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## WAR DOOMS CROP CONTROL?

Henry Wallace's program of crop curtailment and soil conservation is about to face its toughest year. Reason is the certain food shortage in Europe and the demand that American farmers use their surpluses to feed war-torn Europe.

There are two causes for the food shortage. One is the fact that many countries have been too busy fighting to plant sufficient crops, and their fields have been fought over.

Second reason is lack of sufficient merchant shipping. Four countries—Norway, Holland, Denmark, and Belgium—have a total of 10,000,000 gross tons of merchant vessels which are immobilized, so far as supplying the home ports is concerned. Either they are bottled up at home, or they are in foreign ports, unable to reach home.

Vessels which a year ago were carrying U. S. fodder to Denmark, to feed Danish cattle, today are diverted to other trade or riding at anchor. Meantime, the cattle are eating up the existing supplies of fodder. When these are gone, the cattle will have to be killed.

And the killing will be done by the Germans, who will consume the cattle.

This is just one simplified illustration. No such restriction was known in the early days of the World War, because the United States, still neutral, insisted on maintaining its shipping to the neutral countries of Europe. But now its shipping is barred by the neutrality act from belligerent ports and combat zones.

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## WAR DOOMS CROP CONTROL?

Washington, D. C. **RECRUITING SHOWS PHYSICAL DEFICIENCIES**

The army campaign for new recruits is showing up all too vividly how the years of depression have left their mark on American youth.

Greatest difficulty in securing recruits is not the reluctance of young men to enlist, but their inability to pass physical examinations.

In peacetime, the armed services get most of their recruits from lower-bracket families. Because of economic conditions it is now the lower-bracket families, with the most children, which lack sufficient nourishment, fresh air and exercise.

This has been a particularly serious drawback to recruiting in the larger cities. During one recent drive to bring the marine corps up to full strength, recruiting officers left the cities and combed the smaller towns in farming communities. There they found a much huskier type of recruit, but many were rejected because of poor teeth.

In the cities, the biggest drawbacks are bad eyesight and underweight.

## Mattress Deadline Set for Tomorrow

College Station, (A&MC)—The deadline for receiving applications from low-income farm families for cotton mattress materials has been set for June 29 by the Washington AAA office, A&M College Extension Service officials have advised county agricultural and home demonstration agents.

The Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation will furnish cotton and ticking for all applications and work in mattress-making centers will continue until all applicants have made their mattresses.

To date, 151,791 Texas applications have been received in 192 counties and 14,603 mattresses have been made.

## Center City Masonic Lodge

Newly elected officers of the Center City Masonic Lodge were installed last Wednesday evening. Duke Clements, District Deputy Grand Master, and A. H. Smith, Worshipful Master of the Goldthwaite lodge officiated. Officers installed were:

J. R. Carter, Jr., Worshipful Master; Troy Dutton, Senior Warden; Ernest Dunn, Junior Warden; Hollis Hendry, Secretary; J. R. Carter, Sr., Treasurer; Howard Shipman, S. D.; Boyd Yeager, J. D.; G. L. Walton, Tiler.

## Settle Farm Debt Problem Now, FSA Supervisor Says

Reminding that it is a lot easier to settle debt problems now than after foreclosure proceedings have been started, W. Roy Tisdale, Farm Security Administration supervisor, announced that the Mills county farm debt adjustment committee would meet on Tuesday, July 2, at Goldthwaite in the court house, at 2:00 p. m.

"Many farmers are far enough along with their work to figure pretty well what their income will be," Tisdale said. "Those who anticipate possibly losing their land, livestock, or equipment by foreclosure should come to the committee now while there is yet time to help them."

The farm debt adjustment committee, composed of local people, helps debt-distressed farmers by working out a voluntary agreement with their creditors providing for a fair, orderly repayment schedule that is within the farmer's ability to pay.

"Many mortgage-holders and other creditors have realized almost the face value of the debt by granting some concessions in principal and interest," the supervisor said, "where otherwise they would have sustained a big loss."

## Directors Meeting of TWPA At Corsicana

"Responsibility — its Power" was the subject discussed by Mrs. Cleora J. Parchman, president of the Texas Woman's Press Association which held its annual executive board meeting here Tuesday, at the weekly luncheon session of the Corsicana Lions Club Tuesday noon at the Navarro Hotel.

Mrs. Parchman, who is associate editor of the Alvin Sun and an outstanding figure in educational, religious, and philanthropic activities, told the club that although she did not know what the next 25 or 50 years would bring, she had complete confidence in the future of America because she had confidence in the American business man who has proven himself in the past to be a master at overcoming difficult situations. She lauded the American free press for its untiring efforts in awakening the public to the ominous world events of the centuries. Mrs. Parchman predicted a hard and drastic fall for the leader of the German nation.

**Thompson Presided.**

The high noon luncheon was given by the Corsicana Lions Club with President Will Thompson presiding. Numerous members of the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce also acting official host, were present and R. W. Knight, manager of the chamber of commerce welcomed the executive board in behalf of that organization.

James E. Taylor, Kerens publisher and county representative, welcomed the association in behalf of the county. J. F. Speedy Adams, president-elect of the Lions club, headed the reception committee of the club and welcomed the members of the association in a brief address.

Lowry Martin, chairman of the program, presented Mrs. Parchman who in turn presented the members of the association, many of whom made short talks.

**Visitors Presided.**

They included Mrs. Albert J. Buchanan of Bryan, first vice-president of the association, who is state publicity chairman of the National Federation of Press Women and a present member of the staff of the Bryan Daily Eagle; Mrs. Dona Coulter Carnes, also of Bryan, past president of the association and now regional director of the National Federation of Press Women; Mrs. Margaret Martin of Huntsville, immediate past president and now acting press editor of the association; Mrs. Ross Woodall of Huntsville, member of the executive board.

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## Red Cross Contributors

Contributors to the local Red Cross war relief fund since the last issue of The Eagle are:

Tom Cave, \$1; E. J. Ward, \$10; Mrs. L. C. Bratton, 50c; John Parker, \$1; O. M. Connelly, \$2; Mrs. W. C. Dew, \$25; Joe Curtis, \$1; Mr. Shelby, \$1; Mrs. A. H. Chilton, \$3.

R. H. Patterson, \$2.50; W. H. G. Chambers, \$1; W. P. Duren, \$1; L. L. Wilson, \$1; Mrs. Leone Walton, 50c; W. L. Henry, 50c; D. V. Westerman, 50c; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schulze, \$1.25; Mrs. Jewell Ivy, \$1; J. H. Randolph Co., \$1; Chas. Calder, 25c; Mrs. N. E. Campbell, 50c; S. J. Casey, \$1; S. J. Eaton, 50c; Geo. M. Fletcher, \$2.50; John C. Wright, \$3; Marsalete Summy, 50c; S. J. Fisher, \$2.50; A. G. Weston, \$1; Clyde Pickens, 50c; E. A. Kemp, \$2.50; S. M. Casey, 50c; Jim Wright, \$1; H. H. Stebbins, 50c; I. McCurry, \$1; Lee Tesson, \$1; Mrs. Lena Herrington, 20c; Mrs. C. L. Summy, 25c. Total to date, \$29.45.

## Boy Scout Camp Notes

Scoutmaster Bobbie Joe Pridgen and Assistant Scoutmaster Ralph Roberts of San Saba will have charge of bow construction and Archery instruction at Camp Billy Gibbons this year. Bobbie Joe and Ralph, as they are known to all of their friends who have been to Billy Gibbons in past years, are two of the best of Robin Hood's men. They are expert bow makers, and their skill with the bow and arrow warrants their ability to teach this subject.

Roy Fox, editor of Howard Payne College "Yellow Jacket" for two years and a Brownwood newspaper man will be editor of the official camp newspaper, "The Bugle Call," and teach a class in journalism, preparatory to the merit badge test in journalism.

## Masons Elect

The Goldthwaite Masonic Lodge elected the following officers at the annual election last Thursday evening: Dutch McKenzie, Worshipful Master; John Patterson, Senior Warden; S. E. Cloninger, Junior Warden; Sam Henry Rahl, Tiler; Lewis Hudson, Secretary; Jim Rahl, Treasurer.

These officers will be installed on the next meeting night, July 18.

## HONOR ROLL

Elton Geeslin re-enlisted in the National Guard, Company D, 142 Infantry, Stephenville, last week. He has been in the National Guard three years, while attending John Tarleton college.

Alvin E. Fesler of Co. F, 32nd Infantry stationed at Chilkoot Barracks, Alaska is further from home than any of the Mills county boys who have been reported to the EAGLE so far.

Leonard C. Winters, and Darwin D. Roach, of Goldthwaite, enlisted in the United States Army at Abilene on June 19, and were assigned to Field Artillery, Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Othel W. Lucas, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lucas, Route 3, Goldthwaite joined Troop A, 7th Cavalry, Fort Bliss, Texas on March 21, 1939.

Ellis Mahan, son of Wiley L. Mahan, leaves this morning (Friday) for Los Angeles to enter the Anderson Airplane School, where he will take a mechanical course. After 10 weeks in this school, he will enter the Douglas Airplane Factory in Los Angeles to assist in building planes.

Captain J. D. O'Leary, officer in charge of the Dallas Recruiting District, has announced the opening of a Recruiting Station for the United States Marine Corps in the Post Office Building at Austin, Texas.

This office will be open daily from 8:30 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. except Saturday afternoons and all day Sundays.

Requirements for enlistment in the Marines are as follows: The applicant must be between 18 and 30 years of age, from 64 to 74 inches tall, white, single, with no dependents, must have completed grammar school, be physically sound and of good moral character.

## Heavy Rain Fills Lake

A torrential rain in the watershed of Lake Merritt filled the lake early Monday morning. From nearly five feet below the spillway it rose to within three inches of the top.

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Registration begins at 10:45 a. m. The following program will begin at 10:50 a. m.:

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Trio vocal numbers — Wilda, and Wanda Bledsoe, and Aggie Forehand.

Lunch at 12:00 o'clock in the H. E. building.

Style reviews begin at 2:00 o'clock.

Any woman interested in home demonstration work is invited to attend this affair. Bring your lunch and plan to spend the day.

## SINGING CONVENTION TO MEET AT FAIRY

Fairy will be host to the Hamilton Fifth Sunday singing convention June 30, when singers from many sections gather there at 10 a. m. sharp at the high school gymnasium, announced R. O. McDermitt, president, and Mrs. Hazel Curry, secretary, this week.

Noted quartettes and class leaders will be present, Mr. McDermitt said. Dinner will be served all visitors. All those who enjoy gospel singing are invited to attend.

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## Texas Automobiles Show Big Gain

Austin.—Figures compiled by the State Highway Department for the registration year ended March 31, 1940 show a total of 1,682,288 motor vehicles registered compared to 1,611,613 in the previous registration year. This is an increase of 70,675 vehicles, or 4.38 per cent.

The total net license fees collected amounted to \$19,838,178.02, which was an increase of \$927,290.94, over the preceding registration years. Of the total fees collected \$11,903,148.74, or 60 per cent of the total was retained by the counties, while the State received \$7,935,029.28, or 40 per cent.

## Mills County Cows Found Healthy

Dr. A. M. Zubl of the Department of Agriculture has completed testing Mills county dairy cows for tuberculosis. He reported that not a single case was found in this county.

## Census Report Confuses Three Candidates Here

Announcement last week that the 1940 census gave Mills county only 7,946 inhabitants has wrecked the plans of the three candidates for the office of District Clerk. Texas laws allow only counties with 8,000 or more population a separate district clerk. In those under 8,000 the office is combined with that of County Clerk.

