ENTRANCE EXAMS, REGISTRATION, SET NEXT WEEK

day to Friday; School Open last year. September 10.

The Merkel schools open for the 1934-35 session on Monday, September the world. 10. During the week preceding the opening of school, that is the week of September 3, all preliminary matters year, Texas ranked first in birth rate, that can be attended to before school opens will be got out of the way. This in number of births filed and fifth in includes credits or report cards of all students who did not attend the Merkel schools last year, return of summer books, registration of Seniors and ed Tuesday by the Baylor county more than 12,000 to 13,000 votes are Wheeler's majority in the sheriff's taking of entrance or make-up exams. grand jury on charges of murder for outstanding. Students are urged to read this sche- the shooting of Horace Nichols, Seydule and report promptly. This will mour banker, on August 15. save much delay in entering school.

RETURN OF SUMMER ROOKS text books during the summer or of life was spent under five flags, to the same figures. whose text book record is not clear died Monday at Bartlett at the age of from last year should report on Mon- 98 years, 11 months and 14 days. day or Tuesday, September 2 or 4, and check in these books. Students will not the opening morning of school. Too day, Texas Legionnaires selected Dal- The final count showed: many other matters must then be at- las as site of the 1935 convention and

6.

EXAMINATIONS. All students wishing to take any school on Wednesday morning, September 5, when a schedule will be and elementary grade students should Antonio Saturday. report at nine o'clock. This examination will be for students who have and George Kelly were tied, with 488

When it was found that Joe Beaty For supreme court justice: John follows:

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For governor: James V. Allred 3,
game Saturday to settle their place in within 25 seconds. report at nine o'clock. This examiany reason must take an exam before tune favoring Beaty.

being allowed to enter school.

NEW STUDENTS. report on Monday or Tuesday, dents and those in grades 2-3-4-5-6-7. spring session. and bring a complete record of all up now in order to avoid delay at the try. opening of school. If report cards for

Suits Saturday to

Irvin will issue suits to tryouts for the pilot, made a spectacular landing of a um," both high grade features, are 1934 Badger squad. Hard practice will blazing plane and its four occupants announced. start Monday.

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eleven this year.

KEEPING UP WITH TEXAS

Only 17 commercial failures occur-Preliminaries to School Opening red in July in Texas, a decline of 59 | Woodul, McCraw, Smith and McGehee and Bradbury Win To Have Attention From Mon- per cent from the 41 failures in July

> Port Houston by exporting 2,340,-630 bales of cotton during the 1933-34 season maintained her supremacy as a cotton port over all other ports of

(17.9 per thousand population,) third population.

named H. M. Ainsworth of Luling Hunter, 452,200. commander-elect.

forced to sign a blank check for \$100 | 408.664. by four bandits in a restroom within

out books to make up for failure, these votes each, for commissioner of pre- 428,461. who are attempting to make an addi- cinct 4 in Stephens county, the winner tional credit or any others who for was decided by a toss of a coin, for. Re-Christened Palace

September 3 or 4, to be registered, at the Lubbock meeting and Big show operator of Anson. This will include both High school stu. Spring was selected for the 1935

card and book card for last year. In George Purl of Dallas and Archie night. addition to this, students in High Parr of Benavides, were unseated in The Palace, which was the original W. A. (Prof.) Stephenson 3,710; J. Jones and Weaver.

found, students above the 8th grade band captured the title of the official Wood and Mrs. Wood, parents of the 2: A. J. Canon 818; Andy Shouse should get from the county superin- band of the state department of the theatre manager, and his sister, Miss 536. American Legion for the fourth time Derothy Wood, all of Anson. at the Mineral Wells convention, win- On Friday and Saturday of this 4: Henry R. Roberts 440; Hulen H. ning a \$300 cash award and a trip to week, the feature will be "King of Webb 543. 1934 Badger Tryouts the Miami, Fla., national Legion con- Wild Horses," naturally a western. vention in October.

near Waxahachie early Wednesday With about ten or twelve of last night after the ship had been wrecked City of Merkel's year's team as a nucleus, prospects in midair by the premature explosion are bright for a good strong Badger of a bomb tosed overboard in an attempt to induce rain over that area.

MAJORITY OF OVER 40,000 FOR ALLRED

Sharp Other Winners in State Races; Judge Sharp Has Narrowest Margin of Votes.

majority over Tom F. Hunter in the urday's democratic primary were: With 107,924 births registered last cratic nomination of governor was third term as sheriff. placed at 44,346 in the Tuesday night J. Bryan Bradbury, who goes to tabulation of the Texas Election the legislature as the county's repres-Bureau. The total vote counted for entative. governor was 948,746, received from Tom McGehee, Caps school princi-Miss Ruby Britain, 40, was indict- It is estimated by the bureau that not dent.

Sharp of Ennis over Judge Hal S. ler's vote was 3,999 to Sibley's 3,959.

attorney geeral, respectively, while in the lead by 81 votes.

For governor: Allred, 496,546; precinct 2.

Ross Essary, deaf-mute Bandera For attorney general: William se the winner.

worked out. Both High school students a block of police headquarters at San A. Smith, 499,588; John Pundt, 389,- returns of the Merkel box.

management of M. M. Wood, former

Harld Lloyd's newest release, "The Cats Paw," was the feature picture, district: W. J. Cunningham 5,157; Noodle --The student should bring his report | Two of the old-line Texas senators, which will show again Thursday Otis Miller 2,689.

school above the 8th grade should get Saturday's election. Claude C. Wester. name of this theatre, has been re- Bryan Bradbury 3,941. field was winner in the Dallas district decorated as well as re-christened and students should be getting this record war, will represent the head and state of the entire interior presents a spicman, will represent the border coon- and-span appearance, both as to cleanness and refinishing.

Special guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Williams 3,184. years previous to last year cannot be Sweetwater's far-famed municipal Wood for the opening were: Dr. E. M.

As coming attractions for next At 4:30 Saturday afternoon, Coach | Lou Foote, veteran Dallas airplane | week, "Carolina" and "David Har- Lindsey P. Walden 2,938.

Fund Loss Settled Higgins 578.

against Mrs. Juanita Ferguson, former city secretary and tax collector, the city of Merkel has received check for \$1,842.96 from the bonding company, the American Surety Co. of New York, in full settlement.

The same company has also advised that they expect soon to wind up its at Stith, Noodle and Blair. negotiations with the Merkel Independent School district, which is claiming a shortage of \$2,844.44 in Mrs. Ferguson's accounts as collector of

The last grand jury in 104th disrict court, on July 17, returned two ndictments against Mrs. Ferguson, charging embezzlement, but her whereabouts are still unknown.

Merkel Gets Only Light Visitation morning.

While sections north and west of own have had heavier rains during and threw him into the machine. Dye were joint hostesses Friday when the past week, Merkel proper has had He was reported resting well Thurs-Miss Jewell, and son, Milton, are in they went to the Warren pasture only two visitations of rain sufficient day morning.

this time, which was 8 3-4 inches.

WHEELER WINS SHERIFF'S RACE BY FORTY VOTES

Posts of Superintendent and Representative: Otis Miller of Anson Defeats Cunningham.

