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Looking 'round

BY THE EDITOR

"LEST WE FORGET"

THE UNANIMOUS DECLARATION OF THE THIRTEEN UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

When in the course of human events it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bonds which have connected them, with another, and to assume among the powers of the earth, the separate and equal station to which the laws of Nature's God entitle them, a decent respect to the opinions of mankind requires that they should declare the causes which impel them to the separation. . . . We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness — That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among men deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed — That whenever any form of government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or abolish it and to new government, laying its foundations on such principles, and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that Governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and accordingly all experience hath shown, that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves, by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same object evidences a design to reduce them under absolute Despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future security. Such has been the patient sufferance of these Colonies; and such is now the necessity which constrains them to alter their former Systems of Government. The history of the present King of Great Britain is a history of repeated injuries and usurpations, all having in direct object the establishment of an absolute Tyranny over these States. To prove this, let Facts be submitted to a candid world.

He has refused to assent to Laws, the most wholesome and necessary for the public good.

He has forbidden his governors to pass Laws of immediate and pressing importance, unless suspended in their operation till his assent should be obtained; and when so suspended, he has utterly neglected to attend to them.

He has refused to pass other Laws for the accommodation of large districts of people, unless those people would relinquish the right of Representation in the Legislature, a right inestimable to them and formidable to tyrants only.

He has called together legislative bodies at places unusual, uncomfortable and distant from the depository of their Public Records, for the sole purpose of fatiguing them into compliance with his measures.

He has dissolved Representative Houses repeatedly, for opposing with manly firmness his invasions on the rights of the people.

He has refused for a long time, after such dissolutions, to cause others to be elected; whereby the Legislative Powers incapable of Annihilation, have returned to the people at large for their exercise; the State remaining in the meantime exposed to all the dangers of invasion from with-

out, and convulsions within.

He has endeavored to prevent the population of these States; for that purpose obstructing the Laws of Naturalization of Foreigners; refusing to pass others to encourage their migration hither, and raising the conditions of new Appropriations of Lands.

He has obstructed the Administration of Justice, by refusing his Assent to Laws for establishing Judiciary Powers.

He has made Judges dependent on his will alone, for the tenure of their offices, and the amount and payment of their salaries.

He has erected a multitude of New Offices, and sent hither swarms of Officers to harass our People, and eat out their substance.

He has kept among us, in times of peace, Standing Armies without the consent of our Legislature.

He has affected to render the Military independent of and superior to the Civil Power.

He has combined with others to subject us to a jurisdiction foreign to our constitution, and unacknowledged by our Laws; giving his Assent to their acts of pretended legislation:

For quartering large bodies of armed troops among us:

For protecting them, by a mock Trial, from Punishment for any Murders which they should commit on the Inhabitants of these States:

For cutting off our Trade with all parts of the world:

For imposing taxes on us without our Consent:

For depriving us in many cases of the benefits of Trial by Jury:

For transporting us beyond seas to be tried for pretended offenses:

For abolishing the Free System of English Laws in a neighbouring Province, establishing therein an Arbitrary Government and enlarging its boundaries so as to render it at once an example and fit instrument for introducing the same absolute rule into these Colonies.

For taking away our Charters, abolishing our most valuable Laws, and altering fundamentally the Forms of our Governments:

For suspending our own Legislature, and declaring themselves invested with Power to legislate for us in all cases whatsoever.

He has abdicated Government here, by declaring us out of his Protection and waging War against us.

He has plundered our seas, ravaged our Coasts, burnt our towns, and destroyed the lives of our people.

He is at this time transporting large armies of foreign mercenaries to complete the works of death, desolation and tyranny, already begun with circumstances of Cruelty and perfidy scarcely paralleled in the most barbarous ages, and totally unworthy the Head of a civilized nation.

He has constrained our fellow Citizens taken Captive on the high Seas to bear Arms against their Country, to become the executioners of their friends and Brethren, or to fall themselves by their Hands.

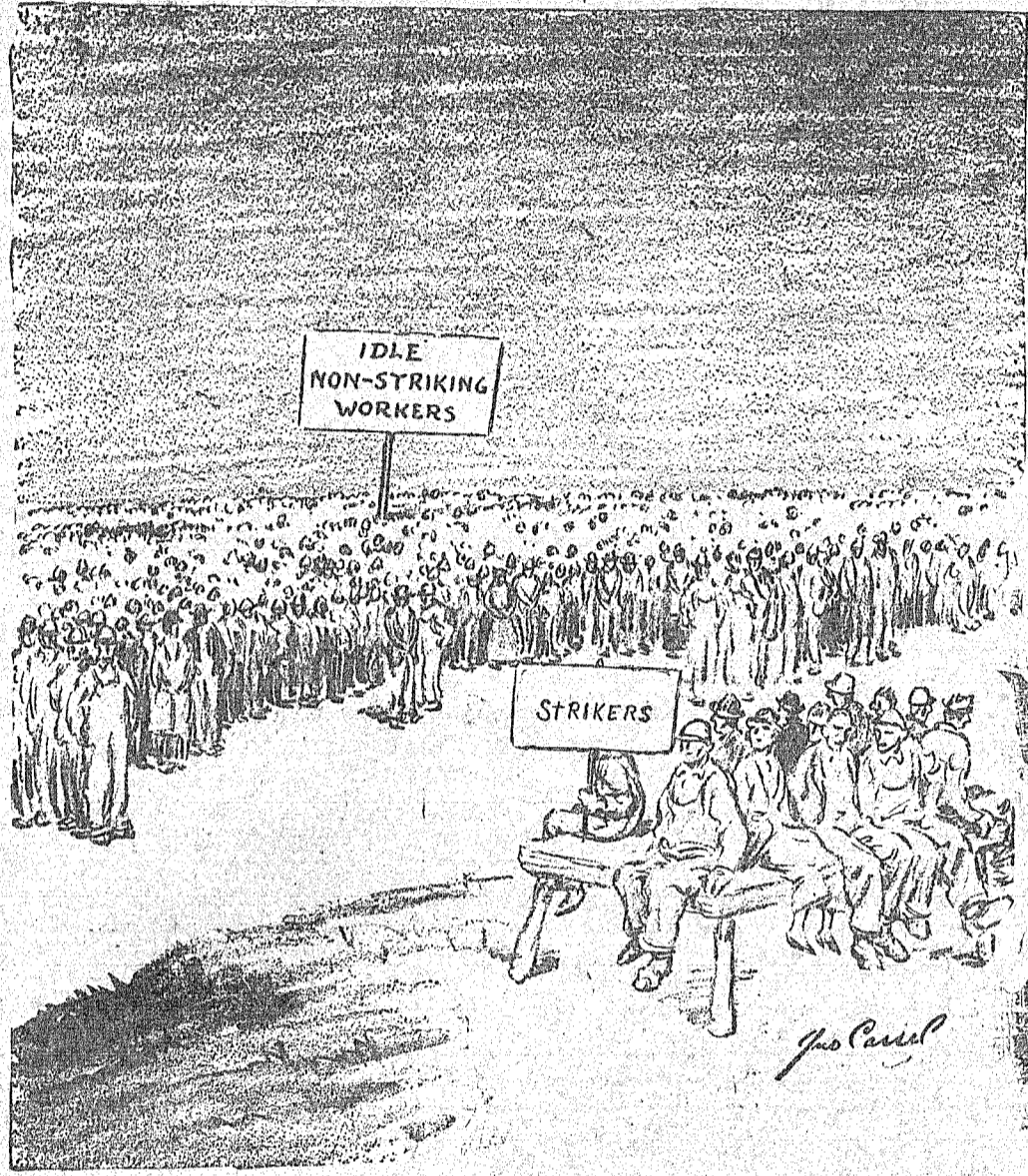
He has excited domestic insurrections amongst us, and has endeavored to bring on the inhabitants of our frontiers, the merciless Indian Savages, whose known rule of warfare is an undistinguished destruction of all ages, sexes and conditions.

In every stage of these Oppressions we have Petitioned for Redress in the most humble terms: Our repeated Petitions have been answered only by repeated injury: A Prince, whose character is thus marked by every act which may define a Tyrant, is unfit to be the ruler of a free People.

Nor have we been wanting in attention to our British brethren. We have warned them from time to time of attempts by their legislature to extend an unwarranted jurisdiction over us. We have reminded them of the circumstances of our emigration and settlement here. We have appealed to their native Justice and

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THE FEW AND THE MANY!



Coleman To Hold 10th Annual Rodeo July 9-12; New Arena To Be Dedicated

Coleman — Daily parades will precede the four performances of the tenth annual Coleman Rodeo, opening July 9, Clyde Edens, president of the Coleman Rodeo Association, announced today. The parades will feature hundreds of horses, including roping horses of the rodeo contestants, and music by the Coleman High School Band.

Edens also announced the following committee chairmen for the show to be produced by Del Rio's Earl and Jack Sellers:

Ralph Duncan, building; R. R. Shipman, advertising; Ernest Bridwell, police; George Beck, arena director; Ben Taylor, parking; Wade Hemphill, tickets; Jim Gill, program; Harold Kinney, parade, and Carl Jeans, general utility.

Coleman is anticipating the largest crowds in the local association's history for the rodeo which will feature a contingent of top arena performers headed by world champion calf roper Royce Sewall of Brownwood. The fast moving Sellers show estab-

lished a new San Saba attendance record when it recently played to 20,000 persons in three performances, and this week is staging simultaneous rodeos at Kerrville and Pecos.

Earl Sellers has advised the association that he will move more than 200 head of tough rodeo stock here early next week from his Moon Ranch near Pecos and that additions have been made to the list of specialty acts.

Volney Snodgrass of Mountain Home will bring his trained sheep dog act to the Coleman show, which also will offer brick riders Pauline Nesbitt of Nowata, Okla., former girl world champion, Ruby Tacker of Waco and Fagin Miller of Vernon and clowns Ike Tacker of Waco and Johnny Miller of Vernon.

