

From The Editor's Window

State Fair Breaks All Time Record

The State Fair of Texas ended this year with an attendance of 1,036,938, eight thousand more than have ever attended before. The southwest were given the greatest livestock show ever seen, which was headed by the National Hereford Show.

Livestock leaders are now planning a "bigger and better show for next year."

Broomweed Displayed

An enormous broomweed has been displayed this week in the window of the G. P. Gaskins grocery which is a beautiful sight to behold, even though the broomweed is not generally advertised for its beauty. The weed had an unusual spread of about 3 feet in diameter, literally a mass of small yellow flowers. The weed was observed by J. F. Rawson who wondered if anyone else would consider it beautiful, and they did.

Thanks, Mr. Gilbert

The Putnam News
Putnam, Texas

I want to thank you for copy of your interesting paper received today which among other items carried notice of "Birthday" Gathering at Cisco.

Being a publisher may not be all sunshine, joy and Johnny-jump-ups, but those of us tractable and gentle readers never the less think so, and puff with pride at our native being spread out before the great reading world, Thanks.

Press Ads Bring Results Since 1905

"Emulate the mosquito," He doesn't wait for an opening—he bores right in.

That was the advice offered in a recent Hart Schaffner & Marx "editorial" to all its dealers, suggesting campaign—and then boring in.

Consistency of advertising and much advertising has always been the advice of Hart Schaffner and Marx. Although Hart Schaffner and Marx is one of the largest national advertisers in the field, a major portion of the total advertising is done by their dealers in local newspapers.

If's the local ads Mr. Public sees in his local paper every day, said Mr. Richer, that causes him to say "Well, Martha, I see Merritt-Nubours has some new Hart Schaffner and Marx suits. I guess I'd better get one now."

Hart Schaffner & Marx was the first national advertiser of men's clothing. In 1905 that expenditure was called "idiotic," "throwing away good profits," "due to speedy failure of policy as well as firm." Advertising, however, enabled large scale production and lowered cost. "Newspaper advertising is a virtual necessity," said Mr. Richer. "If a firm expects to stay in business—and grow. Business doesn't stand still—it either moves forward or backward. And it's through newspaper advertising that a firm keeps old customers and makes new ones and keeps their reputation for progressive ideas and quality merchandise."

The Sweet Potato Coming to Front

Dr. Wilson of NTSTC in his discussion upon Chemurgy last Thursday night at Cisco stated that it is time the south started thinking. He said, we have been raising corn here because it has been successful in the middle west, and we have been followers. Instead of raising corn we can raise a sweet potato which has 85 per cent food value, compared to 65 of corn.

"The potato goes through a process of dehydration and a number of valuable products such as commercial starch, mucilage, glucose, etc., are obtained. A residue is left known as the dehydrated potato, which is the best livestock food available. The ordinary potato sold products about 100 bushels of the dehydrated potato which keeps indefinitely. A market value will be established soon according to authorities.

You must hear and see the famous Dr. Gaffney in his two hour performance when he presents many of the latest and most baffling illusions and mysteries in modern times. Tuesday night at 7:45, high school auditorium.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Emmons Held Wednesday

Funeral for Mrs. T. B. Emmons, 71, whose death occurred at 3:35 at Baird Tuesday afternoon was conducted at the First Baptist church there Wednesday afternoon. She was the wife of "Uncle T" Emmons, veteran cafe proprietor to whom she was married 49 years ago.

The rites were conducted by the Rev. Joe Maves, former Baptist minister, assisted by the Rev. A. A. Davis, of the Baptist church, and the Rev. Hamilton Wright of the Baird Methodist church.

Burial was made in Ross cemetery.

Mrs. Emmons was born Florell Anna Barnes, April 26, 1868, at Pleasant Hill, Mo. She emigrated to Hunt county, Texas, at the age of 17.

She and "Uncle T" came to Callahan county in 1900, and six years later he established a cafe known throughout West Texas for its chili.

Mrs. Emmons suffered a stroke about ten days ago.

Survivors other than her husband are a sister, Mrs. Josie Gray of Hunt county, and a daughter, Mrs. Frankie Miller of Baird.

She had been a member of the Baptist church 50 years.

\$6,000,000 TO BE PAID OUT WITHIN 12 MONTHS ON ROADS OVER THE STATE

It is estimated that more than \$6,000,000 will be turned loose in Texas' Texas counties within the next twelve months, based on estimates by the county and district road bond board.

Officials Wednesday the payment probably will be completed by Sept. 1, 1940, and that \$3,000,000 revolving fund will be retained as required by the road bond law as amended at the last general session of the legislature. The fund is financed by one cent of the four cent state gasoline tax.

PLAZA THEATER HAS NEW POLICY

The Plaza Theater of Baird announces a new policy for their shows, which became effective November 1st. The box office opens daily at 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. There is a special school student show every day.

Bargain days are arranged for Friday matinee, Friday night, and Saturday matinee Friday night, and Saturday matinee, with admission prices being 5c and 15c.

Every Saturday there will be a treat for all which is the OWL SHOW at 11:00, FREE. Come at 10 p.m. and see the regular Saturday program, and stay for Owl Show, which is guaranteed for every Saturday night.

UNION DEMONSTRATION CLUB ELECTED OFFICERS

The Union Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. J. E. Johnson Wednesday, October 25th. Mrs. J. A. Yarbrough, president; presided. New officers were elected who are: Mrs. Ghent White, president; Mrs. Emmett Wood, vice-president; Mrs. Nuel Odell, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. EH Grothe, council member; Mrs. Ennis Qualls, reporter.