Attorney General James V. Allred's | Winners for county offices in Satsecond primary contest for the demo- Burl Wheeler, renominated to his

252 counties, including 211 complete. pal, who becomes county superinten-

race was only 40 votes, closest race the The majority of Judge John H. county has seen in many years. Whee-

Lattimore of Fort Worth for the nomi. While W. J. Cunningham, present Mrs. Amanda Bryant Fetterly, Tex- nation for associate justice of the district attorney of the 104th judicial All students who have had out free as' oldest native resident, whose span supreme court was 17,194, according district, led his opponent nearly two to one in Taylor county, Miller's maj-Woodul and McCraw were decisive orities in the other two counties in the winners for lieutenant-governor and district, Jones and Fisher, placed him

Before concluding their 16th annual Lon Smith earned his renomination as Commissioner A. J. Canon, seeking Trent Takes League be permitted to turn these books in on convention at Mineral Wells Tues- railroad commissioner by over 100,000, his second term, defeated Andy Shouse by 282 for county commissioner

Only 11 votes separated Clyde Shou. For lieutenant governor: Walter se and Orien Higgins in the race for Woodul, 513,433; Joe Moore, 367,519. public weigher, precinct 5, with Shou- day in the saw-off game of the title placing in the money in the order nam-

race and the two local precinct races munity league sponsored by the mer- Winner in wild cow milking was For railroad commissioner: Lon appear on page three, also complete chants of Merkel. Noodle carried off Leo Huff, with time of 17 3-5 sec-

686; Tom F. Hunter 4,296.

3,374; Walter F . Woodul 4,037.

For attorney general: Walter this issue of The Mail. Opens to Good Crowd Woodward 3,945; William McCraw The scores of the first two games Pierce Horton.

An Abilene man, Frank Meyers, A house that almost filled the thea- For railroad commissioner: John Thursday NEW STUDENTS.

Students of all grades who did not was elevated to the presidency of the tre greeted the opening of the Palace Pundt 2,826; Lon A. Smith 4,578.

Trent

John H. Sharp 3,331. For district attorney, 104th judicial Friday

For county superintendent of public instruction; Tom McGehee 4,823;

For county commissioner, precinct

For county commissioner, precinct

For justice of the peace, precinct 1, place 1: Pete E. Turner 1,879;

For contsable, precinct 1: Charles A. Pratt 2,661; W. T. McQuary 2,304. For public weigher, precinct No. 5 (Merkel): Clyde Shouse 585; Orien

For losses of public funds charged 415 Bales Ginned to Date in Territory

First ginning report of the season tabulated by The Mail shows that up to Wednesday night 415 bales had been ginned by the six gins here and three One local plant, the Guitar gin, is

not operating this season.

A deep gash in his forehead and a slight concussion of the brain, which rendered him unconscious more than two hours, was sustained by Wilbur Thomas, manager of the Merkel Ice company, about ten o'clock Wednesday

The accident occurred when the belt to an ammonia machine caught him

Record of Births. Boy, to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore, of

Girl, to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Irvin, with the Anchor Mercantile Co., is in Ed Scott, Nim Teaff, Booth Warren, the gauge showed a quarter inch, mak- residing north of town, Sunday, August 26, 1934.

Girl, to Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Wil-

dle, Wednesday, August 29, 1934.

SEVENTY-FIVE PARTICIPANTS STAMP "LAST ROUND-UP" AS CROWNING EVENT OF SERIES

Prizes To Weston. White and Hodges For Rodeo Records

To Buck Weston, who hung up the best average time in calf roping during the rodeo series sponsored by the merchants of Merkel, has been awarded a \$25.00 pair of shopmade boots. His average in six shows was 28 1-10 seconds.

Giles White of Tuscola, average time 32 23-30 seconds, was winner of the \$15.00 hat, and Tommy Hodges, also of Tuscola, was awarded the \$7.50 pair of spurs. His average time was 33 4-5 seconds.

Prize winners were notified by mail Wednesday atfer the compilations of averages had been certified to by members of the rodeo com-

Title by Defeating

series. Trent won the \$100.00 cash of- ed were Leo Huff, Cub Young, Howcredit should report at the High county rancher, was tortured and McCraw, 493,457; Walter Woodward, Tabulated returns of the sheriff's fered as first prize in the inter-com- and Garner and Earl Stevens. \$50.00 as second money. Third place onds, followed by Cub Young, Walter The official count of Taylor county and a prize of \$25.00 went to Tye, Frazier, Tommy Hodges and Frank winner over Nubia 10 to 8 in a single Young for the other prize money, all

Tye-Nubia games appear elsewhere in in the money were Charlie Largent,

between Trent and Noodle follow: attend the Merkel school last year tion at the annual election of officers was report on Monday or Tuesday, tion at the annual election of officers was report on Monday or Tuesday, the street of the Sup-Noodle 110 000 001—3 11 6 following: best decorated bicycle, T. reme court: H. S. Lattimore 3,967; H. Jones and Weaver; Goode and H. J. Jinkens, Jr.; boy, under 15, with Vick, Foster.

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Probably 5,000 Included in Large Throngs Enjoying Rodeo Performance and Concluding Ball Games for Title.

Climaxing the series of free summer rodeos and ball games, sponsored by the Merchants Trade extension association of Merkel, eighth and final rodeo performance of the season Saturday brought out more than 75 partici. pants and marked up better than average time in calf roping, wild cow milking and steer garter tying.

At the same time the final games for the title of the eight-club intercommunity league were being played, which resulted in Trent, the winner, receiving \$100.00 in cash, Noodle placing second and annexing \$50.00 and Tye taking third place and \$25.00 in prize

By far the largest crowd of the seaon, estimated by some as many as 5,000, divided between the two attractions, were present for the closing programs.

Noodle In Series | Best time Saturday in calf roping was hung up by Tommy Hodges, who Overwhelming Noodle 14-2 Satur- tied his calf in 18 1-5 seconds. Others

Steer garter tying found Tommy For lieutenant-governor: Joe Moore Box scores of the Trent-Noodle and Hodges winner in 20 seconds. Others W. J. Beavers, Leonard Huff and

The day's entertainment started R H E off with a big street parade at ten _500 000 006-11 11 7 o'clock, with prizes awarded to the best cowboy rigging and horse, Del. R H E bert Wayne Garner; girl, under 15, _010 011 000-3 7 2 with best cowgirl rigging and horse, Trent _____100 000 010-2 10 4 Doris Gay West, who divided the For representative, 116th district: Black and Foster; O. Jones, H. prize with her chum, Mary Jo Russell: oldest cowboy in parade, Joe Umpires who served gratis during Higgins; best cowgirl rigging and For sheriff: Burl Wheeler 3,999; the entire schedule of games and to horse, (adult), Mrs. W. E. Lowe; best (Continued on Page Six.)

64 BRUCE BARTON

The tenth in our list of the disciples is Thomas, a moody fellow who insisted on thinking things out for himself. "Doubting Thomas" he has been called because after the resurrection, when some of the disciples claimed to have seen Jesus. Thomas answered

THE FIRST MIRACLE.

Except I shall see in his hands the print of the nails, and put my finger into the print of the nails, and thrust my hand into his side, I will not believe.

It is unfair to Thomas to remember only his doubt and to forget that when the disciples were trying to dissuade Jesus from His last dangerous journey to Jerusalem it was this same Thomas who exclaimed, "Let us also go, that we may die with him."

There was as number eleven another Simon, whose surname, "the zealot," does not mean that he personally was of an over-zealous disposition but that he had been a participant in one of the sporadic revolutions against Roman authority.

And finally there was Judas, the only one of the twelve who was not a Galilean but who, as a member of the royal tribe of Judah, Sustains Injuries When | felt himself superior to the crowd of fishermen, publicans and com-Thrown In Machine mon folk. Better educated than the rest, a man of business ability. he was treasurer.

When Jesus said, "Take no thought for the morrow, saying, what shall we eat or what shall we drink," it may have sounded all right to the other eleven, but you can imagine the look of mingled cynicism and worry on the face of Judas who had to pay the bills. Equipped by talent and training to be of larger service than any of the others, he was the only traitor.

These, then, were the "twelve" who were destined to change hu-

The public life of Jesus appears to have covered just three years: a year of organization and small beginnings; a year of dramatic deeds and great successes: a year of diminishing popularity and disappointments.

He started quietly in the little towns near His home, talking to whomever would listen where people gathered.

