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The Putnam News

"When The One Great Scorer Comes To Write Against Your Name He Writes Not If You Won Or Lost But How You Played The Game"

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BUT MAYBE

AGAIN, LATER,

WE CAN THE

HIM UP

A Home Town Paper For Home People

VOL.7

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, noted explorer and traveler, died the past passenger trains running from Fort week from the effects of a stroke. Worth to Sweetwater. The towns He had been ill about three months. along the road are cooperating with the first to discover the North Pole, city governments and chamber of which event he said took place on commerce organizations along the April 21, 1908, a year before the road. Peary discovery.

Window

Dr. Cook sprang into international fame immediately after his antime later by the announcement that, according to an investigating committee, Mr. Peary was the real discoverer.

He died alone, heartbroken at the age of 77.

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The United States compulsory military draft has been the cause of much battling in the congress for the past several days but will doubtless be passed by the time this column reaches our readers.

Many prominent people and TO BE FROM OCTOBER 7-12 organizations all over the entire country are violently opposed to such a draft at this time, as it seems unnecessary during peace AFL labor organizations have publicly denounced such a proceedure.

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paigns and elections the Clyde En- | erintendent of the division, reports terprise says, "apparently the time that physical facilities of the Fair be put into effect in Eastland about open. He said the hot dry weather has come when the man who can plant are in good conditions and September 1st, according to word was causing it to open before it is put on the biggest show is the one will be better able to accommodate who will be elected to public office. the animals than last year. Ncise and ballahoo are considered Premiums in the farm horses James S. Allen, regional director of last as the cotton fee kept it from more than qualifications and fit- and mule show will total \$312 an in- the surplus Marketing Administ- fruiting early and the hot dry not like the modern method of other classes will include \$440 on campaigning. Qualifications, an palimono horses, \$600 in the herferd understanding of governmental af- show. \$300 in the jersey cattle fairs, and ability to put over a division, \$200 for sheep and goats. public."

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The Texas & Pacific Railroad is making application to the rail-******* ----- ****** road commission of Texas to discontinue two trains. The trains to be discontinued are the two short Dr. Cook claimed to have been the company through the different

Loss of passenger revenue was cited by Mr. Porter assistant to the president as reasons for the disconnouncement of finding the pole, tinuance. He stated the trains operonly to drop into obscurity a short ated at a loss of about \$18,000 last

> Porter states that the T&P will run busses in lieu of train service. The mail will be handled with a combination of train and buss service giving the people about the same mail service as they are getting as present, arangements to be worked out after the discontinuence of the trains.

THE WEST TEXAS FAIR

The Abilene fair will have an enlarged livestock division will time they argue. Both the CIO and feature the West Texas Fair, scheduled in Abilene October 7-12. Catalogue of the exposition, now

in the hands of the printer, will announce increase premium lists in In speaking of present day cam- divestock classes. Knox Parr, sup-

ness for office. Frankly, we do crease over last year. Premiums in ration. There are approximately 300 cases in Eastland county representing in excess of 9000 individuals roworthy program, are the things To emphasize the fact that the ceiving public assistance or employthat should be considered rather West Texas Fair is a regional e.ent ed on WPA projects who will be ian ones ability to extertain the for West Texas people, en- eligible to participate in the protries in the jersey show will be ac- gram, but as the other areas in

cepted from a 16 county area in which the Food Stamp Plan is in er. operation, participation will Recently a young German, 23 year | central West Texas only. This old survivor of a sunken submirine, will climinate professional short- tirely voluntary. made his escape from a British pri-son ship in the St. Lawrence river. Information regarding the live-Under the standard plan of stamp distribution which will be used in Under the standard plan of stamp He swam the icy river in about two stock show may be obtained by this area, eligible families will be hours, he said, then trudged the writing to these division superint- given an opportunity to buy orange muddy roads in Maine for five endents in Abilene, Polomino horses colored food stamps and they can of Callahan county living about four days before he was finally picked Dr. N. T. Ramsay; Herfords, D. H. be used in any grocery store in miles east of Putnam, is reported up. In an interview he praised the Jeffers, Jersey's, Sam Kennedy; Eastland county to purchase food to be seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. American people for their fair Sheep and goats, Harry Holt; | exactly the same as cash. farm horses and mulcs, Henry Artil-

CUT IT NOW!

