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Six Hurt, One Critically, In Bus Crash

Clarendon Moves To Secure Right Of Way For Overpass

BIG BUS CRASHES INTO TRUCK MILE EAST OF CITY

FRED DARBY, DRIVER, IS IN HOSPITAL HERE IN SERIOUS CONDITION

A Bowen bus company driver, Fred Darby of Wichita Falls, was critically injured and five of eight passengers received minor injuries or bruises when an Amarillo bound bus from Wichita Falls crashed into the rear of a heavy truck, loaded with watermelons, 1-2 miles east of Clarendon about 4:10 this morning.

Darby's right leg was badly crushed and was amputated above the ankle at the local hospital where the bus passengers were also taken for medical treatment. His face was badly crushed and internal injuries were feared.

Mrs. J. R. Dever of Amarillo and Mrs. W. A. Owens of Dallas were treated for injuries and released by hospital attendants. Other passengers who were shaken up or bruised included Charles Conley, Amarillo, Luther Nichols, Byers, Texas; Mrs. Ira Roden, Hereford; Mrs. Mary Frances Cooper, Dallas; Mrs. B. F. Mathews and daughter, Anna Beth, of Blooming Grove, Texas.

J. J. Davis, driver of the truck of Sunset, Texas, and his son, No explanation of the accident was forthcoming since the bus driver is still unconscious and his passengers were asleep at the time of the crash. The accident occurred near the bottom of a hill and both cars were traveling the same direction. Davis said he was going approximately 30 miles an hour when the bus crashed into his truck. The impact was so great both vehicles were propelled about 75 yards forward and watermelons were strewn over a wide area. The entire front end of the bus was demolished.

Darby was pinned in the wreckage and ambulance attendances were forced to cut away part of the bus to free him and a woman who was seated behind him. Mrs. Cooper of Dallas, one of the passengers, said that all the passengers were asleep and she had just dozed off when the crash occurred. She said Mr. Darby had been driving safely all along the route and the bus was running on schedule, having to wait some time at Childress so as not to be running ahead of schedule.

Mrs. David Johnson and grandson, Hardy Bonland, left Saturday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Grady Halbert, at Foard City.

Leap Year Fails To Spur Cupid During June

The Year of 1940, A. D., may be Leap Year, but it failed to make any difference in the marrying month of June in Donley County, according to the records of County Clerk Helen Wiedman. Only eight couples, the same number as of June, 1939, visited the County Clerk's office the past month and applied for licenses to wed.

And despite it being the year for ladies' proposals, Dan Cupid still appears to be "laying down" on the job, since fewer marriage licenses have been issued to date this year than at this time a year ago.

POSTAL RECEIPTS GAIN \$155.12 IN 6-MONTH PERIOD

Postal receipts showed a gain of \$155.12 for the first six months of 1940 over the same period of time a year ago, according to Postmaster Forest W. Taylor.

Total receipts at the end of the second quarter of 1940, ending 5:03.97 at the end of the same 6-month period in 1939. Postal receipts for the first quarter of 1940, January through March, were \$3,344.97 in comparison with \$3,282.98 a year ago during this same period of time. Receipts for the second quarter of 1940, April through June, totalled \$3,314.12 in comparison with \$3,220.99 recorded in the second period in 1939.

Jimmy Miller Is Injured In Fall At Office Here

Jimmy Miller, manager of Wm. Cameron Lumber Company here, suffered a broken ankle late Saturday afternoon when he slipped and fell when stepping down from a shelf in the company's office.

(Mr. Miller was taking records from a small upstairs room and was stepping down at the time the accident occurred.)

X-rays were taken of the ankle at the local hospital Sunday. Mr. Miller is confined at his home this week.

Bille Lou and Hazel Gilbert were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Donley Farmers To Save \$21,000 A Year Through Reduced Rates On Federal Land Bank Loans

Farmers in Donley County will save about \$21,000 a year as a result of the legislation just enacted by Congress affecting interest rates on Federal Land Bank and Land Bank Commissioner Loans. The temporary rate of 3 1-2 per cent on first mortgage Land Bank loans will be continued for two years ending June 30, 1942. During this period the interest rate on first and second mortgage Land Bank Commissioner Loans will be reduced from 4 to 3 1-2 per cent. Land Bank and Commissioner loans were originally written at contract rates averaging about 5 per cent.

At present 382 Donley County farmers and ranchmen have Land Bank and Commissioner Loans outstanding aggregating \$1,411,155. The difference between the contract rate and the temporary rate thus effects a substantial saving for farmers. In a statement from Wash-

Donley Named to Participate In Farm Tenant Purchase Program

INFORMATION ON PROGRAM MAY BE SECURED FROM JOHN E. BURCH

Donley County has been designated by Henry A. Wallace, secretary of agriculture, as a county in which the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Purchase program will operate this year.

News of the selection of Donley County was received here this week by John E. Burch, Rural Rehabilitation Supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, following three years of this county's efforts to participate in this program.

Loans will be made available to qualified tenant farmers, sharecroppers and farm laborers with which to purchase their own farms. The loans are made for a period of 40 years at three per cent interest.

Although only a limited number of loans will be made in this county, all tenants, sharecroppers and farm laborers may make application.

A county Advisory Committee will be appointed in the near future to select the applicants and aid in the selection of farms to be purchased.

Selections from among applicants for farm ability is a basic requirement for applicants.

The Farm Tenant Purchase Program is one of the weapons which the Department of Agriculture is using to combat the growing problem of farm tenancy. Administered by the Farm Security Administration, farmers who receive loans are assured by this agency by the sited of adequate farm and home plans which largely insure the repayment of loans. Only farms within Donley County may be purchased by the farmers.

To prevent land speculation several safeguards have been devised by the FSA. The price per acre must be in keeping with its value and earning capacity.

Farmers desiring to make application for one of the purchase loans or to obtain further information about the program, are asked to contact Mr. John E. Burch at the Farm Security Administration Office in the Goldston Building, Clarendon, Texas.

Connally Regrets He's Unable To Be Here On 4th

Senator Tom Connally who was invited to Clarendon's July 4th Celebration and couldn't be present because of official duties in Washington, wired his regrets to the celebration committee this past week.

Senator Connally's telegram was: General Chairman Sam M. Braswell, Coronado Rancho Roundup and Fourth of July Celebration: Greatly regret imperative official duties requiring my presence here make it impossible to be with you today. Cordial greetings to all present and best wishes for successful program. TOM CONNALLY, United States Senator.

INDIANA VISITORS HERE

Dr. Wm. Gear Spencer, wife and two children of Franklin, Ind., arrived here Friday evening for a visit with Editor and Mrs. Sam M. Braswell. Dr. Spencer is President of Franklin College, an institution owned and controlled by the Northern Baptist Convention, and is a brother of Mrs. Braswell. Mrs. Spencer, son, Lewis, and daughter, Ellen, are on their first visit to Texas. Dr. Spencer having visited briefly here and in other Texas points before.

The Spencers left Wednesday morning on their return trip by way of St. Louis.

MERCURY HITS 110 DEGREES ON TUESDAY

HOT SPELL SENDS READING OVER 100 DEGREES FOR THIRD STRAIGHT DAY

Heat records for 1940 tumbled here this week as summer weather really bore down on Clarendon.

The city experienced the hottest day of the year Tuesday when the mercury hit 110 degrees. The minimum temperature on this day was 67.

Wednesday's high was 109, and the reading Monday was recorded by Weatherman Joe Goldston at 104.

Clarendon's hot spell continued today with no immediate relief in sight.

Moisture is badly needed for grass and pasture in this area, and a good rain would revive crop prospects.

July, 1939's highest reading was 104 degrees, recorded on

BRAME INJURED IN ACCIDENT ON HIGHWAY

A Mr. Brame who lives two miles east of Clarendon was injured late Monday afternoon when he was struck by a pickup truck on highway 287 east of town about a mile and a half.

Sheriff Guy Pace investigated the accident and said that Mr. Brame was taken to the local hospital where he was treated for a crushed ankle and cuts and bruises about the face and shoulders.

Sheriff Pierce said Brame was leading a cow down the highway when a sudden the animal pulled across the road and in front of the automobile which was traveling east. The pickup truck was hauling produce between Dallas and Amarillo and was stopped by J. B. Jackson and W. H. Bulard.

Sheriff Pierce said Brame was taken to the local hospital by Mrs. Nellie Kutner who was coming toward Clarendon at the time of the accident.

Marryin' Folks Is JP Duty Even At 2:45 a. m.

There's no rest for the weary when it comes to performing marriage ceremonies. It's a duty of the Justice of Peace — whether it's 2:45 a. m. or 2:45 p. m.

And so it was with Justice of Peace R. C. Weatherly who has performed all kinds of marriage ceremonies at all times of the day and night.

Justice Weatherly finished half of his night's rest when he stayed up to perform a ceremony at 2:45 a. m., July 5. The couple, Leo Oles and Marguerite Aggoner, were Goodnight, wa to have been around to it until 2:45 a. m. according to Justice Weatherly.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Newman and children spent Sunday at Lake McClellan.

Martha Thompson of Memphis and Betty Jane Thompson of Hedley were here Friday.

5.2 MILES PAVING ON 18 SOUTH TO BE ADDED

DEPT. TELLS REEVES WORK TO BEGIN IN TEN DAYS

Paving of 5.2 miles added to the 3.6 constructed last year on Highway 18 South of Clarendon, is expected to get under way in a few days, according to a statement made Commissioner G. G. Reeves here yesterday by the divisional engineer's office of the highway department in Amarillo.

Last detail papers were forwarded to the county court here to be handled in routine manner as usual, and the fencing on either side of the right of way provided by the county will be completed in ten days according to Mr. Reeves. All right of way for the road South to the Hall County line has been secured and paid for.

Work had been promised heretofore. This prompt action on the part of the department and the developments assuring the over-pass here with the approaches at either end, give the county a promise of \$193,000 construction within the next year on the North-South highway 18, and fulfill the expectations of the promoters here for 1940, with still other improvements needed for complete achievement of the North-South project, from Perryton to Del Rio.

ELECTION PARTY SET FOR NIGHT OF JULY 27TH

The Clarendon News, Douglas & Goldston Drug Co., and Bryson Clothing Co., will again stage an election party on the night of July 27, and everyone is invited to attend this annual election event.

The party will get under way about 7:30 p. m., and a large blackboard will be erected on the front of the Goldston building so that all who attend will be posted on their favorite candidates.

A loudspeaker system will be used to announce the results to the crowd, and in between announcements music will be provided for entertainment.

Arrangements will be made with voting judges to telephone results to the party headquarters as soon as tabulations are completed, and these figures will immediately be placed on the blackboard.

A radio will be used to receive State election bureau results.

B. P. BRENTS' FATHER IS STILL SERIOUSLY ILL

B. P. Brents returned Tuesday morning from Colorado Springs, Colo., where he was called due to the serious illness of his father, W. O. Brents.

Mr. Brents, an employee of the Clarendon Furniture Store, left last Tuesday to be with his father. He reports the condition of his father as being "about the same."

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Newman and children spent Sunday at Lake McClellan.

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Absentee Voting Gets Under Way This Week

Absentee voting in Donley County got off to a strong start this week with nine ballots being cast in the office of Miss Helen Wiedman, County Clerk, and 16 ballots being mailed out at the request of voters.

Miss Wiedman said that absentee balloting for the first three days of this year exceed that of 1938 during the same period.

Two more weeks of absentee voting remain, the last day being Wednesday, July 24.

ELECTION JUDGES ARE NAMED FOR PRIMARY VOTING

A list of the voting boxes, the precincts, and the precinct chairmen for the July 27th Democratic primary were announced this week by J. T. Patman, secretary of the county Democratic Committee.

The boxes, precincts and chairmen are as follows: Precinct one, Goldston, Wilson Gray; precinct two, Clarendon Court House, J. T. Patman; precinct three, Lelia Lake, A. B. Bynum; precinct four, ...

Rowe, A. O. Heffner; precinct seven, Jericho, W. E. James; precinct eight, Glenwood-Whitefish, Dave Turner; precinct nine, Watkins, Oma Hill.

Precinct 10, Bray, Louis Spier; precinct 11, Martin, W. E. Hodges; precinct 12, Wilson, John Goldston; precinct 13, Skillet, Buck Glass; precinct 14, Smith, Charlie Crow; precinct 15, McKnight, P. C. Messer; precinct 16, Ashtola, J. A. Johnson; precinct 17, Naylor, A. E. Tidrow; and precinct 18, Clarendon City Hall, Harry Brumley.

Three Injured In Auto Collision Here July 4th

Mr. and Mrs. Brit Melton and 5-year-old daughter were injured slightly in a Fourth of July auto collision which occurred two blocks west of the courthouse.