There was a marriage in the neighboring village of Cana, and He was invited with His mother. At a critical moment in the celebration Mary caught a look of distress in the eyes of the hostess and with quick feminine instinct divined the situation. The wine had given out. There occurred then the first miracle of Jesus, the transforming of water into wine.

Very few sermons are preached about this miracle, and it is usually glossed over as being not quite in keeping with the character of His life and work. But, it was significant.

Next Week: A Kingship Refused.

MERKEL20 YEARS AGO (From the Files of Merkel Mail, August 28, 1914.) Miss Jackie Jennings is at home tion will meet at Kale, four miles

Peccs on the Edwards Ranch. are at home from Whitewright where Public schools as piano and voice in-

they visited relatives.

with Miss Claire Tate of Abilene. Miss Floy Gunn is at home from a visit with friends in San Marcos 28th. and Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pate, daughter, Abilene this week visiting friends. Mr. Pate attends the log rolling while Miss Lizzie Mae Freeman, milliner

from Midland where she visited Mrs. northwest of Merkel, on Saturday Charlie Edwards. She attended a night before the second Sunday in house party seventy-five miles from September.

Miss Era Brady and grandmother elected by the trustees of the Merkel here, will begin teaching Monday Misses Evelyn Gaddy and Duncan morning, Aug. 31st. Further informa-Frewning are at home from a visit tion may be had by calling on or phoning Miss Burkett at Mrs. E.

Misses Winnie Warren and Valerie with their Sunday School classes. Class to be measured. members present were Misses Pearl On Thursday night of last week, the Toombs, Ruby Hamm, Louise Warren, rainfall was gauged at one-half inch Annie Mae Swann, Madge Dean, Dix-jby Volunteer Weather Observer Grov- Dallas, Saturday, August 25, 1934. ie Howard, Amanda Brady, Messrs. er Hale, and again on Sunday night the markets this week making purch- Will Merritt, Lewis Swann, Roy Hol- ing a total of 3-4 inch here. ases of fall and winter goods for her mes, Doyle Garrett, Claude and A. V. Added to 7 7-8 inches, previous figdepartment of the above mentioned Dye. Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. ure, the total for the year now stands liams, Noodle, Tuesday, August 28, W. E. Britain, Mrs. Brady, Misses at 8 5-8 inches. This, by the way, is 1934.

Miss Beulah Burkett, who has been structor in connection with the school Hall's on or after Friday, August

Frances Burroughs, Winnie Warren practically the same as last year's at Boy, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cox, Noo-The Taylor county singing conven- and Valerie Dye.

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A MATTER OF HISTORY.

The series of free rodeos and the schedule of the eight-club inter-community league completed, Merkel's entertainment program for the summe of 1934 goes down into history as a major achievement for a city no larger than this one

Conceived with a two-fold purpose of further cementing the friendship existing betwen Merkel and the surre unding communities and of enlargfurther, visitors came from far points and Pauline Johnson, is in Abilene this nelle. Mr. Sublett and Vernelle also attracted by the fame of the rodeos week and the thrill of the ball games. Participants in arena events were also attracted from many distant sections.

Proud to have been able to sponsor such a highly successful and ambitious undertaking, the Merchants Trade Extension association is deeply appreciative of the fine response extended by friends of this city and of the business houses and institutions that make up "the City in Clover" We enjoy your visits and something of a similar nature is already assured for another year.

It would not be fair -and it wou be impossible for the editor-to at tempt to give credit to individuals, for literally scores did trojan work in putting over the colorful program of rodees and ball games. Suffice it to repeat here a resolution adopted by the a visit with her two brothers in Fort board of governors of the association: "Resolved, that we express our thanks and appreciation to everyone who in any way assisted in staging the rodeos and promoting the ball games."

Canon Again Pledges

I am deeply grateful to the citize of precinct 2 for the confidence oyu Mrs. A. T. Sheppard and Sterling A. Williams, Haskell; Miss Nona Robmissioner last Saturday. I want you to know that my appreciation and thanks go to you. I shall endeavor to merit your confidence and I promise you an honest and faithful adminis- turned from Las Vegas, N. M., where Crowell; Mrs. Star Inzer. Hamling

A. J. CANON. (Political Advertisement.)

John D. Coats Elected

Having accepted appointment as scout executive for Boy Scouts in man motored over to Rotan Sunday three counties, centering in Tuscaloo- to see the latter's uncle, Byrd Martin, sa, Ala., John D. Coats left Tuesday and family. They report a big time morning for that city to assume his and a most enjoyable hospitality. new duties. The territory covered by the three counties embraces a popula- San Angelo and Mrs. Forest Sears of tion of a half million.

Mrs. E. D. Coats, John's mother, accompanied him to his new home.

Death Claims Little Tommy Ray Higgins

Tommy Ray Higgins, 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Higgins, died at 4 o'clock Thursday morning at an Abilene hospital. Since the little fellow was carried there two weeks ago for a ruptured appendix, he had made a valiant fight to keep his life.

Funeral service was to be held at 6 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Salt Branch church.

Presides the parents, he is survived by two brothers and three sisters; his of her parents at Tye. Miss Isom is paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. the grant, this city. W. J. Higgins, and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. S. W. Taylor, of Sweetwater.

Card of Appreciation From Orien Higgins

I want to thank everyone who voted for me in the recent primary and to assure them of my appreciation of their support. The race was one that afforded me much pleasure and it is good to know that one has so many true, loyal friends.

ORIEN HIGGINS. (Political Advertisement.)

Will Teach at Columbia. Warren McSpadden, son of Mrs. W. A. McSpadden, has been elected to seach science education in Columbia university, New York City, during the coming year. At the same time he will finish work on his Ph. D. degree.

Standard Typewriter Ribbons 75c at Merkel Mail office.

Use The Mail Want Ads.

PERSONALS

Meyer Mellinger has been visiting in Big Spring since Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shannon have Greenville. as their guest a niece, Miss Juanita Shannon, of Lubbock.

r, Mrs. J. H. McDonald.

After a minor surgical operation, Milton Case has been regularly back

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCormick Advertising, and will be charged for leave Friday for Ochoa, N. M., where Dawn, of San Angelo, and Mrs. G. H.

their guest Mr. Jones' mother, Mrs. ville, N. C., a niece of Mr. Johnson's, Silas Jones, of Ashtown, Ark.

with her grandmother at Detroit. Miss Maimie Ellis has returned

tudy in Sul Ross Teachers college. Sterling Sheppard of the Dallas fournal staff is here for a two weeks son, Carl, Jr., returned Monday from acation with his parents and friends, a trip to the Carlsbad Caverns, They

Fort Worth Tuesday afternoon to see mother in Loving, N. M. his mo her, who is sick, and will be

gone for a few days. W. W. Campbell, Mrs. J. G. McFar. and baby daughter of Bartlesville, and and two daughters returned Sun.

Angeles, Calif., were guests Saturday for a visit in South Texas when Mr. of Mayor and Mrs. W. M. Elliott, Mrs. Miller is a cousin of Mr. Elliott's.

Mrs. Mary Bearden and Miss Beverly Jennings of Fort Worth are visit- 50 West Texas Towns ing Mrs. Bearden's mother, Mrs. J. N. Teaff, and sister, Mrs. T. E. Las-

Miss Joe Henderson of Fort Worth is the guest of Miss Hazel Coats, having accompanied the latter home from

Mrs. D. W. Milam and children, returned home after a visit with Mrs. ling Labor Day, September 3, at West er Poe. Milam's mother, Mrs. Nannie Caus- Texas Fair park, Abilene.

