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CERTIFICATE OF VALOR IS PRESENTED CCC BOY HERE

SOUNDS LIKE A MACHINE GUN: MANY SCHOOLS CLOSE

Beginning Wednesday, picnics, plays, barbecues and all the sports and educational features connected with school closings are in store for people of the county.

Wednesday, Pearl schools finish their year.

Thursday, it's Jonesboro and Turnover.

Friday, Coryell City, Murrell, Arnett, Ireland and Mountain close their schools.

Saturday, it's Levita.

Information has also been released from the County Superintendent's office that W. S. Stiles has been elected to Ireland to succeed Superintendent S. V. Dickinson, who has taken a similar position at Godley.

\$2,932.67 IN WHEAT CHECKS ARE DUE TO FARMERS OF COUNTY

Already, 155 of the 293 checks have been received on "wheat checks" and there are still more due.

As usual, farmers having checks are advised, so it is unnecessary to call at the office until notification is received.

The total amount is \$2,932.67.

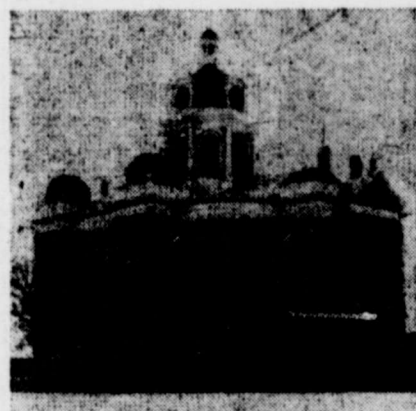
PROGRAMS TO BE PRESENTED AT PLAINVIEW SCHOOL

The primary grades and the eighth grade of the high school of Plainview will present their program Thursday night, May 18, and it will begin at 8 o'clock.

Friday night, May 19th, the intermediate grades will present their program, which will begin at 8 o'clock.

Everybody is invited to attend these programs; both will be free.

COURTHOUSE NEWS



MARRIAGE LICENSES

Carl Drake and Inez Rogers Gayle Calhoun and Vannie Katherine Burton.

Robert Thetford and Jean Holt. WARRANTY DEEDS

E. C. Miller and others to Arnold Kokel.

J. S. Torbett to O. N. Hix NEW CARS REGISTERED

Chester Griffin, '39 Ford Tudor.

Markets

(As of May 15)

Wheat	50c
Wool	23c
Corn, ear	45c
Corn, ground	85c
Mohair	34-44c
Cottonseed, ton	\$20
Cream, No. 1	15c
Cream, No. 2	13c
Oats, sacked	28c
Oats, loose	26c
Eggs	12c
Hens, heavy	10c
Hens, light	8c

DEDICATION AT NEFF STATE PARK DRAWS 2,500

Approximately twenty-five hundred central Texans gathered at Mother Neff State Park Sunday for the dedication services of the mother of the giant Texas parks system, the largest state system in the union.

Judge Beauchamp, Secretary of State was one of the principal speakers, accepting the park for the state of Texas.

Mrs. J. M. Dawson, wife of the pastor of the First Baptist Church of Waco delivered the dedicatory address.

Another "first" for Coryell County was the fact brought out Sunday, that this park is the First Texas State park, given while President Pat M. Neff, of Baylor University, was Governor of Texas.

Other dignitaries present were Gus Urbantke, Austin, a member of the park board, who led in the dedicatory prayer; Raymond Dillard, Mexia, youngest member of the board, and Judge J. Harvey Baugh, of the third court of civil appeals, Austin. A tribute was paid to the late D. E. Klopp, first chairman of the state park board by J. V. Ash, of Bastrop, present members of the board.

The park is located some 12 or 15 miles southeast of Gatesville, on the banks of the Leon River. The park consists of 257 acres of land.

Gaining wide attention at the dedication was the well trained Baylor University Golden Wave Band, which played a concert during the afternoon.

PICNIC TO BE FEATURED AT CLOSING OF SCHLEY SCHOOL FRIDAY

Schley school will close Friday, May 19, with a picnic. The morning features will include a talk by Mr. Guy Powell at 11 o'clock; he will also present the school with the cups, which they won at the County Meet.

In the afternoon a baseball team composed of women from Gatesville, will play the Schley team. Besides this game, there will probably be other games.

NEWLAND SCHOOL TO CLOSE THIS WEEK

On Thursday night, May 18, there will be a one act play, "Too Much of a Good Thing" and a school program at Newland school.

On Friday, the 19th, there will be a picnic with basket lunches, and Friday night the play "Black Cats" will be staged by local talent.

Come be with us.

BLINDING LIGHTS FORCE CAR INTO ABUTMENT NEAR MCGREGOR

Sunday morning early, Mr. and Mrs. Wallis Vandiver and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, and a boy named Ray were returning from McGregor and the driver, blinded by lights, crashed into a bridge abutment.

Mrs. Vandiver had a badly cut hand and Mrs. Vandiver had her neck hurt. Other injuries were reported of a less serious nature.

While they were away for medical attention, some one was reported to have stolen the globes out of the headlights, and the groceries they had with them in the car.

BICYCLE RIDERS! LIGHT A LIGHT!

You can ride a bicycle at night without a light—if you want to, but there's a state law against it, according to County Attorney C. E. Alvis Jr.

Of course, the bad part of it is, you might get hurt.

We urge you to be careful, and even if bicycle riding is fun, exercise, and good sport, be a better sport and get light 'fore and aft' on that bike.

Might save a doctor bill!

CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE GROVE SCHOOL TODAY

Tuesday, today, The Grove schools begin their closing exercises, according to H. R. Mueller, Principal of the school.

This evening, there will be a program by the primary and intermediate grades.

Wednesday's program will be the Seventh Grade Graduation.

Thursday evening the high school play, "The Gay Pretenders" will be presented.

Friday evening, there will be a P.T.A. play entitled, "The Arizona Cowboy".

ADDS DRYING TUMBLER TO CLEANING PLANT

Recently Jim Martin added a Hoffman Drying Tumbler to his dry cleaning plant.

This is the latest model of dryer by this well known manufacturer, and does the work quicker by blowing heated air thru as the clothes tumble in the revolving drum.

W.O.W. HOLDS "OPEN HOUSE" IN HALL OVER HORNE'S BAKERY

Tonight, in their newly appointed hall over Horne's Bakery, the Woodmen of the World of Gatesville, extend a cordial invitation to all citizens to visit their open house which will begin at 8:00 o'clock tonight.

The lodge has just taken on new life and the membership is anxious for visitors to be with them tonight in addition to all visiting lodge members.

A well planned program has been arranged for entertainment.

B.&P.W. CLUB TO ELECT OFFICERS, PICNIC TODAY

In Raby Park, this evening, the B.&P.W. Club will meet for an outing, according to President Sidney Gayle Gibson, and after the picnic luncheon, a business session will begin.

Election of new officers for the year is the paramount "issue" of the meeting, and those who have served during the past year are, besides Miss Gibson, Mrs. Mabel Gardner, vice president; Miss Thelma McGilvray, recording secretary, and Miss Ann Hill, treasurer.

JOHN GRAHAM HANDLES OLIVER IMPLEMENTS WE ERRED

In Friday's issue of the News, we stated in a news item that J. R. Graham was—well, he isn't, he's agent for OLIVER farm implements instead of the kind we said.

This, in the corrective spirit.

Mrs. O. K. Lovejoy went to Waco Monday and went thru the clinic.



CHILDREN WELL KNOWN TO GATESVILLE PEOPLE WIN PRIZES

In the "Amateur's Album" section of the Dallas Morning News last Sunday there was a picture of little Robert Matthews McCombs, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. McCombs of Dallas and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mathews of this city.

The picture was made as Bob was crawling out of his pet dog's house in the backyard of his home, 3001 Rosedale; it was made by his father.

In a section of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram about two weeks ago, there was a picture of two children who won fourth prize, which was \$10., in a contest held by that paper. Later we were informed that these two children were well known by Mrs. Joe Whigham of O'Donnell, the former Miss Jewell Culberson. They were her best friend's children, who also lived in O'Donnell. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sturges; Mr. Sturges is manager of a chemical plant there.

Another picture, similar to the one sent in to the Telegram, had been entered in a contest held by the New York Herald several weeks before, and they had won first prize which was \$75. Both pictures were bath tub pictures, and had been made by a friend, W. A. Hardin Jr.

These pictures are in the News window, so drop by and see them.

AMATEUR CONTEST TO BE HELD AT ANTELOPE SCHOOL MAY 26

There will be an amateur contest at the Antelope School Friday, May 26, and will be on the day of the annual picnic in the afternoon. All contestants are invited to participate in the contest; there will be no entrance or contestant fees, it's all free.

The prizes will be \$5 for first prize, \$2.50 second prize, and \$1 third prize. Anyone with stunts, musical acts, comedy acts, tap dancing or anything else he or she can do, may enter the contest.

The judges are to be out-of-community people and they will be impartial.

Miss Ruby Turpin of Austin spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Turpin.

GRADY C. BENSON OF LOCAL CAMP GETS AWARD

Saturday, presentation was made to Grady C. Benson, of Company 2895, CCC Camp at Gatesville, of a Certificate of Valor, the CCC equivalent of the Distinguished Service Cross, for saving four lives in Lake Brownwood, in July, 1938. Presentation was made by Charles H. Taylor, First Assistant to Robert Fechner, Director of Civilian Conservation Corps, with headquarters in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Taylor flew from Washington to Fort Worth, and was accompanied by Major Russell C. Throckmorton, District Commander of the North Texas District, Civilian Conservation Corps.

This was the first award ever presented by a member of the Director's Staff. Mr. Taylor is also chairman of the board which makes final recommendation for this award.

Benson is a son of Mrs. M. E. Benson of Rising Star. The incident, for which the award was made happened on Sunday at Lake Brownwood. A man and his wife took a motor boat out into the lake and attempted to swim back. Before they got out, a cloud came up and wind, which made high waves and they could not get back. Benson took an inner tube and went after them, bringing them back. The man was perfectly limp, and the lady was nearly "out". By artificial respiration, he brought them all to, and saved them from drowning.

Also, before he went out, several small children near the shore were in too deep water, and he pulled them out after they got too deep in the lake, and the water was going over their heads.

HOSPITAL NOTES



Patients in the Hospital: Mr. A. M. Edwards Luther Joe Howe Mrs. Weldon Mooney and baby daughter.

ROMANCE OF THE CAVES

By FRANK E. SIMMONS

Caves were the first habitations of man. Thru all time the rock shelves, holes in the cliffs, and grottoes in the walls of cliffs and rugged mountain sides, have had fascinating and romantic history. It was in the caves sheltered by masses of overhanging rock, and hidden from view by brush, and scrubby timber, that man first sought a refuge from fierce storms and the ravages of the elements. From wild beasts, and from his most relentless foe, man, his own species. It was in caves the first hearth fires were built. In caves pottery was made and man first began to develop the arts. The oldest paintings and carvings known have been discovered on the walls of caves. The art of making tools and weapons of defense, of shells, bones, and stones, had its origin in the caves before man dare build his hut in the open along water courses.

There is a fascination in the study of the caves, and rock-shelters; a revelation read by the artifacts, and utensils representing the domestic arts, that lie buried in the ash, and dust, accumulations found in most caves. These relics reveal somewhat of a knowledge of the home life, and manner, and customs of cave men.

There are many caves in the rugged hills along the Leon River and its tributaries, that were once the habitations of men. In these caves man once poured out his longings of the soul to the Great Spirit. In these caves they held councils that decided whether the country should enjoy the blessings of peace, or be cursed by the devastation of savage wars. Here too, the brown hunter wooed his dusky mate with the softest songs of love. The mother crooned to the infant wrapped in swaddling clothes made of the skins of animals.

Gruesome as it would seem to us, the caves were also used as a depository for the dead, and in the manner of burial, the articles found with the dead, and the proximity of these burials to the abode of the living reveal the deep religious reverence these people had for the souls of their departed.

The romance of the caves has come down to our own time. Many caves have been named for some character, or circumstance, by fact or fancy connected to the particular cave. There is Robbers Cave, said to have been the rendezvous of a band of robbers. There is Counterfeit Hall, where is said a set of molds used for making spurious money, was found. Devils Cave, so named because of its location in a gloomy hollow, and the

weird noises said to be heard there. The noises are caused by the peculiar contour of the cave walls echoing back the moanings of the wind. What is more romantic than the finding of the remains of anciently buried men leading to the finding of Coryell County's reputed gold and silver mine. However, the chief interest in the hidden treasure, is the archeological treasure that helps to reveal the cultural status of the ancient peoples who once occupied this land. In one cave, buried in deep ash beds, and other cave litter, was found scraps of basketry, cord woven of cedar bark; scraps of woven mats, scraps of pottery, red paint, polished shells, needles and awls made of bone, and stone blades, and arrow points exhibiting the finest sense of mechanical execution. Enough to show that the people, whose remains they were, had begun to cultivate a taste for the arts and sciences.

Bee Rock Indian Camp

Bee Rocks: are two massive limestone bluffs that rise to an approximate height of 200 feet above Leon Valley, and over look a large portion of that rich country. These rocks are about four miles southwest of Oglesby, in Coryell County. They face west and extend for several hundred yards north and south. South Bee Rock has about 250 yard face, and commands the finest view of the Leon Valley. North Bee Rock is about the same elevation but very much longer. Great masses of limestone blocks, thrown down by the forces of nature ages ago litter the steep slopes for half way up. Then there is a series of grottoes with a perpendicular cliff rising above. Separating the bluffs is a narrow rugged cove cutting back into the hill a quarter of a mile, which widens into a circular basin enclosed by massive cliffs of limestone. This cove is about 80 yards wide at the mouth. Some distance back three narrow ravines come together. All of these slopes are covered with massive boulders or brush.

Following the left prong of the ravine, after a 150 yard climb up a steep hillside, we came suddenly upon a large grotto, or rock shelter, or cave. The cave is about sixty feet long. Six to twelve feet wide; with overhanging roof from three to six feet high. Upon the floor in the leaves and dust were many small bones and fragments of larger ones. A little exploration revealed large beds of ancient ashes in which scraps of flint, bone, and shell were mingled. We shoveled out about twenty bushels

Scenes at Mother Neff Park Near Waco



A CCC camp on the site has done much in recent years to add to the host of physical offerings of the 257-acre Mother Neff park which is to be dedicated in Mother's day services today. Three buildings and a lookout tower are conspicuous above the many other improvements on roads and drainage. The top photo shows a pavilion which houses lounges, rest rooms and a confectionery. At the bottom is a lookout tower located on the highest point in the park. From here one can see miles and miles of forests.

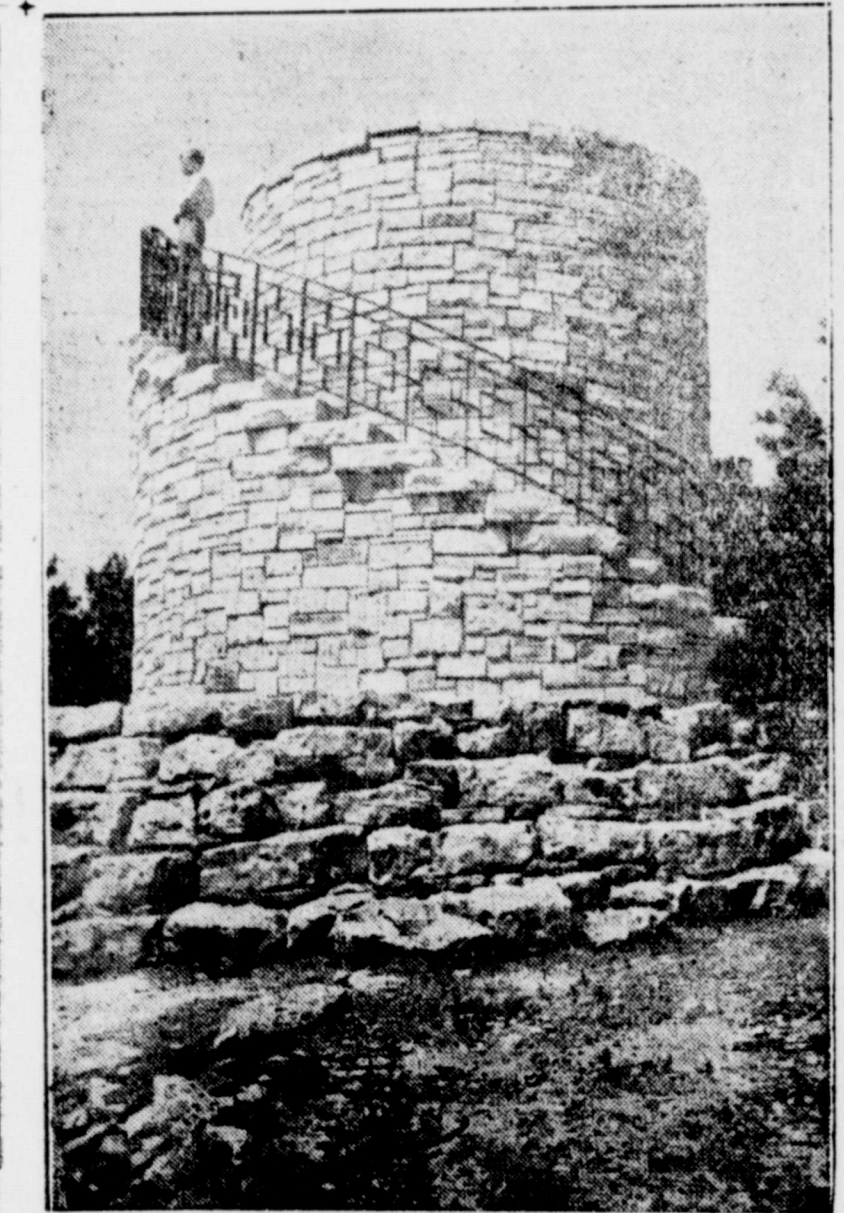
of the ashes, examining every shovel full closely. We found a dozen crude arrow points, a bone awl and several hammer stones. Since that date G. R. Green has done excavating and found extensive ashbeds, from which the remains of three human beings were exhumed. Buried with one of the human skulls Mr. Green found a very fine arrow point, three inches long; light, thin and serrated.