They were treated at the local hospital for cuts about the face and then released.

County officers investigated the accident and said that the Melton car collided with another car driven by James H. Jones, negro.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grigg of Wellington spent Sunday in the B. P. Brents home.

Coronado Rancho-Roundup Is Most Successful July 4th Celebration Ever To Be Staged In Clarendon

Between 5,000 and 8,000 persons jammed Clarendon July 3-4 during the Coronado Rancho-Roundup celebration to make it the most successful July Fourth event ever staged in this city.

Although no authentic figures are available as to the size of the crowd, thousands were entertained here by rodeos, pageants, speaking, dancing, fireworks and parades in a good old-fashioned celebration in which the days of the old west were relived once again.

It was the city's fifty-fifth observance of Independence Day.

Isadore Mellinger, acting secretary-treasurer of the celebration committee, reported today that the celebration was also a financial success, and that a complete financial report would not be ready for publication until next week. However, he did release figures which revealed that \$1,578.50 was the total re-

ceipts for the four performances at the football stadium, two rodeos and two pageants. Of these four events the rodeo held on July Fourth netted the most—\$973.

Mellinger also acknowledged that the committee made \$59 from concessions, \$31.50 from the Sponsors' dance, and received contributions from local merchants amounting to \$373.50.

Moving promptly at 1 p. m., on both July 3rd and 4th, a colorful two-mile parade provided the most spectacular cavalcade consisting of hundreds of cowboys and cowgirls, chuck-wagons, floats, and various other attractive displays.

Cowboys were here from a number of nearby ranches, including the J. A., the R. O., the Shoe Nail, the Mill Iron and the Lewis and Chamberlain. And

CITIZENS VOTE CONDEMNATION OF PROPERTY

ACTION IS TAKEN MONDAY AT MASS MEETING OF LOCAL TAXPAYERS

About fifty Clarendon citizens and tax payers, at a called mass meeting Monday morning at the courthouse, voted to have the city commission condemn such property needed for the \$110,000 overpass right of way and to increase city taxes ten cents per \$100 valuation to pay expenses incurred in the move.

Faced with the possibility of losing the overpass which would link highways 18 and 287, Clarendon citizens took quick action to prevent the Texas Highway Department from diverting funds for this project to another county.

Upon immediate notification of Clarendon's action, the highway department sent W. H. Bogle of Fort Worth here to complete a few minor details in the survey for the overpass.

The overpass issued has been deadlocked for some time with Mrs. J. B. McClelland and Dr. T. H. Ellis stoutly maintaining their intentions of fighting in court the project which would cut large slices off their residential blocks.

According to the state highway department, the two overpasses would join the two highways about one-half mile west of the business district. Highway 18, from Pampa to north, would be re-routed over the Fort Worth & Denver tracks to connect highway 287 from Amarillo west. Both Mrs. McClelland and Dr. Ellis have large adjoining homestead estates.

Attorneys for the landowners told the city council last week that their clients considered the project would make their land almost worthless. The highway right of way would clip a corner off Mrs. McClelland's garage and pass directly over two wells and some outbuildings owned by Dr. Ellis. It would also pass within less than 100 feet of the residences.

Leading spokesmen at the meeting declared the overpass was an important link in the long-sought Canada-to-Gulf highway project. They also stated the highway department is "all ready to go ahead with this bit of work, and they have shown no inclination to re-route the road, other than this survey."

Mrs. McClelland could not be reached for a statement and Dr. Ellis is vacationing in San Antonio. However it was indicated by attorneys that "every means would be taken," to prevent the present project from being carried out.

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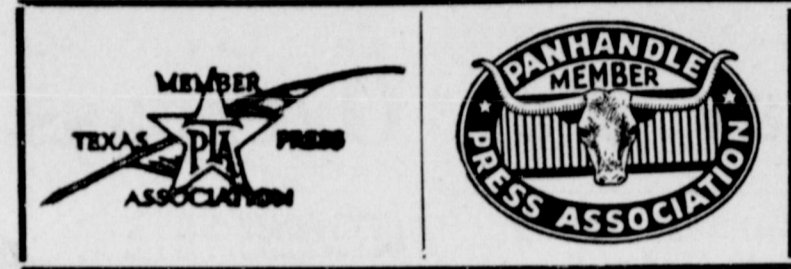
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LET'S GET RID OF THIS BORING ENEMY

Wake up America!
There's a deadly creature boring within — and it's aim is to destroy a free and loving nation.

It's that same Nazi serpent which brought about the destruction of Austria, Poland, Czecho-Slovakia, Norway, Holland and Belgium. It stops at nothing and leaves a path of ruin and destruction behind it.

We have it! Yes, it's right here in America today! And it's up to us patriotic Americans to rid ourselves of it.

We in America know it by the name of "Fifth Columnist," a creature trained in the dissemination of poisonous propaganda. Its object is to destroy national unity, to keep the United States in a state of confusion over all world issues so that we will be weak and helpless when our time comes.

Yes, it can happen here! It happened in Norway; it happened in Belgium and Holland; and it can happen anywhere.

England has already taken sharp precautionary measures to get rid of it. Thousands there have been arrested and jailed, and thousands of others are being watched daily.

America will do well to follow England's lead in ridding itself of this deadly enemy from within.

It's up to the American Legion, the V. F. W. and all other patriotic organizations to do the job. Let's get our Congressmen, our newspapers, our influential citizens, and others who want to keep this a free country to bring pressure upon our Congress for stringent measures dealing with this boring enemy.

Let's not get caught napping! Let's wake up and stay wide awake! Let's get the job done now — before it's too late!

TROJAN HORSE IN OUR SCHOOLS

The red Trojan horse is in our schools!
In 4,000 school systems in the United States the Rugg Social Science textbooks are used according to Mervin K. Hart, president of the New York State Economic Council.

In one of the "Teacher's Guide and Pupil's Work Book," of the Rugg series in our school it states that of 315 pupils, 88 per cent answered a question as to which is the best country in the world with the answer that "the United States is unquestionably the best country in the world." (Even in Europe today, most of the people believe this).

However, this is how the Rugg book comments on that natural answer from American boys and girls:

"Now, the attitude expressed by most of these pupils is one that we decidedly do not want to develop in our classes."

In other words, our children must not be taught that theirs is the best country in the world according to the Rugg theory.

Thank heaven there are some American teachers who can see through such Red propaganda. Already Rugg textbooks have been thrown out of the Binghamton, N. Y. public schools.

Not only should they be thrown out of every school in America, but the FBI and the Dies Committee should immediately begin an in-

HIS MASTER'S VOICE



JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"He Can't Hold On to That Butt Much Longer, Not Wid Dem Whiskers!"

investigation of the political personnel of our teachers.
It's our job to get rid of Fifth Column red textbooks and red teachers. Let our children be taught that America still stands as the greatest country in the world in which to live.

SUCKERS SIGN UP

It always has been a good rule: "Think before you act."
College professors have a time-honored way of impressing this upon their students. They often have done something like this:

Appearing before their class one morning with a long petition they ask the class to sign it. Sleepy, in a hurry, or just careless, they all do so, without reading the long petition itself. Then the professor plays his ace: he reads the petition which all have signed. It turns out that all have agreed to have their own heads cut off.

Moral: Don't do that.
Many a student learned in this simple but unfortunate way not to sign things without knowing what they are.

But not everybody has learned this simple lesson.

In Pennsylvania the Communist party wanted to get on the ballot. To do so, a certain number of signatures of voters on a petition was required, as is customary everywhere.

Evidently feeling that they did not have enough members of their own party to fill the petition to the required length, party workers went around seeking voters' signatures wherever they could get them.

Many people are willing to sign anything, especially a political petition. Many signed this one.

The Publishers Press of New York, smelling a rat, began to print the

had done.
"I thought it was a petition to keep the U. S. out of war!" cries one. "I was told it was to help people to get jobs," says another. "I thought it had something to do with the census," "I thought it was to keep the WPA at work." "I didn't read it. I have no idea it had anything to do with the Communist party."

People supposedly smarter than these innocent people have been taken in by organizations with aims laudable on the face, but which they were not in sympathy at all.

These are times when all must think. It is not the duty of a citizen in a democratic republic to think, than it to pay taxes or bear arms.

The defense of a democratic people is not in tanks and planes and guns, but in their ability to be alert, and clear-sighted

DESKINS IS ONE BOY WHO MADE GOOD AT HOME

By CURTIS COOK
WELLINGTON, Texas, June 27. — When Deskins (Deck) Wells, Wellington's publisher, farmer and first citizen, announced his candidacy for congress



DESKINS WELLS

from the 18th Texas district, Wellington staged a celebration which resembled a fete to armistice or, in Texas, the crowning of a football team to championship.

Rarely has the Panhandle witnessed such a sight as an entire community unified in the determination for any special goal. In all the community there is not a soul who is not wishing Desk Wells success in his campaign for congress.

Just Friends
The remarkable crusade of purpose to recognize a native son, its former mayor and for many years the interpreter of Wellington's thoughts, developed spontaneously. It is not an organized and high pressure drive. It is merely friends joining together to see what they can do for their good neighbor.

The man on the street talks for Wells. The business man leaves his commerce to distribute literature and boost the home town boy. Farmers and ranchmen who have known him all his life have become missionaries for his cause. These friends and neighbors are laying siege over the Panhandle, carrying the gospel about how much they think of the man they have known for so long.

Born Near Wellington
Desk Wells had nothing to do with the selection of his birthplace in the Texas Panhandle, but he has been proud of it all his life. He was born in Wellington and when he finished a brilliant collegiate career, he came back to Wellington to make his permanent home.

Almost fanatical in his belief that the Panhandle is the greatest spot on the face of this turbulent globe, Wells will stand up and fight stubbornly in de-



Words cannot express the sentiments that are conveyed by a glowing bouquet of flowers. Whatever the occasion be, contact our local representative and immediate service will be given you by the Panhandle's leading florist.

Cunningham Floral Co.
Amarillo
Represented by Douglas-Goldston Drug Company.

fense of the section.
He has fought for his area, which is vast enough to be an empire and bigger than some of the world's important nations, in his own newspaper, The Wellington Leader, in his representations to the leaders of the state and nation and in his leadership among his own people.
His purpose in asking for nomination is sincere. No one can doubt that, who has known him. Recognized all over the Southwest by newspaper men as one of the most progressive publishers in the state, Wells is also recognized by the friends and neighbors, who have known him every day of his life, as a man whose progressiveness has brought wide recognition to Wellington and the Panhandle.

Knows His People
Only a boy who has lived through the trying days of farm life and watched the prosperity of the land come and go thru many years could interpret the feelings of the citizens of the area as he does in a column which he writes for his paper. It is one of the most widely read regular features in the district, and it is popular because the Panhandle people have come to know it as an expression of their own thoughts and hopes.

Wells retains the simplicity which has made him a good neighbor in Wellington all the 38 years of his life.

Even with the crush of work attendant to a congressional race and the multiplicity of duties accompanying the publishing of a weekly ranked as one of the best in the state, he has time to stop and take notes on simple personal, news items which are of little note, but important to those concerned. Farmers stop him on the street and talk about their litter of pigs. Stockmen discuss pasturage and feed with him the same feeling of confidence they have always had in the "man who has raised pigs and cows."

Always Sympathetic
He has always found time to

Childress Rodeo Goers Will Hear U. S. Army Band

CHILDRESS — Visitors to the Lion Rodeo here Wednesday, July 17 will have the opportunity of hearing a U. S. Army band play for the matinee performance.

In addition to the band, the Army is sending armored scout cars, field artillery, anti-aircraft guns and other items of military equipment that will be on display.

A field kitchen will be set up at the Fair Park, and civilians will have the opportunity of seeing how Uncle Sam feeds his soldiers.

Soldiers will be on hand to answer any questions civilians may want to ask about the various items of military equipment and answer any questions about army life.

There will be a parade of the band and military equipment through the business section of Childress at 10:30 a. m. and another at 5 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. George Foster of Claude visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Forrest McCreary Wednesday.

Mary Lou Lindsey of Memphis spent this week in the Forrest McCreary home.

go to the farmer and ranchman and talk about the problems of those men who have struggles with the shifting fortunes of the West. And after he has talked with them, he has given them advice both in his personal insistence that they be recognized and in his writings. He understands them, because he is one of them.

Never before has a home town been so solidly behind a man in the race for any office.

There is something finer than just average when a man can make his whole town admire him and wish for his success.

Charter No. 5463 Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CLARENDON

IN THE STATE OF TEXAS

At the Close of Business on June 29, 1940

"Published in response to call made by Comptroller of Currency, under Section 5213, U. S. Revised Statutes."