I GUESS

WELL HAVE TO

ROPE.

CUT THE

MARK BURNAM HAS EYE INJURED ON THURSDAY WHILE CUTTING MAIZE

Mark Burnam living about six ground and stuck a stalk that was accessories. standing in his right eye. He was taken to Dr. Hale at Cisco for Mrs. Jack Summers of Dimmitt for several days before he can retreatment. After examination Dr. high school. Mr. Dodd a son of Mr. Hale stated the ball had been punctured until it would take two or three stitches to sew it up; but the pupil was not injured. He thought the wound would heal without being sewed up, if given a few days time. He thinks his sight will be alright if infecton doesn't set up.

Dillingham, the manager at Abilene, Hayden family. A pioneer family the filling of feather comforts. announced. Dillingham is owner of West Texas. There are six of the Banner Creamery with head- sisters and all of them were there quarters in Abilene. The Cisco except one. They were Mrs. Mollie plant will be one of 23 operated by Brandon, Putnam, Alma Branson, the company in West Texas.

W. L. White was in town Friday is located on 8th street between F latives. This is the first time they had been together in about 40 years. and G. Avenues.

CECIL A. LOTIEF MAKES NEWS OFFICE A SHORT VISIT FRIDAY EVENING

Cecil A. Lotief of Rotan a former representative from Eastland and Press, dispatches 'Tuesday from Callahan counties and a candidate Cincinnatti, Ohio, John Lee Smith, ginned this year than last. The for the state senate in the recent primary election was in Putnam for

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16, 1940, HARLEY DODD AND MISS J. M. HERRING TAKEN

From Castro County News:

and Mrs. A. A. Dodd is a graduate

of Putnam high school with the

Those present were a number of

class friends and relatives of the

bride and groom. The couple will

be at home on a farm south of Dim-

1938 class.

mitt.

ELOUISE SUMMERS ARE TO GRAHAM HOSPITAL MARRIED AT PLAINVIEW ON SUNDAY MORNING

No. 19

J. M. Herring was taken to the miles north of Putnam, in the Union In a ring ceremony held Sunday Graham hospital at Cisco last Suncommunity had an accident Thurs- at 5:00 o'clock in the home of L. day morning suffering from some day that may cause the loss of the B. Reavis of Plainview, Elouise kind of rheumatism or a bad case sight of one eye. He was cutting Summers became the bride of Har- of shingle; where he has been maize heads and stopped over to ley Dodd, The bride wore a redin- confined to his room ever since. cut one that had fallen on the gotem of navy with navy and beige The Dr. states while it is quite painful there is nothing serious; Mrs. Dodd, daughter of Mr. and but he will likely have to stay in turn home.

HOME DEMONSTRATION **CLUB MET ON TÚÉSDAY AFTERNOON AUGUST 14**

The Home Demonstration club met in the office of Miss Eva Moore on Tuesday afternoon, August 13, with Mrs. Earl Rutherford, local nam, moving to Dimmitt with his president, presiding.

A short business meeting was held after which Miss Clara Brown took charge of demonstrating food storage, lunch cloths and curtains. The next meeting will be held September 10, in the home of Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brandon re- W. W. Everett, an all day affair, rize milk, ice cream and ice will Sunday from Leuders where they in which Miss Brown will demon-

be distributed from the plant, Mr. had been attending a reunion of the strate the art of table serving and Those present on Tuesday were Mrs. Rutherford, the local presi-

dent, W. W. Everett, M, P. Clampett, E. N. Hull, J. E. Heslep and Crowley, Lida' Rhodes, from Mid- Miss Eva Moore, Mrs. R. L. Clinton

