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Swimming Pool Attracts Hundreds of Youths; Safety Measures Taken

The municipal swimming pool, which opened last Saturday is proving to be a marine haven for hundreds of Gatesville youngsters. They have found a sure-cure remedy for the sun's burning rays in this modern "swimming hole."

Taking every precaution to insure an unmarred season the City Fathers have decreed that the pool shall be drained, scrubbed and disinfected three times a week this year, instead of the previous custom of draining only twice a week. To guard against accidents a life guard will be on duty from three o'clock every afternoon until closing time, all of which are very needed improvements.

Although advertised as doing so, the pool will not be open on Sunday afternoon.

A & M EXTENSION MAN HERE TO INSPECT WORK OF 4-H CLUB BOYS

E. M. Regenbrecht, swine specialist from the A & M Extension Service, was in Gatesville Thursday in an official capacity.

Mr. Regenbrecht, with County Agent Guy Powell, drove over the county inspecting the pigs of 4-H club members and the work in connection that the boys are doing. The methods and results of these progressive young farmers were commended by the specialist who stated that they compared favorably with any other 4-H club member's projects in the state.

MEETING CALLED MONDAY TO ORGANIZE GIRLS SOFTBALL TEAM

All girls interested in organizing a softball team for the summer season are urged to report at the local high school Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. At that time plans will be discussed and preparations made for an active schedule and league. Earl Worley, Gatesville High athletic mentor, will coach and manage the girls in this popular summer sport.

Tentative plans for games with teams in country communities, if such teams can be organized, and with a married ladies team.

Any girl teams in the country who are interested in matching games with this team can do so by contacting Edith Raby Lackey or Coach Worley.

Rev. and Mrs. Marcus M. Chunn and daughter Effygene, Miss Mamie Sue Halbrook, Mrs. E. L. Stewart and Mrs. Byron Leaird Jr. attended the Church Music Day at Southwestern Uni-

MARKET REPORT

(As of June 17)

Mohair	55c
Wool	30c to 32c
Wheat	88c
Corn, ear	90c
Corn, ground	\$1.65
Oats, loose	35c
Oats, sacked	37c
Cream No. 1	22c
Cream, No. 2	20c
Cottonseed, ton	\$30
Eggs, No. 1	15c
Eggs, No. 2	10c
Hens, heavy	10c
Hens, light	8c
Roosters	5c
Spring fryers	15c

6 MONTHS OLD BABY DIES AT LOCAL HOSPITAL THURSDAY

Little Miss Elizabeth Ann Edwards, six months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards, passed away at 4:10 o'clock Thursday morning at the Milton Powell Memorial Hospital. She is survived by her parents, one sister, Billy Doris and other friends and relatives.

The child had been suffering from whooping cough which developed into double pneumonia. Funeral services were held Thurs. afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Baptist Church at Osage with Rev. A. Loper officiating.

EVANGELIST OF BROWNWOOD TO PREACH AT LIBERTY CHURCH SAT.-SUN.

Rev. Otis Cahill, the great Evangelist of Brownwood will be at the Liberty Baptist Church on Saturday evening, June 19, Sunday, and Sunday evening.

At the noon hour dinner will be spread on the ground, Sunday and everyone is invited to bring a basket lunch and attend this wonderful meeting.

HOUSE PARTY GIVEN THE Y.W.A. AND G.A. AT BAYLOR U.

Sponsored by the Woman's Missionary Union of District 14 the Y. W. A. and G. A. Girls and their sponsors will enjoy three days of wholesome, happy recreation, at Baylor University in Waco on June 28 th till July 1st. The age limit 9-13 for Junior G. A.'s and 13-17 for Intermediate G. A.'s and 17-25 for Y.W.A. girls.

Girls from nine counties will attend, each bringing her own linens, pillow, soap, glass, tennis racket, swimming suit, musical instruments, note-book and pencil. There will be interesting speakers, teachers and recreational directors at this meeting.

Mrs. T. A. Pate, of Hubbard will teach a class in "Leader's Methods Daily." Other classes will be taught and each organization will be called upon for a stunt. Several of the girls from the local organization plan to attend this meet.

FRANK PARSONS

Frank Parsons, 64, former Gatesville resident was buried in San Angelo Monday after his death there Saturday night. Funeral arrangements were made by I.O.O.F. lodge of San Angelo.

Parsons is survived by his widow, Mrs. Rebecca Parsons of San Angelo; two sons, W. D. Parsons of Waco and W. R. Parsons of Norfolk, Va.; four daughters, Mrs. S. J. Stephens of Temple, Mrs. C. R. Wanamacher, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. L. J. Alexander and Miss Joanna Parsons both of San Angelo, and four grandchildren. Pillbearers were F. G. Rosenber P. P. Edward, W. H. Cook A. P. Mercer, Joe L. Mays and J. P. Spangler.

Mr. Parsons has many friends in this city and county and at one time was County Tax Collector for Coryell County.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey Searcy of Comanche were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Morgan, Mrs. Morgan and Agnes Ann, returned home with the Searcy's Monday as their guests this week.

REP. HUDDLESTON PROTESTS STATE SPENDING TOO MUCH MONEY

"It has become a common practice here in the Legislature" according to Representative Earl Huddleston, Legislator from this district, "for someone to introduce a resolution authorizing an investigating committee to go over the state at the expense of the tax payers. I have observed that all such committees have accomplished nothing, so I have opposed, on the floor of the House, such practice."

"I am quoting from the Austin American, the statement I made on the floor of the House regarding the resolution which would authorize the House of Representatives to appoint a committee to investigate as to whether new furniture is needed in the House or not. As I see it there is no need for such committee. The people are getting tired of the Legislature spending the tax payer's money in such a foolish way. What we need to do is to get down to business and do what is needed to be done and return home."

Representative Huddleston is not a follower of popular rabble, but stands up for his convictions even tho they might prove unpopular. This is a rare trait in a legislator.

CORYELL COUNTY PIONEER W. K. BATES PASSED ON AT MARFA

Friends and relatives here were saddened to hear of the death of W. K. (Bill) Bates on June 4. His home is at Marfa, and he passed away in a hospital at Marathon and was buried at the same place on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, June 5. Masons being in charge. Mr. Bates joined the Masons in Gatesville when a young man and has been a member of that organization for over 50 years.

He was raised to manhood in the Spring Hill community. Later he and his brother moved to Pidoce where they owned and operated a gin on the Cow House west of the bridge. Mr. Bates moved to Brewster county in the early nineties where he was prominent in ranching business until 1910, at which time he retired from active work.

He was a man of noble deeds, having helped many who were less fortunate by giving them money and kind words of comfort, encouragement and aspiration. Mr. Bates was one of the men driving one of the wagons, when Leeper and Powell killed Mr. Matthews; who was hauling cotton from the Bates gin at Pidoce. This will be remembered by old timers.

W. K. Bates was born Nov. 10, 1852 and would have been 85 years of age had he lived a few months longer. He has a host of relatives and friends in this county and is an uncle of Jeff Bates of this city.

STATE SUPERVISORS WERE IN GATESVILLE THE PAST WEEK

During the past week three State Supervisors from A & M College and State headquarters have been in Gatesville, doing work on the Brazos water-shed program.

Scaling and aerial photographs have been made by I. M. Erwin and his assistants, Mobley and Baren, of the water-shed region, which takes in the north-east portion of Coryell county.

FARM LADY BURNED WHILE CANNING VEGETABLES

Mrs. Abb Strickland suffered serious burns and lacerations Tuesday morning at her home near Pancake when the lid of a pressure cooker was blown to the ceiling and three glass jars burst into bits throwing broken glass, steam and hot water into her face and on her arms.

She had been canning string beans and thought she had relieved all the steam from the cooker, having just unscrewed the lid when the accident occurred. Her eyes were badly burned and she received a deep gash on the forehead.

Due to her quick presence of mind a physician was summoned and it is thought that she will not lose her eyesight. Several stitches were taken on the forehead and face. She and a small daughter were alone in the house at the time of the accident.

SALAD DEMONSTRATION FOR IRELAND 4-H GIRLS

"Salads used to be a luxury but today they are a necessity, and they also furnish a convenient way to serve raw fruits and vegetables," stated Miss Gibson, H.D.A. to the Ireland 4-H Club girls when they met at the home of Donnaleta Patteson on Tuesday, June 15 at 3:00 p. m. for a called meeting.

Miss Gibson passed out sheets containing salad combinations, garnishes and salad dressing recipes. She then exhibited three types of dressing and made a demonstration salad.

The club president, Donnaleta Patteson, outlined the work for the coming year. She also read the encampment to the club members.

Those present were Miss Gibson, the president, Georgia Jane Grubb, Pauline Watkins, Ethelyn Pagel, Ruby Lee Robinette, Elaine Watkins and the new club sponsor, Mrs. Clyde Pittman.

SON BORN TO JONESBORO COUPLE TUES. NITE

Professor and Mrs. P. T. Lemons are the proud parents of a fine baby son. The little fellow was born on Tuesday night in a Waco hospital. Mother and son are reported to be doing nicely.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

Deeds Recorded
Tillie Cox Ming and husband to Mrs. Alice Cox and others. First National Bank to Luke Walker.

