

From The Editor's Window

The Cisco Chamber of Commerce has ordered the purchase of several bushels of the Triumph and other varieties of sweet potatoes now being developed for starch making and feed purposes under the chemurgy program in east Texas, for planting on farms in the county.

The seed will be furnished free to farmers who will agree to plant an acre or more. A dehydration plant is being constructed at Denton, which has offered to process the potatoes for half the dehydrated product.

I believe the sweet potatoes is the coming crop for the south. From the Triumph potato, commercial starch, glucose, syrup, dextrose, etc., are prepared as the result of the new famous Chemurgy which rightly means "Chemistry at work." The greater portion of all these products from the newly found source are exported with heavy duties. We have only one dehydration plant in the United States which is located at Darrell, Mississippi, but others will be established in the near future.

If I were a farmer I think I would specialize in this crop as soon as a market value is established and if I were a capitalist I would be glad to have the opportunity of investing in the manufacturing plants. Economic history teaches us that any coming industry is the best business opportunity available, and those who enter the field early reap the best rewards. The economic problem of the south has been of national concern in recent years, but our southern states are bound to stage a comeback and I believe the sweet potato crop will be the contributing factor.

A Boston postal employee, late to work three days in a row, was requested to explain to Postmaster Peter F. Zague.

He wrote, "I was married last month, and my bride gets lost in pots and pans every afternoon while she is attempting to prepare my dinner."

"The situation is improving, however, as she acquires experience, and as a result I have been on time lately. It seems like rank injustice to have to eat the cooking, then to be reprimanded for being late. Please bear with me."

You may know its getting along toward winter, because the inventors have turned their talents to keeping mankind warm.

The Patent Office sent out patents Thursday for the following: A bed-clothes adjuster—a gadget which promises to keep them straight. A coverlet with flaps—a device which makes kicking the covers off or losing them in the night impossible.

An electric hot water bottle heater—eliminating that horror of the middle of the night when the hot-water bottle has lost its warmth.

An attractive 17 year old girl, who found crime "irresistible," was charged Thursday with armed robbery after admitting, police said, that she participated in three hold-ups because "it was thrilling to be a bandit." The girl, Mary Jane Watson, was captured by chief of police Nuse, as she fled from a house where she was employed as nurse-maid.

Nuse said the girl told him she had been reading detective stories and listening to gangster programs on the radio, "I guess the crime stories and programs are meant to discourage crime," she said, but I seemed to get just the other idea from them—it finally grew irresistible.

This girl's confession reminds me of what I have often thought regarding crime. I believe it is advertised too much. I notice law-breakers pictures and stories carried on the front pages of our newspapers alongside the pictures of distinguished governmental officials, ministers, leading citizens, etc., and sometimes I have looked at a front page picture and wondered just what offense the owner had committed, when to my surprise it would be a picture of a noteworthy person.

I do not believe any more than is necessary for the common welfare should be said about crime. Of course crime never pays, but the mistakes made by lawbreakers seem so easy for our youth to overcome, without thinking that though this (Continued on back page)

Putnam To Observe Usual Thanksgiving

REV. J. MORRIS BAILEY ATTENDING CONVENTION AT LUBBOCK THIS WEEK

Rev. J. Morris Bailey pastor of the Methodist church, is at Lubbock attending the northwest district conference of the Methodist church of this district. Rev. Bailey has been pastor of the Methodist church here for the past two years and made many friends, who are hoping he is returned for another year.

C. O. PASS PASSES AWAY AT HIS HOME IN CISCO SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10

C. O. Pass, who was practically reared in the Scranton community aged 49 died at his home in Cisco, Saturday morning. Mr. Pass was born August 4th, 1890, at Taskwood Arkansas, where he lived until 1900, at which time he moved to Eastland county with his parents, and lived near Scranton for a while then moving to Cisco, where he lived until his death.

