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the least worth.

5-Merry Widow Hats make their first appearance, 1907.

6—Ring Lardner, humorist and writer, born 1885.

First telephone patent is sued to Bell, 1876.



First bridge over Niagara ver is opened, 1855.



Famed battle of Monitor vs. Merrimac, 1862.



Germany declares war on Portugal at last, 1916.



Start of great three-day blizzard, New York, 1888.

District Elimination At Turnersville Next Friday and Saturday

The district elimination which was to have been held at Turnersville last week end was postponed because of the inclement weather.

The meet will be held this week end, March 9 and 10. The same program as heretofore announced will be followed in the eliminations.

Central Texas Pioneer Resident of McGregor Succumbs at His Home

McGREGOR, March 4-S. Amsler, 92, pioneer Texan and one of the builders of McGregor, died age of two years. here at his home Sunday morning.

During his early life, he was associated with his father in the lumber business in Montgomery county.

the Confederate army during the Civil War and was a member of company G. Green's cavalry brigade. Otto Mackensen, who died at the age of 104, recently, was Amsler's last comrade in that dashing group to survive. Amsler was the last of the brigade who rode over Texas and New Mexico to the strains of "if you wanta have a good time, jine the caval-

Funeral services were held from the Methodist church Monday at 2:30 p. m .- Temple Tele-

LOCAL B. T. S. TO HAVE STUDY INSTITUTE

Service, under the direction of loyal to his friends and fair and Mrs. C. A. Morton will engage in just to his enemies, if he had any. a study institute beginning March | He believed in treating his fel-11 and closing March 16.

courses will come from the fac- est in his dealings with his felutly and student body of Howard lows, taking the life of the babe Payne College at Brownwood, born in Bethlehem as his guide There will be a class for every to follow and emulate.

Flat to Act as Host To Third of Series of Interscholastic Meets

The third of the series of district eliminations looking to the County Meet will be held at Flat March 9 and 10. Schools which will participate are Oglesby. Gatesville Grammar School, Davidson, Bigham, Ewing, Hubbard, Mound, New Olive and the host school.

The events will begin at 12:30 on Friday and will run through Saturday afternoon.

Events for Friday afternoon are volley ball and playground ball. Events to take place Friday night will be declamation. Rhythm Band and Choral Singing. The events on Saturday will be basketball.

Frigidaire Technician Now Located With the Scott Furniture Store

Morton Scott, progressive local furniture dealer and recently appointed Frigidaire dealer, has engaged the services of Bill Williams in his Frigidaire depart- District 14, SS & BTS

Mr. Williams has had several years exeprience in the Frigidaire repair work and is a graduate of the Frigidaire service School. He tomers to visit him in his new

ALEX L. FREEMAN

Alex L. Freeman, a respected citizen of this county, aged 64, died at the family home near Ireland last Friday afternoon. Mr. Freeman was born in Tennessee August 11, 1870, and came to Texas with his parents at the

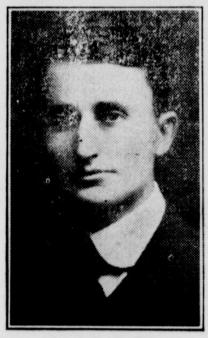
In 1897 he was married to Miss Winnie Drew and to this union were born seven children, all of whom, including the widow, survive the deceased, and are liv-He quit business to enlist in ing at the following places: Mrs. Luther Ham Texon, Louis W. Freman Kosse, Lillian Freeman, Alvin Freeman, Way Freeman, Miss Verda Freeman, Ireland, and Mrs. Theron Bickley Coleman, all these children were present at the funeral.

> Mr. Freeman had been in delicate health for some time but his death came rather suddenly. Heart trouble was the direct cause of death. He was buried at Evergreen Cemetery, near Purmela Saturday afternoon, services were conducted by the Rev. Steve Melton of Hamilton, who paid a glowing tribute to the life that the deceased had lived.

To know Alex Freeman was to like him. He was a man of deep The local Baptist Training and abiding convictions, true and low man as he would like to be The faculty of the various treated and was scrupously hon-

A Friend

Morning Speaker



DR. J. M. DAWSON

Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Waco and one of the State Baptist leaders, who will bring one of the major addresses Izoro was accidentally shot Sat-11:20 on the subject "The Baptist of his boy companions. The Message of the Hour."

Convention Opened Mon. With Large Attendance

The annual session of the Fourinvites all of his friends and cus- teenth District of the State B. T. S. and Sunday School Convention opened here at 2 P. M. yesterday with more than 25 out of town visitors already registered. Almost every one of the nine counties was well represented despite the fact that Coryell is the far western county of the district.

> Rev. C. A. Morton, pastor of the local church opened the convention with words of welcome to which Dr. Pool of Baylor Univer-T. Miller of Corsicana was in the chair in the absence of Rev. M. E. proved late Monday evening. Ramey of Itasca. Rev. W. B. Pierce of Waco brought a splendid address concerning the State Baptist publication. Rev. Alvin Swindell of Hillsboro closed the afternoon session with a masterof the teaching and training services of the church to the denomination program.

Last night's session was markled by three splendid addresses. The first was by Rev. M. O. Cheek Cottonseed, \$20 of Hubbard and formerly missionary to China. The others were by Dr. T. C. Gardner, state secretary of Baptist Young People and Dr. Frank Tripp of St. Joseph Missouri who brought a message from the Southern Baptist Con-

Todays Activities

Outstanding speakers who will appear on this morning's program | Baptist Message of the Hour.'. are Rev. Frank Nixon of Clifton, Rev. Sam Dollehite of Marlin, Rev. John T. Taylor of Dawson, Mrs. George Miller of Waco and the Women's work of the District State Sunday School Secretary G. S. Hopkins.

Dr. J. M. Dawson of the First Baptist Church at Waco will bring morning at 11 o'clock on "The ister before the sessions close.

