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MILLION DOLLAR RAIN REVIVES COUNTY

Thirteen Year Old Boy Killed By Lightning Bolt Here Saturday

MOISTURE RANGES FROM 3.2 TO 7 INCHES HERE

DEVASTATING DROUGHT IS BROKEN WHEN DOWNPOUR COOLS HOT DRY WINDS

A million dollar rain falling generally over the Panhandle gave new life to Donley County farm and range land when 3.92 to 7 inches of moisture was received in this territory this week. Heavy downpours this morning interspersed with light showers were estimated to measure at least an inch. The hardest fall, however, was believed to have been in the west and north portion of the county with black clouds rolling from southwest to northeast.

The precipitation broke a devastating drought which had held on for over two weeks when high, hot winds sucked all moisture from early plants and range grass and drifting sand ground or smothered small shoots.

Although many farmers report the moisture came too late to save their crops the seasoning affords an opportunity to replant with cotton or feed stuffs. Withering grass and rapidly drying stock tanks had caused widespread alarm among the county's ranchers.

Showers in some parts of the county Monday gave this section its first respite from the withering heat that had held the mercury well over to 100 degree mark for several days. The high point of the temperature came Friday when the year's high of 112 was recorded. The thermometer dropped to 95 Tuesday and was a pleasant 83 yesterday.

Clarendon and vicinity received the lightest rainfall when 2.45 inches, 47 of an inch and 1 inch was recorded Tuesday, Wednesday and today. The Hedley territory reported around three inches south of town and growing heavier northward.

Lelia Lake reported a downpour of from 4 to 7 inches, estimated with varied reports of torrential showers in the Goldston and Naylor communities. Southward from Clarendon in the Chamberlain Community the precipitation was reported "ideal". The western part of the county was also thoroughly soaked. Flood stage was reached in only a narrow strip as far as could be learned last night. Following an estimated seven inches of rainfall, water went over terraces on the H. K. Leathers and B. S. Ballew farms near Lelia Lake.

23 YEAR OLD GOLF RECORD BROKEN BY BILLIE COOKE

MARKS UP 65 TO WIN FLAG TOURNAMENT AT HILLCROFT SUNDAY

With a 23-year record breaking 65, seven strokes under perfect figures, Billie Cooke Sunday captured top honors in the Hillcroft Golf Club flag tournament.

Cooke with a handicap of 76 finished the regulation 18 holes with 11 strokes to his credit and after a 4-6 one and two, hit his tee shot into the trap fronting No. 3 green where he planted his flag.

The 18-year-old shot maker's 65 was two strokes better than the present record of 67, held by a number of local golfers, and is one stroke better than the all time records set jointly by Boney Bonebrak, outstanding pro, and Elliott Hatch, formerly of Amarillo. Both 66's were shot before the course was changed.

The card:
Par out 4 5 4-3 5 3-4 4 4 3 6
Cooke 3 6 3-3 4 3-3 3 3 31
Par in 4 5 4-3 5 3-4 4 4 36 72
Cooke 3 5 4-3 4 3-4 4 4 34 65

Ex-Presidents Honor Secretary



Sam P. Harben, who has rounded out thirty-one years as secretary of the Texas Press Association, was the recipient of a beautiful scroll, presented to him on the occasion of the recent meeting of the Texas Press Association at Lubbock. The scroll was inscribed and presented by living ex-presidents commending him upon his success in building up the Texas Press Association.

Plans For Greater Fourth of July Celebration Go Forward This Week

Clarendon citizens will take to the road Tuesday and Wednesday of next week for a swing around the immediate territory to boost the fifty-fourth Fourth of July celebration.

Ralph Andis and Allen Bryan, trip committee, announce the schedule complete and efforts are being made to secure the largest delegation in the history of local booster trips.

The high school band will present numbers at each stop and other forms of entertainment are being arranged.

A slight change in the day's program was announced this week with additional attractions billed for the rodeo which will be held both afternoon and night at Broncho Park. Besides the regular rodeo program of calf roping, ribbon roping, bronc riding, wild cow milking, steer riding etc., novelty entertainment features will be added.

LOCAL R. A. MASONS CHOOSE CHAPTER OFFICERS FRIDAY

Officers for the Royal Arch Chapter No. 116 R. A. M. and the Council of Royal and Select Masters No. 152, R & S. M., were elected at a meeting of local Mason at the Lodge hall Friday night.

Named as officers of the Royal Arch Chapter were William E. Hardin, High Priest; Homer Mulkey, King; W. C. Slater, scribe; W. H. Patrick, treasurer; R. C. Weatherly, secretary.

Elected to head the Council of Royal and Select Masters were Elmer Palmer, T. I. M.; Joe Horn D. T. I. M.; Nollie Simmons, P. C. of W.; Homer Mulkey, C. of C.; W. H. Patrick, treasurer; R. C. Weatherly, recorder; Heckle Stark, Steward; E. R. Andis, sentinel.

Carl Pearson and family of Elida, New Mexico were here for the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Arlie Wood.

MOVEMENT HERE TO LEARN WHY FSA LEFT DONLEY OUT

ELIGIBLE COUNTIES FOR FARM PURCHASE FAILS TO INCLUDE DONLEY

In the face of an effort which was considered well on the way to success, when the list of counties for FSA purchase of farms for worthy farmers was released in Washington, Donley County was not included as anticipated.

This omission brought a roar of resentment from chamber of commerce officials here this week, when that organization through its official board passed a resolution deploring the failure as most "regrettable" and pledging renewed effort to right the wrong done the county.

Donley's rank as a diversified county in the Southwest is so well established that the failure to include her in the official list is all the more glaring, since one of the prime requisites for county eligibility is a soil and climate adapted to diversification.

The feeling is that there may not be many worthy farmers in the county without farms or suitable rental contracts, but there are plenty of farms available for worthy and desirable farmers of other sections who would be glad to settle here provided the government made Donley eligible for the purchase of such farms and settlement as in many of the counties of the Panhandle.

A strong protest will be lodged in Washington in an effort to correct the omission which is prejudicial to the county and to proteges of the FSA.

CONVENTION OF SINGERS HERE BIG AFFAIR

INITIAL PLANS LAID FOR HUGE CONVENTION HERE THIS FALL

Early plans are in the making for the annual Texas-Oklahoma District Singing Convention which meets in Clarendon, Saturday and Sunday, October 7th and 8th, and which will likely draw near ten thousand visitors for the two-day meeting.

At a meeting held here Monday evening, Pres. A. B. Wills of Memphis, J. C. Alewine of Hedley, and Newt Waldron, President of the Donley County Singing Convention, together with Chamber of Commerce officials, preliminary arrangements were made for the big convention, which is expected to draw more folks to Clarendon than any convention has ever drawn.

The Antro Hotel was named as headquarters, and advertising matter was ordered to be distributed throughout the territory in the next few days. The District embraces counties in Texas and Oklahoma in the watershed of the Red River and its tributaries, a territory larger than many states.

Quartettes and singlets from a number of music publishing houses will be here for the convention and each church in the city will likely have one to assist in their song service Sunday morning, October 8th.

Definite site of the convention has not yet been selected. Two hundred rooms for the official delegates will be needed for Saturday night of the convention, and local citizens will be invited in due time to provide beds for the delegates.

Mrs. E. A. Hardin of Dallas, Mrs. Katie Zachary of Pampa, Mrs. Charlie Word of Amarillo, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Butler, and Mrs. Warren Lott of Shreveport, La. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Hamblen in Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hill and son of Haskell have returned to Clarendon to make their home while he is employed by the Clarendon Furniture Store.

City Tax Rate Reduced to 1925 Low of \$1 Per Hundred Valuation

Marking the first time in a fourteen year period, the Clarendon City Commissioners last week set the city tax rate at \$1 per hundred dollar valuation, Mayor T. F. Connally announced today.

Not since 1925 has the rate been so low, Connally advised, adding that during the past 14 years the rate had reached under laws of Texas, the maximum of \$1.50 per hundred.

Refinancing recently of \$18,000 in water bonds, whereby the interest rate was cut from 5 to 3 1/2 per cent, was given as the

major step in reducing the rate. The interest reduction resulted in an approximate saving of \$270 annually.

Another important factor in the rate cut was the disposition of \$10,000 accumulated in the sinking fund. Much of this money will be paid on bond and interest obligations allowing a much cheaper key rate on valuations.

A fly in the financial ointment, however, is the fact that city valuations dropped from \$1,664,000 to \$1,620,000. This represents a drop of \$44,000 over a one year period.

LIONS LEARN OF HOAXES AND OF THEIR ORIGIN

CLUB PROGRAM DEVOTED TO HISTORIC HOAXES PRACTICED ON NATION

Members of the Clarendon Lions Club know something of the history and origin of certain hoaxes that have caught the nation off guard in days past.

Lion Dude Gentry assigned several notable incidents of that variety to Lions Penick, Chase, Drennan, Gillham and read one himself to provide a most interesting and instructive program.

The club heard announcements of the advertising tours for the Fourth of July celebration and rodeo on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 27-28, and ordered all attendances of members counted if they were on the trip Tuesday June 27.

Announcement was also made about the Pampa-Borger highway dedication and luncheon with the members of the state highway commission Friday, June 23rd and a large attendance of Clarendon men was urged.

BARN LEVELED BY FIRE AFTER HIT BY LIGHTNING

Ignited by a bolt of lightning, a barn on the C. B. Morris farm southeast of Clarendon, was leveled by fire late Saturday afternoon at an estimated \$600 loss.

Arthur Davis, who is farming the place, was milking near the barn when the bolt struck but was unharmed by the fire until he was notified by J. M. Cornell, a neighbor.

The structure was valued at approximately \$400 and around 10 tons of feed in the building was valued at close to \$200. The feed belonged to W. K. Davis, former owner of the place, and Mrs. C. B. Morris.

VICTIM FOUND IN PASTURE AFTER LETHAL FLASH

BOY WAS SENT FOR COW; WORRIED FATHER LOCATES THE LIFELESS BODY

Ovell Davis, 13, was killed instantly late Saturday afternoon when he was struck by a bolt of lightning.

The lad, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tullis Davis, was found dead by his father on the south part of the Clarendon golf course where he had gone for a pastured cow. He was badly burned and one sole of a shoe was loosened by the bolt.