He was married to Miss Bessie Eppler, on September 18th, 1916, and to this union was born a son, Omar, Jr., who died September 23, 1920 and a daughter Martha Joe 17.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the first Presbyterian church, with Dr. Gary L. Smith, assisted by Rev. M. H. Applewhite of Sweetwater, after which the burial was in Oakwood cemetery.

He had been in ill health for about nine years. Until the time of his death, he was associated with the A.G. Motor company in Cisco, and well known all over this territory, having been a car salesman for many years.

UNION H. D. CLUB MET IN NEW CLUB HOUSE

The Union Home Demonstration club met in their first meeting at the new club house, November 8th, with Mrs. Ghent White, president, presiding.

The meeting was opened with a song and prayer by Mrs. Ed Johnson. Miss Clara Brown, home demonstration agent, was present and it was also achievement day.

NEW REAL ESTATE LAW ENFORCEMENT PROMISED

The new real estate agents law, regulating agents, making sales of real estate, lease in oil property, or any other dealing in real estate illegal unless the dealer has a state license to operate a real estate office and loan business. No unlicensed real estate agent has any standing in any court and can not claim any commission even if he has made a sale.

The act goes further and prescribes that no property owner can be made to pay a commission unless he has a signed a written agreement with the real estate agent handling the transaction, agreeing to pay him a commission.

F. A. HOLLIS AND PARTY ARE ATTENDING BAPTIST CONVENTION THIS WEEK

Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Hollis, Mrs. Fred Gilson and Mrs. S. M. Eubank are in San Antonio this week attending the Baptist state convention. The convention will last until Friday afternoon.

T. H. West and family of San Saba, and Miss Johnnie Mirtle of San Saba, visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. West Sunday afternoon and Sunday night, returning home Monday morning.

Rev. Clifford Engle of Fort Worth spent the week end in Putnam visiting friends.

OIL NEWS

Spurgeon Sprawls et al moved on the George Anthony, section 56, north of Putnam, where they will drill to the Cisco sand.

John Watts is drilling 450 feet west and 400 feet from the northwest corner of the southwest corner of the southwest corner of the west quarter of section 2. Greene and Owens are promoters.

Will Foster of Dallas is in Putnam in the interest of drilling a 1700 foot test on the Battle tract south of Putnam and south of Johnson land.

Lanham Bros., of San Antonio have contracts for 4 1700 foot tests to be drilled southwest of the Cozart in the Scranton territory.

Fred Hart has well No. 1 on the pump and is planning to drill several others about 2 miles north of Putnam.

CONGRESSMAN OUTLINES HIS OFFICE SCHEDULE

Congressman Clyde L. Garrett this week notified this newspaper of his office hours, in order that people who wish to see him at his house in Eastland may not be inconvenienced by coming on the wrong days. His statement follows:

"Due to a previous engagement which I had before returning to the district I will be out of the office the remainder of this week. I will make an effort to be in my office the first three or four days of next week and will at that time be glad to see anyone who desires to discuss any matter with me. After next week it is my plan to be in my office on each Monday and Tuesday of each week as far as possible to meet anyone who has any matter to discuss. I hope to be in each of the towns of the district some time before I return to Washington immediately after the holidays. On these visits I will be glad to see any one who has a matter to discuss with me and has been unable to get to Eastland."

BAIRD CHURCHES WILL ASK THEATRE TO CLOSE ON EACH SUNDAY NIGHT

All of the churches in Baird have selected a delegation to meet with the management of the show in Baird, and ask that they do not operate the theatre on Sunday evenings hereafter.

Edward Sunderman, student of Howard Payne College, spent the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman.

ROY WILLIAMS SELLS MAGNOLIA STATION TO BEN BRAZIL THIS WEEK

The Magnolia Filling Station changed hands this week when Ben Brazil purchased the business from Roy Williams. Mr. Brazil took charge of the business Tuesday morning.

STEPHENVILLE JUDGE TO MAKE RACE FOR CONGRESS

District Judge Sam. M. Russell of the Stephenville district was in Baird last week and officially announced that he would be a candidate for congress from the 17th district next year. The office is now filled by Congressman Clyde Garrett of Eastland county.

