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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

New Agriculture Teacher Elected

The Board of Education has recently elected Mr. A. D. Pettit of Gustine, Texas, to succeed Mr. Godwin as vocational agriculture teacher in the high school.

Mr. Pettit as served as principal of the Gustine High School for seven years, is taking his degree in Vocational Agriculture this year in A & M College of Texas, and will begin his work here July 1st. He comes very highly recommended, being rated as A & M's number one man in this department this year.

Ragsdale-Parker

Miss Leta Ragsdale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ragsdale, and Mr. Aubrey Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Parker, were married at 7:45 o'clock Sunday morning at the Baptist parsonage in Bangs with Rev. Robert Hall performing the ceremony.

The bride was attired in a suit of blue with white accessories. The couple made a short trip to Cisco and other points before returning here. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell.

Both the bride and bridegroom are graduates of Santa Anna High School. Mrs. Parker is a graduate of Mary-Hardin Baylor at Belton and for several years has taught school in and near Santa Anna. Mr. Parker is a graduate of John Tarleton Agricultural College at Stephenville.

The couple are at home in Santa Anna.

WARD SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Semester Honor Roll

First Grade: Sybil Simpson, Dixie Lee Dunham, Jackie Pruitt, W. H. Blake, Calice Jane Overby, Vernetta Stephenson, Gene Blakeley.

Second Grade: Donald Ray Howard, Mary Ann Berry, Faye Boyd, Betty Lynn Willis, Leona McCain, Betty Pritchard.

Third Grade: Louise Lane, Billy Ross, Tommie Upton, Don Huss, Opal Mae Stockard, June Newman, J. Cecil Grantham.

Fourth Grade: Roy England, Doris Marie McGahey, Jean Mobley, Maudie K. Ashmore, Mary Mills, Charles Edwards, Ruth Morris, Allie Cille Garrett, Jimmie Buntun.

Fifth Grade: Robert Joe Cheaney, Winston Conley, Geo. Day, Dorris Bell Turner.

Sixth Grade: Ben Huss, Ruth Lovelady, Mary Field Mathews, Lily Pearl Niell, Mary John Wade, Mary K. Williamson.

Seventh Grade: Bettie Ruth Blue, O. L. Cheaney, J. T. Garrett, Margaret Mobley, Willyne Ragsdale, Walter Verner.

For Last Six Weeks Term

First Grade: Dixie Lee Dunham, Sybil Simpson, W. H. Blake, Jackie Pruitt, Thomas Newman, Calice Jane Overby, Vernetta Stephenson, Gene Blakeley.

Second Grade: Billy Ray Conley, Donald Ray Howard, Douglas Johnson, Nettie Bell Morris, Mammie Morris, Faye Boyd, Betty Lynn Willis, Mary Ann Berry, Betty Pritchard, Eileen Woodard.

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Fourth Grade: Jack Bailey, Roy England, Virginia Hardy, Doris Marie McGahey, Jean Mobley, Maudie K. Ashmore, Billy Wood, Mary Mills, Charles Edwards, Louise Dalton, J. G. Williamson, Otto Ferris, Jewel Ferris, Ruth Morris, Allie Cille Garrett, Jimmie Buntun.

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Sixth Grade: Ruth Lovelady, Mary Field Mathews, Lily Pearl Niell, Mary John Wade.

Seventh Grade: Bettie Ruth Blue, O. L. Cheaney, Jr., J. T. Garrett, Margaret Mobley, Vernetta Oakes, Willyne Ragsdale, Betty Sue Turner, Walter Verner, J. R. Beard.

L. G. JONES, JR. IS SHOWERED

L. G. Jones, Jr. was named honor guest at a shower last week given by Mrs. Sam Brown. L. G. will leave soon to enter the Children's Ward at Sanatorium, Texas. The hostess served punch and cake to a large group of friends whose names were not furnished for the News.

Class Night Held Wednesday in Form Of Radio Party

The annual class night of Santa Anna High School was held Wednesday evening with the seniors in charge of the program, which was given as a Radio Party. The cast of characters were as follows: Announcer, Kirby Barton; Class president, Mary S. Dellinger; Class Historian, Emma John Blake; Class poet, Elva Lou Smith; Prophet, Hollas Watson; Mukerjis, Alton Diserens; Marie Kemp, Dorothy Aldins; Joseph Brown, Raeford Evans; Class Testator, Mary Lee Ford.

At the conclusion of the class will, Miss McCreary, sponsor of the senior class, was presented a lovely fitted week-end bag. A beautiful cabinet style radio was presented to the school as a parting gift of the senior class. Miss Ruby Volentine presented the senior class with a beautiful cake, bearing the names of the students of the class.

Mr. Scarborough made a short talk on the basis for the awards that were to be given. He presented the Bookkeeping Achievement Certificates to the students who averaged a grade of ninety or above. The following students were awarded the certificates: Emma John Blake, Doris Spencer, Jane Burden, Raymond Holland, Woodrow Newman, Alton Diserens, Fleda Perry, Carlene Ashmore, and Rosalie Niell.

The S. H. Phillips' Scholarship Cup was awarded to Talmadge Turner by A. G. Weaver. Each year this cup is given to the boy who makes the highest grade in the seventh, eighth, and ninth grades. Marillyn Baxter, president of the Scribblers Club, presented the Scribbler sweater, given by Miss Mattie Ella McCreary, which was awarded to Annie Nickens for having the best Scribbler notebook.

Emmett Day, local jeweler, presented the senior class with the Phillips Drug Company gift, which was a check for \$10.00. He also presented the Corner Blue Scholarship Cup, which is given each year to the girl who has the best quantity and quality in her grades. This year Doris Spencer won the cup. Mr. Lock accepted a gift which was presented by the school and in turn presented two medals that were presented the school by the Herf-Jones Company.

A small medal with "Scholarship" engraved on it was presented to Doris Spencer, honor girl for the year, and Jack Price was presented the other medal which had "Athletics" engraved on it. Jack is the high-point track man for the year. Mr. Lock then presented the Honor "S" Booklets to the many students who during the year have won honorable mention in various school activities.

A new phase of work for the year is the Red Cross Junior First Aid Classes. Those who won certificates in this activity are as follows: Eunice Wheeler, Mary Nell Morrow, Leta Ragsdale, Willard Wilson, Aline Harper, Darlin Brewer, James Daniehl, Julian Kelley, Bartlett Lamb, Bill Mitchell, James Moore, Arabelle Ragsdale, and Lee Schatell.

The Scholarship Plaque, on which is engraved every year the 15 highest senior students, will hold the names of the following: Emma John Blake, valedictorian, Annie Nickens, salutatorian, Fleda Perry, Alton Diserens, Woodrow Newman, Elva Lou Smith, Vernon Rowe, E. W. Polk, Mary Tom Jones, Ruth Leady, Sarah Williams, Mary Dellinger, Mary Lee Combs, Georgia F. Barlett, Alene Leady.

CORRECTION

In publishing the list of players for the Santa Anna News ball team last week, the name of Mathew Petty was inadvertently omitted. Mr. Petty is one of our players and will be recognized as a member of our team.

All members of the Santa Anna News team are requested to call at this office at 4 p. m. Saturday, May 30.

Mrs. W. E. Mulroy and children are visiting her mother in Colorado City, Texas.

Mrs. Carl Childs and little son of Maybank are visiting in the home of her father, E. W. Folk.

M. A. Edwards To Head Lions Club

At the annual election of officers Tuesday, M. A. Edwards was elected President of the Lions Club for the ensuing year. J. R. Lock was elected first vice president, Fred W. Turner, second vice president, J. T. Garrett, secretary-treasurer, Dr. R. E. Lovelady, tall twister, Hardy Blue, lion tamer, Rev. R. Elmer Dunham, song leader, and Mrs. C. A. Walker, pianist.

J. T. Garrett and Emmett Day were awarded badges of honor for having a perfect attendance record for the past nine months.

The Club voted unanimously to send a committee to Brownwood to confer with the district advisor of the W. P. A. and request that arrangements be made at once to reopen the Santa Anna Cannery. This project was built at considerable expense, and it is unfair to not operate it this season. The committee is Geo. Johnson, J. C. Scarborough, W. H. Thate, J. C. Gregg, and Mayor E. D. McDonald.

The retiring secretary, Emmett Day, who is soon moving to his former home in Kaufman, Texas, presented the Club with a bronze miniature lion, the insignia of the Club. It is a very splendid gift, and the Club extended Lion Day a standing vote of thanks for his thoughtfulness and gift.

Box Supper A Success Despite Rain

The Santa Anna Home Demonstration Club very successfully put over their Box Supper at the W. O. W. Hall Tuesday night. Considering the inclement weather, a fair crowd was in attendance, and over \$30 was realized as the net proceeds.

Several local and county candidates were present and made their announcements. Members of the Club, supported by friends, furnished a number of nice boxes, well filled with appetizing and delectable foods, and they sold well.

Mayor E. D. McDonald opened the meeting with a few appropriate words of greetings, and introduced the speakers of the evening, who made their brief announcements as candidates for office.

Ross Prescott was selected auctioneer, and he proved his several abilities in auctioning off the boxes.

Such events are worth promoting and attending, and we wonder why more people do not take an interest in them? The membership is composed of the working and interested element of the community, and they should have the encouragement of the entire citizenship.

SOFTBALL SCHEDULE SET BACK ONE WEEK

The advisory committee reports that the schedule for the Softball League as published last week will be in effect the ensuing two weeks, instead of the present week and the following week. The fine rains that drenched this country over last weekend and the present week played havoc with our ball schedule, but we gladly submit and set our dates up to correspond with the weather. The following games are scheduled for the ensuing two weeks.

Schedule of Games

Schedule for two weeks, beginning June 1st.

Monday, June 1: Baptist Young Men vs. Methodist.

Tuesday, June 2: National Guard vs. Santa Anna News.

Wednesday, June 3: Firemen vs. Businessmen.

Thursday, June 4: Baptist Young Men vs. Baptist Adults.

Friday, June 5: Methodist vs. Firemen.

Monday, June 8: National Guard vs. Businessmen.

Tuesday, June 9: Santa Anna News vs. Baptist Adults.

Wednesday, June 10: Baptist Young Men vs. Firemen.

Thursday, June 11: Methodist vs. National Guard.

Friday, June 12: Businessmen vs. Santa Anna News.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Fisher were in Fort Worth Thursday and Friday to attend the Fort Worth District Conference which was held at the Boulevard Methodist Church. Rev. Fisher was formerly pastor of this church for three years.

General Grasshopper Infestation Expected

Grasshoppers may soon become a serious pest in Coleman County. The next few weeks will determine this. All sections should keep a sharp lookout and be prepared to poison if necessary. Places to be watched are sloping pasture land and areas adjacent to ditches and creeks, grassy fence rows, and along stone fences and lines of outcropping rock ledges. Control measures applied as soon as infested areas are located may save later heavy damage.

