

Sales Tax Defeated For 7th. Time Million Dollar Rain In County

Knox City and Knox county received an average of more than three inches of rain late Monday afternoon and the farmers are all smiles, as the majority of them had their crops up and were waiting for a rain.

In several sections of the county some of the cotton was badly blown out, but now they can replant and with the moisture in the ground it will not be long until it will be up and ready to cultivate.

The Brazos river was higher Tuesday than it has been in two years. The cattlemen are all happy, as water holes are full and grass is growing fast.

If we have a few days of sunshine it will not be long until Knox county will blossom and look like it did in 1935, when the bumper crop was made.

DEER FLOODED BY CREEKS ON RAMPAGE

Snyder, June 20.—Two hundred or more persons were believed homeless early today after creeks on each side of Snyder's business district left their banks.

The muddy, swirling waters swept away two bridges over Deep creek, both steel structures that had withstood minor floods for a number of years.

Darkness and high waters hampered rescuers, but it was believed there was no loss of life. Many homes, mostly small dwellings, were partly under water and an undetermined number were carried downstream.

Waters of Deep creek with in a half block of the court house square on the west and south, and Dry creek was a similar distance from the square on the east.

Many business houses were flooded, and the office of the cooperative gin was floated from its foundations.

The two creeks' sudden rise followed an estimated three to three and one-half inches of driving rain tonight. Both of the streams appeared to be falling near 1 o'clock, but it was feared they might go on a rampage if there had been more rain northwest of Snyder.

Among other buildings carried away was a hut belonging to the American Legion. The flood situation was made more serious by the fact that Deen and Dry creeks join just below the Snyder city limits.

Homes on the west side of town, nearest Deen creek, were the most seriously menaced. Water also rose in the jail, on the south side of town.

J. C. Smyth, publisher of the Scurry County Times, quoted oldtimers as saying the rise was the most serious in the history of Snyder. Deen creek was between two and three feet higher than at any other time in early residents' memory, and Dry creek was from a foot to a half higher.

Efforts which for a time were unsuccessful were being made early this morning to contact Red Cross officials for disaster aid.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Mrs. Edmond Smith and Miss Irena McAnley left today for Goodnight to spend a few days with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kim, Lumbert and Little son spent the first of the week in Alvord with relatives and friends.

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY



Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lea, above, celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday, June 18, at the home of their son, Ulric Lea, and wife.

Out of town relatives enjoying a picnic lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Lea were Mrs. R. B. Lea and children, San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Porter and children, Dickens, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lea, Abilene, Mrs. Hulet Lea and family, Tulia, J. Solon Lea and family, Lubbock, I. F. Lea and family, Levelland, W. J. Mayo, Benjamin, and the West and Carr families of Paducah.

During the afternoon about one hundred friends called and congratulated the couple. The guests were served punch from a lace covered table centered with a wedding cake decorated with golden morning glories and with "50th Anniversary" written in gold on white icing.

MRS. OTTIS CASH RESIGNS AS TEACHER

Mrs. Otis Cash has resigned her position as high school English teacher in the Sunset school, where she has been employed for the past three years. Mrs. Cash taught in the Knox City school the nine years prior to her going to Sunset. She says that after sixteen straight years of teaching she intends to keep house now.

The English vacancy in the Sunset school has been filled by Mrs. Cash's sister, Miss Eva Faye Hutton, who has taught English in the grades for the past five years at Sunset.

DEBT RELIEF GIVEN 148 FARMERS

Dallas, June 21.—Burden of excessive debt was lightened for 148 Texas farm families during May by county debt adjustment committees, it was announced today by Guion Gregg of the Farm Security Administration.

Mr. Gregg said that of the 12 FSA administrative districts in the state a 24-county area in Northwestern Texas, including Knox county, had the greatest adjustment. M. E. Oates, Wichita Falls, is district FSA supervisor.

Debts are adjusted by county committees which act as mediator between debt distressed farmers and their creditors in working agreements for extensions of time and reductions in interest and principal. Most of the families whose debts were adjusted were in danger of losing their land or farming equipment.

The committee, which is composed of local men, meets regularly. It has no money to lend, but its services are free and confidential. Meeting notices will appear from time to time in the Herald.

I. H. Snikes of Lamesa is here this week visiting his daughter, Mrs. Henry Jones.

FORMER QUANAH JUDGE CHARGED WITH MURDER

Benjamin, June 18.—Murder charges were filed here Sunday against J. E. Magee, 67, of Quanah, formerly Hardeman county judge, in connection with the deaths Saturday night of Ray Young, 35, and Floyd Anthony, 26, of Truscott.

Magee waived examining trial and the case will be taken Monday morning before the Knox county grand jury.

Victims Walking

Young and Anthony were killed about 9:30 Saturday evening when struck by an automobile on highway 16 about one-half mile east of Truscott and 20 miles south of Crowell.