Mr. Davis, the father, played the time of death at around 7 o'clock. He said he had sent the boy for the cow and when Mrs. Davis became worried he had gone in search.

The Davis' live on the Cantelou old farm just south of the golf course. They are neighbors of Pink Rogers and the boy watched the cow at the Rogers' trough nightly.

Mr. Davis believed the lad had started to the Rogers place with the cow when the lethal lightning flash occurred. He said the boy had been away from home about thirty minutes and Mrs. Davis had become worried.

Substantiating his belief, Davis pointed out that the cow had been loosened from the stake where she had been secured during the day.

A 20-foot rope leading from the halter and attached to a chain which the boy probably held, accounted for the fact the cow was uninjured, he stated.

"I left the house and about 100 yards away I saw the cow grazing. I knew something was wrong so I hurried as fast as I could. Pretty soon I saw Ovell lying on the ground."

Continuing, Mr. Davis said he picked the body up and ran to the road where he met Avis Rogers who made a futile trip for a physician.

Funeral services were held at the First Methodist Church in Clarendon Monday morning at 10 o'clock. The Rev. H. C. Gordon, assisted by the Rev. J. Perry King officiated.

Classmates of the child acted as pall bearers and interment was in the Citizens cemetery of Clarendon.

Ovell Davis was born in Foreman, Arkansas, October 30, 1925. He had lived in Donley County since the family moved here in 1931. They had resided in Clarendon for about 2 years.

Besides his parents, the boy is survived by two brothers, Odell and Arvis and one sister, Glenda Sue, all of Clarendon.

JUDGE KING TO TRY FOR THIRD TIME IN GAS RATE FIGHT

SUIT AGAINST CITY GAS COMPANY IS Docketed FOR NEXT MONDAY

Successful on two previous occasions, County Judge R. Y. King will again go into court Monday seeking recovery on what he claims is overcharge on natural gas bills.

The suit filed in Justice of the Peace W. A. Davis' court, alleges the City Gas Company has billed and collected an excessive amount of \$10.48 over a period covering approximately 18 months.

King charges that he has paid on a base rate of 70 cents per thousand cubic feet whereas the justifiable rate is 60 cents per thousand cubic feet.

The firey attorney cited the franchise, issued to the company in 1927, calling for a 10 cent rate reduction after a period of 10 years. The company failed to meet the contract provision, due in June, 1937, claiming a city ordinance in 1933, demanding a 50 cent per thousand cubic rate rendered the writ invalid.

In a statement this week, King declared "I am going to file these suits as long as the City Gas Company continues charging me 70 cents per thousand cubic feet."

Headon Collision Damages Two Cars On Highway 370

Two cars were heavily damaged but no one was injured Saturday afternoon in a headon collision four miles west of Ashtola on Highway 370.

W. E. Hodges, Donley County farmer, was the driver of one of the automobiles. The other car was registered in California.

Hodges was enroute to Clarendon when the accident occurred. The right front wheels, fenders and lights were smashed on both vehicles.

Fourth of July Booster Trip Schedule

Leave	Tuesday, June 27	Arrive
Clarendon 8 a. m.		Goodnight 8:35
Goodnight 8:45		Claude 9:00
Claude 9:15		Amarillo 9:45
Amarillo 10:45		Panhandle 11:15
Panhandle 11:35		Borger 12 noon
Borger 1:30 p.m.		Pampa 2:00
Pampa 3:00		White Deer 3:30
White Deer 4:00		Groom 4:30
Leave	Wednesday, June 28	Arrive
Clarendon 8 a. m.		Alanreed 8:45
Alanreed 9:00		McLean 9:15
McLean 10:15		Shamrock 10:35
Shamrock 11:35		Wellington 12 noon
Wellington 1:30 p.m.		Childress 2:00
Childress 3:00		Estelline 3:15
Estelline 3:30		Memphis 3:45
Memphis 4:45		Hedley 5:00
Hedley 5:15		Lelia Lake 5:20

HIWAY COMMISSION TO BE HONORED BY PAMPA BANQUET

LOCAL COUNTY COURT AND OTHER DELEGATES TO ATTEND DINNER

A Clarendon delegation will attend a banquet at the Pampa High School gymnasium Friday night honoring the Texas Highway Commission the state highway engineer and other officials.

The banquet will be a part of the twin-city celebration planned by Pampa and Borger in connection with the formal opening of the paved road connecting the two cities. The commission will be guests of Borger at a luncheon to be held there Friday noon which several of the local delegation will also attend.

Expected as delegates from here are County Judge R. Y. King, County Commissioners T. H. Hermesmeier and G. G. Reeves and several of the chamber of Commerce highway committee and members of the Highway 88-18 North-South association.

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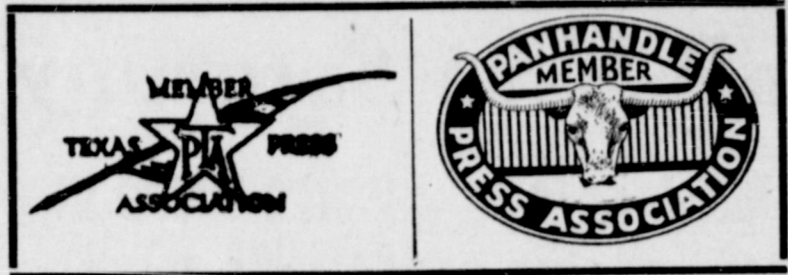
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PLENTY OF GOOD SEATS AT CLARENDON'S FOURTH OF JULY RODEO

Many rodeos in the West are staged in such temporary quarters that oftentimes no seating comforts are possible for the patrons of this time-honored entertainment of the cattle country. Usually one must stand to see the fun, unless fortunate enough to jockey the automobile into a sight-seeing position.

Plenty of good seats will be available at Clarendon's Fourth of July Rodeo up at Broncho Park, and our cash customers can have comforts really equal to the best in this area. Then, at the night performance under the lights, open air conditioning will be at its best for the viewing of the Panhandle's Rodeo Supreme for the 1939 season.

WEST TEXANS SHOULD NOT DESPAIR

With the torrid winds of the past two weeks, and the lack of rain that made them possible, there was the usual tendency in West Texas for its people to despair of the crop outlook for the year.

Remembering the past we West Texans should not be so ready to fold-up in the face of adverse crop conditions this early in the year. Only last week this editor heard an old-timer here in the Panhandle say that in his experience of more than a quarter of a century, even in the best years, there was always at least one period when it appeared the crop was absolutely ruined.

Intending to write this editorial early in the week, when we got down to the task on Tuesday, rain had already reached our section, with a lot more in prospect. News reports from a large area of the North Plains and in parts of our own county bring the heartening news that one of the best wheat crops in years is being harvested.

No—we shouldn't despair. On the other hand we should go forward confidently in the hope of 1939 being one of the best years we have known in the past decade. We will profit by such an attitude.

WHY WONDER ABOUT THE RIGHT WAY OF LIFE

Time was when everything of major importance was accepted without question. People went to church because they considered it their duty. Now the world is asking, why go to church? Time was that going to school was taken for granted. A lot of young people are asking now, why get an education when so many college graduates are out of jobs? Time was when most young men looked either to the farm or the business house as a certain means of livelihood, and future independence. Now they are asking, why go into business when 93 per cent of all business people eventually fail; and the government has to help the farmer make a living? Most young people have one idea: get hold of a car, drive like hades, have a swell time, and let the government look after you in old age. Living under these cockeyed conditions of the past few years has made most people wonder just which way is the right way. But after all, straight living, honesty, thrift and economy will win, regardless of what may happen in between times.—Canyon News.

"AND THE RAINS CAME—"

Without the storm usually accompanying June down-pours in this area, the wonderful rain of Tuesday and Tuesday night brought near three inches of moisture to give Donley and neighboring counties renewed hopes of cotton and feed crops for this Fall. What a blessing the gentle rains were!

TWO STRIKES ON HIM BEFORE HE GOES TO BAT



JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"Don't Strike Your Sister. Don't You Know You'll Break That Doll?"

PATIENCE NO LONGER A VIRTUE

Among many slights Clarendon and Donley County has received at the hands of the government through the lack of consideration on the part of bureau heads, and those who assume to dictate the federal policies here in the Panhandle, is the failure to certify Donley County for the purchase of farm homes for deserving and worthy farm families.

There is hardly a person who knows the Panhandle who will not agree that Donley County is the best diversified county from an agricultural stand-point in the entire area, yet in spite of this fact and in spite of what efforts have been made to include Donley in the list of eligible farm purchase counties, the list comes out with Donley again left off.

The continued recurrence of this sort of thing cannot have been just a "happen so", and sooner or later the evidence is going to be made public of just whose blame it is. Donley County people are co-operative and considerate. They do not want what is not rightfully and logically theirs, but patience has indeed ceased to be a virtue about these continued slights on the part of those who control federal benefits in the Panhandle country.

When Donley's dander is up—and the guilty party or parties known—there's going to be a "hot time in the old town" that will stir the entire Panhandle country.

GOVERNMENT COMPETITION IN BUSINESS

One reason why government competition in business is so hurtful is that when the government arrives at the end of the year with a deficit it merely asks Congress for a deficiency appropriation which the owners of competing private business help pay. When private business arrives at the end of the year in an insolvent condition it cannot call upon Congress for a deficiency appropriation. It must close its doors.—Herald, West Union, West, Va.

NOBODY'S BUSINESS

By JUDAH CAPERS JR.

AUSTIN.—The people of Texas won another notable victory over the special interests and Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel, when the House of Representatives rejected for the sixth time the lobby-inspired sales tax constitutional amendment last week end. With adjournment set for Wednesday, June 21, the opinion of best informed observers here, as this column is being written over the week-end, was that the plan to freeze a \$50,000,000 tax program into the Constitution was finally dead. Proponents, led by Ely Thornton of Galveston, gave notice they would seek once more before adjournment to suspend the rules and reconsider House defeat of the constitutional sales tax plan, but in view of the fact that proponents lost strength on the latest attempt, most observers here gave them only an outside chance. Preponderance among informed opinion was the session would end with no taxation legislation.