Cars Registered
Jim Spirey, Chev. Sedan
R. E. Pancake, Fort Pickup.

Rev. Ed Clark of Brownwood arrived Tuesday for a visit with friends in this city and Mound.

W. T. Ingram and daughters, Bonnie Will and Doris of Copperas Cove were Gatesville visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rutherford, Ruth and Betty are vacationing in San Antonio, Amarillo and Lubbock.

Miss Laydes Simpson, who has been in a Houston hospital for several weeks returned to her home in this city Thursday. She will visit her sister, Mrs. Aubrey Walker and family for a few days.

Reports of Committees Heard at Mass Meeting Of C. C. Tuesday Nite

Gatesville's newest civic organization, the Chamber of Commerce, in its called mass meeting last Tuesday night heard reports from various committees regarding proposed activities for the new organization.

The joint meeting with the Waco Junior Chamber of Commerce, June 24, was discussed and also street and avenue lighting project, the ram and billy sale, plans for further work and pressure on Highway 7, and other items of civic interest.

The meeting was well attended and much interest was manifested in the reports of the committees. The organization, working to further the interests of Gatesville, is meeting with the whole hearted support of its members who have recognized the need of such an organization.

As soon as plans are completed work will start in earnest on various projects that are being outlined. Specialized committees have divided the amount of work to be done so that it will be handled quickly and efficiently.

LIONS TO BE GUESTS AT A DINNER IN EVANT TONIGHT

Some thirty Lions Club members and their guests will travel to Evant tonight on an extension and good fellowship trip.

The party will gather at the Gatesville Drug at 6:45 and will proceed from there to Evant where they will be guests at a dinner given by Evant ladies.

Striving for a better county-wide understanding and closer cooperation this trip is the second of a series planned by the Lions to increase goodwill between Gatesville and other towns of the county.

MISS EVELYN HENSLEER TO SAIL FOR EUROPE ON JUNE 25

Miss Evelyn Hensler, daughter of P. C. Hensler of this city and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theo Turpin, also of this city, will leave for New York City on Sunday, June 20 and sail on the Carinthia for Europe on June 25th.

Her itinerary includes points of interest in Ireland, England, Belgium, Germany, Switzerland; France, Italy and other countries of Europe.

Miss Hensler is a member of the Teacher's College faculty in Huntsville and will resume her duties there in September. Her boat will arrive in New York on September 2nd.

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL



NOTES

Patients in the hospital at this time are: Francis Mooney, Mrs. William Wilson, Mrs. W. Mat Jones, and son Joel Willis.

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of any person or firm appearing in its columns will be gladly and
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"PAN-AM"

The Greater Texas and Pan-American Exposition
opened in the site of the Texas Centennial on June 12.

You probably wonder, "So what?"

Friendship, if there be any such thing, is the key-
note of this exposition. Friendship with the most ignored,
most ridiculed, most discounted potential market for prod-
ucts manufactured in the United States that there is
on the face of the globe—and the nearest.

All of us here consider ourselves, or have, to be
above those South American "greasers" and savages, be-
cause we're just plain dumb. European countries are
grabbing for this business and even making and getting
concessions in these countries, while we, in our self
indulgent stupidity have overlooked virgin markets in our
equals, the Pan-America.

That's the reason, to our minds, that this Greater
Texas and Pan-American Exposition far surpasses the
self centered Texas Centennial in its importance.

We need to LEARN from these people, the leaders
of whom are educated in the better universities of both
North America and Europe. Who speak both our language,
English, and their own, either Spanish or Portuguese,
and in many cases German and French also.

A trip to Mexico, or any Central American or South
American country, will show you just how dumb you
really are. You speak a slangy ONE language, whereas
the educated Pan-American speaks his own fluently, Eng-
lish correctly, and probably one or two others well enough
to be understood.

Let's get it out of our heads, once and for all,
that we are the superiors of these neighbors if we ex-
pect to gain their confidence and respect. Europeans al-
ready put aside this supposedly superiority, and are gain-
ing their confidence, respect—and, my dears, their busi-
ness.

WHITE HALL NEWS

Mrs. Birdie Dunne and son
of Odessa, Mrs. Monroe Beene
visited Miss Jinnie Armstrong
Friday afternoon.
Threshers are busy in this
community this week.
Mrs. Aury Powell and son
Billie of Fort Worth are visiting
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.
Y. Meharg.
Curtis Sims and Miss Bernice
Gamblin of Gatesville visited
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.
E. Sims recently.
Mrs. Bud Williams and daugh-

ters, Mrs. Cecil Williams of
Buster visited Mrs. Arvin Shep-
herd recently.
Those who visited in the home
of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McCal-
lister Sunday were Mr. and Mrs.
Herschel Everett and Miss Heene
Everett of Oglesby, Mr. and
Mrs. Byrl Teague of Buster, Mr.
and Mrs. Dave McCallister, Mr.
and Mrs. Chick McCallister and
son Gene Baker, Mrs. Roy E.
Manning, Mrs. George Walton
of Gatesville and Jack Painter.
Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Sims
and children visited in the W.
E. Sims home recently.
Mrs. J. S. Cook, Mrs. Bud
Cook and daughter visited Mrs.

FROM THE COUNTY AGR'L AGENT

"There are some good farms
in Texas without having the
advantage of a silo, but gener-
ally speaking, farms without
silos are either all cotton farms
are else they are occupied by
tenants who do not expect to
remain after the crop is har-
vested. A good trench silo or
two is evidence of progress in
agriculture. It is evidence that
the farmer appreciates the econ-
omy in saving feedstuffs and
that he has livestock as one
of his major projects. Without
livestock, the production of
feedstuffs is seldom profitable.

There is great danger of an-
other overproduction of cotton.
A fourteen or fifteen million
bale crops in 1937 would send
prices below the profit level.
here is no such danger facing
the producer and feeder of live-
stock. According to the Bureau
of Agricultural Economics, one
can reasonably expect the price
of hogs, lambs and beef cattle
to remain at present levels or
higher the remainder of 1937.
Therefore the farmer with silos
filled and a complement of live-
stock will probably go through
the year with his figure in
black and on the right side of
the ledger.

The number of silos in the
Southwest should be multiplied
by three before next September.

The above excerpts regarding
trench silos and their relation
to agriculture were taken from
a May issue of "Farm and
Ranch."

DEMONSTRATION AGENTS OFFICE

TRY THIS IN BRINING YOUR CUCUMBERS

By Grace I. Neely Extension
Specialist in Food Preservation.
Select and grade fresh firm
cucumbers. Cucumbers graded
for size cure more evenly.

The steps in making brine are
as follows:

Salt: Use dairy or any pure
salt. Avoid any non-caking salt.

Water: Use soft water if
possible. Boil and allow it to
set twenty-four hours, remove
sediment before using. The ad-
dition of a small quantity of
vinegar serves to overcome al-
kalinity when hard water must
be used.

Strength of Solution: Make 25
degree reading on salinometer
or about 1/2 pound of salt per
gallon of water.

Keep salinometer at 25 de-
grees the first week. Add salt
at the end of the first day
to bring brine back to 25 de-
grees, about 1/2 pound salt per
10 pounds of cucumbers.

Cover with plate that will go
inside the jar. Weight down. A
glass jug filled with water
makes a good weight.

At end of first week and at
the end of each succeeding week
until the salinometer reading
reaches 60 degrees increase the
readings 5 degrees per week by
adding about 1-4 pound of 1/2
cup of salt on top of the cover.

To test cured cucumbers slice
lengthwise and observe for an
even olive color throughout
without any white areas, espe-
cially in the stem end area
which is the last to cure. How-
ever, a faint whiteness in cured
stock is common.

When Ropy brine develops in-
crease the brine strength twice
as fast as normally:

R. D. Painter Monday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pan-
cake and son, Robert Ed. of
Buster visited Mr. Evans Painter
Sunday.
Robert Oad and Patsy Ann
Painter of Gatesville visited
Johnnie Lee and Sidney Me-

SPECIALS for FATHERS DAY

Don't forget to remember that good old
Dad of yours next Sunday. Give a real
quality gift from Leaird's special assort-
ment of useful gifts on display in our
Men's Department.

Jewelry from Swank 25c up
Sox from Wilson 25c up
Ties, Hand-made, 59c
Sport Shirts, 69c up
Dress Shirts, \$1.00 up
Straw Hats, \$1.00 up
Yardley Toilet Sets
Peters Dress Shoes
Gladstone Bags

Leaird's Dept. Store
BYRON LEAIRD, Proprietor

MRS. S. E. TURNER BURIED AT COPPERAS COVE TUESDAY

Mrs. S. E. Turner, 86, died
Monday at Abilene and was bur-
ied at Copperas Cove Tuesday
afternoon with Henry Hinson,
assisted by the Rev. Clint Dan-
iel of Abilene officiating.

Mrs. Turner died at the home
of her daughter, Mrs. Mattie D.
Casbeer, of injuries sustained in
a fall some two months ago.
She had been confined to her
bed since that time.

Mrs. Turner was Sarah Eliza-
beth Rounsaville before her mar-
riage January 20, 1870. She was
born March 22, 1851, near
Coffeeville, Miss.

