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BURKBURNETT, WICHITA COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JULY 20, 1939

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B. H. Alexander Purchases Sanders Home On Avenue D

Burn Alexander, who has been operating the Burk Burnett hotel for the past eight years closed a deal this week for the purchase of the Mrs. Ben Sanders home on Avenue D.

Mr. Alexander stated that he will move his family to their new home about the first of August. The building will be repaired and remodeled.

Mr. Alexander also stated that the hotel will still be under the same management and the same policy will prevail as heretofore. John Lohofener, who has been night clerk for several years will be assistant manager.

Mother Of Local Men Rites Held Wed. At Electra

Mrs. T. J. Preston, 76, mother of Hugh, Brack and T. F. Preston of this city, died Tuesday morning in a Wichita Falls hospital after a long illness.

Mrs. Preston had been a resident of Electra since 1922. Funeral arrangements were held at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the First Baptist church at Electra with Dr. Karl Frederick Wettson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Wichita Falls officiating. Burial will be in the new Electra cemetery.

Mrs. Preston was born in Washington county, Virginia, and moved to Wichita Falls in 1903. She moved to Clay county two years later and moved to Electra in 1922. She and her husband celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1933.

Survivors include the husband; four daughters, Mrs. W. D. Hearne of Nocona, Mrs. J. H. McConnell of Abingdon, Va., Mrs. Luther Leissler and Mrs. Frank Lovell, both of Wichita Falls; and seven sons, T. J. H. H., and D. R. of Electra, B. H., H. C. and T. F. of Burk Burnett, and Tom of Quannah.

J. R. Sullivan Looks Over Alabama Land For Indications of Oil

J. R. Sullivan has returned from a trip to Fayette, Ala., which he made in company with J. W. Mills and his son.

Mr. Sullivan, long time resident of this community and a geologist of some prominence, stated that he had made an extensive survey of the area surrounding Fayette, and staked a location. He feels that it will not be long before there will be a lot of oil activity in that vicinity.

Mr. Mills remained in Alabama where he has quite a lot of property. His son brought Mr. Sullivan back to Burk Burnett.

Farmers' cash income for the month of May totaled \$508,000,000, an increase of 10 per cent on the estimate of \$463,000,000 for April and \$2,000,000 below the income reported for May, 1938.

Test On Sam Davis Place Spudded In This Morning

Oil interest in Burk Burnett has been revived this week with the erection of a Rotary rig on the Sam Davis home place a few blocks from the town proper.

J. R. Prince, local oil man, has the land leased and has contracted with Frank Crowden of Wichita Falls, to do the drilling. The well is located 150 feet north and west of Outer Block 13.

The contract calls for a 1700-foot test unless gas or oil is found in paying quantities at a lesser depth.

Mr. Prince states that the 400 foot sand and the 1300 foot sand will be watched closely. The 1700 foot sand is the sand that most of the wells here have been producing from.

Local Men Elected Officers In 40-8

Three ex-soldiers of Burk Burnett were elected to offices in the 40-8, Voiture 939, of Wichita Falls at the regular meeting held last Monday night.

Ralph Brookshier, who has been commissaire intendante for the past two years, was unanimously elected commissaire intendante and Pat Brady was elected to the office of correspondent.

After the election of officers the members enjoyed a delightful Dutch Lunch. Those attending from Burk Burnett were: Ralph Brookshier, Leo Dudley, Pat Brady, Ad. Johnson, Morris Bookbinder and Fred Brookman.

Chef De Gare



Ralph Brookshier of Burk Burnett was unanimously elected Chef de Gare of No. 939 Voiture of the 40-8 in Wichita Falls last Monday night.

Pre-School Clinic To Be Held Friday Sponsored by P-TA

Friday, July 21, is the date of the annual Pre-School Clinic sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association. The clinic is for children who will enter school this fall for the first time. All parents having children of this age are urged to avail themselves of this opportunity.

The clinic will start at 8:30 Friday morning in Dr. C. J. Morrison's office over the First National Bank. He will examine the children's teeth until 10 o'clock. All physicians in town have volunteered their services in this worthy cause, so in the afternoon of the same day each mother will take her child to her family physician for examination.

Start With Fists But End Up With Knives

What started out as a fist fight wound up with knives last Sunday about 1 o'clock when two men engaged in a Gelanto-Lewis affair.

According to reports the men fought with their fists and later it seems that they were not satisfied so they went after it again with a knife.

The local officers state that charges will be filed against the men today.

Burk's Water Supply Low

City Manager Lynn Kincaid requested the garages the first of the week to refrain from washing cars for a few days until the city water supply has had a chance to be replenished.

Mr. Kincaid also asks the citizens to refrain from using the water to water grass, flowers, etc., until we have some rains.

New Fruit Store To Open Saturday

Sam Lax is redecorating and installing new fixtures in the building next door to Smith & Hatch on Avenue D, preparatory to opening a fruit and vegetable market there on Saturday.

Mr. Lax states that he will specialize in filling orders for canning and will keep a wide assortment of fruits and vegetables from which to choose.

He asks that all his friends visit him on Saturday. His ad appears elsewhere in this issue of the Star.

Prexy Presents Rotary Program

At the Rotary Club luncheon, July 18, 1939, M. C. Tucker had the program. Appearing on the program were Miss Barbara Crissey, and Miss Polly Hall of Burk Burnett and Miss Bobbie Lee Cole of Wichita Falls. Miss Crissey, a sophomore in Hockaday school for women at Dallas and majoring in music sang for the club.

1st, a Russian song, titled, "The Rose Enslaves the Nightingale," 2nd, "Bowl of Roses," composed by Miss Bobbie Lee Cole, who played the piano accompaniment, words by Wm. Ernest Henley. Miss Cole is a sophomore in Hardin Junior College and is majoring in music. Miss Polly Hall gave two readings of her own composition. 1st, "The Boy on the Front Porch," 2nd, "War Song." Miss Hall is a sophomore in Hardin Junior College and is majoring in journalism.

Visiting Rotarians from Wichita Falls were: Floyd Dean, Virgil Wilson, Jim Allison. From Walters, Okla.: J. C. Joachin and Ira Goodfellow. Other visitors from Wichita Falls were Miss Juanita Kinsey and Butler Westerfield.

Former Randlett Superintendent Trial Is Reset

Walters, Okla., July 17—Hearing for F. P. Warren, former Randlett school superintendent charged with forgery and embezzlement, was re-set here by Judge Roy Bull. Originally set for July 12, the case will be heard in county court Wednesday, July 19, it was announced. Additional time to prepare for the trial was granted attorneys for Warren.

Local Masons Heard Al Ellis

Al Ellis of Wichita Falls, District Deputy Grand Master of 88th District Masonic Order, visited the local A.F. & A.M. at their regular meeting Monday evening. He addressed the members briefly. L. A. Litzberg, also of Wichita Falls, was presented and spoke before the assembly.

Regular meetings are held by the local lodge on each first and third Mondays of the month. However, special meetings are generally called for each Monday in the month.

Burkettes Beat Indians And Will Meet 'Big Shots'

About two weeks ago, the Lawton Indians won a "heartbreaker" from the Burkettes, defeating them by a score of 4 to 3. Last night the Burkettes had a double revenge by beating the Indians to the tune of the same score.

Tonight the girls will meet the "biggest, fastest" citizens of Burk Burnett. Lewis Todd and Bill Stapp have assembled a "Fat Man's Team" which they are betting will beat the girls. They set the minimum for weight qualifications at 200 pounds and some of those who topped that mark are: Pat Blanscet, John Smith, C. A. Gray, Charles White, C. E. West, Roy Jackson, and H. D. Smith.

Man Arrested For Selling Tire

Chief of Police Bill Staff arrested a man who gave his name as Floyd Dimick about noon Wednesday. According to the chief he went to Browning motors and wanted to purchase a used car but wanted to try it out. They agreed to let him try the car but when he failed to show up about 30 minutes later they notified the police and he was arrested as he hitch-hiked toward the bridge.

The officers found the car parked on the Main street and upon investigation found the spare tire missing. It was later found at the Jack Duke filling station where he had sold it for \$4.85. The money was recovered and returned to the station.

Chief Staff and Deputy Sheriff Blancet, took the man to Wichita Falls Wednesday afternoon where charges will be filed.

A. R. Waddell Suffered Heat Prostration Thurs.

A. R. Waddell, who suffered heat prostration at his home late Thursday night, is reported to be rapidly improving.

Mr. Waddell had been feeling badly for several days prior to the prostration, which occurred about 10 o'clock at his home.

His sister, Miss Corde Waddell, who is a nurse, and his physician rushed to his home immediately, where they found him in a critical condition. He responded to emergency treatment and it is now thought that he will make a complete recovery.

Demonstration Of Inhalator Given At Lions Meeting

Brooks Powell and Pete McDaniel of the Owens-Brumley Funeral home in Wichita Falls gave a demonstration of the inhalator used by them in first aid work and which is credited with having saved ten lives to date.

Fire Marshal John Blackstone also gave a first aid demonstration and addressed the assembly briefly.

Harrison Goble and Charlie Grace had charge of the program.

Services To Be Held Friday For Mrs. Rose Gentry

Mrs. Rose Gentry, 59, resident of Burk Burnett for 19 years died at her home here Wednesday morning at 10:15 o'clock following an illness of about four years.

Funeral services will be held from the Burk Burnett Baptist church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. A. C. Mowery, pastor of the First Baptist church at Devoil will conduct the services. Burial will be in the Burk Burnett cemetery under the direction of Owens and Brumley Funeral home.

A native of Virginia, Mrs. Gentry came to Texas in 1912 and to Burk Burnett in 1920.

Pallbearers will be George Kent, S. E. Malone, Ed Schroeder, Elmer Russell, G. B. Stacy and John Allison.

Survivors include a son, J. E. Gentry of Burk Burnett; two daughters, Mrs. J. P. Morgan and Mrs. George Boydston of Burk Burnett; four grandchildren; four brothers, R. R. Cox, Uvalde, Texas; B. H. Cox, Donna, Texas; I. B. and Fred Cox of Electra; a foster brother, N. M. Dennie of Thornberry; two sisters, Mrs. G. H. Hogan, Chickasha, Okla., and Mrs. E. C. True, Olney.

Scrambled Eggs

Some Good—Some Bad

By Rusty

High flyers seldom light in responsible positions.

