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Quitauque Lions Take Game in Scoring Match

In Several Hours' Tilt and at Bat 119 Times The Two Lions Club Make 46 Runs in Crippled Children Benefit Game.

The Quitauque and Silverton Lion clubs got away with almost everything except murder in the first benefit baseball game played on the local lot here Tuesday afternoon between four and eight o'clock. According to the averages taken from several adding machines in down-town offices late that night, the final score was 24 to 22 in favor of the visitors from below the Hill.

There were features every moment of the play, and a lot in between when the balls were lost, but some of the high-lights were the retirement of Frank Bain to make way for a new pitcher in the third and his return to the game somewhere around the eighth inning, the two scores made by Arthur of Quitauque in one inning, and the catching of the same fly-ball by two Quitauque Lions. On a high infield fly the first baseman was unable to hold it, but the second baseman was standing by with a sack and made the catch.

There was one thing the umpire would not let them get away with. On a hard outfield line drive, the Quitauque fielder used all means available to stop it and hurled his glove in front of the ball. Umpire ruled batter entitled to a three-bagger and bases cleared in front of him on account of illegal obstruction.

The mantle of charity is cast about the box-score error column, but the runs are recorded to show how the national pastime ought not to be played:

WE GUESS IT'S RIGHT

SILVERTON	AB	R	H
Dick Cowart, 3b	7	2	4
T. R. Whiteside, ss	7	2	1
W. Coffee, rf, 1b	7	1	2
T. Graham, 2b	7	1	1
Oran Bomar, lf	6	4	2
H. Anderson, cf	6	4	3
R. F. McCasland, c	5	3	1
O. R. Tipps, p, lf	6	3	2
D. M. Morgan, p			
B. Burleson, p			
Frank Bain, 1b	6	2	1
TOTALS	57	22	17

QUITAQUE:	AB	R	H
Holley, ss	7	3	2
Head, 2b	7	5	1
C. Tunnell, 1b	7	3	1
Rump, c, 1b	7	4	1
Groce, rf	7	1	1
Seal, 3b	7	0	1
Arthur, lf	6	2	1
Kirklin, p	7	2	1
Hawkins, p			
TOTALS	62	24	10

SILVERTON — 043 202 083—22
QUITAQUE — 382 013 502—24

Summary: In the general aspect Silverton Lions stack up the more favorable, going to bat only 57 times they made 17 hits, and only Tipps and Burleson fanned. Quitauque made only ten hits and had ten men to go out by strikeouts. The second was Quitauque's big inning, with eight scores; and the eighth was Silverton's with a like number of markers.

This game was the first of a series that have been arranged between the two Lions Clubs to raise money for the crippled children's fund, and a neat sum was realized at the gate Tuesday, according to Secretary J. S. Fisher.

Mrs. J. E. Minyard Building Stucco Home

Mrs. J. E. Minyard is preparing to build a modern five-room stucco residence on her lot in the north part of the city. Work has begun in razing of the present frame structure to make way for the improved home.

Panhandle—Work on highway from Cuyler to Panhandle to start soon.

Parking Enforcement Meets With Success

Splendid cooperation on the part of the public was accorded the city's parking law enforcement Saturday, stated D. M. Morgan, special traffic officer. No car arrests were made but many had to be warned of illegal parking, and the traffic lanes were kept wide open throughout the day and up into the night through the vigilance of Mr. Morgan, who was kept busy preventing double parking and street blocking. The best results were obtained by having the view at the main crossings open for pedestrians to see approaching motor vehicles and for motorists to avoid accidents.

Fire Delegates View Surf Bathing Beauties

Delegates of the reorganized Silverton Volunteer Fire Department are attending the four-day convention of the state organization of volunteer firemen at Galveston this week which holds June 11, 12, 13, and 14. J. D. King, W. W. McClister, and Jerry Burson are the representatives on the trip. Due to other business J. E. Minyard had to forego seeing the bathing beauties of the famous beach in the grand opening revue, and Jerry was a willing substitute.

Charles "Buddy" Ragers At Palace Next Week

Mover-goers will have another chance to see Charles (Buddy) Ragers, the main star of "Wings", as a star in "Someone to Love" at the Palace Theatre here next Wednesday and Thursday. This is a romantic production taken from the story by Alice Duer Miller, and is a screen that carries familiar players besides "Buddy", including James Kirkwood and Mary Brian. The picture is full of interesting episodes and thrilling moments.

Dr. Bundy Rating High in Profession

At the meeting of the medical society in the Plainview Sanitarium Tuesday, Dr. O. T. Bundy held a place on the program and read his paper on "Rheumatism of the Heart." This paper was favorably commented on by all the medical men present, and the opinions of this physician of Silverton were rated high by the professional attendants, especially his line of thought in those phases of the work which Dr. Bundy is specializing in.

Minister Asserts Moses Sole Author

Intent and Purpose of Genesis Interpreted by Rev. Henderlite, Presbyterian Pastor

The book of Genesis was reviewed by Rev. P. B. Henderlite, Presbyterian pastor, in the Methodist pulpit Sunday night, in the absence of Rev. Marvin Brotherton, who is attending the two-weeks' pastors' summer school at S. M. U., Dallas.

In a broad prospectus of the first book of the Bible, the minister interpreted these first chapters of the Pentateuch in their larger intent and purpose, giving a clear exposition of the different divisions and great characters, and taking occasion to digress in denial of the higher critics' assertion that several authors, and not Moses alone, wrote the first five books.

"The first chapter, including four verses of the second, deals with creative life; the second with man's three-fold nature, his relation to God, to the world, and to society; and the remaining chapters are concerned with soul-life," said the speaker.

The minister took up seven major characters of the book, explaining what each specifically exemplified, tracing the fall of man back to the divine life. Adam represented sin; Seth, substitution; Noah, identification; Abraham, faith; Isaac, self-surrender; Jacob, the problem; and Joseph, the full development of divine life.

Important Ruling On Rural Mail Boxes Goes Into Effect July 1

New Patrons and Old Patrons with Unserviceable Boxes Must Provide Themselves with Large Size No. 2.

The large size, or Number 2, mail box only will be provided and erected by patrons of rural and star routes on and after July 1, is the information furnished A. E. Frieze, postmaster, by the postmaster general at Washington.

All approved rural mail boxes now in use on rural and star routes will be continued in use as long as they remain weatherproof and serviceable. Patrons on new routes, new patrons on existing routes or extensions of present routes, or patrons desiring to provide boxes of sufficient capacity to contain parcel-post mail will be required to furnish what is known as the No. 2 large size box after July 1.

A list of the names and addresses of the authorized manufacturers of the new type of No. 2 box, which has been recently approved by the postmaster general, will be available later at the postoffice here.

Also, patrons on existing routes who have boxes that are not weatherproof and are unserviceable, and there are several of this kind on the Silverton routes, must secure one of the approved No. 2 boxes or service of mail delivery will be discontinued, according to Mr. Frieze.

Dimmitt Is Shut Out In Classy 7 to 0 Win

Burdened with 11 Strikeouts Castro County Team was Helpless Before Silverton's Onslaught.

Playing big league ball the Silverton baseball club downed the Castro county boys at Dimmitt Sunday with a shut-out. The score was 7 to 0. Falling by the wayside through the strike-out route, Dimmitt could chalk up only three hits, and only two men reached third in the nine innings. Ledbetter and Walker had the old ball hopping at will, and the batters made a parade of it going up and sitting back down.

Morgan, J. Taylor, and A. Taylor made two-base hits, J. Taylor clouting out two of them.

ATTABOY! WON ONE

	AB	R	H
Morgan, 2b	5	1	2
Steele, ss	5	1	1
J. Taylor, c	5	1	3
Bean, lf	5	0	1
A. Taylor, rf	4	1	2
Hollingsworth, 3b	4	0	0
Thompson, cf	4	1	0
McWilliams, 1b	4	2	1
Ledbetter, p	2	0	0
Walker, p	2	0	0
TOTALS	40	7	10

Gospel Meeting Will Begin Here June 21

A revival meeting at the Church of Christ here, beginning Friday night, June 21, is announced by R. E. Brookshier, O. M. Reynolds, evangelist of Weatherford, Texas, will have charge of the series of meetings, assisted by J. G. Hufstetler of Abilene, choir director.

The revival will continue over two Sundays, and an invitation is extended to everybody to attend these services.

Boy Scouts Showing Interest in Work

The Scouts had an enjoyable trip to Tule canyon several days back. Seventeen members were present, and the boys were delighted with two swims. These young boys are interested in the Scout programs and most of them have passed tests recently. All are urged to keep the Scout organization to the forefront and interest the business men to get behind the movement.

Bee Crawford Killed In Accident on Coast

A message was received in Tula Wednesday by Dr. Crawford that his brother, Bee Crawford, had been killed in an oil field accident in California. Information received was meager and no details of the fatality are available.

Mr. Crawford was a brother, also, of the late Miner Crawford of Silverton and a brother of Tom Crawford. It is thought that remains of deceased will be brought here for interment in the family lot at the local cemetery.

Two Lions Delegates Going to Louisville

Two delegates are to be sent to the Lions International convention at Louisville, from the local Lions club, according to decision of the club at its weekly luncheon Tuesday. A committee was appointed to name the delegates, as several nominated voiced dissent in being unable to leave their business long enough to make the convention.