Pallbearers were citizens of
Ogle near where Mr. and Mrs.
Turner lived for 33 years, and
who laid Mr. Turner to rest in
1933. They were Charles Her-
man, Ebie Daniels, Bert Agui-
re, J. O. Jarvis, Ira Petit and
Mr. Pierson.

She was survived by three
sons, Albert of Copperas Cove,
and Lee and Louis of Killeen,

and five daughters, Mrs. Dovie
Pass, Goldthwaite, Mrs. Lily
Sutton of San Saba, Mrs. Mat-
tie Casbeer of Abilene, Mrs.
Pearl Phelan of Brownwood, and
and Layne Turner of Wichita
Falls; forty-one grand children
and forty-three great grand-child-
ren.

Two daughters, Texana and
Luella preceded her in death.

—Try Hammermill letter heads.

Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS
LOUIE is in the Real Estate busi-
ness, and in his ads he uses a
lot of very clever slogans to sell
real estate.
You know any man that will buy
real estate will fall for slogans,
and Louie has almost as many



slogans as he has lots to sell. Louie
sent me this good retort on one
man kidding another about wear-
ing a beard. If you have a beard
or whiskers why this will be just
the remark to pull on some bird
that calls you "whiskers". Here
it is.

A fellow come out of a place
about half loaded, and he was
primed up about right and looking
for trouble. He saw an old fellow
driving a cab, and he had a long
bushy red beard. The Anti Vol-
steadite hollered at him. "Ha there
old lace curtains, I used to have a
beard like that till I saw myself in
the glass and cut 'em off!"

The old cabby looked at him and
replied, "You ought to left 'em on,
mate. I used to have a face like
yours and I saw myself in the glass
and I grewed these"



**NEWS
BINDER TWINE
—and—
OAT BAGS**

See us for all seeds, and they
are re-cleaned and sacked in
good sacks.
Cash Buyers of Corn, Oats,
Wheat and All Small Grain.
Ship by Our Insured Truck

G. P. SCHAUB
Grain—Feed—Seed

Phones
135 - 128

MEN FOLKS ALL SHOULD
MARRY! BACHELORS
DON'T DIE AT ALL-DEY
SIMPLY ROTS AWAY



Dimak



GIVE HIM PHOENIX SOCKS

a real gift for Father

Give Father Phoenix Socks... a gift every man will appreciate. You'll find just the style and pattern in Phoenix Socks to harmonize with dad's new spring suit. A real Father's Day gift.



50¢

Painter's

SHOP & COMPARE - YOU'LL BUY HERE AND SAVE



This past week has probably been more fruitful of constructive legislative work than any like period in the history of the 75th Congress. The House has shown a willingness to stay on the job and to thrash out the matters that are actually before us. For my part it seems to me that we should act on those matters that are essential to the proper functioning of the government as rapidly as possible and adjourn but I find very little talk among the older members.

The House opened the past week with the passage of what I consider to be one of the most important bills to reach us—the measure extending the reduced interest rate on Federal Land Bank Loans. The bill extends the 3½ per cent rate till 1938 and fixes the rate at 4 per cent in 1938-39. It also fixes the rate on Land Bank Commissioner's loans at 4 per cent for the next two years. I supported the measure as I feel it is imperative that we do all we can to enable our people to retain ownership of their farms. In fact I consider this the first step in any program of farm-home ownership. It is even more important that we retain the home owners that we have than that we make new home owners out of tenants, important as that is. It seems to me, however, that we are going to have to go at least one step further and make provisions for an extension of the date of payment of principal on the Commissioner's loans. There are very few if any farmers who can pay these

loans off as rapidly as they will mature under existing law.

Both House and Senate passed a joint resolution providing for an investigation of the methods and practices resorted to as a means of evading payment of income tax by very wealthy citizens. I hope that this investigation, which was urged by the President and which I supported, will secure information that will enable us to stop up the loop-holes in our tax laws.

The same day some Texas politics were injected into the Congressional procedure when Representative Dies of Orange, Texas succeeded in placing an amendment on a bill creating a new United States District Judgeship in South Texas requiring the judge to be a resident of the Southern District of Texas at the present time. The amendment was introduced to make it impossible for the President to appoint Governor Allred. I have no reason to believe that Governor Allred would have been appointed in any event but I felt that Congress should not legislate any one in or out of office and hence voted against the amendment as did all but two or three of the Texas members.

Early this week the House extended the life of the P.W.A. for another two years and authorized it to expend \$340,000,000 to complete projects that had been approved prior to the passage of the bill. Provisions were also made for aiding the school districts to provide safety measures. The bill, however, does not make it possible to

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SUNDAY IS FATHER'S DAY

He's a swell guy, that Dad of yours! And in spite of his apparent unconcern you can bet that he's going to appreciate your gift... especially if it's a practical one. Things to wear are always practical and the few we suggest here are sure to satisfy your Dad.



Ties

COME IN
LET US
SUGGEST
OTHER GIFTS



Shirt



Hose

Ties—for all Dads, whether he likes them lively moderate or subdued we have them for only **49c to \$1.00**

Hose—of fine soft silk with reinforced heel, sole and toe. An exceptional Father's Day value..... **25c to 50c**

Shirts—The kind Dad likes with collars that stay the right size. Merchandise can be exchanged. **98c to \$1.98**

Painter's

SHOP & COMPARE - YOU'LL BUY HERE AND SAVE

CHURCHES

First Christian Church
Bible study at 10 o'clock every Lord's Day morning. Come and worship with us.

German Bethel Baptist Church
Sunday School at 10 a. m., with classes for old and young German and English speaking Americans.
Preaching service in German 11 a. m.
BYPU service each Sunday evening at 7:00.

Preaching service 8:00 p. m. until further notice. The evening services are in the language we all understand. We extend to all a very hearty welcome.
W. H. Buening Pastor

Methodist Church
Hear the old hymns you love and the new ones you enjoy. Revive your heart in the traditions of the past and the needs of the present in the hymns and songs you will hear next Sunday at 8:15 p. m.
We have a large number already selected. Chosen from

what our people want. Become a part of it.

Your Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.
Sermon, "I Live My Religion at Home," at 10:55.
Our Young People at 7:30 p. m.
The Hymns We Love at 8:15 p. m.
"A Good Past a Better Future."

First Baptist Church
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Baptist Training Union Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.
Preaching Sunday morning at 10:50 and Sunday night at 8:15 by the Rev. Ed Clark of Brownwood.
The W.M.S. meets Tuesday at 4 p. m.
The Y.W.A. Tuesday night. The pastor will be home Monday from Dublin Revival and conduct Prayer Meeting Wednesday night at 8:15 and preach both hours next Sunday.
Welcome to all the services of our church.

BROWNWOOD PASTOR TO PREACH AT BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Ed Clark of Brownwood will preach at the First Baptist

Church Sunday morning and Sunday night in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Clarence A. Merton who will on that Sunday close the Dublin Revival.

In a communication to the News Bro. Merton stated that the Dublin Revival was closing in a great way and he would be home Monday and be present for the Wednesday night services and preach both hours the following Sunday.

BROWN'S CREEK

The crops in this section are looking fine since the rains received recently.

A large crowd attended the play at this place last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Underwood and two small sons, Bobbie and Gifton, spent the week end with her father, Dave Whitley and family. Willie Mae Whitley returned home with them for a short visit.

Stanley Graham visited his sister, Mrs. J. W. Nicholson in Temple recently.

Foy Jackson is on the sick list this week. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

SOCIETY

Mrs. C. F. Caruth Jr. Club Hostess

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. C. F. Caruth Jr. entertained members and guests of the Wednesday Contract Club at her home on South Lutterloh avenue. Bowls of roses were used for decorating the party rooms.

Those present were, Mesdames A. L. Chollar, Clay Stinnett, George Painter O. N. Hix, B. K. Cooper, R. W. Brown, R. W. Williams, J. D. Brown Jr. L. M. Stinnett, H. K. Jackson, W. H. Satterfield, E. C. Shone, J. A. Hallman, Mrs. Willis McAnnelly of Washington, D. C. was an out of town guest and Mrs. C. F. Caruth Sr., a caller.

A salad course was served at conclusion of games. Mesdames B. K. Cooper and B. B. Garrett were recipient of high and second high score awards, respectively.

Miss Reba Holland Bride of Elmer Watts

The marriage of Miss Reba Holland and Elmer Watts took place at 8 o'clock Saturday evening at the Methodist parsonage in Oglesby with the pastor, Rev. W. C. Taylor, reading the marriage vows.

The bride wore a smart frock of navy crepe with navy accessories. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Holland of the Ames community and is

very popular among the younger set in Ames and Gatesville. For the past year she has been employed at the Ben Franklin Store in this city.

Mr. Watts is the son of Mrs. T. F. Watts of Levita. After a brief honeymoon trip the couple will be at home in the Levita community where Mr. Watts is engaged in farming.

Mrs. E. W. Jones, Jr. Hostess to Club

Members and guests of the Wednesday Contract Club were entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. W. Jones Jr. on West Main street. Roses and shasta daisies were used for floral adornment.

High Score awards were presented Mesdames Johnnie Bradford and Clark Jensen.