Mrs. Jewel Ellis was honoree at a shower receiving many nice gifts. Visitors from Cottonwood, Baird, Moran and Byers were welcomed.

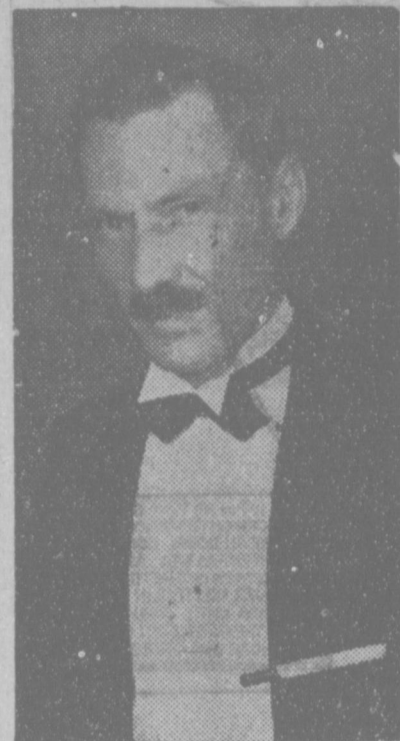
HENRY ORR'S DRUG STORE AT ODESSA BURLARIZED

From the Odessa News Times. We learn that the Henry Orr drug store was broken into Sunday night and robbed of \$170 in cash taken from the safe, 1,500 cigarettes and many other small items. If we are not mistaken this makes the third time Orr's drug store has been robbed since he moved to Odessa about three years ago.

Several packages of chewing gum were found scattered in the alley back of the drug store, seeming to imply that the robbers arrived at leisure and departed in haste.

The burglar broke a door open to gain admittance and evidently used a crow-bar or some type of pick to open the safe the paper continued. Mr. Orr was formerly in the drug business in Putnam moving from here to Stanton and then on to Odessa about three years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Park are parents of a baby son born at Cisco, October 19th. The baby has been named Weldon Lee.



MASTER MAGICIAN APPEAR IN PUTNAM

What promises to be the outstanding entertainment feature of the season in Putnam, is the presentation Tuesday night, November 7th, by the parent teachers association of Dr. Gaffney and his own company in an amazing and spectacular performance of Oriental Magic. 40% of the proceeds will go to the parent teachers association of the local schools. Besides raising funds it is the desire of the club to offer something different to the community in the way of entertainment. It was with this idea in mind that they engaged this noted entertainer.

Dr. Gaffney has recently returned from a trip to the Orient and the Far East where he studies under some of the Hindu magicians of which India is famous, and on this tour is presenting something that will be remembered for a long time to come. Get your tickets and come out. Performance begins at 7:30 p.m. Admission is 10 and 15c.

PUTNAM HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Sophomore News

Well, well, look who's here folks. The Sophomore class of '39 and '40 are here again bringing with them a lot of exciting news. The Sophomore class elected officers Wednesday, October 25th. This year's officers are:

Odie Stephens, president; Lee Rutnerford, vice-president; La Juan Gunn, secretary-treasurer; F. L. Armstrong, law and order.

We expect to make a lot of progress in the way of a well organized class.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nelson and Allen Nelson of Putnam and Mrs.

Miss Geneva Eubank spent a few days in the home of her sister, Mrs. F. Webb and Mr. Webb this week.

EASTLAND COUNTY HAS GINNED ONLY 313 BALES COTTON TO OCTOBER 1st

According to the government census report on the amount of cotton ginned, prior to November 1st, Eastland county had only ginned 313 bales, as compared with 84 to same date last year. H. R. House, manager of the Rising Star gin, stated that he had ginned 65 bales, and would gin 15 to 20 bales more before closing for the season. The Okra gin has ginned 49 bales and would gin two or three more. Each of the Gins turned out fifty bales last season. This makes 114 bales 199 bales left for about four of these two Gins and there is only Gins in the county. Desdemonia, Ranger, Carbon and Gorman.

Eastland county ginned 50 to 60 thousand bales of cotton annually before the crop control program was inaugurated by the boll weevil and the federal government.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK AT CISCO TO CLOSE ON SATURDAY AT 12 O'CLOCK

The First National Bank, of Cisco has announced that it would close the bank each Saturday, from now on. This is done in order to comply with the new wage and hour law that went into effect on October 24th. As for as wages hours were reduced to 40 hours per week.

The cashier, Mr. Spears, stated, "We regret to have to make this change from our traditional policy of remaining open for business each Saturday until 3 o'clock as on other banking days." It is our desire to give the utmost in service to our customers and community, and this change is necessary to comply with the federal law. We shall appreciate the cooperation of our customers in helping us to continue to be of the best possible service.

R. W. EDWARDS FORMER SHERIFF OF EASTLAND COUNTY DIED WEDNESDAY

R. W. Edwards about 65 years old and former sheriff of Eastland county, died at his home at Okra, early Wednesday morning. Edwards death was unexpectedly having been in good health up to the time of his death.

Edwards had accumulated several hundred acres of land, in Eastland county and worth considerable money at the time of his death.

Glenda Stubblefield, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Stubblefield of the La Rue Beauty Shop has returned home from a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Stubblefield of Hobbs, New Mexico.

Dr. Gaffney, master magician will present some of his unusual performances at the high school auditorium in Putnam, Tuesday night, November 7th. You will not be disappointed.

