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******************************* GEO. D. FEE BURIED IN From The Editor SUNDAY EVENING Window

Our thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Crawford for a nice bag of veg- was held at the Methodist church etables left at our office this week. with the Rev. Gary L. Smith pastor To our mind there is nothing better of the First Presbyterian church than vegetables fresh from the officiating. garden, excepting the good friends who remember us with them occasionally. Thanks again to Mr. and Mrs. Crawford.

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It seems the country, and especially the south, at this writing Garner retiring from that business is on an upward swing for the nomination of Garner for President at the coming democratic convention in Chicago. The Texas delegation is pledged to support Mr. Garner on every count, but have announced that should there be a question of making a nomination and a brother, C. H. Fee of Cisco. unanimous they would be "good sports about it."

We will probably know by the time this column reaches our readers how it has all turned out.

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The presidential election in Mexico last week almost assumed the aspects of war, so bitter was the contest, and at this writing has TO APPEAR IN PUTNAM not settled down to a comfortable peace, but hopes are entertained that a peaceful solution will yet be found.

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It seems the Duke of Windsor and his wife, the former Wallis neer Festival which is to be held Simpson, are still unpopular in on July 25, 26 and 27th. England. It is reported that he recently asked permission to return to England with his wife but has have always been the best of again been refused. Instead, he neighbors and our citizens and your has been given the post of Gover- citizens have much in common. nor and commander in chief of the Bahama Islands.

Formerly, the Duke reigned over the British Empire and ruled about form the Anson Chamber of Com-400,000,000 subjects, but was forced merce immediately as to who has Mr. and Mr. John Cunningham was to abdicate on account of his marriage to the divorced Mrs. Simp-

OAKWOOD CEMETERY

George D. Fee age 76 years old and a former dry goods man of Cisco died last Saturday and was buried in Cisco Sunday afternoon in Oakwood cemetery. The funeral

Mr. Fee came to Cisco, in 1890. from Mississippi. He married Belle Crawford in Cisco, April 14, 1897, Mr. Fee was in the dry goods business in Cisco for a number of years under the firm name of Fee & a number of years ago. He was elected as city alderman and served one term and retiring to private life.

Surviviors are his wife, two daughters, one son, two grandchildren Mr. Fee was well known in this territory and had many friends who will regret the departing of this life by Mr. Fee,

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Allen visited in the home of Mrs. L. B. Moores Saturday night.

ANSON BOOSTERS ARE JULY 23, AT 11:45 A. M.

On July 23 at 11:45 a.m. a large delegation of Anson boosters will visit your fine city to advertise our fourth annual Jones County Pio-

We have included your fine town on our trip because our towns We would be pleased to have a representative of your town to give a short welcome address and if you

select some one for this please inbeen selected.

"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"

Les Miserables, 1940 . . .

THIS IS WAR

Sleeping by the side of the road, weary and hungry, more than 8,000,000 refugees as these have fied to the safety of southern France. This is what war has meant to the helpless. These are "Les Miser-ables" of 1940. Conditional surrender of France has not brought an end to their suffering.

These pictures tell ther own grim story of what war has meant to the French people. Millions of women, children and the aged look to the Red Cross for help. We can de much in easing their suffering. Food, clothing and medicines have reached the stricken areas from the Red Cross societies of the world. The American Rea Cross is playing a major part in this merciful work. Note the faces of these children, matured by horror-then give.

MOST TOWNS IN THIS TERRITORY HAVE FEWER **POPULATION THAN 1930**

FRIDAY, JULY 19, 1940.

POLITICAL RALLY AT THE CITY OF BAIRD PUTNAM SATURDAY **INSTALLING WHITEWAY ON THE MAIN STREETS**

The political rally sponsored by Baird is preparing to have a the parent teachers organization in white way on market street from Putnam was pulled off on schedule the court house to the Texas and time Saturday night. Mrs. Sunder- Pacific depot. Also they have a man the president of the organiz- large force of men putting lines ation selected R. F. Webb as toastmaster for the occasion, who intro- from where it enters the city limits duce the candidates.