Worn by the long session, both House and Senate set a precedent by adjourning until Monday, after the Thursday vote in the House. This automatically doomed all bills not already out of committees, and also spelled death for many measures on the calendars of both houses, as special rules went into effect.

Senate Passes Fair Trades Act—The senate filibuster which has blocked passage of the so-called "fair trades act" sponsored by Senator Franklin Spears, and financed by out-of-state manufacturers and wholesalers finally broke down, and the bill sailed through the senate to final passage. The House quickly concurred in Senate amendments, and sent it to Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel, who is expected to ask Attorney General Gerald Mann for an opinion before signing or vetoing it. O'Daniel pledged his support to such a law during the campaign but later indicated, in a speech at Houston that he didn't favor it, so, as usual, observers were in a quandary as to what he might do with it.

Source of some of the heavy pressure which has been put on in Austin for the bill was revealed as it went through, as coming from the whiskey interests. The set-up for distribution of liquor in the United States is widely different from that which existed before prohibition. Today, most liquor is distributed through wholesale drug organizations, and in Texas, much of the retailing of liquor is through retail drugstores. The national wholesale chains have been controlling retail prices on liquor in Texas for more than a year, by means of an agreement among themselves, under which they supply liquor re-

tailers with a "suggested fair price" schedule at which each brand of liquor should be sold at retail. Retailers who violate this "suggested price" schedule find their supply of liquor cut off. Newspapers in the larger cities have aided the scheme, which many lawyers declare is an open violation of the Texas Anti-trust laws, by refusing to accept advertisements from cut price liquor stores which offer liquors at prices lower than the wholesalers' "suggested fair prices". In Texas, millions of dollars worth of liquor is sold through drugstores for "medicinal" purposes in dry territories, and it is amazing what an epidemic of illness prevails in the dry towns on Saturday nights. The liquor folks believe that the "fair trade act" if signed by the Governor, will enable them to control the price of liquor 100 per cent, forcing "cut price" liquor stores into line or out of business, and giving the sanction of law to the present practice which many believe is outside the law.

Senators who voted for the bill on final passage included Aiken, Brownlee, Collie, Graves, Hardin, Hill, Isabell, Kelley, Lanning, Lebens, Martin, Metcalfe, Moffett, Nelson, Roberts, Shivers, Spears, Stone of Galveston, Sulak and Winfield.

Mann Gives Opinion—The opinion of Attorney General Gerald Mann on the road bond indebtedness bill, which was in conference over the week-end, was a severe setback to the group of county judges who have been seeking to "divide up" in cash the surplus in the present bond retirement fund. Mann held the present surplus in that fund created by allocation of one cent of the gasoline tax to retire bonds on highways which have become part of the State road system, is a trust fund, and cannot be diverted to other uses by the legislature. In future, the surplus can be used to retire "dead horse" county lateral road bonds, he held, but the strong lobby which backed the original county judges bill was decidedly more interested in dividing up the cash surplus now in the

fund than in getting something several years in the future. Mann held the money would have to be used in reimbursing the counties for the deficit created on approved State highway bonds in the years before the fund was able to pay these charges in full, before any of it could be diverted to county lateral road bond purposes. Final form of the bill, at this writing, was uncertain until adoption of the conference report.

Minority Saved State Once Before

The action of the minority in the House in blocking the constitutional amendment for a sales tax has good precedent in Texas legislative history. On several occasions small groups have resisted pressure for changes in the constitution in the face of severe criticism. Invariably they have seen their action vindicated and approved by the people. The most recent example was when a \$200,000,000 State bond for road building was proposed, during the Sterling administration. Less than 60 House members blocked it. Today, Texas is virtually without bonded debt (except for a small balance on the bread bonds) while many neighboring States are burdened with millions of dollars of outstanding bonds, usually issued for highway purposes. And State Highway building in Texas has gone forward satisfactorily, paying its way out of current gasoline tax receipts, and furnishing employment to thousands during the bitter depression years.

If Texas is going into the pen- on business on the grand scale indicated by passage of the liberalized pension law, a sales tax may be necessary to pay it. But it probably will be imposed by statute, not by constitutional amendment.

Mrs. Ben Williams of Pampa, daughter of Judge and Mrs. A. T. Cole, underwent a major operation in the Adair Hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morris and daughter Shirley Ann visited Mr. and Mrs. D. Smith Sunday.

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BILL MEARS TAKES CLARENDON 5-PIN TITLE LAST WEEK

OUSTS WILLIAMSON IN FINALS; PAUL SCHULL HIGH QUALIFIER

Chalking up games well above 200, Bill Mears captured the Clarendon City Bowling championship last week with a final win over Gordon Williamson in the finals Thursday night.

Mears was shaky in the qualifying but found his stride in the tournament proper and registered the tourney's high score of 321.

last game with C. M. Ballow, Mears continued his victory march by downing K. Jeffries and Williamson.

Williamson eliminated Marti Kelly in the top bracket and ousted Pud Bain in the Semi Finals. Jeffries was the second flight winner while Bain was champion of the third.

With an average of 254 for three games, Paul Schull, the three-pin expert, won the prize for the high qualifying score.

Rev. G. T. Palmer, district superintendent of the Clarendon district of the Methodist church held the regular quarterly conference for the Wellington Circuit Saturday at the Salt Fork church at 11 o'clock. He preached at McLean Sunday.

Bond Papers at The News.

Investigation Of Old Age Pension Claims Under New Law Delayed Applications For Additional 300

AUSTIN, June 21.—W. A. Little, Director of the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission, stated today that no investigations would be made of applicants for Old Age Assistance under the new Law until a ruling had been secured from the Attorney General's Department, which opinion would serve in formulating policies and procedure of investigation under the liberalized act.

Even after the opinion has been secured, it will be necessary for investigational instructions to be perfected and workers advised as to their use. This will likely require another week or ten days after the Attorney Gen-

eral's Department has officially acted.

Little further stated that registrations had reached about 80,000 for the State as a whole, and it was an admitted fact that under the most favorable circumstances, several months would be required to complete records of investigation and to certify recipients for whatever prorata share of available money might be at hand from month to month.

In the meantime a new plan will be submitted to the Social Security Board at Washington, and their final decision as to the approval or disapproval of the plan is awaited.

SPORTSMAN'S SHOW OPENS NEXT WEEK AT AMARILLO

EXHIBITIONS BY CHAMPS IN SEVERAL SPORTS TO FEATURE PROGRAM

AMARILLO, June 21.—Sportsmen from the entire Tri-State area will take part in the first elaborate sportsman's show ever staged in the West—a one-week event that will have something of interest for everybody.

The Southwest Sportsman's show will be held at the Tri-State Fair Grounds in Amarillo June 26 to July 1 inclusive.

In addition to a huge building packed with interesting exhibits and displays, twice-daily exhibitions will be given by five outdoor sports champions. Ken Wilhelm of Hollywood, champion trick shot archer; L. L. Cline of San Antonio, holder of more medals and awards for pistol and rifle shooting than any other amateur; David Dudlah of Memphis Tennessee, the widely publicized sling-shot champion; Ted Allen of Denver, world's champion horseshoe pitcher, and Jack Lamb of Houston, noted authority on bass casting—these are the champions who will perform daily at the show.

Among the exhibits will be a complete Texas game fish aquarium; the famous San Antonio collection of live game birds; the Southwest's most extensive collection of mounted game trophies; a display of live small game; an outdoor art exhibit, and a score of commercial equipment displays. There will be two continuous motion picture shows, exhibiting film from the library of Field and Stream magazine and the Texas Game Commission. These will be shown in air conditioned theatres.

Outside an artificial lake has been constructed for casting exhibitions and for hunting dog trials. There will be world champion dogs on display in a bench show as well as in field and lake trials.

WHY IS JUNE WEDDING MONTH? IT'S CUSTOM

NEW YORK.—Why, asks one of movieland's leading photographers, do so many girls manage to get married in June?

"Especially when that is the month in which they look their very worst."

And George Toland, who has photographed most of Samuel Goldwyn's important productions shakes his head.

"Her best chance for marriage is in the winter, because then she is far prettier than she ever will be in the summer."

"The winter sun is the most flattering for photographing a girl," says Toland, "for it is then that the light strikes the earth at an angle. This angle produces the effect of filtered light. It tends to soften and sometimes erase wrinkles and skin defects and approaches the flattering quality of candle light, whose properties are well known for enhancing beauty."

"But when summer comes the light rays are straighter and harsher and tend to emphasize blemishes and wrinkles."

"The best month for beauty is November. June is the worst."

Science Editor Howard W. Blakeslee of the Associated Press to Toland:

"Here's the answer: 'Science says girls prefer to marry in June because it is a custom. The custom is too old to trace, but is assumed to have its roots in the broad fact that the glands of animals become more active with the lengthening daylight of springtime. No one has verified a similar activity with human glands, but the custom might have originated in the dim past when humans were closer to nature and their prosperity depended more on the crops which started in springtime.'

MEMPHIS DROPS TO TIE WITH ESTELLINE OUTFIT

Hedley upset the dope Sunday by slugging Memphis for a decisive 17 to 4 defeat to again precipitate Memphis into a tie with Estelline for first place in the Hall County Baseball League.

Gold Enriches Coloring Of Salpiglossis Flowers

Flowers shaped like lilies, of deep crimson, gold, and purple, with every color enriched by conspicuous veining of gold, are borne by the salpiglossis plant.

By no means a new flower, it still is little known, though one of the most beautiful of all the annuals. And while one of the easiest of flowers to grow, some home gardeners say they always fail with it.

To make sure of success, give it a sunny row in the vegetable plot, sow it when you put in the radishes, cultivate it with the hoe and otherwise let it alone. In due time it will reward you with a wealth of beautiful blossoms, withstanding even severe drouth with great endurance.

It does not like to be transplanted, though when plants are well grown in pots they can be transplanted with good results. When sown in company of other plants, it often sulk and refuses to bloom. Apparently it likes sunshine and plenty of room. After growing to a few inches in height it may stand still for many days, but if planted in a place it likes, it will start to grow again and bloom profusely.

