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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

Federal Pensions Go to 65 Per Cent of Nation's Aged

56,250 Texans to Share in Allotment of Funds July 1

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The social security board said today 635,000 persons in 32 states and the District of Columbia were receiving old age assistance from grants provided by the federal government to bolster state funds.

Officials estimated that this represented 65 per cent of the needy aged in the country.

In addition to these, plans have been submitted, but not yet approved, for New York, Florida and Hawaii.

Counted among those whose plans have been approved is also Texas, which will not receive any funds until July 1.

The federal allotment now amounts to \$16,788,854, and the total amount spent in the states approved—federal funds plus state funds—during the three-month period is \$32,122,678.

Under the plan now in operation, the federal government pays the state a sum equal to half of any amount up to \$30 a month which the state pays to a needy person 65 or over who is not cared for by a public institution. In addition, it pays the state an amount equal to five percent of its assistance grant which may be used either for old age assistance or administrative expenses.

Texas will have 56,250 to receive \$20 a month.

HOUSE AND CONTENTS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Due to a faulty flue, the home and contents of Roy Bible on the Lee Fiveash farm near Whon were destroyed by fire about eleven o'clock Monday morning. Very little was saved and the building burned to the ground. No insurance was carried.

EXHIBIT ARRANGED AT DUNN'S MUSEUM

Corpus Christi, Texas, June 23.—Among the places of interest to Centennial year visitors in Texas is Dunn's museum near this Gulf-front city. The museum houses what is said to be the largest privately owned historical collection in the United States.

J. B. Dunn, picturesque South Texas, is an ex-ranger who served with Wallace's and Chamberlain's companies. He is the oldest native-born pioneer of Corpus Christi.

Dunn has worked more than 50 years on the collection of his historical objects, specializing in fire arms. His Indian collection is particularly extensive.

Those who left Wednesday to attend the Presbyterian Encampment at Buffalo Gap are Misses Gail Collier, Nell Bell, Louise Oakes, and Elizabeth Rollins. They will study courses in organizing a Christian Endeavor and leadership courses. Mrs. Sam Collier and Miss Charlotte Oakes took the girls and plan to go after them next Thursday.

American Legion Enjoys Barbecue

Last Friday, June 20th, John Guthrie and Dutch Melton had prepared a swell barbecue luncheon for their buddies, other members of the McLaughlin Post, American Legion, and a few invited guests, and conducted a prolonged party and celebration out on the banks of Home Creek, in the Barton pasture.

The delicious barbecue was cooked by Tom Wheeler, the colored cook, in his pit on the Rockwood highway in the west part of town. Tom pritted his stuff in doing a good job of cooking, and the boys who selected and prepared the meat must have had a peculiar observing eye for such work, for we never tasted better barbecue, or found it in more abundance for the size of the crowd.

The party really began at noon and lasted over the evening and into the night. It was a celebration given in honor of the victory of the long fought bonus fight; the ex-service men received their bonus last week.

It was more than amusing to be with the fine crowd of men who served their country at the risk of their lives, won the cause they fought for, and now have won another victory by winning their fight for adjusted compensation.

The weather was ideal, a little warm, the eats and trimmings were fine, the crowd was congenial and the occasion was greatly enjoyed. In the language of Rip Van Winkle, "May You All Live Long and Prosper."

Texas Sizzles in Summer Heat

Summer, according to adage, tradition, saying or something, set in proper style Sunday, June 21. If, 45 days later, when it is mid-summer, the mercury rises in proportion to the way it has risen the past 45 days, or the last half of spring, there will be no use to print a ballot for the official election the second Tuesday in November; we will all be cooked and done for.

In this district the thermometer was above 106, and Monday rose to 110. That is said to be the hottest weather known in these parts in eighteen years, and insofar as this writer is concerned, it need not ever do it again.

CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR TO SPEAK HERE

Pierce Brooks, Dallas candidate for Governor of Texas, will address the voters of Santa Anna on July 1st, at 10:00 a. m. from the platform on top of his sound equipped automobile, according to announcement received here today.

He will speak on his proposals for Tax free auto license plates for all passenger cars in Texas, immediate payment of pensions to all over 65 years of age and advocating pensions to all over 60 as soon as proper laws can be enacted and better business methods in State administration at Austin, and other issues.

Merchants To Observe July 6 For Holiday

At a meeting of the Merchants' Trades Day Association Wednesday afternoon, the body voted almost unanimously to close their places of business Monday, July 6th, and observe it as a holiday, instead of Saturday, July 4th.

Monday is not a holiday, but it is perfectly legal in business if the business men of the town want to take a holiday and agree to do so. Further notice will appear next week, and this is published to give our readers notice that the business houses in Santa Anna will remain open for business Saturday, July 4th, and be closed Monday, July 6th.

FARMERS' SHORT COURSE TO BE HELD JULY 20-24

H. R. Tolley, New Administrator of AAA Will Speak at Centennial Year Short Course

COLLEGE STATION, June 25.—H. R. Tolley, newly appointed administrator of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, will speak Friday, July 24, on "Phases of the Agricultural Conservation Program" at the Centennial Year Farmers' Short Course to be held at A. and M. College July 20 through July 24.

Tolley, who was formerly assistant to the administrator, Chester C. Davis, and also director of the Program Planning Division, directed much of the development of the regional and land-use plans which are now being utilized in working out the Agricultural Conservation program. He was born on a farm in Howard county, Indiana, and taught country schools for several years following his graduation from Indiana University.

Also at the Farmers' Short Course again this year will be the three day meeting of the Texas Institute for Cooperatives, starting Monday and running through Wednesday. The program is based around topics relating to effective organization and management.

Some of the outstanding men to appear on this program are E. E. School, director of Extension from Oklahoma; A. and M. College; Sterling Evans, president of the Houston Bank for Cooperatives; C. F. Huff, president of the Farmers' National Grain Corporation, Chicago; Harold Hedges and V. N. Valgren, both from the Farm Credit Administration, U. S. D. A.; Washington, D. C.; and Maurice R. Cooper, agricultural economist from the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. D. A.

CHARLIE DAVID STOVALL

Charlie David Stovall died late Saturday night in Zephyr and funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at four o'clock in the Zephyr Cemetery with Rev. J. T. Sparkman in charge. Interment was made there with White and London in charge.

Mr. Stovall was born in Lincoln county Tennessee February 2, 1886, and when a small child he came to Texas with his parents and lived here the remainder of his life.

He was married to Miss Mollie Ticer October 16, 1907. To this union were born 11 children listed as follows: Mrs. Dorace Maynor, Melvin Stovall, of Zephyr; Leonard Stovall of Tucuman, New Mexico; C. D. Stovall, Jr., Jimmie Stovall, Misses Lilian and Julia Stovall, Gergess Stovall, Misses Merl, Flora Mae and Montie Delle Stovall, all of Zephyr. His aged mother, Mrs. Georg Etta Henson of Sherman, Texas, and the following brothers and sisters survive: Mrs. Maude McLane, Sherman; Mrs. Orla Cathey, Sherman; Mr. Jessie Stovall, Dallas; Mrs. Ruby Simmons, Santa Anna; and Mrs. Gertie Kirksey of Brownwood. A number of other relatives including three grandchildren, and a host of friends also survive.

Fallbearers included Ell Horner, Levi Horner, Cooper Gunter, Truman Gunter, Ernest Baker, Sam Wilson and Willford Cornelius. (Brownwood Bulletin)

Rev. George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Campbell, Mrs. Sam Brown, Mrs. R. D. Kirkpatrick and Miss Dona Kirkpatrick attended the General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church at San Antonio last weekend.