ASSETS

Loans and discounts (including \$396.55 overdrafts)	\$110,102.93
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	140,422.81
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	6,977.59
Corporate stocks, notes, and debentures	7,984.71
Cash, balances with other banks, including Federal Reserve bank, and cash items in process of collection	2,450.00
Real estate owned \$5,557.18, fur. and fixt.	1,162.03
Real estate owned other than bank premises	76,797.75
Other assets	4,276.50
TOTAL ASSETS	\$354,895.84

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$245,711.36
Deposits of U. S. Government (including postal savings)	9,491.13
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	6,487.51
Deposits of banks	1,326.15
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	4,921.09
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$268,937.14
Other liabilities	34.50
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$268,971.64

CAPITAL ACCOUNT

(c) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	50,000.00
Surplus	31,600.00
Undivided profits	3,485.28
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	85,085.28
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$354,895.84

MEMORANDA

(a) U. S. Government obligations (book value); pledged, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	5,500.00
TOTAL	5,500.00
(b) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	5,500.00
TOTAL	5,500.00

State of Texas, County of Donley, ss:
I, W. W. Taylor, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly and believe.

W. W. TAYLOR, Cashier.
CORRECT-ATTEST:
ODOS CARAWAY
W. H. PATRICK
R. I. PATRICK
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of July, 1940.

J. T. PATMAN, Notary Public.

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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Clarendon
At Close of Business 1940
United States Government

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$110,102.93	Stock in Federal Reserve Bank 2,450.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank 2,450.00	Banking House, Fur. and Fixt. 6,719.00
Banking House, Fur. and Fixt. 6,719.00	Other Real Estate Owned 4,276.50
Other Real Estate Owned 4,276.50	Municipal Bonds and Securities 6,977.59
Municipal Bonds and Securities 6,977.59	Other Assets 7,984.71
Other Assets 7,984.71	United States Bonds \$140,422.81
United States Bonds \$140,422.81	Domestic Bonds 7,984.71
Domestic Bonds 7,984.71	Cash—Sight Exchange 76,797.75
Cash—Sight Exchange 76,797.75	
TOTAL \$354,895.84	TOTAL \$354,895.84

The above statement is correct. LOR, Vice President and Cashier

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Matinee Every Day 2:00
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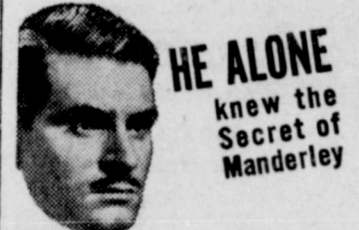
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FRI. SAT. — July 12-13
VIRGINIA BRUCE —and
RALPH BELLAMY—In

"Flight Angels"

COLOR CARTOON
10c — 15c

SAT. PREVUE - SUN. - MON.
July 13-15



HE ALONE
knew the
Secret of
Manderley



SHE STRUGGLED
against the
Secret of
Manderley



REBECCA

starring
LAURENCE OLIVIER
JOAN FONTAINE

Directed by **ALFRED HITCHCOCK**
Produced by **DAVID O. SELZNICK**
who made "GONE WITH THE WIND"

Released thru UNITED ARTISTS
COLOR CARTOON
10c - 30c Tax Included

TUESDAY ONLY — July 16
VERA ZORINA —and
RICHARD GREENE—In

"I Was An Adventuress"

SPORTS REEL
BARGAIN DAY 10c TO ALL

WED. - THUR. — July 17-18



starring
MARGARET SULLAVAN
JAMES STEWART

Robert Frank
YOUNG • MORGAN
a FRANK BORZAGE Production

with
Bonita Irene
STACK • GRANVILLE • RICH
William T. Maria
ORR • OUSPENSKAYA
Gene REYNOLDS
Directed by FRANK BORZAGE
TRAVELTALK IN COLOR
10c - 20c

—Coming Soon—

JULY 20-22
ROBERT TAYLOR —and
VIVIAN LEIGH—In
"Waterloo Bridge"

COZY THEATRE

SAT. ONLY — July 13
THE THREE MESQUITEERS
"Cowboys From Texas"

CHAPTER 8 OF—
"Dick Tracy's G-Men"

10c — 15c



Robert Young and Margaret Sullivan in "The Mortal Storm" at the Pastime, Wednesday and Thursday, July 17-18.

Thrilling Love Story And Chilling Mystery Unreel In "Rebecca"

Based on the popular, best-selling Daphne du Maurier novel, David O. Selznick's production of "Rebecca," which will have a gala premiere at the Pastime Theatre Saturday Prevue through United Artists release, was filmed with a cast whose list of stars reads like a screen Blue Book.

Laurence Olivier and Joan Fontaine appear in the principal starring roles, while the featured cast includes Reginald Denney, Judith Anderson, George Sanders, C. Aubrey Smith, Gladys Cooper, Florence Bates and Nigel Bruce. Alfred Hitchcock, who previously staged such successes as "The Lady Vanishes" and "The 39 Steps," directed "Rebecca" from the screen-play written by Robert E. Sherwood and Joan Harrison.

Under the direction of Lyle International, forty sets of the picture representing the picturesque backgrounds of the story were constructed for the film. Among the unusual settings are London streets, old taverns, a coroner's

office and a gloomy boathouse facing a windswept bay on the coast of Cornwall.

The largest set, depicting the Tudor estate known as Manderley, was built two stories high on a plot of ground which measured 100 by 125 feet. All sets were first built in miniature from the descriptions of locales and buildings written by Miss du Maurier herself in her novel. They were later erected in full size by three hundred studio workmen. When finally completed, Manderley was a complete home — containing a drawing room, library, dining room, foyer and two upper story wings.

To insure further authenticity in the production, Producer Selznick had photographs of scenes and characters in the small towns of Cornwall, where the action of "Rebecca" takes place, made in the costumes of the period. Olivier and Joan Fontaine in leading roles, is entirely accurate. As for the real thing, mystery and eerie atmosphere,

HINES' CAMPAIGN IS BEING PUSHED VIGOROUSLY

DALLAS — Harry Hines, State Highway Commissioner and candidate for Governor, urged adoption of "a genuine state budget system and establishment of a real business-like administration to provide Texas with the best possible government for the serious times facing us," as he carried his aggressive stump speaking campaign into more than 50 North and East Texas cities and towns this week.

Hines also declared that "if I can't, as governor, promote harmony, cooperation and sound accomplishment to our state government and bring about what the people voted me into office to do, the people won't see me coming back and seeking a second two-year term on the claim it would take me that much longer to find out what is going on in the state government in order to tell the people about it, and what is needed."

Urging that the State adopt a bona-fide business like method of operating the government for economy, a constantly balanced budget and abolition "of the cry for new and greater taxes every two years," Hines said "our Texas taxing and spending system has become a modern eight cylinder engine which we have placed on a buck-board for its operation.

"The time has come in Texas," he continued, "when we must look forward toward adjusting the taxing and spending programs in such a way that our tax payers and business people will not be constantly harassed with threats of new and burdensome new tax levies every two years.

"In the past several years, taxes in Texas have increased two or three times as rapidly as the growth of the population, or the income of the people to sustain them. In the past 20 years our population has increased about 40 per cent, our taxable values about 43 per cent, but expenditures of our state government have increased 670 per cent!

"This is a matter to give us concern. The taxes collected by our state, that represented nearly 25 per cent of every dollar earned.

"The spending system of Texas government today is composed of over 100 odd boards and commissions. Money is spent through 115 different funds, or that many different pockets.

"As a matter of fact our state governmental machine is a vast hodge-podge of uncoordinated spending agencies. Among these disjointed and miscellaneous agencies responsibility is diffused, and runs in all directions, with endless overlapping and with no means of working in unison. The whole procedure is contrary to every principle of efficient, economic and sensible business methods.

"My proposal to put real business methods in our state government is no untried theory because it has actually been accomplished in other states, such as Virginia, Nebraska, Kentucky and others."

Hines declared it was necessary to solve the long-delayed state obligations, such as age pensions, the other social security debts and state needs, by passage at the start of the next Legislature by passage of a practical, economical plan, such as the 15 million dollar program I have recommended, instead of the 50 to 60 millions of dollars advocated by the present governor and other candidates. Then the next thing to do would be to bring about a real business and budget system," he added.

"The present old, worn-out and wasteful system won't do and we can't afford it any longer. We have been doing nothing but scramble for new revenues, until the taxing power is rapidly approaching its limit. And because of greatly increased Federal taxes for our new national defense program, it is now time to think

they were furnished with all their full implications by Mr. Hitchcock, known all over the globe as a master of horror stories.

ADVISES
YOUNG GIRLS
ENTERING
WOMANHOOD

Thousands of young girls entering womanhood have found a "real friend" in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to help them go "smiling thru" restless, moody, nervous spells, and relieve cramps, headache, backache and embarrassing fainting spells due to female functional irregularities. Famous for over 60 years. WORTH TRYING!

ENNIS FAVORS IS HIGHLY PLEASED OVER RESPONSE

Ennis Favors, Gray County's candidate for State Representative, "opened up" in his speaking campaign during last weekend and will be busy throughout the four counties of his district until election day.

He spoke in Kelton last Friday night and was heard in Quail, Hedley and Clarendon last Saturday.

Mr. Favors is offering his services on a platform to represent and protect the interest of all the people of the district. While speaking in Clarendon he promised to co-operate with the Governor if elected State Representative. He deplored the fact that the old people had not been cared for, and that the teachers retirement fund had not been matched by the State, and stressed that the General Revenue Fund had a deficit of about 25 million dollars at this time.

Mr. Favors believes in any reasonable revenue measure for these purposes. He also advocated raising the 7000 pound truck load limit to a minimum of 14 thousand pounds, and said the poll tax payment should be reduced, or abolished as a qualification for voting. He emphasized that he would sponsor and work for a bill at the next session of the Legislature to require all Legislators to reveal under oath the source of their income, and file the same on record, so the people would know who they were working for while in Austin.

Mr. Favors has been actively campaigning for several weeks and is highly gratified over the response he has received from all parts of the district. There are four counties in the District with an approximate voting strength as follows: Collingsworth 2500, Donley 2100, Gray 7000 and Wheeler 3500.

CARLOADINGS OFF

The Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for the week ending July 6, 1940, were 23,666, as compared with 25,295 for the same week in 1939. Received from connections were 6,457, as compared with 30,151 for the same week in 1939. The Santa Fe handled a total of 29,965 cars during the preceding week of this year.

Gaynell Douglas of Silverton was in Clarendon Thursday.

more than ever of the other side of the question, and that side is business like and sensible state spending.

"Good government, let us here in Texas remind ourselves, begins at home, and in order to preserve democracy, which we must do, it will become increasingly necessary that we watch after our public affairs and manage them in a sensible, co-operative, constructive and efficient manner."

CONNALLY HEADS GROUP HEARING ON BUND BILL

Senator Tom Connally of Texas, co-author of the Connally-Smith bill recently enacted into law by Congress requiring the fingerprinting and registration of aliens, has been named chairman of a sub-committee of which Senators Dammer of Connecticut and Miller of Arkansas are other members, which began hearings Monday, July 8, in the Caucus room in the Senate Office Building on a measure to require the registration of certain organizations carrying on activities within the United States, such as the Bund.

Describing the purpose of the act, Senator Connally said:

"Organizations which would be required to register include those subject to foreign control which engage in political activity, those which engage in both civilian military activity and in political activity; those subject to foreign control which engage in civilian military activity; and every organization the purpose or aim of which is the establishment, control, conduct, seizure or overthrow of a government or subdivision thereof by the use of force, violence, military measures, or threats of any one or more of the foregoing."

Further explaining the measure, Senator Connally added: "Names, officials, qualifications for membership, aims and purposes, meeting places, names of contributors of money, assets of the organization, its activities, a description of uniforms and insignia, copies of all publications issued and a description of firearms owned are required to

be registered." "Violations of the act would be punished by a fine of not more than \$10,000 or by imprisonment for not more than five years, or both," Senator Connally concluded.

He's Tellin' 'Em!



LEWIS M. GOODRICH
Candidate For Congress
18th District

Short, sharp and sure are the talks Lewis Goodrich, Shamrock, candidate for Congress, is making over the radio. Listen to KPDN, Pampa, from 12 to 12:15 p. m. July 16, 18 and 19 and KJNC, Amarillo, from 6:30 to 6:45 a. m. July 22 and 24 and 11:45 to 12, July 23, 25 and 26. It's a GOOD vote for GOODRICH!

BE WISE... And Repair Now!

Wise men look over their houses carefully before Fall, with its frosts and bad weather, causes actual inconvenience and trouble. Roofs, window frames, walls—all may need attention, and it's much better to have them

TIME FOR REMODELING!

Building costs are still low—and so are prices on materials. If you're thinking of having any alterations made you can do it much more cheaply now than later—all authorities agree that prices will be up this Winter—and, of course, the inconvenience to you will be greater.