The species of grasshoppers that are of economic importance in Texas are all single-brooded; that is, there is only one generation per season. The eggs are laid in late summer or early fall, in masses of forty or fifty, usually about an inch beneath the soil surface of pasture land, but often tucked away in the crevices between rocks, as along a stone wall. These survive the winter and hatch the next spring, hatching being encouraged by warm rains. Young hoppers appear in Texas from March on through May. Conditions especially favorable to damage are constituted by a dry fall and winter followed by warm spring rains. The general rains that have fallen over west Texas during April, if followed by a period of warm weather, should make infestation almost certain in those areas where eggs were laid in abundance last fall. If thereafter dry weather occurs to reduce grass growth, the hoppers as they grow during June and July may migrate from the pasture to fence rows to do extensive damage to cultivated crops.

Poison bran mash has been highly successful in combating grasshoppers in Texas, and the formula is here presented for ready reference if needed.

Coarse Wheat Bran 25 lbs. Paris Green or White arsenic 1 lb. High grade Amyl Acetate (avoid cheap grades of banana oil or bronzing liquids) 1 oz. Cane or sorghum molasses (avoid corn syrup) 2 qts. Common salt 1 lb. Water sufficient to make a moist mash as explained below:

Mix the bran and poison together thoroughly. Dilute the amy acetate and molasses in about two gallons of water. Pour this liquid over the mixture of poison and bran until every particle is moist. Then make further additions of water and mix thoroughly until a mash is obtained that is quite moist, yet so it will fall apart after being tightly squeezed and so may readily be sown broadcast.

This quantity of mash should be broadcast so as to cover about 5 acres. A good practice is to mix at night and sow early in the morning before nine o'clock, since the hoppers do not actively feed until the dew dries up. If it is desired to kill hoppers in grass land, sow over the entire acreage to be protected. Where they are migrating from fence rows or pastures into cultivated crops, sow the fence row or a fairly broad margin of the pasture, also a broad margin of the cultivated crop with the mixture.

Amyl acetate is preferable in the formula, but if it cannot be obtained substitute six lemons for one ounce of the amy acetate. This should be diluted with water as with the other substance, but one should use both juice and rinds, grinding the latter in a fine food chopper.

Do not place the mash in piles. Do not use lead arsenate - use paris green or white arsenic. Do not use cheap banana oil or bronzing liquids.

C. V. ROBINSON, County Agent.

DALLAS: In a period of 28 months the Texas Highway Department has spent \$52,004,528 to construct, widen and otherwise improve the state's highway system. A major share of this fortune has been expended on traffic arteries leading into Dallas where the \$25,000,000 Texas Centennial Exposition will open June 6.

M. E. Chambers of Brownwood spent Sunday with Grandmother M. E. Chambers and Miss Louella. He and his family were also dinner guests there Monday while on their way to Menard where they are moving.

Firemen Enjoy Annual Barbecue

Wednesday evening of last week, members of the Santa Anna Volunteer Fire company, with a number of invited friends, met out in the Herndon pasture and enjoyed their annual barbecue picnic, or stag party.

Ford Barnes, former fireman, furnished the chevron, Tom Wheeler, the colored cook, prepared the barbecue, and the bread, pickles, onions and other accessories were furnished by the Firemen, and if any one present failed to enjoy the party, it must have been because their inward capacity was inadequate to consume all the good things supplied for the occasion.

Rain! Rain! Rain!

Beginning early last Saturday morning, it rained again in the late afternoon, then keeping it up for breakfast, dinner and supper and often repeating for a bedtime story, we have had plenty of rain this week for the time being.

No excessive rains have fallen, just about what the earth would soap up, sufficient to keep farmers out of the fields, and completely block the grain harvest. Weeds, grass, and other growths have taken on plenty of growth this week.

Jim White, the Supper Table man in the Brownwood Daily Bulletin, and Harry Schwenker, owner and publisher of the Brady Standard, both claim credit for the fine rains, and estimate the value up into the millions. We don't think either of them had anything to do with it, for this writer found the wind from the right direction and left town for a few days, and the rains set in during our absence, so we claim the honor of bringing about these fine rains.

MOTHER GARRETT GIVEN SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. W. O. Garrett, better known to the citizenship of Santa Anna as "Mother" Garrett, was given a surprise birthday last Friday by Mrs. Robert Garrett and Mrs. George Garrett at Mother Garrett's home, honoring her seventy-third birthday on May 20. Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick greeted guests at the door and Mrs. Jack Woodward presided at the register.

Flowers were used profusely for decorations - the hall was made attractive with evergreens and hollyhocks, and pink roses and sweet peas decorated the living room. The stairway was decorated with pot plants. In the dining room, gardenias adorned the table which bore an antique candle stick and call bell, both of brass. On the dining table was an embroidered centerpiece holding a beautiful birthday cake with seventy-three candles.

Mother Garrett received many lovely gifts, and after these were admired, Mrs. Jodie Baker, Mrs. O. L. Cheaney, and Mrs. Jess Garrett served ice cream and angel food cake to about thirty five guests.

The beautiful hand-painted register contained the following names: Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Cecil A. Walker, Jim Scott, Mrs. Jodie E. Baker, Mrs. O. L. Cheaney, R. E. Mobley, Ernest H. Wylie, Mrs. E. H. Wylie, Mrs. Kate Garrett, Allie Cille Garrett, Mrs. Jack Woodward, Faye Childers, Mrs. J. M. Childers, Mrs. W. T. Vinson, Bernie Vinson Davis, Mrs. J. T. Oakes, Sr., Mrs. Curtis Collins, Mrs. Ben M. Parker, Mrs. Clinton Lowe, Mrs. D. R. Hill, Mrs. W. R. Kelley, Mrs. John R. Banister, Mrs. J. J. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. T. J. McCaughan, Mrs. Fred W. Turner, Mrs. Amanda Hicks, Josie Baxter, Mrs. W. L. Moseley, Mrs. W. H. Gardner, Mrs. Ben W. Yarborough, Aline Harper, Mrs. W. E. Wallace, Mrs. G. F. Barlett, and Mrs. W. H. Thate.

Mrs. Grady Kindrick and Miss Elvora Hodges of Junction visited Wednesday in the home of Rev. and Mrs. R. Elmer Dunham. They were enroute to Ft. Worth to enter the Seminary.

PLEASE - return my overnight bag. Frances J.

Dr. T. R. Sealy and Dr. R. R. Lovelady are in Houston this week attending the State Medical Association. They will return the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Joe Schwartz of Home-wood, Illinois and little granddaughter, Louise Mitchell, who have been here several days visiting relatives, left Tuesday for Houston to visit Louise's mother, Mrs. H. E. Plunkett. Mrs. Schwartz will return to her home in Illinois the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Henry Cook of Loraine is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chap Eeds.

Sherman C. Layne Dies Saturday Heart Failure

Sherman C. Layne, 36 year old used car dealer of Brownwood, died early Saturday morning after suffering from a heart attack. Mr. Layne and his family were enroute to Brownwood from their home on the Blanket Route when he became ill. They stopped at a filling station at the edge of Brownwood and summoned aid, but Mr. Layne died before a doctor could reach him.

Mr. Layne was born May 17, 1900, in Rogers, Texas. For some time he has been in the used car business with his father, L. E. Layne, in Brownwood. He was formerly a resident of Santa Anna, and was married in 1922 to Miss Beatrice Lowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lowe, who now reside in Brownwood.

Funeral services were to be at the residence of Henry Layne, uncle of the deceased, pending changes for the arrangements to be held at the First Baptist Church, Sunday afternoon at 3:00 with Rev. R. Elmer Dunham, conducting the services, with Rev. J. M. Bradford, pastor of the Coggin Avenue Baptist Church at Brownwood, assisting.

Bearers were Mace Blanton, John Oakes, Adrian Davis, Jim Dodgen, Hubert Turner, and Norman Hosch.

Mr. Layne is survived by his wife and three children, Janice, 13; Dorothy, 11; and Bobby, 9; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Layne; and one brother and three sisters, Elmore Layne, Brownwood; Mrs. E. P. Handley, Los Angeles, California; Mrs. W. C. Hampton, Fort Worth; and Mrs. B. R. Shelton, Marlin. Other out of town relatives who were present for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Elmore, and Mr. and Mrs. Breckenridge of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Layne of Florence, and Miss Julia Layne, Maclin Layne, and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Moore of Briggs.

The White and London Funeral Home at Brownwood had charge of arrangements. Interment was in the Santa Anna cemetery.

HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Six-week Period
Freshmen: J. Q. Barnes, Mary Louise Curry, Emma Sue McCain.

Sophomores: Gale Collier, Ada Lois Newman, Louise Oakes, L. W. Rowe, Gene Adams.

Juniors: Carlene Ashmore, Marillyn Baxter, Jane Burden, Ruth Conley, Hazel Gilbert, Raymond Holland, H. W. Kingsberry, Veoma Newman, Rosalie Niell, Ruby Lee Price, Annette Shield, Irene Stiles, Doris Spencer.

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Memorial Day

Saturday of this week, May 30th, is Memorial Day throughout the United States. Santa Anna has made but little arrangements to observe the day. The Santa Anna News would appreciate our people taking more interest in such days as Memorial Day, but we have no way of helping ourselves. Let's not forget the soldier dead and what they died for.

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W. O. W. Family Night Friday

Friday night of this week, May 29th, is family night for members of the W. O. W. and Woodmen Circle at the W. O. W. Hall.

All members of the W. O. W. and Woodmen Circle and their families are invited to attend, bring your card tables and dominoes, as the evening will be spent informally, for the entertainment of those who attend.

No long, drawn-out speeches will be made, only announcements and greetings. Come and help make the evening a pleasant one.

This meeting was postponed from last Friday, because of the school exercises at the High School auditorium.

Somerford-Carter

Miss Inetha Somerford and M. Orman Carter were united in marriage last Saturday evening at 8:30 at the Baptist parsonage with Rev. R. Elmer Dunham performing the ceremony.

Mrs. Carter is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Somerford of Rising Star, and has had employment in Santa Anna for about three months. Mr. Carter has been employed at the Humble Service Station for three weeks, and formerly lived at Rockwood. He is well known here, and friends extend congratulations to the couple, who are at home in the Williams apartments.

Unified Service

On recommendation of the pastor it was voted by both the local Board of Christian Education and the Workers Council of the Methodist Church to change the order of morning worship beginning with the third Sunday in June.

The service will last one hour and thirty minutes, beginning at 9:30 and closing promptly at eleven o'clock. There will be an opening General Assembly of all Departments except the Beginners and Primaries who will have their own worship period. The regular order of morning worship will be followed down to Gloria Patri, then all will go to classes. Full time will be given for class period. For the closing assembly the entire church school will come together and the regular order will be resumed, beginning with the Gloria Patri. Reports and announcements will be made and the pastor will deliver an object sermon. Usually the platform will be specially decorated in keeping with the nature of the sermon. At the exact moment when other churches are beginning the morning service, the pastor of the Methodist Church will pronounce the benediction.