Trades Day Still Growing in Interest

Wednesday was a good business day for Santa Anna. People came from far and near to purchase their merchandise and take part in the regular Trades Day activities.

It is now time for us to begin talking up our community fair to be held here in October. Our first effort to hold a community fair went over big, and we should surpass our 1935 fair and exhibit considerably with our 1936 program.

Don't forget the main purposes of these community fairs are educational, but the social and visiting among neighbors and friends has a value. Let's talk up our fair and put over a bigger and better one this year.

May-Martin

Sunday, June twenty-first, at nine o'clock in the morning, Miss Lavada May and Mr. Ernest Edward Martin were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. May of this city. Rev. R. Elmer Dunkham, pastor of the First Baptist Church, performed the ceremony which was witnessed by only the bride's immediate family. The bride was dressed in white, sheer with white accessories. She wore a shoulder corsage of rosebuds and lilies.

Mrs. Martin is a graduate of the Santa Anna High School class of 1933. She is well known to all of us, and her personality, has won her many friends. She had, previous to the union, been employed by the Santa Anna Telephone Company.

Mr. Martin is an employee of the Buchanan Construction Co. and has been in our midst for the past two months working with the Santa Anna State Park. The happy couple plan to spend the week here, after which they will make their home at Temple.

BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL IN BIG DRIVE FOR ATTENDANCE

The officers and teachers in the Baptist Sunday School are in a big drive this week for a large attendance in the Sunday School next Sunday morning. They have set 400 for their goal, and will follow up their labors of several weeks with a big drive over Friday and Saturday.

According to a report prepared by J. Frank Turner and furnished the several Sunday Schools meeting in the city last Sunday, only 25 per cent of the resident population of the city were in Sunday School. That would be counting just for the city alone, and if those from out of town were counted out, we doubt if 15 per cent of the population of the city were in Sunday School.

Sunday School and church attendance, for some reason, has reached a very low ebb. Something must be done on the part of the leadership to break the spirit of indifference and attract the masses back to Sunday School and church before a revival spirit will ever be revived. It is out of our vocabulary to tell how it is to be done, but we know it will have to be done in the Sunday School and church work if attendance ever regains its place of high standing in the community, and when we say community, we mean every community of which we have any knowledge.

Here's hoping the Baptist folk accomplish their goal next Sunday, and then succeed in making the occasion so interesting that each one attending will return the following Sunday and bring some one with him. That may sound big, but it is not at all impossible.

Samuel Hart, veteran of the Spanish-American War and the World War, and an ex-government official, who has made his home in Santa Anna for the past few weeks, left Thursday morning, seeking a cooler climate. He stated that he was on his way to San Diego, the coolest and best place whatsoever in which to live, and he should know—he's been in plenty of places.

Mr. John H. Allen, Jr., Supervisor of the Commodity Distribution, District 14, and Mr. A. F. Moffett, Assistant Supervisor, of Brownwood, were Santa Anna visitors Wednesday.

Better Attendance and Interest Sought for Sunday Schools

Four of the Sunday Schools in town have begun a publicity campaign for the double purpose of general information and stimulating a friendly rivalry among the Church and Sunday School people of the town and surrounding country in order to secure a better attendance and interest in the various Churches and Sunday Schools.

In the record for last Sunday given below you will note that the percentage of attendance in Sunday School is based on the membership of the church to which the Sunday School belongs, thus giving the smallest an equal opportunity with the largest.

Baptist Church Membership, 420. No. in Sunday School last Sunday, 243. Percentage 57 plus. Christian Church Membership, 112. No. in Sunday School last Sunday, 76. Percentage, 67 plus.

Methodist Church Membership, 215. No. in Sunday School last Sunday, 86. Percentage, 40. Presbyterian U. S. A. Church Membership, 60. No. in Sunday School last Sunday, 47. Percentage, 78 plus.

You will note that the Presbyterians won first place and the Methodists barely succeeded in gaining last.

Who will have first place next Sunday and who will be first to make 100 percent or better?

All churches are invited to participate in this campaign.

TEXAS BENEFITS \$30,000,000 YEARLY FROM ONE BUSINESS ORGANIZATION

Livestock, cottonseed, milk, cream, butter, eggs, poultry, supplies of many kinds, and Texas manpower are important enough in the world trade to call for the expenditure of \$30,000,000 a year in Texas by one firm. This became known today when John H. Hall, manager of the Swift & Company packing plant at Fort Worth, revealed the extent of his company's growth in this state.

As an important marketing agent for livestock, dairy and cotton farmers, the company has established over the last 35 years a series of Texas units. These include plants for meat packing, for assembling and processing poultry, butter, eggs and cheese, refining cotton seed oil, manufacturing ice cream, and for selling and distributing the full line of perishable food products locally and nationally.

There is also one fertilizer plant. Texas received 37.5 percent of the company's total expenditures in all southern states, which amounted last year to \$80,000,000. Among important miscellaneous supplies bought in Texas were coopeage, boxes, salt, fertilizer materials, sulphur, turpentine and machinery for a wide variety of manufacturing processes.

Educational activities of the Swift organization, which have been extensive, particularly in the poultry and dairy sections of the state, are not covered by this cost survey. Research and field men have been working with farmers to improve the quality of cream, turkeys, chickens and eggs for the southern and eastern market.

Such distinctly southern food products as shortening, margarine and salad dressing, made partly from cotton seed oil, are prepared by the company in Texas and distributed in virtually every state in the union. Livestock and produce go largely to markets of the southwest, south and northeast.

A map showing company activities in Texas is a feature of the Swift Exhibit in the Varied Industries Building at the Texas Centennial Exposition at Dallas.

Thanks to Jack Shields for a couple of fine catfish presented to the office force Thursday morning. Mr. Shields is among the leading fishermen in Santa Anna and nearly always brings the evidence in with him.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Womack and son, Ernest Lee, left Wednesday to spend a month in Rochester, Minnesota.

Dr. Burgess Sealy of Galveston came Friday to spend a short time with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Sealy, before he left Thursday for Philadelphia, Pennsylvania where he will be in special training in a hospital.

Many To Travel Through Texas

Dallas, Texas, June 23.—Arrival of the vacation season, with the end of the school year, sees the beginning of one of the greatest travel movements ever known in Texas. Travel experts predict that the tourist business in Texas this year will be the greatest on record.

Centennial year celebrations in all parts of the state and opening of the \$25,000,000 exposition at Dallas will stimulate the travel of Texans and the movement of visitors from all parts of the nation to the Lone Star State. Unprecedented interest in Texas has been shown in inquiries received here at the state department of information and at various travel agencies.

Democratic National Convention in Session

The Democratic National Convention is in session this week in Philadelphia. Roosevelt and Garner will be renominated for President and Vice President, respectively, with but little opposition.

The party platform has been giving a little difference of opinion, and the old two-third majority rule has taken up some time in discussion.

We thought perhaps we would be able to make the announcement of the convention proceedings in this issue of the paper, but up to Thursday morning preliminaries are not over and the convention is not yet down to business.

FOUR SCHOOLS TO BEGIN NEW COURSES SOON

More vigorous efforts than ever are going to be made next school term to teach more practical things to the students in the rural schools. County Superintendent J. L. Beard stated today.

Rather than stressing academic work the rural school trustees instead will be more favorable to teaching the youngsters things they will need when they get out of school.