Judge Russell is now serving his third term as district judge of that district and also served Erath county as district attorney before being elected as district judge. He stated he would wage an active campaign for the office.

THE DROUTH BROKEN WITH AN INCH RAIN FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

The Putnam trade territory received a good rain, Friday and Saturday of last week. The fall was about one inch according to the United States gauge. Quite a number of farmers were in town Saturday afternoon and reported the rain general over the community, and that it would be of great benefit to the grain that was already planted, and people who had not planted could plant and get it up.

It began a slow rain Friday and continued through Saturday, however, it did not make any water since the fall was so slow it did not run off. It will also benefit the cattle industry, as it will insure a good crop of winter grass, which will save having to buy so much high priced feed to carry the cattle through the winter.

WELDON CHAPMAN DIED AT LUBBOCK SATURDAY

Weldon Chapman, former Cisco football coach died at the West Texas hospital in Lubbock after a serious illness, which lasted several weeks before his death.

Chapman, who was coach of the Lubbock Westerners and who gained fame as coach of the Cisco Lobos 1923 to 1932. He died at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Funeral services were held in Lubbock, Sunday afternoon and services and interment was at Cisco, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and burial followed in Oakwood cemetery at Cisco.

GRIGGS HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Jimmie Belk of Baird is doing very nicely following major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Edwards are the parents of a baby boy born last Wednesday night. Mother and baby are doing fine.

Billy Griffin of Eula is a patient for treatment of a fractured leg.

Bobby, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Harris of the Bayou community was a patient last week for treatment of a fractured forearm.

Mrs. A. R. McWilliams of Baird was able to return home this week following major surgery.

PUTNAM H.D. CLUB MET IN BRANDON HOME

The Putnam Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. J. B. Brandon, Tuesday afternoon as Achievement day. A business meeting was held. Roll call was answered with a personal achievement.

Refreshments of coffee and cookies were served. Miss Clara Brown, County Demonstration agent, was present and discussed cotton and chickens. The club agreed to sell chances of a quilt at 10c per chance.

CISCO TO REFINANCE OLD BONDS WITH A NEW ISSUE

The Cisco city council are making an effort to refinance their bonded indebtedness with a loan from the R.F.C. They have passed to second reading, an ordinance putting into effect terms of an agreement judgement entered in United States district court last week looking to the possibility of securing a loan from the R.F.C. to refinance the city's top heavy debt on a bases Lear when Cisco can reasonably be expected to pay.

The ordinance, correcting one previously passed allocating to debt service \$1.75 of the city's tax rate, leaving 75 cents and utility revenues for meeting operating expenses. Representatives of the bond holders group agreed to secure consent of their bond holders to surrender their bonds for around one-third of the amount.

Chesley Pruet is spending a few days in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Pruet of Uniono. Chesley is located at Eldorado, Arkansas. While here he purchased a new Chevrolet sedan from his uncle U. B. Pruet at Ranger.

Ralph Caraway visited in San Marcos during the week end.

NEXT COUNTY SINGING TO BE HELD AT OPLIN

The Callahan county singing convention which was held a few weeks ago for Callahan and neighboring counties, at Dudley had, such a large crowd there were not sufficient seats to accommodate all. Next month's singing convention will be held at Oplin, with singing all day and dinner on the ground.

THE HART WELL ON THE WILLIAMS MAKING FROM FIVE TO TEN BARRELS

Quite an excitement in town last week when the well was brought in by Fred Hart and others, when they had drilled through 13 feet of sand, and the production was estimated at 5 to 10 barrels daily from a depth of 592 feet. The well, third producer in the new area, is on the R. D. Williams land, in section 20-46 T.E.L. Company survey, a south off-set to the L. A. Warren No. 2. The sand was topped at 571 feet. Several new wells were reported to

ROY N. FARES BURIED TUESDAY AFTERNOON

W. E. Fares of the Scranton community received a message Monday night that his brother, Roy N. Fares had died suddenly in Fort Worth. Mrs. Fares was in Abilene, at the time he received the message. He went to Abilene, and they left immediately for Fort Worth to attend the funeral.