It was announced that Quitauque had arranged to send two delegates and they were making the trip in automobile. As invitation had been extended to the club here to name two representatives to accompany them and share in the necessary expenses, it was estimated that for one hundred dollars two delegates could be selected.

The club voted to raise the money by assessment.

Several new names were added to the Lions' membership rolls at its last meeting, among whom were Dr. R. F. McCasland, H. Anderson, and J. A. Neill.

Return Game Matched With Quitauque Lions

Not satisfied with the final outcome of the ball game here Tuesday afternoon, W. Coffee, Jr., manager of the Silverton Lions ball sluggers and president of the club, has secured a return engagement with Quitauque at the Quitauque park for Wednesday afternoon.

Although the first game covered quite a period of time, there is a number of folk here who think the game is not over and will want to journey to the east-county city and see the combat continued. All are urged by Coffee to accompany the team, as a lot of "rooting" will probably be needed in order to have a different song to sing.

Howard Chancellor With Burson Motor

Howard B. Chancellor of Ft. Worth has closed a contract with Burson Motor Company as salesman for Ford Motor Company products in this territory. Mr. Chancellor arrived the first of the week in Silverton, and his family will move here within a few days as soon as suitable residential quarters can be secured.

Mr. Chancellor has been connected with Percy Garrett Motor Company, Ft. Worth, Ford distributors for Tarrant county, and Burson Motor Company has added much to its sales department in getting this representative.

Cooking School By Texas Utilities Co.

An Expert Culinary Artist Will Demonstrate On An Electric Range Tuesday and Wednesday of Next Week.

A Cooking School has been arranged for Silverton, South Plains, and Sterley ladies by the Texas Utilities company here next Tuesday and Wednesday in the Nunn building near the northwest corner of the square, next door to the Famous Cup cafe, according to announcements by local manager, Joe Blocker, and the district office at Plainview.

Mrs. Roderick, a home economist and expert in the culinary arts, will be here to conduct the school and hold the demonstration, using the famous "Flavor Zone" electric range. Mrs. Roderick is from the Westinghouse Electric company and is a nationally famous woman in cooking.

The school will be held here June 18 and 19, in the afternoons, covering a period of two hours each day, from 2:30 to 4:30 o'clock. Mrs. Roderick will also give to the visiting ladies a number of her famous recipes, and other favors will be distributed.

This school is a courtesy on the part of the utility company, and the company will appreciate a full attendance on the part of the ladies.

LEMESSA—Plans progressing for establishment of milk plant in this place.

Old Structures Are Vacated for Brick Buildings

Burson and Dickerson Make Division of Interest in Business Lots Preparatory for Improvement; Tenants Vacate Properties.

The two frame buildings on the southwest corner of the square were vacated this week to make way for modern structures of brick. These are two old landmarks of the city when it was a cow-town of the frontier.

The razing of the buildings will begin at once, and Jno. Burson will erect a two-story brick on the corner as the future home of the First National Bank. C. L. Dickerson, owner of the lot adjoining to the south is planning a brick store house, but is not yet ready to make definite announcements on the improvement project.

R. M. King, who was occupying the south building with grocery and market, has moved to the Nunn building at the northwest corner of the square. His formal opening will be held Saturday in the new brick quarters with a full stock of high grade groceries and market products.

In division of interests of the two corner lots held jointly by Jno. Burson and C. L. Dickerson, Burson received the corner containing 25-foot frontage and the postoffice building. Dickerson now has title to the lot and building occupied by the First National Bank and the lot formerly occupied by Kings Grocery, extending through from Main street to the alley, with an offset made by the post-office building.

Laundry Plant Is Opened in Silverton

R. V. Galloway and George Burkett Are Managers of the New Industry at N. W. Corner of Square.

A laundry plant is announced this week for Silverton by Galloway & Burkett, under the name of the City Laundry. Equipment has been installed in the building on the northwest corner of the square, just east of the Super Service Station. The operators of this new industry are R. V. Galloway of Childress and George Burkett of Silverton.

While the plant is small now, it is the intention of the management to install a steam laundry with other modern equipment when the city receives gas service, according to Mr. Galloway.

Maintaining a substantial payroll, retaining much money that is now sent from the city to other towns, and adding a few more families to the community are the results of such industries as this laundry, and more will follow as the gas and sewer systems are laid.

COULD YOU USE MORE SALES?

Here is a statement that may or may not surprise you, but it is a fact generally acknowledged by men who pay big money for advertising that there is no publication more closely read than that same weekly country newspaper. The reason is on account of its local news.

There is plenty of time between issues for the entire family to read every word of it—the news of the neighborhood, the coming and going of friends, births and deaths, and the advertisements, particularly the local advertisements. It is a mistake in sales direction to overlook the home-town newspaper when it should be employed from week to week to assist in goods distribution.

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THE NECESSARY EVIL

Taxes are a necessary evil. We must have courts, roads, armies, schools and all those things which are a part of society.

It has often been said that the taxpayer has no complaint; that for his tax dollar he gets a generous return. But no matter how true this may be, it is no reason for not protesting against inefficiency and waste.

Modern business is remarkable chiefly because, through sounder economic practices and greater efficiency, it has been able to give more for less money. Government has failed to keep step.

Our local units of government, especially, grow more and more expensive to maintain. Their slightest act entails duplication of effort and waste motion and unnecessary expense. And the taxpayer pays.

Only public protest and public action can raise the standards of government routine to a high state of efficiency and economy. There is too little sound business in modern government.

EDITORIAL OF THE WEEK

FEDERAL AID TO RURAL SCHOOLS

(By S. M. N. Marrs)

On May 9, 1929, Hon. Charles Brand of Ohio introduced H. R. 2570 in Congress appropriating \$100,000,000 from the federal treasury to aid in the reduction of taxes on farm lands, and to promote elementary education in rural areas of the United States, and to cooperate with the states in the promotion of these objectives.

If recognition by the Federal government would be given to the amount of state available fund now apportioned to rural schools added to the usual appropriation for rural aid, the state would not be required to make additional appropriation to receive the entire amount of \$7,000,000.

The state has matched funds to construct highways; it has accepted the Smith-Lever act, the Shepard-Towner act, the Smith-Hughes act and recently the act providing for citizen vocational rehabilitation.

Texas' assessed values have increased 50 per cent since 1913. Actual property values in Texas (\$9,850,888,600 in 1922) are estimated at more than \$12,500,000,000 now. In 1861 Texas assessed values were \$266,784,482.

Working Under Difficulties



NEIGHBOR PRESS FOLKS SAY

Floyd County Hesperian—Well, the country is ruined. Too much rain. Going to have to move further west. Every time a man tries to make a crop it comes a rain and drowns everything out. Sure is bad.

Higgins News—This is a sad old world. When there is a big wheat crop, the price of wheat is low and when there is a wheat failure, the price of wheat is way up; when a lovey-dovey has no lovey-dovey, life is on the blink and when the lovey-dovey has a lovey-dovey, life is on the blink and one lovey-dovey shoots the other lovey-dovey and gets into the newspapers, while the lonely would be lovey-dovey behaves and never has a word of publicity at all.

Lockney Beacon—Floyd county has the worst roads of any county on the Plains today, or at least any county that we have had occasion to travel over. Every effort made to better this condition is promptly voted down by the people of the county. Yes, a majority of the people vote to better this condition, but we have two-thirds to vote for the improvements.

Claredon News—Despite the efforts of those who would force the price of wheat down to a profitless

Know Texas

In 1926-27 Texas spent \$46,500,415.31 on its public school maintenance, of which \$25,949,185.31 was from local taxation. State apportionment was \$15 and from local taxes \$19.23.

Hereford claims the largest single wheat field, under one fence, in the State. It comprises 6,000.

"The largest privately owned irrigation system in the world" is the claim for the system that supplies the Mercedes and Weslaco sections in the Rio Grande Valley.

In March, 1929, Texas produced a daily average of 809,000 barrels of oil against 789,000 in February and 694,000 in March 1928.

About half the commercial winter spinach crop of the United States is produced in Texas from 29,000 acres sown to that crop.

level, a strong reaction has set in and everything now points to a fairly satisfactory price for the 1929 crop. Time was when the market bears and the entrenched interests could extort from the American farmer his products at a loss, but the public has been educated and aroused to the pitch that a profitless market cannot long be maintained in this nation.

Two Queen Valencias



Two beauties, Mona Rico of Mexico City (left), and Dorothy Day of Anaheim, Calif. (right), were tied in the vote for the honor of being Queen Valencia at the ninth annual orange show at Anaheim. So it was decreed that they should share the throne.

A FIRE MARSHAL ORDINANCE AN ORDINANCE CREATING THE OFFICE OF FIRE MARSHAL, PRESCRIBING THE DUTIES THEREOF, PROVIDING FOR ITS MAINTENANCE AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Silvertown.

Sec. 1. The office of Fire Marshal is hereby created. Such office shall be independent of other city departments, the Fire Marshal reporting directly to the Mayor and City Council. Such office shall be filled by appointment by the Mayor, by and with the consent of the City Council at once after this ordinance shall take effect.