Dam Newspaper

Colbert, Okla., nearest town to the site of the proposed Red river dam project, has a newspaper for the first time. Fountain Browner, who has been employed on state papers since 1932, started a weekly called the Dam weekly. Its slogan is "we print all the dam news in the country."

Local Man Attends Baby Shower

Paul Browning was the only man in attendance at the baby shower given Mrs. Louie Peyton last Friday afternoon. When asked why he attended, he replied that he had always wanted to see what the women do at these showers. He seemed to be enjoying himself looking over the beautiful gifts received by Mrs. Peyton and partaking of the refreshments. It brought back memories of some eighteen years ago.

Community Nite Program At Randlett Well Attended

The first out-of-town Community Nite program of the season held at Randlett last Friday evening met with hearty response from the good crowd which attended.

A program featuring amateur artists of Burk Burnett was presented by Wiley Browning, master of ceremonies. Irene Hullum played a violin solo accompanied by Frances McCreary. Roy Jackson, Jr., sang two songs. Helen Louise Bush of Eureka, Kansas, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Wills, played two accordion numbers. Keith Aldrich presented two string trios in a series of numbers. Phillip Baker sang, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Carlos Baker. The Browning sisters, Elaine and Virginia, were presented in songs and dances. Althea Wright gave a reading.

Officials of the Chamber of Commerce were very favorably impressed with the cooperation of local business men who attended the meeting and wish to encourage more such cooperation.

Local Woman Goes To Washington On Fed. Appointment

Mrs. Alma McFarlane was notified last Sunday of her appointment to serve as a clerk in the Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C. She will assume her duties on August 1 and is making plans to leave for Washington on Tuesday.

Mrs. McFarlane is the widow of a World War veteran, R. H. McFarlane, who was killed while engaged in engineering a local WPA project in April, 1936. She has two children. She has been employed in the WPA offices in Wichita Falls for the past year.

Her husband was a brother of former congressman W. D. McFarlane of Graham.

Roy Holt Probably Be Transferred To Chicago Vet Hospital

Word was received here this morning that Roy Holt, who has been a patient in the Muskogee hospital for the past two weeks will probably be transferred to the Hines Memorial hospital in Chicago where he will undergo a major operation.

The report stated that he had been given a thorough examination and had his spine punctured. After the examination the doctors at Muskogee felt that he had better be transferred to Hines for the operation.

Annual Emerson Picnic Near Walters

Walters, Okla., July 17—Beginning Tuesday the annual Emerson picnic, commemorating the 32nd anniversary of the opening of the Big Pasture county, will run five days through Saturday, Tom Christian announced.

Hundreds of visitors from several counties and old settlers attended the picnic annually. Site of the event is eight miles west of Walters at the Emerson grove on Cache creek.

Chicken House Damaged By Fire

The fire department answered a call to College street about 10 o'clock Monday morning where a chicken house back of Mrs. J. W. Amyx's residence had caught fire from a grass fire on the football field at the high school.

The blaze was quickly extinguished and the damage was only slight.

Burk Lodge Host At Circle Meeting

Burkburnett Oddfellows were hosts to members of the Texas-Oklahoma circle who met here Tuesday evening to confer the initiatory degree upon two candidates; one from Texas and one from Oklahoma.

Sixty-five members representing lodges from Wichita Falls, Electra, Burk Burnett, and Elliott, Texas; Frederick, Grandfield, and Devoil, Oklahoma, were present for the meeting.

Following the conferring of degrees and a short business session, refreshments were served.

C. B. McConnell was acting president in absence of the president of the Circle.

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STATE ECONOMY

Now that Governor W. Lee O'Daniel has wielded his Highland glaymore on the several state appropriations bills, particularly hacking the departmental budgets, he must stand or fall on his record of economy, having either failed or reneged on all his other campaign promises, except that plank in his personal platform pertinent to remission of State ad valorem taxes—on which a half a loaf was obtained. Upon the results from these vetoes the citizenship of the commonwealth must judge whether or not they obtained the services of an efficient executive or have just elected a poor man's preacher and rich man's governor.

For it is the property class, those paying the most direct taxes who cry out loudest for economy in government. The mill run of voters, whose tax paying is mostly indirect, give little or no heed to the costs of such operations, being more concerned with what benefits are to be received from the State.

When the expenditures for services are curtailed, those services must of necessity be likewise lessened. State department heads are judged by the service they render, and naturally seek to expand their operations. That results in increasing expenditures and a tendency toward waste of effort in behalf of the public.

In state economy the issue to be determined between efficient and needed operations, and wasteful and needless expenditures.

Elimination of items for enlarging and equipping eleemosynary institutions will save dollars for taxpayers. Failure to provide for adequate care of unfortunates in decent environment is a social blunder.

Operations of the state health department can be contracted, but will it increase the death rate among the citizens?

The public safety corps can be held to a minimum, but will that increase traffic accidents and crime costs?

There can be fewer investigators for the Comptroller's office to seek out the tax dodgers, but will the loss of revenue not far exceed the cost of their services?

In the highway department they may cut out much technical research, but will reversion to rule of thumb practices give the motorist full value for his gasoline taxes?

By strenuous efforts the game department has conserved the wild life resources of the State. Shall we lessen this effort?

And so it goes throughout the whole state governmental setup. It is simply a matter of how much government service is necessary for the welfare of all the people at the least possible cost to those who must pay the bill.

The pruned O'Daniel budgets will finally be judged from that premise.

MUSEUM MOVEMENT MOMENTOUS

The following statement is made by way of timely observations and is in no sense to be regarded as an indictment of neglect or carelessness.

States, like individuals, generally speaking, have to begin to grow old before proper attention is given to the preservation of materials which most vividly portray man's life and which are the basis of important and interesting museum displays.

Also before any great progress can be made in the preparation of such materials, adequate provisions must be made for properly handling and utilizing them.

The Texas Memorial Museum, sponsored by the American Legion, of Texas, is the first state museum south of the Mason and Dixon line. It is located on the campus of the University of Texas, within easy walking distance of other memorials, such as the Memorial Stadium, the Hogg Memorial and the Gregory Gymnasium. Until the central unit of this museum was made available through Federal and State of Texas Centennial Legislation, it has been said that there were in the south and southwest, no general museums of serious importance.

The Texas Memorial represents a scientifically arranged fire proof building, where rare, beautiful and interesting things may be protected, preserved and displayed for the enlightenment of the public. There are many valuable collections of civic history in the hands of private citizens which are being tendered this new State Institution, now that the state has a creditable, fireproof building in the Capitol City to house, catalogue and display them. They have been gathered at much expense of time, often of money and their owners, in some instances, are eager to dispose of them in Texas rather than to some out of State museum. In the Texas Memorial Museum, these collections became even more valuable than in private hands.

The fellow who has sworn off smoking should be given the privilege of bragging about it, surely.



Milk Is Food—Not A Beverage

By RUTH J. COOPER, Home Economics Consultant
Breeder-Feeder Association

Fallacies continue to come, and will to the end of time, but each one is disproved by science. Milk remains our nearly perfect food.

Few people, comparatively speaking, do not like the taste of milk. A cool or cold glass of milk is more of a "pick-me-up" in the mid-morning or mid-afternoon than any other drink. As milk is more completely digested if taken with other foods, it is good plan to eat a slice or so of buttered bread or graham crackers along with the milk. This snack will not only refresh but "stick-to-your-ribs" longer.

This same reasoning holds for drinking milk with meals. If the milk is mixed in with the other foods of the meal, it stays in the system longer and is more completely digested, enhancing the nutritive value of all.

There are few people who cannot take milk. If they do not like milk, the problem is usually physisic and they often imagine that it does not agree with them. The problem is to overcome this phobia so that milk can become the vital part of their diet. Invariably this type of individual needs to be built up and to help correct this phobia, milk has to be disguised.

To the few who by necessity or choice prefer to have their milk disguised, the milk shakes offer endless variety. They are easy to shake up at home and are liked equally by all ages—from baby to grandfather. These suggestions are for hiding that extra milk in the diet.

Vanilla milk shake—½ pint of milk, 2 teaspoons sugar, ½ teaspoon vanilla, 4 tablespoons chipped ice, 1cc cream (any flavor), 2 tablespoons whipped cream. A sprinkling of nutmeg.

Place the milk, sugar, flavoring

and ice in a fruit jar or shaker and shake for two or three minutes, until foamy. Pour into tall glass, add ice cream if desired, top with whipped cream and a dash of nutmeg.

The variations are endless—use brown sugar, molasses, honey, various syrups, or fruit juices, as the sweetening and accentuate the flavor with any of the flavoring extracts or a blend of the extracts, such as rose, raspberry, almond, peppermint, lemon, spice.

Orange—Add 2 tablespoons of fresh orange juice and a grating of rind or ½ teaspoon orange extract and a few drops of orange coloring.

Strawberry—Add ½ teaspoon strawberry extract and a few drops of red coloring.

Grape—Add 2 or more tablespoons of grape juice.

Chocolate—Add 2 or more tablespoons chocolate syrup.

Coffee—Add 2 or more tablespoons of strong coffee. This with the chocolate syrup make a delightful flavor.

Orange Milk Shake—1 cup orange juice, 1 cup milk, ½ cup chipped ice, 2 tablespoons sugar. Combine ingredients in a fruit jar or shaker and shake for two or three minutes. Serve immediately.

Egg Nog—2 egg yolks, 1 cup milk, 2 teaspoons sugar, few grains salt, ½ teaspoon vanilla, 2 tablespoons whipped cream, a sprinkling of nutmeg.

Beat egg yolks, add sugar, salt, milk and flavoring. Mix well, pour into glass, top with whipped cream and a sprinkling of nutmeg. Serve well chilled.

Burkburnett History

As revealed by the files of *The Star* 10 years ago.

City Manager R. P. Reagan announced Thursday that two water wells have been drilled recently by the city and that the water shortage is now at an end.

Rotary District Governor Bernard Bryant of Stamford made his official visit to the Burk club Tuesday and was guest of honor at a dinner served by the Thrift Methodist ladies at Fairview Tuesday evening.

On Wednesday afternoon, August 28, little Sadie Beth Tevis celebrated her fourth birthday with a party.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn R. Kincaid announce the arrival of a daughter, August 26th, in Wichita Falls. The daughter has been named Caroline.

Jack Brumley, John Howe and Ralph Holman will leave Saturday for the Taylor ranch in Gray county where they will hunt prairie chickens.