GRIGGS HOSPITAL NOTES

C. C. Blakeley of Baird underwent an appendicitis operation Sunday night. He is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crutchfield Jr., of Baird are parents of a baby girl born October 24th. Mother and baby returned home Friday.

Mrs. Rob Walker of Baird, route was able to return home Friday following a major surgery.

Mrs. Don Higgins of Admiral was able to return home Friday following an appendicitis operation.

J. W. Loper of Baird was able to return home Friday following an appendicitis operation.

Ray Howe of Eula returned home last Wednesday following major surgery.

METHODIST CALENDAR

Sunday, November 5:
10:00 a.m.—Church School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
6:30 p.m.—Young People's Epworth League.
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship.
Monday, November 6:
Report to annual conference be made.
Tuesday, November 7:
7:30 p.m.—Oil Belt Union of Epworth Leagues will meet at Putnam.
Wednesday, November 8:
2:00 p.m.—Opening session of Central Texas annual conference at Fort Worth.
J. Morris Bailey, pastor.

42nd DISTRICT COURT CONVENED AT BAIRD ON MONDAY REGULAR TERM

The fall term of the 42nd district court convened Monday, at Baird with about the usual docket, with Judge Milbourne Long presiding.

There are only about two important suits to come before this term of the court. One is the City of Baird vs. West Texas Utilities Company. The city of Baird has alleged that the Utilities Company failed to make reports to the city as required by statute, and are asking \$40,000 damages. The other is the City of Baird vs. Baird Sewer Company, charging that the Sewer Company had failed to make reports to the Utilities and about the same amount is being asked from the Utilities company.

MORE COTTON GINNED THIS YEAR THAN LAST

Census report shows that 2,639 bales of cotton were ginned in Callahan county from the crop of 1939 prior to October 18, as compared with 1,231 bales for the crop of 1938.

PUTNAM TO REFINANCE WATER BONDS VOTED IN 1926 AT LOWER INTEREST

The Putnam water bonds voted in 1926, have finally been refinanced after about 18 months work getting the holders signed up to go ahead. The agreements, as outlined to refinance. The City is to issue bonds to the amount of the old bonds that were voted in 1926. There is more than ten thousand dollars of accrued interest that has not been paid. This interest will be canceled and the interest on the new bonds will be 2 per cent for the first five years, 2 1/2 per cent the next five years, and 3 per cent the next ten years, with an increase to 3 1/2 per cent the last ten years making thirty years.

We were paying 6 per cent on the old bonds, which equaled \$1,890 per year interest, and nothing in the sinking fund. With the new issue the interest will be \$560 and a sinking fund of about \$930 making a total of only \$490 to pay the interest and create a sinking fund to retire the bonds at maturity, this is \$370 less than was taking to pay the interest on the old bonds. The city council will go over all renditions as soon as the new bonds are issued and renew and equalize the valuations. The valuations are \$176,000 at present, which is to high as there is much property being rendered to high. The council thinks the valuation can be reduced by about 30 per cent and have sufficient funds for interest and sinking fund. They think the valuation will be around \$136,000 and at the present rate it will bring in about \$1750 which will leave a balance of about three hundred dollars to take care of delinquents.

LOWERING THE PRICE INCREASED THE SALES 400% THE FIRST DAY

C. C. Elzay who has a small farm about one mile east of Putnam, was in town Monday, and in talking about the sale of his produce, said, "I was bringing in tomatoes, and they were being sold at 7.5 cents per pound, and I was only selling about ten pounds per day, and the tomatoes were rotting so I told the merchant to cut the price, that I was going to reduce my price to him by one half, and he could still maintain his profit, if he desired. I thought the volume would be worth more than the price." He said he left ten pounds about the usual amount, and about 12 o'clock he sent me word to bring in about twenty pounds more he had sold out. When the price was cut, my sales increased from ten pounds to fifty and sixty pounds per day and I could sell them as fast as they ripened. He says, "This explodes the theory of scarcity and high prices." Mr. Elzay does not think there is any over production of anything, and if prices of everything were reduced, and everything put on a parity basis there would be no need for any crop control.

THREE YEAR OLD GIRL FOUND AFTER WANDERING OFF MORE THAN A MILE

J. B. Eubank was in town Tuesday, and they had quite a little excitement at his place Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Willbanks of Cisco, had been down in Deep Creek picking up pecans, and returned by the way of Mr. Eubank's Mrs. Willbanks father, and when they stopped their daughter Katie about three years old was on the back seat of the car asleep. They went in on their visit, and stayed about two hours, and when they returned to the car to go home Katie was gone, and could not be found. They started out hunting for her, but before they had turned in any alarm to outsiders, one of the neighbors, Byron Lee living on a lease about one mile from the Eubank home brought her in. She had wandered more than a mile through the pastures, before she reached the Lee home. Mr. Lee said, "I heard a noise at the front door, and then at the back door and he went out to see what it was and it was the little girl, wanting in." She had just passed the Melvin Stewart house a few minutes before going to the Lee's home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith and baby of Vernon spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Hulian Smith.

Beulah Burns Williams left this week for Seagraves where he will be employed in carpenter work near there.

Petit Jurors Are Chosen For Third Week Of Court

List of petit jurors chosen for the third week of the October term of district court was announced this week from the office of sheriff C. R. Nordyke. Said jurors all to appear on Monday, November 13.

