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COUNTY O. K.'s OLD AGE ISSUE; VETOES LIQUOR

TRADES DAY AGAIN INAUGURATED BY THE C. OF C. AND MERCHANTS

REVIVAL OF TRADES DAY TO CENTER BUSINESS IN CORYELL COUNTY

Discontinued in March of this year on account of an NRA ruling, Trades Day is again being inaugurated in Gatesville with the first big day to be the third Wednesday in September, September 25. Features of the day will be the same as before, and practically all local merchants are co-operating to help put over this movement.

Further announcements will be made from time to time as to diversifications to be offered by both merchants and the Chamber of Commerce.

Crowds of people came in during the winter and spring to partake of the varied entertainment and offerings of the merchants and the Chamber of Commerce until they were officially advised by the NRA to discontinue the attractions.

Cards have been placed in stores participating and circulars are being passed out Saturdays and first Mondays telling of the offerings of the merchants and the Chamber of Commerce.

"FIREMAN, SAVE MY GRASS" WAS THE CALL ABOUT 10:00 A. M. MON.

Fire at Mrs. T. M. Davidson's was the reason for the Fire Department's run Monday morning, when the grass in her back yard burned, endangering a garage, her house and the fences.

Prompt action by the fire boys stopped the fire before any material damage was done, other than burning off the grass.

NEW SEAMSTRESS NOW AT PAINTER & LEE'S

Mrs. A. L. Ford, formerly a resident of Gatesville, and well known in the county has just accepted the position as seamstress at Painter & Lee's.

She will have her department on the balcony and is prepared to do any kind of sewing, dressmaking, designing or altering for this firm.

SHOP AT HOME

MARKET REPORT

Prices paid by local merchants for local produce.
(As of August 26)

Morair	32c to 42c
Wool	22c
Wheat	665c
Corn, shelled	40c
Ground Corn	75c
Corn, ear	30c
Oats, sacked	20c
Oats, loose	18c
Cream No. 1	19c
Cream, No. 2	17c
Cottonseed, ton	\$20
Eggs	18c
Hens	9c to 11c
Fryers	10c to 12c
Roosters	4c

NOT A FOUR-ALARM FIRE BUT FOURTH FIRE ALARM AT GRAIN CO.

For the fourth time in five weeks, Gatesville has had a fire in the same identical spot, the Smith Grain Company located near the old depot, the fourth one coming about 3 p. m. Saturday afternoon.

Firemen, tho partially closed in by the Saturday afternoon traffic, quickly answered the call and extinguished the blazing refuse from the other fires.

MORE STUDENTS RECEIVE DEGREES AT TEXAS COLLEGES

C. A. Barton received his B. S. Degree from N. T. S. T. C. at Denton at the end of the summer session. Mr. Barton has been a teacher in this county a number of years, and will resume his teaching at the Antelope school, in the southern part of the county.

"Jap" Arnold has just completed his work for his A. B. Degree and received his degree from the University of Texas this week.

Jap is a brother of Mrs. Irvin McCreary and also Bryan Arnold who has been visiting here from West Point Military Academy this summer.



After quite a rest, not a rest, the old boy's back again, and Jim Martin tells Morton Scott he's caught up Then their Dan'l circulating around various stores and places with his "bow" quivering for a-k-shun; ask some sten. (Gregg preferably); this is one of his busy falls. And we see Lieutenant Lyons getting things ready for 250 or more CCC boys here to learn and fancy farming under the direction of Mr. Cunningham of the ECW, and also Guy Powell, new County Agent breaking in another Miss Morris after Cupid cleared out the past County Agent's official family.

Another local boy makes good, Paul Wiley was recently elected mayor of Purlmela; he invites us out to see the new school building "go up." Saw Jack Bone and Billy Nesbitt in town without their usual accomplices; inquired and learned the girl friends were out of town. Mrs. Bob Saunders says her nephew, James Reed Saunders, is getting "tough" since she caught him chewing tobacco. Not to mention Mrs. Pearl White, J. F. Colvin, Mrs. D. W. Davis, C. J. Randal, W. L. Williams, G. T. Moore, Mrs. M. A. Ward and C. W. Dockeray.

Harold W. Allen Gets District Attorney Job Succeeding Tom Reese

Official notification by Governor James V. Allred was received by Harold W. Allen, Hamilton County Attorney, Wednesday of his appointment as District Attorney of the 52nd Judicial District, composed of Hamilton, Comanche and Coryell Counties, succeeding Tom F. Reese, who resigned to accept a Federal appointment with the Internal Revenue Office in Dallas.

Governor Allred received the resignation of Mr. Reese Wednesday and phoned Mr. Allen late in the afternoon, naming him as his successor.

H. W. (Bill) Allen was born and reared in Hamilton and is the son of S. R. Allen. After graduating from the Hamilton High School he attended the University of Texas, where he received his L. L. B. Degree in 1931. He returned to Hamilton and began the practice of law with his father until 1934, when he was elected County Attorney without opposition, taking the oath of office January 1, 1935. Upon being sworn in as District Attorney, he automatically relinquishes the office of County Attorney.

Mr. Allen is well qualified to fill the office of prosecuting attorney of this district. He is thoroughly versed in law, conscientious, energetic and will enforce the law in a fearless manner. Governor Allred is to be congratulated upon naming him as the successor to Mr. Reese.

BILLY NESBITT ACCEPTS POSITION IN WACO SCHOOL

Billy Nesbitt, son of E. H. Nesbitt, Superintendent of the State Juvenile Training School located here, has just accepted a position tendered him by the Waco State Home school at Waco as teacher of Mathematics.

Billy is a graduate of Trinity University, also of the Gatesville High School. He assumes his duties September 1.

\$2,000 WATCH IS REPORTED STOLEN FROM FORT WORTH MAN

The theft of a watch valued at \$2,000 and two attempted safe burglaries Saturday night were reported to police.

George Jackson, 3028 Mount Vernon Avenue, found upon returning home around midnight, that a rear window had been forced and a Swiss 23-jewel watch of solid platinum had been taken. A chain of white gold with an Elk's charm was stolen as were \$5 in cash, a 22-caliber rifle and a flashlight.

Knob knockers failed to gain entrance to the safe of the Coca Cola Bottling Works, 600 So. Main Street, and the safe of the Steve Cooke Motor Company, Second and Taylor Streets.—Fort Worth Record.

