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Election Proves "Dud" In Texas: Local Boxes In

DR. J. B. TIDWELL OF WACO PRESIDING OVER BAPTIST STATE CONVENTION

Dr. J. B. Tidwell of Waco will be head of the Texas General Baptist Convention which is being held in Dallas this week. The Convention opened Tuesday night at which time the business session was held and officers were elected.

At this convention the Woman's Missionary Union is playing an important role. The union was asked to contribute money to finish the construction of a school building as a memorial to a woman who died of yellow fever in Africa last year.

Five thousand people were expected to attend Tuesday and two thousand of those present were women.

Those who are attending from Gatesville are Mrs. J. O. Brown, Mrs. D. R. Boone, Mrs. C. L. Bellamy, and Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Spalding.

C. C. N.

NYA ASKING FOR LOAN OF KITCHEN WARE AND FURNITURE

Got a bed, got a dish, got an old bed, got anything you have laid aside, or have stored, that you would not need til July 1. Phone 330, the high school office, the NYA Cooperative House needs these articles and many others.

Fifty boys will be cared for in this house, and the house needs this equipment. A truck will be furnished to call for this equipment, and all you have to do is phone 330, the high school office to let 'em know you've got it.

The fifty local boys will live at their home in Gatesville, but the 50 rural boys will be forced to live in the NYA Cooperative House in Gatesville.

ALVIS-GARNER COMPANY MAILED CIRCULARS TODAY

Circulars, giving most astounding news of the sale which opens Saturday morning, November 12, the first day after Armistice, have been mailed out by Alvis-Garner Company, "The Store of Dependable Drygoods."

This big "mandarin" colored circular, four big pages in all, carries in its covers, "the last will and testament of Old Man Depression" Really, folks, when you see this, you'll feel like lots of us did in '29, before the panic.

It's one revelation to read the prices, on the quality merchandise that is listed in this circular. There are simply three things you owe it to yourself to do, and these are: Read, Go, Buy. It's like taking money out of one pocket and putting it in the other—and one with no hole.

Miss Lorene Moon of Fort Worth is visiting friends in this city.

MARKET REPORT

(As of Nov. 9)

Wheat	50c
Wool	20c
Corn, ear	32c
Corn, ground	75c
Mohair	36-46c
Cottonseed, ton	\$22
Cream, No. 1	20c
Cream, No. 2	18c
Oats, sacked	24c
Oats, loose	22c
Eggs	23c
Hens heavy	11c
Hens light	9c
Pecans, lb.	7c

DR. UMPHREY LEE IS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF SMU IN DALLAS

At a meeting of the board of trustees of Southern Methodist University in Dallas Monday nite, Dr. Umphrey Lee was elected president of that institution. He has accepted the offer and will probably be installed at the mid-winter meeting January 19.

Dr. Lee served as pastor of the Highland Park Methodist Church in Dallas a few years ago, and later was elected dean of Vanderbilt University's school of religion.

Dr. Lee's wife is the daughter of the late Billie Williams of Gatesville, and is a sister of Stewart Williams also of this city.

"RED" SMITH SUBS AS SPORTS SCRIBE AT HAMILTON GAME

"Red" Smith, member of the high school press club, and on the staff of The Hornet's Nest, will give you "Red's Eye ley" of the Gatesville-Hamilton game in Hamilton on Saturday.

"Y. T. going south. Got a sis down the way, and haven't seen what she com' down there in 'bout three years.

In other words, we are going to let Smitty take the ray and the pats (?) for his play-by-play write up of this thrilling game.

TWO FIRE WHISTLES S'NCE OUR LAST ISSUE

We told you so! You'd better burn your own grass, or the fire whistle will blow again.

Since our last issue Torbett Town called in for "city service" at 1:20 Saturday, with the grass burning like mad.

Then Tuesday, another rush order was phoned in that there was some more hot grass at Kaufman's. Firemen in both instances dropped everything and rushed out to the fire. No damage was reported at either place.

POST OFFICE SHRUBS BEING "INSTALLED" BY DERRICK

Uncle Sam is putting out about \$530 on bushes!

He's finishing the job of decorating the Post Office building here, and Derrick Floral and Nursery Company of Waco have the contract.

A complete outline of the plan of shrubbery and trees has not been unraveled to us, but it won't be long before everything will be looking "green" at the Post Office.

Derrick's won this job by the bidding route, and have had a large number of similar jobs for the government and other large organizations.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Britain spent Sunday in Brownwood.

Jack Boyd and J. B. Marton were Fort Worth visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Harvey Sadler is ill in a Waco hospital.

Miss Mary Ola Whitt is visiting friends in Kaufman County.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. McClinton and family of Hubbard, Hill County, and G. H. Blasingame of Delta, Limestone County, spent the week end in the home of Jim Roberts.

The election was a flop—and a very expensive one!

In the two Gatesville boxes, the only one canvassed so far, came in as follows:

For Go.	W. 1	W. 2	Total
Boynton	0	5	5
Brooks	0	0	0
Miller	0	0	0
O'Daniel	126	180	306
Amendments:			
For	35	35	70
Against	22	27	49

Some two-thirds of the boxes of the county were in County Clerk Chas. P. Mounce's office but no canvass was made of the vote, and no information was forthcoming.

As for the other candidates, all Democrats were practically unanimous in the votes reported, which shows only a total of about 300 in both Gatesville boxes, whereas during the first primary this year, they polled a total of 1,372, 820 in Ward two, and 552 in Ward one.

In the State

Last night's reports gave Boynton 6254, Brooks 160, Miller 190, O'Daniel 177,481. Amendment: For 51,924, Against 33,590. This is 206 out of 254 counties, 33 complete.

In the Nation

In the nation, the GOP cut a deep swath into the New Deal's coalition, capturing a dozen strategic states, sixty seats in Congress, and eight in the Senate. Fifty-seven were taken from the Democrats, and five from the Progressives.

Dewey lost in New York, LaFollette in Wisconsin, Wagner won in New York, Senator Davis won in Pennsylvania, James also beat Jones for Governor in that state.

Only in the solid South did Democratic lines remain intact.

In California, the first Democratic governor in 40 years was elected. The "\$30 Every Thursday" amendment lost in California, but the "\$45 a Month" in Colorado won, for the pensioners.

"30" IS WRITTEN FOR FORMER GATESVILLE EDITOR

Davis R. Hall, formerly a resident of Gatesville, and with John R. Hill, was for many years owner and publisher of the Gatesville Messenger & Star Forum, died suddenly at his home in Abilene Tuesday. Mr. Hall has been in bad health for a short time.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30, services being conducted by Rev. Frank L. Turner form the First Methodist Church of Gatesville. Interment was in the City Cemetery here.

Mr. Hall leaves his wife, a daughter and two sons in the immediate family, and a number of other relatives, besides many, many friends and acquaintances in this vicinity.

Growing up here, Mr. Hall was our first idea of a newspaper editor, and many time we went in the "back end" of his shop and "watched them get the paper out."