The list is as follows: R. P. Stephenson, route 1, Clyde; Clyde D. Sims, Cross Plains; J. C. Clements, Putnam; D. Young, Baird; W. J. Sipes, Cross Plains; Fred Hart, Baird; Albert Gardner, route 1, Clyde; S. S. Harville, route 1, Ovalo; Clarence Bush, route 1, Cross Plains; Curtis Jones, Baird; James J. Osborn, route 1, King Betcher, route 2, Clyde; Carlos McDermitt, Cross Plains; L. W. Placke, Cross Plains; G. C. Welch, route 5, Abilene; L. L. Ford, Baird; S. N. Foster, route 4, Cisco; G. H. Tankersley, Baird; J. L. Bryant, route 1, Baird; Ernest Gillit, Baird; Afton C. Adams, Cross Plains; H. E. Clemer, route 1, Abilene; Dave Lee, Cross Plains; F. B. Long, Cross Plains; Don F. McCall, Cross Plains; S. H. Plowman, route 2; Baird; S. L. McElroy, Baird; J. W. Lambert, Oplin; S. C. Walker, route 1, Baird; Bryan Bennett, Cross Plains; Leonard Ingram, Cottonwood; Porter J. Davis, Cross Plains; Herman Betcher, Oplin; Ernest Higgins, route 1, Baird; W. B. Baldwin, Cross Plains; L. A. Covey, route 2, Clyde; John A. McKee, route 1, Clyde; W. O. Tatom, Putnam; Leo Baum, route 1 Cross Plains; Olef Appleton.

T. F. MERCER CHAMPION TURNIP GROWER IN THE PUTNAM TERRITORY 1039

T. F. Mercer is the champion turnip grower in this community this year. He came into the News office last week with a turnip, that measured five and one half inches in diameter, and about 15 inches around. He raised this turnip in his garden here in town. He said, "I planted the seed about the 10 of August, and only had one rain since he planted. However, he has city water and watered the patch every few days, with the result that he had sold four or five dollars worth of turnips to other people besides he having all he wanted for home use. The turnip brought to the News office weighed one pound and 14 ounces.

CALLAHAN COUNTY GRAND JURY CONVENED MONDAY

The Callahan County grand jury organized Monday morning and began investigation law violations in Callahan county, after having been charged by Judge Milbourne Long. Docket for the fall term of the court was called and cases set for hearing.

Set for hearing Monday, November 6th, is the suit of the city of Baird against the West Texas Utilities Company, which grew out of a dispute regarding a municipal light plant to be constructed in Baird. Criminal cases are docketed for hearing on Monday of the third week being November 13.

The grand jury was organized with A. R. Dyer as foreman. Other members are R. L. Clinton, Putnam, secretary; L. R. Hughes, Olin Montgomery, R. H. Morrissett, F. L. Smith, C. M. Morse, F. A. Bouchette, Vernon Spencer, E. J. Barton, E. A. Franke and John Berry.

MISS EDITH LEWIS HONORED AT H.S.U.

Edith Lewis daughter of Judge and Mrs. L. B. Lewis a student in Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene took a leading part last week in a play sponsored by the speech department of the school. Miss Lewis played the role of "Emily Webb" in the three act play "Our Town" by Thornton Wilden. Miss Lewis is an outstanding member of the H.S.U. students body president of dramatic club society of the school. She is also being sponsored as university queen, by the senior class of which she is a member.

PUTNAM GIN CLOSES SEASON LAST WEEK

The Farmers gin closed in Putnam, last week having ginned 320 bales for the season as against 248 bales for the 1938 season. This is about 75 bales more than was ginned in 1938. The average yield has much better than last year, and the grade and staple were also better. Most cotton this year had a staple of 7-8 to 15-16 and very little short cotton.

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the editor.

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Respect, and any kind of enter-
tainments where admission fee or
other monetary consideration is
charged, will be charged for at

* Wild - Life *

One of the greatest of all organ-
ized forces working in Texas for
the increase of Texas wildlife re-
sources is the wildlife research
units. There are really two of such
units working in Texas today. One
of them is located at College Sta-
tion, the Texas Cooperative Wild-
life Research Unit. This is one of
ten such units that is working in
the United States, and is operat-
ed in cooperation with the Texas
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sion and the Bureau of Biological
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of Interior.

Dr. Walter P. Taylor, Senior
Biologist of the Survey, is in
charge of this unit. The Texas
Game, Fish and Oyster Commis-
sion is now operating its own re-
search unit under the terms of
the Pittman Robertson act of our
National Congress. We have a
number of trained biologist work-
ing over the entire state. Also the
Game Department has recently or-
ganized a research unit to work on
inland fresh waters for the pur-
pose of studying the water and find
out what may be done to aid the
increase of fresh water fish, so
that they may more nearly meet
the great demand that is placed
on them by the anglers of this
state.

The main object of all these re-
search units is for the sole purpose
of furnishing you, the hunter or
fisherman, with more and better
game to hunt and more fish for the
angler to catch. This object can-
not be near accomplished without
the whole cooperation on the part
of the public to work with these
agencies.

These units are studying the
many wildlife species of Texas,
their present range and former
range. They are trying to find out
what might be done on our Texas
farms and ranches to increase the
carrying capacity for wildlife and
what might be done on former
ranges of the species to restore
them to these areas.

Principal Hunting Seasons

Dove season in the north zone
closes on October 31 and in the
southern zone the season closes
on November 15. Bag limit and
possession limit on both moun-
taining and white winged doves is 15,
Brown, Coleman, Comanche and
Runnels counties are included in
the south zone.