Back down the slope at the mouth of the cove, is a space of about two acres literally strewn with fragments of mussle shells, scraps of flint and other camp refuse. We located several burnt rock middens. This strip of ground is now in cultivation. The slopes of the hill from the rock shelter above, down to this plot of ground, have a large showing of camp refuse where the soil is exposed to view. On the little plot we found 40 excellent arrow points; several blades and many mano and hammer stones, and some scraps of pottery. We left thirty-six mano and hammer stones, piled upon a massive boulder, because we were too heavily loaded to carry them away. When we returned to retrieve them, they also had been carried away. Not a single whole mortar was found.

The rugged heights extend a mile around the Dr. F. C. Green estate and in them are numerous places where the Indians mined flint. On the table land above Big Bee Rock is a space some three acres that is literally covered with flint chips and an occasional crude arrow point or flint blade.

In a rock shelter in Culpeper Bluff, Dr. Clyde Bailey excavated and exhumed remains representing more than a score of human beings. These remains were sent to the Smithsonian Institute for scientific study. E. J. Thomason and a friend excavated a small shelter on the west bluff of Station Creek and removed thirteen skulls. Others removed six more, making a total of nineteen. No artifacts whatsoever were found here. At dripping Rock shelter, on Peugh Branch, three skulls, a lump of paint pigments, several arrow heads, a mortar, and some polished shells were removed. G. R. Green has excavated other shelters, and the materials found correspond closely with the materials found by other research workers. The research workers here named are not mere grave diggers, but men working for the historical data they may obtain from the remains found in the caves.

In the face of the north bluff of a gloomy canyon, nature, in her travail of creation, cut into the solid rock hills a rock shelter to the depth of eight to fifteen feet, with overhanging roof eight to ten feet high. This shelter is sixty feet long. Along the front of this for half its length, nature has cast massive stone blocks so that they form a sort of protecting wall. With two experienced men I assisted in excavating this shelter. Thus nature provided a home for



many generations of primitive Americans. The ashbeds in this cave ranged from two to six feet in depth. Tons and tons of this ash was carefully screened. Numerous finely finished flint artifacts were retrieved. Twenty bone awls, twenty polished shells, lumps of paint pigments, pieces of buckskin, grass matting, cord woven of cedar bark and grass fiber, mortars, mano stones, and some fragments of pottery of high quality. Apparently no rain had fallen in this cave since the dawn of creation, for everything was powder

dry to a depth of six feet. No cold north wind could penetrate, no tornado from the west could disturb the nightly slumbers of they who made their home here, only the sunlight from the south could strike along the south edge of the exposed sloping hill at the edge of the shelter.

At one point four skeletons were found. They were placed on the left side, face to the wall, and on top of each other, until they were four deep. Six other skeletons were found. Three of them folded (Concluded on next page)

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Celebrate Golden Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Ammon Shirley, pictured above, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home in Gatesville on May 2. Mr. and Mrs. Shirley were married in Irene, Hill county, in 1889.

FOUR GENERATIONS CELEBRATE



Mr. and Mrs. A. Shirley, Gatesville, their daughter, left standing, son Leland Dyess and his little daughter, Linda Gale Dyess, of Austin, Mrs. R. C. Dyess, Gatesville, her

CONTRACTORS NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 13.181 miles of Grading, Culverts, Reshaping Select Material Flexible Base and Single Asphalt Surface Treatment from State Juvenile Training School to Jonesboro on Highway No. 36, covered by Control 183-4-4, in Coryell County, will be received at the State Highway Department Austin, until 9:00 A. M., May 23, 1939, and then publicly opened and read. The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply as minimum wage rates on this project.

Title of "Laborer"	Prevailing min. per Diem	Wage (Based on man)
"Mechanic"	Eight (8) Hr. Working Day	
Carpenter	8.00	
Shovel Operator	8.00	
Crane Operator	8.00	
Powder Man	8.00	
Mechanic	8.00	
Crusher Operator	4.00	
Asphalt Raker	4.00	
Roller Operator	4.00	
Distributor Driver	4.00	
Distributor Operator	4.00	
Tractor Operator	4.00	
Blade Operator	4.00	
Broom Operator	4.00	
Truck Driver (over 1 1/2 tons)	4.00	
Finisher	4.00	
Form Setter	4.00	
Air Hammer Operator	4.00	
Blacksmith	4.00	
Fireman (Asphalt Plant)	4.00	
Mixer Operator	4.00	
Compress Operator	4.00	
Pump Operator	4.00	
Spreader Box Operator	4.00	
Steel Setter (Reinforcing Steel)	4.00	
Oiler	4.00	
Weigher	4.00	
Truck Driver (1 1/2 tons and less)	3.20	
Flagman	3.20	
Unskilled Laborer	3.20	
Teamster	3.20	
Dumper	3.20	
Form Setter's Helper	3.20	
Watchman	2.80	
Cook	2.80	
Water Boy	2.40	

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.
Rates for work performed in excess of the maximum hours per week as stipulated in the "Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938," approved June 25, 1938, (Public No. 718, 75th Congress) shall be subject to the applicable provisions of this Act.
Plans and specifications available at the office of A. L. Chollar Resident Engineer, Gatesville, Texas, and State Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. 40-42-te
C. C. N.

Enjoying good things is not an evil, but becoming slaves to pleasure is.—Mary Baker Eddy.

ROMANCE OF THE CAVES—

in burial; three of them in the same manner of white burials. Why the three modes of burial in the same shelter could not be explained by our party. There were no ornaments found in the graves; however one very excellent soapstone pipe, of about four ounces weight, was found. One broken arrow shaft still held the stem of a broken off arrow point. The dried, and hardened sinew that held the flint arrow point in the shaft was still there as the Indian had placed it.

It was strange that so many had been buried beneath the floor of so populous a home as this must have been. The veneration primitive man had for the spirit of the dead may account for this. Also it gave them a better opportunity to do reverence according to their light.

Here primitive man poured out the longings of his soul, also his thanks, to the Great Spirit. Here the medicine man and the prophet, controlled the tribe by their weird machinations. Here in this, one of the most ancient of American homes, was held the councils that gave peace or war. Here the housewife with her crude utensils of bone, shell, stone and pottery, performed her household duties, and here old men wrought wonderful flint implements that were left to be found by the modern white American, after they had lain there buried under from two to six feet of ashes and disintegrating stone, for hundreds of years, an unfulfilling record of the home-life of primitive Americans.

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Painter's

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About 75 per cent of the babies born in the New York metropolitan area are born in hospitals. rabbits and mice also do serious damage.

About 21,000 workers in Alaska participated in the old age pension feature of the social security act.

Radio telephones are widely used by miners in remote part of Alaska.

Lay hold of today's task, and you will not depend so much upon tomorrow's.—Seneca.

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Buster

Mrs. Joyce Touchstone, Corsp.

Mrs. Adolph Kneschk spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Graves Morgan.

The high wind and hard rain that fell here on Sunday afternoon May 7th, did considerable damage to grain, gardens, and young cotton. Several farmers have replanted cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Valon Baize of McGregor visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis Latham awhile Tuesday night.

Miss Geneva Wallace has returned to her home near Moshier

having spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cooksey and daughter have moved to this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Latham spent Thursday night with the David Wilsons of the Liberty vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wendeborn and family visited Mr. and Mrs. U. Z. Touchstone and son Tuesday night.

Mr. U. Z. Touchstone visited Mrs. Joe Milner of Turnersville awhile Saturday afternoon.

—C.C.N.—

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Porter spent the week end in Granbury.

They Keep Childhood Oath



"We solemnly swear . . . to stick together . . ." Thus these six girls formed a secret society in fourth-grade days in Belton, Texas. Now that college days are here, the six original members are still banded together at Texas State College for Women, Denton. From top of circle to right, these young ladies are Val Jean Singleton, Violet Beville, Gladys DuBose, Dorothy Pirtle, Mary Alice Garner, and Rosemary Polk.

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Delmar Ramsey Weds Mullin Girl

Word was received here recently of the marriage of Miss Lillian Carlisle of Mullin, Texas and Delmar Ramsey of Houston, son of J. W. Ramsey of this city.

The couple are making their home in Houston.

Owl Club Entertained At Luke Walker Home

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Walker on south 14th street was the scene of a delightful affair when they were host and hostess to members and guests of the Owl Club Thursday evening. Various spring flowers adorned the rooms thruout, and a color scheme of pink and white was used in the decorations and refreshments.

After the games of 84 had been enjoyed, delicious brick ice cream and angel food squares were served.

Attending were: Messrs. and Mesdames Tom L. Robinson, Jeff Bates, Edgar Franks, Andrew Kendrick, E. G. Beerwinkle, Edgar Jones, J. A. Painter, Paul Martin, D. R. Boone, E. A. Shingle, Vernon Ray, and Mesdames Levi Anderson and Bob Baize.

Speech Recital To Be Given Friday Evening

The Speech Class, under the direction of Miss Nona Diltz, will present a free recital in the High School auditorium Friday evening May 19, at 8:30 o'clock.

This program will consist of two plays and a number of readings.

Mrs. Stinnett Entertains Wednesday Contract Club

Members and guests of the Wednesday Contract Club were complimented Friday afternoon when Mrs. H. C. Stinnett entertained at her home on Bridge street. Decorating the reception suite thruout were vases and bowls of various spring flowers.

Players included: Mesdames T. P. Tackett, George Painter, Stewart Williams, B. B. Garrett, R. B. Cross, John Neubauer, John T. Brown, B. K. Cooper, Harry Flentge, Rufe Brown, C. C. Sadler, O. N. Hix, C. B. Braden, J. W. Laird, D. R. Boone, and Robert Scott. Mrs. Sadler and Mrs. Braden were recipients of the awards for high and second high scores.

To conclude the lovely affair, the hostess passed a delectable salad plate.

Mrs. Wallace Hostess To Jolly 42 Club

Mrs. Jess Wallace was hostess to members and guests of her club, the Jolly 42 Club, Thursday afternoon at her home on Andrews street. The rooms were decorated thruout with bouquets of spring flowers.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake and were served to the following: Mesdames Paul Pollard, Robert Oldham, Jess Hill, Bob Flentge, Otha Johnson, Roy Chamlee and Alma Kelley.

Inez Rogers Weds Carl Drake

Miss Inez Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rogers of this city, became the bride of Carl Drake in a single ring ceremony at 3:30 Saturday afternoon at the First Baptist Church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. M. Spalding in the presence of the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hestilow.

The bride wore a lovely beige alpaca crepe ensemble with accessories of fresh earth and carmel. For something old she carried a dainty hand mand lace handkerchief, which was given to her several years ago.

Mrs. Drake was a graduate of Gatesville High School in 1931. For the past three years she has been a valuable employee of the Gulf States Telephone Company.

Mr. Drake attended school in Galveston and Nevada, Missouri. At present he is employed as supervisor of a government project located a few miles from Gatesville.

Immediately following the ceremony the couple left for a wedding-trip to points in north Texas. They are at home on W. Bridge

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street. Their many friends wish them much happiness and success in life together.

Mrs. A. J. Akin of Tyler is visiting her brother and sister, M. W. Murray and Mrs. N. P. Hale.

Miss Geraldine Schloeman, who is attending Baylor University, Waco, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schloeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Battle and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hammock of Dallas were guests of Mrs. W. W. Hammack and Mrs. Minnie Battle over the week end.

Miss Doris Polk, who has been visiting in Clifton and Sherman for the past few weeks, returned to her home at the State Training School last Tuesday.

John Hall Curry of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Curry and son, R. B. Jr. of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Curry Sun.

Miss Ruth Edmondson and Lou's Woodall, employees of Garner-Alvis Co. in Hamilton, were visitors in this city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maxwell, Mrs. C. S. Tucker, and Miss Gladys Marie Phillips visited Jack Hearne and Harry Voss, students at A. and M. College, Sunday. They attended the Mother's Day Review there.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the estate of A. E. Mayberry Deceased:

Mrs. Mary Mayberry, Administratrix, of the Estate of said A. E. Mayberry Deceased, has filed in the County Court of Coryell County her Final Account of the condition of said estate, together with an application to be discharged as Administratrix, thereof, which will be heard by our said Court on the Fifth Monday in May A. D. 1939, same being the 29th day of May A. D. 1939, at the Court House of said Coryell County, in Gatesville, Texas, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and contest said Final Account and application, if they see proper.

Witness, C. P. Mounce, Clerk of the County Court of Coryell County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at my office in Gatesville, Texas, on this, the 15th day of May A. D. 1939.

(Seal) C. P. Mounce, Clerk County Court Coryell County, Texas

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Personals

Miss Helen Odom and Mrs. Mabel Gardner were guests of the latter's mother in Evant Sunday.

Miss Sidney Gale Gibson spent the week end in Trinity with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Webb of Waco visited their daughter, Mrs. B. S. Cook, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jameson of Meridian visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Henson, Sunday.

Miss Lois Scott, a faculty member in the Longview schools, was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Scott.

Billy Kirby, student at Baylor University, Waco, visited friends and relatives here over the week end.

Miss Belva McCoy, student at NTTC, Denton, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McCoy.

Dr. and Mrs. Dean Jones and children, Bobbie and Kay Dean, spent Sunday with Mrs. Jones' parents in Winona.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Johnson and children of Clifton spent the week end with friends and relatives in this city.

Miss Elise Cook, student at Texas University, Austin, was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Cook.

Miss Peggy Louise Wollard of Hamilton was a guest of friends and relatives here during the week end.

Miss Dorothy Ayres of Austin was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leake Ayres, the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil C. Elliott and Edwin McDonald of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed McDonald during the week end.

Oley Beard Jr., who is attending Baylor University, was a week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oley Beard.

Mrs. Dan McClellan was an Austin visitor Friday. Jack Straw and Byron McClellan, who are attending the University of Texas, returned home with her to spend the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McAllister, former residents of this city, announce the arrival of a baby boy, E. E. Jr., who was born Friday in a Stephenville hospital. They are now making their home in Midland.

Mrs. George Cole and daughter, Miss Bobby Stephenville, of Thompsons, Mrs. Frank Mitchell, and Mrs. Frank Meek and small son, Frank Jr., of Sour Lake arrived last Friday to spend a few days with Mrs. S. H. Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Lively were Hamilton visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin visited relatives in Hamilton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Gloff visited relatives near Clifton Sunday.

Ed Wollard of Hamilton was a Gatesville visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Clawson of Houston were visitors in this city Sunday.

Will Painter of Ft. Worth spent Mother's Day with his mother, Mrs. G. L. Painter, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Chapman of Hamilton were visitors in this city Sunday.

Guests in the J. O. Brown home during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Durward Findley of Waco.

Miss Nell Routh, student at T SCW at Denton, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Routh, over the week end.

Jack Reesing, student at Baylor University, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Reesing.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Embry of Brady spent the week end with the latter's mother, Mrs. Homer Wilson, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Boyd and son, Jack, of Hamlin have been spending the past few days with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bell and son, Spurgeon, and Arthur Faris of Houston were guests of relatives here during the week end.