Bud Russell Stops in City on 50th Birthday And 25th Anniversary

Bud Russell, his wagon, his from the local Bastile to their list of which follows: new home in the state Peniten-

Two striking things about this was Bud's 50th birthday and the 25th anniversary of his acceptagent. During his twenty-five years at the job of hauling prisoners only one has ever gotten away and Russell recaptured that one himself.

HOWARD SMART OF IZORO ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

Howard John, 14-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Smart, of of the Convention this morning at urday while out playing with two boys with him were Norman Allen Smith and Alvin Dumas who helped him to get home. He was brought to Lampasas where on examination it was advised by the physician that he be carried to Temple. Mr. Smart left Temple Tuesday morning and Howard was getting along fine.

> The boys had a .22 caliber pistol and were practicing shooting on the mountain near home when in some way the pistol was accidentally discharged, the bullet striking Howard in the right side, going through the top of the lung and lodging in the back. It was not removed by the physicians in son, Fields and Flat. Temple.-Lampasas Record.

Will Powell who has been critically ill at his home on East sity at Waco responded. Rev. E. Leon Street for the past few days was reported to be greatly im- serve Mt. Zion and Jonesboro.

(As of March 5) Poultry ful address outlining the relation Turkeys6c, 7c, 10c Roosters, 3c Hens 7c to 9c Fryers 12c Eggs 11c General

Wool, 39c Topsey and Copperas Cove. Beef, on foot, \dots 3 to $3\frac{1}{2}$ Pork, on foot, 31/2 to 4 Pecans 5c Mohair 40c ham. Cotton, strict mid. 11.80 Oats 32c Corn 60c Cream 18c

During the course of this afternoon's session Mrs. J. R. Comer of Hillsboro will speak concerning and Dr. C. E. Hereford of Waco will bring the final address on "Our Baptist Manpower."

It is estimated that 1000 visitthe climaxing address of the ors from out of the city will reg-

Dates For Diphtheria Prevention Campaign To Close on March 28

The leaders in the County-wide knife and all of the trimmings campaign for immunization againwere here last Saturday for the st diphtheria have completed a purpose of transferring prisoners schedule of dates and centers, the

Wednesday, March 7

10:00 A. M. at Oglesby to innoculate those from Whitney trip are the facts that Saturday Creek, Eagle Springs, Coryell church, Davidson and Oglesby.

1:30 P. M. at Mound to innocing the position of Prison transfer ulate those from Leon Junction and Mound.

Thursday, March 8

10:00 A. M. at Plainview to serve those from Arnett, King. Spring Hill and Plainview.

1:30 P. M. at Pearl to administer to those from Peabody, Bee House, Slater and Pearl.

Tuesday, March 13

10:00 A. M. at Levita to serve those from Ater, Oakton and Le-

1:30 P. M. at Ireland to innoculate those at Ineland.

Wednesday, March 14

10:00 A. M. at White Hall to innoculate the unimmunized at

1:30 P. M. at Coryell City to serve those from Osage and Cory-

Thursday, March 15

10:00 A. M. at Purmela to serve those of that community. 1:30 P. M. at Evant to serve Cow House and Evant.

Tuesday, March 20

10:00 A. M. at Flat to serve Hubbard, Flint Creek, Longview, Dunn, The Grove, Ewing, Whit-

1:30 P. M. at Maple to serve Owl Creek, Brown's Creek, Harmond and Maple.

Wednesday, March 21

10:00 A. M. at Jonesboro to

1:30 P. M. at Turnersville to serve Buster, Hurst Springs, Concord and Turnersville.

Saturday, March 24

At the City Hall in Gatesville to serve any one from any community who cares to take advantage of the time. The station will be open all day.

Tuesday, March 27

10:00 A. M. at Pidcoke to serve Antelope, Harmon and Pidcoke.

1:30 P. M. at Copperas Cove to serve Crossville, Clear Creek,

Wednesday, March 28

10:00 A. M. at Bigham or Carden to serve Newland and Big-1:30 P. M. at Gatesville Gram-

mar School to serve Hay Valley, Schley, Turnover, Gatesville and any one who cares to come to that place as it will be the last chance.

Splendid Response

There has been a splendid response at every engagement thus for and it is hoped by leaders that every child from 1 month to 13 years of age who lives in Coryell County will be reached at one of the centers.

CONSIDER YOUR LOCAL MERCHANTS

Mrs. D. R. Boone Hostess to Book Club.

Mrs. D. R. Boone entertained members of the Book Club and a number of guests Friday afternoon at her attractive home on East Bridge Street. A mixing bowl for high score and a linen handkerchief for second high were presented Mrs. A. W. Gartman and Mrs. B. K. Cooper among the guests and consolation went to Mrs. Francis Powell.

A dainty salad course was served to the following: Mesdames F. J. Battle, C. F. Caruth, Jr., R W. Brown, R. G. Dickie, Paul Martin, Troy Jones, Clay Stinniett. R. Thomas, Charles Powell, C. E.Gandy, Price Bauman, Clyde tons. Bailey, Ward Jameson, Jno. Frank Post, C. C. Edwards, B. B. Ernestine Bauman Honored Garrett, Elbert Slone, Francis With Birthday Party. Powell, B. K. Cooper and A. W. Gartman.

Good Fellowship Club Meeting.

Friday, February 16, the Good Fellowship Club met with Mrs. Clifford Clemons for an all day meeting. Twenty four charter members were present and eight new members were added to the roll. Two quilts were quilted, one quilt pieced and one appli-

At twelve o'clock a delicious plate lunch was served, followed White, Charlie Marie, Edna and by a business hour. Miss Neille Anna Bauman, Junior and Joe Pearl Walker, secretary, read the Daniels, and Dorothy Ruth and constitution which was adopted. Perry Henderson, Fees of five cents a month for each family were paid and a pattern for the club quilt was chosen. Of S. S. Class Social, Miss Nellie Pearl Walker was appointed to buy the material for tist Sunday School enjoyed a Julia Ann Street, Raymond Coleit. Mrs. Arthor Melton dismissed social meeting at the home of man and Willie Yank of Taylor,

the club with a prayer. the Good Fellowship Club had a members were guests of the two day noon. special meeting at Mrs. G. B. defeated groups. Mrs. M. L. Mc-Walkers for the purpose of work Dowell, teacher of the class and ing on the club quilt and blocks one of the defeated members prewere sent to all absent members. sided.