At conclusion of games the hostess served ice cream and cake to Misses Dorothy Culberston and Grace Richards, Mesdames Billy Nesbitt, Bill Thomson, Kirby Perryman, Clark Jensen, Floyd Zeigler, Johnnie Washburn, Jim J. Brown, Glenn Gray, Charles Powell, Johnnie Bradford.

Judge R. B. Cross, wife and son are vacationing in Kerrville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pratt Sadler of Dallas are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompson attended the motorcycle races in Waco Sunday afternoon.

Tom Connally Hollingsworth, is visiting his sister in Houston this week.

Mrs. Cleo Shanty and Mr. Martin of Hamilton were business visitors in this city Tuesday.

Mrs. Cecil Jones and children of Texarkana, Arkansas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Theo Turpin.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Powell and children of Brownfield are visiting his father, J. E. Powell this week.

Master Delbert Strickland son of Mr. and Mrs. Wess Strickland underwent a tonsilectomy Thursday morning.

Visitors in the Jim Martin home Sunday were his brother, Tom Martin and son of Hamilton and Miss Pauline Whigham of Flat.

Mr. and Mrs. Claxton Parks of Houston were guests of the R. G. Dickles the first part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard B. Key of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Brown, last week end.

Colbert Finsch of Belton is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Harrison this week.

Georgetown on last Friday. Methodists should be proud to know that Gatesville was best represented church in the district.

Joe Bailey Walker, manager of local A. and P. Store, and his helpers, Weldon Rogers and Buz Colgin attended a meeting of A. and P. officials in Waco Sunday.

Ches Baize, employee of men's Department of Leaird's Store, and Tommy Hicks vacationed in Lampasas first part of this week.

Mrs. Ned Chapman spent last week end in Belton with her husband. Mr. Chapman is working with the Perry Bros. Store there.

Misses Virginia and Emalea Carlyle of Dallas are vacationing with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Carlyle.

Misses Lindsay Belle Dickie and Dolly Farmer were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Ament in Hamilton the latter part of last week.

Miss Johnnie Marriot of Wharton arrived the first part of this week for a vacation visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Marriot.

Misses Rosylene Anderson, Patsy Olsen, Frances Goodall, Faye Byrom and E. L. Taylor attended a meeting of the Presbyterian Young People's Conference in Keerville from Tuesday until Thursday of this week.

Mrs. M. J. Lewis, Mrs. Cecil Graham and Mrs. O. F. Pederson and daughter of Fort Worth are visiting Mrs. C. S. Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maxwell this week.

Among those from Gatesville attending the motorcycle races in Waco Sunday afternoon were Wendell Lowery, Miss Thelma Stout, Sonny Hair, R. E. Schrimshire, and Aug. Schang of Plainview.

Messrs. and Mesdames Troy H. Jones, R. W. Ward, Charles Powell, C. F. Caruth Jr. and son Charles Francis, spent Sunday visiting the Buchanan Dam and Longhorn Cavern near Burnet.

FLAT NEWS

Dr. and Mrs. Jim Whigham and son Smoot of Georgetown were week end guests of his mother, Mrs. Sallie Whigham.

John Miller of Austin visited home folks here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Botkin and family of Tahoka recently visited relatives here.

Mr. and Arch Tippitt were business visitors to Waco one day last week.

Miss Norene Houser of Gatesville visited her sister, Mrs. L. M. Mayberry last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Whitten of Brady and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cloud and children of Bryan were recent visitors in the Dr. Southerland home.

Garlon Harper has returned home from A. & M. College.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Mooney and children of Oglesby were week end guests of Mrs. and Mrs. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Tippitt and son Jack accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Arville Holcomb to Alpine last Sunday where Mr. and Mrs. Holcomb have gone to make their home.

Senator J. Manley Head, Representative Huddleston and W. T. Brumbalow of Austin were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Carroll on Wednesday nite of last week.

Mrs. Mary Palmer entertained with a miscellaneous shower last Saturday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Mike Duncan, the former Miss June Webb. Games were played and refreshments served to about 40 guests. Many nice and useful gifts were received.

L. M. Mayberry and family were called to Mound last Sunday morning about 4:30 o'clock where his father had suddenly passed away due to heart attack.

HUBBARD NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Young and Miss Tomilene Young were in McGregor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Powell, Edward Powell and Misses Stella and Valeria Powell visited Sunday with their son and brother Joseph Powell of Temple.

Mrs. Ed Elms and son Clinton of Gatesville spent Monday with her brother, Bob Dwyer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Botkin had as their guest this week, their daughter and grandson of Kerrville.

J. D. Blair of Killeen is spending this week with his aunt, Mrs. Howard Powell.

Miss Alta May Fuller spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ode Fuller of Tama.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Young and family and Jimmie Love spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Hicks of near Killeen.

Mesdames Howard Powell and Minor Smith visited their father Jim Carroll, of Killeen one day the past week. Mrs. Smith remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Yancy and son J. W. and Mrs. W. P. Young and Miss Etta Young spent Sunday with Bob Dyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Botkin and daughter of Tahoka visited recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Botkin.

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- 16 oz. can PORK and BEANS 5c
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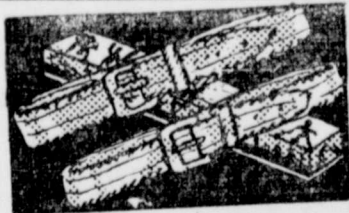
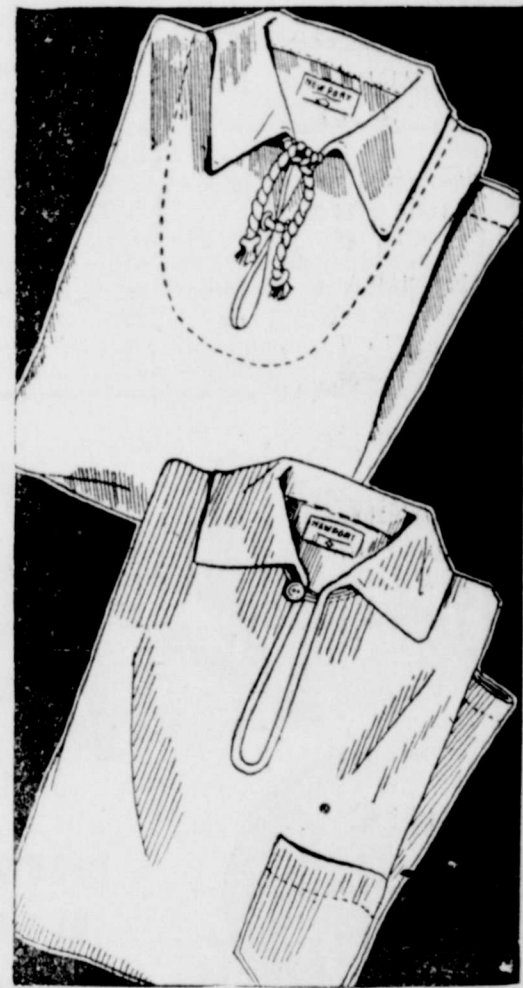
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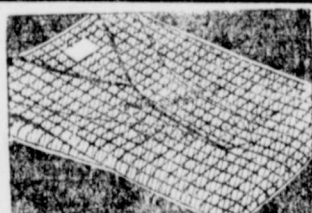
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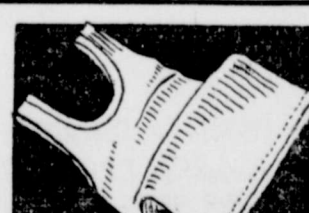
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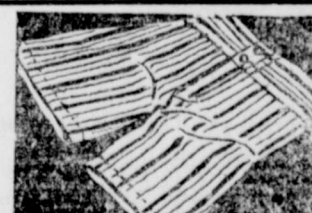
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SOCIETY

Patsy Ruth Schaub Celebrates Birthday

Mrs. Walter Schaub entertained a group of children in Raby Park Tuesday afternoon with a party in honor of her small daughter, Patsy Ruth, who celebrated her fifth birthday.

Various games furnished the entertainment of the afternoon and birthday cake and ice cream were served about 20 guests. Gay balloons and candy were given each guest for favors.

Mrs. Thurman Duncan Tendered Courtesies

On Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Mary Palmer entertained at her home at Flat with a party and miscellaneous shower complimenting Mrs. Thurman Duncan of Mosheim, the former Miss June Webb.

Refreshments were served to forty-eight guests. The honoree received many lovely and useful gifts.

Recent Bride Receives Compliment

Naming Mrs. Roy E. Manning as honoree Mrs. Frank Jones, Mrs. Y. J. Honeycutt and Miss Lela Todd entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of the former on East Main street with a pretty party compliment. The party rooms were beautifully decorated in summer flowers and Mrs. Honeycutt presided at the register where guests were asked to write their names on a rolling pin, which was presented the honoree.

Miscellaneous games and contests furnished the diversion of the afternoon and many lovely gifts were presented the honoree as a winner of one of the contests.

Punch and cake were served to approximately thirty guests.

Mrs. Robert W. Brown Has Contract Club

On Friday afternoon of last week Mrs. Robert W. Brown was hostess to members and guests of the Thursday contract club at her home on South 14th street. Summer flowers decorated the party rooms.