The difference of only 54 in the count will result in abolishing this office for the next ten years. The Census Bureau is willing to correct its preliminary report if those not previously counted can be reported. It is considered quite likely that as many as 54 persons were overlooked by the enumerators in Mills county, but it doesn't seem likely that that many can be located now.

It appeared probable yesterday that all three of the candidates for the office would withdraw from the race. Mrs. Cora Keese is completing her first term in the office. She has been opposed by W. H. Venable and I. A. Dyches.

## Monday Will Be July Trades Day

Plans for added attractions for the July Trades Day next Monday have been completed by Goldthwaite business men.

Everyone living within this trade area will find it profitable to be on hand and share in the bargains offered.

## Homecoming at Indian Gap

The Indian Gap annual homecoming will be held July 7, at the Mitchell picnic grounds. Every one is invited and the candidates have a cordial invitation to come and spend the day.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

John S. Waddell of Star and Florence Stewart.

A. W. Carswell of Moline and Wilma Cleo Black of Goldthwaite.

Perry Landrum and Imogene Boyd, both of Waco.

## SCOUTERS BREAKFAST

Goldthwaite Boy Scouts and scouters attended a breakfast early today at Highway Park, on the 'Y' south of town.

## Only 3 Counties Show Increase In District 21

Coleman, Texas.—Only three of the twelve counties in census supervisor's district 21 showed population gains in 1940 over 1930 figures, according to H. H. Jackson, district census supervisor.

Largest gain was shown by Tom Green county, which increased from 36,033 in 1930 to 39,296 in 1940, a gain of 3,263. San Saba county, with 10,773 persons in 1930, gained 712 for a 1940 total of 10,985. Lampasas county had an increase of 580 over the 1930 population of 8,677. Runnels and Coleman county showed the greatest losses. Runnels county, which had a population of 21,821 in 1930, dropped to 18,907 in 1940, a loss of 3,914. Coleman county, with 23,699 in 1930, lost 3,112 residents for a 1940 total of 20,557.

Brown county lost 465 persons in the 1930-40 decade. The 1930 population was 26,382, compared with 25,917 in 1940.

Total population of the 12 counties decreased from 165,409 in 1930, to 160,230 in 1940, a loss of 5,179.

Population of counties in the district follow:

County	1940	1930	Gain or Loss
Brown	25,917	26,382	465
Coke	4,590	6,263	663
Coleman	20,557	23,699	3,112
Concho	6,191	7,645	1,454
Irion	1,964	2,949	85
Lampasas	9,257	8,677	580
McCulloch	13,216	13,883	671
Mills	7,946	8,293	247
Runnels	18,907	21,821	3,914
San Saba	10,985	10,273	712
Sterling	1,404	1,431	27
Tom Green	39,296	36,033	3,263
Total	160,230	165,409	5,179

\* Represent gains.

## Make July Fourth Safe and Sane

Austin.—With Europe giving a display of its own brand of fireworks, there is more than ever a reason why the United States should attempt to celebrate the Fourth of July this year without the fire and noise which has been traditional. Marvin Hall, state fire insurance commissioner, said today.

American Medical Association reports show that 31 Texans were seriously injured last Fourth of July while playing with fireworks.

In cities prohibiting fireworks by local ordinance, firemen can materially aid the cause of safety by enforcing what laws they have, Hall declared. In locations where sale is allowed, departments can enforce safety measures for every fireworks stand. No stand should be allowed in front of a store, where it conceivably might cut off exit in case of fire, and firemen should enforce "No Smoking" rules and require fire extinguishers or water pails.

Non-thinking parents still permit thousands of children to use this dangerous method of celebrating the Fourth, with the inevitable result that some of them find their way to the hospital, and others to an undertaker's establishment. Tetanus always is in the shadow where high explosives are being handled for amusement by amateurs. Any person receiving a powder burn or wound, however superficial, should see a physician immediately. Anti-tetanus serum, in the majority of instances, will be administered to prevent the possibility of lockjaw. To treat an injury of this type unconcernedly is to run an unjustifiable risk. Moreover, the post-Fourth's casualty items are augmented by the carelessly operated automobile. Statistics show that not only in Texas, but throughout the nation, the misoperated motor vehicle is a real Fourth of July hazard. Again, the list of drownings is definitely increased on that day. And finally, snake bites, polluted drinking water, sunburn and poison ivy are always ready to meet the casualists half-way.

## COMPULSORY MILITARY TRAINING BILL EXPLAINED

Washington, June 22.—Legislation providing for universal compulsory military training was introduced in congress last week. Here are the answers to some of the questions concerning the bill:

**What is its purpose?**

To mobilize the nation's strength by fitting "every able-bodied man into his proper place under a fair system of selective compulsory military training and service."

**Who would be called?**

All male citizens, wherever residing, and all male aliens residing in the United States or its possessions who are aged 18 to 65.

**When would it become effective?**

Immediately upon enactment of the bill. The president would not have authority to induct registrants into the army or navy, however, until congress provided funds for that purpose. The law would be effective until May 15, 1945, unless extended.

**When and where would eligible males register?**

This is left to the discretion of the president, who would be empowered to prescribe regulations, establish a selective service system, appoint a director of the system and fix his salary, and call on any or all departments of the federal, state or territorial government to assist in the work.

**Would all who register get the same training?**

No. Men between the ages of 21 and 45 would be liable for training in the United States land and naval forces; those between the ages of 18 and 21 and 45 and 65 would be liable for training in the home defense units of the land and naval forces in or near the communities and areas in which they reside.

**Would this program be dependent upon declaration of war?**

No. The president would be directed to select for training and service as many men as he deemed necessary for the national interest "whether a state of war exists or not."

**How long a period of training would be provided?**

During peacetime, training would be for eight consecutive months, and after training each man would be a member of the enlisted reserve corps for 10 years or until he reached 45, whichever came sooner. If an emergency developed, service would continue so long as national interest required.

**Would there be additional training?**

Yes. After the initial service, men in the reserve would be sub-

ject to one month's training a year, but not oftener than three years in any five-year period.

**Where would they train?**

The bill provides for training in the state or territory or residence, or within 200 miles of residence, except that students would be trained at their college or university.

**What compensation would be provided?**

The pay would be \$5 monthly and travel expenses. The bill would leave to the president's discretion arrangements for maintenance of dependents.

**How would the order of drafting be decided?**

By lot. The director of selective service would prescribe regulations for doing it in an "impartial manner."

**What age group would be most affected?**

Those from 21 to 31. The bill provides that not more than 87 per cent nor less than 78 per cent of those selected shall be in that age group. Between 10 and 15 per cent would be in the 31 to 38 group, and between 3 and 7 per cent would be in the 38 to 45 group, this refers, of course, to those chosen for the regular military forces.

**Who would be exempt?**

In a general way, those now in the military and related service, diplomatic representatives and their families, members of congress, judges, governors, ministers, persons found to be physically, mentally or morally deficient, persons in industry, agriculture or other occupations whose work was deemed necessary to the national health, safety or interest.

**What about so-called "conscientious objectors?"**

Members of a "well recognized religious sect" whose creed or principles forbids participation in war would be exempt from training in a combatant capacity, but would be eligible for training or service in non-combatant capacities.

**Who would decide the draftees?**

This would be up to persons designated by the president. The decisions of local boards on the availability men would be final, except for such appeal as the president would prescribe.

**What penalties does the bill propose?**

Failure to register, false statements, evasion of service or aiding such violations would be punishable by up to five years imprisonment or \$10,000 fine or both.



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### 'Gone With the Wind'

Following is a review written by the editor of a Georgia newspaper and reprinted in the Western Newspaper Union's Publisher's Auxiliary.

Here is Editor Tarver's review: There was a land of cotton-fields and cavaliers called The Old South. A land of Lords and their Ladies, of Master and of Slave. Look not for them hereabouts for they are no longer to be found. Male and Female, Black and White, Youth and Age, they are all down to the picture show seeing "Gone With the Wind."

Katherine Scarlett O'Hara was our Shero. A winsome wench with a figger like a marble statue and a head as hard.

Gerald O'Hara was her pa. By nature he was most animal-like. Proud as a peacock, he roared like a lion and rode like a dog and pony show. After Sherman came he was crazy as a bedbug.

Anyhow Scarlett was in love with Ashley Wilkes, who was in love with his cousin, Melanie, who was in love with Ashley, and so they were married. (Ashley and Melanie in case you're getting confused.)

This irritated Scarlett no end and so, in quick succession she married, for spite and cash respectively, a couple of fellers whose names we didn't get. But then, neither did Scarlett for long.

The other major characters were Rhett Butler, Belle Watling and a colored lady exactly like the one on the flapjack box.

Rhett, who was somehow strangely reminiscent of Clark Gable, was a cross between Jesse James and Little Boy Blue.

Uncle Lum considered playing Rhett but turned it down when he found there wasn't anything but mint in the mint juleps.

If Rhett had joined the Lost Cause in the second reel instead of after intermission, the Confederacy would have won the war.

And Belle. You'd have loved Belle. Everybody did.

During the siege of Atlanta, only three things were running: Belle's place, Prissy's nose and the laundry that kept Rhett's white suits snow white.

Melanie's baby arrived about the same time Sherman did. Both were equally welcome to Scarlett.

It was, so far as our painstaking research has revealed, the first baby ever born in technicolor.

Any way, the South lost the war again in the picture. (What could you expect with a lot of Yankee producers?) and Scarlett married Rhett to get even with him.

Their married life was just like sitting in hell's fire and listening to heavenly choir.

Finally, after Melanie died Scarlett realized that she didn't love Ashley but Rhett. Scarlett was as changeable as a baby's underwear.

However, Rhett had enough of her foolishness and when she told him, he says, "Frankly, my dear, I don't give a damn."

Neither, by this time, did the audience. They were glad to see the end.

Use of tear gas (chloropicrin) makes it practical to grow gladioli in soil where previous plantings have been destroyed by the fungus disease known as gladiolus yellows, according to the US department of agriculture.

## What's New in Cooking By Gertrude Dent



### Variety In Vegetables

WE have been pretty thoroughly convinced that vegetables are a necessary and important part of the diet. But sometimes it's a struggle to get Junior to eat his carrots, or his spinach, and all too often Dad asserts that he's perfectly satisfied with meat, potatoes, gravy, and pie!

Perhaps just changing the method of preparing and serving them is all you need to do to arouse the family's interest in vegetables.

The food value of vegetables may be sadly depleted and flavor and appearance spoiled by the method of cooking. Over-cooking destroys vitamins, causes strong vegetables to become bitter, mild ones insipid; strong vegetables darken and green ones lose their color with too long cooking. Cooking in a large amount of water means that precious minerals are poured away when this excess water is drained off.

To preserve food value, flavor, and appearance, vegetables should be cooked in the shortest possible time and in the smallest amount of water. The surface units of the modern electric range have been designed to fit that purpose. Five flexible speeds on each surface unit permit top-of-the-stove cooking on controlled heat; from very low heat for cooking custards or cheese, to the high we need for frying; intermediate heats provide for different cooking requirements and for utensils of various sizes.

For most vegetables, clean and cut the vegetables in pieces for serving. Place in saucepan with 1/4

cup water. Add salt and cover tightly. Turn switch to "high" and cook until vegetables steam freely. Then turn switch to "off" or "low" for balance of cooking time. Vegetables cooked like this retain their fresh color and flavor; no food value is lost, because there's no liquid to pour away, and it's an economical method of cooking, too. Actually, only a very little current is consumed; it can be turned off 10 or 15 minutes before cooking is completed.

If carrots have been none too popular at your house, they'll win a permanent place in the family esteem if they're served like this:

**Toasted Carrots**  
Select carrots of uniform, medium size. Scrape and wash thoroughly. Place in saucepan and add 1/4 to 1/2 cup water. Season with salt, cover, turn switch to high until the carrots steam freely (about 5-7 minutes, depending on the quantity you're cooking). Turn off current and continue cooking on stored heat. Roll carrots in melted butter, then in crumbled cornflakes. Place in a moderately hot oven (400°) just long enough to brown the crumbs slightly.