Early Wheat Allotments Sent Farmers

Fulfilled this week was the AAA's promise of an early wheat program as 1940 acreage allotments sped to wheat farms in 24 counties.

Glenn D. Scott, who handles statistical work in connection with acreage limits, said all wheat farmers in Texas are to receive their allotments by August 1.

Last year it was September before the first ones were issued.

Counties which had received allotments by July 13 are Hemphill, Nolan, Fisher, Young, Foard, Somervell, Hardeman, Potter, Armstrong, Hutchinson, Oldham, Roberts, Hartley, Ochiltree, Hansford, Wheeler, Wise, Clay Randall, Lipscomb, Sherman, Parmer, Knox and Wichita.

Jess Watson, Young county wheat farmer and vice-chairman of the State Agricultural Conservation Committee, said every farmer who seeded wheat for harvest in either 1937, 1938 or 1939, or who intends to do so for 1940 must be covered by a "work sheet" giving the record of his farming operations.

The 1940 state allotment of 4,221,702 acres is 505,502 acres more than it was for 1939.

Texas farmers who planted within the prescribed limits last fall have received approximately \$2,974,080 in 1939 price adjust-

ment payments, and are scheduled to get around \$5,500,000 in 1939 wheat conservation checks besides \$325,920 or so which remains to be paid of the price adjustment series.

As wheat harvest progresses over the state a number of commodity credit loans are being made, Watson said. Last year wheat loans amounting to more than two and a half million dollars were made in Texas.

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COMMENT ABOUT CLOTHES

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Summer—The new waists, so popular for men, are a real life-giving August dance. We have smart metropolitan style, one, a blue-black and white, of Crown brand, looked just like a woolen dinner coat. When you wear these rayon Tux are for the torrid nights—lightweight!

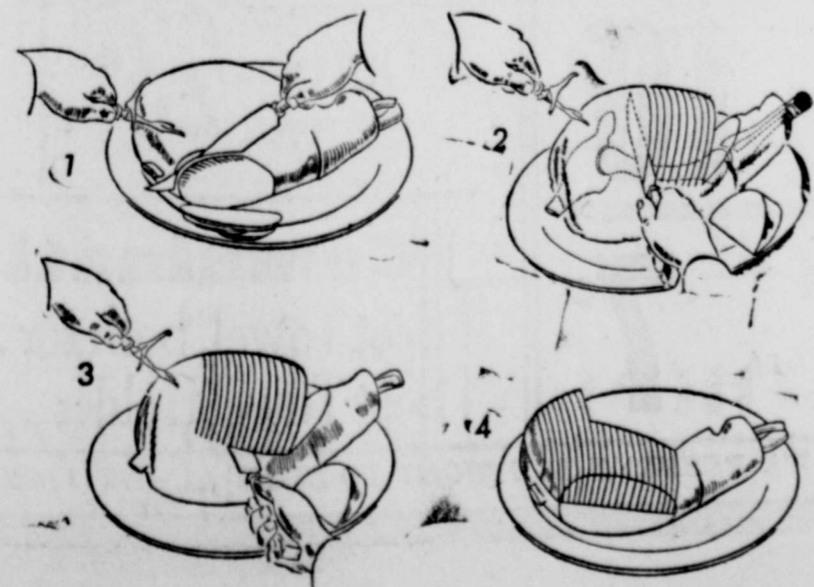
In Sports Shirts—The football heroes' apparel is becoming more and more sporty. Very handy for the town man... he can go golfing without having to change clothes!

Milk May Soon To

need not cry over spilled milk. It can be given ordinary and delicious flavor. Also, the baking soda should be mixed with the flour when sour milk is substituted. If the milk isn't clabbered but "just turned," it is best to use a scant one-half teaspoon of soda for each cup of sour milk and the baking powder should be reduced by half.

Be a Ham in Carving One? Expert Shows Easy, Modern Way

When you start carving a ham, you will be comforted by the words from Max O. Smith, authority. "It's the right way, and it's the easy way." The ham is shown at the beginning to Pete Smith, a picture shorts player, and Ann Morrison, the fund-raising ham, during the "Culinary Educational Short in Ham Carving." A sharp knife is the key to the importance, says the expert, you can proceed with confidence as shown by the instructions below. The ham is cut with fat side up, the carver's right. Cut slices parallel to the ham from the fat side. The ham is so that it rests on its fat side. Holding firmly, cut a small wedge from the shank end. Cut thin slices of leg bone until the ham is reached. The ham is still in place, slices by running the knife down the bone and at right angles. For additional instructions and carve other parts. The ham is turned back to its original position on the fat side up and the slices are cut at right angles. These slices are not from the cushion they make attractive and helpings.



dressing to be used with shredded cabbage and carrots; thick cream soups with a sour cream base, especially potato, beet soup, and corn chowder; and a form of sour cream dressing seasoned with salt and sugar and whipped up with fresh grated horseradish.

Spring Grubs May Be Attacking Bean Plants

If the leaves of the garden beans have numerous holes in them like an eyelet dress, they are likely being attacked by lemming-yellow spiny grubs which are the immature stage of the Mexican bean beetle, says R. R. Reppert, Extension Eervice Entomologist at A. and M. College.

This pest which can make lace-work of sturdy bean plants in short order if left unchecked, may be combatted successfully with a three-fourths of one per cent rotenone dust, Reppert says.

In addition, a spray can be substituted. The spray is prepared by mixing four tablespoonfuls of a cube of derris powder that contain five per cent of rotenone in three gallons of water. Three tablespoonfuls of skim milk powder added to the three gallons of rotenone spray mixture will materially help the spray to adhere to the foliage.

Insecticides on the upper surface are ineffective for this beetle so Reppert cautions the gardener to apply the dust or spray to the under surface of the leaves. First treatment should be made just after the orange colored eggs hatch or when the first feeding injury is observed. A second treatment may be necessary within five days after the first is made.

Beans treated with this spray or dust are safe for eating, the specialist adds.

Wears Sun-Glasses That Absorb Bulk Of Ultra-Violet Rays

Old Mother Earth is fitted with sun-glasses which filter out most of the ultra-violet rays in sunlight, according to the Better Vision Institute. The upper atmosphere absorbs more than half of the ultra-violet rays and by the time sunshine reaches the earth at sea level only 23 per cent of the longer and 7 per cent of the shorter ultra-violet rays remain. But even those residual amounts can sunburn the skin or can irritate the eyes if exposed too long.

Since there are about twice as many ultraviolet rays in the sunlight on high mountains as at sea level, vacationists need more protection from such rays at mountain resorts than at the seashore. However, the glare at the beach is usually greater than the glare at higher altitudes.

Only because the atmosphere filters out so much of the ultra-violet light from the sunshine is the human race prevented from being baked to a crisp, concludes the Institute.

"GADGETS"

By Bill Wood

This is truly the "gadget age" in which we are living. Every year hundreds of new articles are placed on the market for consumption. Some of these are novelties; and after the gullible public has finished with them, they experience the fate of a novelty—it passes into the oblivion from whence it came. However, a great many new inventions, which are extremely useful to mankind, are placed on the market each year. These are permanent and all to the advancement of civilization. Now it is not our intention to delve into the why's and where-fores of progress; instead, we merely want to recount to you some of these things we have learned about during recent months.

Now, the latest thing in the insurance business is the sale of accident policies via slot machines. These slot machines are placed in hotel lobbies and railroad stations. The traveler just drops a quarter into the slot and a glass panel rolls back. The purchaser then writes his name and that of his beneficiary on the policy. The machine imprints the time of day on the policy, and it releases one copy to the insured and retains a duplicate in the machine. Such a policy is good for twenty-four hours and pays up to seven thousand, five hundred dollars indemnity.

To those individuals who detest letter writing; let them take a hint and get themselves one of those new fangled letter writing machines, which have been installed in postoffices throughout Germany and the Netherlands. All you have to do is to drop a coin into the machine, speak your piece into a microphone, and shortly a neatly wrapped recording of your speech comes out. Then you stamp it as you would a regular letter and mail it. The recipient can play it on any type victrola.

The United States Postoffice Department has always needed something to increase its efficiency. Perhaps this new miniature postoffice, the "mailomat," will do that for the taxpayers of this country. This new machine does all the work. You drop your letters in the machine, the amount of postage shows on a dial, then you drop the correct amount of cash in the slot. The machine then places a metered stamp on the letter. This metered stamp eliminates the necessity of post-office cancellation; thereby speeding up the handling of mail. During the first half hour after the introduction (into New York) this machine handled more than seven hundred pieces of mail, including air mail, special delivery, and foreign mail.

Although this machine has not been purchased by the Postoffice Department, it has been recommended for private distribution.

Western Union has developed a machine whereby every patron might be a telegraph operator if he so desired. The patron must write his message on a specially sensitized blank and then drop it into an automatic transmitting machine. This special machine is usually located in drug stores or hotel lobbies. When the message is dropped into the machine, a glass panel lights up—"Message being transmitted." When this operation is completed, another panel lights up these words, "Thank you". Slots provide for payment. What is coming next? Who knows?

Assessment Reopening Law Held Invalid

A law proposing to give counties the right to reopen tax assessments and lower them last week was stricken down by Attorney General Gerald Mann.

Passed by the recent legislature and signed by the Governor, the validity of the law was questioned in a query from Comptroller George H. Sheppard. The enactment would have had the effect of cutting the assessments on delinquent taxes almost to the vanishing point.

Mann held that once taxes were assessed, they were final and could be disturbed only by court order. He said proposed enactment of the law would have been retroactive in effect and thereby violative of the Constitution.

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WPA Project Approved For Ringgold School

Presidential approval has been given a WPA project which calls for a \$13,476 grant to improve the Ringgold school property, according to Senator Tom Connally in a message to Lawrence O'Neal president of the Ringgold school district.

The work includes construction of a teacherage and shop, roofing present buildings, building tennis courts, playground facilities and athletic fields, and landscaping.

The present teacherage is to be demolished and materials salvaged for the new building.

District School Meet Called For July 24

A meeting of school officials from the 10 counties in district 4 has been called at the courthouse for 9 a. m. Monday, July 24, by Joseph R. Griggs, deputy district state school superintendent.

Griggs is inviting to this meeting county superintendents, county board members, rural aid school superintendents and all other interested persons.

The new rural school aid bill will be discussed.

Evans Peevey To Become Pharmacist

Evans Peevey is leaving this week for Denver, Colorado, where he will enroll for a course in pharmacy at the Capital College of Pharmacy and Sciences. He will be gone about three months.