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QUEEN THEATRE

Sat., May 30

GENE AUTRY in

"Singing Cowboy"

Sat. Preview, Sunday and

Monday, May 30-31, June 1

CHARLEY CHAPLIN in

"Modern Times"

Tues., June 2

GEORGE BRENT in

"Snowed Under"

With PATRICIA ELLIS

Wednesday, June 3

JOE MORRISON in

"It's a Great Life"

With CHIC SALE

Thurs. & Friday, June 4-5

JOHN BOLES in

"Rose of the

Ranch"

With GLADYS SWARTHOUD

Santa Anna News

FRIDAY, MAY 23, 1936

J. J. Gregg, Editor & Publisher.

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EDWARDS ENTERTAIN FOR THE DAYS

On Monday evening, May the twenty-fourth, the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Edwards was the setting for a very enjoyable dinner party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Day. The guests were served at beautifully laid individual bridge tables centered with rose bud bouquets. Pink roses were used on the lace covered dining tables and in the living room as the decorative motif. The place cards bearing flower entwined wedding bells revealed the occasion as also the celebration of the host and hostess's fourteenth wedding anniversary.

The twenty-three guests were served a most delectable and savory three course dinner, after which games of Forty-two and Monopoly were played throughout the evening. The guests of honor were presented by the hostess with a large beautifully decorated covered casserole as a gift.

Those present were: the hon or guests, Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Day and their sons, Robert and George; Mesdames and Messer Rex Golston, Oscar Cheaney O. A. Etheredge, Andrew Schreiber, W. H. Thate, Loyd Burris, Dr. and Mrs. L. O. Garrett, D. and Mrs. E. D. McDonald, Mrs. Sherman Gehrett, Misses Elsie Lee and Ruby Harper, the hos and hostess and their son Charles.

Sincere regret for the loss of the Days from our midst when they leave soon to make their home in Kaufman was expressed by everyone.

WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Rex Golston was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club May 27th. At the conclusion of the games, Mrs. Emmett Day, who is soon to move to Kaufman, was presented a gift from the club.

A salad course was served to the following: Mesdames L. O. Garrett, R. C. Gay, D. J. Johnson, Emmett Day, J. P. Woodruff, Ogden Brown, O. A. Etheredge, Jeannette Hensley, Andrew Schreiber, S. W. Childers, G. A. Ragsdale, Aubrey Childers, Byron Joiner, W. H. Thate, Neal Oakes, E. D. McDonald, Ross Prescott, Jim Riley, J. R. Gippson, Miss Elsie Lee Harper, and the hostess, Mrs. Golston.

Political Announcements

Political Announcements and Political Advertising must be paid for in advance.

Announcement Fees

District, \$10; County, \$15; Precinct, except Constable and Justice of the Peace, \$10.

The following announcements have been authorized and are hereby made subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries in July, 1936.

For District Judge:
R. L. McLaughlin
E. J. Miller (Re-election)

For County Judge:
John O. Harris (Re-election)

For County Clerk:
L. Emet Walker (Re-election)
E. E. (Everett) Evans
Lee Roy Golston
Carroll Kingsberry
Al Hintner

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
Frank Lewis (Re-election)

For District Clerk:
J. B. Hilton (Re-election)

For Sheriff:
Frank Mills (Re-election)
John Malchoff
P. F. Dyches

For Commissioner, Fre. No. 2:
John Hunter
Curtis Collins (Re-election)
W. Ford Barnes
J. L. (Jim) Harris
Claude E. Phillips

For Public Weigher:
Mace Blanton
Carl Ashmore (Re-election)
Bob Baskett
John C. Newman
E. E. Pittard

For Constable:
Elvin Whitfield
W. A. (Bill) Shields
E. A. Harris
Ira H. Nichols
H. Matthews

For Representative, 125th Dist.
Roy K. Prescott
A. H. Watson
Zeno P. Innum

The Rogues' Gallery



The Comical Male Customers Are Given to Bantering Conversation With the Waitress.

LEAVE IT TO THE SISTERS

By GEORGE ADE

IN FLORIDA, what they call a dinner de luxe at a night-blooming noise factory may bring you a check for \$5. Anything around \$5 is a bargain price for the hurry-up repast served with dancing by the customers and cavorting cuties in a "floor show." Two bits for the food and \$1.75 for the smoke and the elbowing and the alcoholic vapors. It may surprise the spenders who frequent these nocturnal resorts to learn that a good dinner or supper is worth, at the market, just 35 cents. That is the top. That is the stabilized price, decreed by custom and honored by long practice. It is not preceded by cocktails or washed down with that very expensive fluid known as "gizgle-water." It is served by a friendly waitress who expects no tip.

The women of the small town have learned the secret of making money by serving food for practically nothing. They cannot raise their prices because the traffic couldn't bear the increase. Oyster suppers used to come as low as 25 cents a head in the good old days, and now the patrons demand "courses" and are critical of the bill of fare and take a lot of waiting on—all for 35 cents.

Women are the mortgage-lifters for churches, clubs and all kinds of local societies and helping-hand organizations. They have more enthusiasm than the men and their team-work is better. What is more, they get a lot of fun out of mobilizing in a buzzing flock to assemble their contributions and spread the tables.

Mrs. A. is a natural horn cake-maker so she brings two cakes, one enriched with figs and the other stuffed with hickory nuts. Such cakes are practically unobtainable in the city and are priceless samples of home-cooking but, just the same, they go into the 35 cent jackpot.

Mrs. B. is a sensational biscuit maker, with a good degree of local renown. Her job is to provide the light and fluffy rolls.

Mrs. C. is the local queen in the domain of "trimmings," such as cottage cheese, grape jelly and strawberry preserves. She robs her own shelves in order to make the party a success. She has to be a liberal contributor in order to keep up with the others and head off any sly suggestion that she has a strain of stepmother in her.

Mrs. D. is the prize coffee maker. Mrs. E. is the supreme authority on chicken and noodles. The F. girls know how to get floral decorations for the table. Mrs. G. has had long experience in bossing waitresses. Mrs. H. is a demon pie maker.

The "supper" represents an assembling of units, turned out by experts, and the finished product lays over what you can get at filling stations and lunch counters.

If you have a great crowd of people to feed, the best thing you can do is to make a deal with the sisters. They will bring an army of waitresses who would cost more, if you hired them, than the total bill turned in by the lady manager. The girls of all ages love the flutter and hopping about and general hub-bub of an indoor celebration and waiting on the table, when it is done as a labor of love, becomes an adventure and a gay experience. The comical male customers are given to bantering conversation with the waitress (known by her first name) and she must talk back and be sure of many a hearty laugh, because everything is at high tension and any kind of wise crack is a welcome relief and sure-

fire hit. After it is all over the girls count up what they have taken in and put it in the treasury as "velvet." It's a good thing they don't charge for their time and the physical toll and the nervous energy.

Out at my place in the country we have had some big parties, mostly for city visitors. They want fried chicken "springers," with an unlimited number of helpings at 35 cents a plate. For the chicken and noodles or roast fowl you can work in the venerable hens, but you cannot cheat on the fried variety. The local sisters whooped the fried chicken rate to 50 cents a year ago, then slid it up to 75 cents and later on, finding that the city trade was big-hearted, made it a dollar a head. With a hundred motorists on a reliability run, all arriving at one time, the sisters began to handle important money. On the day of the noon-day feed for the Golden tour outfit the receipts were \$350, which represented the high mark. Much of this amount was contributed by the motorists who insisted that the dinner was worth more than a dollar.

After many years' experience with city visitors and numerous conferences with the women providers, I think I have discovered the menu which will always make a hit with the consumers.

The grand motif or theme song of the production is fried chicken, taken entirely apart and served hot and moistly tender. No armor plate.

Mashed potatoes or new spuds with their jackets on, hand in hand with oodles and oodles of glibet gravy.

Small, light, fluffy rolls. No "sody biscuit."

For the second vegetable, corn on the cob or fresh garden peas, or tender juvenile string beans, depending on the season.

Fresh beets. Always in demand. Overlooked by most caterers.

Fresh leaf lettuce "wilted" with hot bacon juice and a little vinegar. Those addicted to this old-fashioned salad rave about it.

For dessert, ice cream and cake, or pie a la mode. Cherry pie always makes a ten-strike. That or "punkin" with a top story of whipped cream.

It is surprising how many people will take hot coffee if it is offered to them.

Please take note that the preliminary "fruit cocktail" is omitted. The visitors want to fly at their fried chicken as soon as the bell rings. This menu, bordered with some jells and preserves, may be repeated over and over, and always goes big. Go right back to the old sure-fire items and stick to them. They cannot be served as a 35 cent plate luncheon but they are what the visitors take, if they can get them. The sisters know how to fix them up.

When people come to the country they want home-cooking and plenty of it, regardless of hard times and depression.

This is an essay about the small-town woman. She may have been a down-trodden home body in the good old days, but now she is a gad-about and a mixer. She is all hooked up with "movements" and belongs to clubs and believes in going places and seeing things. She has opinions and doesn't believe everything she hears on the radio. The ancient couplet ran:

Man works from sun to sun,
But woman's work is never done.

It is my candid belief, after moving back into a rural community, that women are the self-starters.

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Daddy's Day

(Austin Callan)

There are good reasons for Daddy's Day coming late in the season.

It's calculated that the proper time to recognize him is after hot weather when house flies are making life miserable anyway. You know, daddy is looked on as just a sort of family nuisance who spreads out in front of the radio dial to tune in on a favorite blues crooner is on the air.

However, it must be admitted that he's as much of a necessity around the place as the dish pan or floor mop.

Maybe daddy cannot keep a canary bird in the cage or a beau in the house on account of the asphyxiating fumes of his old black pipe, but he pays the rent, he finances the "permanents," and he keeps the coffee-pot "perkling" in the kitchen. That should entitle him to parking space and a box of gift cigars once a year. Perhaps the sale of the cigars will help put up the price of cabbage.

I don't think the average dad-

dy is as bad as the tobacco he smokes would indicate. The average daddy, while he won't let soapy boy take the car out at night to set a new record for breaking traffic rules, is ready to lay down his life for any member of the family. He may be a hard-shelled turtle on the surface but he has a chicken-heart, and oftentimes when you don't know it he says a little prayer for his loved ones, as sweet as the breath of a lilac at morn.

DAYS ENTERTAINED WITH DINNER AND BRIDGE

Monday night of last week Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Day were honored with a dinner and bridge by Misses Elsie Lee and Ruby Harper and Mrs. Jim Riley, in the beautiful Harper home. The menu consisted of tomato juice cocktail, chicken gravy, string beans, creamed potatoes, salad, beets, rolls, tea, and strawberry shortcake.

