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School Faculty Completed With 2 Appointments

Grade School Principal Second Grade Posts Are Filled

Employment of two additional teachers to the staff of Ozona schools to complete the faculty for the 1937-38 term was announced this week by Supt. C. S. Denham on his return from a month's vacation and business trip.

Resignations of two teachers within the last month necessitated the additional appointments. Rex F. Johnson, grade school principal, recently resigned to accept a position as head of the commercial department of Sherman High School. Mr. Johnson had served one year as principal here. Miss Frances Northcutt, second grade teacher here the past four years, sent in her resignation following her marriage June 6 to Henry Smith of Ganado, Texas.

Eugene Hollon, elementary school principal and High School coach at Mirando City the last three years, has been elected elementary school principal here to succeed Mr. Johnson. Mr. Hollon, whose home is in Comanche, Texas, is 24 years of age, a graduate of the East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce with the degree of Bachelor of Arts, and has his M. A. degree from the University of Texas. He will teach arithmetic and Texas history in Junior High School and coach junior boys athletics.

Miss Dorothy Spain of Bowie, Texas, will succeed Miss Northcutt as second grade teacher. Miss Spain has taught the primary grade in Bowie Public Schools the past three years. She is a graduate of North Texas State Teachers College at Denton, with the degree of Bachelor of Arts.

Church School At Methodist Church Open To Children

Units Offered Primary, Juniors Of All Denominations Aug. 2-6

Primary and junior age children of Ozona will have opportunity to enroll in Ozona's first Vacation Church School which will begin Monday morning, August 2, and continue through Friday, August 6. It was announced this week by Rev. Eugene Slater, pastor of the Ozona Methodist Church.

Two units are to be offered in the school, the pastor said, the primary division to be offered a unit in "Bible Homes and Homes Today," and the junior division, "What Is In Your Bible?". Activities, recreation and worship will help to make the courses both interesting and vital, Rev. Slater declared.

Workers who will have part in the week's school include Miss Wayne Augustine, Mrs. Bryan McDonald, Mrs. Taylor Word, and Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Slater. The school sessions will begin each morning at 9 o'clock and continue to 11 o'clock.

"Although this school is being held at the Methodist Church, the courses are non-sectarian, and we cordially invite the children of all denominations to share in the work," Rev. Slater said. "Help us to make this initial venture a successful one so that we can lay broader foundations for an even better school next year."

BROKEN COLLAR BONE

Miss Bobby Bland, sister of Mrs. H. B. Tandy, here on a visit from her home in Abilene, suffered a broken collar bone Saturday afternoon when she fell from a Model T Ford in which she and a group of boys and girls were riding.

Scientist Puts Old Sol to Work



Dr. Charles Greeley Abbott, secretary of the Smithsonian institution and director of the American Astrophysical observatory at Washington, D. C., is shown setting up his solar boiler at the Great Lakes exposition at Cleveland. The device, hailed as science's first successful effort to translate solar energy into usable power, would yield a total of 70,000 horsepower on cloudless days, according to Dr. Abbott.

Ozonan Has Bugle Autographed By Amelia Earhart On Her Trip To Valley In 1929

N. E. Rendall Recovers Instrument By Chance After Losing Sight Of It 8 Years

A treasured memento of the world's most notable woman flyer—Amelia Earhart—lost somewhere in the vast Pacific in the last of a long series of spectacular flights undertaken during her lifetime—is owned by N. E. Rendall of Ozona.

It is a bugle bearing the autograph of the famous woman flyer, secured in 1929 when she took part in ceremonies welcoming Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh to Brownsville, in March of that year, with a load of mail from

Mexico City.

By a lucky chance, Mr. Rendall recovered the bugle on his recent trip to the valley to visit relatives. At the time he secured the autograph, he was a member of a drum and bugle corps, which later disbanded, the instruments being loaned, lost or taken in later years until only the one bugle was left in the place of storage in a closet at the railroad depot in Brownsville.

Miss Earhart inscribed her name in ink on the horn, writing it "Aemie Earhart" (correct) and Rendall preserved the perishable signature by immediately having it engraved by a jeweler.

Rev. Black Resigns As Minister Ozona Church Of Christ

Rev. James F. Black, minister of the Ozona Church of Christ, has resigned his post with the local church, it was announced here by church officials. Rev. Black had served the church the past year. He is in Del Rio, where he formerly served as minister, for a visit with friends.

Rev. Black's successor has not been named, church officials announced, but a new minister will probably be selected in the next few weeks.

New Members Being Added To 4H Club Rolls

Six Boys Enrolled, Seventh Ready; Encampment Enjoyed

Two new members, and a third who has indicated intention to enroll but has not yet officially signed up, was announced this week in the newly organized Crockett County 4H Club for boys organized and directed by C. J. Van Zandt, county agent.

Jessie Hancock and Dick Henderson are two additions to the original roll of four members and W. B. Robertson, Jr., has indicated his intention of joining, the county agent said.

Five boys, Charles McDonald, Miles Pierce, Lorraine West, Bland Tandy and Jessie Hancock accompanied County Agent Van Zandt to the C. B. Hudspeth ranch last week for the three-day 4H Club outing of boys from five counties in this district.

Features of the educational program during the three-day outing were a meat demonstration, killing and dressing a goat, and sheep judging demonstrations. Approximately thirty boys from Val Verde, Sutton, Terrell, Schleicher and Crockett Counties, with their county agents, were present. Mr. Hudspeth invited the boys to make

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Ranchers Warned To Follow Rules In Grubbing And Stacking Of Pear Done Under Range Conservation Program

Methods Must Meet Approval Of Inspectors For Payment

After a tour of preliminary inspection of prickly pear grubbing work being done on several ranches in this county, County Agent C. J. Van Zandt of Crockett County yesterday issued a warning to ranchers who are engaged in pear killing to be sure that the plants are properly piled, and thus prevent disapproval of claims and additional expense in meeting demands of inspectors.

Unless the grubbed pear is stacked so that it will die, it will very probably be necessary for the land owner to go back over the acreage and re-stack the plants to win approval of final inspection, Mr. Van Zandt said. This will mean an additional expense and delay in receiving compensation for work done.

A method recommended by the county agent is to start each pile with plants arranged to outline the stack size, each plant with the leaves turned in. The bottom layers should be turned roots out to prevent disturbance of the piles by stock. Into this outline additional plants should be piled to make as large and as close fitting stack as possible, to provide for a minimum circulation of air thru the plants.