An ice course was served the following: Mesdames Laura Rayford, D. D. McCoy, R. B. Cross, C. E. Gandy, R. W. Ward, A. L. Chollar, E. C. Stone, Rufe

Brown, W. H. Satterfield, D. R. Boone, H. C. Stinnett, and Mrs. Denver Roberts of Pettus. In games of bridge high score awards went to Mesdames Laura Rayford and D. D. McCoy.

Miss May Beck Bride of Rail Road Man

In a simple ceremony at the Methodist Parsonage at high noon Miss May Beck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Beck of this city, and L. R. Adkinson were united in matrimony by Rev. Marcus M. Chunn, pastor of First Methodist Church of this city.

The bride who was charmingly attired in a frock of blue with which she wore white accessories, attended the Gatesville Public Schools in this city.

Mr. Adkinson is an employee of the Cotton Belt Rail Road Company and the couple will make their home on East Main street following a brief honeymoon trip.

Picnic Tendered Out of Town Guests

A no host picnic was had at Coryell Creek Thursday afternoon as a compliment to Miss Ernestine Reed of Fort Worth and Miss Sarah Jones of Texarkana, Ark., who are visiting relatives in this city.

Those enjoying the affair were, Misses Frances McCoy, Nell Goodall, Belva McCoy, Jean Patillo, Mary Ann Post, Anita Lowrey, Mildred Witcher, Tince Franks, Thelma Stout, Mildred Gandy, Gladys Marie Phillips, Louise Hall, Earnestine Durham and the two honorees.

Party Compliments Out of Town Guest

Miss Margaret Ann Morton entertained Friday evening at her home on East Leon street with a party complimenting her cousin, Helen Maude Webster of Waco, who has been her guest for the past week.

Miscellaneous games furnished the principal diversion of the evening.

At conclusion of games refreshments were served the following guests: Mabel Marion Brown, Jack Jackson, Douglas Pollard Marjorie Hall, Nancy Satterfield, John Mings Davidson, Leone Mann, Paul Hopson, Grace Walker, Marguerite Kelso, Sammie Jack Horne, Earnestine Shelton Harold Diserns, Juanita Graves, T. Lee Jr.,

Joyce Thomas, Yveta Graves, Hupert Davis, Bryan Jones, Ruth Bradford, Nettie Davidson, Ruth Hanna, Ben Owen Crow Wayne Strickland, Floyd Sansom Jr., the hostess and honoree.

Birthday Dinner (Oglesby This Week)

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fisher honored their children with a birthday dinner, Sunday, in honor of their son, Hollis. The sons and daughters present with their families, were, Mrs. R. L. Lovelace, of friendship, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Parsons, of Pearl, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Fisher of Leon Junction, Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Fisher of Pidcoke, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bates of Slater, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fisher of Pecan Grove. Grand children present: Mr. and Mrs. Lorgus Lee of Ireland, Garland Lovelace of Friendship, Merrill, Billy, Bonny, Guy, and Gary Don of Slater, Helen Marie Parsons of Pearl, Bobbie Jean Fisher of Pidcoke, Roy Lee and Joyce Fisher of Leon Junction, Edwin Fisher of Pecan Grove, and one great grand child, Chas. David Lee, of Ireland.

One daughter Mrs. R. L. Weaver of Carlton, could not be present.

Dinner was served to twenty-seven. Many more happy birthdays to you, Hollis.

PERSONALS

Miss Winnie Belle Wigham visited friends and relatives in Georgetown last week.

M. E. Singleton spent last week end in Cleburne and Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Harrison visited her mother, Mrs. H. Taylor at The Grove Sunday.

Little Miss La Dell Strickland is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Faye Thetford at Carlton this week.

Miss Katherine Gordon is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Morris Roberts and family in Austin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilhelm and sons were visitors in Mineral Wells Sunday.

Misses Winola Sasse, Lois Scott and Messrs. Ennis Hamilton and David Corrigan were in Temple Sunday.

Miss Beulah Gamblin spent the week end in Houston where she visited Leon Anderson who is in a hospital there.

Charles E. Gardner of the McGregor Mirror Office was a pleasant caller at this office Tuesday morning.

Miss Sarah Lane Martin, who has been teaching in Brownsville for the past two years, has returned home for the summer.

Miss Ernestine Reed of Fort Worth was the popular guest of Coach and Mrs. Earle Worley last week.

Arthur Moony's family of Louise are vacationing with relatives, Prof. Autry, of Corsicana, visiting at Dr. Homans.

Mesdames T. R. Mears, B. B. Garrett, Robert W. Brown and daughter Martha Claire were Waco visitors Monday.

Mrs. S. R. Shirley and daughter, Daisy Edith, of Port Arthur are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jones and other relatives in this city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wess Strickland had as their guests Saturday and Sunday, her sisters, Mesdames George Thetford of Purmela and Faye Thetford and little daughter Inez of Carlton.

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Plus Fox News — Shorts

Mr. and Mrs. W. Mat Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Jones attended the Greater Texas and Pan-American Exposition in Dallas Sunday. Mrs. Homer Wilson accompanied them and visited her daughter, Mrs. Joe Wynn and husband in that city.

Mrs. W. B. Duncan and son Cloyce, Mrs. J. D. Brown Jr., and children, Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Martin and children left the first part of the week for Christoval where they will visit relatives and friends and attend a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Edwards of Los Angeles, Cal. is visiting her niece, Mrs. Wess Strickland and family at Levita this week. Mrs. Edwards arrived about 8 days ago and has been visiting relatives in Hamilton for the past week.

Greatness abhors ostentation as much as it loves simplicity.

Mr. and Mrs. Joyce Ryan, Mrs. Byrd Hair and daughter, Miss Dessa Lee, enjoyed a fishing trip and outing at Goldthwaite Tuesday.

County Official Directory

Floyd Zeigler.....Judge
C. P. Mounce.....Co. Clerk
Dave Culbertson.....Assr.-Collector
J. M. Witcher.....Co. Supt.
Joe White.....Sheriff
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Poage Letter—

continue to secure approval for new projects as in the past. I voted for the bill believing that the P.W.A. work being of a lasting character is of greatest value to our people.

In this connection I am sure that our people will be happy to know that I have been advised by the Soil Conservation Service that even though a number of C.C.C. camps are to be abandoned the first of next month, they do not intend at this time, at least, to abandon any soil conservation camp in our district.

On Thursday the House passed a bill reported out of my committee on immigration which will make mandatory the deportation of thousands of criminal aliens. The bill takes the position that if a foreigner comes to the United States and does not become a citizen but on the contrary become a criminal he should be sent out of the country. It makes provisions on the other hand, for the admission to citizenship of those aliens who have good records but who did not come in under the present quota laws. I think it will help a great deal in ridding the country of gangsters and gunmen and I, therefore, voted for the bill.

Yesterday the House voted to extend all of the so-called nuisance taxes for a two year period. These taxes include the one cent Federal Gasoline levy—the Federal cosmetic and admission taxes, and the three cent postage. They were all enacted together as emergency measures but have never been taken off. I can not believe it is sound for the Federal Government to duplicate state taxes as it is now doing and I think that it would be better for us to increase the Federal income tax than it is to continue to try to fool the people. A two cent letter rate always showed a profit on first class mail and I think that the postage rate should be returned to two cents per ounce first class. I, therefore, voted against the bill but it carried nevertheless.

Many similar questions come to mind. But these will suffice to indicate the seriousness of the problem. It should have our best thought.

KNOW TEXAS

Denton, June 17.—Summer travelers who feel the call of the "wide open spaces" must, of course, look to the west to find a vacation spot. Texas' Panhandle, planted with the glowing colors of its cowboy legends, offers a varied bill of fare to the visitor.

Probably the most inclusive route through the Northwest section of the state begins at Fort Worth on Federal highways 81 and 370, passes on through Wichita Falls to Amarillo. After a circle of the Panhandle, it turns south through Plainview and Lubbock.

Remains of ancient Indian cultures are glimpsed by the tourist in the interesting old towns of Tascosa and old Mobeetie up in the eastern corner. Then, traveling along the scenic Canadian river and southward he comes upon the land which formed the well known XIT ranch, a 3,999,000 acre tract which was paid for the building of the state capital. Just a remnant now remains.

Another large tract is the Goodnight ranch in the lower

Palo Duro Valley southeast of Amarillo. Nearby is a state park of 15,000 acres, and also a museum of relics collected by the Panhandle Historical Society.

Although most of the great old ranches are being replaced by fields of wheat and cotton, and more recently by oil and gas fields, between the high plains and Fort Worth are four ranches large enough to deserve mention—Spur, 6666, Matador, and Waggoner. In the nearby towns rodeos are held throughout the summer.

The territory of the most historical importance is around Albany, Throckmorton and Graham where Forts Richardson, Belknap, Throckmorton and Graham. These are among the most famous of the old frontier forts.

