, Tucumcari, Groom, White Deer, Canyon and Kirkland.

Frank Moch of Tucumcari made the highest individual grade and his skill was rewarded by a gift of a registered gilt, Henry Pracher, White Deer youth, was second up and received a weaner pig.

Winners in the light barrow divisions included, in order, Frank Mahaffey, Johnny Leathers, Bill Alexander, third and fourth, Pete Morrow, Rex Shannon, Cecil Heckman, Wilson Rector, Russell Morris and True Barbee.

Heavy barrow division, Johnny Leathers, Frank Mahaffey, Pete Morrow, Russell Morris, Johnny Phelan, Frank Cannon, Maschil Cole, Howard Gibbs, Carl Morris and Frank Cannon.

Pen of three, Frank Mahaffey, Johnny Leathers, Pete Morrow, Bill Alexander, Greene Christie, Russell Morris, True Barbee, Maschil Cole, Carl Morris and Frank Cannon.

Litter group, Carl Morris, Greene Christie, True Barbee, Maschil Cole, Robert Sneed, Joe Williams, Howard Gibbs, Cecil Heckman and Ray Bails.

## Twenty Miles Trees Growing On Rains Farm

Six Varieties Stand Rigors of the Drouth, Putting On Excellent Growth This Year

Visiting the farm of W. I. Rains in company with D. S. Miller, crew foreman of the shelterbelt crew a few days ago, brought several surprises to the editor of the Leader.

There are twenty miles of single row trees growing. Some mere switches put out are now five feet high the second year. The varieties include ash, cottonwood, Russian olive, Chinese elm, walnut and desert willow.

The willows stood the dry weather in great shape. In fact all the young trees were showing up nicely a day before the rain. Willow, cottonwood and elm made the most growth.

Rabbits are the only pests to develop to date, and these are controlled with poison supplied by the shelterbelt project manager, as a part of the federal project.

"Uncle Bill" Rains has taken good care of the trees. That is the only place the land owner obligates himself. The trees are supplied and planted, but the land owner must have enough energy and appreciation to take care of them. Besides their natural beauty, the trees will be a fine windbreak and will prevent wind erosion. The trees named above are planted on sandy land.

## NEW PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR HERE NEXT WEEK

Announcement is made that the congregation of the Presbyterian church has employed Rev. Maynard M. Miller of Plain Dealing, Louisiana as their next pastor. He and Mrs. Miller and three of the younger children are due to arrive about the 17th.

They will move into the new manse, the brick residence across the street from D. O. Stallings' home, constructed by N. M. Martin some years ago. The old manse has been purchased by Dick Lanham.

## EDITOR AND FAMILY VISITS RELATIVES HERE

Editor Hubert P. Day and family spent Sunday here attending the singing convention and visiting relatives. Mr. Day is editor of the Mitchell County News at Lorraine, and also operates a moving picture show there.

## Clarendon-Shamrock Grid Classic To Be Main Highlight In District 3A

This Friday night the Clarendon Bronchos move out of the home corral for the first time this season to engage the Shamrock Irishmen in a conference game. Leadership and possibly the championship of district 3A will be at stake. Both teams are setting the pace in the district with perfect records.

Shamrock blasted Memphis last week 13-0, while Clarendon bowled over Wheeler 7-0. Clarendon has also won over Lakeview which makes a conference victory.

The contest will be the conference encounter and fifth of the season for the Irish will be the third conference fifth start of the season.

## OBSERVE SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY

Several friends from here helped celebrate the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. Clyde Bridges, prominent couple of Hedley, Sunday afternoon.

A large group of friends called at the Bridges home, among those from Clarendon were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bairfield, Mr. and Mrs. Nolle Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ritter, Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wright, Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Boston, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thompson and Miss Vera Noland and Howard Leach.

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NOTICE: Obituaries and poetry are published in this paper at the rate of 1 cent per word. A charge of \$1.00 is made on cards of thanks. Stories of deaths and funerals published in time to retain the news value are not rated as obituaries.

MEMBER OF PANHANDLE PRESS ASSOCIATION

HUDGINS Mrs. S. M. Harp

Mrs. Stonestiffer of Quail filled his regular appointment Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Several from here enjoyed the singing at Clarendon Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Jacobs visited Mr. and Mrs. Perk Tims of Windy Valley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Fowlkes and children were callers in the Harp

home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ewing visited in Brice Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harp took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Putman.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Meador.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jacobs visited in the Jeff Talley home Sunday.

The Junior Sunday school were to have a picnic Sunday but it being too bad the teacher, Miss Audrey Perdue, entertained them at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue. Those present were Ben Talley, Sidney Harp, H. R. and Nella Cowan, Junior and Fredia Putman, Geraldine and Haskel Foster, Ann

Rainy and Bill, Nell and Geraldine Perdue, all reporting a real nice time. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jacobs, Mrs. D. Jacobs and Mrs. Alton Jacobs were shopping in Amarillo Monday.

Uncle Tom Roy is visiting in this community this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Session visited in the Hudson home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson and family motored to Hollis, Oklahoma, Sunday.

METHODIST CIRCUIT NOTES

J. G. Walker, P. C.

Notwithstanding the rains and big singing convention we had almost our usual number at McKnight Sunday; the faithful few, the salt of the earth, the salt not having lost its savor. The rain was a long desired blessing, and everyone should have felt under special obligation to render service to the Lord, the giver of every good gift. No one was required to vacate his place in the old home church, nor drive through the mud to Clarendon to render acceptable thanksgiving to God. In fact the eyes of the Lord were upon and His ears turned towards the altars of the home churches. All of which should have been surrounded by people with earnest thanksgiving in their hearts. Next Sunday we go to Goldston. That will be our last Sunday there in this conference year. May we have a full attendance and the best services both morning and evening that we have

ever had? To think of the last service always makes us sad—makes us reflect over the past; makes us ask have we improved the opportunities that have come to us this year? When you reflect, are you satisfied?

Let's join our hands and hearts and make a united effort in these last days to make this year's report a satisfactory one. Who could be satisfied to have a deficit report? The fellow that can be satisfied to fail is mighty easy to satisfy. I will like to make a full report, plus.

By the time you read this it will only be little more than a week until the Fourth Quarterly Conference which will be at Lelia Lake, Oct. 22. Preaching 11 a. m., lunch on the ground and conference in the afternoon. Lelia Lake is to furnish the lunch. Lots of work to be done at this conference. We need a full attendance. We need some one to tell us just how to make Clarendon Circuit the best one in the Clarendon District.

Remember your pastor in prayer.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH LELIA LAKE

This church has completed its Sunday school study course, the last course on securing our Standard of Excellence. For this work, we are justly proud.

Our church wishes to extend thanks to the Donley County Leader for its generosity in running our church announcements and news.

You are most welcome to worship with us at the First Baptist church in Lelia Lake.

Mrs. J. R. Ayers spent the week end at McLean with her daughter, Mrs. F. L. Jones.

BRICE Theodore Myers

The Brice community received an average of one inch of rain Sunday morning and afternoon. It was the first moisture received in this community in 8 weeks. The rain will help the late feed and cotton crop if the frost will stay away for a few weeks.

The Brice Quilting Club met Thursday. There was a large crowd of women present and they finished several more quilts.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Holland and children, Mrs. W. E. Davis and Mrs. Starr Johnson attended the singing convention at Clarendon Saturday night.