Furthermore, Mr. Van Zandt said, inspectors are going to demand that acreage be cleaned of pear. The preliminary inspections made this week revealed too great a proportion of plants left standing, he said, and such a practice again will lead to difficulties when settlement time comes.

"The larger the stack of pear made, the better," Mr. Van Zandt declared. "I would suggest a minimum of six feet across and from three to four feet high. They should be larger if possible. Practically every plant, at least ninety-nine percent, should be cleaned off the land. It would be best to have a definite understanding with those contracting the work and a close check kept on the work as it is in progress."

Mr. Van Zandt said that he would be glad to visit any ranch and make preliminary inspection of the work in progress and advise ranchers if methods being followed will be satisfactory.

Ozonan Named To State Post With Soil Saving Plan

W. E. Friend, Jr., One Of Five Employed As Re-Check Men

W. E. Friend, Jr., range inspector for Crockett County under the Federal Soil Conservation Program since inauguration of the work in this county, has been appointed as state re-check man, one of five similar positions created recently by the state conservation committee, it was announced thru the local Soil Conservation headquarters in the office of County Agent C. J. Van Zandt here this week.

Mr. Friend will be assigned a number of counties, probably in the West Texas area, over which he will have supervision of the work of re-checking the work of range inspectors in determining range carrying capacity and in inspecting completed jobs of range improvement under the various approved practices. He will be assigned counties other than his home county, but may make headquarters here.

Mr. Friend will attend a called meeting of the newly appointed recheck men to be held at the Experiment Station near Sonora Friday for a school of instruction.

QUITS POST HERE



JOE HADDON

Haddon Resigns Post Of Band, Scout Leader

To Attend Texas Tech; Successor Has Not Been Selected

Joe Haddon, teacher of band and orchestra and Scoutmaster of Ozona Boy Scout Troop 53 for the past three years, has resigned his posts here and will attend Texas Technological College at Lubbock during the next term, it was announced here this week.

Mr. Haddon has had private classes in band and orchestra and has directed the school band and orchestra since its organization under his sponsorship. A band house, constructed on school property last year, served as headquarters for the musical group.

During his tenure, Mr. Haddon built up a school orchestra of 25 pieces and a band of 35 pieces. He helped organize the Ozona Boy Scout troop and was its faithful leader for three years. While attending Texas Tech, Mr. Haddon will do part-time teaching in the Slaton public schools.

W. Y. Bengt, who has been assistant Scoutmaster here for several months, will take over Mr. Haddon's work as Scoutmaster. A successor to Mr. Haddon in directing the school band and orchestra activities has not been selected, according to Supt. C. S. Denham. Efforts will be made to secure a teacher qualified in musical education to such an extent that the school system can get affiliated credits on band and orchestra instruction, the superintendent said.

Ozona-Sonora Club To Enjoy Off Week From Competition

The Ozona-Sonora Sataion A ball club will enjoy its first week-end holiday from the diamond since before the opening of the second half the coming Saturday and Sunday.

While the Crane Gulfers will be at Texon Saturday and entertain Gardner's crew at Crane Sunday, and the Iraan-McCamey teams go it at Iraan Saturday and at McCamey Sunday, the Station A lads will probably frame a "fishing" for the week-end.

CHICAGOIANS VISIT HERE

Chris. Korte, Misses Helen and Florence Korte, and Miss Evelyn Geiner, all of Chicago, left yesterday after a visit of several days with relatives here. Mr. Korte and the Misses Korte are nephew and nieces of the late George Bunker, and cousins of Mrs. J. W. North, Mrs. Jake Young, and Welton and George Bunker of Ozona. They have just completed a tour of Mexico and were on their way to the West Coast for a tour of California and the northwest states.

LAMB MARKET SET AT 8 CTS. IN MASS SALE

Crockett Growers Set Pace In Establishing New High

55,050 HEAD SOLD

Nearly 30 Growers In Pool Making Up Big Deal

Crockett County sheepmen set the pace for the 1937 feeder lamb market at a new high price of 8 cents a pound in one of the largest mass sales of range feeder lambs made in Texas in a decade when a group of nearly thirty growers pooled lambs for a sale of 50,050 head at that figure in a deal closed here Saturday.

The estimated \$250,000 sale was made to Jess Elrod and Bob Weatherby of San Angelo, for northern feeders.

The 8 cent price was a half cent rise in offers being made through the territory, representing the dividends of Crockett County growers on their investment in the best quality bucks and careful breeding for maximum quality production in their flocks—a premium quality always found by buyers of Crockett County produced wool and sheep.

Growers pooling their lamb crops in the big mass sale, first of consequence to outside buyers this season, were Floyd Henderson, Boyd Clayton, Mrs. A. W. Clayton, George Montgomery, J. D. Kirby, Vick Montgomery, Joe T. Davidson, Charley Davidson, Mrs. C. E. Davidson, Bill Grimmer, Dan Wills, Ray Pine r, Albert Kay, C. C. Montgomery, Joe Sellers Pierce, Ad Harvick, Strick Harvey, Mrs. J. O. Secrest, Pat Lee, Dock Lee, Clyde Young, W. E. Dunlap, Dempster Jones, Victor Pierce, North Ranch Co., Wayne West, John Williams, and J. M. Baggett.

Lambs are to be delivered between August 15 and October 1. Minimum weight is 45 pounds.

New Owner Takes Charge Flowers Store Saturday

Hubert Baker Of San Angelo To Install Piggly-Wiggly

Next Saturday night Flowers Grocery, an Ozona institution for a quarter of a century, will pass into new hands and the business will be turned into a Piggly-Wiggly store.

Hubert Baker, salesman for the Martin-Glover wholesale grocery in San Angelo for several years, recently purchased the local store and will take over its management with the close of business Saturday night.

Mr. Baker, it is understood, will close the store for a few days while new fixtures are being installed and new stock displayed, after which it will open as a Piggly-Wiggly. Preston Williams who has been with Flowers Grocery for several years, will remain in the employ of the new manager.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. Eula Montgomery, former Ozonan, now living in Houston, underwent an emergency operation for appendicitis in Houston Saturday, relatives here were informed. Miss Ethel Childress, who is visiting in Houston, remained there to be with her aunt during her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miller have as their guests Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. J. M. Scott, two nephews, Douglas Hurt and Phil Scott, and a niece, Miss Johan Scott, all of Dallas.

