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Marion H. Hays, Minister
Bible school — 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Classes — 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship — 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, Ladies Bible Class — 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday Mid-Week Service — 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday school — 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
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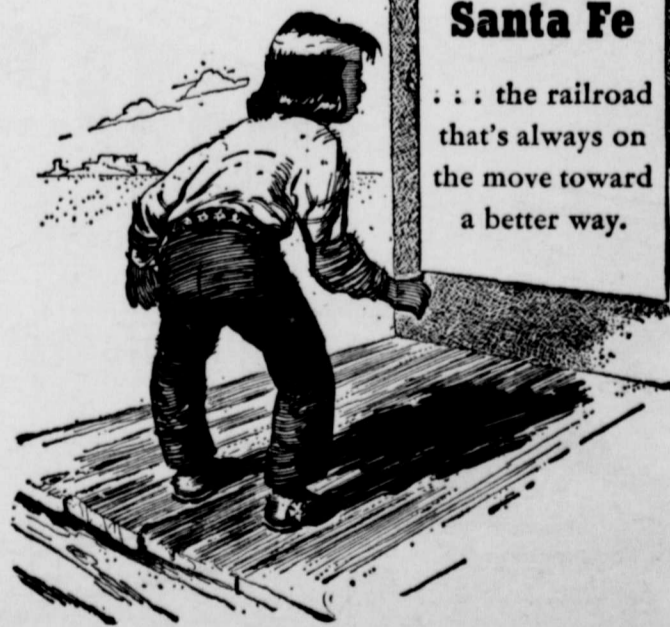
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How Wrong Can You Be?

A large daily paper, the Corpus Christi Caller-Times, recently stated that the policy of trying juveniles for adult type crimes when they later become 17, must be changed. The paper said that Sterling County authorities held Mike Martinez until he became 17—after he killed Taylor Garrett here in 1957 trying to rob a station.

Where they got their information, is, of course unknown but—here is what really happened:

When Martinez was caught after running the roadblock that night in the stolen or borrowed car, he admitted the killing. He was sent to the reform school at Gatesville to stay until he was 21—by the court here. He at that time claimed to be only 13 years old. He was released in about a year—he swore on the stand here that he stayed there 13 months. He was indicted for car theft in Alpine once while he was out and he was investigated and fingerprinted as the only suspect in a Big Spring burglary only two days before he was tried here for the murder on February 7.

When he was indicted here by a grand jury for the murder (when he became 17) he was brought to jail and kept one night. He was released on bail the next day, said sheriff Jim Cantrell. So, really, he has spent less than a week by Sterling authorities for his crime here. He spent a year in Gatesville school and some time in an Alpine jail for that crime. But he has not been held here, and in fact nowhere for very long on any charges—until he got the life sentence here Feb. 7 for the self-confessed slaying of Garrett. He has been in jail here since awaiting sentence. When he is sentenced by district judge Joe Mays, he will be taken to the state pen to begin serving his sentence—unless, it is appealed or something.

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USDA Emergency Planning Committee

Under a plan announced last August by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, a State USDA Emergency Planning Committee was organized in each State. The Committee in Texas was organized in October in a meeting held at College Station with Dr. John L. Wilber, Agricultural Research Service, Austin, as chairman.

The Committee in its November meeting set the machinery in operation which will lead to the establishment of a County USDA Emergency Planning Committee in each county in Texas.

The purpose of the committees is to coordinate the efforts of the various agencies of the USDA in case of a national emergency on all levels, and to help carry out the Department's emergency responsibilities under the National Plan for Civil Defense and Defense Mobilization.

The initial meeting has been held in Sterling County with the following USDA personnel and the agencies they represent named as officers of the county committee: Eddie R. Braswell, chairman, ASC; and Arthur Barlemann, Jr., deputy chairman, county agent, and other members Marcus Leader of the Soil Conservation and C. Drake, SCS.

A major objective of the plan is to have a "built-in-readiness" for planning emergency activities essential for meeting food needs and other agricultural requirements of the nation in time of national crises, County Chairman Braswell, said. The committee will meet on call of the chairman, and will work closely with local civil defense officials.

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By Congressman O. C. FISHER

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The old-time country doctor is a thing of the past. One of the last of that vanishing race was the late Dr. E. O. Deal of Mertzon. He passed away recently just short of his 95th birthday.

Dr. Deal was everything to everybody. He came up the hard way to become a physician highly respected in his profession. Two years ago he wrote me a letter and was quite nostalgic in reviewing the past.

"On account of a semi-invalid mother, and other conditions," he recalled, "I never attended a higher than a two-teacher ungraded country school; and one three-month term was my longest. Never saw a college until I entered Medical College on a First Grade Teachers' certificate which I obtained by night study around a 'pine-knot' fire. Twice in my life attending doctors said I would not live through the night. In October 1899, I went on the table with a possible chance of 'one in a hundred' of living. I promised the Lord if he would let me live I would try to serve Him. I began at 35, and in less than six

months was teaching a Bible Class on Sundays. I taught a Bible Class for 55 years. And that was the hardest thing for me to give up."

Dr. Deal lived in Irion County nearly 54 years. For about half a century he was County Health Officer, and for 38 years he was County Democratic Chairman. He is gone, but his wholesome influence will be felt for generations to come. Irion County's Country Doctor served mankind as few men in a lifetime have the opportunity or the will to do.

Among recent visitors have been Bob Reid of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McCulloch of San Angelo; Mrs. E. R. and Louisa Bane of Brownwood; Raymond Hicks of Bandera; School superintendent James D. King of Brownwood; Robert D. Jones of Lampasas, and Joe Montague of Fort Worth.

School Calendar

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AND END OF SCHOOL SET

Unless emergencies force a change the school calendar has been set for the remainder of the school year.

There will be a school holiday Friday, March 10 for a Mid-Texas Association of the teachers at Brownwood.

Easter holidays have been set for Friday, March 31 and Monday, April 3.

The last day of school will be Wednesday, May 24, which will be the 175th day of school. Thursday, May 25 and Friday morning, May 26 is set up for the teachers to finish all grading, reports, etc.

Students will return to school Friday afternoon, May 26 at 1 p.m. for final reports. Those who are complete may leave as soon as they get their reports. Others will stay until lost books and other irregularities are corrected.

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