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- C. E. Gandy.....Mayor
- R. L. Saunders.....Alderman
- E. Routh.....Alderman
- J. O. Brown.....Alderman
- Lewis Holmes.....Alderman
- Eiland Lovejoy...Assessor-Coll.
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Gulf Auto Cleaner..37c	Top Dressing....49c
Gulf Auto Wax...34c	Light Bulbs..7c to 49c
Gulf Value Top Oil..21c	Spark Plugs, AC
Gulf Greases, 1 lb.	Champ.....50c
cans.....14c and 19c	Light Fuse.....5c
Cold Patch.....10c	Valve Caps.....4c

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

Bring Him Home Safely

If your child is one who goes to and from school daily in a school bus what do you know about the bus and its driver? If you are a school board



member, are you sure that maximum safety has been provided?

To face this problem squarely, let's consider some more questions. Is the driver a sane sober mature adult? Is he skillful and careful? Does he comply with regulations and laws? Must he get the children to school before the regular bell, though highway conditions be such that care and slow driving are, by far the wiser procedure? If so which is more important—saving a few minutes or saving the lives of the children

Are your children breathing carbon monoxide gas in the bus? Are they riding on tires that are worn down to the fabric? How well do the brakes hold?

Suppose an accident occurs and the bus falls on its right side. Is there a rear emergency door which can be easily opened? Are the windows so screened or barred that exit through them is impossible? If so and the emergency door is jammed, is there a fire extinguisher in the bus and is it in working condition? Important point that. Wouldn't a trap door in the roof be a good precaution? I have never seen one but it's a good idea.

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TURNERSVILLE

Mrs. A. D. Daniels was a recent visitor in Seymour. Howard Buster and family of Childress, who spent the past 10 days with his mother, Mrs. Claud Buster, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. P. R. Hobin is visiting in Stephenville.

Miss Louise Basham is visiting in Ireland.

Mrs. Jerry Phillips and daughters, Bertha Marie and Ruby Ellen were Sunday visitors in the Dan Tharp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tharp are visiting relatives in Iredell this

week.

Mrs. Frank Jones and sons of Gatesville were week end visitors of Miss Mattie Cooper. Mr. and Mrs. L. W. McDonald, after a 10 days visit with relatives and friends here, returned to their home in Victoria and El Campo.

Mrs. Smoot McDonald of El Campo is visiting in the L. W. McDonald home.

Liberty Church News

Everyone is very busy in the fields at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell visited in the J. E. Huckaby home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hightower attended church at Turnersville Sunday.

Miss Exa Turner has been on the sick list this week.

Several enjoyed the singing at Bonnie Franklin's Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Turner visited Mr. and Mrs. Willis Turner Sunday afternoon.

Miss Marine Hollingsworth spent the week end with her brother, B. R. Hollingsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurlin visited in the Purnela community this week.

Miss Ovalene Wilson is confined to her bed with mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Buster is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. H. B. Davis and daughter and Mable Marion Brown were Waco visitors.

Pat Bone, Alvis Ingram, Joe Baker, Kenneth Anderson and Snowball Jackson (colored) were fishing at Kempner, Rumley and Pidoke from Saturday until Thursday.

WANT-ADS

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WORLD COMMENT



Joe Burns

The story behind the execution of Marshal Tuchachevsky and seven other generals of Russia's mighty Red Army at Dictator Josef Stalin's command is as mystical as any that has emerged from the land of the frozen steppes since the Bolsheviks assumed the reigns of responsibility. The cryptic government press release announcing the executions failed to reveal the true story.

The Moscow government announced that the eight army commanders had conspired against the state with an unnamed Fascist power—obviously Germany. Actually, all that the Army leaders were guilty of was proposing an alliance between the Soviets and Nazi Germany.

Three weeks ago this commentator quoted from a statement by H. R. Knickerbocker, prominent foreign affairs commentator and reporter, that Russia and Germany were negotiating an alliance. This seemed improbable at the time, but the statement coming from such a well-informed personage as Knickerbocker lent credence to the story. As it turned out, the diplomats of the two states had never talked of an alliance at all. But military leaders of the Reichswehr and the Red Army held secret conferences on their own right, and proposed to civilian leaders that the two states settle their political differences and reach an agreement which would effectually bar hostilities.

Hitler turned down the proposal flatly. Stalin and his Communists being anathema to him. But no disciplinary measures were taken against the Reichswehr (German army) leaders who made the proposal. But Stalin chose to interpret the conversations between the army leaders as an act of treason, and they were promptly placed on trial and summarily executed.

Beyond this stage of the story we must lie upon supposition entirely. Why Dictator Stalin chose to execute the eight most brilliant minds in his potent army (opinion of French military leaders, in close touch with Russian military affairs by virtue of the Franco-Russian mutual assistance treaty) is not known. It is known that the explanation of the executions does no lie in the conversations held by Marshal Tuchachevsky and his associates with German army leaders. It may be said in all truthfulness that Stalin had ample reason, however, for the consequences of his act upon the morale of the Red Army are incalculable and Stalin must have been well aware of this. It were as if American Chief of Staff Malin Craig or German War Minister Von Blomberg were executed for treason.

To many in Europe the answer lies in a belief widely held that the Red Army leaders were conspiring to overthrow Stalin and substitute a form of state capitalism for the state socialism of the Russian Communist state of today. This belief is unsubstantiated, however.

This, the most recent in a

series of mass executions indulged in by the Stalin regime, has resulted in a sharp drop in Russia's military prestige. The french general staff is most jittery over the occurrence, reasoning that no great reliance can be placed upon Russian military help in any future war with Germany if the leaders of the Red Army are so unreliable as to be periodically purged by executions.

To Germany the executions will lend courage and boldness in its international relationships and particularly in its dealings with Soviet Russia. One of the bases of the proposal for a soviet-German alliance was that Russia was too potent militarily to be tackled by the Nazi's revived Reichswehr. As stated above, Russia was deprived of its keenest military strategists when Marshal Tuchachevsky, General Putna and six other generals fell before a firing squad. The German gen-

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MEMBERS OF HOME DEMO. CLUBS TO EXHIBIT CLOTHING

The fourth annual Home Demonstration Members' Clothing exhibit will be held June 26th at the Court House in Gatesville.

The first exhibit of this kind was on October 20, 1934 at which 14 clothing demonstrators exhibited 7 cotton, 3 wool, and 4 silk dresses. The second annual exhibit was June 29, 1935 where 64 dresses and 54 slips and foundation patterns were shown. Local merchants and the Chamber of Commerce cooperated in the 1935 clothing exhibit in giving prizes.

The third annual Home Demonstration Club Exhibit was June 27, 1936 and 56 Home Demonstration Club members exhibited dresses, slips, and foundation patterns at the Court House.

These exhibits are sponsored by the Coryell County Home Demonstration Council with the

and assistance of the Gatesville Merchants.

Articles to be exhibited this year will be women's dresses, slips, foundation patterns, 3 to 10 year old children's clothing, 4-H club demonstrators dresses, 4-H club cooperators aprons and slacks.

The exhibit committee of the Council consists of Mrs. Bill Daniels, Hood Springs Home Demonstration Club, Miss Otha Berry, Hood Springs Home Demonstration Club and Mrs. George Bamberg, Carden Home Demonstration Club. They request that exhibitors have their garments at the Court House by 2 p. m., June 24, so that the necessary final arrangements can be made.

Miss Mary Inez Scott, Assistant Home Demonstration Agent of McLennan County will be a judge of the garments exhibited at Gatesville, June 26th.

A baseball derailed a street car at Platt City, Ala.

Twenty Questions on Social Security



Social Security Question No. 4

Question: What forms are required under the Social Security Act and where and by whom should they be filed?

Answer: Every employee who is not 65 years of age or more and who is in an occupation covered by the Act must file an application on Form SS-5 for an employee's account number and submit such application to the nearest postmaster. Also, every employer in a covered occupation who employs one or more individuals who are under 65 years of age, is required to fill out Form SS-4, Application for Employer's Identification Number.

Such employer is also required to submit, monthly, to the Collector of Internal Revenue, Form SS-1, Employer's Return Under Title VIII of the Act, together with the remittance called for in this form.

In addition, such employers must submit to the Bureau of Internal Revenue, by July 31, 1937, and quarterly thereafter, Forms SS-2 and SS-2a, which are informational returns. The first informational returns will cover the period January to June 30, 1937, and will show the amount of taxable wages paid to each employee during the period. No remittance accompanies those returns. If an employee dies or attains the age of 65, his employer will file within fifteen days Form SS-3, which shows the amount of wages paid to the employee during the informational period.

All employers of one or more, regardless of age, are also required to make one original report to the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission, Austin, Texas; however, only those employers who employ eight or more, regardless of age, must make monthly reports and contributions on wages of their employees to the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission.

Employers of eight or more, in addition, are required to make an annual report and pay a tax under Title IX of the Act, to the Collector of Internal Revenue, although employers may credit against this tax their contributions to the State unemployment fund, up to 90 per cent of the federal tax.

REV. W. HOPSON TO PREACH AT TURNOVER CHURCH SUN., JUNE 20

Everyone is invited to attend the services at the Turnover Church of Christ on June 20th at the Turnover School house at which time Rev. Walter Hopson will preach.

The morning service begins promptly at 10:30. Come and Worship with us.

The first Ohio River ship to reach Louisville, Ky., came on June 16, 1800.