Jones-Hanes

the home of Bert Hanes in Jones- date, 1836, of the organization of boro one day last week.

has attended John Tarleton Col- describe the mode of living in the

Mrs. W. O. Jones of White Hall. tion of the Baptist church here home at White Hall.

Blanton-Whatley

Mr. Horace Blanton, the hand some young son of Mrs. J. L. Lackey of this city, and Miss Jolly Workers Gertrude Whatley, the beautiful Club Meeting. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hamilton reading the ceremony. present to work on the quilts.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanton are both graduates of the Gatesville High School, Mr. Blanton being now employed by the Palace Theatre.

This young couple will reside in this city, having rooms at Mrs. C. A. Burchett's.

friends in wishing them success Carl Etchison entertained the Frithrough the years to come.

Black Tandrilota Dress



One of the latest of Parisian fashon creations for milady is this black tandrilota dress with golden but-

Friday afternoon Mrs. Ernest Bauman complimented her small daughter, Ernestine, with a desixth birthday.

The coterie of small guests enloyed a number of games espect to many friends. ally planned for their pleasure and at the refreshment hour were guest was remembered with a little gift. Those present were Lula Jean Morgan, Jimmy Wardell, Margaret, Junior, Billie David and Julia Ann Sheridan, Dorothy

Texas Independence Theme

Using "Texas Independence" as her theme, Mrs. McDowell review ed the history of Texas in a mos became the bride of Mr. Eyland interesting manner giving favors of small maps of Texas across Jones in a quiet ceremoney at the face of which was written the the class and the class name. Sev-Mrs. Jones is the daughter of eral ladies were called upon to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hanes and relate events of the past, and to earlier days of Texas. Mrs. A. Mr. Jones is the son of Mr. and H. Gregory told of the organiza-The couple will make their and of many inferesting incidents in connection with the church.

Dainty refreshments of cake and hot punch, mints and salted nuts were served to about thirty

Miss Florence Edwards was Whatley of the Liberty commun- hostess last Wednesday to memity, were united in marraige Sun- bers of the Jolly Workers Club of day evening with Rev. Rains of Osage. Fifteen members were

Osage Friday Night Club Entertained.

Miss Alleyne Sheffield and Elisha Wallace were the recipients of high score awards when The News joing their, many Mesdames Carroll Jayrome and day Night Club. Other guests

were Messrs and Mesdames J. B. | Mrs. Pat Olsen spent Friday Fdwards, M. B. Edwards, W. C. and Saturday in Waco. Edwards, W. D. Craddock, O. H. Martin, B. E. Gotlin, C. Hartwick, Misses Florence Edwards, Milly Jayroe, Jack Martin, Bobbie Jayroe, Carrie Bland and Messrs, Ralph Jayroe, S. C. Martin and Jesse Wallace.

A delightful refreshment course was served following the games.

Box-Nance

Mrs. Layton W. Nix reports the marriage of her sister, Mrs. Addie Mae Box, of Jonesboro, to Rev. H. H. Nance, of Burket, Texas. The wedding took place in Brownwood with an intimate friend of Rev. Nance, the pastor of a church in Burket, performing the sacred rites. Rev. Nance well known Methodist minister and writer, who served as pastor of the Hamilton Rural Circuit held a meeting in Pancake, Coryell county some time in the early part of 1933, and there met the charming young women who on Thursday, February 22, became his bride.

Mrs. Nance before her first marriage was Miss Addie Mae lightful party in honor of her Sellers. She was reared in the Jonesboro country, and her happiness is of affectionate interest

All who know Rev. Nance and his lovely bride offer sincere served cake and lemonade. Each congratulations and hearty good wishes for their continued happiness and prosperity in the future years of their companionship.

> Misses Fred Byrom and Leah Dale Franks spent the week end in Hamilton as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Lengefeld.

Miss Mimmie Wilson who teaches at Taylor spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson. She The Honeyout Class of the Bap- had as her guests Sunday Miss Mrs. Monroe Blankenship last whom she honored with a delight Friday afternoon, February 23, Thursday afternoon. The class ful dinner party at her home Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dildy and son were Waco visitors Saturday.



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Contest Closes March 17

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ON TEXAS FARMS

By W. H. Darrow Extension Service Editor A. & M. College

A total of 1019 wheat benefit checks, amounting to 97 per cent of all such checks due on the first payment, have been received by Carson county farmers. The checks received total \$257,718.46.

These women are to demonstrate den demonstration. how fruit may be produced at

bought four terracing graders to prepared for sale by Miss Frances loan farmers to terrace land and Miller, member of a home demonplans to buy 36 more as they are needed. Thousands of acres are being terraced, much of it by a Miss Miller standardized her canby R. M. Hooker, county agent.

Canadian-A crew of 6 to 10 CWA workers has been distributing poison grain to prairie dogs in Hartley county in cooperation with the U.S. Biological Survey and the county agent. The work is done at no cost to land owners. The object is to completely exterminate this pest from the

Gollad-Thirty-two hens that couldn't be trained to roost in a new house their owner built them, and who refused to come around to eat mash, furnish the horrible example poultrymen love to point out when speaking of the value of good housing and feeding. These headstrong hens laid about six eggs per week between them on the farm of R.J. Kornfuehrer in Goliad county. This is about a 3 per cent laying rate. Their sisters, comfortably housed and well fed, laid at 55 per cent rate during the same time.