Mr. Peevey has already had preliminary work in this field and is completing his course. He is an employee of Cannon's Drug Store.

At The Churches

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Miles B. Hays, Pastor.
Sunday school at 9:45.
Morning services at 11 o'clock.
B. T. U. at 7:00 p. m.
Everybody invited to attend all the services.
Evening services at 8:15 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
O. D. Dial, Minister
Sunday School at 9:45.
Sermon at 11 o'clock.

Evening Services at 8:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting and Bible Study on Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. C. W. Thomas, Pastor
Sunday school meets promptly at 10:20.
Morning services are at 9:30
League services, 6:00 p. m.
Evening services, 8 o'clock.
Our friends are cordially invited to attend.

NAZARENE CHURCH
Otto C. Perry, Pastor
Regular Services:
Sunday school 9:45.
Preaching at 11 o'clock.
Evening services, N. Y. P. S. 7:00 p. m., preaching at 8 o'clock.
Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:00 o'clock.

CHURCH OF GOD
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 o'clock, Sunday morning.
Sunday evening services at 8 o'clock.
Wednesday night prayer ser-

VICES at 7:30.
YPE service Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Calvary Baptist Church
Corner College and Ave. B
Sunday School—10:00 a. m.
Preaching Services—11:00 a. m.
Young People's Service—7:00 p. m.
Adult Bible Class—8:00 p. m.
Evangelistic services—8:00 p. m.
Mid-Week Prayer Service—8:00 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Rev. Frank Looney, pastor.
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m.
Sunday night services, 8:00.
Young People's services, Tuesday evenings, 8:00 o'clock.
Bible study, Thursday evenings 8:00 o'clock.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Evening service, 8 p. m.
Atwood A. Hyde, Pastor

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- '36 Dodge 4-Door - - - - - \$350.00
- '36 Plymouth 4-Door - - - - - \$325.00
- '35 Plymouth 4-Door - - - - - \$250.00
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Morlene Peacock Became Bride Of Morris Cheney In Grandfield Ceremony

Miss Morlene Peacock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peacock of Cashion, became the bride of Morris Cheney of Burkburnett at the home of the Baptist minister in Grandfield Saturday evening, July 15.

The bride was lovely in pale blue with navy accessories and carried a bouquet of rose buds and bridal wreath.

Those who attended the wedding were the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peacock, her paternal grandmother of Randlett, Okla., the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cheney of Burkburnett, and Mr. and Mrs. Lepley also of Burkburnett.

The young couple were members of the senior class of the local high school this year and will make their home in this community.

Sisters Honored With Bridal Shower

Misses Morana and Morlene Peacock were honored with a double wedding shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hunn of the Cashion community on the evening of July 13. Miss Daphne Hunn was hostess.

After games were played the many beautiful gifts were opened and admired by all. Refreshments were served to approximately sixty guests.

Mrs. Lohofener Hostess To Morgan Circle Monday

The Morgan Circle of the First Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. A. H. Lohofener Monday afternoon for Bible study, which was conducted by the hostess.

The meeting opened with a song, which was followed by prayer by Mrs. J. G. Cheney.

Dainty refreshments were served at the close of a business session to eight members and one guest, Mrs. J. G. Cheney of the Sallee Circle. Mrs. M. P. Keith dismissed with prayer.

Farris' Entertain Friends With Chicken Dinner

An annual affair which is looked forward to by a number of Burkburnett men was held last Friday night when Harry Farris, a prosperous farmer of the Randlett community, invited a number of his friends to dinner.

The guests began arriving about 7:30 and after an informal chat with the host they were ushered into the dining room where Mrs. Farris, assisted by her daughters, served them a bountiful chicken dinner with all the accessories.

Those attending were A. R. Hill, L. L. Harris, Jim Duke, C. E. West, Geo. Byerly, Charley Grace, Henry Grace, T. Guy Willis, Pop Ivey, H. D. Smith, "Bo-Jay" Cadwell, J. H. Brumley and Leonard Kendrick.

At a late hour the guests departed, thanking Mr. and Mrs. Farris for a very delightful evening.

I.O.O.F. Entertained With Picnic

Members of the local I.O.O.F. treated themselves and their families to a friend chicken supper at the City Water Works last Thursday evening, July 13. Approximately sixty people were present. Fried chicken and ice cream were enjoyed by the group.

Wichita Rebekahs Visit Local Lodge

Representatives of Wichita Rebekah lodge No. 236 conducted the installation of 1939-40 officers for Burkburnett lodge No. 67 during a meeting of the latter group held here Monday evening.

Mrs. Ruby McNeely of Wichita Falls, and an assisting staff, directed the installation of Mesdames Anna C. Self, noble grand; Mary Cecil, right support to the noble grand; Minnie Todd, left support; Fanny Glass, chaplain; Pauline Brightwell, warden; Lily Rogers, conductor; Bertha Lynch, inside guardian; Bertha Wood, outside guardian; and Katy McKown, musician.

Mrs. Cecil, Burkburnett lodge deputy, presented a gift certificate to Mrs. Glass, retiring noble grand. Refreshments were served during the social hour that followed.

Philips Family Held Reunion Here Sunday

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wid Philips on Avenue D was the scene of a family reunion Sunday which brought together members of the Philips family for the first time in three years. The affair was in honor of Mrs. B. S. Kimbrell of Washington, D. C., a sister of Mr. Philips, who is a guest in their home.

Those who attended the reunion included: Mr. and Mrs. Pat Crawford and sons, Wid Philips and Patrick Lee, of Eastland; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Philips of St. Jo; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Howard and children, Philip and Nannie; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gist and daughters, Clodell and Vera Bee, of Tipton, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hall and Earlene of Frederick, Okla.; Mrs. Vance Gist of Frederick; Dr. and Mrs. Hay and daughters, Janet and Janell, of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Gist of Nona.

Boyd Employees Enjoyed Picnic

Boyd Bros. entertained their employees Wednesday night at Sandy Beach with a swimming party followed by a watermelon feast.

Those attending were Messrs. and Mesdames Cecil Todd, W. S. Boyd, C. R. Chambers, C. W. Boyd, Sam Cope and T. L. Boyd. Misses Dorothy Ellen and Carolyn Rose Boyd, Wanda Gayle Cruce, Mary Frances Boyd, Virginia Cope, Jimmie Barnell, Virginia Coats, and Charles Wayne Boyd.

Christian Science Service

"Truth" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all the Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 23.

The Golden Text is: Holy Father, keep through thine own name those whom thou hast given me, that they may be one, as we are... Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth" (John 17-11, 17)

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "I heard as it were the voice of a great multitude, and as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of mighty thunders, saying, Alleluia: for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth" (Revelation 19:6).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "God will overturn, until He come whose right it is..." (pages 223 and 380).

Clara Lutheran Church

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 10:30 a. m. Subject of sermon: "Faith Triumphant."

Evening worship, 8:00 p. m. Sermon topic: "Aaron and the Sin of Compromise."

Walter League Bible study meeting on Wednesday night.

Presbyterian Church

We extend to you a cordial invitation to come and worship with us in our Sunday services.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Sermon, "Peculiar People," 11 a. m.

Sermon, "Clean Hands," 8 p. m. —Atwood A. Hyde, pastor.

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CALENDAR

"Midsummer Night's Dream," to be presented by the National Junior Shakespeare clubs at the high school auditorium Friday evening, July 21, at 8:15.

Pre-School Clinic; sponsored by P-T A Friday, July 21; starts at office of Dr. C. J. Morrison at 8:30 a. m.

Hardin club meets at home of Mrs. Richard Pink on Wednesday afternoon, July 26.

Nazarene Revival; morning services at 10:30; evening services at 8 o'clock.

Meeting of A.F. & A.M. Lodge No. 1027 every first and third Monday.

Rotarians to entertain Rotary Annas with swimming party and picnic at Sandy Beach Tuesday evening.

Shakespearean Pageant At High School Fri. Night

Kiddies attention! Do you want to see fairies who flit over the stage and sing lullabies; elves, brownies, a funny clown who wears a donkey's head, and other children in Shakespearean roles?

Then come to the high school auditorium Friday, July 21 at 8:15 p. m., where "A Midsummer Night's Dream" will be presented by the National Junior Shakespearean clubs of this city.

The story is about Puck, a mischievous sprite, who sprinkles the juice of a flower called "Love-in-Idleness" on the eyes of some sleeping mortals and on the eyes of the Queen of fairies to make each fall in love with the first live creature he or she sees. The sprite mistakes the mortals, thus causing the lovers to fall in love with the wrong girl. The Queen of fairies, under the spell, falls in love with a silly clown who wears a donkey's head. Everything is straightened out in the end and everybody is happy.

The characters in the play are the following:

- Hermia, a maiden of Athens—Joan Duncan.
- Lysander, her lover—Mary Frances Kelley.
- Helena, Hermia's friend—Donna Browning.
- Puck, a sprite—Jessie Ruth Preston.
- Oberon, king of the fairies—Dorothy Ann Preston.
- Titania, queen of the fairies—Marjorie Hill.
- Demetrius, a suitor of Hermia—Margaret Brady.
- Bottom, a clown—Dotty Kent.
- Fairies—Reva Maud Green, Mary Frances Kent, Betty Lou Duke, Jearlina Jackson, and Virginia Mae Willis.
- Elves—Scranton Peevey, Joe David Cagle, and Roy Jackson.
- Brownies—Gwynda Stevenson, and Charles Wayne Counter.
- Little Indian Boy—James Kelley.

The pageant is being sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association and is being directed by Miss Ella Billingslea.

Oklahoma Pioneer Died Near Randlett

W. W. Penn, long time resident of Oklahoma, and well known in Burkburnett, died at his home near Randlett Monday morning.

He was found by members of his family in the field where he had been plowing and where it was apparent that he had sat down in front of his tractor to rest. He had been in ill health for over a year.

The widow and two children, Mrs. L. O. Wilson and Bill Penn, and several brothers and sisters survive.

Information concerning funeral arrangements was not available.

Sue Ann Peyton Honored With Shower By Friends Of Her Mother

A lovely shower in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Peyton's little daughter, Sue Ann, was held at the home of Mrs. Loy Nichols last Friday evening from 6 to 8 o'clock. Assisting Mrs. Nichols as hostesses were Mesdames H. W. Prinzing, J. M. Pogue, Lige Christman, Luther Caffee, Henry Stewart, B. M. Cropper, D. C. Dodson, J. H. Rigby, and Miss Elva Stimpson.