CONSIDER YOUR LOCAL MERCHANTS

State Wide Prohibition Ended by A Majority of 55,000 Votes

GOV. ALLRED OPPOSES HASTY LIQUOR ACTION

Wichita Falls, Aug. 25.—Governor Allred will oppose any hasty preparation and adoption of regulatory liquor laws under the repeal amendment adopted Saturday in a special state election, while inviting suggestions from members of the Legislature as to when a possible special session should be called.

This position was defined by the Governor this afternoon in Wichita Falls just before his departure for Austin. Election returns announced a moment earlier from the State Election Bureau at Dallas had indicated that the repeal amendment definitely had carried.

Should a special session of the Legislature prove necessary the Governor said no laws should be adopted hurriedly. He urged careful study and deliberate preparation of such legislation.

Governor Allred said that he will ask the Attorney General's Department Monday to determine just when the repeal amendment is to become operative. Results of the election are to be canvassed and proclaimed officially 40 days after the election date, he said. The Governor, Attorney General and Secretary of State make the official canvass.

The Legislature may properly enact regulatory laws prior to official proclamation or results of the election, the Governor said, to become effective with formal adoption of the amendment. Such anticipatory legislation was adopted before the amendment legalizing 3.2 beer sales was passed, he said.

Governor Allred said that he asked the Legislature, when it voted to submit the repeal of the amendment to the State's voters, to adopt regulatory laws to operate under the pending amendment. Such a step would have eliminated the need of a special session for the adoption of liquor regulation laws, he said.

Local members of the Legislature expressed the opinion today that a special session will be called within the next few weeks.

EPOCHAL STEP MADE TO KEEP U. S. NEUTRAL

Washington, Aug. 24.—Congress gave stern notice to the world today by word and action that America would resort to unprecedented measures to preserve her neutrality during any foreign war.

Scenes rivaling the feverish, dark days of 1917 marked the epochal step taken by the Senate in sending to the White House a modified, yet still sweeping, resolution placing a six-months' mandatory embargo on arms shipments to belligerents.

Coryell County voted dry in the Amendment Election Saturday, with partial returns in Monday afternoon voting for repeal, 675; against 1227.

Directly opposite in the state, the figures showed the state 55,000 more for repeal than against. Other amendments in the state that carried were the Old Age Pension with 365,397 for; and 91,864 against. The amendment for Free Textbooks for private schools failed with 202,475 for, and 232,371 against. On Commitment of persons to institutions for mental observations for periods of not more than 90 days without jury trial was favored 252,120 to 165,234. The Special session amendment tabulated 185,113 for and 196,604 against.

In Coryell County, the tabulation (incomplete) is:

For Old Age	1,446
Against	573
For Commitment	980
Against	707
For Repeal	675
Against	1,227
For Change in Constitution at Special Sessions	490
Against	988
For Probation	604
Against	649
For Fee System	649
Against	877
For Free Books	681
Against	1,055

Law enforcement officers in some sections are frankly in a quandry about what to do and what laws were in effect. The status of local option districts pending passage of new local option laws as provided for in the new constitutional amendment, was of immediate interest to practically all the state. The best records available indicate that all but 62 counties were wholly dry subdivisions.

LOCALITIES JOIN OTHERS AT CELEBRATION IN GLEN ROSE

Meeting people and friends from Fort Worth, Grandview, Port Arthur and Tahlequah, Oklahoma, citizens of Gatesville enjoyed an outing at Glen Rose the past week end.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Walker and son, and Mrs. C. P. McCarver of Gatesville; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hendrickson and son, Mr. E. B. Hendrickson and Miss Ethel Clark of Fort Worth; Mrs. H. F. Allen, Mrs. R. D. Lewis and daughter and Mr. Jessie Lewis of Tahlequah, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Shirley and daughter, Miss Daisy Edith Shirley, Mrs. T. D. Hendrickson and C. B. McGuire Jr., of Port Arthur; and Mrs. M. E. Lewis and Miss Mary Lewis of Granbury.

The most important antiquities in the British Isles is Stonehenge, the circular group of huge standing stones on Salisbury Plain, Wiltshire.

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UNCLE SAM ON STRIKE

Refusal of workers on the dole to accept employment at the work relief scale becomes an eye-opener at Washington. It records with telling emphasis what happens to the dole psychology. Men and women who have become inured to charity present two outlooks. (1) They do not strike against dole taking. (2) They object to working for what they get at emergency wage. That Mr. Roosevelt is awake to this situation at last is clear in his good-tempered but definite declaration of policy. The persons offered emergency work do not have to take it but they will receive no further aid while not working.

This is sound policy. It is Uncle Sam who is striking on the dole. At tremendous cost—the highest peace time expenditure ever made in this country and the only one for such a purpose—the Federal Government is endeavoring to put every employable American at work. It is a huge experiment that may not succeed. It asks every man and woman to earn their keep, admittedly not at the wage that private industry ought to pay but at all that can be put into the purpose.

The conscientious worker is no tin-cup mendicant; he will give his best in return. But the believer in gimme, gimme will have none of work relief wage. Because the Government has been spendthrift with the dole in the past three years, his theory is that it will continue. The only answer is to make it clear that the Government has terminated its responsibility to him except as he meets his own. The job is ready for him and the dole has quit him. He can take his choice. There should be no recession from that position.—Dallas News.

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STAND ON YOUR OWN LEGS

A federal court has declared that the government's processing tax—backbone of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration Act—is illegal. The case will next go to the Supreme Court which, according to eminent legal authorities, is almost certain to uphold the decision of the lower tribunal.

If that happens, it will mean that the present program of government farm relief has virtually collapsed. And that illustrates something that every citizen would do well to think about—that governmental efforts to aid any class or group, no matter how well intentioned, are inevitably transitory and instable.

For many years leading farm spokesmen have said that, in the long view, the farmer's salvation will depend upon his efforts, his own work, his own abilities. The bulk of thinking farmers share that view. They know that self-help is the only kind of help that can produce permanent results. And they are planning and working accordingly.

Better and more scientific farming, plus improved buying and selling methods made possible by agricultural co-operatives, are the great influences behind farm progress.—Exchange.