GOVERNMENT LUNCHES WILL START SEPT., 9TH AT BEGINNING OF TERM

The government lunch project will employ several Putnam Citizens and lunches will be served to students at the beginning of the As reported by the Associated school term. All students who desire may participate at a, minimum cost. Last year there were suf-Throckmorton, was elected supficient surplus commodities to serreme vice-chanceller of the Enights ve lunches to 111,000 Texas student. a short while Friday afternoon. Mr. of Pythias. Roy O. Garber of Dem- for the next session schools Texas Lotief had been to Eastland look- oins Iowa, was named supreme is to receive enough commodities ing after business interest there chanceller. Smith will succeed for the serving of 400,000 students. The government has instituted the lunches as a relief; but as a bealth program. Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Jonnson of El Paso, and Mr. and Mrs. John Mrs. E. N. Hull returned to her home Sunday from Weatherford gerstaff. Also Louis Jeanes and where she attended the church of week end visiting Mrs. W. J. Big-God camp meeting. Mrs. Hull has attended the Texas camp meeting and state convention for the past Tommy Culwell of San Antonio, 18 years. Mr. Hull also spent the who is visiting als grand parents, week end at Weatherford and both Mr. and Mrs. H. Culwell has uncle report a delightful time. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett of Putnam, and Mrs. Floyd Coffey of Cottonwood spent Sunday at a reunion of the Stacy family children John Culwell has been visiting at Coleman cousins to Mrs. W. W. fine time and plenty to eat. He thinks he can go to the next old time singing which will be he'd at Dewey in Taylor county the fifth Sunday in September.

W. L. WHITE REPORTS FOOD STAMP PLAN TO COTTON SUFFERING ON **BE PUT IN OPERATION** ACCOUNT OF DROUTH IN EASTLAND COUNTY

The surplus Food Stamp Plan of handling surplus commodities will and reported cotton beginning to received from Washington. The matured. The crop looks like it announcement was made through | would be shorter this year than weather coming at about the usual time left only a short time for the crop to make. There was about 325 bales ginned in Putnam in 1939 and it doubtful if there is any more first bale will likely appear be-

BANNER CREAMERY TO Mr. Dodd formerly lived at Put-HAVE PLANT IN CISCO. TO BE OPEN BY SEPT. 1 parents in 1938. The Banner Ice Cream company MR. AND MRS. BRANDON are constructing a plant at Cisco. RETURN SUNDAY FROM The contractor thinks the plant THE LEUDERS REUNION will be completed and ready for business by September 1st. Pasteu-

The building under construction land, Pearl Wimberly, from Haskel, and Mrs. R. D. Williams were in Cisco, is 50 by 60 feet and will Mabel Jones from Monday, There visitors be modernistic in design with white were about thirty in attendance instucco linish trimmed in black. It cluding friends and other re-

treatment which has been accorded Karakul Sheep, Earnest Grisham; him.

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On July 31 the Usited States Treasury reported that of the \$45,-000,000,000 former borrowing power only \$965,428,290 remains and this does not include the \$4,000,000- PONPS MADE OF THEM 000 recently granted to finance defense expenditures. This seems naturally arises, what are we going to do when we reach the limit?

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working them and using them as small mill ponds out of them. waiters and waitresses. The wealthy aliens place large orders for ABILENE RECEIVES ITS special foods and drinks with Lond- FIRST BALE OF COTTON on caterers which keep prison officers busy attending to their requirements and the officials are tired of being ordered around by these wealthy captive Germans.

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"A Cavalcade of Texas," a technicolor film show of the early history and developement of Texas, will be seen three times each week at the New York World's Fair. Nothing, in our opinion, would be more interesting to the spectators. Texas has a wonderful history all its own and beside the interest taken in the show the film will be good advertisement for the Lone Star State. After the close of the fair the film wil be released to the public and will be shown all over the United States.

* * * * * * * * land has escaped as long as she known. ha. Probably Hitler knew that she was at his mercy and was only country. Still, we wonder again if he really is in need of these com-

modities with the entire continent and it may be that se really does ed to fall into his hands.

