

Football Queen

Laura Dunn Passes Away Oct. 9.



NELL KINNISON

Nell Kinnison, recently elected Queen of the Panthers, was crowned last Friday night before a large and enthusiastic crowd. Trumpeters Billy Brogdon and George Edward Eppler heralded the Queen's approach and struck up a lively air as she mounted the throne, where she was crowned Panther Queen for 1941-42 by Captain Edward Clark. Escorted by the co-captains, Clark and Brown, to the accompaniment of the band, she marched to the center of the field, where Captain Timmons of Eastland greeted her. Then she was escorted to the Eastland section which gave her a rousing cheer, then across the field to the home section which also gave her hearty applause. Here Wanda Brown, president of the Junior Class, presented her a large arm corsage of chrysanthemums, a gift from the Clark Floral Shop.

She left the field with the pep leaders, Mary Moorman, Johnnie Capers, Frances Ellison and Louise Claxton, substituting for Faye McCulley who was ill.

The brunette beauty of the Panther Queen was enhanced by the glistening white of her satin blouse, pleated skirt and boots. Nell is Gorman's fourth Football Queen, but the first to reign over the new Panther Park.

THE WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Monday to continue the Mission Study, using the book, Christian Imperative, as a foundation. The service began by singing, "I Love Thy Church," Mrs. Brummett, the Supt. of Study, was in charge of the service. Mrs. Stubblefield talked on "The Responsibility of the Church in the Present Difficulties, and, As the English See Us. Mrs. Kimble gave two interesting articles from the General and Texas Advocates on the Church. Mrs. Barton Eppler sang, "Are Ye Able." Mrs. Willie Clark told how the Bible Saved Madagascar. Mrs. Shell gave an article on, "The Church Should Repent." Each talk was good.

The society adjourned by singing, "Take My Life and Let It Be."

One of the most enjoyable events of the Woman's Society of Christian Service was Wednesday, Oct. 8, when the members of the society met with their guests in a Fellowship Luncheon in the Sunday School rooms. The rooms were decorated with a variety of flowers which added much to the beauty of the occasion.

Mmes. Webb and McGlamery of Eastland and Hagaman of Ranger were special guests.

Laura Priscilla Dunn was born December 12, 1869 in Erath county and passed away Oct. 9, 1941 at the Blackwell Sanitarium following an illness of some two weeks or more.

She was married to Allen Dunn at Stephenville, Texas, on August 6, 1883, and they were the parents of two girls and six boys all of whom were with her during her illness.

Soon after her marriage she was converted and united with the Methodist church, and always had lived a devoted Christian life. She was a lovely lady and was loved by all who knew her.

She leaves her husband and eight children, nine grandchildren, twelve great-grandchildren; two sisters and three brothers, and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn her passing.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunn had made their home in Sipe Springs for many years, and had friends here who offer condolences.

Excelsior Club

The Excelsior Club met October 14 with Mrs. Lawrence Eison as hostess. The members motored out to the home of Mrs. Eison for this meeting.

Mrs. Richey, president, presided over the business session. The secretary reported that Club Yearbooks had been sent to the State and District Committees. Mrs. Eison was elected as club Critic. Mrs. Sallie Bishop and Mrs. Clara Cokerill were elected to Associate Membership in the Club.

Plans for the Thanksgiving luncheon were made. Mrs. Field of Stephenville will be guest speaker at this meeting.

A very enthusiastic letter from the Sixth District President, Mrs. Mark Leverette, was read.

The Committee for Band Instrument Funds reported plans are being made to help raise funds to buy needed instruments. It was voted to sponsor a Games Tournament on Tuesday, October 21, at the School Gymnasium. Tables will be arranged for bridge, "42", dominoes and checkers. A group of tables with various kinds of games will be arranged for the convenience of high school students and young people of the town. Pie and coffee will be served. The admission will be 25 cents each ticket. Local patrons of the school are urged to attend or buy tickets to aid this worthy cause.

It was voted that club members bake pies for sale at the Halloween Carnival.

The topic for the program was Public Welfare, with Mrs. Brogdon as leader. Members answered roll call with "An Improvement Needed In Our Town." The improvements needed were quite varied in the opinion of the members. Some suggested Cemetery work, weeds cut on vacant lots, street work, traffic law enforcement in regard to double parking in the business session, school crossing safeguards, truck parking lot on side street, lowered summer water rates, a school lunchroom, and a school nurse.

Mrs. Brogdon gave a very interesting talk on Youth Meeting the Grown-Up World. Mrs. Lindsey discussed "Our Dependent Children."

Mrs. Edgar Walker, Jr., was a welcome guest of the club. A delicious salad plate was served by the hostess to nine members.

Don't forget the Game Tournament Oct. 21.

Thomas Pittman left Tuesday for Houston where he will be employed by the Bowen Bus Co., as Baggage Clerk. He has been employed at the Corner Drug Store for the past six years.

Mrs. Webb gave a dramatic reading which everyone enjoyed. Mrs. Edgar Walker rendered a special piano number which we all enjoyed. The luncheon was splendid.

—Pub. Supt.

TEXANS OF TODAY

OUTSTANDING LEADERS ACTIVELY ENGAGED IN THE CONSTRUCTIVE DEVELOPMENT AND BUILDING OF "THE LONE STAR STATE"

OLIN CULBERSON
of AUSTIN

BORN OCT. 26, 1886, TURNERSVILLE, SON OF PROF. AND MRS. W. A. CULBERSON, PIONEER TEACHERS AT HILLSBORO WHERE SON SECURED EDUCATION IN THEIR PREP SCHOOL. FIRST JOB—SHELLING CORN AT 75¢ A DAY.

MOVED TO EDNA 1922, ENTERED MERCANTILE BUSINESS IN HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL PARTNERSHIP MEMBER—MASON, ROTARIAN, AMERICAN LEGION, SONS AMERICAN REVOLUTION AND PRESBYTERIAN. FAVORITE SPORT—FOOTBALL. IN 1932 NAMED TO INVESTIGATE GAS RATES, BECOMING CHIEF EXAMINER—THEN CHIEF GAS UTILITIES DIVISION OF RAILROAD COMMISSION.

WORKED IN 40 YARDS TO 1911 WHEN NAMED DEPUTY CLERK HILL COUNTY—ELUDED FOR WORLD WAR. MARRIED MARY LOU ROEHLER, 1912—ONE DAUGHTER, COUNTY CLERK—COUNTY JUDGE HILL COUNTY 1920-1928 WHEN MILLION DOLLAR SYSTEM FARM-TO-MARKET ROADS BUILT. HOBBY—HIS FAMILY.

DURING GAS UTILITIES POST TO 1939, (APPROXIMATE) IS MAJOR RATE INVESTIGATOR OF STATES TO CONSUMERS OF MORE THAN \$500,000 A YEAR—STOLEN CASH REFUND TO GAS USERS AND PARTNER IN LOSS OF \$51,000,000 STILL INVOLVED IN SCHEMATIC SECRETARY STATE VOLUNTARILY FORWARDED \$25,000,000.