Tom Toombs, forme Me lelite, now living at Meadows, was shoking Maimie Walker, Merkel; Miss Leta Loyalty, Faithfulness hands with friends here Thursday. He Faye Barbee, Noodle; Miss Florence comes periodically for visits and is al- Allen, Monday; Miss Ruby Lee Buch-

Sheppard, of Dallas, were a party inson, Rotan; Miss Wilma Kendrick, leaving Monday for a week's fishing Abilene; Mrs. Clarence Henderson,

she taught summer school, will leave Miss Fave Kirkwood, Fort Worth; Friday for Roswell, N. M., where she Miss Clara Mae Jones, Stamford; has taught for several years. Miss Effie Copeland of Blackwell.

who is a student of Draughon's Business college, returned to Abilene Mon-As Scout Executive day after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whiteley, Sr. F. A. Sanders and Mrs. Cleo Baugh-

Mrs. Carson Miles and children of enyder returned to their homes Wednesday after a visit with their parnts, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Swann.

Mayor W. M. Elliott spent Tueday in Stamford visiting his mother, Mrs. M. E. Elliott. His two sisters, Mrs. May Kemp of New York City and Mrs. Will Owen of Vernon, were also

Mrs. George E. Caple, who drove to Gonzales with Mrs. O. W. Little of Tuscola last week, was accompanied on her return through Waco by her sisters, little Misses Jane and Peggy

Miss Trixie Isom, who has been a tudent in John Tarleton college at Stephenville, has returned to the home

After a visit with Mrs. Morgan's

PALACE THEATRE

Merkel. Texas

FRIDAY-SATURDAY KING OF WILD

HORSES"

COMING NEXT WEEK

"CAROLINA" "DAVID HARUM"

Noodle and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Derstine, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Morgan returned Monday to their home at

Alfred Costephens has returned from the American Legion convention Mrs. H. B. Leeton arrived from Over- | at Mineral Wells where he went as a on Sunday for a visit with her moth- member of the Sweetwater band, which was selected as the official band of the organization.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Costephens have as their guests Mrs. George H. Smith and children and Miss Marjory Johnson, of Sweetwater, and her Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jones have as guest, Miss Ruth Crawford, of States.

Miss Jessie Margaret Berry has re. and Mrs. John Dunn and families turned after spending the summer have returned from a trip to New Caverns and Ruidosa and returning later. om Alpine where she did summer through the Indian reservation to El Paso and Juarez.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bonneaux and Mrs. W. R. Walker, who will spend were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. V. the winter months with Misses Ona B. Sublett and their daughter, Vermade the trip to the Caverns while Rev. P. H. Gates and family left for Mrs. Sublett enjoyed a visit with her Guests last week of Mr. and Mrs.

H. D. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley After a visit with her mother, Mrs. King were Mr, and Mrs. Nig Calloway Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Calloway of San Antonio. On Friday Mr. and Mrs. Nig Calloway and baby left and Mrs. Earl Calloway returned

Have Selected Sponsors

Abilene, Aug. 30 .- Sponsors from cearly fifty West Texas towns are rizes which will be awarded among Tuscola. hem as one of the features in the Among sponsors already entered

Strotton, Goree; Miss tien. Rule; Mrs. Morris Neff, Polar; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Reeder Webb, Odessa; Mrs. T. Eastland; Miss Maggie V. Taylor, Miss Irene Swann, just recently re- Breckenridge; Miss Lora Whatley, Mis. Bronon Todd, Water Valley.

Merchants Thanked By Noodle Manager

Odell Eoff, manager of the Noodle baseball team, winners of second plae in the inter-community league, has asked The Mail to express to the merchants of Merkel their appreciation of the splendid program arranged, the satisfactory manner in which the schedule was played and especially for the \$50.00 prize money awarded them. ग्राच्यार स्वायन स्वयं स्व

sisters, Mr. and Mrs. W. Roundtree of W. F. Joiner, Age 65, Tye Resident Since '89, Dies Unexpectedly

W. F. J iner, 65, prominent Taylor county farmer and father of Mrs. W. W. Hayn's of this city, died unexpectedly at 4:30 Saturday afternoon in an Abilene hospital where he had undergone emergency surgery at 7 a. m.

Funeral services were held at 4 'clock Sunday afternoon from the Caps Baptist church, where Mr. Joiner had been active as a deacon and for 18 years had served as superintendent of the Sunday School. Burial was Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes and Mr. made in the Cedar Hill cemetery in Abilene, besides the graves of two sons, Glenn Joiner, who died in 1924, Mexico, having visited the Carlsbad and Carroll Joiner, who died two years

> A large number of friends of the family from Merkel attended the fun-

Mr. Joiner was born June 14, 1869, n Jasper county, Missouri, near Joplin. He moved to West Texas with his parents in 1889, and settled with his parents on the homestead, four and one-half miles southwest of Tye, that remained his home for more than half of his life. He was a progressive farmer, one of the best known in the county, and for a number of years had been active in the program of the county agent.

On October 28, 1898, Mr. Joiner was married to Miss Pearl Julian, at Borders Chapel, with the late Rev. R fficiating for the rites.

Mrs. Joiner, one daughter and one on survive. The children are Mrs. W. W. Haynes, Merkel, and Winfred Joiner, Breckenridge.

Five brothers and one sister also survive. They are Mrs. L. M. Blackmore, Plainview; W. B. Joiner, Carhage, Mo.; Judge R. C. Joiner, Plainview; Rev. C. A. Joiner, Sudan; Joe expected to compete for five valuable Joiner, Plainview, and J. A. Joiner,

Pallbearers were R. Y. Buchanan, American Legion's fourth annual Roy Quattlebaum, Palen Keith, Wal-Mary Gunn and David, of Dallas, have three-day celebration and rodeo open-ter Hammond, Roy Darby and Fletch-

Clyde Shouse Thanks Voters for Loyalty

To the Voters of Precinct 5:

I want to express my appreciation for the evidence of your loyalty and riendship as shown by your support of me in Saturday's primary and to erve you faithfully and well as you public weigher.

Gratefully yours. CLYDE SHOUSE. (Political Advertisement.)

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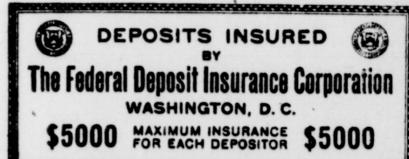
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Judge Otis Miller Wins by 81 Votes

By a margin of 81 votes, complete and unofficial returns give Judge Otis Miller of Anson the nomination as district attorney, 104th judicial district, over W. J. Cunningham, of Abilene, incumbent.

Fisher county returns are official, found ourselves rising too early, but weather, which is covered in snow high while the Jones county returns are really we hate to take any time for complete but unofficial:

	Miller Cunr	ningham
Fisher	2066	891
	3049	1675
Taylor	2689	5157
Totals	7804	7723

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Commissioner, Prec. 2

	Canon	Shouse
Merkel	556	312
Nubia		41
Trent	53	139
Caps-Merkel	22	10
Tye-Merkel		7
Blair	51	27
Totals	818	536

Weigher, Prec. 5

	Shouse	Higgins
Merkel	468	399
Nubia	44	74
Caps-Merkel	15	17
Tye-Merkel		44
Blair		39
Totals	584	573
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Governor: Allred 468, Hunter 401. Lieutenant Governor: Moore 425, Woodul 394.

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GOLAN NEWS

The rains since Thursday night will make feed and has put out plenty of stock water.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hill of Lafores are spending a few days with Mr. Hill's patents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C.

The meeting was to have closed with the Sunday night service but due to the rain the Sunday afternoon service was the last. Both churches to-

talled 15 new members. There was 121 present for Sunday School. We hope you will come next Sunday.

This community was well represented in Merkel Saturday for the last of

the ball games and rodeo. Mr. and Mrs. John Lawlis of Stamford were visiting relatives here Sat-

urday night and Sunday.

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ALONG THE COAST OF ALASKA

By Mary Kate Campbell

On Board S. S. Aleutian. July 18, 1934.

new to see all the time.