Mr. Hall for the past ten or 15 years, has been in west Texas where he has had a number of business interests, including a tire and accessory business.

In Tuesday's issue of the News a more detailed account of Mr. Hall's life will be given, and further detail about the funeral which was held Wednesday afternoon as we were going to press with issue of the News.

CENTRAL TEXAS M. E. CONFERENCE IN ANNUAL SESSION, WACO, THIS WEEK

CENTRAL TEXAS MED. SOCIETY DISCUSSES SOCIALIZED MEDICINE

At a banquet in the Roosevelt Hotel at Waco Monday night the Central Texas Medical Society, composed of the 11th councillor district of Texas, listened to a discussion of the subject of Social medicine. The meeting was open to the public and may laymen and members of the professions were in attendance. Keynote of the various discussions was the desire of the Medical profession to cooperate with the government in solving the need for better distribution of medical care. In so doing, however, the speakers stressed the necessity of not interfering with the patients personal choice of doctors and the further necessity of allowing the profession to handle the administration of affairs without interference of government officials.

Principal speakers of the evening were Dr. E. H. Cary of Dallas, former president of the American Medical Association; Dr. Holman Taylor, secretary of the Texas Medical Society and Dr. S. E. Thompson of Kerrville. The discussion by Dr. Cary was of basic importance and seemed to get more to the bottom of things as they now stand while the other speakers dealt more with introductory material leading up to present developments.

Dr. Cary stated that the demand for Socialized Medicine did not come from those people who were in need of it but was the brain child of a certain group working in Washington who were determined to regiment the medical profession and force upon the people a form of socialized medicine which, unless carefully planned would be detrimental to all concerned. He stated that these propagandists had by their methods left the impression with the people of the country that the Medical profession was acting as an obstruction force to Progress in the development of a better system of distribution of medical care. This attitude of the people was making it difficult for the doctors to get a fair hearing and a friendly ear from the public.

Quite contrary to the general opinion, he stated that the profession was ready to cooperate with the government to the fullest extent and that a committee from the American Medical Association had already met with the heads of the movement at Washington and that the committee as suggested by the National Health Conference group after its meeting in Washington last summer. The major reservations made by the profession being that the disturbed as they now stand and that the medical profession be allowed to administer and execute whatever plan was adopted without direct interference from government agencies and officials.

The following is a brief summary of the objects and methods of improvement of medical care as outlined by the National Health Conference and the ways in which the doctors agree or disagree with the plan:

1. Broadened and improved public health service—to this the American Medical Association agrees completely as they always have.

2. Medical assistance by the

The annual meeting of the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Church, South, is being held this week, starting Wednesday in Waco.

Bishop Ivan Lee, who succeeded Bishop H. A. Boaz when he was retired last spring, will preside over the conference. Its object is the discussion of work for the coming year.

Probably the most important matter will be the election of 8 clerical and eight lay delegates to the uniting conference of the Methodist Protestant Church that will meet next April.

Another important phase of the Conference will be the entertainment by the Methodist Orphan's Home in Waco. They plan to entertain the visiting ministers and other visitors with a tea, football game, and a special program during the week.

Sunday morning at 11 o'clock will be held the session at which time the ministers are given their appointments, and is considered the most important session of the Conference.

Besides the local pastor, Rev. L. W. Seymour, who will attend from Gatesville there will be Mrs. Pearl White, Mr. and Mrs. Leake Ayres, Mrs. Leslie W. Seymour and daughter, Lillian Ross.

government to all whose income is below the \$3,000 a year level. To this the doctors say no, for the very simple reason that such a group would include over 90 percent of our population, and for the further reason that doctors know that many people can pay their way easily on this amount of income and less.

3. The National Health Conference said to build more hospitals over the country. To this the Medical group agree but they insist that there are everyday over 70 per cent of our hospital beds vacant and that steps be taken to fill these before the government undertakes the expensive job of building more.

4. More means should be supplied the general practitioner or country doctor for diagnosis of the sick, such as X-ray, laboratories, etc. To this the Medical profession also agrees but they insist that privately owned facilities of this type must not be frozen out by unfair competition with the government. The need for these things, furthermore, should be left to the judgment of the doctors rather than to the discretion of some Washington officials who know nothing of the actual situation.

Those who attended from Gatesville were Drs. Dean and Kermit Jones, Dr. Otis Ray and Dr. Clyde Bailey.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt has promised to visit the California World's Fair in 1939.

HOSPITAL NOTES



Patience in the Hospital are: W. C. Guggolz Miss Guinevere Whisenhunt.

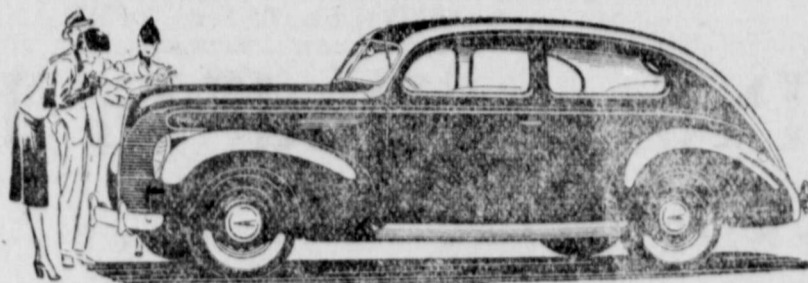
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By GENE CARR



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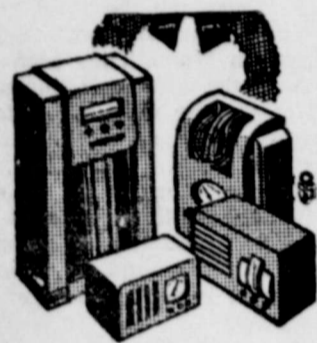
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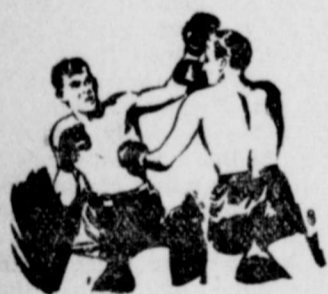
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SPORT SCRAPS

By JONES

Fight 'em, Hornets!

All eyes, and almost everyone in Gatesville will be up Hamilton way tomorrow, when the Hornets and Bulldogs clash in what is probably about the 30th annual meeting of the two schools, anyway, it goes back nearly as far as we can remember.

Who's won the game, is a moot question, which probably could be answered by no one. Checking up, however, we'd guess the run has been just about 50-50.

This game, Armistice Day, will make it Hornets 51, Hamilton 50. Am I right?

Nothing, we're tickled to see, is that 6-man hasn't blown up. Unfortunate things happen, but with a little brain matter working, we are usually able to iron out most of the difficulties. That's what we're glad of in the 6-man. It's definitely in, again.