ATLANTIC-PACIFIC HAVE BEEN BRIDGED AND MILL

Men have many of the divine at- vied to spend August 15 and 16 at nighty big to us and the question ributes. Gives longues to steel, Eagle Mountain Lake, Fort Worth. and the radio has come along, and This is the third time he has won community was in Putnam Monday average loan would be 8.9 cents or turned home Sunday. we talk around the world. We this trip. He also states he has afternoon. He said it was getting 56 percent of June 15 parity price don't ':now just where in the thund- won several cash prizes this year. awful dry in his community.

It is reported that British prison er we are going or when we will wardens are asking that their staff get back; but we are sure going. caring for wealthy interned Ger. More new things than the people man be increased. They complain have developed in a thousand years. that the champagne--drinking. Nazi Yes, science has bridged the Altanand Fascist prisoners are over. tic and Pacific oceans and made

ON SATURDAY MORNING

The first bale this years cotton was ginned in Abilene Saturday morning, and weighed 408 pounds. The cotton was raised by H. N. Turner of North Park Abilene. It was several days carlier than usual. The turn out was good with only 1620 pounds of snap cotton the bale weighed 408 pounds.

It was ginned by the Maxwell gin on the north side of town and the manager Mr. Oliver stated it would be several days before the amountof premium would be known and several days before receiving an other bale.

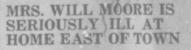
Merkel's first hale was brought in Monday by J. E. Wade who lives about 10 miles northwest of Merkel It is reported that Hitler is now and ginned by the Guitar Cin. The threatening little Switzerland. The bale weighed 420 pounds classed report says he is bullying qthe little middling. Mayor West of Merkel country because he needs and wants is in charge of making up the premtheir oil, grain, and gold. We ium but it will be two or three days have often wondered that Switzer- before the amount premium is

Judge J. H. Carpenter, P. H. holding back, until beautiful little Freeiand, Mrs. Will McCoy and Miss Jennie Harris were all in Putnam campaigning this week.

of Europe to draw from. True he need to turn to the rics mountanous has used and wasted enormous and little country for supplies. At ounts of what Europe has afforded any rate Switzerland seems doom-

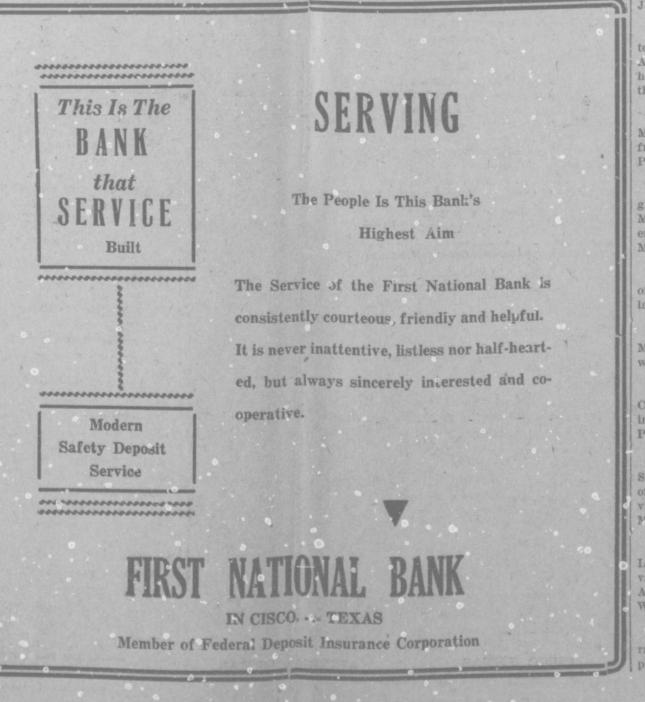
B. F. ANDREWS WINNER IN SALES CONTEST

Б. F. Andrews, salesman for Earl Johnson Motor Co., Bai.d, has been Levelland are visiting in the home ton, while last years 'oan was made advised that he is again a winner of Mr. and Mrs. Tex Herring. Mrs. on 7-8 middling bases. Figuring on in a sales contest and has been in- Herring is Mr. McCool's mother. a 7-8 bases the loan will be 8.51



Mrs. Will Moore an old settler Moore came to Callahan county | was estimated at 11,429,000 bales about 40 years ago, settling on Diuner Branch, where they have lived ever since. Mr. Moore died several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Cathey McCool of on 15-16 inch staple middling cot-



Galber two years from now. Rotan where he is in the dry goods business.