Upon rising we found ourselves docked at Juneau, the capital of Alaska. And did you say rain? Well, it was pouring but since I had not been in rain in so long it did not stop me, I just went on through it. After breakfast we went out into town. And to prove we were real tourists we did bley not pass up any of the curio shops. 228 We walked up a small hill (everything 470 in Alaska must be on hill and moun-399 tain sides) to the capitol building 372 which looks very much like our school 228 buildings. It is made of light brick. A 261 lot of the inside finishing is done with 129 Alaskan marble. In this building are experiences. 9 all of the government offices, the post-76 office and a small museum of which still quite light and the west is still 144 they are very proud. One item of in- red from the sun. (We went far Mail office. 28 terest was the first United States flag enough north to see the midnight sun, 37 they had, which was flown October 3, for several nights it never got dark, it

79 1867. Raining as it was prevented us 35 from moving about as briskly as we the night.) 49 would have liked but we asked lots of 351 questions and learned about a lot of 51 things. Juneau has one of the largest tures. 78 gold milling plants. The plant is quite large and built against the mountain 126 side which is to its advantage for the 20 process of milling. The plant mills 29 about 12,000 tons of ore each 24 hours, leading magazines. On a great many 145 getting about 90c worth of gold from of them, if you want to include your 119 each ton. We did not find it possible 37 to go through this mill. Out a few miles from Juneau we saw another mill

143 but it was not nearly so large. Just before leaving the port our attention was called to a very homely dog sitting on the wharf. He has quite 959 a history. He is deaf but he seems to know in some way when a ship comes in, either day or night, and he never misses being there when a ship docks. He stays until the ship pulls out. As we steamed away this morning we saw him leave the wharf. He belongs to the city and would probably be called their mescot.

One day our scenery consisted of almost nothing but mountains and

[waterfalls but today it was mountains jury service in Abilene this week. and snow. Mountains of various! Sometime during the previous night heights, some as much as 15,330 feet, we gained an hour for when we waked many almost covered with snow. One In the appended table Taylor and on July 18 we were an hour ahead and of the most important was Mt. Fairabove the clouds. We saw several glasleeping because there is something ciers, some extending down to the water's edge. The first one we saw appretty and white. But further on we saw larger ones, Muir and Brady glaciers. We have still larger ones furth-

> The sunset on the snow-covered peaks made a perfect picture and one quite indescribable.

> Tonight we are sailing in the Gulf of Alaska, our closest contact to the ocean. So far the sailing is very smooth. Tomorrow we look forward to more beauty, which cannot be any greater but will likely be different, for each day seems to have some new

It is now eleven o'clock and it is was light enough that a paper could be read on upper deck any time during

The sunset and the moonlight on the water made perfectly gorgeous pic-

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UNION RIDGE NEWS

We are glad to report that J. L. McRee is some better at this writing. W. R. McBride was summoned for

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gabbert and family spent Saturday and Sunday in Winters attending a family reunion.

Mrs. Melvin Jones and son of Anson were guests in the home of her par-

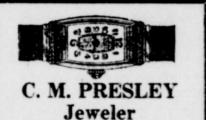
There has been no definite date set peared to be terraced and it was very, for the opening of the Union Ridge school. The teachers are now visiting relatives near Galveston and will move into the new teacherage some-

Bob Campbell was a Sunday guest

The Hebron meeting closed Sunday night with several conversions and additions to the church.

TELEPHONE THE

MAIL The Mail will be glad to receive news of entertainments or visitors in Merkel homes, as well as other news items of a general nature. If you have company, entertain friends or return from a trip please telephone 61 or 29.



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Miss Cora Johnson is visiting in Blackwell with her grandmother.

ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clark.

time before school starts.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Harwell and family were Abilene visitors Thursday of last week.

of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harris and daughters of Big Spring are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lige Harris.

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TRENT NEWS AND PERSONALS

John Howell of Abilene looked after business matters here one day last week.

Miss Maggie Payne, who has been attending the University of Texas at Elliott returned from Lubbock also an indefinite visit. last week where they had attended is superintendent of our schools and Beckham. Miss Payne is one of our teachers.

Allie Carey and family, who now live end guest of friends at Lueders. in California, visited friends here last Mrs. Horace Taylor left Friday to week and also looked after the inter- join her husband at Groesbeck. est of the grave of the former's mo- Mrs. Bessie Billings is the guest of ther, who was buried in Trent ceme- her daughter in Abilene. tery several years ago. Allie lived here The Home Demonstration club met

and Mrs. Walter Hart of Lexington, McRee and Mrs. John Strawn served Tenn. They were accompanied by punch and cake to about twenty Charley Bell, another friend, also of guests that place. They also visited with Mr. Mrs. Joe English and son of Laand Mrs. Hays Wheatley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lester and fam- and Mrs. N. L. McLeod. ily of Abilene visited in the Beasley They were once residents of this pla- Winter. ce and neighbors to Mrs. Beasley.

daughter, Mrs. Rutherford of Abilene. day. tainment of her grandson, Cecil Ruth. latter was injured in a car wreck. erford, Jr., of Abilene, and her nicc. Mrs. Bert Harrington of Caddo and is with the maximum chance of the ved in the bed of the shady creek, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cooper. which consisted of sandwiches, roasted weiners, cookies, devil's food cake, marshmallows and ice tea, the trio Mrs. Grant Riggan, assisted by Mrs scampered and played to their heart's T. D. Scott, entertained her little content up and down the shady hills daughter, Wanda Fay, with a birthand around the well. They continued their visit all day with Mrs. Billings and "nearly ran her crazy," she re- honor of her seventh birthday.

hospital at Galveston for treatment the following guests: Wayland Nor

Armour were chauffeured to San An- Norwood, Zuma Joyce and Jaunnelle gelo by Clarence Duncan, being met Steene, Louise Smith, Marjorie Pearl there by other parties who conveyed Beasley, Murrell and Patsy Ruth them on to Ozona to attend the bed- Scott, Ava Jean and Wanda Fay quite ill.

has returned home after a visit with | Mrs. W. M. Cooper was surprised her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elery with a birthday dinner Sunday by her Smith

Bright.

here for a few weeks with her sister, Lucille, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cooper Mrs. Garnet Bryant.

passing callers of relatives and friends Mrs. John Halbrooks and son, Floyd, here Saturday. They were en route to Mrs. Ozro Steen and children, Weldon Cottonwood for a visit with the lat- and Tilda, Lou, and Mr. Thurman acceptations

ter's parents, being accompanied by Local Banks Receive Mrs. Murdock's sister, Mrs. Barr, of Cottonwood, who had been visiting with them.

Little Billie Cooper spent the weekend with his grandmother, Mrs. W. M. Cooper.

C. C. McRee made a trip to Norman, Okla., over the week-end. Mrs. Austin for the past two months, re- W. F. Matheny, who is Mrs. McRee's turned home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. mother, returned home with him for

W. J. Beckham of Lamesa spent Texas Tech this summer. Mr. Elliott Sunday with his mother, Mrs. C. T.

Miss Leora Howell was the week-

in regular session on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Woods were the when a business meeting was held. The happy hosts to an old-time friend and club will meet September 12 at Mrs. schoolmate and family recently, Mr. Anne Boone's to quilt. Miss Lillian

mesa spent the week-end with Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Winter of home the early part of last week. Lamesa are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith, Mrs. H.T. A number of the Methodist ladies Ogletree and son, Smithie, and Jimattended the all-day meeting for the mie Titsworth attended the funeral ladies Tuesday of last week, which Sunday of Mrs. B. H. Watkins at was held at the First Methodist church Meadow, returning home Monday afternoon.

Wednesday of last week at high Rev. E. L. Springer and wife were noon Mrs. Billings, assisted by her passing guests of relatives here Tues- es the community from a terrific ec-

who was her guest, sponsored a wein- Hustell O'Kelly spent the week-end er roast and marshmallow toast at the at the bedside of his brother, Walter Howell well, especially for the enter- O'Keily, at an Abilene hospital. The

Betty Lou Howell, and little friend, Misses Marybel and Lyndle Washburn Corporation and other creditors being Peggy Titsworth. After lunch was ser- of Goodman spent the week-end with maid in full."