There's a pleasant contrast in textures between the soft, cooked carrots and the crisp crumbs. When you serve them, give the carrots a touch of realism by inserting a sprig of parsley in the stem end.

For variety, roll the carrots in finely chopped mint leaves instead of crumbs and serve (without browning) with roast lamb.

### Rock Springs

By Mrs. Eula Nickols

Bro. J. C. Wade preached Sunday morning and Sunday night. He and family were dinner guests in the Cooke home.

We extend sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Will Rahl and other relatives in the passing away of their son and also to Mr. Will Guynes' daughter and relatives in Mr. Guynes' death.

There were two combines cutting grain in this community Sunday. There has been so much rain we have to get it cut when we can. We re-shocked our oats last week. Another big rain fell Monday morning.

Mrs. Lula Gatlin and Alton from town visited with Oscar Gatlin Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Glenn Nickols dined with Mrs. Nickols and Mrs. Homer Doggett, Janeece and James Roberts Sunday.

Walter Robertson and family from Live Oak spent Sunday in the Robertson and Dunkle home.

James Roberts had an accident last week. He hurt his foot so he has had a rest sitting by the radio enjoying the programs.

Mrs. Glenn Nickols and Mrs. Homer Doggett and daughter and myself spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. A. R. Kauh.

Rudolph Cooke and family have rented Jack Robertson's house. They moved in last week.

Beryl Roberts from Winters came Monday to visit his grandparents.

Carl Bledsoe and wife from town, Miss Lollie Obenhaus and John Roberts and wife visited in the Pierce home Sunday.

R. E. Collier and wife have been going to Brownwood lately, as some of their relatives there had been sick.

Mmes. Doggett and Janeece and myself enjoyed a visit Tuesday with Ira Hutchings and family.

Mrs. Doggett and daughter and Mrs. Nickols attended church in town Sunday morning.

Mrs. V. D. Tyson from Center Point and Mrs. Dwight Nickols from town spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. James Nickols and son.

Miss Greta Traylor and Mrs. Harvey Dunkle spent Friday afternoon in the Nickols home getting their hair set.

Several from here attended Mr. Guynes funeral Saturday afternoon.

Shirley Nickols and wife from town attended church Sunday morning. They spent the rest of the day in her mother's home.

Harvey Dunkle and wife and Mrs. Robertson visited until bed time with Woody Traylor and family.

Mmes. Nickols, Doggett and Janeece called in W. A. Daniels home Thursday afternoon.

Wild house cats can attain immense size. One killed recently in Pennsylvania weighed 26 pounds and had a full-grown rabbit in its mouth.

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### BUSY STORK

(From The State Observer)  
In only two other states in the union was the stork busier in 1939 than in Texas, according to a statistical summary presented by the State Department of Public Health.

Fifth in total population, the state placed third in total number of registered births. Texas' total of 121,034 was exceeded only by New York, where a population twice as great brought into the world only 65,826 more infants; and Pennsylvania, with 50 per cent greater population, listing 40,000 more births.

The 1939 birth rate represented one new Texan every four minutes, 336 per day, 10,086 per month.

The rate was 19.6 per 1,000 population, which is 2.2 above the national average, said State Health Officer George W. Cox. Statistically, there were 2,999 more children born in Texas in 1939 than in the following states combined: Arizona, Delaware, Idaho, Montana, New Hampshire, New Mexico, Nevada, Wyoming, North Dakota, Rhode Island, and South Dakota.

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**FOR Commissioner Precinct No. 4, JESS G. EGGER**

**FOR Justice of Peace, Precinct 1, JAMES RAHL**

### West Lake Merritt

By Miss Inez Ritchie

Andy Crowder and wife of New Mexico and Leonard Willis and family, spent a part of last week in the Will Crowder home.

Mrs. Warren Wilson and baby of Glen Rose visited her sister, Mrs. R. V. Leverett on Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Reid was a visitor in San Angelo a part of last week.

J. C. Sanderson and wife, returned home from Arkansas Thursday.

Mrs. Tom Cave returned home Friday, after a delightful vacation in Galveston.

Amos Hawkins spent Saturday night in the Webb home.

Bill Stuck and wife were week

end guests in the Hutchings home.

Clarence Anderson and wife of Austin were dinner guests in the Jake Brown home Sunday.

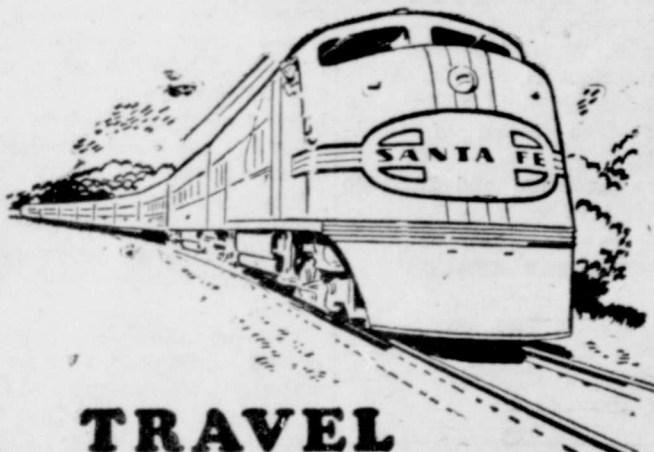
Mrs. Baker spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. R. V. Leverett. Joe Long and brother of Cross Plains called on J. M. Ritchie Sunday morning.

Dixie Webb and family enjoyed a birthday dinner Sunday, given in the Frank Byrd home for Amos Hawkins.

Charlie Thompson and family spent Sunday evening in the John Dellis home.

Ira Hutchings and family visited with Miss Besse and Otis Hutchings Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. W. Long is taking treatments for her head from a doctor in Brownwood. We are hoping she will regain her hearing.



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**Regency**

By Mary Ellen Moore

Those enjoying a barbecue dinner in the Mrs. S. M. Jones home last Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Martin and son of San Saba, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Egger and children, Hulon and Miss Erma and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones and Edgar, Jr.

Mrs. M. L. White, mother of Mrs. H. L. Egger is spending this month with her son at McCamey.

Homer Rowlett and his sister, Mrs. Merle Danner were guests of friends at Priddy Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Acers of Fort Worth made a flying trip and visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jones Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Vernon who has been with her brother, J. M. Jones for several months, returned to her home at Fort Worth recently.

Miss Floy Massey of Lake Merritt was a guest of Mrs. Claude Rowlett, one day last week.

Mrs. Ernest Martin and children of Odessa returned from San Saba for a few days visit with Mrs. J. G. Egger.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jones, R. D. Egger and Miss Ida Mae Skelton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jones.

Those who visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brown Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Davis of Nix, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Fairman of Goldthwaite, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reid and children.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hubbert of San Saba and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fry and daughter, Barbara Jo were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Egger.

George Gains and family are the proud owners of a new auto. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carrell of San Saba were in Regency Friday.

Mr. H. L. Egger was a business visitor in Goldthwaite Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Butch Rowlett and children, Mmes. Claude Rowlett and Mearle Danner were in Brownwood, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Egger visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Egger and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Moore recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Loyt Roberts and sons and Wayne Roberts, H. L. Egger and J. G. Egger were in Goldthwaite Saturday.

Mr. Tilley of Dallas enjoyed a few days hunting with Ben and R. D. Egger last week.

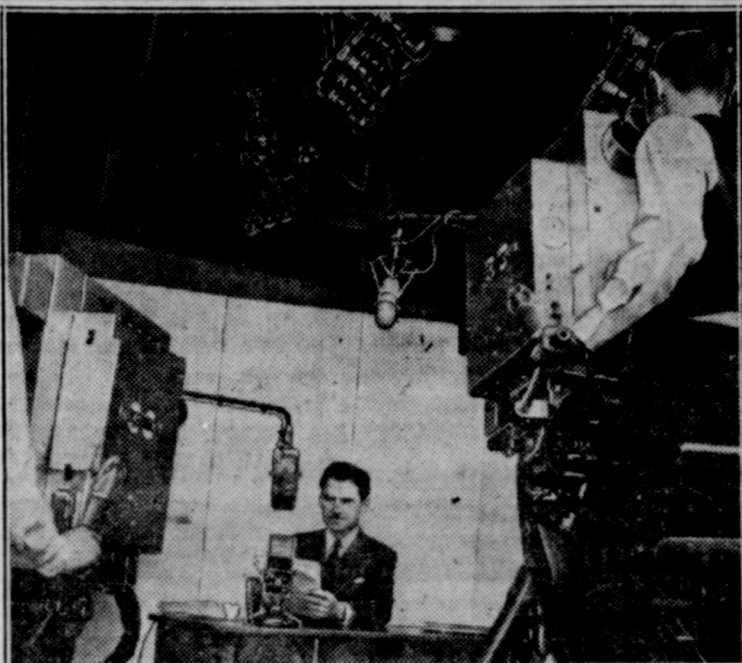
Mrs. Ben Egger has been renovating some old mattresses. Some others in this community are planning to work some of their old ones over. That's a very good start. If you would only think—we spend about one-third of our lives lying on mattresses, so why not make our beds comfortable, as life is hard enough at its best.

H. L. Egger delivered the new seats to the Regency community house last week. They were purchased with the money made at the pie supper sponsored by the club ladies of this community. There were 14 seats purchased.

Mrs. Bruce Moore and daughter, Edna Sue, were business visitors in Brownwood Tuesday.

Rev. Wilson Carwile, student in Howard Payne, announces that he and Rev. Riley, also of Howard Payne college, will hold a meeting at the community house, beginning the fourth Sunday in July and continuing a week.

**WINNERS CHOSEN IN NATION-WIDE COMPETITION**



Lowell Thomas, pioneer news commentator, is the first sponsored radio personality to combine sound broadcasting and television.

ELEVEN high school boys today are sitting on top of the world. They have just received word from David Sarnoff, President of the Radio Corporation of America, that they are the preliminary winners in the \$4000 Opportunity Scholarship competition sponsored by that company.

The boys were selected from 2500 entrants in every State and Territory as being "most likely to succeed" in careers as radio scientists. Although the rules of the competition, offered to more than 17,000 high schools, specified ten preliminary winners, a tie for tenth place made it necessary to include one more boy in the list.

The future scientists, who have just been graduated from their high schools, will be brought to New York and Camden, N. J. in August for an entire month of inspection and study of RCA's engineering, laboratory and manufacturing facilities. During that period they will be under the eyes of the Judges, who are outstanding radio engineers. On September 1st, one of the eleven boys will be selected as the final winner, and he will be awarded the \$4000 tuition and maintenance scholarship in electrical and radio engineering at a college selected by the boy himself from a list of approved institutions. Each of the other ten boys will

receive a cash award of \$100 in addition to the trip.

Restrictions in the competition were severe. Only those boys of high scholastic standing were permitted to enter. An unusually difficult examination in physics, mathematics and radio principles, prepared by Columbia University department heads and well-known radio engineers, was given to these students, and in addition a searching inquiry was made as to their characters and personalities. The Judging Board, composed of chief engineers and laboratory scientists of RCA companies, used all of this data in selecting the preliminary winners.

The young men who will receive the free trip to the East for final competition for the scholarship are in such widely scattered States as California, Pennsylvania, New Mexico and South Dakota. The complete list includes David S. Colburn, Fresno, California; Joseph Collins, Washington, D. C.; John DeWolf, Wayne, Pennsylvania; William C. Jakes, Jr., Evanston, Illinois; Gordon W. McClure, Oak Park, Illinois; John Moll, Wauseon, Ohio; Richard K. Moore, Kirkwood, Missouri; Francois N. Palmatier, Port Edwards, Wisconsin; Floyd D. Raasch, Watertown, South Dakota; George F. Smith, Roswell, New Mexico; and George W. Swenson, Houghton, Michigan.