Plant breeders have greatly improved the size and color range of the salpiglossis, and have developed strains which flower more freely, and on shorter stems than



Veined and marbled with a glint of gold sparkling through the velvet surface.

the older types. The coloring of the salpiglossis is unique; no other flowers provide the same rich blends of rose, pink, blue, violet, crimson and maroon. The petals have a velvety texture, and they make beautiful decorative arrangements.

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NEW TAILOR SHOP OPENS AT CLARENDON LAUNDRY

A modern cleaning and pressing plant has been installed at the Clarendon Steam Laundry and is now open for business, manager Walter Wilson announced this week.

Tom Helton, a resident of this section for 15-years and who has had a number of years business experience, will manage the cleaning and pressing department. "Everything possible will be done to make our service one of the best in the Panhandle and we sincerely hope local residents will give us a trial," the manager stated.

The Lakeview-Tell game was blown out by a sandstorm. The teams are scheduled for a double header in their next meeting. Estelline out-played Goldston, 16 to 3.

Next Sunday Lakeview will play at Goldston, Tell at Memphis and Hedley at Estelline.

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FOR SALE—Two more used tractors, in good condition. Cleo Woods. — 19-tfc.

FOR SALE—Eight foot, roller bearing Samson Windmill, Thirty foot steel tower, Fifty barrel Cypress Tank, Pipe, Sucker rod and working barrel.—O. C. Watson. — 24-ft.

NEW AND USED LUMBER
See me for used lumber and paints, also 3 built-in bath tubs, lavatories, kitchen sinks, pipe, etc. I can save you money.—J. S. Morgan. Phone 405-J. — 25-pd

FOR SALE: Orchard Fruit. At old Alexander place in Naylor community.—Chas Carter. — 25. 2tp.

CARD OF THANKS

Grateful remembrances of so many acts of sympathy and kindness from our friends and neighbors in the recent illness and death of our dear father, prompts us to find this expression of our sincerest gratitude and appreciation. May a kind Father repay all in kind when sorrow comes, is our prayer.
Sincerely,
E. F. Bryan, Earl Bryan, Regan Bryan, Mrs. W. A. Land, Mrs. Frank Whitlock, Mrs. Buel Sanford.

Tabernacle To Be Built In Honor Of Former Pastor

MEMORIAL TO JOE SMITH TO BE ERRECTED AT CLEVER CREEK
In appreciation of his forty years of service in Shelby County, friends there have started a movement to erect a tabernacle at Clever Creek Church in honor of the Rev. Joe Smith, one time Clarendon Baptist pastor, it was learned this week.
Work on the tabernacle is

FOR SALE—Good gentle work-horse. Wt. over 1200 pounds.—Hugh Brown. — 25-1tp

FOR RENT—Modern furnished apartment. Adults only. —Mrs. H. J. Edington. — 21-tfc.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of thanking all those in Clarendon and Donley County for their kind assistance during our hour of trouble and sorrow.
May we someday, in some way repay your kindness.
—Tullis C. Davis and family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our appreciation for the many acts of sympathy and kindness shown us at the time of the death of our beloved wife, sister and daughter, and for the beautiful floral offerings. May God in His Wisdom bless each one of you in our prayer.
—Arliel Lee Wood, Claudine Pearson, J. T. Pearson and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wood and family.

Last Half of '38 Taxes Due In June

The last half of 1938 taxes for Donley County fall due during the month of June, and if not paid by July 1, will become delinquent, it was announced today by H. B. Kerbow, Deputy Tax Assessor and Collector.
All unpaid 1938 taxes, which were not paid by the half payment plan, become delinquent on February 1, and these bear a penalty of six per cent through June. On July 1, all unpaid taxes take a penalty of eight per cent and draw six per cent interest, plus the redemption costs.
"The penalty and interest is increasing each month, and it is to the interest of the taxpayer to see that his delinquent taxes are paid as promptly as possible in order to avoid the high penalties," Kerbow said.

Working toward a more accurate program, men who will actually measure the farm land this year are required to pass an examination on different phases of the work.
Approximately forty measurers called performance reporters, took the examination Friday under the direction of R. E. Drennan, County Supervisor of land measurement.

Mr. Smith is recuperating from illness that has kept him confined to his home in Center.

Patients In Adair Hospital Reported Doing Well

The six patients in the Adair Hospital are for the most part doing well. Mrs. W. C. Howard's condition is good; Mrs. Ben Williams who had an appendicitis operation is doing fine; Mrs. Jimmie Miller is doing well; Delma Mae Robertson, an appendectomy case, is recovering rapidly; Inez Heathington is satisfactorily improving; Mrs. W. A. Bullock who had an amputation last Sunday, is reported as not progressing as satisfactorily as wished.

OUT-OF-TOWN PEOPLE HERE FOR BRYAN FUNERAL

The following out-of-town people attended the funeral of Mr. C. A. Bryan last week: Mrs. Byron Baldwin and son, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Keener and three sons of Vernon; Mrs. Landis Mr. and Mrs. McGee, Mrs. Roy Leverett, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Casey and children, all of Amarillo; Mrs. Eunice Johnson Halbert of Crowell, T. C. Bell and Miss Benlah Bell of Wellington; Mrs. Carroll Logan of Wellington; Mrs. Julia Miller and Mr. Miller of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. June Pattillo of Orange, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kirby of Jericho; Mr. and Mrs. U. Z. Barron of Groom; Miss Pauline Sanford, Vernon; Marvin Land, Tucumcari, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Whitlock, Sweetwater.

F. F. A. Members On Camping Trip

The Clarendon F. F. A. chapter spent Saturday afternoon and night on a camping trip near Lelia Lake, at the Gerner Swimming pool.
The group left Clarendon Saturday afternoon and returned early Sunday morning. Swimming, baseball, washer pitching and other games were enjoyed.
Making the trip were Ray and Roy Bulls, Howard Gibbs, Horace Green, Homer Hardin, J. W. Goodman, Clyde Peabody, Freeman Helton, George Reeves, L. B. Penick and Advisor J. R. Gillham.

Donley Farm Land To Be Measured For AAA In July

Measuring of Donley County farm lands for federal benefits under the 1939 AAA program will begin July 1, it was announced today.
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F. F. A. Outing Is Set For Coast Or Mountains

DATES FOR ANNUAL TRIP TO BE DECIDED AT NEXT REGULAR MEETING
The annual summer outing of the Clarendon F. F. A. chapter will either be spent on the Texas coast or in the Cimarron and Red River sections of New Mexico, it was voted by members in a meeting Thursday night. Date of the trip will be decided at the next meeting date.
The group also voted to buy two registered Jersey bulls to be used in a club bull circle in an effort to raise the production records of herds owned by members and their families. Two outstanding young bulls will be secured from well known herds.
Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Stocking left Wednesday morning for a vacation trip in New Mexico and Colorado.
Maurice Land and Jimmie Waters are vacationing in Colorado this week.

Random Reflections

By DICK COOKE

In an attempt to relieve the traffic congestion on Saturdays, the City Commission recently voted to prohibit double parking. The act immediately brought down fire from a number of individuals who stated flatly that they would go elsewhere to trade.

It is the opinion of this department that the action of the commission was not intended against any person, or group of persons, and we believe the council was endeavoring to act for the good of the entire community.

True it is convenient to double park, but the privilege was being abused. It had become the habit of many persons to simply double park to observe the sights for the evening.

City Marshal R. T. Brown, on whose shoulders the difficult problem of enforcing the law falls, said "It is permissible to double park to pick up groceries or merchandise, but the length of stay must be watched."

It seems impossible but it is true never-the-less: many local merchants are cutting their own throat by driving to town and parking their cars in front of their place in business—and then still others park in front of someone else's business—and most of the clerks also drive cars.

Frank Hardin, Donley County's big time truck farmer, expects to raise at least 5,000 bushels of canteloupe for the fall trade. He and his son Wilton, have 50 acres each devoted exclusively to the melons and they believe this week's rains made their crop.

Through study and experience Hardin has found the value of conserving moisture. His Canteloupe are planted every third row with a two row skip. The same thing is practiced throughout his farm with cotton acreage planted in the skip-row plan. With two rows of cotton and the third bare, Hardin yearly averages better than a bale to the acre in production.

Almost unbelievable is the fact that sheet water has risen almost 60 feet in some sections in Donley County during the last twenty years.

Soon after the turn of the century a water well was drilled in a pasture vegetated only by range grass on the W. I. Rains place near Hedley. Around 75 feet was drilled before the bit struck water. Today water runs from the same well and willows and marsh grass grow in abundance.

In a land where storm cellars are as necessary to the farm home as electric appliances are to the town residence, H. K. Leathers of near Lelia Lake is without a dugout. Since the sheet water rise, Leathers says that a cellar six feet deep immediately becomes a well. A neighbor, however, solved the difficulty by burrowing a cellar in a high banked turnrow on the side of a hill.

The common belief is that the water rose with a slight earth tremor felt a number of years ago. In any event, the earth's strata must have undergone a recent change.

To a farmer who asked his opinion as to whether cotton would make this late in the year, general Ed Dishman replied, "It sure may and it could make a bale to the acre and be worth 20 cents a pound."

With depressions and repressions there is no doubt but that we are all going to the poorhouse. At any rate the majority will ride in swift automobiles and their route will lay over a smooth paved highway.

A recent survey disclosed the PWA workers spend one third of their income for food; 15 per cent for housing; one per cent for clothing; transportation 10 per cent; household operation 10.6 per cent; miscellaneous, 6.5 per cent; recreation, 5.4 per cent; furnishings and equipment, 4.8 per cent; medical care, 4.4 per cent.

Buster Scott, 26, of Snowball, Arkansas, went to Dallas to get a pair of shoes. All he wanted was a size 42. His feet are 16 inches wide and three inches thick. He can't get both feet in a bushel basket. Scott's shoes are made by a blacksmith in Snowball who cobbles as a sideline.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dunch and son visited friends in Dimmitt over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Goldston spent the first of the week in Dimmitt.