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THURSDAY, JULY 29, 1937

FOREHANDED CANDIDATE FOR REPRESENTATIVE HERE

H. W. Toepperwein, county attorney of Menard County and an avowed candidate for state representative from this district to succeed Coke R. Stevenson of Junction, spent a few hours in Ozona Tuesday. Mr. Toepperwein is a young man, a native of Menard and a graduate of A. & M. College. He has served two terms as county attorney of Menard County. Mr. Toepperwein has not made official announcement of his candidacy in the 1938 elections, but is visiting the different counties in the district getting acquainted with the people. Mr. Stevenson, it is understood, will not seek re-election to the post.

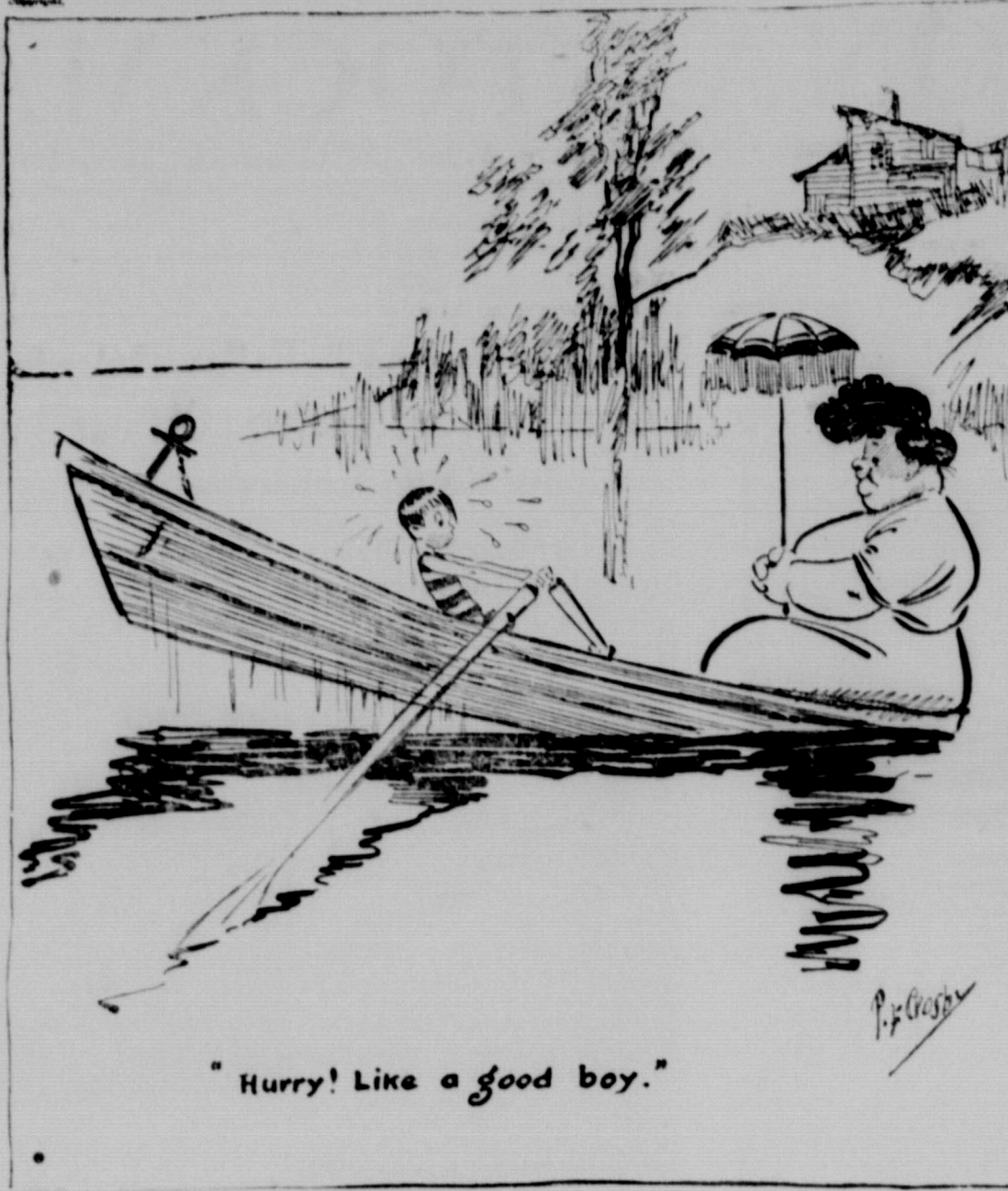
BAPTIST CHURCH

Ira V. Garrison, Pastor

We will not have regular preaching services at our church next Sunday as we and a group of our people will be attending the Paisano Encampment. At least one of

By PERCY CROSSBY

Back of the Flats



"Hurry! Like a good boy."

the other churches in town will have regular preaching services and we are sure all of our people who can attend will find a welcome with them.

We will have Sunday School at 9:45 and B. T. U. at 7:00 and we hope all who cannot be at Paisano will attend these services.

We will return from Paisano in time to be present for all the regular services on Sunday, August 8th. We will give a report of

this session of Paisano that day. We hope all who can will be present and bring others with you to all the services that day.

Mrs. Joe T. Davidson and son, Joe Thomas, returned Saturday from Dallas, where Joe Thomas recently underwent an operation on his knee to correct a condition arising as a result of an old injury suffered while playing football on the High School team.

Miss Totsy Robison has returned from Boulder, Colo., where she attended summer school.

J. M. Hefner of Dallas, one of the administrators of the E. M. Powell estate, was a business visitor here the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Fats Heatherly are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Browns' relatives in Lampasas this week.

Miss Virginia Ede of San Angelo was the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery and family of Ozona.

Wren Jackson, rancher near Best, was a brief visitor here early in the week on his way to Sonora.

Mrs. Lowell Littleton and Mrs. J. W. Owens will entertain with a bridge party at the Owens home here Thursday afternoon complimenting Miss Blanche Robison, bride of the week.

The phenomenal growth of the Texas grapefruit by-products industry is shown in the report that citrus canning plants this season will pay \$500,000 for 60,000 tons of oranges and grapefruit for conversion into juices, concentrates, marmalades, wines, flavoring, beverage bases, and candied peels. Two years ago, 25,000 tons were thus sold, for \$226,000 and in 1933 the canned portion of the crop amounted to only \$10,000. The number of Texas plants has grown from three to 25.

That Would Be H—

First Devil: "Ha ho, Ho ho." Satan: "Why the laugh?" First Devil: "I just put a woman into a room with a thousand hats and no mirror."