Judges will be Vic Schwarz of Wichita Falls and Shorty McCrorey of Arlington and other members of the Sellers official family, in addition to the producers, are Jeanette Hensley, Del Rio secretary; Ray Lackland, Dallas, announcer; Bo Chessum, Beau-

Notice Of Revival

A revival meeting will begin at the Church of Christ in Santa Anna, Friday evening, July 4. Bro. J. L. Prichard will do the preaching. The meeting will run from Friday until Sunday, July 13.

The public is cordially invited to attend each service. — Claude Conley, Elder.

mont. livestock superintendent, and Eddie Young, Del Rio, assistant to the producers.

Contestants, including champions of the earlier Henderson, Vernon, San Angelo, Midland and San Saba shows, will compete for -2,650 plus entry fees with \$500 added in each of the five major events. A girls' contest and boys' calf riding also will be held. Final winners at the recent San Saba show were Bill Weeks of Grady, N. M., saddle bronc riding, who also captured the Vernon title; Bud Humphrey, Belton, bull riding; R. L. Bland, Abilene, steer wrestling; and L. N. Sikes, Mexia, calf roping.

This year's Coleman show will dedicate a new \$30,000 arena.

FELICITATIONS

A daughter named Karen Gail was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCluskey in a Brownwood hospital Tuesday, July 1. Weight seven pounds and three ounces. The mother is the former Jeanine Stockard. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stockard of this city.

A son named Michael Jesse was born in the Sealy Hospital on Friday morning, June 27 at 8 o'clock to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Garrett. Weight at birth was five pounds and 14 ounces. The mother is the former Carolyn Kingsbery. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carol Kingsbery and Mrs. Kate Garrett.

NEWS PUBLISHED ONE DAY EARLY

We are publishing the News one day early this week so the patrons that live on the routes will get the paper before coming to town Saturday. Therefore there are some articles that we have had to leave out, but we will try to make up for this next week.

Safety Tip Of The Week

HIGHWAY DEMOCRACY

"Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" . . . It's 171 years since these words first were written, but the truths which our forefathers held to be self-evident are still mighty good working principles. Even our rules on safe driving are based on them.

Take the rule of right-of-way at intersections, for example. It might be stated in the words of Thomas Jefferson himself: "Equal rights for all — special privileges for none."

"Equal rights" at intersections means obeying the traffic officer or the traffic light; if there is no signal, it means waiting one's turn; if there is any doubt as to whose turn it is, it means yielding the right-of-way. Last year more than 150,000 were killed and injured at intersections because someone claimed "special privileges."

Good highway democracy pays dividends in the life, liberty and happiness of everybody.

Lions Club Delays Installation Of New Officers

The Lions Club delayed the installation of new officers for a week due to the absence of W. R. Mulroy, who had been called to New Orleans to be with his mother who was in a car wreck about two weeks ago.

All the new officers will be installed at the regular meeting next week and all members are requested to attend this meeting.

The attendance has fallen off the past few weeks. The hot weather may have something to do with this. In the yearly report given by the retiring secretary, Lion Hardy Blue, the average attendance for the past year has been 65 members. This week was far below the average.

Grain Season Ends Maize Will Be Delayed A Month

The oats, wheat and barley part of the small grain season is just about completed in this part of the country. There may be a few who have not brought in all their grain, but very little more if any is looked for.

According to the Santa Fe R. R. officials 144 car loads of oats and 30 cars of wheat left Santa Anna by rail. There has been a few truck loads of small grain to leave from here.

The combine maize season is expected to open here in about three weeks, and will be in full swing in about a month. There is a lot more acreage in maize this year than last and the yield is expected to be good.

First Sgt. Silas C. Wagner, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner, arrived home Monday morning after three years of service in the army. He saw combat duty on Luzon and more recently has been stationed in Korea and Japan. He came from San Francisco and is on terminal leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Knutson of Comanche came Sunday and visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Woods. They took the three children home with them who had been visiting their grandparents while Mr. and Mrs. Knutson were busy with the grain harvest.

Mrs. R. D. Moore of Ft. Worth was a guest last week in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Burgess Weaver and other relatives in Santa Anna. She came for the reunion of her family last Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Strozier.

This unlighted trailer, moving slowly along the darkened highway, was completely invisible to an overtaking motorist as he came suddenly upon it from around a corner. He crashed into it and was fatally injured. Just one more of the many bitter ironies of highway deaths, where a lawbreaker who was indifferent to his own safety and the safety of others escaped injury, while an innocent victim paid for that indifference with his life.

State Dept. Of Health Letter

With the incidence of measles usually being somewhat high in the summertime, Dr. G. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a statement concerning the use of immune globulin for protecting very young or frail children from an attack of this perennial childhood disease and its often serious complications.

"If you have a child less than five years old who has been exposed to measles, your family doctor may recommend giving him immune globulin," Dr. Cox said. "Through city, county or state health departments, doctors can obtain globulin free, to be used as they think advisable. Infants and children, whose health makes it inadvisable for them to suffer an attack of measles, may avoid the disease if immune globulin is administered within eight days from the date of exposure."

The State Health Officer emphasized the fact that immune globulin cannot give a child permanent protection against measles, but explained that the protection is ordinarily of about three weeks duration. However, there is no limit to the number of times it may be used, and a baby who is protected by it once can be protected by it again if exposed later. Immune globulin can go on shielding him against measles until he is old enough and strong enough to stand such an attack without risking serious consequences.

During an outbreak of measles Dr. Cox said that it is well to keep all children under five years of age, and more especially frail children, from all other youngsters who might serve as sources of infection. Statistics show that nine tenths of all measles deaths occur in children under five years of age.

Whon News

Mrs. Tom Rutherford

A large crowd attended the social at the Baptist church grounds Saturday night. Every one reported a good time. All had plenty of ice cream and some would have felt better if they had been more temperate with their eating.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Black of Brownwood spent Sunday night and Monday with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carter and attended services at the Nazarene church Sunday night.

A barbecue supper was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Adkins Sunday night, furnished by Jim and Faye Gill of Coleman for the employed hands on Jim's and Faye's ranch here. All attended.

Coming to QUEEN THEATRE Tuesday night, July 8, in person, BOB AND JOE SHELTON and The Sunshine Boys. Plus screen attraction, "Yim Can't Cheat An Honest Man" with W. C. Fields and Charlie McCarthy.

HEREFORD BRINGS WORLD'S HIGHEST PRICE



Grand Champion "Rollo" brings world's highest price paid by C. R. Rew, Manufacturer of Gem Dandy Electric Churns (upper right) at Birmingham Annual Fat Stock Show. The steer was donated to the Cancer Drive by Rew. Pictured above center is 4-H Club member J. Lee Alley, who exhibited the steer, receiving a kiss from his mother, as Gene Autry, who auctioned the steer, looks on.

Grand Champion of the Birmingham, Alabama Annual Fat Stock Show set a world record price for polled Hereford steers, according to announcement made by H. I. Herbert, editor and publisher of International Polled Hereford Magazine.

Grand Champion "Rollo" brought \$5.05 on the auction block. Previous world record was more than \$1.00. The world's highest price was paid by C. R. Rew, President,

Alabama Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of Gem Dandy Electric Butter Churns for farm use. The steer was donated to the Cancer Drive by Rew, who is known as the "Churn King."

"Rollo" was exhibited by 4-H Club members J. Lee and Lawrence Alley of Midway, Bullock County, Ala. The total price, \$5,373.20, will be used by the boys for a college education.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson of Rockwood were supper guests on Saturday night of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart.

Mr. Homer Schulze has taken his combine to the plains. Mr. Cass Mankin has gone to the plains with his truck. They left Thursday.

Billie Ruth Wallace and Louise Averett spent Sunday with Ima Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Bible had their children and grandchildren home several days during the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Aural Bible, Mr. and Mrs. Earp and children all of Houston. They enjoyed fishing on the river and had plenty of fish for two meals. Their grandchildren are still with them, while the parents visit other places of interest.

Mrs. Alta Bengé and Corrine were shopping in Santa Anna and Coleman Monday afternoon.

Miss Glenn Lee Gill and a girl friend from Brownwood have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mim Shields and others on the Gill Ranch.

Uncle Bonnie Wright has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gill in Brownwood, but he is now at home with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gill.

Mrs. Emmett Matthews and children of Bangs spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wallace and family.

Corrine Bengé spent Sunday with Joyce Gill.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wallace vis-

ited with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lovelady Sunday evening.

Ann and Jack Averett are visiting relatives in San Angelo and Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and Ima are going to Quanah Tuesday for Venita Mae Smith. They will spend Tuesday night with Rev. and Mrs. Smith and return home Wednesday.

Christine Averett of San Angelo is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Averett.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Lovelady of Velasco arrived here Saturday to visit with relatives and friends for about a week. They spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lovelady and attended the social here. Mrs. Lovelady's father, Mr. Sam Smith, accompanied them here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Tucker and son of Brady spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Young.

Mrs. Henry Smith spent Saturday with her mother in Santa Anna who has been quite ill. Mrs. Smith's sister of California, Mrs. Annie Hawkins, is also visiting her mother.

Elvis Rae Cozart of Corpus Christi and serving in the navy spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Etoile Cozart. He returned to Corpus Sunday afternoon.

Patsy Ann Jones of Trickham spent Sunday afternoon with Lanita Bengé.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Franke of Millersview spent Sunday with Mrs. Franke's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bengé. Buddy Bengé returned home with them after a visit of a week. Fern Bengé is employed at Millersview at present.

Reba Faye Haynes of Trickham spent Sunday and Monday in the Etoile Cozart home. Mrs. Cozart took her home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford and Mrs. Wagie Montgomery were dinner guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haney of Santa Anna.

George Rutherford and son, Bill returned from Pearsall on Thursday. They reported a good crop there, having recently had a four inch rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Simmons and Mrs. Sneed visited with Mr. Ed Busch Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney have their grandson, Richard Meek of Dallas visiting them.

Mrs. Bob Averett has accepted the position as one of our teachers for another term and we still have a vacancy.