THE TREND OF THINGS

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McMURTRY FAMILY HAS REUNION HERE TUESDAY

The family of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMurry of Windthorst, Texas joined in a reunion Tuesday at the C. T. McMurry ranch near here. All but one of the twelve children and thirteen of the eighteen grand children and one great grandchild was present.
Mr. and Mrs. McMurry are pioneers in the cattle country and have been community builders in their home in Archer County since 1888. They will celebrate their sixty-second wedding anniversary September 26. He is eighty-one years old and she is eighty. The reunion of the family at a picnic and barbecue is held annually.
An all-day picnic and barbecue was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMurry of Windthorst, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McMurry, Jr., and son of Windthorst, Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Hilburn and son of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carpenter and son James of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Finley of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Travis of Oklahoma City, Mr. Lawrence McMurry and son, Larry, of Pampa, Mr. John McMurry of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McMurry and two children, Silverton, Mrs. R. L. McMurry and three daughters, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Glen White, Shamrock; Mr. Edd McMurry, Vigo Park; Mr. and Mrs. Joe McMurry, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McMurry, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McMurry and Lavene and June, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McMurry and sons Clyde and Pat Slavin, all of Clarendon.

HERE FROM WEST POINT

Sam Hardy Barrow, son of Mrs. M. R. Alkensworth, who is a cadet in the United States Military Academy at West Point is in Clarendon on a two and one-half month furlow.
Barrow will return to West Point, August 28 where he will be a Junior classman.

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Watch Your Kidneys!

Help Them Cleanse the Blood of Harmful Body Waste
Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as Nature intended—fail to remove impurities that, if retained, may poison the system and upset the whole body machinery.
Symptoms may be nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—a feeling of nervous anxiety and loss of pep and strength.
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MUSEUM NOTES

Those interested in visiting the Donley County Museum are invited any Sunday afternoon from four to six o'clock.

A number of articles have been added since the last report. Mrs. Frank E. McCrary, who has recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Letts of this city, has given to the Museum the following items: a paper knife once used on the desk in Washington of her husband's father, George W. McCrary, Secretary of War, during the Hayes administration, 1876; a night cap worn by her husband's mother in 1854; an old hickory basket for holding wood for the fire-place; a photograph of the noted scientist, Luther Burbank, some old book shelves, a scarf, a glove-button hook, a slate pencil, and two large postcard pictures of Plymouth Rock.

Mrs. Jim Headrick has placed in the Museum an old "Blue-back" spelling book, a night cap worn by her grandmother in 1860, and five group pictures of the old Clarendon College, the oldest of which bears the date 1898.

Mrs. J. D. Swift has added to her group of exhibits a jewel case brought from Mexico City thirty years ago, embossed with the Mexican coat of arms, the eagle perched on a cactus with a snake in its talons.
We wish to make special mention of two separate collections of rare stones and prehistoric fossils found in this vicinity and loaned respectively by Will Chamberlain and J. C. Estlack. The Museum Authorities highly appreciate these collections, and all other loans and gifts made by friends and patrons.

Stamp Pad Ink at The News.

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SOCIETY

MRS. SWIFT HONORS TWO AT TEA

Honoring her daughter Miss Anna Moores Swift who recently graduated from Baylor University, and her sister, Mrs. Frank Meadows of San Angelo, Mrs. J. D. Swift entertained sixty-five guests at a lovely tea Thursday afternoon. The affair was given in the club rooms which were attractively decorated in garden flowers.

Mrs. Meadows reviewed the book, "Brother Rat" in a most interesting manner. She presented scenes word for word as they appeared in the book.

Dainty refreshments were served from a table covered with a Venetian cutwork cloth and centered with a crystal bowl of pink radiant roses. White tapers in silver candelabra flanked the roses. Misses Jo Ellen Kennedy, LaVerne McMurtry and Betty Jo Bartlett served.

Out-of-town guests at the tea were Mrs. W. C. Dickey, Mrs. James McMurtry and daughter Jackie Lee of Memphis, Mrs. F. L. Decker of Childress, Mrs. John E. Oakes of Roswell, N. M., Mrs. Mary K. Blanton of Amarillo and Mrs. Marion Stevens of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. McCracken-McPherson

A wedding of interest was that of Miss Verlin McPherson and Gene McCracken which took place Saturday at the Baptist parsonage in Hedley with Rev. M. E. Wells, pastor, officiating.

The bride wore a white sheer dress with aqua blue accessories. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McPherson of Hedley and a graduate of the Hedley schools. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. McCracken of Gainesville. The couple will live in Memphis.

Attending the ceremony were Mrs. Ruby Ellis, Miss Theresa Bain and Winifred McPherson.

Clyde Price Has Birthday Party

Clyde Price, Jr., celebrated his seventh birthday Thursday with a party given by his mother. The children enjoyed games and opening presents. Ice cream and cake were served from a table decorated to look like a circus. The birthday cake represented the merry-go-round.

Guests were Sammy Jo Lowe, Gary Hodges, Fred Molesworth, Joy Pierce, Janice McDonald, Arvazene Smith, Emma Jean Sears, Dean and Douglas Wadsworth, Clifford Whitmore, Georgia Bell McNeil, Edward Sawyer, Tommie Saye, Carl Bennett, Mae Morris, Bob Clifford, Paul Bennett, Joan and Mary Margaret Smithy, Gene Bryan and Jerry Price.

200 Attend Barbecue at Country Club

Some 200 members and guests enjoyed the opening barbecue of the season at the Country Club Thursday evening.

Swimming, boating, and fishing entertained the guests until the chicken was barbecued and served with all the trimmings. This is the first in a series of such entertainments.

Mrs. McMurtry Entertains Sunday

Mrs. C. T. McMurtry delightfully entertained a group of former school friends Sunday. The ladies arrived for lunch and spent the afternoon visiting, and attending the picture show.

Enjoying the affair were Misses Mariam Wilson and Avis Thompson of Pampa, Mrs. Ruel Nickerson of Fort Worth, Mesdames W. H. Blankney, L. S. Prock and Enloe Crisp, all of Alanreed.

Mesdames Frances Blincoe and Herbert Pope and daughter Gloria Ann of Clarksville visited their sister, Mrs. Selden Bagby, the past week.

1930 Needle Club With Mrs. Kirby

The 1930 Needle Club met Tuesday in Jericho with Mrs. Glenn Kirby. Sewing occupied the time of the members. Pollyanna gifts were exchanged.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Nadine Whitlock, Hazel Lusk, Alice Bain, Mozelle Wright.

CHD Club in Meeting

The Clarendon Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Frank Hommel Friday. The president, Mrs. Fink, opened the meeting with prayer. An interesting program on the subject of "The Great Sculptors" was presented. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Cap Lane, July 7.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames C. L. Benson W. A. Davis, J. C. Estlack, O. L. Fink, M. A. Hahn, A. G. Lane, C. D. McDowell, Ed Speed, W. D. Van Eaton.

High School Pep Squad Guests of Coca Cola

With the concession rights for the College Field during the Fourth of July celebration, members of the Clarendon High school pep squad were guests of the Clarendon Coca Cola Bottling Company Tuesday night where they were given pointers on distributing drinks and candy by Paul Smithy, local manager.

Baptist Group Hear Missionary

Eight Clarendon people went to Memphis last Thursday to hear Mrs. J. Waldron Moore, missionary from China, speak. Mrs. Moore told of her experiences there.

Those present were Rev. and Mrs. J. Perry King, Mesdames A. W. Simpson, Lloyd Rhoades, Hollis Neece, Elmer Palmer, U. Z. Patterson, and J. E. Burch.

Mrs. Breedlove Has Bridge Club

Mrs. H. M. Breedlove entertained the Wednesday Contract Club Friday afternoon at her home. Mrs. Geo. Norwood won high in the games of bridge.

A salad course was served to Mesdames W. W. Noblett, Geo. Norwood, Alfred McMurtry, Tom Murphy, Edythe Maher, H. F. Harter and two guests, Mesdames Frankie Taylor and Floyd Lumpkin.

Miss Goldie Howard Honored at Party

Mrs. Walter Wilson and Miss Carrie Davis honored Miss Goldie Howard who is leaving, with a delightfully informal party Wednesday night at their home. After the buffet supper was served various parlor games were played until a late hour.

Guests were Mrs. Gene Settle and daughter Charlotte of Amarillo, Mrs. Adrienne Pharr, Misses Howard, Mona Churchman, Naomi Allison, Leona Casey, Emma Ayers, Moody Kennedy, Moody and Rena Aten, Clynell and Billie Lou Gilbert, Wilma D. Smith, Johnnie and Irene Rhodes, Frances Tidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lu McClellan and son Lu Junior, attended the funeral services for Mrs. L. S. McClellan at Spearman last Thursday.

Garden Glances Presented weekly by the Garden Club

"America the beautiful lies in the hands of the gardeners"

The joyous rain has come again! We dirt gardeners have cast aside our weary facial expressions and assumed a carefree manner again. Glances were about to be searchers for beauty spots as the hot winds were injurious regardless of all effort made with sprays and hose.

The faithful caretaker of the Christian Church lawn has secured excellent results with his evergreens that were set a year ago, and his lovely catalpa and popalars were very sick appearing one year ago as freezes and borers had attacked them, but careful attention has overcome these troubles. They are lovely.

Willard Skelton is vigorously working what was a bare sand spot into a lovely green lawn. He has a new type of spray and his grass is growing nicely. Willard has a tendency to dress-up the lawns with grass and small trees where he rents. This is a worthwhile habit too.

We have failed to mention the Brasswell lawn and that of W. G. Word. They have been diligently cared for during these trying hot winds. Kelly Chamberlain is striving to rival his next door neighbor by having his new lawn set and watering generously. The place is very pretty.

It is unfortunate that all the lawns cannot be cared for as it certainly enhances the beauty of the home to have a well kept lawn. The membership of the lawn keeping brigade increases each year in our town for which we are justly grateful.

"America the beautiful lies in the hands of the gardeners."

This week the glances at the gardens were tempted to linger on the lawn of the Jim Patman lawn. It is a very attractive place with numerous evergreens artistically landscaped. Gay clumps of blooming plants are partially hidden by the shrubs and evergreens. The vacant lot next door has not been neglected, for it too shows care. The Patmans certainly are deserving of praise from the City Beautiful Committee for their care of this extra space.

Another home with an inviting lawn is that of Dr. Ellis. One cannot realize from passing in the street its immense amount of work and thoughtful planning on the arrangement of the lily pool, rock work, and general scheme of beautification that has been done here.