While many of the rural high schools over the county already are teaching vocational agriculture and home economics, there will be four more to begin that work next term. And with the work beginning in these four schools there will be just a few remaining that do not have it in their curricula. At Talpa, Grady L. Richardson, graduate of John Tarleton College at Stephenville and a graduate of Texas A & M College will be in charge of vocational agriculture, while James H. Greenway, graduate of the same two schools, will be in charge of similar work at Novice, Grady Godwin, also a graduate of the same two schools, will have charge of the same kind of work at Buffalo, and A. I. Edwards will teach vocational agriculture at Burkett.

All four of these schools also will have courses in home economics.

Not only are the county school officials highly in favor of the program of teaching vocational agriculture and home economics, but state school officials have strongly approved such a program for rural high schools.

Although a misfortune occurred in the camp of those from Santa Anna attending the Menard Baptist Encampment this week, Mrs. Louis Newman and Misses Armenta Ragsdale, Ora Alice Newman, Ruth and Rosalie Niell, Mary Lee Combs, Carmilla Flores, and Aurella Tweedale are still in camp at this writing, and from all reports are having a great time. J. R. Lock returned the first part of the week, then Joyce took the mumps Tuesday morning, so to keep from endangering the whole camp, Mrs. Lock returned home with Joyce and Beth. Rev. R. E. Dunham and Louis Newman also returned home the first of the week to work on the Baptist enlistment campaign for next Sunday.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Kenneth Knowles of Annapolis, Maryland came Friday to visit in the home of Mrs. Knowles' parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Sealy. Lieutenant Knowles left Wednesday for California ship base in San Diego, where he will be in service for several weeks in honor of special training in a hospital.

231,149 Admissions To Centennial Paid During First Week

DALLAS, Texas, June 24.—Paid admissions during the first week of the Texas Centennial Exposition exceeded the total for the first week at Chicago's 1933 Century of Progress Exposition by 58,790, official comparative figures revealed here today. Paid admissions during the first week of the 1934 Century of Progress Exposition exceeded the first week's total for the Texas Centennial Exposition by 4,755.

The paid admissions for the first Centennial Exposition week totaled 231,149, while the 1933 Chicago exposition total was 172,359, according to official figures for both fairs. The paid admissions for the 1934 Chicago exposition totaled 235,904.

These figures for the Texas and Chicago expositions do not include admissions by passes of employes, press representatives and others.

Texas Centennial officials were elated over the comparative figures when announced by W. A. Webb, general manager. If the average attendance for the first week is maintained, the total attendance for the exposition will exceed the 10,000,000 visitors expected by executives before the close of the Texas World's Fair November 29.

Total attendance at the 1933 Chicago exposition was 27,703,432. For the 1934 Chicago exposition the total was 21,086,095.

FATHERS' DAY TO BE OBSERVED SUNDAY AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

A program honoring Fathers will be given at the First Christian Church Sunday, June 28, and it is hoped that every boy will come and bring his father, and those who have no father will bring some man who has no son.

All are welcome.

J. H. GREEN INJURED IN FALL

While his condition is not considered to be serious and it is thought no bones were broken, relatives and friends of J. H. Green, almost 90, of West Pecan Street, Coleman, have been worried about his condition.

Mr. Green was painfully injured at about 7:30 o'clock at his home last Thursday morning when he fell. He attempted to get up and in doing so one of his legs gave away, causing him to fall to the bedroom floor.

A pioneer of this section, Mr. Green will be 90 years old on July 3rd.

NOTICE

You are reminded that shooting fireworks in the business district is a violation of the law and you are requested to cooperate with us in preventing this dangerous practice. This ordinance must be strictly enforced and parents may save some trouble by seeing that their children do not violate it.

E. D. McDONALD, Mayor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Riley returned home Sunday after an extended visit in Mexico City.

QUEEN THEATRE

Sat., June 27

GENE AUTRY in
"Guns & Guitars"

Sat. Prev., Sun. & Mon.
June 27-28-29

JACK OAKIE in
"Florida Special"
With SALLY EILERS

Tue., June 30

MARGARET SULLAVAN in
"Moon's Our Home"
With HENRY FONDA

Wed., July 1

BING CROSBY in
"Anything Goes"
With ETHEL MERMAN

Thurs. & Fri., July 2-3

ROBERT MONTGOMERY in
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5. The merchant who uses the home paper is modern. He has caught the modern idea of doing business; he sees that 3 sales at 10 per cent makes him more money than one sale at 20 per cent. He is more apt to save you money, because he has adopted the policy of

Short Profits and Large Volume
Instead of
Long Profit and Small Volume

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Half-Truths Won't Win in Texas

Editorial from The Gainesville Daily Register, Joe Leonard, Editor, June 9, 1936.

It is unlikely that Texas would have been faced with a campaign in the Governor's race this year except for the so-called issue of Old Age Pensions. But this tempting apple was too much for the politically ambitious. Ostensibly it offered everything in the way of appeal that the astute politician could pray for—provided, of course, that he could fool the unwary and befuddle the wise.

The oil man from East Texas is attempting to force or beguile Texans to believe that the Constitutional Amendment voted last summer makes it mandatory for a pension to be paid everyone over the age of 65. He stops far short of the whole truth.

The Amendment is permissive only. The Legislature is given the AUTHORITY to set up such restrictions and requirements as it may deem expedient and necessary. The Amendment, by no stretch of the imagination, contemplated this broadcast payment which would cost around sixty millions of dollars each year. If it had made such provisions Texas could have kissed Federal funds goodbye. The Social Security Board, in no uncertain terms, has told Texas and every other State that no Federal money would be forthcoming on such a basis. It is not better to provide an average of \$20 per month for the needy than \$15 a month for everybody and let Texas pay the whole cost?

This sort of campaigning may catch a few gullible, but thinking people will question the good-faith of him who seeks honor by such methods.

Another candidate—also a big oil man—favours "payment of the old age pensions without discrimination to all who are not barred by Constitutional restrictions or precluded by the Federal Social Security Act." That is exactly what we have now. Texas has the most liberal

eral old-age pension act in the union.

Texas has a middle-of-the-road Governor who isn't excited by the hue and cry of a deluded minority. The job is being done in a way which will not require that it be done over again. Oklahoma has had its old age assistance act thrown in the ash can because of haste. Texas is one of few states that has not had to amend its act in order to comply with the requirements of the Social Security Board.

We cannot believe that Texas people have reached the point where they will fall for half-truths and misleading statements of fact. Texas' best assurance of future performance in this and any other connection is past accomplishments. The Governor of Texas has shown during his first term in office that he may be depended upon. His achievements are much more substantial than idle promises.

Jim Allred for a second term is the best insurance the old people can have for action in the matter of their pensions.

Be Careful July 4 To Avoid Tragedy

Austin, June 25.—On July 4, 1936, Texans will celebrate along with the State's Centennial year, the one hundred and sixtieth anniversary of National Independence.

Thousands of visitors will be in Texas on this National Holiday, and it is up to loyal Texans to do everything possible to see that this day brings pleasure and not tragedy to our visitors and ourselves, says a warning from the State Department of Health.

"While there certainly is no desire to minimize the joys of this nation-wide holiday," said Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer, "it is only common sense to respect hazards to life and limb, and to govern one's actions accordingly.

"Not so many years ago the newspapers on each July 5 would publish columns detailing the tragedies that were in various parts of the state. This was associated with the handling of dangerous fireworks by careless persons. For a number of years now, however, the press has been placing particular emphasis on the need for a 'Safe and Sure Fourth of July,' with the result that accidents of this kind have decreased.

"All injuries, however slight, may carry the lock-jaw tetanus menace with them. Every wound should be cleaned thoroughly and all foreign matter removed. A physician should be consulted immediately, and tetanus antitoxin administered if necessary.