Sec. 2. The Fire Marshal shall investigate the cause, origin and circumstances of every fire occurring within this city by which property has been destroyed or damaged, and shall especially make investigation as to whether such fire was the result of carelessness or design. Such investigation shall be begun within twenty-four hours, not including Sunday, of the occurrence of such fire.

Sec. 3. The Fire Marshal when in his opinion further investigation is necessary, shall take or cause to be taken the testimony, on oath, of all persons supposed to be cognizant of any facts or to have means of knowledge in relation to the matter under investigation, and shall cause the same to be reduced to writing; and if he shall be of the opinion that there is evidence sufficient to charge any person with the crime of arson, or with the attempt to commit the crime of arson, or of conspiracy to defraud, or criminal conduct in connection with such fire, he shall cause such person to be lawfully arrested and charged with such offense or either of them, and shall furnish to the proper prosecuting attorney all such evidence, together with the names of witnesses and all of the information obtained by him, including a copy of all pertinent and material testimony taken in the case.

Sec. 4. The Fire Marshal shall have the power to summon witnesses before him to testify in relation to any matter which is by the provisions of this ordinance a subject of inquiry and investigation, and may require the production of any book, paper or document deemed pertinent thereto. The said Fire Marshal is hereby authorized and empowered to administer oaths and affirmations to any persons appearing as witnesses before him.

Sec. 5. Any witness who refuses to be sworn, or who refuses to appear or testify, or who disobeys any lawful order of said Fire Marshal, or who fails or refuses to produce any book, paper or document touching any matter under examination, or who is guilty of any contemptuous conduct during any of the proceedings of the Fire Marshal in the matter of said investigation or inquiry, after being

summoned to give testimony in relation to any matter under investigation as aforesaid, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor; and it shall be the duty of the Fire Marshal to cause all such offenders to be prosecuted.

Any person being convicted of any such misdemeanor shall be fined in a sum not exceeding twenty-five dollars (\$25.00). Provided, however, that any person so convicted shall have the right of appeal.

Sec. 6. All investigations held by or under the direction of the Fire Marshal may, in his discretion, be private, and persons other than those required to be present may be excluded from the place where such investigation is held, and witnesses may be kept separate and apart from each other and not allowed to communicate with each other until they have been examined.

Sec. 7. The Fire Marshal shall have the authority at all times of day or night, when necessary, in the performance of the duties imposed upon him by the provisions of this ordinance, to enter upon and examine any building or premises where any fire has occurred, and other buildings and premises adjoining or near the same, which authority shall be exercised only with reason and good discretion.

Sec. 8. The Fire Marshal, upon complaint of any person having an interest in any building or property adjacent, and without any complaint, shall have a right at all reasonable hours, for the purpose of examination, to enter into and upon all buildings, and premises within the city, and it shall be his duty, monthly or more often, to enter upon and make or cause to be entered upon and made, a thorough examination of all mercantile, manufacturing and public buildings, together with the premises belonging thereto.

Whenever he shall find any building or other structure which, for want of repair, or by reason of age or dilapidated condition, or for any cause, is especially liable to fire, and which is so situated as to endanger other buildings or property, or so occupied that fire would endanger persons or property therein, and whenever he shall find an improper or dangerous arrangement of stoves, ranges, furnaces or other heating appliances of any kind whatsoever, including chimneys, flues and pipes with which the same may be connected, or a dangerous arrangement of lighting devices or system, or a dangerous or unlawful storage of explosives, compounds, petroleum, gasoline, kerosene, dangerous chemicals, vegetable products, ashes, combustible, inflammable and refuse materials, or other conditions which may be dangerous in character or liable to cause or promote fire or create conditions dangerous to the firemen or occupants, he shall order the same to be removed or remedied, and such order shall be forthwith complied with by the owner or occupant of said building or premises. Provided, however, that if the said owner or occupant deems himself aggrieved by such order, he may, within five (5) days appeal to the Mayor, who shall investigate the cause of the complaint and unless by his authority the order is revoked, such order shall remain in force and be forthwith complied with by said owner or occupant.

Sec. 9. Any owner or occupant of a building or other structure or premises, who shall keep or maintain the same when, for want of repair, or by reason of age or dilapidated condition, or for any cause, it is especially liable to fire, and which is so situated as to endanger buildings or property of others, or is especially liable to fire and which is so occupied that fire would endanger other persons of their property therein, shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars (\$10.00) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50.00).

Sec. 10. Any owner or occupant of any building or other structure or premises, who shall keep or maintain the same with an improper arrangement of a stove, range, furnace, or other heating appliance of any kind whatever, including chimneys, flues and pipes with which the same may be connected, so as to be dangerous in the matter of fire, or health, or safety of persons or property of others; or who shall keep or maintain any building, other structure or premises with an improper arrangement of a lighting device or system, or with a storage of explosives, petroleum, gasoline, kerosene, chemicals, vegetable products, ashes, combustibles, inflammable materials, refuse, or with any other condition which shall be dangerous in character to the persons, health or property of others; or which shall be dangerous in the matter of promoting, augmenting or causing fires; or which shall create conditions dangerous to firemen, or occupants of such buildings, structure or premises other than the maintainer thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars (\$10.00) nor more than fifty dollars (\$50.00).

Sec. 11. No prosecution shall be brought under Section 9 and 10 of this ordinance until the order provided for in Section 8 be given, and the party notified shall fail or refuse to comply with the same.

Sec. 12. The penalties provided for herein shall be recovered by the city in the same manner as provided by law for the enforcement of fines, forfeitures, and punishments for offenses against the city.

Sec. 13. Every day's maintenance of any of the conditions prohibited in any of the foregoing sections shall be a distinct and separate offense.

Sec. 14. All misdemeanors herein provided for shall be prosecuted, and all fines and forfeitures herein provided for shall be recovered and enforced in the same manner as provided by law for the enforcement of fines, forfeitures, penalties and punishments for offenses generally against the city.

Sec. 15. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 16. Whereas, public safety demands the immediate passage of this ordinance, creating the office of Fire Marshal and empowering the said official to discharge the duties herein set out, therefore an emergency exists demanding a suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read on three several days, said rule is hereby suspended and this ordinance is placed on its first reading and final passage and shall be effective and in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved this 24th day of April, 1929.

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T. M. NICHOLS, Mayor.

Attest: J. E. MINYARD, City Secretary

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FARM
FORUM—

The Vandals



World-Wide Beef Prices Are High

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Declaring relatively high beef prices a world wide situation, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agriculture, reports that low output, high prices and a reduced volume of international trade are outstanding features of the cattle and beef industry in most of the important exporting countries. The United States imported fewer cattle but more beef during the first quarter of 1929 than in the corresponding period last year, and the prospects are that New Zealand, Canada and Argentina will continue to ship beef to this country. Prices in European consuming countries, notably Great Britain, says the bureau, remain close to the high levels of 1928, but the relatively higher United States prices suggest that European buying can not be expected to reduce materially the foreign volume.

New Zealand now leads Canada as a source of United States fresh and frozen beef and veal imports, while Argentina is sending larger quantities of canned beef. Canada is the leading source of live cattle, mostly stockers and feeders. The leading outlet for Canadian cattle and beef, under present world price conditions, has shifted from Great Britain to the United States. Mexico is sending a relatively small number of stocker and feeder cattle to the American market. Prices remain relatively high in the European beef markets, and imports are below those of a year ago, as a result of reduced supplies available for export in the Southern Hemisphere, notably South America. Most European countries, especially on the Continent, have increased their domestic beef supplies during recent years, including 1928.

The United States cattle industry is reported to be passing the bottom of a production cycle and approaching the peak of a price cycle, which means that as prices rise through the effect of a series of shortages in supplies of cattle, breeding animals are withheld from the market to build up herds and there is a temporary additional contraction of beef supplies.

Male—First Christian Church erecting new edifice.

All Orchard Owners Should Keep Bees

(By J. E. Fitzgerald)

Last season I wrote The Farm News an article on the pollination of fruits to make them bear for we had discovered that even the Delicious apples here in the South positively would not bear unless they had some other tree near them. I have this season had this pollination question demonstrated to me better than ever.

Last spring I carried two swarms of bees over in the field and set them under a big Mammoth Black twig apple tree that was at least twenty years old and had never born many apples. The bees did well, but this spring this apple tree is a revelation for it is simply loaded with apples. It bids fair to have ten bushels of apples. Other trees 200 yards from the bees have very few apples. The fruit grower needs bees.

It has now been found out that the grains of pollen from fruit will keep quite a while. The bee may carry pollen in the hive today and tomorrow go forth with some few grains of pollen on her legs. She may fly half a mile. This explains why it is so difficult to get watermelons that will come true from seed. Now in the case of

my apple tree the bees would come from distant trees but before they went into the hives they would likely light on some of the blooms just above their hive. In fact, this tree with the hives under it was headquarters for pollen and the big crop of apples proves it.

A CARD OF THANKS

To the good people of Silverton as our friends and neighbors we are taking this method in thanking each and every one with our most heartfelt thanks for your kindness toward us during our misfortune, and may the Good Lord Bless each and every one of you, is our prayer.

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SILVERTON, TEXAS

Forty-Two Tons An Acre Washed Away, Revealed in Spur Tests

Southwest Conference On Soil and Water Conservation Has Been Called by President of A. & M. College for June 20 and 21.