We can all discuss our court house lawn. It is a lovely shade of green, and we have so many beautiful young trees. There are American elms, Chinese elms, ash and others. The differently formed leaves and different shades of green supervising this green lawn make a restful looking spot in our town.

The predominating annuals this week are the old-fashioned standing cypress with its scarlet plumage, and numerous petunias. As one glances at these garden spots he is reminded of a quotation from Edgar A. Guest: "A garden is a plot of soil where men and women take the hours, the rain, the sunshine, and their toil, and shape them into summer flowers."

CHURCHES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services will be held at the church at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday, June 25 by Rev. R. S. McKee of Irving who is enroute to direct the Ceta Canyon Conference. Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. The session will meet at 10:45.

REV. McKENZIE TO PREACH AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. C. McKenzie of Amarillo, district Missionary, will preach at both morning and evening services at the First Baptist Church Sunday. Rev. McKenzie has been here this week conducting a Sunday School training course which is studying "Building a Sunday School." Attendance at the sessions has been good.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH H. C. Gordon Pastor

Church School 9:45 a.m. Preaching 11:00 a.m. Leagues 7:30 p.m. Preaching 8:30 p.m. A warm welcome awaits all who attend.

CLARENDON METHODIST CIRCUIT J. G. Walker, Pastor

Has been many days since we enjoyed a day better than we did at Goldston Sunday. The Sunday school session was full of spirit which furnished a good background for the preaching. That made it easy for us to make an effort to preach. The congregational backing was fine!

Baptized two and received them into church at close of morning service. These are to be transferred to another church but we are proud to know that we can do work like that at Goldston. The parties preferred that it be done at Goldston which showed their love and confidence in the people of Goldston. This should convince that the efforts there are not altogether vain and encourage to put forth stronger effort to build up the community churches. We may go to other places for worship and may enjoy it immensely, but there is no place like home to do the most effective work.

Where the young people go to school and have their associates and meet with them often during the week days, and then all meet together in Sunday school and church work with no strangeness to hinder, there is where the Lord can use you best. When we let the spiritual fire burn down low in our own community we make a great blunder. We don't believe Goldston people will thus fail. Singing in the afternoon was good, and another good service in the evening. We go to Lelia Lake next Sunday, 11 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. and Naylor 8:30 p.m. Over forty in Lelia Lake Sunday school Sunday. Let's have at least fifty next Sunday so we can give you a good boost in next week's writeup. When is your revival meeting to begin? Are you preparing for it? Don't wait too late to prepare.

Mrs. Ode McAbee of Childress visited her sister, Mrs. Lee Bell, this week.

Miss Geraldine Browder of Ft. Worth is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain.

Miss Maxine Ellis returned home Monday from Oklahoma where she visited in Tulsa and Muskogee for three weeks.

Mrs. Charles Dean and daughter Evalyn of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Braswell and Miss Lottie Lane the first of the week. Mrs. Gene Settle and daughter Charlotte of Amarillo arrived Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson.

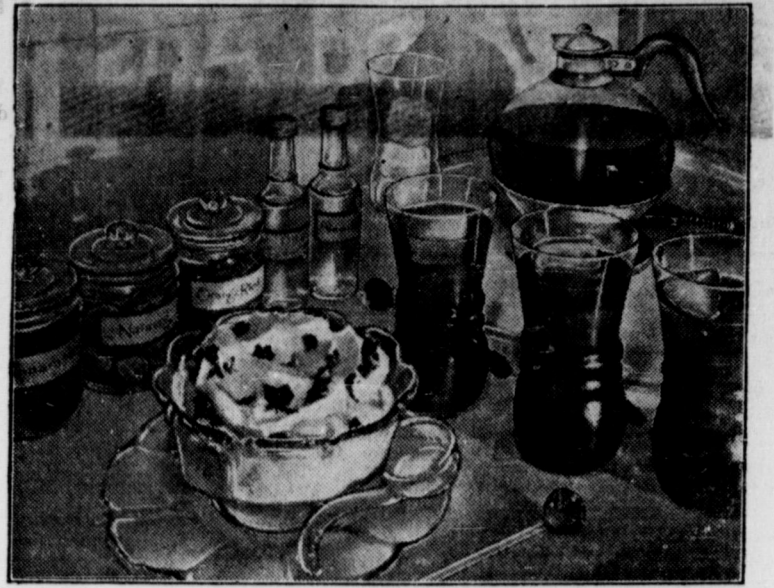
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Iced Coffee Rates "Tops" for Holiday



Tip-top are toppings for iced coffee—snowy whipped cream flavored with one of the toothsome ingredients shown here—an ideal new way to celebrate National Iced Coffee Week, June 25-July 1. Learn how to make it, below!

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Chocolate Iced Coffee: grated chocolate or chocolate syrup.
Almond Iced Coffee: few drops almond extract.

FSA LAYOFF WILL NOT HAMPER WORK DIRECTOR SAYS

Although it has been necessary to reduce the personnel of the FSA approximately 10 percent over this region, State director Rex B. Baxter declared

Monday that he believed the next year's program would not be affected. Here on an inspection tour with Tom J. Finley, District Supervisor, Baxter said the FSA would carry on the same type of work as in the past and would have the same amount of money available. So widespread in the region has been the personnel reduction, that no certain locality is expected to be affected, the State director said.

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	1 lb.	
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	4 lbs.	
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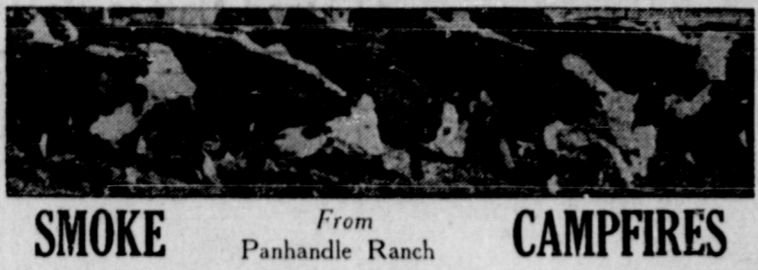
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Twice Elected To Presidency



Being twice elected to the highest office in school is the unique honor bestowed upon Miss Mary Fay Jones of Frost. This spring she was chosen by a large majority of the 2800 classmates at Texas State College for Women to serve during the 1939-40 regular session as president of the student body. Again this summer she was elected president of the student body for the summer session. Mary Kay has been a class officer every year in college.

Serving with her as secretary this summer is Miss Cecelia Palmer of Fort Worth.



SMOKE From Panhandle Ranch CAMPFIRES

M. H. W. Ritchie of the JA Ranch and C. T. McMurtry, long time Clarendon cattleman, Saturday attended the quarterly meeting of the executive committee of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association held in Amarillo.

Both are directors of the association. The new land vacancy act, sponsored by the Cattle Raisers Association will put a stop to vacancy racketeering, Joe Montague, attorney for the organization believes.

"The provisions of the act will eliminate 90 per cent of all the vacancy racketeering," Mr. Montague said. "A majority of all the vacancy filings, as most of it is 'nuisance filing' intended primarily to cloud titles and force the owner to pay substantial sums in order to recover a clear title."

M. E. (Mitch) Bell, long time cattleman of this section, was named on the constitution and by-laws committee of the "Top O' Texas" 89er Club in Pampa last week.

Bell was chosen with J. E. Southwood, Panhandle and Newton P. Willis, Pampa. J. S. Wynne Pampa Pioneer, who came to the Panhandle prior to 1890, was elected president.

The club was formed at the Top O' Texas Fiesta held in Pampa last week.

Also registered in the club is Mrs. Fred Johnson, Clarendon, 1901.

A cattle dipping demonstration showing methods of killing lice with wet sulphur and cubane, was staged on the D. H. Davenport ranch in Hall County Monday.

Six hundred pounds of sulphur and 60 pounds of cubane were used to make 3,000 gallons of solution which is supposedly effective against blue, gray and black lice.

There is a marked distinction between vacancy land and excess land under the term of the law, Mr. Montague indicated. Vacancy land is defined as land which has never been patented, whereas excess land is land held by an owner in addition to that to which he has title. There are many instances in which an owner may hold title to a given acreage, defined as the land between certain bounds which are recorder in the title although the stated boundaries contain a larger area of land.

Under the old law, it was brought out, anyone who discovered the existence of such an excess could file suit for the land, clouding the title to the entire tract. The law did not stipulate that the suits should be prosecuted within any given time, making it impossible for the owner to take the case to court to clear his title.

The new law gives the owner of the land opportunity to purchase the land at its value, after a survey has been made to determine the excess. Excess suits must be prosecuted within nine months, the new act provides.

The owner will be allowed to purchase all the land although the mineral rights will be restricted.

The venue of all cases filed under the act will be in the county in which the land is located, rather than in Travis County as was the case under the old law.

"Ranch bookkeepers must follow every cowboy and watch his every action," in order for the rancher to avoid violation of the Social Security and Wages and Hours Acts," Mr. Montague told the cattleman.

"The provisions of the acts exempt agricultural workers but the

minute a cowboy gets off his horse to repair a fence, or stops to grease a windmill, he ceases to be an agricultural worker and becomes a laborer subject to the restrictions of the social Security and wages and hours laws, according to interpretations given the law by recent court decisions.

"The decisions also indicate that while a cowboy moving a herd of cattle on his employer's land is an agricultural worker, when the cattle are moved beyond the boundaries of the ranch, the cowboy is no longer an agricultural worker and becomes subject to the provisions of the social security and wages and hours laws.

It is impossible for the ranchman to avoid violation of these acts, according to their present interpretation. An amendment to the act to bring about a more favorable exemption is proposed by the association.

Jay Taylor, vice president of the cattle association said "There is no surplus of cattle in the United States, regardless of all propaganda which leads us to believe that there are more cattle in the Oklahoma and Kansas and Oklahoma grass regions than grass regions than ever before. There are a larger number of cattle in Kansas and Oklahoma than there are under normal conditions, but they are not beef. Cows and calves and yearlings have been moved to Oklahoma and Kansas due to drouth conditions in Texas.

The drouth in this section is becoming acute with many ranchers shipping to summer pasture. Water is becoming scarce on many of the large spreads which report a number of key tanks absolutely dry. In some instances stock is being put on feed.