Mr. and Mrs. Early Baggett and Mr. and Mrs. George Harrell left a few days ago on a vacation trip to California.

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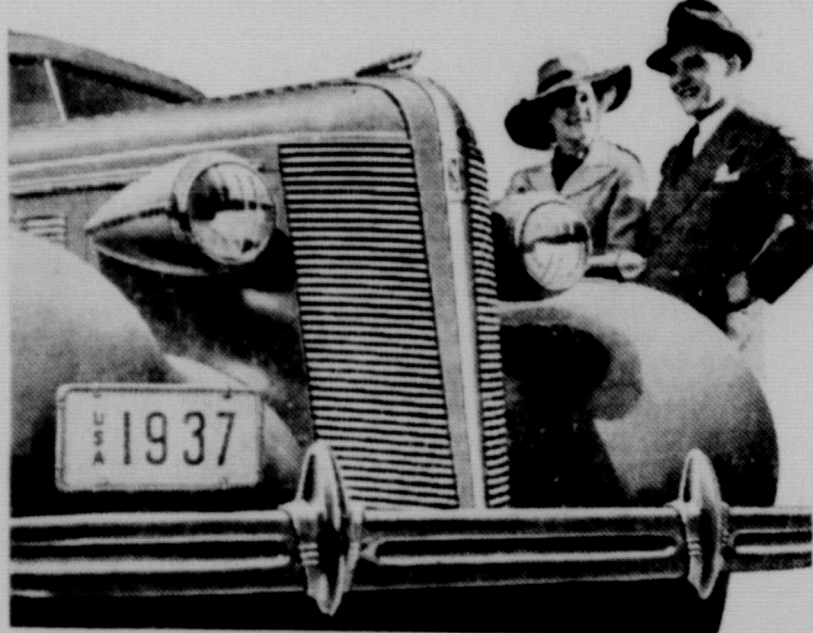
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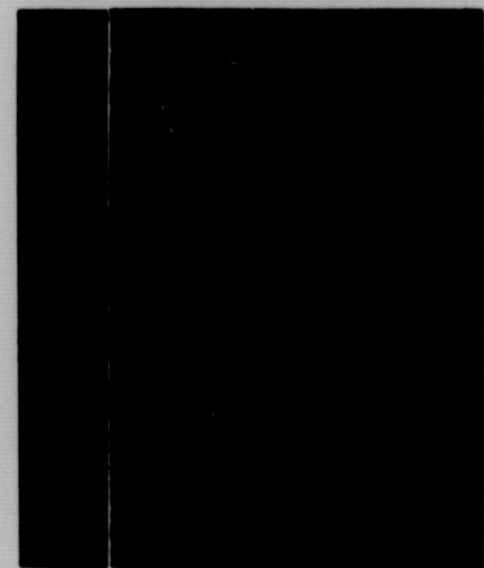
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Texas Women Outnumbered
Denton, July 28—There are approximately one hundred thousand more men than women in Texas, according to the last population figures. The actual totals are 2,566,994 males as compared to 2,458,721 females. Another interesting tabulation shows that more than one million more Texans live on farms and in rural areas than in cities.

Official Symbols

The state tree of Texas is the pecan, its bird the mocking bird, its motto "Friendship," and its flower, of course, the bluebonnet. "Texas, Our Texas," composed by Gladys Y. Wright and W. J. Marsh, was officially adopted as the state song in 1929. The Seal of the state is a star of five points encircled by olive and live oak branches with the words "The State of Texas" inscribed.

What's in a Name?

Strange sources furnished some of the names of Texas towns. Amarillo, which is the Spanish word for "yellow", is said to be named for the coloring of the walls of Palo Duro canyon. Three men put names into a hat and drew out the official title of "Aubrey", which was the name of one of their girl friends. The town of Blessing was given that name by John E. Pierce in appreciation of its founding. He wanted to call it "Thank God" but the railroad objected. Sacul and Tesnus are "Lucas and Sunset" spelled in reverse but no one knows who had the backwards idea or why the towns were so named.

Practical Cookery

Dept. Home of Economics
Texas State College for Women

Denton, July 28—Baking powder biscuits, so easy to make, offer a variety of suggestions to the busy housewife. They are particularly good for lunches or suppers.

Cheese biscuits are delicious with fruit salad, and for breakfast nothing can top cinnamon rolls. Here are a few other variations which can make a meal into an occasion.

Baking Power Biscuits

3 c. flour, 1 t. salt, 6 t. baking powder, 3 to 6 T. shortening, and 1 c. milk. Sift dry ingredients, work in shortening with fingers, fork or two knives until the mixture is like very coarse corn meal. Add liquid all at once and stir quickly until mixture thickens. Place dough on lightly floured board and roll or pat out 1/2 to 1 inch thickness. If a fine grain is desired they should be kneaded for about 1/2 minute. Cut with floured cutter and place biscuits in baking pan. Bake at 425 F. for 12 to 15 minutes.

Cheese Biscuits

Add 1/2 c. grated cheese to biscuit dough or sprinkle cheese on top of biscuits.

Cinnamon Rolls

Roll dough 1/2 in. thick. Spread with butter, cinnamon, and sugar. Roll dough into a long roll and cut crosswise 1/2 to 1 in. thick.

Drop or Emergency Biscuits

Drop from spoon on greased tin and bake as baking powder biscuits.

Orange Biscuit

Add 2 T. sugar and 2 T. finely cut orange peel to biscuit dough. Press in top of each biscuit a piece of loaf sugar which has been soaked in orange juice.

Fruit Biscuits

1 c. white flour, 1 c. whole wheat flour, 1 T. brown sugar, 4 t. baking powder, 1/2 t. salt, 2 T. fat, 3/4 to 1 c. milk, 1/2 c. chopped dates. Combine according to biscuit method, adding the dates last.

Virginia Biscuit

2 c. flour, 4 t. baking powder, 1/2 t. salt, 1 T. sugar, 2 T. peanut butter, 3/4 c. milk. Combine according to biscuit method.

Paul Perner, Bascomb Cox and Judge Charles E. Davidson, members of the county school board, and C. S. Denham, superintendent of schools, visited the Powell Field school Tuesday on school business.

CHERRIES - AND A PEACH



Throughout the nation this year millions of boxes of California cherries are carrying a succulent reminder that 1937 is the year of the Golden Gate International Exposition at San Francisco. Zoe Dell Lantis, one of the Exposition pirate girls, displays the fruity invitation.