The two men were walking along the highway when they were struck by a car which failed to stop at the scene.

Charges were filed Sunday by Sheriff Louis Cartwright of Knox county in justice court before Judge A. H. Sams.

Magee, arrested several miles from the scene of the accident by Sheriff Amos Lily of Foard county, was released Sunday on \$2,500 bond which was arranged by his son, Fred Magee, of Vernon.

Lights Smashed

Magee, supervising construction of a hospital building at Haskell, was quoted by Sheriff Cartwright as saying he believed his car had struck a post.

Officials were quoted as saying both headlights or Magee's car were smashed. Following the accident he appeared at the home of Midge Adcock, who resides on highway 16, asking aid after his car had left the road and gone into the ditch.

The bodies were discovered by Adcock after Magee left. Young was dead and Anthony died en route to a hospital.

Arrested by Sheriff Lily of Foard county, Magee was turned over to the custody of Deputy Sheriff Orvel Capehart of Knox county.

Treated for Cuts

Magee was admitted later to the Knox City hospital for treatment of knife wounds on the throat, inflicted while Capehart was returning Magee in an automobile to the Knox county jail.

Sheriff Cartwright said that Capehart disarmed Magee and took the knife from him in a brief struggle. The wounds were not serious, it was said at Quanah hospital late today, where he was taken following his release.

Cartwright said there was no indication Magee had been driving at an excessive speed, and said he had made no written statement regarding the accident.

Magee, a WPA official at the present time, served two terms as county judge of Hardeman county from 1929 to 1934. A resident of Quanah for approximately 25 years, Magee is also a former county commissioner.

SINGING SUNDAY AT UNION GROVE

The Knox County Singing Convention meets at Union Grove Sunday, June 25, at one o'clock, according to Jewel Tankersley, president of the convention. Everyone is invited.

Mrs. Joan Hutton of Knox City spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Black, at Truscott.

Makes Maiden Speech In House



ED GOSSETT

Washington, June 20.—Representative Ed Gossett gave his support to the Connally hot oil act, which was extended three years, when he made his maiden speech on the floor of the house today. Vote for the measure was 171 to 99.

The senate voted in March to make permanent the statute, which forbids interstate transportation of crude oil and its products in excess of state quotas.

Pointing out in the debate that he came from Wichita Falls, "a town which was built and is largely maintained by independent oil men," Gossett said: "There is not a major operator in my city. One hundred per cent of the independent oil men are for this bill. Many of us, I fear, have not understood the Connally hot oil act."

Against Law

"Hot oil," he continued, "is produced in violation of the law; in effect, it is stolen oil. The pending bill is a conservation bill; it is an anti-theft bill. The senate bill makes this legislation permanent. The house is called upon to make its duration only three years. Certainly, I think the least we should do is extend the life of this legislation three years."

"An individual who buys stolen oil buys it cheaper than he can buy legitimate oil. Profiteering in hot oil, naturally, is opposed to this legislation. I am not saying that all opposition is illegitimate, but I am saying that some of the opposition to this act is by those who want to profit illegally from oil that is produced illegally. The Connally hot oil act is a cooperative measure on the part of the federal government."

Nobody Opposed

He was asked where the opposition to the legislation comes from. Gossett replied: "No one in my area opposes the act, insofar as I know," and added: "The opposition comes from the independent marketer in other areas who buys cheap oil."

Gossett's speech, which was brief, was extemporaneous. He was loudly applauded when he finished it and a number of the Texas and other members of the house congratulated him.

T. J. Smith was transacting business in Abilene Monday.

VETERAN COWHANDS TO ATTEND REUNION

Veteran Texas Cowhands who rode range and trail 35 or more years ago will gather in Stamford for the tenth annual meeting of their association during the Texas Cowboy Reunion July 3, 4 and 5.

The following oldtime cowboys of Knox City are members of the Association: E. C. Campsey, A. P. Oliver, A. L. Lea, W. A. Smith and J. W. Smith.

All members who have paid their annual dues of \$1 have been issued badges which will admit them free at the Reunion rodeo and also to the chuck wagon dinner given in their honor at noon each day of the Cowboy Reunion.

The oldtime cowboys have as their permanent headquarters the cowboy bunkhouse at the Reunion grounds. A new building, "The Roundup", is now being completed for the oldtime dances and will be the property of the association when paid for.

The formal meeting of the oldtime cowboys organization, with election of officers for the coming year, will be held at the cowboy bunkhouse.