"Unfortunately, while the hazard of handling fireworks has consistently diminished, that of the automobile has just as consistently been increasing. Every one will agree that to be careless in the operation of a motor vehicle on this day when the roads carry pack loads, is to invite possible injury and even death.

Your future happiness and health and that of your family may depend on your recognizing and carrying out the ordinary rules of precaution. Obey these rules and live to enjoy many other fourths of July."

MEN AND MACHINES

A common phrase these days is "technological unemployment." It usually is used by those who oppose modernization because of the mistaken belief that machines take work away from men. They seem to think that the installation of a machine which lets one man do the work of five means that the other four men join the bread-line.

The trouble with such a belief is that it is based upon thoughts that go only half way. Actually, the machine, instead of throwing men out of work, has increased employment. That is proved by facts.

During the three decades ended in 1929, the United States went through the most rapid development in its history in the application and invention of machines. And what was the result? The number of persons employed rose 88 per cent while the population increased only 22 per cent; mechanization increased 331 per cent and production rose 216 per cent.

The linotype machine was one that let a single man do the work of about five. It was introduced in the early 1890's. Yet in 1899 there were only 50,000 employed in the printing and publishing business, against 150,000 in 1929. That 150,000 does not include the thousands who got new jobs as supply paper, ink, and machines needed by the stimulated printing business.

The real result of this marvelous invention has not only

increased employment but better education. Costs dropped so that now everybody can afford to buy printed matter. And illiteracy dropped from 10.7 per cent of the population in 1900 to 4.3 per cent in 1930.

Nearly the same things are true of other inventions. There have been periods of adjustment when employment in a single industry was temporarily reduced. But, in short, the machine instead of gobbling up jobs, on the whole, has raised our standard of living until it now is the highest in the world, and has provided millions of new jobs.

CLARKSVILLE ROTARIANS HOLD MOCK GRADUATION

Recently, the Clarksville, Texas, Rotary Club, met to have as their honor guests the members of the Clarksville high school graduating class. A mock graduation service was given and District Clerk E. W. Bowers delivered the following address:

I deeply appreciate the honor and privilege to have been elected by your splendid class to deliver the graduating exercises. I am going to tell you of some of the privileges you have that your forefathers did not enjoy. Also some difficulties and dangers which they did not incur and the opportunities open to you in the big world you are now about to enter.

Some of the problems which now seem to you to be awfully simple you will find out to be awfully awful.

You are told that the world is getting worse in many ways. Do not let them fool you for a minute. Those who complain about the morals of the present generation are just mad because they were born thirty years too soon.

You are now ready for college. It will be easy enough to get an A. M. or a B. S. or even a Ph. D., but you will find it awfully hard to get a J. O. B.

Think of your privileges.

George Washington drank undated coffee. John Quincy Adams had "pink tooth brush" all his life and never even knew that he had it. Thomas Jefferson smoked tobacco full of "harsh irritants."

Andrew Jackson had halitosis. His enemies told him about it. That is the reason that he fought five duels.

Abraham Lincoln walked seven miles to school through the snow, while many of you missed school because the family car

would not crank. Grover Cleveland did not dare to light a cigar in mixed company without asking the ladies present if they objected to the smoke.

Many dangers and hardships will confront you. You are in far more danger of being killed by an automobile than Stephen F. Austin was of being killed by Indians.

You will have a harder time meeting your utility bills than Daniel Boone had in keeping his pantry full of venison and bear steaks and his wardrobe supplied with coonskin, panther skin pants and birch bark underwear.

He got a greater thrill out of finding a bee tree than you do out of a new radio.

All Daniel Boone had to do when his credit ran out was to put out the fire and call his dog and move on. Now your grocery man is likely to put you on a diet any time.

Your ancestor was never in such danger of losing his scalp to hostile Indians as you are of losing your car to the General Motors Acceptance Corporation. You are telling me which is the most painful.

More of you will be hit by stray golf balls than your ancestors were by tomahawks and arrows.

You are ambitious and will endeavor to achieve success and will court wealth and fame. You have before you the examples of those who have succeeded.

The four most successful persons in America are Mae West, Cab Calloway, Joe Louis and Shirley Temple.

Secretary Perkins will be forgotten before the last Mae West joke cools off.

Dr. Mayo will be living on an old age pension while Shirley Temple is still making a million per year.

Joe Louis can make more money in 30 minutes than Franklin Roosevelt can in eight years and more than John Gardner will in his whole life. More than Jimmie Allred would make if he could be Governor of Texas for 100 years.

As for fame,

Little Audrey is better known than Florence Nightingale. Mickey Mouse is better known than Nicholas Murray Butler and more respected, too.

More people listen to Walter Winchell than they do to Senator Borah.

You all know that Dutch Meyer is football coach at T. C. U. and Matty Bell is coach at S. M. U. If any of you can name the President or a single professor at either school, see me after the exercises and claim your reward.

You all cannot have the muscles of Joe Louis, the brains of Shirley Temple or the dancing feet of Fred Astaire or a fan like Sally Rand or a dad like the quintuplets, but you have their example before you and you can do the best you can with the material which nature has given you.

In closing I will quote you a little poem written by the worst poet in North America. It is called "America's Reward."

How does our land reward its great

For service rendered to the state?
Financial gain and fame it grants

To Mickey Mouse and Chaplin's pants.
The farmers' toil and workmen's sweat,

With little of reward is met.
For statesmanship patriots' fire it will not pay like Garbo's hire.

It gives high wages to the stuffed shirts,
But will not pay for its soldiers' hurts,

For food and clothes it has small money,
While millions are spent on Dempsey and Tunney.

Miss Vanita Yates of Brownwood visited Miss Frances Jones Tuesday.

Mrs. Freddie Underwood of Rockwood spent Monday night with Miss Frances Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Tierney and Miss Mickle Parker spent the weekend in the Howard Welch home in Fort Worth.

The local Lions Club met with disappointment this week in not getting to attend the state convention in Brownwood. Just what the trouble was has not been generally explained, but it occurs to us that Brownwood fell down on the job.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chambers of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mrs. M. E. Chambers and Miss Louella.

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

Mrs. W. L. Constable and daughter, Mary, and a granddaughter, Wynna Crippens, spent Saturday night with Mr. E. L. Constable and family.

A Dutchman's Letter

Hearne, Texas, Oct. 5, 1915.

Dear Alec:

As I haf nodding to do, and wish to pen and bottle of ink in mine handt and typewrite you a ladders bleas ocuase dis lead pencil.

We are all vell at present except my brudder, he was kicked in the suburbs last night by a mule—de mule is not expected to liff.

Your rich aunty who died 'rom palpitation of the heart ven you vas here is still deadt and doing nicely. Hope dis vill find you de same. After she diet day fount fifteen thousand dollars sewed up in a old bussel that she left behindt, so you are therefore no longer a poor man but a rich Dutchman.

Business has been dull since you leftt—especially the saloon business. Your wife was took to idsanity asylum yesterday—she crazy to see you.

I saw your liddle poy dis morning for de first time. I tink he looks yust like you but he is all right otherwise, so I would not worry about dat if I was you.

I am sending you by Adams express your overcoat, and as day charge so much a poundt to send it, I cut off de buttons. Hoping this will prove satisfaction. You will find de buttons in the inside pocket.

I almost forgot to tell you I got married last week. I got a purty good wife. She is from Milo, but I think I could have got a better one at Waturville as dey have a much larger stock to select from.

As dis is all I got to say, I vill close my face and expect you to do de same. Hoping dis vill reach you before you get it, and dat you vill answer before dat. I remain your confectinary second to the last kousin.

