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HIGH COST OF LIVING.

The school census for this fall shows fewer children. This is true in large cities as well as villages. If our people must pay higher taxes, they can stop having children. Workers cannot avoid keeping a bunch of political dependents on the tax roll, but they can cut down the number of legal dependents.

Higher taxes is reflected in the home ownership situation as well. It is cheaper to rent than to own. Millions of our people not tied to a job, live in trailers. Now the tax eaters are trying to figure out some plan by which the trailers may be made to pay a high tax.

High taxes naturally add to the retail price and makes living higher. Cheaper money has the same effect. Since the dollar has skidded down to fifty-nine cent valuation, prices in general have risen until meats and many other staples are almost prohibitive in the larger cities. For the past few years, loafers have been paid for loafing out of the wages of the workers. The only way to make the worker pay the bill was to increase his taxes. If he did not pay taxes directly, he felt the effect indirectly in increased living costs.

Taxpayers have always found a political circus an expensive luxury. The army of political officeholders has increased right along through the best years of the twenties, and when the lean years since 1929 came along, the number leaped by thousands until today every eleventh citizen of the nation is receiving government pay.

An officeholder must be paid even though the taxpayer go on half rations and in rags. Delinquent taxpayers have it said of them that they are not good citizens when they can't or don't pay taxes. They have no say in the amount to be paid, or how it is to be spent.

Among the Hedley visitors in Clarendon Saturday were Mrs. Richmond Bowlin, Mrs. Herbert Whitfield and children, Mrs. Ed Butler and her daughter, Mrs. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bourland were Fair visitors Monday.

Miss Margaret Kelley has enrolled in the Hockaday school for girls in Dallas.

"THE REST OF THE RECORD"
 BY JAMES V. ALLRED
 Governor of Texas

The newspapers during the past week have quoted members of the Senate Committee as predicting that the Legislature would block my program for new taxes unless the subjects of appropriations and reorganization are submitted.

Such statements by the senators are calculated to put me in the false position of being opposed to economy in state government when just the opposite is true and my record bears it out.

At the beginning of the regular session, I submitted the subject of appropriations and recommended the reorganization of certain state departments in the interest of economy. Not a single thing was done about it. In written messages to the Legislature, I stated definitely that while the Board of Control had recommended increases, and certain bills for salary increases were pending, I did not join in these recommendations; nor could I approve salary, or other, increases until and unless the Legislature provided additional taxes to pay them. My recommendations were ignored and appropriations substantially increased, even to the point as these senators now admit, of being "top-heavy." They would not have been "top-heavy" if my recommendations had been followed.

For the purpose of keeping the record straight, I wrote a friendly letter to Senator Albert Stone, which was not intended to criticize him or to rebuke him, but merely to point out some of the facts in the controversy that has been started in the newspapers. There are no personal differences between us. In order that the record may be kept straight and the people of Texas may have the facts in this "Rest of the Record," I am quoting the following excerpts from my letter to Senator Stone:

"In the first place, I recommended no increases (in appropriations) except a little more than a million dollars for our insane. You voted for all increases, either as a member of a conference committee or a member of the Senate; one of the biggest increases was in the departmental appropriation bill, for which you voted on May 22nd, as shown at page 2288 of the Senate Journal. Only four senators voted against this bill, and this was the biggest vote cast against any general appropriation bill in the Senate.

"I do not personally condemn you for these votes—I simply take the position that it is now the Legislature's duty to raise money to pay the increased appropriations they themselves made.

"You now suggest that I submit the matter of appropriations and reorganization of the government at a special session which can only last thirty days; and after the appropriations have been made for several months and acted upon by the departments, contracts having been let under them.

"I want to appeal to your sense of fairness, Senator, is it reasonable to suppose that, waiving the question as to whether it is equitable to try to work these appropriations over after the departments have acted upon them and contracts have been made, if I should submit this subject to a special session, the same Legislature would do something in thirty days that it failed to do during a four months' session?

"In any event, even if you passed any economy measures, which I seriously doubt, could I hope for the passage of necessary tax measures that you failed to pass during a four months' session if the calendar is cluttered with anything other than revenue measures. As Governor, I am firmly convinced that no substantial saving would actually be accomplished."