Long about Tuesday, it'll look like a migration—not of birds—

but deer hunters, of both sexes, since there are several of this silk stocking fraternity hereabouts that really pull a mean trigger—too mean, in fact, for us to cross one.

This year, as in the past, we'd like to hear their stories, see their trophies, sample their deer meat, and "write 'em up," but we're going to let them do the walking.

We ain't going.

Soon as the excitement of football is over, we've an idea there'll probably be some bowling clubs organized here. And, why not? Since there are practically no lodges, whatever else is a fellow to do, and to this "lodge" he can take the little wife.

IRELAND EXES TAKE ON HAMILTON EXES IN 6-MAN GAME

Interest in 6-man is gaining by leaps and bounds and now we have the news that Ireland ex-students will play Hamilton ex-students Thursday night of this week in Hamilton.

This will be the first 6-man football played in Hamilton and the fans are expected to "open their eyes."

—C. C. N.—

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Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS

YOU talk about women being gossips, but they'd have to work hard at it to beat some men. And



especially when some men get a bit of liquor under their belts, they are just as curious about everybody's affairs as any woman you ever seen.

A judge in California came from the train one day with a bundle of golf clubs that he had just bought from the shop where they'd been repaired. A neighbor of his was strolling home, all lit up.

"Hello Judge, what kinda score ju make t'day?" he says.

"I ain't played today," says the judge.

"Aha, I see! You just goin' to play, huh?"

"No."
"Ah, I gotja Judge! I thought so! You just brung them clubs home to beat the wife, didnt' you?"

FAIR CALF



NEW YORK—A maid, a calf and a name. The maid has just christened the calf with the name Grover A. Whalen. If you need to know, Mr. Whalen is President of the New York World's Fair 1939. The calf took part in ceremonies marking the laying of the cornerstone of the Borden exhibit at the Exposition.

Twenty million dollars worth of free food and merchandise will be given away at the 1939 World's Fair of the West on Treasure Island.

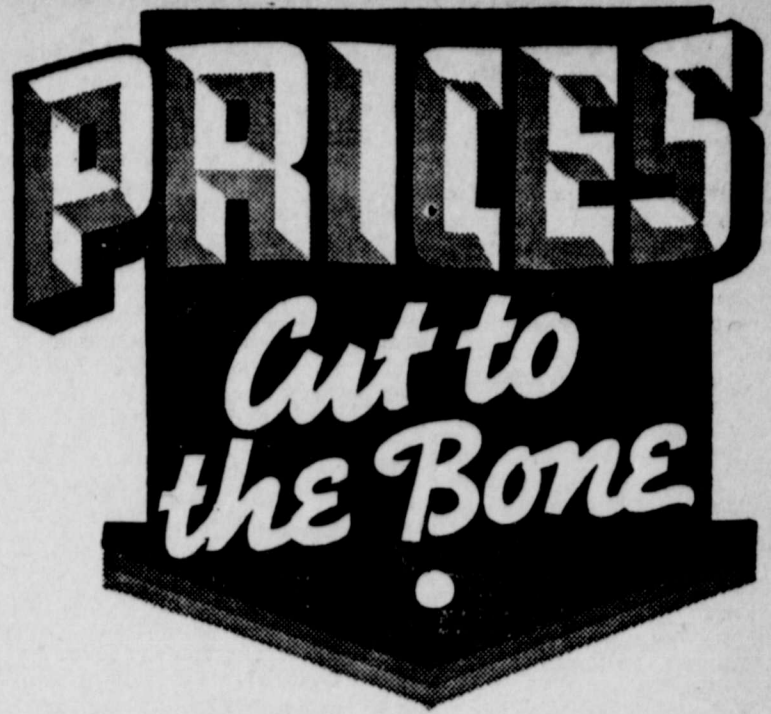
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SOCIETY

Mrs. Sam Ward Honors Daughter

Saturday evening, November 5, at seven o'clock Mrs. Sam Ward honored her daughter, Cathryn, with a surprise birthday party at her home on north Ninth street.

After games had been played, refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Marjorie Hall, Margaret Zeigler, Frances Reasing, Jenny Kathryn Spalding, Mable Marion Brown, Betty Jo Stewart, Juanita Yates, Betty Jo Hudson, Sara Frances Graham, Maxine Lovejoy, Martha Lou Phillips, Patsy Ruth Lovejoy, Billy Doris White, and Fisher Culberson, Jan Jones, Ben Owen Crow, Billy Oldham, Noris Graves, Oce Lovejoy, Charles Sydow, Bobbie Ward, and Billy Carroll.

Younger Set Enjoy No-Host Picnic

Members of the younger set enjoyed a no-host picnic Friday evening at the home of Miss Mary Margaret Holmes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Holmes on north Sixteenth street.

A picnic lunch was spread on the back lawn of the home where the following girls were present to enjoy it: Misses June Marie Chamlee, Dorothy Chamlee, Gene Stinnett, Josephine McClellan, Sara Frances Graham, Martha Lou Phillips, Jerry Davis, Harriett Robinson, Mary Jane Slone, and Mary Margaret Holmes.

Mrs. Stinnett Hostess To Study Club

Monday afternoon, November 14 Mrs. Clay Stinnett will be hostess members of the Study Club at her home on Bridge street at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. Ercell Brooks will be program leader and will give a travel talk on New Orleans. Others who will take part will be Mrs. Rufe Brown, who will speak on Steps to Better Seech, Mrs. Paul Martin, who will speak on Do the Schools Educate? Mrs. Jim McClellan, who will speak on Who Should Go to College? And Mrs. C. E. Alvis Jr., who will speak on The Schools and Our Democracy.

Faculty Club Entertained Monday Night

Misses Helen Odom, Lois Cole-

SCHLEY SCHOOL NEWS

Schley school is progressing nicely in its work. The club girls are making Thanksgiving decorations for the windows. The children are going to read enough library books to get a reading certificate. The school is working on a Thanksgiving unit. The name of it is The Raggy Tag Man and Palaver—That's All. The primary room is ready for a Thanksgiving unit. The teacherage is completed and the teachers moved in Saturday. Friday evening the outside player came and had a basketball game.

We wonder why—

Jimmy Wymer likes to sit across the aisle from Mildred Alford?

Loyd Jones likes to sit behind Mary Beaty?

Mimmy Wymer likes to stop at Brack Scott's so often?

Junior Blakeley likes to go down to Mr. Beaty's?

Mr. Nance was telling the room Ruth said: Well, Mr. Nance, are you going home?

—The one hand driver is your most dangerous road menace—his eyes may be on the wrong hand, as far as your safety is concerned.

man, Maude Alyce Painter and Mr. Sidney Pruitt were point hostesses and host to members of the Faculty Club Monday evening when they entertained with an 84 party in the Home Economics Department of the Gymnasium.

Roses were used to decorate the department. In the decorations and refreshment service, the Armistice Day motif was carried out.

Only faculty members and trustees were present.

Billie Frank Carroll Entertains With Party

Billy Frank Carroll entertained his friends Hallowe'en night with a spook party at his home on south Seventh street.