Jim Carter, Etoile Cozart and Tom Rutherford were transacting business in Coleman, Santa Anna and Brownwood Monday.

Mrs. Jack Haney of Santa Anna spent last Tuesday and Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. George Rutherford.

Wash days at the Whon washer are Tuesday and Wednesday instead of Tuesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Browning and their two children of Abilene were week-end visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parker.

Shield News

(Mrs. J. B. Weathers)

Several of the 4-H Club girls spent last Wednesday and Thursday in camp. They were Clara Jean Stewardson, Ruth Milligan, Maxine Blackwell, Joyce Weathers, Jo and Margaret West, Ann Tatum and Beverly Gilbreth, accompanied by Mrs. Holt and Mrs. Milligan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stewardson went to Del Rio last week to attend the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tucker and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Weathers, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goodgoin of Brady and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peke were fishing on Lake Brownwood last Monday and Tuesday.

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Mrs. John Dillingham and Richard visited in the E. S. Jones home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Wheatly, Mrs. John Dillingham and Mr. Dan Wheatly went to Dallas Friday to visit Mr. Wheatly, whose condition is serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bledsoe and Nell and Zell went to Ft. Worth Friday to visit Mrs. Bledsoe's brother, Claud Dixon and family. Nell and Zell attended the all night singing in Dallas of the Stamps Singing School.

Mrs. M. E. Perry of Santa Anna spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. E. S. Jones.

Visitors in the J. B. Weathers home Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tucker and children, Arthur, G. W. and Inez and Mrs. Roy Earl Tucker all of Santa Anna, Sybil of San Antonio and Mr. Marvin Guthrie of Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Bates visited in the L. M. Weathers home Monday.

Mrs. J. M. Weathers and Van-

dall Weathers visited over the week-end with relatives in this community.

R. E. Coward Reunion Is Held At Gouldbusk

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cowan of Maverick were hosts to a family reunion held Thursday, June 26.

At the lunch hour lunch was served buffet style to 30 members of the family of the late George Simmons.

Those present for the reunion were Mrs. Lela Musick of Monahans; Mrs. Jeff McSpadden and two children of Rankin, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Simmons and two children of Los Angeles, Mrs. W. H. Simmons and family of Buena Vista, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Simmons of Clyde, Mr. Jack Simmons of Big Lake, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Deal and two children of Gouldbusk and Mr. and Mrs. Cowan and family.

Swimming, a melon feast and kodaking were enjoyed by all. Many happy childhood memories were recalled.

Coleman, Co WMS Quarterly Meeting

At 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, July 8 the Coleman County W. M. U. will meet with the Santa Anna Baptist church for a quarterly meeting.

A good program has been arranged on the theme, "Building For the Future."

We hope that every W. M. U. in the county will be represented. Lunch will be served by the Santa Anna women.

Visitors in the J. M. Self home recently were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Simmons and Marilyn and Philip of San Francisco and Mrs. N. E. Sneed from Arizona. The latter is a sister-in-law and Mrs. Simmons a niece of Mrs. Self.



From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

The Picnic Was a "Hug" Success!

Our local Wild Life League went on a picnic Saturday, and I went along to cover it for the Clarion. Monday, folks kept stopping me, and saying: "Must have gotten out of hand, that picnic!"

"Nonsense," I says. "It was mighty pleasant and congenial. Just beer and hot dogs, cheese and cider." And then they show me the headline reading: "WILD WIFE PICNIC HUG SUCCESS."

Of course it was Elmer, my type-setter, who had made the misprints: But is my face red! It's only be-

cause folks are so temperate and well-behaved in our town, that they could afford to take the whole thing as a joke.

From where I sit, even a newspaper editor's entitled to a few mistakes. And since I reported that they served a moderate beverage like beer, I'm sure nobody thinks the picnic was the least bit wild, or anything but a huge success—and I mean huge!

Joe Marsh

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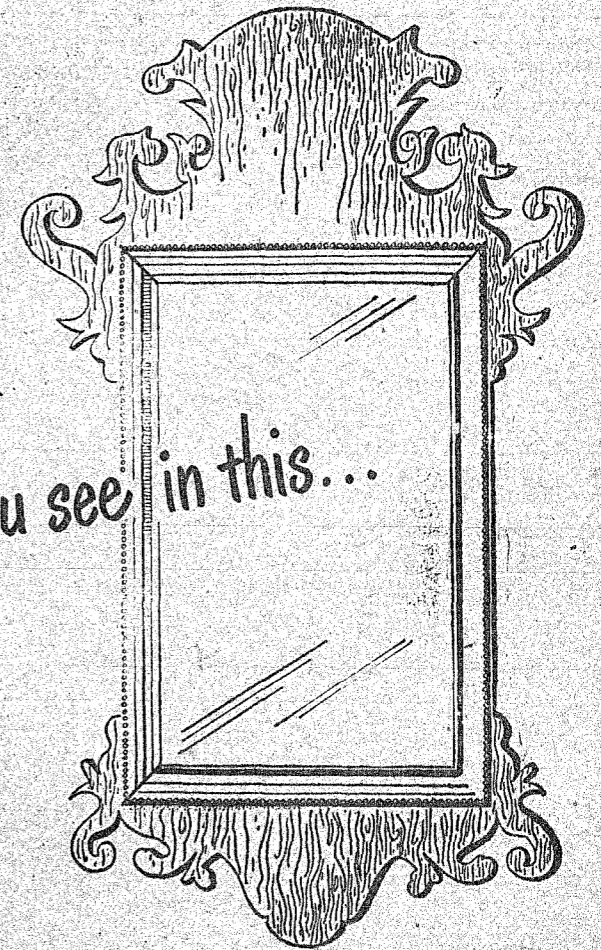
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For the sake of the fellow you see in this...



This is a mirror

If you're like most people, you're reasonably fond of the fellow you see when you look into said mirror.

You'd like to give this fellow—and his family—certain things: maybe a house of his own, college for his kids, a couple of long-planned-for trips, a nest egg for the future, a retirement income.

All of these, as you know, cost money. And if you're going to have that money, you must not only earn it—you must save it!

That's not as hard to do as you might think. The main thing is: get a system of saving by which you regularly, automatically, *unfailingly* put aside part of everything you earn.

There are two such systems available to you today. One is the Payroll Savings Plan for buying U. S. Savings Bonds. The other is the new Bond-a-Month Plan for buying U. S. Savings Bonds.

If you're on a payroll, then the Payroll Plan is for you. If you're not eligible for the Payroll Plan, but have a checking account, then your bank will show you how to buy Bonds through the Bond-a-Month Plan.

Either way, you save regularly, automatically—and you get back \$4 for every \$3 you save, when the Bonds mature.

For the sake of the fellow in the mirror, better sign up for one of these plans—today!

Buy where you work, buy where you bank

Santa Anna National Bank

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This is an official U. S. Treasury advertisement—prepared under auspices of Treasury Department and Liberty Loan Council

J. L. Kelley Is Buried In Bangs Saturday, June 28

Funeral services were held in the Methodist church at Bangs Saturday, June 28 at 4 p. m. for James L. Kelley of the Buffalo community, who died in the Sealy Hospital June 26 after a long illness.

A native of Mississippi, Mr. Kelley was born October 24, 1876. He was married to Dora Alice Ratliff at Barry, July 15, 1898.

With the family he moved to the Buffalo community in 1906, and he had been a member of the Salem Methodist church since 1907.

He is survived by the wife, three sons and seven daughters: W. E. Kelley of San Diego, Cal.; M. T. Kelley of Paint Rock; J. C. Kelley of Ira; Mrs. J. L. Ferguson of Lometa; Mrs. W. P. Price, Mrs. W. W. Rosser and Mrs. Elmo Conklin of Bangs; Mrs. J. C. Hainle of Brownwood; Mrs. Floyd Burris of Seguin, and Mrs. W. T. Westfall of Glendale, Cal.

One brother, M. L. Kelley of Mullin also survives and 25 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Pall bearers were Bunt Horton, William Curry, John Byler, Hamp Byler, Oscar Pierce and Bud Simons.

Burial was in the Bangs cemetery with Hosch Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. E. P. Rendleman Friday, June 27

Funeral services were held at the Cumberland Presbyterian church Friday afternoon, June 27, at 5 o'clock for Mrs. E. P. Rendleman, Coleman county pioneer, who died Thursday, June 26th at the home of her niece, Mrs. Edd Tisdale after a long illness.

Rev. J. W. Burgett, pastor of the church, officiated.

Tennessee Beakley was born to Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Beakley in Gonzales county on January 21, 1866. She was married to Ephraim Pinkney Rendleman on December 23, 1886. No children were born to this union.

While very young she became converted and joined the Cumberland Presbyterian church.

Mr. Rendleman preceded her in death June 15, 1932.

She is survived by one brother, Dr. J. D. Beakley of Laverne, and 15 nieces and nephews and a

host of friends.

Pall bearers were Thomas Bowden, A. A. Hunter, Edgar Cole, O. L. Cheaney, Arlis Collins and Winifred Parish.

Burial was in the Santa Anna cemetery with Hosch Funeral Home in charge.

Weekly WAA Surplus News

First exclusive offer of electronics and related materials in North Texas will be included in a bid sale of surplus aircraft supplies to be held July 8 to 11 at the Grand Prairie plant warehouse, regional War Assets Administration officials announced this week. Fifteen lots or such items as strut assemblies, wing tanks, amplifiers and hundreds of miscellaneous aircraft parts will be offered at high bid. Lists of materials contained will be posted on each of the lots and inspection and bidding will continue Tuesday through Thursday. The bid opening will take place at the sales warehouse at 9 a. m., Friday, July 11, with successful bidders required to be present.

Texas cotton pickers this summer could be supplied with 10,646 white cotton duck mattress covers used by GI's and offered for 50 cents each by Grand Prairie regional office of WAA to store their cotton as they pick from row to row. The covers are on display at the Customer Service Center and will be offered for sale until July 7.

