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"Butter" Schley Loses Life In Car-Truck Accident Sat. Nite

Kobe, Japan Man Writes "Home"

Recently, Byron Leaird Sr. received the following part of a letter from Jim Oxford, Palmore Institute, 23 Kitanagasa Dori, 4 Chome, Kobe, Japan.

Mr. Oxford was formerly a resident of Gatesville, and will be remembered by many Coryell County people.

The first page of the letter was of a personal nature, and we'll begin with the second, which deals with this section of Texas around 1886 and after.

The letter follows:

"My, what a cluster of memories the mention of Gatesville brings to my mind! My recollection of Gatesville goes back to late November, 1886, when at the age of six, I went to town from Hurst Springs, with my father, on a bale of cotton. On the way we stopped at Four-Mile Spring for lunch. When we passed the present site of the State Reformatory, there was nothing there but a drilling outfit and a small shack for the drillers. We reached town about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and after my father sold his cotton—at 7:65, as I recall now—we went to a wagon yard at the southeast corner of the square. After supper we went out on the square where a patent medicine man was holding forth, and after he had finished his "spiel" and made his sales, we went to Bud Bateman's saloon and watched those present drink and play pool until a rather late hour. However, it was a wonderful world which I had just discovered—so different from the cotton patch, in which I had just finished my third season, at the ripe age of six! And despite the lateness of the hour, I was not ready to turn in when the saloon closed.

I remember that, on the north side of the square there were, W. L. Ayres, Schley Brother, Geo. T. Mogre and W. R. Parks, the saddle and harness makers, two saloons, one of which was Bud Bateman's the Gatesville National Bank (?) the bank of which Mr. A. R. Williams was cashier, the barber shop which was run by the "two-thumbed" negro, and one or two grocery stores. On the NW corner of the square was the Hardware and Implement store of Sasse & Powell, and from them my father bought a "Turnbull" wagon. The Gatesville Star, I believe that was the name of the paper, was printed in a small building at the SE corner of the square near the wagon yard, and the power which propelled the press was supplied by a lone mule.

The crunching of the sand beneath the wagon wheels, the crowing of the chickens in the early morning, and many other things which were not noticed by the grown-ups made indelible impressions upon my mind, and some of them are as fresh to day as they were almost 53 years ago. I have since been in New York, Philadelphia, London, Tokyo, Kyoto, Osaka, Peking, and Shanghai, but none of these gave me the thrill that Gatesville did in the long ago when I was six!

I remember both you and your business quite well, though it has

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Fire Burns Hughes Home Friday

Friday morning about 9 a. m. fire, supposed to have started from a defective flue, burned the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hughes near Moccasin Bend. At the time the

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Gold Stolen From Doc's Office

Sometime between closing time Saturday afternoon and Monday morning, theft or thieves stole \$20 in gold from Dr. Otis C. Ray's office and a .32 automatic revolver from the office of Evan J. Smith. Using Doc's screwdriver, they also entered Ab Painter's insurance office and rummaged thru the drawers of his desk, but nothing was missing.

No clues have yet been found. No other offices have been disturbed. Entry was made thru Smith's office by pushing a window open.

Courts and Boards Meet Monday

Just about every "court" and "board" in the county was in session yesterday in Gatesville.

There was the Commissioner's Court, County Board, District Court and Grand Jury.

No information has been put out as to what any of them are doing or have done, except the County Board is reviewing transportation matters, the Commissioner's Court is handling routine matters, and the District Court is trying the case, Mamie Crawford et al vs. Marvel Chaney et al, suit for partition, which isn't finished yet.

The Grand Jury! No news.

In Judge R. B. Cross' court, since Friday, the following have been settled by that court: May Goodwin vs. C. M. Goodwin, suit for divorce, granted; Wanda Lee Farris vs. Joe Farris, divorce, granted plaintiff and custody of two children; Jennie E. Farmer vs. R. J. Smith et al, suit for foreclosure of vendor lien; judgement for plaintiff.

TRUCK HITS CAR BACKING ACROSS HIGHWAY TO TURN AROUND

G. L. "Butter" Schley, age about 18, died about 11:20 o'clock Saturday night of injuries after a truck driven by Cliff Rankin struck a car driven by Bill Ament about 5 miles east of Gatesville on U. S. 84 about 10:45 that night throwing him out of the truck.

Sam White, the other boy in the truck most seriously injured is in the local hospital with an injured back. So far the doctor's report is that he is not in any serious danger, and it is not thought his back is broken, as was rumored. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam White of near Mound.

Leaving here shortly after 10:30 on Cliff Rankin's truck, a soft ball team representing the Red and White store owned by E. G. Beerwinkle had started for Galveston Bay near Houston for an outing. They had to wait until the store closed before they could start the trip. Two other couples, Mr. and Mrs. "Skeeter" Shepherd and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Cummings followed in another automobile.

Five miles out, going down grade the automobile backed out on the road ahead of them. Rankin made an attempt to stop, and being unable to, grazed the right front wheel and bending the fender. The truck then swerved, out of control, since the steering gear was broken, crossed to the opposite side of the highway, and crashed into the steel bannister, which it hopped and turned over, spilling the boys out. It is thought Schley and White both hit a small tree nearby. The others, were thrown clear of the truck, and besides shock and minor cuts and bruises, were uninjured. Rankin received an injured nose, presumably when his nose hit the rear view mirror, which was blood spattered, and the windshield in front of it.

Schley's body was not bruised or lacerated with the exception of a small bruise on one leg near

the ankle and a blow on his head. He died just after he was gotten to the hospital.

About 10:30, we saw the truck on the square and stopped and talked to Butter and Cliff. Butter said: "We're goin' to the bay, and may have a softball game with La Porte and I'll bring you a story in Monday."

Rankin's truck had two flat tires, front fenders bent, one light gone, bumper bent, broken steering gear, and dented cab. Although we haven't seen Ament's car, it is understood the right front wheel was crushed and the front end damaged. With Bill in the care were J. L. Rogers, Thelma Stout and Dora Kingsbury whom were but slightly injured.

It was a convention of Red and White Stores at La Porte, the boys had started to, and they were due to play a soft ball team from La Porte, and to take part in a general celebration.

Others in the truck were G. Anderson, Kenneth Anderson, C. B. Powell, Gene Huckabee, Sybil Price (in the cab), Seth Anderson, Cecil Lee Newton, Garland Holt, Lorraine Turner, Jack Thornton, Russell Holt and Bernice Huckabee.

SERVICES HELD AT FIVE SUNDAY

Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock, Rev. C. M. Spalding officiating, funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church, followed by a short service at the City Cemetery.

"Butter" as he was affectionately known thruout the county, was in reality, G. L. or Grover Lee Schley, son of Grover L. Schley, deceased, and Mrs. Thurman Rogers of Gatesville.

Butter was graduated from Gatesville High School last spring and was active in athletics thruout his school years. He was a member of the First Baptist Church, and was president of the Sunday School class, which was taught by Coach Earle Worley.

Attending to his esteem in the minds of the people of the town and county was the tearful congregation which attended his last rites at the church, which was overflowing. Butter was an "institution" in Gatesville—he was inobtrusively "in" everything, and had a "following" in the lowly, the near-great and great. His death leaves a place, not as easily filled as many other more "important" personages.

Pall bearers were his school mates who had been thru game after game with him, and were his closest pals. They were: Bill Morgan, John Frank Post Jr., Zack Fore, "Red" White, "Cotton" Davis, Duncan Kikpatrick, "Hull" Edwards, "Fish" Culberson, Jack Hearne, and Bob Foster.

Surviving are Mrs. A. T. Rogers, mother; A. T. Rogers, step-father Mrs. W. C. Frazier, sister, Neta Jean Rogers, half-sister, Mrs. Travis Hestlow, step sister, Mrs. Carl Drake, step-sister, and Weldon Rogers, step-brother.

Relatives surviving are Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pruitt and family, Bay City; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Pruitt, Bay City; Mr. and Mrs. John Felrath and Joe Hayhurst, Belton; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson, Oglesby, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thompson, Oglesby, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Miles and son, Waco, Mr. Warren Patton, San Antonio, Mrs. O. Mayes, Belton, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rogers, McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Otha Rogers and family, Mrs. Eva Rogers, Levita, Mr. and Mrs. Hope Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hinsley of Gatesville.