Present officers are Lewis Ackers, Abilene, president; Walt Cousins, Dallas, chairman of board; T. G. Hendrick, Abilene, first vice president; G. F. Ratliff, Midland, second vice president; Chas. Coombes, Stamford, secretary and treasurer; B. J. Glover, range boss; Kid Jeffers, Brady, wagon boss; Chas. L. Mays, Munday, wagon cook; Sam Fade, Albany, horse wrangler.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Knox County Hospital this week are:

Mrs. W. J. Weaver, Rule; Mrs. Joe Hester, Haskell; Mrs. Allen Reed, Rochester; Ceceli Roche (Mex.) Guthrie; Baby Lena Faye Reed, Rochester; Mrs. J. N. Cantrell, Knox City. Patients dismissed from the hospital the past week:

Mrs. E. C. Goodrich, Benjamin; Glen Elliott, Goree; Mrs. W. E. Donnell, Bryson; Mrs. H. V. Walling, Munday; Mrs. Raul English and baby, Haskell; Troy Webb, Haskell; G. E. Mays, Haskell; John Kubena, Seymour; Mrs. Walter Clowers and baby, Benjamin; Mrs. Carl Bradley and baby, Knox City; Mrs. Don L. Ratliff and baby, Goree; Raymond Anderson, Rochester.

Births:

Born to Mr. and Mrs.:—

Walter Clowers, Benjamin, a son, June 18.

Carl Bradley, Knox City, a son, June 18.

Don L. Ratliff, Goree, a son, June 19.

Deaths:

Mrs. W. H. Machen, Munday, June 19.

AREA MAN GETS TERM IN PRISON

Dallas, June 20.—A. J. Bell of Stamford, indicted on charges of conspiracy and making false affidavits in a cotton loan deal with the Commodity Credit corporation, pleaded guilty in federal court today and was sentenced to eighteen months in prison and fined \$2,500.

About a dozen other defendants in the case, which U. S. Attorney Clyde Eastus said resulted in a \$200,000 fraud against the CCC, had previously been sentenced at Lubbock.

The House of Representatives at Austin Tuesday voided Senate Joint Resolution No. 12, designed to permit the people of Texas to vote upon a constitutional amendment providing for a sales tax to pay the old age pensions, dependent children and blind of the state.

For five months the House has been battling to prevent the passage of this amendment, offering each time a statutory bill that would meet the requirements, but the Senate refused to consider it, always killing it in committee and never permitting it to reach the floor of the Senate.

The Senate passed this resolution and sent it to the House and demanded that they accept this measure or nothing, but fifty-six noble representatives refused to be forced by the Senate to adopt this method, finally killing it after seven defeats. Governor O'Daniel went on the radio and demanded that the representatives pass the measure, and even threatened them with his veto power if they did not do his bidding. Representatives Isaacs of El Paso, Landon of Glenrose, Morris of Greenville, Cornett of Clarksville and Courtney Hunt of Haskell stood pat and by holding their forces together were able to kill it Tuesday.

The Legislature now goes home after having accomplished nothing of importance, at a cost to the taxpayers of more than \$800,000, and no old age security provided for. This is evidence that no governor should assume the duties of a dictator and try to tell the representatives of the people how they should vote. The House passed two good bills that would raise the necessary money, but the Governor did not encourage the Senate to adopt either of them.

The taxpayers of Knox county were not opposed to a sales tax but they did not want it written into the constitution, where it probably could never have been repealed. What they wanted and still want is a statutory bill that will pay the obligation and let the representatives and senators take the responsibility for the law.

MORTGAGE LAW IS AMENDED

About four years ago, the Legislature levied a tax on notes and mortgages, if the amount involved was above \$200.00. The rate was ten cents on each One Hundred Dollars for all above the first Two Hundred Dollars, and theoretically was to be paid by the party placing mortgages on record. In practice, it was often charged to the maker of the mortgage.

At the present session of the Legislature, this law was amended so as to exempt mortgages applying to farm products, livestock and farm implements. Senator Moffett, of this district, who is the only farmer in the State Senate, was joint author of the amendment.

HORNED FROG SPECIAL RETURNS

The young boys who left here May 28 for the New York World's Fair in company with about 100 horned frogs returned home Friday. They visited Canada, Niagra Falls, and other points of interest before they visited the fair. They also spent a few days in Washington and called on Congressman Ed Gossett.

They refuse to comment much upon the sale of the frogs.

Charlie Hamilton of Benjamin was here Tuesday.

Ine Knox County Herald

Entered as second class matter at the postoffice at Knox City, Texas, under the act of March 5, 1879.

FOR SALE: About 2,000 bushels of Half and Half cottonseed. See Forter & White.

Any 8 exposure roll of films developed and printed and one enlargement for only 25c at Frizzell's Drug Store.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Texas, County of Knox.