The Legislature has submitted several constitutional amendments. The people have voted these amendments. No one can deny but what it is my duty as Governor to recommend a revenue program to finance the people's program. Is it reasonable to expect that the Legislature who so recently passed the appropriation by overwhelming votes, would now reverse themselves and substantially reduce the appropriations? I point to the fact that only four senators voted against the general departmental appropriation bill in the regular session. This vote is typical of all other votes on appropriation bills.

"You were a member of the conference committee which recommended the passage of the educational appropriation bill—and 'admittedly top-heavy appropriation'—and you voted for the passage of this bill on May 22nd as shown at page 2308 of the Senate Journal.

"You voted for the passage of the eleemosynary appropriation bill on May 19th, as shown at page 1905 of the Senate Journal.

"But that's not all: There is a further contrasting record for 'economy':

"You voted for Senate Bill 14, which donated \$350,000.00 State taxes to Harris County each year for ten years, a total of \$3,500,000. I vetoed this bill, and you voted to override my veto and give this money to Harris County notwithstanding. Senate Journal, page 910.

"You voted for an \$821,000.00 appropriation for an insane asylum in East Texas. Senate Journal, page 1592. I vetoed this and saved \$821,000.00.

"You voted for House Bill 24, which appropriated and diverted approximately \$1,500,000.00 each year for soil conservation work—and the Legislature did not provide other taxes to take the place of the diversion for which you voted. Senate Journal, pages 1588 and 2134. I vetoed it and saved the taxpayers \$1,500,000.00 per year.

"You voted for the departmental appropriation bill (S. J. 2228), which carried an appropriation of \$750,000.00 for a Big Bend park, and \$250,000.00 for a cotton research laboratory. The Legislature provided no funds to take care of this appropriation, and I saved the taxpayers one million dollars by vetoing it.

"Thus, it will be seen that in addition to the 'admittedly top-heavy appropriations,' which you now wish to correct, you voted for a total of almost seven million dollars, which I vetoed. I am wondering if you can point to any such saving that you made for the taxpayers during the regular session? Or to any vote to save the taxpayers that much money? Had it not been for my vetoes, the State would now be about seven million dollars more 'in the hole' as a result of the measures for which you voted.

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PASTIME THEATRE

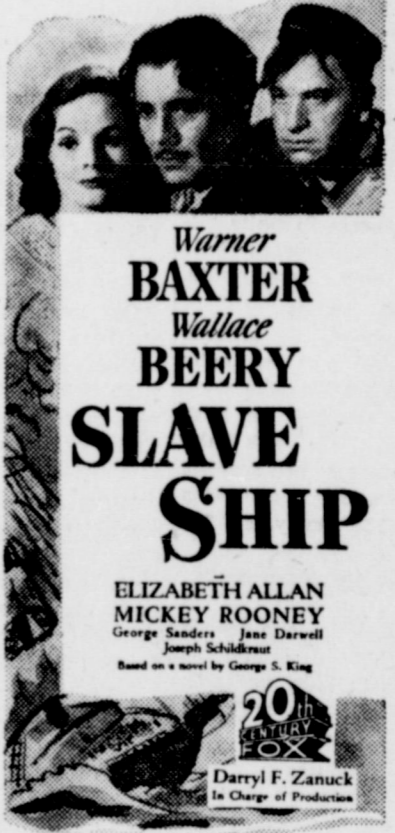
LAST TIME—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24th.

Janet Gaynor and Fredric March
 —in—
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TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY—SEPT. 28-29th.
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Thursday & Friday—Sept. 30, October 1st.

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In this day and age the man who waits for business to come to him is in for a disappointment. Business people over the country have found this more true in recent years.

It is up to the man who wants business to go after it—and there is no better medium than to advertise. As time rolls on it is more noticeable that people are seeking bargains in all purchases.

Business firms everywhere have proved that business can and does keep up by consistent and persistent advertising and sales effort. But it must be consistent and values must be kept high.

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Donley County Leader

CARD OF THANKS

The kindness and sympathy shown us at the death of our father will always be held in grateful remembrance, and we wish to take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks to our many friends for their expressions of sympathy.

Julia Jenkins
 Irma Osborne
 Leon O. Lewis, Jr.

Mrs. J. A. White of Uvalde is visiting in Clarendon this week.