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Drink a glass between meals... for the pick-up that lasts!

ADMIRATION COFFEE has to be good... roasted from only the choicest highland grown coffees, it's always rich in invigorating goodness. Available in three distinct grinds to accommodate every type of coffee-maker.

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ICED ADMIRATION
COFFEE AND TEA

Classified Ads

All legal notices will be figured at two cents per word for the first insertion, and one cent per word for subsequent insertions.

All classified readers are strictly cash in advance; 10c per line first insertion, 25c per line for four insertions. Twenty-five cents minimum charge.

LOST OR STOLEN: One Sphygmometer or machine for taking blood pressure. Oak colored laquered case, about 15 by 4 by 3 inches in size. Reward for return, and no questions asked.—Dr. Mark L. Stricklin. 25-1fc.

FOR SALE—Nice four room stucco house in good repair all city conveniences, corner lot just west of college, price \$750, terms if desired. W. M. MURRELL.

FOR SALE:—Practically new 6-foot Monitor Windmill and tower, bargain. —Miss Lucy Stagner, Box 21, Lella Lake. 28-2pd.

FOR SALE:—70 White Leghorn Pullets and Hens, cheap. —M. Johnson strain. —Also Fryers. —Phone 949F2. 11pd. 28

FOR SALE:—Young Jersey milk cows. —Joe McMurtry. 11-28

FOR SALE:—Maize Kaffir heads. —Joe McMurtry. 11-28

Kathleen Ryan and George Houghton accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Mont Reed of Memphis spent the week-end in Abilene with Mr. Houghton's mother.

Miss Dorothea Watson of Lubbock spent the latter part of last week and the first part of this week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson.

4-WEEK AND 6-WEEK WHITE LEGHORN PULLETS
These pullets are out of danger and at this time of year can be brooded without artificial heat. They are of my best AAAA quality with trap nest selection and breeding from hens with records of 200 and over mated to males out of hens with records of 250 and over.

They are fine and well-bred pullets and are a great bargain. Four week old 28c each, 6 week old 35c, 8 week old 50c each delivered. Ready now. Not sold in less than 25 lots, at a delivered price. Must be shipped by express so give your express office.

F. W. KAZMEIER—Bryan, Texas Former Poultry Husbandman A. & M. College 28fc

NOTICE OF TRANSFERS
All scholastic transfers must be made before August 1, 1940. High School students whose grade is not taught in home district must be transferred also to the district where they plan to attend high school. Such transfers must be made by the parents or guardian or the pupil may be charged high school tuition next year. Such tuition would be payable by parents. Application can be made for transfers at the County Superintendent's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Lake Dishman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kinslow and family all of Hedley visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dishman here for the Fourth.

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Larger Turnout Is Expected For Second Of Series Of Outdoor Union Services Sunday Night

With approximately 250 present for the first of a series of summer Union Services last Sunday night at the Football Stadium, the Ministerial Alliance of Clarendon looked forward this week to even a larger turnout for the outdoor services this coming Sunday evening at 8:30 p. m.

Presbyterian Evangelist and former pastor of the Presbyterian Church at McLean, preached at the services last week. Music for the prelude will be furnished by the High School Band with special music by a male quartet. Arrangements have been made to have a different speaker at each of the services during the months of July and August. Everyone is invited to attend.

RODEO WINNERS ARE ANNOUNCED BY COMMITTEE

Following Clarendon's most successful Fourth of July celebration, winners of the various rodeo events were announced by the committee in charge.

Roy Moore of the Bivens ranch near Amarillo won first place in roping events, having the best average time for 10 days in roping events. He was awarded a \$125.00 saddle. His time was 18.67 seconds. Second place in roping went to Brooks Gray of Ashtola, time, 19.6. Prize, \$30.00 pair of shopmade boots. Third place was won by Leland Timmons of Matador, time 21.12.

Winners of the best calf roping and breakaway roping events for each day were: July 3—Ralph Shaffer and Wade Welch, time 37 seconds, prize, Levi pants by Greene Dry Goods.

Company; July 4—Turner Kirby, time 27 seconds, prize, Levi pants by Greene Dry Goods Company.

In Bronc riding events, H. H. Hillburn of Childress was first, prize, Stetson hat; Ray Mason and Jimmy Blackwell tied for second.

The best Bronc rider for each day was also announced, July 3—H. H. Hillburn and Jimmy Blackwell tied for first place, prize, Lee Rider pants by Mellinger & Rosenwasser; July 4—Red Jones and Ray Mason tied, prize, pair of Lee Rider pants given by Mellinger & Rosenwasser.

In steer riding, H. H. Hillburn won first, prize, Stetson hat; Red Garrison took second place; and Dal Morris won third. Hillburn was top prize winner in the steer contest July 3, and Otha Deham captured the honors on July 4. Both won a pair of Dickie's "Army" cloth pants given by Mellinger & Rosenwasser.

Blackie Miller of Wichita Falls was here Sunday.

"but one ISM in America—and that's AMERICANISM"

—Texas Press Slogan.

GIRL SPONSOR WINNERS ARE ANNOUNCED

Winners of the girl sponsor events in the Coronado Rancho Round-Up celebration were announced this past week by the committee in charge.

First place in the out-of-town sponsor events was won by Eleanor Blasingame of Silverton, prize, \$125.00 saddle; 2nd place, prize \$30.00 pair of shopmade boots, was taken by Margaret Stockstill of Pampa; third place went to Sally Small of Shamrock.

In the local sponsor events, Barbara Bell, representing Cocoa Cola Bottling Company, won first prize, \$30.00 pair of shopmade boots; Irene Riemer, representing the C. T. McMurtry Ranch, was second, with prize being a Stetson Hat; Nellie Gladly, representing Fontayne Elmore, was third, with prize being pair of spurs.

Miss Penelope Blocker drilled the local girls and Mrs. Joe McMurtry was in charge of the out-of-town sponsors.

REV. MILLER IS GUEST SPEAKER AT LIONS CLUB

The Rev. M. M. Miller, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, selected the topic of "Women" when he appeared before the Lions club luncheon Tuesday as guest speaker.

Rev. Miller said that he had always visioned woman's place as being on a pedestal, and related that women were the biggest contributors to successful businessmen.

The speaker pointed out some of the outstanding successful women in history, naming among them Madame Currie, discoverer of radium, and Mrs. Allen Curr, a nurse who gave the world the first penicillin.

Rev. Miller concluded his talk by making a fitting interpretive remark: "No man will rise higher than the womanhood of his country."

The Lions Club went on record for sending Dickie's Cowhand band of Fort Worth a letter of thanks for their participation in the celebration here on July 3-4.

Vernon Glenn of Silver City, New Mexico, was guest of the club.

GOLDSTON NEWS (Mrs. M. Grant)

The singing convention was a success, a large crowd attending. Most everyone from here attended the Clarendon July 4th celebration and enjoyed the parade.

Mr. Hill's daughter is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Hill at this time. Mrs. Hill is not feeling well.

Mrs. Patterson who has been ill with pneumonia, is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Quail visited their relatives, the Pegrams here, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bray of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant.

Neighbor farmers gathered at Mr. Patterson's farm Monday and worked on his crops.

Miss Johnny Stewart visited home folks over the week-end and also attended the singing convention.

Mr. Durwood Skelton left Saturday for Temple, Texas to undergo an operation and go through the clinic. He was accompanied by his family.

JERICO Inez Skinner

Sunday School was well attended Sunday. There were 26 present and two visitors.

The Blue Bonnet Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Everett Thomas, Tuesday July 9th. The last meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Tom Curby.

Mrs. Vic Glasner and niece from Erick, Oklahoma, were visitors in the Elmer Ashmead home Sunday.

Miss Betty Lou Schies returned to her home here after visiting points in Arkansas.

Mr. John Forshee and Mr. Charlie Garlett were Amarillo callers Sunday.

Mr. Walter Hensly of Texola, Okla., is a business visitor here this week.

Visitors in the Jim Schies home over the week-end were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brumeth from Tucson, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Schoffer and family were Sunday visitors in the Roy Brown home.

Mr. John Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown and family were McLean and Alan Reed visitors Monday.

Mrs. Everett Thomas was a Monday caller in the Jewell Lingo home of Alanreed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forshee had relative callers from points in New Mexico last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Koeting of Groom were business visitors here last week.

Mrs. Everett Thomas returned to her home here last week after visiting friends and relatives in Arkansas and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hill and relatives went outing at Lake Kemp during the week-end. They reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Davis of Pampa visited her sister, Mrs. Elmer Ashmead of here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hill were visitors in Alanreed Monday.

July Fourth Here Is A Quiet One, Sheriff Says

Sheriff Guy Pierce reported this week that as far as his department was concerned Clarendon had a quiet Fourth of July.

Only three drunks were arrested during the celebration and no disturbances of any kind were reported, Pierce said.

The sheriff also reported that the two state patrolmen who were here remarked that it was the most orderly celebration they had ever attended.

Purveyor Conducting Vigorous Campaign In This Section

John Puryear, dirt farmer candidate for state representative, is conducting a vigorous campaign through this section, making a number of speeches both in Gray and Donley counties this past week.

Purveyor will speak at the candidates' rally in Lella Lake next Tuesday night. He spoke on July Fourth at Abra, in Collingsworth County and plans to give an address tomorrow night at Wheeler.

Purveyor visited the News office Tuesday and said that his campaign "looks very good."

Hattie Dem Ward and Billy Thompson of Memphis attended the Rodeo here Thursday.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION Of The

The Donley County State Bank

AT CLARENDON, STATE OF TEXAS, at the close of business on the 29th day of June, 1940, published in the Clarendon News, a newspaper printed and published at Clarendon, State of Texas, on the 11th day of July, 1940.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$255,799.74
Loans secured by real estate	10,000.00
Overdrafts	29.59
Securities of U. S. any State or political subdivision thereof	79,162.34
Banking House	5,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	3,000.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	5,000.00
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	187,089.24
Other Resources:	
State of Texas Revenue Stamps	52.50
TOTAL	\$549,133.41

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Total Capital Structure	50,000.00
Surplus Fund	15,000.00
Undivided Profits	1,571.59
Reserve for Dividend	2,000.00
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	10,982.84
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	453,962.83
Time Certificates of Deposit	13,481.18
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	4,185.12
TOTAL	\$549,133.41

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DONLEY

We, Wesley Knorrpp, as President and F. E. Chamberlain, as Vice President and Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

WESLEY KNORPP, President. F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Vice-President and Cashier.

CORRECT-ATTEST:
C. T. McMurtry, J. L. McMurtry, D. N. Grady, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, A. D. 1940. (Seal) ROY L. CLAYTON, Notary Public, Donley County, Texas

Stamp Pad Ink at The News.

WHY NOT ELECT A FARMER?

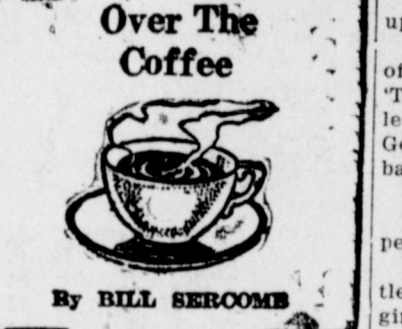
JOHN PURYEAR (DIRT FARMER)

Candidate For STATE REPRESENTATIVE 122ND DISTRICT Qualified — Experienced Will represent the people—and not the special interests.

TOM L. BEAUCHAMP (Of Tyler—Formerly of Paris— Was Secretary of State in 1939)

JUDGE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS OF TEXAS

CANDIDATE FOR FIRST FULL TERM



Our predictions: That Hitler that United States becomes involved in war with Germany over the Monroe Doctrine (Hitler's interference in South America) that President Roosevelt runs a third time and is elected that compulsory military training of some sort is adopted by the United States that Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel is reelected by another landslide

What Clarendon Needs: More working together as we did during the Coronado Rancho Round-Up celebration which results in building up instead of tearing down.

An unusually bit of British propaganda hinting that official German death lists are being falsified was broadcast recently. It was:

"This is a story which is being told all over Germany despite Mr. Goebbels and the gas-tapo:

"Sixteen German soldiers who had died in battle went to heaven. They knocked at the gates. Cautiously St. Peter opened the gates an inch and eyed them suspiciously. The sixteen Germans demanded admittance.

"St. Peter shook his head: 'Nothing doing,' he said. 'we'll get in, that's all.' With that he slammed the gates shut. The German soldiers were dumfounded and held council among themselves.

"Weren't they all sixteen brave German soldiers who had died for the fatherland? Why should only two be admitted to heaven and the other fourteen condemned to hell?

"They knocked again. Again St. Peter appeared and held up two fingers. 'Two of you can come in and that's final,' he said.

"One of the Germans spoke up. 'But why?'