JUDGE OLIN CULBERSON ELECTED TO RAILROAD COMMISSION, 1940, LEADING A FIELD OF 18 CANDIDATES, EMULATING A RECORD OF ABILITY, INTEGRITY AND SINCERITY IN PUBLIC OFFICE—HE LEDES IN HIS MEANS MEANT MERITORIOUS PUBLIC SERVICE IN TEXAS SINCE THE DAYS OF THE REPUBLIC. THERE ARE NO "SIDE-DOORS" IN THE CULBERSON OFFICE WHICH IS PART AND PARCEL OF THE GREAT STATE GIVEN WHERE MOTOR AND RAIL TRAFFIC, GAS RATES AND OIL BUSINESS ARE HANDLED. JUDGE CULBERSON HAS LIVED UP TO THE PLATFORM ON WHICH HE WAS ELECTED TO OFFICE—A TRIBUTE TO HIS BIRTHRIGHT AS A TEXAS GENTLEMAN.

G. H. S. Girl Writes On Food Standards

The following is an assignment made in the Homemaking Department, Miss Greenwaldt selecting the one she considered best from Class III. Following a two-week study, "Texas' Food Standard," the class turned in news articles on the subject after its completion. Louise Claxton's article was chosen, and follows:

Very few people, compared to the vast population of our country, realize the actual value of the choice of food for National Defense. Hardly a day passes in which we are not reminded of our country's need of aluminum, tin, iron and other valuable minerals used in preparation for our National Defense—but, how often are we reminded that for a strong nation and people, a correct choice of food is necessary to maintain our human power, just as minerals and machinery are needed for the nation's mechanical power? Minerals, vitamins and fuel foods are just as important to the physical power of our nation as the minerals, raw materials, and fuels, used in manufacturing, are important to keep our factories and machinery in a producing condition.

In order that the problem of the choice of foods might be solved, physicians and scientists have combined their knowledge and discoveries to build a food standard which the housewife can use as a guide in choosing the food for her family, so that she can be assured of a healthier, happier homelife. This food standard was made for the purpose of including a proper diet for each member of the family each day; yet it includes the products that can be produced in Texas and be very economical.

The Texas Food Standard for a day includes the following:

- 1 pint to one quart milk. Children under 16 require 3-4 to 1 qt. milk.
 - 1 egg. Dried beans, peas, or nuts may be substituted for meat or eggs. Dried peas or beans may be the other vegetable.
 - 1 serving meat, poultry, fish or cheese.
 - 1 serving Irish or sweet potatoes.
 - 1 serving green or yellow vegetables.
 - 1 other serving vegetable.
 - 1 serving citrus, tomatoes, raw cabbage, strawberries, or melon.
 - 1 other serving fruit.
 - 1 serving whole grain products.
 - Other cereals and bread as desired.
 - Butter, or margarine with vitamins added.
 - Some sweets.
 - 6 to 8 glasses water daily.
- If the articles of food listed above are included in the daily diet of each person, a great problem of National Defense will be solved.

Winner At Fair



JOHNNIE BARRON

Winner at the Abilene Fair, which was held Sept. 29 through Oct. 4, where he won a registered Jersey heifer for showing the best hog in Eastland county among the 4-H Club boys.

He is a Gorman High student, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Barron of this place.

Church of Christ

The Church of Christ welcomes visitors at any time to any or all their services. Sunday School at 10:00 with preaching service at 10:45; evening service at 7:15 for the young people with hour of worship following at 7:45. Mid-week prayer service at 7:30, and ladies meeting on Friday at 3 p.m. A. S. Werner, minister.

JAY'S GROCERY ADDS NEW FEATURE

Dick Jay is inviting old patrons—and solicits new ones—to his grocery store to see the new refrigeration unit he has just added to keep vegetables crisp and fruits cool. See his display ad elsewhere in this issue and a picture of this large case.

Observe Golden Wedding Oct. 10

On October 10, last Friday, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. (Andy) Kinney observed their Golden Wedding Anniversary quietly with all of their children present and a number of friends who called in the afternoon. Due to the condition of Mr. Kinney, who had been confined to his bed for the past three weeks or more, invitations were not sent their friends, but their six children were there for this occasion, some arriving on Thursday. Mrs. Kinney's mother, Mrs. N. J. Cogburn, was also present Friday.

Several grandchildren and great-grandchildren were also guests. The children and grandchildren present were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kinney and son, Dickie, of Freeport; their daughter, Mrs. Enloe and her husband and two daughters of Roaring Springs; Mrs. Enloe will be remembered as Lois; and Fred of Spur, another son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kinney; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kinney of Stamford, their daughter, Catherine, now Mrs. Ralph Ross, and her little son; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinney of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Shuggart of Kennedy; Mr. and Mrs. Gene White of Mount Vernon, Illinois; and Odie Kinney of Stamford.

Mrs. Kinney states it was the first time in many years the children had all been at home at the same time, and that it was a glorious occasion for all.

Mr. and Mrs. Kinney received many congratulatory messages from friends and relatives and many lovely gifts in honor of this very special day.

CISCO DISTRICT YOUTH MEETING

The young people of the Cisco District met Monday night at the Methodist church in Gorman.

Following a tempting picnic supper and a series of fact games, a program was enjoyed which was given by the presidents of the various groups of the district.

Two hundred were in attendance at this Youth Meeting which provided a spiritual lesson and entertainment for all.

—Nell Kinnison.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Butler of Brownwood attended the funeral of her cousin, Elton Guy, last Monday afternoon, and visited her sister, Mrs. W. O. Browning.

PANTHERS DEFEAT EASTLAND 32-0; PLAY WEATHERFORD FRIDAY NIGHT

In a never to be forgotten victory Friday night over the neighboring Mavericks of Eastland, the Panthers pawed and played their way into a decisive win when they scored almost at will. It was the first game to be played at home in two years and it was before a cheering crowd who had come to see a victory. This game marked the dedication of the recently finished Panther Park and was preceded by a colorful ceremony, the crowning of the Panther Queen.

Gorman won the toss and kicked off to Eastland and held for downs. Eastland punted and on the first play from scrimmage, Capers ran 70 yards, untouched, for a touchdown.

On the next kick off, Eastland took the ball and on successive line plays drove to a first down on Gorman's five-yard line where Gorman's defense stiffened and held. This was Eastland's only serious threat until the last play of the game.

In the second quarter the Panthers scored again when Clark passed to Underwood. The half ended with the score 12-0.

In the third quarter Clark passed to Brown who lateraled to Ormsby who ran over for the third tally, making the score 18-

0 Lineman, Boswell, accounted for the next marker when he intercepted a Maverick pass, and raced over the goal line. Clark passed to Capers for the extra point making the score 25.

The closing few minutes of play added yet another touchdown when Ormsby went over from the five-yard line. The extra point was added by Brown. Following this score Coach Hicks ran in nine men as substitutes. In the final play of the game, Timmons, outstanding Maverick, broke loose and came near scoring only to be caught from behind by Dale Glasson who made a do-or-die tackle to stop the runner on the 10-yard line. The game closed with the score 32 to 0.

Throughout the game the Panthers outclassed the visitors in every way. The smooth backfield and the capable line moved with perfect team work to give their fans thrill after thrill. They demonstrated last Friday night they have what it takes, and to name the stars would be to name the entire squad.

Gorman meets the powerful Weatherford team Friday night, Oct. 17, in the Panther Park.

They will need the encouragement of your presence for this tough assignment. Do not disappoint them!

Food Production Goals Set

College Station.—Texas farmers are being asked to produce 162,000,000 pounds more milk and 18,000,000 dozen more eggs as their share in the food production drive for national defense.