Guests of Mrs. A. A. Daniels Sunday were George Daniels of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Truitt of Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Howard of Waco.

George Donaldson, who is attending a business college and who is employed in a theatre in Fort Worth, was a week end visitor in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hendrickson and family of Childress visited Mrs. Ralph Hendrickson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Burleson of Austin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Burleson and other relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schloeman spent the week end with Miss Mary Ella Schloeman in Denison and John Dayton Schloeman in Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Davis and daughter, Jerry, and Miss Sara Frances Graham were Waco visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ford Roberts of Waco visited her mother, Mrs. May Goodwin, in Mound Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Hill of Winters visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chatham over the week end.

Misses Marie Hill and Annie Lee Cobb of Winters were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gilchrist and children of Waco were week end guests of Mrs. S. A. Clemons.

Misses Pauline Latham and Walden Dollins spent Thursday in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jeffers in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. English spent Sunday at A. and M. College as guests of their son, Joe Hal, who is a student there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon White visited their son, Douglas White, who is attending A. and M. College, Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Wollard has been visiting in Clifton. Sunday Jack Wollard was in Clifton and Mrs. Wollard returned home with him.

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—FOR RENT: My rock house. Will be available Saturday. Mrs. W. W. Hollingsworth. 39-tfc

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—STRAYED into my pasture Saturday night two gray horses, with mane sheared. Owner see B. M. Wolfe, 6 miles west of Gatesville. Pay for ad and get horses. 42-1tc

—BLACKBERRIES for sale. 10c per gallon. Pick every day. 2 mi. north of Gatesville on Highway 36. M. A. Ward. 41-tfc

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—BERRIES for sale: 10c per gallon or 3 for 25c. Picking days every day. J. M. Worthington place. By S. M. Worthington. 42-2tp

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—BLACKBERRIES For Sale: 10c gallon you pick them. One mile below Coryell City and Gatesville road on Coryell Creek. Joe Wolfe. 42-4tc

—FOR SALE or Trade: Young mares, 3 to 8. Also tractor and thresher. Want sheep or goats. G. P. Haase, 7 mi. N. Jonesboro. 42-3tp

—FOR SERVICE: Registered Durco boar. Also Berkshire boar. 309 N. Lutterloh. See John Schley. 34-tfc

—BLACKBERRIES for sale. Good berries. Clean patch. Fair measure. 10c gallon. Pick every day. 9 mi. S. E. Gatesville, near Ewing. William Price. 41-6tp

—BERRIES: Plenty. Pick every day. Clean patch. Fine berries. Mays Berry Farm, Jonesboro. 41-3tp

—FOR RENT: 3 unfurnished rooms in Neal Patterson home. See Pat Patterson at Preston's Mill. 41-2ct

PALACE

TODAY AND WED.

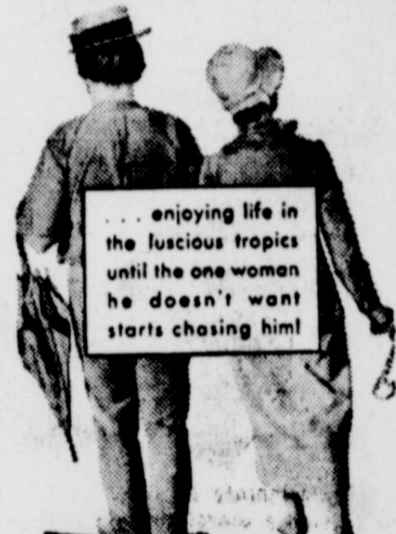
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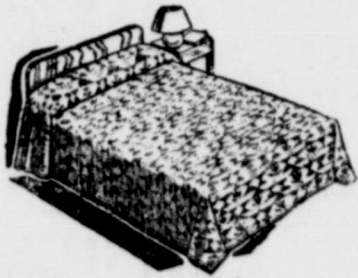
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The time has definitely arrived in America when positions of trust and responsibility should be placed exclusively in the hands of the elders, declared Roy Miller, oldtime editor of Texas, in speaking recently at a gathering of old friends and neighbors of John Nance Garner, vice president, in the little village of Detroit, Texas, where the distinguished Texan was born nearly sixty-nine years ago.

"There is no substitute, either in public or private life, for experience, and experience, of course, comes only with years. As a matter of fact, the only thing that is old about John Nance Garner is some of his political philosophy. He still believes in the old-fashioned virtues of economy, thrift, and self reliance. In other words, he believes in the old-fashioned, fundamental principles of democracy, and no man in America, in both his public and private life, exemplifies those principles to such a degree as does this great man.

"While achieving high place politically, he has made substantial success of his private life, and it is his proud boast that he owes no human being a thin dime. He believes in the pay-as-you-go system, and what a blessing it would be if that system could be applied to America today.

"Lest I be misunderstood, let me say here, with all of the emphasis I can command, that John Garner is no reactionary in his political philosophy. Indeed, he is not even a conservative, if the term be applied with the meaning with which it was clothed in years gone by.

"John Garner is a liberal and a great liberal. He was a liberal Democrat practicing liberalism, many years before some of the most vocal present-day sponsors of liberalism were even born. But there is no tinge or taint of radicalism in the liberalism of John Garner. His liberalism is that which would guarantee to every American citizen the right and opportunity to work out his or her salvation with the least possible interference upon the part of the Government. Therefore, he believes, in all necessary legislation and regulation to protect the weak against the strong, the poor against the rich, the owner of property against those who would destroy the ownership of property; in short, equality of opportunity for every American citizen. He believes in Democracy and prefers to be known as a Democrat in the old-fashioned interpretation of

the term without qualification, prefix, or suffix.

"In such an atmosphere as this, I think we find the real soul and personality of America. From such humble surroundings as these, typified by the lowly log cabins where John Garner and his sainted mother were born, have come the truly great in America's glorious history. They knew, as he knows, what America is, what America stands for, and how and why our American system of government was conceived. They knew, as he knows, what it means to toil and strive and work. They knew, as he knows, that there is no substitute for self-reliance and individual initiative, and that any system of government which takes from the individual these fundamental tenets of liberty cannot long endure as a democracy of freemen. They knew, as he knows, that for men to be free they must be guaranteed only freedom of opportunity to work out their own destinies, and that the highest purpose and duty of government in a democracy is to assure to every citizen an equal chance with his neighbor. This is the essence of John Garner's political philosophy.

"I have no patience with those who would seek to analyze the percentage of one's Americanism. It is not a divisible thing. It is not something that can be broken up into parts and appraised in its constituent elements. Either one is an American or he is not. Nevertheless, I cannot help but feel that there never was a time in the history of our beloved country when the need for the leadership of those whose Americanism is beyond all peradventure of doubt was so essentially and vitally necessary to the preservation of America and American institutions as it is at the present moment.

"Here in Red River County, where John Garner's widowed grandmother with her six fatherless children came from Tennessee almost a hundred years ago, built yonder log cabin, and joined the ranks of valiant pioneers who blazed a trail for civilization and laid deep and broad the firm foundations of Imperial Texas, may we find, indeed, the soil from which true Americanism is generated and born. Here in this community, plain, homelike, typically American, is the birthplace of a great American who, in my humble opinion, has been marked by the hand of destiny to become the President of the greatest, richest, and most powerful nation of all time, the United States of America."

Oglesby

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Etheridge and family of Belton spent the week end with Mrs. Charlie Collard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilden of Waco were here Sunday.

Mrs. Nathan Feggette of Lawrence, Kansas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Fowler. Edwin Hunt is visiting Carter McIlvain.

J. W. Griffin and wife, George Mrs. W. L. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Mooney are the parents of a baby daughter born Friday in the Gatesville hospital.

Griffin and wife had Sunday dinner with their parents, Mr. and

A comet is much lighter than air and its only particles of mass are that infinitesimal ones in its head. In 1887 there appeared a "headless" comet; many comets have no tails.

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The weather is fine for growing crops and gardens. Some around have been canning some vegetables.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Miles went to Cisco Sunday to see his brother Conley, and sister, Mrs. L. A. Warren, and to Brownwood to see Mrs. Grace Blackstock.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dickie had as their guests over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. John Cokk and children of Longview and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Neal Foster and daughter of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dickie and children of Ireland. Mrs. Kate Permenter and Mrs. Ethel Rogers and Mrs. Louise Watts called Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mattie Rogers and Mrs. Owen Webb called in to see Mrs. Jocie Dutton Sunday afternoon and found her home better. She was able to be up and went to her closest neighbor's, Mrs. Pitts, for lunch.

Mrs. Clara Parks gave Miss Edith Anderson a bridal shower last Wednesday afternoon, and she received many useful gifts, and all had an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miles went to see Mrs. Nancy Laudermilk Sunday afternoon and she and her son, Seve, were some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Davis had all of their children in home for Mother's Day dinner.

Our school will be out this week end, and planning on a nice time with several entertainments.

COMMUNITY CHURCH TO BE ORGANIZED AT PRAIRIE VIEW

Organization of a Community Church at Prairie View is announced for next Sunday night by Edward S. Bayless, minister. The church, to be organized under the auspices and direction of the Presbyterian Church, U. S., will be called the Prairie View Community Church.

Special services will be held on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights, and on Sunday. Rev. John P. Kidd, evangelist of Centray Texas Presbytery, will do the preaching.

Everyone is cordially invited to be present each night.

ALL-STARS vs. OGLESBY IN GAME TONIGHT

Tonight in the local Athletic field in the second game of the young softball season, the Gatesville All-stars will meet the Oglesby All-stars in a game beginning at seven thirty. For the locals, Woody Wilson, ace right hander, will probably start in the box with Pat Olsen behind the plate.

The lineup for Gatesville outside of Wilson and Olsen will probably be; Bugger Jones at first; Charlie Barton at second; T. P. Tackett at third; Frank Morgan at short and a trio of slugging outfielders composed of J. L. Rogers, Jess Wiggins, and Manager Doc Ray. Pete Patterson will be in at short field.

A small admission fee of five cents will be charged.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenox Legion of Austin were guests of Mrs. Ruth Carlton Sunday.

Guests in the Carl Goodwin home the past week end were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. Byrel Cleveland of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Murphy and J. L. Murphy of Kempner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Perryman and Mrs. Kirby Perryman son, Billy Jeff of Denison spent the week end in this city. Mrs. Kirby Perryman and son remained over for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bates.

Insects represent the highest grade of evolution among invertebrate animals, and owe their numerical predominance to their ability to fly and their adaptability of life under the most diverse conditions.

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Miss Freda Weaver of Waco was in this city the past week end.

Bain Allen and Roland Bone returned Sunday from a trip to the San Francisco World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bryan of West were guests in the Jeff Bates home over the week end.

Dr. S. L. Witcher is now assistant to Dr. Vandoran Goodall in Clifton, where they are building a hospital.

S. A. Blankenship of Commerce former County Supt. here, was in this city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hite of Waco were week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bird Hair.

Mrs. Rufus McKinney and daughter, Jeffrey Ann, of Goldthwaite returned to their home Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bates.

Visitors in the Dave H. Culberston home the past week end included Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler B. Schley and daughter, Jerry, of Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Culberston and small daughter of Marlin, and Dave Culberston Jr., who is attending State University at Austin.

Pleas Walker, Pete Patterson, Lewis Newman, Leonard Milner, and H. A. (Buddy) Biffle attended the Central Texas Volunteer Fire Department's Convention in Burnet last Thursday. Included in the day's activities were a business meeting, a trip thru Longhorn Cavern and a banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Noris Hendley spent Mother's Day in Stephenville visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Juanita Strange has accepted a position with an oil company in Shreveport, La.

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Cotton is no longer King. Yet the sharecropper family shown in the center picture above does not know it. Caught in the system of perpetual indebtedness and tied to a single cash crop—cotton—they are unaware that a new South is being born.

That South is a land which must learn to solve its problems in relation to its own geographical peculiarities, says Miss Mary Jo Cowling, instructor in geography at the North Texas State Teachers College. So Miss Cowling has organized a 6,000 mile tour of America's "forgotten land," the South, which will reveal the country below the Mason and Dixon line as an area of immense potential richness already building for tomorrow. The tour will last six weeks, from June 8 to July 17.

Rich in beauty, the New South should realize fully that its pleasure resorts can be increased, bear the section one of its biggest cash crops, says Miss Cowling—tourist trade.

A new South marching toward tomorrow, attacking such problems as erosion control, conserving its natural wealth as in the Tennessee farm shown above, where check dams, straw, and brush are saving the soil. A new South which, thru chemurgy, is bringing science to its aid in utilization of agricultural crops in building a new industry.

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Murray, where is being built the greatest power project in the South; cotton mills and other industrial areas; picturesque Jugtown, North Carolina handicraft center; Tennessee Valley Authority centers; the Martha Berry School for Georgia mountaineers, and the beautiful Natchez, Miss. antebellum homes.

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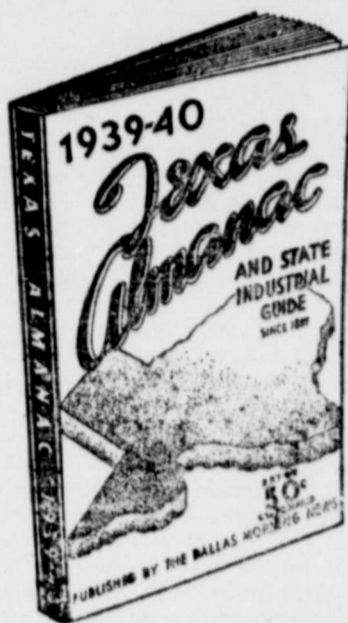


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A carload of sugar put up in cotton bags accounts for the production of 2-3 acres of average cotton land and gives work to 83 people. In 1938, America used 120,000 carloads of sugar. If it were all in cotton bags, it would have meant four months work to 100,000 people and the crop from more than a half million acres of cotton.

If each of the 503,000 farm families in Texas could have a new, 50 pound home made cotton mattress, and most families need several new mattresses, it would mean the consumption of 50,000 bales of cotton in this state alone.

Cotton bagging as a package for cotton bales, introduced last year when it was used on 17,000 bales in Texas, is superior to jute and sisal bagging from the standpoint of durability and is much preferred by spinners, who now have to comb jute and sisal fibers from the cotton.

Use of cotton bagging, cotton rope for ties, and cotton patches would not only use around 200,000 bales of cotton annually, but would reduce the gross weight of a bale of cotton by 20 pounds, and would thus effect a saving of several million dollars a year in freight and other handling charges.



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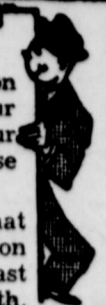
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Here's How Five Story U. T. Observatory Looks

McDonald Observatory, a 71-foot silver derby crowning semi-bald 6,791-foot Mount Locke, has been described as a near-perfect astronomical laboratory.

The West Texas peak, barren except for a few scrubby bushes, is dotted with cottages of the staff astronomers, dwarfed by the huge dome, itself equivalent in height to a five-story building.

On the insides of the steel shell one finds the telescope a 75-ton precision instrument of carefully milled steel and glass. At its base are two control tables which, with four auxiliary portable push-button controls, manipulate the telescope and the movable roof of the observatory. One of the tables is mounted on a platform beneath the telescope. This platform can be lifted like a filling station grease rack.

Slung from the dome above the telescope, is a "pulpit" that may be lowered or raised at will to follow the movement of the giant

mass of steel framework in its path along the 18-foot-wide "window" in the roof which cracks the shell in half from the bottom of the upward curve to the very top of the observatory. It is through this slit that the "eye" peeps at the stars.

Lateral movements of the 26-foot telescope is allowed by revolving the 125-ton dome, mounted on heavy locomotive wheels. The largest electric motor of the observatory, ten horsepower, is used for this job.

Of the thirty-three motors, the smallest of one-third horsepower operates the 75-ton telescope, delicately balanced on its massive axis. The axis is hollow, allowing the sharlight funneled down its steel throat to the 3,000-pound mirror to be deflected from there to a mirror in the axis and thence into the spectrograph room. Here the concentrated light is analyzed to determine the substance of the star under observation.

Mrs. Rhby Boyd and son visited Mrs. Jack Tennison Thursday afternoon.

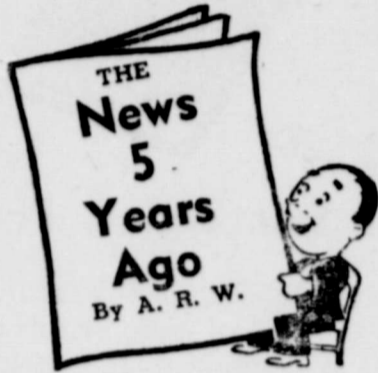
Mrs. L. J. Hooser spent the day Tuesday in the Elbert Collier home.