Bob P. S.: In case you do not get dis letter, write me and let me know and I vill send it to you at vunce.

—Seleected.

Miss Colita James of Tricketham is visiting this week with her sister, Mrs. Lanham Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Blue and children spent Sunday in Abilene and Winters. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Huss and family in Winters.

J. W. Gates of McAllen visited in the A. L. Oder home this week.

Buy it in Santa Anna.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF COLEMAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable Court of Callahan County by the District Clerk thereof for the sum of One Thousand nine hundred and ninety eight dollars (\$1,998.00) with interest thereon from date of Judgment at the rate of ten percent per annum and the sum of one hundred ninety nine and no 100 dollars (\$199.00) with interest thereon from date of Judgment, until paid at the rate of six percent per annum, the last name sum being attorneys fees and costs of suit under a judgment in favor of S. W. Hughes in a certain cause in said Court No. 7964 and styled S. W. Hughes vs P. P. Bond and placed in my hands for service, I, Frank Mills, as Sheriff of Coleman County, Texas, described to-wit:

All of Block No. nine (9) Sealy Addition to the City of Santa Anna, in Coleman County, Texas, and,

160.77 acres of land, being block No. 7 out of the W. R. York Survey No. 69 Abstract No. 738 as conveyed to P. P. Bond by W. C. Black and wife by deed recorded in Volume 146, page 57 of the Deed Records of which deed and its record reference is hereby made for a more specific description of said land,

and levied upon as the property of P. P. Bond

and that on the first Tuesday in July, 1936, the same being the 7th day of said month at the Courthouse door of Coleman County, City of Coleman, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale

I will sell the above described real estate for cash to the highest bidder as the Property of said P. P. Bond

And in compliance of the law, I give notice by publication in the English Language once a week for four consecutive weeks immediately preceding the date of sale in the Santa Anna News, a Newspaper published in Coleman County, Texas.

Witness my hand this 4th day of June, 1936.

Frank Mills, Sheriff,
Coleman County, Texas.

By Geo. Robey, Deputy.

Meat Poster Wins First in Texas in National Contest



Here is Miss Louise Chastain of Brownwood, who has just been announced as state champion for Texas in a national Meat Poster contest for high school students, sponsored by the National Live Stock and Meat Board. Miss Chastain won this high honor in a field of contestants from 520 high schools of 44 states.

In addition to her poster Miss Chastain submitted an essay on the subject, "Why We Need Meat." In this essay she says in part: "As a high school girl I consider meat one of the most essential of foods, not because of its flavor alone, but because of its food value. It is a most important protein food and protein is necessary to build body tissue and repair old tissues which are broken down by the constant wear and tear of everyday activity. Meat is also needed for its energy value. Meats contain the minerals, iron and phosphorus, which our bodies must have. Liver is especially valuable source of iron for replenishing red blood corpuscles."

"Cowboy" Kal Segrist of Dalhart, candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture, was a Santa Anna visitor last Thursday.

A hick town is one in which the people know that a report was a blowout and not a pistol shot.

The old skinflint who drops a nickel in the collection box and expects a dollar's worth of blessings is doomed to disappointment.

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:
E. L. McCaugh
E. J. Miller (Re-election)

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

For County Clerk:
L. Emel Walker (Re-election)
E. E. (Everett) Evans
Lee Roy Golson
Carroll Kingsbery
Al Hintner

For County Attorney:
John T. Williamson
W. B. (Billy) Baker

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

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

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

For Commissioner, Pro. 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

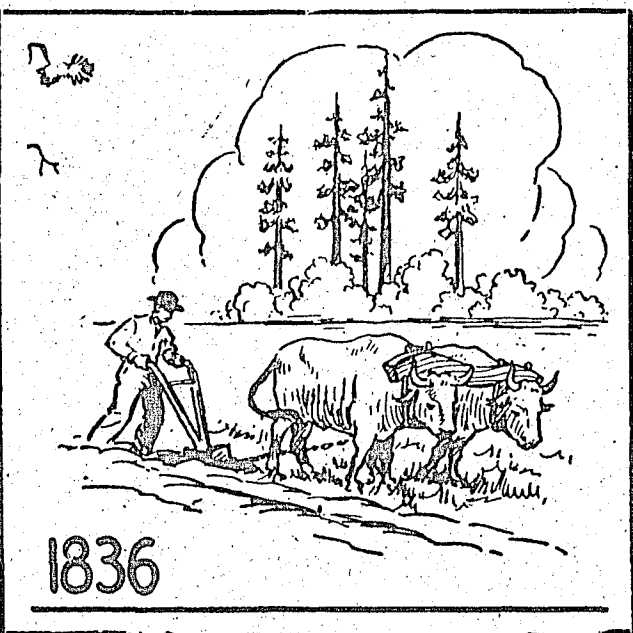
For Constable:
Elvin Whitfield
W. A. (Bill) Shields
E. A. Harris
Ira H. Nichols
H. Mathews

For Representative, 12th Dist.
Ross K. Prescott
A. R. Watson
Zeno C. Ingram

ATTEND Sturges - Gibbs CENTENNIAL SALE

Let's Go!

Come to Sturges-Gibbs for your clothing to wear to the Centennial. We hope to save the people of this community enough on their clothing to set aside extra money to pay their expenses to the Centennial. So make it a point to attend this Sale.



Let's Go!

THIS SALE OPENS FRIDAY, JUNE 26.

Only a few prices quoted here.

Store closed Thursday marking new merchandise and re-arranging stock.

We have a big surprise for you Do not miss being here opening day

OPENING SPECIAL!

SHEER & WASH DRESSES

Our Centennial Special—

79c

Shown in a wide range of sheer batiste, pastel shades, organdy trimmed collars and cuffs to match. They are vat dyed, fast colors.

OPENING SPECIAL!

15c RAYON 15c pr. PANTIES pr.

KNOCKOUT

ALL EARLY SPRING FROCKS ½ Price

FREE: With \$25.00 purchase merchandise from now until August 1—A 14-piece Refreshment Set

PRICES ON ALL PIECE GOODS From 10 to 50 Percent
KORDE LACE, 52 in. wide
Fancy and pastel . . . 29c yd.

Opens Friday, 9 a. m.

FREE! FREE! One 14-piece Refreshment Set with \$25.00 Purchase from June 15 to August 1st. Coleman, Texas.

SOFTBALL SCHEDULE FOR WEEK OF JUNE 29 TO JULY 3

Monday, June 29: Baptist Young Men vs National Guard.
Tuesday, June 30: Firemen vs Business Men.
Wednesday, July 1: Baptist Young Men vs Methodist.
Thursday, July 2: Baptist Adults vs Business Men.
Friday, July 3: National Guard vs Santa Anna News.
 The Committee on softball is calling a meeting of all managers next Monday night at the City Hall for the discussion of some important matters. The first round of play will be finished Monday afternoon. We shall know by that time whether we shall have a lighted field. Managers are asked to have revised lists of players ready for the committee and to present any other problem that has arisen during this first round of play.
League Standing, June 24

TEAM	Played	W	L	Pct
Firemen	6	5	1	.833
Methodist	6	4	2	.667
Business Men	6	4	2	.667
National Guard	4	2	2	.500
Baptist Y. Men	4	1	3	.250
Santa Anna News	5	1	4	.200
Adults	5	1	4	.200

'Neath The Headlines

German battle with the Brown Bomber causes greatest upset in modern prize fighting—
 With great odds against him, Max Schmeling kayoed the negro, Joe Louis, after twelve rounds of fighting in the Yankee Stadium at New York Friday night. Schmeling, former heavy weight champ of the world, now has the right to vie for the championship again, in September, fighting Jimmie Braddock, present title holder. Schmeling lost the title to Max Baer two years ago, who in turn lost it to Braddock. Louis rapidly gained publicity and success—his recent battle with Baer lasted only a few seconds, Baer was out—out—out. Baer even swore off the ring—but it now appears that he wants to stage a comeback.
 Without a single title, without battling a current champ, Louis has earned a million dollars for 28 professional fights in less than two years—with an average of \$271 for each minute of actual fighting. Schmeling, after 17 years of fighting, now has slightly over a million. Schmeling is 30 years of age and Louis is 22.