World Comment



By **JOE BURNS**

If President Roosevelt returns from San Diego on his transcontinental tour through the Panama Canal, he will probably pass thru Texas on his way back to Washington, debarking at Galveston. The President wishes to stop at Lit-

tle Rock, Arkansas, home town of his Senate Leader, Joseph T. Robinson, who is up for re-election a year from November. For this reason Galveston was suggested, although New Orleans is geographically nearer Little Rock. New Orleans is, politically, thousands of miles distant for Mr. Roosevelt, due to Huey Long's attacks upon his Administration, and it is not likely the President will set foot on Louisiana soil.

On his way north, Texarkana would be a logical stopping place, which leads to speculation whether the President would stop at the fair city which is home to another

staunch backer in the Senate. Morris Sheppard, who likewise is up for re-election next year. The President will likely do whatever is possible to assure the re-election of Texas Senior Senator, as he did as much for Tom Connally last year with a properly staged White House handshake.

Senator Sheppard, who plans to return home soon after ad-
-vance of his campaign, as little can be done next spring with Congress in session, would probably meet the President at Galveston should that port be finally selected for debarkation. The usual procedure is for candidates enjoying administration support to ride with the chief executive thru the State. The Governor of States thru which the President travels usually enjoys such courtesies also. As Governor Allred is considered a potential candidate for Senator Sheppard's seat, that would heighten the political interest of President Roosevelt's visit.

Two South Texas Representatives have indicated their intention to enter the senatorial race. Joe H. Eagle of Houston and Martin Dies of Jasper and Orange appear definitely in the race, though Dies has made no formal announcement. Both Representatives, as well as Governor Allred, undoubtedly would be on the Galveston dock with

Senator Sheppard, and the President, astute politician that he is, would just as likely invite them all to ride in his special train to Little Rock. The President has demonstrated his ability to handle such delicate political situations and he would probably succeed in indicating his choice for the seat in the Senate.

Thoughtful Texans wish the President would pursue a hands off policy in the senatorial contest. Many friends of the Administration would be obligated to support Sheppard if he was supported by President Roosevelt when otherwise they might support a better candidate. Jesse Jones, owner of the Chronicle at Houston, Vice-President Garner, Amon Carter, publisher of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram and other officials or friends of the Administration influential in Texas would be for Sheppard if he should be endorsed by Mr. Roosevelt.

The Middle West will be the battleground of the 1936 Presidential election. Democrats, rebuffed in the New England area, are turning West, realizing that their chief support next year must come from this section. Many Republicans believe their candidate should come from the West.

Herbert Hoover, in a recent

conference with party leaders in New York, laid down the law that no easterner could carry the republican banner in '36. He declared himself in favor of choosing a western candidate to lead the republican ticket. Here are the reasons he gave for this dictum:

The New Deal has already lost the east. This, Hoover said, was demonstrated in the recent special congressional election in Rhode Island where the democrats lost a seat by a 12,000 majority that they had won last November by 21,000.

An easterner, acceptable to rulers of the G. O. P. (meaning Hoover) could not beat Roosevelt in the west. Therefore a man from that region must be chosen to have any chance of carrying it.

Hoover mentioned no names to those with whom he talked. Also, he kept his own tight-lipped council regarding himself. But those with whom he conferred came away with the definite impression that he was not out of the picture as a candidate, if for no other reason than his fear (well founded) that, if he openly disavowed intention of seeking the nomination, he would lose all influence in the party councils. As long as Hoover is a possible choice, he holds a cudgel over other aspirants and the party leaders.

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Community News Letters

TURNOVER ITEMS

The people of this community who are camped at Straws Mill and attending the Church of Christ meeting are Mr. and Mrs. Harper Wicker and family, Miss Alma Blanchard of Mound, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wicker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wicker and Damon Dalton, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blanchard, Joy and Duane, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Blanchard and Elda Faye, Mr. and Mrs. Opal Jackson and Frances Beth, Bro. Everett O'Daud and Woodrow Pringle.

Miss Connie Ruth Warner of Waco is spending the week with Mrs. Lee Straw and attending the meeting.

Several people of this community attended the funeral of Mr. Bill Stovall at Hubbard Thursday.

Mr. Wilson Watts of Hubbard is visiting his sister, Mrs. Clifford Wicker.

Mrs. Earl Blaisdell and daughters of Waco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wicker, Wednesday.

Miss Wanda Wicker of Mound called on Miss Clifford Wicker Thursday afternoon, also Miss Alma Blanchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Bray and daughters of Electra are visiting friends and relatives here.

Billy Malone of Carden is visiting in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Culp visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blanchard Wednesday afternoon.

Jack Wicker, who has been visiting in Waco, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Williams and children of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Curry of Spring Hill visited in the Columbus Williams home recently.

Several people of this community went to Friendship to the Baptist meeting last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Straw and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wicker and son, Damon Dalton, attended the funeral of Eula Dean Autrey at Friendship Tuesday. We extend to them our sympathy.

Little Joy Blanchard has been sick, but is reported better.

Mr. and Mrs. Juber Gates of Waco have been visiting his sister, Mrs. Tom Blanchard.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Henderson have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wicker.

COPPERAS COVE NEWS

(Intended for Friday)

Miss Evelyn Teinert of Walburg visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. M. L. Cooper was a visitor in Okay last week.

Mr. Touett Allin made a business trip to Kerrville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Culwell and Mr. Jesse Bell were Corpus Christi visitors last week.

Mrs. Robert Mathias and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kemple were Austin visitors last week end.

Mrs. L. M. Mayberry, Marrien, and Thelma Mayberry have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Houser of Hico. They were accompanied home by her sister, Miss Norene Houser.

Mr and Mrs. Hebert Schneider have returned home from the style show at Dallas.

Several from here attended court at Gatesville last week.

Mrs. Henry Davis has been

visiting Mrs. W. R. Potter recently.

Mr. Auvergne Bell has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Whitit has been visiting in the W. R. Goodson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hughes and children have been visiting relatives at Pioneer and attended the Fair at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Jouett Beverly and family and Mrs. Julia Smith have returned from Arkansas.

HAY VALLEY

(Intended for Friday)

Guests of Mrs. Tom Yows last Friday were Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Myers of Ater, Mrs. Gundy Russell of Jonesboro, Mrs. John Butler of Rusk, also Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Myers and son and Mrs. John Cox and children of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Will Davis and son visited Mrs. Lewis Meharg of Gatesville Tuesday.