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the 50th District Court of Knox County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on the 17th day of March A. D. 1939, in a certain suit No. 2961, wherein the City of Knox City is Plaintiff, and State of Texas and Knox County, Texas, Impleaded Party Defendant, and W. M. Ward and Mrs. Flora Ward are Defendants, in favor of said plaintiff or impleaded party defendant, for the sum of One Thousand and Twenty Nine and 48/100 Dollars for taxes, interest, penalty and costs, with interest on said sum at the rate of six per cent per annum from date fixed by said judgment, together with all costs of suit, that being the amount of said judgment rendered in favor of said plaintiff or impleaded party defendant by the 50th District Court of Knox County, on the 17th day of March A. D. 1939, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said Knox County, I have seized, levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in July A. D. 1939, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court House door of said Knox County, in the City of Benjamin, between the hours of 2 o'clock P. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of said defendant in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendant, the same lying and being situated in the County of Knox and State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot Number 1, in Block No. 26, Original Town of Knox City, in Knox County, Texas, the East 25 feet of lot 12, in Block No. 27 of the Original Town of Knox City in Knox County, Texas; all of lots 7 and 8, both in Block No. 18 of the Original Town of Knox City, in Knox County, Texas.

The last above described tract of land, being the homestead of the Defendant, is only chargeable with the following taxes, which were assessed and levied against that particular tract of land and none other, there being due the plaintiff, City of Knox City, taxes, penalty and interest against such tract the sum of \$321.78, and there being due the State of Texas against said tract taxes, penalty, interest and costs the sum of \$129.86, both aggregating the sum of \$451.64, for which such homestead is liable, the balance of the judgment herein being collectable out of a lien against the other tracts of land herein described.

Or, upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs; subject, however, to the right of the plaintiff for any other or further taxes on or against said property that may not be included herein, and the right of redemption, the defendant or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest herein, at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to the defendant or anyone interested therein, may be entitled to, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment together with interest, penalties and costs of suit, and the

proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs. Dated at Benjamin, Texas, this the 7th day of June, 1939. Louis Cartwright, Sheriff, Knox Co., Texas By Orvel Capehart, Deputy

I GIVE YOU TEXAS... By Boyce House

It has been said that there is a sidewalk cafe in Paris and if you sit there long enough you will see everybody in the world—no doubt, a slight exaggeration. Pretty much the same statement, however, could be made, as far as Texans are concerned, with regard to Austin hotel lobbies.

Over there is Paul Holcomb, fiery, crusading El Campo editor, given the lion's share of the credit for the defeat of T. J. Holbrook, who was the "dean of the Senate", and here comes smiling Charles Devall, Kilgore editor. There's Colonel Ray Leeman, erect and military with his mustache; he's executive vice president of the South Texas Chamber of Commerce, and did you know he used to write poetry? It was some time ago when he was C. of C. secretary in his native town of Mineral Wells and his poems proclaimed the glories of the resort city.

Others: Jim Gaddy Norris, Fort Worth attorney and son of the celebrated Dr. J. Frank Norris; Dr. W. J. Danforth of Fort Worth, past State American Legion commander; Curtis Hill, tall, slow-talking, drol Dallas lawyer, former assistant Attorney General. Lots of interesting people visit Austin.

Glorious is the treat promised by Barney Hubbs, publisher of the Pecos Enterprise, when the West Texas Press Association assembles in his picturesque city, Frisco, on Saturday, August 11 and 12. Among the features will be one joint session with the New Mexico Press Association in Carlsbad, N. M.; trip through Carlsbad Caverns; tour of the Big Bend country, including McDonald Observatory, Sul Ross College and Museum, and scenic points in the Big Bend National Park besides special entertainment by towns along the way. Barney declares, "You won't have much use for your pocketbook after you get out here. Practically everything is furnished except your ability to have a good time in the only untamed country on the face of the earth." To President Douglas Meador of Matador and Secretary J. C. Smyth of Snyder, thanks for a reminder of the convention.

And, speaking of good times, remember the fun you had at Pioneer Palace in Fort Worth in 1936 and '37? Well, when magnificent Casa Manana opens on July 21 for the summer, the Western fun-spot with the stage above the bar will be open too and there will be vaudeville, old time moving pictures (like "The Perils of Pauline"), old style drama ("Curses, foiled again!") and audience singing with colored slides, such as were popular in 1916, illustrating such songs as "Down by the Old Mill-Stream" and "Let Me Call You Sweetheart." And Lou Wolfson, executive director, promises that Karma, a fortune teller only three inches high, will be there, along with an amusing auction, a device where you shoot a gun and take your own picture, a penny arcade, and dancing.

Readers send in the following nominations for the "oldest jokers" contest:

A stranger, strolling through a cemetery, read a tombstone inscription: "Here lies a lawyer and an honest man." The visitor commented, "Ground must be scarce around here; they're burying 'em two to the grave."

An old farmer consulting a lawyer about a prospective lawsuit said, "I'll just give you the facts and you can put in the lies to suit yourself."