The little honoree, who will be four weeks old Tuesday, was not present for the affair, since she is still a little young for the social whirl, but her mother accepted for her the best wishes of their friends and the beautiful assortment of gifts which had been arranged for presentation.

Mrs. J. H. Rigby presided at the register and directed guests to the room where the gifts were displayed surrounding the beautiful bed which was the hostess gift.

Those who attended were: Mesdames Mattie Jaco, M. P. Albritton, Russell Dobbs, and Ruth Dobson of Wichita Falls, George Kerr, P. G. Williamson, P. A. Wiggins, J. N. Hicks, George McClarty, C. J. Duncan, B. H. Alexander, C. W. Thomas, B. F. Gilchrist, A. H. Lohofener, Ace Auld, Loretta Thompson, C. E. Baker, P. B. Browning, J. H. Brumley, A. R. Bunstine, J. R. Chatham, Dale Cropper, Buster Dixon, W. S. Duvall, Truman Garland, O. E. Melton, F. L. Pilkenton, S. S. Reger, I. D. Russell, and Carl Morrison.

Those who sent gifts but were unable to attend were: Mesdames J. W. Butz, Louis Sims, B. Danforth, C. C. Gilbert, H. R. Hayes, W. R. Hill, R. L. Gragg, A. H. Bazell, R. H. Henry, Harold Van Loh, A. Lohofener, Raymond Holland, Morris Bookbinder, E. Jeffers, P. A. Johnston, Barney Lorang, D. M. Morris, Chris Morris, Joe McKenzie, W. G. Stripling, O. R. Wood, O. C. Wills, Glen Bear, J. H. Davis, R. C. Tevis, J. S. Mills, J. D. Majors.

You might call a few men in Burkburnett optimists, but the truth is they don't care enough and are too lazy to kick.

The fellow who asks for a little here below usually winds up with just about that much.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt gratitude for the thoughtful kindness of our friends and neighbors during the illness and death of our wife and mother, Mrs. J. M. Thornton.

We wish to express our appreciation, especially to our friends in Walters.

J. M. Thornton.
Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Thornton and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Key and family,
Mr. and Mrs. James Grundy and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Fay Postelwait, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Rutledge and family,
Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Smith, Ollie Thornton,
Delmus Thornton.

Rites Held For Mrs. Lou Thornton

Mrs. Lou Thornton, 52, died here at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bob Key, last Thursday. Funeral rites were held at the Rabbit Creek school near Randlett on Friday. Rev. George Hooper of the Taylor Store community and Rev. Miles B. Hays of the First Baptist church of Burkburnett officiated.

Mrs. Thornton was born near Caddo, Oklahoma, on January 6, 1887 and was a pioneer settler of the Big Pasture.

Survivors include numerous relatives, among which are Mrs. Key and her son, J. M. Thornton, both of this city.

Palbearers were: Faye Postelwait, Bob Key, Bennie Smith, Horace Rutledge, J. N. Killingsworth, and Manse Griffith.

Interment was in the Burkburnett cemetery.

Rites Here For Birchfield

Beverly Birchfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. field of Wichita Falls, died here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Northcott of this city on Dallas hospital Wednesday.

Funeral services were held from Owens-Brum home at 9:30 Friday. Rev. Wilhoit of the conduct services. Burial will be in the local cemetery.

Survivors include the grandparents, aunts and uncles.

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Dogies Took Two From Kamay Sun.

In a pair of hitting duels played Sunday afternoon at Kamay, the Burkburnett-Fairview Dogies romped off with both ends of an Oil Belt double header by the top heavy scores of 21 to 9 and 17 to 5. Burkburnett hit five home runs during the two games and Kamay blasted two round trippers in the free hitting encounters. McCauley, Gaines and Oxley hit homers in the first game and Brantley and Sims in the nightcap for Burkburnett. New and Spruiell homered for Kamay in the opener.

Burkburnett scored 11 runs in the second inning of the first game, then coasted in to the victory. The Dogies were forced to come from behind to win the second game. Kamay outhit the Dogies with New, Satterwhite and Spruiell getting 18 hits between them.

First game: R H E
Burkburnett 011 315 0—21 17 2
Kamay 200 403 0—9 19 4

Oxley, Hanvey and O'Neal; May, New and Strange.
Second game: R H E
Burkburnett 031 513 4—17 14 1
Kamay 320 000 0—5 13 6

Electra Beaten Twice By Iowa Park, 6-5, 2-0

Electra, Texas, July 16—Johnny Wheeler and Bert Van Horn combined efforts to pitch the Iowa Park Buffs to a double upset of the league leading Electra Oilers here Sunday afternoon in an Oil Belt league double bill. Wheeler staved off a ninth inning Electra rally to win the opener, 6 to 5. Van Horn, the first pitcher in the league to beat Electra this season, showed it was no fluke and let the Oilers down with one hit and won 2 to 0 in the second game.

The Oilers were without the services of Mike Pruett, their ace lefthander who is taking part in a baseball tournament in Oklahoma City.

First game: R H E
Iowa Park 002 310 000—6 11 5
Electra 010 001 003—5 4 2

Wheeler and Munden; Jones and A. Smith.
Second game: R H E
Iowa Park 010 000 2—3 8 0
Electra 000 000 0—0 1 1

First Copies of Fair Catalogue Received Here

The first copies of the premium catalogue for the 11th annual Wichita county fair, to be held in Iowa Park, Sept. 27-30, inclusive, were brought to the local chamber of commerce this week by Glenn Clark, manager of the Iowa Park chamber.

The catalogues are being mailed this week to former exhibitors and winners, and will be available at the chamber of commerce office for any one who desires copies, Herman Engelmann, manager, announced.

You may not be allowed to vote more than once, but they don't limit you how many times you can make a fool out of yourself.

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Property Tax To Jump Next Year

As a result of the economy efforts of the legislature and the use of the bluepencil operation bills by Governor O'Daniel, Texans next year likely to have to pay some million dollars more in property taxes. A deficit of approximately \$1,000,000 in the general fund and the property tax for the general revenue is already at its constitutional limit of 35 cents on \$100 valuation. A deficit in the Contingency fund and the pension fund and the property tax for this purpose stands at a constitutional maximum of \$100,000.

In the past two years the property tax rate has been the low rate for purposes. Under the Contingency fund, the property tax of 35 cents on the \$100 valuation, but for the past two years this tax rate has been 35 cents. There is every indication that this year this tax rate will be boosted back to its constitutional maximum of 35 cents on \$100 valuation in order to provide funds for the payment of per capita apportionment to schools in every county.

The chief reason for the increase in property taxes will be the recent legislation approved by Governor O'Daniel which fixes the maximum per capita apportionment at \$22.50. In several years there has been a dispute among state officials as to what the maximum per capita apportionment could be. The present figure is \$22.50. The new legislation puts a ceiling of \$22.50 on the per capita apportionment. The State Board of Education met on July 24 to fix the per capita apportionment figure, and there is a widespread belief that it will be the maximum. The board last year set the apportionment at \$22 per capita. The Automatic Tax Board, which sets the property tax rate, is expected to raise the tax rate. As a result, only \$19 of the apportionment will be paid this year. This will leave a deficit of approximately \$4,500,000 which will have to be paid off before any part of the year's apportionment can be distributed.

They will require a boost of 14 cents on the property tax rate to offset this deficit, according to official estimates of state officials.

This Is a Double Duty Kitchen



PHRASING the old saying for a rule—it is a poor one that cannot be worked two ways. Architects designing the most of small homes today realize that a kitchen is more useable and better when some rooms can be used for two purposes, as designed for two purposes, as designed. And certainly, the kitchen is the best place for a dining table for breakfast and snacks. The kitchen illustrated has one wall of glass block with a casement window cut in the center; thus, whosoever breakfasts at the little table for two has brightness and a view of the out-of-doors besides.

The high-speed modern gas range located in the center of the adjoining wall makes it easy to cook breakfast in double-quick time and serve it piping hot; trays placed in the vertical cabinet at the side of the range are ever ready for collecting the dishes to carry to the sink.

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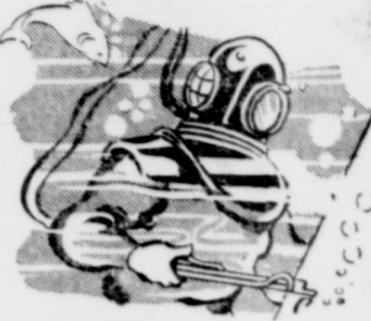
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Randlett News

By Beulah M. Wilson

Miss Valeta Beavers and Mr. Raymond Estep were married July 12. They will be at home near Randlett after a trip through New Mexico. Miss Beavers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Beavers and Mr. Estep is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Estep of the Union Valley community.

Mrs. Harry Johnson was honored at a lovely shower given at the home of Mrs. Josephine Nelson Friday, July 14. After the gifts were presented lovely refreshments were served.

Miss Betty Jo Braden entertained a large number of her young friends Thursday night, July 13, with a party. All reported a nice time.

The community was saddened

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was visiting friends and relatives here last week.

Mike Brandon is handling a line of wholesale groceries here now. We hope to keep the Brandon family with us.

Emma Jo and Kenneth Kirkpatrick are spending this week visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Bowers of Temple, Okla.

Miss Loretta Dunn and Miss Evelyn Hatcher of the Wichita General Hospital visited home folks Saturday.

A. B. Kennedy of Fort Sill visited his brother, Sherman, at Norvel Kirkpatrick's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Watson spent part of last week visiting in Lone Grove and Sulphur, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Norvel Kirkpatrick returned Mr. Kennedy to Lawton Saturday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kirkpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kirkpatrick visited Mr. Kirkpatrick's sister, Mrs. J. F. Gibson of Electra, last Thursday.

Pat Patterson transacted business in Lawton last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Campbell and Mrs. E. H. Tribble of Devol were called to Quanah, Texas, on account of a brother-in-law of Mrs. Campbell's, Claude Harmon falling and breaking his leg last week.

June and Betty Zane Griffin are visiting their sister, Mrs. Earl Walker, of Bonham, Texas.

Mrs. Sallie Rodabaugh of Norman visited Mrs. R. J. Dice and Mrs. Jim Crowley Sunday.

Mrs. Amanda Spannigel is under the care of Dr. Deen of Wichita Falls.