BIRTHDAY DINNER.

day party last Thursday afternoon in i

Mr. Haire, who entered the federal ments of cake and ice cream served to some few weeks ago, returned home wood, G. H. Riggan, Ladie Fred Friday, his health very much improv- Crane, Billie Jo Billington, Ilena Perkins, Johnnie Roberts, Betty Jane Tit-On last Friday Mr. and Mrs. W. J. tle, Annie Isaurie Boswell, Bobby Gale

Mrs. Bessie Rutherford of Floydada SURPRISE BIRTHDAY DINNER. children and friends. Each brought a Q. G. Bright of Loving, N. M., is covered dish. All of the children were here for a visit with his father, Jack there except three of them. Those Miss Emma Nalley of Abilene is Cooper and children, Billie and Emma of Noodle, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Driggers Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Murdock were and son, Roland, of Newman, Mr. and

Official FDIC Signs

Merchants National bank, Monday re- hailed out in June. ceived from the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation at Washington the sticking a thorn in his thumb some official signs which will hang at all two weeks ago. He is at the home of receiving windows as visible evidence his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon that the depositors of these institu- Toombs, near Merkel, so as to be near tions are insured.

These banks belong to a group of more than 14,000 licensed banks in the Throckmorton last week. country which are receiving these | H. E. Farmer is doing jury service signs. Insured banks are able to offer in Abilene this week. protection to their depositors up to in insured banks.

A statement by the Federal Deposit | Barnes home Sunday. Insurance Corporation follows:

"The purpose of the signs is to let depositors know which banks are insured. Heretofore, although 90 per cent of the licensed banks are insured, depositors have had no easy means of

"If, by any unforseen circumstance, an insured bank should suspend, the Insurance Corporation would begin paying off the depositors just as soon as a receiver was appointed for the closed institution. The depositors would receive their money in a few days instead of waiting months or years as was the case in the former method of liquidation. This is not only a benefit to the depositors, but it savonomic and social blow. When the depositors receive their insured accounts they assign their claims to the Insurance Corporaton. Thereafter liquidation proceeds on a business-like bas.

Iones. The evening was enjoyed by making pictures.

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White Church News

We are still wishing for rain here. as we have had only showers. A good The two local banks, the Farmers rain would be beneficial to the cotton, State bank and the Farmers and as so much of it is late from being little daughter, Joyce, have returned

Fraze Demere is suffering from the doctor.

Alton Posey visited home folks at

\$5,000. Statistical studies have shown children, J. W., Mary Lou and Car- to find what you want without doing that this maximum fully protects more leen, and Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Scoggin a lot of hunting and asking questions. than 97 per cent of all the depositors and daughters, Frances and Oma Nell, and you also know the merchants ap-

Mrs. John Abernathy of Trent spent ial offering of their goods.

the past week with her sister, Mrs. H. E. Farmer.

Mrs. Raymond Demere is leaving Wednesday night for a month's visit with her parents in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvn Lindsey and church.

Sweetwater.

Read the advertisements in this paper. There's a message in every one | nell. of them that may enable you to save Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hughes' and money. At least you will know where children of Big Spring spent the of Blair, were visitors in the A. D. preciate your patronage because they solicit your business and make spec-

HEBRON NEWS

The meeting has closed, having resulted in several conversions to the

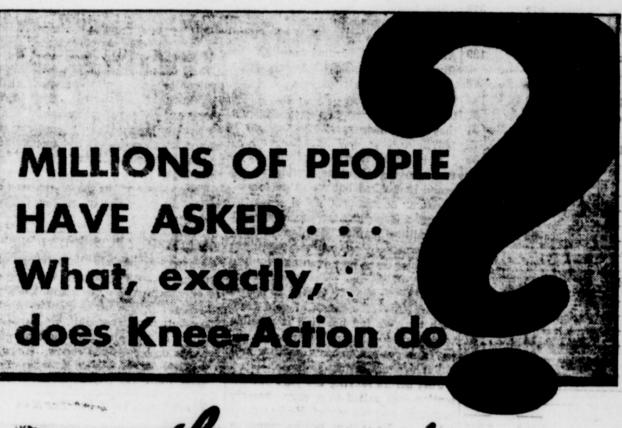
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kelso were to their home at Celeste after a visit guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. with Mrs. Lindsey's mother, Mrs. Nell | Jack Pannell. Robert is visiting his mother at Stith, who is very sick. He Mrs. Paul Demere is visiting her is in the navy, having left the fleet daughter, Mrs. John Coomer, near at Norfolk, Va., to come home for a few days leave.

Miss Earline Kelso was Wednesday night's guest of Miss Effiebell Pan-

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harris and week-end with the Lige Harris family. Miss Marie Walsh, who has been very ill, is reported better.

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LOCAL BRIEFS.

the editor where he settled down.

While Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Sheppard are on vacation, C. S. Barrow from the Hamlin store of the Barrow Furniture company is here looking after the local

The department answered a cal shortly after lunch time Tuesday and extinguished a fire in a model T Ford before much damage was done. The car was on the street just east of the High school building.

Through Sie Hanm's enterprise the election board was installed again for use in posting Saturday's runoff primary returns. A rather large crowd took advantage of the opportunity to get the returns early and, in addition enjoyed music by a string band.

Our good friend, J. L. Tucker, brought to The Mail office some of his home grown tomatoes, weighing as much as a half pound each.

Ely Well Now Being Cleaned After Cave-In Nubia

were cleaning out the well.

about 2550 feet.

Exemption Certificates.

certificates.

Card From Mrs. Williams. A card from Mrs. H. C. Williams, who is staying at Teton Park, Wyo., tells of having a most delightful trip to Yellowstone Park. It is delightfully cool there, she says, and they can see snow the year round. She will leave there next week for Missouri.

The first transatlantic flight was made in 1919 by Lieut.-Comm. A. C. Read and a crew of five men in the navy plane NC-4, but they stopped at the Azores before completing the

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The Box Scores

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TRENT-Weaver, c J. Payne, cf Terry, ss D. H. Jones, If, cf 5 C. Tittle, 2b Barnes, 3b Nugent. p H. Jones, If 46 14 17 27 10

Noodle .001 100 000- 2 022 010 18x-14 Trent Summary-Stolen bases, D. H. Jonfinger waves dried 25c. Call 156 or es, H. Tittle. Runs batted in, Foster, see Mrs. Costephens at Noma Lee Goode, Reid 4, H. Tittle 3, C. Tittle 2, Nugent, D. H. Jones, Weaver 3. Double, Nugent. Triple, D. H. Jones. Sharp (N) Earned runs, Noodle 1, Trent 4. Left | Hale (M) on base, Noodle 7, Trent 8. Double

play, C. Vick to Black. Walks, Carter Merkel and Compere. Cotton Owens, accompanied by Mrs. Carter 3, Nugent 9. Innings pitched, O. W.; T-Tye; TR-Trent; NU- nes and the hostess. Owens and their son, George Mack, by Black 3, 4 runs, 6 hits; by Carter Nubia; S-Stith; M-Merkel; C-left Tuesday morning for points far- 5, 10 runs, 11 hits. Losing pitcher, Compere. ther west. Cotton said he would advise Black. Time of game 2:19. Umpires, Renfro and Young.