Who is growing the slick skinned, yellow melons that look like a cross between a Honeyball and a Casaba? Some fellow was seen in town with a batch week before last, and the one we got was sour. We just want to buy a better one this time, save the seed and send them to friends. I've been told that the melons sell better than cantaloupes, taste better and grow faster besides standing dry weather better. Who can tell us all about them?

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In MGM's
A DAY AT THE RACES
 with ALLAN JONES
 MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN
 MARGARET DUMONT

Also Color Cartoon and Comedy.
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 EVENING SHOW—7:45

Three Marx Brothers Present a Field Day of Laughs in "A Day at the Races"

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Groucho, Harpo and Chico Keep . . . Audiences in Uproar of Mirth

ACTION AND DIALOGUE ARE SIDE - SPLITTING

Splendid Singing of Allan Jones Affords Contrast to Marxian Capers

A horse-doctor pretending to be a specialist on "double blood pressure," a jockey who spurs his horse to win by showing the nag a picture of a man the horse doesn't like, and a vendor of incredibly bad racing tips will have you bent double in laughter when you see "A Day at the Races," which shows two days, Thursday and Fri., at the Pastime Theatre, with the three Marx Brothers portraying the funniest roles of their entire careers in a picture which is an uproarious guffaw from be-

gining to end. Groucho Marx plays the horse doctor, Harpo the jockey, and Chico the vendor of bad tips. Assisting them in some of the most amusing situations ever conceived for a motion picture are Maureen O'Sullivan, the talented singing juvenile, Allan Jones, the stately Margaret Dumont whose dignity is constantly being pricked by one or all three Marxes, Esther Muir, who undergoes terrific "punishment" from the comedians, Leonard Ceeley, Douglas Dumbrile and others. The hand-picked cast could not have been improved upon.

Even the maddest of the Marxian antics usually have a straightforward plot to fall back on, and "A Day at the Races" is no exception. In this case the complications ensue when creditors attempt to take over a sanitarium owned by Maureen O'Sullivan. Groucho, Harpo and Chico come

to her rescue, and their attempts to run the sanitarium and, in conclusion, to raise enough cash to pay off the mortgage by winning a horse race, provide the groundwork for madcap action and dialogue which keeps the onlooker in a state of near-hysteria.

The scene in which the lunatical Marxes paste Esther Muir to the wall behind a barrage of wallpaper, the screamingly funny medical examination in which Groucho attempts to explain to Margaret Dumont why she should swallow a pill the size of a hen's egg, the episode in which Groucho tries every expedient to hide the fact that he is a veterinarian—these and countless others stand out as incidents actually too funny to describe. They must be seen to be appreciated.

But there is more than mere humor in "A Day at the Races." There is the attractive singing of Allan Jones in such hit numbers as "Tomorrow Is Another Day," "On Blue Venetian Waters" and "A Message from the Man in the Moon." There is a novelty song by Groucho, and Chico plays the piano while Harpo strums his famous harp. A highlight, also is a spectacular water carnival episode introducing a lovely ballet.

MIDWAY

Mrs. John Goldston

The fall harvesting has started in Midway. Binders are going at present. The cotton is opening and cotton picking will soon begin. The ladies are all busy canning beans and peas, of which Midway has an abundance of since the nice rains. The trucks are still busy.

Locals
Miss Billy Joe Wilson of Amarillo, formerly here, visited with Mrs. Fannie Rector Sunday and they both made a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson of Alanreed.

Roy Wilson of Alanreed and Jarrett Wilson of Pampa were in Clarendon Saturday on business.

Midway folks are grieved to hear of the serious illness of their former neighbor, Mr. Charley Jones. We are wishing for an improvement.

Midway will be well represented at the Amarillo Fair Wednesday, Clarendon Day. A large number are planning on going.
Two of our boys Darrell Meaders and Joe Williams will play in the Clarendon band.

Donley County will be given a boost at the Fair by the Corbin family who went up the past Friday and took a lot of things to represent Donley County. We are expecting them to win many blue ribbons as usual.

Word was received from Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chamberlain and



Here, Groucho and Chico Marx in "A Day at the Races" Showing Thursday & Friday at Pastime Theatre. (Advt.)

Lucille Goldston who have been at Corpus Christi the past two months, that they will be home about the 26th.

Personals
Mr. and Mrs. Clampitt of Clarendon and J. C. Longan were dinner guests in the Longan home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Porter Arnold and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Watters were afternoon visitors.