Several from here attended the Methodist revival at Ames last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shook and daughters of Waco were guests Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Marlin.

Rev. G. H. Lee will fill his appointments here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. King were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harper Wicker of Mound.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Curry were visitors in the W. R. Kelso home Sunday afternoon.

YOUR CHILD AND THE SCHOOL

By Dr. ALLEN G. IRELAND
Director, Physical and Health Education
New Jersey State Department of Public Instruction

PREPARING FOR SCHOOL—II

May I assume that you heeded my advice of last week? If you did, then I know that your child is partly ready to be educated. His nose and throat are normal. His teeth are in good condition. His vision is good, and his ears are not plugged with wax.

There are two more things you should do. One of them I shall discuss next week. This time may I strongly urge you to have your child vaccinated against smallpox and diphtheria, provided, of course, he is not already protected.

In addition to parental neglect, which I mentioned last week, we have at least two faults. One of these is a tendency to think, "Oh, that won't happen to my child." It is nice to be optimistic, but isn't always being practical. We realize this when disease strikes suddenly. Hopes, high though they may be, are not effective as preventive measures. Only wise action brings security.

Our second fault, altogether too common, is to believe that smallpox and diphtheria have disappeared before the march of science. True, science has shown us how we may conquer these diseases, but it remains for us to take the necessary steps. The future remains in the hands of parents. Join hands with other parents, and these terrible diseases can be wiped off the record forever. As long as you don't, your children are in danger.

I can give you no better advice than this, "Consult your family physician or town health

caller in the York home Thursday at noon.

BROWN'S CREEK

(Intended For Friday.)

Several from here have been attending the revival meeting at Friendship.

Mrs. M. C. Bigham is camping at the meeting ground so as to attend all services.

Mrs. Ralph Weaver was a

The meeting at Eliga was attended by several people of this place.

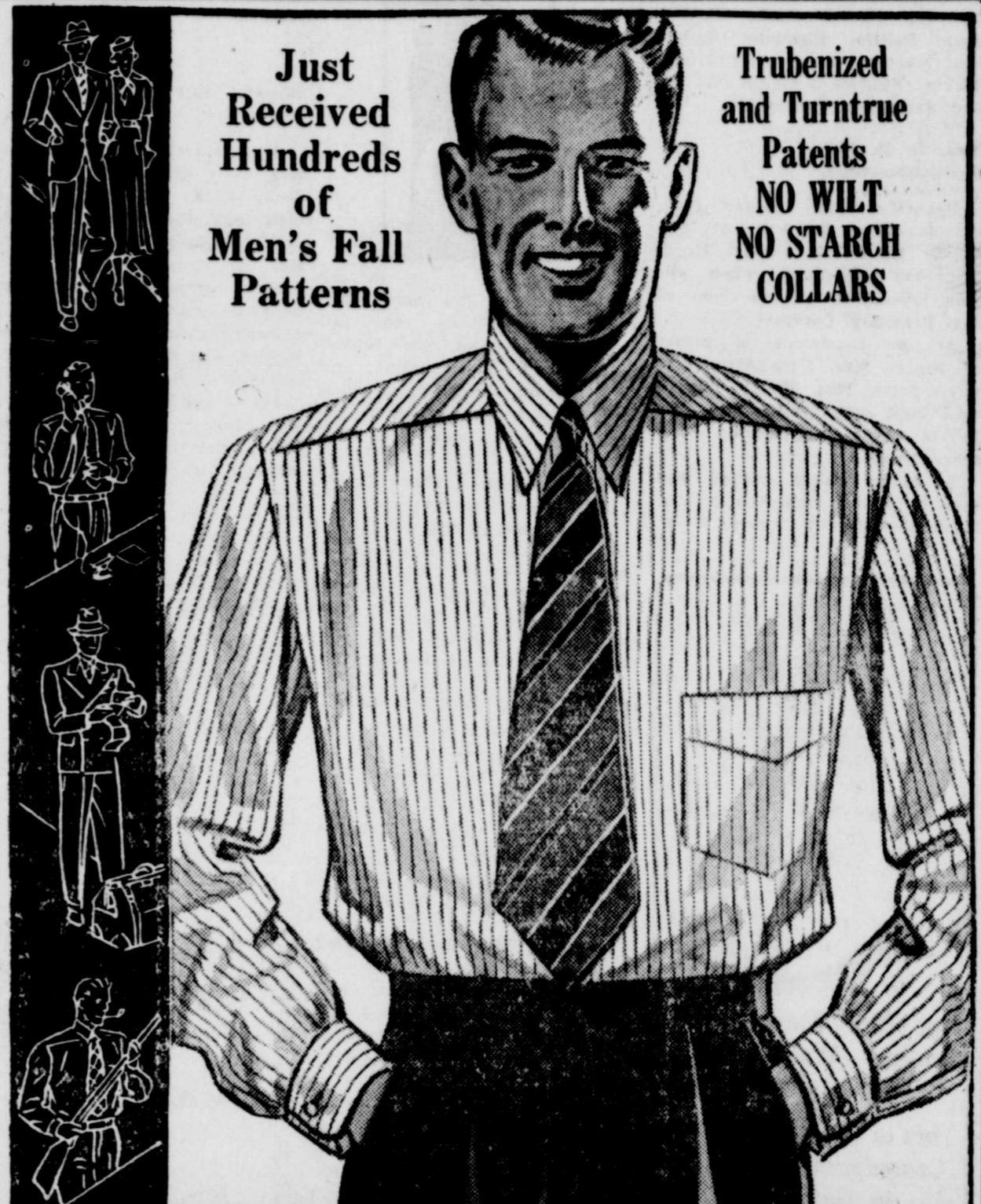
Mr. Lonnie York and Mr. Lee Ray were callers in the Carl Stephens home Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Mercedese Franklin of Tyler was a guest of Misses Edith Mae and Pearl York Tuesday night until Friday.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Miss Ula D. Autrey of the Friendship community. Funeral services were held Monday in the Friendship Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Graham and family, Mrs. Bob Mears, Mrs. Roland Graham and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Weaver, Mrs. Hannah Weaver, Mrs. Carl Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Weaver, attended the funeral of Miss Ula D. Autrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bigham left Friday for their home in New York. Miss Mary Bigham accompanied them home for an extended visit with her brother, Robert, who has just gotten out of the hospital.