EVERY TUESDAY, NOW, AUCTIONEER SAYS

Bring'em in every Tuesday, now, as the company operating the auction of livestock here will be in full swing ever Tuesday from now on, beginning today.

This auction has brought buyer and seller together and has helped re-stock many livestock farms, as well as, making it possible for the stockmen in this territory to market their stock.

HOSPITAL NOTES



Patients in the Hospital:

Nina Mae Bethke
Mrs. S. C. Lee
Arden Thomas
Sam White
Mrs. Irvin Young
Mrs. W. M. Lynch and baby

Markets

(As of August 10)

Wheat	55c
Wool	18-20c
Corn, ear	30c
Corn, shelled	40c
Mohair	36c-46c
Cottonseed, ton	\$15
Cream, No. 1	17c
Cream, No. 2	15c
Oats, sacked	24c
Oats, loose	23c
Eggs, No. 1 candled	16c
Eggs No. 2	8c
Hens, light	7c
Hens, heavy	9c
Fryers	11c

STOLEN CAR AND GUNS RECOVERED; NO CHARGES HERE

Herman Mills, 19, Robert Wall, 15, John Pflanz, 17 all of Fort Worth were jailed by Deputy Sheriff Ted Liljedahl, after receiving a call from S. L. Bellamy of the State Juvenile Training School that he had picked them up at the state school, after finding guns in the car, parked near the business office there.

On confession to County Attorney C. E. Alvis Jr., the three confessed to the hijacking of C. E. Haddox's car on Highway 2 south of Eddy Thursday morning, when they got \$30. Glenwood Teague of Beaumont was picked up with the boys at the time of the hijacking.

After the hijacking, they passed again thru Waco and on to Houston, picking up a hitch-hiker enroute and let him out in Houston, and continued to Beaumont.

In Beaumont, according to their story, they "fooled around," drove to Galveston and back to Beaumont, arriving back there about 3:00 a. m. Saturday morning, and left Beaumont immediately via Houston and Huntsville for Gates-

ville. Teague joined them when they first reach Beaumont.

They had guns and pistols with them from the time they left Fort Worth, which they had taken from a house in Arlington, which they hid in the brush near South Hi-Mont School. They also took a V-8 Ford belonging to a John H. McMullen of Fot. Worth.

Guns taken were a .32 pistol, a 20 gauge double barreled shotgun, single barrel 20 gauge shotgun and a .22 target with a silencer and a revolver, all of which were found in the automobile here.

Shortly after leaving Beaumont, one of them, according to the confession brought up the subject of getting some of the boys from the State Juvenile Training School here out, and they discussed it. They also discussed doing other jobs, but no definite jobs were discussed, so they would have some money.

At a honkey-tonk in South Fort Worth, Thursday night, the job was planned and when they got to Waco they needed money and hijacked Haddox.

All have records at the State School here, with the exception of Wall. Mills served 8 months for burglary, was released in December; Pflanz for car theft, also 8 month, and Teague, for burglary,

approximately a year.

City Detectives Cobb and Chaffin took Teague and Pflanz to Fort Worth, and Deputy Sheriff Ralph Jeffers and Constable Wallace Law both of Belton took Walls and Mills to Belton. Charges will be filed in Fort Worth against Pflanz and Wall for burglary, Mills, Wall and Pflanz will be charged with robbery with fire arms in Bell county and car theft in Fort Worth. Teague was not with them when they got the guns, stole the car, or hijacked Haddox, and County Attorney C. E. Alvis Jr., said the only charges that could be made against them here was possession of fire arms, since no actual attempt was made to release the state boys, even tho they were first arrested on suspicion of that act.

Sidelight on the boys are that Mills was to be married Saturday night in Fort Worth to a girl. He said they had intended to get married Saturday night, August 5, but put it off, and he was glad of it now. He said he just told his prospective wife, who's name we did not get, he was to be out of Fort Worth "just for a couple of days."

Teague, a former Golden Gloves District Champion of Beaumont, lost in the Regional at Galveston.

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EDDY HIJACKERS CAUGHT HERE "VISITING" STATE SCHOOL: CONFESSIONS MADE TO CO. ATT'NY

State SCS Law Is Briefed, Here

The last legislature passed a state soil conservation law. The law is too long for a full publication, but in order to acquaint the land owners with the main provisions of the law the following is a condensed statement of the law, as given us by Robt. W. Brown, Chairman of the Soil Conservation Committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

The law divides Texas into Five districts of about 50 counties each. Coryell County is in District 5. Each District has a representative

on the State Conservation Board, which is elected as follows.

The land owners in each Commissioner's Precinct of the county, elect a representative. From these representatives as Chairman or County Representative is elected. From the various County committees of the 50 counties is elected a member of the State Soil Conservation Board. By this method the members of the State Soil Conservation Board is elected by the land owners and is a land owner himself, and no one but land owners has any say in his election.

Any Fifty (50) or a majority of the land owners may petition the State Board for the creation of a Soil Conservation District. Districts may be any size not exceeding 3,000 square miles (this would be about the size of 3 average counties in Texas.)

When a petition is filed the State Board holds a meeting within the District and will hear land owners on the necessity and advisability of creating the District. At this meeting they may change the boundaries, grant the petition or deny it as they see fit. In the event they grant the petition, then an election is called in the District in which only land owners can vote, and if two-thirds of the votes cast are in favor of the creation of the District, the District will be created, otherwise no district will be formed.

The District will be under the supervision of five supervisors, who shall be land owners of the district and elected by the land owners of the District.

The supervisors shall act for the district in making plans for Soil Conservation practices within the district. Such as asking the State Soil Conservation Board to assist in making surveys, planning use of lands, growing vegetation, etc. They may also contract with Soil Erosion Camps, etc. to work within the district and any other agency that might further the ob-

jects of soil conservation within the district.

One of the main features of this law is that **no special taxes can be assessed against the land owner, nor the land, and no compulsory regulations forced on the land owner, or the land, unless at least nine-tenths of the land owners in the district votes to have the regulations enforced.** Even if the nine-tenths of the land owners did vote to enforce a regulation, then a land owner has the right to have his land exempt from the regulation by showing that the regulations would not benefit him and that he should be exempt from the regulations.

This law emphasizes the fact that all supervisors, and officials of the District must be **land owners living in the District**, and only land owners can vote in the election, non tennant or party living in town, not owning land within the district, can vote or hold any official position in the District, except that the State Board will appoint two supervisors when the District is first created who will assist in organizing the District, and who will later be replaced by elected supervisors from among the land owners.

DAVIDSON-MARTIN REUNION AT MARTIN TABERNACLE AUGUST 27

Alex Davidson is our informer, who states the Davidson-Martin families reunion will be held at the Martin Tabernacle near Pecan Grove on Sunday, August 27.

All members and relatives of these two families are extended an urgent invitation to be present for this occasion.

The painted lady butterfly lays its eggs on the thistle, one of most widely distributed of all plants. It depends entirely upon this plant to furnish food for the caterpillars.

KOBE, JAPAN MAN—

been just 40 years since I left Turnersville. One Saturday in the early spring of 1898, or 1899, Rufus Holder and I went to Gatesville and while in town visited your store. We were amazed at the cheapness of your prices, and we purchased several tablets, notebooks, pencils, etc. I am rather of the opinion that I still have, somewhere among my archives, a notebook which was purchased on that occasion. Of course, I may be mistaken, but I think "Byron Leaird" was the proprietor of the new store which we visited, and I know that it was located where, or near, your place of business was at the last time I was in Gatesville.

You mentioned by parents and sister, Alice. My mother was a great soul and a wonderful mother, and it is to her love and spirit and self-sacrifice that her children owe what little they have been able to accomplish. (My father is still living, but he has been on the inactive list for ten years or more, and is gradually fading out both physically and mentally.)

In most respects our work is moving along very much as in normal times. With the exception that almost every week during the past school year, anywhere from one to half-dozen of our students were called up for service, we would hardly have known that the country was engaged in a major conflict. But due to the fact that, for many years we have been able to admit only about 25 per cent of those who have applied, there were always several applicants for each vacancy caused by the drafting of a student for service, and our classes were kept full. There are many things which we do not approve, and some which we cannot understand, but outside of "officialdom" we are shown as much

kindness and courtesy as ever. Taxes are being doubled and trebled, and the cost of living is ever on the increase, with some articles of food becoming more and more difficult to obtain. Nobody seems to know just how much the long-suffering Japanese common people can stand, or how long they will stand it, but it is certain that the war lords are determined to find out.