WOOL AND MOHAIR BUYERS



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Irvin McCreary, prominent Gatesville banker, is elected secretary-treasurer of the Stephenville North and South Texas Railway.

Ed McMordie, candidate for sheriff of Coryell County, resigned his position as Gatesville's police-chief; the city council appointed Charles E. Baker as his successor.

Hon. Pat M. Neff, Baylor University president and former Governor of Texas, presented the state of Texas with 250 acres of land in Coryell County in commemoration of Mother's Day.

As a result of family difficulties Groce Evans, resident of Leon Junction, is located in the County jail here following a row in which he allegedly cut George Turner, another resident of that vicinity, about the throat with a knife; Evans and Turner are brothers-in-law.

At a meeting of the Commissioners Courts held Monday afternoon an amount of \$466.66 was appropriated to be expended for the services of a home demonstration agent in Coryell County.

That which promised to be a delightful occasion to the faculty and members of the Senior Class of the Gatesville High School at the annual banquet honoring the '34 graduates proved to be rather unfortunate by some score or more individuals who were present; local physicians received calls which proved to be ptomaine poisoning.

Active promotion of highway 36 from Gatesville to Temple has been dormant in the past few months; Temple still pushing for construction of the highway.

Plans for the Tri-County Golf Tournament have been completed; local course has been improved.

For the first time in fifty-odd years all of the Osburn children were together at a recent reunion at Huntsville; J. L. Osburn of Gatesville attends.

Society: Misses Zelma and Merl Scott entertained with a party at their home Tuesday to compliment their sister, Miss Nela Scott, who will become the bride of Travis Meharg on June 2.

Personals: Miss Elaine Cross of Waco visited her parents, Judge and Mrs. R. B. Cross, over the

week end. She had as her guests, Miss Aleen Rogers and Messrs. Denver Roberts and Jimmie Parks from Baylor University.

Schley

Mrs. Jim Alford, Correspondent

We had our last PTA meeting of this term of school Friday nite. We also had Miss Gibson with us. She discussed the 4-H Club with us, and it was decided to meet at some early date and organize a club in this community.

Our school will be out the 19th which will be Friday with a picnic.

We are closing a very successful term of school. Our program and school play "Hands Up" will be presented Thursday night, and the ex-students play, "Small Town Romeo" will be Friday night.

Miss Emma Blackmon has been visiting her brother, Vernon Blackmon and family of Jonesboro the past week end.

Miss Mary Dyess of Gatesville attended our PTA meeting Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alford and Mildred were callers in the W. C. Roberts home Friday afternoon.

George Wymor has returned from New Mexico, where he has been employed.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Spencer Thompson and son, Richard, being ill the past week. We wish for them a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Wittie and son, Raby, of Spring Hill visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jeff Alford and family Thursday night.

Miss Jean Johnson of Gatesville attended the PTA meeting here Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alford and Mildred spent Mother's Day in Clifton with the latter's brother, N. F. Roberts. They were accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roberts of near Levita.

Turnover

Mrs. Clifford Wicker, Corp.

Several people of this community have been going to the programs at Ewing School this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wicker of Waco visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wicker, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wiggins of Ewing visited in the Sam Bunnell home Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Jackson spent the day Tuesday with Mrs. Tom Blanchard.

Mrs. R. A. Wicker spent Thursday afternoon in the Hermon Wicker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Spence and Mrs. Mary Jackson and daughter spent the day Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Blanchard.

Mrs. Lorane Derrick visited Mrs. Sam Bunnell Monday afternoon. Mrs. Vernon Blanchard visited Mrs. W. C. Williams Friday.

Mrs. Baylor Wicker and sons, Loran and B. J., of Dallas visited in the R. A. Wicker home Friday morning.

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CERTIFICATE OF VALOR IS PRESENTED CCC BOY HERE

SOUNDS LIKE A MACHINE GUN: MANY SCHOOLS CLOSE

Beginning Wednesday, picnics, plays, barbecues and all the sports and educational features connected with school closings are in store for people of the county.

Wednesday, Pearl schools finish their year.

Thursday, it's Jonesboro and Turnover.

Friday, Coryell City, Murrell, Arnett, Ireland and Mountain close their schools.

Saturday, it's Levita.

Information has also been released from the County Superintendent's office that W. S. Stiles has been elected to Ireland to succeed Superintendent S. V. Dickinson, who has taken a similar position at Godley.

\$2,932.67 IN WHEAT CHECKS ARE DUE TO FARMERS OF COUNTY

Already, 155 of the 293 checks have been received on "wheat checks" and there are still more due.

As usual, farmers having checks are advised, so it is unnecessary to call at the office until notification is received.

The total amount is \$2,932.67.

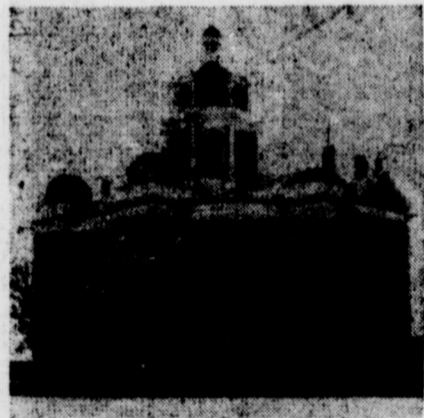
PROGRAMS TO BE PRESENTED AT PLAINVIEW SCHOOL

The primary grades and the eighth grade of the high school of Plainview will present their program Thursday night, May 18, and it will begin at 8 o'clock.

Friday night, May 19th, the intermediate grades will present their program, which will begin at 8 o'clock.

Everybody is invited to attend these programs; both will be free.

COURTHOUSE NEWS



MARRIAGE LICENSES

Carl Drake and Inez Rogers
Gayle Calhoun and Vannie Katherine Burton.

Robert Thetford and Jean Holt.
WARRANTY DEEDS
E. C. Miller and others to Arnold Kokel.

J. S. Torbett to O. N. Hix
NEW CARS REGISTERED
Chester Griffin, '39 Ford Tudor.

Markets

(As of May 15)

Wheat	50c
Wool	23c
Corn, ear	45c
Corn, ground	85c
Mohair	34-44c
Cottonseed, ton	\$20
Cream, No. 1	15c
Cream, No. 2	13c
Oats, sacked	28c
Oats, loose	26c
Eggs	12c
Hens, heavy	10c
Hens, light	8c

DEDICATION AT NEFF STATE PARK DRAWS 2,500

Approximately twenty-five hundred central Texans gathered at Mother Neff State Park Sunday for the dedication services of the mother of the giant Texas parks system, the largest state system in the union.

Judge Beauchamp, Secretary of State was one of the principal speakers, accepting the park for the state of Texas.

Mrs. J. M. Dawson, wife of the pastor of the First Baptist Church of Waco delivered the dedicatory address.

Another "first" for Coryell County was the fact brought out Sunday, that this park is the First Texas State park, given while President Pat M. Neff, of Baylor University, was Governor of Texas.

Other dignitaries present were Gus Urbantke, Austin, a member of the park board, who led in the dedicatory prayer; Raymond Dillard, Mexia, youngest member of the board, and Judge J. Harvey Baugh, of the third court of civil appeals, Austin. A tribute was paid to the late D. E. Klopp, first chairman of the state park board by J. V. Ash, of Bastrop, present members of the board.

The park is located some 12 or 15 miles southeast of Gatesville, on the banks of the Leon River. The park consists of 257 acres of land.

Gaining wide attention at the dedication was the well trained Baylor University Golden Wave Band, which played a concert during the afternoon.

PICNIC TO BE FEATURED AT CLOSING OF SCHLEY SCHOOL FRIDAY

Schley school will close Friday, May 19, with a picnic. The morning features will include a talk by Mr. Guy Powell at 11 o'clock; he will also present the school with the cups, which they won at the County Meet.

In the afternoon a baseball team composed of women from Gatesville, will play the Schley team. Besides this game, there will probably be other games.

NEWLAND SCHOOL TO CLOSE THIS WEEK

On Thursday night, May 18, there will be a one act play, "Too Much of a Good Thing" and a school program at Newland school.

On Friday, the 19th, there will be a picnic with basket lunches, and Friday night the play "Black Cats" will be staged by local talent.

Come be with us.

BLINDING LIGHTS FORCE CAR INTO ABUTMENT NEAR MCGREGOR

Sunday morning early, Mr. and Mrs. Wallis Vandiver and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, and a boy named Ray were returning from McGregor and the driver, blinded by lights, crashed into a bridge abutment.

Mrs. Vandiver had a badly cut hand and Mrs. Vandiver had her neck hurt. Other injuries were reported of a less serious nature.

While they were away for medical attention, some one was reported to have stolen the globes out of the headlights, and the groceries they had with them in the car.

BICYCLE RIDERS! LIGHT A LIGHT!

You can ride a bicycle at night without a light—if you want to, but there's a state law against it, according to County Attorney C. E. Alvis Jr.

Of course, the bad part of it is, you might get hurt.

We urge you to be careful, and even if bicycle riding is fun, exercise, and good sport, be a better sport and get light 'fore and aft' on that bike.

Might save a doctor bill!

CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE GROVE SCHOOL TODAY

Tuesday, today, The Grove schools begin their closing exercises, according to H. R. Mueller, Principal of the school.

This evening, there will be a program by the primary and intermediate grades.

Wednesday's program will be the Seventh Grade Graduation.

Thursday evening the high school play, "The Gay Pretenders" will be presented.

Friday evening, there will be a P.T.A. play entitled, "The Arizona Cowboy".

ADDS DRYING TUMBLER TO CLEANING PLANT

Recently Jim Martin added a Hoffman Drying Tumbler to his dry cleaning plant.

This is the latest model of dryer by this well known manufacturer, and does the work quicker by blowing heated air thru as the clothes tumble in the revolving drum.

W.O.W. HOLDS "OPEN HOUSE" IN HALL OVER HORNE'S BAKERY

Tonight, in their newly appointed hall over Horne's Bakery, the Woodmen of the World of Gatesville, extend a cordial invitation to all citizens to visit their open house which will begin at 8:00 o'clock tonight.

The lodge has just taken on new life and the membership is anxious for visitors to be with them tonight in addition to all visiting lodge members.

A well planned program has been arranged for entertainment.

B.&P.W. CLUB TO ELECT OFFICERS, PICNIC TODAY

In Raby Park, this evening, the B.&P.W. Club will meet for an outing, according to President Sidney Gayle Gibson, and after the picnic luncheon, a business session will begin.

Election of new officers for the year is the paramount "issue" of the meeting, and those who have served during the past year are, besides Miss Gibson, Mrs. Mabel Gardner, vice president; Miss Thelma McGilvray, recording secretary, and Miss Ann Hill, treasurer.

JOHN GRAHAM HANDLES OLIVER IMPLEMENTS WE ERRED

In Friday's issue of the News, we stated in a news item that J. R. Graham was—well, he isn't, he's agent for OLIVER farm implements instead of the kind we said.

This, in the corrective spirit.

Mrs. O. K. Lovejoy went to Waco Monday and went thru the clinic.



CHILDREN WELL KNOWN TO GATESVILLE PEOPLE WIN PRIZES

In the "Amateur's Album" section of the Dallas Morning News last Sunday there was a picture of little Robert Matthews McCombs, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. McCombs of Dallas and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mathews of this city.

The picture was made as Bob was crawling out of his pet dog's house in the backyard of his home, 3001 Rosedale; it was made by his father.

In a section of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram about two weeks ago, there was a picture of two children who won fourth prize, which was \$10., in a contest held by that paper. Later we were informed that these two children were well known by Mrs. Joe Whigham of O'Donnell, the former Miss Jewell Culbertson. They were her best friend's children, who also, lived in O'Donnell. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sturges; Mr. Sturges is manager of a chemical plant there.

Another picture, similar to the one sent in to the Telegram, had been entered in a contest held by the New York Herald several weeks before, and they had won first prize which was \$75. Both pictures were bath tub pictures, and had been made by a friend, W. A. Hardin Jr.

These pictures are in the News window, so drop by and see them.

AMATEUR CONTEST TO BE HELD AT ANTELOPE SCHOOL MAY 26

There will be an amateur contest at the Antelope School Friday, May 26, and will be on the day of the annual picnic in the afternoon. All contestants are invited to participate in the contest; there will be no entrance or contestant fees, it's all free.

The prizes will be \$5 for first prize, \$2.50 second prize, and \$1 third prize. Anyone with stunts, musical acts, comedy acts, tap dancing or anything else he or she can do, may enter the contest.

The judges are to be out-of-community people and they will be impartial.

Miss Ruby Turpin of Austin spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Turpin.

GRADY C. BENSON OF LOCAL CAMP GETS AWARD

Saturday, presentation was made to Grady C. Benson, of Company 2895, CCC Camp at Gatesville, of a Certificate of Valor, the CCC equivalent of the Distinguished Service Cross, for saving four lives in Lake Brownwood, in July, 1938. Presentation was made by Charles H. Taylor, First Assistant to Robert Fechner, Director of Civilian Conservation Corps, with headquarters in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Taylor flew from Washington to Fort Worth, and was accompanied by Major Russell C. Throckmorton, District Commander of the North Texas District, Civilian Conservation Corps.

This was the first award ever presented by a member of the Director's Staff. Mr. Taylor is also chairman of the board which makes final recommendation for this award.

Benson is a son of Mrs. M. E. Benson of Rising Star. The incident, for which the award was made happened on Sunday at Lake Brownwood. A man and his wife took a motor boat out into the lake and attempted to swim back. Before they got out, a cloud came up and wind, which made high waves and they could not get back. Benson took an inner tube and went after them, bringing them back. The man was perfectly limp, and the lady was nearly "out". By artificial respiration, he brought them all to, and saved them from drowning.

Also, before he went out, several small children near the shore were in too deep water, and he pulled them out after they got too deep in the lake, and the water was going over their heads.

HOSPITAL NOTES



Patients in the Hospital:
Mr. A. M. Edwards
Luther Joe Howe
Mrs. Weldon Mooney and baby daughter.

ROMANCE OF THE CAVES

By FRANK E. SIMMONS

Caves were the first habitations of man. Thru all time the rock shelves, holes in the cliffs, and grottoes in the walls of cliffs and rugged mountain sides, have had fascinating and romantic history. It was in the caves sheltered by masses of overhanging rock, and hidden from view by brush, and scrubby timber, that man first sought a refuge from fierce storms and the ravages of the elements. From wild beasts, and from his most relentless foe, man, his own species. It was in caves the first hearth fires were built. In caves pottery was made and man first began to develop the arts. The oldest paintings and carvings known have been discovered on the walls of caves. The art of making tools and weapons of defense, of shells, bones, and stones, had its origin in the caves before man dare build his hut in the open along water courses.

There is a fascination in the study of the caves, and rock-shelters; a revelation read by the artifacts, and utensils representing the domestic arts, that lie buried in the ash, and dust, accumulations found in most caves. These relics reveal somewhat of a knowledge of the home life, and manner, and customs of cave men.

There are many caves in the rugged hills along the Leon River and its tributaries, that were once the habitations of men. In these caves man once poured out his longings of the soul to the Great Spirit. In these caves they held councils that decided whether the country should enjoy the blessings of peace, or be cursed by the devastation of savage wars. Here too, the brown hunter wooed his dusky mate with the softest songs of love. The mother crooned to the infant wrapped in swaddling clothes made of the skins of animals.

Gruesome as it would seem to us, the caves were also used as a depository for the dead, and in the manner of burial, the articles found with the dead, and the proximity of these burials to the abode of the living reveal the deep religious reverence these people had for the souls of their departed.

The romance of the caves has come down to our own time. Many caves have been named for some character, or circumstance, by fact or fancy connected to the particular cave. There is Robbers Cave, said to have been the rendezvous of a band of robbers. There is Counterfeit Hall, where is said a set of molds used for making spurious money, was found Devils Cave, so named because of its location in a gloomy hollow, and the

weird noises said to be heard there. The noises are caused by the peculiar contour of the cave walls echoing back the moanings of the wind. What is more romantic than the finding of the remains of anciently buried men leading to the finding of Coryell County's reputed gold and silver mine. However, the chief interest in the hidden treasure, is the archeological treasure that helps to reveal the cultural status of the ancient peoples who once occupied this land. In one cave, buried in deep ash beds, and other cave litter, was found scraps of basketry, cord woven of cedar bark; scraps of woven mats, scraps of pottery, red paint, polished shells, needles and awls made of bone, and stone blades, and arrow points exhibiting the finest sense of mechanical execution. Enough to show that the people, whose remains they were, had begun to cultivate a taste for the arts and sciences.