Mrs. R. E. Hardberger and daughter, Miss Mary Janice Hardberger, returned Saturday to their home in Lubbock after a visit here with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Lowell Littleton, and Mr. Littleton.

Mrs. Mary Perner has recently had considerable improvements made on three business buildings here, including repainting of wood work and awnings and repairs and repainting of roofs.

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Mrs. L. B. Adams, former Ozona resident, who is seriously ill at her home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Montgomery were here from their ranch near Sanderson the first of the week.



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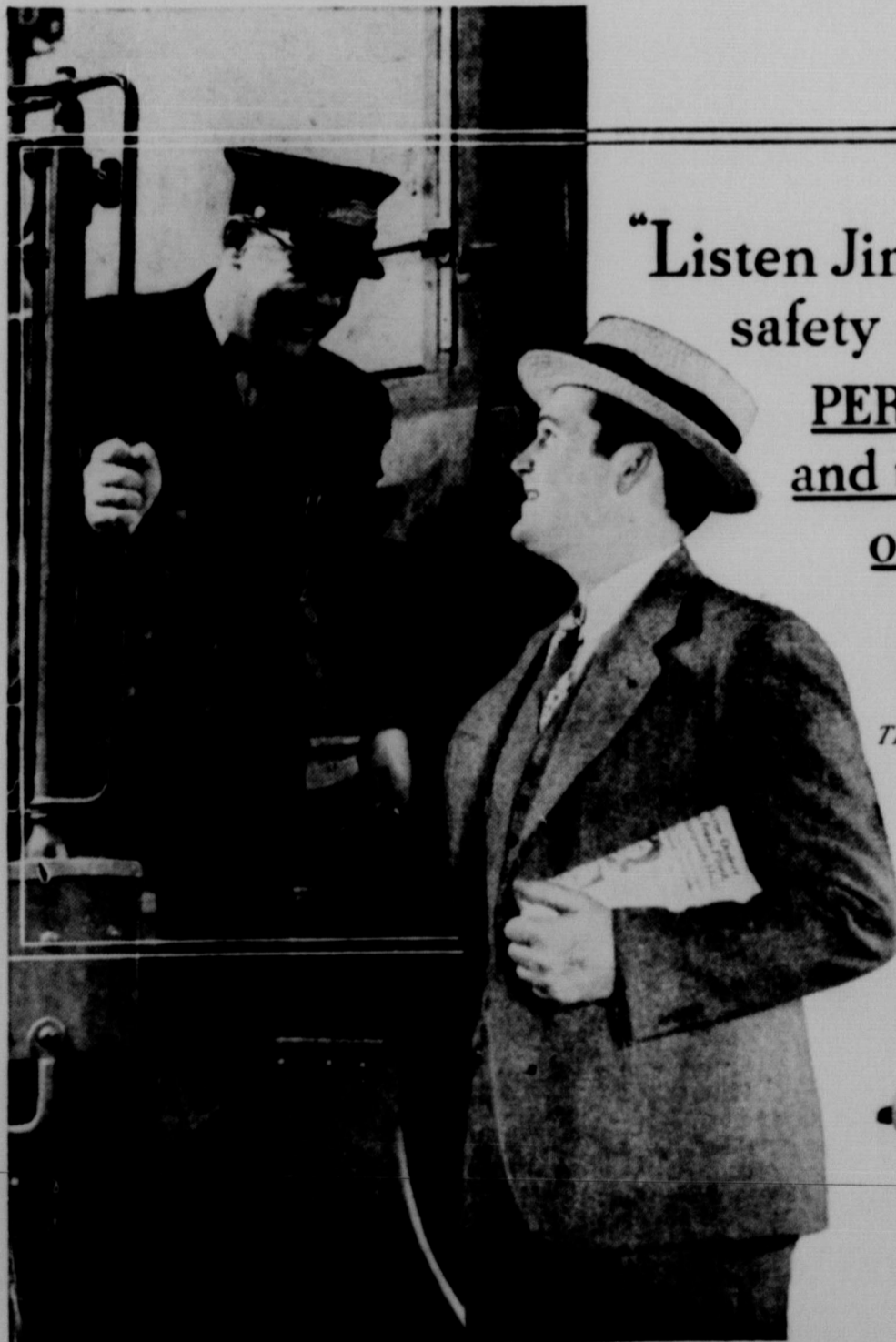
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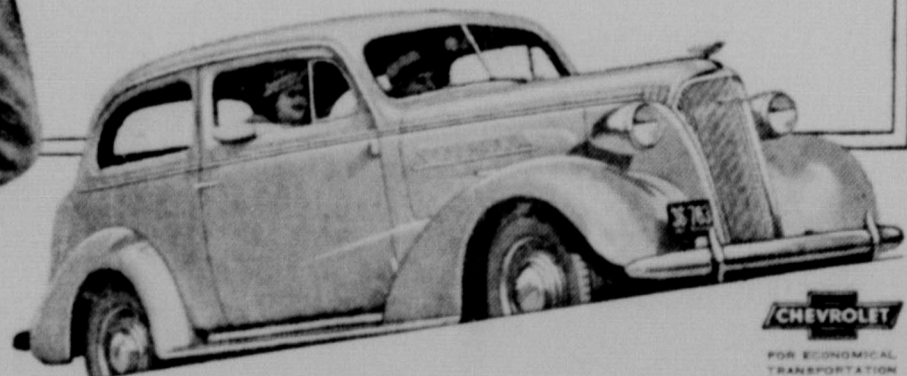
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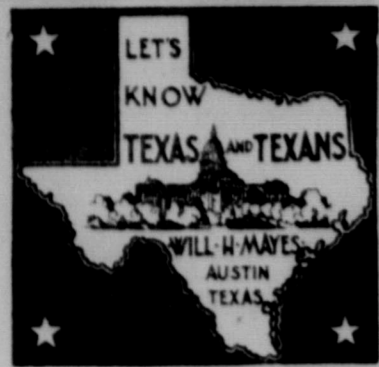
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In this column answers will be given to inquiries as to Texas history and other matters pertaining to the State and its people. Address inquiries to Will H. Mayes, Austin, Texas.

Q. Did organized military companies continue to come to Texas after the Texas victory at San Jacinto?

A. Despite the fact that U. S. neutrality laws prohibited enlistment for such service, several companies came as private citizens and enrolled after crossing the boundary, the war feeling not having died with the Battle of San Jacinto. At least five companies entered Texas through San Augustine in May and June, 1836, according to records kept by Judge John C. Love. These included two companies of 54 Georgians, two companies of 117 Kentuckians and one company of 45 Tennesseans, who were enrolled and sworn into the service of the Republic.