Folks who plan camping out this summer will probably be interested in the 10,969 folding cots offered to all trade channels on a competitive bid basis until July 11. Information and description may be obtained through the Customer Service Center of the

Grand Prairie regional office of WAA. Time clocks, loose leaf binders, bed trays and fiber tags are listed in the same sale.

More than half of the 1,223 veterans who attended a sale of surplus furniture at the Grand Prairie WAA plant bought items originally costing \$103,556.11. Six hundred and seventy nine veterans participated in the buying during the 10 day operation.

Three categories of surplus merchandise are offered on a competitive bid basis to all channels of trade until July 11 through the Customer Service Center of the Grand Prairie regional office of WAA. They are general industrial equipment, machinery parts and unused footwear. In the industrial equipment are listed several generator sets, transformers and one chain drive type conveyor. In machinery parts are offered gears, gaskets, pumps, bushings, valve springs, piston plugs and many other similar parts. Over two million pairs of men's shoe soles and thousands of rubber heels are included in the unused footwear offering.

For purposes of wheat storage, West Texas and Panhandle farmers have purchased oil tanks and leased ammunition storage igloos from WAA. Prompt action was taken by WAA to assist in finding storage for a bumper crop.

Students returning to school in seven Texas communities this fall will find their auditoriums equipped with theatre curtains formerly used in army camps. All of the schools were allowed institutional discounts of 40 per cent in making the purchase.

Adrian Speck, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Speck, was one of 113 students on the honor roll for the spring semester of the San Angelo Junior College, which ended May 31. He made a B average.

Mrs. J. H. Stovall returned on Saturday from a 10 day visit with her mother, Mrs. James K. Lofton at Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Lanham Cole attended a reunion of the Cole family last Sunday. More than 100 were present for the enjoyable occasion which was held at Richards Park in Brady.

Julia Ann Bailey and Nancy Wylie made a trip to Abilene on Tuesday.

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FOR SERVICE: Registered Big Bone Poland China. See Dan Wristen. 21tc

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Martha Tinkle of Tulsa, Okla., came last Saturday for a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Boardman. Also visiting with them Tuesday and Wednesday of this week was another granddaughter, Janice Upton of Brownwood.

The old awning in front of the building housing the Howard Barber Shop, Parker Tailor Shop and Nabours Grocery Store, adjoining has been torn down and a new one replaces it. The buildings belong to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Yarborough.

Mrs. J. R. Banister, Mrs. C. D. Bruce and Mrs. R. B. Archer made a business trip to Abilene Saturday and Mrs. Archer visited with her daughter, Mrs. Williams while there.

Mrs. Lee Baugh, who was very sick for a while, is reported to be improving.

Miss Lome Wellen of Morlin is here for an indefinite visit with Mrs. H. O. Blair and her sister. Also visiting in the Blair home Sunday were her son, Floyd Blair and wife and their daughter, Mary Louise of Goldthwaite.

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Mrs. C. C. Morrison of Ft. Arthur is dividing her time between Valera and Santa Anna at present. Her father, Mr. W. H. Rush of Valera is a patient in the Sealy Hospital, where he was brought last week. Mr. Rush, now retired, was for 39 years postmaster at Valera.

Mrs. Elsie Glassey of Cheyenne, Oklahoma, is visiting her brother, Clifford Stephenson and family and other relatives in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stewardson and their daughter, Sammie Lee and their granddaughter, Helen Dare Nix of Ft. Stockton are here while Mr. Stewardson is undergoing treatment at the Sealy Hospital.

Mrs. Will Parker, Mrs. Vernon Parker and June returned Sunday from a visit since Monday in Corpus Christi, where they were guests in the James Simpson home. They report a very delightful trip.

Mrs. W. E. Wallace returned last week from a visit with her son, Col. Karl Wallace and family at Burleson.

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Trickham News
(By Mrs. Beula Kingston)

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ford and the girls visited his brother, Dick Ford and family of Spur last week.

Mrs. Zona Stacy returned home Saturday night after spending 10 days with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Babby of Brownwood.

Mrs. Roland Williams and son, Cecil of Grand Prairie were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Page one day last week. They came to bring her mother, Mrs. Emma Rice to visit her son, Frank Rice and family. In the afternoon they visited Roy Tucker and family.

Mrs. Lee Vaughn visited Mrs. Kingston one night last week. Another night Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson were bed time visitors.

Mrs. Rosa Estence returned to her home in San Antonio Sunday after spending the week before here with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin.

Royce, Dane and Gayla McIver spent Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes. Gayla was so tickled to get to wear a dress made by Aunt Emma Perry for Will when he was a little baby three or four years old. I have my son's baby dress, also my son's father's baby dress made 70 years ago. You club members, why not have some of your members bring in some of these old time dresses sometime at your club meetings.

Rev. J. H. Martin returned early Monday morning from a revival meeting with the Tennyson Baptist church. He reports a good meeting. The community was revived and the church was made stronger by a number of rededications and conversions. A number united with the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Haynes and Nancy Jo visited each of their parents Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Laughlin visited Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Stearns Sunday.

Buck Mitchell came home Saturday from the plains where he and Bill Garfield had gone with

their truck to the grain fields. He will return again tomorrow. Chelo James, H. B. Dockery and Otis (Froggie) Calcote left Sunday for the Panhandle grain fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tackett and children returned to their home at Corpus Christi today after spending the past week here with her uncle, Gene James.

Mr. L. E. Page continues to be very feeble. Mrs. Page says he isn't doing so well today, so glad he doesn't seem to suffer. Just slowly wearing out. Why not drop in to see him?

The carpenters are busy again at the church. The windows are all in now and they are putting the shingles on today.

Mrs. Charlie (Clara) Haynes was rushed to the hospital last night, very ill. This afternoon, Monday, she is still very sick. We will give a later report early in the morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice McIver and children visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shelhan and son at Bastrop last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke were hosts to a chicken barbecue Saturday night honoring two of their friends, Miss Rosa Timmerman of San Angelo and Mrs. Eulalia Eddington of Brownwood. Also all but two of Oscar's sisters and brothers, and their families and Mrs. Shield and Edna Ruth Driskell were there.

Rev. J. W. Burgett preached here Sunday, as he was not able to be here the third Sunday. He was a dinner guest of Mrs. Featherston, John and Lou and visited later with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Page and Mrs. Kingston. At the night service quite a bit of time was taken up with singing after which Bro. Burgett brought a good short message on "Who is My Mother and Who are My Brethren?" Matt. 12-48, a text I had never heard anyone preach from.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller and Sandra of Coleman and Joyce Johnson visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben McIver last week. They had just returned from a vacation trip to New Mexico.

Mrs. Zack Bible of Whon, her daughter, Juanita and her daughter, Orva Jean of Houston visited Mrs. Buck Mitchell and family one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stearns Sunday afternoon. Later on they visited with Mrs. Featherston, John and Lou.

Mrs. Willis (Marjorie) Burney and her son, Rocke, also her mother, Mrs. Landrum, all of Artesia Wells, Texas, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Burney.

Mrs. Leston Cozart and son, Willie Norman spent Sunday at Glen Cove with their father, Mr. A. F. Ford and her sister, Mrs. John McManimin.

Mr. and Mrs. Oil Martin visited her uncle, Mr. Ed McClatchy at the Memorial Hospital in Brownwood Sunday afternoon. While he is not doing so well as he would like to be doing, he is able to be up a short time along.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitley Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Julian Whitley of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Seward and her sister, Mrs. Lois McDurdy of Eden and her mother, Mrs. May Rutherford.



A Present Threat

By GEORGE S. BENSON
President of Harding College
Searcy, Arkansas



AMERICA TODAY needs thinkers if any nation ever did. We not only have the responsibility of the world, but we have a debt of \$2,000 for every man, woman, and child. This means a debt of \$8,000 for a family of four. Just to pay the interest on that debt takes more Federal income than the nation ever raised from taxes in any year before the war. We have, also, the added costs of war pensions and expenditures for veterans.

Moreover, we must keep strong armed forces as a hope of not soon being in another war. Again and again we shall be called upon for relief and assistance to foreign countries. The \$400,000,000 for Greece and Turkey is only a beginning. The total demand over the next two years may run as much as \$3,000,000,000 above all present obligations. Demand is everywhere, at home and abroad.

Essentials TO MEET all of To Health these heavy demands we must have a healthy economy. This is not optional. It is a must. President Truman, Mr. Bernard Baruch, and others are calling for some of the essentials to a healthy economy. They have recently stressed longer hours, and higher productivity of the part of labor; lower profits and lower prices on the part of industry; and maximum production on the part of agriculture. They are good. They are essential, and I endorse all of them.

But one equally important item is being overlooked. It is so important, that I believe unless corrected properly it will act as a brake on our economy and prevent the very prosperity we all crave. I refer to taxes on incomes in the high brackets. The contention that we can keep the present high tax rate on big in-

comes and maintain a healthy economy is in my opinion fallacious. A dynamic economy like ours requires that a lot of men each year must not only dream dreams of achievement, but that they actually must venture into business in an effort to satisfy American consumers.

Desire To THIS is an obligation Venture upon men who have large amounts of capital. But men in the high brackets now are being taxed up to 85 per cent of their incomes. The take from income is so great as to threaten their willingness to risk. A man who could keep only 15 per cent of any additional income would not likely find it advisable to undergo the required risk necessary to increase his income.

Naturally, it is easy to say that those in the high brackets are the ones most able to pay, that they are the last ones to deserve any tax relief. It is also good politics to appeal to the many, with a determination to keep taxes on those "able to pay." But it is very bad for the future of the nation. Any policy that keeps competitive capital from going freely into the tools of production to make goods and provide jobs is, in the long run, going to reduce the national income, reduce the number of good jobs and reduce wages.

Sustained high investment of private capital in the tools of production is the only possible road to sustained high wages and full employment. May we have the courage and the wisdom to correct this dangerous threat to our future before it is too late, regardless of immediate political repercussions. May we look to the welfare of the many, and keep America ever the land of the free.