SPUR, June 12.—As a step looking toward formulation of a broad regional program for the conservation and utilization of farming lands of Texas and the Southwest, President T. O. Walton of the A. & M. College of Texas has issued a call for the "Southwest Conference of Soil and Water Conservation" to be held at the Texas Institution June 20 and 21 of this year.

All agricultural colleges of the Southwestern States will be invited to participate and to designate for attendance other agencies and interests

of the states in which they are located.

The purpose of the conference, as set forth by President Walton, will be to develop discussion and to lay out a broad and comprehensive program for greater conservation and greater economic utilization of the farming lands of the Southwest.

Experiments conducted by the A. & M. College through its Experiment Station at Spur, have shown an actual loss in soil erosion of as much as forty-two tons an acre in one year on land with a 2 per cent slope and preventable water runoff losses averaging 25 per cent of the total rainfall

Dehorning Calves Growing Practice

MENARD—"We want you to come out to the ranch and de-horn some calves for us," Martin Brothers told the new county agent here five years ago. W. R. Nisbet, promptly replied "Yes Sir! I'll be out in the morning." But there were no suitable de-horners available, so that afternoon he went to a blacksmith shop and made by hand the first pair of de-horners widely used in this county. Since that time scores of de-horning demonstrations have been held each spring and several ranches will soon be free of horned herds. The reason for the rapid spread of this practice is that de-horning gives cattle greater market value, less screw worm trouble, fewer sheep and goats gored, and more uniform herds.

Manure Worth \$15 Per Cow Annually

How dairy farmers can make \$15 more per cow each year by saving and spreading good old-fashioned manure is told by J. L. Thomas, Dairy Specialist in the Extension Service. "An average cow produces about 10 tons of manure annually," he declares, "and at least half of this can be saved if suitable barns and lots are provided and the herd managed properly. Manure is worth about \$3 per ton if applied on land.

ties, engaged in the installation and testing of electric meters, maintenance of relays and the operation and maintenance of distributing systems and equipment, an opportunity to acquire a better understanding of the technical principles involved in the handling of such work.

How to Build Up Dairy Herd Production

(By T. W. Gullickson, University of Minn., in The Dairy Farmer.)

Building up and maintaining the production of the dairy herd is a problem that constantly confronts every dairy farmer. The herd is undergoing changes all the time, animals are being discarded and new individuals brought in to take their places, all of which keeps the problem alive.

It is estimated that on the average the entire herd must be replaced once in every five years. Under these conditions it is apparent that the proper selection of all animals brought into the herd is of the greatest importance if production is to be increased or even maintained.

The plan to follow in selecting animals for the herd will depend to some extent on the purpose for which the herd is being kept. A practical plan and one followed by most dairy farmers is to develop the future herd cows from the herd. The chief advantage of this plan is that it eliminates the danger of introducing disease into the herd which is likely to occur when cattle are purchased. It also involves the use of less money and is for this reason the only plan that can be followed by some. However, it requires considerably more time to build up a herd by this method than if desirable animals are purchased. Also, this plan does not insure that the producing ability of the herd will be increased to any great extent, or even maintained. That this is true is shown by the fact that, under present conditions, not more than two out of three cows are worth keeping. In many herds the per-

centage of culls is even greater.

To make it possible to select animals according to their producing ability, records must be kept of each animal in the herd. Anyone who has never tried to do this might consider it a difficult task, but it is not. All that is necessary is to record the weight of the milk produced by each cow at every milking and testing it for butterfat once every month. At the end of the year the production of each animal may be totaled and the unprofitable individuals detected and discarded.

Utility Courses At College Station During June 10-14

COLLEGE STATION, June 10.—The eighth annual public utility short course, conducted by the A. & M. College of Texas in cooperation with the Southwestern Public Service Association, is being held here June 10-14.

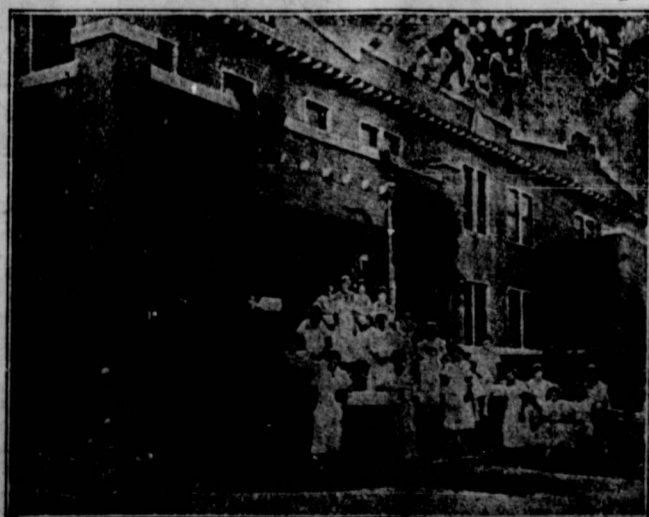
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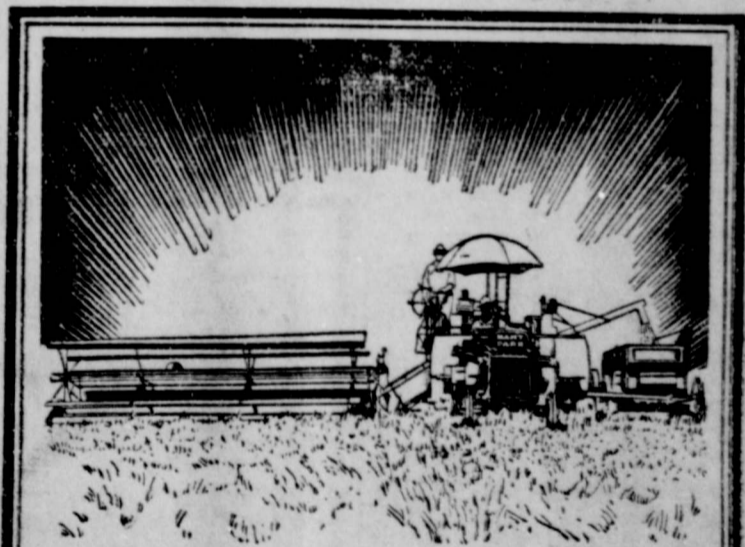
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“To Be Better Looking” Slogan Adopted by Club Girls—All Ready to Join

COLLEGE STATION, June 12.—A peck of garden stuff and a quart of milk is the recipe for becoming beautiful given to Texas 4-H club girls by Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, clothing specialist in the Extension Service. Asked what this has to do with clothing work, Mrs. Barnes replied, “You must have a good looking clothes rack if you want clothes to look well. The slogan in club work this year is ‘to be better looking’ but we can’t make clothes ‘do their stuff’ for girls with bad complexion and poor posture. “Complexion and posture come with health, and that comes from right diet, hence the recipe. To be an all-around good looking girl she must develop physically, mentally, morally and spiritually. It may sound funny but there is the foundation for good dress, and that is one reason why home demonstration agents are getting the girls to grow garden plots; to properly can and cook the products; and to learn the essentials of a healthful diet.”

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Suggested MENU

Garnishes are important at all times but is so easy in the summertime to dress up the serving dishes that this way of making our food more appetizing should not be overlooked.

Curly endive with its blended yellow and green leaves makes fascinating little nests for the molded meat salad or the tomato filled with sweetbread salad.

Celery curls need not be alien to the home table—they are not hard to make, according to Inez S. Willson, home economics specialist. Cut the stalks into two or three inch pieces and wash many times almost to the end. Place in ice water and the ends will curl back.

Stuffed celery makes a attractive edible garnish for the meat platter. The stalks may be filled with a number of different fillings—cream cheese alone or in combination with crushed pineapple, minced green pepper, finely chopped pimento, nut meats or olives. Roquefort cheese is a favorite for filling.

Radish roses are another attractive garnish. They are made by peeling the radish, which has been washed, in 1-8 inch strips from top to bottom, leaving the bottom end attached to the radish. Drop in ice water and the strips spring away a little like the petals of a rose.

Watercress with its dark green leaves is another garnish which should not be forgotten.

Slices of lemon, cut in fancy shapes and sprinkled with minced parsley, tomatoes, cut in slices or wedges, hard-cooked eggs and olives all have their place in the garnishing scheme.

It is only the work of a moment to draw parallel lines with the times of a silver fork down the sides of a peeled cucumber, and it gives the edge a fluted appearance which is very pretty.

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Fluffy feminine blouses of delicate chiffon, made without sleeves are advocated for the dressy type of suit. These mere nothings, so fine and dainty, have a decided air of chic.

The sweet potato has the distinction of leading in value the strictly vegetable crops of Texas.

Full Social Calendar For The Week In Silverton

Miss Ina Gregg and Harry R. Seed Wedded June 5th

HEREFORD, June 11.—Friends all over the Panhandle will be greatly interested in the announcement of the marriage of Miss Ina Gregg and Harry R. Seed, both of Hereford, which took place June 5 at the home of the bride's father, Mr. A. W. Gregg on 25-mile avenue, Hereford. The Rev. H. Boltinghouse, pastor of the First Christian church, presided over the ceremony.