Mr. Fares was a printer and was connected with the Star-Telegram at the time of his death. He died at his residence, 1012 East Mulkey Street, at 11:30 a.m., about one hour after suffering a heart attack. He was washing his automobile early Monday morning when he went into the house complaining to his wife, that his chest hurt. He suffered the attack shortly afterward.

Besides the widow he is survived by two daughters, Naomi Lee and Bettie Lou Fares and one brother, Ed. Fares in the Scranton community about seven miles southeast of Putnam.

DISTRICT COURT CASES TRIED TUESDAY, NOV. 14

Cases heard in district court Tuesday. Dee Pruit was tried in District court at Baird on a charge of forgery, by a jury and the jury brought in a verdict of acquittal. He had been indicted for that offense by the grand jury, at the last session.

Boyd L. Carson, entered a plea of guilty to driving while intoxicated and was given a sentence of five days in jail and fined \$50 and forbidden to drive a car for six months.

FUTNAM CONGRATULATED BY JOHN TARLETON DEAN

Frank Shackelford of Putnam, was congratulated today by Dean J. Thomas Davis of John Tarleton College for having a perfect department record for the first preliminary of the school year. In not receiving a single demerit for these weeks," said Dean Davis, "you have displayed an attitude of cooperation and punctuality."

The dean further explained that the habit of meeting all engagements promptly and complying with the regulations of an institution was just as essential as the requisition of technical knowledge.

Shackelford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Shackelford of Putnam.

LOCAL METHODIST RETAIN REV. J. M. BAILEY

Rev. J. Morris Bailey, local Methodist pastor for the past two years, has been re-assigned the Putnam church for next year. Rev. and Mrs. Bailey have been faithful workers and made many friends during the two years. The work has steadily gone forward and many improvements have been made under their leadership. The church is happy to retain Rev. Bailey, whose work is not only an asset to his denomination, but is complementary to the city of Putnam and surrounding territory.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roundtree of Berger spent the week end in the home of Mrs. Roundtree's aunt, Mrs. E. E. Sunderman and family.

Putnam merchants are unanimously agreed that the city shall observe the annual regular Thanksgiving date, which will be November 30th this year.

The Putnam schools will also observe November 30th.

Some of the stores will be closed the entire day, while others may open for a short while in the morning. The schools will have a two days vacation.

The Putnam post office will observe November 23rd as a legal holiday in accordance with President Roosevelt's desire that the occasion be observed earlier this year. The office will be closed that day.

COMMUNITY GAS URGES CUSTOMERS TO INSPECT HEATING EQUIPMENT EARLY

Several hundred dirtdaubers in town are looking for new homes, gas company officials report. They attribute the acute housing shortage among the insects to the recent cold snap which brought gas stoves out of garages and other storage places and set them up for use.

"Dirtdaubers had rather build their dirt houses in space heaters, offices, and tubing connection ends than any other place, apparently," the gas men explained. "And when our customers set their stoves up for the winter heating season. They sometimes find the gas won't turn on. Investigation usually shows the remain of a dirtdauber's summer home blocking the passage."

A serious warning was issued by the gas company, urging customers to have all heating equipment and gas piping inspected now, at the beginning of the heating season.

"Dirty, improperly adjusted burners not only waste gas, but are a possible source of carbon monoxide which can result from the incomplete combustion of any fuel," they pointed out. "Properly used, natural gas is as any other fuel, and a few simple precautions will eliminate the possibility of accidents," they continued. "Fire chiefs over the state annually urge gas users to attach their heaters to gas outlet with rigid metal pipe and screw connections, and to have all heating equipment and piping inspected and adjusted by qualified experts. Gas cocks should be inspected and if loose, should be leak proofed or replaced. Heaters should be at least four inches from walls, and open flame gas heaters should have screen guards over them. Curtains, draperies and similar inflammable materials should be kept away from heaters."