Miss Eloise Ezzell and Miss Freddie Starr Johnson of Amarillo were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Starr Johnson.

Mrs. W. E. Davis and Mrs. Starr Johnson were visitors in Childress Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rexrode were Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson.

Laurel Holland was weekend guest of relatives in Clarendon last week.

Ralph McCrary has returned home from Amarillo after having worked for several weeks there.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Myers were Monday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mann.

The Rural Electrification Project is now finished. The lights were turned on Sunday. Everyone is enjoying the pleasure of the lights and radios they have installed recently.

Several from Brice attended the Clarendon-Wheeler game Friday night.

Mrs. M. C. Reed visited her daughter, Mrs. Jay Fierce, at Borger the past week.

BIOLOGICAL BRIGANDS

"Before I heard the doctors tell The dangers of a kiss, I had considered kissing you, The nearest thing to bliss, But now I know Biology And sit and sigh and moan, Six million mad bacteria— And I thought we were alone!"

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PASTIME THEATRE

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—OCTOBER 13-14th. Wallace Beery and Chester Morris —in— "THUNDER AFLOAT" Fox News and "Hobo Gadget Band" 10-25c

Saturday Prevue, Sunday and Monday—October 14-15-16th.

Elsa Maxwell's HOTEL FOR WOMEN A girl in every room—and a man on every mind! ANN SOTHERN, LINDA DARNELL, JAMES ELLISON, LYNN BARI, JOYCE COMPTON, JEAN ROGERS, ELSA MAXWELL, HALLIDAY, KATHARINE ALAN, ALDRIDGE, DINEHART, BLACKMER Directed by GREGORY RATOFF A 20th Century-Fox Picture DARRYL F. ZANUCK in Charge of Production A COSMOPOLITAN PRODUCTION

Fox News and Color Cartoon. 10-25c

TUESDAY ONLY—OCTOBER 17th. Marie Wilson and Allen Jenkins —in— "SWEEPSTAKES WINNER" Paramount Variety Short. Bargain Day 10 cents to all.

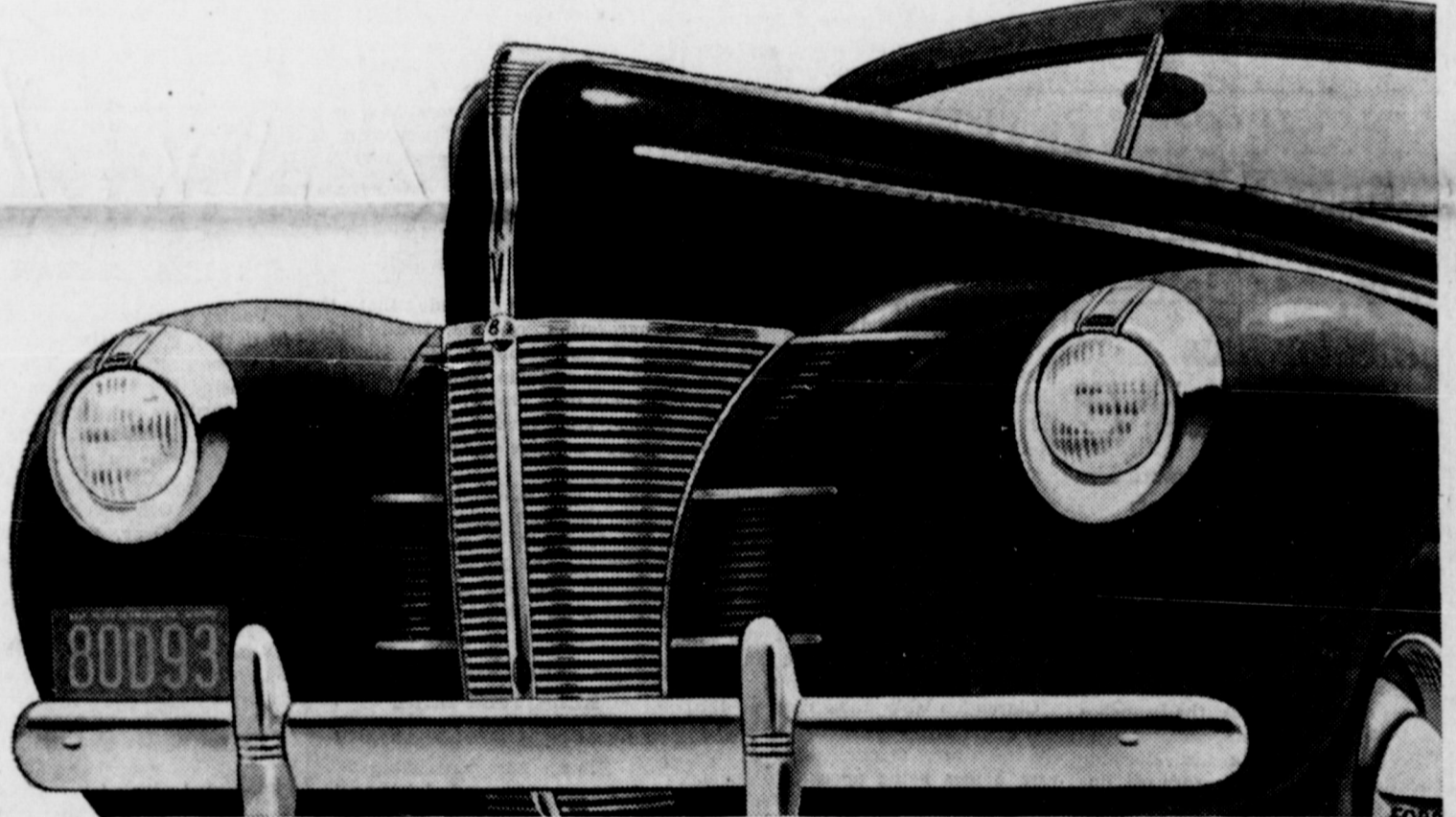
WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY—OCTOBER 18-19th.

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**OPPORTUNISTS.**

Panhandle men, both white and black, have long been known for their resourcefulness. No sooner did the rain begin to fall in Amarillo than four men were arrested for stealing plows. Then down at Huntsville where the convict rodeo was in progress, Vernon McDaniels won first prize for riding a Brahma steer Sunday. He is a former Amarillo citizen, and hearing of the rain, likely felt like he ought to do some-

thing by way of celebrating—and did.

**PROPAGANDA.**

Nothing apparently creeps upon us unawares like propaganda. A publisher will meet the subtle influence fixed up in a form that looks as harmless as a child. Only last week, practically every weekly newspaper in the nation received a first shot of the Hitler schedule, all of which was to be published free. The dope is being sent out, among other stuff of a similar nature, by a grafter in New York city under the heading of "John Clements." The only paper in the Panhandle so far to fall for it was the Briscoe County News where the picture and sweet story of the life of Hitler to date was related. Oh yes, his mother played an 'important' part in his early training, so the story relates. The biggest insult of the whole thing is the wording under the Hitler picture, "Greatness His Fetish!"

**THE STIRRER-UPPER.**

Why praise Perry in history for 'opening up' Japan. It's no service to humanity to kick a hornet's nest.

**NO FOUNDATION.**

Now that it has rained again, plenty of women have swept out enough dirt the past two months to build

the kind of a farm she has always wanted. Now all she needs is a place to put it.

**SUGGESTION.**

Oolie Yurt says the best plan to stop a husband snoring consists of cooperation by sticking a sock in his mouth.