**TEXAS OUT-O'-DOORS**

**Wildlife Valued at \$94,350,394.**

Texas continues to lead the nation in the value of its wildlife resources, according to figures assembled after surveys were made by the federal government and forwarded to the executive secretary of the State Game Commission. Not only does Texas lead the nation, but its wildlife resources are worth approximately three times as much as those of the second leading state.

Wildlife resources in Texas are valued at \$94,350,394 by federal experts. This takes into consideration the value of insectivorous birds to the farmer, of game and the amount of money spent by hunters it brings the land owner, hotel owners, stores and tourist camps; the values of the fur crop in the state and a myriad of other ways in which game is of actual monetary value to the Lone Star State.

**Detoured Traffic for Quail.**

A mother quail and her nest of 21 eggs recently caused travelers to do a bit of detouring between Brackettville in Kinney county and Rock Springs in Edwards county. The state highway department's crew of engineers and construction gang, in building a road between those two communities, located a quail nest of 21 eggs. All traffic was detoured around that spot until Mama Quail hatched 19 of her 87 eggs and the little birds were able to leave the nest, it is reported to the State Game Department's executive secretary.

**Got His Plug Back.**

Not only did Will Baugh of Bonham, Texas, hook a nine-pound catfish on a plug twice, but the strikes came two days apart and he got back his first plug, which the heavy cat had smatched when he broke the angler's line, Bob Cantrell of the Bonham Favorite relates. Mr. Baugh was fishing on a recent Saturday when he felt a heavy tug on his plug. He hauled the nine-pound cat to within a few feet of the boat when the fish broke his line. Baugh went fishing again on Monday and it was not long before he again got a heavy tug on his line. He land-

Sunday was well attended, with dinner on the grounds and speakers and visitors coming from various and distant sections of the state.

**Star**

By Mrs. Zeola Langford

A new recruit for defense has been added to the Mills county roll from this community. James Calvin arrived a few days ago at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mason. The little man is being entertained at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Witty.

Luther Garrett and family of Littlefield and L. Garrett of Arizona are here for a few days visit with relatives.

Mr. Jim Soules, and Mrs. Gusie Harris of near Burnet, were married last week; and after a short honeymoon in San Antonio are now at home on the Soules ranch. We wish them much happiness in future years.

John Waddell and Miss Stewart were married Saturday night. John is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Waddell.

Miss Zona Woolsey, who visited here with relatives several weeks has returned to her home at Hall.

James Witty and Miss Merzell Frazier of San Antonio were guests over the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Witty.

Nelda Karnes has returned

home from a two weeks visit with her grandmother in Goldthwaite.

Melvin Witty of the Army stationed on the west coast is home for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Witty.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Cook of Coahoma, Texas are here for a visit with relatives.

Miss Ima Pearl Hurst left Saturday to go to work at Hamilton. Mrs. Anna Hurst is staying with her daughter of Hico, who underwent an operation several days ago.

The Sunday school get-together at the Baptist church last

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ed a huge catfish which proved to be the same one he had tangled with Saturday. The way he knew? The catfish still had Baugh's first plug dangling from its mouth!

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The State Game Department's campaign to get anglers fishing for gar continues to progress. Have you tried the sport yet? Gar fishing with a wire noose is proving one of the most thrilling of all sports to hundreds of Texas anglers. A request to the State Game Department at Austin for a leaflet describing the procedure and how to make the noose will bring you one free of charge.

**Priddy**

By Mrs. E. B. Dearson

The rainy weather is not so good on the grain, but is fine for mattress-making.

Our first group of mattress-makers started last Wednesday morning and finished ten mattresses by Friday noon. Our second group began Monday.

Miss Elsie Wellmon, who lives with her aunt, Mrs. Mike Schlee, is spending a few weeks with her parents at Washington, Texas.

Lindley Palmer is at home after several months in a Marlin hospital. We are very glad Lindley is well enough to be home again.

Bob Swindle is still on the sick list.

Barbara Dearson spent last week in Goldthwaite with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Dyches.

Mrs. Fritz Schumann and children and Mrs. Gearhart of Dumas have been visiting in the Schlee and Schumann homes.

Mrs. Ernest Wuthrich and two daughters of Taylor visited last week in the John Schlee home.

Mutt Schwartz and wife of Comanche carried Olga Schwartz to San Angelo Sunday, where she will enter a hospital for treatment.

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Thrall, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Henkes.

Leona Schwartz, who has been working at Star, is at home.

James Dearson made a flying trip to Breckenridge last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shipp and Billie went to Llano Saturday.

Mrs. Coers spent last week end at Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Weyman Harvey spent last Sunday in Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Tiemann, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Drucekhammer, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Drucekhammer, went to San Angelo last week end to attend the wedding of Miss Wilma Drucekhammer to Mr. Ollie Blaylock. We wish the young couple much happiness.

Mrs. Clyde Goosby and daughters of New Burg visited in the

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Seth Moore, your candidate for Representative, 104th District, will have his musical program and will talk to you in Goldthwaite Saturday evening, June 29th at 2:30 o'clock and we invite all candidates of Mills county to be with us. 6-22-2tp

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The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the Estate of Joahan E. (Jodie) Ratekin, deceased, late of Mills County, Texas, by R. J. Gerald, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 20th day of May, A. D. 1940, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate, if any, to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at his residence, Goldthwaite, Mills County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this 21st day of June, A. D. 1940.

E. T. FAIRMAN, Administrator of the Estate of Joahan E. (Jodie) Ratekin, Deceased.

**North Bennett**  
 By Mrs. Edker Mikeal.

We really have been having some nice rains, but are glad to see the sunshine again. The farmers are getting busy saving their grain. The rains damaged some of the grain quite a bit.

Glen Geeslin went to Brownwood one night last week.

Our road commissioner has been doing some badly needed work on our road recently. He plated some of the road.

Forest Venable and family, Mrs. T. J. Venable and Mrs. Juanita Reeves visited in the H. C. Geeslin home Thursday. Forest visited with Edker Mikeal awhile Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edker Mikeal visited with Mrs. C. C. Ellis awhile Friday afternoon. Sorry to report Mrs. Ellis not doing so well. All her children have been visiting her.

Willie Sparkman spent the week end with Darrell Head.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Geeslin and Mrs. Mel Booker spent Saturday in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fickle of Gustine visited in the Raymond Booker and Mel Booker homes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Booker visited in the Edker Mikeal home awhile Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Geeslin visited in the R. L. Kendall home Monday.

The carryover of domestic wool in the United States at the beginning of the new marketing season, April 1, was the smallest in recent years.

**Ridge**

By Mrs. Herman Boyd

Bro. Renfro came Saturday night with the most wonderful message upon his heart, which he delivered to the waiting congregation.

Mrs. C. L. Ashton's nephew from California visited her and Lora the past week.

Miss Elsie Lee Powell, nurse from the Brady hospital, spent a few days and nights of last week with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Powell and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Calder.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Calder made a business trip on the other side of Goldthwaite early Sunday morning. They came back by to see Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wood and little daughter, Barbara Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pafford and girls and Mrs. Annie Curtis spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boyd of near Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl James of Brownwood spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Egger.

Elsie Lee Powell and Morton Lowdermilk of Brady and Mrs. Estell Donahoo of Brownwood called in the Powell home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Reid and children visited with Mrs. Tommie Dennis and children Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pafford and girls called on Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kight Sunday night.

Those who had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Miles Calder Sunday were Mr. Jones, Bro. Renfro, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Calder and Mrs. Cummings.

Verba Lee and Barbara Lynn Boyd spent Thursday night and Friday night with Mrs. Cummings and Sy.

Ray Churchwell visited relatives at Locker Saturday night.

Bro. Renfro spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley.

The mattress-making is in full swing. There were 10 made last week and 16 more to be made this week.

Everyone remember Sunday is the day for our fifth Sunday meeting. On our last fifth Sunday, we had three additions, so let's all come praying that this may be as great or greater day than ever and that we might see lost souls brought to Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Boyd and girls and Mrs. Cummings had supper with Mrs. Annie Curtis and family Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Rasco and children and Grandma Rasco of Mullin visited Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Rasco and family Sunday.

**Ebony**

By Clementine Wilmeth Briley

William Roach, prospective ministerial student of Howard Payne college, preached here Sunday in place of Roy Lambert as was announced.

Louis Perkins, who has had the Crowder place leased for the past two years, exchanged leases with his brother, Wallace Perkins, and moved last week to the Rives place on the road to Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth attended the revival conducted by Evangelist Horace W. Busby at Brady Sunday. From there Mrs. Wilmeth went to visit her sister, Mrs. Willie Beakley, at Pear Valley, and they together went to Hermleigh where they were to spend the week with their sister, Mrs. Alice Wade.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Caywer and Ednabeth of San Angelo arrived at the Dwyer home Thursday where they will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Wallace attended church here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, a recent bride and groom, are at home on the Roland Russell place.

Granny Hobbs is spending a while with Miss Dolly Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cutbirth and children of Houston came in Wednesday to spend a few days at the Tippen home.

Mrs. Frank Crowder of Oak-

land attended church here Sunday. She reports three people sick at her house this past week. Her mother, Mrs. Lula Kelly, who lives with her, Ed Crowder of Brownwood, and her half brother Will Kelly of San Angelo.

Grandmother Ivy had her household goods moved to the home of her grandson, Truman Crowder, at Oakland Friday. She is for the present making her home with her son, Clifford Crowder, at Brownwood.

Guests at the Dwyer home Sunday after church were Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Briley, Grace Briley, and Mrs. Nellie Malone.

J. C. Crowder of Brownwood was looking after business in this community Friday. He reports that he has received the announcement of the arrival of a new granddaughter, Georgia Rae, born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schurmer at El Paso, June 19. Mrs. Crowder is chief nurse for the young lady.

Honoring their son, Noel, on his 25th birthday, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haynes entertained Sunday with a birthday dinner. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Allen and children, Douglas and Paula Jean, of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Chesnut of Cross Cut, Billie Preston of Oklahoma, Bill Wooly of Caldwell county, Ernest Malone, and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pittman and little daugh-

ter, Jessie Violet. The guests report a very enjoyable day.

Miss Cleone Haynes, Ernest Malone, and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pittman and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Wallace Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Reid spent Sunday with Mrs. Reid's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cloud Mashburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cutbirth of Houston entertained members of their family with a family dinner at their summer cottage on the Cutbirth Ranch at Jordan Springs Sunday. Present from

Ebony were Mrs. Lydia Tippen, Mrs. Mack Reynolds and children Mirla Nell, Dorothy May, and Joe, Mrs. Effie Egger and Clayton Egger.

**Pleasant Grove**

By Miss Lenora Brown

We really got a good rain this week. It will help all the crops, although it won't do the oats that are already on the ground any good.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kelly and James Tubbs visited in the home of George Brown Monday.

The first group of mattress makers finished several days ago and the second group is intending to start this week.

Ruby D. Berry spent several days with Mrs. Burton Leverett of Goldthwaite.

Mrs. Will Jeffery celebrated her birthday last Sunday. Several of their children were pres-

ent. The thresher intended to start last Monday, but after the rain it probably won't start until the last part of the week or the first of next week.

James Tubbs has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Vernon Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Perry and family of Center Point. Altha Mae Perry returned with them for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Leverett visited Mr. and Mrs. Walker Berry Sunday.

The Methodist revival meeting will start in this community some time in July. Watch for further notice.