"If escaping gas is detected all flames should be extinguished at once and doors and windows should be opened. Gas valves and cocks should be closed and the gas turned off at the meter. Call the gas company or a competent plumber at once, and meanwhile allow no flame of any kind to be brought into the room."

JOHN H. GARNER TO QUIT BUSINESS IN CISCO AS SOON AS STOCK SOLD OUT

The John H. Garner department store to be discontinued, according to a letter put out by Mr. Garner himself as soon as they can close-out the business.

Mr. Garner came to Cisco, some time in the nineties, as a young man and was employed at that time by the late R. F. Davis, who operated a dry goods store where the New Boston is now doing business and later buying an interest in the business, running the business as Davis and Garner, after a year or so he sold his interest, and went into business under the firm name Fee and Garner, later desolving partnership in the Fee and Garner's department store, where they now operate, under the name John H. Garner's department store under the able management of Harry S. Drumwright, who has been manager for several years.

PIERCE SHACKELFORD BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

F. P. Shackelford, celebrated his birthday last Saturday at the Shackelford home. Mrs. Shackelford prepared a turkey and gave a turkey dinner and invited a few friends. Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. John Blake of Abilene, Gus and Bill Brandon, Putnam.

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And this is Los Angeles! It all happened a bit suddenly, my being here. Because Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer is planning a big Texas oil boom picture and because this chronicler has made something of a study of Texas oil booms, there comes a long distance call from California on a Sunday, directing me to be in Los Angeles the next morning.

There is the little matter of driving my car the 200 miles from Austin to Fort Worth and then boarding a big American Airlines

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ship that evening—of thundering winds and blinding like diamonds, rubies, emeralds and amethysts on a jeweler's black cloth; the orderly ranks of gas flares north of Odessa; a fried chicken dinner above the clouds; a few flashes of lightning, and it's El Paso.)

Of course, getting out of Texas was the biggest part of the journey (or maybe it's because we're entirely used to flying by now) but, anyway, it isn't long till Tucson and Phoenix are left behind and then half a million lights flicker below. And so, whisked as if by the magic carpet of the Arabian Nights, we arrive in the Bagdad of the Twentieth Century.

It is a different land. Chinese, Japanese, Filipinos, as well as Mexicans and Caucasians, difficult street names, such as Cahuenga, Figueroa and La Cienega; none of the geers (so I'm told) that have made Milwaukee famous and Cincinnati jealous; brands of gasoline you never heard of, like Red Lion, Richfield, Blue-Green and Elxir (maybe you drink it); an Oz-like realm where there are doll hospitals, a theater where people sit in their cars, glasses of fig and pomegranate juices imbibed through pastel sippers, cigarettes lighted with perfumed matches.

California's golden strand is fretted by the blue-and-silver Pacific for hundreds of miles—but the cafe serve Eastern oysters. The state is famed for its citrus groves—but the stands feature Arizona grapefruit. And a visitor from the Lone Star State needn't be lonely long for there's a sign, "Texas chili", and another, "Genuine Texas tamales."

New friends poke fun at my Southwestern drawl—though I talk as fast as a tobacco auctioneer in comparison to most of my Texas associates. But folks out here say "Diyounaveyourcrr?" as though it were all one word like "Mississippi" or "Mediterranean." (I guess that's telling 'em!)

I've been in the City of the Angels a week and have seen just one policeman—and he was handling 45,000 people. (Talk about your one Ranger and one mob!)

Have you ever seen 45,000 people at one time? They were at the U.C.L.A.—Oregon game at the Coliseum. The place seats a hundred thousand and Chamber of Commerce envoys circulated among the visitors, apologizing for the slim attendance. And when those thousands rose with a shout of anguish, rage or joy, the roar of the crowd was indescribable.

Aside from the thrills on the gridiron itself such a game is a gigantic spectacle. On the opposite side of the vast concrete bowl, the U.C.L.A. student body, using colored cardboard, created Donald Duck (the emblem of the Oregon Web-foot.) From the loud speaker came the delightful quackings and frenzied ragings of Walt Disney's brain child and I remarked to a neighbor: "The fellow's good."