**TRAGEDY.**

You have heard of a man being "shot on the back porch," and possibly of the fellow who was stabbed in the dining room, but last Saturday a woman watching a league ball game in Ft. Worth was hit by the ball "back of the Cat's dugout."

**GLAMOUR OF YOUTH.**

The youth lives under the mystic halo of glamour and romance. In seeking the course of least resistance he generally regards all interference as nothing short of a relic of an age that was at least barbaric. While the busy world needs men of stamina, strength of character and an energy in profusion, all too often the average youth is more intent in putting on liquids and salves outside the head rather than something 'inside' the head. Think it over.

**WAR EFFECTS STYLES.**

Already one hears how the present war is to effect women's style of pants. They are supposed to be just like the kind worn by the male specie. In that case, may we hope she will invent a pair of suspenders that will get the job done, rather than the clumsy efforts made in that direction to date.

**BUSY EMPLOYEE.**

Frazlin Bitt, who smokes cigarettes all the week days for the firm paying him a salary, represented his firm at a domino tournament Sunday.

**HOME DESTROYERS.**

Few things sneak into the home and destroy the foundation like termites do. They help form the "T-T's" that keep home lovers out of the home owner column. Yes, Taxes and Termites are twin home enemies.

**OUR WEEKLY POME.**

"They call it propaganda  
What once we knew as lies,  
It sounds a little nicer,  
And throws dirt in our eyes."

**ALL A MISTAKE.**

The whistle does not blow for a fire. It blows for water. They always have the fire.

**MOUSE CATCHER.**

Ima Fizzle has a cat she calls "Diplomacy." The cat eats cheese, blows into the gnawed crack in the room corner, and waits with baited breath.

**CIVIC MINDED.**

Next to their football, Dallas hoots more for a Trinity canal than any

other one thing.

**IT HAPPENED IN 1918.**

Now that the Allies are out on a limb, they are yelling for Uncle Sam to bring a net.

**WRONG DOPE.**

The report that Hitler was killed by a Pole falling on him appears to be greatly exaggerated.

**POOR DUPE.**

Some men think they are boss at home where they are only chairman of the "ways and means" committee.

**MORE MODERN STUFF.**

If it is too good to be called lousy, we Americans just call it great.

**NO NUTS FOR THE NUTTY.**

"No people were ever grossly betrayed by their lawmakers," is a phrase used by some of the brilliant writers. They claim this to mean that people do not take enough interest, if any, in their government.

Mrs. Clayton Mann visited in Amarillo Sunday.

Donley County Leader, \$1.50 a year.

**GOLDSTON**

Peggy Stewart

Goldston enjoyed a nice rain Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Porter and daughter returned home Sunday from an extended visit with relatives near Gainesville.

Two of Mrs. Higdon's brothers from Oklahoma have been visiting in her home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson of Logan, N. Mex. visited in the G. R. Grant home over the week end.

Mrs. Clarence Reynolds, who has been sick for the past several days, is staying with her mother, Mrs. Koontz at Midway.

Goldston school is expecting to turn out for cotton picking this Friday.

There was no Sunday school at Goldston Sunday because of the Texas-Oklahoma Singing Convention which met at Clarendon.

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7 Bars .....	
<b>PEACHES</b>	39c
Gallon .....	
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5 lb Bucket .....	
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## JUNIOR BEAUX ART CLUB

The Junior Beaux Art Club met at the Club Room, Oct. 5, for our regular meeting. Our first formal meeting proved to be a great success and source of interest and entertainment to all present. The club sponsors, Miss Jean Bourland and Miss Howren were hostesses at the lovely tea and Mrs. Mern Rhoades was guest of honor. Mrs. Rhoades had a beautiful exhibit of china which she had designed and painted. The exhibit included pieces from dinner sets, breakfast sets, vases, sugar and cream sets, beverage sets, and nearly every piece of china which is used in the modern home. The guests invited to enjoy the affair with us, included members of the Book Club, the Pathfinder Club, the Senior Art Club, and guests of the Junior Beaux Art Club. Approximately one hundred ladies attended the affair. Each of them seemed to enjoy it immensely.

Christine Knox, Reporter

A dainty salad course refreshment was served with Hallow'een plate favors being given and the Hallow'een motif was used in table covers and prizes.

Those present were Meses. Ruel Nichols, Regan Bain, J. E. Burch, Hollis Neece, Alvin Landers, Carl Peabody, Hodges, A. T. Cole, H. T. Burton, U. Z. Patterson, Henry Tatum, Joe Bownds, Vada Varpenner, Sam Gauthen, Jess Cornell, Lloyd Rhoades, Clyde Douglas, Ralph Keys, Verna Lusk, John Naylor, Bill Rhiney, Walter Clifford, Sam Lowe, Elmer Palmer, Ralph Decker, Alfred Estlack. Six children were present.

## GRIMSLEY-CHENAULT

Miss Jewel Grimsley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Grimsley of Hedley and Merl F. Chenault of Lelia Lake were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents at Hedley at 8:00 Friday evening with Rev. M. E. Wells officiating.

The bride was lovely in a sheer blue crepe with black accessories.

The bride was a graduate of the 1934 class of Hedley High school and attended W.T.C.V. at Ft. Worth. The groom was a graduate of the 1930 class at Lelia Lake and has been associated with J. T. Patman Insurance for the past two years.

Immediately following the ceremony the bridal cake was cut and served with punch to guests, Miss Christine Smith of Vernon, Ward Grimsley of Borger, Robert and Lannonia Grimsley of Hedley, Mrs. Olen G. Anderson of Hedley, Mrs. Martha J. Hogue of Hedley, Rev. and Mrs. M. E. Wells of Hedley, Lloyd Olson of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lovelady of Lelia Lake.

The young couple returned to

Clarendon Friday evening. They will make their home here where he will continue with J. T. Patman, and she will continue work as the Society editor of the Clarendon News.

## MOTHERS CLUB

Mrs. Paul Smithley and Mrs. Henry Tatum were hostesses when the Mother's Club met at the Club Room Tuesday afternoon.

The Club-room was decorated with roses and poinsettias.

Louva Hunt appeared on the program with a reading, "A Small Girl's Prayer." Betty Jean Decker gave a reading, "Smiles and Frowns." Guida Myrl Miller entertained at the piano with an Indian Song.

Mrs. C. A. Burton guest speaker of the afternoon gave a delightful although brief review of the book "All This and Heaven Too," by Rochelle Fields.

A very delicious refreshment was served to guests, Mrs. Joe Bownds and daughter Sandra Jo; and members, Meses. Bryan Armstrong, Francis Brown, Bill Bromley, Regan Bryan, Elvis Burch, Walter Clifford, Ralph Decker and daughter Betty Jean, Clyde Douglas, Alfred Estlack, Alvin Landers, Walter Lowe, Jimmie Miller, George Norwood, Wm. Patman, Clarence Pierce, D. F. Wadsworth, H. T. Warner, Paul Smithley, Henry Tatum and Louva Hunt.

## CLARENDON H. D. CLUB

Mrs. W. D. Van Eaton was hostess to the Clarendon Home Demonstration Club which met in her home Friday afternoon, Oct. 6th, with fifteen members and two visitors present. The president, Mrs. Fink presided. The meeting opened with Mrs. Anderson reading the Club Collect. Mrs. O. C. Watson was elected to membership. Program for the afternoon, subject "Grasses We Eat". Club adjourned to meet with Miss Etta Harned Oct. 20, at 3 p. m., each member to bring an article on the lesson subject, "Courtesies of the Road—Safe Driving Rules."