After the tasty dinner was served, the evening was spent with the guests at six tables of bridge and forty-two. The hostesses then presented Mrs. Day with a bottle of sachet powder and Mr. Day, a leather key case.

Those present for the enjoyable evening were Mesdames and Messers Emmett Day, Andrew Schreiber, Loyd Burris, W. H. Thate, Jodie Mathews, Ben Vinson, S. W. Childers, Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Lovelady, Dr. and Mrs. L. O. Garrett, Mrs. Sherman Gehrett, Mrs. T. R. Sealy, and the hostesses, Misses Elsie Lee and Ruby Harper, and Mrs. Jim Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Simmons, Durward and Orda Mae Simmons of Memphis, Tenn. and Rev. and Mrs. Loyd R. Simmons visited in the J. J. Gregg home Saturday afternoon after making a trip to South Texas, where they went sightseeing in Edinburg and Corpus Christi, extending their trip to Matamoras in Old Mexico. They went to Fort Worth Saturday night, and on to Memphis Sunday. Mrs. L. R. Simmons will be remembered here as Miss Queenie Gregg.

Ernest Walters, student of John Tarleton Agricultural College at Stephenville, is visiting here with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Vinson.

Milton, Emmett and Melvin Howard, students in Howard Payne College, have returned home for the summer.

John David Harper, student in John Tarleton College at Stephenville, came home last week to spend the summer with his mother, Mrs. Pauline Harper.

Rev. and Mrs. R. Eimer Dunham and family were in Harper, Texas, Thursday to attend a family reunion at the home of Rev. D. R. Dunham, R. E. Dunham's father.

Miss Eunice Wheeler and Miss Allee Hays left Wednesday morning to visit at various points in Arkansas.

The News stated last week that Eugene Watkins was graduating this spring from Texas Tech at Lubbock where he was majoring in civil engineering, but later was told authentically that he was majoring in chemical engineering.

Augustus Lightfoot left Monday for Wichita Falls to visit with his mother for a week or two. Mrs. James Lamb and little son of Monahans were recent visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner.

Control Mosquito To Stop Malaria

Austin, May 28.—A marked saving in human lives and improved health conditions may be obtained in large measure by an educational program for the control of the mosquito, suggests Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer.

"Malaria is transmitted to humans," he said "by the bite start with the protection of the Anopheles mosquito. This human from the bite of the mosquito acquires the malaria infected mosquito and continues parasites by biting a person who through the elimination of

has these parasites in his blood. She (it is the female who transmits this disease), then bites a well person. The parasites enter the blood, grow, and multiply there. Poisons are formed and carried in the blood stream to all parts of the body. The person bitten by the carrier mosquito begins to shiver with chills, burn with fever, and have a headache.

"Prevention of malaria should be accomplished by the protection of the Anopheles mosquito. This human from the bite of the mosquito acquires the malaria infected mosquito and continues parasites by biting a person who through the elimination of

the mosquito.

"The protection of humans may be accomplished by screening all houses to prevent the entrance of mosquitoes. A 10-mesh wire screen should be placed over all openings. Be sure that all chimneys, cracks, and other openings are covered.

"The malaria mosquito breeds in still water and the pools and grassy edges of running water, as well as in many places where water is allowed to collect or stand. The female mosquito then lays her eggs on the surface of the water, where they float, and in a few days hatch into 'wiggle-tails.' These live in the water and in time turn into mosquitoes. These changes must take place in the water and require from 12 to 14 days in summer to complete the cycle.

"In order to prevent the malaria mosquito from breeding, destroy their shelters by removing all brush and weeds, and drain or otherwise control their breeding places in water by spraying the surface with oil or putting top-feeding minnows in waters where oil or drainage cannot be used.

"Consult your health officer or sanitarian about methods of control in your community."

Allred's Record Is Unexcelled

So excellent is the record of James V. Allred, serving his first term as governor, that one wonders why anyone opposes him for renomination. If the people of Texas properly show their appreciation of the young governor in the Democratic primary, he will get a majority and renomination on the first ballot.

It may not be amiss to list some of the governor's major accomplishments:

The state finances are in excellent condition. There is a four million dollar surplus in the school fund. The deficit is one of bookkeeping only.

Creation of a creditable state police force is under way despite the difficulties created by the remnant of the old-time ranger force. The state police department promises to be a source of pride to the citizenship.

Ten millions of dollars was appropriated with the governor's approval for the aid of crippled rural school districts, and wisely disbursed as far as the governor could control the matter.

The governor is carrying out in letter and spirit the will of the people as expressed in the liquor control law. The governor made good appointments, the board is self-supporting and some two and one-half millions net have come into the treasury.

The governor set up a workable old age pension system. The federal social security board pronounced the set-up the best any state has submitted and is matching state contributions dollar for dollar. Sixty thousand old age pension checks averaging \$20 will go out July 1.

A 50-million-dollar highway improvement program will be under way by July. It represents a combination of state, federal and relief funds capably brought together by the governor's highway department.

Oil companies are taking no part in the race. They are not backing or opposing Allred and contributing not a cent to any gubernatorial candidate.

Allred, by his personality and oratorical ability, has given the state immensely valuable advertising. This contrasts favorably with what happened in previous years. The governor is at the moment one of the state's best assets.

(Editorial from Dallas Dispatch, May 18, 1935)

Life Begins Today

"I think I can point out the exact moment when a man begins to grow old. It is the moment when upon self examination he finds that his thoughts and reflections in solitude turn more to the past than to the future. If a man's mind is filled with memories and reminiscences instead of anticipation, then he is growing old."

This comment from William Lyon Phelps, himself 70 years old, should serve as a warning and a promise to those men and women past 50 who lack initiative and courage to face the future.

Whether you are 7 and 70, the years already spent are mere memories; all our ambitions are applicable to the time yet to be lived. Life consists of tasks being accomplished and yet to be accomplished.

There is, for each of us, much work to be done. Barring ill health, there is no reason why the man of 50 or 60, or even 70, should not accomplish worthwhile tasks of use to self and to society. To sit back and sigh away the remaining years is to admit defeat, an evidence more of cowardice than submission.

—Tulla Herald.

JUNE 12 TO BE SHERIFF'S DAY

Law breakers will find a warm reception awaiting them if they visit the Texas Centennial Exposition June 12 at Dallas. This sixth day of the Exposition will be Sheriff's Day. A short program is to be given at the Roy Bean Cabin and the visiting Sheriff's will then be shown the \$25,000,000 Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mathews and Mary Felid spent Sunday in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Byrne left Saturday morning for Dobbins, Texas, where they will spend part of the summer.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our sincere appreciation and thanks to all our friends who were so kind and sympathetic with us in our bereavement in the death of our son and brother, Cecil Gilmore. May God bless all of you.

J. S. Gilmore
Mr. and Mrs. Dick West and children.
Mr. and Mrs. Basil Gilmore and son.
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McGlothling and little son spent Sunday in Sweetwater visiting with friends.

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Miss Armenta Ragsdale To Finish Second Year At Mary Hardin-Baylor College

Belton, Texas, May 25. (SPL)—Miss Armenta Ragsdale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ragsdale, Santa Anna, is one of the sophomores at Mary Hardin-Baylor who entertained for the senior class recently with a comic strip party. Each person came dressed as some character from the funny paper. Jiggs and Maggie, Popeye and Wimpy, and all the others competed for the grand prize offered for the best skit and most realistic costume.

This is just one of the many pre-commencement activities in which Armenta is taking part as Mary Hardin-Baylor closes its ninety-first session. A series of social events honoring seniors, baccalaureate, commencement play and concert, home coming for the alumnae and a little cramming for final examinations, and underclassmen days are over for sophomores. Next year she will have the privileges and responsibilities of an upper classman.

Thanatos, the Greek God of death was considered the twin brother of Sleep.

He is a wise man who looks things over instead of overlooking things.

SECOND DRAGOONS TO BE IN CENTENNIAL AT FORT WORTH

Fort Worth, May 26.—With 90 midnight black horses and uniforms of the old Second Dragoons that founded Fort Worth, a detachment of the Second Cavalry will come here from Fort Riley for the opening of the Fort Worth FRONTIER Centennial July 1. They will remain throughout the Show.

These troupes will play a role in the FRONTIER Show almost identical to that which their ancestor troop played on the Texas frontier.

A stockade nearly a block long and two blocks wide will be erected. Troops will pitch their tents inside the stockade. Musical drills will be given daily by the troops as a free attraction at the FRONTIER Centennial. Roman riding and mounted wrestling and other calvary sports will be conducted for the entertainment of Centennial visitors to Fort Worth.

Major Frank H. Barnhart, U. S. Army, calvary, will command the picturesque detachment and has completed arrangements for their encampment at the Fort Worth FRONTIER Centennial.

Billy Rose, Director General of the amusement attractions for the FRONTIER Centennial, is now in New York signing up the stars of stage, screen and radio and completing arrangements for the transportation of Jumbo to Fort Worth.

LIBERTY H. D. C.

Miss Ora Alice Newman Closes Freshman Year

May 26. (SPL)—Miss Ora Alice Newman, Santa Anna, is finishing her last week of the last session at Mary Hardin-Baylor as final exams alternate with packing and farewell parties. Last week she attended a series of commencement activities as Mary Hardin-Baylor closes its 91 session, the commencement play, alumnae day with homecoming, class reunions, and a formal reception.

The traditional class day exercises were put on in colorful procession with daisy chain, juniors dressed in white and seniors in academic robe march. Then came the annual fine arts concert, and art exhibit. On Sunday morning Dr. Luther Holcomb delivered the Baccalaureate sermon, the evening being given over to vesper services on the campus. The climax of these activities was Monday when Attorney General William McGraw made the commencement address and diplomas were awarded.

Go to church Sunday.