BOB AND JOE SHELTON and The Sunshine Boys. Plus screen attraction, "Yin Can't Cheat An Honest Man" with W. C. Fields and Charlie McCarthy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Johnson returned here Sunday afternoon. As you know, Mrs. Johnson (Ethel) has been here for some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben McIver, but she spent last week with her husband at San Antonio where Mr. Johnson won the title of State Champion in the Annual State Rifle Meet held there last week. This is Mr. Johnson's second time to win this honor. Once in 1941 and again this year. His picture appears in the San Antonio Daily News with him holding the big bronze placard he received Sunday as winner over all other competitors. Mr. Johnson started in while a young man making rifle shooting his hobby and in World War I his job in the army was to teach rifle shooting. Since then he has continued to work at this kind of a job and now has his own Rifle Shop in San Antonio. His friends here congratulate him for the honors he has received.

Saturday night. Visitors Saturday night in the Floyd Henry home were: Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wallace of Coleman, Mrs. Cecil Talley of Shields and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Talley of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Smith of Brady visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Baker spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McClain of Rockwood.

Misses Sara Ann and Emma Lee Livingston spent the week-end in Coleman with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Livingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Corellous and Miss Nora Knight were dinner guests in the Sam Smith home Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Henry visited Wednesday with Miss Nora Knight and Mrs. Bill Corellous.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Livingston were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chaney Sunday.

Bobby Nell Hipp spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Dan Manley in Brownwood.

Gouldbusk News

(Alene Menges)

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Baker of this community and Mr. and Mrs. Hap Fowler of Coleman attended the Baker family reunion over the week-end at Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Henry Livingston and family visited over the week-end with their brother, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Livingstone and family.

Coming to QUEEN THEATRE Tuesday night, July 8, in person, BOB AND JOE SHELTON and The Sunshine Boys. Plus screen attraction, "Yin Can't Cheat An Honest Man" with W. C. Fields and Charlie McCarthy.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith entertained their little grandson of Ft. Worth, with a wiener roast

Paint Your House Today Don't Delay
See C. L. Hodges
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Visitors at Sunday School were

Mrs. Edgar Cole and daughter, Ocala of Lecky community, her mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary Cole, Sybil Hearne of Brownwood and Mrs. Willis Burney and son, Rocke of Artesia Wells, Texas.

Miss Reba Haynes spent Sunday in the Etoile Cozart home at Whon.

Peggy Ford spent Sunday with Lois Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster spent Sunday with their son, Virgil Lancaster and wife at Leaday.

Mrs. Ed Stearns and children spent Saturday night with Mrs. Gene James.

Mrs. Talma Edge McClatchy, Jr. spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Martin and

Minola.

Rev. Miss Nellie Hill and Miss Laura Dolin visited members of the Whon Nazarene church here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson attended the revival meeting at the Cleveland Church of Christ last Sunday.

Mrs. Ona Vaughn Robertson and daughter, Nan of Houston, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Lee Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ford and family visited in the Ben McIver home Sunday.

Tuesday morning. Latest news from Mrs. Charlie Haynes is that she is better and may come home today.

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In a recent survey of this subject, 50 of the largest businesses in America, employing several million workers, were asked to give starting figures on the men who are now their top management.

Here are the results. One started for \$1.50 a week—eleven others for less than \$5.

Forty-three others started work for less than \$10 a week.

Eighty-one others received between \$10 and \$25 a week. And only 7 received more than \$25 a week—the highest getting paid \$69.23 a week.

The average starting wage of all 143 was \$13.40 a week. Thus every one of these managers, it can be truthfully stated, worked up from the bottom rung of the business ladder.

When you think of the head of a big business, think of a young man who once drew an envelope at the end of the week with \$13.40 in it.

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Former Trickham Citizen Writes Poem

As we read beautiful poems, we often wonder who wrote them and what inspired them to write the poem. Here is one we often read and once heard Mrs. Homer Goodgion give as a reading. Not knowing that the 15 year old girl who composed it was at one time a citizen of near Trickham. It also shows the fruits of the training of a Godly father and mother and may I say this to you, young Christian fathers and mothers, keep on teaching your children to love the Lord and who knows but that the seed you are sowing in years to come may bring forth fruit to the glory of God. God's Word says: "Train up a child in the way he should go; and when he is old, he will not depart from it."

Now to our poem.

THE BRIDGE BUILDER

Back in 1904 to 1908 Rev. M. L. Hines, who was an old fashioned Baptist preacher lived on the old Guthrie ranch south of Trickham and was a county missionary, preaching here for some time and it was while living here that this child daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Hines was inspired to write this poem. She said she had built for herself under a great liveoak tree on Mukewater Creek and in the old Biblical custom, a little altar where she often went to pray. After dinner on a cold, gray Christmas day in 1907 she said she and her father, accompanied by her little nephew, Howard Hines, now of Karnack, went down to her altar. There she knelt and thanked her Heavenly Father for the day on which His Son was born. Afterwards

the wandered down to Mukewater Creek and its cold blue-green bowing water. On the opposite side a Mexican shepherd waved. They waved back and then they started across to wish him a Merry Christmas. Her father stepped from rock to rock, the daughter hopping behind. Little Howard Hines, left behind began to cry, "Auntie, auntie." She turned to go back for him, but her father stopped her, saying, "Let us gather stones and build a bridge for him." They interspersed stones between the others for the short legs of Howard, who then came across. The face of the Mexican shepherd was a study. "Why you no peek him up? Why you make useless work?" Her father's reply, she said was an inspiration. "After I am gone," she said he told the shepherd, "he can cross on the bridge that I have laid." That night the 15 year old religious girl scratched down a rhyme on a pencil tablet. Her parents thought it fine. Later she showed it to Superintendent Woolford of the Whon school, who said it had a deep theme and had her make him a copy of it. Woolford moved to Coleman and the Hines family returned to East Texas where in 1915 she was teaching school at Oak Grove, Rusk county, and was the wife of her first husband, Edgar Smith. One day in reading the magazine of the National Educational Association, she came on a poem. She said that it jumped out at her. "Oh, that's mine," she told her husband and read to him:

An old man going a lone pathway,
Came one evening, old and gray,
To a chasm deep and wide.
The old man crossed in the twilight dim.
The sullen stream had no fear for him.
But he turned when safe on the other side
And built a bridge to span the tide.
"Old Man," said the shepherd near,
"You're wasting your strength with building here,
Your journey will end with the closing day;
You never again will pass this way.
You've crossed the chasm, deep and wide,
Why build a bridge at eventide?"
The builder lifted his old gray head,
"Good friend, in the path I've come," he said,
"There follows after me today—
A youth whose feet must pass this way.
This chasm that was naught to me
To that youth may a pitfall be.
He, too, must cross in the twilight dim—
Good friend, I'm building this bridge for him!"

How did it get in print? She said she supposed Woolford sent it in. Why not prove the authorship with the original and witnesses? Most of the witnesses, she said, are dead. She has not heard from Woolford in years and when their home burned in 1934, the original was destroyed, she says. Then why not lay claim to it? The fact an inspiring message is reprinted is enough for me.

The writer of this poem is now Mrs. W. J. Alexander of Route 2, Nacogdoches, Texas. Until two months ago, she taught in the Bible School of the Congregational Methodist Church in Dallas of which she is an ordained

minister. She is now in very ill health and has had to give up her ministry. Her father and mother have both passed on and she awaits God's call to join them in that land where there will be no separations. In her letter she recalls the names of only a few she knew while here — the Guthries, Risingers, Featherstons, Lancasters and Shields. Also the Jenkins family and their school teacher daughter, Ethel Limroth. She speaks of Ethel being so kind and nice to her when she and her father would visit in their home. There is much more I could say about this lady but space forbids.

Beulah Kingston

FARM FACTS
WORTH KNOWING

Q. Is it safe to use a sprayer for other purposes after it has been used for applying 2-4D Weed Killer?

A. Sprayers with wooden tanks should not be used again for anything but weed killer. Sprayers with metal tanks may be used for other purposes, although weed killer residues are difficult to remove and it is recommended that a different sprayer be used for insecticide or fungicide applications. If this cannot be done, your equipment should be carefully and thoroughly cleaned immediately after use, as follows:

1. Rinse thoroughly with water; fill tank with hot water; add household ammonia at rate of 2 teaspoons per quart of water, and mix. Spray out small amounts of solution and leave remainder in tank overnight.
2. Drain and rinse, spraying small quantities through nozzles.
3. Fill sprayer about a third full with hot soapy water, spraying out small amounts.
4. Drain and follow with clean water rinse.

Q. If pigs are vaccinated against Cholera by the double treatment method when they are six weeks of age, will they have life-time immunity?

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Q. How often should the laying flock be culled, and what is the best method?

A. While it has been common practice to cull during the months of July, August and September, recently more and more poultrymen cull on a monthly basis. They go into the houses at night when the birds are on roost and, using a strong flashlight, remove all birds which show "crow heads," pale, shriveled combs, yellow beaks or other indications of being out of production. This system has the advantage of not disturbing the birds and does not require the handling of the entire flock. After using the flashlight method, it is a good thing to go over the birds that have been removed the next day to be sure they are definitely culls.

Send your questions about livestock or poultry problems to FARM FACTS, 835 South Eighth Street, St. Louis 2, Missouri. Questions will be answered without charge, either by mail or in this column, as a service of this newspaper.

Rockwood News
(Mrs. Ray Caldwell)

Hot, dry weather is still with us.

You each have a special invitation to come and be with us during the Baptist revival which is now in progress.

Mrs. Claude Hardee and Mrs. A. N. Cullum of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Mayo of Duncan, Okla.; and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Allen of Los Angeles were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Steward and sister, Mrs. Ray Caldwell last week.

Mrs. Herman Estes and children have returned home after a visit of a week with friends in the Rio Grande Valley.

Donnie Estes is visiting his brother, Vernon Estes and family of Bovina.

Mrs. Bill Bryan is suffering of a spider bite.