Sunday is the only day that most citizens have a chance to go out with their families and really enjoy the use of the high-

ways that their money has built. They go picnicking, visit relatives or just drive around and view the scenery. The presence of big trucks on the highways on that day adds a traffic hazard to the congestion, hence the well-received suggestion of State Railroad Commissioner Jerry Sadler that such trucks should not run on Sunday unless handling perishables or doing other emergency hauling.

JOHN FORD DIRECTS— THIS MEANS SUCCESS FOR ANY FILM PLAY

"Here we go, kids!" This was Director John Ford's formal order to some 350 battling extras to go into action as an infuriated mob storming a jail in one of the dramatic episodes of Darryl F. Zanuck's production of "Young Mr. Lincoln."

The order and the action it signalled is typical of the Award winning director. Ford is noted for the dynamic quality of his pictures. It's axiomatic in Hollywood that if it's a John Ford picture, it has smash!

Ford, who is informal at all times on the film set, is as orthodox in dress as he is in speech.

Sartorially, he is a nightmare to stylists. Instead of affecting the best Esquire manner, he is a standout in Hollywood for his informal attire—usually consisting of an old cap or battered slouch hat, shirt with an open collar, tweed coat several seasons old, baggy-kneed slacks, ungartered socks and crepe-soled shoes.

An inveterate pipe smoker, Ford is usually in the process of either filling or firing his somewhat experienced briar. A moody Irishman, he is considered one of the finest directors on the Hollywood scene.

Henry Fonda, in the title role of "Young Mr. Lincoln," Cosmopolitan production for 20th Century Fox opening Sunday at the Roxy Theatre in Monday, and other members of the cast spent as much time as possible discussing forthcoming scenes with Director Ford because they have long since learned that his ability and judgment are unsurpassed. Featured with Fonda in the cast of the film are Alice Brady, Marjorie Weaver and Arleen Whelan.

Ben Farmer returned Tuesday from a trip to the South Plains, and reports plenty of rain in that section.

G. E. Steen of the Red and White Grocery attended the annual picnic of the stores which was held yesterday at Buffalo Gap.

The Knox City ball team defeated the Hamlin Oilers here Sunday afternoon by a score of 15 to 6.

Henry Arledge returned last Tuesday from Roscoe, where he had been to see his father, who is seriously ill. He reports good rains all over that section.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Coates spent Tuesday afternoon with relatives and friends here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hallmark and daughters of Hale Center spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hallmark. The little girls remained to spend a few weeks with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dobbins of Haskell spent Wednesday with the editor and wife.

Marvin Chamberlain, county clerk of Knox county, was here yesterday from Benjamin on business.

I. W. Walling, who was formerly a teacher in the Sunset school, has been employed as Grade Principal in the Merkel public school.

Excell Berryhill, who has been attending school at Harding Junior College in Arkansas, is spending the summer with his father, J. H. Berryhill, near Knox City.

Mrs. Verna Harwell, superintendent of the Knox County Hospital, has returned from a vacation spent in Lubbock and other towns on the south plains.

H. E. Wall, manager of the Malouf Dry Goods Company, and Mrs. Wall are now taking their summer vacation. They expect to spend next week in Hot Springs, Ark., and other points in the Ozarks.

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Benjamin News Items

Little Miss Gloria Moorhouse, N. M., and Ann of Amarillo arrived for an indefinite stay. To be of their grandpar- and Mrs. A. H. Sams Str. W. E. Moorhouse. and Mrs. G. H. Beavers ed home Sunday after hav- spent the week in Fort Worth with their son, Dr. C. H. Beavers Jr., who is recover- ing nicely from an appendicitis operation followed by pneu- monia.

Mrs. John Smith and John Ed returned the last of the week from a visit on the Plains.

Lewis Meinzer of Childress visited home folks several days last week.

Mrs. Ed Bateman and Mrs. Fred Albright were Seymour shoppers last Thursday.

Mrs. W. E. Moorhouse and

sister, Mrs. Alice Irvin of Mabank, left Thursday for a visit at Amarillo with the A. J. Barton family and at Cuervo, N. M., with the L. C. Moorhouse family. Mrs. Togo Moorhouse and Miss Lucille Hunter made the drive with them, returning Monday.

Mrs. Buel Bowden and baby of Munday spent several days last week with friends here. Mrs. Bowden was formerly Miss Elizabeth Myers when she taught school here for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Patterson had as their guests over the week end Jack and Inez Goodrich, Bobbie Scharff and Miss Gladys Whitehead, all of Longview. Mrs. Patterson and Annette returned home with them Sunday for a two weeks visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. Elmer Goodrich.

Members of the Methodist Sunday School enjoyed a picnic last Thursday evening at the Moorhouse Park. The Adult class entertained the Young People, as they were the losers in an attendance contest.

Mrs. J. D. Goodrich returned home Friday after spending several months in Longview with her son, E. D. Goodrich.

Mrs. M. F. Harbert has been visiting in Greenville and other points in East Texas for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Earl Sams and little daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sams.