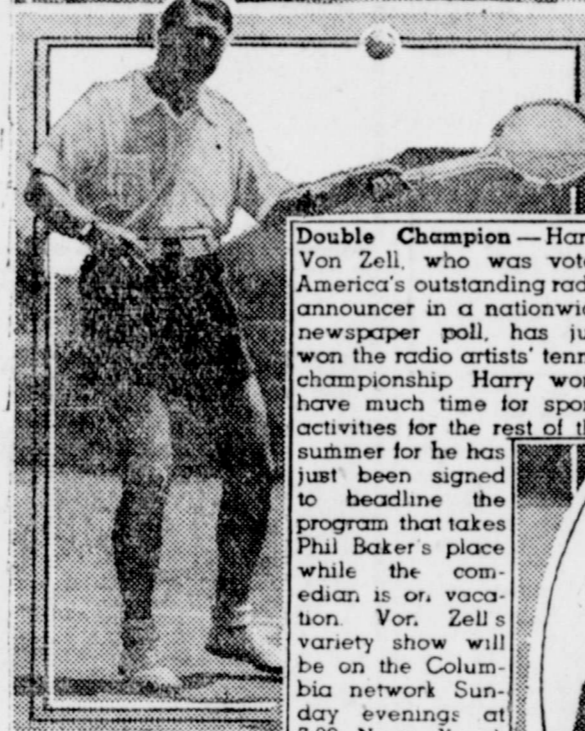
THE NEWS SNAPSHOTS



Over the Top—The Barbary Sheep at the London Zoo are born steeplechasers. Here they are cantering over the rocks in answer to the Keeper's call at feeding time.



On the Beach—Two fetching damsels display the latest in swim attire.



Double Champion—Harry Von Zell, who was voted America's outstanding radio announcer in a nationwide newspaper poll, has just won the radio artists' tennis championship. Harry won't have much time for sports activities for the rest of the summer for he has just been signed to headline the program that takes Phil Baker's place while the comedian is on vacation. Von Zell's variety show will be on the Columbia network Sunday evenings at 7:30 New York time.



An International Sportsman—Count Thec Rossi, leading Italian racer of high power motor boats and the world's vermouth king, who is bringing two new 90-mile-an-hour boats to America to participate in the Gold Cup race at Detroit on Labor Day, Sept 6 now thrown open to foreign competition for the first time.



Another Di Maggio Promises Baseball Stardom—Dominic bespectacled nineteen year old brother of the famed Joe of the New York Yankees and Vince of the Boston Bees has the experts agog because of the sensational manner he's disputing in his first professional season as a member of the San Francisco Seals.



Although blind, Gretta Griffiths of El Dorado, Kansas, cooks complete meals on her Hot-point Electric Range.

This Week In Oglesby

E. A. Culpepper, who owns the store at the bridge head at Neff Park bought three Coryell County histories and subscribed for the News in about two minutes time. Thanks E. A.! Henry Fisher delivering the mail from train to post office while Festus Shope takes a vacation in Georgie. Mrs. R. G. Campbell has had finished a lot of inside decoration in her home. A ten year old boy trying to board a heavily loaded, moving grain truck.

Mrs. Lilly Bell, of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Malone of Jones, Okla. and Mrs. Jahn Crouch visited Mrs. R. S. Cox of Coryell

City. This was a reunion of four sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rogers of Waco to weekend with the G. R. Greens. Mr. W. H. Basset, of Sedalia, Mo., and Kerby Basset, of Kansas, vacationing in Oglesby with their sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Graham. Fred Homan and family home from Temple. A never ending procession of heavily laden grain trucks hauling wheat and oats to market, holding Coryell County's good name, as a grain producer, in its proper places.

Another large crowd Saturday night. The largest ever. It may be the last bank night. We don't know how block-eyed Jimmies antics are going to effect us. Folks, come right on there will be something doing in Oglesby every Saturday night.

Fort Station to Have Marker

Thru the Boy Scout organizations of Gatesville and McGregor, under scout leaders J. M. Witcher of Gatesville, and A. L. Lee and R. C. Summers of McGregor, plans were formulated to arrange to place a suitable marker to commemorate the occupancy of what is historically known as Fort Station.

The site is on the John Feggette farm half a mile above where the old military road crosses Station Creek. The marker will be placed at the forks of the road a hundred yards east of the concrete dip at the crossing on Station Creek. A locating committee consisting of J. M. Witcher, D. I. Glass, Tom Robinson Jr. and fourteen Boy Scouts of troop 2, Gatesville, and R. C. Summers, A. L. Lee and seven scouts of Troops 9 and 14, of McGregor, and Frank Simmons and Elmer McAuley of Oglesby were on the ground June 14. Flag Day, to start the movement for this, the fifth historic marker for Coryell County. Cooperation of the officials at Mother Neff Park and the Highway department is assured.

Fort Station was occupied by Capt. Geo. B. Erath and a large company of rangers in 1839, therefore this marker will commemorate an event belonging to the history of the Republic of Texas. (See History of Coryell County.)

After the plans, as above indicated, were worked out, the party drove on to Neff Park where a wonderful hour was spent preparing and eating a camp supper under the deep silent forests of the park Scout drills and flag training, and a moonlight inspection of the chief points of interest in the park closed the evening.

CORYELL VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Fisher visited relatives in Ireland Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McCallister and family of White Hall were picnicing Monday of last week on the McCallister farm.

Tom Boyd was a caller with Mr. A. M. McCallister Wednesday.

J. J. Nichols was a recent visitor in our community.

Mrs. Benton Fisher and Mrs. Matt McCallister visited in Gatesville Saturday.

We are happy to say that Mrs. McCallister's mother is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kitley were Gatesville visitors Saturday.

Miss Faye Taylor and Bro. J. W. Hamilton are visiting in the Fisher brothers' homes this week.

LEVITA NEWS

The order of the days with the farmers is planting and chopping cotton. So many are late in planting their cotton on account of the dry weather, but since the fine rain everything is more promising.

Last week Mrs. J. M. Rogers had as her guest her daughter,

Mrs. Lora Kelly and granddaughter, Miss Wilda Russell of Port Arthur. Mrs. Kelly is better known in Gatesville and Ater as Mrs. Lora Russell. Mrs. Kelly returned home but Wilda will remain until the first of July.

Most of the ladies of the community are busy canning vegetables and fruits.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Huckabee spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Miles.

Since our last writing we have lost one of our neighbors. Mr. Webb has accepted a position in Waco and moved to that city.

John Roach has been sick a long time, but is some better at present. We hope he continues to improve.

The new preacher of the M. E. Church will be here Sunday. Everyone is invited to come and hear him.

Editor's Daughter Wins On Editoria!



Carolyn Craig, only daughter of R. T. Craig, editor of *The Athens Review*, won the William Thompson award for editorial writing at Southern Methodist University Subject was "The Pan American Exposition." Editorials were judged by Charles Ferguson, associate editor of *Reade's Digest*, J. C. Butts, editor of *The Hillsboro Mirror*, and Wayne Gard, editorial writer on *The Dallas News*.

Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS

THE boys setting around at the club was bragging about what good husbands they were. That is what they do at clubs, when they get to a certain stage in the evening's entertainment.

So the fellow that never quarreled with his wife had told his gag, and so had the one that buys her candy every birthday. Then says Jones, "Why, I ain't so good as some of you, but I reckon I ain't so bad, either. Anyhow, I sat and held my wife's hands last night for an hour."

Smith was just far enough gone so he couldn't let it go.

"Why, that's funny," he says. "You know, I live right next door to you, Jones, as all these guys know. And I saw you and your wife fighting something awful last night. Chairs, you were throwing, and all that."

"I didn't say we wasn't fighting a little," says Jones. "I held her hands for an hour, though, and that's the truth. I wasn't going to let her scratch my eyes out."

World Comment—

eral staff has long been noted for its loyalty and obedience, and knowledge that there is treason and dissension within the high command of the Soviet Red Army, as there was in the Czars Imperial armies, will certainly lend courage to the Nazi military chieftains.

The beneficiaries of the failure of German and Russian army leaders to merge their states into an alliance will be Britain

and France. Their gratification at this failure far exceeds whatever pleasure Hitler and his aides may receive from the Russian executions.

The rumor that a Soviet-German alliance might be negotiated brought an immediate inquiry from the British foreign office at the Berlin foreign ministry as to the truthfulness of the story. This manifests the concern held in British and also French quarters at a possible Nazi-Communist lineup.

Accomplishment of such an alliance would not only nullify the efforts of French statesmen for two decades to forge an iron ring of hostile powers around Germany, but would give the new alliance an insurmountable superiority in armed strength over the British and French. Russia's teeming millions of fighting brawn and its incalculable natural resources coupled with German military efficiency and industrial capabilities would present a force against which Britain and France could hardly contend.

Fortunately, such an eventuality has been forestalled by

the mutual hatred of Hitler and Stalin.

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A. SHIRLEY
Justice of the Peace.

