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Mullin News

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown have returned to their home in Brownwood. He is convalescing nicely from a recent appendicitis operation.

Mrs. R. H. Jones has returned home from a visit in Fort Worth with her daughter, Mrs. "Happy" Shelton, who had been ill with an attack of influenza, but has recovered and came home with her mother for a visit of a few days.

G. W. Chancellor is in Goldthwaite this week on the jury.

Warren Duren has accepted a position in the Duren school. Waiven finished school here last year and has been attending college at Tech this year. He is a promising young man and fully appreciates the compliment of the home school electing him to be one of their faculty for his first year in school teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Morgan of Goldthwaite announce the arrival of a new son on April 30. Mrs. Morgan was formerly Miss Lee Ella Hallford of Prairie.

L. L. Wilson, who spent last week on the jury in San Angelo, came home for the week end and Mrs. L. L. Wilson returned to San Angelo with him for a visit in that city, while he is juror in Federal court.

Rev. T. M. Mitchell and C. C. Hancock went to Comfort Wednesday and will attend the district conference there for a few days.

A great concourse of the Duren people spent last Friday at the Duren cemetery beautifying the cemetery. The good ladies brought well filled buckets of delicious dinner and it was spread at the noon hour and enjoyed by all.

Casey and L. T. Reid to Goldthwaite Monday.
E. P. McNeill is in Goldthwaite visiting her aunt, Mrs. Fletcher of Lubbock and M. E. Casey.
E. Lienneweber of Camp spent the week end at Mary Kemp was very ill while Sunday, but glad to see she is improving.
Grace McFarland left for Dallas, Texas, where she has a position as a nurse in a sanitarium.
W. S. Kemp went to Brownwood Tuesday to see Vernon Shaw, who is still in a hospital there.
H. R. McDonald received sad news Monday of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Schmidt, at Brenham.
Casey of San Antonio spent the week end here with S. M. Casey and family.
F. Bolten and family of Dallas visited Mrs. E. V. Bolten and Mrs. F. E. Lienneweber.
H. Young's many friends regret to hear he is quite ill at his home in the Duren community.
Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Oxley, Eva Ellen Oxley and Elmer Oxley of Prairie visited in Mullin Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Adams and daughter of Hamilton are visiting Messrs. and Mesdames Casey and G. M. Fletcher.
Mrs. C. C. Hancock, Mrs. M. C. Kirkpatrick and Carrie Kirkpatrick drove to San Saba Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. B. I. Lawson of Brownwood was among the crowd at town Saturday. It was Mrs. Lawson's first visit to town in long time.
J. L. Carlisle of Prairie, O., and R. H. Patterson were among the men in this town of the county looking after court Monday morning in Goldthwaite.
Mrs. Beatrice Cooksey, who is taking training at a sanitarium in Temple for nursing, was here last week on account of the death of her mother, Mrs. Sawyer.
Miss Josephine Aldredge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Aldredge of Prairie won the Tarleton free scholarship for the year. She made the best record in the tenth grade.
Ron Little of Comanche was here the first of the week after his ranch inter-annual meeting old friends. He made a small request of the editor: "To report freerains."
E. Casey and T. R. Ivy to Houston the first of week to haul material for construction of the school building that is now being re-erected and improved. Work proceeding rapidly under the management of E. P. Smith.
Mrs. Wylie Henry received the following report from their son in Brownwood: "B. W. Witt of Abilene has been to Carlsbad sanitarium for a clinical examination and they pronounced him again and with proper care will soon be fully restored to a healthy health."

J. H. Randolph received a carload of brick from Brownwood the 28th.

HALLFORD—BAKER

E. E. Wilson of El Paso made the editor a brief visit Thursday. He was en route to San Angelo and had been to Tyler, where he had installed a radio broadcasting station for a substantial profit. This station was in Goldthwaite a few years ago.

Miss Shirley Baker of Zephyr and Rev. J. L. Hallford of Prairie were united in the holy bonds of marriage on May 1, in this city, at the home of Rev. T. J. Matlock, who officiated in the marriage service. The bride is a beautiful young girl, who has made many friends at Mullin and Prairie the past few years, while she was teaching at Prairie.

Mrs. Chas. Hays was in town Saturday and had received news from her daughter, Miss Ina Hays, who is taking training for nursing in Harris hospital in Fort Worth, that she was supply head nurse on third floor for several days recently.

The groom is a promising young Baptist minister and a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hallford of Prairie.

Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Mitchell went to Brownwood Saturday to see the twelve-year-old McCasland boy of Center City, who was badly hurt by his horse. One day recently on his way home from school he was thrown. The boy was picked up unconscious by his boy companions.

Rev. Hallford is highly esteemed by all and especially those with whom he is associated with most and know him best, for to know him is to admire his true worth.

Mrs. W. H. McFarland has gone to Dallas to visit her son, George, and family and will attend the commencement exercises at the hospital, where her daughter, Miss Corvine McFarland, graduates as nurse. This is the fourth daughter of Mrs. McFarland and the late W. H. McFarland to be graduate nurses, and there are few in life who let their light shine more than the faithful nurse.

The happy young couple will reside at Prairie. The many friends of Rev. and Mrs. Hallford wish for them the heights of success and happiness in their new voyage.

DINNER PARTY

Miss Lillian Doris Fletcher opened the doors of her hospitable home on Fourth street Monday to the faculty of Mullin school.

Miss Lillian Doris and her mother, Mrs. G. M. Fletcher, planned a lovely dinner and Mrs. Fletcher is famous for her delicious feasts.

Mrs. R. W. Hull of Pendleton is here visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Baum. Mrs. Hull is recuperating from a recent illness and says she is much improved. Mrs. E. E. Forgy and son of Hico drove over Sunday and spent the day with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Vann, and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Casey and children and Mrs. Jewel Ivy and children completed the personnel of this happy family group, all together again on the third day of May and they made the most of this happy meeting.

It was Miss Fletcher's birthday too, and that made the event a real celebration. The personnel of this dinner-party included the following: Supt. J. M. Scott, Misses Nelson, Cunningham, Hancock, Kemp, Fisher and Smith; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Patterson and the honoree, Miss Lillian Doris Fletcher.

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NEIGHBORING NEWS

From Local Papers of Towns Mentioned.

COMANCHE

Frosts have damaged crops from ten to fifteen percent, according to estimates of growers, whose statements of damage vary.

SAN SABA

Ira Locklear was knocked off his horse by an overhanging limb while rounding up cattle for the Nored herd on Rough Creek last Saturday.

PUNS OF THE PARAGRAPHERS

Bill collectors report a number of citizens out of town on the fast.—Jayton Chronicle.

LOST GASOLINE, BUT FOUND FOUNTAIN PEN

On going to his car early one morning this week, a Georgetown citizen noticed a fountain pen lying under the edge of his tank on the ground.

THE SUN DO MOVE

If a man writes one good book, preaches one good sermon, or makes one strong argument, he will obtain a leadpipe cinch on fame.

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WOMEN AND PROHIBITION

If present activities of women on both sides of the prohibition question are any criterion, femininity is going to have much to say on this issue in next year's campaign.

LAMPASAS

Lampasas school board Tuesday morning and elect members for the Lampasas schools.

LOMETA

White of Lampasas Lometa last week end attended to the details of shipment 600 head of cattle to upper White ranch.

MILK PRICE WAR

A price cutting war on the sale of milk in an Oklahoma town last week resulted in one firm advertising free milk with 1 cent added for carrying it away.

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