Miss Clarene Glendenning had as her guest the last of the week her sister, Miss Edna Glendenning of Big Spring.

Miss Lucille Stephens, who is a teacher in the Dallas schools, spent several days last week in the home of her father, Judge J. A. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Patterson attended the Golden wedding anniversary celebration Sunday of "Uncle Lat" and "Aunt Kate" Lea at Knox City.

Mrs. T. A. Parsons spent the week end with relatives at Megargel, Loving, Graham and Seymour.

Supt. and Mrs. W. C. Cunningham made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Wright were business visitors in Knox City Thursday.

A telegram to the county agent's office Monday from Fort Worth stated that County Agent and Mrs. W. W. Rice are entertaining a little daughter who arrived Monday, June 19. Mother and daughter are doing nicely.

Mr. E. Stephens of Knox City has been employed by the Panhandle Garage. He is very highly recommended as a first class mechanic and we are glad to welcome him as a citizen of our town.

Leroy Bisbee of Paducah, Charles Bisbee of Wink and Miss Grace Fields of Hamlin visited in the home of Mrs. Myrtle Bisbee over the week end.

Ted Russen of Hobbs, N. M., was here Tuesday attending to business and greeting old friends.

Mrs. D. J. Brookerson and children came home Sunday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lott.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Spikes of the Ross Ranch entertained Mrs. R. W. Frazier and daughter of Rule last week. They were joined on Friday by Mrs. J. B. Moorhouse and Sue, Mrs. Lon Morgan and children of

Colorado City, and Mrs. Frank Moorhouse, making a very happy house party.

Mr. and Mrs. Chapman Davis of Vernon visited Mrs. T. A. Parsons Friday evening. Mrs. Davis was formerly Miss Maxine Rickert and has visited here many times.

M. T. Chamberlain and Sonny made a trip to Chickasha, Okla., Saturday to visit Jimmie Chamberlain. Mr. Chamberlain returned Sunday, leaving Sonny to visit his brother indefinitely.

Mrs. Lon Morgan and children of Colorado City returned home today after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Moorhouse.

H. P. Wall and L. W. Gramam attended district court in Benjamin this week.

Frank Leek, representing the Magnolia Chemical Company of Dallas, was here Friday on business. He resides in Stamford.

Miss Mildred Black of Trustcott spent last week in Knox City visiting her aunts, Mrs. Otis Cash and Miss Exa Faye Hutton.

Mrs. O. L. Jamison and daughter left last week for Boulder, Colo., where Miss Yvonne will enter the University of Colorado for the summer.

City Marshal Jim Stephen was in Abilene Tuesday afternoon on business.

Tire and Wheel exchange. Why not comb your present car with 16-inch wheels and tires?—Auto Parts Co.

In Answer to Prayer Or Newspaper Ad— FINE RAIN BREAKS DROUGHT AT RULE

Rule, June 19.—Rule and vicinity was visited by a terrific sand storm Sunday afternoon, which was followed by a two-inch rain, the first moisture in several weeks. Most of the cotton and maize crops were up, but due to withering south winds the crops were in need of rain.

Last Wednesday night, Rev. Clarence Bounds, pastor of the Methodist church, and about 100 of his flock gathered at the church and prayed for rain. Thursday the Rule Review came out with an advertisement advertising for rain with or without sand. It is a draw as to who should have the credit, but the parched country received rain.

Bruce Campbell and T. S. Robbins were transacting business in Benjamin yesterday.

Mrs. Tobe Gard and daughter of Strawn spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Gard.

Sufferers of STOMACH ULCERS HYPERACIDITY

DEFINITE RELIEF OR MONEY BACK

THE WILLARD TREATMENT has brought prompt, definite relief in thousands of cases of Stomach and Duodenal Ulcers, due to Hyperacidity, and other forms of Stomach Distress due to Excess Acid. SOLD ON 15 DAYS TRIAL. For complete information, read "Willard's Message of Relief." Ask for it—free—at

JONES DRUG STORE

KEEP KNOX CITY MONEY

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BY Buying Purity BREAD

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ODIE KARR

LAWN MOWER grinding and sharpening. Why not let us fix your mower up in A-1 good condition with our new Ideal machine, like is used by all lawn mower manufacturers.—O. V. Milstead General Repair Shop, on corner south of Terry Hotel, Munday.

FRESH MEAT and Vegetables Every Day—on the Farm?

"SURE!" says Mrs. Fred Hall, Eden, Texas "We kill a lamb and put the whole thing in our kerosene Servel Electrolux, and have fresh meat for weeks. Fresh vegetables are fresher after a week in my Servel Electrolux than when put in. It saves time, as well as money, also, as one can cook at one time, food for several days. My Servel Electrolux has been in constant use 5 years, at an average cost for oil of around \$1 per month—and not one cent for service or repairs."