Q. What induced Thomas J. Rusk to come to Texas?

A. In 1834, Rusk invested heavily in gold-mining stock at his home at Clarksville, S. C. The company managers absconded with the funds and Rusk followed them to Texas. It is said that he found them at Nacogdoches, but that they had lost the money gambling. He found prospects of war and decided to stay and help them. His wife and three children did not join him until December, 1835.

Q. Did Thomas J. Rusk have a brother in the Battle of San Jacinto?

A. His brother, David Rusk, came to Texas from South Carolina, in January, 1836, and served as a private in Capt. Hayden Arnold's Company at San Jacinto, having enlisted April 6, 1836. He was sheriff of Nacogdoches county from 1840 to 1846. He died Sept. 11, 1877, in Orange county.

Q. What prominent Texas woman has served continuously for 21 years as an officer of the Chautauqua assembly at Chautauqua, N. Y.?

A. Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker of Austin, who for 21 years has been president of the Chautauqua Woman's Club, composed of leading club women of the United States. This club meets four times a week during the summer assembly to hear discussed the problems of world-wide human in-

"Puppy Love" Uncovers Old Art



Forgotten pictures, gathering dust for years in an old attic, brought the hope of new life to Mrs. Alida Clark, seventy-nine years old, of Maywood, Ill., a suburb of Chicago. She swapped one of the pictures with Arthur Lloyd, Jr., of Oak Park, an antique dealer, for a cocker spaniel, shown in the picture here. When the dealer cleaned it up he was told by an art authority that it was the work of an old French master, Jean Baptiste Greuze.

terest, as presented by prominent men and women from all over the world.

Q. What social event as San Antonio in 1836 has been compared by historians to the ball preceding the Battle of Waterloo?

A. On the night of Feb. 11, 1836, San Antonio society was giving a dance honoring Davy Crockett, who had reached there about a month before. About 1 o'clock, a messenger galloped up an delivered to William B. Travis the following message from Placido Benavides at Camargo, Mexico: "At this moment I have received a very certain notice that the commander-in-chief, Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna, marches for the city of San Antonio, to take possession thereof, with 13,000 men." The ball was ended at 7 o'clock, immediately after which time the officers began plans for the defense of San Antonio.

Q. What Texas State official was the youngest colonel in the American expeditionary forces engaged in the World War?

A. Col. Ernest O. Thompson, of Amarillo, member of the Texas Railroad Commission, who recently returned from Paris, where he served under an appointment by Pres. Roosevelt as a representative of the United States government in the World Petroleum Congress.

Q. Where is Cascade Cavern?

A. About four and a half miles southeast of Boerne, Kendall county, Cascade Cavern has been open to visitors for several years. The improved section, said to be but a small part of the subterranean cavern, extends something over a half mile from the entrance. The passages contain stalactites, stalagmites, limestone formations in several colors, springs of clear water, a running stream and other attractions. Accessibility and improved passage ways add to the pleasure and comfort of visitors.

Q. Who was Chief Bowles? Where and when was he killed?

A. Chief Bowles was a Cherokee chief and a personal friend of Sam Houston. When 83 years of age he was killed in a battle between 800 Cherokees under his command and 500 Texans under Gen. Kelsey Douglass. The fight

lasted two days, the first battle, July 15, 1839, taking place three and a half miles northwest of the present town of Chandler, and the second, in which Bowles was killed, in what is now Van Zandt County. Bowles died holding in his hand a sword that had been presented to him by Houston.

Q. Where was the body of Ben Milam first buried?

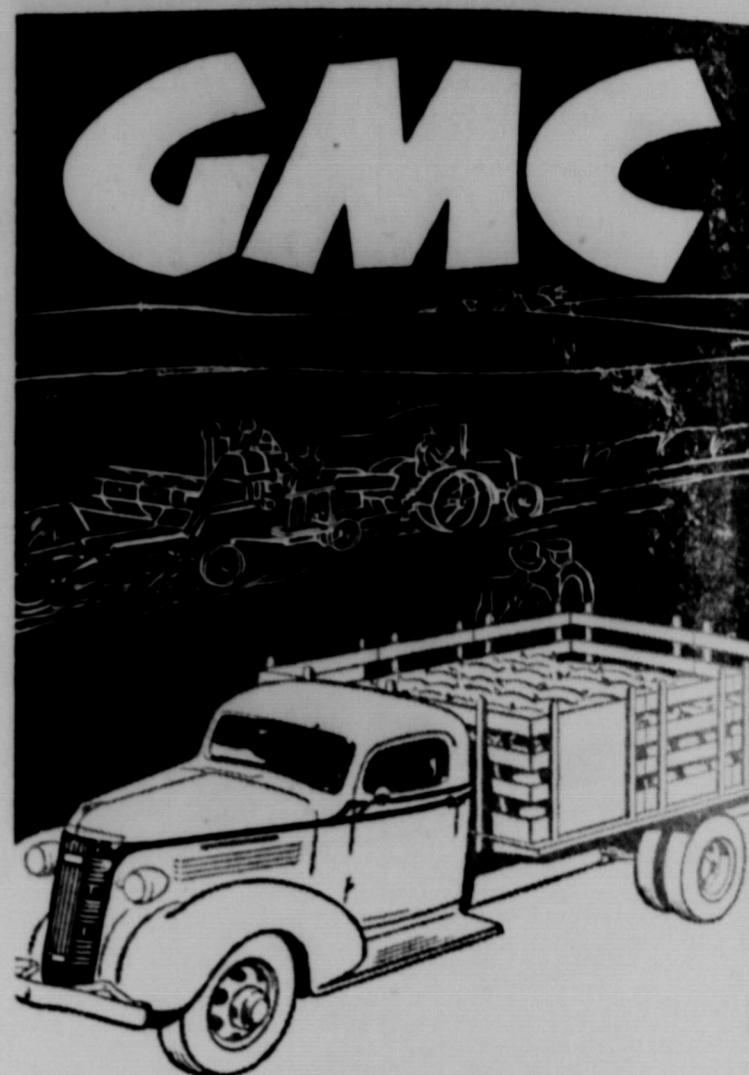
A. At the doorway of the Veramendi house, San Antonio, where he died, but later his remains were removed to Milam Square, named in his honor.