Rev. R. E. Jones of Fort Worth filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening and was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Campbell and Patsy and daughter, Mrs. E. R. Taylor of Oklahoma City, are vacationing in New Orleans, Alabama, and Arkansas. They expect to be gone about a month. They left Sunday, July 16.

Jim Cecil of Devol is running Mr. Campbell's barber shop while he is on his vacation.

Mrs. Joel Carter of Walters was operated on for appendicitis at the Duncan hospital last week. Mrs. Carter is the former Miss Lois Bales of this place.

Emmett Bowles has purchased the Church of Christ parsonage and will move it between his home and other house and make a rent house of it.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carroll and twins were business visitors in Lawton last Thursday.

Mrs. R. F. Bealer of Dallas was visiting her mother, Mrs. A. A. Peacock, and attended the wedding of her two nieces, Misses Norma and Marline Peacock of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Troy Horton left for Oklahoma City last week where she will join her husband who is employed there now.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Campbell spent one day last week visiting their two sons and families of Burkburnett.

Mrs. Ruth Whitehead went to California with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bowman.

Idella Lee is employed at the court house at Walters now.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fender have moved to the John Martin farm between here and Devol to be nearer his work.

Mrs. H. M. Hayes spent last week visiting her son, Paul, and sister, Mrs. Pearl Lyles of Corpus Christi.

Earline and Iva Jo Wilkinson are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Ruth Davis of Edmond, this week.

Mrs. William Huper and two daughters of Wichita Falls attended Mrs. Harry Nelson's shower last Friday.

Mrs. Paul Hayes and Mrs. Abel Ackerman of Corpus Christi visited relatives here last week and went from here to Missouri before returning to Corpus.

Richard Carter was called back to Stillwater to go to work last week.

TEXAS SENATOR URGES AIR BASE IN PUERTO RICO

Decries Falling Market for Texas Rice and Beef in Island Crisis

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Pointing to the strategic location of Puerto Rico, and to the Island's large purchases of rice, cotton, and meat from the United States, Senator Tom Connally, of Texas, declared today in a special interview on Puerto Rican affairs that he is strongly in favor of the proposal to place defensive air bases there, and said that at the same time Congress should give serious consideration to the serious economic plight of the Island.

Senator Connally pointed out that the air bases proposed for Puerto Rico will form an invaluable first line defense for the Panama Canal and the Gulf of Mexico.

"It is vitally important that we protect the Canal and shipping in that area," he declared. "Planes from the Puerto Rican base will be able to scout far out to sea and give advance warning of the approach of an enemy. In addition, because of the close proximity of the Island to South America, the bases on Puerto Rico will serve as a warning to the Dictators of Europe to stay out of South America."



Sen. Connally

with foreign coconuts, pineapples, and citrus fruits; and application of the mainland wage-hour law to Puerto Rican industry.

Commenting on the sugar restriction, Senator Connally said he believed the tendency will be toward increased quotas for Continental United States and the Possessions and Territories. He said he thought Congress should give serious consideration to the other problems of Puerto Rico taking into consideration their geographic location and climatic conditions.

"Total Puerto Rican purchases from the United States fell from \$90,000,000 in 1937 to only \$81,000,000 in 1938," Senator Connally pointed out, citing figures recently released by the Department of Commerce. "Rice purchases dropped from \$7,750,000 to \$6,306,000; their purchases of cotton manufactures dropped from \$11,440,000 to \$8,958,000; while meat purchases dropped from \$3,864,000 to \$3,577,000."

"Such a sharp drop deserves serious attention, not only because the Puerto Ricans are American citizens, but because their decreased purchases hurt us on the mainland," Senator Connally said. "The Puerto Ricans make practically all their outside purchases from the United States, so the money did not go elsewhere. They simply didn't have the money to spend, and the outlet for our rice, cotton and meat suffered accordingly."

Officials of the Island blame this condition on the sugar quota, which restricted production in the Island 30 per cent; on the trade agreement program which they say has made it virtually impossible for them to compete in the domestic market

I Give You Texas

By Boyce House

Back to nature note: This observer saw the first bumble-bee and the first humming-bird I've seen in 20 years a few days ago. They were bumbling and humming around some flowers at the rock garden of State Auditor Tom King in the hills near Austin. And if you don't think that highly efficient individual has his sentimental side, too, you ought to see the gigantic, handsome official potting around the flowers he planted in the yard.

A story which has become a classic around the Capital City is told concerning a former Fort Worth legislator, who was remarkably fond of making speeches. When a certain bill that he was supporting came up for debate, he asked to be allowed to talk. Told that he could have only four minutes because nine others wanted to speak for the measure, he asked:

"How many speaking against it?"

"Just two," was the answer.

"Then put me down to speak against it. I can get more time on that side."

The Stamford Cowboy Reunion is getting a national—even an international—reputation. Recently held, it drew such notables as Amon Carter, "range boss of West Texas," and Jerry Sadler, State Railroad Commissioner, who by the way has bought a West Texas ranch to which he plans to retire some of these days. Also in the parade and rodeo grand entry was Mary Paige Covey.

Miss Wanda Best is visiting her sister, Miss Thelma Best, of Dallas.

Prof. and Mrs. Jones are visiting the professor's mother at Seymour this week.

loveliest showgirl in America, representing Fort Worth's Casa Manana. Incidentally, the big musical spectacle, after opening July 21, runs through Labor day and, the first two weeks, will present such stars as Ray Bolger, famous comedian and eccentric dancer; Frances Langford, night-ingle of the radio; Russ Morgan and his orchestra ("Music in the Morgan manner) and other top-notch entertainers, including Bob Burns, the bazooka man, for one night.

Ghent Sanderford, Austin attorney, recently related a poignant experience of his days as secretary to Governor Miriam A. Ferguson.

A mother was waiting to ask a pardon for her son, in prison for bank robbery.

"There was a woman in here yesterday who really had something to weep about," Sanderford said, "because her husband was condemned to die. If your son is turned loose, you may be back down here to ask that his life be spared."

The mother replied, "No, my boy was led into this trouble; he has learned his lesson."

The young man was freed. Within two years, he paid with his life for a bank holdup in which two officers were shot to death.

Here's one that will make your mind reel; it's from the Crane county News:

"LOST—\$1 in this problem that the Texas Co. boys who have nothing else to do have been figuring on. Can you tell them where the loss went to? Here's the math:

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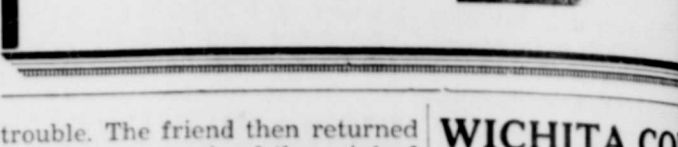
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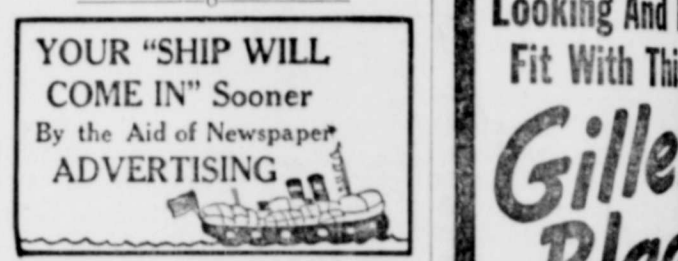
Vick Helms, Mgr.



trouble. The friend then returned one dollar to each of the original contributors which left him \$2 and resulted in only \$9 room rent each for the men, or a total of \$27. Add \$27 and the \$2 and you have \$29, where as you started with \$30."

Two men, riding along en route to Albany, N. Y., saw a sign: "Albany, 25 miles." They drove half an hour and saw a sign giving the distance to Albany as 25 miles. They drove another half hour and read a third sign, "Albany, 25 miles." One spoke up, "Thank goodness, we're holding our own."

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Chelf, curator of the Texas Memorial Museum in Austin, have returned from their exploration of the numerous caves which wind off from the bottom of the sink. They report that: "In miniature the living stone wonders of many famous caves are duplicated. Crystal clear pools of water 8 or 10 feet in depth are found in several rooms. The extreme beauty, its accessibility, size and relatively simple development would add another strange wonder to the list of attractions to tourists in Texas." During the Texas Centennial, tourists by the hundreds were disappointed because there was no means of getting into this giant wonderland, although it had been placed on the official Centennial map.

"He's true to God, who's true to man."

Farther Of Local Man Buried At Vinita Sunday

Funeral services were held for F. C. Vogel, father of J. S. Vogel of this city and of Judge Irvin Vogel of Wichita Falls, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Vinita, Okla. Mr. Vogel died at his home in Vinita Friday night. Survivors besides the son here and Judge Vogel include the wife and two other sons living in Vinita.

Big Rabbit Creek

July 16, 1939. At this writing, 3:45 p. m., the hot winds from the southwest and the heat in the shade is 102½; believe me, it's some hot. The heat from the hot winds is even burning the tops of the weeds. Most of the water melons over the country has just gone up salt creek.

The passing of Mrs. J. M. Thornton last Thursday over in Our Friendly Little City in her daughter's home was quite a shock to the Big Rabbit Creek neighborhood. Sister Thornton was amongst the old pioneers of the Big Pasture; she was a noble wife and mother, a faithful Christian and all who knew her. Her great host of friends extend their heartfelt sympathy to her loved ones left to mourn her great loss. The funeral was conducted Friday afternoon at 2:30 by Rev. George Hooper, Methodist pastor of the Taylor store community and Rev. Hays, Baptist minister of Burkburnett. The funeral services were held at the Big Rabbit Creek school house and her remains were laid to rest in the city of the dead in the beautiful cemetery at Burkburnett. May God comfort and console her loved ones that she has left behind, will be the nightly prayer of the writer.

One of the leading business men of Our Friendly Little City G. W. Gloger, motored over in the Big Rabbit Creek neighborhood Sunday morning and visited several hours with the Owens family. His visit was very much welcomed, so call again.

Mr. and Mrs. Gloger called on the Owens family last Sunday afternoon, too, and their visit was very much appreciated. Jess Kinnaird, wife and family attended the big trades day event Saturday afternoon over in Our Friendly Little City.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gloger of Burkburnett made a flying trip by motor last Wednesday to our capital, Oklahoma City, arriving home Friday morning about 11:15.