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## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sanderson of Goldthwaite and Fred Sanderson of Moline arrived home last Thursday, after having spent 12 days in Oklahoma and Arkansas.

Ed Blanton, who has lived in San Angelo several years, spent his childhood here. He decided he would like to spend his birthday here, so Sunday he and Mrs. Blanton drove down and went to Sunday school and church then had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Dow Hudson and spent the afternoon calling on old friends.

Little Mary Jane Scott left for her home in Coleman, after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Little.

Mrs. R. J. Gerald and sons, Sumter and Stoddard visited Sunday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Stoddard in Coryell county.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith and daughter, Miss Wilyene of Winters stopped for a short visit Sunday with her mother, Mrs. T. S. Gerald.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mason, a 10 pound boy, who made his arrival June 17, in the Star community.

Bryan Ware spent a few days in the home of J. V. Cockrum this week. Mrs. Ware and twins who have been here on a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cockrum and family, accompanied Mr. Ware home to Crane, Tuesday.

Mrs. M. A. Stephan and daughter, Mrs. Mamie Price and her son, Raymond Lee Price, of Star were guests in the Oscar Burns home Tuesday.

Mrs. James McCartney and son, Jimmy of Fort Worth, left Sunday after spending a few days with the Ed Gilliam's at their Lakeview cottage at Lake Merritt.

Mrs. Dow Hudson spent last Wednesday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. T. B. Rodgers and family at Burnet.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Yarborough and son, Harold, spent Sunday in Austin with W. G. Yarborough and family.

Misses Abbie and Ruth Ervin had as guests for a few days this week, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. White and family and Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Ervin and family, all of Ranger. They also visited other relatives while here.

Miss Lila Townsen of Plainview came Tuesday night for a visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Townsen and her sister, Mrs. Dow Hudson and family.

O. B. Townsen, Dow Hudson and son, Lewis Townsen, were in Austin on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fairman left Wednesday for Marlin for a few days visit with her father, W. L. McKnight and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker and two nieces of Dallas made a short visit here with Mrs. Frank Smith and Brian Smith Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dalton of Los Angeles, California, spent last Monday with his uncle, Grover Dalton and family and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Wade and son, Charles, and daughter, Adna La Verne Saylor of Clovis, N. M., left Tuesday after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Saylor.

Emma Oltrogge and Mrs. W. Fox had their sisters and their families with them for a few days this week. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taff and daughter, Mrs. Minnie Penn of Cleburne, Mrs. Paul Bohel and daughter Anita of Galveston, and Miss Minnie Oltrogge of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Will Potter of Brownwood spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. W. B. Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. McDuffy Kesler, Miss Charline Brim and Charles Ford went to Glen Rose last Saturday where they attended a meeting and picnic for the Community Public Service Company employees.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hodges and daughter, Miss Katherine, spent the week end with their son, Marvin, Jr., at San Antonio.

Those who have visited in the Dr. J. B. Townsen home this week were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Alexander, Dr. J. G. Townsen and daughters, Mrs. Joe Cox and Miss Naomi and Mrs. Perry Townsen, all of Lampasas.

Mrs. E. L. Colvin and daughters, Doris and Ruby of Beaumont are visiting her sister, Mrs. L. A. Moon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Steele and daughter, Miss Lillian, of San Angelo, visited last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairman returned Friday from a three weeks trip to Florida, New York World's Fair, Niagra Falls and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Featherston and children, Glenn and Yvonne, of Okmulgee, Okla., and Mrs. Della Clayton of Haskell, Okla., visited overnight with W. M. Featherston and other relatives in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Featherston, as they were enroute home from Corpus Christi. This is the first time the relatives had been together in over 40 years.

J. N. Bayley, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bayley, left Tuesday for Racine, Wisconsin, where he will be employed by the J. I. Case company.

Rev. Pearl Keeton and Mr. Keeton, Mrs. C. Williams and son Bill and Verne French returned Thursday from a week's visit in Oklahoma City, Okla., where they attended the general assembly of the Nazarene church.

Miss Emma Harrison, who went with them, is visiting relatives and friends in Missouri. Mrs. Tom Keese and her daughter, Mrs. T. P. Boyd, stopped at Fort Worth, where they were met by Mr. Keese and Mr. and Mrs. Walters Hester and little son Richard of Cameron. On Friday Mrs. Boyd left for her home at Old Hickory, Tennessee. Mr. and Mrs. Hester went to Cameron and Mr. and Mrs. Keese came to Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Murphy and family of San Angelo arrived Monday for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Webb.

Miss Bertha Puckett of Brownwood spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Lewis Hudson and other relatives.

Will Stark, who purchased the W. C. Fox home in the northwest part of town, is having considerable improving done on the house including roofing and repainting.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cunningham of Newberg were in Goldthwaite last Friday on business and visited their friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Long spent Sunday and Monday in San Antonio on business. They also visited his sister, Mrs. Inez Lockhart, who is taking a beauty course there.

Misses Lou Ella and Grace Patterson of Waco spent the week end with relatives here. They were accompanied by Miss Leone Riley, who visited friends.

Roy McKinley has replaced his service station on Fisher street with a completely new and modern station and has also re-decorated his home which adjoins it.

Alvin Caraway of College Station, was here last week end for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Caraway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Allen enjoyed a visit with their son Jack and family in Abilene last week. Mrs. E. W. Calvert, who had been in Abilene for several weeks, returned to Goldthwaite with them.

Mrs. Monta Kirkland and Mrs. Hardin Tobin of Rock Springs are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bayley and other relatives.

Dorothy Ruth Patterson accompanied her aunt, Mrs. R. H. Patterson of Mullin home for a visit.

**Catholic Church**  
Father Edward P. Harrison, rector of St. Peter's Catholic church, announces Mass will be held at 9:30 a. m., Sunday, June 30.

A cordial invitation is extended to all, to attend this service.

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## Is University's Delegate to Convention



Miss Louise Gartman, who with her mother and sister left Wednesday of last week for Washington, D. C. to attend the Forty-first International Convention of Gamma Phi Beta sorority. Miss Gartman, president of the Alpha Zeta chapter at the University of Texas, is their official delegate to the convention.

## Mrs. Gartman and Daughters Attend Sorority Convention

Mrs. L. J. Gartman and her two daughters, Mrs. C. E. Saegert of Seguin, and Louise Gartman of Goldthwaite, left Wednesday of last week from Austin for the Forty-first International Convention of Gamma Phi Beta sorority, held June 22-27 at the Wardman-Park Hotel in Washington, D. C. Miss Gartman is the official delegate of Alpha Zeta chapter at the University of Texas. She is president of the sorority. Mrs. Saegert is an alumna.

Featured at the convention, besides the regular business, was a lecture by Duchess Renee Carafa D'Andria of New York, conductor of a school for developing personality. Motion pictures made at the three summer camps maintained by the sorority for underprivileged children were shown.

Jean Dickenson, coloratura soprano of "The American Album of Familiar Music" on the radio, who recently made her debut at the Metropolitan Opera, was guest of honor, with other famous members of the sorority, at the traditional Carnation Banquet which closed the convention.

Gamma Phi Beta, one of the most conservative of college sororities, was founded November 11, 1874, at Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York. It has active and alumnae chapters thru out the United States and Canada.

Mrs. Gartman and her daughters are accompanied by two members of Gamma Phi Beta, Miss Louella Moffett of Dilley, Texas, and Miss Lee Alice Parkhill of Llano.

After the convention in Washington, they will go on to the post convention of three days at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York, which includes a tour of the city and of the World's Fair.

The party will go by boat to Troy, N. Y., and by train to Niagara Falls and Buffalo. They will go to Detroit and to Chicago for several days before returning to Texas.

Miss Gartman, who is a student at the University, is a member of Theta Sigma Phi, honorary journalism fraternity for women, a night society editor on

## First Baptist Church

E. E. DAWSON, Pastor

Rev. C. B. Jackson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Greenville, Texas, will do the preaching in our revival, which begins next Sunday. He was reared in this community, held a very successful revival here 13 years ago, and has been uniformly successful in pastorates and in revival meetings, in his native state, and in Kentucky where he served many years. He comes to us on Monday.

The Rev. Oliver Riley of Paducah, Texas, recent graduate of Howard Payne college, is on hand to direct the singing. He is a young man of exemplary life and devotion, and has a good voice for his work.

Fraternal invitation is given all the people of Mills county to attend our meetings. The evening services will be on the lawn.

## Nazarene Church

We are glad to be at home once again, after attending the 10th General Assembly of the Church of the Nazarene. But we are more thankful for the privilege of being a child of God and to associate with such fine people.

There were people there from every state in the Union and 13 foreign nations. And we learned that some of them came through great danger (due to war) to get to be at the assembly, but all seemed so happy to be there, especially the missionaries.

Upon returning home we found no revival on and Miss Betty Ellis here with her mother and we asked her to preach for us each night this week and as so many had wanted to hear her we thought this would be a good time. She consented and will preach each night until Friday, as she plans to go home Saturday.

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MRS. PEARL KEETON, Pastor

## Old-Fashioned Fifth Sunday Meeting

The Ridge Baptist Church will have a fifth Sunday meeting, beginning at 9:30 Sunday morning, for all who will join in prayer that God will lead our national leaders in time of war.

10:00 Sunday school.  
10:45 Song and praise service.  
11:00 Message by pastor.  
12:00 Lunch on the grounds.  
Bring your own lunch.

1:30 Song service, lead by Mack Egger.

2:00 The Old Pioneer Service.  
2:30 Preston Calder on "Phrophecy."

2:45 "What Is the Greatest Need in America Today?"—By visiting ministers.

3:10 "The Need of Home Missions"—By Tommie Dennis.

BEDFORD RENFRO, Pastor.

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"America's ideal and objective is still peace — peace at home and peace abroad. Our security is not a matter of weapons alone. The arm that wields them must be strong, the eye that guides them clear, the will that directs them indomitable.  
 "These are the characteristics of a free people, a people devoted to the institutions they themselves have built, a people willing to defend a way of life that is precious to them all, a people who put their faith in God."  
 —PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT  
 In his defense speech to Congress May 16, 1940.

**LET'S DO OR DON'T!**

Either America is facing the most critical period in her history since the War between the States or more people have been fooled and misled than even Barnum could have dreamed of.

Either our nation is confronted with the danger of having to fight for its very existence within one or two years at most, or the danger is not serious enough to justify all the shouting that is going on about us.

Either Great Britain, practically single-handed and alone, is going to defeat Herr Hitler's gigantic war machine or Britannia is going to be crushed like France and all the rest, leaving the United States as practically the sole representative of Democracy in the world.

If anyone has any evidence tending to indicate a British victory, now is the time to speak up. Nor is it sufficient to offer Hitler's statement that he has no intentions of harming America, for he has said the self-same thing about each one of the nations he later conquered and destroyed. Even though he means it this time, the United States would soon be stifled in a world dominated entirely by the autocracies of Germany, Italy, Russia and Japan.

Whether we fight or not is up to Hitler. Whether we are prepared to fight or not is up to us, and we have delegated our authority to Congress. If we are going to prepare at all, we must prepare to win. We must accomplish in one year what Germany with slave-driving methods took seven to do.

**WE CAN DO IT, IF WE MEAN BUSINESS.**

But let's face the music. We can't do it quick enough and big enough at the rate we have been going. We can't do it at all and keep on playing politics and doing everything else just as usual. Military preparedness must not only come first in our national life, it must come first in our personal lives—first and last!