The Texas food production goals were announced at a southern regional defense meeting of farm leaders at Memphis, September 29, B. F. Vance, chairman of the Texas USDA Defense Board, said. Increases were also announced in various other food products, such as peanuts for oil, vegetables, and several feed crops to help meet the food needs of this nation, to feed the nations resisting aggression, and to improve the diet and well-being of Texas farm people, Vance declared.

The Texas production goals are in line with Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard's announcement of February 8 setting national goals to encourage vast increases in the nation's food supplies.

The Texas USDA Defense Board and county USDA Defense Boards will review the goals and assign to each county a local goal, Vance said. County and community AAA committeemen, working with the county Boards, will contact every farmer in the state to assist in planning farming operations for 1942 so that each farmer may do his share in attaining the defense production objectives.

Attend Home Demonstration Council Wednesday

Mrs. H. L. Capers, Mrs. D. J. Fobe, Mrs. E. Barron, Mrs. E. E. Todd and Mrs. N. W. Meador attended a meeting of the Eastland county Home Demonstration Council Wednesday afternoon at Eastland.

A shower was tendered Miss Ruth Ramey and the Council presented her with a Mixmaster. Miss Ramey leaves soon to assume her new duties in Wharton county.

Leaves For Kermit

Aubrey Holt, who has been employed at Jay's Grocery for the past six years, left Saturday for Kermit where he will be employed in a grocery store there. His family will join him later. Tom Payne has been added to the force there taking the place of Aubrey.

EASTERN STAR

The Gorman Chapter No. 443, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet Monday night at 7:30. All members are urged to attend.

HERMAN ELTON GUY BURIED MONDAY

Funeral for Herman Elton Guy, 34, who died at his home in Abilene Saturday night, was conducted from the First Baptist church in Gorman Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Dr. F. M. Warren, pastor of the First Christian church of Abilene, officiated. Burial was in the Gorman cemetery.

At his bedside when Guy succumbed was his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. French, and an aunt, Mrs. Leona Williams of Brownwood.

Other survivors include his father, J. D. Guy of Tulsa. Mrs. French will be remembered by older residents as Virgie Montgomery who moved with her family from here several years ago. Mrs. French is a cousin of Mrs. W. O. Browning.

Mmes. Paul Ormsby and Bob Lindsey, Christine, and Mary Dell Stewart were in Fort Worth Saturday.

THE KING Theatre

Thursday - Friday

John Wayne - Betty Field
in
SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS

Saturday Only
DOUBLE FEATURE

Bob Steele
in
Billy The Kid In Texas

and
Eddie Albert
in
The Great Mr. Moody

Sunday - Monday
Matinee & Night Sunday

Spencer Tracy - Lana Turner
in
Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde

Tuesday - Wednesday

James Stephenson
in
Shining Victory

Thursday - Friday

Joan Crawford - Greer Garson
Robert Taylor
in
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11th Week by Eleanor Roosevelt

RETAILERS AND DEFENSE
One noon, I went to buy a stamp at the exhibition which opened "Retailers For Defense Week." This effort on the part of retailers to do a real job for defense is a very wise move. While it may curtail some of the buying at the present time, it will put money in people's pockets for future use. We shall need that money to keep us from too great a business slump during the transition from defense work to normal activities.

It seems to me that in everything we do today we should have an eye to our present needs, but at the same time think far enough ahead to guard against some of the difficulties we have undergone in the past.
For instance, if the production of automobiles is going to be drastically curtailed in order that industry may take a bigger share in defense work, why not plan to put money, which in ordinary times we might set aside for a new automobile, into Defense Stamps, and call those stamps: "Our Automobile Fund" for the future?
We may have to use our old car a bit longer than we would ordinarily think wise, or even economically sound, but at least we can arrange our own finances so that they are helpful to the government at present and useful to us when the day comes for buying that new car.

WOMEN AND BUSINESS
Women are as interested in all these business questions as men. During the second week of October which will be observed as Business and Professional Women's week throughout the nation, there will be special emphasis on the plans laid by which women, many of whom are influential in business and professional groups, can aid the defense program.
I wish they would all think not only of the problems which come before them in business, but also of the many local problems which in the end are going to be very vital in national defense. A particularly vital problem is participation of volunteers in work where their efforts will be valuable.

I am counting on these important women's organizations to make a valuable contribution in the working out of the volunteer services. They must be rendered on a very large scale if this country is ever to be really well prepared and fully defended.

Johnny: "Daddy, what's a court of last resort?"
Daddy: "Courting an old maid, simply gorge on them!"

I was very much interested to see that the "Reader's Digest" is going to be published in Portuguese as well as in Spanish. This publication has proved that it is possible to bring out in this country a magazine that is read by our South and Central American neighbors with interest, and I wish this new venture great success.

'SHAPE OF THE FUTURE'
I want to tell you about a series of articles which the magazine "Common Sense" is announcing. They plan later to have them published in book form, but in the meantime, both the subject matter and the authors make me feel that none of us will want to miss them. They deal in a general way with the "shape of the future."

The editors, in their announcement, say a few things which, if they are really carried out by the articles, mean that we shall be given something vital to think about. One statement reads:
"The crucial question for believers in democracy is whether the constructive possibilities are to be realized. We can not hope merely to save what we have. No Maginot Line can hold back the tide of change."

CIVILIAN VOLUNTEERS
A conference one morning with Miss Eloise Davison to talk over some of the things in connection with civilian volunteer participation in national defense. I am trying, as far as possible, to familiarize myself with the organization which now exists. I am studying its accomplishments and publications, so that when I do go to the office, I shall not find myself meeting people whose names I do not know and who are functioning in ways which I do not as yet understand.

I am very much interested in a pamphlet which has been compiled for the organizations which are dealing with the registration of volunteers. It is intended to aid in setting up volunteer registration centers. This seems to be a valuable step, but it will take some time to set them up so they function smoothly.

I like Mayor LaGuardia's idea that registering people is comparatively useless, but enrolling them to do definite things is well worth while. Obviously, it accomplishes two things at once. It gives a card catalogue of people who may be called upon at any time, and actually places people in positions where they function in their communities.
I talked also that morning with Miss Jane Seaver, who is the youth member on the Committee of Forty-Five on Volunteer Participation. She has worked out a preliminary program for youth participation.

QUAIL FOOD VARIES
If a quail should unfold his napkin and tell the "chef" to give him a sample of all the different kinds of food he really likes, he'd have more than 140 dishes around him! He's principally a seed-eating bird, and biologists of Region No. 2 of the Game Department already have counted 140 kinds of seeds taken from quail stomachs gathered in Central and North Texas. And they're still counting.

They've attempted this job so they'll know what kind of vegetation to plant on quail areas or to recommend to landowners.
The food the quail likes best is seed from a variety of plants known as Croton. Seed from panic grass seems to be well established in second place. Doves also eat Croton seed and sunflower seed in large quantities.
And Johnson grass at last has a chance to pretend to some dignity. It produces nice, tasty seeds, and both quail and doves simply gorge on them!

News of Carbon

Miss Wooley of Arlington began her duties as Home Economics teacher in the Carbon school last week in the place of Miss Glass who resigned.

A M. Hearne was a visitor of his mother Thursday.

Mrs. Inez Coffman of Austin who spent last week visiting with her sister, Mrs. C. G. Stubblefield, and husband, is in Gorman visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Eaker and her brother, Jim Hutchins.