NIGHT, SUCCESS

Mr. Webb, superintendent of the Putnam high school made an excellent toastmaster, and the rally went off with first introducing the candidates for county commissioner of the Putnam precinct No. 3, after that the other county candidates. All county candidates were on hand including all three for county treasurer. Mrs. Will McCoy the present treasurer, Miss Jennie Harris and Mrs. Viola Mayfield for collector both Mrs. Briscoe and Borah Brame, for county clerk, Mrs S. E. Settle and Leslie Bryant, for district clerk. Raymond Young; but Mr. Young was called away on business and could not be here, however, he sent a liberal donation Democrat for the Republicans. The to the parent teachers association, Mr. Young does not have any opponent. The candidates for county judge were the last to be called ex-Republicans, for cabinet memand all of them were there. J. H. bers." We will let our readers fig-

S. Yager, and all made brief announcements. Sheriff Nordyke also made a short announcement. Mr. Nordyke is also running without an opponent. Felix Mitchell the county attorney is running without an opponent and made a brief announcement.

Others to make talks were June K. Hendricks candidate for representative of the 107th representative C. H. Burkett the present representative and a candidate for re- son of Anson, Jones county, who is election made a talk on state affairs. | making the race for State Senator. Judge Thomas L. Blanton, former | in the 24th Senatorial District. congressman from this district was here also and made a short speech estly of the confidence and respect in behalf of his candidacy for con- that Jones County people have for We have the complete figures of gress. Judge Sam Russell of Judge Burleson, and said that the Hon. T. E. Powell one of the old- the population of a few of the towns Stephenville a candidate for con- crowd was made up volunteerly by

on the Bankhead lighting the road on the east to the city limits on the west. This will be a great advantage for tourist in going through Baird at night as the road will be lighted all the way through town. Earl Johnson in discussing the municipal light plant Monday stated he thought possibly they would

be ready to turn on the current by August 15th.

THE REPUBLICIANS ARE LOSERS IN NUMBERS IN THE RECENT SWAP

The following appears in the Comanche Chief in it last issue of July 12th. "Who made the best trade? The democrats swapped one Republicans got an ex-democrat, Wilkie, for their presidential nominee, and the Democrats got two Carpenter, Betah Freeland and J. ure it out as to who made the best trade.

BURLESON IN PUTNAM LAST FRIDAY MORNING

Last Friday the noise of auto horns bore down upon our city, and upon investigation it was found that the noise was being made by about forty business and professional men and farmers, all friends of their County Judge, Omar Burle-

These men all spoke very earnattended by all of the children with the exception of two who will come later in the summer. These at lin who spoke in the interest of their fellowtownsman, in whom

Such trips, by such a represent-

ative group of friends show a spirit

son. His position in the Banan gives him the rule over about 68,gives him the rule over about \$68,- GARRETT ISSUED THE 600 per year. This salary really FOLLOWING STATEMENT looks very good to us and it does seem the two of them can get by very well on a thousand dollars per ilies here in America who lived well on much less.

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Representative Dies, of the congressional committee investigating this information. Although I do un-American activities, has recently heard of the existence of a German. Bund located in Texas and has been here the past several days conducting hearings to this effect. His committee is taking a recess at the present time, however, on account of the National Democratic convention meeting this week in Chicago. Mr. Dies plans to return and resume hearings in a few days.

* * * * * * * About 2500 Texas 4-H club girls and boys, accompanied by their leaders and sponsors, were in attendance at the A & M short course the past week at College Station. These delegates represented some 68,000 4-H club members in the Lone Star state and their ages ranged from about ten to twentyone years.

The 4-H club work is spensored b. the United States Department of Agricultural and home demoustration agents and is doing a very noteworthy work for our boys and girls. The local clubs in every community should be given all the encouragement possible so that the good work may continue and prosp-

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Mattress making has been in progress in Callahan county for the past few weeks under the supervision of our county demonstration agent, Miss Clara Brown. We have personally examined some of the mattresses turned out and they are well made and built for long, sturdy service. The ticking used is also of good quality-nothing cheap or shoddy used in the manufacture of these all cotton beds and we congratulate Miss Brown on her knowledge and workmanship used in the making of these beds, also the owners, who showed them to us with no small amount of pride.