Lovely refreshments were served to guests, Mrs. Tom Connally and Mrs. Joe McMurtry. To members Meses. G. A. Anderson, G. W. Antrobus, A. H. Baker, C. L. Benson, John Black, A. L. Chase, J. C. Estlack, O. L. Fink, M. A. Hahn, Elmer Hayes, C. D. McDowell, A. W. Simpson, Ed Speed, Mattie Hudson, the club Mother, and the hostess, Mrs. Van Eaton.

## FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Miss Katie Meader was hostess to the members and guests of this Club at her home Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. C. R. Skinner opened the meeting by repeating the Lord's prayer.

In the business session, the following were elected to serve the ensuing year: president, Mrs. C. R. Skinner; vice president, Mrs. C. E. Lindsey; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. G. J. Teel; reporter, Miss Mable Mongole.

Miss Katie Meader read the scripture lesson. The meeting was closed by prayer by Mrs. Allene Skinner.

The social hour was taken up with needle work and visiting, after which an appetizing salad plate was served. Guest, Emily Ann Smith. Members, Meses. C. R. Skinner, Allene Skinner, C. E. Lindsey, M. E. Thornton, G. J. Teel, Glenn Williams, J. A. Meaders, Misses Mable Mongole and the hostess, Miss Katie Meaders.

## CAROLYN PEABODY HONORED

Mrs. Carl Peabody entertained with a party honoring her daughter, Carolyn on her 6th birthday Saturday, October 7 at their home.

A variety of games were played until the gifts were opened and refreshments were served. Then the children were taken to the City park where more games were played.

Favors of balloons and candy were given the honoree, Carolyn Peabody, guests Patricia Ann and Barbara Faye Estlack, Lois Marie Hommel, Sandra Jo Bownds, Jo Ann Ritter, Jaunita Carpenter, Carroll Butler, Sammy Lee Patterson, Jesse Burch, Guy Aldea Wright.

## LES BEAUX ARTS CLUB

Members of this Club met in the Club Room Friday afternoon, October 6th. Mrs. R. L. Bigger, president for the ensuing year, presiding. An interesting program on Clara Driscoll Day and Texas Arts Museum, was given by Mrs. J. D. Swift and Mrs. H. W. Melton.

Mrs. Frank White Jr. made a brief talk on her trip to Austin as delegate to the Clara Driscoll celebration. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. W. A. Rhiney and Mrs. Frank White Jr.

## 1922 BRIDGE CLUB

The first meeting of the club year was at the home of Mrs. A. B. Letts. Games of bridge were played at two tables. Mrs. Ellis received high score prize, Mrs. Garaway low and Mrs. Trent drew consolation.

Mrs. Letts as hostess served a lovely luncheon to Meses. L. S. Bagby, Odos Caraway, R. A. Chamberlain, T. H. Ellis, Sella Gentry, J. B. McClelland, J. T. Sims, James Trent.

## WEST CIRCLE

This circle met at the home of Mrs. H. C. Brumley Wednesday afternoon with 11 members present. The book studied, "Follow Me." In the business meeting, the name was changed from West Circle to Sarah Skinner circle, in honor of the wife of a former Baptist pastor here, and the mother of Mrs. C. W. Taylor.

## COY PIERCE CELEBRATES

Coy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pierce celebrated his 5th birthday with a party at the home of his parents Friday, Oct. 6 from 3 until 5 pm.

Various outdoor games were played until the many gifts were opened and admired.

The large white birthday cake was cut and served with ice cream to guests, Mrs. Bob Barnett and Patsy Hommel, Carolyn Peabody, Sandra Jo Bownds, Peggy Wright, Billy June Casey, Mary Margaret and Paul Bennett Smithley, Guy Alden Wright, Jesse Burch, Boyd Pipes, Robert Olin Bain, Joy and Coy Pierce.

Balloons and candy were given as favors.

## GERALDINE HOMMEL HAS PARTY

Mrs. Frank Hommel entertained with a party honoring her daughter, Geraldine on her 12th birthday, Tues. Oct. 10. She was assisted in entertaining by her daughter Frankie.

A number of games were played and refreshments of cake and punch was served to honoree Geraldine Hommel, guests Laverne Meredith, Elise Norwood, Melba Ruth Grady, Merne McDonald, Melba Lu Pipes, Bonnie Green, Ardith Warren, Jimmie Frank Heath, Jimmy Dean Howze, Bert Barnes, Lois Marie and Chauncey Hommel.

## MCDOWELL CLUB

The McDowell Club met in regular session Monday afternoon at the Methodist church with an interesting program of organ and piano numbers. Miss Etta Harned was program director and gave an interesting paper on origin of organ and piano.

Mrs. Rayburn Smith played an organ solo. Dorothy Ann Kennedy gave a piano number followed by a flute solo by Clyde Benton Douglas, accompanied at the piano by Nelda Sue Burton.

The program was followed by choral practice directed by Mrs. Beck.

## DANCE HONORS FOOTBALL PLAYERS and FRIENDS

Those to enjoy the dance at the home of Mrs. R. L. Bigger Friday evening were Jo Ann Smith, Mildred Phelps, Katrena Carlile, Estelle Thornberry, Madlene Kelly, Elgin Baisley, Jo Word, Colie Huffman, Ralph Grady, Jimmy Lumpkin, Russell Greer, Bobby Jo Skelton, Junior Spier, Led Jay, Oscar Butler, Homer Charles Speed, Jack Reeves, Weldon Warren, Dan Boston. Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Drennan and Supt. H. T. Burton.

## 1912 NEEDLE CLUB

Mrs. J. T. Sims entertained the members of this Club at her home Thursday afternoon. Garden flowers were made into attractive decorations. Several hours were spent in fancy needle work and pleasant conversation.

The hostess, Mrs. Sims, served a lovely plate refreshment to Mrs. John Molesworth, an invited guest, and to members, Meses. J. T. Patman, A. L. Chase, R. A. Chamberlain, Sella Gentry, B. L. Jenkins, A. R. Letts, A. A. Mayes.

## ASHTOLA NEEDLE CLUB

The Ashtola Needle Club met in the club room at the school building Thursday, October 5 at 2 o'clock in

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the afternoon with sixteen members present.

At the close of the business session the club enjoyed a program on Wildlife, very interestingly given by Mesdames Cula McClellan, Offie Eddings and Verue Shelton.

Pollyanna gifts were exchanged and later a delicious plate lunch, consisting of sandwiches, cake and hot tea, was served by the hostesses, Mesdames Lena Hayter and Ruth Mandrofsky.

Mrs. W. B. Miller, Reporter.

## BUSY WOMEN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Members of this class of the Methodist church met in an all-day quilting at the home of Mrs. C. E. Griggs. Mrs. Griggs and Mrs. Hays Robins were hostesses. An interesting dinner of fried chicken was served at the noon hour to about fifteen ladies. Two quilts were completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Casey and E. F. Bryan of Amarillo visited in the W. A. Land home Sunday.