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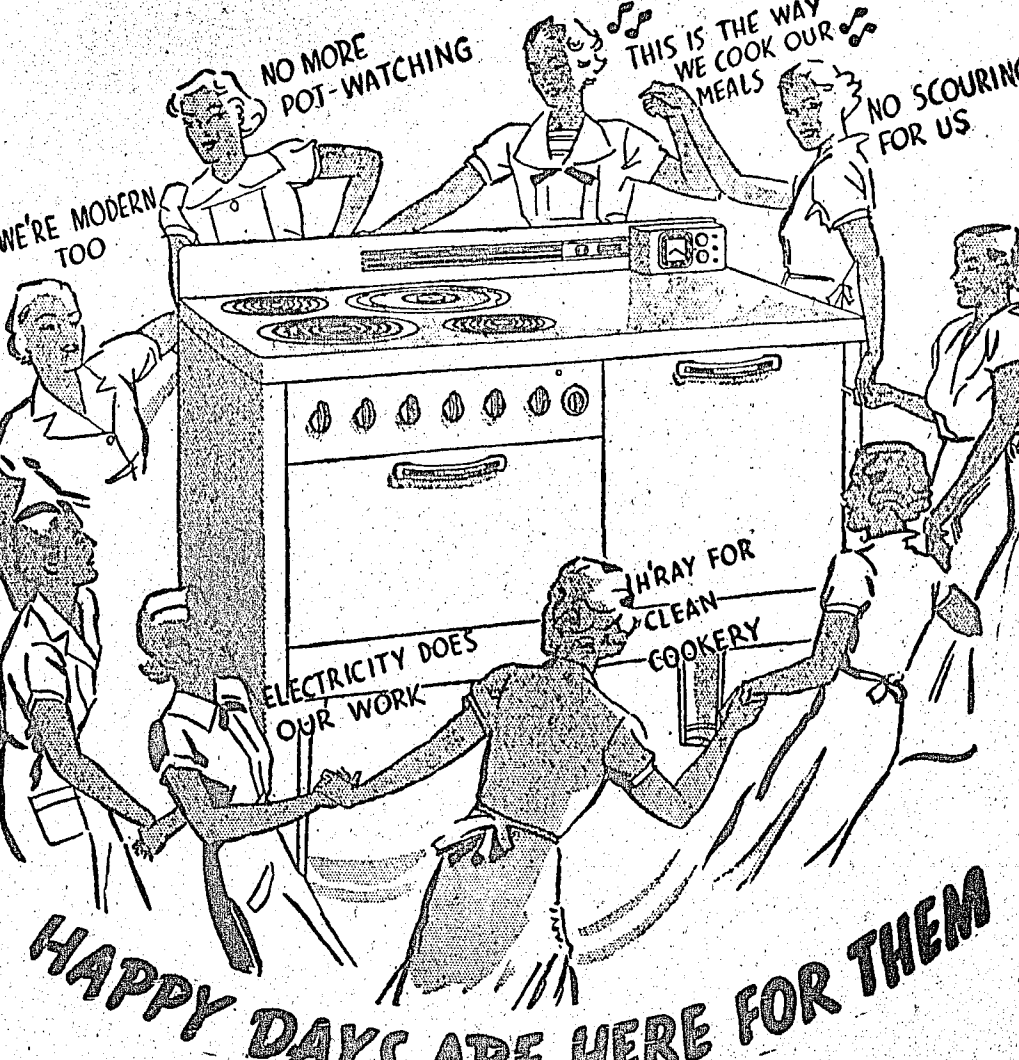
The Liberty Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Alvie Williams Thursday, May 21.

Miss LaRue Curry was elected delegate to be sent by the club to the Farmers' Short Course at A and M College, which meets July 20-25.

A refreshment plate of sandwiches, punch, and cake was served to twelve members.

The next club meeting will be with Mrs. Richard Traylor on Thursday, June 4. A demonstration on slip covers for upholstered furniture will be given by Mrs. Weldon Holt, club bedroom demonstrator.

Dallas. The \$25,000,000 Texas Centennial Exposition will use five carloads of flag poles. They range in length from 20 to 82 feet and from 1-4 inches to 1 1/2 inches in diameter at the base.



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Ex-Service Men Should Belong To American Legion

Editor Jim White in his "Around the Supper Table" column in the Brownwood Daily Bulletin, has the following very timely paragraphs to offer.

Every Ex-service man ought to be a member of the American Legion. We have preached that doctrine for the past seventeen years, and are more firmly convinced than ever that it is true after reading an article in the current issue of The American Legion Monthly, by Jerome Ellison and Frank W. Brock. The title is "Keep Away from That Hook," and it has great potential value to every one of the three and a half million men who soon will be receiving bonus bonds.

Most ex-service men think they know what they are going to do with their bonus money, but a great many of them will not do what they have planned. Pertinently it is pointed out by the authors of The Monthly article that the racketeers in every branch of the swindling industry are after the two billion dollars that will be distributed among the ex-service men, and many of these gentlemen are smarter than the boys who will be getting the money. Much smarter. If they were not, they would already be in jail.

Every kind of scheme under the sun, and some that have their origin in the depths of the lower regions, is going to be employed in the task of separating the ex-service men from their bonus money. We are not advising the boys to do this, we are merely telling them. Most of them are broke now, and some of them will be both broke and sorry after a few more weeks or months. Any Democrat can exist while broke, else there would not be many Democrats, but when a Demo-

crat begins to feel sorry for himself trouble is not far away.

DEMONSTRATOR STORIES

"Fixing up my bedroom is turning out to be such an interesting job," says Mrs. A. Hanna, bedroom demonstrator of the Leady Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. Hanna has taken all the old varnish off her furniture and is painting it with ivory enamel to give a fresh, new appearance to her room. She is planning to repaper the walls with wall paper of a pastel design on a creamy background. This will add light to the room and make it a more pleasant place in which to live. The woodwork is to be painted a light worn grey and the floor a dark green. Color will be added in the window curtains, bedspread, dresser scarfs, and rugs to give the room variety and interest.

To have a smooth, unbroken grass lawn is one of the goals of the yard demonstration and it can do more to add to the attractiveness of a house and the yard than any one improvement. Mrs. E. M. Whitley, yard demonstrator of the Concho Peak Home Demonstration Club, is planning to sod her lawn soon. As the lawn must first have a good foundation before it can be attractive, Mrs. Whitley plans to fill in her yard with soil and have it level before the Bermuda grass is set out. By setting the grass in rows 12 to 15 inches apart it can be easily cultivated and will spread more rapidly this way. Grass helps to keep down dust and weeds as well as add to the appearance of a yard.

After a girl "comes out," she goes out, and then her mother worries because she stays out.

The city of London started as a resting station for salt traders.

Allred, Statesman

During the past ten years Texas voters have had their imagination captivated by the enthusiasm, the fire, and the fight of James V. Allred. His success, fought for bitterly during that time, has been largely due to his straight-from-the-shoulder, ask-no-quarter and give-no-quarter attitude. Many more serious minded Texans had just cause, no doubt, to view with skepticism just what effect this background of Candidate Allred would have upon Governor Allred.

Sufficient time has now elapsed to justify the claim of his friends that Candidate Allred was fully able to make the transition to Statesman Allred. That the Centennial Governor has grown in public stature and his public utterances are being accepted for what they are—statesman-like speeches, well-rounded and carefully thought-out—is now an accepted fact.

There is not a man in public life today who can compare with Allred in handling himself and the problems which confront him in a dignified and considerate manner.

Doubtless the constant practice he has had as Governor has given him a rich experience which makes him the most sought after Governor-speaker in modern Texas history.

It is ridiculous to suppose that the snipers who are now aiming at his political head will get to first base. In common parlance few of them will get their bats off their shoulders. The rest will go down swinging.

To beat a statesman you have to have another statesman. There is no such offering on the political horizon.

(Editorial from the Karnes County News, May 21, 1936.)

Rev. R. Elmer Dunham was a Brownwood visitor Tuesday.

BARBECUE PARTY FOR MR. AND MRS. EMMETT DAY

Among the many farewell parties given for Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Day was a barbecue dinner given recently by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thate on the Thate farm northeast of town. Barbecued chicken and beef were the savory main fares of the evening, but all the "fixings" were not omitted by any means. Those enjoying this pleasant outing were Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Sealy, E. D. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Burris, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schreiber, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bays, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Etheredge, Mrs. Sherman Gehret, Misses Elsie Lee and Ruby Harper, Jack and Max Price, Charles Edwards, George and Robert Day, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Day, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thate.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER GIVEN FOR MRS. DAY

Mrs. O. L. Cheaney, assisted by Mrs. Roger Hunter and Mrs. Andrew Schreiber, entertained the Missionary Society Monday afternoon honoring Mrs. Emmett Day with a miscellaneous shower. A very interesting lesson was led by Mrs. Clifford Verner, with Mrs. W. H. Thate and Mrs. M. A. Edwards on the program. Several games were played, after which Mrs. Jim Riley entered, very cleverly representing a Jewelry Saleslady, and presented many useful and lovely gifts to the honoree.

A delicious salad course was served to the following: Mesdames Emmett Day, as honoree, T. T. Perry, W. E. Fisher, O. A. Etheredge, Leman Brown, Tom Hays, Jr., M. A. Edwards, Ira Huss, Rex Golsion, D. J. Johnson, J. W. Riley, J. Frank Turner, Hardy Blue, W. H. Thate, Clifford Verner, and the hostesses, Mesdames Hunter, Schreiber, and Cheaney.

SENIOR CLASS WILL

I, Dorothy Akins, leave to Veoma Newman my lovely hair. I, Kirby Barton, leave my ability to roll cigarettes to Dan Blake.

I, Georgia Frances Barlett, leave my walk to Rosalie Niell. My only caution is to be careful with your heels.

I, Glen Copeland, leave to M. L. Guthrie my ability to flirt with Lucille Leady.

I, Emma John Blake, leave my book on "How I Got My Given Grades" to Glenda Beth Williamson.

I, Alton Diserens, leave to Buddy Lovelady my ability to study an English assignment for two hours a day by sitting on the book and reading yarns.

I, ZeWilla Box, leave my exceedingly small size to Gale Collier.

I, H. B. Dockery, leave to Margaret Jones the only way (which is supposed to be kept a secret) of comparing the verb shook, shuck, shucken.

I, Mary Lee Combs, leave to Emma Sue McCain my way of necking the boys.

I, Raeford Evans, leave my quiet and timid ways to Chester McDonald.

I, Carrie Dillingham, leave my way of hitch-hiking to Mary Louise Curry.

I, Sam Forehand, leave to Page Mays my ability to carry a pencil behind my ear. Since it is such hard times I fear you can't afford a pencil, so I will give you mine—this is the one I took all my examinations with, and I named it Old Faithful.

I, Mary Dellinger, leave my place in all the boys hearts to Elsie Haynes.

I, Carson Horner, leave all my A pluses to H. W. Kingsbery. H. W., I know this will help you be valedictorian next year.

I, Cleo Head, leave my ability to sit on chewing gum to Eva Nickens.

I, Raymond Jackson, leave to Bailey Horner my ideal driving. I, Era Hill, leave my beautiful hairdress to Marjorie Pope. In case you have forgotten the way it was fixed I will tell you. Pull a wad down in front of your ears and let your ears stick out, then roll some bang up in front.

I, Tommy Johnson, leave my art to A. L. McGahey. A. L., you are to use this when writing letters to Alice Jane. Especially when you get to a part you can't explain. Just start drawing.

I, Mary Tom Jones, leave my every day habit of playing hooky to Ruth Conley.

I, Jim Jones, leave to Julian Kelley my ability to select colorful and antique cars.

I, Allene Leady, leave my intelligence to Buna Heallen.

I, Ruth Leady, bestow my friendship for a blond to Jane Burden.