Bee Rock Indian Camp

Bee Rocks: are two massive limestone bluffs that rise to an approximate height of 200 feet above Leon Valley, and over look a large portion of that rich country. These rocks are about four miles southwest of Oglesby, in Coryell County. They face west and extend for several hundred yards north and south. South Bee Rock has about 250 yard face, and commands the finest view of the Leon Valley. North Bee Rock is about the same elevation but very much longer. Great masses of limestone blocks, thrown down by the forces of nature ages ago litter the steep slopes for half way up. Then there is a series of grottoes with a perpendicular cliff rising above. Separating the bluffs is a narrow rugged cove cutting back into the hill a quarter of a mile, which widens into a circular basin enclosed by massive cliffs of limestone. This cove is about 80 yards wide at the mouth. Some distance back three narrow ravines come together. All of these slopes are covered with massive boulders or brush.

Following the left prong of the ravine, after a 150 yard climb up a steep hillside, we came suddenly upon a large grotto, or rock shelter, or cave. The cave is about sixty feet long. Six to twelve feet wide; with overhanging roof from three to six feet high. Upon the floor in the leaves and dust were many small bones and fragments of larger ones. A little exploration revealed large beds of ancient ashes in which scraps of flint, bone, and shell were mingled. We shoveled out about twenty bushels

Scenes at Mother Neff Park Near Waco



A CCC camp on the site has done much in recent years to add to the host of physical offerings of the 257-acre Mother Neff park which is to be dedicated in Mother's day services today. Three buildings and a lookout tower are conspicuous above the many other improvements on roads and drainage. The top photo shows a pavilion which houses lounges, rest rooms and a confectionery. At the bottom is a lookout tower located on the highest point in the park. From here one can see miles and miles of forests.

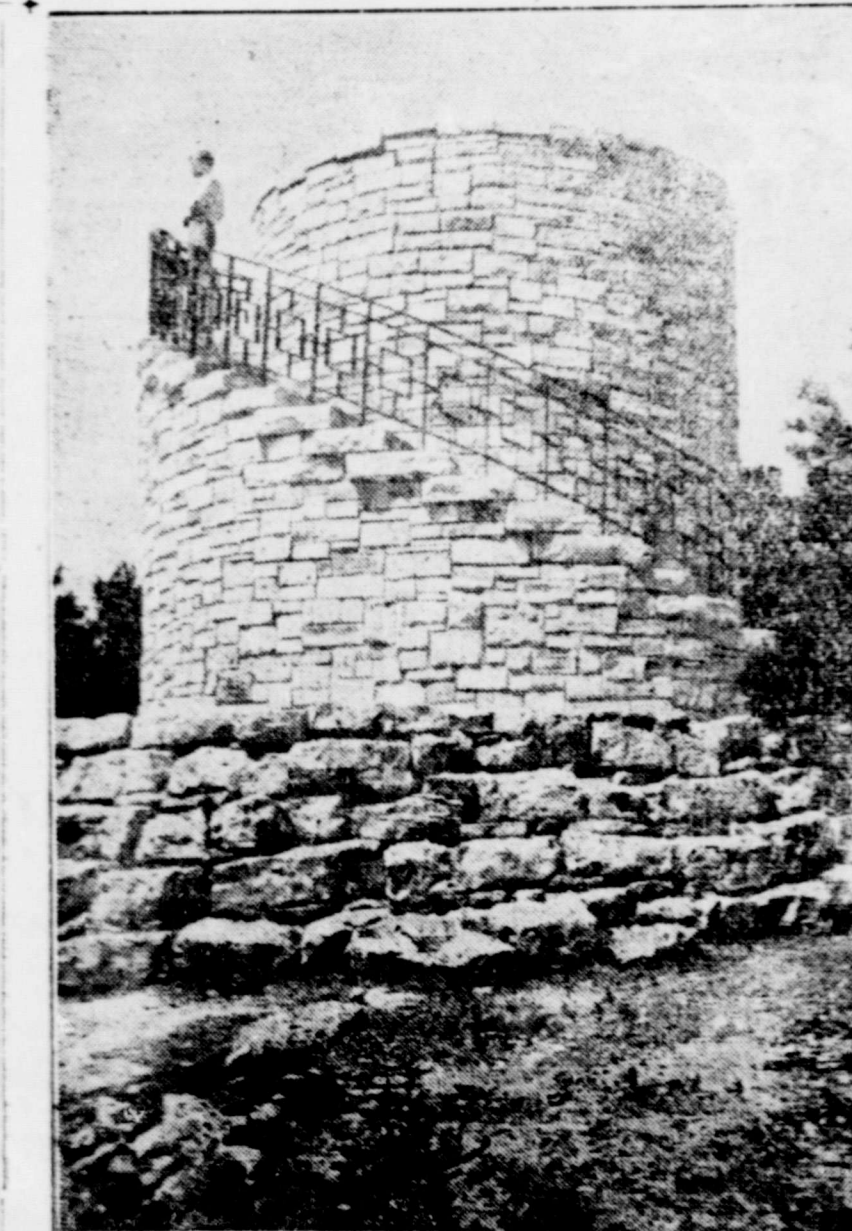
of the ashes, examining every shovel full closely. We found a dozen crude arrow points, a bone awl and several hammer stones. Since that date G. R. Green has done excavating and found extensive ashbeds, from which the remains of three human beings were exhumed. Buried with one of the human skulls Mr. Green found a very fine arrow point, three inches long; light, thin and serrated.

Back down the slope at the mouth of the cove, is a space of about two acres literally strewn with fragments of mussle shells, scraps of flint and other camp refuse. We located several burnt rock middens. This strip of ground is now in cultivation. The slopes of the hill from the rock shelter above, down to this plot of ground, have a large showing of camp refuse where the soil is exposed to view. On the little plot we found 40 excellent arrow points; several blades and many mano and hammer stone, and some scraps of pottery. We left thirty-six mano and hammer stones, piled upon a massive boulder, because we were too heavily loaded to carry them away. When we returned to retrieve them, they also had been carried away. Not a single whole mortar was found.

The rugged heights extend a mile around the Dr. F. C. Green estate and in them are numerous places where the Indians mined flint. On the table land above Big Bee Rock is a space some three acres that is literally covered with flint chips and an occasional crude arrow point or flint blade.

In a rock shelter in Culppeper Bluff, Dr. Clyde Bailey excavated and exhumed remains representing more than a score of human beings. These remains were sent to the Smithsonian Institute for scientific study. E. J. Thomason and a friend excavated a small shelter on the west bluff of Station Creek and removed thirteen skulls. Others removed six more, making a total of nineteen. No artifacts whatsoever were found here. At Dripping Rock shelter, on Peugh Branch, three skulls, a lump of paint pigments, several arrow heads, a mortar, and some polished shells were removed. G. R. Green has excavated other shelters, and the materials found correspond closely with the materials found by other research workers. The research workers here named are not mere grave diggers, but men working for the historical data they may obtain from the remains found in the caves.

In the face of the north bluff of a gloomy canyon, nature, in her travail of creation, cut into the solid rock hills a rock shelter to the depth of eight to fifteen feet, with overhanging roof eight to ten feet high. This shelter is sixty feet long. Along the front of this for half its length, nature has cast massive stone blocks so that they form a sort of protecting wall. With two experienced men I assisted in excavating this shelter. Thus nature provided a home for



many generations of primitive Americans. The ashbeds in this cave ranged from two to six feet in depth. Tons and tons of this ash was carefully screened. Numerous finely finished flint artifacts were retrieved. Twenty bone awls, twenty polished shells, lumps of paint pigments, pieces of buckskin, grass matting, cord woven of cedar bark and grass fiber, mortars, mano stones, and some fragments of pottery of high quality. Apparently no rain had fallen in this cave since the dawn of creation, for everything was powder-

dry to a depth of six feet. No cold north wind could penetrate, no tornado from the west could disturb the nightly slumbers of they who made their home here, only the sunlight from the south could strike along the south edge of the exposed sloping hill at the edge of the shelter.

At one point four skeletons were found. They were placed on the left side, face to the wall, and on top of each other, until they were four deep. Six other skeletons were found. Three of them folded

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Shirley, Gatesville, their daughter, left standing, Mrs. R. C. Dyess, Gatesville, her son Leland Dyess and his little daughter, Linda Gale Dyess, of Austin.

CONTRACTORS NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 13,181 miles of Grading, Culverts, Reshaping Select Material Flexible Base and Single Asphalt Surface Treatment from State Juvenile Training School to Jonesboro on Highway No. 36, covered by Control 183-4-4, in Coryell County, will be received at the State Highway Department Austin, until 9:00 A. M., May 23, 1939, and then publicly opened and read. The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply as minimum wage rates on this project.

Title of "Laborer"	Prevailing min. per Diem hour	"Workman" or "Mechanic"	Wage (Based on Eight (8) Hr. Working Day)
Carpenter	8.00	8.00	8.00
Shovel Operator	8.00	8.00	8.00
Crane Operator	8.00	8.00	8.00
Powder Man	8.00	8.00	8.00
Mechanic	8.00	8.00	8.00
Crusher Operator	4.00	4.00	4.00
Asphalt Raker	4.00	4.00	4.00
Roller Operator	4.00	4.00	4.00
Distributor Driver	4.00	4.00	4.00
Distributor Operator	4.00	4.00	4.00
Tractor Operator	4.00	4.00	4.00
Blade Operator	4.00	4.00	4.00
Broom Operator	4.00	4.00	4.00
Truck Driver (over 1 1-2 tons)	4.00	4.00	4.00
Finisher	4.00	4.00	4.00
Form Setter	4.00	4.00	4.00
Air Hammer Operator	4.00	4.00	4.00
Blacksmith	4.00	4.00	4.00
Fireman (Asphalt Plant)	4.00	4.00	4.00
Mixer Operator	4.00	4.00	4.00
Compress Operator	4.00	4.00	4.00
Pump Operator	4.00	4.00	4.00
Spreader Box Operator	4.00	4.00	4.00
Steel Setter (Reinforcing Steel)	4.00	4.00	4.00
Oiler	4.00	4.00	4.00
Weigher	4.00	4.00	4.00
Truck Driver (1 1-2 tons and less)	3.20	3.20	3.20
Flagman	3.20	3.20	3.20
Unskilled Laborer	3.20	3.20	3.20
Teamster	3.20	3.20	3.20
Dumper	3.20	3.20	3.20
Form Setter's Helper	3.20	3.20	3.20
Watchman	2.80	2.80	2.80
Cook	2.80	2.80	2.80
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Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.
Rates for work performed in excess of the maximum hours per week as stipulated in the "Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938," approved June 25, 1938, (Public No. 718, 75th Congress) shall be subject to the applicable provisions of this Act.
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Enjoying good things is not an evil, but becoming slaves to pleasure is.—Mary Baker Eddy.

ROMANCE OF THE CAVES—

in burial; three of them in the same manner of white burials. Why the three modes of burial in the same shelter could not be explained by our party. There were no ornaments found in the graves; however one very excellent soapstone pipe, of about four ounces weight, was found. One broken arrow shaft still held the stem of a broken off arrow point. The dried, and hardened sinew that held the flint arrow point in the shaft was still there as the Indian had placed it.

It was strange that so many had been buried beneath the floor of so populous a home as this must have been. The veneration primitive man had for the spirit of the dead may account for this. Also it gave them a better opportunity to do reverence according to their light.

Here primitive man poured out the longings of his soul, also his thanks, to the Great Spirit. Here the medicine man and the prophet, controlled the tribe by their weird machinations. Here in this, one of the most ancient of American homes, was held the councils that gave peace or war. Here the housewife with her crude utensils of bone, shell, stone and pottery, performed her household duties, and here old men wrought wonderful flint implements that were left to be found by the modern white American, after they had lain there buried under from two to six feet of ashes and disintegrating stone, for hundreds of years, an unflinching record of the home-life of primitive Americans.

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Buster

Mrs. Joyce Touchstone, Corp.

Mrs. Adolph Kneschk spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Graves Morgan.

The high wind and hard rain that fell here on Sunday afternoon May 7th, did considerable damage to grain, gardens, and young cotton. Several farmers have replanted cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Valon Baize of McGregor visited Mr. and Mrs. Travis Latham awhile Tuesday night.

Miss Geneva Wallace has returned to her home near Moshier

having spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cooksey and daughter have moved to this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Latham spent Thursday night with the David Wilsons of the Liberty vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wendeborn and family visited Mr. and Mrs. U. Z. Touchstone and son Tuesday night.

Mr. U. Z. Touchstone visited Mrs. Joe Milner of Turnersville awhile Saturday afternoon.

C.C.N.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Porter spent the week end in Granbury.

They Keep Childhood Oath



"We solemnly swear . . . to stick together . . ." Thus these six girls formed a secret society in fourth-grade days in Belton, Texas. Now that college days are here, the six original members are still banded together at Texas State College for Women, Denton. From top of circle to right, these young ladies are Val Jean Singleton, Violet Beville, Gladys DuBose, Dorothy Fittle, Mary Alice Garner, and Rosemary Polk.

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Delmar Ramsey Weds Mullin Girl

Word was received here recently of the marriage of Miss Lillian Carlisle of Mullin, Texas and Delmar Ramsey of Houston, son of J. W. Ramsey of this city.

The couple are making their home in Houston.

Owl Club Entertained At Luke Walker Home

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Walker on south 14th street was the scene of a delightful affair when they were host and hostess to members and guests of the Owl Club Thursday evening. Various spring flowers adorned the rooms thruout, and a color scheme of pink and white was used in the decorations and refreshments.

After the games of 84 had been enjoyed, delicious brick ice cream and angel food squares were served.

Attending were: Messrs. and Mesdames Tom L. Robinson, Jeff Bates, Edgar Franks, Andrew Kendrick, E. G. Beerwinkle, Edgar Jones, J. A. Painter, Paul Martin, D. R. Boone, E. A. Shingle, Vernon Ray, and Mesdames Levi Anderson and Bob Baize.

Speech Recital To Be Given Friday Evening

The Speech Class, under the direction of Miss Nona Diltz, will present a free recital in the High School auditorium Friday evening May 19, at 8:30 o'clock.

This program will consist of two plays and a number of readings.

Mrs. Stinnett Entertains Wednesday Contract Club

Members and guests of the Wednesday Contract Club were complimented Friday afternoon when Mrs. H. C. Stinnett entertained at her home on Bridge street. Decorating the reception suite thruout were vases and bowls of various spring flowers.

Players included: Mesdames T. P. Tackett, George Painter, Stewart Williams, B. B. Garrett, R. B. Cross, John Neubauer, John T. Brown, B. K. Cooper, Harry Flentge, Rufe Brown, C. C. Sadler, O. N. Hix, C. B. Braden, J. W. Laird, D. R. Boone, and Robert Scott. Mrs. Sadler and Mrs. Braden were recipients of the awards for high and second high scores.

To conclude the lovely affair, the hostess passed a delectable salad plate.

Mrs. Wallace Hostess To Jolly 42 Club

Mrs. Jess Wallace was hostess to members and guests of her club, the Jolly 42 Club, Thursday afternoon at her home on Andrews street. The rooms were decorated thruout with bouquets of spring flowers.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake and were served to the following: Mesdames Paul Pollard, Robert Oldham, Jess Hill, Bob Flentge, Otha Johnson, Roy Chamlee and Alma Kelley.

Inez Rogers Weds Carl Drake

Miss Inez Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rogers of this city, became the bride of Carl Drake in a single ring ceremony at 3:30 Saturday afternoon at the First Baptist Church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. M. Spalding in the presence of the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hestilow.

The bride wore a lovely beige alpaca crepe ensemble with accessories of fresh earth and carmel. For something old she carried a dainty hand mand lace handkerchief, which was given to her several years ago.

Mrs. Drake was a graduate of Gatesville High School in 1931. For the past three years she has been a valuable employee of the Gulf States Telephone Company.

Mr. Drake attended school in Galveston and Nevada, Missouri. At present he is employed as supervisor of a government project located a few miles from Gatesville.

Immediately following the ceremony the couple left for a wedding trip to points in north Texas. They are at home on W. Bridge

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street. Their many friends wish them much happiness and success in life together.

Mrs. A. J. Akin of Tyler is visiting her brother and sister, M. W. Murray and Mrs. N. P. Hale.

Miss Geraldine Schloeman, who is attending Baylor University, Waco, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schloeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Battle and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hammock of Dallas were guests of Mrs. W. W. Hammack and Mrs. Minnie Battle over the week end.

Miss Doris Polk, who has been visiting in Clifton and Sherman for the past few weeks, returned to her home at the State Training School last Tuesday.

John Hall Curry of Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Curry and son, R. B. Jr. of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Curry Sun.