NOTICE

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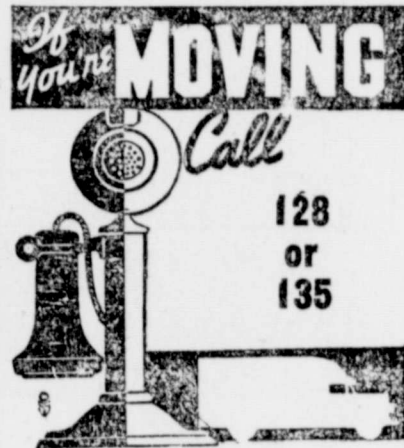
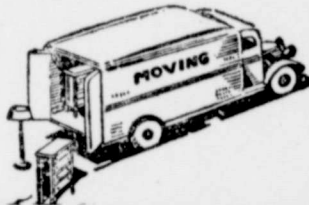
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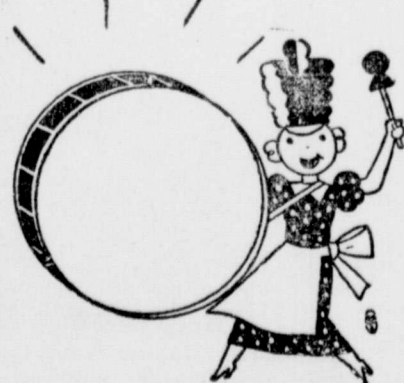
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Chapter One

Europe resounded to the tramp of marching feet on the eve of the war. Russia was a volcano, floating a frivolous aristocracy on its crust. The snow flurried over Alexandra's wedding entourage as it raced over the big bridge of the River Neva, the lights of St. Petersburg twinkling below.

It was a good marriage, a discreet marriage, Alexandra thought. She was fond of Adraxine. As husband and wife they could maintain their station at the top of Russian society. A roaring detonation, the skidding halt of her sleigh and she sat bolt upright. As she ran forward to her father's carriage the police were already gathering about it.

"My father!" she gasped. From the interior of the carriage came General Vladinoff's hearty voice, "Tell my daughter I am all right!" One of the officers turned and fired at a slender figure that was running madly, disappearing in the darkness. He was the youth who had thrown the terrorist's bomb. Fifteen minutes later the youth was hammering desperately on a

from the villa. Terrified, she ventured out into the villa grounds, calling for them.

As she stood in the garden mute with terror, a mob rushed in, the soldiers seized her roughly and took her with them to Communist headquarters.

While Alexandra sat in the library of a villa hoping death would be speedy, her fate was being decided by the commissar of the village. He was talking to the Peter Ouranov whom Fate had brought back from Siberia to this village. "St. Petersburg has ordered us to take her back for examination. You must take her," Peter nodded and went to get his charge.

"Get up," he said to her, "I am the assistant commissar." Her eyes met his levelly, and a tremor feeling passed between them. "Am I not to be shot?" she asked calmly.

Quickly, she threw a cloak over her flimsy gown, followed him to a sleigh. "Saratursk Station," he ordered the soldiers.

Hours later they were at the deserted station, and Alexandra tried to break the silence. "Where are the soldiers?" she asked.

"I sent them back to Khalinsk,"



"My father!" she gasped.

door in a crowded section of the city. As it swung open the man inside gasped "Alexis!" He helped the youth across the threshold. "Tell me quickly, what happened?" "They shot me as I ran," gasped the boy. His protector bared the chest wound, looked gravely into the eyes of the suffering boy. As he listened to the whispered tale, he knew that the boy did not have long to live.

The wounded youth was beyond salvation. It was his own safety that troubled him now. The Tsar's police would not believe that he was A. J. Fothergill. He could not tell them that he was in the service of British Intelligence. To them, he would be Peter Ouranov, revolutionary, and a fit subject for quick transport to Siberia. Why had he let Stanfield talk him into taking this mad chance?

He packed hurriedly, he dressed gave one last glance to the dying youth, then turned to the door. As it opened, he saw the towering figures of two policemen. "I'll meet some of my new friends in Siberia," he thought bitterly, as he set his bags drop to the floor.

For three years men had been doing nothing but killing and being killed. The wedding that had begun so ominously for Alexandra, ended the same way. Adraxine had left her before their honeymoon was well begun to join the Tsar's armies. He died in the first engagement with the Germans.

At the family villa in Khalinsk, Alexandra thought she would be safe. The servants spoke to her gently, called her "Excellency." They seemed not to be aware that a whirlwind of death had arisen through the nation, was drowning the old regime in a bath of blood. Then one night they all disappeared

In many cases, however, it pays to protect land that is so badly eroded that will not grow profitable crops. The use of legumes may "bring the land back," but aside from this, protection of fertile lowlands often repays the expense of terracing barren hillsides.

Almost every farmer in the hilly sections of Texas knows of cases of rich land which has been ruined by a deposit of poor soil which covered fertile fields.

Nine inch dahlias were exhibited at Johannesburg, South Africa.

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Community News Letters

SEATTLE ITEMS

We have had a good rain and the crops sure were needing it. Some of the corn was almost gone but think it will be good now.

Some of the farmers had not planted cotton because they were waiting for the rain. Although there was some hail it did not damage the crops.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wall were guests of Grandma Dixon Sunday.

Mrs. Lydia Wolff spent a few days in Temple with Miss Alta Finney.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lee and children visited in the Jess Black home Sunday.

George Copeland of Georgetown and Wess Copeland of McGregor were guests in the T. W. Copeland home Sunday.

Rev. O. F. Williams of The Grove will fill his regular appointment at Cold Springs Sunday. Everyone is urged to come at 10 a. m.

MOUND NEWS

Clay and Sam Folsam of Dallas visited their sisters, Mrs. J. Q. and H. A. Davidson one night the past week. Mrs. J. Q. Davidson accompanied them home for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Lam spent Sunday afternoon with his sister, Mrs. Sellers at Belton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Franks visited his nieces the Misses Scotts of Eagle Springs Sunday.

C. E. Marshall and family, Dosey Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McHargue spent Sunday in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Marshall of Pecan Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Davidson and daughter Effie, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Sheppard of Pecan Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Norton Williams of Waco visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Davidson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davidson of Pecan Grove spent Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Bomar.

Threshing is the order of the day and the yield is fairly good.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blanchard of Ewing spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Childers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bruton of Flat visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. White, Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Childers spent several days here last week with his wife, Mrs. J. A. Childers. He had the misfortune of being run into and was pretty badly hurt. He was in a hospital for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lam in Waco Sunday.

ELIGA NEWS

The farmers are quite busy after receiving good rains, but are all smiles after all they seem to enjoy working in their crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Luck Wolf and sons visited in the John Hill home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Fleming and two little daughters visited in the Bud Manning home Sunday.

L. D. Gray visited in the Aelix Vanwinkle home Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Pearl Graham and Miss Mary Beth Graham visited Miss Marry Manning Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Whatley visited in the John C. Graham home Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard and sons, Loye and Foye and little Miss Wilma Whatley and Miss Robbie Lea Hubbard visited in the Grover Fleming home Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Meador, Andrew Meador, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hamilton and little daughter and Mrs. Charles Turners and son, all of Waco visited the Lum Hubbard home recently. Mrs. Emma Meador is a sister of Mr. Lum Hubbard.

Mrs. Hattie McVey visited her sister, Mrs. Ennie Lee Fleming, who has been quite sick but we are glad to report her condition greatly improved at this date.

Miss Lucy Gray has returned home after spending some time in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Faine of Santa Rosa.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Tur-

ner and son Charles Jr. of Waco spent the past week visiting in the C. C. Hubbard home.

Rev. Ira Grantham is to preach at Eliga next Sunday. Visitors are always welcome.

SPRING HILL

There is plenty of work on the farms since the good rains.

Miss Hogan of King spent the past week in the Harry McClasky and Tom Dyer homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morse of Copperas Cove visited in the John Morse home Saturday, and Ila Rae, who spent the past week in the John Morse home returned with them.

Guests of Mr. and Fred Dyer Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wicker of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dyer of Gatesville; Mr. and Mrs. Owen Dyer and Billy Van, of Schley; and Billy Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morse of Gatesville and Gip Wadill of Pidoce were callers in the John Morse home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hopson and baby of Schley and Dink Dyer of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dyer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Deavers and children of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dyer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Deavers and children of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Deavers last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Dyer and Vernon Lagon spent last Wednesday in the Virgil Deavers home at Plainview.

Mrs. Dessie Wise of Gatesville is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Tom Dyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cummings spent Sunday afternoon with his sister, who resides a few miles east of Gatesville.

PURMELA NEWS

The farmers are deligher with the good rains we have had and all are busy with their crops.

We are proud to have the W.P.A. workers graveling our roads.

Mrs. Zeigler is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Watkins.

Miss Minnie Comer of Waco is visiting friends in this community.

Mrs. Belle Roundtree of Dallas spent last week with her Uncle B. L. Montgomery.

The Singing School will be taught each night at the Church house until Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rubarth

have a daughter, Mrs. L. E. Kincannon and two children of Lawton, Okla. as their guest this week.

Mrs. Windham and Bobby Jo are visiting her son in Dalas for a few weeks.

B. L. Montgomery is visiting his neices in Brownwood this

week. Emery Fletcher and family left for Porth Arthur for the summer. Mr. Fletcher has accepted a position with an oil refinery.

Coyne Robinson and wife visited his aunt, Mrs. E. L. Drury at Comanche, Sunday.



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