The new Golden Gate bridge being constructed at San Francisco will rest on the world's largest supports—pillars half an average city block in size which rest on the bottom of the bay.

A woman's face may be like an open book, but it wouldn't be safe to tell her you can read between the lines.

While diving, every hill has a hidden danger lurking behind it. The fellow on the other side may be on your side of the road.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE: Black eyed or cow peas for your government stubble planting. Simpson Seed Co., Coleman, Texas. 2c

LOST: Somewhere in the vicinity of Santa Anna Monday, June 15, ten-foot gasoline base. Reward. J. F. Simmons & Son. 1p

WANTED: Some one to cut and bale 40 acres of oats and Johnson grass. Mrs. Van Dalsem.

FOR SALE: 4-room dwelling, close in, near high school. Bargain. Mrs. A. E. Brown. 4p

DON'T SCRATCH: Paracide Ointment is guaranteed to promptly relieve Eczema, Itch, Chigger infection, or any itching. Skin irritation or money back. Large Jar 50c at PHILLIPS DRUG STORE 8-22

CONSTIPATED 30 YEARS AIDED BY OLD REMEDY
 "For thirty years I had constipation. Sourcing food from stomach choked me. Since taking Adherika I am a new person. Constipation is a thing of the past!"—Alice Burns. Phillips Drug Co.

PACKED SORE

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NOTICE

We have in stock and highly recommend

EGGSTRACTOR

\$1.00 & \$2.00 Bottles

Ask Your Neighbor

Ed Jones Produce

SINUS-ITIS

Relieves instantly the terrible suffering caused by SINUS CONGESTION, stopped-up nose passages—money back if it takes more than 20 minutes! Two-way treatment: (1) Opens nostrils, lets you breathe; (2) Lays protective coating against infection. Free relief of SINUS TROUBLE, DRY COLDS, HEAD COLDS, HAY FEVER, ASTHMA, sneezing, sniffles—Big treatment \$1.50 and guaranteed by:

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Optometrist

Brownwood, Texas

MRS. BOYD RAINBOLT ENTERTAINS FOR VISITOR

Honoring her mother-in-law, Mrs. John Rainbolt of Melvin, Mrs. Boyd Rainbolt entertained the Christian Aid Society, and a few other friends Monday afternoon. A profusion of roses and zinnias were used in decoration. There were several interesting Bible games and contests.
 The hostess served lovely refreshments of salad, olives, wafers, potato chips and fruit punch. All who braved the intense heat to attend felt more than compensated for so doing.
 The honoree is lovingly remembered for her years of faithful work in the church, and thanks are due the hostess for the privilege of being with her on this happy occasion. It is pleasant to see the Ruth and Naomi relationship going strong even in 1936.
 Those present besides the hostess and honoree were Mesdames E. H. Wylie, B. A. Creamer, Urban Voss, C. F. Freeman, Gordon Wilson, J. W. Kirkpatrick, S. W. Childers, Ed Baxter, A. L. Oder, J. R. Gipson, W. A. Standley, J. M. Burrow, and Misses Josie and Kathryn Baxinger, and Cynthia Ann Rainbolt.

BRIDE-ELECT HONORED

Miss Arlie Smith of Abilene, bride-elect of Mr. Felix Puett of Robert Lee, and daughter of Bro. Sidney Smith, was honored at the home of Mrs. J. L. Williams Monday afternoon with a miscellaneous shower. The soft colors of pink and blue and beautiful flowers were used throughout the evening.
 Miss Smith had been informed she was enroute to Brownwood, but had decided to stop at Mrs. Williams for a short visit. Upon arriving she found a number of cars, so thinking some one was ill, she was very much surprised to find that she was the honoree for a shower.
 Various games and contests were played during the evening. The prizes for the contests were won by Mrs. Murrell Spence, and Eunice McGahey, who in turn presented them to the bride-elect.
 At the end of a string Miss Smith found her beautiful gifts, opened and admired them, and graciously spoke her words of appreciation.
 Refreshments consisting of delicious punch and cake were served to about twenty guests. Plate favors were miniature ships.
 After the marriage ceremony takes place June 26, Mr. and Mrs. Puett will be at home in Robert Lee, where Mr. Puett is connected with newspaper work.—Contributed.

W. M. S. SOCIAL

The M. E. Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. R. L. Todd Monday afternoon for a delightful hour.
 After an instructive and inspiring program from the "World Outlook," under the leadership of Mrs. Leman Brown delicious refreshments of ice cream and angel food cake were served by the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Hettie Faye, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Allen Todd.

MRS. DON EWING ENTERTAINS MISS JONES WITH KITCHEN SHOWER

Tuesday afternoon Miss Frances Jones, who is to be married Sunday, June 26, was entertained with a kitchen shower at the home of Mrs. Don Ewing, with Mrs. Ewing and Miss Josie McMinn as hostesses.
 As the guests entered they registered and wrote out a recipe for the bride-elect. The bride's book was blue, with a beautiful picture of a bride on the cover, and the leaflets were tied with pink and white ribbons. Miss Josie McMinn presided at the register.
 Games and contests appropriate for the occasion were played throughout the afternoon. Pink and white decorations were carried out, and a chair was especially decorated for the bride. After the entertaining afternoon, Miss Margaret Jones entered and presented the honoree with a large number of beautiful and useful gifts, for which Miss Jones graciously expressed her appreciation.
 Refreshment plates of grape punch and cake, with gaily colored favors were served to about fifteen guests.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U.

The program for Sunday evening, June 28, is "Add to Your Faith—Knowledge," which will be presented by Group II, with Dorothy Sumner in charge. The program will be as follows:
 Shall I Go To College?—Ada Lois Newman.
 Where Shall I Go?—Alice Jane Lovelady.
 Why Go to College?—Bartlett Lamb.
 How Shall I Go?—Theodo Osborn.
 Why Choose a Denominational College?—Mrs. J. F. Goen.
 What Shall I Do With My Education?—Dorothy Sumner.

Malaria Control Shown At Dallas

Austin, June 24.—A prominent position in the space of the Federal Building allotted to the United States Public Health Service at the Texas Centennial Exposition is occupied by a twin exhibit arranged by the Texas State Department of Health. The exhibit was made possible through materials furnished by the Public Health Service and is creating much comment and interest.
 Two tables, four by six feet each, depict a typical village before and after malaria control work produced desired improvements. The layout of the village before malaria control shows common malaria mosquito breeding places, including swampy areas, slow, sluggish streams with grassy banks, ox-bows or resacas, poor drainage along railroads and highways, unscreened houses, leaky water tanks and open rain barrels, and other trash and containers which might collect and hold water long enough for mosquito breeding.
 The second table represents the same village after extensive malaria control work has accomplished the correction of many hazards and complete elimination of others. Streams through the town have been cleaned and straightened, ripped or permanently lined. Swamps have been drained by underground drainage or surface ditches, and in one case a dam constructed to raise the water level and convert the swamp into a lake. Houses are screened properly and all containers which would invite mosquito breeding, such as tin cans, fire barrels and water tanks, have been corrected or removed.
 Improvement of the village after malaria control was instituted over its former condition is readily apparent, both from an engineering and an economic standpoint. With the elimination of mosquitoes and halting of the spread of malaria, better economic conditions among the population follow as a natural consequence.