Another lesson from this demonstration in cooperation with the county agent is that young juicy alfalfa from a nearby field is eaten ravenously by the hens and helps keep up production and keep down worms.

Paris-Besides supplying her family and neighbors with fresh vegetables all the year and more than filling her canning budget by canning 712 quarts for her family of four Mrs. E. C. Hindman of Howland Home Demonstration Club has helped others to can and canned in her own kitchen 1115 quarts for other people according to the report of Miss Beaulah Blackwell, county home demonstration agent of Lamar county. She has also built a storage pantry for her own use. People receiving help from Mrs. Hindman are neighbors, Red Coss, C. W. A. workers, orphans and a negro club at Reed's Prairie. This club is sponsored by Mrs. Hindman and Mrs. Claude Duncan. The Reed's Prairie Club has canned 2,784 containers of

Cameron-A proof that the cotton reduction program has really done more than reduce the cotton crop was brought to light at a recent meeting of the Marlow 4-H Girls' Club meeting when a request came from 11 4-H club boys to meet with the girls for the hotbed demonstration, Miss

good helpers and since there is cans ready for market. no women's home demonstration

Brownwood -- Four hundred eighty-nine cans of sliced and ground stration club in Brown county, her poultry on foot were so low.

Bertha Fae Strange, home demon- | \$32.33. She has sold to date stration agent of Milam county \$59.69 worth of these canned proreports. The boys proved to be ducts and still has nearly 200

club in the community, each of Comanche-One acre of 25 pethe boys plans to assume the re- can trees planted 23 years ago sponsibility of making mother's has averaged \$113 per acre per hotbed, and helping sister to year for the last six years on the make her bed. Instructions in farm of C. F. Denny in Comanche making and putting out grape county. The yield last year was cuttings and fertilizing berry 550 pounds, the lowest in the six vines were given to both boys and years. Mr. Denny keeps a record girls. The assignments for each of a number of indivdual trees boy is to root 12 grape vines (an in this acre. A Texas prolific To use land retired from cot- exchange of cuttings was plan- tree heads the list with producton advantage, 2000 beery vines ned). Miss McKimm Massey, tion last year of 116 pounds, folhave been supplied 30 home agriculture teacher, is sponsoring lowed by a Halbert farm seedling the organization and checks with that produced 76 pounds. On the club on their yard and gar- 1016 other trees on this 100acre farm which has more than 90 acres in pecans, the following records are reported by J. A. Barton, county agent; an average of Carthage-Panola county has turkey and chicken have been 99 Texas Prolific and 587 Halbert trees, and 330 Burkett trees averaged 5.8 pounds per tree.

terracing crew of 36 men trained ned chicken and turkey in March toe Creameries, Inc., Dallas, will 1933, according to Extension Ser-hereafter be operated under the vice methods. In addition to her name of Borden's. The plants own fowls, she bought 12 of her have been owned by Borden's neighbor's turkeys for \$19.35. for the past two years, but con-The 12 weighed 212 pounds on tinued to operate seperately. foot and from them she canned Over \$90,000 has been spent in

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GATESVILLE NEEDS INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

Gatesville is situated in the heart of one of the most diversified sections in the United States. Natural resources abound on every hand. Possibilities for development are apparent at every mental turn and yet very little has been done to take advantage of these vast possibilities in an industrial way. Gatesville cannot advance much further without some kind of industrial development to provide a pay roll. A few of the possibilities which come to mind are worth mention-

The blackland and sandyland reaches of Coryell County now produce fifty-four varieties of vegetation which are preservable in cans. Any one of the many products can be raised in the county in quantities which would justify a cannery in Coryell County. Is it not, then, practical for Coryell to have a cannery?

The hills of Coryell County abound in clay which far surpasses that in counties where there is a brick kiln or a pottery and yet Coryell County has never had an attempt at developing this vast resource. Why could it not be?

These same hills are filled with limestone in the crude. Lime is used in every building. Lime must be manufactured. Why can't Coryell County furnish a portion of the lime to America?

Coryell County is situated in the center of one of the largest poultry producing territories in Texas. Which fact suggests that it would not be amiss for Coryell County to pack its own poultry and have its own egg cracker.

Livestock abounds in central Texas. Is there any reason why we should not have a packing plant? Dairying is a flourishing industry in this section. Is there any law against our having a cheese plant?

Corn, oats and wheat are raised in fine quality and ample quantity for another industry. Twenty-seven million housewives serve cereals at least once a day. These cereals are made from the mentioned grains. They have to be made somewhere. Why should they not be made where the raw De Queen Avenue. products are raised and where the Leon River provides plenty of water for power?

We may rest assured that outside capital is never going to build Coryell County. Gatesville doesn't offer the required railroad facilities. Coryell Must Care For Her Own Development.

THE ARMY FLIERS

In his radio speech Tuesday night, Major General Foulois, chief of the Army Air Corps, said what doubtless many army men have wanted to say before. It is that the "sympathy" which has been coming in a flood from certain sources on account of the turning over to the Army of the job of flying the mails is not only misdirected but a gratuitous reflection upon the Army's aviation and upon the courage and skill of the Army's flying personnel. The air corps wants no sympathy, and needs none, General Foulois points out. In the matter of flying, the men who wear the uniform do not ask odds of any pilot.

Americans of all classes have realized this, of course. If indeed our military fliers were such as need to be protected from the dangers of flying-young gentlemen who merely play at the game of piloting airplanes—then the national defense would be in a bad way. General Foulois, himself a flier, calls things by their right names. The Nation has no use of an army which holds back and wishes to be protected from danger, and it has not now, never has had, and never will have an army that does it .- Fort Worth Star when the cooperative program Telegram

Convention Speaker



REV. W. B. PIERCE

Pastor of the First Baptist Church at Mexia, who spoke at 2:15 Monday afternoon on the subject "The Relation of the Sunday School and the B. T. S. to the Baptiat Standard.