The wedding was a quiet affair with only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom present. The rooms were adorned with baskets of magnolias and fragrant cape jassamines, which were shipped in from Wynnboro, Texas. Tall rose tapers tied with bows of tulle harmonized with the brides lovely wedding dress, which was of pastel taffeta trimmed with silk lace. She carried an arm bouquet of bride roses and yellow valley lilacs.

After the ceremony there was a family breakfast and later Mr. and Mrs. Seed left for an extended honeymoon trip through the mountains of New Mexico and Colorado. Mrs. Seed's going away suit was of French beige in two tones, with accessories to match.

Mrs. Seed is one of Hereford's most attractive and charming society girls and her beauty is accentuated by her winsome personality. She is one of the most accomplished young women of the Panhandle, having published a book of poems, won many prizes in short story and feature writing, written her own pianologues given on numerous public programs, besides being talented musician. She attended the University of Washington, at Seattle, and studied music at the Amarillo College of Music for a number of years.

Mr. Seed is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Seed of Lawrenceville, Illinois, and has resided in Hereford for sometime. He completed his education at the University of Illinois, and for the past three years has been connected with the Caterpillar Tractor Company's Hereford office in charge of the sales and products service of that district, for the Plains Tractor and Equipment Company of Amarillo.

Both are extremely popular, both in Hereford and Amarillo, and during the past few days the bride has been the recipient of a number of social courtesies in Amarillo and Hereford.

Quanah—Rock Island railroad seeks permit to build 108-mile extension from Shamrock to Quanah.

Belcher-Dale Nuptials At Stephenville.

A marriage of interest to Silverton and the surrounding community is that of Miss Rosella Dale and Mr. Herman Belcher, May 26th, at Stephenville. Miss Dale is the daughter of Rev. C. R. Dale. The family now of Stephenville, were respected and beloved former residents here and Miss Rosella has a host of friends who wish her happiness thru life.

Misses Morgan Attaining Music Heights.

Misses Elpise and Marguerite Morgan left Wednesday to attend Washington University at St. Louis, to continue their work in the Progressive Series of Music. They will each have at the end of the Summer's

course, their life-time certificate for elementary music teaching, and after another year of study they hope to have secured their permanent certificate for advanced music-work. Miss Eloise has taken the Progressive Series of Music from teachers in Wichita Falls, also she has had two years of training in the famous Dunning system. Marguerite has had the Progressive Series under Mrs. Gourley; both have taken this system of work by correspondence, too. They are the talented and accomplished daughters of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Morgan. Silverton is justly proud of these young people with their promising talents for a future of fame.

Miss Marguerite Dickenson Receives College Degree.

Another young lady in whom Silverton feels deep pride is Miss Marguerite Dickenson. Miss Dickenson recently received her B. A. degree from West Texas State Teachers College and has accepted a position of double responsibility as secretary to the

Superintendent and teacher of English in the Canyon High School for next year.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dickenson. She is cultured, poised and winsome. She will spend the summer at home, having returned with her parents and brother, Albert and Cleo who attended her graduation Exercises at Canyon last week.

Family Dinner Set By Mrs. Bundy.

Honoring her week-end guests, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kiker and son of Plainview, Mrs. O. T. Bundy had a family dinner last Sunday. Seated at the bounteous board were Mrs. Bundy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smilie, Mr. and Mrs. Ben G. Smilie and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smilie, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kiker, Dr. and Mrs. Bundy and their daughters, Christine and Johnnie. It was a happy reunion for the assemblage of kinfolk. And in the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Buell and their two sons of Quitaque and Mr. Buell's mother joined them for a short visit.

MOVED To Our New LOCATION

In order to make way for a new building we have vacated the frame structure on South Main Street and are now in one of the new brick stores, known as the Nunn building, near the northwest corner of the square.

Formal Opening Saturday, June 15

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As a result, the farmer who does not have storage space is forced to dump at least a part of his wheat on the ground. This plan has the temporary effect of overloading the market. It offers very little opportunity to sell wheat according to its real value, the tendency being to sell all of it at the same price, regardless of quality.

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Society and Church News

Hen Party at Home Of Mrs. J. C. Bomar

Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock Mrs. Jim Bomar at her lovely home entertained the Baptist W.M.S. in the "Old Hen Party." Each lady who came brought a hen, or the price of a hen. Eighteen dollars were realized from the sale of the hens donated.

The afternoon was spent in contests and other pleasant levities. Those who enjoyed this hen party with refreshments of ice cream and cake were Mesdames J. R. Foust, R. L. Johnson, C. W. Vaughn, Jim Bomar, Sallie Cryer, R. E. Stephens, Clifford Allard, R. L. Buchanan, Homer Williamson, P. Larphart, G. C. Patton, Mable Cryer, Novella Taylor, V. L. Dillard, Luther Gilkeyson, J. N. Thompson, F. M. Autrey, C. L. Oliver, Denton, Texas, and E. H. Perry.

Royal Service Program Baptist W. M. S. Monday.

The W. M. S. of the First Baptist church met in Royal service program Monday with fifteen members present and four industrial workers. Next Monday the society will meet in mission study. All are urged to attend and bring some one to the meeting.

Quitague Baptist Dedicate New Church.

The Baptist church at Quitague held special dedicatory services there Sunday commemorating the completion of their new church. Rev. W. M. Draper, the pastor, was formerly in charge of the First Baptist Church here. Quite a delegation from the Silverton congregation attended the Sunday services, comprising the following: Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Allard, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allard, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bomar, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Garrison and Mrs. J. B. Garrison.

Mrs. Jno. Burson Hostess To Floral Club.

There has not been a more delightful occasion for the Floral Club than its June meeting held in the elegantly inviting environment of Mrs. Jno. Burson's new home.

Mrs. Walter Fogerson was the leader for the lesson and she gave an instructive and interesting talk on the subject, "Damaging Insects and How They May Be Destroyed." There followed a round table discussion of reasonable benefit to the members. Mrs. U. M. Meeker reported that the Park Committee's interview with the City Council was encouraging. Other organizations will probably cooperate in the effort to procure the ground for the City Park site. Plans for planting and landscaping the Park were talked over.

Mrs. Bob Dickerson was accepted as a new member.

The roll call was answered by each giving the name of her favorite flower and why it was a favorite. The rose had the majority of tributes from the members present who were Mesdames Crawford, Campbell, Breaker, Guest, Haynes, Fogerson, Meeker, Morgan, Patton, Williamson, Carrol Gunter. The latter two assisted the hostess in serving delicious homemade cake and ice cream, the favors being pink and white baskets filled with candies.

The July meeting will be July 5, the first Friday, at the home of Mrs. N. W. Haynes.

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Mrs. Elmer Allard Bridge Hostess

Among the younger matrons, Mrs. Elmer Allard has proved herself one of the most charming hostesses. The London Bridge Club was enthusiastic about her hospitality when the members met at the Allard home for the club games on Wednesday. Mrs. W. L. Bain won high and received an artistic prize. Mrs. O. T. Bundy was a guest of the members who were Mesdames Roy Allard, Dean Allard, Bruce Burleson, W. L. Bain, Tom Bomar, D. O. Bomar, Max Crawford, Dick Cowart True Burson, Wood Hardcastle, Jim Meeker, McAnay, Hubert Simmons and Marion Williams.

With tastefully arranged floral decorations of roses to create the friendliest atmosphere thruout the house and with an unusually delicious salad course to "top-off" the party it was called a successful social event.

Honors Birthday Wanda King

Celebrating the birthday of her daughter, Wanda, Mrs. R. M. King, last week entertained the Camp Fire Girls and a few friends with a merry party at the King residence. They played games until refreshments were served.

Among those who helped in this enjoyable celebration were Orlene Gunter, Marie McClister, Evelyn Kolb, Fern Blocker, Christine Bundy, Josephine Daniel, Geraldine Patton, Gwendolyn Cloyd and Bonnie Mae Walling, Pete Cowart, Kenneth Davis, Gale Meeker, Kemp Thompson, Powell Miller and a few others.

Oran Bomar Is Honoree

To surprise and honor her husband, Oran Bomar, Mrs. Bomar last Wednesday invited a few friends for a bridge-dinner in celebration of Mr. Bomar's birthday. It was an especially enjoyable occasion and everyone sincerely wished the honoree many happy returns of the day. At the two tables were seated Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cowart, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawley and Miss Teresa Bomar.

BEIGE AND BROWN COLOR SCHEMES EXPLOITED FOR DAYTIME ENSEMBLES



Ensembles which combine gay print with plain continue to feature on fashion's "front page." If the print in question happens to be a handsome silk in shades of beige and brown, and the material from which the coat is made, a beige basket weave, as instanced in the model pictured, then indeed are Madam Mode's instructions carried out to the letter.

In regard to beige and brown and kindred tones, they are the chic colors for the immediate moment—a fact attested in matter of costumes for every hour of the day and evening. The theory that brown and associated shades are strictly an autumn and mid-winter proposition has been disproved. Quite the smartest suits for travel and town wear are those tailored of soft leafy brown covert. The blouse of tangerine crepe, linen or satin climes the color study.

For evening the frock of dusky green net, muchly beruffled and ex-

Briscoe County Daughters Home for Summer.