The season on ducks and geese
is from November 15 to Decem-
ber 29. Bag limit on ducks is 10
per day and the possession limit
is 25. Canvasback, red head, buff-
head, ruddy duck, limit of three
of one kind or an aggregate of
three, and the possession limit on
these ducks is 6 of any one kind
or an aggregate of 6. Geese bag
limit is four per day or eight in
possession.

PIONEER LADY HEADS
P. T. A. WORK FOR 17
WEST TEXAS COUNTIES

Mrs. L. C. Cash, of Pioneer, has
been named president of the Fort
Worth district Parent-Teacher, As-
sociation, which comprises 17
counties. She will served for a
tenure of two years.

Mrs. Cash has been prominent
in Parent-Teacher work in this
section of the state for a number
of years, having held many offices
in the district association, been
instrumental in the organization of
a number of P.T.A. chapters, and
a favorite speaker at P.T.A. gather-
ings throughout the Fort Worth
district.

FORMER CROSS PLAINS
BARBER TO HEAD STATE
BARBERS ASSOCIATION

Albert R. Gatlin, formerly of
Cross Plains and now of Houston,
was named president of the Texas
Association of Journeymen Barbers,
which closed Tuesday of last week.
Mr. Gatlin is also president of the
barber's union at Houston, which
position he has held for the past
two years.

John Strother, tailor and hatter,
has returned after spending three
months visiting his daughters,
Mmes. B. L. Tabb, and C. A. Wig-
gins of Detroit, Michigan; Mrs. J.
O. Deckman and son, W. J. Strother
of Kansas City. Mr. Strother re-
ports a grand vacation and many
interesting sights seen.

GAS GAS ALL TIME

Mrs. Jas. Filler says: "Gas on
my stomach was so bad I couldn't
eat or sleep. Gas even seemed to
press on my heart. Adlerika
brought me quick relief. Now, I eat
as I wish sleep fine, never felt
better."

Y. A. ORR'S DRUGS
Putnam, Texas

Dr. Chas C. Jones
DENTIST
—Office—
Over Dean Drug Company
CISCO, — TEXAS

Stuff 'n' Dates
By Ned Moore
George Washington
was born on
February 11th, 1732
WASHINGTON BORN VIRGINIA
FEB. 11 1732
IT SO HAPPENS THAT GEORGE WASHINGTON
WAS BORN ON FEBRUARY 11th. MANY
AMERICAN COINS BORE THIS
STATEMENT AS WELL AS RECORDS.
THE REASON IS THAT THE JULIAN
CALENDAR WAS STILL IN USE IN
AMERICA UNTIL JANUARY 1, 1751
WHEN THE GREGORIAN (PRESENT)
CALENDAR WAS ADOPTED IN AMERICA.
THIS CHANGE CAUSED 11 DAYS
TO BE ADDED TO THE OLD
JULIAN CALENDAR WHICH
FORCED US TO HONOR
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PUTNAM and BAIRD, TEXAS

W. P. Everett is able to be up fol-
lowing an operation for appendicitis
in Abilene recently. He will re-
main in Putnam two more weeks
before re-entering Draughon's busi-
ness college of Abilene.

Friends of Eugene Sunderman
will be glad to know that he has
been promoted to the position of
principal of the Bedas schools.
Sunderman was elected coach there
at the beginning of the year. Lit
Gray, former Putnam man is super-
intendent of the schools.

Frank Kennedy is recuperating
nicely at his home. His brother, J.
L. Kennedy of Fort Worth has re-
turned after spending several days
with him.

Charlie Shurtzer of Dewey, Okla.,
is visiting in Putnam this week.
Mr. Shurtzer is making the trip in
interest of the bringing in of an
oil well at Strawn where he holds
oil interests.

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football fan takes pencil and paper and, from comparative scores, tries to figure out the winner of the game coming up. And this calls to mind an expression of W. J. Barnes former district attorney of Eastland, now practicing law in Houston:

"A coon can whip a dog; a dog can whip a possum and a possum can whip a 'coon."

It's like the story of the little boy who was given this problem: A frog fell in a well 21 feet deep; he climbed up two feet every day and dropped back three feet every night. How long did it take him to get out of the well.

The boy worked on the problem for several hours and then reported to the teacher, "Give me three more pencils and another tablet and I'll have him through to China by tomorrow morning."

For "color," it would be difficult to surpass a one-time oil boom town holding a reunion. Glimpsed in the crowds at the recent Breckenridge homecoming were Lee Walker of Ranger (brother of the late Breck Walker, chief figure in the development of Breckenridge), who is said to be the only child ever born on a cattle drive up the trail; Bill Little of Hot Spring, N. M., who drilled the discovery well in Stephens County and now owns a gold mine in New Mexico—(he brought back \$2,000 in gold flakes as proof); and "Shifty" Thompson, owner of the Burch Hotel, whose first job in Breckenridge was in a furniture store and the first sale he made was an ordinary table at the amazing price of \$150—and one for Ripley is that, just recently Thompson bought that table back for \$7.

One of the exciting stories told of the Breckenridge boom was that of a "shooter" on a Sunday morning who grabbed a shell filled with nitroglycerin when it was forced back up out of the hole and thereby saved the lives of the congregation in a church house a few feet away. Tradition had not preserved the name of the hero but Edgar B. Davis, who works in the Breckenridge, informed this columnist that the shooter was John Canada, known as "Demp" because of his ability to fight, and further that Canada gave up the hazardous business to become a farmer in Arkansas.