Where

By M. B. S. -

Bess Faris is teaching in the Sue Ross Ward School at Waco. Her address is 1303 South 8th

Rev. P. T. Stanford lives at 1406 Coggin Avenue in Brownwood, Texas.

Billy Thomson is a student in Texas University at Austin. His address is 713 West 24th Street.

Travis Austin lives at 3005 Avenue K, Polytechnic, Fort Worth, Texas.

Ruby Hendrickson is Mrs. Cecil B. McGuire and lives at 945 Liberty Avenue in Port Arthur,

Louis Freeman is superintendent of schools at Kosse, Texas,

Billy Culberson's new address is Box 1019, Greenville, Texas.

R. D. Hendrickson is employed by the Gulf Refining Company at Port Arthur. His address is 1430

Jai Alai Player



Miss Katherine Hines, seventeenyear-old high school senior in Miami, Fla., is the only jai alai player in the United States. She has been playing the game two years and is good enough to give the professional experts a real battle.

Galveston-Every dairy farm in Galveston county shipping milk into Galveston will have either a sanitary pit toilet or septic tank between dairy association, Fed-

and Civil Works Administration 1933, according to the University is completed according to J. C. Bureau of Business Research. Yeary, county agent. Sixty- three toilets have been completed. They meet the health requirements for Grade A dairy farms. The dairy association finances its members for materials and the C. W. A. supplies the labor.

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COMMENT

WELL, as we scan the headlines of the big dailies, we continue to see the name of Austria, the present hot-bed of Europe. and since that time has lived in has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. The Hapsburgs, who were the luxury on Japanese money. Please H. R. Ragsdale, for the past former rulers of Austria, and the don't get the impression readers week, was accompanied home Nazis, have kept gossip buzzing that the Japs are so kind-they last Sunday evening by Mrs. Addie in Vienna during the last few had a purpose in caring for the Marie Hollingsworth for a few days as to what the future status little ruler. They were merely days visit. of the government will be. Cran waiting for a present situation to cellor Dollfuss and the Heimwehr arise, whereby they could use the of Moshiem visited relatives here don't seem to know what to do royal boy to a real advantage. with their recent victory over the | So, when the Japanese states-Socialists. They realize that they men decided that they could not visited in the Rile Loflin home are in possession of a bankrupt annex Manchuria or Manchukuo Friday night. country, and that allied against outright, they decided to estabthem are the Nazis and the Soc- lish a puppet empire with little ialists, who have been flocking to Pu-yi puppet ruler. So, back Mrs. Robert Chambers, Sunday. the Nazi colors in considerable in 1931, he was made regent or numbers since their defeat by government troops and police.

It the forces aligned against them prove to be too strong, they will probably reestablish the monarchy, toward which the Austrian people continue to hold a dotted line, but he is being well feeling of loyalty. The Hapsburgs, allied with Dollfuss and the Italian backed Heimwehr, could probably "put it over" in Austria, provided the economic situation clarifies within the next

As a last alternative, Dollfuss way have to turn to the Nazis. Rumor has already spread in Vienna that friendly gestures have been made toward the Nazis by the government, and that a complete conciliation made be effected soon. If such should be the case, the government of Dollfuss is already doomed. If the Nazis are allowed a single wedge in the government, meaning of course a few cabinet members, they will soon after be in complete possession of all authority in Vienna. Events during the last year in Germany will testify

Hitler does not want to use force in bringing Austria within the folds of the Reich. He believes Austria will come to him. General Goering, the German Chancellor's right hand, has attend Lodge. urged that the Austrian Legion, camped in southern Germany and Turnersville visited his parents, made up of exiled Austrian Nazis, be allowed to march on Vienna and take possession of the country. Hitler realizes that this spent Sunday with her parents, would provoke a European crisis, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Hollingsand this he desires to avert at worth. the present. Czechoslovakia has days tha it will fight to maintain Crosley, Tuesday night. Austrian independence. A glance the Czechs.

Meanwhile, let us keep our eye on Austria. Really, no one ter Dollins spent Thursday night wants another European war, with their aunt, Mrs. W. J. Boywhich might lead to a world con- kin. Mr. Boykin has been very flagration. Little Austria holds, ill for some time but is improvat the present, the key to Euro- ing. pean peace and tranquility or European war and bloodshed, of Gatesville were shaking hands Let us not forget this.

THE FORMER ruling house of Manchuria. Near the middle of for the past three weeks. the eighteenth century the Manestablished the Ting dynasty Mr. and Mrs. Bird Lane. the Japanese puppet state Man Mae Hollingsworth. chukuo March 1, is the last of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Linton had

PROCEEDED OF DECOME the rulers of a great na- Mrs. Sallie Whitley and daughfrom the Caspian Sea to the Pa- Hollingsworth Sunday. cific Ocean. He was placed upon the dragon throne when he was Clifton spent the week end with four years of age, but was driven her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. out of the country in 1911, only Poston. to return for a reign of four days

He sought refuge in the Japan- Friday evening. ese consular office in Tientsin,

president of the country, and now to use his own words, by "the will of Heaven" he is made Emperor of the Manchus.

Of course, Henry won't have any thing to do but sign on the paid for his so called duties. The Japanese announce that he will be paid the mild salary of \$2,500,-000 a year-not so much, so the Japanese say, for the heavy duties and burdens that will be heaped upon his young shoulders. All we can say is that Pu-yi is getting himself fixed up to be shot (a diplomat would say assassinated) and Japan is making a Far-Eastern "Austria."

(Intended for last week.) Rev. G. L. Derrick filled his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night, Mr. Ottis Landis from Liberty came with him, and we were all glad to have him with us, and several from Post Oak also attended church here Sunday.

The W. O. W. Ladies of this community meet with Mrs. Oleta Huckaby Saturday night to play forty-two while their husbands

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Poston of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Poston, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Whitley

Misses Jime and Mary Ellen made known during the last few Lane visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Jearmested at the map will show the necess- spent Saturday night and Sunday ity of such a move on the part of with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jearmested.