Elfer O'Neal of Lubbock is visiting home folks.
Gene Purvis of Midland visited his father, L. M. Purvis and family.

Mrs. Stella Griffin, Misses Missouri Strahan and Emilee Hembree spent Thursday with Mrs. Missouri Ramsey of Blackwell hospital.

Miss Fay Purvis left Sunday for

Midland where she has work in a drug store. A picnic was given Thursday night in front of the Baptist church in her honor. Wciners and marshmallows were roasted also had hot chocolate.

Esen Fields left Wednesday night for Abilene

indebted to me to call and pay something—I am heavily in debt, hence the request.

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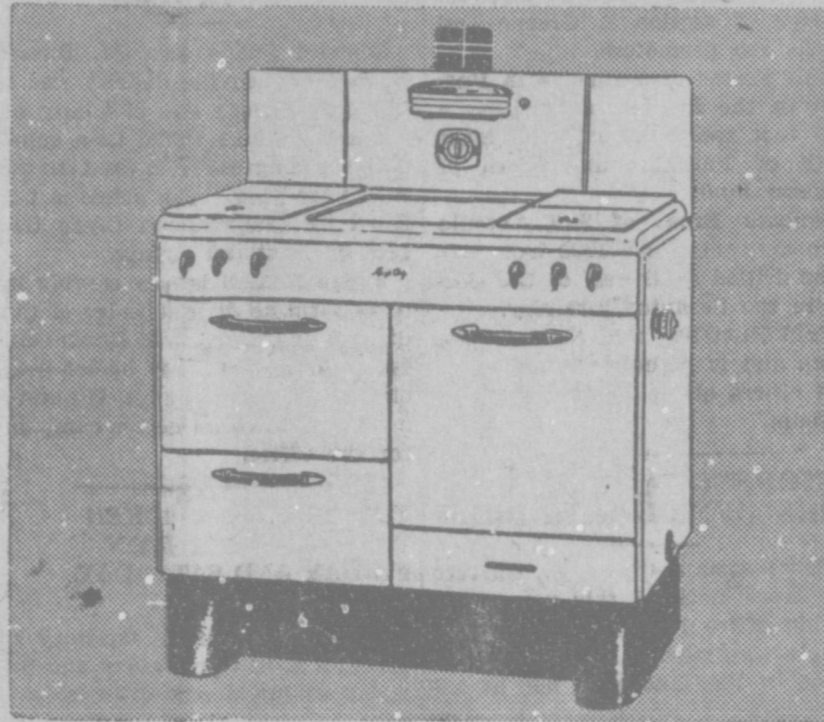
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PARENTS OF R. F. WEBB HAD 50th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Webb of Miles celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at their home Sunday, November 12th. All their children were present. Lunch was served with a beautiful wedding cake displayed. Open house was held in the afternoon with friends calling at intervals. They received many nice gifts.

The children are Mrs. M. A. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Webb and daughters, Frances June and Charlene; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Webb, Marie Webb of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Carl N. Ackers of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Webb of Putnam. Many relatives and friends called in the afternoon. Attending the celebration was the brother of the honoree, G. W. Webb and Mrs. Webb of Miles.

R. F. Webb has been superintendent of the Putnam public schools for the past several years.

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MISS BETTIE SPEARS TO BE MARRIED DECEMBER 2 TO HENRY S. DRUMWRIGHT

Announcement of the engagement of an approaching marriage of Miss Bettie Fee Spears and Henry Sterling Drumwright, Jr., was revealed Thursday at a tea held in the home of Mrs. C. H. Fee, the grandmother of the bride elect.

Greeting guests at the door were: Misses W. W. Wallace, E. J. Wallace, E. J. Poe, A. E. Jamison, Roy Huffmeyer, Robert Mancill, and Mary Jane Butts. Mrs. Elizabeth Lexaux and Mrs. J. J. Butts presided at the bride's book. Linda Fee, cousin of the bride-to-be, presented the guest with the announcement.