The Bullman family of Martin visited in the Moreland home Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelse Robinson were Hedley visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Arnold and children spent Sunday in the Ed Mooring home at Goldston.

Mr. and Mrs. Humble of Long Beach, Calif. spent the week end in the Nelse Robinson home. They were enroute to Oklahoma. Mrs. Humble is a sister of Mr. Robinson.

37 school children are riding the Midway bus to school now.

Mrs. Margaret Osburn went in Monday with her daughter Margaret Ann, to start her to school.

Mr. Allgren who has been employed at Lella is at home now for the fall gathering of the crops.

Mrs. P. O. Thompson was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Walter Clifford Friday.

Mr. John Potter and daughter, Mrs. Harlow are attending the fair at Amarillo (Mon. and Tues.)

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Harelin of Amarillo spent the week end in the Potter home.

Ernest Davis of Silverton is here this week attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Millsap and sons Jimmie Roy and Sam Franklin of Shamrock were week end guests in the John Goldston home. Mrs. Rolle Brumley and daughter Shirley of Paducah, Mrs. Harry Brumley and Mrs. Joe Goldston of Clarendon, were Sunday visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Seaton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Glenn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Seaton and George went to McLean Sunday where they met a sister Mrs. Mc Neal of Brice for a visit.

Mrs. Roberta Wood of Long Beach, Calif. is visiting her sister Mrs. John Naylor.

Mrs. R. A. Chamberlain of Clarendon was a week end guest in the John Chamberlain home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Johnston of Tuscola, Tex. who are cousins of the D. E. Stevenson were week end guests in their home.

Mrs. John Naylor, Mrs. Roberta Wood, Mrs. Waldron and Miss Vada Waldron visited with Mrs. Pyrette of Amarillo the past week.

Miss Vada Waldron of Clarendon has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Naylor prior to leaving for Argentina, S. A. as a missionary.

Charles Naylor spent Sunday in the John Chamberlain home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meaders, Miss Katie Meaders, Darrell Meaders and Mary Ella Williams went to McLean Sunday to visit in the Franklin home, who are grandparents of Darrell.

Mrs. Hefner returned home the past Monday from Rodessa, N. M. where she has spent the summer for her health.

Joe Williams went to Amarillo Monday, as one of the 4th judging team at the fair.

Guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eanes Friday were Mrs. Roberta Wood of California, Mrs. John Naylor, Mrs. Waldron, Miss Vada Waldron.

Mrs. Quattlebaum visited with Mrs. Pickering Sunday.

Miss Margery Harlen who is teaching in the Lella Lake school spent the week end with her folks.

Joe Williams was one of the Clarendon judging team that judged the poultry at the Amarillo Fair Monday. We have received the word they won second place as

HE SAID A MOUTHFUL!

The following is a copy of a letter actually received by a business house from a business house, from whom they had repeatedly called for additional payments on his account:

Gentlemen:

I wish to inform you that the present shattered condition of my bank account makes it impossible for me to send you a check in response to your request. My present financial condition is due to the effect of the Federal Laws, State Laws, County Laws, Incorporation Law, By-Laws, Brother-in-Laws and Outlaws, that have been hoisted upon an unsuspecting public. Through these various laws I have been held down, held up, sat on, walked upon, flattened, squeezed and broke until I do not know what I am, where I am, or why I am.

These laws compel me to pay a merchant tax, capital tax, exercise tax, incorporation tax, amusement tax, luxury tax, telephone toll tax, real estate tax, property tax, liquor tax, auto tax, gas tax, light tax, water tax, stock tax, city sales tax, income tax, social security tax, unemployment tax, gasoline tax, cigar tax, school tax, syntax and carpet tax, and when I am dead they look for an inheritance tax. In addition to these taxes, I am requested and required to contribute to every society and organization that the inventive mind of man can invent and organize; to the Society of Saint John the Baptist, the Dorcas Society, the Y.M.C.A., the Gold Dig-

ger's Home, also to every hospital and charitable institution in town; the Red Cross, the Black Cross, the White Cross, the Flaming Cross and Double Cross. The Government has so governed my business that I do not know who owns it. I am suspected, expected, inspected and disrespected; examined, re-examined, informed, required, commanded and compelled until all I know is I am supposed to provide an inexhaustible supply of money for every known and unknown deed, desire or hope of the human race, and because I refuse to donate to all and then go out and get, borrow or steal money to give away, I am ousted, cussed, discussed, boycotted, talked to, talked about, lied about, held up, held down, and robbed until I am just about ruined. The only reason I am clinging to life at all is to see what the hell is coming next.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holtzclaw of Goodnight announce the birth of a son, Donald Rogers Holtzclaw, on September 16th. Weight 11 pounds. Mrs. L. S. Lusk of Perrin, mother of Mrs. Holtzclaw, is visiting them.