I, J. T. Oakes, leave everything that I possess in my wife's name, but there is one thing I would like to leave to somebody else and that is my excellent behavior to Dolphus Ashmore.

I, Beulah, leave a dodge to Edward Dillingham. Edward, you may go riding everyday and please take everyone you can pile in.

I, Todd Oakes, leave my tedious job of breaking out street lights to Thomas Wristen. Be sure you aren't in sight of Mr. Lock.

I, Fieda Perry, leave my small feet to Annelle Shield.

I, Maxie Price, leave my ability to be a fighter to Jack Howard.

I, Elva Lou Smith, leave to Billie Pope my ability to play the piano.

I, Sarah Williams, leave my childish acts to Gladys Porter.

I, Marjorie Stacy, leave all my good notebooks to Doris Rollins.

I, Geraldine Spence, bequeath to Vesta Evans my love from all the teachers.

I, Howard Pittard, leave my ability to get married to Roy Earl Tucker.

I, Lucille Vaughn, leave all my love for Quinton Hudler to Allene Leady.

I, Hollis Watson, bequeath my fluency for writing notes to the girls to Raymond Holland.

I, Ozella Vaughn, leave my ideal boy friend to Ruby Moore.

I, Vernon Rowe, leave all my giggles in bookkeeping class to Louise Oakes.

I, Annie Nickens, leave my ability to scare people with rats to Marilyn Baxter.

I, Mary Lee Ford, leave all my demerits to Elizabeth Morris. Elizabeth, I know this is a heavy load, but please try to stand up under the strain.

To Mr. Lock we would like to take great pleasure in presenting to you this song book. Even though it doesn't have Texas songs, or Seelig Nellie Home, we thought you might enjoy singing hymns.

To Miss Harvey we leave this entire class beans. If you will come to the front you may have them now.

To Mr. Scarborough we leave this little dog to keep a close watch on the lockers and office.

You may name him some Latin name.

To Miss Randolph we leave this small needle and thread. We are sure you will need it after mocking Miss Harvey's walk for three months.

To Mr. Prescott we leave the class's sole. We are sure you will need it as campaign season is approaching.

To Mr. Dean we leave this little football for the Coleman and Santa Anna game at the end of the season. We hope to find it in the trophy case with the rest of the footballs with this inscription "A Glorious Victory" Santa Anna 40, Coleman 0.

To Mr. Godwin we leave this wagon. Maybe some day you will quit teaching and begin farming.

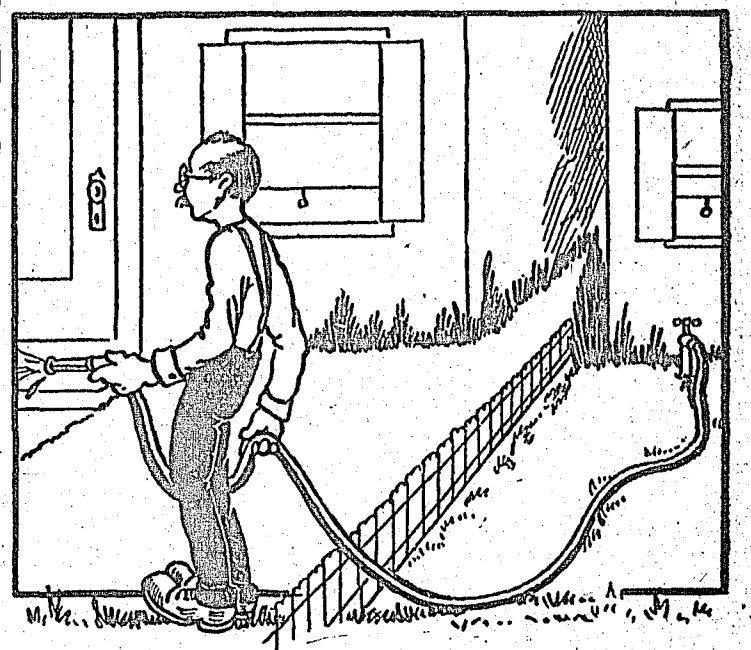
To Miss Hays we leave this red ink to assist her in giving typing grades.

The Graduating class of 1936 knows that nothing is too good for our faithful and loyal sponsor, Miss McCreary. We also know that it is impossible to express our thoughts and good wishes, so to mildly let you know of our thanks and appreciation for all you have done for us, we present to you this gift, a fitted week-end bag.

—Mary Lee Ford, Class Testator

Many graduates will realize, after trying to set the world on fire, that it is too green to burn.

After eating onions, look at the grocery bill. It will take your breath away.



Mr. Telephone Borrower - do you water your lawn from your Neighbor's hydrant? Santa Anna Telephone Company

DOCTOR'S PRESCRIPTION WINS PRAISES OF MANY WEAK, RUN-DOWN PEOPLE

Four-Way Medicine Helps Build Rich, Red Blood, Tones Up the System, and Aids Elimination of Poisonous Waste Matter. Improved Formula Based on Prescription Used by Physician in His Private Practice Is Now Available at a Cost of Only a few Cents a Day.



A Boon to Many Sufferers

New hope of relief from these simple anemias of the hypochromic type which are so often accompanied by weakness, lack of ambition and "pep," loss of appetite, has been brought to many sufferers in (Name of Town) by the recent announcement that a doctor's prescription intended for these conditions is now available in this city and can be had at a cost of only a few cents a day. This preparation, known as Williams S. L. K. Formula, has won the enthusiastic approval of many sufferers who have tried it, and so confident are the distributors that it will benefit other users that they offer it on a guarantee that the first bottle must produce results or money back.

Works in Four Ways

Williams S. L. K. Formula is believed to be unique inasmuch as it does its work in four different ways. It contains a valuable mineral element which is necessary for building rich, red blood. It is a tonic for the system, and is a mild stomachic tonic. It also has a mild laxative and diuretic action, and thus aids in the elimination of poisonous waste matter.

Many men and women feel "tired-out," worn-down" and have little zest for work or play, simply because of poisons in their systems, due to insufficient activity of kidneys and bowels, and because they are deficient in the necessary elements for the production of red blood. In such cases Williams S. L. K. Formula seems to give particularly effective results. Many sufferers say that after taking only a few doses they "felt different," and as they continued with Williams S. L. K. Formula, life seemed to "take on a new meaning" for them.

Nearly everyone, both old and young, should have a good tonic now and then. Ask the druggist below to tell you all about Williams S. L. K. Formula and the remarkable offer which is being made to sufferers.

Relief Is Quick

If you feel weak, "run-down" nervous; if you seem to have lost your "grip" on things and your everyday tasks are a burden and a "grind," don't suffer another day without trying Williams S. L. K. Formula. You'll like its pleasant action, intended for quick benefits which many describe as a blessing to them. Being a liquid Williams S. L. K. Formula is easily assimilated and starts to work almost immediately. Only small doses are required. A teaspoonful, taken with water, makes the equivalent of a brimming glassful of tonic and system cleansing elements.

Make This Guaranteed Test

Get a bottle of Williams S. L. K. Formula today. Start taking it as directed and see for yourself what a wonderful aid this improved preparation can be in helping to "quickly" dispel that tired-out, run-down feeling. See for yourself. It is doesn't give you a "whale of an appetite" and make you feel like a different person. Remember, Williams S. L. K. Formula is sold under a positive guarantee of money-back on the first bottle if you are not satisfied. Start taking Williams S. L. K. Formula at once. If it doesn't do all—even more than you expect, return the "empty" bottle to the druggist and the trial will cost you nothing.

ON SALE AT Corner Drug Co. SANTA ANNA, TEXAS

Announcement by Coleman Gas & Oil Co.

Credit on gas bills to be paid in June, 1936, for interest to January 1st, 1936, on Security Deposits which have been on deposit with this Company six months prior to January 1st, 1936, will be given our Santa Anna customers.

The Coleman Gas & Oil Company is supplying natural gas service to our customers in Santa Anna under a fifty year franchise granted to J. A. and L. A. Robertson by ordinance No. 28, dated September 28th, 1912.

The Coleman Gas & Oil company during past years has been continually acquiring additional gas reserve acreage, and drilling additional gas wells, and we wish to assure our loyal consumers that our reserve supply of natural gas is more than sufficient to supply the needs of our consumers the full remaining period of our franchise.

Mrs. W. F. Kirkpatrick is now with the Coleman Gas & Oil company, and invites her friends and customers to visit her at the office in Santa Anna.

Coleman Gas & Oil Co. Telephone 88

MRS. LEMAN BROWN COMPLIMENTS MRS. DAY

Mrs. Emmett Day was complimented Saturday afternoon when Mrs. Lemman Brown entertained with a bridge party...

Beautiful spring flowers were used for decorations. The tables were artistically designed with bridge motifs...

Dainty corsages of pansies fashioned into nosegays were given each guest...

Those who enjoyed this delightful party were Mesdames D. J. Johnson, George Johnson, Gene Hensley, J. P. Woodruff, C. O. Moody, E. D. McDonald, Rex Golston, L. O. Garrett, W. H. Thate, O. A. Etheredge, M. A. Edwards, S. W. Childers, Jodie Mathews, J. R. Gipson, A. U. Weaver, Io Shield, F. C. Woodward, T. R. Sealy, Ford Barnes, the honoree, Mrs. Day, and the hostess, Mrs. Brown.

Ruth and Edwin Niell, students in Howard Payne, are back in Santa Anna for the summer.

ON TEXAS FARMS

NEWCASTLE: Sixty-five and one-third bushels of corn were sold for \$1.17 per bushel by feeding it to beef cattle...

Blancett put five head of steers in the feed lot with an average weight of 700 pounds and a total value of \$175, November 1, 1935...

The total amount of feed consumed in addition to the five acres of hegarl which was hogged down as 3,300 pounds in bundles, 4,704 pounds of corn, 440 pounds of heads and 980 pounds of cottonseed meal...

The steers at completion of the demonstration weighed an average of 992 pounds and sold for seven cents per pound bringing a total of \$347.20. The total profit above the initial value of the calves plus all the expenses was \$47.27...

The Rogues' Gallery



Always I Am Awakened by an Impatient Chambermaid Crashing Around Outside My Bedroom Door With a Vacuum Cleaner—Not for Cleaning Purposes but to Bother Me and Get Me Out So She Can Do the Room.

MR. OTIS REGRETS

By JULIAN STREET

MY DEAR Mrs. Plamondin: How kind, how very kind of you to ask me to your place in the country for the coming week-end!

Your invitation reached me a little more than two weeks ago, and I suppose I ought to have answered sooner. In fact, I know I ought to have. But for reasons which I shall explain I have kept putting it off.