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<b>PANCAKE FLOUR</b>	Pillsbury's—3 lb Pkg.	<b>15c</b>
<b>Macaroni or Spaghetti</b>	2 lb Box	<b>19c</b>
<b>SALAD DRESSING</b>	Quart Jar	<b>25c</b>
<b>PEANUT BUTTER</b>	Quart Jar	<b>29c</b>
<b>CATSUP</b>	16 oz. Can	<b>10c</b>
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KENNEDY-HAMIL
Miss Moody Kennedy of Lelia Lake, and J. H. Hamil of Childress were married Thursday, October 5th at Sayer, Oklahoma. They will make their home on the farm of the bride at Lelia Lake.

T. E. L. CLASS MET
TUESDAY AFTERNOON
Members of this class met in the

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home of Mrs. Buel Sanford Tuesday afternoon in a business and social meeting. Mrs. George Chamblee of Longview brought a beautiful devotional. Mrs. J. T. Warren led in prayer. Mrs. W. A. Land, social chairman, had a lovely social hour planned. There were 22 members and three guests present. Group One was hostess. Lovely refreshments were served.

Personals

Mrs. Van Kennedy received information Wednesday of the serious illness of her uncle, Rev. T. Z. Cagle, at his home in Abilene.

Lawrence Wheeler of Cheyenne, Wyoming is visiting in the Ayers home this week.

Melvin Walse and James McAndrews of Lost Nations, Iowa are spending some time here with a former classmate, John Howard Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Tullis returned to San Antonio Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Peebles.

Home for the week end were Ardis and Allen Patman, Madaline Taylor and Marian McCormick of Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Chilton of Vernon spent Sunday here.

Rev. G. T. Palmer assisted in the funeral service at Chillicothe Monday of the father of Rev. Lance Webb of Shamrock.

Mrs. Edward Boliver and daughter, Miss Pauline, were Clarendon shoppers Tuesday.

Mrs. A. J. Parker and Thomas Perkins had business in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McClenny of Medina valley are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Thigpen of Childress visited their daughter, Mrs. Lee Bell and Mr. Bell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller and daughters, Susie and Charline, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heath Sunday.

Mrs. Katie Zackery, member of the Pampa school faculty, spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Antrobus returned from Temple the last of the week.

Mrs. Lena Antrobus and daughter, Mrs. Edythe Maher, are visiting a daughter and sister, Mrs. Tren Stargel in Oklahoma City.

Miss Kathleen Holly of Pampa spent the week end here with Mrs. Addierene Pharr.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Andis of near Pampa visited with relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Watts of Maydelle and Raymond Watts of Forestburg, Texas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Foster and daughter Jacque.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Watts, J. C. Watts, Raymond Watts and Jacque Foster spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Scoggin on the Bairfield ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Palmer spent Sunday in Lubbock with their son Ray.

S. G. Adamson of Hedley was in town Monday. He reports an inch rain Sunday.

Miss Hazel Gilbert of Pampa, and John Plaster of Mobeetie were week end visitors in the Clyde Gilbert home.

MRS. WARNER IN HOSPITAL
Mrs. J. T. L. Warner, who has been seriously ill, was taken to Adair hospital Wednesday.

Donley County Leader, \$1.50 a year.

TRAIN HITCHHIKERS FEED WILD GAME FOR PASSAGE

When a train conductor stops his string of freight cars almost daily and uses the hoboos riding the train to sweep out grain so that wild turkeys may be fed, the Game Department feels that it is getting cooperation of the highest caliber. That is exactly what is happening in Archer county. The State Game Warden at Wichita Falls recently noticed the train halted near a river and dust flying out of the doors of several cars. Upon investigation he found that the conductor had about half a dozen hoboos sweeping out grain from grain cars to feed a bunch of wild turkeys that use that area. Questioned, the conductor said that he had heard the warden's plea, last winter when snow was on the ground, about feeding wildlife and he decided that every time he had any empty grain cars on his train he would make use of the hobs riding by having them sweep out the cars at a place where he knew turkeys were ranging.

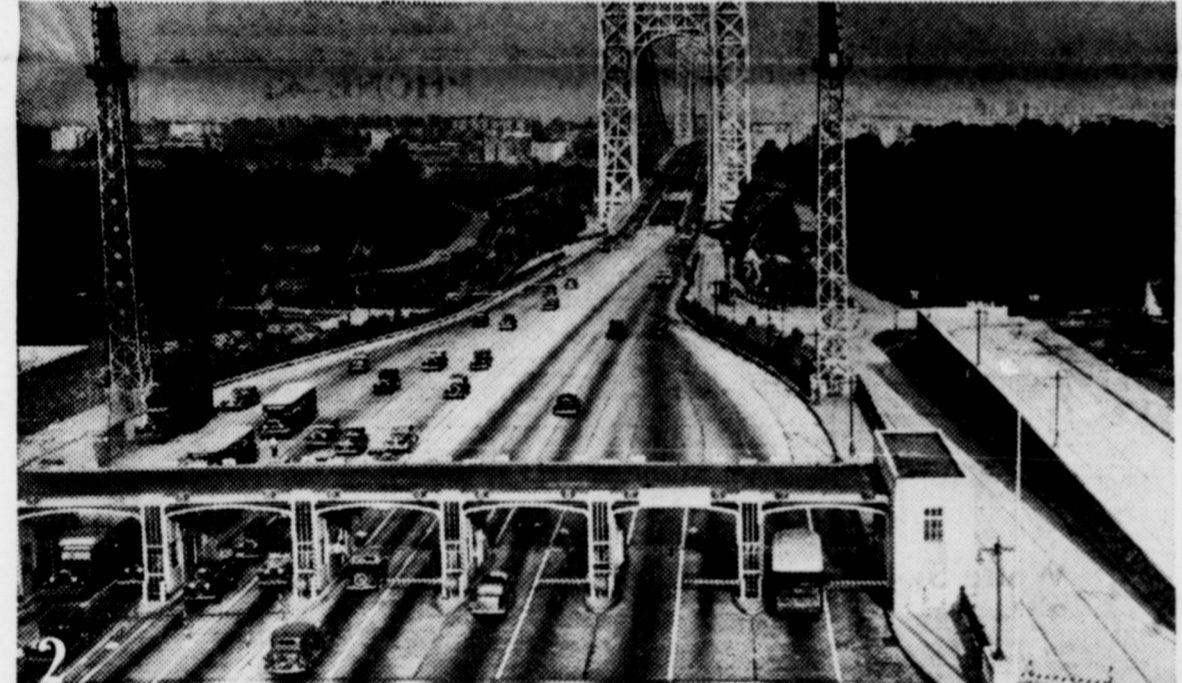
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patrick are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Dich Marsh and family in Russell, Kansas.

Billie and John Cobb of Claude were guests in the Clyde Gilbert home the last of the week.

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## SAAR VALLEY IS COMMON KEY TO EVERY ENEMY INVASION

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"Give the French a window," according to a saying in the Palatinate, "and they will take the room." By which they mean that, if the French could gain possession of the plateau of the Saar, the Rhineland would soon be theirs. That is why the French are now hammering their way into the Saar "window." In Paris recently, a French

### Condensed Statement of the Condition of THE DONLEY COUNTY STATE BANK of CLARENDON, TEXAS October 2, 1939

In response to a call from the Commissioner of Banking

#### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$222,229.34
Overdrafts	473.71
School and State Warrants	31,773.31
Banking House, Furniture & Fixtures	14,000.00
Other Real Estate	5,768.78
State of Texas Revenue Stamps	55.40
Cash and Exchange	\$319,252.42
U. S. Bonds Owned	54,000.00
Bills of Exch. Cotton	3,723.09
	376,975.51

Total ..... \$651,276.05

#### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Capital Debentures	15,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided Profits	4,358.09
DEPOSITS	571,917.96
Total	\$651,276.05

The above Statement is correct, F. E. Chamberlain, Vice-Pres. & Cashier. Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

## It's a Man's World...

BUT IT'S A WONDER MORE MEN AREN'T SHOT!

says Elsa

A glimpse into a world of girls on their own in Elsa Maxwell's "Hotel For Women," the Cosmopolitan production for 20th Century-Fox.