This-and-that: Is Harley Sadler of Sweetwater, celebrated tent-show owner and

comedian, going to run for Congress? Senator Wilbourne B. Collie of Eastland, first man in the history of the district to be elected for a second term, is likely to run again next summer. Some are saying he can't make it; maybe not; but the same thing was said the first time—and also the second time—he ran.

No-Man's Land Beauty Shop is in Wichita Falls. Another odd name: Guaranty Ice cream parlor in Ranger—the origin: the Guaranty bank was located in the building during the oil rush.

From the unpublished autobiography of a reporter:

Henry Helms, leader of the Cisco bank robbers (he shot two officers to death) was on trial for his life in Eastland and I was sitting right behind him. Suddenly he whirled in his chair and his cold, gray eyes gazed into mine. Perhaps he had expected to find that a friend had made his way there, ready to hand him a pistol with which he could shoot his way out of the courtroom, or maybe he hoped to find the chair occupied by an officer who might have been caught offguard and his pistol seized. Anyway, he turned back around after a few seconds.

Atwell H. D. Club Elects Officers

Eggs at any meal was the demonstration given by Miss Clara Brown county demonstrator, to the Atwell Home Demonstration club in their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon of last week in the home of Mrs. D. C. Foster. Following the making of an omelet, baked eggs and egg custard a business meeting was held at which time officers for the ensuing year were elected. They are as follows: President, Mrs. Otis Purvis; vice-president, Mrs. D. C. Foster; secretary, Mrs. Ben Riffe; reporter, Mrs. Sam Jones.

The next club meeting will be at the home of Mrs. E. P. Pillans the first of November at which time achievement day will be held. Those in attendance were: Misses Alton Tatam, San Jones, A. N. Foster, J. P. Purvis, Oris Purvis, C. E. Foster, D. L. Ellison, W. A. Lawrence, J. B. Riffe, J. C. Brashers, D. C. Foster, Misses Luanne Brashers, Mary Foster, Juanita Foster, Clara North Platte, Nebraska who was a visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Buchanan have returned from Woodsboro where they spent the past two weeks. They made the trip, in company with Rev. Joe Mayes of Megargel who led the song service in a revival there.

Don't miss hearing Dr. Gaffney. He will bring something to be remembered for a long time. Tuesday night, November 7th—high school auditorium.

W. S. Jebe has returned from Iran where he has been employed several weeks.

ALL SHOULD GET THE TITLE TO THEIR CAR AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

The certificate of title act, passed by the last session of the State Legislature, is now in effect. The act requires all car owners to have certificate of title on their cars before the car can be sold. It is now unlawful to sell a car or truck unless the seller has a certificate of title.

The County Tax Assessor-Collector is the agent for the State Department of Public Safety who issues the certificate of titles, and all car owners should apply to O'af Hollingshead, County Tax Assessor-Collector and make application. In making application for certificate of title, legal evidence must be submitted, showing ownership, such as bill of sale, manufacturer's of the seller giving a bill of sale to the car he is selling. The bill of sale is still to be given and recorded in the County Tax-Assessor-Collector's office as before and application for certificate of title should be made at that time.

The applications for certificate of titles are sworn to before a Notary Public and show all liens against the car or truck, and show all liens against tires, radios, or any other accessories.

The statutory fee of twenty-five cents is required for each application for certificate of title. The titles are issued by the department of public safety at Austin, Texas, and certificate of title is mailed directly to the applicant from there.

The applications must be filled out on a typewriter or printed in black ink, and the applicant must sign in black, since a photostatic copy is made of the application.

It would be much simpler if all car or truck owners would make application for their certificate of title as soon as possible, by the end of the year, then when they desire to trade or sell their car or truck, there would be no delay in making the transaction.

No certificate of title is required for trailers.

To register a title, to clean a title, or to correct any error that might be on a certificate of title, the owner must apply for a "corrected certificate of title."

All cars have to have the title by 1942, but O'af Hollingshead, County Tax-Assessor-Collector, urges all to obtain the title as soon as possible.

Funeral Services Are Held For W. F. Cave

W. F. Cave, about 87 years old died at his home about three miles west of Atwell, Thursday afternoon after an illness of several days.

Mr. Cave came to Callahan county from Kaufman county at an early date, settling near Atwell where he resided until his death. He was a member of the Missionary Baptist church, joining when a young man and being a consistent member ever since he joined.

Funeral services were held at the Atwell Baptist church, with Rev. Ross Respass and John Foster, officiating. Burial was made in the Seranton cemetery, besides the grave of his wife who died a number of years ago.

Survivors are four children, three girls and one boy; Ben Cave the only son, Mrs. Jim Edgworth, Oklahoma, Mrs. Hamm, Oklahoma, Mrs. W. C. Rose and Mrs. Leon Sikes of Atwell community and the surrounding communities.

INFANT BURIED

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buford Allen was buried in the Putnam cemetery last Thursday afternoon. It was born Wednesday night in Abilene at the Hendrix Memorial hospital. Mrs. Allen was removed to her home in Lueder, Monday. She is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Weldon Park an baby are at home. Mrs. J. E. Heselup who has been with them in Cisco has also returned.

Miss Frances Armstrong visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Armstrong during the week end. Miss Armstrong is employed at Abilene again.

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Two Grease Traps Are Built Monday

Mr. Dolph Hodges, Tecumseh home demonstration club, is the latest owner of a grease trap. Monday, October 16, the club met at her home and with the help of Mr. Hodges, the trap was built. Mrs. Hodges reported Saturday the trap was in use and the subirrigation was working fine.