James Pirtle, who has the Tuel farm leased, put up a half mile of line fence on the west side of his pasture to keep his cattle from getting out and straying away. Brother Jim selected a nice cool day to build his ½-mile of fence, Thursday. The temperature was around the 100 mark. The hotter the day is the better and harder Brother Jim can work.

Well, as Saturday was another one of those record breaking hot days, but it didn't stop the thousands coming to Our Friendly Little City on trades day. Nearly all the clod hoppers has their crops all laid by; they haven't anything to do only to go to town and to visit their wives' folks and get filled up for a week or so. Over 6,000 people were on the streets Saturday. All business

houses did a land-sliding business.

Mrs. Ed Owens has been on the sick list for several days, but at this writing, she is feeling some better.

The Rural High Power line, which has been located several months past through the Big Rabbit Creek neighborhood, has started a crew of men digging the holes to set the poles. Those holes are dug 6 feet deep and they are dug 300 feet apart. The men get 35c per hour for 8 hours work.

The Owens family received a letter the latter part of last week from Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Martin, who reside out in Humble City, N. M. Mrs. Martin wrote stating that it is very dry and hot in that part of the country. It's been so long since any rain has fallen in that part that they would hardly know how a rain drop would look.

I guess you have often heard it said what makes a good news reporter or a good rural correspondent for his home paper is to be on the alert at all times and to keep his eyes open and to never write anything from here-say, for if you do, Mr. News Man will get in bad and this saying is true. Anyway, Hawkeye is always where he shouldn't be. At this time last Sunday he was up on Deep Creek going down along the bank. All at once he heard a lot of commotion just below him, so he eased along down the bank to where he could see what was going on. Who do you think he saw taking a bath in Deep Red waters, which are about a foot deep in that spot, but his old friend, Cecil Todd and his good wife, another friend, Arnold Robertson with his lady friend, Miss Helen Grady, whom Hawkeye isn't personally acquainted with, Arnold is the head clerk in the Boyd Bros. big hardware and radio department and Cecil is head clerk in the grocery de-

partment. Believe me, folks, those two couples were enjoying themselves. Mrs. Todd and Miss Helen were making Deep Red mud pies. Believe me, that mud sure has its right name as it's red. Those ladies were calling back their childhood days in making those pies, and say, they looked good enough to eat. They must have had 20 or 30 made and piled up on the bank to cook in the hot sun. They just looked real nice. They had a very light coat of this red mud smeared on their faces to keep from sunburning their faces which was a fine thought in the ladies, but the boys! Say, folks, they had so much of that red mud on their faces they looked like Comanche Indians on the war path with their paint on. Never-the-less, all four were enjoying themselves and Hawkeye enjoyed himself by taking his observations. After Hawkeye watched the boys for an hour taking their bath in that foot of water, Hawkeye just slipped away just the way he came and to this day

the four didn't know but what Hawkeye was at home with his wife where all married men should be. Now listen, Brother Cecil and Brother Arnold, the next time you want to go bathing with your wife and lady friend, just motor down Big Rabbit Creek to the O. H. Darter farm and take a real water bath and a good swim as we have five feet of water and six feet of the blackest mud in Cotton County. Hawkeye will be pleased to have you to come any time and our black mud, I believe will make prettier pies after the hot sun shines on them for a few minutes than that old Deep Red mud. Little June Martin, whom we are keeping for her father, W. H., makes her pies out nearly every day out in our backyard. She keeps her foster mother busy keeping clean dresses on her. Of course older ladies are more careful of their bathing suits than what Junie is about her dress.

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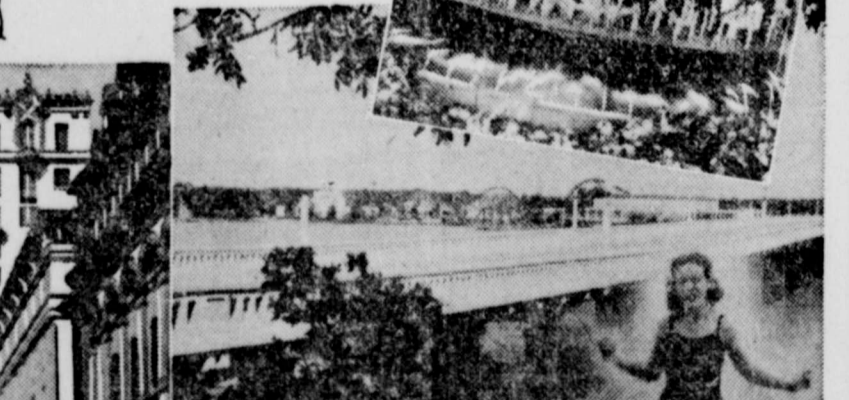
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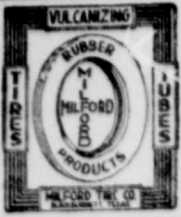
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Miss Ellis Mae Oualline is visiting in Fayetteville, Arkansas.

H. S. Grace was in Austin on business the first of this week.

Mrs. Berta Walling is visiting her sister in Amarillo.

Butler Westerfield of Wichita Falls was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mavor Frank Kelley is attending the Firemen's Short Course at College Station this week.

Billy Ashlock of Austin is visiting his mother, Mrs. Morris Bookbinder.

Dr. W. P. Martin of Clovis, N. M., was a business visitor here the fore part of the week.

Ruster Samsill of Seymour is visiting his brother, Roy Samsill, here this week.

Donald Roberts of Galveston is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roberts.

Glenn Clark of Iowa Park was a business visitor in Burkburnett Tuesday.

Mrs. George Weist of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Rice Monday.

Miss Mary Helen Bundy is visiting in Arkansas. She will be gone until September 1.

Miss Mary Boyd of Sherman is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sam Davis, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Nichols moved back to Burkburnett recently from Four Sands, Texas.

Ab Walling and R. S. Raesdahl are in Van Zandt county on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gartside and daughter, Gay, of Lovington, N. M., visited here last week-end.

Mrs. Marian Ragsdale spent part of last week as the house guest of Mrs. L. G. (Buddy) Willey of Wichita Falls.

Herman Engelmann is attending the Southwestern Chamber of Commerce school in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brumley and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Van Loh and son are visiting in the Rio Grande Valley.

Mrs. J. J. Blackstone returned Saturday from College Station where she was enrolled for the summer Short Course.

Mrs. R. E. Ebbs, Sr., and daughter, Mrs. Marguerite Chastain, of Idabel, Okla., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ebbs, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Pilkington, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Garland and little son, Gad, are spending two weeks in Alabama and Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Henry left Wednesday to visit in Lott, Texas. They were accompanied by Mr. George McCreary, who was returning to his home in Lott.

W. T. Vance returned Wednesday from a trip to Dallas where he spent some time at the hospital and was examined by his physician.

Mrs. Alma McFarlane and children, Joy and Bobby, spent last week-end in Granam visiting relatives. Bobby is spending this week there.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gilbert returned Friday from a visit with Mrs. Gilbert's sister and uncle, Mrs. J. S. Howard and J. M. Harrison of Oklahoma City.

Neeley Vaught of Tyler arrives this week-end to spend a few days with his family. Mr. Vaught is an umpire in the East Texas league.

Little Daisy Ann Nolan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nolan is very ill. She was stricken with pneumonia following an attack of measles.

Word was received this week by friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliott, former residents of Burkburnett now living in Denver, Colo., that they have a son, born June 23rd.

Harry Dodson of Hamlin spent last week-end here.

Mrs. Jim Turner is visiting relatives in Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Reagan and Mrs. Morris Strong of Gainesville were here last week-end.

Mrs. Francis Felty and Mrs. Johnny Foster went to Abilene last week to get Mrs. Andrew Urban and her grandson, Billy Breihan, who are spending a few weeks with Mrs. M. L. Urban.

Horace L. Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mills, is recovering from an operation for the removal of his tonsils which was performed by Dr. C. R. Hartsook of Wichita Falls, Monday.

Mrs. Monroe Prinzing and daughter, Ila Frances, have returned from a visit with relatives in Miles, Texas. Mrs. Prinzing's sister, Miss Lola Hester, returned with her for a visit.

Miss Marjorie Smith of LaSera Texas, is visiting Miss Carol Lohofener. She is the daughter of Prof. and Mrs. J. B. Smith, former residents of the Thrift community, where Mr. Smith was head of the Fairview school.

E. B. (Buddy) Riesenberger, manager of the Hotel Macie, at Sweetwater, Texas, was a business visitor in Burkburnett Tuesday. Buddy formerly operated the Burkburnett hotel here during the boom.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Mitchell of Clara and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cecil and son, John, attended the picnic for Panhandle employees held in Wichita Falls Tuesday evening.

T. D. Oxley returned Sunday from Pauls Valley where he and his family have been visiting his wife's relatives. Mrs. Oxley and the children remained for an extended visit.

Mrs. W. W. Woodward and daughter, Miss Irene, of Oklahoma City, arrived here Tuesday and will remain with Mrs. Alma McFarlane until her departure for Washington, D. C., next Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jordan and daughter, Frances Lee, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jordan last week on their way to their home in Markley, Texas, following a visit to the New York World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brookman and children left this morning to attend a family reunion being held at Dublin. From there they will go to Fort Worth to see the Casa Manana. They will return home Friday.

Wendell Rice's parents and sister from Nocona; Mr. and Mrs. York, Mr. and Mrs. Cosmo Cain of Wichita Falls visited in the Rice home Sunday and called on Mr. Rice at the Clinic where he recently underwent an operation.

Mrs. C. L. Rogers and daughters, Lois and Barbara, returned Tuesday from an extended trip to Illinois, Indiana, and Kentucky where they visited relatives. Mr. Rogers and his sons, James and Paul, met them in Avery, Texas, and brought them home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Matthews left Wednesday for Colorado Springs, Colo., where they will spend the remainder of the summer. Mrs. Matthews will resume her studies under Chas. Bishop, nationally known artist, and Joe expects to make the little fish hide out.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ladd and family are spending their vacation in Moline, Arkansas. They will be home about the first of August.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Barnes and daughter, Doris Ruth, returned Sunday from a two weeks' vacation trip to California. They visited the exposition.

Homer Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Brown, arrived home Sunday evening to spend an 18-day furlough. He is a cadet stationed at Randolph Field, Texas.

Flossy, a female Boston screw-tail bulldog belonging to Dewey Edwin Lee Jr., of Waco, adopted a kitten recently after her three puppies were born dead.