Where once a traveler could ride for miles without viewing a single sheep, 9,400,000 of the animals now dot the pastures of Texas.

Figured from the rapid rate of increase during the past few years, sheep on Texas farms and ranches will almost double that amount within the near future.

Expressing his opinion recently by a long time cattleman blamed the government with the rapid rise of the sheep industry saying many of the animals were being pastured on government soil conservation acreage. He also declared the lucrative era of the sheep was doomed by over production.

LIBRARY NOTES (By Mrs. C. A. Burton)

"O, for a book and a shady nook!" We can't furnish the latter, but how our people are enjoying the books, the wee people, the girls and boys and the grown-ups! And the lists from the publishers seem ever more attractive.

The Federal Writers' Projects of the various states have come in for quite a little comment both pro and con. They seem to have covered quite a lot of ground. A recent Book Page mentions two—"Reptiles and Amphibians, Federal Writers' Project of New York, and "These Are Our Lives", Federal Writers' Project of North Carolina. The first is said to be more valuable for its photographs than its subject matter. The latter seems to be a collection of life histories, of case problems, thirty-five stories in all—of living persons, in their own words as far as possible. All types, all classes, employed and unemployed. The purpose of the work was to present a clear and comprehensive view of the structure and workings of Southern industries and institutions, and to interpret to the nation the life of the Southern people. Every type of worker is represented and the stories used were selected from 400 submitted. From the reviews one would judge that it was representative of certain types of the South, but not of all types.

The book on Democracy by Dr. Edward Benes, former President of Czecho-Slovakia, will be published in July. The Rt. Hon. Neville Chamberlain's new book, "In Search of Peace", who's publication has been several times delayed on account of the European situation, will be published within the next few days.

The daily press carried the statement the past week of the death in New York of Ralph Pulitzer, 60 years old, the oldest son of Joseph Pulitzer, the founder of a newspaper dynasty and of the Pulitzer prizes in literature. There are three sons, all of whom have still been connected with the newspaper world. The prizes in his will in 1917 left \$5-

Gold Key To Treasure Chest



DALLAS, Texas, June 20.—Lowry Martin, chairman of the Texas Press Treasure Chest Committee which had charge of the presentation of copies of practically all Texas newspapers in the crypt in the founders monument dedicated at the 1938 State Fair of Texas, presents President Deskins Wells, President of the Texas Press Association with a gold key which will be used by newspapermen in 1988 in opening the Treasure Chest.

President Wells was custodian of the key for only two days, as he turned it over to his successor, Walter Buckner of San Marcos, recently elected President of the Association. The key will be turned over each year to each succeeding president until 1988.

The presentation ceremonies took place at the recent convention of the Texas Press Association at Lubbock.

000 to be awarded annually. Sinclair Lewis' "It Can't Happen Here" has again been shelved temporarily as screen material by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. They purchased the story two years ago for \$75,000 but decided it was not suitable for screen material at the time because of its social implications. More recently the script was hauled down and prepared for production, but again the decision was against it after the producers studied the reaction of the public to other similar pictures.

George Stewart, a professor in the English Department of the University of California is rapidly taking rank among writers of the Pacific Coast. He is author of "East of the Giants", and his new book which will be ready for fall publication will be "Doctor Oral", the story of a graduate student's examination for a teaching job on a college faculty. The popularity of stories of "The Citadel" type still continues.

At a meeting of the New York Drama Critics Circle choice of the best American play of the season, Lillian Hellman's "The Little Foxes" received six votes, Robert E. Sherwood's "Abraham Lincoln in Illinois" five; Clifford Odets' "Rocket to the Moon", two; and William Sarayan's "My Heart's in the Highlands" two. But the Circle's Constitution states that the winning play must poll a minimum of twelve of the 15 votes and so no award was made. "The White Steed" by Paul Vincent Carroll was the unanimous choice for the best importation of the season. Mr. Carroll won this same honor last year for "Shadow and Substance."

What is apparently one of only two perfect copies of Shelley's "The Necessity of Atheism" as sold recently at a New York auction for \$9,300. It has been one of the rarest controversial tracts in English literature.

Early in May the World Congress of Writers held a three day session at the World's Fair in New York. It was opened by Jules Romain, President of the International P. E. N. Club and was dedicated to the "Basic Freedoms". Dorothy Thompson, President of the American Center of the P. E. N. Club addressed several sessions. Guest speakers included Thomas Mann, Arnold Zweig, Sholem Asch, J. B. Priestly, Andre Maurois, Carl Van Doren, Pearl Buck and others. More than 500 authors from the United States and twenty-nine foreign countries attended.

At the San Francisco World's Fair, the American Literary Association is in session now. This A. L. A. is of more reaching importance than is generally recognized.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Durant and children left this week for a vacation in Hood County and Hot Springs Arkansas.

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Sneatheln was riding with a sister-in-law, Mrs. W. A. Sneatheln when the accident occurred about 2:30 a.m. Sneatheln received a back injury and is in an Amarillo hospital. Mrs. Sneatheln was uninjured.

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RED CROSS PLANS TO ADD MILLION NEW MEMBERS

AMERICA ASKED TO MAKE HUGE EFFORT IN 1939 ROLL CALL

Donley County, along with every other unit of the American Red Cross will be asked this Fall in the 1939 annual roll call, to have a part in enrolling one million new members in the nation.

This action was authorized at the recent National Convention of the American Red Cross when the following resolutions were passed:

"Whereas, The American Red Cross is at this time faced with ever-increasing responsibilities and obligations, therefore be it

"Resolved That this Convention urges all Chapters to make a special effort in their forthcoming roll calls so that at least one million new members may be enlisted for participation in and support of Red Cross work."

The resolution came at the conclusion of an address by Norman H. Davis, chairman of the central committee who concluded his remarks as follows:

"The Red Cross enjoys unusual confidence and support both at home and abroad. In thousands of communities, great and small, citizens of every class have found time to contribute a portion of their busy lives, a portion of their substance, to the development of the Red Cross. They have created an organization embodying the better side of human nature, an impressive example of our national unity and solidarity, a great reservoir of the American spirit of neighborly service from which we may draw the resources to meet great emergencies.

"In the Red Cross we have expression of universally accepted moral principles which extend beyond all national boundaries; a great instrument of human progress that withstands the forces of prejudice, of intolerance, and of strife.

"We are today confronted not only with a struggle of ideas, but of values, and in that struggle it will be the responsibility of the Red Cross to see that where brute force leaves its victims, mercy and helpfulness will follow.

"At whatever cost, we must keep open the channels of understanding and service which the Red Cross has established, face our obligations in peace or in war, and move forward toward the goal we so earnestly desire.

"We must all work to strengthen this great agency, to make it worthy of the ideals of its founders and the challenge of today. I urge that as a minimum and as a token of our resolve to be prepared for all eventualities, we set our plans to increase our Red Cross membership by at least one million members in the coming annual roll call."

ON CALIFORNIA VACATION TRIP

Mrs. J. A. Meaders, Misses Katie Meaders, Jane and Virginia Williams, and Ruby Willis of Atlanta, Georgia, a niece of Mrs. Meaders, left Monday for a vacation trip to California. They went by automobile, and will stop at various points along the route.

ing treatment of the Anthony Veiller-Allen Rivkin script.

"Let Us Live" is the story of a young taxi driver and of his sweetheart. When a murder is committed by young bandits in the course of a hold-up, eyewitnesses positively identify the young cabbie as the leader of the gang. A net of circumstantial evidence makes more tense the desperate efforts of the boy and of the girl to prove his innocence.

Supporting Fonda, Miss O'Sullivan and Bellamy is a strong cast which includes such personalities as Alan Baxter, Henry Kolker, Stanley Ridges, Clarence Wilson, Phillip Trent, George Douglas and young Martin Spellman.



Maureen O'Sullivan and Henry Fonda, featured at the Pastime Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday, June 28-29 with Ralph Bellamy in Columbia's "Let Us Live" are seen as young lovers suddenly faced by a hostile world which declares Fonda guilty of murder. Mistaken eye-witnesses' testimony, circumstantial evidence and damning coincidences lead to his conviction, while Miss O'Sullivan battles desperately to prove his innocence.



Lewis Ackers of Abilene, wealthy West Texas ranchman, is president of the Texas Cowboy Reunion Association and will preside over the annual meeting of oldtime cowboys and cattlemen which will be held during the Cowboy Reunion at Stamford July 3, 4, and 5. Ackers has been associated with the cattle business all his life and his father was a ranchman before him. Membership in the association is limited to men who worked as cowboys on ranches 35 or more years ago. The business session at which new officers will be elected will be held at the cowboy bunkhouse July 3 at 1 p.m.

Veteran Texas Cowhands Pack War Bags for Stamford Reunion, July 3-4-5; Many From Here To Attend

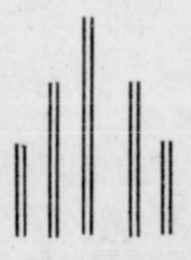
Veteran Texas cowhands who rode the range and trail 35 or more years ago will gather in Stamford for the tenth annual meeting of their association during the Texas Cowboy Reunion July 3, 4 and 5.

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One of the most widely discussed films ever produced, Columbia's "Let Us Live" comes next Wednesday and Thursday, June 28, 29 to the Pastime Theatre. Maureen O'Sullivan, Henry Fonda and Ralph Bellamy are featured in this story of plain average people who suddenly find the eyes of the world upon them. Innocent persons—yet cast in the role of murderers.

Universal in its theme, "Let Us Live" has already been hailed as a "great love story—a powerful drama of everyday life and everyday people that will be your screen experience of a lifetime."

John Brahm, director of "Penitentiary" and "Girls' School," is

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FRIENDS AND RELATIVES PAY TRIBUTE TO MRS. ROGERS SATURDAY

McLEAN, June 21—Eighty seven relatives and friends of Grandma Rogers gathered at the Rippy home in the Heald community near here Saturday to celebrate the 97th birthday of the honoree.

The Rev. George T. Palmer of Clarendon attended. Following a bountiful basket dinner spread under the trees at noon, a sacred service was conducted by the Rev. J. P. Cole of Albreed, the Rev. C. H. Williams of Lefors and the Rev. Finis Crutchfield of Vernon.