The quicker we realize that we must sacrifice everything else, the quicker we will be

**Discovering Ourselves**

THE POET RILEY SAID: "When you awaken some morning and hear that somebody or other has been discovered, you can put it down as a fact that he discovered himself years ago — since which time he has been working, toiling and striving to make himself worthy of general discovery."  
 The reason there are not more successful people in the world is because most of us sit around waiting for the unusual opportunity that never comes. The thing to do is to follow the ancient wisdom and advice which the seven wise men of Greece carved over the Delphic Temple: "Know Thyself!" We should study ourselves carefully, analyze our talents, discover our strongest and best qualities, and then apply ourselves in the work we seem best able to do.  
 The best printers are those whose souls are afire with the desire to create beauty; the best aviators are those who enjoy playing with the clouds; the best engineers are those who get a kick out of building things; the great writers are those who love to write, and the great salesmen are those who like to sell. In other words, the men who succeed usually are those who have discovered themselves — those who have found the work they like to do. Blessed is the man who has found his work.  
 —THE SILVER LINING.

**TIME TO GET GOING!**



Read Editorial—"Let's Do or Don't."

**BIBLE THOUGHT**

"I will say of the Lord, He is my refuge and my fortress; my God in him will I trust."  
 —Ps. 91:2.

able to start. Here are a few things we might as well make up our minds now to do:

1. Speed up universal military training. We know it's coming sooner or later, why not let the men who will do the front line fighting get the benefit of a few months more invaluable training?
2. Put our WPA workers on jobs directly related to national defense such as additional flying fields, drill grounds and camp sites. Put the thousands of WPA sewing rooms to making uniforms.
3. Utilize our school buildings and court houses and even private homes as barracks instead of going to the expense of building barracks for our larger Army. Use overalls or similar inexpensive training uniforms for preliminary training.
4. Start rigid elimination tests to get rid of the dead timber that is cluttering up our armed forces. The officer or soldier who is not physically fit and mentally alert is a menace to his comrades. If there are any rocking chair generals and admirals, let's find it out before the shooting starts.
5. Eliminate the 50 per cent additional flying pay that is a relic of the days when flying was synonymous with suicide. Any flyer who is in it just for the extra pay lacks what it takes for a successful war-time pilot.
6. Tie our air force and artillery closer to the infantry so that each branch will know more about what the other can and wants to do. This silly 50 per cent flying pay bonus now keeps many excellent line officers from getting observer training the Army needs.
7. Put an embargo on the export of strategic military supplies except to England.
8. Ration the use of rubber, tin, silk and other materials we must import from overseas.
9. Stop the manufacture of all models of automobiles and trucks except those that can be immediately put into military service when and if the need arrives.
10. Put a group of our representative statesmen and historians to work formulating a statement of national policy. Are we going to fight if Great Britain is defeated? Are we going to fight if the Monroe Doctrine is violated? Are we going to fight if our agricultural and manufactured products are discriminated against? Are we going to fight if Japan takes the Dutch East Indies or the Philippines?

We're NOT going to fight to "make the world safe for Democracy" or to "Remember the Maine" or even the Alamo. Opinion now varies from that of Jehovah's Witnesses who say they won't fight anybody anytime to that of those who want us to start scrapping Hitler right now whether we've got anything to fight with or not. Somewhere there's a reasonable middle ground to which most Americans can subscribe. Let's decide on it now.

**WHEN DO WE START?**

**Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON**

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.,  
 Dean of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.  
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**Lesson for June 30**

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**JONAH: THE OUTREACH OF GOD'S LOVE**

LESSON TEXT—Jonah 3:1-10; 4:10, 11. GOLDEN TEXT—Salvation is of the Lord.—Jonah 2:9.

"There's a wideness in God's mercy Like the wideness of the sea; There's a kindness in His justice Which is more than liberty."

"For the love of God is broader Than the measure of man's mind; And the heart of the Eternal Is most wonderfully kind."

Such is the message of the book of Jonah. How appropriate it is to close our series of studies on the prophets with this declaration of God's love and mercy.

**I. A Second Chance (3:1-3).**

Jonah had been sent to Nineveh with a message from God, but, secretly wishing in his heart that this great city which was the enemy of Israel should be destroyed rather than repent and receive God's blessing (see 4:2), Jonah made an attempt to run away from God's commission. We know how God patiently dealt with him and now gave him a second chance to do His will. How gracious God is "to continue to us . . . the privilege of service even when we seem to have sinned away our first chance, misused our endowments, and have by our very failure embarrassed His plans." Dr. J. Stuart Holden goes on to point out that only God gives a second chance. Nature does not, man seldom, if ever, gives his fellow who has failed a second opportunity. But God does. Praise His name!

There was also a second chance extended to Nineveh. God was not willing to bring judgment upon the city without another warning. Quoting Dr. Holden again: "I care not what is the history of failure, of shame, of sin which is behind you, I tell you that Jesus Christ is here . . . to give you a second chance, and that everything depends upon your attitude of acceptance or rejection of His proffered grace and mercy."

**II. A Stirring Revival (3:4-10).**

So great was the city that it would have taken Jonah three days to bring his message to the entire population (see v. 3). He had only begun when, at the end of the first day, the city, from the ruler down to the humblest inhabitant, was in deep mourning and repentance for its sin.

Jonah, the man who had been brought back from a living death as a sign (Luke 11:29-32) to Nineveh that God was gracious to repentant sinners, pointed to the fact that though his message was one of condemnation (v. 4), they might expect God to be entreated of them (v. 9). He was (v. 10).

God has sent times of revival when whole cities—and even whole nations—have been turned from their sin. Such revivals have been occurring in recent years in various mission fields. Thousands of earnest Christians are praying now that such a revival may come again in our own land. The writer knows where helpful literature along this line is available without cost. Let us pray and be faithful, and trust God to bring revival to the hearts of men.

**III. A Selfish Reaction (4:10, 11).**

Jonah, instead of rejoicing in the repentance of Nineveh, showed his narrowness and selfishness by becoming angry (see 4:1). How petty and childish are the attitudes of men when contrasted with the mercy of God.

The Lord, dealing gently with Jonah, gave him a place of refuge and a gourd plant to shade him from the sun (4:5, 6). Then, to teach him a lesson, a worm was permitted to kill the gourd (v. 7). When Jonah was greatly concerned over the loss of the plant, God pointed out to him that it is wrong to be stirred up over the passing of material comfort and not to be concerned for the souls of men.

How many of those who poured out millions of dollars (and rightly so) for the relief of the harassed people of Finland, would give five cents to win them to Christ? Many who will give liberally of money, time and effort to the commendable work of flood or famine relief, will not so much as cross the road to talk to a neighbor about Christ. A farmer will sit up all night to care for a sick cow, but will spend an hour or two on Sunday or some evening of the week in an effort to win his neighbor's boy (or his own boy) to Christ? These are pertinent and serious questions. What is our answer? God will hold us responsible.

**A Prayer**

O God, who hast given to us the knowledge of right and wrong, and hast taught us that it is Thy will that we choose the right throughout our lives, give us grace to be loyal to the right as we see it, and faithful to the highest we know. Amen.

**NEIGHBORING NEWS**

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

**Lometa**

The mass meeting called for the business men of Lometa last Friday night at the fire hall was well attended, and everyone present was unanimous in their desire to re-establish our Saturday Trades Day.

The marriage of Cecelia Marguerite Wittenburg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wittenburg, of Lometa, and Edwin Berger, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Berger, of Weimar, was solemnized at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Lampasas, Monday morning, June 17, at 8:00 o'clock.

Mmes. Frank and Gordon McCann spent last week in Hemp-hill, Beaumont and Shreveport, La., visiting relatives. They were accompanied home by Douglas Hanna, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCann, who will visit here for some time.

Lawrence Harris, who recently underwent an operation for the removal of his leg just below the knee, is again in the hospital, and it was found necessary to amputate the injured limb above the knee. Last report was that he was in a critical condition.

Miss Martha Allen of Washington, D. C., came in Sunday for a three week vacation visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will G. Allen and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Laughlin of Odessa, spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Webb Laughlin.—Reporter.

**San Saba**

David Combs, 30, of San Saba, died Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Llano hospital from knife wounds which, it is alleged, he received in an altercation with Sherman Russell on Highway 16, on the Llano side of the county line Tuesday morning.

Secretary Perry Hardin of the Jaycees reported yesterday that it is expected that at least four bands will be here some time during the Rodeo, which opens Monday for a three-night run.

In the parade next Monday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock the Goldthwaite band is expected to lead the big affair which will likely be more than a mile long.—News.

Rodeo Queen balloting ended Saturday, with a flood of votes coming in the final mail. Miss Betty Jo Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Turner of San Saba, was named to head the parade of pulchritude, with others in the race to ride as attendants to the queen.

A costly fire of undetermined origin broke out in the unoccupied Bama Hunter residence, formerly the old Harris Place in the southwest part of town Monday evening about 7:00 o'clock, with the building entirely destroyed and only one piece of furniture saved, that an old lovers seat which had been in the family for many years.

A telegram from the State Highway Department to W. W. Wilkerson, local resident engineer and relayed to Walter E. Gates, chairman of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Highway Committee, advises that work on this county's first paving project will get under way shortly.

Death claimed a pioneer member of the Cherokee community last week, Mrs. J. S. (Molly) Gay, 84, succumbing at 10:45 Friday evening after a weeks illness.

James (Tid) Watkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watkins of San Saba, left Saturday en-route for New York, where he will visit the city and the World's Fair before entering the United States Military Academy at West Point on July 1.—Star.

**Lampasas**

Two young men who gave their names as Fred W. Cook of Jackson, Miss., and Jack G. Hampton of Corsicana, were caught here Wednesday by Deputy Sheriff Luther B. Persons of Lometa. They were picked up by the officer after they ran the car into a ditch about four miles from Lometa on the Bend road and started to flee on foot.

Relatives here were notified of

the sudden death of G. R. R. Berry, Friday, June 14, at his home in Compton, California. Mr. Berry was well known by the older citizens of Lampasas and this section, having made his home here for a number of years.

According to the rain gauge at the Peoples National Bank, we have had 3.49 inches of rain here since June 10th.

Mrs. B. F. Gholson, 92 years of age, passed away Saturday morning, June 15, at her home in Evans after an illness of a few weeks.—Leader.

Clifford Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Jones of Briggs, and Miss Ruth Collier, daughter of Mrs. A. M. Collier of Austin were married at the home of Mrs. Collier, on Sixth street, in Austin, Sunday, June 16, at 3 p. m.

Mrs. J. R. Gee, 79, and a resident of this county for 58 years, died Wednesday, June 19, at about 6:30 p. m.—Record.

**Comanche**

One of the largest real estate deals made involving property on the square of Comanche within the last several years was closed this week when N. N. Durham and L. C. Durham, owners of the Wm. Reese Drug Company, purchased the buildings in which their business and that of the Mohon Dry Goods firm is located.

The consideration was \$11,000. The property was purchased from William Reese who had owned the buildings since 1895.

Tire thieves made another raid on Comanche automobile owners Sunday night, and made away with 14 wheels, complete with tires and tubes.

Plans for the big rodeo which opens the night of July 3, for three big performances and the all day celebration at Comanche for July 4, are fast taking shape according to the committee in charge.

The National Red Cross Society is still appealing to citizens of Comanche and Comanche county for money to aid the European war refugees.

Miss George Anna Weaver and Marshall Perry were married Saturday night in Brownwood at the home of Rev. Chisholm, pastor of the Central Methodist Church.—Chief.

**Hamilton**

Citizens of Hamilton County need not fear that the Cotton Belt Railroad will be abandoned soon between Hamilton and Gatesville, a County News reporter learned this week through a conversation with C. B. James, president of the Hamilton National Bank and active citizen in the drive to keep the railroad in operation.

Plans for a booster trip out of Hamilton are going forward and neighboring towns included in the route scheduled are looking forward to the visits, Bradford Corrigan, American Legion picnic and rodeo publicity manager announced this week.