"St. Peter showed him a sheet of paper. 'That's why,' he said. 'This is the official German bulletin and it says that only two German soldiers were killed in battle today.'"

There are still some honest people in this world.

During the Fourth of July bustle this writer lost a valuable Elgin wrist watch on the crowded streets of Clarendon. The watch wasn't valuable from the money it was a present from mother, 10 years ago. After an unsuccessful search had been conducted for the article, the watch was brought into the Nws office by Mrs. Jerome Stocking who found it on the street in front of the Stocking Drug Store.

This writer is duly indebted to Mrs. Stocking and thanks her for returning the watch.

And so as a firm believer in "Honesty is the best policy," Over The Coffee's special tribute to another of its followers — Mrs. Jerome Stocking.

Third Quarterly Methodist Net Set July 13th

The Third Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Church will be held at Knight Saturday, July 13, at 11 a. m., according to A. S. Hill, Methodist circuit pastor.

The Rev. Gene Palmer will preach and dinner will be served on the grounds immediately after the service. Everyone is invited to attend.

Childress Boosters Advertise Rodeo, And Celebration

Advertising the Childress Lions Club from July 16-17, and the Childress founders day celebration, July 18, a caravan of Childress residents tooted their way through the Clarendon business district about 11 o'clock this morning.

Bristol Book & The News.

WEEK-END VALUES

LARD WILSON'S 4-lb. Carton 35c
8-lb. Carton 65c
LEAF 8-lb. Pail 75c
SYRUP BRER RABBIT PER GALLON 59c
CORN BRIMFUL, Whole Kernel, Golden Bantam 21c
12-oz. cans - 2 for
DEL MONTE, No. 2 cans -- Country Gentleman 2 for 25c
SHOE STRING POTATOES Brimful No. 2 cans - 2 for 25c
BREAD DATE & NUT, Crosse & Blackwells Medium Cans - 2 for 25c
CRACKERS A-1 - 2-lb Package 18c; 1-lb. Package 10c
PEARS OUR BRAND - No. 2 1-2 cans Each 21c
MACARONI OR SPAGHETTI Colonial 7 boxes for 25c
MATCHES DIAMOND'S - Per Carton 22c; True American - Per Carton 19c
OXYDOL GIANT SIZE - 2 Camay Soap FREE With Each Package 69c
SOAP FLAKES BIG 4 - 3 Large Pkgs. \$1.00; 1 LARGE PACKAGE 35c
TOILET PAPER ROYAL COACH - 6 Rolls 25c; Fort Howard - 3 Rolls for 22c

IN OUR MARKET

Select your choice cuts from our home killed grain fed Baby Beef at our Market each day . . . You will see the difference.

CHEESE - KRAFTS - Pimiento 2-lb box 58c; Velveta or American - 2-lb Box 53c; SWISS - 2-lb. Box 62c
SLICED BACON WILSON'S Lakeview Per Lb. 19c

Ice Cold Watermelons

CLIFFORD & RAY

PHONES 5 - 6 WE DELIVER

REG'LAR FELLERS What A Cone That Would Be! By Gene Byrnes

Panel 1: "I DON'T KNOW WHAT THE STATUE OF LIBERTY LOOKS LIKE. HOW DO I KNOW?" "PUDDINGHEAD DON'T KNOW EITHER. I'M THE ONLY ONE WHO KNOWS"

Panel 2: "HEY BUMP! WHO DOES THE STATUE OF LIBERTY LOOK LIKE?" "I KNOW BUT I WON'T TELL!"

Panel 3: "LIKE FUNK HE KNOWS" "IF HE KNEW HE WOULD TELL IN A MINIT" "HE DOESN'T KNOW EITHER"

Panel 4: "WHO SAYS I DON'T KNOW THE BIG LADY WHAT HOLDS UP THE ICE CREAM CONE LIKE THIS" "AT A RIGHT!"

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SOCIETY

MRS. JOHN M. BASS JR. AND MRS. FRED PATCHING HONORED WITH MORNING COFFEE

Mrs. John M. Bass Jr. and her mother, Mrs. Fred Patching of Goodnight, were honored Monday with a morning coffee given from 9:30 to 11:00 by Mrs. Bill Sasser of Lubbock and Mrs. John M. Bass Sr., in the Bass home.

On entering the house, the guests were received by Mrs. Sasser, Mrs. Bass Sr., Mrs. Bass Jr., and Mrs. Patching. From there they were ushered into the dining room by Phebe Ann Buntin where they were served by Misses LaVerne McMurry and Anna Moores Swift who poured coffee during the course of the morning, and escorted by Ethlyn Drennan to the guest book presided over by Miss Martha Jane Patching, twin sister of the bride.

The house was decorated with beautiful cut flowers of various shades and colors. In the dining room the table was lovely with two silver coffee service at each end and centered with a large bowl of flowers which sat in the middle of a circular mirror. As each guest was served she was presented with a small nosegay of white feverfew and fern held together with a knot of white ribbon.

Music was furnished throughout the morning by Mrs. Allen Bryan, Mrs. Simmons Powell, and Mrs. Van Kennedy. There were sixty five in attendance.

Visiting in the home of Judge and Mrs. J. R. Porter Tuesday were Mrs. W. A. Porter of Tulsa, Judge Porter's mother, and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Glen and children, Verabelle and Jeff of Silver City, New Mexico.

Misses Louise Smith and Helen Huston and Mr. Jimmy Wier all of Pampa were here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Warren for the Fourth.

LOUISE TUCKER IS BRIDE OF RAYMOND CARTER

Miss Mildred Louise Tucker, daughter of Mrs. J. R. Tucker of Clarendon and the late J. R. Tucker, became the bride of Raymond E. Carter of Syracuse, Kansas, at 5:30 o'clock P. M. July 4th in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Mollie E. Gray.

The impressive ring ceremony was read by Rev. Cecil E. Harvey of the First Christian Church before an improvised altar in front of the fire place. Baskets of garden flowers and fern, gracefully arranged, decorated the living room.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Homer Tucker. She wore a navy blue sheer ensemble with white accessories. Her corsage was American Beauty rosebuds, Miss Ione Walls was her only attendant, and George Houghton Jr. was best man.

After the ceremony a reception followed with Mrs. C. G. Strickland and Mrs. Jet Downing presiding.

The table was covered with a white lace cloth and a large reflector on which sat the beautiful two-tier wedding cake of pink and white surrounded by regal lillies, formed the center piece.

Beverly Gray Strickland presided over the bride's book.

After a short trip, Mr. and Mrs. Carter will be at home in Protection, Kansas, where Mr. Carter is employed with the Stanolin Oil Co.

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Gordon took their son, Carlton, L. B. Hartzog, and Raymond Johnson to Fort Sill, Oklahoma, Tuesday to enter the Citizens Military Camp. Rev. and Mrs. Gordon came back via Wichita Falls where they met their daughter, Hazel Gordon, of Fort Worth and brought her to Clarendon for a visit.

Mrs. Gladys D. Power went to Memphis Tuesday evening.

B. P. R. CLUB HONORS MEMBERS, GUESTS

B. P. R. Club gave a picnic at the Clarendon Country Club Tuesday evening, July 9, honoring the guests and members, Judge and Mrs. J. R. Porter and Mr. and Mrs. Sam M. Braswell.

While and lunch was being prepared, those who wished to enjoyed a swim while others passed the time in conversation and other amusements.

Those honored were Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Spencer and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Glen and children, Mrs. W. A. Porter, and Mrs. and Mrs. Earl Porter. Members were Messrs and Mesdames C. C. Powell, Louie Thompson, H. T. Burton, J. R. Porter and Sam M. Braswell.

MRS. EDDINGS HOSTESS TO MARTIN GARDEN CLUB

Martin Garden Club met June 28, with Mrs. Jack Eddings as hostess. The president called the house to order.

Mrs. Ruth Gibbs gave an interesting talk on Pansies, and also gave each member a package of pansy seed.

Mrs. Juanita Waddell was given a lovely pink and blue shower at this meeting. After the gifts were opened and admired Mrs. Waddell thanked each one, and refreshments were served to Mrs. Juanita Waddell, Virgie Jordan, Johnnie Peabody, Bessie Helton, Mary Debad, Lois Sibbey, Marguerite Easterling, Earma Easterling, Ruth Gibbs. Those sending gifts were Mrs. Baley, Mrs. Sally Christie.

The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Ruth Gibbs on July 12.

JEWELL BARNES AND HILLMAN KOLB WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Mrs. Lola Barnes this week announced the marriage of her daughter, Miss Jewell Barnes of Amarillo to Hillman Kolb, also of Amarillo, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Kolb of Raton, New Mexico.

The couple were married at 8:15 o'clock P. M. of June 20, in Clarendon in the back yard at the home of the Rev. J. Perry King who officiated with the ring ceremony. The only attendants to the couple were Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Furman of Amarillo.

The bride wore a white suite with a corset and a corsage of talismans flowers. Wedding guests were Mrs. Lola Barnes, the bride's mother, Anna Lynn Barnes, of Clarendon and Miss Della Barnes, Mrs. Don Martin and Billy Don Martin of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Kolb left Sunday for Raton to visit a few days with his parents, after which they will be at home at 1209 Harrison Street in Amarillo.

JUNE McMURTRY HOSTESS TO HOUSE PARTY

Miss June McMurry was hostess last week to a house party which consisted of several of her Gulf Park schoolmates. The girls were here for five days. They went from here to Amarillo Sunday to spend the day in the home of Mrs. C. M. Williams and from there they went to Ada, Oklahoma for a continued house party in the home of Miss Lemoine Blake and then on to Tulsa, Oklahoma for a week's visit with Miss Elaine Frame.

The girls visiting here in the McMurry home were Misses Lemoine Blake, of Ada, Oklahoma, Elaine Frame of Tulsa, Sarah Nell Reppert of Meridian, Mississippi, and Sarah Net McPeeters also of Mississippi.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. MEADORS

The members of the Friendship Club had their regular meeting Tuesday, July 9, in the home of Mrs. J. A. Meadors.

The meeting was brought to order by a prayer by Mrs. C. R. Skinner and after a short business session two vocal solos by Miss Jane Williams accompanied on the piano by her mother, Mrs. Glen Williams were enjoyed. The rest of the afternoon was spent in conversation and fancy work.

The hostess served delicious refreshments to Mesdames L. Ballew, C. E. Lindsey, C. R. Skinner, J. D. Stocking, C. J. Teel, H. Tyree, Glen Williams, J. L. Allison and Miss Katie Meadors, members and Mesdames J. T. Jones, and Vera Meadors, and Misses Virginia, Jane, and Mary Williams and Gene Meadors guests.

Mrs. M. D. Stephens and daughter, Carolyn Jane, of Wichita Falls are here visiting in the home of Mrs. Stephens' mother, Mrs. E. M. Ozier.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Stricklin and daughter, Beverly Gray, left Tuesday for a vacation trip in Drake, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Thompson were Memphis visitors Sunday.

DONLEY TO GET \$945 MORE IN SCHOOL AID

AUSTIN — Donley county will receive \$945 more from the state this year to operate its schools than it did last year, State Superintendent L. A. Woods estimated today. This is based on the assumption that the county will have the same number of students next year as it had last year.

Supt. Woods said the action of the state board of education in raising the per capita from \$22 to \$22.50 was another step toward bettering the educational facilities of Texas.

Supt. Woods has led the fight for increased state per capita appropriations to schools since he came into office. The per capita when Supt. Woods was first elected was \$16, and it has been raised year after year until the \$22.50 mark has been established.

Supt. Woods pointed out that that increased state assistance to schools, plus more efficient management and improved teaching methods have been largely responsible for Texas being raised to 18th educational rank in the union from the low mark of 36th which it held in 1932.

It is not expected that the additional per capita appropriation will increase state expenditures as a whole, Woods pointed out since the scholastic population has decreased in some localities.

Gillham, Morris Are Attending FFA Meeting

J. R. Gillham, local FFA advisor, and Carl Morris, FFA chapter president, left for Houston Wednesday morning, where they will attend the State FFA convention, July 11-13. Morris will serve as a delegate from the local chapter and will also play in the state FFA band.

Harlee Green and J. H. Spier, Jr., will receive their Lone Star Farmer FFA degrees by proxy. Morris will attend the State FFA banquet and receive the degrees for these members. Green and Spier were among the approximately 150 of the 27,000 members of the FFA organization in Texas to be awarded the advanced Lone Star Farmer Degree.

Gillham and Morris will prepare the Area I exhibit for the State Convention. This is the second successive year that the local chapter has been asked to place the exhibit for this area.

John Jay left Tuesday for Ft. Sill, Okla., where he will enter the Citizens Training Camp. He will be gone for about a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Long of Arkansas City, Kansas, visited in the home of Mr and Mrs. Charlie McMurry Monday.