Having failed to answer promptly, I suppose I ought now to telegraph. In fact I know I ought to. A telegram might ease matters quite a bit. I could say I had just got back from Europe and found your letter. But there's the rub! My dear old father, Fabian P. Otis, was always the soul of honor in spite of that trouble about his bank, and he taught me from infancy never to lie if there was a chance of my being found out. If I wired that I had been in Europe you might meet somebody who had seen me in the past fortnight, or you might have been in town yourself and caught sight of me somewhere—for though I am harder up than I ever thought a member of the Otis family could be, I have devised some little economies which enable me to get about as much as ever, and I still go to the best places. Father, I know, would wish it so, for though he believed in thrift, he always said there was nothing too good for an Otis.

You will probably remember that just after the bank trouble, when father was being prosecuted, the papers used to say there was nothing too bad for an Otis, but that was mere hysteria, and the whole thing is mostly forgotten already. Moreover I want to say that in spite of father's jail sentence it wasn't his fault about the bank. People came in and drew out money against father's advice, and after a while the money was gone, so what could father do but shut the doors?

However, I hadn't meant to go into these matters. I was coming to the reason why I hadn't telegraphed. That has something to do with father, too. I wish you could know him, but of course he isn't getting around these days. He was such a fine man, Mrs. Plamondin. He did everything for his family, even when he had to borrow money from his bank to do it. That's one of the things they blamed him for. Imagine! And yet at the same time, by a kind of paradox in his nature, father always tried to teach us children thrift. I still have the copy books he gave me when I was learning to write. They are full of quaint old maxims of the Pre-Brain Trust era, which I had to copy in a careful spencerian hand—things like, "From saving comes having," and "Economy is the parent of integrity, of liberty and of ease."

Of course we now realize that the people who wrote such maxims didn't know what they were talking about. Benjamin Franklin and Aesop are merely funny, and I was much interested to hear, the other day, that there's going to be a new Brain Trust copy-book with maxims containing the best modern thought on economics, and that to symbolize the spirit of the age the writing will be backhand.

My sister is grown up now and of course she doesn't wear pig-tails. I don't think you've met her, and there's no chance of your meeting her for at least another year, even if she gets the full deduction for good behavior. In her case it was not the bank. Her trouble was that she had always been told there was nothing too good for an Otis, so she went ahead on that basis and got into a kind of scrape.

Well, what I was coming to is this: that in spite of the fact that I still go to the best places, those old copy-book maxims ride me a bit at times. When you've had thriftdinned into you from early childhood it's hard to throw it off completely no matter how much you read the Washington dispatches.

That's why I'm not telegraphing you. A stamp costs only three cents and the right sort of telegram would cost at least fifty. I have enough of father in me to realize that the differential is forty-seven cents. Not much money, you will say, and in a sense you are right. Yet even under present conditions, forty-seven cents is worth about thirty cents, and thirty cents will take care of the hat-check girl in one of the best places with a nickel to spare.

I can remember just when I first thought of practicing little economies like this. Last year, after father left town, I decided to have his mattress made over, and what do you think I found, Mrs. Plamondin? Money, quite a bit of money. It was the money that made the mattress so hard.

I decided to invest it, and so I went down town and called on one of father's old banking friends, who is still banking, though scared to death, and asked him about investments.

At first he wouldn't tell me anything. He kept trying to change the subject, wanting to play tick-toe and show me card tricks. When I kept asking him about investments he said bankers weren't allowed to give advice about such matters. Bishops, bartenders, musicians and masseurs can give all the investment advice they want to, but my understanding is that bankers can be put in jail doing such a thing. I told him I had come to him not as a banker but as a friend, so at last he sent his secretary out of the office, locked the door, pulled down the shades and whispered a tip.

And what do you suppose he told me to buy, Mrs. Plamondin? He said to buy Chateau Latour 1920, or Cliquot 1923. I am passing the tip on to you, dear lady, because it comes from one of the most conservative and able bankers in the country, and it may repay you for any slight inconvenience caused by this tardy reply to your invitation.

Now, as to the invitation, I am awfully sorry to say I shall not be coming to you for the week-end. Why don't I want to come? Because of the way I'm made. Because your household is so well ordered. Because you like to have everything planned and running on schedule, and I don't.

So there you are, dear Mrs. Plamondin; and so ring me up some day when you're in town—not too early, mind—and invite me to lunch. It is odd, now that I have made this simple statement of the case, to reflect on how I dreaded to do it. It really wasn't so difficult, after all. Ah, how often life is like that. How often we dread something we must do, only to find, when we do it, that it isn't really so bad. For two weeks your letter has been ticking around my desk, unanswered, among the bills, also unanswered.

Now, thank heaven, I can tear it up!

Always sincerely yours, P. FOTHERINGHAM OTIS

© Julian Street—WNU Service

Outing and Picnic Suggestions

Over hill, over dale as you hit the concrete trail be sure that your picnic basket includes a generous supply of Red & White foods which are on sale this week-end at special prices.

- Any 2 items 19c
MUFFETTS, Quaker Reg. Size, 2 for 19c
KRAUT, No. 2 1/2 Can, 2 for 19c
CORN, Iowa Sweet, No. 2 can, 2 for 19c
KIDNEY BEANS, Red, No. 2 cans, 2 for 19c
BIRD SEED, R & W, 10 oz. pkg., 2 for 19c
OATS, Crystal Wedding, Tea Glass, 2 for 19c
JAR LIDS, Kerr Cheaper & safer, 2 for 19c
EXTRACT, Vanilla, 4 oz. Bottle, 2 for 19c
SHOE POLISH, Shinola, 2 bottles 19c
MEAL, R & W, Guaranteed, 1 1/2 lb. pkg. 2 for 19c

- COFFEE, Early Riser Fresh Ground, lb. 15; R & W Vacuum Packed, 2 lb. 57c
FLAV-R-JEL, Six Real Fruit Flavors, Pkg. 5c
PRUNES, Fresh, Heavy Pack No. 10 Can, 29c

- FRESH FRUITS And VEGETABLES
APPLES, Winesap, Medium, dozen 19c
BANANAS, Golden Fruit, lb. 5c
LETTUCE, Firm, Crisp, two for 9c
POTATOES, New Red, No. 1, 5 lbs. 19c

- FLOUR, Red & White Approved by Good Housekeeping Institute, 12-lb. sk. .53; 24-lb. sk. .94; 48-lb. sk. \$1.74

- Crackers, A-1 Brand, Small Cut, Salted, 2-lb. box 16c

See Our Window for Price on Sugar and Compound

- Salt, Blue & White, Reg. 5c size, 3 for 10c
Baking Powder, Ten Strike, 15 oz. can 9c
Mustard, Standard, Full Quart 14c
Syrup, Singleton's, Pure Ribbon Cane, No. 10 can 49c
Pineapple Juice, Dole, 12 1/2 oz. can 9c
Axle Grease, Red Top, 3 lb. bucket 23c
Soap, Red & White, White Laundry, Giant Bars, 5 for 19c
Soap, Thrill Health, A Medicated Soap, 3 for 14c

- Choice Meats
CHEESE, No. 1 Full Cream, per lb. 16c
BACON, Emerald Sliced, pound 29c
LUNCH MEATS
Italian Baked Luncheon, Pickle & Pimento Loaf, Plain Luncheon Loaf, lb. 23c
ROAST, Fancy Chuck, lb. 15c
STEAK, Choice Forequarter, lb. 17c

THE RED & WHITE STORES

A WEAKNESS OF OUR GOVERNMENT

It is regarded as weakness of our form of government that most any crank can give widespread publicity to some fool notion, get a few converts, make the "movement" look like the "voice of the people" and whip lawmakers into enacting it into a law.

This is the explanation of so many laws, many of them worse than useless because they are not observed and give excuse to the unthinking to violate laws that are really essential to the welfare of the people.

Thus, the lawless spirit is started and cultivated. It is causing many people grave concern. Those who fear for the future and are quick to condemn lawlessness are just as apt to disregard some insignificant statute as the lawless citizen is to commit some more serious offense against law and order.

Therefore, it behooves everyone who takes pride in his American citizenship to be wary about his observance of the law. No matter how unjust or unnecessary it may be, if it is the law, it should be obeyed as an example for those who are possessed of the lawless spirit.

The way for the thinking citizen to help is to fight so termed movements that create unjust and unwarranted laws. If enough people would remonstrate against such brainstormers on the part of cranks, many would never reach the enactment into laws. Such laws of the kind that we do have, can be repealed if enough pressure is brought to bear.

Everett, Misses Maurice and Evelyn Kirkpatrick, and Miss Helen Turner were in San Antonio Sunday to meet Mrs. Everett Kirkpatrick who was returning home from a visit in Raymondville.

Clovis Fletcher of Howard Payne is home for the summer. William Wheeler, teacher and football coach in the public schools at Albany, came home Sunday to spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wheatley of San Antonio spent the week-end here and in Shield with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lowrance spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Nickens and family. Mr. Lowrance is superintendent of the public schools in Blum, Texas.

Most everyone has an idea what he would do if he were rich, but it is probable that all of us would do just as the rich do.

Just about the time man decides he has conquered the air, you read of an aviator falling down on the job.

Some folks never vary the regularity of their church attendance by not attending.

The beautiful thing about happiness is that the more of it you see, the more of it you have left.

The big trouble today is that many automobile drivers believe that the right of way belongs to the one who gets there first.

The safest way to take a mad bull by the horns is to kill him first.

Advertisement for General Electric refrigerators. Includes text: 'IT'S NEW in Electric Refrigerators!', 'FORCED-FEED LUBRICATION and OIL COOLING', 'RADIO ELECTRIC SHOP GEO. M. JOHNSON PHONE 24', 'GENERAL ELECTRIC'.

Classified Ads

Attention—Bonus Man: My 21-acre pasture and prospective chicken ranch near Santa Anna for sale at \$35 per acre. Has small building, extra lumber and is well watered. G. F. Barlett. 3p

FOR SALE: Good Jersey cow. See J. J. Gregg.

INDIGESTION—GET QUICK RELIEF

Millions of men and women are suffering from disturbances of their digestive systems, due to acidity, and this is often the real cause of ill health, tired-out, run-down feeling, loss of "pep" and zest for living. If you are suffering from indigestion, atonic dyspepsia, sour stomach, gas pains, "raw stomach," inflammation of the intestines (enteritis), gastric acidity and sick headaches, you can't afford to ignore these warning signs. Take Gana Tablets, the Doctor's Prescription, which are intended to soothe the raw, inflamed lining of the "acid stomach," and to help convert the starchy foods into dextrose. Because of this remarkable success in many cases of acidity and digestive troubles resulting from acid conditions, Gana Tablets are offered to sufferers under a guarantee that the first bottle must produce results or money back. On sale at CORNER DRUG CO.

Advertisement for Smelly Feet. Includes text: 'SMELLY FEET', 'PHILLIPS DRUG CO.' and an illustration of a foot.

Advertisement for Sinus-Its. Includes text: 'SINUS-ITS', 'PHILLIPS DRUG CO.' and an illustration of a person's face.