Silverton welcomes home from school a number of her daughters. Miss Pearl Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis of north Silverton is home from a year's course in Canyon W. T. S. T. C. Miss Davis was formerly one of the most successful intermediate teachers in the Silverton school.

Miss Kathleen Smithee, another lovely Silverton girl is home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Smithee, from a successful year of teaching in the Gasoline school. In September she and her sister, Gladys plan to attend "Tech" at Lubbock.

Miss Josephine Daniel who has been at school in Abilene the past winter is at home with her mother, Mrs. F. B. Buford.

Carolyn Schott is enjoying her vacation at the beautiful Schott ranch home. She has been in St. Mary's Academy in Amarillo this year.

A wide circle of friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Castleberry will be happily surprised to learn of the return to Silverton of these popular young people after their year of study in the State University at Austin.

Miss Jo M. Haynes, daughter of Mrs. N. W. Haynes, and her niece, Miss Josephine Daniel returned on Monday night from Abilene, where Miss Haynes has been a popular English teacher in the Travis Ward School.

Mrs. Fulton in Amarillo Socials

Mrs. W. J. Fulton who has been in Silverton with her husband since he has had charge of the carpenter work on the new school building returned Sunday from a week of social activities with her Amarillo friends. She attended the Annual Games Tournament given by the Llano Estacado Chapter of the D. A. R. Over 350 guests were entertained at the Contry Club House. Mrs. Fulton felt lucky to be a winner of one of the first prizes. She also attended the shower given for Mrs. R. S. Connellee, a farewell-bridal party given for Mrs. Newbold's sister, Mrs. F. M. Stuart, a dramatic production given by the River Road Little Theatre, and a meeting of the Home Demonstration Club where she gave the County Council's report on club aims and work.

LOCALS

Mrs. Ralph Arnold of Amarillo visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Arnold this week. Mrs. Arnold is moving to Channing, and spent a few days in Silverton before going to her new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Green of Ocean Beach, Cal., is visiting her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Nix.

Mrs. L. W. Kiker of Plainview spent the week-end in the home of Dr. and Mrs. O. T. Bundy.

Joint Birthday Party On Whitacre Lawn.

Little Val Keene Whitacre and Mary Sue Tipps whose birthdays fell close together had a lovely children's party given them by their mothers, Mrs. Guy Whitacre and Mrs. O. R. Tipps, last week on the Whitacre lawn. The toy balloon game was as fascinating as grown-ups, "bubble-chasing" and seemed almost like a bit of fairy land to the tiny-tots in their party attire as they sought to catch the bouncing globules of gay color. Other games and the ice cream made the afternoon a completely happy one for the little guests: Patricia and Faye Tice Bomar, John Ed Bain, Mary Inez Cowart, Evelyn Coffee, Imogene and Todd Edd Burson, Rex Douglas, Martha Hachel, Margaret and Peter Henderlite, Charles Ross Simmons, Willie Emil Smithee and Ray Williams.

Bufords Entertain Young Folks

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Buford on Tuesday evening took fifteen of the younger crowd to the Lower Falls for a swimming party and weenie roast. They also toasted about a dozen boxes of marshmallows. The younger guests for the outing were Josephine Daniel, Geraldine Biffle, Carolyn Schott, Wanda King, Gwendolyn Cloyd, Christine and Johnnie Bundy, Hazel Davis from Hamilton, Orville Cowart, Roy Jornigan, Hoyt Hill, Kenneth Davis, Gale Meeker, Kemp Thompson, and Fred Biffle.

A Pageant for Next Monday.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will hold open meeting on next Monday, June 17. Friends are urged to meet with them at 3:30 p. m. A pageant: "Our Neighbors" and musical numbers will make a pleasing program. Everyone is welcome at the church at that hour.

NECKLACES IN ENAMEL

Enameled jewelry for summer prevents novelties to say the least. Clever is a matching necklaces and shoe buckle of unique designing. Worked on a cream base with a speckled egg shell effect in unbreakable enamel it is light in weight and dainty in appearance.

The vogue accorded coral continues with unabated fervor. Even touch of the coral brush as well as the ruby.

W. W. McClister left Friday to spend a day with home-folks at Krum and he joined the firemen delegates at Ft. Worth Sunday to proceed to Galveston for the four-day gala session there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Buell and children of Quitague were in attendance at the ball game here Tuesday and met many of their old friends.

Mrs. O. T. Bundy and daughters, Christine and Johnnie, have returned from a two-weeks' stay in Marlin.

J. G. Fort spent almost a week in Borger at the bedside of his daughter, Mrs. Martin. Mrs. Martin's condition was improved at the time he left.

Mrs. J. G. Fort and family returned Monday from a motor trip thru San Antonio and Austin. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Fort's children, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Castleberry and little Jan.

On Monday Mr. and Mrs. John Bain visited in the home of Mrs. Bain's parents Dr. and Mrs. Crawford at Tulia.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dickenson took their son, Albert to Plainview for a throat operation on Wednesday.

Mrs. Cecil James and a young friend, Hazel Davis of Hamilton, Texas are visiting in the home of Mrs. James' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bain.

Mrs. Gunter and her daughter, Orlene went last Monday to the Plainview Sanitarium that Dr. Guest might remove Orlene's tonsils. Mrs. Gunter will probably return home Friday if the patient is efficiently recovered.

Mrs. Carrol Gunter of Dimmitt was a welcome visitor in Silverton last week from Tuesday until Saturday. Mrs. Gunter is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Burson.

Mrs. Jno. Burson has for her guest this week, her aunt, Mrs. W. P. Stapleton and daughter, Gladys, from Gotebo, Oklahoma.

Willie Snapka is confined to his bed with a painful foot the result of a nail having gone deep into the flesh.

Mrs. T. M. Nichols returned home Tuesday night after spending three weeks with her mother, Mrs. Willson in Fort Worth.

Dr. and Mrs. Bundy motored to Plainview Tuesday to attend the Hale County Medical Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Simmons, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. C. L. Dickerson and daughter, Wilma spent Tuesday in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Bland Burson left last Tuesday for Dallas to attend to business matters. They did not return until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Burnett of Benjamin were visitors in the R. M. Campbell home last week. Mrs. Burnett was formerly Miss Margaret Campbell. Another daughter, Mrs. Ernest Jones of Hereford visited Mr. and Mrs. Campbell at the same time.

Mrs. Head of Lamesa is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Liza Christopher.

Mrs. Roy McCasland came back Monday from a pleasant two weeks' stay with her parents and family in Lamesa.

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Spanish Cadets Getting an Eyeful of New York



Seeing New York's skyline through sights of a gun, Spanish cadets got an eyeful, to say the least. They were aboard the four-masted royal training ship, Juan Sebastian Elcano, after a 30,000-mile voyage.

Famous Kent Tank Passes Into History

Old Time Cattle Watering Place Gives Way to Demands of Farm Lands.

The Kent tank, from which untold thousands of cattle have received refreshment in days gone by on their long "treks" across the Plains, is no more. The demands of farm lands have won out over the thirst of cattle, and the dam which since 1884 has confined the waters of Kent Creek, was cut last week in order to provide proper drainage for farm lands surrounding the tank which were becoming waterlogged.

Located on what is now known as the Z. C. Collier farm, the Kent tank was built back in the days when the Howard Bros. ranch owned a huge acreage in Briscoe County, and when the "F" Ranch ran cattle by the thousand on the fertile farm lands surrounding Quitaque.

Three miles in circumference, and from 25 to 30 feet deep in places, the Kent tank could water in excess of 2,500 head of cattle at one time. Old-timers of Briscoe County can recall many a reminiscence of the roundup and the drive the incidents of which center around the landmark which has disappeared.

Cyclone Victim Former Quitaque Resident

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, June 11.—A. A. Cassidy, 50, of Flogg, a former resident of the Quitaque community, was killed and Mrs. Cassidy probably fatally injured in a cyclone which struck Flogg, Castro County, on Wednesday night. Meager reports received by relatives in Quitaque simply stated that Mr. Cassidy had been instantly killed and that his wife was not expected to live until next week.

Deceased was a well known farmer here for many years, removing to Flogg in the summer of 1926. He was married to Mrs. Cassidy, a sister of M. R. Boyles, a popular man in the community. He was married to B. D. Witcher, left Thursday a. m. for Flogg. No further word had been received here up to noon Friday. J. G. Boyles, another nephew, reported.

Spent information regarding the storm was available in Quitaque Friday morning, unconfirmed reports stating that severe property damage had been suffered in Flogg and in Dimmitt, the county seat of Castro County. At Dimmitt it was reported that several houses had been blown down, but confirmation of this report could not be secured.

Quitaque Gets New Egg and Produce Firm

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, June 11.—A branch station of the Titman Egg & Produce Co. will be opened in Quitaque in the near future, according to M. Johnson, owner of the White Front Grocery, who will manage the produce business in conjunction with the grocery.

Machinery and equipment is now being installed, and Mr. Johnson hopes that the concern will be able to hold a formal opening some time within the next ten days.

Turkey—Building bonds amounting to \$85,000 voted here.

McLean Lions and Study Club Will Improve City Park

McLEAN, June 11.—The lions club has voted to cooperate with the child study club, woman's organization, in beautifying the city park. A wading pool for children at a cost of \$150, and flower and sand beds are in the improvement program.