The hulks of two Confederate ships, the Madison and the Alapaha, sunk in the civil war, still can be seen in the clear water of a lake near Branford, Fla.

Don't blame a man for talking to himself. Perhaps he wants to hear someone he can believe.

Watch Our Windows for GREATER VALUES

Save time, money and footsteps. Watch our windows for timely menu suggestions. Over 90 Red & White Food Products have been approved by the Bureau of Foods, Sanitation and Health of Good Housekeeping Magazine. Many of these superior food products are on sale this weekend. For quality and economy watch our windows.

FRUITS	Heavy Pack Apricots, Blackberries, Pears, Peaches, No. 10 Cans	44c
Pork & Beans	B & W, Packed in Rich Tomato Sauce, Tall Can	5c
Potted Meat	R & W, Pure, No Cereal Added, 1-4s, 4 for	17c
Crackers	A-1 Brand, Small Cut	16c
Tea	R & W, Fancy Orange Peko, Guaranteed, 1-4 lb.	19c
Marshmallows	R & W, They are fresh, 1-2 lb. pkg.	9c
Kool-Aid	Makes a Refreshing Drink, 2 for	9c
Tomato Juice	R & W, 12 1-2 oz can, 3 for	23c
Pineapple Juice	Dole, 12 1-2 oz. Can	9c
Grape Juice	R & W, Pint Bottle	14c
MACARONI, Yankee Doodle	3 pkgs.	13c
SYRUP, Singletons Pure Ribon Cane	No. 10 can	49c
COFFEE	Early Riser, Full Flavored, lb.	16c
COFFEE	Red & White, Vacuum Packed, 2 lb. tins	89c 58c
FLOUR		24 lb. sk \$1.67 48 lb. sk

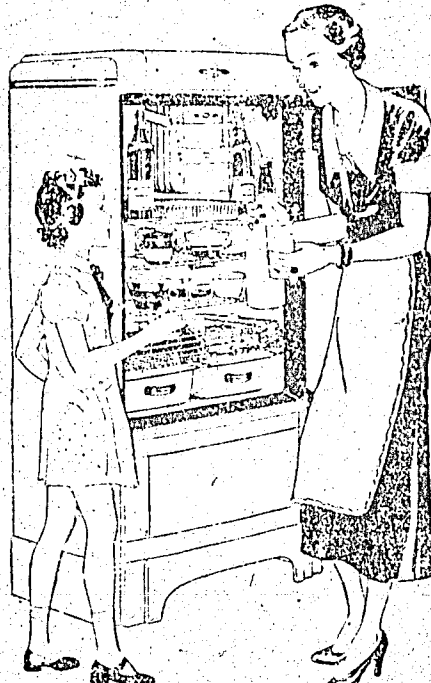
MARKET SPECIALS	FLAVOR-JEL	FRESH FRUITS And VEGETABLES
BACON, Sliced, Swift Clover, lb.	Six Real Fruit Flavors 3 for	LETTUCE, Firm, Crisp, Large, 2 for
26c	14c	9c
BACON, Sliced, Swift X, lb.		BANANAS, Golden Fruit, lb.
31c		5c
JOWLS, Salt Cured, lb.		LIMES, For Refreshing Drink, each
14c		1c
BOLOGNA, Large, lb.		ORANGES, Calif. Large, Juicy, doz.
12c		31c
ROAST, Fancy Chuck, lb.	SOAP CHIPS Blue & White 5 lb. box	
15c	35c	
STEAK, Fore-quarter, lb.		
17c		

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West Texas Utilities Company

Hospital Notes

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Johnson of Doole are the parents of a baby girl born June 16th. Mrs. C. M. Lovell of Rockwood who was a surgical patient in the Hospital last week was able to go home Saturday. Mr. J. A. Lutrick of Abernathy who has been a patient in the Hospital, has returned to his home. Mrs. Douglas McMinn of Gouldbusk, who has been a surgical patient in the Hospital, was able to go home Sunday. Mrs. Bill Mitchell of Santa Anna is a patient in the Hospital. Mrs. M. H. Curry of Colorado was a patient in the Hospital Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. M. T. Kelly of Bangs was a surgical patient in the Hospital Thursday and Friday. Mr. W. F. Miller of Fort Worth is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tatum of Shield are the parents of a little daughter born June 17th. Miss Lena Bell Briggs of Coleman was a patient in the Hospital last Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. A. K. Smalley of Santa Anna is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. J. F. Maxey of Rockwood, who has been a patient in the Hospital was able to go home Sunday. Dr. J. C. G. of Santa Anna is a patient in the Hospital. Mrs. Jess Conger of Sterling City is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mrs. L. W. Hendricks of Richland Springs is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. Roy Gober of Coleman was a patient in the Hospital Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Grady M. Wallace of Justiceburg is a patient in the Hospital. Mrs. J. S. Martin of Cross Plains was a surgical patient in the Hospital Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. M. E. Aldridge of Santa Anna is a surgical patient in the Hospital.

Miss Dorothy Pearson of Lawn is a surgical patient in the Hospital.

Mr. M. M. Stubblefield of Hobbs, N. M. is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. Wm. Montgomery of Gouldbusk was a surgical patient in the Hospital Saturday and Sunday. Mr. H. H. Holcomb of Abilene is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. G. F. Barlett of Abilene is a patient in the Hospital. Mrs. R. H. Ake of Brady is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mrs. G. J. Steele of Cross Plains is a patient in the Hospital. Misses Annie Runia and Ollie Moore of Leaday were surgical patients in the Hospital Monday and Tuesday. Miss Mildred Yancy of Coleman was a surgical patient in the Hospital Monday. Mr. O. J. King of Idarou is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Master Euel Stephens of Winters is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Neal Oakes of Santa Anna are the pleased parents of a baby boy, born June 23rd. Master Jack Wilson of San Antonio is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. J. H. Sansom of Goldsboro is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mr. Bill Slusser of Valera is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Mrs. J. H. Browder of Bangs is a surgical patient in the Hospital. Elliott Browder of Bangs is a surgical patient in the Hospital.

CARD OF THANKS To all those who so loyally through the long years of his illness helped by kind words and deeds to make our husband's and father's life more cheerful, and who, by your countless acts of sympathy and beautiful flowers sought to bring consolation to us in our grief, we express our deep and heartfelt gratitude. Mrs. Irvin Williamson and son, Bill Roy.

Eureka News

(G. A. Brinson) Bro. B. F. Bennett filled his regular appointment Sunday. Large crowds attended both services. There were several visitors from other communities. We invite them all back next Sunday. The revival meeting will begin Saturday night before the third Sunday in July. A singing school will begin the second Sunday in July. Everyone is invited to attend and it will be free for everyone. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bouchillon and Mrs. R. N. Bouchillon visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvey Modawell near Santa Anna Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lowe and daughter Nell visited Mr. Lowe's mother, Mrs. R. M. Lowe Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Fletcher visited in the R. W. Aschenbeck home Sunday. Mrs. C. E. Brinson and children, Mr. Jess Swan and daughter of Bangs called in the W. L. Swan home Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCary and daughters of Glen Cove, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bates and son visited in the W. M. McCary home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lem Sheppard and son of Coleman, and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Christy and children visited in the C. J. McKown home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Eeds and daughter of Line visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carr Friday. Helen Carr returned home with them for a few days visit. Those who called in the W. L. Swan home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Bivins and children of the Salem Community. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gay of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Aschenbeck, and Mr. G. Aschenbeck. Miss Evelyn Lowe returned to her home in Fort Worth Sunday after visiting her grandmother and aunt, Mrs. R. M. Lowe and Miss Mollie. Mrs. Fay Curry's mother, Mrs. Waldrop is visiting her this week. Mrs. Raymond Bouchillon and baby and Mrs. R. N. Bouchillon visited Mrs. Jim Ferguson Tuesday.