Just now feeling against England and the English is running high, with "Down with the British" mass meetings being held all over the empire, but so far the attitude toward the U. S. and U. S. Citizens, has been very kind and cordial. However, we realize that all this could change over night, and that we would be in exactly the same category as England and the English.

While, in general, the sphere of missionary activity is somewhat restricted, it is evident that the need for the Christian message is greater than ever before, and if missionaries are permitted to remain in the country after this conflict ceases, or after there is a lull for a considerable length of time, it is hoped that greater results from missionary endeavor may be accomplished than before conditions became so disturbed.

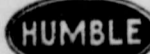
I am glad to have heard from you, and if I can in any way help further your interests, and make it possible for you to create a more kindly feeling in the minds of few people toward the Japanese, I shall be happy. Please bear in mind that I do not approve what the War Lords are doing, but I do like the Japanese common people, and realize that friendship among the nations is what we need just now more than anything else.

With kind personal regards and the hope that I may hear from you as early as may be convenient, I am
Sincerely yours,
Jim Oxford



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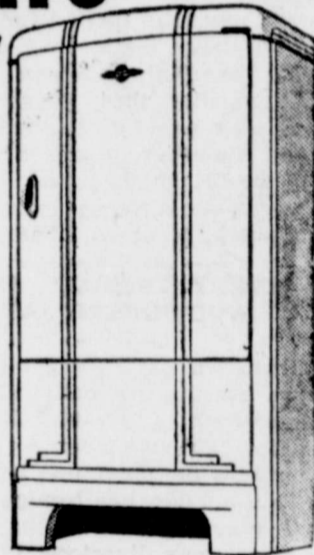


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"SAFETY WITH LIGHT"

The United States Junior Chamber of Commerce is promoting a most valuable project in its campaign to secure better lighting for America's fatal streets. This organization gives one prizes to local Chambers which organize and conduct the most constructive "Safety with Light" programs toward promoting night traffic safety in their communities.

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All of which goes to show, Gatesville is "in line" in lighting the main art of the city, which besides adding beauty, increases the safety of the city's streets and square in the business section of the city.

Coryell Valley

Mrs. A. M. McCallister, Corp.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Walters attended church at Coryell City Sunday night.

Mrs. Jess Kitley and Mrs. Nora Knight attended church at Buster Sunday night.

Mr. W. A. Knight spent the week end at home. W. A. has been working at past two weeks with the NYA. He was promoted last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Riddle and family visited one day last week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Sheppard.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knight and family and Luther Thomas of Waco, spent last week end visiting relatives in Galveston, Houston, and Port Arthur, and parts of Old Mexico.

Little Bryant Wilson of Gates-

ville is spending the summer with his grandfather, B. A. Wilson in the McCallister home.

Mrs. Turner, mother of Mrs. J. C. Taylor is improving, she has been confined to her bed for the past several days with rheumatism, but is up now.

Mr. and Mrs. James and Roy Knight and Mr. and Mrs. A. Knight were Waco visitors recently.

Mrs. Minnie Latham and daughter visited Thursday with Mrs. Dee Riddle.

Mrs. Walters of Jonesboro visited her son, E. O. Walters, and his family last week and attended church here.

The meeting closed Sunday nite, Rev. George Jackson of Clifton helped Rev. Will Jackson, pastor, with the services. Sickness and various reasons caused small attendance.

Health of this community has not been so good. Even the writer has been on the sick list.

EYE OPENERS--by Bob Crosby



IT WAS TAKEN FOR GRANTED BY PASSENGERS OF THE FIRST OVERLAND STAGE COACHES THAT THEY MUST RIDE 100 MILES OR MORE OF THE JOURNEY ON MULEBACK!

ALLEN SPUR
BLIND ORGANIST FROM ALHAMBRA, CAL., HAS MEMORIZED 5000 SONGS. HE'S EQUALLY VERSATILE ON HIS GAS RANGE --- HAVING CREATED ENOUGH RECIPES TO FILL A BOOK!

BREAD, BAKED BY SWEDISH HOUSEWIVES, IS HUNG FROM KITCHEN CEILINGS ON POLES AND THUS KEPT FOR WEEKS!

Allen Spur, totally blind musician, has composed many pieces, including "Eileen," popular during the World War. He lives alone, does all his own housekeeping, secretarial work, and cooking, and he likes to entertain guests with original dishes he has created on his gas range.

Early posters of the San Diego and San Antonio Stage Line, published in 1859, assured passengers that only 100 miles--across the desert--would have to be travelled on muleback. They also guaranteed protection against the Indians.

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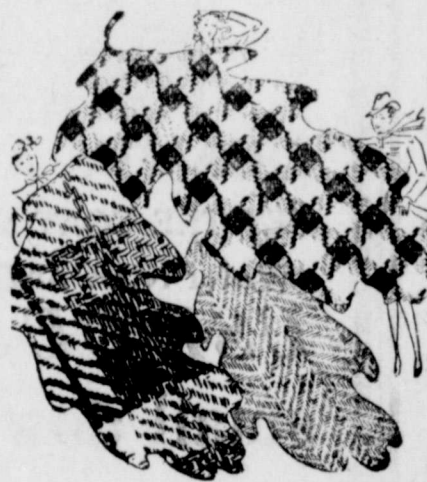
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Society

Owl Club Has Meeting With Mrs. J. O. Brown

Meeting on Friday night, the Owl Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. J. O. Brown in her lovely home on East Main street.

After an enjoyable evening spent in playing eighty four, the hostess served a refreshing course which was enjoyed by regular club members and three guests, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ray and Mrs. C. L. Bellamy.

The club will meet Thursday night of this week with Mrs. Edgar Franks acting as hostess.

Friday Night Club Has Theatre Party

Meeting in their regular Friday night session Friday night, August 11, the Friday Night Club was entertained with a theatre party by their co-hostesses, Misses Bill Cayce and Chloe Yongue.

After a delightful evening spent at the theatre the hostesses entertained at a local cafe with a delicious lunch.

Those attending were: Misses Mary Oldham, Maud Alyce Painter, Bess Holmes, Faith Yongue, Sidney Gale Gibson, Truie Pearl McGilvray, Minnie Lou Witt, Ann Hill, Dorothy Culberson, Ola Mae Parks, Vera Sams and Miss Maggie Lee Richards of Whitney and the hostesses.

Mountain Society News

The Mountain community gave a shower for Mrs. Hollis Yeilding at Mrs. A. A. Stalls' home.

The refreshments were iced tea, grape juice and sandwiches.

The following were present: Mesdames Roland Blanchard, John Blanchard, Vernon Barton, Tom Barton, Charlie Barton, I. I. Chambers, J. E. McCarver, Lee McCarver, D. J. Fisher, Ernest Fisher, Ida Richards, Annie Herrington, Clarence Barton, Hollis Yeilding, Edith Maxwell, Weldon Lipsey, Ruth Shirley and A. A. Stalls, Misses Ozelle Barton, Velma, Irene Martin, Esther Stall, Landa Lipsey and Dorothy and Jean Blanchard.

Wednesday night Miss Esther Stall gave a slumber party in honor of Miss Velma Irene Martin of Slater. There were a nice group

of young girls present. They were entertained by several games.

The refreshments were watermelon, ice cream and candy.

Those enjoying the fun were Misses Velma Irene Martin, Nathalie Sims, Jo Ann Pollard, Esther Stoll, Ozelle Barton, Dorothy Blanchard, Wanda Lipsey, and Dean Blanchard.

Former Gatesville Man Weds Greenville Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Felix H. Leach of Greenville recently announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Catherine Leach, to J. O. Winslar, Jr. of Vernon.

The marriage took place recently in Correll, Oklahoma. Miss Sue Gorrell, close friend of the bride accompanied the couple to that city for the ceremony.

Mrs. Winslar J. has been employed for the past several months in the office of the Farm Security Administration. Mr. Winslar's parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Winslar of this city. He is a 1936 graduate of Texas A. and M. College and formerly taught in the public schools at Goldthwaite and Woodson. He is now employed in the FSA office at Woodson.

They returned to their home in Vernon this week end after a short visit with her parents. They are planning a trip soon to Carlsbad Caverns and points in Colorado.