After the guests had arrived, they all passed through the Hall of Ghosts and after several games were played, they were escorted to the House of the Witch, where their fortunes were told.

The guests were served popcorn balls, orangeade, chocolate cookies and Hallowe'en candy. Favors were horns.

Those who enjoyed the courtesies were: George Painter, Bob Potts, Billie Doris White, Charles Mil-

ner, Barbara Ashby, Bobbie Joe Mayberry, Ray Kirby, Kathryn ham, Jack Mulholland, and Helen Carroll, Donald Flentge, Paul Ward, Leslie Smith Louise Gra- Carroll.



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Because Zachary Taylor never stayed in one place long enough to qualify as a voter, it is said he never cast a vote.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phillips spent the week end visiting in St. Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Everett were Austin visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Lively spent the week end in Seymour.

Miss Joyce Baker is visiting in the I. F. Johnson home in Clifton.

Louis Woodall of Hamilton is spending this week in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Hinesly and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ward visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton McClarty in Fort Worth Sunday.

Luther Scott returned to his home in this city Tuesday from Fort Worth.

Miss Doris Polk, who has been attending a business school in Austin, is here visiting her parents at the State Training School.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roberts, Sam Blacklock, Mr. and Mrs. McClinton and family and G. H. Blasingame visited Edwin Blacklock Sunday. Edwin is in a camp at Lake Brownwood.

Mrs. Pearl Barnett and family of Hamilton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Whitehead and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ward had as their guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Jim McMullen of McGregor.

Miss Martha Foster and Dan Weatherby spent Saturday in Austin and attended the Baylor-Texas football game there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kemp were Sunday visitors to Turnersville where they visited Mr. Kemp's mother, who returned home with them.

Mrs. Tillie Broter and Mrs. J. S. Floyd of Alice visited in this city Wednesday. They were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Ford and daughter of Teague were here Wednesday attending the funeral of D. R. Hall, former resident of Gatesville.

What Helps Business Helps You!

CHURCHES

PREACHING SERVICES AT PRAIRIE VIEW

There will be regular worship at the Prairie View tabernacle Sunday nite. Rev. Ed. Bayless will preach.

THE GROVE CHURCH

There will be Sunday School at The Grove, Sunday at 10 o'clock. Everyone come to Sunday School.

The pastor, Ollie Williams, will not be present as he will preach at Cedar Knob Sunday morning and Sunday night.

O. F. Williams, pastor.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

There will be no preaching services Sunday, since the pastor will be in Waco attending the Conference. Sunday School will be at the usual time.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

"Using Religion as a Rabbit Foot," is the title given Sunday morning's sermon at the First Presbyterian Church. "Sometimes," says the pastor, "people regard their religion as nothing

PALACE

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more than a charm, to be invoked a times of distress and danger. Such was the case, in popular demonstration just two weeks ago in our own county. Such was the case, in the story recorded in I Samuel, the fourth chapter."

Sunday nite's sermon will be a continuation of the studies from the book of Acts, with a discussion of "Persecution's Place in Progress."

Program for the week is follows:

Sunday School, 9:45. Mr. Frank Kelso, superintendent.

Morning Worship, 11:00. Sermon by the pastor.

Vesper Worship, 5:00 Sermon by the pastor (Bible study).

Mid-week worship, Wednesday at 7:00 o'clock p. m.

COUNTY AGENT'S OFFICE

A series of meetings have been held in the south and southwest parts of Coryell County this week to discuss with interested land owners the possibilities for conserving and preserving the game or wildlife of the county through a cooperative organization composed of those interested land owners. Any person interested in such a movement and has not yet signed up his acreage may secure County Agent's office. Providing sufficient acreage is signed up and the forms in the County Agts. office by Saturday of this week a petition will be submitted to the State Game Department in an effort to secure different species of birds, fish, etc. to use in stocking this area.

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NOW LET'S SEE...

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.... IT CERTAINLY PAYS TO HAVE A TELEPHONE!

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UNION ITEMS

The sermon preached by Rev. G. L. Derrick and the Liberty quartet was enjoyed by a good number Friday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Everett Watts and son of Brady visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Watts Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Carroll spent Saturday night with his mother, Mrs. W. D. Carroll.
Misses Margie Seward, Vadena and Johnie Bell Hagan and Punk Thomson visited in the S. R. Porter home Sunday and enjoyed a

Mrs. E. E. Bratton and son spent Monday with Mrs. Wiley Seward. Mrs. Callie Carroll visited friends in Gatesville Monday.
We are glad to report that Mrs. Laura White is some better. birthday dinner in honor of their son, Walter.
Mr. Hugh Thomson and son, Hugh Daniel, have moved into our community.
Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Seward and Dan, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gallegly and children and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bratton and son visited Mr. and Mrs. John Hagan Sunday.

JONESBORO W. M. S.

God asks of us a tenth of our money but He commands us to give Him one-seventh of our time. Even then we neglect the privilege of prayer.
On November 1st Mrs. E. P. Schwalbe was hostess with the S. The program opened with the song, My Prayer, and song Sweet Hour of Prayer. Prayer by Mrs. B. E. Morgan, scripture, Psalms 99.
Then the president, Mrs. Melvin Watson, appointed as chairmen of the committees: Stewardship, Mrs. C. P. McAnelly; Personal Service, Mrs. Janet Roach; Missions, Mrs. L. P. Foster Jr.; Mission study, Mrs. H. H. Hanes, Periodicals, Mrs. Pionel Wallace; Benevolence, Mrs. Pionel Wallace; Prayer, Mrs. vin Watson; Publicity, Mrs. W. J. Marvin Watson.

Mrs. Hugh Walker; Enlistment, Mrs. E. P. Beney; Education, Mrs. W. T. McBride; Social, Mrs. Mar-Watson.
A lovely service was held when the president read the names of all officers, their duties and a corresponding scripture. We then joined hands and sang, Blest Be the Tie That Binds, and Mrs. L. P. Foster Sr. concluded with a prayer.
Mrs. E. P. Schwalbe gave a good talk on The Sin of Not Praying. Special, Whisper a Prayer by Margaret and Irene Rutherford; Time and Money, Mrs. Wilmer Jones Jr; Current Events, Mrs. W. J. Watson; Special song, Oo You Think to Pray? Mrs. Haskell Drake and Mrs. Pionel Wallace; Prayer, Mrs. vin Watson; Publicity, Mrs. W. J. Marvin Watson.

Lovely layer cake and iced grape juice were served to 35, including several visitors.
Collection which was taken amounted to \$1.54. Our next meeting will be held with Mrs. Andrew Watson.
—Reporter.

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The War's over. We are sure that was news that passed down every line, and men realized that fighting, shells, gas and life in the mud, and war was ended. Let us pause for a while in honor of the Boys of '18. Let's resolve to keep that peace they won—in memory of their great Service!