UNITED STATES CENSUS DEPARTMENT ESTIMATED COTTON AT 11,429,000

The United States cotton crop by the census department last Thursday. On this estimate the commodity credit association fixed a government loan of ranging from 9.09 to 9.16 on the 1940 yield, based

cents against 8.30 in 1939. On this his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Everett. Mr. Kerrett reports a Arthur Beaseley of the Admiral bases the corporation estimated the Dunlap of the Hatchett lease recompared with 8.7 cents last year.

wife of Seagraves.

JOHN LEE SMITH MADE

VICE CHANCELLER OF

K. P.'s AT CINNCINATTI

Milton Crosby, J. Y. Culwell and friends of Cisco, returned to his home Sunday.

Jenkins of Seagraves spent the

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lowrie and son Jerry Dale of Brawley Calif., visited in the home of her brother, J. E. Buford and family.

Miss Francis Clements of Stanthe past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clements and friends and reatives in and around of last week. Putnam the past week end.

girls of Galveston visited Mr. and spent the week end in Putnam. Mrs. Tex Herring the past week end. Mrs. Russell is a sister of Mrs. Herring.

of Fort Worth were guest of relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Weldon Park and baby left Monday for Oklahoma for a visit with her parents.

Cisco, and baby Caryon are spend- Vitamin C. ind a few days with relatives in Putnam.

Stamford and son Dr. Floyd Park premium of three cents per dozen of Kansas City spert Monday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mis. Lynn Williams.

Lyric Theatre Eastland spent her for this bagging alone would be bevacation visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. tween 100,000 and 150,000 bales. A. Sharp, returning to Eastland Wednesday.

ployed through the summer.

Mrs. Maurine (Orr). Baxley is visiting her father Y. A. Orr. She has been here for several days. ton, and Miss Bobbie Clements of When asked how long she had been Abilene have been visiting in the in Putnam, she stated, I have been home of Mr. and Mrs. Tex Herring here for two weeks. She spend the summer here.

Mrs. L. L. Williams and children Mr. and Mrs. U. H. Butler visited visited relatives in Abilene Tuesday

Misses Georgie Ruth Clifton and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Russell and Kathryn Young of Cross Plains

The Food Show at the 1940 State Fair of Texas will present as a free attraction the Swor Brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Buckannan John, Bert and Jim, three of the most famous black face minstrels of minstrel days. The three Swor Brothers will feature an all girl show.

Watermelon is a Texas favorite because of its taste, and many peo-Mr. and Mrs. Neal Moore of ple do not know that it is rich in

Hill County women who have been selling guaranteed stamped in-Mrs. Alec Park and daughter of fertile eggs, have been receiving o from local merchants.

If the whole of an average cotto. crop in the United States were bel-Miss Faye Warren Cashier of the ed in cotton fabric the consumption

There are 583,025 acres of woodunds in Texas, and 525,745 acres W. N. Byrd returned from Eldo- are used for pasture. In Smith rado Friday where he had been en- | County, 65,358 acres are non-crop farm lands.



Lee Park of Knox City spent the

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Sour Cream Tragedy Western states, including Texas, remarks about the entertainment.

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gude. I try them on six fellows



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the character, standing or reput. moth larva. ation of any person, firm or corporation that may appear in the Steamboat Captain columns of The Putnam News will be gladly and fully corrected upon being brought to the attention of the editor.

Respect, and any kind of enter. the death of 89-year-old Captain tainments where admission fee or Zachariah Roosa. other monetary consideration is given.

important event of the day is the company and the Romer and Trempball score.-Corsicana Daily Sun. er lines.

GENERAL DEFICIT DROP

Since July the deficit in the gen- * eral fund dropped \$693,056 to \$22,- | * 378,479, State Treasurer Charley ****** Lockhart reported Monday, following warrant calls. The state is now paying warrants up to No. 45,568, which brings cash payments up to the Confederate pension fund is \$1,931,736.