Misses Loma Fae and Joyce Hearne of Morton Valley visited their grandmother Sunday night.

Bob Collins was up from Austin visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins, over the week-end.

Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Christian, Mrs. Alice Speer and Miss Frankie Parks spent Tuesday in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Zin Phillips spent Sunday with relatives in Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud G. Stubblefield were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sparks in Eastland Tuesday night.

Mrs. W. F. Gilbert of Spur spent several days visiting relatives here last week. Her mother, Mrs. Lena Stubblefield, returned home with her for a visit.

Harry C. Hall who is at Grand Prairie studying for his commercial license spent the week-end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Nowlin who recently moved from here to Big Spring were in Carbon Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore Hines of Forsan spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Hutchins and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gilbert of Breckenridge were visitors for a short time of the C. G. Stubblefields Sunday.

Mrs. J. Z. Phillips and Mrs. John Phillips were in Ranger Monday.

Mrs. Amos Eaker of Gorman was a guest of Mrs. C. G. Stubblefield and Mrs. Inez Coffman Sunday.

Word was received here by friends last Saturday of the death of Mrs. J. S. Reese of Munday who until eleven months ago had made Carbon her home for perhaps fifty years or more. She was the widow of the late Jake S. Reese who was buried here on the 11th of Nov. last year. Mrs. Reese was a member of the Baptist church here and had many friends who regret to learn of her passing. She had been confined to her home ill for several years before moving to Munday last year where she had made her home with her daughter. Details of her illness and funeral could not be obtained.

New Hope News

T. D. Whitehorn of Austin spent the week-end with his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clement of Midway and Mrs. Lee Gallehorn and daughter of Post attended church and visited old friends in this community Sunday.

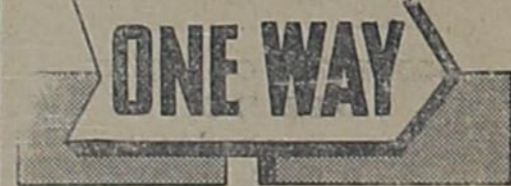
Wayne Seago and Clive Murray spent Sunday with Arlon Pirtle.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Bennett and son of Brownwood visited relatives in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mounce and family visited her mother, Mrs. Jones, Sunday. Mrs. Jones has been very ill but is slowly improving.

Mrs. Winnie Pittman of San Antonio spent the week-end with her brother, R. C. Smith, and family.

Mrs. Gladys Rodway of Gorman spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wood and family.



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G. E. Norris Gorman, Texas

Service Drug Store Comanche, Texas

Mabel Clement visited her uncle, Louis Clement, of the Leon community Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Wood, who has been in Brownwood taking medical treatment returned home Sunday for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bennett and little daughter and Mrs. Westie Hewitt all of Big Spring spent the week-end with their father, L. A. Bennett.

Louise Rice visited La Rue Wood Sunday.

Zeke Sez

WASHINGTON — (Spl)—The biggest surprise of the week in Washington was the unscheduled appearance here on last Tuesday morning of Governor Coke Stevenson. The first anyone here knew about his visit was about 9 a. m. when his big western hat was found in the waiting room of Senator O'Daniel. The Senator carried him after their conference, to the office of Speaker Sam Rayburn. The Speaker carried the governor to the White House at 11, where they waited exactly one hour before they got to see President Roosevelt. Speaker Rayburn then hurriedly invited the entire Texas delegation to his private dining room in the Capitol for a luncheon honoring Stevenson. This luncheon was attended by most of the Texas members of Congress, including Senators Tom Connally and O'Daniel, Commerce Secretary Jess Jones and newspapermen representing Texas papers. Mr. Rayburn briefly told the group that he had wired the Governor to come up this week so "he could meet the President." The short 10 minute interview with President Roosevelt after a wait of an hour, would indicate the governor came here for other reasons. After lunch, he visited several members of the delegation, then held another conference with Senator O'Daniel late in the afternoon. Then Governor Coke took off with Joe Montague of Fort Stockton to a hotel to "wait until train time." The Governor had come here direct from Amarillo where he had been scheduled to deliver an address Monday but which was canceled because of the trip here. He left here Tuesday night by train for Texas. "No sir, I don't fly," the

Junction lawyer-Governor explained. The governor had a good time, as all could see, in his hurried day, and kept his pipe in his mouth as usual. Photographers made a picture of him at the luncheon, sitting between Sam Rayburn and Jesse Jones. Speaker Rayburn saw that big slices of corn bread were served with the liver and vegetable dinner. Everybody felt very much like they were sitting down to dinner back home in Texas. Congressman Wright Patman sat between Senator O'Daniel and Congressman Lyndon Johnson. And everybody had a good time.

Still Hot in Washington

October first found folks in Washington sweltering in temperature of 94 in the afternoon with the driest weather in many years. The long drouth this summer and fall causes more heat, it is said, than usual this late. A few men are still wearing straw hats about town, just like they are doing in Texas now. Tuesday was one of the busiest days of the year in this busy boom town! Thousands flocked to stores buying articles which were due to be increased in price the next day because of the new taxes. Liquor stores here did land-office business. Everywhere you go in this town, you have to get at the end of a line in order to spend your money. Long lines form in front of all movie houses every night in the week. Long lines form in all the cafeterias which are most popular eating places. Long lines form even at the various post office branches.

On August 1st, according to a report this week, the Civil Service Commission counted 185,182 employees working inside the District, a gain of only 941 employees over July 1st. For the last year, an average of 3000 new employees have been hired each month but some of the agencies have been moved to Baltimore, New York City and other places because of lack of room here. The total number of employees in the United States on civil service now numbers 1,391,687—an all-time record.

Dies Attacks President's Defense of Reds

When President Roosevelt unwittingly told a press conference the other day that religious freedom is guaranteed by the Constitution of the Russian Soviets, he started fireworks that will be popping many days. One of the first to condemn the President for the statement was Congressman Martin Dies, head of the Un-American Committee, who said, "any effort

to dress the Soviet wolf in the sheep's clothing of Four Freedoms should be condemned by Americans."

Dies bluntly told the President that the Administration's new-found friendship for Russia would not halt his activities. Father Edmund A. Walsh, vice-president of Georgetown University, in Washington, differs with the President on conditions in Russia but says the President can force the Russian leaders to declare for religious freedom in exchange for help to fight Hitler's Germany.

Hope all of you have a big time at the Dallas Fair. Buy Defense Bonds Today!

The most effective help which a civilian can give to Uncle Sam is to buy Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps as often as possible.

President Roosevelt bought the first Defense Savings Bond on May 1, 1941. Your bank or your post office is waiting for you to call for yours—today!

By buying Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps regularly you can help the Defense Program and, at the same time, help yourself and your family.

The best investment you can find: Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps. Buy them regularly.

Week End SPECIALS

- FLOUR, Super-Lite, 48's \$1.85
- TOILET TISSUE, Swank, 3 for 25c
- BAKING POWDER, Clabber Girl, 2 lbs. 24c
- PORK CHOPS, lb. 30c
- POTTED MEAT, can 5c
- MATCHES, 6 Box Carton 24c
- COFFEE, Our Special Brand, lb. 19c
- TOMATOES, 3 No. 2 cans 25c
- PRUNES, Fresh, gallon 35c
- CABBAGE, lb. 3 1/2c
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Underwood Bros. Grocery & Market

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WE BUY EGGS

NOTICE

We will have our store in the Jones Building open in a few days—besides our XMAS toys we will have all sizes in floor RUGS, GAS heaters in 3 sizes, Air tight heaters in 2 sizes, box heaters, stove pipes, elbows, and many other items that you will need. If you do not find the store open come to Shelley's and ask to see them.