Just Received Hundreds of Men's Fall Patterns

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Elizabeth Williams Society Editor

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PHONE 69

No-Host Picnic For Guest.

In honor of Miss Jacquelyn Lauderdale of Saint Jo who is visiting Miss Gladys Marie Phillips, a group of friends entertained with a no-host picnic in Raby Park Saturday evening.

A picnic supper was served to Nettie Jane Thomson, Helon Chamlee, Mary Ann Post, Anita Lowrey, Eloise Cook, Martha Jean Patillo, Rosylene Anderson, Martha Ann Powell, Gladys Marie Phillips, Helen Walley and Jacquelyn Lauderdale.

Mrs. D. D. McCoy Entertains Club.

Beautiful white garden flowers decorated the home of Mrs. D. D. McCoy on Bridge street Thursday afternoon when she was hostess to the members of the Thursday Contract Club.

At the conclusion of games of bridge Mrs. Ross Allen won guest prize, Mrs. Robert Brown won high score prize and Mrs. R. B. Cross won second high score prize.

A lovely salad course was served to the following guests: Mesdames Robert Brown, R. B.

News Fashion Suggestion



Metal, metal, to be in the fashion parade, you must have a bit of metal on your fall frock. Metal and silk braids. Metal clole, button clips, and old fashion buckles studded with colored stones, all go to trim the fall dress of either wool or silk.

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Cross, W. C. Bradley, Harold Cunyus, Elbert Slone, D. R. Boone, E. L. Stewart, Clifford Adams, Clay Stinnett, Irvin McCreary, Francis Johnson, Bob Saunders, A. L. Chollar, A. W. Gartman, Ross Allen of Corpus Christi and George Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Saunders Entertain Club.

Members of the Supper Club were entertained Friday night by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Saunders at their home on West Main street.

Bouquets of roses decorated the party rooms. In games of bridge which was enjoyed during the evening Mrs. E. L. Stewart won high score for women and A. L. Chollar won high for men.

A lovely supper was served to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chollar, Dr. and Mrs. Clyde Bailey, and Mrs. Arthur Mathews.

Shower Given in Honor Of Mr. and Mrs. Otha Lee.

On Monday evening, August 19, Miss Jimmie and Mary Ellen Lane, and Miss Short Rice, honored Mr. and Mrs. Otha Lee with a delightful shower given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lane of Hurst Springs.

When the guests arrived they were asked to register in a beautiful brides book.

After the guests registered they were ushered to the dining room where they were served delicious punch and cake.

Immediately after refreshments a very brief program was rendered, sponsored by Mr. Virgil Lee, brother of the groom, as follows:

Reading, Mary Ellen Lane; toast to the bride, Short Rice; toast to the girls left behind, Jimmie Lane; song, Mary Ellen Lane and Eunice Hollingsworth; mock wedding, Rendall Weeks, Dannie Mae Hollingsworth, Mary Ruth Taylor, Dorman Dollings, Glada Hollingsworth, Mary Ellen, and Vernon Hollingsworth.

Soon after the program little Jr. Hollingsworth delivered the message to the bride and groom, directing them to the place where they found many beautiful and useful gifts, which were viewed by their many friends

and relatives.

The bride in her usual manner expressed her sincere thanks and appreciation for the kind remembrance of her many friends.

The bride is the former Miss Addie Marie Hollingsworth. The groom, Mr. Otha Lee, is a son of Rev. and Mrs. Lee.

Guests departed declaring an enjoyable evening and one to be remembered.

—One present.

Beverly Ann Barber Entertains.

Miss Beverly Barber was hostess to a group of friends at Raby Park Saturday morning honoring Raye Virginia McCreary who is moving to Austin.

Miss Martha Jean Patillo and Rosylene Anderson directed the games and assisted Mrs. Grace Barber and Mrs. M. Patillo in serving.

Ice cream and cake were served from a picnic table. Pink and yellow color scheme was carried out in flowers which were used as a center piece, and napkins.

The hostess presented the honoree with a kodak book containing a kodak picture of each

and relative. After the book was presented each child gave the honoree a farewell gift.

Those present were: Raye Virginia McCreary, Beverly Ann Barber, Harvey Jean Hamilton, Louise Colgin, La Verne Ament, Jo Anne Bailey, Pauline Martin, Jeanette Sadler, Anis Olsen and Martha Claire Brown.

Mrs. Harold Cunyus Is Hostess.

Mrs. Harold Cunyus was hostess Tuesday afternoon to a group of friends at her home on Saunders street, naming Mrs. Ross Allen of Corpus Christi as honored guest.

Bouquets of roses decorated the attractive party rooms. In games of bridge Mrs. Irvin McCreary won high score and Mrs. Byron Leaird Jr. won second high and the hostess presented the honoree with a guest prize.

A salad course was served to Mesdames Irvin McCreary, J. A. Hallman, Francis Johnson, T. R. Mears, Byron Leaird, Dan McClellan, A. L. Chollar, Lewis Holmes, Chess Sadler, J. D. Brown, Laura Rayford, O. N.

Hix, George Painter, Francis Caruth, Miller Stinnett and Ross Allen of Corpus Christi.

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PERSONAL

Lorene Moon of Lindale visited here last week end.

Joyce Baker and Rosalee Boyd have returned from a visit with Mrs. Lawrence Brown of Ocee.

Garland Anderson is visiting in Longview and Killeen this week.

Buster Cummings and Aurelius Poston were week end visitors in Dallas.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chollar spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Pipkin in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey Searcy of Waco were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Boone last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brown and Miss Mary Brown were Waco visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. T. E. Rivers and children left Saturday for West Texas and New Mexico where they will visit relatives.

Sammy Martin of McGregor spent last week end with Raye Virginia Rayford.

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Mrs. R. A. Deen of Fort Worth is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ayres Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Stinnett and children and Mrs. Irvin McCreary were visitors to Austin Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Couger and son, Danny, of Perryton are visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shields and daughter, Billie, of Abilene spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bailey.

Miss H. M. King and Miss Lois King spent Monday of last week in the home of J. T. Canfield of West.

Mrs. Ada Tadlock returned Wednesday from Fort Worth. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Mrs. R. G. Phillips, and Gladys Marie Phillips, who have been visiting in Saint Jo.