Mrs. Zilmon Gilmore and Les-

Hon, and Mrs. Harry Flentge with their friends here last Monday evening.

Mrs. Ross has been visiting China returns to its ancient home- her daughter, Mrs. Robert Short,

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robenett of churians or Manchus entered Lanes Chapel spent Sunday night China as peadeful conquerors, and and Monday with her parents,

which ruled for three centuries. Miss Henrietta Schofield spent Henry Pu-yi, crowned Emperor of Tuesday night with Miss Namie

this great dynasty which emerged dinner with her parents, Mr. and from the wilds of Manchuria to Mrs. H. R. Ragsdale, Sunday.

tion which at one time stretched ter, Burnice, visited Mrs. Elbert Ottis Landis had dinner with Mr. Moshiem Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Rice of last Sunday.

Mrs. R. D. Hollingsworth visited Mrs. Arthur Walker last

Miss Etta Rice of Lanes Chapel

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Whitley Sunday night.

R. D. Hollingsworth and family

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ballard took dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Poston visited Mrs.

Bird Lane Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Owens is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Fred Lat-

ham, and her grandmother Scho-

field this week Rev. and Mrs. George Jackson of Clifton attended church here

Mrs. Henry Farrow is on the sick list this week and we missed her very much at Sunday School and church last Sunday.

and Mrs. L. L. Hollingsworth

Mrs. Fred Arthurs had as her noon.

Rev. G. L. Derrick and Mrs. guest a nephew, Mr. Kitchen of

Mrs. Annie Dossman and children attended church Sunday after-

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THE WEDDING MARCH MURDER **Monte Barrett**

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"I've told you that I only knew Mr. Franklin very casually. Webster Spears and I are good friends, nothing more. I believe I was more than frank," declared the girl angrily, "when I told you that I am in love with Rylie Carmody. After

that, the rest of your questions are in very poor taste, to say the least." "And that's all you have to say?"

"There's nothing else left to say." retorted the girl. "Now may I go?" Kilday scowled. He was evidently at a loss as to how to proceed further with his questioning. "All right," he declared reluctantly, "you may go, but," he repeated the in-

structions he had previously given

Webster Spears about remaining within reach. "We'll probably want another talk with you, later," he

The minute the girl had left, an assistant announced the arrival of Daniel Buins. The sergeant's surprise was apparent as he looked up at the politician whose bulk filled the doorway.

"Come in, Mr. Bullis. What can I do for you this morning?"

Bullis smiled with his lips, while his eyes darted inquisitively about the room. "You sent a man for my finger-prints," he declared.

"Finger-prints?" Kilday affected not to understand.

The politician eased himself into a chair which creaked under his weight. "Oh, your man didn't ink my fingers. But he was very anxious that I take a cigarette from one of those polished cases of yours. I've heard of them before." He studied the detective thoughtfully. "I don't smoke cigarettes, Sergeant," he added. As though to emphasize his point he bit the end from a fat black

"I wouldn't be surprised but what I'd left several finger prints in the "I Want to Know What There Was study of that church, Sergeant," Bullis went on evenly. His pale eyes had come to a focus on Kilday



Between You and Jim Franklin?"

but there was no way of reading the expression behind that gaze. "It would be odd if I hadn't. I was there, you know. I don't make any bones about that."

Again he paused. He gave the impression of choosing each word deliberately. Peter found himself weighing them for any hidden significance not at first apparent, but could find none. Evidently it was only the man's manner.

"It's funny," Bullis rumbled on, "we've both been around this town a long time, but we'd never met before. Of course, I had heard about you, Sergeant, from time to time."

The sergeant smiled. "I'd heard a great deal about you, too, Mr.

The politician nodded. "I guess -you have," he said. "Most people do. And you'll hear more of me. I intend to hang around a good while longer."

It sounded like a challenge. Peter saw the sergeant stiffen.

"Now about those finger-prints," Bullis' voice had again lapsed into a monotone. "You know I was there. What do you expect them to prove?"

"Possibly nothing," Kilday declared. "It's a means of identifying | - Carbon paper in any size sheet, every one there. Often finger-prints at News Office. provide us with a means of elimina-

tion. By identifying those persons we know to be innocent, we have left only those of the person who is guilty. The simple fact that there are finger-prints of an individual in that room doesn't convict that person." The officer faced the politician squarely. "Not that I'm making any promises, you understand."

Bullis nodded silently. "Above those finger-prints," the detective continued. "You say my man didn't get them?"

"I don't smoke cigarettes," Bullis repeated.

The sergeant extracted a cigarette case from a drawer of his desk. "As I've explained, it's largely a matter of form, but I'll need samples of yours, Mr. Bullis."

The politician made no move to take the case. "I don't like finger-

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CORYELL COUNTY NEWS

Alice Brady Together With Miss O'Sullivan **Share Honors in Show**

A drama that packs emotional punches into every scene is offered in "Stage Mother," which features Alice Brady in a leading role. The Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production opened Sunday at the Palace Theatre.

The picture, filmed from an original story by Bradford Ropes, author of "42nd Street," is a vivid presentation of the heartbreaking ambition that causes, "stage mothers" to drive their children to success in the theatre. Skillfully blended into the drama are many light touches of sparkling comedy.

In the role of the ambitious mother, Alice Brady scores another personal triumph that is even more notable than her portrayal in "When Ladies Meet." She is as adept at winning tears There's something worrying him, as she is in throwing an audience Peter. He didn't seem worried into convulsions of laughter. Her dramatic power reaches its greatest height in a scene where she is forced to leave her child with an austere family of relatives. This pathos is quickly followed by comedy scenes causing an uproar of laughter.

Maureen O'Sullivan is given the best opportunity of her screen career as the daughter who is buffeted about her mother's ambition. She is delicately charming when she makes her debut as a | already been collected. The seryoung dancer and shows a grace geant himself had obtained those of and poise that marks her as one of the most able young actresses on the screen. In early sequences she wears pigtails and short skirts, creating a perfect illusion of prints found in the study, toof childhood.