We will have some good specials for you Saturday and Monday — See Them!

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To make our service more helpful to you is our constant effort. You will find us ready to work with you in every possible way to further your interests.

We believe in the future of this community. Our own progress is bound up closely with local prosperity. Therefore, you do not have to urge us to cooperate with you, instead, we welcome every opportunity to take an active part in your financial progress.



THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK "The Oldest Bank In Eastland County"



When You Repair an Appliance, IT'S LIKE GETTING A CHECK in the Mail!

You'd forgotten all about that limerick contest, but here comes a check in the mail! You can think of a dozen things to buy with the money. Now here is a way you can get a similar thrill.



Look over the electric appliances you have in your attic, on the pantry shelves and in the closets, and you'll most likely find a lamp, toaster, percolator, waffle iron or some other useful appliance that can be made as good as new with only minor repairs. Maybe just a new cord, a tightened connection or some other small adjustment is all that is needed.

When they are fixed, you'll agree that it's like getting money you didn't expect! Make your Electric Appliances as good as new. Take them to an Electric Shop today for repairs.

TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY D STEWART Manager

News of Desdemona

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parks were in Stephenville Saturday afternoon and brought home their son, Earl, and also Jack Powers, who stayed until Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Clark were in Gorman Monday afternoon to attend a meeting of the Methodist pastors of the Cisco District.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Montgomery came Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee. They were returning from Dunbar, West Virginia, where he had been drilling on an oil well, located on a high mountain, inaccessible by auto, so he gave up the work on that

DO YOUR EARS RING?
Maybe somebody's talking about you? You noticed your bad breath. Sour, lassy stomach often accompanies occasional constipation. ADLERKA blends 8 laxatives for quick bowel action and 5 carminatives to relieve gas. Try ADLERKA today.

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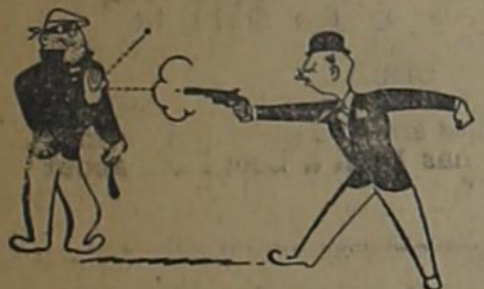
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WHY ON EARTH DO THEY DO IT?



...shop around for low-cost insurance

When you buy insurance because it's cheap, it's like buying a cheap pistol for self protection. If you have to hold off a bandit, you want a weapon that will do the business. If you aren't going to be held up, why spend any money at all to protect yourself? The catch is, you don't know.

Moral: Be sure your insurance is COMPLETELY dependable. We'll be glad to tell you anything you want to know about it.



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Phones: Res. 55 Office 45
Gorman, Texas

account. On Friday they and Mrs. Lee drove to Cisco and they rented an apartment. They left for Cisco on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Roe and Mrs. W. H. Powers were in Gorman Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. E. Derrick drove over to Rising Star Friday morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. Style McEntire, and two small sons. Mrs. McEntire is now working for an oil company near Bangs.

L. D. Stewart of Gorman was here on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leazer and baby and Miss Jolene Arnold left on Tuesday of last week for their home at Houston after a few days here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold.

Miss Doris Peal Miles, who is attending John Tarleton College at Stephenville, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Miles.

Floyd Moore and two daughters, Lois and Dorothy, and son, Junior, drove down to Victor Saturday afternoon and brought home Mrs. Moore, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dyson.

The Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met at the Methodist church Monday afternoon. Opening song was "My Faith is Built." Rev. H. B. Clark then offered prayer. Mrs. Charles Lee, the president, read an article from the "Southwestern Advocate," about the "Eternal

City" as described in Revelations, telling of the 12 gates each one a pearl and the writer gave the scientific formation of pearls and the spiritual significance. Roll call responses were Bible questions and answers. During the business session it was decided to solicit subscriptions to Holland's Magazine. Seven members were present. Gid Tarpley drove down to

San Angelo Saturday to take W. A. Saint who went to bring home his son, Theron Saint, who had been in the State Tubercular Hospital at Sanatorium. They got home at 9 o'clock Saturday night. The many friends of Mr. Saint and family will be glad to know that Theron has improved a great deal during the past several months.

Mrs. J. T. Richardson of Cisco returned Thursday from a visit in El Paso, and will again make her home here with her son, Rev. Arvil Richardson, at the Baptist parsonage.

Miss Laura Mae Eaves, teacher of the 5th grade in grammar school, visited her parents at Ranger Saturday.

C. W. Maltby and daughter, Uarda, returned Sunday night from Seminole, Oklahoma where they had gone on account of the illness of Mr. Maltby's brother whom they found better when they reached there Friday evening.

Mrs. Jack Lee and her sister-in-law Mrs. Scotty Lemaster, drove up to Ranger on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Abel and daughter, Helen, attended the

picture show at Gorman Thursday night. Mrs. W. H. Powers went with them and visited her sister, Mrs. Hulon Pullig.

Mrs. C. A. Skipping and Mrs. C. W. Maltby went to Cisco Monday to see Mrs. A. J. Olson on business connected with the County Federation of Women's Clubs which will meet in Eastland Friday afternoon.

The Women's Missionary Union held their regular meeting at the Baptist church on Wednesday which is now their regular day instead of Monday. A good crowd of members were present and an interesting program was rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Genoway had quite a family reunion Sunday as they had three of their married daughters and families to come and visit them. Those who came were: Mr. and Mrs. Luther Harper and daughter, Mrs. Paul Moore, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Morris and baby of Wichita Falls; and Mr. and Mrs. Odus Herrell and two children of El Reno, Oklahoma.

Geo. Moore drove to Ranger on business Monday. He was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. F. W. Moore; his sister, Miss Lizzie Moore, and also Mrs. K. D. Brian and C. H. Genoway.

Miss Oma Mae McClellan, teacher in our grammar school, spent the week-end with friends at Abilene.