Baylor House Party August 22 to 25

From the Girl's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church the following members through their sponsors Mesdames V. C. Ray, Paul Martin and Wm. Wiegand have made reservations to attend the third annual house party for young women at Baylor University.

Pauline Martin, Martha Clair Brown, Grace Wiegand, Bobbie Jean Hudson, Beverly Wood, Hallie Jo Jackson, Wanda Ruth Stephens, Bebe Jean McCowan, Patty Ashby, Mary Jo Yates, Pattie Ruth Stewart, Elizabeth Ann Ricketts, Nelda June Mann, Betty Jo Hudson, Norma June Pollard, Martha Ann Burdette, Mary Jo Mullholand, Juanita Yates, Johnnie Bell Coskrey, Jennie Kathryn Spalding, Frances Reesing, Harriett Robinson, Ruth Hanna, Ruth Rutherford, Edith Cole, Camile Lester.

Any other member who desires to go may yet make her res-

ervations through any one of the sponsors.

Registration will begin at 1:00 p. m. Tuesday, August 22. Bring picnic lunch for first evening, linens, toilet articles, fan, kodak, Tennis racquet, musical instrument to play in orchestra, wash dresses, slack (no shorts), party dresses optional, and \$2.50 for fees and registration.

All the girls of the local organization are urged to come to the church on Tuesday, Aug. 15 where they will have a brief program in each organization and then meet in a joint recognition service and social with the W.M.S.

Birthday Party is Courtesy Given Mrs. Boyd

A party was the courtesy extended Mrs. John W. Boyd on the occasion of her eighty-fifth birthday when her daughter, Mrs. John Milner, entertained at her home, 1301 Waco street, Saturday.

Extending greetings to Mrs. Boyd were: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boyd and children of Mont Belvieu; Rev. and Mrs. A. N. Porter, D. C. Boyd, W. W. Boyd, Mrs. Veda Boyd, Miss Marjorie Boyd, and Bill Boyd of Waco; Mrs. Richard Trice of Troup, Mrs. Felix Boyd of Coryell Church, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom L. Robinson and

Tom L. Jr., Joe, Harriett and Bookie; and Miss May Boyd of El Paso.

City Softball League Closes

Because of the death of Butter Schley, official league secretary, the softball league has closed its 1939 season, and no more games will be played this year.

No official champion will be declared. Following is the final league standings.

Club	W	L	Pct
Arnold's	12	4	.750
Coca-Cola	11	5	.688
Red and White	8½	7½	.561
Firemen	8	8	.500
Highway	6½	9½	.406
CCC	2	14	.125

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Miles and son, Elton, of Waco, attended the funeral services of G. L. Schley here Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Ables and children of Fort Myer, Virginia spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Rube Cummings.

The earth makes a circle around the sun once a year, but it takes the distant planet Pluto 248 years to make it.



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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of

our beloved mother and grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Straw. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Straw and family. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Whitton

SPORT SCROLL

By POST

Sport fans of this city and of the entire country were shocked and saddened by the news of the death of G. L. Schley, affectionately known as "Butter". Butter was killed Saturday night when the truck in which he was riding overturned.

It was with tear-dimmed eyes that acquaintances of Butter received the news Sunday, for to know Butter was to love him.

Butter's genialty has won him hundreds of friends, not among the younger people only, but among the business men of the city and county. Because we were one of those fortunate enough to be one of Butter's legion of friends and thereby know what kind of boy he was and feel that we profited by our association with him, the column this morning is dedicated to this splendid boy.

Butter received his greatest pleasure out of association with athletics. He was a great tackle on last year's football squad. He was the kind of player that was hustling all the time, working just as hard in practice sessions as in games in an effort to improve his play. And if he happened to make a mistake in a game through inexperience, it hurt him deeply because he felt that he had let his mates down. This caused the entire squad to love him perhaps more than any other one man on the club.

For two years now he has practically run the softball league by himself, ungrudgingly giving most of his time taking care of the field, advertising the games, and taking care of equipment in order that others might have better conditions under which to play. This unselfishness which played so great a part in Butter's life will long be remembered.

Last season toward the close of the schedule a "Butter Nite" was advertised by the softball league, with the gate receipts going to Butter. To show their appreciation for his work, the greatest crowd ever to attend a softball game in this city came out.

Other proof of Butter's popularity was evidenced by the great crowd that attended his funeral, the church was full. And not a person left that church with dry eyes.

In our few short years of association with Butter, we have never heard anyone speak a seriously unkind word against him.

And while there are heartaches and tears in every part of the county, there is no greater anguish than felt by Butter's football mates, those who knew him best, in having him whom they proudly called a friend, torn from them.

A heart of pure gold has been stilled—and the shadows of gloom and sorrow have invaded the thoughts of those those dearest to Butter, but in their grief they get some consolation from the kind of life that their beloved one lived, that their grief is shared by hundreds.

Personals

Frank Jones visited his sister in San Antonio last week.

Miss Maggie Lee Richards of Whitney, teacher in the Dallas schools, was the guest of Miss Chloe Yongue the past week.

Miss Louise Sadler of Waco was the week end guest of Miss Maude Alyce Painter.

Miss Beverly Chamlee visited friends and relatives in Abilene last week end.

Bill Worley of Taylor, Texas is visiting with his brother, Coach Earle Worley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boyd and children, Jack and Betty Jean, of Mont Belview visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Boyd for a few days this past week.

Wilson Brazzil visited his parents in Flat over the week end.

Mr. Thad Stribling of Dallas, former resident of Gatesville visited Mrs. J. W. Boyd last week.

J. T. Stribling, Miss Anna Stribling, Mr. J. W. Crain and Miss Ruby Crain of Hamilton visited Mrs. J. H. Milner Saturday.

Johnnie Milner of Clifton visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Milner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Morse have been visiting his brother and mother, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Morse and Mrs. Mary D. Morse in San Angelo, last week.

Mrs. R. C. Edwards of near Gatesville spent last week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Emmett Westfield of Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wittenberg and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Markland are visiting in the B. S. Cook home this week.

Byron and Danny McClellan and Mrs. Leaird were Austin visitors Friday.

Joe Ned Brown, Danny McClellan, Joe Reese Robinson, and Esteen Poston will return today from a fishing trip to Buchanan Dam. They left Sunday.

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TODAY AND WED.

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\$1.00 Nervine	89c
35c Vicks Vapo-Rub	30c
75c Vicks Salve	65c
75c Bayer's Aspirin	65c
25c Hinkles Pills	18c
25c Black Draught	19c
30c Mentholatum	25c
60c Mentholatum	50c
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CARD OF THANKS

We would like very much to grasp the hand of every person who helped us after our home was destroyed by fire. We realize we can't see all of you personally, therefore we take this method to thank and show our appreciation for the many things you have done.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hughes and family. 68-1tp

Copper is the best alloy of gold.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Horton of Brownwood spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gray returned from Louisiana yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brashear of Hereford visited Mr. Osha Mae Powell and daughter Marvine Saturday.

Miss Estella McFarlin of Denton is visiting with friends in this city.

FIRE BURNS HUGHES

fire started, only a daughter, Ruby, 18 was at home. She discovered the fire and called her mother who was at a neighbor's house.

Only a part of the Hughes' clothing was saved and a few bed clothes. A son, Oscar, was injured when a brick from the falling flue struck him on the head and shoulder. There was no insurance on the house-hold goods, and the residence was owned by Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gugwolz of Gatesville, the Old Saunders house.

COUNTY LEAGUE PLAY-OFF TO BEGIN SAT.; PEARL UPSET, 3-1

The big county league climax championship playoff, a thing the diamond fans have been waiting for for many weeks, will finally get under way Saturday afternoon, with the second-place Pidcoke team facing A. H. Clay's third-place Pearl outfit on the Pidcoke diamond, the league-leaders, the Blackfoot Indians, meet their arch foes, the Mound Club, and the Blackfoot grounds. Both games are due to start at 2:30.

Since two out of three games are required to determine the winner, the teams will reverse positions for a second game Sunday. If a third game is required, it will be played at the discretion of the managers.

The pitching selections for the four clubs are unknown, but a complete report of the play-off will be given in the Friday issue of the News.

Mound turned in an inspired performance to edge out the Pearl club, 3-1, and knock the Tigers out of a tie for second place in the league standings.

In the only other league game of the day, the Blackfoot Indians smothered the White Hall Club, 27-3.