New Highway Named For Childress County

CHILDRESS, June 12.—The Childress Chamber of Commerce has received advice from the State Highway Commission of Texas that the 8-mile strip of road from Buck Creek to a junction with Oklahoma's No. 7 highway, leading into Hollis, will receive its designation as a Texas highway as soon as the necessary details can be worked out. The advice also stated that the Texas commission would bear 50 per cent of the cost of building a standard dirt highway at once, with 100-foot right-of-way.

Perryton—Fire record award received here from U. S. Chamber of Commerce for record made during 19-28 in national fire waste contest.

GOLD CUP JUMPER



Mrs. W. K. Stevens, "Attilator" with Lyman Wright up, making one of the difficult jumps during the running of the historic Virginia Gold Cup steeplechase race at Warrenton, Va.

Sewer System at Quitaque Is Success

Is Now Serving 98 Users in Quitaque—Additional Connections Expected to Be Made.

A total of 98 sewer connections have been made in Quitaque, according to W. F. Whitley of the Southwestern Sewer Co., owners of the recently installed system. The number of connections made are most encouraging to the company, Mr. Whitley reports, and additional customers are being lined up with the system every week.

The Southwestern Sewer Co. also own the system at Turkey, at which place a total of 67 connections are reported.

In addition to systems in these two towns, the company operates in many communities in this section of the state, and is constantly adding new towns to its string of operations.

Quitaque Lions Names International Delegate

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, June 11.—H. G. Gardiner, past president of the local Lions Club, was elected delegate to the international convention to be held at Louisville this month. The club held its first luncheon at the Methodist Church on Wednesday of last week. Mr. Gardiner has expressed his intention of attending the convention, and it is thought that three or four other members of the club will make the trip.

Members of the club voted to accept the challenge of the Silverton Lions to a series of baseball games, all proceeds to be devoted to the charitable funds of the two clubs. O. C. Arthur was appointed by President Exzell to select and manage the local team.

Denver Seeks Line Childress-to-Pampa

PAMPA, June 11.—Formal application of the Fort Worth and Denver Northern railroad, newly chartered Texas corporation, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity, has been forwarded to the interstate commerce commission, asking permit to build a line from Childress to Pampa. The company already has a state permit for this road, but must meet and overcome objections of other systems before the national commission.

Road District Plans Sale of \$40,000 Bonds

COMMITTEE TO BE NAMED TO CONFER WITH COMMISSIONERS COURT—FARMER MEMBERSHIPS IN BODY ARE SOUGHT.

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, June 12.—By a unanimous vote of those present at the monthly forum meeting of the Quitaque Chamber of Commerce, Joe Head, president, was instructed to appoint a committee from the organization to confer with the commissioners court and urge the sale of the \$40,000 road bond issue voted some time ago by the Quitaque road district. A vigorous sentiment in favor of selling the bonds and using the proceeds for the construction of gravelled roads in the district was expressed at the meeting.

Residents of the Gasoline community, located within the district, have been especially emphatic during the past few weeks, in their demands that the bonds be sold and some type of improved roads constructed in their community.

As the matter now stands, the bonds have been voted, but not sold, and the tax collected to meet the interest and sinking fund charges has been paid to the road district and in turn used for maintenance and some few permanent improvements.

Advocates of selling the bonds point out that lateral roads between Quitaque and Gasoline and Quitaque and the Goodnight communities are an imperative need, and add further that the sale of the bonds and the using of the proceeds for the construction of these roads will not increase the tax at present collected.

The meeting also voted to authorize the appointment of a committee to solicit farmer memberships in the organization, it being the desire to make the chamber of commerce more a community organization than one devoted entirely to the interests of the city.

Childress Girl Scouts to Encamp

CHILDRESS, June 11.—Girl Scouts from both Childress troops will leave tomorrow, accompanied by their captain, Mrs. Willard Price, for a camp at Groesbeck creek, where Childress and Wheeler girls will join the Quanah Scouts.

Troops from Paducah and Electra have also been invited to attend the camp, but have not yet definitely accepted, according to Miss Maggie Olliphant, captain of the Quanah troop.

Two Drug Stores Change at Quitaque

QUITAQUE, TEXAS, June 11.—Sales of the City Drug Store, operated by O. C. Arthur, to the Pioneer Drug Store, and of the Quitaque Drug Store to Dr. S. D. Terry of Goodlet, Texas, were announced the first of last week.

C. R. Badgett of the Pioneer Drug force, will be in active charge of the City Drug Store, and has become associated with the firm according to H. G. Gardiner. Mr. Badgett recently came to Quitaque from Winters, Texas. Others members of the firm include H. G. Gardiner, Dr. C. R. Price and J. B. Russell, who organized the company on June 1, 1928, buying the drug store formerly operated by E. E. Burgess.

H. C. Terry, formerly of Goodlet, will be in active charge of the Terry Drug Store, owned by Dr. S. D. Terry, which succeeds the Quitaque Drug Store. J. R. Lusk and R. L. Gant, who opened the Quitaque Drug two months ago, closed the deal the first of the week whereby the ownership changed hands.

Associated with H. C. Terry in the management of the store, will be a brother, Wayne Terry, who also

comes to Quitaque from Goodlet. Both the City Drug and the Terry Drug were closed for several days while the new owners were taking invoice and re-arranging the stock, but both are now open for business.

Misses Morgan Attend Washington University

Misses Eloise and Marguerite Morgan, talented daughters of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Morgan, left Wednesday for St. Louis to take a five-weeks' course in music in Washington University. They will take courses in violin and piano.

This fall Miss Eloise will return to Quitaque as teacher of piano and violin in the public school, and Miss Marguerite goes to Flomot where she has a similar position.

D. L. Morgan, a brother, is also an accomplished musician, specializing in wind-instruments. Radio listeners have often heard this trio over the radio, as the three have given a number of auditions over WBAP at Ft. Worth and KRLD at Dallas, under the announcer's title of the Morgan Trio.

Shamrock—State Highway No. 4 to be paved from south end north to Shamrock, Wheeler and Canadian.

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NEWS BRIEFS FROM TOWNS NEARBY

TULIA, June 11.—In conjunction with the plans of the chamber of commerce to build an ample bandstand for public concerts, an effort is being made to consolidate the three band organizations here into one complete and well-drilled unit for rendering musical numbers during the summer.

Clarendon, June 9.—In the death of Mrs. Charles K. Lewis Clarendon lost its oldest living resident. A native of Maryland, Mrs. Lewis settled in Clarendon in 1886, living here continuously until her demise at the age of 88 years.

Pampa, June 10.—Miss Lucille Hill, former teacher of domestic science in the Floydada school, has been elected to head a similar department here. She is a community leader and sponsors many affairs among the girls.

Tulia, June 11.—A revision in the budget of expenditures of the chamber of commerce has been made here whereby more money will be available for financing noteworthy projects. The salary item has been reduced to around \$1200 annually from the \$3,150 spent the last fiscal year. With the office expenses reduced the chamber expects to have a considerable sum of money for promotion movements.

Petersburg, June 10.—Rev. J. E. Payne, Methodist pastor, has resigned his charge here and has moved to Marlin hoping to regain his failing health. Rev. Payne is given much credit in getting the new church construction started.

Petersburg, June 11.—B. C. Dunlap, former owner of the light plant here and who sold it to the Texas Utilities company, has been appointed district dealer of frigidaire machines with Plainview as headquarters.

Lockney, June 10.—It is proposed by Artie Baker that a test be made on a half block street frontage of the gravel grading material which is found in a pit only five miles out. Mr. Baker would pay for one-third of the cost and the city is importuned to pay for the third in center of the street on a tryout basis. Should the paving prove successful, a number of streets would be paved, as the cost of this local material would be rather moderate.

Lockney, June 5.—An annual convention comprising three districts will be held here June 16 by the chiropractors of the South Plains, Panhandle, and Red River districts. It is planned to make part of the session public in the address of Dr. James R. Drain to the people of Lockney.

Turkey, June 10.—A petition will be circulated in this district of Hall county to call a road bond election for paving 22 miles of highway. The proposed routes including the road south to Motley county, west to Briscoe county, and east toward Estelline.

Turkey, June 11.—Roy Russell plans on erecting a \$20,000 building here to

house the Ford agency, complying with regular specifications of the Fort Motor Company of Detroit.

Turkey, June 12.—The States Telephone Company has let contract for a modern brick office building, following selection of this city as central toll station for this territory.

Crosbyton, June 10.—A \$270,000 ranch deal is pending in the negotiations of Hayes Sieber for the Paddle Ranch in Kent county. This ranch is owned by the Cairn brothers, some of whom live in Scotland and England. The price is \$9.00 an acre, and Mr. Sieber intends to improve the property.

Sterley, June 12.—By order of the Floyd county school board Sterley has been designated a ward district and will have a school building, its affairs in charge of the trustees of Prairie Chapel.

Littlefield, June 12.—An election has been ordered to vote on issuing \$50,000 in bonds to build a city hall here and \$10,000 for street paving. The voting will be held June 25.