Q. Where is the "Wagner Oak" and what is its size?

A. The Wagner or Nuner Oak is five miles north of Victoria in the Spring Creek section of Victoria County and is the largest live oak tree in that section with the possible exception of one near Lamar, Aransas County. It is 74 feet high, 21 feet in circumference five feet above the ground and has a spread of about 125 feet. Under it and in the nearby Nuner Mott of live oaks numbers of Victoria citizens encamped for enlistment in the Confederate Army.

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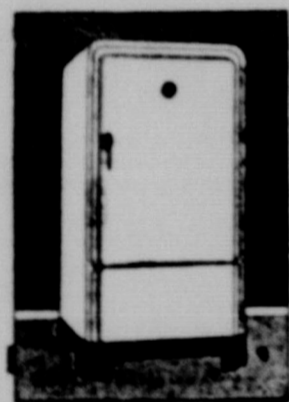
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F. Trafford Taylor of St. Boniface, Manitoba, Canada, who was elected president of Kiwanis International for 1937-38 at the recent convention at Indianapolis. He has been a member of the club since 1924. Delegates from all parts of the United States and Canada attended the convention.

Thank You! AND ADIOS, AMIGOS!

With the close of business next Saturday night, FLOWERS GROCERY will retire from the business life of Ozona after being a part of this community for twenty-five years.

The present manager is retiring from business after twelve years in the service of people of Crockett County. A lot of experience has come to us in those dozen years, many fine friendships have been established and many pleasant associations are ours to recall.

As we approach the end of our tenure in your service, we look back over the years with no little satisfaction and pleasure in having had the opportunity of remaining in your service. And as we leave you in the hands of others, we feel an imperative urge to express to all and general our gratitude for your friendship and your patronage through good years and lean years. It has been our genuine pleasure, we assure you.

We commend for your consideration, our successor, Mr. Hubert Jones, who will take over and operate the business according to his own ideas. Mr. Jones has had many years experience in the grocery trade and, no doubt, will make a fine merchant and a worthwhile citizen. We bespeak for him the many kindnesses and courtesies your have extended us.

Sincerely, R. L. FLOWERS

W. Owens Surprised By Sheffield Group On Sixtieth Birthday

W. Owens, Crockett County stockman and breeder of registered Rambouillet sheep, was surprised with a dinner on his 60th birthday anniversary Saturday evening by members of the Bible class of the Sheffield Community Church, of which Mrs. Owens is member, and their husbands.

The group gathered at the Owens ranch home. Forty-two furished diversion after the covered-dish supper. Mr. Owens was presented with a gift.

Enjoying the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Sid Slaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tims, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Sandrel, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hike, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Burdette, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Owens, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Owens, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Owens, Mrs. B. S. Shaw, Mrs. Charles Hale, Jr., Mrs. Jan Dickenson and Mrs. Julian Jones.

SETTON RANCHER FINDS TERRACES HELP FEED CROP

All seven fields on his ranch are being terraced or contoured this year by Joseph Vander Stucken of Setton County. Vander Stucken says that he can make a good feed crop almost every year if he can manage to hold all the rain that falls on the crop land. The fields are being terraced on the level and are constructed to catch and hold outside runoff water which he considers double insurance against crop failures.

MISS MAYBELLE TAYLOR IS MISSIONARY HOSTESS

Ladies of the Baptist Missionary Society met yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Maybelle Taylor for Bible study. The discussion was led by Mrs. J. S. Watley.

Refreshments were served to Ex. I. V. Garrison, Mrs. George

JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



"What is That You Have on Ya Puppies?" "Spaghetti th' Wife Had a Failure With."

O. Inlow, Mrs. J. T. Patrick, Mrs. H. C. McCaleb, Mrs. Whatley, Mrs. E. F. Eastridge, and Mrs. S. L. Butler.

Jimmy Blaylock, manager of Hotel Ozona, is the proud owner of a new, black Buick sedan, delivered this week by Wilson Motor Co., local Buick and Pontiac dealers. A Buick sport coupe was also delivered this week to Mrs. Frank Friend of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Childress left Sunday for Roswell, N. M., where they were to visit New Mexico Military Institute with a view to enrolling their son, James Childress, James Childress, Martin Harvey and John Childress also left early in the week to visit the Roswell school with a view to entering in September.

Lowell Littleton and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littleton spent the week end in Abilene where they visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Littleton.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Robison are back after spending several days at Christoval taking the mineral baths.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Griffith of Austin, parents of Mrs. Jimmy Blaylock, and Bob Harkrider of Austin, arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Blaylock. Mr. Griffith, Mrs. Blaylock and Mr. Harkrider left yesterday for a visit to Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico.

Responsive Mood

A woman rushed wildly into the station. Her train was pulling in and she wanted two tickets to Duluth. She ran up to the window and, very much out of breath, said: "Toodle do looth." The agent looked at her and replied: "Tra la la."

Sales books, debit credit slips at The Stockman office.

METHODIST CHURCH

Eugene Slater, Minister
Calendar of Services

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 8:30 p. m.
Mid-Week Service, Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.

Elsewhere in the paper is a notice of the Vacation Church School to be held at the Church, Monday through Friday of next week, August 2-6. Please spread the news of this school, and help us to have all Primary and Junior children at the church, Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Much of the success of this venture depends upon the interest and cooperation of the parents.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the morning service this Sunday. Let us prepare our hearts and minds for this service.

N. Y. Lexicographer Named Judge Of WT Utilities Contest

Dr. Charles Earle Funk, New York lexicographer and linguist, will judge entries in the West Texas Utilities Company's "name-a-housewife" contest, it was announced yesterday.

Information came from the general office in Abilene that Dr.

Funk had accepted an invitation to name the winners in the campaign to "secure a more appropriate name for the modern West Texas woman."

Possibility that the name "housewife" may be omitted from dictionaries of the future was viewed as a result of Dr. Funk's participation as judge in the contest. He is senior member of the publishing firm of Funk & Wagnalls Company, New York, and is associate editor of the famous Funk & Wagnalls New Standard Dictionary. He has been given wide recognition as America's out-

standing lexicographer.

The contest is based on the assumption that "the woman of today is no longer a slave to kitchen drudgery."

Selection of Dr. Funk as judge assures entrants of a competent authority on the meaning of words and should result in national recognition for the winner as well as the reward of first prize, a super-duty Frigidaire, it was pointed out.

Entries on the \$500 contest, which closes August 14, will be sent immediately to Dr. Funk. A total of 13 prizes will be awarded.

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Iraan Takes Two-

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In the fifth, the local defense sagged, and eight men took their turn at bat, and three runs had been chalked as a net result. Two hits, two errors and a hit batsman told the story of that half of the inning.