Sam Grant, Sam Rutherford, Demby Wise, Carl Buttry and Howard Blackwell are on the plains with their trucks and combines.

Coming to QUEEN THEATRE Tuesday night, July 8, in person, BOB AND JOE SHELTON and The Sunshine Boys. Plus screen attraction, "Yin Can't Cheat An Honest Man" with W. C. Fields and Charlie McCarthy.

When Your Back Hurts -
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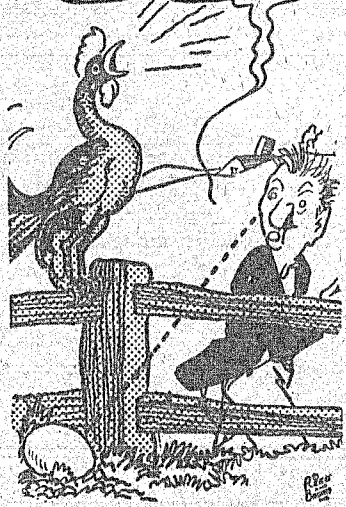
You may suffer nagging headache, rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness, getting up at night, leg pains, swelling. Sometimes frequent and scanty urination with smarting and burning is another sign that something is wrong with the kidneys or bladder.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Box and son of San Angelo visited his mother, Mrs. Velma Box Sunday.

Mrs. E. L. Hill of Houston spent last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. King and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Black and son, Gary of San Angelo spent Saturday night and Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Estes of Brady spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Steward and boys and Denny Caldwell went to Carlsbad Caverns, and Portales, New Mexico; Juarez, Mexico; El Paso and other points last week. They reported a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caldwell of McAllen spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell. Talmadge returned to their home with them.

Mrs. Reed Steward, H. R. and Elton of Lohn visited in the Ray Caldwell home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell of Santa Anna spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box.

Mrs. L. E. Abernathy of Santa Anna and Mrs. Howard Lovelady visited with Mrs. J. C. Ferguson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Lee Estes was honored with a bridal shower at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Sam Estes with Mrs. Boss Estes as co-hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell enjoyed a fish fry on the Llano river Thursday. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Richeau of Mason. Mrs. Richeau is the mother of Mrs. Chas. Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Lovelady of Velasco visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lovelady.

Mr. Amos Caldwell of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Timmins of Dallas and Mrs. Octavia Timmins of Marshall visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shufford last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller and Betty Ruth visited relatives in Big Spring last week.

Mrs. R. L. Steward spent Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Ray Caldwell.

Little Miss Bobbie Rehm spent Sunday with Patsy Bryan.

Remember, what you do and where you go makes the news. Please let me know about it.

Eureka News
(Mrs. R. W. Aschenbeck)

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Elkins and children of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Elkins and family Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mashburn and son and Mrs. Paul Mashburn of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lovelace on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Cecil Hamlett and children and Mrs. John Terry and children of Coleman visited Mrs. Joe C. Brooks and family Friday evening.

Mrs. G. H. McNamara at Camp Colorado.

Rev. B. D. Meeker was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ferguson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Aschenbeck and Jean and Mr. and Mrs. Thelbert Elkins of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Elkins and family Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Mitchell and daughter, Billy and Sybil King of San Angelo spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lovelace.

Coming to QUEEN THEATRE Tuesday night, July 8, in person, BOB AND JOE SHELTON and The Sunshine Boys. Plus screen attraction, "Yin Can't Cheat An Honest Man" with W. C. Fields and Charlie McCarthy.

Mrs. Ruth Elkins of Coleman spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Curry.

Our revival meeting will begin Friday night, July 11. Rev. Harry Hames of Brownwood will do the preaching. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. A. N. Wade and children of Brownwood and Barbara Wade of Elvasville spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Lovelace.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Gilliam, Sandra and Betty Lou visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Aschenbeck and Jean Sunday.

Veterans News

Upwards of 150,000 World War II veterans are now taking correspondence courses under the G. I. Bill, the Veterans Administration announced recently.

The courses cover a wide range of subjects, including such specialized studies as gemology, criminology, yacht designing, cinematography, industrial plastics and air conditioning.

VA has contracts with approximately 130 state - approved schools, colleges, universities and other institutions to give veterans mail order courses at govern-

ment expense.

Veterans may be enrolled only in those correspondence courses for which contracts have been negotiated, VA said. Subsistence allowance may not be paid.

Information can be secured from the nearest VA office.

Three out of five, or 61 per cent of all World War II veterans are under 30 years of age, according to a new VA tabulation.

Based on the estimated total of 14,361,000 World War II veterans as of June 30, 1947, the under 30 group accounts for 8,785,000 veterans. Of these, 43,000 are under 20 years of age.

VA estimates the average age of all World War II veterans at 29.1 years as of June 30.

More than two and a quarter billion dollars has been spent to provide education and on-the-job training for veterans of World War II.

This was revealed this week when VA reported cumulative expenditures of \$2,283,000,000 by May 1 for education and training under the G. I. Bill and the Vocational Rehabilitation Act for disabled veterans.

The report showed expenditures during the first 10 months of the 1947 fiscal year increasing 350 per cent over cumulative prior costs.

Tabulated in the expenditures are costs for counseling, supplies, equipment, tuition, subsistence allowances and increased payments over pensions due to vocational training for disabled veterans.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Moral Integrity in Our Everyday Lives

LESSON TEXT FOR JULY 6—Job 1:1; 27:1-5; 31:19-23.
MEMORY SELECTION—My righteousness I hold fast; and will not let it go; my heart shall not reproach me so long as I live.—Job 27:5.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Lesson subjects and Scripture texts selected and copyrighted by International Council of Religious Education, used by permission.

By HAROLD LEFUNDQUIST, D. D., of The Moody Bible Institute, Chicago.
MODERN problems may well be solved by the principles found in Old Testament Scripture. Man is essentially the same as he always has been; sin and temptation to evil have only changed their outer trimmings. Above all, the Word of God is eternal in its validity and effectiveness.

We learn from Job and his experiences that it is possible to live by the grace of God, that he can be pleased with our lives. That is an encouraging fact. Job was just a man, but he was a man who was

I. Upright and Good (1:1).

SOME liberal critics of the Bible have tried to prove that Job was not a real man, but other Scripture makes it clear that the words "there was a man" (v.1) states a fact. (See Ezek. 14:14 and 20; James 5:11)

He was a man with a large family, with great flocks and herds, and so a man of business, and the husband and father in a growing and active household. But in it all he was upright, and a good, God-fearing man.

Many make excuses for their failure to serve the Lord. They say that their business duties and relationships make it just about impossible. Others say that family situations and responsibilities keep them from service and worship of the Lord.

The experience of Job explodes all such excuses and squarely faces us with the fact that it is possible to live for God in the midst of the very circumstances of modern life.

II. Tried and True (27:1-5).

AFTER Job had lost his property, his children and even his health, three of his friends came to comfort him. But they only added to his sorrow by accusing him of being sinful, and suffering only what he deserved.

Job in these verses is replying to them. We note that in his ignorance of God's purposes, he accused God of being cruel to him (27:2; 30:21). This matter was later to be straightened out with the Lord.

But even now when he did not understand God's dealings, and stood there sick and destitute, he maintained his integrity. He would not turn from the Lord, nor would he be led off by wickedness.

It is possible for a man to be beaten and humiliated and bewildered, and still true to the Lord. Let's never forget that!

III. Kind and Fair (31:19-23).

JOB had been a rich man, but had not let his own prosperity dim his eye so that he could not see the need of his poor neighbor. He was not among those who, because they are well fed, can see no point in all the fuss about the hungry people around about.

There is something very fine and worthy of our imitation here. It is so easy to take what we have as a special favor from the Lord, to be retained and used by us, when we ought to recognize it as a matter of stewardship for the Lord.

A vital part of real moral integrity is the right use of possessions. Many a man or woman who has passed all the other tests with flying colors comes to grief at this point.

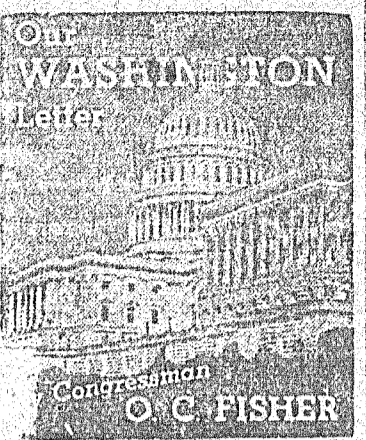
IV. Spiritual and Faithful (31:24-28).

THERE were plenty of temptations in Job's day, as there are now, to depart from the worship of the true God to other modes of devotion.

The worship of the sun was common, and Jeremiah 44:17 shows that it continued for generations. In fact, what shall we say of the world-wide devotion to astrology in our day.

Then there was the temptation to worship gold. How up-to-date that is, for do we not have millions who worship "the almighty dollar," yes, even if they do not have it.

To all such temptations Job said



Should the U. S. admit 400,000 of Europe's displaced persons?

That question was debated on the American Forum of the Air broadcast last week in which I took a part supporting the negative. My opening statement included the following, which contains some of my reasons for opposing this pending legislation:

"By all means, these attempts to break down our immigration laws, scuttle our quota system and admit 400,000 Eastern Europeans should be defeated. "Already, under existing laws, we can admit a total of 154,000 quota immigrants each year, mostly from Europe. A total of 312,000 aliens, including tourists, business men and transients, were admitted last year, and that does not include the unknown number who came in illegally. Under our quota law we are now admitting about 1,600 a month from our Displaced Persons camps in Germany.

Church Notices

BUFFALO BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching Services, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 8:00 p. m.
Preaching Service, 8:45 p. m.
Wednesday night prayer service, 8:00 p. m.
Brotherhood Meeting each Tuesday before Fourth Sunday.
W. M. S. Meetings twice month.
Rev. J. W. Ballard, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Bible School 10 A. M. Geo. P. Richardson, Supt.
Communion and Preaching service 11 A. M.
Ernest H. Wylie, Pastor.