Jacquelyn Lauderdale of Saint Jo is visiting Gladys Marie Phillips this week.

Margaret Gilder spent last week end with Mary Lee Rogers at Mart.

Ruby Coward of Pancake was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coward last week.

Mrs. T. H. Bailey and Mrs. Jess Hill and daughter, Jean, were Waco visitors last Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pat Potts spent last week end fishing near Marble Falls.

Miss Winnie Allred and Mrs. B. K. Cooper were Waco visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leeson of Abilene and sons are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Post.

Louis Woodall has returned from Dallas where he has been attending a school of window decorating the past two weeks.

Mary Ella Schloeman of the Methodist Home in Waco is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schloeman.

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Miss Mary Sue Brown of Porte Alegre, Brazil, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schloeman.

Mrs. W. L. Oldham and daughters, Margaret and Dorothy, of Gonzales are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ayres Compton spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lenox Ligon in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Daisy Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. Stoney Shirley spent last week end in Glen Rose.

Miss Waldine Dollins returned Sunday from Morgan where she visited friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Voss and daughter, Mary Jane, have returned to their home in Houston after a weeks' visit with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Levi Anderson and daughters, Alice Earl and Rosylene, have just returned from visiting Mrs. Levi Anderson, Sr. in Killeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Henson and little daughter, Wilma Ruth, of Pecos visited last week in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Henson.

Mrs. Tilea B. Hollon, district sales manager of Spencer Corset Co. of New Haven spent Friday in Gatesville conferring with Mrs. Arch Boyd, the Coryell County representative.

Mr. and Mrs. John Milner and son, Charles Porter, left Friday to accompany Miss Mary Boyd to El Paso where she will resume her duties as teacher in the El Paso Public Schools.

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Mrs. Katherine Bond returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit in Abilene.

Sammy Martin, Raye Virginia Rayford and Woodland Meador were guests of Martha Lou Bollinger in Dublin last Sunday.

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Mr. D. O. Shepherd, Frankie Wilson and Genevieve Mason accompanied Mrs. J. D. Mason to Goldthwaite Sunday.

Mrs. T. M. Davidson returned Sunday from Lockhart where she has been a guest of her daughter, Miss Leta Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lutterloh are visiting in Waco this week with their daughter, Mrs. Cecil Pennington.

Mrs. Jim McClellan and children, Jimmy and Anna, returned to their home here after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Thomson, in Temple.

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Lois Scott returned Sunday from San Antonio where she visited Mrs. J. G. Wallace, and Austin where she visited friends.

Maude Alyce Painter returned Saturday from San Marcos where she attended South Texas Teachers' College this summer.

Miss Estelle Sadler has returned from Calif., where she visited points of interest several weeks during her summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McCoy were Valley Mills visitors last Friday. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Frances, who has been attending a camp there.

Mrs. Dave Culberson and daughter, Dorothy, and J. O. Forrest left Sunday for Houston where they will visit Mrs. Ed Hallenquist. Mr. Forrest's little daughter, Marianna, and Mrs. Hallenquist will accompany them home Wednesday.

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PIDCOKE NEWS

Elisa Kinsey, who was accidentally shot and killed early Thursday morning, was buried at Pearl Friday morning. He was born Aug. 9, 1910, and was married to Christine Henson on Aug. 18, 1935. Others surviving him besides his wife are his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kinsey, two brothers, Henry Jr., and LeRoy, three sisters, Mrs. Ethan Martin, Mrs. Fewell and Miss Madeline Kinsey of Lampasas. Besides a host of other relatives and friends to mourn his going. They have our sympathy in their hour of sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. George Moore and family of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Hagan and family of Union Valley visited Mrs. Bob Rodgers Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard White of Eliga are the proud parents of twin girls. Born Tuesday Aug. 20 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Logan. Mother and daughters are doing fine. The young ladies have not been named.

Mr. Clay Strickland left Friday morning for Fredonia, Texas, to get Mrs. Strickland and Donna Fay, who are visiting Mrs. John Ellis.

Miss Ora Nichols visited friends in Gatesville Tuesday.

Mrs. Levi Aldridge and sons, Dennis and Gilbert, spent Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Ada Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Tabes and Mrs. Harriet of Bee House attended the funeral of their nephew, Elisa Kinsey, at Pearl Friday.

Fire destroyed the home of Bill Wilkins, who lives on the Charley Russell, Thursday at noon. Practically everything was lost; the fire thought to have started from a defective flue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McBeth received a message Friday afternoon of the death of Mrs. McBeth's grandfather, Mr. C. B. Box, of Slater Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Aldridge and family of Coppras Cove, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hardin of Mt. Belvieu, Texas, have been attending the Methodist meeting here this week.

South Africa is turning to chemistry for agricultural relief.

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CHAPTER 1

Jean Valjean

"Jean Valjean, when you come into this Court, you are guilty until you prove yourself innocent—you have failed to do this, and there is nothing for me to do but to pass sentence on you according to the law—"

The matter-of-fact voice of the wearied judge holds the interest of the filled courtroom. The scene is Faverolles, France. The time, 1800.

The defendant is a fresh, clean-shaven, good-looking countryman of about twenty-five. He is staring wild-eyed and bewildered at the judge. Jean suddenly realizes that it is his last chance to speak. Words and half-broken sentences bubble to his lips and he beats the bars in front of him in agony.

"I didn't mean to steal—you don't know what it means to be hungry—you don't know what it means to be out of work. I've tried and tried—I've walked twenty miles a day to find work—no work, no bread. I wouldn't do anything wrong if I

hopeless, practically inhuman when he is finally released. He scarcely hears the monotone voice of the governor.

"You'll report to—Pontarlier. You know the regulations: report to police headquarters twice a week for the first year, once a month in the second, once every three months in the third, and thereafter on the first of every year for the next ten years—failure to report is a breach of the law and means immediate arrest. Give him his passport and his money—Next"

"My passport is yellow."
"Oh, that's for your attempt to escape three years ago."

Freedom—and Punishment

So ended Jean's sentence—now his punishment begins.

Work? There isn't an employer that will take him on.

Shelter? "I've knocked at every door," he tells an old woman who tries to oust him from his stone bench bed.