Mrs. John Hutton of Houston is here visiting in the home of her father, Mr. C. D. Murphy.

Walter Lane and Lee Cook were Memphis visitors Sunday night.

Reba Garner and Pat Thompson of Sulphur, Oklahoma were Clarendon visitors Monday.

Garden Glanes Presented weekly by the Garden Club

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

If "Home Keeping Heas are Happiest" surely stay-at-home gardeners are the hardest workers, for they must fight not only the heat but usually drought and hordes of hot weather pests. Compensation comes, however, in the glory of many colorful flowers.

Vitex with its long spike of azure blue, and the lilac cored wild verbena which bloom no matter how hot or dry.

The sun-loving portulaca, edging many borders, look like small roses and buttercups. Phlox, orchid and white, re-flowering profusely in the Bell's yard. Carmine red pie can be seen over the garden fence at Homer Mulkey's. Gay annuals and well kept lawn at the A. G. Lane's home denote many hours of work.

The "Bird of Paradise" hed at the Stallings is gorgeous yellow and red.

A salt cedar in Mrs. Fink yard is very attractive with its unique coloring that at once attracts the eye of the beholder. It is astonishing how many lovely places one can discover in Clarendon when looking to them. Most of these beauty spots have been created by those who enjoy doing their own lawn work, too.

ASSOCIATES PAY FINAL RESPECTS TO EARL FUQUA

Final tribute was paid to H. Earl Fuqua, widely known banker, Tuesday afternoon when funeral rites were held from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fuqua.

Dr. J. Howard Williams, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated. He was assisted by Dr. C. C. Grimes, pastor of the Polk Street Methodist Church, and Bishop E. Cecil Seaman, bishop of the Amarillo Episcopal Diocese.

Vocational Church School To Close Here Tomorrow

Approximately seventy five are enrolled in the Vocational Church School at the Presbyterian Church which closes on Friday afternoon of this week.

The school has a faculty of fifteen and is open to all children of Clarendon. The enrollment consist of 25 beginners, 20 primaries, 15 intermediates, and 15 juniors.

Bible study, Biblical geography, and craftwork are among the subjects studied.

HEAD, NEW BARBER AT WHITLOCK'S

Mr. M. M. Head, of Denton, has recently accepted a position here in the Whitlock Barber Shop. Mr. Head, who is being joined by his wife shortly, has expressed himself as being very pleased with Clarendon. He has been a barber for the past sixteen years which is exactly half of his age.

Forty Donley Boys Given Vocational Farm Training

Forty boys in one Clarendon county school are receiving training in vocational agriculture, according to L. A. Woods, state superintendent of schools.

Class room work or organized instruction is made available for 60,324 persons in 200 Texas counties. The Texas Association

of Future Farmers of America, an organization of farm boys studying vocational agriculture in the public high schools ranked first in the year because of its accomplishments in cooperation, supervised community service, leadership, earnings and savings, conduct of meetings, scholarship and recreation.

Training in vocational agriculture is offered in Donley county at the Clarendon school.

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In Piggly-Wiggly

FRIDAY and SATURDAY - SPECIALS -

FROSTED MALT - Large Cup 5c

TOMATOES, Vine-ripened, 20-lb handle baskets 49c

SUGAR, Pure Cane - 10 lbs bulk 49c

FLOUR, 48 lbs. \$1.49; 24 lbs. 79c
AMERICAN BEAUTY or AMARYLLIS

LARD Pure Hog - 4-lb. Carton 35c

GALLON PRUNES - each. 25c

TEA, Lipton's Glass Free - 1/4-lb 23c

COFFEE, Plymouth - 2 lbs. 35c
FRESH ROASTED and FRESH GROUND

BEANS, Pintos and Great Northern - 3 lbs. 19c

MILK, Pet or Carnation - 5 cans 19c

SOAP, Crystal White - 7 Giant Bars 25c

CRISCO - 3-lb Pail 49c

PIGGLY WIGGLY

LOOK KIDS

FREE THEATRE TICKETS

Children Under 12 years of age save 40 Royal Crown Nehi and Upper 10 Crowns and take them to the Farmers Exchange Grocery or the Parsons Grocery and receive one free pass to the Pastime or Cozy Theatre in Clarendon.

COURTESY OF

NEHI-ROYAL CROWN BOTTLING COMPANY

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

THE FARMERS STATE BANK

of Clarendon, in the State of Texas, a Member of the Federal Reserve System, at the Close of Business On June 29, 1940

Published in accordance with a call made by the Federal Reserve Bank of this district pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Reserve Act, and the State Banking Commission of Texas.

ASSETS table with columns for item and amount. Includes Loans and discounts, United States Government obligations, Other bonds, notes, and debentures, Corporate stocks, Cash, balances with other banks, Bank premises owned, Real estate owned.

LIABILITIES table with columns for item and amount. Includes Demand deposits, Time deposits, Deposits of U. S. Government, Other deposits, TOTAL DEPOSITS, TOTAL LIABILITIES.

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS table with columns for item and amount. Includes Capital, Surplus, Undivided profits, TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$324,722.56

*This bank's capital consists of: None of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of \$ None, refundable at \$ None; second preferred stock with par value at \$ None refundable at None; and common stock with total par value of \$40,000.00

MEMORANDA (book value): (a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities \$ 5,000.00

TOTAL Secured and preferred liabilities: (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law \$ 5,000.00

STATE OF TEXAS) County of Donley) I, J. D. SWIFT, President of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. D. SWIFT, President.

CORRECT-ATTEST: VAN KENNEDY, G. F. LEATHERS, J. W. MORRISON, Directors.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of July, 1940. ANNA MOORES, Notary Public. (SEAL)

GOODRICH STILL OPTIMISTIC AS VOTING NEARS

As election date nears and reports from over the district become more favorable than ever, Lewis M. Goodrich, Shamrock, candidate for Congress, is still carrying on his house-to-house campaign when he finds time between radio talks and appearances at rallies over the district. Goodrich still has eight more talks over the radio, three from KPDN, Pampa and five from KGNC, Amarillo. His talks from Pampa will be from 12 to 12:15 p. m., July 16, 18 and 19. His KGNC times will be from 6:30 to 6:45 a. m., July 22 and 24 and from 11:45 to 12. July

23, 25, and 26. Goodrich remains reservedly optimistic as friends volunteer reports, both in conversation and in letters, that he is running strongly and is gaining all over the district. Hundreds of men who have worked with Goodrich on grand juries and in other services in district court have assured him that they think he is the man for the job and that they are actively supporting him. A farmer of Gray county, a former grand juror with Goodrich, recently wrote, "I think Mr. Jones has done a lot for the people while in office. He has done everything but make it rain and here is hoping you will be the rain maker." Miss Margaret Kerbow left Monday for Amarillo to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Brady Pittman.

SAMPLE BALLOT

I Am a Democrat and Pledge Myself To Support the Nominee of This Primary.

- For UNITED STATES SENATOR:**
 - Guy B. Fisher of San Augustine County
 - A. P. Belcher of Erath County
 - Tom Connally of Falls County
- For CONGRESS 18th DISTRICT:**
 - Lee McConnell of Gray County
 - R. V. Converse of Hansford County
 - Lewis P. Fields of Potter County
 - Dennis Zimmerman of Swisher County
 - Allen Harp of Hall County
 - Tom Ellzey of Ochiltree County
 - James O. Cade of Potter County
 - E. T. (Dusty) Miller of Potter County
 - Eugene Worley of Wheeler County
 - Lewis M. Goodrich of Wheeler County
 - Deskins Wells of Collingsworth County
 - Henry S. Bishop of Potter County
- For GOVERNOR:**
 - Miriam A. Ferguson of Travis County
 - Arlon B. Cyclone Davis of Dallas County
 - Harry Hines of Wichita County
 - Ernest O. Thompson of Potter County
 - W. Lee O'Daniel of Tarrant County
 - Jerry Sadler of Gregg County
 - R. P. Condron of Cameron County
- For LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:**
 - Charles Lavergne Somerville of Dallas County
 - Alton M. Mead of Tom Green County
 - Coke B. Stevenson of ...
- For COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS:**
 - Geo. H. Sheppard of Nolan County
 - Clifford E. Butler of Harris County
- For STATE TREASURER:**
 - Charley Lockhart of Travis County
 - Harry McKee of Travis County
- For COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE:**
 - Bascom Giles of Travis County
- For ATTORNEY GENERAL:**
 - Gerald C. Mann of Dallas County
- For SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION:**
 - L. A. Woods of McLennan County
 - S. R. LeMay of Henderson County
- For COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE:**
 - W. W. King of Sabine County
 - William N. Corry of Tarrant County
 - J. E. McDonald of Ellis County
- For RAILROAD COMMISSIONER:**
 - John Paul Jones of Rusk County
 - Charlie Langford, Jr. of Galveston County
 - Ross Hardin of Limestone County
 - Pierce Brooks of Dallas County
 - O. O. Terrell of Brazoria County
 - Baker Saulsbury of Potter County
 - Bailey Sheppard of Gregg County
 - Clyde E. Smith of Tyler County
 - Errol Holt of Dallas County
 - Larry Mills of Dallas County
 - Olin Culberson of Jackson County
 - Olan R. Van Zandt of Grayson County
 - Walter D. Hood of Travis County
 - Eugene T. Smith of Travis County
 - John Pundt of Dallas County
 - John D. Copeland, Jr. of Travis County
 - Wm. H. McDonald of Eastland County
 - C. A. Everts of Dallas County
 - Bryan Patterson of Jim Wells County
- For CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT:**
 - Gordon Griffin of Hidalgo County
 - H. S. Lattimore of Tarrant County
 - Richard B. Humphrey of Dallas County
 - Tuck Chapin of Bexar County
 - John O. Douglas of Harris County
 - James P. Alexander of McLennan County
- For JUDGE OF THE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:**
 - Tom L. Berhamp of Smith County
 - George E. Cistian of Burnet County
- For ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS, 7th DISTRICT:**
 - A. J. Follen of Floyd County
- For JUDGE OF THE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS, 12th DISTRICT:**
 - Grady Hood of Potter County
 - Curtis ... of Carson County
 - Max Boy ... of Ochiltree County
- For REPRESENTATIVE 122nd DISTRICT:**
 - Luther ... of Collingsworth County
 - Ennis ... of Gray County
 - John ... of Collingsworth County
- For DISTRICT JUDGE 100th JUDICIAL DISTRICT:**
 - A. S. ... of Hall County
- For DISTRICT ATTORNEY:**
 - John Deaver of Hall County
 - Elgar L. Robertson of Childress County
- For COUNTY JUDGE:**
 - R. Y. King
- For COUNTY ATTORNEY:**
 - Jno. C. Knorpp
- For DISTRICT AND COUNTY CLERK:**
 - Helen Wiedman
- For SHERIFF ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES:**
 - Guy Wright
 - J. W. Adamson
- For COUNTY TREASURER:**
 - Mrs. Homer Glascoe
 - Mrs. Margaret V. Thompson
- For COUNTY SURVEYOR:**
 - Ruth M. Richardson
 - S. W. Lowe
- For COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTIONS:**
 - Ruth M. Richardson
 - S. W. Lowe
- For PUBLIC WEIGHTER PRECINCT NO. 2:**
 - Rayburn L. Smith
- For COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1:**
 - J. H. Hermesmeier
 - Edwin Balely
- For COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2:**
 - Pink Rodgers
 - G. G. Reeves
- For COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3:**
 - W. C. Bridges
 - Jay Hunt
 - J. A. Tollett
- For COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4:**
 - Marvin Hall
 - Ben E. Chamberlain
- For JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT NO. 2:**
 - R. C. Weatherly
- For JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT NO. 3:**
 - Frank Kendall
- For CONSTABLE PRECINCT NO. 2:**
 - R. L. Steedley
- For DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN PRECINCT NO. 3:**
 - W. I. Rains
- For COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN:**
 - W. I. Rains

SURVEY SURVIVES HOT ISSUE OF PRICE-FIXING

AUSTIN — The issue of price-fixing, one of the most bitter controversies of the large regular session of the legislature, was revived here by news that the Federal Trade Commission is all most ready to release its survey of the effects of the so-called Fair Trade law in other states. Militant Texas housewives and an aroused Texas press in 1939 arose against the Fair Trade and Anti-Discrimination Laws but the group of lobbyists supporting the two price-fixing laws had done their contract work so early and so thoroughly that the Fair Trade law was passed. After an opinion by Attorney General Gerald Mann, Gov. O'Daniel vetoed the law, which would have invalidated the Texas anti-trust laws by legalizing "price maintenance" contracts between a manufacturer and one retailer by which all retailers in the state would have been bound. The Anti-Discrimination law could have fixed selling price of all items at about ten per cent above the wholesale cost of the merchandise. The newspapers and the housewives both are watching this year for a resumption of the "contract work" done by the price fixing lobbyists. Recently reports began trickling in from all sections of the state that the candidates are again being approached and that the lobbyists are trying to make all of them agree to support the laws regardless of what they do to the state's anti-trust laws or to the consumers the anti-trust laws are designed to protect. Next major development in the price-fixing campaign will come when the FTC makes its report. In 1934, the FTC made a survey and reported that the Fair Trade Law had resulted in raised prices without any compensation in the form of higher wages or increases in raw material costs. Apparently to be used as an antidote against the government's survey, a national druggists' association is conducting a survey of its own, results of which obviously a survey is re-released. The druggists' association says its survey will not be prejudiced.