Cumberland Presbyterian Church
Sunday School at 10: a.m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.
Preaching Services first and second Sunday evenings. Fourth Sunday morning and evening.
J. W. Burgett, pastor.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Church School 10:00 a.m., Mr. Hardy Blue, Supt.
Morning Worship 11: 00 a.m.
Evening Worship Services 8:00 p. m.
Methodist Youth Fellowship 7:30 p. m.
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m., 2nd and 4th Sundays.
Ladies Auxiliary, Mondays following each 2nd Sunday.
Choir Practice, 8 p.m. each Friday.
Ben H. Moore, pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Preaching services 11:00 a.m.
Training Union, 7:00 p. m.
Preaching Service, 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Service, 8:00 p. m.
S. R. Smith, pastor.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p. m.
Sunday Young People's Service 8:00 p. m.
Thursday and Saturday Services 7:00 p. m.
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James C. Nelson, pastor.

a resolute "No." He would not even permit his innermost heart to be enticed secretly (v. 27). He stood true for the God he loved and served.

Who will question that one of our greatest needs in the world today is for men and women who, by the grace and blessing of God, will live good and upright lives, true to the Lord, and sacrificial, in real loving-kindness to men. God give us men, yes, that kind of men!
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"But those who want to break down our immigration laws say that is not enough. They want to bring in 400,000 over and above the quota allotments under the existing law.

"Our quota system is sound and should not be disturbed. Under it the number who may be admitted during a year is limited to a percentage of the people of that same nationality living here in 1920. The quota system is based on the desire of Congress to preserve the racial composition of this country through the selection of immigrants from those countries whose traditions, languages and political systems historically were akin to ours.

"I maintain we have no obligation to admit those 400,000. Let us first rehabilitate our own underprivileged, provide housing and jobs for our own people, before burdening our problems and our economy with an influx of job-seekers; and perhaps many trouble-makers.

"Instead of relaxing our immigration laws, I favor reducing the number who can come in for at least a few years. Why pollute our country with this vast number of people, many of whom, I am reliably informed are among the dregs and riff-raff of Eastern Europe?"

Supporting me in this debate was Mr. Omar B. Ketchum, National Legislative Representative, Veterans of Foreign Wars. On the other side were Congressman Emanuel Celler of New York and Mr. Edward Mark O'Connor, Executive Assistant, War Relief Services, National Catholic Welfare Conference.

The fact is that a major portion of the 700,000 displaced persons now in the American and British camps in Germany entered the camps long after the war ended. Army officers just back from Europe assure me that many of those people are undesirable, subversives and trouble-makers. They are looking for a soft life and many get into the camps in order to enter the U. S.

Most of them are from Yugoslavia, Poland and the Baltic countries. Gen. Lowell Rooks, who has had charge of our camps over there, came back recently to report that nearly all these people could safely be repatriated to their own countries if they were willing to return. "Let them go home where, I am convinced, the greater part of them would find their best opportunity to rehabilitate themselves", said

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Gen. Rooks. More than seven million have already been repatriated to their native lands since the war's end, and Gen. Rooks said he knew of no instance of persecution upon return.

Our only hope of survival in a mad world is to keep this country virile and strong. That can not be done if we become simply a dumping ground for undesirable of other lands. Our immigrants who are admitted should be limited to a good stock of people.

"Looking 'round"

(Continued from page 1)

magnanimity, and we have injured them by the ties of our common kindred to disavow these usurpations, which would inevitably interrupt our connections, and correspondence. They too have been deaf to the voice of justice and of consanguinity. We must, therefore, acquiesce in the necessity, which denounces our Separation, and hold them, as we hold the rest of mankind, Enemies in War, in Peace Friends.

We, therefore, the Representatives of the United States of America, in General Congress, Assembled, appealing to the Supreme Judge of the world for the rectitude of our intentions, do in the Name and by the Authority of the Good People of these Colonies, solemnly publish and declare, That these United Colonies are, and of Right ought to be Free and Independent States; that they are Absolved from all Allegiance to the British Crown, and that all political connection between them and the State of Great Britain, is and ought to be totally dissolved; and that as Free and Independent States, they have full Powers to levy War, conclude Peace, contract Alliances, establish Commerce, and to do all other acts and things that Independent States may of right do. And for the support of this

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(NOTE — The remaining signatures are omitted).

Clyde Bartlett and sons, in returning from a visit to his sister, Mrs. R. E. Albright in Baton Rouge, La., to their home in Merkel, stopped and visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edd Bartlett. They brought Reta Grace Albright and she will spend the summer with her grandparents. Clyde's youngest son, Ralph, also remained for a visit. Clyde, Jr., who has been attending L. S. U. at Baton Rouge accompanied his father home.

Mr. Amos Caldwell of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Timmins of Dallas, Mrs. Octavia Timmins of Marshall visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shuford of Rockwood last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Neely Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean and son, Ray, returned last week from a vacation trip over Texas, New

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Mexico and Oklahoma. Points of interest included Carlsbad Caverns, Oklahoma City and the Denison Dam. They also enjoyed seeing the great wheat fields of Texas now being harvested. At Hereford they visited Mrs. Onie Phillips, sister of Mr. Dean and Mrs. Evans.

Mr. C. F. Horner of Comanche is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. L. McCullough and his brother, J. J. Horner.

Mrs. W. F. Smith is visiting in the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Virgel Loudemay and other relatives in San Angelo.

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National and International News Hi-Lights of the Week

Republican Senator Flanders of Vermont suggested last Thursday that President Truman urge voluntary meat rationing, to help check what he called a "really serious" living cost spiral. He stated that continued floods kill hope of a drop in the price of food.

A decree published Thursday of last week directed that huge groups of Russian youths, previously subject to a military call-up, be diverted to industrial training and service in the U. S. S. R.

It was announced from College Station last Friday that directors of Texas A. & M. College had established an 11 mile safety zone between freshmen and upperclassmen.

The estimated 1,500 first year students expected in September

will be taught and housed as far as possible at A. & M. Annex (a surplus army air field) 11 dusty miles from Aggieland. The board is vowed to stamp out hazing.

A dispatch from Bucharest last Friday stated police there had arrested several Roumanian customs officials charged with systematically looting relief packages sent by Americans to Roumanian friends or relatives. An estimated several thousand dollars worth of American parcels had been diverted to black market channels and sold to Roumanians at exorbitant prices.

The nation's 400,000 soft coal miners started a 10 day vacation Saturday and U. S. Steel Corporation announced immediate layoffs of 10,000 workers because of reduced operations in fuel-starved steel mills. Railroads were

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Shown examining the model and the regular bearings used in full-sized locomotives, pictured along the sides of the exhibit, are Walter C. Sanders, left, General Manager, Railway Division, of the Timken Roller Bearing Company, and Lawford H. Fry, Director of the Steam Locomotive Research Institute.

beginning to feel the pinch of the coal shutdown. Crewmen faced reduced working schedules.

At the week-end Southern Illinois residents, aided by soldiers, fought a desperate battle to save their homes as the rising Mississippi River battered at levees along a 60 mile front. A tremendous avalanche of water moved toward St. Louis Sunday, bringing predictions the highest crest in 100 years would be reached. The cost of the flood in Missouri, Illinois, Iowa and Nebraska is well over \$100 million.

U. N. R. R. A., the world's greatest relief organization, went out of business Monday. The

Director General, Maj. Gen. Lowell W. Rooks, declared Sunday that while it had not achieved economic recovery, "collapse has certainly so far been avoided." The U. S. contributed 72 per cent of the funds.

Reports from Washington on Monday stated the House had voted to make the Hawaiian Islands a state and add a 49th star to the flag. The vote was 196 to 133 in favor of the measure.

Top Chinese government leaders, in a five hour closed session, with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek decided Monday to order complete mobilization of manpower and resources for total gloves-off warfare with the communists, highly informed sources reported.

Interior Minister Edouard Depreux announced from Paris early this week the discovery of a "very widespread" plot by an organization known as the Black Marquis to overthrow the French republic and set up a military dictatorship. A number of prominent military men and civilians have been arrested.

Texas will provide more adequately for its people during the next two years than ever before in the commonwealth's history, Gov. Beauford H. Jester told the Texans Tuesday night in a radio address, in which he made a report on the Fiftieth Legislature.

ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY

WEAVER FAMILY HAS REUNION

A very enjoyable event took place last Sunday when Dr. and Mrs. Strozler entertained at their little country home recently completed on their ranch nine miles north of Santa Anna. The occasion was a reunion of Mrs. Strozler and her brothers and sisters, children of the late Col. and Mrs. A. G. Weaver, who are remembered by many old timers here as substantial pioneer citizens who contributed much of help and influence toward the up building of the town and community. The six remaining children of the family include Mrs. A. B. Strozler, Mrs. R. D. Moore of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Nettie Mitchell of Santa Anna, Dr. Thad W. Weaver of San Antonio and Ernest and Leon Weaver of Brownwood and Coleman.

A sumptuous dinner was spread at noon under a huge liveoak tree in the yard and the afternoon was spent in pleasant conversation and reliving old times and experiences and reviving memories of a happy childhood.

Other relatives present besides the ones mentioned above were Mrs. Ernest Weaver, S. E. Weaver, Jr., Allison Weaver and Miss Virginia Weaver, all of Brownwood; Mrs. Burgess Weaver of Santa Anna; Mrs. Pearl Bosworth, Miss Maxine Bosworth and Miss Ruby Weaver, all of Dallas, and Miss Vivien Mitchell of Santa Anna.

Mrs. Mary Talley left for her home at Nixon Monday after a visit of two weeks with her son, Arthur Talley and family. Mrs. Arthur Talley, who has been quite sick, is able to be out again.

A son named Curtis De Wayne and weighing eight pounds and seven ounces, was born on Sunday, June 22, in the Sealy Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Baker.

Mr. Sam McCrary was taken to the Sealy Hospital again this week having suffered another heart attack. He had been in the hospital recently following an attack but was getting along quite well at home until the attack of Monday.