Confederate Veterans Attend 39th Reunion

CHARLOTTE, N. C., June 10.—With the glory of the warrior shining in their faces from rekindled memories, gray-haired men who followed the flag of the south in the sixties assembled here last week for the 39th reunion of the United Confederate Veterans. The ranks have dwindled to a few thousand, and many of these soldiers of the Cause were unable to attend the annual session because of feebleness and the long distance of the trip.

NEWS ODDITIES

ONE TOWN DELINQUENT 16 CENTS IN TAXES

Levelland, June 10.—As shown in the Hockley county sheriff's report the town of Whitharral, organized in 1926, has become delinquent in taxes over the three year period the sum of sixteen cents, or about a nickel a year in arrears.

CYCLONE MOVES PICTURE 75 MILES

Palestine, June 10.—Two pictures blown from Slocum by the tornado and picked up near Carthage, 75 miles away, have been returned here, and are on exhibit in a show window. Both have writings on them identifying them with Slocum.

A freak that is being exhibited here is the wing feather of a White Leghorn chicken, with the quill driven fast into a piece of concrete. Col. N. R. Strong said the concrete block was part of a foundation poured more than three years ago, and that there were no feathers in it. The feather is clean and white, and shows it is comparatively new.

KILLS MAN—FREE; SHOTS COW—JAILED

ALTUS, Okla., June 11.—Justice must have laughed out loud when she arranged this: Charlie Blair killed a man and went free. He failed to kill a cow and must go to the penitentiary for a year. Blair was sentenced to the penitentiary yesterday when he pleaded guilty to a charge of cruelty. He had shot and wounded a cow without dispatching the animal. Earlier this year he was released at

Many Masons With Byrd On Expedition

Out of some 6,000 applicants, who applied for service with Commander Byrd, were selected a personnel of 82, out of which some 60, are members of the Masonic Lodge, and the greatest compliment paid to Freemasonry, is the fact that every one of them were chosen for their merits and not one of them knew that the other fellow was a Freemason until the company got together. A pleasant and historical incident took place during the evening of February 22. Lodge Renown presented Bro. Lofgren, who received them on behalf of Commander Byrd, with 3 gavels, and is the intention of the Brethren of the Expedition to hold meetings in the frozen south. Commander Byrd is a member of Federal Lodge No. 1, Washington, D. C., and Washington Chapter No. 3, National Sojourners

Boy Scouts Work For Camp Outing

CHILDRESS, June 10.—To earn money for their expenses to Craterville Park camp, ten Boy Scouts canvassed the town last week, selling tickets to the American Legion negro minstrel, which will be presented June 11 and 12.

a preliminary hearing after pleading self defense in connection with the slaying of Hayes Wampler. Both men lived at Duke, Okla.

Hutchinson County Expenses at \$260,000

STINNETT, June 11.—Hutchinson county has close to \$260,000 to raise for expenses in 1930, according to the budget submitted to the commissioners court by the county auditor. Listed in the budget are \$24,000 for salaries, \$500 for legal publications, and \$90,000 for road bond interest and sinking fund.

No way has yet been devised of raising taxes without increasing the cost of living.

Texas is leading Jersey cattle state in the union, having passed Ohio, which formerly held the distinction.

Five Committees Are Named by Tulia C. of C.

TULIA, June 10.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the chamber of commerce last week five important committees were appointed. Leading men of the city were selected to these posts for the coming year, including agricultural, road, handstake, program, and membership committees.

Perger—Nurex is erect improvements underway here.

On January 1, 1929, there were 955,000 milk cows and heifers in Texas, an increase of 19,000 over 1928. Their value at \$61 a head was \$58,255,000.

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ROCK CREEK
Miss Jewell McCain
Correspondent

Jewell McCain and Mildred Chapell spent Sunday with Viola Jones.

Douglas and Carlton Gardner spent Sunday with John Estell and Clifton McCain.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McCain spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Gardner and family.

Arfy Mulder spent Sunday with friends here.

Albert Reid spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. W. W. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Pack McKinney and family spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McCain and family were Friday evening callers in the H. P. Ledbetter home.

Jaunita Gardner spent Sunday with Ruby McDaniel.

Billie McDaniel spent last week with Mrs. Pitts.

NORTH ROUTE
Mrs. Jno. Clayton
Correspondent

Farmers are being kept busy in their row crops after the recent rain-falls. Wheat is ripening fast, the combiners are expected to be busy with in the next 10 days harvesting grain on this route.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Pitts had their son and family, Herman as guests in their home from Conway, Texas, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Morris had their daughter and family from Sudan visiting them here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Morris, also spent the day Sunday with his parents of this home.

Polk Osborn of Littlefield spent several days in the J. M. Clayton home this week.

Miss Imogene Pitts and brother, Shirley of Conway are spending the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Pitts of this route.

Mrs. W. T. Moore returned to her home in Dallas Monday after a 3 weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. John Clayton of this Route.

W. L. Morris of Quitaque visited his parents here Friday.

Mrs. W. S. Morris and children were afternoon guests in the J. M. Clayton home Monday.

Mr. Mosley and daughter, Faye of Silverton were visitors in this neighborhood Monday.

Several from this route attended the Plateau Singing Convention at Sunset last Sunday.

J. M. Clayton of this route is having his teeth extracted by Dr. McCasland of Silverton this week.

Mrs. C. C. Garrison had her teeth extracted this week by Dr. McCasland of Silverton.

FRANCIS
Mrs. Jhannie Young
Correspondent

Quite a few from here attended the singing at Sunset Sunday. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Dunn and family, Mrs. W. W. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Red Diviney and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dunn and family.

Messrs Leon Martin and Amos Spillman were dinner guests in the W. N. Dunn home Sunday.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Strange has been suffering very much from a rusty nail being stuck in his hand, but is improving at this writing.

Clint Dunn was a caller in the A. F. Garrett, Bill Spillman and John Tucker homes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Garvin are the proud parents of a 7 pound boy named L. B. Jr.

The following were entertained with music, in Red Diviney's home Saturday night: Mr. and Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. W. W. Reid and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Penn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Steele, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Diviney. An enjoyable time is reported.

The ladies club met at the home of Mrs. H. C. Mercer last Thursday afternoon, some brought their pressure cookers and the afternoon was spent canning peas, which all enjoyed. Officers were elected for the elders. They were as follows: Mrs. Carl Wimberly, president, Mrs. Alvin Redin, vice-president, Mrs. Johnnie Young, secretary. The next meeting will be held in the A. M. Alfred home on Thursday of this week.

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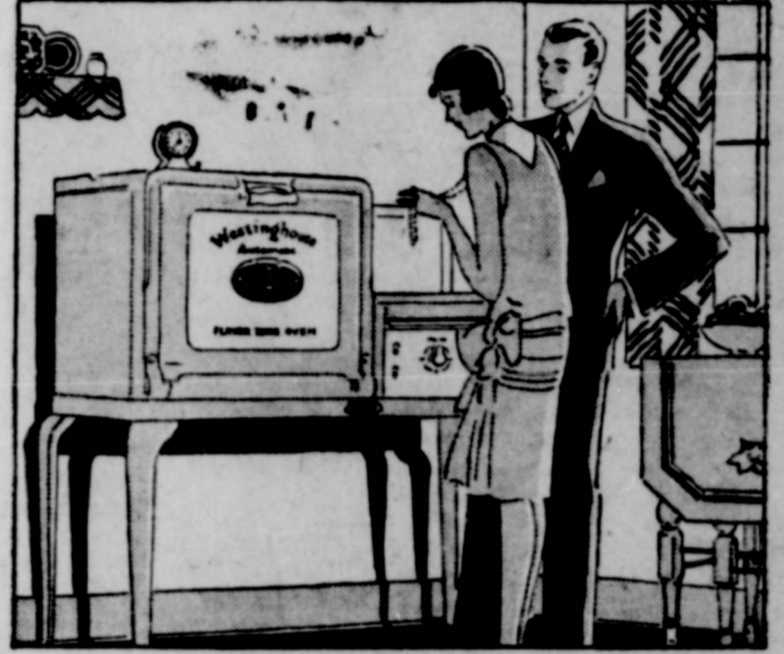
Johnnie R. McLellan and Miss Mildred Harp.
M. O. Green and Miss Ione Payne.
A. P. Bradley and Miss Geraldine Boswell.
Bill Bradshaw and Erma Lee Hilsey.

Deeds

W. R. Durham to J. L. McBrayer of Montague county, 400 acres, Patents Nos. 571, 615, 126, \$19,950.00.
T. D. Hobart and Henry C. Coke, executors for Cornelia Adair, deceased, to D. N. and R. B. Grady of Donley county, 2,361 acres in four tracts, northeast part of county on fork of Red River, \$19,986.91.
Jno. Burson to C. L. Dickerson, lot 2, block 49, excepting 15 feet by 25 feet in N. W. corner, and lot 1 block 49, \$500.
C. L. Dickerson to Jno. Burson, one-half interest in lot 1, block 49, excepting 25 feet by 25 feet reserved.
J. L. Nunn to W. A. Kirk, lot 4, block 61, Silverton, \$135.
P. E. C. Cowart to V. E. Guillet, lot 6, block 1, Silverton, \$50.
R. V. Copeland of Coke county to James C. Roderick, N. 1-2 of Section 2, block B-1, \$800.

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