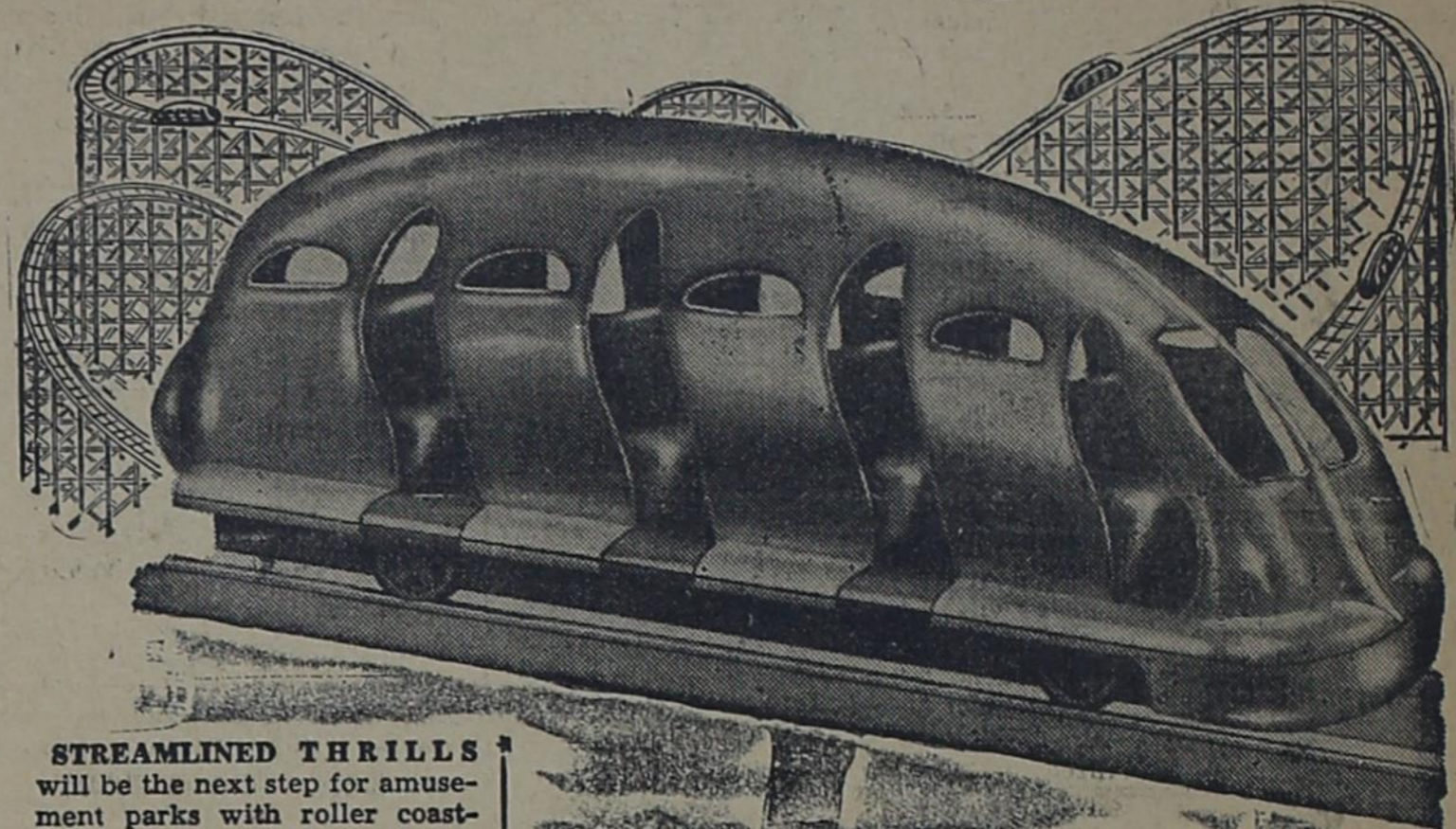
Mr. and Mrs. John Hammond and daughter, Margaret, of Comanche spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Alread and family. Wynon Alread had visited Margaret Hammond Saturday night.

Mrs. T. I. Long left Saturday night for her home at Plainview after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Howard Williams. She was taken to Ranger by Mr. and Mrs. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold who attended the Olden-Desdemona football game.

TEXAS HAS BEST QUAIL CROPS IN YEARS

AUSTIN, Texas.—Here's a little secret that the Executive Secretary of the Game Department doesn't want anybody to know anything about, except the people of Texas: The Lone Star State, he avers, has one of the best quail crops in years, and scattergun addicts are going to have plenty of fun when they take their dogs into the fields this season. For dove hunters are in the fields blasting away, and it is not infrequent at all for them to flush a husky covey of quail, or even some small ones, and the Game Department head warned sportsmen to lay off the quail until it is legal to shoot them. The season, he repeats, opens December 1st. It will continue through January 16th, 1942. To safeguard and preserve the American way of life way of life—buy Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps.

Defense-Minded Americans Seek Relaxation In 'Thrill Trips' On Amusement Park Rides



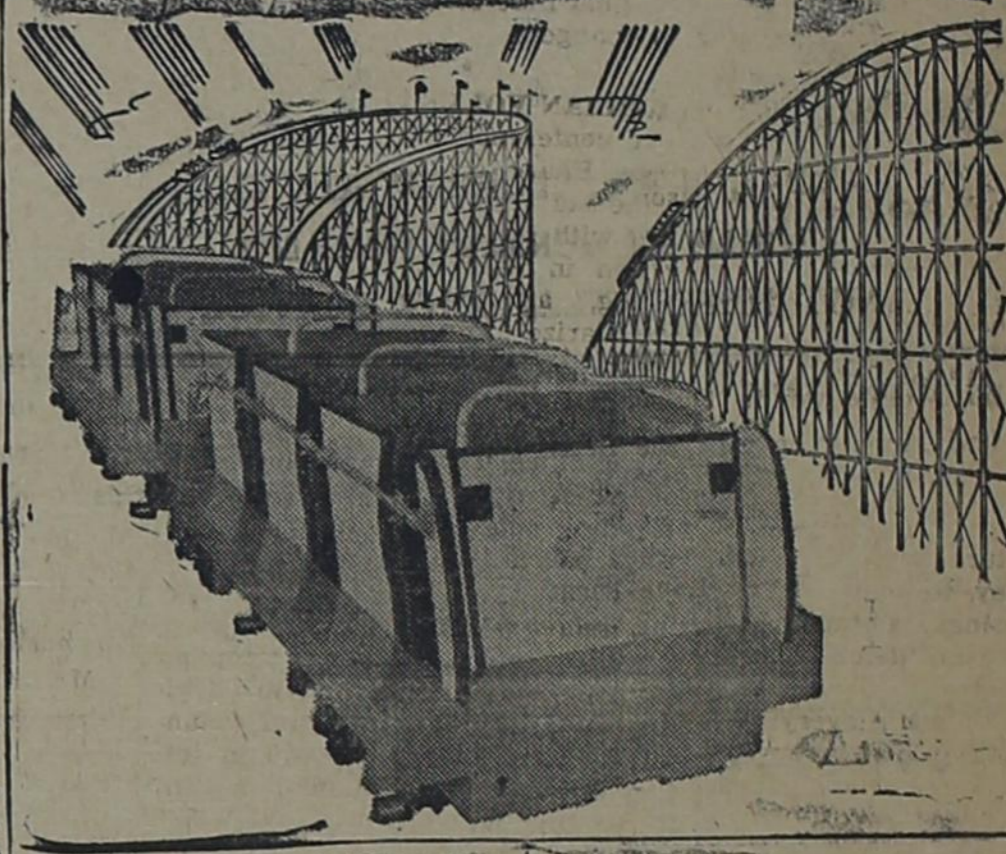
STREAMLINED THRILLS

will be the next step for amusement parks with roller coasters. The upper photo shows the National Amusement Device Co.'s version of the roller coaster of tomorrow. At right is a conventional roller coaster train of today. Both are equipped with Timken tapered roller bearings, enabling them to go 20 percent faster than trains equipped with friction bearings. The coaster at the right has been in operation for 22 years and never has required any service beyond lubrication.

Roller Coaster Of Tomorrow Will Be Streamlined For Pleasure-Seekers.

Every year 100,000,000 patrons relax by visiting nearly 600 amusement parks spread throughout the United States. Now, with the defense boom pouring more money into pocketbooks, indications are that busy American workers will find their greatest relaxation in "thrill" amusement devices of all descriptions.