Miss Ruth Edmondson and Lou's Woodall, employees of Garner-Alvis Co. in Hamilton, were visitors in this city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maxwell, Mrs. C. S. Tucker, and Miss Gladys Marie Phillips visited Jack Hearne and Harry Voss, students at A. and M. College, Sunday. They attended the Mother's Day Review there.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the estate of A. E. Mayberry Deceased: Mrs. Mary Mayberry Administratrix, of the Estate of said A. E. Mayberry Deceased, has filed in the County Court of Coryell County her Final Account of the condition of said estate, together with an application to be discharged as Administratrix, thereof, which will be heard by our said Court on the Fifth Monday in May A. D. 1939, same being the 29th day of May A. D. 1939, at the Court House of said Coryell County, in Gatesville, Texas, at which time and place all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and contest said Final Account and application, if they see proper. Witness, C. P. Mounce, Clerk of the County Court of Coryell County. Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at my office in Gatesville, Texas, on this, the 15th day of May A. D. 1939. (Seal) C. P. Mounce, Clerk County Court Coryell County, Texas



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Personals

Miss Helen Odom and Mrs. Mabel Gardner were guests of the latter's mother in Evant Sunday.

Miss Sidney Gale Gibson spent the week end in Trinity with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Webb of Waco visited their daughter, Mrs. B. S. Cook, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jameson of Meridian visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Henson, Sunday.

Miss Lois Scott, a faculty member in the Longview schools, was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Scott.

Billy Kirby, student at Baylor University, Waco, visited friends and relatives here over the week end.

Miss Belva McCoy, student at NTTC, Denton, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McCoy.

Dr. and Mrs. Dean Jones and children, Bobbie and Kay Dean, spent Sunday with Mrs. Jones' parents in Winona.

Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Johnson and children of Clifton spent the week end with friends and relatives in this city.

Miss Eliose Cook, student at Texas University, Austin, was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Cook.

Miss Peggy Louise Wollard of Hamilton was a guest of friends and relatives here during the week end.

Miss Dorothy Ayres of Austin was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leake Ayres, the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil C. Elliott and Edwin McDonald of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed McDonald during the week end.

Oley Beard Jr., who is attending Baylor University, was a week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oley Beard.

Mrs. Dan McClellan was an Austin visitor Friday. Jack Straw and Byron McClellan, who are attending the University of Texas, returned home with her to spend the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McAllister, former residents of this city, announce the arrival of a baby boy, E. E. Jr., who was born Friday in a Stephenville hospital. They are now making their home in Midland.

Mrs. George Cole and daughter, Miss Bobby Stephenville, of Thompsons, Mrs. Frank Mitchell, and Mrs. Frank Meek and small son, Frank Jr., of Sour Lake arrived last Friday to spend a few days with Mrs. S. H. Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Lively were Hamilton visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin visited relatives in Hamilton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Gloff visited relatives near Clifton Sunday.

Ed Wollard of Hamilton was a Gatesville visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Clawson of Houston were visitors in this city Sunday.

Will Painter of Ft. Worth spent Mother's Day with his mother, Mrs. G. L. Painter, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Chapman of Hamilton were visitors in this city Sunday.

Guests in the J. O. Brown home during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Durward Findley of Waco.

Miss Nell Routh, student at T SCW at Denton, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Routh, over the week end.

Jack Reesing, student at Baylor University, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Reesing.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Embry of Brady spent the week end with the latter's mother, Mrs. Homer Wilson, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Boyd and son, Jack, of Hamlin have been spending the past few days with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bell and son, Spurgeon, and Arthur Faris of Houston were guests of relatives here during the week end.

Guests of Mrs. A. A. Daniels Sunday were George Daniels of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Truitt of Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Howard of Waco.

George Donaldson, who is attending a business college and who is employed in a theatre in Fort Worth, was a week end visitor in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hendrickson and family of Childress visited Mrs. Ralph Hendrickson over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Burleson of Austin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Burleson and other relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schloeman spent the week end with Miss Mary Ella Schloeman in Denison and John Dayton Schloeman in Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Davis and daughter, Jerry, and Miss Sara Frances Graham were Waco visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ford Roberts of Waco visited her mother, Mrs. May Goodwin, in Mound Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Hill of Winters visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chatham over the week end.

Misses Marie Hill and Annie Lee Cobb of Winters were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gilchrist and children of Waco were week end guests of Mrs. S. A. Clemons.

Misses Pauline Latham and Walden Dollins spent Thursday in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jeffers in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. English spent Sunday at A. and M. College as guests of their son, Joe Hal, who is a student there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon White visited their son, Douglas White, who is attending A. and M. College, Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Wollard has been visiting in Clifton. Sunday Jack Wollard was in Clifton and Mrs. Wollard returned home with him.

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—FOR RENT: My rock house. Will be available Saturday. Mrs. W. W. Hollingsworth. 39-tfc

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—FOR SALE: A good piano. See Sid Gregory. 40-4tp

—STRAYED into my pasture Saturday night two gray horses, with mane sheared. Owner see B. M. Wolfe, 6 miles west of Gatesville. Pay for ad and get horses. 42-1tc

—BLACKBERRIES for sale. 10c per gallon. Pick every day. 2 mi. north of Gatesville on Highway 36. M. A. Ward. 41-tfc

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—BLACKBERRIES For Sale: 10c per gal. you pick 'em. Clean patch. Pick every day. E. J. Timmons. 10 miles west of G'ville at Ater. 40-4tc

—BERRIES for sale: 10c per gallon or 3 for 25c. Picking days every day. J. M. Worthington place. By S. M. Worthington. 42-4tp

—SPECIAL PRICES on Furniture, Stoves, Refrigerators, Second-hand Cabinets, C. L. Hord, North Side Square. 39-4tc

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 Ideal location for home with tourist camp, feed mill, hatchery, mattress factory or what have you in connection. On both highways. City utilities, country taxes. Tom Chapman. 15-tfc

—LOST Monday: Poland China sow, about 150 lbs. Reward W. D. Carroll. 42-1tc

—BLACKBERRIES For Sale: 10c gallon you pick them. One mile below Coryell City and Gatesville road on Coryell Creek. Joe Wolfe. 42-4tc

—FOR SALE or Trade: Young mares, 3 to 8. Also tractor and thresher. Want sheep or goats. G. P. Haase, 7 mi. N. Jonesboro. 42-3tp

—FOR SERVICE: Registered Durco boar. Also Berkshire boar. 309 N. Lutterloh. See John Schley. 34-tfc

—BLACKBERRIES for sale. Good berries. Clean patch. Fair measure. 10c gallon. Pick every day. 9 mi. S. E. Gatesville, near Ewing. William Price. 41-6tp

—BERRIES: Plenty. Pick every day. Clean patch. Fine berries. Mays Berry Farm, Jonesboro. 41-3tp

—FOR RENT: 3 unfurnished rooms in Neal Patterson home. See Pat Patterson at Preston's Mill. 41-2ct

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By NUGENT EZEKIAL BROWN

Austin, (Spl.)—Sunday was Mother's Day—and it was a big day in the Hall of Representatives! Governor W. Lee O'Daniel, in a great tribute to our mothers, delivered in that incomparable radio style of the chief executive was greeted by an overflowing crowd of people from many towns scattered over the state, particularly throughout Central Texas. So long as our civilization honors our mothers, just that long will we be great. By the way, big delegations were here Sunday from Lockhart, San Marcos, Taylor and many other nearby towns.

He Is Popular

The above heading was used over an editorial in the Austin Times this past week. The editorial recited, in part, as follows: Newspaper speculation on the popularity of Governor O'Daniel must be an ironic nite for certain members of the Legislature who have been outstanding of the criticisms of the Governor. These legislators have received, through the mail and by wire, plenty of proof that Governor O'Daniel is popular. Their constituents have not agreed with several denunciations of the chief executive. Governor O'Daniel, in all his public utterance, has displayed so earnest a desire to serve his state and so much willingness to get along with others in the State's service, that he has won the sympathy of many people who do not agree with all his specific recommendations. The rank and file of Texas citizens wish him well and do not approve of intemperate attacks upon him.

Stephenson and Morse Making

It is expected that Texas will continue to hear from Coke Stephenson for some time to come for the reason that he is not only young but that he is making a most excellent job as lieutenant governor. Emmett Morse has also called up a world of good will since he became speaker of the House. He is a young man, too, by the way.

Work of Departmental Appropriations Now

The House began work only last Friday on the 308 page bill for departmental running expenses of the State, which totals over 29 millions. Even with this big total, an average reduction of about 10 percent was made in most of the higher salaries. Many department heads were scrambling over the week to get to friends in the House who would help them get back a raise here and there. Agricultural Commissioner J. E. McDonald's salary was cut by the committee from \$4200 to \$3600 but was raised back in debate and action on the floor Friday afternoon. This will set a precedent that will likely be hard to overcome.

The Department of Labor does not and will not accept influence legislation nor guide appropriations. They say "the legislature makes the law and furnishes the money—we carry out those laws". The Labor department was expected to be given a duplicate of the appropriation of two years ago, causing many to believe that the best politics now is not to play politics at all but trust to the fairness of those who make the laws. The attitude of this department is certainly refreshing as practically all other departments were busy over the week end putting pressure on members to help boost their appropriation in the face of a policy of rigid economy.

Hard-Working Legislators

This session of the 46th Legislature, soon to end, will go down in history as one of the hardest-working groups ever assembled in the Capitol for legislative purposes. The average citizen must remember one thing before passing censure too quickly on the members; and that is, working out a tax plan that will raise 20 to 30 million dollars extra is one of the biggest problems ever faced by any legislature. Failure of the S. J. R. 12 sales tax-natural resources resolution to get the required 100 votes in the House last week does not mean that the majority of the members are not trying to get a tax bill thru. In fact, the House now has two more tax bills for consideration, brought out of committees Thursday. The Senate is expected to be forced to consider

a purely tax bill before the session is brought to a close. Although the members now work for \$5 per day, yet they will likely stay two or three more weeks in an attempt to work out the big problems of paying the social security obligations.

Big Bend Park Bill Signed By Governor

The Big Bend park bill, to enable sponsors to set up a plan to buy needed acreage whereby the park may be offered the National Park Service, was signed by the Governor last week in the presence of Senator Winfield, Representative Cauthorn and others. This plan, it is believed, will bring into realization the greatest playground park of the whole southwest. Incidentally, it will be near the great McDonald Observatory which was dedicated a few days ago at its location in the Davis Mountains. And the appropriations for all state parks will include salaries for keepers of all of them, very essential to proper maintenance of our growing system of parks.

Cox Fails to Get Over Another of His Bills

Another of those iniquitous bills, sponsored by the State health department, suddenly made its appearance in the House last week. And our dear Doctor George W. Cox, state health officer, failed again to get very far in another attempt to get dictatorial powers added to his already too great power over health matters. This time, the dear doctor would have acquired the right to put all the little mattress factories over the state out of business because of a yearly tax and requirement of seals to be attached to every mattress sold in the state. Someone suggested that an out of the state mattress monopoly wrote the bill and had the health department to sponsor same, with confiscatory fees written into it. It will never get anywhere with this legislature which is now wise to the Del Rio doctor, one time friend to the infamous goat gland specialist.

Loan Sharks Still Out in the Open

No bill regulating loan sharks had yet come before the House at end of the week. It begins to look as though some unaccountable delay is being experienced on this subject. It is well known that the loan shark crowd has plenty of money (blood money) which has been spent on high-powered lobbyists to get such bills delayed. Members were warned this week to look out for a joker in an amendment to a loan shark bill which is being held in readiness if and when the matter comes up in the next few days. The joker is that "loan brokers" would be exempt from the bill to regulate loan sharks.

Short Shorts

Heads of state teachers colleges mingled with other in Austin over the week end, hoping for last minute additions to their appropriations. At this week end, nothing further had been done toward enacting the board of public welfare bill into law and nothing further had been done to "clean" out the present administration of the old age set-up here. Marvin Hall, the state fire insurance commissioner, keeps sending out press releases about certain towns having their insurance rates reduced; we wonder why he doesn't also send out reports on those towns which have their rates raised now and then. One Navarro County representative, James E. Taylor of Kerens, brought the charges against the Pension Union director a few days ago, then another Navarro county representative, Mr. Pevehouse, went on the bond of Jan Anderson to get him released from jail.

Editor Meister in his Yoakum Herald calls attention to the fact that members of the Senate and House have "reserved" parking spaces about the Capitol Building. Just let your readers know, Mr. Meister, there is no law to keep you or anyone from parking in these same "reserved" spaces. The "cops" on duty will admit they have no authority to stop you. Texas biggest need today—a new state health officer.

C.C.N.

A dictionary on clay tablets in cuneiform letters dating from the Seventh Century, B. C. is the earliest work of its kind extant.



OUTSTANDING RECORDS ARE MADE IN PIGS IN CORYELL

Some outstanding records are being made in Coryell County in pig production, as is evidenced by the exceptionally high weights being filed in the pig production contest. The owners and weights of litters weighed thus far are as follows:

John T. Bell 290 pounds, Henry Wiegand 230 pounds, C. W. McConnaughey 370 pounds, Elmo King 266 pounds, Claydean Patterson 300 pounds, Alton Quick-sall 356 pounds, Joe F. Williamson 457 pounds, Carl Cleveland Goodwin 263 pounds, Elmo Kink 221 pounds, B. A. Martin 200 pounds, D. Hawkins King 464 pounds, Bruce Hollingsworth 476 pounds and Lavern Dyson 215 pounds.

Since the 1939 contest is based on three points—the heaviest litter of 8 or more pigs, the heaviest litter of 7 or less pigs, and the heaviest average weight per pig, it may be interesting to know that the heaviest large litter weighed thus far is the 476 pound litter owned by Bruce Hollingsworth, the heaviest small litter weighed filed is the 266 pound litter owned by Elmo King, and the highest average weight per pig thus far is the litter of 9 pigs weighing 464 pounds, or an average of 51½ lbs. owned by D. Hawkins King.

Time for Dusting and Spraying of Cotton

Dusting or spraying of cotton fleas, leaf worms, boll weevils, and boll worms was discussed at Purmela on Thursday night, May 4th, by Messrs. Perry and Craddock from Hamilton. On display at the meeting were two stalks of one of which was dusted seven times in 1938 and had 60 bolls of cotton on it, whereas the check stalk which had not been dusted had only eight bolls. These stalks were raised under identical conditions, the only difference being

that one was dusted with sulphur and calcium arsenate.

Dusting at proper times and in proper amounts has proven most practical and profitable according to the discussions.

Cave Creek

Miss Bertha Neely, Corsp.

Mrs. Irene McClendon of the Valley is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dezere Cole.

Those visiting Mrs. Frank Maxwell Friday afternoon were Gran-ny Chambers and Mrs. John D.

Moore.

C. B. Whittaker called in the John D. Moore home Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Elanor Voss and little daughter, Patsy, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Richard Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maxwell and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thommasson and family and Mrs. Dezere Cole Thursday night.

C.C.N.

Early English navigators of the Red sea reported seriously that their anchors had brought to the surface wheels from chariots driven by the Egyptians who were destroyed in the pursuit of the Children of Israel.