A stone and concrete retaining wall 15 feet high and 80 feet long collapsed during the heavy rains here Monday night, dumping tons of rock and dirt into the alley back of the Hamilton Herald Record building.

Three women were injured and two others shaken in a car wreck three miles from Hamilton on Highway 281 south, Monday afternoon during the terrific rainstorm. Two cars were damaged.

Eleven feet of water was added to Hamilton City Lake by rains recently, putting the water level within four feet of the spillway. This eliminates any danger of shortage this summer.—News

"While our navy and our airplanes and our guns may be our first line of defense, it is still clear that way down at the bottom, underlying them all, giving them their strength, sustenance and power, are the spirit and morale of a free people. For that reason we must make sure, in all that we do, that there be no break-down or cancellation of any of the great social gains which we have made in these past years."—President Roosevelt in fireside talk.



# Kathleen Norris Says:

## Long Engagements Have Their Advantages, Too

(Bell Syndicate—WNU Service.)



Our girls of 18 and our boys of 21 are bound to fall in love.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

TODAY'S paper has the story of a boy of 21 and a girl of 19 who couldn't afford to get married and so decided to die. The boy couldn't earn enough to support a wife and the girl had to help out at home, where she had an invalid father, a hard-working mother and a small brother.

The sympathetic press adds that: "Here is one more tragedy of youth caught in today's tide of no job and no future."

If this girl and boy were the only selfish young couple who took this course they mightn't be worth noticing. But there is a lot of this sort of thing. There is a lot of self-pity in youngsters who have caught up the modern jargon about conditions in America, and who use it to disguise weakness and inefficiency.

There are ALWAYS more than 40,000,000 jobs in America, and to say: "I can't get a job," means that there are 40,000,000 persons in the land who can do what you can't do.

But that doesn't mean that in any land under any conditions a boy of 21 can be started off at employment that will support a wife. And that doesn't mean that a girl whose \$30 contribution to the home finances is badly needed is free to get married; free to start off with her boy husband on his \$18 a week, and have him, burdened and worried and exhausted, lose even that job in a few years, when her second big, fat, hungry, exacting baby is four months old.

### Flaming Youth.

When our girls of 18 and our boys of 21 fall in love the immediate question of everyone concerned is: "And when is the wedding to be?" And the sooner it is the better satisfied are both. They are burning up with young passion; their first and foremost consideration is physical possession of each other, and while her family borrows money for a modest wedding, the boy rashly commits himself to a long lease on an adorable bungalow.

Into it they ecstatically scramble, equally enchanted with the little rose-bowl her chum gave her, and the electric refrigerator for which they have to pay \$11 a month. It is all such fun! Kisses and laughter send the burned omelette and the watery coffee; on Saturday and Sunday nights the college crowd come in, and smashed crackers and stepped-on cheese and sticky glasses and over-loaded ash-trays litter all four of the pretty little modern rooms.

### Baby Brings Care, Worry.

But if a baby arrives at once, then suddenly all glamour disappears. Marge and Rob, if they are sweet-natured, fine persons, may still love each other. But it now becomes an anxious, a wearied love. The baby is a darling, but the baby's presence means that the old, young good times are forever over. Milk for the baby. Someone to sit with the baby. Bills. Worries over the baby's fever. Wakeful nights when the baby cries. And when Joe Smith and Mildred stop at the door with a car, on a broiling hot Sunday, with talk of the beach, and barbecue sandwiches, Marge and Rob of course can't go.

"I couldn't leave the baby in the car, Midge."

"No, I suppose you couldn't, you poor thing, you!"

### No Babies—Headache Too.

Off go Joe and Mildred, and Rob and Marge turn back to the morning papers again. No hurry about beds or breakfast dishes. Now while the baby is asleep they can take it

easy. Nothing to do all day. If there are no babies, curiously enough, the situation is worse. It doesn't seem so, at first. Marge's mother says firmly: "No babies until you can afford them," and Rob's mother warns him that a baby would be a calamity. They are free to go about with the old crowd, insofar as they are able to afford it, and Marge has nothing to do when the simple housework is over but to shop, have her hair done, fix flowers in vases.

But shopping is expensive, lunches downtown with the girls cost money, beauty parlors are ruinous to budgets. Marge sees frocks and hats she wants, and kitchen ware and a gorgeous bridge lamp. Also she hears the girls talking of the winter sports that week-end. Everyone is to give Connie \$10 and Con and Fred will manage everything. Ten dollars, with Rob's whole salary only seven times that every month!

### Nature's Protective Plan.

And the childless young marriage has an even deeper and much more serious handicap. It is this. The marital relation is a fragile and sacred thing; its physical aspects inseparable from the more subtle elements of mind and soul. Uncontrolled mating would destroy even animals, and animals are protected from it by Nature herself. Mating seasons are interrupted by the long periods of bearing and rearing the young.

When human beings interrupt this process, passion, here called love, soon burns itself out. The immature boy and girl, never trained for life at all, not developed in resources and interests and character, tire of each other, and the emotion that should extend itself through long and beautiful years, that should be only a part of a thousand other balanced elements in married life, is destroyed.

So what about the long engagement? In Italy and Germany and England and France, seven and eight and even ten years are not supposed to be too long for a man and a woman to maintain a dignified friendship before conditions permit them to marry. Certainly five years would not be too long. They must learn to control themselves in many ways if they are to be happily married; control extravagance, laziness, temper, selfishness, over-indulgence. Why not practice self-control in the most important matter of sex?

### Sex Self-Control Essential.

Thousands of fine men and women achieve continence even in marriage for one reason or another; thousands of happily married folk, efficient and successful in their lives, know that that one thing will be always denied them. Why all this hullabaloo about the children not being able to wait? Of course they're able to wait, if they're properly trained to respect themselves and each other, and to regard marriage as a state some day to be entered upon with reverence, with an increased appreciation of its high privileges and an increased sense of its responsibilities.

To those who wait, who study the duties and cares of marriage seriously, who develop a fine and deep-rooted friendship and a congeniality of taste while waiting, marriage comes as an almost miraculous consummation of hope and desire and love. The long-anticipated home is a sacred place. Their community of tastes, their memories of long planning, make every hour together a fresh delight. The man has completed his professional training. The girl has discharged to the full her duty to her own people. They are a man and a woman, this husband and wife, not a pair of passionate children.

Statistics seem to indicate that one of our national dangers now is the young divorcee. More than half our divorcees are of persons under 24, and two-thirds of those after marriage periods of less than three years.

## Center Point

By Miss Ovella Wesson

There were 35 present for Sunday school, Sunday morning. Let us continue to increase our attendance. New literature has been ordered, and it was voted to use the Union literature. Sunday school was reorganized Sunday and the following were elected: Supt., A. L. Shelton; Assistant Supt., Joe Spinks; secretary-treasurer, Miss Ovella Wesson; adult teacher, Bob Martin; intermediate teacher, Mrs. Harry Palmer; junior teacher, Mrs. A. L. Shelton; primary teacher, Mrs. Raymond Hale; song leaders, Mrs. Raymond Hale and Eammon Perry, and pianist, Mrs. A. L. Shelton. This is everybody's Sunday school, so everybody come.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Simpson and children from Rising Star visited his brother, Henry and family, Sunday.

Uncle Jake Conner is visiting Walter Conner and family. Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith visited them Sunday afternoon.

Oran Stark visited Elmo Fallon Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Self visited Mrs. Hamilton one day last week.

Mrs. Ellen Speck from Bangs is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ida Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith.

Misses Bessie Hutchings and Ovella Wesson and Mrs. Sam Self visited Mrs. Harry Palmer Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spinks and family were guests in the J. D. Fallon home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Yeager entertained with a party Saturday night. A good time was reported by all.

Mrs. Frank Davee visited Mrs. Hill house, Tuesday.

Mrs. Doc Shelton prepared a very nice birthday dinner Sunday for her husband and Ovella Wesson. Those enjoying it were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hammond and children of Goldthwaite, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ethridge of Mullin, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shelton and little sons of Mt. Olive, and Ovella Wesson, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wesson and children. Mrs. J. S. Shelton visited in that home in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Cunningham and Jane visited in the Henry Sampson home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Harry Palmer, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Shelton, entertained her Sunday school class with a party Thursday night. After playing games until a late hour, delicious refreshments were served to about 25 guests. Everyone present enjoyed this happy occasion and thank the hostess for her hospitality.

Melvin and Marion Murphy and J. C. Wesson called on the Fallon boys Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Nickols, Mr. and Mrs. James Nickols and son, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Tyson, Jr. and son and others visited in the V. D. Tyson, Sr., home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davee and children visited Mrs. Davee's mother, Mrs. Chesser, Sunday.

Bob Martin called on Henry Simpson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Shelton visited in the Sam Self home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Liz Kelsey and little daughter and Mrs. Ray Davis called in the Craig Wesson home late Sunday afternoon.

Dorothy Nell Tyson spent Saturday night with Theresa Venable in town.

Mr. Sneed visited in the Murphy home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Hammond visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spinks Sunday afternoon.

Harry Allen Palmer visited Neal Hamilton Sunday.

Mrs. Dwight Nickols spent Saturday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Vernon Tyson.

Dorothy and Alvis Hamilton visited relatives away from here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Shelton called in the Harry Palmer home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. S. Wesson visited her son, Craig and family during the week end.

Rev. Hinz from Brownwood will begin his revival here Saturday night.

## A WORLD OF FOOD

by MARJORIE THORP



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## South Bennett

By Mrs. M. L. Casbeer

Rev. Eubanks and wife and little daughter were here Sunday and Rev. Eubanks preached at the morning and evening services. He will not be back with us until the next third Sunday, at which time our revival meeting begins.

The last group of mattresses were finished last week, making a total of 33 in all.

Mrs. C. E. Turbville spent last week visiting relatives and friends at Llano. She returned home Monday.

Miss Gwendolyn Hill was on the sick list last week. We are glad to report her better.

Mr. and Mrs. Burthel Roberts and Zora Lee, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Casbeer and small son and Blondie Stacy visited in the Monk Welch home at Mullin, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Scott and J. T. Hart and family visited Wednesday in the Ed Dennis home.

Vola Belle Scrivner visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scrivner, here, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Monk Welch and baby, Valeria Stacy and Lorene Covington ate supper with Mr. and Mrs. Burthel Roberts Saturday evening.

Mavis and Nita Faye Black visited with Florine and Earline Simpson Saturday night.

Blondie Stacy spent Saturday night in the M. L. Casbeer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Featherston are the proud owners of some new furniture which they bought last week.

C. E. Turbville and daughter, Ruth, Henry Simpson and Blondie Stacy dined with M. L. Casbeer and family Sunday.

Rev. Eubanks and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Hill Sunday.

Freeman Mason and family spent Sunday with his brother, J. D. Mason and family near Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burns and family visited while in the Walter Simpson home, Saturday night.

Bina Beth, Sybil and Billie Jean Casbeer spent one night last week with their aunt, Mrs. Morgan Stacy and family.

Ben Casbeer spent Saturday night and Sunday with Lloyd Scrivner.

Blondie Stacy spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Burthel Roberts.

Mrs. Ed Dennis visited while Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Sam Morris at town.

Valeria Stacy spent one day last week with Mrs. M. L. Casbeer.

Leroy Stacy spent Sunday night with his sister, Mrs. Clyde Featherston and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cortis made a trip to Fort Worth last week. They took Misses Vivian and Irene home after they had visited here for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Summy from town and Mrs. R. J. Smith and daughter, Mollie, from Cheyenne visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Casbeer and family, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jim Cortis sister has been visiting with her lately. Henry Simpson visited while forward on a block of 294,000 acres owned by the University of Texas in Andrews county.

home from Fort Worth last week after having spent a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. English.