FREE
360 SERVEL
ELECTROLUX REFRIGERATORS
AND OVER \$101,000⁰⁰ IN
CASH PRIZES

Six separate contests—one each week until July 2nd—60 gas or kerosene Servel Electrolux refrigerators given away free every week! Come in and get full details.

Servel Electrolux gives farm and ranch homes anywhere the finest city refrigeration. Keeps milk, meat, vegetables fresh for days and days. Plenty of ice cubes even on blistering West Texas summer days. And you'll keep the large tray full of ice cream all the time. It's so easy.

And how it simplifies cooking—like having a grocery store right in your kitchen. Hundreds of farm and ranch housewives in West Texas say it saves enough on ice, and on foods that otherwise would spoil, to make the payments. Send in the coupon for free illustrated booklet—NOW!

612 1939—ALBERT GOODMAN

TUNE IN
P and G
'GUIDING LIGHT'
PROGRAM
WFAA — 1:45 P. M.
Daily Except Sat. and Sun.

Mail this coupon today!

Gentlemen: Please send me, without obligation, complete information about Servel Electrolux Kerosene Refrigerator.

Name _____
Street or R.F.D. _____
Town _____ State _____

SERVEL
ELECTROLUX

RUNS ON COAL OIL (KEROSENE) also on BUTANE or NATURAL GAS—and any Kerosene Model can be converted to use Gas, any time.

- MODERN CITY REFRIGERATION . . .
- No Matter Where You Live
- USES ONLY A FEW CENTS WORTH OF KEROSENE A DAY
- NEEDS NO ELECTRICITY, NO WATER, NO DAILY ATTENTION
- HAS NO MOVING PARTS to Wear or Cause Noise
- SAVES ENOUGH TO PAY FOR ITSELF



"I thought I knew all about automobiles!"

A LOT of folks have had their eyes opened wide by a ride in a 1939 Ford V-8. They just didn't realize how much more value and how many improvements we've put in this car the last few years.

Today's advanced Ford is a product of progressive engineering, fine materials and honest

construction. It is backed by an experience of building far more cars than anybody else in the world.

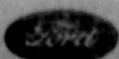
One ride in today's Ford—with its smooth 8-cylinder engine, stabilized chassis, hydraulic brakes—will prove it's the modern car in the low-price field.

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EASY TO BUY

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See Your FORD Dealer for Generous Trade-in



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LONGER JUMPS BETWEEN PUMPS



**BRONZ-Z-Z
MEAN-Z-Z-Z
MILE-Z-Z-Z-Z**

Your Mileage Merchant

**CONOCO
BRONZ-Z-Z**

**SPECIALS in FOOD
Economy**

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JUNE 23-24

Imperial Cane
Sugar, 25 lbs. 1.27

Purason
FLOUR 24 lb. sack 75c
48 lb. sack 1.35

"Double Your Money Back Guarantee"
Special! A copy of this ad worth 10c on either size.

Fresh Black-Eyed Peas, lb. 5c

Folgers
COFFEE 1-pound can 26c
2-pound can 49c

CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP 7 bars 25c

Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 boxes 10c

CONCENTRATED SUPER SUDS REGULAR 25c PKG. 21c

Self Sealing
Jar Lids, 3 doz. 25c

Regular Size
Post Bran, 3 boxes 26c

Dry Salt Jowls, lb. 7½c

Pork Sausage, 2 lbs. 25c

Steak, Seven, lb. 15c
FROM FED BEEF

White Infertile
Fresh Eggs, dozen 15c
GUARANTEED

**C. H. KECK FOOD STORE
AND MARKET**

"Where Quality, Economy and Courtesy Meet."

Roxy Theatre

MUNDAY, TEXAS

Fri. Nite and Sat. Matinee
June 23-24
GENE AUTRY in
"BLUE MONTANA SKIES"
Also Chapter 9 of "Dick Tracy
Returns."
Admission 10c-15c

Saturday Nite June 24
Double Feature Program
CHARLES RUGGLES in
"SUDDEN MONEY"
VICTOR McLAGLEN in
"PACIFIC LINER"

Sun. and Mon. June 25 and 26
HENRY FONDA in
"YOUNG MR. LINCOLN"
The story of Abraham Lincoln
that has never been told.

Tue.-Wed.-Thur. June 27-28-29
PAUL MUNI in
"JUAREZ"
with Bette Davis
The strangest story in all his-
tory.

UNION GROVE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hodges
and family attended a Hodges
family reunion at Silver Falls
Sunday.

The Home Demonstration
club met with Mrs. Brantor
this week. Miss Astin gave an
interesting demonstration on
fruit drinks. A dainty refresh-
ment plate was served to 21
members and Miss Astin.

Mrs. Ulric Lea was called
to Plainview last week to at-
tend the funeral of an uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hodges
of Red Springs spent Saturday
night with Mr. and Mrs. W. H.
Hodges.