Elsa's first picture features Ann Southern, Linda Darnell, James Ellison, Jean Rogers, Lynn Bari, June Gale, Joyce Compton, Elsa herself, John Halliday, Katharine Aldridge, Alan Dinehart, and Sidney Blackmer, under the direction of comedian Gregory Ratoff. Darryl F. Zanuck was in charge of production.

Clemenceau, then premier, openly accused him of plotting with the Rhineland Germans.

The German separatists even went so far as to issue a declaration of independence which wound up with "long live the Rhineland Republic!"

But that was as far as they got. One freezing February morning in 1924, in the little town of Pirmasens just a gunshot distance from the Saar border, a group of citizens called on the separatists at their headquarters and ordered them to vacate. They refused and the citizens went away.

#### Stopped By Mob

Late that afternoon, however, they returned—with reinforcements. This time they were well armed with German military equipment. Again they ordered the republicans to vacate and again came a refusal. Whereupon the mob saturated the building with gasoline and set it on fire.

Then, as the separatists ran out of the flaming building the mob shot them down. The massacre lasted for more than an hour. It is said not one escaped.

"The French," the mob muttered as it left the smoking ruins "will be next."

Whether Poincare, Foch, Mangin and the rest were right will never be known. An independent Rhineland republic might or might not have prevented this war.

Anyway, the Germans once more are at war with France, as Poincare and Foch said would one day be the case, and again the French are trying to Jimmy the Saar "window" so they can break through into the Rhineland.

For a thousand years, with the exception of two breaks, the Saar basin has been German. In only one spot, Sarrlois, is French influence pronounced, and that is more noticeable in the architecture than in the people.

Louis XIV extended his influence in this direction after the Thirty Year War in 1648. He razed a village then on the site (1680) and ordered his great fortress-builder, Vauban, to lay out Sarrlois, the city which still bears his name.

#### Napoleon III Failed

Later Napoleon added the rest of

the Saar to his holdings. But when the first treaty of Paris was drawn, after Napoleon had been exiled to Elba, the tri-color of France was hauled down everywhere save for Sarrlois, Saarbrücken and a tiny strip on the right bank where French and Germans are fighting now. Even this was lost after Waterloo.

During the Franco-Prussian war, Napoleon III made another thrust at the Saar. A division of his troops clashed at Saarbrücken with the soldiers of Kaiser Wilhelm's grandfather. It, too, was the first engagement of the war and Napoleon won. But four days later, on the heights of Spicheren immediately to the south, the Prussians won, and did not stop until their king was crowned emperor of Versailles.

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intelligence officer told me they could have marched into the Rhineland via the Saar last September. Now, of course, it will not be so easy.

The Siegfried Line, he told me, was not ready for war a year ago, and was especially weak in the Saar. It was the newest part of the line, and it takes many months for 15 feet of solid concrete to dry. Until it dries it is easily crumbled by high explosives.

For four or five years after the World War, while the armies of occupation were still on the Rhine, a highly-placed group of Frenchmen hoped it might still be possible to set up a Rhineland republic as a buffer state between France and Germany.

#### Remembered Invasion

President Poincare and Marshal Foch were of this group. Twice since 1870 the Germans had invaded France by that route.

General Mangin, French commander of the troops of occupation, a-

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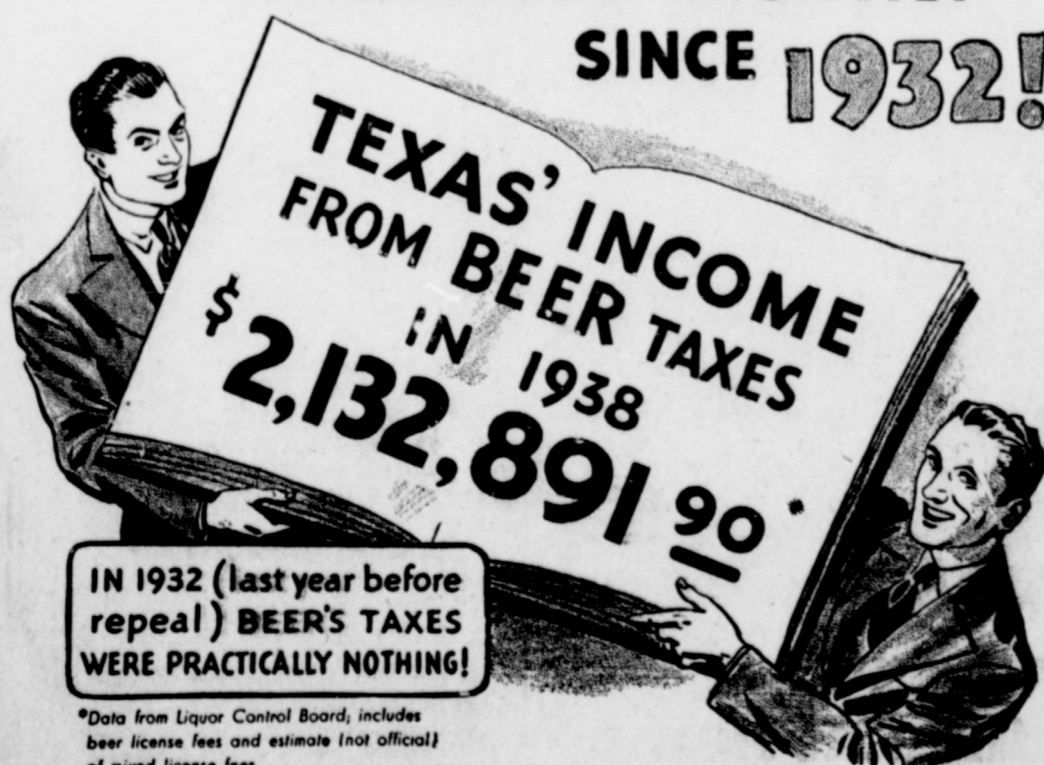
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CLARENDON, TEXAS

Statement of Condition at the close of business Oct. 2, 1939

#### ASSETS

Loans and Discounts	\$188,962.53
Overdrafts	279.40
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	12,063.00
Other Real Estate	3,051.50
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	1,650.00
State of Texas and School Warrants	10,086.28
Customers Bonds Deposited	7,600.00
Wheat Producers Notes	\$ 5,112.72
United States & Federal	
Land Bank Securities	28,593.75
Cash & Due from Banks	58,091.71
	91,798.18

Total ..... \$315,490.89

#### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	8,524.71
Customers Bonds Deposited	7,600.00
DEPOSITS	249,366.18

Total ..... \$315,490.89

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**NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE**  
(STATE OF TEXAS)  
(COUNTY OF DONLEY)