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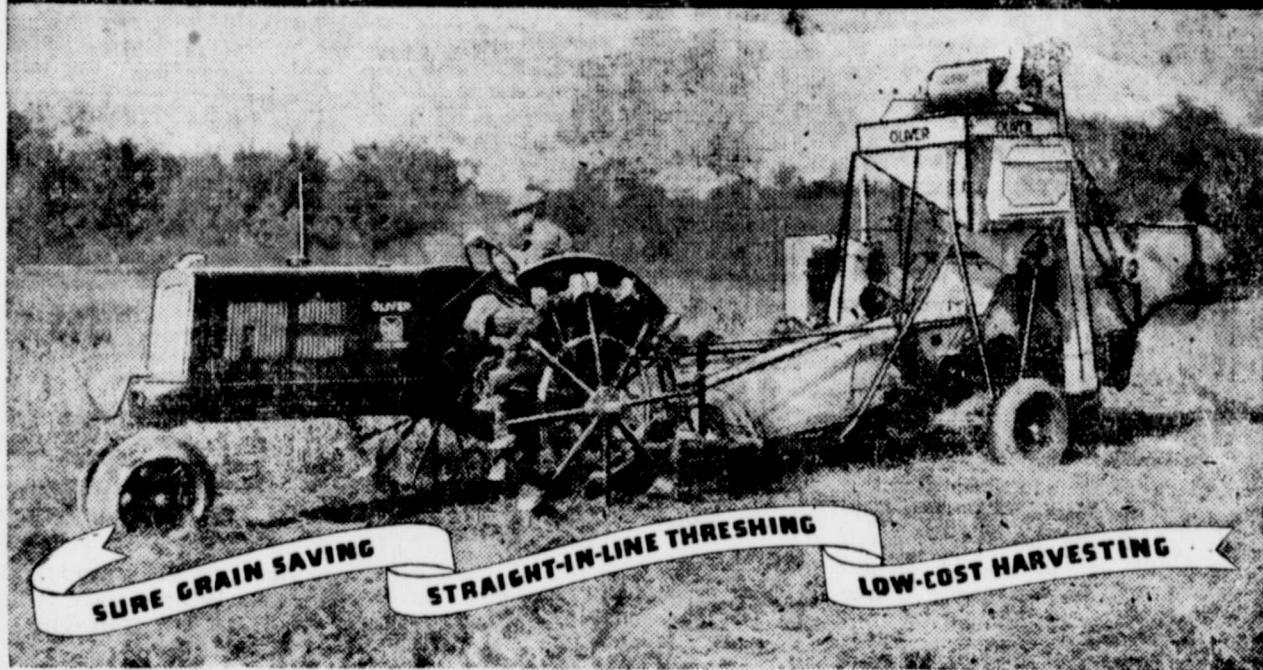


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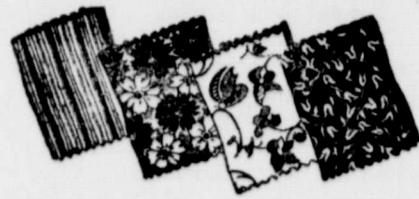
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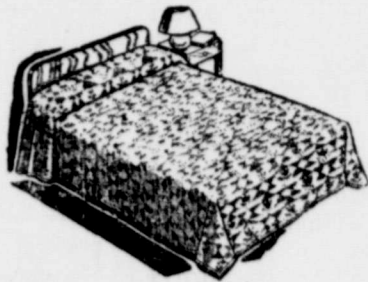
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The time has definitely arrived in America when positions of trust and responsibility should be placed exclusively in the hands of the elders, declared Roy Miller, oldtime editor of Texas, in speaking recently at a gathering of old friends and neighbors of John Nance Garner, vice president, in the little village of Detroit, Texas, where the distinguished Texan was born nearly sixty-nine years ago.

"There is no substitute, either in public or private life, for experience, and experience, of course, comes only with years. As a matter of fact, the only thing that is old about John Nance Garner is some of his political philosophy. He still believes in the old-fashioned virtues of economy, thrift, and self-reliance. In other words, he believes in the old-fashioned, fundamental principles of democracy, and no man in America, in both his public and private life, exemplifies those principles to such a degree as does this great man.

"While achieving high place politically, he has made substantial success of his private life, and it is his proud boast that he owes no human being a thin dime. He believes in the pay-as-you-go system, and what a blessing it would be if that system could be applied to America today.

"Lest I be misunderstood, let me say here, with all of the emphasis I can command, that John Garner is no reactionary in his political philosophy. Indeed, he is not even a conservative, if the term be applied with the meaning with which it was clothed in years gone by.

"John Garner is a liberal and a great liberal. He was a liberal Democrat practicing liberalism, many years before some of the most vocal present-day sponsors of liberalism were even born. But there is no tinge or taint of radicalism in the liberalism of John Garner. His liberalism is that which would guarantee to every American citizen the right and opportunity to work out his or her salvation with the least possible interference upon the part of the Government. Therefore, he believes in all necessary legislation and regulation to protect the weak against the strong, the poor against the rich, the owner of property against those who would destroy the ownership of property; in short, equality of opportunity for every American citizen. He believes in Democracy and prefers to be known as a Democrat in the old-fashioned interpretation of

the term without qualification, prefix, or suffix.

"In such an atmosphere as this, I think we find the real soul and personality of America. From such humble surroundings as these, typified by the lowly log cabins where John Garner and his sainted mother were born, have come the truly great in America's glorious history. They knew, as he knows, what America is, what America stands for, and how and why our American system of government was conceived. They knew, as he knows, what it means to toil and strive and work. They knew, as he knows, that there is no substitute for self-reliance and individual initiative, and that any system of government which takes from the individual these fundamental tenets of liberty cannot long endure as a democracy of freemen. They knew, as he knows, that for men to be free they must be guaranteed only freedom of opportunity to work out their own destinies, and that the highest purpose and duty of government in a democracy is to assure to every citizen an equal chance with his neighbor. This is the essence of John Garner's political philosophy.

"I have no patience with those who would seek to analyze the percentage of one's Americanism. It is not a divisible thing. It is not something that can be broken up into parts and appraised in its constituent elements. Either one is an American or he is not. Nevertheless, I cannot help but feel that there never was a time in the history of our beloved country when the need for the leadership of those whose Americanism is beyond all peradventure of doubt was so essentially and vitally necessary to the preservation of America and American institutions as it is at the present moment.

"Here in Red River County, where John Garner's widowed grandmother with her six fatherless children came from Tennessee almost a hundred years ago, built yonder log cabin, and joined the ranks of valiant pioneers who blazed a trail for civilization and laid deep and broad the firm foundations of Imperial Texas, may we find, indeed, the soil from which true Americanism is generated and born. Here in this community, plain, home-like, typically American, is the birthplace of a great American who, in my humble opinion, has been marked by the hand of destiny to become the President of the greatest, richest, and most powerful nation of all time, the United States of America."

Oglesby

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Etheridge and family of Belton spent the week end with Mrs. Charlie Collard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilden of Waco were here Sunday.

Mrs. Nathan Feggette of Lawrence, Kansas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Fowler. Edwin Hunt is visiting Carter McIlvain.

J. W. Griffin and wife, George Mrs. W. L. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Mooney are the parents of a baby daughter born Friday in the Gatesville hospital.

Griffin and wife had Sunday dinner with their parents. Mr. and

A comet is much lighter than air and its only particles of mass are that infinitesimal ones in its head. In 1887 there appeared a "headless" comet; many comets have no tails.

Levita

Mrs. P. H. Permenter, Corp.

The weather is fine for growing crops and gardens. Some around have been canning some vegetables.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Miles went to Cisco Sunday to see his brother Conley, and sister, Mrs. L. A. Warren, and to Brownwood to see Mrs. Grace Blackstock.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dickie had as their guests over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. John Cokk and children of Longview and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Neal Foster and daughter of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dickie and children of Ireland. Mrs. Kate Permenter and Mrs. Ethel Rogers and Mrs. Louise Watts called Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mattie Rogers and Mrs. Owen Webb called in to see Mrs. Jocie Dutton Sunday afternoon and found her home better. She was able to be up and went to her closest neighbor's, Mrs. Pitts, for lunch.

Mrs. Clara Parks gave Miss Edith Anderson a bridal shower last Wednesday afternoon, and she received many useful gifts, and all had an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miles went to see Mrs. Nancy Laudermilk Sunday afternoon and she and her son, Seve, were some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Davis had all of their children in home for Mother's Day dinner.

Our school will be out this week end, and planning on a nice time with several entertainments.

COMMUNITY CHURCH TO BE ORGANIZED AT PRAIRIE VIEW

Organization of a Community Church at Prairie View is announced for next Sunday night by Edward S. Bayless, minister. The church, to be organized under the auspices and direction of the Presbyterian Church, U. S., will be called the Prairie View Community Church.

Special services will be held on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights, and on Sunday. Rev. John P. Kidd, evangelist of Centray Texas Presbytery, will do the preaching.

Everyone is cordially invited to be present each night.

ALL-STARS vs. OGLESBY IN GAME TONIGHT

Tonight in the local Athletic field in the second game of the young softball season, the Gatesville All-stars will meet the Oglesby All-stars in a game beginning at seven thirty. For the locals, Woody Wilson, ace right hander, will probably start in the box with Pat Olsen behind the plate.

The lineup for Gatesville outside of Wilson and Olsen will probably be; Bigger Jones at first; Charlie Barton at second; T. P. Tackett at third; Frank Morgan at short and a trio of slugging outfielders composed of J. L. Rogers, Jess Wiggins, and Manager Doc Ray. Pete Patterson will be in at short field.

A small admission fee of five cents will be charged.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenox Legion of Austin were guests of Mrs. Ruth Carlton Sunday.

Guests in the Carl Goodwin home the past week end were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. Byrel Cleveland of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Murphy and J. L. Murphy of Kempner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Perryman and Mrs. Kirby Perryman son, Billy Jeff of Denison spent the week end in this city. Mrs. Kirby Perryman and son remained over for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bates.

Insects represent the highest grade of evolution among invertebrate animals, and owe their numerical predominance to their ability to fly and their adaptability of life under the most diverse conditions.

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Miss Freda Weaver of Waco was in this city the past week end.

Bain Allen and Roland Bone returned Sunday from a trip to the San Francisco World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bryan of West were guests in the Jeff Bates home over the week end.

Dr. S. L. Witcher is now assistant to Dr. Vandoran Goodall in Clifton, where they are building a hospital.

S. A. Blankenship of Commerce former County Supt. here, was in this city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hite of Waco were week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bird Hair.

Mrs. Rufus McKinney and daughter, Jeffrey Ann, of Goldthwaite returned to their home Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bates.

Visitors in the Dave H. Culbertson home the past week end included Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler B. Schley and daughter, Jerry, of Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Culbertson and small daughter of Marlif, and Dave Culbertson Jr., who is attending State University at Austin.

Pleas Walker, Pete Patterson, Lewis Newman, Leonard Milner, and H. A. (Buddy) Biffle attended the Central Texas Volunteer Fire Department's Conventior in Burnet last Thursday. Included in the day's activities were a business meeting, a trip thru Longhorn Cavern and a banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Noris Hendley spent Mother's Day in Stephenville visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Juanita Strange has accepted a position with an oil company in Shreveport, La.

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All legislative bodies seem to have a common weakness—they put in their time, but they won't act on the most important matters until adjournment day has been fixed and nearly reached. I suppose this is due to the human tendency to postpone the making of an important decision as long as possible. Anyway, the Congress is getting very few or the really important measures out of the way. We keep busy, but the committees have not yet brought out any bills on revision of (1) our neutrality laws; (2) agriculture; (3) Social Security and pensions; (4) labor relations; (5) railroads and freight rates, or the unpleasant subject, taxation. I do not know just how many of these subjects will receive, or should receive legislative consideration at this session, but I do know that the sooner we act in regard to all of them the better it will be for the public.

Everyone recognizes that the maintenance of peace is the most important service that Congress could render, and I am sure that every member of Congress would gladly stay in session the year around if it would even tend to keep this country out of war and some of our members think that it would help. I cannot but feel at this time that there would be less likelihood of war if the Congress would adjourn as soon as the major questions are disposed of, one way or another. As I see it, the presence of Congress in session here in Washington only provides a loud speaker for all who want to promote war talk. While I do not think there is any real likelihood of a situation developing that will involve the United States in a foreign war, I felt that a continued session of the Congress only provides a focal point from which war talk and war scares can spread over the country and unnecessarily excite and alarm our people.

I recognize that there is real danger of war in Europe, but I am sure from what I hear from those who have visited there that the people of Europe are not as excited as we are. If Congress will pass a sensible neutrality bill (our former cash and carry law expired the first of this month), arrange our own domestic affairs and adjourn, I felt that we would render the cause of peace a real service. Certain it is that no war can be declared by the United States when the Congress is not in session. One of the most important actions by the House this week was to approve by an overwhelming vote the first of the President's reorganization proposals. There will be several more of these proposals submitted to Congress and it is likely that the matter of reorganization will require the Congress to stay in session at least 60 days longer than anticipated, in order that the statutory time may elapse for the reorganization to take effect. Such a delay in adjournment, however, should not be any cause for alarm on the part of the people, as this reorganization has to do solely with our domestic affairs.

The House has passed two other measures of rather general in-

terest this week. 1st: A bill liberalizing the pensions paid to the widows of World War veterans. Under this act the minimum payable to veterans' widows is increased, and the requirement that the widow show that her husband was, at the time of his death, suffering with a service-connected disability of at least 10 per cent is modified. There are a number of other provisions and it will be worthwhile, if the bill passes the Senate and is approved by the President, for all veterans' dependents to check their right with the local Legion, VFW or DAV post. 2nd: A bill authorizing the Secretary of Labor to hold criminal aliens who have been ordered deported but whose home country won't take them back. Strange as it may seem we find that under present law an alien may be convicted any number of times for the most degrading offenses and our Government may order him deported to the land from whence he came, but if we can't get that country to accept him there is nothing we can do with him. The new act lets us keep him locked up until he can be sent home. I cannot understand the opposition to such a bill, but there was a hard fight made against it on the floor. I voted for both of the above bills, and both passed the House.

On Friday we had a fine contrast of the American, as compared to the European way of treating small nations. Nicaragua is a small nation, and smaller and much more helpless than many of the nations that have been wiped out in Europe. Its President is visiting Washington. On Friday morning all the streets between the Union Station and the Capitol and on up Pennsylvania Ave. to the White House were cleared. They were all decorated with American and Nicaraguan flags. Troops lined the streets and airplanes soared overhead. At 11:20 a.m. the President of the United States drove to the Station to meet the President of Nicaragua and escorted him to the White House. I was attending a meeting which was planning to push our flood control work and did not get to see the actual parade, but I did have to go down about daylight and move my car which was parked on the street (nobody has garages in Washington) where the parade was to pass. In spite of the personal inconvenience, I think this consideration of the small nations by the United States is a fine thing and one which could well be followed by some of the European rulers.

**R. B. DOOLEY OF IRELAND
CANDIDATE FOR B. S.
DEGREE AT A. & M.**

Candidates for degrees at Texas A. and M. College, to be conferred Friday night, June 2, total 623, making up the largest graduating class in the history of the college. R. B. Dooley, Ireland, is a candidate for a B. S. Degree in agricultural education.

A total of 23 students are candidates for advanced degrees as master of science.

Candidate for baccalaureate degrees include 523 for Bachelor of

CHAPTER SEVEN SYNOPSIS:
Ruin faces Missouri mule-breeders unless Sweeney Bliss, small town bank director who has gone to London to convince the British Army to continue its orders succeeds in doing so. With Sweeney is his wife, Julie, who has ambitions to break into London society and her sister Lola who is romantically attached to Captain Brooks-Bowen of the Army staff. While Julie makes preparations for a huge party, Sweeney and his pet mule Samson get lost in a London fog and end up in jail.

CHAPTER VIII
TO JULIE'S intense mortification the adventures of Sweeney and Samson in the Turkish bath made the front pages of every London newspaper. Two widely different events followed as a result: General Stonebreaker promptly regretted that he would be unable to attend Julie's reception in his honor and Mr Hector Arthur telephoned Sweeney.

Over his violent protests, Sweeney was being forced into new evening clothes in preparation for the reception when Mr. Arthur phoned. "Sweeney old boy! Read about you in the papers. It sounded jolly. Is Samson all right?"

Before Sweeney could answer Mrs. Arthur cut in on her end of the line. "Hello Mr. Bliss. This is Vee. How are you and now's your dear wife? We're so anxious to see you. We've been trying to reach you all day."

"Well you see we've got one of them private numbers so the people we like can't call us up," Sweeney explained.

Mrs. Arthur chuckled. "It's certainly good to hear from you. Are you at liberty tonight?"

"Well—I'm at liberty as far as the police are concerned," Sweeney answered, "but I don't think you could parole me from my wife. You see, Julie's givin' a party—a big party." Sweeney had a sudden inspiration. "Say, why don't you come over?"

"As a matter of fact, we're having a few friends over here."

"Bring 'em all along to our party," Sweeney suggested.

Mrs. Arthur hesitated, then capitulated. "That would be a delightful way to conclude the evening. Perhaps you will show our guests the Missouri Hoe-down. I must warn you, though, that we may be a little late."

"That's all right. Come whenever you get around to it," Sweeney agreed. He did not notice that Julie had entered the room. "We'll be expecting you."

"Sweeney!" Julie's voice was hostile. "Who are you inviting?"

"Excuse me," Sweeney covered the mouthpiece of the telephone with his

hand. "It's the Arthurs—remember them?"

"Those farmers! They'll never fit in," Julie fretted.

"But I've already invited them," Sweeney whispered. "Anyway, they are nice."

"Then you'll just have to entertain them yourself. And keep them out of sight," Julie snapped.

Sweeney uncovered the phone. "I was just speakin' to Julie. She's so glad you can come," he told the Arthurs.

"Right-o, Sweeney. We'll be there." As Mr Arthur replaced the telephone, an imposing and proper footman appeared at the doorway of the Arthur's library. "Excuse me, Your

Gus saluted Julie smartly. "Your servant, Madam."

"Sweeney, this is impossible," Julie protested.