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,	B. Jowers, of	. 5	1			0	3
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-	Burns, rf. p				0		2
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.000 026 02x-10 Dunigan Brothers well on the Ely Summary-Stolen bases, W. Jowtract at Teaff's crossing was reported ers 3, Darby. Runs batted in, Palmer at a depth of 2350 feet Thursday 5, D. Seymore 2, Latimer, Horton, J. morning, with the bottom about 35 Jowers, Street 3, W. Jowers, B. Jowfeet lower, due to a cave-in. They ers, Ashby, Burns, Darby. Earned runs, Nubia 4, Tye 7. Left on base, Southern Oil Corporation are about Nubia 8, Tye 7. Doubles, Palmer 2, ready to spud in on a test on the L. R. J. Jowers 2, Horton, Triples, Ashby 2. Cade tract. Depth was estimated Innings pitched, by Palmer 5, 6 runs, 8 hits; by Seymore 3, 6 runs, 5 hits; by Ashby 4 2-3, 6 runs, 8 hits; by Burns 4 1-3, 2 runs, 1 hit. Walks, by Both local banks received supplies Ashby 1. Hit by Burns, C. Bryant. of blanks from County Agent Heald Struck out, by Palmer 6, Seymore 4, Thursday morning for the farmer's Ashby 2. Winning pitcher, Burns. Losuse for emergency exemption cotton ing pitcher, Seymore. Time of game 2:38. Umpires, Renfro, Young, Payne and Terry.

Score by innings:

Baseball

(Continued From Page One) whom the baseball committee wish to express their appreciation are: Smalley Young, Tom Jinkens, Ben Wolfe and L. J. Renfro.

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F. Carter of Noodle Leads League Hitting

Twenty-one hitters in the Merkel inter-community league pounded the ball at a .200 clip or better during the ummer schedule, six of them averaging better than .400.

Topping the list, with an even .500. F. Carter of Noodle proved the leado ing hitting with 15 safeties out of 30

The list of .300 hitters, as compiled

follows:			
Players	AB	H	Avg.
F. Carter (N)	30	15	.500
Fulton (W)	23	11	.478
Herod (T)	24	10	.417
H. Tittle (TR)	29	12	.414
O. Eoff (N)	. 17	7	.412
D. H. Jones (TR)	32	13	.406
T. Seymore (NU)	82	12	.375
Byrd (S)	30	11	.367
Terry (TR)	22	8	.364
Justice (N)	33	12	.364
Black (N)	31	11	.355
Goode (N)	26	9	.346
D. Seymore (NU)	29	10	.345
xBurleson (M) (C)	18	6	.333
J. Jowers (T)	28	9	.321
McDonald (S)	. 22	7	.318
Cox (M)	16	5	.313
Higgins (W)	16	5	.313
Stanley (C)	26	8	.308
Sharp (N)	33	10	.303

RURAL SOCIETY

BUSY BEE CLUB.

The Busy Bee club met Thursday, August 23, at the home of Mrs. W. U. ness session was held.

A. & M. college.

Mrs. Roy Harrell won the "basket."

Pinckley and the hostess. day, September 13.

SALT BRANCH 4-H CLUB. The Salt Branch 4-H club met with The young folks of the Mt. Pleas-355 the home of Mrs. H. B. Robertson Pyle. 346 were discussed. Pauline Higgins gave After the candy breaking and out-

elected as sponsor.

The next meeting will be with Nollie Jaynes on Friday, September 7. Try a Classified Ad for Results.

'Trees.'

CELEBRATES SEVENTY. SECOND BIRTHDAY.

The subject of the program will be

niversery. *

Castleberry, Roy Harrell, Miss Ruth and Mrs. Lee Odus Hodges and son, dinner. Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hodg-The next meeting will be in the es and son, Theron, Mrs. Lillie Worhome of Mrs. W. J. Higgins on Thurs- than and a neighbor, Mrs. Fowler, and son.

CANDY BREAKING.

375 Lena Faye Harrell Friday, August ant Methodist Sunday School enjoy-367 24. The meeting was called to order ed a candy breaking Tuesday evening 364 by the president, Pauline Higgins, and given by the odd members of the class 364 plans for a party to be held soon in at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis

.345 an interesting talk on her trip to the door games punch was served by the 333 Farmers Short Course at A. & M. hostess. Those present were: Mary and Wilbur Click, Eleanor Mae, Tom, As Marie Pinckley, the present Jr., and Jack Hogan, Della and Ruth spensor, is leaving for Denton to at- Smith, Arlie and Doris Whisenhunt, Graduate of Westminster Col-313 tend school soon, Ruth Pinckley was Marie and Connie Rogers, Rena Bell lege, Studied in Alabama Cen-Horton, Amy Andrews, Hazel Blair, tral College, Student of Dr. Ed-The following club girls were pres- Odel Anderson, J. R. Johnson, J. T. ward Manning of Chicago, three 20 6 .300 ent: Lou Jane Land, Lola Higgins, Anderson, Lee Darden, Irelis, Loyce, summer courses in Western NorxBurleson played with two clubs, Pauline and Lorena Higgins, Annie Royce and Dwight Curb, D. C. West, mal College of Music. D., Christine and Evelyn Garvin, Van- Alton Odom, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Dar-Having sold his sandwich shop here, 1. Wild pitch, Nugent. Struck out, by Symbols used: N-Noodle; W-W. nie Sue and Fay Pinckley, Nollie Jay- den, Jr., Mrs. Otis Odom and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pyle.

Fireboys Guests of Mr. And Mrs. John Hughes

Last Sunday noon Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hodges was the honorce at a John Hughes complimented the fire-Beene. As the president and vice- birthday party in his home on Wed- men and their wives with a nice chickpresident were both absent, no busi- nesday, July 18, when his wife and en dinner served at Stuard's cafe, a part of his children set him a din- which was enjoyed by all. The dinner Mrs. J.S. Pinckley gave a talk on her | ner at his home in Hockley county, the was by way of showing their appretrip to the Farmers Short Course at occasion being his 72nd birthday an- ciation for the splendid work of the fireboys in extinguishing the fire at A de icious dinner was served at the their barn on Saturday night, Aug-The following members were pres- noon hour to Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hod- ust 18. The fireboys have asked The ent: Mesdames W. C. Lee, T. C. Allen. ges, Mr. and Mrs. Powers Hodges and Mail to express their thanks to Mr. by league statistician Burnis Tucker, J. S. Pinckley, Elmer Criswell, F. L. two children, Nelda and Lelland, Mr. and Mrs. Hughes for the sumptuous

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Firm—Colorado CABBAGE, pounc	i	4c
YAMS, 6 pounds		25c
SPUDS, 10 pound	ls	23c
Red and White PANCAKE FLOU	R, package	10c
Red and White MAPLE SYRUP,	pint	20c
Blue and White BROOMS, each		75c
Red and White CORN FLAKES, I	oackage	10c
Red and White CREAM MEAL, 5	pounds	18c
Pure Cane SUGAR, 10 pound	ls	54c
Red and White Flour	12 lbs 24 lbs 48 lbs.	

TOASTIES, package Maxwell House COFFEE, pound Camay-Beauty SOAP, 3 bars BRAN FLAKES, package Brer Rabbit No. 5 can No. 10 can Michigan PEA BEANS, 3 pounds Dried PEACHES, 2 pounds Sun Up COFFEE, pound Cup and Saucer OATS, package A-1 Soda CRACKERS, 2 pounds Sliced BACON, pound Full Cream CHEESE, pound Large BOLOGNA, pound



WEDDING BELLS RING SUNDAY FOR TWO POPULAR YOUNG COUPLES.

Wallace-Church.

The marriage of Miss Alice Church and Mr. E. B. Wallace was solemnized in a pretty morning wedding Sunday, promptly at 10:30, in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P Church. The Rev. P. H. Gates officiated with the beautiful ring ceremony in the presence of only a few close friends and relatives.

Mrs. C. P. Church, She graduated at hears and believes it. Tahoka, studied music and has taught

Mr. Wallace is the popular manager of the Jones Dry Goods company here, having been manager of the Big Spring store for the same company before the stock was moved here.