By virtue of an execution issued at the Justice Court of Precinct Number Two, of Donley County, Texas, on a Judgment in said Court the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1939, in favor of R. Y. King, and against the City Gas Company, a partnership imposed of J. A. Upham, S. P. Upham, Mabelle Upham and Harriett Upham, in the cause of R. Y. King against City Gas Company, Number 23, on the Docket in such Court, I do on the 30th day of September, A. D. 1939, at 4 o'clock P. M., levy upon the following described real property in the County of Donley, State of Texas, as the property of the City Gas Company, a partnership imposed of J. A. Upham, S. P. Upham, Mabelle Upham and Harriett Upham, to wit:-  
Levy upon all gas pipe within the city limits of the City of Clarendon, Donley County, Texas, owned by the City Gas Company a partnership imposed of J. A. Upham, S. P. Upham, Mabelle Upham and Harriett Upham, jointly and severally; and

on the 7th day of November A. D. 1939, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county. I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash all of the right, title and interest of the said City Gas Company as a partnership, and of J. A. Upham, S. P. Upham, Mabelle Upham and Harriett Upham individually and severally, in and to said property.  
Dated at Clarendon, Texas, this the 4th day of October 1939.  
C. HUFFMAN  
Constable, of Precinct No. 2  
Donley County, Texas. (34-c)  
Travis Lively of Pampa visited Waldron Melton Sunday.  
Miss Frances Tidwell of the Corn Valley school spent the week end here with Miss Emma Ayers.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. M. "Dusty" Taylor of Vernon visited relatives and friends here Sunday, and attended the singing convention.

**ASHTOLA**  
Nancy Miller

Mrs. Molly Scoggins returned home last week from a visit to her brother, Mr. John Potter at Midway.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dewey visited their daughter, Floydell, who is attending West Texas State College, Sunday.  
Mrs. Ray Norman and son, James and Sammy, of Amarillo spent the week end in the home of her sister, Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey.  
Miss Mildred Barker of Windy Valley spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Doyce Graham.  
Mr. and Mrs. Buster Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen, all of Dalhart, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Allen.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henson and family returned to their home in Hollis, Okla. Sunday after spending a week with the former's brother, Mr. Grady Henson and family.  
Miss Dial spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey, as she was returning to her home in Cleburne.  
Mrs. Dozier recently returned to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Lucille Hill, after spending the summer at Mineral Wells.  
Miss Velma Johnson of Borger spent the week end with Miss Margaret Hill.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Marvin Warren visited in Pampa and Lefors Sunday.

**A War Prayer**

The other day we came across a piece of writing by Mark Twain which was written in 1905, but remained, at the author's request unpublished for some time after his death. It was finally published in 1933, twenty-three years after the great American author died. This piece of writing was a war prayer, possibly inspired by the Russo-Japanese war which was going on at the time it was written.  
Explanatory of this prayer, Twain said, "I have told the truth in that prayer, but only dead men are entitled to tell the truth in this world. It can be published after I am dead."  
We were impressed deeply by the fierce hatred that the author has combined with deep despondency. There is hopelessness there, and dread and fear. The prayer is an awful thing—the power of its language enough to turn the stoutest heart against war. It reads:  
"Oh Lord, our God, help us to tear their youth to bloody shreds with our shells; help us to cover their smiling fields with the pale forms of their patriot dead; help us to drown the thunder of their guns with the moans of their wounds, writhing in pain, help us to lay waste their humble homes with a hurricane of fire; help us to wring the hearts of their widows with unavailing grief; help us to turn them out roofless with their little children to wander unfriended through the wastes of their desolated land in rags and hunger and thirst, sport of the sun flames of summer, and the ice winds of winter, broken in spirit worn with travel, imploring Thee for the refuge of the grave and denied it—for their sakes who adore Thee, Lord blast their hopes, protract their bitter pilgrimage, make heavy their steps, water their way with tears, stain the white snow with the blood of their wounded feet; we ask of One who is the spirit of love, and Who is the ever faithful refuge and friend of all that are sore beset and seek His aid with humble and contrite hearts. Grant our prayer, Oh Lord, and thine shall be the praise and honor and glory, now and forever. Amen."  
We have plenty of proof today that Mark Twain has told the truth. There

**VACATIONS HERE AND THERE**

Among those most happy to have their vacations safely terminated are the Americans who have returned from abroad. A militaristic setting is no place in which to enjoy a respite. The old U. S. A. just looks pretty good to those who were in Europe during the early days of the present strife and turmoil.  
Of course, life in America is bound to be affected by war even though official Washington succeeds in steering a course of genuine neutrality. Men in one part of the world cannot murder each other in a frenzied manner without having repercussions of their brutal conduct spread far and wide.  
It is the good fortune of the United States, nevertheless, to possess a degree of international isolation making possible a considerable amount of freedom from organized brutality. People who have just ended pleasant vacations in this country should have gained a most forceful index to democracy's blessings.

**JACK COUNTY ORIGINATED 4-H CLUB IDEA WAY BACK IN 1907**

Setting at rest all doubt about who, when and where the first 4-H Club started, Tom M. Marks of Hollis, Oklahoma "takes pen in hand" in a special article produced herewith. Tom Marks was the man who started the club.  
Mr. Marks writes:  
"In a recent issue of The Dallas News I read an article that claimed that the 4-H Club movement grew out of a corn club organized by Will B. Otwell of Illinois in 1899. This statement is not correct. The present 4-H Club grew out of a corn club that was organized in Jack County, Texas, in 1907. The idea was born through a miserable failure.  
The citizens of Jacksboro, in order to foster Dr. Knapp's plan for the South to grow its own feed, promoted a corn show by the men. Only three men brought in corn. In discussing this failure with three men who had been invited to make speeches at the corn show, one of the speakers said: "You can't teach an old dog new tricks." I was one of the men discussing this matter and I replied, "Then, next year, we will try the young dogs. We will have a corn show by the boys."  
This met with enthusiastic approval of the three speakers and also the three farmers who had brought in corn. Rules and methods were worked out that evening by the six men, and we began at once to organize. Seed corn was furnished to 300 boys for the crop of 1908 and we had a big corn show that fall. Dr. Knapp requested a complete report on how it was organized, rules, etc. This was mimeographed by Dr. Knapp and a copy sent to each of his 176 agents and all of them organized these corn clubs. These rules were used until 1910 when O. B. Martin became national club leader, and changed Corn and Tomato Clubs to 4-H Clubs.  
Mr. Martin stated in a letter to the late W. D. Bentley: "When I went to Washington I scoured the country for any evidence connecting the 4-H Club with previous organizations, and all had ceased to exist." In Mr. Martin's book, The Demonstration Work, he gives full credit to Tom M. Marks of Jacksboro, Texas, for organizing the first corn club which grew into the 4-H Club of today. Over thirty men have claimed to have been the originator of this idea, and probably a great many organized the rural youth into clubs, maybe a hundred or even a thousand years ago, but none of them had any connection with the 4-H Club of today."  
Mrs. R. E. Pyeatt and three sons of Amarillo spent the week end here visiting her sisters, Mrs. John Naylor and Mrs. Henry Melton.  
Lawrence Heckman and Bud Stevens of Pampa spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heckman and saw the football game.  
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## SECOND CONVENTION OF EXES TO BE HELD IN NOVEMBER

The second annual reunion of old Clarendon College 'exes' has tentatively been set for November 10-11, according to local officials of the organization effected here last year.

The program is said to include open house and registrations the first day, with chapel the following morning and luncheon at noon. Debates between the "Adds and Pans" Saturday night will recall the mental sparks that flew when the defunct school was at its height.