Following is the final league standings:

Club	W L PCT
Blackfoot	9 1 .900

Pidcoke	8 1 .889
Pearl	7 2 .778
Mound	8 3 .727
Jonesboro	5 5 .500
White Hall	4 6 .400
Topsey	2 7 .222
Turnersville	1 8 .125

MARTHA RAYE "OPENED" AT CASA MANANA AUG. 11

Martha Raye, famous motion picture singer, dancer and comedian, and formerly the 'wide open' girl, opened with Casa Manana, Fort Worth's big summer extravaganza, Friday night.

Assisting with her Everett West, new national radio sensation, who's "high note tenor" voice even made the great Lawrence Tibbets yell "Bravo" when he heard West warble.

Too, there's Abe Lyman and his Californians, high ranking orchestra of the nation, who's Rose Blane torch singer, is selling the band to a musically minded Texas. Trixie, greatest woman juggler; the Gracella dancers, adagio team; Emmett Oldfield acrobatic comedian; Adele Inge, world's champion acrobatic skater, and the highlight, Ticknor, Texas No. 1. Sweetheart who sings, accompanied by the 70 Texas lovelies, all can be enjoyed at this marvelous open air cafe-theatre.

LOCAL JUDGE ATTENDS CENTRAL TEXAS BAR MEETING

Judge R. B. Cross, district judge of Comanche, Coryell and Hamilton counties, attended a meeting of lawyers representing 33 different counties in the third administrative judicial district held in Belton, Thursday.

At this assembly the lawyers elected Judge Few Brewster of Bell County and Fred Knetsche of Sequin, as their delegates to a meeting in Austin at which rules of conduct and a code of ethics will be formed by the lawyers pursuant to the new state bar act.

JUST HUMANS

By GENE CARR



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Turnover

Mrs. Clifford Wicker, Cors.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis of Overton and John Gates are visiting in the Tom Blanchard home, and are also visiting friends and other relatives here.
 Visitors in the R. A. Wicker home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Powell and daughter of Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wicker and sons. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lively, Mrs. Lee Straw of Gatesville, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis and son of Overton, Mr. John Gates, Joy and Duane Blanchard.
 Grannie Straw passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Whitten, August 11. The bereaved have the sympathy of the entire community. She was buried at Gatesville Friday afternoon. She is also Lee Straw's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wicker attended church at Gatesville Tuesday night.
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dorsey and son of Flat spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Wicker and children.
 Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hooser, Nelta and Truman Maxwell and Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Collier and children attended church Sunday at Springfield, Pearl Maxwell is visiting in the Hermon Wicker home. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Garrison of Waco spent the day Sunday.

UNIVERSAL OFFERS NEW TOURING CREDIT SERVICE

A new and exclusive "emergency credit certificate" plan to meet the problems of emergency credit requirement of motor car travelers away from home has been offered to its time payment customers by Universal Credit Company, it was announced today by Ernest Kanzler, president.
 The plan is available only thru Ford, Mercury and Lincoln-Zephyr dealers, Mr. Kanzler said, and is intended to benefit particularly thousands of their customers who travel by automobile extensively or who spends their vacation periods in motor travel.
 Under the new Universal plan which has just been released to the company's 168 branches thru-out the United States and to Ford dealers and their staffs, a new "emergency credit certificate" is to be issued to Universal time payment customers. The certificate entitles the holder to credit for payment of the costs of emergency repairs, or for instance the purchase of tire replacements, accessories or other emergency needs from any Ford, Mercury, or Lincoln-Zephyr dealer in the United States.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our neighbors and friends for the many kind words and deeds and especially the WMS of Jonesboro and Pancake for the nice fruit and preserves they so kindly gave and canned, also Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sheridan of Gatesville for their kindness.
 May God's blessings abide with you continuously.
 Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sellers Jr.

—Watch the signal light's.

Our Own Trudie



(NEW YORK—(Special)—Gertrude Ederle, famed Channel Swimmer, who has made a gallant comeback from illness, is one of the stars in Billy Rose's million dollar Aquacade at the New York World's Fair. "Trudie has been splashing around in the pool of the New York State Amphitheatre with Johnny Weismuller and Eleanor Holm for the entertainment of more than a million customers—so far.

Tap Dancing Fool



NEW YORK—(Special)—Bill Robinson, Old Man Rhythm to millions, is standing them in the aisles nightly at the Music Hall at the New York World's Fair. Bill taps his way to the audience's heart as he plays the role of the Emperor in Michael Todd's Hot Mikado.

BUS AND TRAIN SCHEDULES

—BUS—

Waco to Brownwood
 Arrive at Gatesville... 9:10 a. m.
 Arrive at Gatesville... 2:40 p. m.
 Arrive at Gatesville... 6:25 p. m.
To Waco
 Leave Gatesville... 11:20 a. m.
 Leave Gatesville... 2:30 p. m.
 Leave Gatesville... 7:45 p. m.

—TRAIN—

Sunday
 Leave Waco... 9:30 a. m.
 Arrive Gatesville... 12:05 p. m.
 Leave Gatesville... 2:30 p. m.
 Arrive Waco... 5:15 p. m.
Week Days
 Leave Hamilton... 6:30 a. m.
 Arrive Gatesville... 9:01 a. m.
 Arrive Waco... 11:00 a. m.
 Leave Waco... 9:00 a. m.

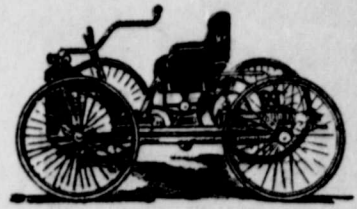
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"Aurora Borealis" Was Here Friday

Do you know Arora?
She was here Friday night, and we, like a number of other folks, thought Ames, Jonesboro, Pancake or Turnersville was burning up.

At this time we saw it, about 11 o'clock, there was a reddish-pink streak in the sky in just about that general direction.

Dailies this morning said it was the blushing Aurora Borealis, who usually is connected with Alaska, Siberia, and Northern Canada.

"Scientists are agreed that the borealis result from huge cyclonic disturbances on the sun's surface, commonly called sun-spots" Chester A. Howard, President of the Dallas astronomical society says.

"The sunspots create far reaching beams of magnetic electricity which are attracted by the earth's magnetic rays in polar regions. Disturbances are created by the beams in the upper reaches of the stratosphere and prismatic ice crystals reflect the lights."

Of course, we wouldn't know.

Neff Park Bids Called For

The state highway commission has called for bids on September 1 on grading and structures of 6.51 miles of highway 171 from Malone to Hubbard, in Hill county, as a state-sponsored WPA project and six miles of grading and base on a lateral road in Coryell county from near Oglesby to Mother Neff Park on the Leon river.

Bear Rodeo Opens Wednesday

Ralph Buchanan, the Paul Whiteman of Waco, and rodeo booster, nonpariel, was here at noon yesterday, with boosters of the Bear Club Rodeo which opens in Waco, Wednesday for a four day run.

Ralph said they've brahmas there that don't know what a rider is, the penitentiary stock, and plenty of other rodeo attraction.

Wednesday morning, there'll be a gigantic parade, and anyone from Gatesville with floats or cowhorses, or what have you, are cordially invited to enter this parade. Let's go!

American lipstick case will be introduced into Paraguay.

EDDY HIJACKERS—

Recently, during some of the amateur matches here; he took part in some of the boxing matches here.

Haddox, who was hijacked near Eddy, was with two ladies and they were going to Lampasas where his mother was very sick. He was here Saturday and identified the boys, and McMullen was here for his automobile, which was stolen. McMullen had left the key in his car, and this is the third one that was stolen from him in Fort Worth. Haddox is employed by a Cotton oil refining company in Corsicana.

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD OF TEXAS

NOTICE OF HEARING UPON ORGANIZATION OF PROPOSED LOWER LEON RIVER SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT, EMBRACING LAND LYING IN CORYELL, BOSQUE, AND McLENNAN COUNTIES, TEXAS.

WHEREAS, on the 20 day of July, 1939, there was duly filed in the office of the State Soil Conservation Board, at Temple, Texas, a petition signed by fifty or a majority of land owners pursuant to the provisions of the State Soil Conservation Law, as enacted by the 46th Legislature, known as House Bill No. 20, requesting the establishment of Lower Leon River Soil Conservation District; and WHEREAS, the lands described by said petition, and other lands which will be considered for inclusion in said district, are located in Coryell, Bosque and McLennan and Adjacent Counties, described substantially as follows: Lower Leon River.