Mrs. Jud Bratton, Opila had a grease trap built Monday.

Mrs. O. D. Strahan, Cottonwood has a new rock cellar, with 500 quarts of fruits and vegetables on new shelves. Mrs. Strahan says the cost of the cellar was moderate and that it is worth every cent put into it.

The ventilation is so fixed that there is a circulation of air making the cellar much cooler and drier.

Mrs. Lee Payne, Dressy has a lovely display of what a overflowing home food supply means. She has 750 containers of beautiful canned fruits and vegetables. The Dressy club plans to have their Achievement Day November 21, Tuesday 2:30 to 4 p.m.

WORKERS CONFERENCE TO MEET NOVEMBER 7

It has been announced that the workers conference of the Callahan Missionary Baptist Association will meet on November seventh at the Opila Baptist church.

The program for the day is as follows:

10:00 A.M.—Devotional Song and Praise Service, by Armstrong, H. S.U., Abilene, Texas.

10:15, A.M.—"What It Means to Be Saved," by Rev. C. E. Poe, Cross Plains.

10:40 A.M.—"What It Means for the Saved to be Indifferent", Rev. F. A. Hollis, Putnam.

11:05 A.M.—Announcements, Recognition of visitors, and music.

11:15 A.M. Sermon, by Rev. Dean Elkins, pastor Nolan Baptist church, Nolan, Texas.

Noon:
1:00 P.M.—Devotional song and praise service, by Armstrong, H. S.U. Abilene, Texas.

1:15 P.M.— Board meeting, with reports from each department of the associational work. (If desired separate meeting for the ladies.)

2:30 P.M.—Inspirational address by Rev. T. J. DuBose, Abilene, pastor, Eula.

Benediction.

Mrs. Jim Barker, Enterprise Home Demonstration club was elected chairman of the H.D. council Saturday at a regular monthly meeting in Baird with 28 representative from thirteen of the fifteen clubs being present.

Mrs. Barker will take Mrs. Jim Barr, Cross Plains place in January of 1940. Miss Anna Mae McIntosh, Denton was elected as vice-chairman, Mrs. Clyde Johnston, Eula was selected secretary and Mrs. Dixie Coffey, Cottonwood.

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Mrs. J. R. Burnam and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Oran Burnam were in Putnam visiting relatives and friends Friday. They were enroute to Cisco where they expected to attend a birthday celebration for Mrs. Burnam's father.

Spurgeon Sprawls, former Seranton man, was in Putnam Saturday Mr. Sprawls has recently conducted a singing school at Ilex. Mr. Sprawls taught a singing school in Putnam several years ago.

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County Agent's Column

Cooperative Extension Work In Agriculture and Home Economics

Claude Foster of Atwell reports that yields of peanuts in that community vary from 10 to 30 bushels per acre. The usual price is 90c per bushel. Claude also reports that he plans to sow rye on his peanut land to keep the soil from blowing during the winter and spring. Rye makes a better growth on sandy soil than other small grains. Abuzzi rye is a very good variety to plant.

Arden Strahan of Cottonwood, Delbert Mac Sawyer of Bayou, J. W. Finckloth of Midway, and Charley Tom Straley of Oplin, all 4-H club boys who completed outstanding demonstrations in 1939 were awarded free 3 days trips to the Dallas Fair. They were accompanied on the trip to the fair by County Agent Kass Brison Monday, October 16. They will be the guests of the Fair while there.

During the last few days a flood of requests have been received for terrace and contour lines. Terrace lines have been laid off on 850 acres of land owned by; Burrett; Ramsey of Union, John D. Isenhour of Putnam, H. L. Billbey and G. W. Williams of Cottonwood, W. P. Brightwell of Bayou, John Jordan, and Charley D. Starley of Oplin, Lester Farmer and Gilbert Prebank of Euola.

Requests are on file for 2100 more acres with requests coming every day or two.

Peanut Allotments

All Texas farms growing peanuts for commercial use will be given allotment for 1940. B. F. Vance, assistant state AAA administrator, has announced.

Last year peanut allotments were set up for only eight counties. Vance said, but approximately 100 counties will have allotments for 1940. Allotment counties last year were Frio, Medina, LaSalle, Atascosa, Bexar, Eastland, Comanche and Wilson.

Any farmer growing commercial peanuts during 1937, 1938, or 1939, or who intends to do so in 1940, will be given an allotment. Peanut growers should contact their county offices and furnish them with their peanut—producing history for the past five years, and newcomers to the field likewise should notify their county offices. Vance declared.

Allotments will be based on acreage planted during previous years and adjusted for the trend of individual farms.

By commercial peanuts, the AAA means only those removed from the vine for the purpose of sale. Vance pointed out. Allotments will not be set up for peanuts grown for hay or for use on the farm.

Allotments will not be figured until county and individual peanut histories are received and the state allotment is set, Vance said.

The home demonstration club women in cooperation with the county agent put up an exhibit at the Dallas State Fair telling people that Texas is the home of the largest apple orchards in the state, having the best fresh apples and quality products. The exhibit consists of fresh apples in the back ground with apples products in front. Those sending apple products were; dried apples, Mrs. Jim Barr, Cross Plains, apple purce, Mrs. Lee Payne, Dressy; apple cider, vinegar, baked, jelly and preserves, Mrs. Chas. Holden.

COTTONWOOD ATWELL

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Jones of Oregon are visiting her grand-children Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Arvin of Baird visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Varner.