Franchot Tone Helps

Franchot Tone scores as Miss O'Sullivan's youthful lover. He shows the same powerful charm that made him outstanding in line of a print serving as a guide "Today We Live," "The Stran- to the identity of the person makger's Return" and "Midnight ing it. On a flat desk in the center Mary." Phillips Holmes attempts a mature role as Lord Aylesworth, titled Englishman who tries to win Miss O'Sullivan after she has gained fame on the stage. He is polished and suave in his handling of the role and provides another problem to the romantic A clerk armed with a reading-glass difficulties of the "stage mother" victim.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Polston of Temple visited in the John Hancock home Sunday.

Miss Lois Owen spent Saturday afternoon with Johnnie Hancock. Bill Kinsey visited his uncle,

W. F. Kinsey Sunday. Mrs. Nude Black of Ruth visited Mrs. John Hancock recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Davidson are the proud parents of a fine

. We are sorry to report that uncle Scott Roberts is not improv-

Geo. B. Franks is improving slowly from influenza.

Of the 402 carloads of fruit and vegetables unloaded in Dallas in January, only twenty-three were from Texas points, twenty of them consisting of grapefruit and oranges.

-"The best lumber, the sawmills saw." William Cameron slammed the cards impatiently upon 4-tf & Co., Inc.

WEDDING MARCH MURDER-

(Continued from preceding page) prints," he said. "They're toopermanent. I've already told you I was there.'

"Did you have a revolver, Mr. Bullis?"

The politician's eyes betrayed a flicker of interest. "No."

"Did you see a revolver in that study, or handle one?"

"Well, I have to identify a thumbprint on a revolver. You've nothing to worry about, apparently. Besides," he added smilingly, "this it a permanent record. pecimens can be destroyed, after we compare them."

Bullis still hesitated, then, taking the cigarette case, he pressed his fingers against it deliberately. "I'll depend on you, Sergeant," he said. "I'll confess I don't like the idea."

That was all. With only a nod to Peter, he lumbered from the

The sergeant puffed meditatively after Bullis' departure. "What do you suppose was on his mind? when I mentioned the revolver. He knows we couldn't have anything else on him, but he's bothered. Can you figure it out?"

"It may be just as he says," the novelist pointed out, "a natural aversion to being finger-printed. Remember, if you can judge the man by his reputation, he's had a great deal to do with the underworld. That would explain such an aversion."

With the aid of Kilday's polished cigarette cases, the finger-prints of most of those under suspicion had Choo Choo Train, Callis Shipley and Daniel Bullis. The men who had been dispatched for the others had returned by now, and the work of attempting to identify the five sets gether with the thumb mark on the revolver, had begun.

In the Bertillon laboratory, each print had been photographed after careful preparation. Then the work of matching began, each, whorl and of a room whose walls were lined with pictures of criminals whose identity had been established in this very way, lay a number of square white cards.

In a second orderly pile were the negatives of specimens collected by the detectives, from the suspects. was attempting to match the prints

"One set has already been matched," declared the sergeant. He handed Peter two cards, clipped together, and pointed out the means by which the specimens had been identified. "Nick Royce," said the sergeant. He read the label attached to the card. "'Finger-prints found on the telephone and on surface of desk.' H'm. Seems to bear out his story, doesn't it?"

"So far, at least," agreed Peter, The officer indicated a vacant chair for the novelist and drew one up for himself. "What luck are you having with the one on the gun?" he inquired of his assistant. "That's

the most important one." Silently the man handed him another clip of cards. Kilday inspected them earnestly, and then passed them on to Peter.

"The thumb-print matches these prints found in the study," he said. "Now we have only to find which one of our suspects left these prints."

Reaching among the specimens, he selected those of Webster Spears. He made no attempt to conceal his eagerness as he compared these with the print on the revolver, but after only a moment he looked up, frowning.

"Not Spears," he said. He next tried specimens of Rylie Carmody's finger-prints, with the same disappointing result. He the desk. "What do you think of that, Peter? If neither of them is

guilty, what was the girl trying to dawned on his face, "h'm! Perhaps it was herself she was protecting."

But Callis Shipley's prints did not match the one on the gun,

The work progressed with slow care. Neither Callis Shipley's nor Choo Choo Train's prints could be identified with any of those found in the study. This disappointed the officer. He stared at one of the cards in perplexity. "I'd have sworn that these were a woman's prints," he said. "Small and slender. Of course, they might belong to a boy or a small man." His tone was doubtful.

Nor did they find any prints which corresponded with those of Rylie Carmody and his father. Apparently neither had left any marks in the study.

Kilday raised his eyebrows.

"Odd," said Peter.

"I mean that I'm more suspicious when a man leaves no fingerprints," the novelist explained. "I have always felt that the guilty

man, or the man who knew that a crime had been or would be committed, took precautions against leaving finger-prints which might later identify him. The person who scatters finger-prints about either has a clear conscience or is very foolish. I don't think we are dealing with the latter class here."

"Then how do you explain the print on the gun?" demanded Kil-

"That's what I asked you a bit ago. I can't explain it. I'm not even trying to, yet."

The work went patiently on. None of the other prints would match. Of all those found in the room, only those of Doctor Abernathy, Nick Royce and Dan Bullis matched. As for the others, Ambrose Carmody and his son, Rylie; Choo Choo Train and Callis Shipley had none of them left prints. Of the two unidentified sets, one were those Kilday had been so sure were made by a woman.

The thumb-print on the gun had been identified with prints found in the room, but not with those of any of these persons under suspicion.

(To be continued next Friday)

NOTICE

The League of Economics Club of Coryell County is calling a meeting of the Executive Committee Saturday, March 10 at 1:30 p. m. o'clock in the county court room at the Courthouse.