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held pursuant to the said petition, on the question of the desirability and necessity, in the interest of the public health, safety, and welfare of the creation of such district; and on the question of the appropriate boundaries to be assigned to such district; upon the propriety of the petition, and of all other proceedings taken under the said Act; and upon all questions relevant to such inquiries. The said public hearing will be held by the State Soil Conservation Board on the 23 day of August, 1939, beginning at 3 o'clock p. m., at Gatesville in the county of Coryell.

All persons, firms and corporations who shall hold title to any lands lying within the limits of the above described territory as owners, and all other interested parties, are invited to attend and will be given opportunity to be heard at the time(s) and place(s) hereinbefore specified. STATE SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD. By: V. C. Marshall, Chairman. Dated this 4 day of August, 1939.

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Congress Spends Record, 13 Billions

The first session of the Seventy-Sixth Congress leaves in its wake a thirteen billion dollar spending record and a bruising political fight that struck sharply at the prestige of President Roosevelt and the new deal.

The President achieved 5 hard-won victories during the seven-month session, including passage of his record peacetime two billion dollar national defense program. On the other side of the ledger he suffered defeats which are expected to reverberate at the Democratic national convention next June. The record shows:

Roosevelt Victories—His defense program in full except for establishment of an air base on the Island of Guam off the coast of Japan; modified government reorganization bill expected to save more than \$30,000,000 a year; renewal of his powers to devalue the gold content of the dollar and continuing the \$2,000,000,000 currency stabilization fund; 1940 relief program, but laden with restrictions which he denounced; the Franklin D. Roosevelt Memorial Library to be established at Hyde Park.

Roosevelt Defeats—Three billion dollar lending-recovery program, killed by a powerful House coalition after emasculation in the Senate; \$800,000,000 housing expansion bill, killed by the same coalition; six-point neutrality revision program intended to lift the mandatory arms embargo provision; \$50,000,000 asked for 1939 relief deficiencies; Senate invoked traditional senatorial courtesy to reject two major presidential appointments; two other appointments were withdrawn because of congressional opposition.

On the general legislation the record shows:

Congress exceeded the President's budget by \$300,000,000. The House overrode administration wishes and voted a \$50,000 investigation of the National Labor Relations Board.

Congress killed the undistributed profits tax in enacting a business apportionment tax revision bill.

Postponed final action on railroad aid legislation until next session, despite White House wishes.

Delayed revision of the farm program which is under attack on a wide front.

Put over as unfinished business proposed amendments to the Wagner Labor Relations Act and the Wage Hour Act. Most of the changes had administration opposition.

The House defeated the Townsend \$200-a month pension bill and prepared for a showdown with liberalized pension forces at the next election.

Enacted amendments liberalizing and expanding benefits of the Social Security Act and saving employers and workers more than a billion dollars in taxes.

Enacted the Hatch clean politics bill prescribing political activities of all except top-bracket federal job holders.

Refused to revive the Florida Ship Canal.

Extended the life of the Dies committee on un-American affairs after Mr. Roosevelt publicly denounced the group and other new dealers called the investigation a forum of disgruntled politicians.

Passed hundreds of bills of a noncontroversial nature or which occasioned only brief skirmishes.

Tried, without appreciable success, to force an exposition of Roosevelt foreign policy.

Launched a comprehensive investigation of monopolies, which will be continued next session.

25 Businesses Fail In Texas in June

Twenty-five Texas business firms failed during June, 19 per cent more than in May and more than twice as many as in June last year, University of Texas economists reported today. Total liabilities of these firms increased 190.4 per cent over June, 1938, and 28.2 per cent over May, the University Bureau of Business Research discovered.

The first six months of 1939 has proved more disastrous for business concerns than the first half of 1938, failures increasing 79.8 per cent in number and 118.8 per cent in liability.

C. C. N. JONESBORO H-D CLUB

On August 3, the Home Demonstration Club Ladies met in the home with Mrs. Julis Coak. Our demonstrator, Miss La Grone, met with us. The house was called to order by our president, Mrs. H. P. Drake. After they discussed when and where to meet and quilt the Club quilt, the meeting was turned over to Miss La Grone, who led the way to the kitchen where she demonstrated how to serve different kinds of dried fruit and how to make a pie with graham cracker pastry, also how to make different kinds of sandwiches.

All members are asked to meet with Mrs. McBride August 24 to quilt.

Delicious refreshments of punch and pineapple cake were served to nine members, three visitors, and four children.

Members were Mesdames Charley McNailey, Velma Brasher, H. P. Drake, Cardie Goosby, Mae Harvison, Maude Lilljehall, Sallie Coak, Walter McBride and Miss La Grone. Visitors were Mesdames Lawton Drake, Vista Walker, Earl Collins, and children were Billy Ray Walker, Alice Jane Walker, Neoma Collins, Margaret, Ann Harvison.

—Reporter, Mae Harvison.

C. C. N. MAPLE CLUB NEWS

Piecing quilts was the diversion of the evening when Mrs. Ellie Lindaver entertained members of the Club Thursday, August 3.

Mrs. Draper Morgan, an old member who now lives in Houston, was a welcomed visitor. Other members present were Mesdames W. W. Carroll, Finis Carroll, J. L. Brookshire Shults Manning, R. T. Brookshire and Phillips. Naomi Shults and Lucille Phillips attended also.

On August 17, Mrs. J. L. Brookshire will entertain the Club. All members please be present. Delicious refreshments of sandwiches, pineapple, pie, cookies, and punch were served.

Visitors are always welcome.

AVERAGE FOOD CHECK AT N. Y. FAIR IS JUST OVER 43 CENTS

Average cost to the average man of unfurling a napkin in the World of Tomorrow—in other words, the New York World's Fair—is just 43.3 cents.

One restaurant in the Amusement Area features sandwiches at 10c up, hot dishes beginning at 30c and desserts at 10c. For the thirty, beer is a dime. A cafeteria in the Transportation Zone offers entrees from 20 to 45 cents, while an eating place in the Main Exhibit Area specializes in a regular dinner at 40 cents.

For those who prefer to eat on the roof, so to speak, hamburgers and frankfurters are a dime, coffee the same and soft drinks start at a nickel. And ample picnic facilities are provided in case you wish to "roll your own" and bring a box lunch to the Fair.

PERSONS IN HIDING

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J. EDGAR HOOVER

SYNOPSIS OF CHAPTER IX

Dot and Freddie Martin, kidnapers and big-time criminals, have received \$200,000 in ransom money for the return of millionaire Bert Nost whom they kidnaped from his car. But they find that the money is "hot," having been traced by Federal police, and don't dare spend any of it. Dot, half-crazy because her innocent foster-mother has been put in jail as an accomplice in the kidnaping, determines to double-cross Freddie by turning him over to the police in an attempt to persuade them to release Ma Bronson, Freddie who sincerely loves Dot, is captured by Federal agents when he attempts a holdup to get money to buy Dot some perfume which she loves. The Federal agents convince Freddie that Dot planned to double-cross him, and in a rage, he tips them off where she can be found together with the ransom money.

CHAPTER X

BOTH Pete and Dan were very careful to stand away from the open doorway after they had kicked the door open. They knew enough about Dot to realize that she'd surely come out shooting.



Dot slunk furtively through the night to a dockside rendezvous. She approached a shifty-eyed man who wore a first mate's cap. "How about it?" she asked.

Pete called in through the doorway to the darkened room. "If you're there, Dot, we'll give you ten seconds to come out! He glanced at the watch on his wrist, then yelled again, "Time's up, Dot! We're coming in! He reached up to the switch in the hallway and extinguished the single lamp that burned there in total darkness, the two men entered the room, but hardly had they crossed the threshold when Pete said, "The room's empty. I can feel it." He flashed his light around the room, then switched on the light. The room was empty of everything but the cheap furniture, a still-burning cigarette and the almost-empty perfume bottle.

Pete sniffed the bottle. "This stuff's water. According to Freddie, she was clean out of perfume!" His eyes narrowed. "Dot must have liked that perfume an awful lot—if Freddie was willing to risk his life to get a bottle for her."

Dan thought for a second. "I think you've got something there," he said, nodding.