Jack Montgomery and family visited in the home of his mother, while Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Featherston went to Gorman, Tuesday, where Mrs. Featherston got her some new glasses.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Casbeer spent a few days the first of the week with their son, M. L. and family.

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## Scallorn

By Mrs. Cora Ford

Rain, rain! We sure have been having the rain, but they finally finished combining and threshing in this community.

Dutch Smith finished Ed Evans grain Saturday and the Ford boys finished combining Sunday. We had another good rain Monday.

Miss Mary Evelyn and Wilma Willy of Adamsville spent several days last week with their aunt Mrs. Frank Hines and Greta.

Mrs. Cora Ford spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Dee Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eckert spent Sunday with relatives in Richland Springs.

Miss Straley of Adamsville spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Tom Ford.

Mrs. Walter Henry is spending a few days with her son, Chester and wife in Lampasas.

Johnnie D. Ford spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Marvin Laughlin.

Billie Helen Smith spent the

week end with Mrs. Albert Tully in Goldthwaite.

Tom Ford and wife spent a couple of days in Mr. and Mrs. D. Straley's home last week.

Miss Straley visited her grand mother, Mrs. Lockhart in Lometa one day last week.

The Scallorn baseball team played Bend Sunday afternoon and lost their first game this season.

A bust of solid gold, weighing four pounds, was dug up in Switzerland. So we haven't got all the gold in the world after all?—Vernon Record.

## BARGAIN RATES

— ON THE —

### Waco News-Tribune

Daily without Sunday— 3 months, for only \$1.00 Both Daily and Sunday— 3 months for \$1.25 Come in TODAY, while these prices are in force

Luxurious... Beautiful... PLAZA HOTEL San Antonio

Palatial hotel-home in an ideal resort city where sports and recreations abound all year. The Plaza affords every convenience and comfort plus real economy. Air conditioned guest rooms and public spaces. 500 OUTSIDE ROOMS FROM \$2.50 JACK WHITE, OPERATOR IN SAN ANTONIO TEXAS Also Operating HOTEL WHITE PLAZA in Dallas and HOTEL PLAZA in Corpus Christi THE HOTELS WITH A A A GARAGES



## MA ASKS O'DANIEL

O'Daniel says that he will approve any tax law that the legislature will pass. He, therefore, surrenders his official liberty, and we then ask: What protection has the taxpayer against an extravagant legislature?

Does he mean that he will approve a 5 per cent sales tax? Or a 10 cent tax on oil; or does he mean he would approve the repeal of the homestead tax exemption law? Or does he mean that he will forget his veto powers and leave the people without a governor who is not afraid to protect them?

Be sure to vote for Ferguson.

(Political advertisement by Miriam A. Ferguson)

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Executive committee of the association and business manager of the Huntsville Item; Mrs. R. M. Thompson, treasurer of the association and publisher of the Goldthwaite Eagle; Mrs. Emma M. Shirley, secretary of the association and an outstanding newspaperwoman of Central and South Texas; Miss Madeline McBurnett of Dallas, past president

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## The Washington Merry-Go-Round

DREW PEARSON & ROBERT ALLEN

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All of this is sure to bring heavy demands on the U. S. farmer, also on congress to appropriate relief money to help Europe's starving populations. And this, in turn, is sure to upset crop control. For it was high food prices during the World war which increased acreage and also sent many farmers heavily into debt to buy new land.

### DIPLOMATS MAKE WARS?

John Q. Public thinks the diplomats make the wars—and could stop them.

Argentine Ambassador Espil has a letter saying, "Your country should submit itself to becoming a part of the United States." (No Latin American country is prouder of its independence than Argentina, less likely to become part of the U. S. A.)

Uruguayan Minister Richling gets so many letters he is working overtime to answer them. The tenor is: "You must get rid of the dangerous Germans."

### FRENCH FLEET

The White House is not advertising it, but the disposition of the French fleet was one vital point which came up in secret discussion with the French just before their capitulation.

Roosevelt wanted to make sure that the French navy would not fall into Nazi hands. For France's warships could just about tip the balance of naval power and give the Nazis a powerful striking arm in the south Atlantic against Latin America.

The French have two brand-new 26,000-ton battleships, the Strasbourg and the Dunkerque, probably the fastest in the world; also two new 35,000-ton battleships, the Richelieu and the Jean Bart, the latter not quite completed. These, added to the German fleet, would give Hitler 10 battleships against 15 for the United States, all much older and slower.

When you consider that 12 U. S. battleships are kept in the Pacific, with only three in the Atlantic, you get a rough idea of how difficult it would be for this country to defend the Monroe Doctrine if Hitler got the French fleet. Another thing he might get which would add to our Monroe Doctrine problem is the French naval base at Dakar, on the bulge of Africa jutting out toward Brazil.

Note—The United States recently has launched two new war monsters, but it will take several months to complete them.

journalistic field, and Mrs. Ned B. Morris of Houston, poet laureate emeritus, author of many widely-read and well-loved poems.

Other guests included Mrs. R. A. Caldwell and Bascom Lang of Mexia.

The Texas Woman's Press Association held its business session at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lowry Martin on Mills Drive Tuesday morning.

—Corsicana Daily Sun. The Eagle Editor had the pleasure of visiting in the city of Corsicana on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

The executive board of the Texas Woman's Press Association was invited to hold its meeting there and was royally entertained by Editor Lowry Martin, the Lions Club and Chamber of Commerce.

At 10:00 o'clock Tuesday morning Mr. Martin escorted the members out to his palatial home for the morning session, where refreshments were served and a very interesting business meeting was held. The president, Mrs. Cicero J. Parchman of Houston, presided.

At 12:00 o'clock Mr. Martin came for the ladies to take them to a luncheon at the Navarro Hotel, given by the Lions Club and Chamber of Commerce. Our very gracious host, Lowry Martin is editor of the Corsicana Daily Sun and a successful oil man.

Corsicana is a beautiful city of handsome homes and business structures.

### ATTENDED FUNERAL

The out-of-town relatives who were present at the funeral of Mr. Wm. Guynes last week were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Daugherty, Mrs. Mayne Billings, Willie Mae Hilburn, Miss Alice Daugherty, and granddaughter Jennett Billings, all of Fort Worth; J. S. Daugherty and wife of Austin; Mrs. Fannie Thorpe of Zephyr; Jack Daugherty and wife of Mullin, and Mrs. W. H. Phillips and son of Winterhaven, California.

## "Down South of the Border"



Hailed with delight by lovers of stage entertainment is the announcement that "Down South of the Border" company, presenting the famous play of the same name, will be in Goldthwaite for one night only, July 3, in a brand new tent theatre.

The actors appearing in this production are said to be some of the best in the amusement business, and the vaudeville numbers are said to be second to none.

One of the many features carried by this tent show organization is Henry, world famous artist and magician, whose sand paintings are said to rival masterpieces of art. Henry created a sensation last season through Texas while appearing with Harley Sadler's tent theatre as a featured vaudeville attraction.

A high class orchestra is carried, under the capable direction of Robert Siler. "Down South of the Border" is a story of the romantic country across the Rio Grande, has a good love story, an abundance of comedy, with special scenery and lighting effects. This attraction will be here one night only.

### SICK LIST

Mrs. Liza Jobe, who has been confined to her bed for the past six months, from a broken hip is able to sit up.

Mrs. J. F. Culwell, who had pneumonia at her home, is able to be up again, but her daughter, Hazel, is confined to her bed with flu.

W. P. Weaver, who has been seriously ill for several weeks at his home on Fisher street, is able to be out again.

Dr. J. B. Townsen, who has been quite ill at his home on Fisher street, is improving nicely.

Robert Johnson, Jr. returned the first of the week from Temple, where he has been at the hospital with Mrs. Johnson, who underwent a major operation. He reports that she is doing nicely.

### HOME FROM CAMP

Harriet Allen and Aubrey Smith returned Monday from Kerrville, after a week's stay at the Methodist encampment held there. They reported a wonderful time.

The camp was attended by some 300 Methodist young people who had come for the training and recreation afforded. Each student was required to enter into a certain amount of class work, with church work of personal achievement courses offered. The camp provided also hobby and interest study for leisure hours.

### Pleasant Pecan Valley

By Jerry Weathers

Rain, more rain! Mr. and Mrs. Turner and Bob called in the J. R. Slack home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Whitley and family of San Saba visited in the Jess Whitley home Sunday, and also Mr. and Mrs. Otto Singleton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Weathers and son spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilcox Sunday. David King is spending a few days in Brownwood with his mother.

Rudolph Ethridge and Ches-

Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Taylor, Father's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Blackwell visited relatives in Abilene last week.

Walter Simpson and family of South Bennett, Miss Cleda Geeslin of North Bennett and Neta Faye Black of Live Oak, spent Sunday in the Oglesby home. In the afternoon they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Will Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Johnson and children of Live Oak.

Granddad Carter is spending the time now with his son, John Carter, Jr. and family.

Bro. Mitchell came from Georgetown to accompany his family home after they had visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Head. We enjoyed a visit with them and Mrs. Chappell while here. Come again. We love you folks and you are always welcome.

### Pioneer Passes Away

Mrs. B. Frank Gholson, 93, died at her home in Evant, Texas, Saturday morning, June 15. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ace Langford, when Evant was known as Langford Cove. Ace Langford owned and operated the first store and Post Office there many years ago.

Her husband, Frank Gholson,

was with the party and helped capture Cynthia Ann Parker from the Indians. A short time before Mrs. Gholson's death, two grandsons of Cynthia Ann Parker, came from Oklahoma and visited her to collect data of early Indian history.

Grandmother Gholson retained her clear memory of early Texas history and enjoyed rehearsing the experiences of her younger days. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the Christian Church at Evant, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. The remains were laid to rest beside the grave of her mother, which is supposed to be the first made in that cemetery.

She leaves seven children and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Messrs. Joe and Bill Langford and Mrs. Monroe Geeslin of Center City are half-brothers and a half sister of hers. Also, Luther Arnold of Center City is a grand son.

Our deepest love and respect go to all pioneers who endured hardships and made our country what it is today.

Our sympathy goes to her loved ones who know the long useful, Christian life she led and rest assured all is well and she is at peace.

## Goldthwaite Usual Show Lot WEDNESDAY, JULY 3rd

AMERICA'S OUTSTANDING TENT SHOW ONE-NITE-ONLY.

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Food That Satisfies . . . At Prices That Satisfy . . . With Service That Satisfies!

FRESH PINEAPPLE, Extra Nice (limit) 2 for	18c
FRESH ROASTING EARS, nice as can be—from the country.	
FRESH TOMATOES, to see 'em is to want'em, 3 lbs.	9c
FRESH BLACK EYED PEAS to shell and snap, 3 lbs. for	10c
FRESH BEANS, Golden Wax or Green, home raised, 2 lbs.	9c
FRESH SQUASH, yellow or white, 2 lbs.	3c
FRESH OKRA, extra nice, lb.	2c
FRESH CUCUMBERS (for your bread and butter pickles)	
2 Pounds	3c
LEMONS, Sunkist, large size and juicy, doz.	16c
MILK, Grade A (no bottle deposit) quart	5c
CRUSHED PINEAPPLE, buffet size, 9 oz. can, 2 for	15c
JELLO, six delicious flavors, each	5c

Try NEW CAMAY IMPROVED 3 bars 19c

FIRESIDE BEANS, Home-Cooked Flavor—Different!	
Just heat and serve, giant 24 oz. can	9c
PICKLES OF ALL KINDS, also in bulk, 2 for	5c
CATSUP, large 14 oz. bottle	11c
CANS, No. 2, buy while they are cheap, 1 case	\$2.24

## LIFEBUOY 3 Bars for 19c

LIGHT CRUST, the finest of fine flours—fresh stock and new low price	
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