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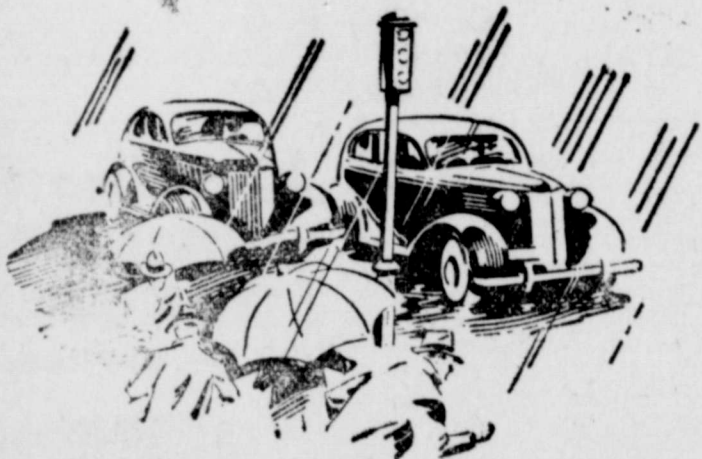
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2 cups of water. Blend well and heat.

CREAM OF TOMATO AND ONION SOUP

Scald 1 quart of milk. Add slowly to 2 cups cooked riced potatoes, beating constantly with rotary beater. Melt 2 tablespoons butter. Stir in 2 tablespoons flour, potato-milk mixture, 1 cup cooked finely chopped onion, 1 teaspoon salt, 1-8 teaspoon pepper and 1-2 cup sliced frankfurters. Cook, stirring constantly until thickened. Serve at once.

TOMATO PEPPER POT SOUP

Combine 1 can tomato soup and 1 can pepper pot soup—to condensed soups add water as directed on the can. Mix well and heat thoroughly.

TOMATO CELERY SOUP

Combine 1 can ready-to-serve cream of tomato soup with 1 can ready-to-serve cream of celery soup. Season to taste.

LEEK SOUP

3 leeks, 1 small onion, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 1-3 cups condensed consomme,

1 1-3 cups water, Small amount of herbs, 1 cup diced potatoes, Salt and pepper, ½ cup top milk.

Slice and wash leeks thoroughly. Slice onion and cook with leeks in butter until tender. Add consomme and water; tie herbs (marjoram, bay leaf, whole sage and thyme) in small square of cheesecloth and place in soup. Add diced potatoes and simmer 15 minutes or until potatoes are tender. Remove herbs, season with salt and pepper. Just before serving add cream.

BUSY BEE CLUB NEWS

Mrs. C. O. Russell entertained the club ladies in an all day meeting. One quilt was quilted. A delicious lunch was served at noon to eight members and one visitor, Mrs. G. C. Butch.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Sam Thomson.

OYSTER SUPPER AT SLATER

There will be an oyster supper at Slater Methodist Church Saturday night, November 12th. Everyone is invited.

To introduce a meal or serve as the main luncheon dish, to furnish quick energy and stimulation—soup has few rivals. The soups given here are especially delicious.

BEAN AND TOMATO SOUP
1 strip bacon,
1 tablespoon onion cut fine,
2 tablespoons celery cut fine,
1½ cups condensed bean soup,
1 1-3 cups condensed tomato soup.

Cut bacon in small pieces and fry. Add onion and celery and cook until slightly brown. Combine bean soup, tomato soup and

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COUNTY-WIDE HIGH SCHOOL BOXING TURNEY; AUSP. FFA.

Gatesville FFA will sponsor a County-wide High School boxing tournament, according to W. E. Lasseter, advisor for the local organization.

The tournament will be held Friday and Saturday nights, December 9 and 10, and will be under the official A. A. U. rules, and weight classifications will be used. In case the contestants weigh less than 110 pounds, additional weight classes will be formed.

All contestants must be regularly enrolled in school and eligible under interscholastic league rule requirements.

Awards will be given to 1st and 2nd place winners in each weight division and a set of boxing gloves will be given to the school outside Gatesville scoring the large number of points on the basis of 25 points for 1st place, 20 for 2nd and 10 for 3rd place in each division.

All entries should be sent to the Gatesville Future Farmers, W. E. Lasseter, Advisor.

PLANS BEING LAID FOR 6-MAN CHAMPIONSHIP PLAY-OFF HERE

Supt. S. V. Dickinson of Ireland schools tells us plans are being laid for a championship 6-Man playoff here at the Mule Bowl on the night of November 21.

At that time, the six-man schedule for the county will be completed, only four more games remaining to be played. These are: Ireland at Turnersville, and Flat at Pearl on Friday; and Turnersville at Pearl, and Ireland at Flat on the 18th.

At the present time Pearl is out in front of the league, but each team having two more games the "tops" may change, and it's open season on "championship" aspirants.

We don't know of anything that would better sell 6-man, or eleven-more than a game of this character, and after seeing the Ireland-Pearl game last Friday, we know the fans have something in store if they've never seen the game played.

After the district championship game, it might not be amiss to try for a bi-district game. Who knows?

JONESBORO PTA. SPONSORS PLAY AND BABY SHOW

Under the auspices of the Parent Teacher-Association, a three act musical comedy, "Miss Bluebonnet," will be presented Monday, November 14 at the Jonesboro school auditorium at 7:30 p. m. Snappy songs, colorful costuming, clever plot and peppy dancing are things included in the play.

The cast is as follows: Dr. Evans, Homer Smith; Ma Evans, Alcenia Walsh; Hickory, J. T. Weaver; Magnolia Evans, Margaret Rutherford; Burton Hills, Paul Schwalbe; Sally, Harvey Lee Wallace; Susie, Helen Young; Una, Fleta Belle Watson; Kate, Mabel Jones; Minerva Maddox (deaf gossip),

Mrs. J. T. Weaver; Blue Bonnet, Mollie Belle Schwalbe; Janie Bell, Emily Wallace; Thad, Wallace Williams; and Wes, Willie Huggins Jr.

Between acts there will be a baby contest, each grade entering a baby. O prize will be awarded the winning baby. Those who entered are: First and second grades, Myra Sue Watson; Fifth grade, La Rue Painter; Sixth grade, Hazell Neel; Seventh grade, Carl Schwalbe Jr.; Eighth grade, Horace Smith; Ninth grade, Joyce Marie Foster; Tenth grade, Joyce Sellers; Eleventh grade, Chrales Weaver; and Twelfth G., Alice Jane Walker.

The purpose of the play and baby contest is to raise funds for gym equipment.

MRS. MARY E. WALLACE BURIED YESTERDAY HERE

Mrs. Mary E. Wallace, long time resident of Gatesville, was buried yesterday afternoon, Wednesday, in the City Cemetery, following an extended illness. Services were conducted by Rev. L. W. Seymour, pastor of the First Methodist Church of this city.

Mrs. Wallace, whose husband died some years ago, leaves two daughters, Mrs. Hope Thompson and Mrs. Claude Turner, and a number of other relatives and many friends.