Sales Pads at the Leader.

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ALL WASHDAY SIGNS POINT TO

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- .. CAREFUL HANDLING
- .. EXTRA CONVENIENCE
- .. GREATER ECONOMY

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Any way you judge a Maytag, it justifies its reputation for leadership. It gives you lower-cost washings for more years and keeps the clothes at home where sanitary conditions are under your own control. You can see they are clean—you can feel that they are clean and healthful.

The new, improved Maytag gives you finer quality, greater convenience than ever. You are assured of unequalled performance by its one-piece, cast-aluminum tub, sediment trap, Gyrtator washing action, Roller Water Remover and other distinctive advantages. Any Maytag may be had with gasoline Multi-Motor for homes without electricity.

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Purina Laying Chows Fit Your Needs!

NO MATTER whether you have lots of grain or have no grain at all, Purina Laying Chows are profitable for you to use. If you have lots of grain, feed Purina Lay Chow, the mash feed that furnishes what grain lacks. If you have no grain,

feed Purina Layena, the complete all-in-one feed that makes more eggs and better eggs.

Both Lay Chow and Layena are fortified with Pur-a-tene, the new vitamin A concentrate. See us today for prices on Lay Chow and Layena.

IF YOU HAVE GRAIN FEED



IF YOU HAVE NO GRAIN FEED



Clarendon Hatchery

Clarendon Youth Likes His Work at CC Camp

Roy Carlile came over to spend the week end with home folks. He is a member of the CC camp improving Palo Duro State Park. He states that seven miles of improved highway has been completed which includes seven crossings of the scenic stream meandering down the canyon. Roy expects to take advantage of the school.

BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pegram a girl, weighing 7 1/4 pounds, Monday.

Sales Pads at the Leader.

Marx Brothers at Pastime Two Days Next Week

The first picture accompanied by actual words at the Pastime was that of "Cocoanuts," a comic of the Marx brothers. Sometimes, you recall, the picture would get ahead or behind the timing of the words, and that added to the comic aspect of the show. Perhaps Mr. Mulkey selected a comic for the try-out period purposely, that we might not know the difference.

Soon the machine swung into precision and the talkies became a permanent fixture. Next Thursday and Friday the Marx brothers will present "A Day at the Races" at the Pastime. For downright silly comic stuff, they are the best.

Utilities Company Offers \$40,000 In Prizes

Believing that West Texans have an opportunity to "cash in" on a national contest, the West Texas Utilities company yesterday invited all Clarendon citizens to participate in a \$40,000 contest on the "electrical standard of living."

The company will cooperate with a national firm in distribution of two grand prizes and 10 prizes each worth \$200 each week for 10 weeks. Chas. Lowry, local manager, announced. Entry blanks may be secured at the local office, he said.

"All you have to do is write 100 words on why the electrical way of living appeals to you," he said. "Although similar to our recent contest for a new name for women, in which Neocretress was chosen as a substitute for housewife, there is no connection.

"In this new contest, the grand prize will be a \$12,000 all-electric home. Second prize is an \$8,000 home. Winners of these two prizes will be chosen from winners of weekly prizes. The contest will last 10 weeks, beginning at once. Both men and women may enter, sending in entries each week."

Entries must be made on the official entry blank, he said, which gives all details and instructions. The entry blank may be obtained by request at the office here.

Brazille Displays Quality Fruits of Donley

Naturally interested in Stark products which he represents, R. L. Brazille is this week displaying three fine varieties of fruits. Stark Golden Delicious grown by Tom Tate northeast of Hedley, and Stark Red Delicious grown by R. A. Grant near Goldston. County attorney R. Y. King has some very fine Indian peaches of the Stark variety.

"Fruit trees in Donley county have fewer insect pests, and receive less attention than any orchards anywhere," one of our leading fruit growers stated recently. The fruit crop this year was above par and will likely encourage a number to plant out orchards.