The Good English class being
taught by Mrs. Brantor is very
interesting, and we invite any-
one to come who would like to
do so.

County Agent and Mrs. W.
W. Rice announce the arrival
of Miss Martha Elizabeth at
the Fort Worth hospital June
19, weight eight and one half
pounds. Mother and baby are
doing nicely.

With our Manbee Scientific
Steering Equipment we can
make your car drive like a new
one.—Ashcroft Chevrolet Co.

TEXAS THEATRE

HASKELL, TEXAS

Saturday June 24
"WRONG-WAY" CORRIGAN
—in—
"THE FLYING IRISHMAN"

Sun. and Mon. June 25-26
ERROL FLYNN in
"THE DAWN PATROL"

Tuesday June 27
LOUIS HAYWARD in
"DUKE OF WEST POINT"

Wed.-Thur.-Fri. June 28-29-30
VICTOR McLAGLEN in
"CAPTAIN FURY"
with Brian Aherne, June Lang.

Mrs. Byron W. Lee of White-
face spent the latter part of
last week with her father and
mother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe S.
Smith.

Supt. Bridges and family of
the Gordon public schools are
here this week visiting their
parents and other relatives.

Rev. Clarence Bounds of
Rule was here Monday after-
noon visiting his daughter, Mrs.
Bud Gard.

Shorty Youngblood spent the
week end with Mr. and Mrs.
Vernon Bridges in Anton.

Sebo Bohannon and Benton
Anderson spent Monday in
Benjamin serving on the grand
jury.

W. H. Hodges was attending
district court in Benjamin Mon-
day.

Sheriff Louis Cartwright of
Benjamin was here Monday on
official business.

Loge Armstrong was among
the visitors to Benjamin Mon-
day.

Rev. H. E. East, pastor of the
Baptist church, and family
have returned from a two
weeks vacation spent in the
Panhandle.

Acetylene and Electric weld-
ing of all kinds.—We also do
machine and lathe work.—
Auto Parts Company.

Dr. Emery of Rochester was
here Friday and renewed his
subscription to the Herald.

Cecil Coates was confined to
his room several days this
week with rheumatism.

Roy Baker spent the week
end in Lubbock with his wife,
who is attending Texas Tech.

Guy Steen spent the week
end with his mother and other
relatives in Anson.

Hollis Warren spent severai
days last week with relatives
and friends in Merkel.

Brand New Chevrolet Motor
Block Assembly with standard
pistons, rings and pins, only
\$88.00.—Ashcroft Chevrolet
Company.

Gas Gas All Time

Mrs. J. K. Miller says: "Gas on my stom-
ach was so bad I couldn't eat or sleep.
Gas even pressed on my heart. Adlerika
brought me quick relief. Now, I eat as I
wish, sleep fine, never felt better."

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FRIZZELL'S DRUG STORE

Federal

Tires

And

Tubes

We have just stocked a
complete line of Federal
Tires and Tubes, and our
prices are the lowest. Pull
in and inspect this line and
be convinced that we can
save you money.

CASH

Service Station

Ottis Cash, Proprietor

SPECIALS

FRIDAY-SATURDAY

June 23 and 24

Heart's Delight sliced or halves

Peaches, No. 2½ can 1

Heart's Delight No. 2½ can

PEARS, 2 for 35c

Swift's Jewel

Compound 4 lb. carton 35c
8 lb. carton 69c

Bewley's Best

FLOUR 24 lb. 73c
48 lb. 1.35

East Texas Ribbon Cane

SYRUP 1-2 gallon 29c
Gallon 49c

Armours

Milk, 8 small cans 25c

Cloth Bag

SUGAR, 25 pounds 1.25

Tall Cans

Fruit Cocktail, 2 for 25c

Texas Extracted

Honey, ½ gallon 39c

Soap, P & G, 7 bars 25c

No. Seven or Chuck

Roast, fed beef, lb. 17c

Bologna, large, lb. 10c

Pork Chops 1 lb 15c

Pure Pork

SAUSAGE, 2 lbs. 25c

Armours Dry Salt

BACON, pound 10c

Armours Sliced

BACON, pound 19c

J. M. EDWARDS

Self Service Grocery

KNOX CITY, TEXAS

**The Farmer's Store
CASH FOOD STORE**

KRAFTS

Miracle Whip

Salad Dressing 8 ounces 12c
Pints 19c
Quarts 29c

Kraft Cheese, 2-lb box 42c

Kraft

**Macaroni and
Cheese Dinner, box 15c**

No. 2 Cans

SPINACH, 3 for 21c

Pecos Valley

Black-Eyed Peas, 3 cans 21c

1½ lb. cans

Home Style Beans, 26c

Water Mops, each 24c

"Where Friend Meets Friend"