Advertisement for Dr. R. A. Ellis. Includes text: 'DR. R. A. ELLIS', 'Optometrist', 'Brownwood, Texas'.

Advertisement for Mother's Oats. Includes text: 'NOTICE!', 'MOTHER'S OATS', 'Ed Jones Produce'.

College Station: Immediate action being necessary on the new farm program, a temporary State Soil Conservation Domestic Allotment Board has been appointed by Director H. H. Williamson of the Texas Extension Service to act on a number of important questions that must be passed on by a board for the approval of the Secretary of Agriculture.

The temporary board members are George G. Chance, Bryan; George Slaughter, Wharton; A. H. Montgomery, Darroutzet; and L. C. Trousdale from Houston, Texas.

This temporary board was appointed on the basis of one representative from each of the four major commodity boards that served during 1935. They served as follows: George G. Chance, Cotton Board; George Slaughter, Corn-Hog; A. H. Montgomery, Wheat; and L. C. Trousdale on the Rice Board.

In commenting on the temporary appointment of the new board, Director Williamson said, "It is important that we have in the beginning of the new work a board personnel with a background of experience from old programs to help work out immediate questions."

STINNETT: Because he was so pleased with the results of last year's terracing, D. B. Kirk of the Holt community in Hutchinson county has terraced an additional 110 acres this spring and has now it to barley and spring wheat, according to Clyde L. Carruth, county agricultural agent. He plans to terrace more land as soon as the wheat is harvested this summer.

Kirk terraced 100 acres in the spring of 1935 and planted it to cane, running the rows parallel to the terraces. On this land his feed grew to a height of six feet, while on some of his un-terraced land he was unable to bind the feed and had to cut it with a mower.

CANYON: George E. Mason, living in the Highland School community in Randall county bought a farm level in 1935 to lay off contour rows for his row crops, according to B. A. Zorns, county agricultural agent.

On 160 acres that Mason planted in milo, his average yield was nine bushels per acre. His neighbors, some of them harvesting only the best parts of their field, averaged from five to six bushels.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

Advertisement for China Cup and Saucer. Includes text: 'NOTICE!', 'CHINA CUP and SAUCER', 'MOTHER'S OATS'.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. H. A. Doggett of Valera was able to go home Sunday. Mr. J. S. Thomas of Gouldbank is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mrs. Martin Kelly of Bangs was able to go home Wednesday. Mrs. Leo Goldman of Salt Gap is a patient in the Hospital. Mrs. Fred Watson of Eldorado is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. F. J. Reynolds of Eldorado was a patient in the Hospital Thursday and Friday of last week. Mr. Drew Vinson of Coleman is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. J. B. Fisher of London is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mrs. LeRoy Beard of Cross Plains is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Margaret Sue Battle of Santa Anna is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mrs. J. F. Moody of Ralston, Okla., is a patient in the Hospital.

Trickham News

A very nice rain fell this week but it will cause all the farmers to have to work very fast to save their crops from grass. Mrs. Trapp made a very interesting talk at the graduation exercises last Wednesday night. Miss Leona McClatchey and Miss Inez James are reported ill with the mumps. Sunday School and Church services were not held Sunday because of the heavy rains. Last Friday night at the Trickham Church the high school put on the play, "Yim-mie Yonson's Yob." A large crowd was present. The primary and elementary pupils and a large group of people were disappointed because the play "Down Among the Fairies" could not be put on Saturday night because of the rain. The Trickham school was out Friday for the summer. Nelson Wells of Buffalo visited school here Wednesday. Several in this community are reported ill with the mumps and measles.

Presby'rian Church

Sunday school at ten. Preaching at eleven and eight. Christian Endeavor at seven fifteen. You are very cordially invited to attend all the services. M. L. Womack, Minister. The News editor accompanied Geo. M. Johnson to Dallas last Friday, returning Saturday. Dallas is a very busy place, everybody preparing for the Centennial Exposition to begin there June 6.

FRIENDS SURPRISE MRS. KINGSTON WITH SHOWER

Friends and neighbors surprised Mrs. Joe (Beulah) Kingston Friday afternoon of last week with a birthday shower. Mrs. R. C. Perry read a poem that was dedicated to Mrs. Kingston. The poem was written by Mrs. Perry and Miss Ora Lee Niell.

Fishing was the program for the afternoon. Guests went fishing and caught candy, but when Mrs. Kingston went fishing, to her surprise, she had too many fish for her hook. The many packages were then opened and passed around for the guests to admire.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Jennings, Mesdames F. E. Wagner, M. E. Wilson, C. F. Shields, Jess York, Walter Stacy, Harry Wilson, W. M. Wilson, Clark Miller, R. E. Sheffield, Bettie Cole, B. W. McIver, Tom Stacy, R. C. Perry, Silas Wagner, W. H. Perry, J. S. Laughlin, J. H. McCarty, and Miss Tavy Marie Stacy, Miss Ruth Sheffield, Miss Lanora Wagner, Miss Joan Wilson, Little James Wallace Perry, Betty Joyce Wagner, and Viola Wagner.

Liberty News

The school closing exercises Thursday night were enjoyed by a large crowd. Mrs. Perry Simmons of Midland visited her sister, Mrs. J. D. Holt from Monday until Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Priest visited in the Jack Stovall home Tuesday. Mrs. Marshall Duggins, who has been in the Sealy Hospital, was able to be brought home Saturday.

Mrs. John Ragsdale and daughter, Miss Fern, of Bangs spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Georgia Jones. Miss Ruth Polk and Mrs. Merle Childs visited Mrs. Sammie Duggins Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Ragsdale visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. James Leigh visited in the Will Holt home Wednesday night. Mrs. J. W. Taylor and Mrs. Cecil Curry were shopping in Brownwood Wednesday. Mrs. Leo Scott of Santa Anna visited relatives in the community during the week.

Rockwood News

By Heartal King. Vacation days are here at last. School was out Friday. The senior commencement exercises were held at the school house last Friday evening. Naomi Ayers was valedictorian and B. B. Fowler and Weldon McCreey tied for salutatory. The awards given were: Girls Athletic, Irene Avants; Boys Athletic, Weldon McCreey; Girls Scholarship, Heartal King; Boys Scholarship, James Earl Maness.

Methodist Church

William E. Fisher, Pastor. 10 a. m., Sunday School, C. B. Verner, Supt. 11 a. m., Morning services. Subject: "The Unknown God." 7:15 p. m., Epworth League. 8:15 p. m., Evening services. "Commendations of Jesus." Monday, 3:00 p. m., Woman's Missionary Society, Mrs. T. R. Sealy, President. Tuesday, 8 p. m., regular monthly meeting of the Board of Stewards. Please notice change of hour for evening worship from 8:00 to 8:15.

MERRY WIVES CLUB NAMES MRS. DAY HONOREE

Mrs. Rex Golston was hostess to the Merry Wives Club last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Day, a former member of the club, was honor guest. The afternoon was spent in needlework and conversation. The dining table was centered with a bouquet of spring flowers.

SELF CULTURE CLUB GIVES SEATED TEA

Special guests of the Self Culture Club were members of the Junior Self Culture Club, when Mrs. T. M. Hays, Jr., was hostess at a seated tea last Friday. The reception rooms were decorated in a variety of Texas wild flowers and Mrs. Hays, Mrs. Hardy Blue, and Mrs. C. D. Bruce greeted the guests at the door. Mrs. E. D. McDonald gave several piano selections and Mrs. Bruce gave a resume of the interesting club program for the next year. Miss Carrie Reeves of Brownwood, who is former president of the Sixth District, and is second Vice-President of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, told about her work in the University of Colorado, and gave an interesting talk on the Social Security Laws. Mrs. A. L. Oder, dressed in an Oriental costume, gave a splendid review of the famous book, "Young Joseph," by Thomas Mann.

Baptist Church

R. Elmer Dunham, Pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. J. R. Lock, Gen. Supt. Goal for attendance 300. Preaching services 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Subject for the morning service "Facing The Facts." At the evening service "The Unaccountable Jesus." In the evening service attention will be given to several suggestions that have been made as to the origin of religion and particularly Christianity, and the Christ. The text will be "Like a root out of a dry ground."

PIGGLY WIGGLY

Lipton Tea Sale. TEA 1/4-lb. 21c - - - - 1 Glass FREE. 1/2-lb. 41c - - - - 2 Glasses FREE. 1 lb. 81c - - - - 4 Glasses FREE. BAKING POWDER B & C 2 lb can 18. 1 small can free only. HONEY 1-2 gallon .25 gallon .49. AXLE GREASE Big Bargain 3 lb Bucket .19. FLY SPRAY Regular 38c can only .19. BUY YOUR SUPPLY NOW AT 1/2 PRICE. BINDER TWINE Piggly Wiggly always makes the price. LARD Bought car Special Price Swift Jewel. PICNIC HAMS Cut one time lb .21. BACON Wilsons Sliced lb .28. FRYERS Milk Fed Special Price.

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MEMORIAL DAY

Let's pause and study the title of the day that we may not lose the significance of the occasion.

A day set aside from our labors and common problems to ponder the heroism of the brave who laid down their lives that we might carry on in undisturbed freedom and prestige of a great nation.

Honor to Their Memory

First of all then, on May 30, let us give ample time and thought to commemorating the purpose of the day. Such a unified national tribute to our fallen heroes is the least we may do in expressing our gratitude and reverence, praying that there may be no further need for such sacrifices.

Santa Anna National Bank

For Sheriff

Added to our announcement column this week will be found the name of P. F. Dyches, who is a candidate for sheriff of Coleman county, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries in July. Mr. Dyches came to Coleman County several years ago to serve as City Marshall in Santa Anna, going to Coleman as deputy sheriff under Frank Mills, when he was first elected sheriff. Mr. Dyches served under Mr. Mills until recently, when he decided to enter the race for sheriff. Prior to entering Coleman county, Mr. Dyches served ten years in the ranger service, his duties being mostly confined to the border in south and southwest Texas. He has been through some exciting events, some of them mingled with thrills almost beyond expression. Most of his life since maturity has been in the law enforcement service. Mr. Dyches states that, if elected, he will do his utmost to enforce the law without the fear or favor of any, and will try to give a service that will measure up to the standard of expectation of the average and reasonable thinking citizen. He is making a personal campaign, and will try to see as many of the voters between now and the primary as he can, and states he will most certainly appreciate your favorable consideration and your vote.

INTERMEDIATE B. T. U. TO GIVE PROGRAM

Sunday evening in B. T. U., the Intermediate Union will put on a short play in the General Assembly, which starts at 7:15. The pageant, "The Holy Bible" was postponed until a later date because the heavy rains Sunday made the attendance so small. The date for the monthly executive meeting will be announced Sunday night. At this meeting, the Senior Prep Union will serve refreshments and the Senior Union will have charge of the entertainment.