Mrs. C. C. Broughton and Leonard King of Childress will have charge of debates. Ralph E. Randel of Panhandle and Wayland Weathered of Pampa will have charge of the chapel exercises.

Some two hundred were in attendance here last year. It is believed that the number will reach five hundred this November.

At this point Melton used a spinner which forged into an off tackle play, and worked his way across the goal line. The try for point was blocked, but Grady recovered and ran across for the extra point.

The Fourth quarter was completely dominated by the Bronchos, with a last minute aerial attack by the Mustangs being stopped when Hartzog intercepted a Wheeler pass in the closing seconds of the game. Although interspersed with fumbles and penalties, the game was hard fought with a great Broncho line stubbornly refusing to give ground to their adversaries.

Outstanding for the opposition were Johnston, Stephens, Groves and Pendleton.

### STARTING LINE-UP

Clarendon		Wheeler	
Name	Position	Name	Position
McWhorter	LE	Weekes	LT
Lumpkin	LT	Young	LG
Bulls	LG	Pendleton	C
Huffman (Capt.)	C	Wright	RG
Gibbs	RG	Farmer	RT
Hermesmyer	RT	Adams	RE
Spier	RE	Johnston	Q
Hartzog	Q	Groves	LH
Grady	LH	Compton	FB
Allison	FB	Emler	RH
Gordon	RH	Stephens	

Substitutes for Clarendon: Melton, R. Grehr, Morrow, B. Grehr, Johnson.

### VISIT IN ARKANSAS

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Haile returned Wednesday from a week's visit with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Byrum Haile at El Reno, Oklahoma, and their daughter, Mrs. Verdie Harrington and children at Rogers, Arkansas. Mr. Haile reported an enjoyable trip with no casualties, but said it was dry all the way.

## BRONCHOS

linquished the ball. The half ended scoreless.

The second half opened with Clarendon kicking to the Wheeler 25 yard line. The Mustangs found the going too stiff and punted to the Broncho 31 yard line. The Bronchos made some nice yardage before punting back to the Wheeler boys. The Mustangs found some nice gains through the air. At this point they were forced to punt which went out of bounds on the Clarendon 5 yard line. The Bronchos punted out of danger, and the Mustangs took over but made very little yardage. At this point of the game Clarendon started a victory march. Featuring Melton and Grady, the Bronchos reeled off three first downs to the Mustang 32 yard line.

## REV. T. Z. CAGLE DIED TODAY IN ABILENE

Many will recall meeting the kindly old gentleman who visited with his brother, the late W. P. Cagle here on occasions. This fine old man passed away today at his home in Abilene. He was an uncle of Mrs. John M. Bass and Mrs. Van Kennedy.

Mrs. Kennedy was unable to go to Abilene due to the illness of her daughter, Dorothy Ann, who had an appendectomy in Adair hospital this morning.

## Contracts For Soil Conservation Soon

The county A.C.A. office is preparing at the present time to begin signing applications for 1939 Agricultural Conservation payments within the near future. Considerable work is necessary before signatures can be accepted, but in all probability the local office will be ready to begin accepting signatures within the next week or 10 days. You will notice that this is beginning some two months earlier than in the past which will make it possible for payments to be received in the county considerably earlier. Although Parity payments were made at a very rapid rate by the State Office this year, Conservation payments cannot be expected to be made at this rapid rate due to the fact that a great deal more calculation is necessary in regard to Conservation payments before they can be paid.

At the present time only applications on those farms which have carried out enough Soil Building practices to earn 100% payment on the farm can be submitted to the State Office. On farms where all the Soil Building practices have not been carried out or will not be carried out in 1939, the applications must be held until a later date. A report on the Soil Building practice that you have earned on your farm in 1939 will be mailed to you from the County Office just as soon as possible and your prompt attention to the report asked for will enable the county office to complete the calculation and checking on your farm and thereby assist the local office in preparing your application for submission to the State Office at an earlier date.

Miss Dortha Watson is visiting in Lubbock.

Mrs. Florence Hvass of Lubbock is visiting relatives here this week.

## FRIDAY & SATURDAY SPECIALS

SPUDS Red or White 10 lbs. .... .19

PINTO BEANS 7 lbs. .... 50c  
3 lbs. .... .25

FLOUR PERRYTON 48 lbs. .... \$1.25  
24 lbs. .... .68  
CARNATION 48 lbs. .... \$1.55  
24 lbs. .... .79

APPLE BUTTER Quart Mason Jar ..... .15

SALAD DRESSING Fresh made  
Quart ..... .21

Coffee White Swan  
Maxwell House  
Folgers  
Schillings  
1 lb ..... .29

SUGAR 25 lbs. Domino ..... \$1.65  
10 lbs. Bulk ..... .65

MILK Pet or Carnation  
3 tall or 6 small ..... .23

CORN No. 2 cans  
TOMATOES 3 for ..... .25  
SPINACH  
HOMINY

SYRUP Staley's Golden  
Gallon ..... .59

SOAP P & G-6 Bars ..... .23

APPLES Jonathan-10 lbs. .... 29c  
Winesap-10 lbs. .... .32

## PIGGLY WIGGLY

## THESE PRICES FOR FRIDAY & SATURDAY

ORANGES—small size 12c  
Sweet and Juicy—per dozen

CELERY, large Colorado—per stalk 12c

BEANS Marco, Mexican style, med. can—3 for ... 25c  
Marco, Whole string, Asp. style, No. 2 can ... 15c

PEAS, Brimfull, No. 2 cans—2 for ... 28c

ONIONS, Spanish Sweet—4 lb for ... 10c

CRANBERRIES—per Quart ..... 19c

MACARONI or Spaghetti 35c  
Gooch's Best—2 lb Box ..... 18c 2 boxes for ...

CORN KIX 25c  
(Cream pitcher free)—2 pkgs. for

CRACKERS, fresh salted—2 lb Box 15c

HONEY Texas Extracted—5 lb Bucket ..... 49c  
10 lb Bucket ..... 89c

Shortening Swifts Jewel—4 lb Carton ..... 45c  
8 lb Carton ..... 85c

BAKING POWDER—Dairy Maid 23c  
(Berry Bowl Free)—Large Can

TAMALES, Marco—med. Can ..... 10c

COFFEE—White Swan 29c  
Any size Can—per lb

PEANUTS—fresh roasted 13c  
15 oz. Cello Bag

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## To The Donley County Tax Payers:

Your 1939 State and County Taxes were due on the First day of October, 1939, and can be paid any time after that date up to and including January 31st, 1940, without penalty or interest.

The new law will allow a discount on 1939 taxes if paid during October, November or December as follows:

- 3% discount if paid in October, 1939
- 2% discount if paid in November, 1939
- 1% discount if paid in December, 1939
- No discount if paid in January, 1940

Penalty and Interest added February 1st, 1940

Above discount applies to State, County, Lelia Lake and Hedley School taxes. No discount allowed on Poll Tax.

The split payment is still in effect whereby the First half of your taxes can be paid in October or November and the balance carried to June 30th, without penalty or interest. If the taxes are divided as above no discount will be allowed on the First half payment.

Another new law went into effect on the First day of October, 1939, The Certificate of Title Law. It is unlawful to offer for sale or trade any Motor Vehicle without first obtaining a Certificate of Title to same. Application for title is to be made at the office of the Tax Collector of the county of your residence.

## J. W. ADAMSON

TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR, DONLEY COUNTY