Coming up in their half of the fifth, the locals, trailing by three runs, took advantage of the wavering Howard after Big Al Crostwaite had gone down for the first out via the strike-out route. Ratliff and Heatherly each waited for a free ticket to first. Then, Mangold lashed out a double to score Ratliff. Dorley was purposely passed to fill the bags and young Marvin McLeod showed his disapproval by rapping out a single to score two. Catcher Byron Stuart then got Pitcher Howard out of his hole by larruping one far into Gurley Draw for the second home-run of the day, Wally Ritter then relieved Howard and Paul McLeod struck out for the second out. Weaver hit one past Gentry at third but was out, catcher to second, attempting to get

in scoring position with Crostwaite at bat the second time during the inning.

Howard Is Wild

Lefty Howard gave up seven walks in his four and a half innings and allowed six hits, two of them homers. Three more safeties were counted off Ritter. Crostwaite gave up seven hits.

Sunday's game at Texon found the local aggregation short handed. A blow-out of a pumping unit at Station A Sunday morning caught several ball players, employees of the station, on the repair shift. As a result, the team took on Gardner's crew with Manager Ohlenburg, Paul McLeod, Lefty White and Eddie Ratliff missing from the line-up.

Bud Smith chunked for the Station team, and gave up nine hits. His teammates were able to touch Archie Peel for but four safe blows, one a home-run by Mangold. Mangold, by the way, was the hitting star of the two-town team for the week-end, being credited with a perfect day at the plate Saturday with two singles, a double and a walk in four times up, and getting two out of three Sunday.

New Members-

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his ranch the scene of an annual club encampment. Camping swimming and other outdoor amusements were on the entertainment program.

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Bride-Elect Honored With Tea And Shower

Mrs. George Montgomery and Miss Carolyn Montgomery entertained with a tea and miscellaneous shower at the Montgomery home Tuesday afternoon complimenting Miss Blanche Robison, who is to be married next Saturday morning to Clifton Walker of Carter, Okla.

In the receiving line were Miss Montgomery, Miss Blanche Robison, Mrs. P. T. Robison, Miss Totsy Robison, and Mrs. Earle Chandler. Miss Virginia Ede of San Angelo presided at the bride's book, and Mrs. Miller Robison displayed the gifts.

The table was laid with an imported lace cloth and was centered with a bouquet of yellow roses and Baby's Breath, with silver candelabra flanking the centerpiece. At one end of the table, Mrs. Judge Montgomery served punch and at the other, Mrs. Brock Jones served orchid iced cakes, which were decorated with a wedding bell center. Plate favors were yellow roses and fern. Mrs. Bill Conklin assisted in serving.

The beautiful array of gifts to the bride-to-be were arranged on tables in an adjoining room. Piano music was furnished during the hour by Mrs. Neal Hannah and Miss Dorothy Hannah. About forty guests called during the afternoon.

New Operator Takes Post At Beauty Shop

Miss Louise Caskey of Briggs, Texas, took up her duties as operator at the Ozona Beauty Service, in Hotel Ozona, this week. Miss Caskey has been employed as operator in a beauty shop at Alice the last several months, coming here from that city. She is a graduate of a recognized school of beauty culture and has had several years experience. Miss Claudie Sprouse, manager of the Beauty Service, has announced "Get Acquainted Specials" on permanent waves this week and next in order to acquaint patrons with the type of service offered by the new operator.

BRIDGE-LUNCHEON FOR BRIDE-TO-BE

Mrs. Earle Chandler complimented Miss Blanche Robison, whose marriage to Clifton Walker of Carter, Okla., will take place Saturday morning at the Church of Christ, with a luncheon and bridge Wednesday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Tom Smith.

Miss Virginia Ede of San Angelo won high score prize, Miss Wanda Watson took cut, and Miss Wayne Augustine, low. Miss Robison was presented with a gift. Guests included Miss Augustine, Miss Watson, Mrs. Phillip Childress, Mrs. Mary Teal of Mertzon, Miss Marie Wills of Killeen, Miss Blanche Robison, Miss Totsy Robison, Mrs. Brock Jones, Mrs. Bill Conklin, Miss Virginia Ede, Miss Carolyn Montgomery, and Mrs. Sid Millsbaugh, Jr. Luncheon guests were Mrs. John Bailey, Mrs. P. T. Robison, and Mrs. George Montgomery.

Miss Marie Wills of Killeen is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rob Miller and other relatives here.

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BRIDE-ELECT IS HONORED AT CLUB PARTY

Mrs. Marshall Montgomery complimented Miss Blanche Robison, bride-elect of Clifton Walker, when she entertained members of Las Amigas Club Friday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Paul Perner.

High score prize went to Miss Mary Genice Hardberger of Lubbock, and Bingo trophy went to Miss Wanda Watson. Summer flowers were used in decorations. At a business session following the games, Mrs. Joe Sellers Pierce III, was elected chairman for the next term.

Other guests were Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., Mrs. Bob Weaver, Mrs. Dempster Jones, Mrs. Bill Littleton, Mrs. Richard Flowers, Mrs. Sidney Millsbaugh, Jr., Mrs. Miller Robison and Miss Mildred North.

BUYS HOME HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Hurst Meinecke have moved into the home they recently purchased from Mrs. Stanley Lane of Santa Barbara, Calif., a sister of Mr. Meinecke. The home was occupied until its sale by J. T. Keeton and family. Mr. Meinecke is making extensive renovations of the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kost and small daughter, Shirley Ann, returned Sunday from a vacation spent with relatives in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fleet Coates and children, Roy, Joy and John, returned Sunday from a visit with relatives in Gail, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Denham returned Sunday from a month's vacation during which they visited relatives and friends in Lubbock and Denton. On the way back, they spent several days in Austin on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littleton visited Mr. Littleton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Littleton, in Abilene over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock Jones were here from San Angelo to spend the week-end with Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Bailey.

Mrs. B. D. Sims of Brownwood is here for a visit with her brother, L. B. Townsend, and family.

Houston Smith and Rex Russell are enjoying a vacation trip to New Mexico.

LAS AMIGAS CLUB GUESTS AT PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., entertained members of Las Amigas Club with a picnic supper at the roadside park east of town the last of the week. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littleton, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Dempster Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sellers Pierce, III, Mr. and Mrs. Ele Hagelstein, and Miss Mildred North.

R. J. Cooke and C. P. Williams were San Angelo visitors Friday.

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