An opening only four-thousandth of an inch wide is large enough to Any erroneous reflection upon admit a newly hatched clothes

Dies In Kingston

KINGSTON, N. Y .- Another link with the days of the old Hudson Cards of Thanks, Resolutions of | river steamboats has been lost with

Roosa was said to have once known nearly every Hudson river steamboat sailor between New York and Troy when he captained freight and passenger ships for the Happy is the nation whose most old Central Hudson Steamboat

November 16, 1939. The deficit in who were baptized in P. M. Roy's baptized.

> Mr. Roberts leaves today to see about it.

> Mr. and Mrs. Leo Clinton and Ora Lee spent last week end visiting the Hughes family in Com-

> Johnny Boland left Sunday for Keen, Texas, to attend Keen college. * * *

Mrs. Ralph Letbetter and children Annette and Caroline are visiting in Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Habert of Fort Worth spent this week end visiting relatives, their little daughter Ruthie May who has spent several weeks visiting here returned home with her parents.

* * * Ora Jane Clinton and Gracie Grant, the sites of the McLean at Cisco today. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Chapman made a business trip to Chicago, Ill., last week.

had for their week end guests, her | 1893. t is believed that their finson, Wallace McCarver and family ances failed and that the materials of Wink. * * *

Ray Armstrong attended A&M college last week. * * * Mrs. A. T. Blalock visited in Fort

Worth last week. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jobe of the Zion Hill community attended stored. church here Saturday night and

Sunday. * * * Mrs. Otis Edwards and babies, Ronny and Je Ann are visiting in



FARM BUYING UNDER F. S. A. AUGUST 17TH

l al railroad station.

According to the park service, the

Appomattox court house was des-

troyed by fire in February 1892

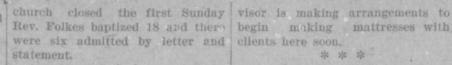
together with all its county records.

The two buildings will be recon-

structed from old photographs. Old

roads and fences will also be re-

EXPLAIN METHOD OF



past week in the home of her par- Brown talked on well ventilated ents Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkles | pantries and cellars and other ways and spent the week end with her of storing vegetables. Those prehusband people at Carbon return- sent were Mesdames. Alton Tatom, ing Monday.

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Tuscola visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McWilliams also the childrens grand-parents, Mr. and latives last week.

* * * Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Foster and

children returned to their home at Stanton Friday after visiting relatives here. * * *

Miss Mary Pillans is on an exsister, Mrs. Bob Kincaid and family. * * *

Misses Bobby Nell and Billy recently.

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J. S. McBride, the FSA super-

Billy Joyce Darden of Throckher friend Juanell Foster.

home.

cently.

The Primitive Baptist church at

California were visiting friende

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams and daughter of Bowie visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Thompson were moved no farther than the Sunday.

> Mrs. Will Burks of Spur is visiting her sister Mrs. J. F. Coffey this week.

Mrs. Lula Hinsley is spending the week with Eunice Hembree. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Burks of Denver City visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Coffey. * * *

Durward Varner of Houston

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The HDC met with Mrs. B. P Mrs. Evelyn Mangum visited this | Pillians the first Tuesday. Miss Clint Brashear, Clyde Rouse, Ben Riffe, Misses Opal Pillans, Mary Mrs. Claude Foster of Cross Pillans and the hostess. Several Plains spent the past week here large melons were cut and served and at Scranton visiting relatives. to the members and Miss Brown.

Joe McWilliams and family of FULTON HOME SCENE OF FAMILY REUNION

Mrs. S. A. Black and other re- Fulton, Northwest of Cross Plains, The home of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. was the scene last week of a family reunion. On Sunday turkey dinner was served to 20 people. Those in attendance were as follow:

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ayers, of West Hollywood, California; Mrs. Bill Fletcher, Los Angeles, Calitended visit at Snyder with her fornia; Mr. and Mrs. Theron Risser, Kansas City, Missouri; Mary Ayers, Jacksonville, Florida; Cecil Fulton and family, McAllen, Texas; Joyce Brashear visited their uncles Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Butler and Mark and J. C. Foster at Slaton | family, Cross Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. Fulton.