Since the funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 p. m., a complete account of the services will be carried in Tuesday's issue of the News.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS OFFICE

The Texas State Teachers Association meets in Dallas on Thursday, November 24. Coryell County is usually well represented. Many teachers attend one or two days during the three day session. Aggressive teachers feel the need of this general meeting of all the teachers of Texas. Many speakers are from other states.

The Legislative Committee of Coryell County Teachers Association are asking any and all principals and teachers of the county who are interested in school legislation that will come up, first at the State Teachers Association at Dallas and later in the Texas Legislature be present at a meeting at the Courthouse Monday evening November 14, at 7 o'clock.

Mr. Tate will be in the county again within a short time. He has promised to let the County Superintendent's office know the exact date so that it may be published.

The Coryell County School Board will meet on Friday, November 18 at 10 o'clock a. m. The board at this meeting hopes to have complete transportation reports from all the schools so that it may study carefully bus and bus drivers' finances.

Delicate surgery on embryonic salamanders will be one of the features exhibited by the University of California at the California World's Fair. The surgery will produce "normal" specimens with many eyes and several legs.

Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS

A LOT of cooks is out of work since the slump in the stock market, and it wasn't their fault



either. Their bosses bet too high on some stocks that went to low, and that was too bad for the cooks and for the wives that had to start doing without cooks.

But still, they say, cooks are kinda independent in their jobs. There was a woman in Hollywood that was bawling out her cook.

"When we had company yesterday, who was doing all the loud laughing out in the kitchen that sounded like a menagerie gone cuckoo?" she says.

"Oh, you mean the laffin?" says the cook. "Why, that was mostly Margie, the maid. But don't blame her, Mrs. Samson. She seen that pie you made yesterday morning, and that's enough to make anybody just out laffin."

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—BARGAIN SCHOOL SUPPLIES: Theme paper, note books, fountain pens and pencils. Koen and Foster. 92-tfc

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THE POOR RAILROADS

The railroads as we have known them in the past are on the way out. This condition is obvious if one reads the papers and notes the tremendous losses suffered by the railroads during the past few operating years. Further indication of failure is their threats to reduce wages and the continual suggestions of government control.

Locally, we have an illustration of this gradual but sure change. Not too many years ago the arrival of the passenger train at the local station was one of the highlights of the day. At almost every arrival there was a goodly crowd of local citizens to meet the choo-choo just for the jure fun of it, even when they expected no one on the train. It was a favorite Sunday afternoon diversion to drive out the station and watch the train come in and depart. How different the attitude is today. The local depot at train time there are none present for the arrival except those whose job it is to be on hand to unload mail, express, etc.

This condition is simply a sign of the times and is an indication that things will and do change. Today the convenience of the busses make local passenger travel on the railroads almost nil. The right of way for the bus is maintained by the state but not that of the railroad, new state highways continually open up new passageways for the busses to travel and leave the railroad holding the well known bag. Bus operation is so much less expensive that railroads can no longer compete for passenger trade except for long cross country trips on luxurious trains, there is no local passenger market left for the railroads and the increased prevalence of travel by private motorcar has played a large part in this change. Airplanes are taking away a large amount of the distance travel from the railroads because of superior speed and as soon as the air is made safer the railroads will be worse off than ever.

But what of the freight business that railroads have made so much off of in the past? The situation is, to a large extent, the same as for passenger travel, the trucks can do it cheaper, faster and more conveniently. The only place left for the railroads seem to be in the field of massive shipment and for rather long distances. It is probable that the railroads will always be necessary as a carrier of the tremendously heavy loads and the loads occupying large space, this is all the more true of loads of this type which must be carried over long distances. Try to move a big shipment of heavy oil field machinery for instance, it can't be done economically by truck except in carrying it from the railroad end to the field. It



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E EARL	141 lbs.	No. 59
Q McCOLLUM	159 lbs.	No. 67
LH SEILHEIMER	140 lbs.	No. 55
RH HARRIS	160 lbs.	No. 63
FB BOYD	166 lbs.	No. 64

Substitutes: Bankston 56, Cleveland 58, Fuqua 57, Cash 65, Thompson 21, Williams 34, Nettleton 37, Gardner 36, Mikle 27, Schneider 31.

world take hundreds of trucks to carry a load of this type a thousand miles while one train could be completing the job.

So it appears that if the railroad is to survive it must leave for the busses the local passenger business, it must accept the truck for its superior as a local light freight hauler and it must bow to the airliner in token of its superiority as a fast passenger carrier. This leaves for the railroads only a portion of the long distance passenger traffic on trains designed especially for the ultimate in pas-

senger comfort and luxury as represented by the modern streamline trains; and the very heavy freight carriage especially involving longer distances which can not be handled economically by the trucking companies. These being the facts it appears that the only thing left for the railroad to do is to build toward application of these conditions. There are many lines which doubtless should be discontinued and others which need improvements to meet the fast changing transportation picture.

Sad it is, to see the failure of an institution which had so much to give in the development of our country, but fail it must if it will no longer pay its way.

Women's sports at the 1939 World's Fair of the West will include archery, lawn bowling, fly casting, tennis, badminton, and many others.

Every book in print dealing with the Pacific Ocean and the nations surrounding it is to be shown at the California World's Fair on Treasure Island.

CORYELL COUNTY TO RECEIVE \$592,000 AAA MONEY IN 1939

By N. Foote, Chairman County Committee

The farmers of Coryell County will be eligible to receive approximately \$592,000 in benefit payments under the Agricultural Adjustment Act in 1939 for compliance with the farm program, divided among the various parts of the program as follows: 1937 subsidy \$231,500, general crops \$150,000, 1937 Cotton Conservation \$176,000, range building \$35,000. To date the county office has received 2294 checks, a total of \$107,221.46, or something less than 20 per cent of the Subsidy money.

The cultivated land of Coryell County is estimated at 243,000 acres, and this is divided into 3300 farms. These farms are listed on 2600 work sheets, several farms being listed on one work sheet. There are 985 range work sheets for 1938. In 1937 there were 1729 signed work sheets, of which approximately 1500 complied with the program and drew pay in the estimated amount of \$230,000. The range program had 445 applications which received benefit payments of \$15,000. These are certainly sufficient facts to cause every farmer and business man in Coryell County to think over most carefully the matter of assistance to agriculture in Coryell county.

Conservation Cotton Pay

The cotton pay for 1938 will be 2.4 cents per pound on the allotted yield per acre for each acre planted to cotton on those farms in Coryell County which comply with the rules by having enough neutral acres and have planted within their given cotton allotment. The allotted yield per acre of cotton for Coryell County ranges from 61 to 191 pounds an acre and a range of pay per acre from \$1.46 to \$4.58. The county average is 118 pounds with an average pay of \$2.73. The cotton pay for those farmers who have planted at least 80 per cent of their allotment will be figured by multiplying 2.4 cents by the allotted yield per acre for the individual farm, then by the number of acres in the 1938 cotton allotment. Those who planted less than 80 per cent of their allotment will be paid on 125 per cent of the acres they did plant. This means that a farmer who received a 40 acre cotton allotment, but only planted 20 acres, will receive pay in 25 acres.