W. H. Youngblood of Brice was a Clarendon visitor Saturday.

TRI-STATE FAIR ATTENDANCE REACHES NEW PEAK WHEN OLD SETTLERS MEET

Panhandle old settlers, around 2,000 of them, had their day at the Tri-State Fair yesterday in a colorful reunion at which Gov. James V. Allred was the principal speaker.

The grandstand at the fair grounds was packed with more than 3,500 persons for the annual reunion of the Panhandle Old Settlers Association and the youngest Texas governor's speech, which included a statement that the association was one of the most important organizations in Texas.

From all over the Panhandle came the old settlers, and 164 new names, of persons who have been in the Panhandle 25 years or more, were added to the roster, bringing the total to approximately 2,000.

Old Settlers Welcomed

Jep Todd of Canadian, who presided at the meeting, was elevated from the vice-presidency to the presidency of the organization and Floyd Studer of Amarillo was re-elected secretary. Vice presidents elected are W. C. Dinwoodie of Tullia, O. H. Finch of Dalhart, Mrs. R. B. Masterson of Amarillo and O. T. Nicholson of Shamrock.

Mayor Ross Rogers and Gene A. Howe, president of the Fair Association, welcomed the old settlers to Amarillo and the fair. Mayor Rogers said the reunion was one of the most important events of the fair.

The audience paid silent tribute to Wilbur C. Hawk, who was president of the fair association when he died. Silent tribute was also paid deceased members of the association.

Allred Likes Hospitality

Governor Allred flew from Austin in a National Guard plane for the reunion and the afternoon rodeo. In introducing the governor, Mr. Todd said, "He is a great governor. No other governor of Texas has shown as much interest in the Panhandle as had Jimmie Allred. He has been here often enough to know us and be one of us. I am glad that the biggest crowd ever to greet a governor in Amarillo is here today."

Governor Allred said that the reason he visited the Panhandle so frequently was that he liked the hospitality of the West.

"I like this revival of the old western spirit," said the governor, whose parents settled in Childress County and lived in a dug-out. "I love the hospitality, the help-yourself spirit, of the people here. The pioneer period was the greatest in our history. It left lasting effects on the hardy people. It was a period of sound government. The best manhood and womanhood were developed then."

In yesterday's delegations were bands from Clarendon, Happy, Tullia, Canyon, Panhandle, Dalhart, Memphis, Pampa, Stratford and Claude.

Eight thousand was the estimated attendance at the Rodeo at 2 p. m. yesterday. The grand stand was filled and all available seating capacity in the bleachers taken. Several hundred stood or sat on the ground.

The Rodeo is easily placed as the best in existence at this time. This is the candid opinion of old-timers who have seen riding, roping and bulldogging at its best through the years of ranch history.

Trick roping as never shown before. The act of the high school horse brings forth most cheers. "The horse with a human brain," is the compliment paid the snow white horse whose acting is amazing.

Rev. J. Perry King, Ralph Andis and H. T. Burton were among the Clarendon folks to admire the wonderful exhibit.

Hunt Dust Bowl

Visitors from other states were astounded when shown county exhibits from the alleged dust bowl belt. Dr. Loyd of Vega took particular pride in talking about the plains products. On every side one could hear anathemas poured upon Collier's Weekly for the unethical article casting reflections upon the Panhandle. Especially is this true when it has been said that no other set of people in the world have stood their ground in face of such odds to come out winner as have those of the Panhandle of Texas.

In the talks of Pres. Gene Howe of the Fair Association, Pres. Jep Todd of the Old Settlers, both men paid their respects to the Collier's article in speaking to the Old Settlers on the regular program.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Curry of Amarillo spent week end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lafon.

Wins In Short Story Contest At Tri-State Fair

Miss Mary Cooke placed third in the short story contest of the literary division of the Tri-State Fair. Mrs. C. B. Eubanks and Mrs. Grace Guthrie both of Hereford were first and second respectively.

Otis Jackson of California arrived Tuesday night for a weeks visit with relatives.

FILLED PULPIT HERE

Rev. Ancil Lynn of Estelline, filled the pulpit at the Methodist Church here Monday evening. His son Billie, aged 12, and rated as a genius by several who heard him, gave a short pipe organ recital, the same evening.

Richard Morris, county attorney of Armstrong county, saw the football game here Friday night.

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