J. B. Riffe, Jr., visited his friend morton is spending this week with Charnell Cozart of Scranton Sunday.

Harpersville saw at too late a date Mrs. Jamie (Hale) Edmondson of that they could not entertain the El Paso was visiting in the home Givens Ray after being away for Primitive Baptist association, so of Y. A. Orr and Mr. and Mrs. Bob they made arrangements with the Skinner of Gustine the past week. church here to entertain that body Mrs. Skinner is a sister of Mrs. here from Thursday night thru Edmondson .

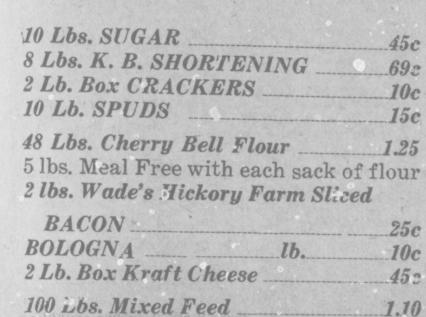
> Mex Howell of Bailey county MY SKIN WAS FULL OF is visiting in the Dayton Sessions PIMPLES AND BLEMISHES

Says, Verna S. "Since using Adlaerka the pimples are gone. My Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Pillans skin is smooth and glows with and sons, Senate and Lawrence health." Adlerika helps both bowls, and daughters Maidie and Lillian and relieves temporary constipation of Austin visited relatives here re- that often aggrevates bad complex-

> ion. Y. A. ORR'S DRUG STORE Putnam, --- Texas

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***** The Baptist revival closed Sunday night with three additions to the church, the three little boys tank at sun-down. The services were quite impressive and solumn. Morrel Ray, J. D. Pitman and Hugh Shrader were the boys who were

* * * Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Roberts have just gotten word that their home in Fort Worth was burned Sunday at noon; house and furniture were a total loss, however, both were covered by insurance,

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primary. It is reported that J. W. Hal-Slow burning lights such as highcomb, vocational agriculture teach- way flares, will help protect poultry er, has practically recovered from against dogs, cats and other preda serious illness and is back at his atory animals. post of duty.

The school lunch room will be ready to open the first day of school Miss M. Cook, of near Dallas, has | after an extensive program of rebeen employed to teach home eco- pairing within the dining room to conform with specifications prescribed by the federal school supervisor.

> Texas has a total of 22,500 miles of highway maintained by the State Highway Department.

OLIN CULBERSON FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER

We respectfully ask you to vote for our friend, Olin Culberson, for Railroad Commissioner. Join the Olin Culberson Penny Postal See Your Neighbor Club. Write penny postal cards to your friends and relatives in Texas and ask them to vote with you for Olin Culberson for your Railroad Commissioner. Get together in your fire stations, at the school houses, the stores the shops, and the homes in your county, Write penny: postal cards, with a stubb pencil and ask them to vote for Olin Culberson, Get ten of your friends and re-latives to vote for him. Do this today, tomorrow and every day until the election. The election is August 24th. Work and vote for Olin Culberson for Railroad Commissioner, the honest friend of the people of Texas. Help the fire boys and all good citizens of your Railroad Commissioner.

John Blackstone. Burkbymett, Texas

Olin Culberson Quarter of a Century Club, Ellis Henderson,



Miss Wilma Peevy, both of Pioneer, was solemnized last week with Rev. W. E. Rogers, Church of God minister, officiating. The couple will make their home at

Pioneer, where the groom is associated with his father in the producing of an oil lease.

ABSENTEE VOTING IS **SLOW IN THIS COUNTY**

Absentee voting in Callahan ounty for the August run-off primary is exceptionally slow, according to reports received from the County Clerk's office. Only 18 absentee ballots had been polled Monday, as compared with 75 for the same time prior to the first

WYLIE FUNERAL Home PHONE 38

ootron or neighbor.

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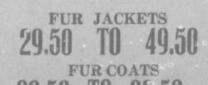
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sacred trust. He has shown

them how indispensable his ser-

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