Beautiful Scenes Will Characterize '39 Casa Manana

Fort Worth, July 20—Memories of the days when the minstrel show was at the height of its glory will be revived by one of the lavish scenes in the 1939 Casa Manana Revue which opens Friday night for the summer's run.

The scene will show the arrival of the Al G. Field's troupe in Fort Worth in 1891 for an engagement at the famous old Greenwall Opera House. Ray (Rubberlegs) Bolger, America's funniest dancer, will play the part of George Primrose, one of the immortals of minstrel days. Songs and costumes of many years ago will feature this nostalgic number.

Even more impressive will be the finale, the Sun Valley Winter Carnival. This is the scene which has been kept a carefully guarded secret, though Lou Wolfson, executive producer, reveals it will be an authentic reproduction of the famed year-round resort.

Frances Langford, No. 1 singer of the air, will be a part of the revue and Russ Morgan and his orchestra ("Music in the Morgan manner") will be heard. Featured also will be Bob Williams and Red Dust, Adele Inge and Maurice's Music Masters. There will be six hours nightly of music, dancing and entertainment in the outdoor cafe-theater which seats 3,500 and has the world's largest revolving stage and the most elaborate lighting equipment of any theatre on earth.

Opening scenes will be a waltz number to the tune of "The Night Is Young and You're So Beautiful," hit song of the 1936 Casa Manana, with the Men of Manana octet singing and the renowned team of De Angelo and Porter waltzing. Another scene will be the Cowgirl Rodeo, with 70 Texas beauties in Western costume, doing a bronco number and the Elite Trio giving a comedy dance.

Nazarene Revival Is Well Attended

"God's Cure For Present Day Ills," is the subject which Rev. John L. Knight has chosen for his sermon at the Nazarene church Thursday evening.

Rev. Knight is from Hillsboro and is conducting a revival at the local church which started last Sunday and will last through July 30th.

The meeting is being held on the church lawn and is drawing large and responsive crowds. Everyone in Burkburnett is invited to attend. The church is located on the corner of West Main and Holly Avenue.

Two railroads serving Tyler announce 1,351 carloads of tomatoes were shipped from that area from May 27 through July 4.

The United States spends 37 cents a year per capita for library service.

THRIFT NEWS

By B. F. Jackson
Miss Nicy Murphy of Tryon, Okla., and Miss Gladys Gibbs of Shattuck, Okla., were guests of Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Bales last Sunday.

Glenn Whittenberg of Paradise, Texas, was here for a short visit last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stubblefield and daughter, Luella and P. G. Stubblefield visited in Ringling, Okla., Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Miss Rosalie McCall, who is in training at a nurses' school in Wichita, Kansas, left Sunday to re-enter training after spending a three weeks' vacation with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Leonard and family spent last week-end visiting relatives and friends in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews of Fort Worth are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Horr this week.

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Bales left Monday for Atlanta, Georgia, where they will attend the Baptist World's Alliance, which convenes there on Saturday of this week and continues through Friday of next week. They plan to visit in Ridgecrest, N. C., before returning home. They will be

gone about fifteen days and were accompanied on the trip by Miss Nicy Murphy of Tryon, Okla., and Miss Gladys Gibbs of Shattuck, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Paschall left Tuesday for Yellowstone National Park to spend their vacation. They plan to be gone about six weeks, returning about a week or two before the opening of school. They were accompanied by Glenn Whittenberg and Billie Bush.

Fred Key is confined to a hospital in Wichita Falls as a result of an accident about 6:30 a. m. Tuesday on the highway north of Iowa Park. He suffered a fractured nose and upper jaw and bruises on the face. It was reported that he went to sleep at the wheel of his truck and was injured when it left the road.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wilhoit and daughter, Nola Fay, and Virginia Dare Bayne returned home Tuesday from a week's visit in Arkansas and intermediate points. They reported enjoying a very interesting and wonderful trip.

Mrs. W. H. (Bill) Sheets and two sons are home from a visit with relatives and friends in May, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stonecipher and family returned home Tuesday from a two week's vacation spent in South Texas.

J. E. (Doc) Gentry's mother died Wednesday morning after a long illness. She had been in ill health for some time, but it was only Monday that she suddenly grew worse. The sympathy of the friends of the family is extended to them in their bereavement.

The home of Mrs. G. D. Winkles was the scene of a lovely shower given for Mrs. Herschel (Speedy) Pierce last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Milton Winkles and Mrs. Homer Dunn assisted as hostesses for the occasion. The honoree was presented with many lovely gifts. Refreshments were served to the group present.

Devol News

By Lorene Mowery

Miss Lois Stevens is convalescing from a recent illness.

Mrs. Kathalee Sweazea of Phoenix, Arizona, is visiting with Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Mowery and family this week. Mrs. Sweazea is the former Miss Kathalee Williams of Bellevue, Texas, and is well known to the younger set of that city.

Miss Kitty Johnston, county demonstration agent, will be in Devol next Tuesday. She will demonstrate the method of alternating patterns for a member of the Home Demonstration club.

Mrs. Gladys Dillow and daughter, Cleta Joy, are visiting with Mrs. Dorrie in Marlow, Okla., this week.

Mrs. Grace Addington entertained Thursday afternoon with a shower honoring Mrs. Clint Dixon. Those present enjoyed a full evening of gay entertainment. Refreshments were served to: Mesdames Pitecock, Tarrant, Larsee, Woodley, Mallory, Stoffer, W. H. Addington, Sr., J. C. Cates, Wright, the honoree and the hostess. Mrs. Dixon was presented with many lovely gifts.

Mrs. Albert Smith is still in Livingston, Tennessee, visiting with her father who is ill.

Joe Bill Dodson of Wichita Falls, Texas, who visited with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oles Stoffer, last week, returned home.

The Rebekah lodge of Devol entertained last Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oles Stoffer.

PREVUE SATURDAY

MYRNA LOY ROBERT TAYLOR LUCKY NIGHT JOSEPH ALLEN HENRY O'NEILL DOUGLAS FOWLEY

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fer with a nice Chinese Checker party honoring Mrs. Angie Mae Randall of Tulsa, Okla. The guests enjoyed several games of checkers along with a lot of good singing accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Try Bracket. Mrs. Bracket presented the honored guest with a beautiful handmade corsage as a remembrance gift from the ladies of Devol. Refreshments were served to the following guests: Mesdames Robert Laverder, F. C. Dillow, Bill Wood, Robert Hinkle, K. B. Uthe, H. H. Hinkle, Ara Wright, Grace Addington, Rhubottom, Claude Sykes, Mallory, J. W. Coker, M. M. Martin, Larsee, Try Bracket, Mae Pitecock, William Tarrant, Charls, Woodley, Earnest Weed, and Misses Gladys Sykes, Ruby Anne Laverder, Blanche Wright, the honoree, Mrs. Randall and the hostesses, Mrs. Stoffer and Mrs. J. W. Hale.

Mrs. Mae Pitecock is leaving for California next Sunday to spend an extended vacation with relatives.

The senior BYPU class of the First Baptist church enjoyed a picnic on Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Speare's farm last Thursday evening. Those present were: Misses Blanche Wright, Jackie and Mickle Landers, Betty Lu Stevens, Sybil Woodley, Freda Cates, Louise Mowery, and Messrs. Gordon and Charles Woodley, Junior Woods, Bill and Bud Smith, Karl Cates, Jack Wheeler, R. J. Gibson, and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Woodley and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Speares.

Little Annie Cates had her tonsils removed last Monday.

Miss Ersa Whitehead of Randall visited with Miss Anne Laverder last Monday.

Gene Watson is visiting his parents this week. Mr. Watson has been employed in Houston for several months.

Next Sunday is regular preaching day at the First Baptist church here and we urge all who can to come out to attend these services. We are always happy to welcome visitors, too. Sunday school begins at 10 o'clock a. m. followed by preaching at 11:00. BYPU begins promptly at 7:45 p. m.

The WMU rally will be held in Devol at the Baptist church on Thursday.

Beginning next Sunday night Rev. Mowery will be in Vashti, Texas, for a two weeks' revival meeting.

Archie Compton of Cache, Okla., spent the week-end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Landers have gone to Paris, Texas, to see Mr. Lander's father who is very ill.

Miss Sybil Woodley visited with Mrs. Roy Simpson in Burkburnett last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Charboneau of Burkburnett visited in Devol last week.

Mrs. Georgia Simpson of Burkburnett is visiting in Devol this week.

The revival meeting begins

Before starting any new trouble, look around and see if there isn't enough of the old already in the world.

People are somewhat like pins—no use to anybody when they lose their heads.

The revival meeting begins July 30 at the Methodist church

in Devol. Come out and feel free and at home with us. W. L. Frye our Sunday school superintendent, will direct song services. Everyone will be welcome. We need your cooperation to make the meeting a success. We are planning to have one group pray-meetings in the afternoons. We have a fine spirit of cooperation in the churches of Devol. Let us look forward to a great meeting that will sweep the town and community. Rev. Walker Ferguson is pastor.

Miss Ruth Pitecock of Wichita Falls visited with her parents on Sunday.

Miss Opal Hale has gone to Kilgore, Texas, to visit with her brother, Herbert Hale.

Misses Louise and Lorene Mowery spent Sunday with Miss Lorene Miller of Bellevue, Texas.

Scrambled Eggs—Continued From Page One
tuesday to be locked up in the "reading room" at the First National bank. After trying for several minutes to unlock the door, he finally attracted the attention of one of the employes of the bank who came to his rescue. Evidently Harry is not used to the locks on these modern lounging rooms.

One For The Absent-Minded Professor
The Pilkerton and Garland families left last week for a vacation trip and when they got as far as Fort Worth they had forgotten whether they had locked the back door or not. So they called up Henry Prinzing and got him out of bed at 7 o'clock to go and see if they had locked the back door. The back door was locked so he took off the hinges on the window screen and entered the house to find that it was the front door and windows that were open.

What's The World Coming To?
Pappy Willis, Grady Vinson and Frank Clement were seen at Lehreck's ice cream parlor eating ice cream. Frank has been on a diet since Sunday.

DID YOU SEE—P. A. WIGGINS hauling Jake Prince around after Jake had won the bank nite award. GEO. COUNTER taking a sack of Bull when asked if he wanted a cigar. WYLIB BROWNING getting slicked up—his wife is out of town. LEO DUDLEY coming in at 3 in the morning from a 40-8 meeting in Wichita and trying to explain to his wife that they had some of the longest-winded speakers that he ever listened to.

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