After the first of September Mr. and Mrs. Wallace will be at home in the McDonald apartment on Oak

Collins-Pinckley.

the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Worship God." S. Pinckley, by Rev. P. H. Gates. The ring ceremony was said as the bride's sister, Miss Fay Pinckley, played softly "Love's Old Sweet Song." The families of the bride and groom were the only guests.

crepe, with ecru net trim; her accessories were navy blue.

Immediately after the ceremony the ening. bridal couple left for Lamesa where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Quentin these services. Collins and other relatives. Upon their return to Merkel they will make their home at the Coats house, where they have an apartment.

Mrs. Collins is a graduate of Merkel High school and has attended A. C. C. and N. T. S. T. C. at Denton. For the past three years she has been a teacher in the Merkel Grammar

Mr. Collins is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Collins. He received his education in the schools of Lamesa. For the past two years he has been in the filling station business with his fath-

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB. The Merkel Home Demonstration club met Friday in the home of Mrs. E. O. Carson, Jelly making was demonstrated, Mrs. Mack Buzbee and reports of their trip to A. & M.

A business meeting was held and new officers elected as follows: Mrs. C. P. Church, president; Mrs. Lake Renfro, vice-president; Clara B. White, reporter: Maurine White, first vear wardrobe demonstrator.

to Mesdames George White, Watt his third birthday out at Shannon's Blair, Mack Buzbee, W. A. McCan- pool. Games were played, pictures takdless, C. P. Church, Lake Renfro, F. en and gifts unwrapped. Then all A. Felley, E. O. Carson, Misses Mau- were seated around the table where rine White, Clara B. White and Alice the birthday cake was cut and served Church, Visitors were: Mrs. Allday, with punch to the guests.

BRIDGE GAMES.

rie, Ernest Higgins and McCrary were mer. joint hostesses in entertaining, naming Mrs. Milton Case as the honores.

Flower decorations were blue bells and a dainty color theme of past. shades was given emphasis in pretty accessories. Games of contract bridge progressed and the players were refreshed by the hostesses with iced punch. At the tea hour a delectable sandwich and tea plate was served.

Game hour guests were Mesdames Milton Case, Irby Key, Winters, Bob Mayfield, Lige Gamble, Harold Boney, Floyd Davis, George West, Jr., W. T. Sadler, J. E. Boaz, Jr., Misses Mary Elizabeth Grimes, Nell Durham. Tea hour guests calling were: Mesdames Eli Case, V. B. Sublett, Henry West, Erwin Jowers, Miss Mattie Lou Largent and the hostesses.

BIRTHDAY PARTY. Saturday afternoon Mrs. Gladys

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while it continues. Subjects are as noon at 4 o'clock. follows: Friday night "The Christian We are ordering about 50 new song Elmo Collins and Miss Pauline ness of God," Sunday night "How The ing class, Bill Dowell was elected Pinckley were united in marriage Holy Spirit Makes Believers, or Con- president of the class. Nola Mae Cal-Sunday at eight o'clock in the home of verts" and Sunday 11 a. m. "How to lahan was elected secretary. Sister

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preach-

R. A. Walker, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. Sunday morning we were glad to have our pastor, Rev. C. R. Joyner, with us again. He has been away holding meetings in several different pla-

ces most of the summer, but will be

er meetings. We have been having such good attendance and great inter-

with us from now on.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preach-S. at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wed- and for men over 50. In the first class, ing at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. B. T. Menday afternoon at 4 o'clock,

METHODIST CHURCH.

Next Sunday will be the first Sunday of September, and this will be a Miss Alice Church gave interesting good Sunday to start in going to Sunday School and preaching, as we are about through the hot days, fall is about on us, and we are about through with vacations, summer schools, and we are now getting down to business;

McLan entertained a few little A covered dish luncheon was served friends honoring her son, Wayne, on

Mrs. Lecil White, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. | Those wishing little Wayne happy Joe Higgins and Mr. and Mrs. W. I. birthday were as follows: Jerry B. Smith, Marvin E. Smith, John Robert Walker, Jimmie Lee Latimer, Glen Toombs, George Wayne Richie, Betty The home of Mrs. Edward McCrary to Hassey, Margie Ann Walker, Bilwas the scene of a pretty party Friday lie, Mabeline, Becky Nan and Thelma afternoon when Mesdames Cecil Guth- Smith, Tom Seymore and Odie Lati-- - M. F. . HERW



To the Citizens of Taylor County: Words are inadequate to express my gratitude to the loyal friends who stood by me to the last, making my renomination possible. I realize anew my obligations and responsibilties. With the continued co-operation of the citizens, I will endeavor to make all of you, whether you supported me or not, the efficient and trustworthy official which you have a right to expect me

Sincerely, BURL WHEELER. (Politica) Advertisement.)

This will be sacrament day and we ord is obtained, then bring it to the will have preaching at 8 p. m. Come Merkel Figh school on Monday or and worship with us.

day. 9:45 a. m.

P. H. Gates, Pastor.

NAZARENE CHURCH. The pastor will be back Sunday. All the regular services Sunday and dur-

J. L. Mayhall, Pastor.

NORTHSIDE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH.

"He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved" will be the subject for We are inviting all our friends and next Saturday night. "If I were the neighbors to attend with us especially devil, what would I do?" will be the the services of our protracted meeting subject on the streets Saturday after-

Race," Saturday night "The Foolish- books for our Sunday afternoon sing-Frank Carr is our pianist. We are hoping every member of the class will be present every Sunday.

> We welcome you to all our services. Ernest C. Dowell, Pastor.

ing at 11 a. m., followed by a com- SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE. will be offered this year, The bride was attired in navy blue munion service. Offering for Reynolds With the Nazarene church not rehome. Preaching Sunday evening at porting the attendance for last Sun-8:15. Prayer meeting Wednesday ev- day, total of the other five Sunday Schools here was 707, as compared You are cordially invited to all of with 732 on the previous Sunday. On Mail office. the same Sunday a year ago 754 were

Rodeo

(Continued from Page One) decorated car, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reid.

Nine entries competed in the bicycle races, run in three heats, the Come and be with us in our pray- winners in each heat entering a runoff as finalists, with Roy Williams the winner.

The morning program also included roping events for boys under 15 22 4-5; Snowball Barbee, second, 27, and Leonard Huff, 64.

Topping the older boys was Dee Bland, marking up 35 seconds; Andrew Barbee, second, 36 3-5, and Sam Swann, 38 2-5.

Will Preach at Trent. W. G. Cypert will preach at the 11

o'clock hour Sunday at the Church of Christ at Trent. Everyone is cordially invited to hear him.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.

Mrs. W. A. McSpadden announces the opening of her primary school on Monday, September 10 .

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Wednesday-Thursday - Will Rogers in "Mr. Skitch."

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School Schedule

(Continued from Page One.) tendent at Abilene or their former teacher a statement covering all high school work that has been done by the student. Just a report covering last year's work will not be sufficient, but a record of all high school credits made must be presented before the stulent will be permitted to enroll. so let's start off with 300 next Sun- Supt. Burgess urges that such students get this record now and avoid Preaches True Gospel There will be preaching at 11 a. m. delay in registration. When this rec-Tuesday, September 3 or 4. All new students should report to the high school building on September 3 or 4. SENIOR REGISTRATION.

> Seniors are requested to report for registration on Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday, September 5, 6 or 7. Seniors registering late may not be able to get the subjects they desire for, when classes are full, no more can be permit ted to register for that class. This is why Seniors are permitted to register early in order that they may be certain to get the subjects they need in order to graduate. Subjects open to Seniors are: English IV, American history, Physics, Bookkeeping, Spanish III, arithmetic and trigonometry, typing (1-2), publii speaking. Plane geometry is no longer required for graduation, but students wishing to take engineering or any mathematics in college should take it. This year there will be two sections of English IV and two of American history, both Seniors and Juniors taking American history this year. No civics or economics

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Quart jar

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