Parker Coppinger of Cross Plains spent the week end with home folks.

A number of people attended the sacred harp singing convention at Cross Plains Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Redden and a group from Hardin-Simmons put on a missionary program Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ellis visited with their daughter Mrs. Grace Hight near Santa Anna Sunday.

Mrs. Pearl Bylee, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Tyson and family of Baird visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Thompson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Coppinger and Miss Eunice Hembree visited with Mrs. Missouri Ramsey Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Borden and Mrs. Homer Griffin of Lamesa and Mrs. John Griffin of Snyder visited with Mrs. N. G. Borden last week end Mrs. Griffin is spending this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorse Moore and son of Breckenridge and Mr. and Mrs. Doc Taylor and son of Brady visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore Sunday.

The H.D. club will meet with Mrs. Dixie Coffey Friday afternoon November 3rd at 2 p.m. Everyone invited.

District Missionary Shepherd will begin a series of sermons at the Baptist church Sunday on "What Baptists Believe" continuing through Friday night.

Mrs. Mozelle Bryan was operated on at a Gorman hospital Monday for appendicitis. She is doing nicely. Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Chick visited at Sweetwater last week.

The boys and girls basketball teams of Cottonwood are wearing new suits. Through the splendid cooperation of some of our ladies the girls have beautiful gold blouses and black shorts. Mr. Holder and the boys have ordered black satin trunks.

Clyde, apple sauce Mrs. Cecil Harris, Euola, salad apples, Mrs. Jim Barker, Eatcuprise; canned apples, Mrs. A. B. Barker, Clyde.

I guess some have been wondering what has become of the Atwell news but I have been sick for several weeks and really didn't care much whether Atwell had any news.

Kellon Riffe from Stamford visited home folks Saturday.

Rev. Garrett Nalley from Brownwood preached at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night.

Garrett is one of our home boys and all feel very proud of him.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Moore from Albany spent Sunday with Mrs. Moor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Millans.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hughs left Saturday for a few days visit in New Mexico.

Mr. Cave or better known as (Uncle Billy) died last Thursday, October 26th. He was past 87 years old and had only been sick a few days. The community lost a very dear friend and a fine Christian.

The funeral was held at the Baptist church, Rev. Ross Respass preached the sermon.

Those here from off attending funeral were: Mrs. Jess Hanon and daughter, Mabel and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wiggins from Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edge Worth and a grandson, also son, Tommy Edgeworth and wife of Oklahoma, a grandson, Harvey Boykin from Gorman also Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Purvis from Brownwood.

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LDR in Red Heels.

Just a year ago the Book Shelf began to find its way into various Texas newspapers and it is with deep regret that its writer must announce its suspension at this time. I have loved writing to you unseen friends each week and some of you I have come to know personally and find my life the richer for such contacts. Only the demands of a busy life could make me forego the pleasure I have found in this column and I hope eventually to resume it. Of course I could grind out something each week between the rush of many distant engagements—I have just returned from a more than one thousand mile trip in the Texas Panhandle giving poetry recitals—but I am unwilling to offer you less than my best and that I am unable to give you now. I feel that I should express my thanks to the many editors who have carried the Book Shelf and to mention especially those boys who have been a source of encouragement to me since its inception; Mr. Jack Scott of the Cross Plains Review who has furnished the tour sheets sent out; Mr. Otto Bordenkircher of the Vignettes Column in the Fort Worth Star Telegram and Mr. Frank Reeves, Sr., Staff Photographer of the Star Telegram who first encouraged me to believe the Book Shelf worthy of a more than local following; Mr. George Atkins of the Bee-Picayune who was first to put Book Shelf on his regular pay roll, and Mr. N. H. Pierce of the Menard News whose flattering comments have boistered up a faltering ego!

Last night the local high school gave a "Scavenger Party" and one of the items to be secured was the signature of the Texas poet laureate. After I had signed my name

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BABY DAUGHTER

Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Durnin of Bottonau, North Dakota are announcing the birth of a daughter. The baby is a grand-daughter of Mrs. Mary Guyton of the Mission Hotel of Putnam. She has been named Mary Ann and is the second daughter of the Durans.

CALLAHAN SINGERS TO MEET AT DUDLEY NOV. 4

The Callahan county singing convention will meet at Dudley Sunday afternoon November 5, at 2 o'clock p.m.

An error was noted in the Crawford's Furniture Exchange advertising of Cisco last week, which we are correcting this week. Notice his advertisement, this week.

Rev. F. A. Hollis preached at Swenson Sunday night. He was accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Hollis. They returned Tuesday.

Elmer Harrison of the Elmer Harrison Grocery has been ill.

some forty times during the course of a long evening it occurred to me to wish they had at least called the party a "Treasure Hunt."

Ami Fanny felt complimented out west this summer because the burros kept following her everywhere. She thought it was because they knew she loved animals and she left the ranch in a ruff when a dude cowboy told her they were following her because they were trying to stay in the shade.

Now comes the blue haze of autumn when the leaves wear scarlet and gold and a smoky mist falls soft on purple hills; nuts are ripe for the gathering and somewhere the syrup mills send out a sticky fragrance. It is the happiest time of the year for families to be together—Parents, do plan one night each week when your whole brood may assemble about an open fire, roasting apples, popping corn, making taffy, while Mother and Dad tell of the days of their own childhood, their courtship, and their first year together. For youngsters will grow up and lose much they have learned but the memory of those happy nights together will live forever to bless and glorify the days of their youth in the family circle.

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