"Have you knocked at that one?" Jean looks in the direction she indicates and moves off to the doorway of Bishop Bienvenu. He is an old man of seventy. His strength lies in his calm, matter-of-fact way of accepting everything without a shadow of fear.

A quiet "Come in" greets Jean's knock. He stands in the doorway—ragged, unkempt, fierce, aggressive, defiant. To Mme. Magloire, a small, fat yet active servant, and Mlle. Baptistine, the bishop's charming, fragile sister, he is a terrifying specta-



could help it, everybody knows that. I didn't mean to steal—I was only hungry, I tell you—hungry! Hungry!"

"With all that I have nothing to do. The law is explicit. Justice must be done. The sentence is five years in the galleys."

"You can't! You can't send me to the galleys for stealing a loaf of bread!"

Gendarmes, without roughness or brutality, but in a matter-of-fact way, calmly push him away and his voice trails off.

Prisoner No. 2906

"You're 2906, aren't you? Get a move on!"

Jean starts and moves hesitatingly forward. Rough jailers on the prison ship bend his head and thrust it down on a wooden block. A metal collar is gripped around his neck. Not expecting it, he nearly chokes. The two hoops are brought together in the back, a rivet is placed in position and a red-hot scale flies from the rivet as it is sealed permanently.

The newly-appointed head-warder, Javert, is standing at the entrance to the galley watching the prisoners shoring-up decks with beams. He is a stolid, heavy, stupid-looking man but has the eye of a fanatic. Recently risen from the ranks, he is a stickler for carrying out the law to the letter. "Overfed bulldog," perhaps, describes him best.

A warning cry rings out. A beam is about to fall and threatens to crush a man. Jean comes up and with his back lifts the beam with a great effort and holds it. Others lift the man out.

"We'll have to remove his collar, M. Javert; his neck's injured."

"Sorry. Regulations. Only the doctor can give that order."

"But the doctor's away ashore, sir."
"That's too bad." Looking at the wounded man, "He'll have to wait. Whilst I'm in charge here regulations, good or bad or indifferent, will be carried out—to the letter."
Such a man was M. Javert.

Five years in the galleys saw the final degradation of Jean—hideous,

cle—the black-beard cut-throat of town rumor.

"Yes, good evening. What is it?" asks the bishop.

"I was told to come here. Are you an innkeeper? I have money—my savings—109 francs—it should have been 171, but they robbed me. Can I stay for the night?"

The bishop's reply is to instruct Magloire to set another place at the table.

"You're hungry? Come in." Jean looks at him suspiciously. Is there a catch in this?

"Stop! I must tell you—I am a convict. My passport is yellow. I'm ordered to go two-hundred miles and report on parole to the police at Pontarlier. I've walked a hundred miles in three days. They've kicked me out of every tavern, every inn—no one will have me—no one. But I can pay for food—for a bed in your stable."

"You're quite welcome. Supper, such as it is, is ready. A bed will be made for you. You're wet, come by the fire."

"It's true. You won't drive me away? You're good people. Mr. Innkeeper, what's your name?"

"Me? I'm a priest."

"A priest. How stupid of me!" The old look of cunning comes into his eyes. "Then you won't want me to pay you?"

"Pay? No, no, Monsieur, of course not."

The word has an effect on Jean. His aggressive expression softens slightly.

"You call me 'Monsieur.' No one ever calls me that." Then, again aggressive, "You want to know my name? My name is—"

"There's no need for you to tell me your name—I know it."

"Know it?"
The two men look right into each other's eyes.

Quietly, "To me, a priest, you're a brother. You understand that? A brother. Come and warm yourself." Jean gives him a long look. He is not quite sure of the bishop yet. There may be some catch in it somewhere. The old convict's cunning is still existent.

TO BE CONTINUED

WOODARD NEWS

(Intended for Friday)

Mrs. Jake Block and son and Mr. Bud Hopson of Hobart, Okla., are visiting their sister, Mrs. Bob Alford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fegette and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gooch of New Mexico visited in McAllen the latter part of the past week.

Miss Hazel McDonald of Waco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd McDonald, over the past week end.

Miss Virginia Hirsch spent Saturday night with Miss Pauline Alford.

Mrs. Orestus Block has been on the sick list, but is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bunnell and son, J. C., spent Friday night

at Aleman with Mrs. Bunnell and daughter, Emma.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each and everyone for their kind help during the death of our husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gooch and children of New Mexico returned home Saturday having visited with relatives the past week.

band, son and brother. May God richly bless each of you is our prayer.

Mrs. Elisa Kinsey, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kinsey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fewell, Mr. and Mrs. Ethan Martin and family.

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"The federal government must and will quit this business of direct relief, President Roosevelt has declared."

"We are tired of living on the dole. All that we ask is a chance to earn a livelihood." Certainly, that would be the sentiment of the vast number of Texans now being given relief allotments in lieu of work were their numbers polled today.

Works Progress Administration has been organized and has started operation in Texas for the essential purpose of giving jobs to every employable man and woman now registered on the relief rolls of the state. We have been allocated more than \$50,000,000 to expand toward wrecking the dole in every county and city in Texas.

That vital task has been placed squarely before WPA by the national administration. Our responsibility is yours in the counties and towns of Texas. We have the money to spend, you have the needed work projects and yours are the men and women who must have work.

Your task, and it is one which must be performed at once, is to decide how money may be spent to provide jobs for the largest possible number of unemployed in your district. The double incentive of providing work for the jobless and of securing needed public improvements of permanent benefit to your community is offered by WPA.

Necessity for speed in suggesting projects is justified by advice from Washington authorities that not nearly enough proposals have been presented. at national headquarters. Thus admonished, every state will be striving to gain precedence for its program. Texas has presented a mere three and one half millions in works proposals for federal improvements at the end of the week of August 17. We are anxious to have twenty million dollars in projects in the hands of federal examiners by the end of this month.

Our state is peculiarly adapted, due to physical advantages, to such ambitious projects as lateral farm-to-market roads. Too, elasticity of project requirements makes it easy to find many types of needed improvements to which WPA energies may be devoted. With proper co-operation from our political sub-divisions, any of which may participate in the program, this state can forge far ahead on the federal allotment schedule.

This opportunity for states, counties, and cities to get permanent, lasting improvements at a minor fraction of the cost may not arrive again. No county in Texas is so "broke" than its paper would not be accepted by practically any materials dealer in the state. Construction material costs may easily be spread over a period of years, so that the burden would not be too heavy.