The average cotton yield per acre for Coryell County is set in the State office by rules given them by the Washington office and the pay for all cotton farms in the South is set by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration and is calculated in the State office. The local A. A. A. office enters the information on the application for pay. The county must stay within the average of 118 pounds per acre. Some farms in this county will not receive 1938 conservation pay because they did not comply with the program by having enough neutral acres to meet rules and some farms will not receive pay because the operators failed to sign their work sheets within the time limit of May 15th, as set by the State office.

The penalty for overplanting the cotton allotment is 5 cents per pound on the yield as given the farm by the A. A. A. That is, of a farmer has a set yield of 110 pounds per acre, his penalty will be \$5.50 for each acre of his allotment.

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BUS AND TRAIN SCHEDULES

—BUS—
Waco to Brownwood
Arrive at Gatesville.... 9:10 a. m.
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Arrive at Gatesville.... 6:25 p. m.

To Waco
Leave Gatesville.....11:20 a. m.
Leave Gatesville.....2:30 p. m.
Leave Gatesville.....7:45 p. m.

To Hamilton
Arrive Gatesville.....6:00 p. m.
To Temple

Arrive Gatesville.....9:30 a. m.

—TRAIN—
Sunday
Leave Waco.....9:30 a. m.
Arrive Gatesville.....12:05 p. m.
Leave Gatesville.....2:30 p. m.
Arrive Waco.....5:15 p. m.

Week Days
Leave Hamilton.....6:30 a. m.
Arrive Gatesville.....9:01 a. m.
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Harry Fleatge.....District Att'y
Carl McClendon...Distict Clerk

City Officials, Gatesville

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E. Routh.....Alderman
J. O. Brown.....Alderman
Rufus Brown.....Alderman
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Eiland Lovejoy....City Secy.
Dr. Kermit Jones, Health Officer
Pleas Walker.....Marshall
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CHAPTER VIII

A MASTER of pantomime, Fields doesn't care much for dialogue in his pictures, yet, with the exception of the billiard and golf acts, he is best remembered for some of his funny lines.

In "Six of a Kind," George Burns remarks to Fields that he seems to be talking loudly. "I have to talk loud," boomed Fields, "I'm the sheriff."

With Alison Skipworth in "If I Had a Million," he started something of a national vogue by constantly referring to her as "My little chickadee," "My little penguin," "My little glow worm," or some other endearing phrase.

In "You're Telling Me," Fields unknowingly escorts a real princess home to meet his wife, from whom he expects a severe tongue lashing. The wife recognizes the princess and faints, whereupon Fields hastily ducking for cover, cautions, "Look out, she may be stalling!"

Most of his remarks—the above and others such as "Mother of Pearl!" "Godfrey Daniel," and "Drat!" are not particularly funny in cold print but Fields' peculiar style of delivery makes them amazingly humorous. He has a unique style of mouthing his phrases that distinguishes him from other comedians.

In fact, Fields is the bane of the sound men. They never know what to expect from him. Unless a line is particularly important he rarely sticks to script. He will rehearse a scene three different ways and shoot it a new way. And always he improves the scene. He can make something out of nothing.

In "It's a Gift" he put a world of meaning into a phrase like: "Coming! Coming!" He played a storekeeper, trying to placate two customers at once while his mind was thousands of miles away—on an orange grove in California to be exact. One of the customers was Charles Seldon, playing the blind man, Mr. Muckle, who made a wreck of the store. The other was Morgan Wallace, who was explosively demanding some cumquats. Fields was running back and forth from one to the other, answering demands with a plaintive "Coming! Coming!" In that phrase was wrapped untold tragedy, the tragedy of a hapless man trying to do two things at once and accomplishing nothing. He was always "Coming!" but, like all of us, he never quite got there.

Fields has explained his comedy in a short phrase. He is "the man that everything happens to." For instance, if you go to a store, buy a quantity of groceries and on the way out, drop one, spilling its contents on the ground, it isn't funny.

You look ridiculous, you're embarrassed and you're angry. But if it happens to someone else it is funny.

Fields is the someone else. Everything happens to him, to frustrate and annoy him. He assumes a pompous air that makes the minor irritations all the more amusing. He is a blusterer and a braggart and the balloon of his own self-importance is pricked by trifling odds and ends. That, he says, is humor.

Also, Fields' comedy is all down-to-earth. Things that happen to him, things that he does are in the ken of everyone. All of us have seen it in our everyday experience. It is merely an exaggeration and a piling up of things that have happened to us or to our friends hundreds of times.

"I build my rou-



lines on human nature," Fields has explained. "For instance, my golf act. I've played a lot of golf in a lot of countries. And I've seen a lot of golfers. There isn't one single iota of my golf act that I haven't seen actually happen on a golf course somewhere. Oh, of course, I exaggerate motions and gestures. I make myself a pompous sort of showoff so that the comedy is even funnier but it is all the real thing. I picked up my billiard act in the same way—just by watching the 'sharks' in small towns show off for somebody. I put a lot of them together and I've got an act."

"I like to watch people. I can sit in my dressing room and through the door watch people stop, greet one another and talk. In an hour I can have enough material for a half-dozen routines. They all wouldn't be screamingly funny, of course, but I'd have some ideas, anyway."

Two things Fields will not discuss are his money and his charities. No one knows how much he lost in the stock market because no one knows how much money he had. Equally, no one knows how much he has today, although he is a free spender.

"A comedian," says Fields, "cannot afford to be wealthy. Immediately people get an idea a comedian has a lot of money, he is through. A man with a million dollars doing the antics that comedians go through isn't funny. He's ridiculous. I don't mind saying I'm comfortably off. If I wasn't able to work tomorrow, I don't think I'd starve. And no one in my audiences begrudges me that. But if they thought I had a lot of money—which, praise the Lord I haven't—I'd be through."

Fields won't talk about charities because he likes to be thought of as hard-boiled. But his friends know that he is surreptitiously supporting at least a half dozen families and aiding old friends who are

down on their luck. But Bill won't discuss it. His best friends in Hollywood included Will Rogers, Sam Hardy and Tammany Young, all of whom have died within the last couple of years, and William Le Baron, head of Paramount studio production; Gregory La Cava, the director, and one or two others.

Every worker at the studio fights to be assigned to Fields pictures. They enjoy working with "the old master" because they like him. Fields has a raft of friends among the ordinary workmen on the lot and the carpenters, prop boys, wardrobe workers, assistant cameramen and others whom he likes are every bit as welcome at his home as are the stars, directors and executives who enjoy his friendship.

Fields is a lavish host. When in health he plays golf and knows most of the professionals. One winter during tournament time, Fields went out to dinner one night after giving the servants the night off. He returned home about nine o'clock to find the house ablaze with light and sounds of revelry. He charged inside to discover about 20 golf professionals making merry.