The roller coaster, invented by E. A. Thompson in 1884 and first called the "switch-back", is still the backbone of amusement parks. The average roller coaster weighs



about seven tons and drops about 12 feet for each 10 feet of straight-away.

Although it is still fundamentally the same device that first thrilled Americans more than half a century ago, amusement park device manufacturers have kept pace with the modern trend and now are manufacturing

streamlined jobs with about every modern innovation pleasure-seekers could want.

Pictured above are the roller coasters of tomorrow and today. Both are equipped with Timken tapered roller bearings which enable them to go about 20 percent faster than trains which are equipped with friction bearings.

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COOKING OIL, in can, gal. . . . \$1.30

OUR SPECIAL
COFFEE, 1 lb. pkg. 16c

PEANUT BUTTER, qt. jar 25c

CRACKERS, 2-lb. Box 15c

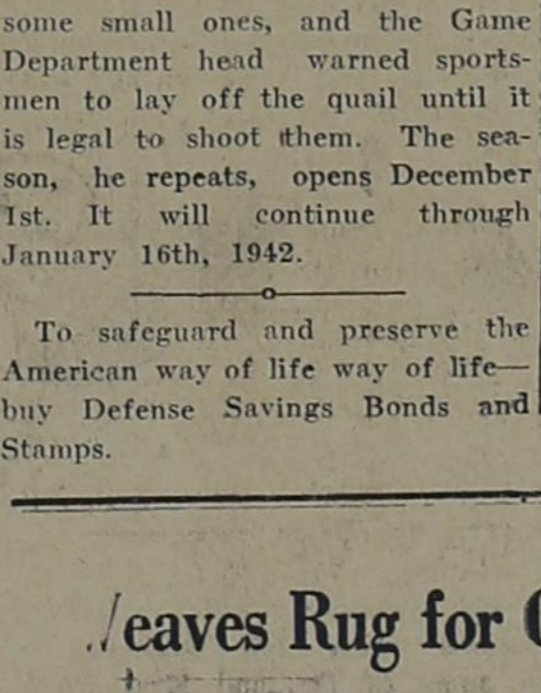
Sell Your Produce To and Trade At—
Jay Grocery & Market

Gov. Stevenson

Not for many years has this State had a governor who so fully measured up to the public's notion of a typical Texan. Stevenson lives on a ranch, rides well and throws a good rope. He is tall, ruddy and active, without superfluous flesh in spite of his fifty-two years. He likes outdoors life and can track a "warrant" or set a campfire yam with the best of them. Before entering public life he was a cowboy, farm-hand teamster.

Q. What is the largest natural lake in Texas?
A. Caddo Lake in Marion and Harrison counties and extending into Caddo parish, Louisiana. It covers approximately 40,700 acres.

Leaves Rug for College Chapel



Adorning the chancel of the Little-Chapel-in-the-Woods at Texas State College for Women is a hand-woven rug which, in a few months' time, would be impossible to weave because of the growing scarcity of good linen and wool. Miss Adeline Lee of Mineral Springs, Ark., graduate student at the college, figures that she tied 115,680 knots by hand, used 200 razor blades to cut threads, and put 15 pounds of linen warp and 50 pounds of wool into weaving the 17x4-foot rug for her master's thesis in art.

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Considerate

"Jane," said her mistress, "Have you been telling around that I am hard to please?"
"No-um," denied Jane, vigorously. "Dat ah ain't. You nebah catch me doin' a thing like dat. Ah keeps my thoughts to myself. Ah do."

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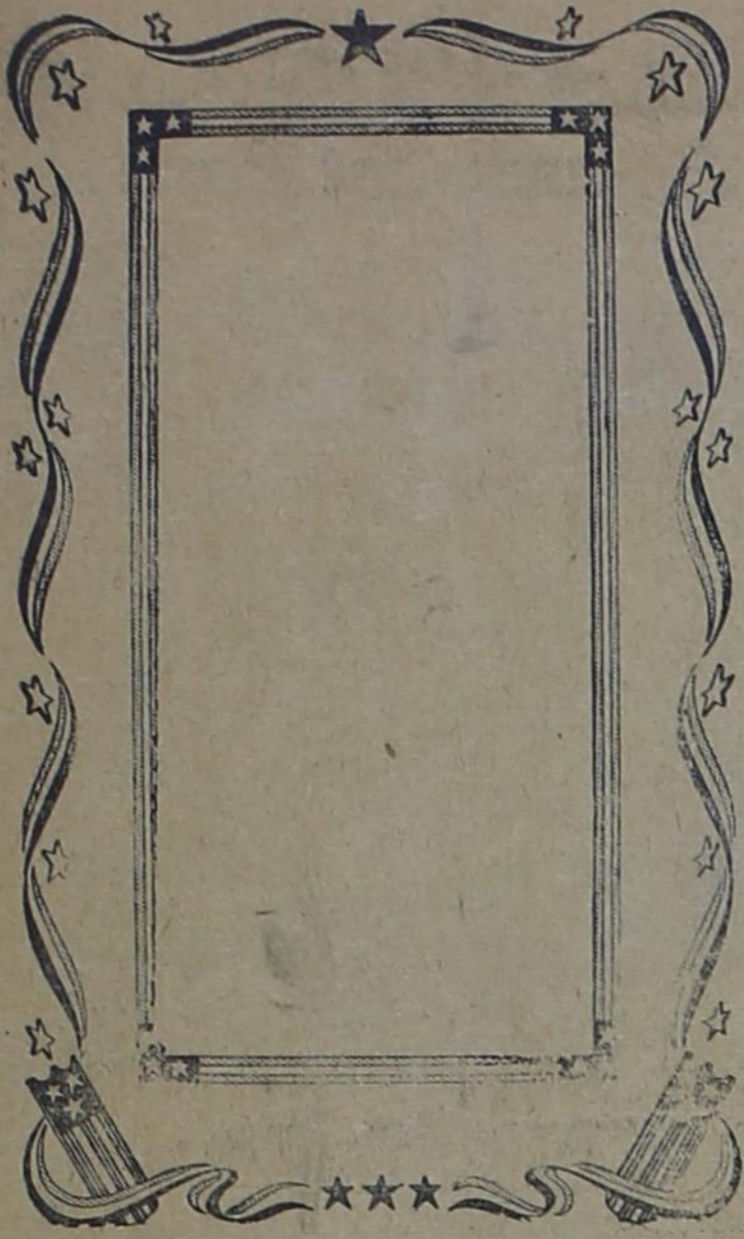
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in
When Ladies Meet
Plus
News of the Day

THE KING THEATRE
THE ONLY INDEPENDENT THEATRE IN EASTLAND COUNTY



ABOVE IS A PICTURE OF ALL THE PEOPLE IN GORMAN WHO DO NOT NEED TELEPHONE SERVICE

John Kimble was in Dallas Sunday and Monday to visit the State Fair.

Weldon Linder, stationed at Houston, and Marie Koonce, also of that city, are here this week visiting their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Love spent Sunday in Comanche visiting relatives.

Herb Thomson is in Dallas today on business.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Kirkpatrick of Jackson, Miss., was a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. W. O. Brown, the first of the week.

Mrs. J. O. Butler and Mrs. Bernice Walker of Seymour are visiting in the home of their father, Mrs. W. V. Whatley, this week.

Mrs. George Blackwell, Billy Brogden and George Rodgers were Fort Worth visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ellison of Austin were in Gorman Sunday visiting relatives.