WPA's expenditure in your community is limited, in most instance, only by the number of unemployed your project will put to work. We are restricted only by the necessity of receiving the equivalent of one year's work for one person for each \$600 spent.

Twenty district WPA offices have been set up in strategic locations over the state of Texas. Counties have been urged to set up planning boards for the study of project potentialities. It is the duty of every civic-minded person and organization in the state to present ideas to these groups. They are anxious to serve their sections, they are interested in surveying any proposals sub-

mitted, and they are dependent upon the people of their districts for help in choosing the types of projects best fitted to the needs of the locality.

In line with federal policy, we must pursue a first come-first served course in approving projects. We must earnestly urge, therefore, that sponsors exercise all possible haste in submitting their projects. It cannot be emphasized too strongly that those sponsors who delay submitting proposals in the hope of getting a higher per man-year grant will be doomed to disappointment and will be jeopardizing the chances of their own unemployed to get jobs.

Drastic curtailment of FERA allotments scheduled for November 1 will place the burden of caring for our own needy upon the counties and cities. Utilize the facilities of WPA and you will have jobs awaiting those persons when their relief grants are discontinued. Procrastinate and you will hazard your own chances for reaping the benefits of worthwhile public improvements and you will be ignoring the plea of your destitute neighbors who await an opportunity to remove themselves from the morale-shattering influence of the dole.

OLD CITIZEN PASSES AWAY

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon, August 23, at 2:30 o'clock at Buckhorn church for J. M. Carlisle who died at his home in Buckhorn Community Thursday afternoon, August 22, at 5 o'clock, after a month of serious illness. Services were conducted by Rev. George Siler.

Mr. Carlisle was born March 7, 1861 in Alabama and had reached the age of seventy-four at the time of his death. In 1893 he moved from Alabama to Texas and settled at Buckhorn near Moody.

Surviving are his widow and nine children; Mrs. E. E. Jeffreys of Winters; Daphis Carlisle of Killeen; Daniel Carlisle of Troy; H. P. Carlisle of Moody; Mrs. O. R. Parker of Winters; Bruce Carlisle of The Grove; Miss Ora Carlisle, Mr. Calvin Carlisle and Eugene Carlisle, all of Buckhorn; three brothers, Bob, J. L. and Richard Carlisle; eighteen grand children and two great grand children.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

Deeds Recorded

- Sam A. Powell to T. V. Freeman.
- L. M. Stinnett to H. C. Stinnett.
- J. W. Burney to E. B. King.
- Mrs. A. V. Arnold to D. F. Smith.
- John I. Lam to Mary E. Mooney.
- S. C. Hall to Trustees Palo Alto School District.
- A. C. Connell to E. B. McMordie.

Marriage License

- Mr. Coyne Robinson and Miss Rose S. Montgomery.
- Mr. H. T. Mayberry and Miss Ruby Nell Dyson.
- Mr. Merl Frank Shelton and Miss Faye Bernice Tippitt.
- Mr. Calvin Browning and Miss Juanita Reed.
- Mr. Frank Kimbrell and Miss Lydia Colloway.
- Mr. Otha Looper and Miss Christine Lam.

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- Kenneth Hedgpeth, Ford Tudor.
- Levi Aldridge, Plymouth Sedan.

World Comment—

Once he steps out of the arena he is a shadow figure.

Hoover's dictum of a western candidate immediately raised the question whether he was booming Frank Knox, Chicago publisher. This was the private conclusion of many G. O. P. potentates.

Knox recently made a pilgrimage to Palo Alto. After the trip a close friend to Hoover passed out word that an "understand" was reached by which Hoover agreed to support Knox if he could name the No. 1 and No. 2 cabinet posts in the Knox administration—state and treasury. Hoover's choice for the latter would undoubtedly be Ogden L. Mills, who held the office during his term and was his mainstay.

Westerners top the list in any computation of possible G. O. P. candidate. Knox of Illinois, Borah of Idaho, Landon of Kansas, Vandenberg of Michigan and Dickinson of Iowa usually top the list.

Three of the above mentioned are leading in the private poll being conducted thruout the Nation by Robert H. Lucas, former executive director of the Republican National Committee. Returns are still pouring in from county chairmen, city leaders and young Republicans. Senator William E. Borah is first, Colonel Knox second and Gov. Alfred M. Landon of Kansas third. Fourth in the poll is former Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, keynoter of the recent Republican grass roots rally at Springfield, Illinois; Senator Vandenberg is fifth and HERBERT HOOVER is sixth. Senator Dickinson is eleventh in this poll.

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Julia Norwood, Director Home Economics Division, Modern Science Institute, Inc., Toledo, Ohio, Suggests Interesting Recipe

SUMMER months bring an almost endless variety of fresh fruits and vegetables to help enliven the housewife's menus. Some of the seasonable fruits which lend themselves for serving in so many delightful ways are the various types of melons and berries.

Outstanding in this group is the cantaloupe or muskmelon. It not only serves as a wholesome appetizer at breakfast but also may be planned as a dessert for dinner or when prepared in the form of melon balls, it may be the principal entree for a sociable tray at an afternoon bridge.

With the return of legal wines, a surprise treat is in store for you. Pour into sherbet glasses filled with watermelon, honeydew and

muskmelon balls, a half glassful of a good brand of domestic Port or Sauterne wine. Place in the refrigerator and allow to chill for several hours before serving. You will discover that the wine harmonizes perfectly with the melons resulting in a perfection of flavor difficult to surpass. A sauce consisting of half fruit juice and half wine may also be used.

Another variation of this same recipe pictured above, and one which will make almost a meal in itself, is to cut a ripe cantaloupe in half. Remove the seeds and fill with slices of fresh pineapple, grapefruit, and oranges. Garnish with red or black raspberries and melon balls. This should be covered with Port wine and chilled before serving.

A golfer from South America reports that in the rarified atmosphere of Chile's uplands it is virtually impossible to hook slice because the air isn't heavy enough to offer friction.

The jawbone of a prehistoric animal found near McKinney, Texas, weighed nine pounds.

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R. D. BOX

R. D. Box passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ira Baker, near Schley Friday afternoon, August 23, at one o'clock, after an illness of two weeks.

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