He suddenly remembered that he had invited them all over for dinner. In the press of writing a story it had slipped his mind and Rod had forgotten about it. Nothing daunted, Fields called up Hollywood's most expensive caterers and had them rush a complete dinner in relays of trucks.

(To be continued)

James, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jackson, and Barbara Louise spent several days last week with their uncle, Mr. Will Ketley, of Rule, Texas. Loraine Taylor spent several

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Mr. and Mrs. Buck Henson and Miss Exa Turner of Liberty visited in the John Taylor home Friday night.

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BUSTER NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Neilly Hardie and daughter Darlene of Overton spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cook and family.

Mrs. Guy Miller spent this week with Mr. and Mrs. Duke Cordell and infant daughter of Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Bartlett and two children of Plainview are now making their home in this community. They occupy the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keener and family.

Mrs. Edna Sheppard and son visited with Mr. and Mrs. U. Z. Touchstone and Farrell a while Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sankie Faris returned home Friday night from Abilene, where they spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Faris and daughter, Marjorie, and the former's sister, Miss Faye

Coryell Creek News

Mr. and Mrs. Esteen Draper and children, Joyce and Cloyce, visited John Davis and family a while Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sims visited a while Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sims of White Hall.

Mrs. Dorothy Cook spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Ruby Cook of near Liberty.

Word was received here early Monday morning of the death of Jim Touchstone of Hawley. Mr. Si Bellamy, Mrs. Fred Touchstone, and Mrs. Leona Fowler attended the funeral, returning home Tuesday afternoon.

June Galloway spent last week with Mrs. John Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Jackson and

MOUND NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Lam of Schirmerville visited relatives and friends here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kinslow of Rosebud spent Saturday night and Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. George I. Draper.

Mr. H. A. Davidson and family spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Davidson of Pecan Grove.

Mr. Ford Roberts of Waco spent Tuesday of last week with his mother, Mrs. H. S. Roberts.

Mr. Newton Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barnard went to El Paso Saturday to see their mother,

who has been seriously ill but who is improving very nicely now. While there Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barnard visited in Juarez, Mexico, and brought back souvenirs for themselves and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Barnard. They returned home Tuesday.

Mr. J. A. Childers was home for a night or two the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Childers were Waco visitors one day the past week.

AAA FARM ALLOTMENT—

Conservation Pay For General Crops

The pay for general crops will probably require study to understand but is based upon the average number of bushels of corn produced on each farm. The average was listed upon the work sheet of every farm in the county and was given by the farmer himself or from the best known information. The average yield as given Coryell county by the A.A.A. office is 18.9 bushels per acre, which is spoken of as an index of 100; therefore, a farm which has an allotted yield of 18.9 bushels per acre has a farm index of 100. As the allotted yield of corn is below 18.9 so is the index below 100, and as the allotted yield is above 18.9 so the index will be above 100. Thus, a farm with 15 bushel allotted yield will have 79 as farm index, and a farm with 20 bushel allotted yield will have 106 as a farm index, and so on for each farm in the county.

The average yield per acre of corn for Coryell County as turned in by the farmers was higher than 18.9 given the County office

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by the A.A.A.; therefore it was necessary to reduce the corn yield for every farm in the county a percent so as to make the county average 18.9 bushels per acre.

The average pay for the United States as a whole is \$1.25 per acre. At present the rate of pay for Texas or the rate of pay for Coryell County is not known; therefore in order to avoid confusion and misunderstandings no guesses will be given at present as to the ratio of pay for this county; but as soon as the information is given the local A.A.A. Office, it will be published. However it is known that the general pay will be less than \$1.25 for Coryell County.

Always remember that in order to receive all the conservation payments due a farm it must not have planted more than the total of the cotton and general acreage allotments added together, and must have enough neutral acres to meet the requirements of the rules. The penalty for planting too many acres in general crops is five times the rate of pay; thus if Farmer B has a ratio of pay of \$1.00 per acre on general crops, \$4.00 for each acre above his allotment will be subtracted from any pay he might otherwise be entitled to.

The Farm Bill states that the general pay will be made on general acres in excess of one-fourth of the cotton acreage allotment. This means that if Farmer B receives 40 acres for cotton allotment he will receive pay on his general allotment after subtracting 10 acres from his general allotment.

1937 Subsidy

At this writing the local A.A.A. Office has received 2294 checks (something less than 50 percent of checks to come) in the amount of \$107,221.46 for subsidy payments due farmers on their 1937 cotton crop. This is indeed crop insurance because many farmers in some sections of Coryell County had their cotton destroyed by insects in 1937 and failed to make as much as a bale to 15 acres. Stop and consider the short crops which have come to the farmers of Coryell County in the past five years due to various unavoidable causes, and see whether or not the present program is worth while to this county.

Basis of 1937 Subsidy Pay

Farmers who have not overplanted their 1938 cotton acreage allotment are entitled to receive 3 cents per pound on approximately 60 percent of their base acreage; however, farmers who sold their cotton before September 10, 1937, will receive the full 3 cents because they received more for their cotton when they sold it last fall. They will receive only the difference between the 10 Spot Markets in the United States on the date of sale and 12 cents, which may range from a few points up to the full 3 cents. The 3 cents will not be paid on 60 per cent of the actual yield for 1937, but will be paid on the yield of lint per acre set for the farm by the AAA under the 1937 program. The acres used will be the old base acres for the farm under the 1937 program. This does not mean the planted acres for 1937 but the best acres for the farm for 1937; however, the planted acres and the base acres might be the same. In order to figure the pay for those farms which did not cooperate in the 1937 program, which are those farms with numbers from 4000 to 5050, a lint yield per acre and base acreage was set for each farm in the same manner as for the farms which were in the 1937 program. Because of the time and work necessary to set the lint yield per acre and base acreage for farms which were not in the 1937 farm program to meet the rules of the AAA, the payments on these farms probably will not arrive as soon as those who signed up in 1937. Anyone who signed a work sheet in 1937 had yield and base set and would probably be in position for pay with the 1937 cooperators.

Let us assume that farmer B had a 50 acre cotton base at 120 pounds of lint per acre. If he sold his cotton after September 10th he would receive approximately 3 cents per pound on the yield, or \$3.60 per acre on 60 per cent or 30 of his 50 base acres, making a

total of \$118.00 for the farm. This pay is divided between the landlord and tenant just like the cotton crop was divided. A separate check will be made to each.

In many cases the subsidy payment was more than the farmer received from the total sale of cotton on his farm. This payment has certainly been a great help to the farmers and business men of Coryell County. If there had been no subsidy payment, some farms would have been foreclosed and many tenants would not be able to make another crop. After considering the crop failures and a low price of cotton for the past few years, it certainly looks as if the farmers of this county really need help. Before the present program is discarded it seems only horse sense that it should be given time to prove its real value, which cannot be done in one year. Think it over.

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