While the police search for the vanished Dot Bronson was in its

second week, Dot slunk furtively through the night to a dockside rendezvous. She approached a shifty-eyed man who wore a first mate's cap. "How about it?" she asked.

"Everything's okay," the man replied. "Don't ask questions about where you're going. When you get there, your money'll be bought. The trip costs you twenty-five thousand. Be ready in half an hour. I'll pick you up at your place." He laughed evilly. "A dame with all your dough, got to work in a laundry to get enough money you can pass to eat! That's a laugh!"

Dot turned and hurried on. A couple of blocks away, she stopped in front of a drugstore. She seemed hesitant, but suddenly made up her mind and entered. "I want a bottle of 'Tantalizing,'" she told the clerk. "The smallest size. Seven-fifty." She took the bottle, paid for it and ran out of the store.

ready at her side, holding her pinned tightly against the wall.

Dot struggled frantically with the two men. Her voice was wild and almost incoherent. "You can't take me, copper! Lemme go! I'm leaving town, and you haven't got a thing on me! It was Martin's idea! Lemme go! Lemme go!"

"Just relax, Dot," Pete said quietly. "It's all over now."

Dot stared at him as she fought to regain her breath. "Yeah it's all over. But it almost wasn't. Another two minutes, and you'd been holding the bag again!"

Dan nickered the bag containing the ransom money. "That's what we want to do, Dot. Hold the bag—this bag."

"You know, Dot," said Pete. "It's too bad. With what you've got, you could have gone places."

"Maybe you think you thought that up," Dot sneered. "Somebody else told me the same thing once."

Pete nodded. "I guess so." He tightened his grip on her hand. "Ready?"

Dot straightened up. "May I get my purse?" she asked quietly.

Pete picked the purse up, glanced quickly inside. He nodded and handed it to her. They started out of the room.

The drug clerk, wide-eyed, was standing outside the door when the trio came out. As they passed him, Dot opened the purse and pulled out the shell. "Here's a souvenir for you," she said, as she handed it to him. "It's a cartridge fired by Freddie Martin Gunner Martin, you know."

Pete and Helen Griswold and Dan and Ruth Waldron walked happily toward the airplane which was warming up at the flying field.

"I can hardly believe it," said Ruth. "We're going at last!"

"Quiet!" Helen was very emphatic. "You're liable to start something."

They reached the plane just as a uniformed page came running down the field. "Call for Mr. Griswold! Call for Mr. Griswold!" he cried.

Pete shrugged his shoulders. Without a word he turned back, as did the three others. Just as the announcer's voice belled out, "All aboard for Flight Seven!"

Back in the waiting room, Pete picked up the phone, while the two women and Dan, standing by the window, sadly watched the big transport ship's entrance port close.

Pete spoke into the phone. "Hello," he said, and listened to the familiar voice of Chief Kingsley. "Hello," Kingsley was saying, "Is this you, Pete? No, no nothing important. I missed you two boys before you left. I just wanted to say bon voyage—and remember, I like trout! Now hurry up and catch your plane! Goodbye!"

The plane taxied down the field, heading for its takeoff. Pete slowly replaced the receiver on its hook and joined the others by the window.

Helen leaned forward anxiously. "What did he say, Pete? Something important?"

Pete nodded. His voice was hollow. "He said... uh... hurry up and catch the plane! And with one accord the four turned to watch the big ship soar into the air.

(THE END)

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(Intended for Friday)

The revival meeting is going on this week with Rev. O. F. Williams of The Grove doing the preaching. Weldon Derrick spent Saturday night with his uncle, Pat Jackson, near Oglesby.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Franklin and children, Mr. Ben Stephens visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Huckaby and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hightower.

Those visiting Rev. and Mrs. Bennie Latham were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Miers and Mrs. G. L. Miers. Mr. and Mrs. John Derrick visited Mr. W. J. Latham and Mrs. Mary Thompson Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Simpson of Moshier, Mrs. George I. Lane and son of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Turner and Exa Thursday. Grandmother Carter spent Thursday night with Mrs. Turner.

Mrs. Bill Sims and children visited Mrs. Allen Herring Monday. Mrs. G. O. Dollins visited Mrs. Sam Pruitt Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Hollingsworth and children, Miss Waldine Franklin attended the Sellers Reunion at Jonesboro Sunday.

Mrs. Hermon Crawford and daughter, La Nell, from Lamesa has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Garren.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Roasmon and children of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lafeaver and daughter from Moshier visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Miers recently.

Miss Esther McClendon, Messrs. Larkin McClendon, Buddy Darwin, and Bryan Justice of Waco spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Turner and Exa.

Miss Waldine Franklin spent Monday night with Miss Gladys Jackson near Oglesby.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Miers visited Uncle Johnnie Latham and Mrs. Mary Thompson Sunday. Mrs. G. L. Miers visited Mrs. W. B. Turner Tuesday.

Baylor university's summer school enrollment this year totaled 675, the highest since 1930. The high mark was set in 1929 with 728 registrations.

During the last four years, the University of Texas has developed the Bureau of Industrial Chemistry at a process for the manufacture of a new structural building material from gypsum and sugar cane bagasse.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taylor and Billie Paul of Hamilton visited in the D. J. Fisher home Tuesday. Their daughters, Faye and Floy, returned home with them.

The Baptist revival conducted by Rev. Hollis Yeilding, is in progress this week, and everyone is invited to come and worship.

Mrs. Morgan Franks and Mrs. Jess McCarver visited in the Henry Franks home Sunday.

Miss Athleen Collard of Fort Gates is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Robert Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Coon, Dale and Sarah, visited Cleburne last week.

Tussie Turner of Arnett visited in the Jack Barton home during the week end.

Eliga
Mrs. Hallie Hubbard, Corp.
(Intended for Friday)

The revival meeting here at the Church of Christ came to a close Sunday night with a large attendance. There were 15 obeyed the Gospel, ten by Baptism and five reclaned.

Mrs. Levy Manning had as her guests Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Willie Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Evert McDonald, all of Houston.

Mrs. Willie Cowan of Corpus Christi spent last week here visiting her sister, Mrs. Grover Fleming, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Hubbard had as guests Monday Mr. and Mrs. Millmore Graham and children of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Milliam Graham and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Low Graham, all of Hamilton, and Alford Williamson of Killeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Thompson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Happy Lee of Gatesville attended church here Sunday.

Miss Aremed Wallace of McGregor spent last week here visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter White of Littlefield spent a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. John White and other relatives.

Mrs. Vance Clem and two sons of Round Rock visited Levy Manning Sunday.

Miss Louise Young of Malano spent a few nights last week with Miss Neva Hubbard.

Sallie Nunn of Dallas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Milton Graham and other relatives.

Mrs. Henry Fewell is visiting in McGregor with her sister, Miss Aremed Wallace, and other relatives.

Mrs. Elvis York and daughter, Fannie Ruth, of Killeen spent a few nights last week here with Mrs. L. L. Davis.

Miss Alberta Cook, who has been attending school at Howard

Payne in Brownwood, is home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cook.

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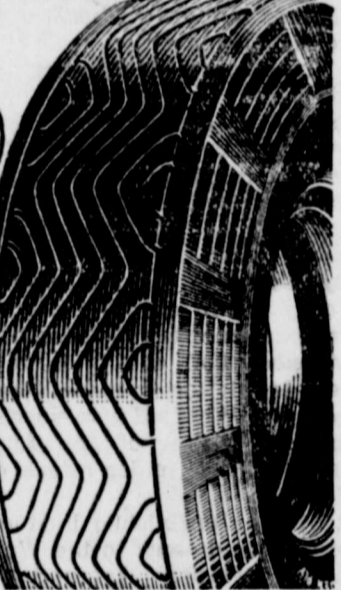
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On the other hand, either sweet or grain sorghums which are to be used for ensilage should be permitted to stand until the seed are fully mature, since the seed constitutes an important part of the feeding value. The silo will preserve all its nutritional elements in the most palatable form, and ensilage will "keep" indefinitely without deterioration.

Most of the Southwest has produced good feed crops this season and the next concern is to save them and turn them into money. All "roughage" must be fed as close to where it grew as possible in order to get the most value from it; on the same farm, so that the manure will go back to the land, is the best place. It is cheaper to bring livestock to the feed than to haul the feed to the livestock.