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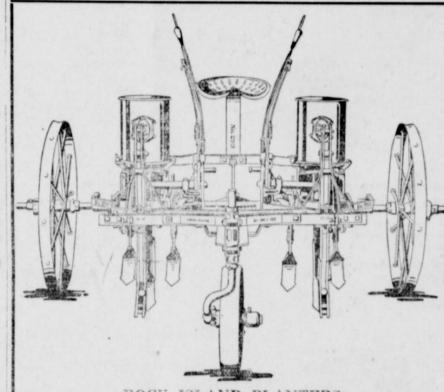


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PERSONA

Miss Thedra Mounce Waco visitor Friday.

ness trip to points in West Texas.

Mrs. R. W. Ward visited her

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Lengefeld of Hamilton visited relatives here For District Attorney: a few hours Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Clifford Adams, Mrs. Roy Zeigler and daughter, Margaret, were Waco visitors Saturday,

Bill King and A. L. Sutton of Corsicana visited friends here Sat urday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Chollar spent the week end in Waco.

Mrs. Angus Voss of Odessa is visiting in the home of her father, Mr. J. H. Hallman.

Miss Frankie Wilson of Four-C College at Waco spent the week end with her parents here.

Dr. and Mrs. Leslie Sadler and daughter, Sally, of Waco were week end guests of his father, Mr. For Sheriff: H. P. Sadler.

Mrs. Frank L. Williams and small daughter, Sammy Beth, have been suffering from attacks of the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bates, Mrs. Rufus McKinney, Mrs. Kirby Perryman and Mrs. John Webb spent Saturday in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wollard and little daughter, Peggy Louise, of Hamilton visited relatives here over the week end.

left Sunday for their new home in Tahoka, Texas where Mr. Hodges will be engaged in the grocery business.

Miss Mildred Patillo, student nurse at Scott and White Hospi- For Commissioner, Beat No. 1: tal in Temple, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Milton Patillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weigand and daughter, Grace, have returned to Gatesville to make their home. They have resided in Temple for the past few years.

end with her parents, Mr. and Sadler. Mrs. T. J. Blankenship.

Mr. J. F. Smyer returned to his home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Routh.

Miss Merle Scott, student in C. I. A. at Denton, and Miss Zelma Scott who teaches at Evant spent the week end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zim Scott.

Mrs. B. E. McCoy and daughter, Belva, Mrs. D. D. McCoy and daughter, Francis spent the week end in Waxahachie as guests of Mrs. D. D. McCoy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Voss. They went to Dallas Saturday to take Miss Coy.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Coryell County News is au. thorized to carry the following political announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held July 28, 1934:

Mr. Ed Melbern is on a busi For State Representative, Dis. 94: EARL HUDDLESTON (Second Term)

mother in Waco over the week For Judge 52nd Judical District: R. B. CROSS TOM L. ROBINSON

HARRY FLENTGE

For District Clerk: P. M. POST (Reelection)

For County Judge: ROBT. W. BROWN

For County Clerk: C. P. MOUNCE (Reelection) MARVIN E. FLETCHER

For Tax Assessor and Collector: IVY EDMONDSON DAVE CULBERSON

For County Superintendent: J. M. WITCHER

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G. B. FLETCHER

(Reelection) J. W. BURLESON ED McMORDIE

For County Attorney: FLOYD ZEIGLER (Reelection)

For County Treasurer: J. K. BRAZZIL (Reelection)

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Mr. and Mrs. John Hodges For Justice of the Peace, Prect 1: A. SHIRLEY YOUNG W. LEE

> For Commissioner, Beat No. 2: W. E. HOLCOMB

J. B. SANDERS H. E. (Ed) HUCKAREE ED PRESTON

For Commissioner, Beat No. 4: DICK PAYNE (Reelection)

Mrs. J. C. McElhannon and son, Joe Carl, of Huntsville spent sev-Miss Gladys Blankenship and eral days the latter part of last her roommate from the Methodist week here in the home of her Home at Waco spent the week parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey

> Friends of Miss Wilma Sadler will be delighted to learn that her condition is improved at this time. She has been critically ill following a recent operation for appendicitis

> Mrs. J. M. Moon, Miss Ladine Moon and James Moon of Gilmer have moved to Gatesville and will make their home at the Bennett Hotel with their daughter and sister, Miss Lorene Moon.

Mrs. J. J. Davenport who has been residing here for some time left Monday for Bronte where she will make her home with a son.

Miss Almena Perry, niece of Hada Jones who was a week end Rev. and Mrs. M. M. Chunn, and

BUSTER

(Intended for last week)

Since Sunday night the murcury dropped for below freezing point.

Damage to gardens is expected to be slight due to the comparatively short duration of the subfreezing temperature.

Mrs. Allyne Boynton and baby. Edith Merle, were brought home Tuesday from the Hospital in Hamilton. To date both are doing well. We hope Mrs. Boynton will have soon gained her usual good health.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Bud Cook ill. Her friends trust that she will soon regain her health.

Visitors to Buster Sunday afternoon were Rev. Clark Adolph Miller and Mrs. Jackson guest of her cousin, Huron Mc- Miss Alma Brown of Baylor Uni- and son, Cecil. We are always and decreased its capital stock versity spent the week end here. glad to have anyone attend our from \$75,000 to \$50,000.

church services,

Mr. Wayne Williams spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Griffin of near White Hall.

Bill Dossey of Peabody visited his father, Charles Dossey, here last week end.

Miss Hazel Wodds of Coryell City is visiting Misses Doris and Dora Gilmore this Week.

Eugene Touchstone spent Monday with his parents.

Mrs. Jess Hale visited her mother Tuesday.

Mrs. Lucile Hamilton spent Monday with Mrs. Eugene Touch-

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adams and sons, Lloyd and Earl, visited the Frank Gilmore family Monday night, and enjoyed games of forty-two.

Austin-Rush Manufacturing Co. Waco, has changed its corporate name to Rush Manufacturing Co.