Among the relatives well known in Clarendon were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cryer, Dr. and Mrs. Orville Rippy, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rippy, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Rippy, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Rippy, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Rippy, of

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Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Author Rippy, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rippy and daughter.

Mrs. Gene Leggett and son of Vernon spent the week-end here with friends and relatives.

Isadore Mellinger spent the week-end in Merkel with his parents.

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AAA WILL BEGIN CHECKING OF PERFORMANCE

FARMERS ASKED TO COOPERATE FULLY WITH PLANS

The following announcement in regard to the AAA program was released by the County Agent's office this week:

The checking of performance will begin considerably earlier this year than in the past, as it is absolutely necessary that cotton on overplanted farms be destroyed before it reaches the boll stage if the farm is to be certified for payment. The State Office is rechecking two percent of the farms in the county this year. This makes it advisable for all operators to be very careful in measuring their plots of land for respective crops on which allotments have been set up. This does not mean that the farmer will not be given a chance to destroy overplanted cotton, but where it is necessary to destroy cotton to bring the farm into compliance, it must be done before the cotton sheds the bloom.

This year the State office is requiring that the farmer be present to aid the reporter at the time he measures the farm. If it is impossible for him to be present, then he must have a representative there to aid the reporter in the measuring and classification of crops. Cooperation with this provision on the

part of the farmer is absolutely necessary.

If the farmer is dissatisfied with the measurement of the farm, he must give his reason for the dissatisfaction and point out the error to the County Committee. If it is necessary for the reporter to make a second visit to the farm, the farmer must deposit enough money with the Treasurer of the County Association to cover expense of re-measuring. If the measurements are found to be in error then the money will be returned to the farmer at the end of the current month. Otherwise, the money will be retained by the association to defray the expense of re-measuring.

The County and Community committees have practically completed the adjustment of cotton yields. As soon as final tabulations have been made in the office each producer will be notified of the yield established for his farm. All available line is being used by the committees and no changes will be made unless an error has been made in the figures.

The county office will greatly appreciate the cooperation of all operators with the various reporters when the measuring period begins.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Stevens and daughter Carolyn of Wichita Falls returned to their home Sunday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ozier

H. T. Burton, Bert Smith, and C. J. Douglas returned Tuesday from a fishing trip in New Mexico.

DO YOU KNOW—



That brunette babies are the bravest when being baptized. According to Rev. Dr. Short, for 35 years a Methodist minister, blonde babies howl, brunettes smile, bald headed ones look blank while it is usually the fat ones who cry the most.

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Mrs. Bob Younger and daughter Betty of Amarillo visited Mrs. W. H. Martin this week.

Earl Bryan of Temeha, Texas has been here the past two weeks visiting relatives.

Miss Ouida Hill of Amarillo spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Stella Hill.

Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Oller of Vernon arrived this week to visit relatives.

Mrs. Floyd Keener of Vernon and Mrs. Glen Casey of Amarillo spent last week here at the bedside of their grandfather, C. A. Bryan.

EARLY DAY DONLEY DRUGGIST, BANKER, RITES HELD HERE

H. D. RAMSEY DIES AT SAN ANTONIO HOSPITAL TUESDAY MORNING

Funeral services for H. D. Ramsey, 80, pioneer Clarendon druggist and banker, who died in a San Antonio hospital Tuesday morning, were held at the First Baptist Church here at 10 o'clock this morning. The Rev. J. Perry King, local pastor, officiated with the Clarendon Masonic Lodge, of which he was a member for almost 50 years, having charge of the burial ceremony.

Mr. Ramsey came to Clarendon in 1887, soon after the town was founded, and for several years was in the drug business here. In 1907 he helped organize the Donley County State Bank and served as its first president. He was succeeded in this office by Colonel T. S. Bugbee in 1914.

In December, 1898, Mr. Ramsey was made a Master Mason of the Clarendon Lodge and served as Worshipful Master from 1910 to 1911. At the time of his death he held a life membership in the local order.

He also at one time served as county treasurer and according to old timers, kept the records in a huge safe within his store. A native of Kentucky where he was born April 7, 1859, Mr. Ramsey came to Texas at an early age. Before arriving in Clarendon he had lived in Harrold, Vernon and Quanah. Clarendon remained his home until about 15 years ago when he moved to California and then went to San Antonio.

As a tribute to Mr. Ramsey, all Clarendon banks were closed during the funeral.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Adelia Ramsey; a brother Forest Ramsey of Ardmore, Oklahoma; and two sisters, Mrs. J. B. White of Compton, California, and Miss Emma Southern of Cerulian, Kentucky, and a niece, Mrs. Z. E. Dozier of Amarillo whom he adopted as his daughter when she was a girl.

MRS. ARLIE WOOD IS BURIED HERE LAST SUNDAY

DIES SATURDAY IN ADAIR HOSPITAL AFTER OPERATION

Funeral services for Mrs. Arlie Lee Wood who died Saturday in the Adair hospital were held Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist Church with Rev. J. Perry King officiating. Interment was in the Citizen's Cemetery.

Mrs. Wood was born Alma Lorraine Pierson, March 27, 1918 in Hedley. She attended Clarendon schools until her marriage March 27, 1934. Her mother preceded her in death some eight years ago. Survivors are her husband, her father, J. T. Pierson of Clarendon; two sisters, Claudine Pierson, Clarendon, and Mrs. Glen Froman of Louisville, Ky.; and brothers Carl of Elida, N. M.; D. C. of Levelland, John and Bill of Lamesa, James of Dumas, and Alva of Lubbock. She had been a member of the Baptist Church since 1934.

Palbearers at the funeral were Regan Bain, Fontayne Elmore, Verna Lusk, Haskel Hay, Bruce Riley, Buster Riley, Flower girls were Mrs. Estelle Riley, Louise Russell, Mrs. Louise Riley, Edna Thomas, Ruby Tucker, Mrs. Haskel Hay, Mrs. Marie Patterson, Mrs. Verna Lusk.

Out-of-town people attending the funeral were brothers Carl Pierson of Elida, N. M.; John and Bill Pierson of Lamesa, James Pierson of Dumas, and from Amarillo, Mrs. C. C. Moore, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rodgers, Mrs. S. T. Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wood, Mrs. John McClenny and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clayton of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Norman McCrary, Silver City, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wood, Raton, N. M.

Miss Leona Casey of Wellington spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Helton.

Misses Lois, Thelma, and Ruth Ellen Bain of Chattanooga, Oklahoma are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bain.

Applications For Additional 300 Miles of REA Lines In Section Being Considered At Washington

Preliminary consideration to applications for additional farm home electric lighting in Donley county is being given by the Rural Electrification Administration in Washington, the department announced this week.

An application from the Hall County Electric Cooperative, of Memphis, asks for an additional loan of \$125,000 to extend 150 miles of rural lines to serve some 425 farms in Hall and Donley counties. The original application covered 110 miles to serve 289 members and \$98,000 has already been allotted for the project.

Another application presented by the Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc., of Wellington, was the request of an additional loan of \$120,000 to extend 150 miles for 400 members in Collinsworth and Donley counties, Texas, and Harmon County, Oklahoma. The original application covered 146 miles to serve 434 members at an allotted \$138,500.

The same retail rate which has already been established for the first section of the project will probably apply on this new section. Under this rate, residential members pay a minimum bill of \$2.45 a month for which they may receive 25 kwh, enough electricity to light the average size home adequately and operate an appliance such as a washing machine or iron. \$5.83 pays for 100 kwh, enough for all these uses, and operating an iron, a radio, a water pump and one major appliance such as a refrigerator.

The Hall County retail rate

which has already been established for the first section of the project will probably apply on this new section. Under this rate residential members pay a minimum bill of \$2.50 a month, for which they receive 26 kwh, enough electricity to light the average size home adequately and operate an appliance such as a washing machine or iron. \$5.96 pays for 100 kwh, enough for all these uses and operating an iron, a radio, a water pump and one major appliance, such as a refrigerator.

Speed in further development of this project depends in large measure upon a continuance of the community cooperation which is principally responsible for the success of the project so far. If the information about this proposed addition is satisfactory, REA expects to be able to allot money to meet the entire construction costs. No money will be lent to pay for right-of-way.

Miss Frances Tidwell of Alarred has been the guest of Miss Emma Ayers recently.

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SUGAR - paper bag - 10 lbs.	49c
RICE, Uncle Ben, 2 lb. box	15c
DRY SALT BACON, No. 1, per lb.	15c
BACON, Sliced, Sunray, pound	29c
BOLOGNA, All Meat, 2 lbs.	25c
DRY SALT JOWLS, pound	9c
SPUDS, No. 1 White or Red, New, 15 lbs.	35c
ONIONS, No. 1 White Bermudas, lb.	2 1/2c
BLACKBERRIES, No. 2 can	10c
PEACHES, Gallons Sliced or Halves	39c
LEMONS, Large Sunkist, Dozen	25c
BEETS or CARROTS 3 bunches	10c
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, 7 for	25c
OYSTERS, Blue Plate, 5 oz. - 2 for	25c

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AUSTIN—If you have not been vaccinated against typhoid fever within the last two to three years, go to your family physician and have him give you the three "shots" that will protect you against that disease. This advice comes from the Texas State Health Department, and is addressed particularly to those persons planning vacations away from home or those who regularly go on camping, fishing or such trips. Typhoid is contracted by way of the mouth. Each case comes directly or indirectly from some previous case. You eat or drink the germs that cause the disease, in food, water or milk contaminated by the discharges from persons who are ill with the disease or who have had it at some time. Modern medical and public health practices have greatly reduced the occurrence of the disease. Protection of public water supplies from pollution, pasteurization of milk, inspection and supervision of food supplies, improvement in household sanitation and hygienic habits, better sewage disposal and careful investigation of typhoid outbreaks to determine the source of the disease are measures which have contributed to the diminution of the incidence of typhoid in Texas. But there are still sources of infection to which individuals are exposed that cannot be reached by public measures, and for which vaccination affords additional protection. Persons who are apparently well, but who have had the disease at some time, may continue to discharge the typhoid germs. Such persons are known as "carriers" and if they are not careful in their personal habits they are liable to contaminate any food they touch. Flies carry germs from contaminated sources to food, and are another source of typhoid infection.

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