The reception rooms were attractively decorated with pink carnations and pink and white roses. In the dining room the table was laid with normandy lace cloth and centered with a mirror plaque surrounded by old fashioned nosegays from which streamers of pink ribbons ties in golden bells extending across the table.

The bride elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Spears of Cisco. Dr. Drumwright is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Drumwright Sr., Also of Cisco. They will be married December 2nd. Abilene Reporter

Mrs. Tom Hamlin had as her guests Sunday her cousin, John Pierce of Oplin; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. McKinley and baby of Hart. Mrs. Opal Kennon and baby Donald Neal of Midland arrived Thursday for an indefinite stay with her grandmother, Mrs. Tom Hamlin.

J. L. Hudson and Hershel Lawrence spent last week in Stamford where they attended a John Deere school. Mrs. Hudson accompanied Mr. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman, Frank Sunderman, Jean Hinds, Earl Sunderman, La Frances Hamilton, Charles Davis attended the football game between Howard Payne College and St. Edwards at Brownwood Friday night.

Mrs. Mary Guyton attended a Christian Science lecture at Eastland Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Vernon Smith Jr. moved to the Williams lease about two miles northeast of Putnam this week. Mr. Smith is employed with his father, H. V. Smith, oil operator of the Putnam territory. Mrs. Smith is the former Miss Mildred King.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Davis of Rotan and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey of Cottonwood spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Davis.

Roy Lee Williams, student of Hardin-Simmons University spent Saturday and Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams.

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The Runnels County interscholastic league has been organized, with Nat Williams as general director of the organization.

Williams is superintendent of the Ballinger schools, being elected to this position last summer. He was employed by the Baird school about three years before going to Ballinger for the 1939-40 term.

Other directors of the organization are: E. C. Grinstaff, county superintendent; director of rural schools, H. G. Hamrick, Wingate; director of declamations E. D. Springer, Winters, director of debates; George Stowe, principal of the Ballinger high school director of extemporaneous speaking.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Williams were business visitors in Cisco Tuesday.

MAN FOUND DEAD AT BAIRD IS IDENTIFIED

Identification of the body found South of the Texas & Pacific Railway shops a few days ago in Baird was made Friday from Federal Bureau Records. The man's name was James T. Gallagher, alias Joe Kelley. His last address was listed as Alhambra, California.

The FBI showed a few arrests for vagrancy but no criminal record. The body though badly decomposed when found, was buried in Ross cemetery at Baird. They are making attempts to locate relatives if possible. The body was found on Wednesday, and it was thought the man had been dead since the Sunday before. It was thought that death was caused from fall play.

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During the hustle and bustle of preparing for the old champing trip to the big game country there is painted in the hunter's mind the exact spot where camp is going to be pitched and near the exact spot where he will pull a head on a big buck and fire his first shot this season. Will it be a hit or miss? We will find out later. The deer country of Texas will be ready to welcome this army of hunters on the day of November 16th and reports are that most hunters will have a chance to bag themselves a deer this season. There is a good crop of deer this year but in many sections the turkey crop is short because of the drought. However many areas are well supplied with this big Texas game bird.

A bad accident can ruin the long looked for hunting trip for a group of hunters very easily. Surely one would not like for his trip to be spoiled by one of his good friends being seriously injured or probably

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error is not made, some other probably worse one will be made, as those who commit offense against right invariably leave their loop hole.

—M.Y.

TWO PLEAD GUILTY IN BAIRD COURT MONDAY

Pleas of guilty in two criminal cases were heard in 42nd district Monday by Judge Milbourn Long. R. V. Gillespie of Houston was sentenced to two years in prison on a swindling charge and C. M. Gresham of Putnam received a five year suspended sentence for burglary, in the Union community several months ago.

Trial of George E. Morris of Abilene under an indictment on a charge of driving while intoxicated, was re-set for Monday, November 20 by the court when informed the defendant was ill.

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