Byron McDonald and Doris Jane Henderson and their mothers, Mrs. T. G. McDonald and Mrs. Payne Henderson were in Dallas for the week-end. On Saturday night they heard the broadcast of the Stamps Singing School which was attended by 10,000 people and was held in the Sportatorium. The others came home Sunday afternoon but Doris Jane went to Denton and visited several days with friends.

Miss Kathryn Baxter, Mrs. W. E. Baxter, Mrs. Basil Gilmore and Tom and Mrs. Norval Wylie and her three children spent Tuesday in the ranch home of the Henry Newmans west of Coleman.

Time For School Transfer Requests, Lovelace Reminds

Parents of all county students who will attend schools outside their home districts should apply for transfers in the County Superintendent's Office, D. E. Lovelace, superintendent, has announced.

Transfers from Anderson, Indian Creek and Junction must be filed individually this year, as a blanket transfer of all will not be executed by contract this time as in the past.

Since the outcome of the proposed consolidation program in the Santa Anna territory will probably not be known in advance of the transfer deadline date, all students outside the Santa Anna District who will attend the Santa Anna School must transfer during the month of July as in the past.

Transfers are good for one year only. A transfer made last July is not good for the school year 1947-48.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Powell returned Sunday from a trip of several weeks which took them through seven states. In Indianapolis they visited with their daughter and at Effingham, Ill., with his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Griffin visited at the week-end with relatives in Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Coleman.

Mrs. G. F. Barlett is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. O. J. Walker and family at Shamrock.

Lawanda Benton is now employed in the office of Garner-Alvis at Brownwood.

Elmo and Scott Wallace left last week for Sebastian, where they will be busy for two months or more ginning cotton.

Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Peyton and son of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith and Mr. Brooks Peyton last week-end.

Miss Lovene Cross of Dallas visited last week with Mrs. Betty Sackett, returning home Saturday.

Evelyn Bruce and Martha Dobson of Talpa, accompanied by Martha's mother, Mrs. Dobson, will attend the Pecos rodeo.

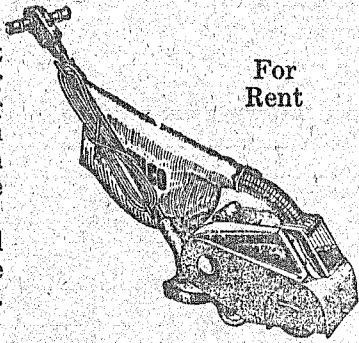
Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Munger and children of Abilene and Mrs. Blanche Baker visited with Mrs. Annie Munger last Sunday.

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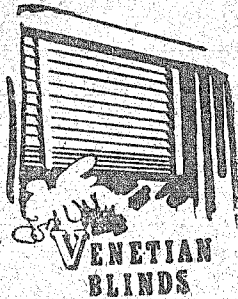
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Handicraft, Play Cooking Stressed At 4-H Encampment

Coleman, July 1. (SC) — Handicraft, camp cookery and recreation were stressed at the Coleman County 4-H Girls Encampment held on the Raymond McElrath farm June 25 and 26. The schedule and activities of the camp were patterned after the District Training Camp held at Christoval, June 10 to 12 and attended by three girls, a leader and the agent from Coleman county.

Twenty eight girls from seven clubs, 13 leaders and the agent were present for the camp. Handicraft activities included plastic braiding and making book covers and was under the direction of Mrs. D. S. Milligan of Shields, assisted by Nancy Jo Adian of Fisk.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson of Buffalo, assisted by Frances Casey of Buffalo, were in charge of camp cookery.

Camp recreation was led by Mrs. Welton Holt of Gouldbusk and Cleo Belle Biggs of Fisk, assisted by the agent, Miss Jo Garland. An outstanding feature on Wednesday night was the candlelighting service, as planned and directed by Mrs. Holt. On the camp fire each person presented a stick of wood and made a wish. Four Shields 4-H Club girls assisted Mrs. Holt in the ceremony and lighted the candle of each person present.

Mrs. Luther Holder of the Brown Ranch H. D. Club was food chairman. Mrs. Roy Tomlinson of Silver Valley was chairman of camp sanitation.

Camp expenses were paid by the Coleman County Farm Bureau.

Leaders plan to make the camp an annual affair and hope the girls will keep that in mind during the school year. Girls who attended the camp had completed their story and record for last year or had exhibited something at the county rally which made them eligible for attending camp. About 40 were present.

Attending from Santa Anna were Mrs. J. F. Goen and Rilda Carol Stephenson.

Trade in Santa Anna.

Miss Sally Moore Is Honored

On Sunday afternoon, June 29, Miss Sally Moore was honored when three of her friends, Misses Patsy Cavanaugh, Doris Jane Deal and Aletha Ballard, surprised her with a birthday party, the three being hostesses.

The group played games and made candy, after which the honoree was presented with numerous gifts.

Guests were given a string which they were requested to follow which led to a sealed envelope. The envelope of the honoree contained directions which led to a waste basket in which she found her gifts concealed under crumpled paper.

A nice time was had by all and the girls talked over plans for entering various colleges this fall.

Baptist Women Hosts

On Monday afternoon, June 30 the Missionary Societies of the Santa Anna churches met with the W. M. S. at the Baptist church at 3 o'clock.

The meeting opened by singing "Lead On O King Eternal" by the group.

The theme for the afternoon program was "America, Must Be Christian". Mrs. S. R. Smith read appropriate passages and made interesting comments. Mrs. L. A. Singleton gave a piano solo.

The following topics were very ably discussed: "America and the World Crisis," by Mrs. B. A. Parker; "How Christian is America?" by Mrs. Lon Gray, and "Meeting the Crisis," by Mrs. A. D. Donham, Jr.

A group of girls, Anne and Martha Priddy, Barbara Bruce, Patsy Fulton and Jean Rowe, led by Mrs. Irvin Tabor, sang "Holy Spirit Breathe on Me".

At the close of the program, Mrs. T. R. Sealy, president of the combined groups, conducted a short business session, with Mrs. Dovie Chapman reading the minutes of the previous meeting. The next meeting will be with the Methodist women Monday, September 29.

Refreshments of angel food cake and fruit punch were served to about 45 women during the social period.

Many seasonal flowers were used in the decorations.

SANTA ANNA H. D. CLUB WINS SECOND PLACE

In the exhibits by Coleman County Home Demonstration Clubs, which were on display in Coleman last week, the Santa Anna club won second place with their exhibit of kitchen aprons and kitchen curtains. After being exhibited in Penney's window for several days they were brought here and placed in the window at Parker's Tailor Shop for a like time.

THE BIG ONES GOT AWAY

Mr. I. E. Haney, who works at Uvalde came at the week-end and visited with the family. On Monday they and a group of relatives went on a fishing trip to the river near Leaday. Four Haney brothers and one sister were together for the first time in 10 years. They caught plenty of fish and returned home Wednesday and Mr. Haney left for his home at Uvalde.

Miss Olga Niell, R. N., came from San Antonio last Thursday, where she has been nursing. After visiting with her mother, Mrs. Ola Niell until Tuesday she left for Temple where she has employment at the Veterans Hospital.

Mr. Marvin Dixon of Scudavesta, Calif. left for his home Wednesday after a visit of a month with his sister, Mrs. Geo. Wells and Mr. Wells and other relatives in this part of the country.

The meeting which was held at the Cleveland Church of Christ came to a close Sunday night after a nine days duration. Attendance and interest were good throughout the services. The preaching was done by Odell Purdy of Lampasas. The meeting resulted in six baptisms.

Wayne Wilson of Belton spent last week here visiting his cousin, Alvin Mallett.

Ann and Martha Priddy returned home Saturday afternoon from Moody, where they had been visiting their grandmother, Mrs. George Shipp.

Mrs. Tom Wheatley returned the first part of the week from a visit to Dallas where her husband has been a hospital patient for several weeks. She states that Mr. Wheatley is not improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Golston and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul James of Abilene visited Friday and Friday night in Ft. Worth. On Saturday they came by Glen Rose and brought Evelyn Oakes, Lois Ann Shields and Carolyn Burdren home. They had been attending the Methodist camp for juniors.

Mrs. Leroy Curry visited the Carlsbad Caverns last week and came back by Sweetwater and spent several days with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Curry and family.

Mrs. Albert Stephenson of Brownwood is visiting Miss Mollie Lowe this week.

Mrs. J. L. Boggus and her nephew, George Vaughan of Ft. Worth, who is visiting the Boggus and Hoshch families, left Monday for San Antonio to visit their sister and aunt, Mrs. V. F. Carpenter for several days. Mrs. Carpenter is expected to return home with them.

Mrs. A. Holman is visiting with her children at Kermit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Petree and daughters of Merkel and Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Wylie spent two days last week visiting with relatives in Dallas and Whitesboro.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their many kind deeds and expressions of sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father. — Mrs. J. L. Kelly and children.

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For every act of kindness extended to Mrs. E. P. Rendeman and to us during her illness and at her death, we wish to express our sincere appreciation. May God abundantly bless each of you. — Her relatives.

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"Swing The Western Way"

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Potatoes lb. .06 New Red Triumphs

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Potato Salad Made In Our Market Daily, lb. .27

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HOT BARBECUE COOKED DAILY

Wieners, skinless, lb. .33

RATH'S Pressed Ham, Black Hawk, lb. .49

FRESH Fryers, dressed and drawn, lb. .63

CHOICE Beef Roast, seven or chuck, lb. .39

Oleo, Mayflower Brand, lb. .35

FIVE ASSORTED FLAVORS Pure Fruit Jelly, 5 lb. jar, only .69

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Pineapple Juice, Del Monte, can .21

Tomato Juice, Libby's, 2 cans .25

Canning Season is Here!

Fruit Jars - Cans Jar rings & lids - Jar lids

Salamon, Tomah Brand, can .43

CARNATION Milk, 2 large cans .25

WHOLE, SOUP OR DILL Pickles, quart .28