There is no "perfect" feed alone; though good alfalfa hay comes about as near as possible, even it should be supplemented by carbonaceous feeds, either grain, grass or ensilage, to make a balanced ration.

Non-legume hay and ensilage must be matched up with protein elements, such as cottonseed meal, alfalfa or other legume hay; and when one is on hand the other element should be bought if necessary in order to make a balanced ration.

The "cash market" for corn and other feed grains is keeping many Southwestern farmers from profits they might as well have. Last year some farmers in a certain Texas community were selling their corn at thirty-five to forty-five cents a bushel, by hauling it to the shellers. Other farmers in the same community were feeding the same kind of corn to hogs and cashing in in the form of pork at ninety cents a bushel. Many of those who sold their corn on the "cash market" bought bacon from Iowa or Wisconsin, and probably never tasted ham the year round!

When we, in the Southwest, begin to wrap our feed crops up in hides, or turn them into dairy and poultry products at home, before sending them to market, we will live better on home-grown fresh and cured meats, milk, butter and eggs, and will have more net cash income in the year besides.

Selling feed crops "in the raw" is poor economics for several reasons. Feeding them at home gives employment of time that would otherwise be wasted. Feeding them at home reduces the volume to be hauled to market. Feeding them at home spreads the income and the labor over a longer period.

We produce, in growing cotton, one of the finest livestock feeds in the world—cottonseed meal. In combination with the forage and grains we grow, it should be used here, instead of shipping it to Europe or the Corn Belt to carry fertility to foreign soils. The most prosperous communities are those which are turning their raw products into butterfat, quality meat, and other consumable products instead of peddling their feeds as soon as harvested and because more of their time is profitably employed than is possible in a straight crop-farming system.

The Breeder Feeder program is nothing more or less than balanced farming—balancing crops with livestock and poultry, and vice versa.

Oglesby

Dora Frances McCauley, Corsp.

Miss Thelma Humphries is home from several days visit in Arkansas and Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kinslow are here visiting his parents.

Nancy McKelvain is visiting relatives in Arlington and Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Ruby Looper and children spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holtzclaw of Ewing.

Mr. Price Bankhead of Lavington, New Mexico, spent a short while in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McCauley Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Alexander and son Frank Ramsey spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simmons.

Rev. W. C. Taylor is now holding a meeting at Flat.

Mrs. Paul Johnson and son, W. C., were visiting in the home of her father-in-law, Mr. Will Johnson.

Mr. Ralin Johnson spent Wednesday evening in Oglesby.

Mrs. Louis Boyd of Post, who has been visiting her mother, has now returned home.

Turnersville

Mrs. Emma Jones, Correspondent
(Intended for Friday)

De Witt Hollingsworth from Altus, Oklahoma is visiting in the Howard Sullivan home.

Mrs. L. F. Davis from Valley Mills was a recent visitor in the Mrs. Minnie Lewis home.

H. B. Pennington from Woodsboro, who spent the past three weeks in the E. O. Harrell home, returned home Tuesday.

Clois Smith is home after visiting his sister in Temple.

Rev. Williams is home after spending the past week in a Waco hospital.

Henderson Golf and family of Odessa were recent visitors in the Bill Scott home.

Believed to have been dropped by an Arab hundreds of years ago a curved steel sword has been found embedded in a rock in South Africa.

The markets of New York City handle 15 per cent of the nation's perishable foods.

Many Hungarian women go bare headed until they marry, then never appear with uncovered heads.

Manufacturers of telephones in Sweden are operating at capacity, but cannot fill the demands of new subscribers.



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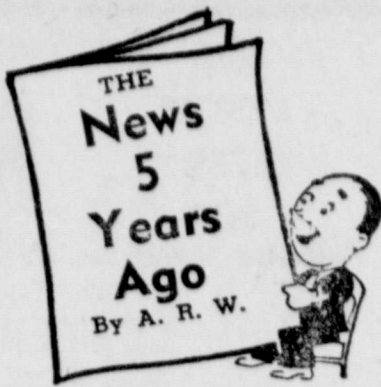
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Oil operations in this section are being continued daily with constant showing of oil and gas in the Pugh-Pace Doyle No. 1 located on the Doyle Ranch north of Ireland in Hamilton county.

The Doyle well, started a few months ago, is down to a depth of more than 1,000 feet. Unmistakable signs of oil were found last Saturday week as several barrels of dark fluid were bailed out of the hole. Such indications have continued to be prevalent since that time.

Early morning flames demolished the home of Dr. J. C. Gardner at Evant shortly after 4 a. m. Sunday. The Gardner home and all household furnishings were turned into smoke by the ravaging conflagration doing damage estimated at \$2,500.

Silver Springs, Fla.—A part of 160 school teachers from 26 different states, touring Florida, arrived here today from St. Augustine in four buses with the University Tours of Oklahoma City and enjoyed the day sight-seeing and riding on glass bottom boats. Included in the party from Gatesville, Texas were Wilhelmina Cayce and Aurora Yongue.

Sports: Softball fans and players on the six competing teams will have a hand in selecting the News All-Star team. The decision was reached the week by the publisher and sports editor of the county newspaper. This issue of the News carries a ballot which may be used by softball enthusiasts to poll their selection for the All-Star team.

Mound

Mrs. E. T. Lightsey, Correspondent (Intended for Friday)

Mrs. John Draper of Waco and Mrs. George Davis of San Antonio are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. Robert McHargue and family of Waco visited relatives here over the week end.

Brother and Mrs. Clyde Childers of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kinslow of Rosebud are visiting relatives

Mr. Lafatte Lam and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George I. Draper the past week.

Bruce Bomar has returned from Tenn., where he visited his grandmother Bomar and other relatives.

Mrs. Olvir Hopson and family of Dallas are here visiting in the home of Mrs. Hopson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Dixon, and other relatives.

Our meeting closed Sunday nite with two conversions and three for Baptism. The Baptising will be next Sunday afternoon, our regular preaching day.

G. W. Marshall of Waco spent the week end here with his uncle, Mr. C. F. Marshall, and was accompanied by his cousin, Viola Marshall.

City Officials, Gatesville

- C. E. Gandy..... Mayor
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- E. Routh..... Alderman
- J. O. Brown..... Alderman
- Rufus Brown..... Alderman
- Elland Lovejoy..... City Secy.
- Dawson Cooper..... Treasurer
- Dr. Kermit Jones, Health Officer
- Pleas Walker..... Marshall
- R. H. Miller..... Fire Chief
- Frank Farquhar, Chief of Police
- C. E. Alvis Jr..... Attorney

DEMONSTRATION AGENTS OFFICE

After the spring garden is exhausted, all the weeds and old growth should be cut and thrown over the garden fence.

A shallow plowing four to five inches in depth is recommended. Spread a coat of 1 to 3 inches of summer manure from the trampled dried out material in the barn lot on the soil and disk and harrow it in thoroughly. This spongy material greatly increases the water holding capacity of the soil. 10 to 12 loads of barnyard manure is not too much for 1-2 acre garden.

Lay off rows wide enough to allow plowing with horse or mule later on. Open all the ditches so water will not stand and water-log the soil. A cover 3 to 4 feet from the ground made of stakes and sacks or limbs will protect the plants from excessive heat.

Provide one and one-fourth times as many seeds for the fall garden planting. Soak spinach seed and other hard coated seeds over night in warm water to stimulate germination. To encourage seed potatoes to sprout, cut the seed eight hours before planting and treat each 5 bushels of potatoes with 1 pint of ethylene chlorhydrin to 4 gallons water. Let them stand in a barrel or tight box for 8 hours and plant immediately.

Suggested vegetables for the fall garden: Irish Potatoes, Turnips, carrots, Danvers Half long, beets, Detroit dark red, swiss chard, pin-tops, onion sets, endive, mustard, and cabbage.

Schley

Mrs. Jim Alford, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Martin of Union were callers in the Jim Alford home Monday.

Mrs. Neal Elliott has returned to her home in Dallas after a months' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McDonald.

Mrs. Jim Alford and daughter, Mildred, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roberts, of near Levita.

Miss Mildred Alford attended the party at the Club house last Thursday night.

Mrs. Kate Jones was in town shopping Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alford and daughter, Mildred, and Polly Alford were callers in the Monroe Spence home Friday night.

Miss Emma Scott of Goldthwaite visited her parents during the past week.

Several from here have been attending church at Spring Hill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Straw of Straw's Mill visited Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Spence recently.

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