"Turn around, Gus. He looks all right, Julie. Nobody'll know the difference and you will have delivered the guest of honor you promised them."

Julie was tempted. "But can he carry it off?" She turned to Gus. "Let me hear you say something," she commanded.

"I assure you, Mrs. Bliss, that you will have nothing to complain of in my diction or my manners, either," he said pompously. "I've never worked in the grind houses," he explained, "only the two-a-day."

Julie weakened. "All right. Wait for me down stairs." She turned to her husband. "Sweeney Bliss, is this the end?"

Sweeney was startled. "The end, Honey?"

"The end of your interference," Julie said grimly. "I'll take a chance on this artificial General because I'm desperate. But—her voice broke—"I'm on the ragged edge. Sweeney. My nerves won't stand much more. If you send any other phonies in here I'll—I'll—"

"Now, Honey," Sweeney said soothingly. He

slipped an arm around her waist. "Everything's goin' to be just fine." As Julie and Sweeney reached the reception hall, Hearne announced: "Lieutenant Colonel Sir Norman Marchbanks and Captain Brooks-Bowen."

Julie rushed forward. "Good evening, Colonel. This is my sister, Miss Lola Pike. And my husband, Mr. Bliss."

"It's sure good to see you, Colonel," Sweeney added. "Your orderly's probably told you about me—I'm the mule man."

Julie cut in desperately. "And this is our guest of honor, Colonel," she said, indicating Gus, "General Barse Stonebreaker!"

"Colonel, hey?" Gus inspected Marchbanks. "Where's your uniform?"

"Why, I never wear my uniform to private parties," Colonel Marchbanks explained. "Will you be in this country long?" he added.

Gus caught Sweeney's warning look. "My plans are not very definite," he said, returning to his pompous manner, "but I hope, in an unofficial way, my visit will help promote understanding between our two countries."

"I'll drink to that any time," Colonel Marchbanks agreed heartily. Gus' pompous manner disappeared. "Well, let's go," he said.

(To be continued)



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That South is a land which must learn to solve its problems in relation to its own geographical peculiarities, says Miss Mary Jo Cowling, instructor in geography at the North Texas State Teachers College. So Miss Cowling has organized a 6,000 mile tour of America's "forgotten land," the South, which will reveal the country below the Mason and Dixon line as an area of immense potential richness already building for tomorrow. The tour will last six weeks, from June 8 to July 17.

Rich in beauty, the New South should realize fully that its pleasure resorts can be increased, bear the section one of its biggest cash crops, says Miss Cowling—tourist trade.

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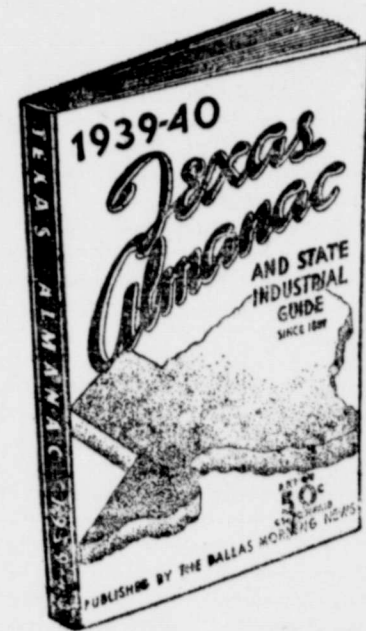


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If each of the 503,000 farm families in Texas could have a new, 50 pound home made cotton mattress, and most families need several new mattresses, it would mean the consumption of 50,000 bales of cotton in this state alone.

Cotton bagging as a package for cotton bales, introduced last year when it was used on 17,000 bales in Texas, is superior to jute and sisal bagging from the standpoint of durability and is much preferred by spinners, who now have to comb jute and sisal fibers from the cotton.

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McDonald Observatory, a 71-foot silver derby crowning semi-bald 6,791-foot Mount Locke, has been described as a near-perfect astronomical laboratory.

The West Texas peak, barren except for a few scrubby bushes, is dotted with cottages of the staff astronomers, dwarfed by the huge dome, itself equivalent in height to a five-story building.

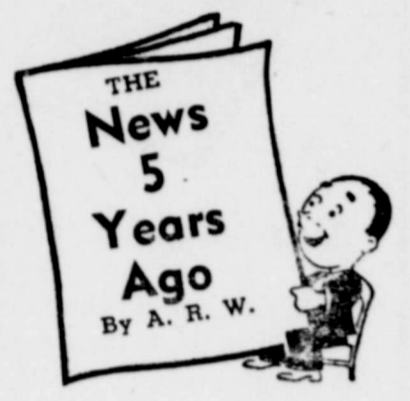
On the insides of the steel shell one finds the telescope a 75-ton precision instrument of carefully milled steel and glass. At its base are two control tables which, with four auxiliary portable push-button controls, manipulate the telescope and the movable roof of the observatory. One of the tables is mounted on a platform beneath the telescope. This platform can be lifted like a filling station grease rack.

Slung from the dome above the telescope, is a "pulpit" that may be lowered or raised at will to follow the movement of the giant

mass of steel framework in its path along the 18-foot-wide "window" in the roof which cracks the shell in half from the bottom of the upward curve to the very top of the observatory. It is through this slit that the "eye" peeps at the stars.

Lateral movements of the 26-foot telescope is allowed by revolving the 125-ton dome, mounted on heavy locomotive wheels. The largest electric motor of the observatory, ten horsepower, is used for this job.

Of the thirty-three motors, the smallest of one-third horsepower operates the 75-ton telescope, delicately balanced on its massive axis. The axis is hollow, allowing the sharlight funneled down its steel throat to the 3,000-pound mirror to be deflected from there to a mirror in the axis and thence into the spectrograph room. Here the concentrated light is analyzed to determine the substance of the star under observation.



May 15, 1934
ARW

Irvin McCreary, prominent Gatesville banker, is elected secretary-treasurer of the Stephenville North and South Texas Railway.
ARW

Ed McMordie, candidate for sheriff of Coryell County, resigned his position as Gatesville's police-chief; the city council appointed Charles E. Baker as his successor.
ARW

Hon. Pat M. Neff, Baylor University president and former Governor of Texas, presented the state of Texas with 250 acres of land in Coryell County in commemoration of Mother's Day.
ARW

As a result of family difficulties Groce Evans, resident of Leon Junction, is located in the County jail here following a row in which he allegedly cut George Turner, another resident of that vicinity, about the throat with a knife; Evans and Turner are brothers-in-law.
ARW

At a meeting of the Commissioners Courts held Monday afternoon an amount of \$466.66 was appropriated to be expended for the services of a home demonstration agent in Coryell County.
ARW

That which promised to be a delightful occasion to the faculty and members of the Senior Class of the Gatesville High School at the annual banquet honoring the '34 graduates proved to be rather unfortunate by some score or more individuals who were present; local physicians received calls which proved to be ptomaine poisoning.
ARW

Active promotion of highway 36 from Gatesville to Temple has been dormant in the past few months; Temple still pushing for construction of the highway.
ARW

Plans for the Tri-County Golf Tournament have been completed; local course has been improved.
ARW

For the first time in fifty-odd years all of the Osburn children were together at a recent reunion at Huntsville; J. L. Osburn of Gatesville attends.
ARW

Society: Misses Zelma and Merl Scott entertained with a party at their home Tuesday to compliment their sister, Miss Nela Scott, who will become the bride of Travis Meharg on June 2.
ARW

Personals: Miss Elaine Cross of Waco visited her parents, Judge and Mrs. R. B. Cross, over the

week end. She had as her guests, Miss Aleen Rogers and Messrs. Denver Roberts and Jimmie Parks from Baylor University.

Schley
Mrs. Jim Alford, Correspondent

We had our last PTA meeting of this term of school Friday nite We also had Miss Gibson with us. She discussed the 4-H Club with us, and it was decided to meet at some early date and organize a club in this community.

Our school will be out the 19th which will be Friday with a picnic. We are closing a very successful term of school. Our program and school play "Hands Up" will be presented Thursday night, and the ex-students play, "Small Town Romeo" will be Friday night.

Miss Emma Blackmon has been visiting her brother, Vernon Blackmon and family of Jonesboro the past week end.

Miss Mary Dyess of Gatesville attended our PTA meeting Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alford and Mildred were callers in the W. C. Roberts home Friday afternoon.

George Wymer has returned from New Mexico, where he has been employed.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Spencer Thompson and son, Richard, being ill the past week. We wish for them a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Wittie and son, Raby, of Spring Hill visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jeff Alford and family Thursday night.

Miss Jean Johnson of Gatesville attended the PTA meeting here Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alford and Mildred spent Mother's Day in Clifton with the latter's brother, N. F. Roberts. They were accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roberts of near Levita.
C.C.N.

Turnover
Mrs. Clifford Wicker, Corp.

Several people of this community have been going to the programs at Ewing School this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wicker of Waco visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wicker, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wiggins of Ewing visited in the Sam Bunnell home Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Jackson spent the day Tuesday with Mrs. Tom Blanchard.

Mrs. R. A. Wicker spent Thursday afternoon in the Hermon Wicker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Spence and Mrs. Mary Jackson and daughter spent the day Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Blanchard.

Mrs. Lorane Derrick visited Mrs. Sam Bunnell Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Vernon Blanchard visited Mrs. W. C. Williams Friday.

Mrs. Baylor Wicker and sons, Loran and B. J., of Dallas visited in the R. A. Wicker home Friday morning.

Mrs. Raby Boyd and son visited Mrs. Jack Tennison Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. L. J. Hooser spent the day Tuesday in the Elbert Collier home.

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Lamb Adds Variety to Family Menus

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In polite society, the etiquette books inform us, the subject of food is never discussed. Good form or not, what subject is more universally interesting and vital to good health and happiness, than food? On the train, in the store, in the park or at the club, one catches snatches of conversation as to food allergies, the children's dislike for certain vegetables, that delightful salad that Mrs. Smith served last time, etc. Yes, each one of us listens—because we are interested. We might learn something new to try out on the family!

Wherever a family is to be fed the problem is the same—"What SHALL we have for supper tonight?" Lamb is available on every farm where a small flock is kept, and is a mighty appetizing addition to the menu. Here is a typical "Sunday" or "company" menu built around lamb.
Roast leg of lamb
Creamed peas and mint
Buttered asparagus
Fresh green salad
Hot muffins
Spiced peaches
Butter
Fresh berry tarts with whipped cream
Beverage

In preparing the leg of lamb, wipe with a damp cloth but do not remove the thin, papery covering that is called "fell". This covering not only helps the meat to keep its shape but retains the juices and shortens the cooking time. It has no objectional flavor as was formerly thought. Rub the leg of lamb with salt and pepper and place in open roasting pan with fat side up. Roast dry and uncovered in a slow oven (300 degrees) about three hours (or thirty minutes per pound) for "medium done."

This slow cooking of meat in an uncovered pan is revolutionary. It does produce superior results and once you try it, you will cook all roasts by this method. This method saves meat and fuel besides producing a more palatable roast.

The leg of lamb is by no means the only cut to use. The shoulder

offers just as many possibilities for a delectable meal. Or try the breast of lamb stuffed with a bread crumb and mint or water-cress stuffing. If you wish something that may be quickly prepared, use the chops, the ground lamb patties, or individual loaves are even more economical.
Broiled lamb patties
1½ pounds ground lamb
2 tablespoons grated onion.
1 tablespoon salt
½ teaspoon pepper.

Use any of the cheaper cuts of lamb for the patties. Season the ground lamb with grated onion, salt and pepper. Mix thoroughly and shape into thick patties. Either pan broil or use the broiling oven and cook until they are brown, and half done. Turn and finish cooking on second side. Serve while hot on hot slices of broiled pineapple about fifteen minutes to broil patties. For variety, instead of the pineapple, try broiled bananas, any kind of fruit that has been glazed and heated, broiled stuffed tomatoes, etc.
Individual Lamb Chops
2 pounds ground lamb
1 cup soft bread crumbs
½ cup chopped onion
2 eggs, beaten
1 can tomato puree
2 tablespoons minced green peppers.
¼ cup chopped pickle or olives
Salt and pepper

Save out one-half of the tomato puree and combine all of the other ingredients together, mixing well. Pack into greased muffin and pour the remaining tomato puree over each loaf. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) about forty-five minutes. Serve hot.

PURMELA H-D CLUB

The Purmela H-D Club has two recent meetings to report. The 1st was with Mrs. R. A. Bertrand. At this meeting the grape cuttings, given to our club early in the year by the Wilson Nursery of Gatesville, were distributed, three to each member, ready to be planted where each wished them to grow permanently.

The second meeting, May 10th, was with Mrs. Herbert McCarver. We told how we planned to re-

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By CHARLES B. ROTH

A MAN NAMED CAXTON

YOU may not remember ever hearing the name of William Caxton, but it was his life which makes your life today comfortable. He it was who introduced printing into England. This was in 1476. The introduction of printing has made all progress possible.

It wasn't until 1838 that America had a printing press, this at Harvard university, but after that printing grew, and newspapers sprang up, and modern American life began.

The printing press is the forerunner of knowledge wherever it is introduced. The printed word, even to this day, has no rival as a quick means of disseminating vital facts

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and ideas. The newspaper of today is one of the modern wonders of the world. It is the broadest, quickest, most flexible and most economical way of getting a message into the minds of the people.

Early in our national history, manufacturers and merchants sensed this power of the press. They began using it to carry their advertising facts and ideas into the homes.

These early advertisers were careful business men. The fact that

the newspaper would complete the educational process for their goods wasn't enough. It also had to do the job at less cost than any other medium.

And they found, after many trials in different fields, that it did. It got their message to prospective buyers in a manner which was economical as well as effective.

Today this same condition is unchanged. Advertisers, using newspapers year in and year out, find it the most profitable way in which to tell their story to buyers.

The reason is simple. The newspaper is the great common denominator of modern life. It reaches practically every family. It has the confidence of its readers. It stands for everything which is right and good and modern.

The advertisements in your newspaper are as much a part of its vital importance as the editorial and the news columns.

As a matter of fact, most readers find it hard to tell what interests them most—the commercial news, which is called advertising and which touches their lives every day, or the general news, in news story, editorial and cartoon.

They're both valuable.

This man named Caxton was one of the great benefactors of mankind. He lighted the lamp—and it is still burning bright, though centuries have fled since he lived.

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finish some piece of furniture in our homes. Also an interesting discussion of the beauties of nature around us was had, the importance of teaching our children to observe such.

At both meetings quilting for the hostess was our work, and refreshments were served. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Hagen, May 24th.

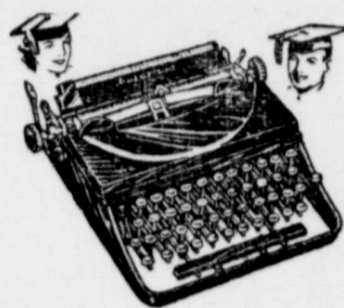
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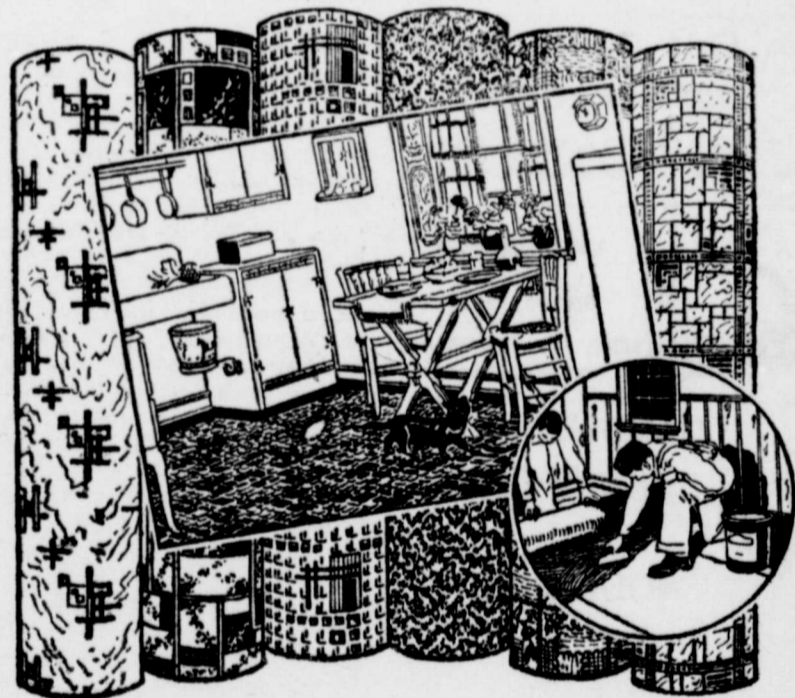
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