Remember Oct. 21—There will be games to suit every fancy. Price 25 cents.

Mrs. Eppler accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Odell Thompson to Crane for a visit with them, and plans also to visit with her son, Paul, and his family, and with Mrs. Elsie Gates before her return.

T. C. Wyle returned Thursday morning from San Antonio where he spent Tuesday and Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Newberry of Fort Worth spent Monday in the home of the Donna Davids.

Mmes. R. C. Mehaffey, T. C. Mehaffey, Barton Eppler, Belle Harrison and Glenn Mehaffey were Ranger visitors Friday.

Mrs. E. C. Sutton and mother, Mrs. J. T. Neill, were visitors in Stephenville Saturday.

Games at the Gymnasium will provide an evening's entertainment and the proceeds from this tournament will help buy band instruments. Tuesday night, Oct. 21.

Bobby Joyce of Tarleton spent the week-end here with Billy Mack Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Mehaffey of Shreveport, La., are here this week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Moseley and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Mehaffey, also other relatives and friends.

Home from Tarleton for the week-end were: Virginia Pullig, Margaret Jackson, Sara Jo and Billy Bob Stewart, Neill Sutton and Billy Mack Smith.

Have an evening of fun and at the same time contribute to the fund for the purchase of band instruments. Oct. 21.

Mrs. W. G. Baker, Louise, Imogene and Florene Love were in Ranger Sunday.

Mrs. Homer Brelsford was here Saturday to take her mother, Mrs. Gates, to Abilene for a visit with her.

Mrs. Hulon Pullig and Mrs. S. E. Richey were in Stephenville Sunday.

Faye Thompson, Abilene student, was at home for the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thompson.

Neal Rose of San Antonio was here over the week-end. His family returned home with him.

Anna Lou Finley and Murl Simmons were visitors in Eastland Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murray and Mrs. Winnie Love were in Rising Star Wednesday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hicks were in Brownwood Sunday to visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler and Jackie spent Wednesday in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wyatt were in De Leon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Roe and Mrs. Wylie Powers of Desdemona were visitors in Gorman Sunday.

Wilma Richey spent Saturday visiting friends in Stephenville.

Miss La Verne Fareguer of Abilene spent the week-end in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Brandon.

Key Feed Mill is paying a good price for your last year's hay. See him at once.

Mrs. C. M. Love of Pampa was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Love Sunday.

Curtis Short left Tuesday for Fort Worth where he will be employed at the Bomber Plant there.

Mrs. Frank Kirk and grandson, Frank Kirk, II, were in Ranger Tuesday.

Mrs. Inez Coffman of Austin is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Amos Eaker this week.

Sara Drake of Dublin was a visitor in Gorman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben R. Townley of Buena Vista announced the arrival last week of another little son who weighed 6 1-2 pounds.

Mr. Aubrey Thomas of Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas, visited Mrs. N. W. Meador and girls Sunday.

The teacher had asked the class to name all the states. One small urchin responded so quickly and accurately that she commended him for it.

"You did very well," she said, "much better than I could have done at your age."

"Yeah, and there wuz only 13 states then, too."

FDIC Eager To Attract Young Men

Since so great a proportion of the banks insured by the Corporation are so-called 'country' banks, located in small communities and serving primarily agricultural districts, FDIC is particularly eager to attract to the forthcoming examination young men who are familiar with the workings of small and medium-sized banks and with the problems of agricultural credit. Appointees will have excellent opportunities to broaden their knowledge through frequent assignments to banks in larger cities within their districts and through their training under senior examiners with long records of service.

The Corporation is seeking men between the ages of 23 and 35 who have had at least one year's experience in a bank, building and loan association, or other financial institution, together with either three additional years of such experience or three years of college, accountancy, or law school education.

The written examination, to be given in a large number of centrally located cities and towns throughout the country, will consist of two sections, the first designed to test applicant's practical knowledge of commerce and banking, and the second to test their education, experience, and fitness. An oral examination subsequently will be given to those ranked highest in the written tests. Appointments will be made, as the need arises, from among applicants with the highest combined ratings, for service within the FDIC district which includes the candidate's legal residence.

Shrewd

The shoe store proprietor was hiring a clerk. "Suppose," he said, "a lady customer were to remark, while you were trying to fit her, 'Don't you think one of my feet is bigger than the other?' what would you say?" "I should say, 'on the contrary madam, one is smaller than the other!'"

We must arm ourselves against the forces of evil and destruction. You can help by buying Defense Savings Bonds and Stamps regularly.

Health Notes

AUSTIN, Texas—This is the season for Dengue fever, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Several cases of this disease have been reported to date and no doubt will continue to increase until the first frost.

Dengue is characterized by sudden onset, headache, and pain in the back and limbs, especially the joints. The fever is of short duration, but recovery is slow. While causing great discomfort, the disease is seldom fatal. However, the loss of time involved is a great economic factor. One attack is generally followed by immunity for a few years.

Dengue fever is caused by the bite of the same mosquito that transmits yellow fever. Those who have not studied the mosquito are unable to distinguish the different species. Even though certain mosquitoes may be incapable of causing diseases such as Dengue or malaria, they are very much a

nuisance. To prevent Dengue fever and other diseases transmitted by mosquitoes, all places where they propagate should be eliminated. All standing water should be drained or oiled, rain barrels screened, and cans or anything that will hold water should be destroyed. Houses should be screened with sixteen mesh screen. Community-wide mosquito campaigns will greatly aid in reducing Dengue fever and add much to the comfort of the citizens.

A dear old lady was visiting a prison.

"You find the singing of the birds a great comfort to you, don't you?" she asked one of the inmates.

"Birds, ma'am?" he queried.

"Why, yes," she said. "You know—the jailbirds we hear about so often."

Murl Simmons was a Ranger visitor Sunday.

Scout Helps Save His Leaders When Storm Sinks Their Boat

THANKS to a Boy Scout's prompt action, several Scout Leaders escaped disaster when their small boat in which they were rowing from an island to the mainland at Three-Mile Harbor, N. Y., was swamped by a sudden night storm.

The group had been attending a Scout District Executives meeting on Dayton's Island. Five Leaders and Joe Loris, 14-year-old Scout, left the island late at night for the mainland. The tide was running out fast, making it difficult to hold a course.

The party had reached mid-channel, where strong currents made rowing still more difficult, when a violent wind and rain storm burst on them. In a few moments torrents of rain were falling, shutting out all view of shore-lines.

The heavy wind whipped up a sea, and waves began coming into the boat. There was nothing to bail with, and in a few minutes the boat filled with water. It swamped, settling down with all six occupants clinging to the gunwales. The tide then seized the craft and began carrying it out into the open sea. To add to the danger, one of the men could not swim.

"Someone had to go ashore and try to get help," young Loris said. There were too many of us hanging to the boat, anyway. So, two of the Leaders and I started off. We got ashore finally and here I pulled out my flashlight to keep the swamped boat in sight



Joseph Loris

while the others ran for help. "In spite of the rain, I had no trouble locating the boat. I had loaded the flashlight with batteries that were fresh and the beam cut right through the storm. Then we had some good luck. Some people in a dory, also trying to get to the mainland, came along and saw the swamped boat, lit up by the flashlight. They went after it and brought in the three men."

Loris is much interested in sports and is a powerful swimmer. He has been a Scout for about a year.

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