The Fair Trade Act has been passed by 44 states, but is not enforced in that many. Texas, Missouri, Vermont and Delaware have not yet succumbed to the Fair Traders, and the law was invalidated in New Jersey. About 12 states have the Anti-Discrimination law in varying forms. The Fair Trade law has been chiefly applied to drug items and whiskeys, but recently the principle of "price maintenance" has been applied to food in Ohio. Any item which carries the name of its manufacturer, whether branded or trademarked, can be governed by Fair Trade contracts. The Anti-Discrimination act's "cost plus" principles are reportedly most effective on fast-selling, low-profit staple food items which sell in bulk such as rice, sugar, flour, shortening, and salt pork. This bill did not even pass the House last session while the Fair Trade sailed through the House and wormed its way eventually through a most determined senate filibuster.

gram in 1939 amounted to 73,241,807 acres. Under the AAA's range conservation program each ranch is allowed a maximum range-building allowance which can be earned by putting into effect approved conservation practices. The allowance is calculated according to the amount of rangeland on the ranch and the grazing capacity of the unit. Visitors in the R. E. Duncan home for the Fourth of July were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Luttrul of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dutton of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. John Vallance, Mr. G. H. Mear all of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lamb and daughter of Wellington.

Political ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The Clarendon News is authorized to present the following candidacies to the voters of Donley County, subject to the Democratic primaries in 1940:
- For U. S. Congress, 18th District** DESKINS WELLS, Wellington, Texas. TOM ELLZEY Perryton, Texas. LEE McCONNELL, Pampa, Texas.
 - For State Senator, 31st Dist.:** MAX BOYER
 - For State Representative, (122nd District.)** ENNIS FAVORS, Pampa, Texas. JOHN PURYEAR, Wellington. LUTHER GRIBBLE, Wellington, Texas.
 - For District Judge: 100th Judicial District:** A. S. MOSS (Re-election)
 - For District Attorney: 100th Judicial District** JOHN DEEVER (Re-election) ELGAR L. ROBERTSON.
 - For District Clerk:** WALKER LANE (Re-election)
 - For County Judge:** R. Y. KING (Re-election)
 - For County Attorney** JOHN C. KNORPP (Re-election)
 - For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:** J. W. (JESS) ADAMSON GUY WRIGHT
 - For County Clerk:** HELEN WIEDMAN
 - For County Superintendent:** RUTH M. RICHMOND. S. W. LOWE
 - For County Treasurer:** MRS. MARGARET V. THOMPSON (Re-election) MRS. HOMER GLASCOE
 - For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2** G. G. REEVES PINK ROGERS
 - For County Commissioner: Precinct No. 1.** JOHN H. HERMESMEYER. (Re-election) EDWIN BALEY
 - For County Commissioner: Precinct 4.** MARVIN HALL (Re-election)

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NEW RECORD SET IN TEXAS RANGE CONSERVATION

22,236 RANCHES LISTED AS PARTICIPATING IN AAA PROGRAM

COLLEGE STATION — Range conservation in Texas hit a new high under the 1933 AAA program when 22,236 ranches earned \$5,822,824 of the \$6,347,224 available for the work. More work was done on nearly all of the approved range-building practices under the 1933 program than under the 1938 program, a summary released by the state AAA headquarters revealed.

Referred grazing was 5,397,340 acres in 1938 compared with 4,811,610 acres previous year. On 22,236 ranches grass was reseeded, nearly three times as much as in 1938. 2,870 acres sodded with grass.

Contour furrowing or subsoiling out into effect on 10,000 and 27,089,557 acres along the contour to hold the range.

Woods of 300,000 acres were planted, the total constructed, the total planted by more than 100,000 men feet the work done on the dam construction as a comparable 2,000,000 cubic yards of dirt were moved in the construction of 17,762 stock water tanks, an increase of 4,372 over the previous year's 13,390.

Drilling of water wells to supply stock water jumped 100,000 linear feet for a total of 574,486 feet in the state. In the development of seeps and springs for watering purposes 43,971 cubic feet of sand, gravel and rock were excavated.

Prickly pear and cactus was eradicated on 3,721,762 acres of rangeland, mesquite on 120,342 acres, cedar on 668,736 acres, and lechuguilla on 157,750 acres.

Establishment of fireguards amounted to 7,967,303 linear feet and trees were planted on 289 acres.

Total rangeland in the pro-

THE FARMERS STATE BANK

of Clarendon, Texas

Statement of condition as the close of business June 29, 1940.

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	\$226,076.21	Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
Overdrafts	149.34	Surplus & Undivided Profits	10,919.11
Banking House, Fix. & Fixture	12,245.50	Customers Bonds Deposited	7,600.00
Other Real Estate	2,708.42	Deposits	263,903.45
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	1,650.00		
State of Texas & School Warrants	7,160.15		
U. S. & Federal Land Bank Securities	25,562.50		
Cash and Due from Banks	46,170.44		
	74,732.94		
TOTAL	\$332,322.56	TOTAL	\$332,322.56

The above statement is correct — VAN KENNEDY, Cashier

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Mrs. Robbins of Canyon visited her son, Ray Robbins, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bryon.

Landron Stamford of Memphis was a business visitor here Friday.

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Donley County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That you summon by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Donley if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Joan Mace, of Bernalillo County, New Mexico, to be and appear before the Hon. County Court, to be holden in the County of Donley, on the 22nd day of July, A. D. 1940, at the Court House thereof in Clarendon, Texas, then and there to answer a petition for Partition filed in said Court, on the 18th day of June A. D. 1940, by J. H. Howard, Administrator of the Estate of J. R. Mace, deceased, and alleging that Mrs. Alto Tobin Mace, of Donley County, Texas; W. M. Mace, of Lelia Lake, Texas; E. B. Mace of Tarrant County, Texas; T. H. Mace of Hale County, Texas; T. F. Mace of Potter County, Texas; Mrs. Nettie Williams of Donley County, Texas; Mrs. Lida Warren of Donley County, Texas; J. R. Mace of Pierce County, Washington; Mace Trout of Bernalillo County, New Mexico; Mayburn Trout of Donley County, Texas; Mrs. Stollie Harden of Donley County, Texas; Mrs. Maud Procter of Bernalillo County, New Mexico; Jesse Trout of DeBaca County, New Mexico; Junior Davis of Donley County, Texas, and Joan Mace of Bernalillo County, New Mexico, are entitled to a share of said Estate:

HEREIN FAIL NOT, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Clarendon, Texas, this, the 18th day of June A. D. 1940.

HELEN WIEDMAN, Clerk County Court, Donley County, Texas. 25-4tc.

That Nagging Backache

May Warn of Disordered Kidney Action

Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—its risk of exposure and infection—throws heavy strain on the work of the kidneys. They are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess acid and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, getting up at night, leg pains, swelling—feet constantly tired, nervous, all worn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

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Oxen to Tractor Portrayed in Mural



Great Grandpa tilled his eroded fields with a yoke of oxen and a wooden plow. Tractors do the job today, and this advance in agricultural engineering from the early days to the present modern methods is depicted in a five-panel mural which was recently completed for the lecture room walls in the Agricultural Engineering Building at Texas A&M College. One of the most ambitious student mural projects ever attempted in the Southwest, the paintings are by Miss Gertrude Babcock, recent graduate of the Fine Arts Department of Texas State College for Women.

Dan Scoates, late head of the Agricultural Engineering Department at A&M, conceived the idea and passed it on to a manufacturer of farm machinery who made the mural possible. The immediate paintings took Miss Babcock approximately one year.

OLIN CULBERSON GIVES STAND IN AUSTIN SPEECH

AUSTIN — A simple plan to force the use of dissenting opinions which he contends would in short order end all opportunity for and talk about "influence peddling" in connection with the Texas Railroad Commission was advanced this week by Olin Culberson of Jackson County, candidate for railroad commissioner.

The South Texan, a former Hill County judge, had the backing of six years experience working under the commission on which to base his suggestion. He was head of the commission's gas utilities division, as such reduced gas rates in many Texas cities, was head of the oil production enforcement division and helped drive out the "hot oil" racketeer.

"The legislature should pass a law requiring that all three members of the commission sign every order although two signatures validate it," Culberson said. "After all, they each draw salaries. As matters now stand, many orders are issued by two without the third ever seeing them. This allows for evasion of responsibility that is wrong and leads to worse things. It provides a loophole through which a sharp-shooting 'influence peddler' can operate with impunity. If all three were forced to sign every order, shortly the practice of writing dissenting opinions to explain signatures would develop.

"This would bring out for publicity and public inspection many occurrences now hidden.

"I also am in favor of making up and rigidly adhering to a calendar of routine events so that the members of the oil, gas and transportation industries would know exactly on what date hearings would be held, orders issued, and the complaint that something had been done behind some fellow's back would no longer be possible. I learned in training that routine is important.

Having just concluded a mid-campaign trip that in two weeks took him from the Panhandle to the Valley, from far West to deep East Texas, Judge Culberson said he felt he had a pretty good idea of how the railroad commission was going.

"Thanks to the work done by my friends, particularly the volunteer firemen in the small towns and the fireboys of the cities, I will poll a more widespread vote than any of the 18 railroad commission candidates," Culberson said. "It is hard for me to believe at times that friends could be so loyal and fine. I come to town after town without any notice and find that my friends have contacted their county chairmen and their precinct judges, that they have put out my literature and my placards not on posts and trees but with permission in places of business in cities and towns.

"I have no other way than this to reach these fine folks to thank them than this. Their number is so large that I cannot even afford postage stamps to correspond with them regu-

New WPA Payroll Procedure Goes Into Effect

SAN ANTONIO — WPA workers will receive 26 pay checks this year instead of 24 as in previous years, according to a statement issued today by State Work Projects Administrator H. P. Drought.

The pay checks, which will be issued for a shorter work period, will be correspondingly reduced in amount with the net result that workers' wage remain unchanged.

Under a new method of handling payrolls, checks will be issued every fourteen days instead of twice per month, Drought explained. The pay per hour and the amount of wages which may be earned per year are unchanged.

The new payroll procedure, which goes into effect this month, has been adopted nationally by WPA.

Miss Dorothy Jo Ryan and Mr. Ed Calahan of Fort Worth are here visiting with Miss Ryan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shug Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richards of Memphis were Clarendon visitors Thursday.

Bond Papers at The News.

lary.

"If Olin Culberson becomes railroad commissioner, it will be through the efforts of just such true Texans and true friends, and to them I pledge that I will transfer my gratitude to them to my work to help all Texas as a railroad commissioner."

Judge Culberson said that his experience and proven ability contributed largely to the success of his friends in securing support for him.

"It is pretty generally agreed that now is the time for experience, not experiment," Judge Culberson said.

Applications For Mattresses Are Nearing 200,000

COLLEGE STATION — Preliminary reports from Texas counties indicate that applications for mattress making materials under the Department of Agriculture's program for reducing the country's cotton surplus may aggregate 200,000 when all records are finally tabulated in the state office of the A. and M. College Extension Service. June 29 was the final date of which low-income farm families could file applications for cotton and ticking.

One hundred and ninety seven counties have reported 180, 281 applications as of June 26, according to Mildred Horton, vice director and state home demonstration agent of the Extension Service. Already 17,000 bales have been ordered from the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation, according to reports filed in the state AAA office, indicating that at least 170,000 families have been certified to participate by county agricultural conservation committees.

Sixty one counties which have received cotton had made 20,509 mattresses on the same date, Miss Horton said. Progress of the program in Texas compares favorably with other southern states, a report from Washington reveals. Alabama reports 207,127 applications received and 177,160 of these certified. Arkansas follows Texas in number with 158,613 applications filed, of which 149,513 families have been certified as eligible. Next in line is Mississippi with 110,667 applications. About 100,000 of these are certified families as of June 22, 1940.

Other states participating in the program include Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Kentucky, Missouri, New Jersey, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia and Maryland.