Trickham News

The girls 4-II Club met at Miss Violetta Goodglon's last Thursday afternoon at three o'clock. Twelve were present and Miss Agnes James and Miss Violetta Goodglon were elected as delegates to go to the Short Course this summer. The Sunday School had its regular hour Sunday morning from ten to eleven, but there was no church either morning or night as the pastor was called away. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. James and Mrs. Homer Goodglon is now ill with the mumps. Mrs. Chester James is reported ill with the mumps. Miss Agnes James and Mr. W. D. James are reported rather ill after just recovering from the mumps. The mumps is still raging in our community. We read of new cases every week. Miss Colita James is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Lanham Cole. Relatives in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lindley Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Norton Sparks of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Bond Featherston and Lorraine of Trickham and Miss Lois McVer, also of Trickham. Relatives in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Van James Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lanham Cole, Mr. and Mrs. I. O. James and Sandra V. of Santa Anna, and Mrs. Woodie James of Dublin.

Whon News

(By Mrs. Warren Gill) Harvesting time is here. We are sorry to report that we don't see many reavers in the fields. The W. C. Black family had a reunion in honor of their father on Fathers' Day. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gill purchased a new chevrolet sedan and have motored to Post to visit Mrs. Gill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Kemp. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Avants and daughter Irene are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Watson of Big Spring. We were very sorry to hear that the home of Roy Bible was destroyed by fire Monday about 11 o'clock a. m. The fire was started by a spark escaping from the pipes of a wood stove. Soon help was rendered but very little of the household goods was saved. Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Tisdal and daughters Beulah and Vera Face spent Tuesday with Mrs. Tisdal's sister, Mrs. Lonnie Alcorn of Talpa. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. P. Baker spent the weekend with friends of the Whon community. Mr. Baker and Mr. George Hunter caught a great quantity of fish. We are hoping the Bakers will visit our community often. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Craft and son Lynn visited friends and relatives of this community last weekend. Miss Beulah Tisdal is spending the week with her grandfather, W. L. Day of the Liberty community. We are glad to report that the Doug Mitchell family of Sonora were not seriously injured when their car overturned near Trickham last week. Mrs. Johnson has returned to her home in California after visiting her brothers, Don and Bert Turner of Whon. Rev. Wyatt of Richland Springs filled his regular appointment here Sunday in the Baptist church. A large crowd attended. The Intermediate Sunday School class of the Whon Baptist church was entertained with a picnic at the Richards Park at Brady Sunday, June 21, after attending their Sunday School class at 9:30 o'clock. The class was promised the picnic if they averaged the grade of 85 for the month. Their teacher, Ida Her-ring, was glad to report the

Methodist Church

William E. Fisher, Pastor. The Methodist Church will continue their unified Sunday School and Church program next Sunday, beginning at 9:30 and closing at 11. On account of the illness of the pastor, Dr. O. F. Sensabaugh of Fort Worth will fill the pulpit in the morning and Presiding Elder McClure at night. Our Vacation Bible School will begin at an early date. We will have with us some specialists in this line and a very interesting and instructive program is anticipated. Definite announcement will be made later. Miss Marjorie Pope returned home Saturday from Gouldbusk where she attended a Home Economics class at Mozelle High School for the past two weeks. Mr. Glen Pope and Mr. Wallic Garey returned home Sunday after a few days visit in Brownwood. Mrs. Pay Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor of Hondo, New Mexico are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Taylor and family. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Taylor and daughters, Jewell and Vonelle were called last Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Taylor's father, Mr. J. W. Morgan, of Hobart, Okla. They were accompanied by Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. B. M. Kendrick and her daughter, Mrs. Esie Markham, both of Brownwood. They returned home Monday. Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Joplin and son, Joe Ralph, of Portales, New Mexico, are visiting Mrs. Joplin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Taylor. Mr. John Crye came home Tuesday after a few months stay in Hondo, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Avirett of Waco visited their niece, Mrs. Alton Taylor, and Mr. Taylor Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. John McKabe of Robert Lee spent Tuesday night with Miss Josie Baxter. Mr. McKabe is in the Sealy Hospital for treatment.

For a big time - Come to Brady - - July 2-3-4 11th-ANNUAL JULY JUBILEE & RACE MEET-11th Plenty of FREE Entertainment 6 - Running Races Daily - 6 Big Parade, Morning July 2nd Queen's Coronation, Night July 1st.

A CHEERY SMILE A cheery smile spreads happiness Like blossoms in the spring, And often proves a most contagious thing. A smile is worth while When things are sad and blue Its best to use it. For it will always help you through. -Doris Constable. Prof. and Mrs. J. C. Scarborough left this week for a several days visit with relatives in East Texas. They instructed their paper be mailed to them at Augusta, Texas for the next two weeks. Mrs. D. W. Nickens and daughter, Marjorie, spent the weekend in Lubbock with Mrs. Jimmie Knight, daughter of Mrs. Nickens.

TO THE VOTERS OF COLEMAN COUNTY: After due consideration of the solicitation of friends from over the County, I have decided to make the race for the office of District Clerk, and in making my announcement for this office, I feel well qualified to handle the affairs of the office, having had several years experience as District Clerk, my motto will be, as in former years: Stay on the job and give courteous and efficient service, and I want to state in the beginning that I will work as diligently and just as hard for the taxpayers of this County under the salary system as under the fee system. During the first five months of 1936 this office collected in fees under the Salary System, the small sum of \$543.85, and the County paid out for salary the enormous sum of \$1,468.00 - why this difference? I have no fight to make against my opponent, but do believe the salary should be reduced to \$2000.00 annually, thus saving the tax-payers of Coleman County the nice little sum of \$1,500.00 annually from this office alone. While I was District Clerk my salary consisted of the fees collected, and I paid all my expenses including Deputy hire, and for several years, I paid for my office phone; this office is now paying \$3,480.00 annually plus all expenses, including Deputy hire, stamps, Post Office box rent, premium on official bond, etc. It would give me great pleasure to meet every voter in the County before election day, but circumstances, (which are well known to the citizens of the city of Coleman), are such that it will be impossible for me to make a house-to-house canvass, so I am asking you through the papers to remember me when you go to the polls on the 25th day of July to cast your votes, and I assure you that your vote and influence will be sincerely appreciated, and if elected, you will always find me on the job to render efficient service to a deserving people. I thank you, W. E. GIDEON Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sealy of Midland spent the weekend in Santa Anna with Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Sealy. They returned to their home Wednesday. Candidates for the office of governor down to constable were ere almost in profusion Trades Day, but did not appear to interfere with business. It was a great day for Santa Anna business houses. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Flambeck and daughter, Miss Helen, of Fort Worth, visited in the A. Hefner home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mulroy and children returned home Sunday after a visit in Mississippi with Mr. Mulroy's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown and family attended the funeral of Charlie Stovall in Zephyr Sunday. Mr. Stovall was Mrs. Brown's brother. Mrs. A. M. Pleasant of Fort Worth visited friends here last weekend. She is Matron of the Masonic Home there.

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