The Donley County State Bank

of Clarendon, Texas. June 29, 1940

In response to a call from the Commissioner of Banking

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. RESOURCES includes Loans and Discounts, Overdrafts, School and State Warrants, Banking House, etc. LIABILITIES includes Capital Stock, Surplus, Undivided Profits, etc.

The above Statement is correct, F. E. CHAMBERLAIN, Vice-President and Cashier

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CROP INSURANCE 1941 PROGRAM IS UNDERWAY

APPLICATIONS FOR WHEAT PLAN ACCEPTED BY OVER 100 COUNTY OFFICES

COLLEGE STATION — The 1941 all-risk wheat crop insurance program is underway over most of the Texas wheat section with only a few county AAA offices not yet accepting applications.

More than 100 county offices have received their wheat acreage allotments for 1941 and are accepting crop insurance applications with prospects bright for greatly increased participation during the program's third year of operation, according to E. R. Duke, state crop insurance supervisor.

"Better understanding of the program on the part of the producers and proof of the soundness of wheat crop insurance assure us of a substantial increase in participation this year," the supervisor observed.

On the 1939 crop 3,700 producers insured their wheat production of 2,516,168 bushels and collected indemnities totaling 1,020,788 bushels. Approximately 11,000 producers insured their crop of 5,227,699 bushels with indemnity payments to date amounting to more than 500,000 bushels under the 1940 program.

Federal Crop Insurance Corporation reserves in Texas are stored in Gainesville, Wichita Falls, Fort Worth, and Amarillo, but these stocks are being distributed to other points for the sake of convenience.

Crop insurance rates are calculated on an actuarial basis with the rates varying for different farms and different counties according to crop loss experiences and yields in those localities, Duke explained.

Mrs. N. W. Durham and baby of Memphis visited with her mother, Mrs. Lennie Cauthen here for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Baldwin of Memphis were Clarendon visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Mont Read of Memphis spent a few days last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shug Ryan.

The Record Speaks



Max Boyer, candidate for State Senator is a friend of the average citizen.

His Dailham-Hartley Counties Land Bill.

His successful fight for retention of Gasoline refund.

His support of the State-Wide Soil Conservation Act.

His cooperation with both Governors under whom he served.

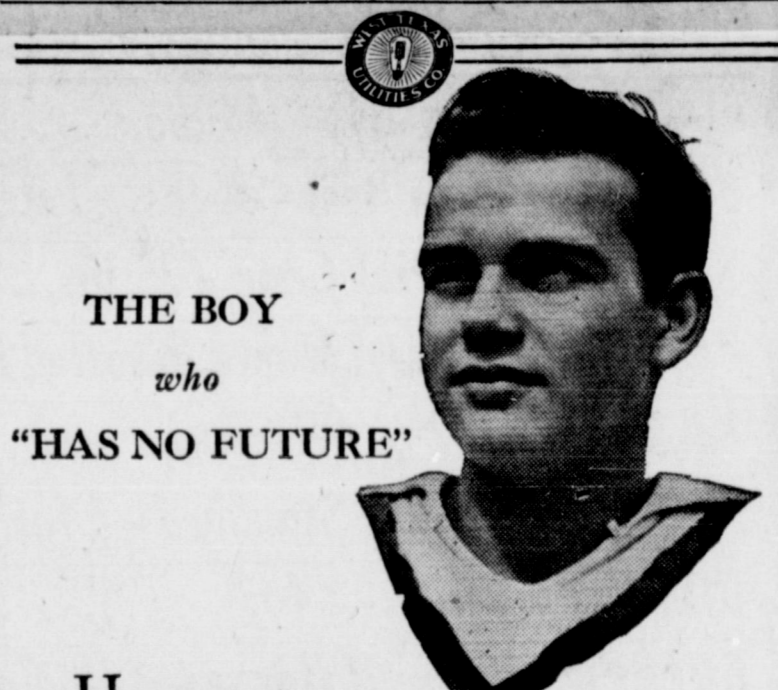
His sincere effort to solve the Social Security problems.

Proves he is capable and deserves promotion to a position that will enable him to better serve a larger group of Panhandle citizens.

Elect Boyer In The First Primary

More than ten thousand friends of Max Boyer in the ten counties he has served the past four years ask you to join them in electing Boyer State Senator in the first primary, July 27.

Stamp Pad Ink at The News.



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Fifty years ago the electric industry had barely begun its existence. There were no automobile, radio and aviation industries. Coming right up to date, here are a few of the things we didn't have as recently as 1930:

Streamline trains. Transoceanic air service. New plastics and resins. Synthetic rubber. Synthetic vitamins. Sulfanilamide and sulfapyridine, drugs that are revolutionizing medicine.

There are always new frontiers and new futures in America. In good times and bad, Americans work to make the good things of life better and cheaper. The employees of your electric company are typical: their efforts have helped make it possible for this company to give far better service than it could give twelve or fifteen years ago, and to charge about half what was charged then.

The men of your electric company were once American boys. They believed in their own futures and the future of their country. They worked to make the future better for themselves and their fellow citizens. They hope today's young Americans will not listen to pessimism, because they know that every American has a future if he sincerely believes he has.

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★ INVITE A FRIEND TO WEST TEXAS—"The Land of Opportunity" ★

Mr. Jim Barkett left Sunday for a short business trip to Wichita Falls. He returned Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heath and son, Jimmy Frank, of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Warren over the Fourth.

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DESKINS WELLS MAKES RINGING SPEECH HERE

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NATION'S WEALTH IS
CANDIDATE'S OBJECT

Advocating pensions and WPA wages in Texas equal to those paid in other states, Deskings Wells made a ringing speech for balance and fair play on the streets of Clarendon, July 4.

"I will work to return to this section a fair share of the nation's wealth that we help to produce," he told his listeners early in the talk. "Deskings Wells will oppose those discriminations such as freight rates, high interest rates, unfair and unequal taxes that place our people on the short end of the lever where they have had to pull for over 50 years."

"Deskings Wells believes that the prosperity of this country can be measured by the thickness of the farmer's and the workman's purse. Just as I intend to work in the interest of agriculture with equal sincerity will I work for labor. For the good of all, living standards should not be lowered."

Outlining a well-rounded social security program, Deskings Wells continued, "I will work for any practical plan that will give our old people what they are entitled to. In some states elderly people draw \$40 a month, but in Texas many of our deserving old people get no more than a miserly \$8 a month. We pay taxes that go to those states, therefore, I tell you clearly I want our peo-

Ten Carloads Of Wheat Shipped From Jericho

Ten carloads of wheat were shipped from Jericho this last week, according to word received here today.

The farmers of the Jericho area have completed their harvesting.

Curtis Dodson of Memphis was here on business Saturday.

ple paid as much as those in other states."

"Until universal prosperity again is fully accomplished in the United States and men who want work can find work, our WPA and PWA must be continued in force. In this connection there is one matter that is so definite in my mind that it should be mentioned today, and tomorrow and throughout the future until it be corrected."

"I want WPA workers in Texas to receive a wage equal to those paid in other states. They receive less today, and you know that is not right. The wages paid to our workers should never become a football to be played with in politics where for certain reasons one wage is paid in New Mexico and another is paid for like work in Texas. Just as in other things, Deskings Wells wants balance and fair play for all people."

Visiting with the people of Clarendon, Deskings Wells, smiling broadly, commented, "This isn't like laying down a platform before the people, it's more like visiting with neighbors — and some of the people right here have at one time or another been my neighbors."

CELEBRATION

(Continued from Page One)

cowboys came from as far as Dalhart with a big delegation representing the XIT ranch.

Over three thousand persons packed the grandstands at the big rodeo to see some 150 contestants take part in steer, bronc, and calf riding and roping events.

Thousands also witnessed the Coronado pageant and brilliant fireworks display presented under flood lights at the football stadium. The pageant depicted the growth and development of Clarendon and this section since the advent of Coronado four centuries ago.

A number of out of town bands were here, and politicians furthered their campaigns by speaking to various crowds up and down the streets.

Negro Wounded In Shooting Affray Here Thursday

One negro is in the hospital here recovering from a bullet wound and another negro faces a charge of assault and attempt to murder following a shooting affray in negro quarters here last Thursday night.

Jessie Hollingsworth, also known as Jessie Waters, was arrested by county officers late Thursday night following the shooting of John Brown near Bennie Nevel's place on the flats in the colored section of town.

According to Sheriff Guy Pierce, the shooting occurred following an argument involving a woman, Brown, reported as resting well in the hospital, was shot through the right chest with an old .41 gun. Hollingsworth posted a \$500 bond the next day and was released from custody.

Large Delegation Of XIT Cowboys Parade Here

A big Dalhart XIT delegation, including the XIT band, joined Clarendon on the opening day of its two-day Coronado July Fourth celebration, and also extended invitations to folks of this area to attend the Fifth Annual XIT Reunion in Dalhart, August 5-6.

The XIT band, directed by C. W. Beene, headed the Dalhart section in the 1 p. m. parade. Behind the band came nine mounted XIT riders, three of them carrying the U. S., Texas, and XIT flags, the others forming the guard of honor. Dalhart cars replete with XIT stickers followed the standard-bearers.

N. Y. A. TEACHER IS TRANSFERRED

Miss Zudie M. Bible who has been Arts and Crafts instructor here in the NYA Girls Resident Center for the past few months was transferred to Childress Tuesday where she will be Superintendent of the National Youth Association of Arts and Crafts there. Miss Anna Moores Swift has been appointed to fill the vacancy left by Miss Bible here.

Miss Swift has her B. A. Degree from Baylor University in Waco and had also done graduate work in Texas State College for Women in Denton.

TOM ELLZEY TO CAMPAIGN HERE MONDAY, JULY 22

Tom Ellzey and sons, W. Clark and Lawrence, will visit Hedley, Lella Lake and Clarendon on Monday, July 22, in behalf of Mr. Ellzey's campaign for congress.

The trio will arrive at Hedley at 5:30 p. m.; Lella Lake, at 5:15 p. m.; and Clarendon at 8 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd of Memphis attended the Rodeo here Wednesday.

Mrs. Lovett Noble returned home Monday from South Texas where she has been visiting with her son, Gerald Noble, for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Salamy of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barkett the first part of the week.

Mrs. L. O. Latson left Friday for Tahoka for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Wynne Collier.

Manly Bryan left Monday to visit with friends and relatives in Vernon.

Miss Vada Crawley and Miss Robbie Wells of Wellington were here Wednesday and Thursday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bairfield and campaigning for Deskings Wells.

Don Leary of Memphis spent Saturday afternoon in Clarendon.

Boyer Will Speak In Clarendon On July 20 At 3:30

Max Boyer, candidate for State Senator, will speak in Clarendon at 3:30 p. m. Saturday, July 20. Mr. Boyer will outline his campaign and present his candidacy for State Senator.

Boyer states he has made a clean and aggressive campaign during the last two months. He is asking promotion to the State Senate on the record he has made as a State Representative during the past four years. Boyer declares he has co-operated wholeheartedly with two state governors and will continue to do so, if elected State Senator. He asks voters to check the records filed in their county court houses in proof of his statement, that he has never been a member of the "block" of state officials who have impaired worthwhile legislation.

Young Out-Of-Town Evangelists Help In Revival Here

Three young, out-of-town Evangelists, two boys and one girl, are participating in a revival now going on at the Assembly of God church.

Mrs. Mildred Mara of Berger, Clyde Myre of Josephine, and Hanchey Caldwell of Farmersville, are in Clarendon assisting with the revival. The local pastor is Mrs. Alma Wisdom and pianist is Mrs. Tressie Robertson.

The revival features good music and staging and everyone is invited to attend.

Children, 8, 5 and 2 Make 800-Mile Trip Here For Visit

Gale, Betty and Ruth Holloway, grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Morris of the Spring Creek Ranch arrived Saturday for a visit with their grandparents. The children who are but 8, 5 and 2 years of age made the 800-mile bus trip alone coming from White River Indian Reservation, Arizona, where their father Louis Holloway is Indian agent.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Alexander of Wellington and Mrs. C. W. Alexander of Oklahoma City spent last week here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bairfield.

Gene Bryon left Monday for a visit in Lella Lake.

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HOMINY, No. 2 - 2 for 15c

COFFEE, Maxwell House - 3-lb. Can 79c

K. C. BAKING POWDER - 10-lb. Can 98c

LARD, Rex Pure - 4-lb Carton 35c

SPUDS, No. 1 Red Triumphs - Peck 30c

PEACHES No. 1 Syrup Packed 10c

OXYDOL, Giant Size 2 Camay Soap 69c

PEAS, English, No. 2 Wisconsin 10c

TOMATOES, Fresh Vine-Ripened - 20-lb basket 45c

WATER MELONS Guaranteed - Pound 1c

BANANAS, Good Fruit - Dozen 15c

COFFEE Bright and Early- large bowl Free 3 lbs 65c

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