Mrs. W. R. Francisco and children of Cisco visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. E. Pruet for Housing RFC loans, etc."

a few days the past week. Curtis Almstrong is visiting relatives in Jal, New Mexico.

CONGRESSMAN CLYDE L.

the 3½ years that I have been in Congress, I am pleased to supply not feel that the amount of funds which a Member of Congress securshould be a yardstick by which his services may be measured, I do realize that this is a matter of exmation which the people are entitled

to have. It seems to me that a better way to determine the character of services rendered by a Member of Congress is by the attitude which he has taken towards the more important things confronting cur Nation, among them being our National Defense, the grave unemployment and agricultural situation, including Rural Rehabilitation, Farm Tenancy, Soil and Water Conservation, Rural Electrification and Social Security. However, I submit to my constituents of Callahan county the following information : "Since January 1, 1937, through PWA and WPA alone, \$7,432,207.84 nas been allotted to our District. \$415,186.80 of this amount has been allotted to Callaban County as follows:

"County-wide road projects \$207,-785.83; Hospital \$25,068.30; Community sanitation \$13,997.90; Survey of water resources \$1,510.78; School lunches \$365,49; Sewingroom \$26,886.60; Canning plants \$17,884.78.

"City of Baird: Improving the water system \$2,769.69; Electric light plant \$91,000; Constructing gymnasium and improving school ground \$12,980.07.

"Clyde: Improving school athletic field \$2,101.51.

"Oplin: Constructing school house and gymnasium \$12,835.04.

"The above allotments do not, of course, include the enormous expenditures in our District for the various other governmental programs such as Soil and Water Conservation, Rural Electrification, Farm Security Administration, Farm Tenancy, NYA, CCC, Federal

Mrs. H. L. De shazo and son, H L., Jr. are visiting relatives in Mississippi.

later in the summer. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mrs. Bud Cunningham of Jal, New Mexico; Mr, and Mrs. W. E. Harp-"In view of the fact that I am er and family of Baird; Mr. and receiving many requests from my Mrs. Frank Cunningham of Baird; month. We have known large fam- constituents concerning the amount Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cunningham of of federal funds which have been Graford; Mrs. Rupert Keller from allotted our District, through the Medina, Ohio; Mrs. Hulda Seib-PWA and WPA programs, during enthaler, Cleveland, Ohio; and Rollie Baine Cunningham from Jal, New Mexico. The two children missed only a few Sunday school CLUB TO HOLD MEETING who were not here are Miss Shirley | during the last fifty years. He Cunningham of Galveston and Mrs. is the oldest living member of the es for expenditures in his Districi Blanchie Reynolds,, Salem, Illinois. Baird Methodist church

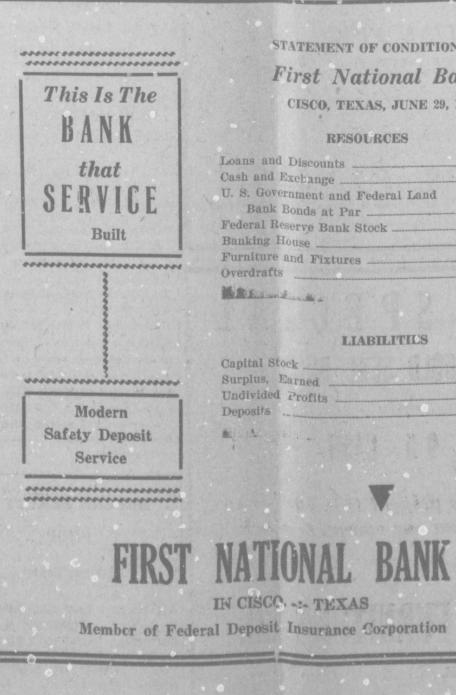
CUNNINGHAM'S HAVE

HOME COMING OF THE

CHILDREN LAST WEEK

Home-coming of the children of

Mrs. Neal Moore who has been treme interest and importance to visiting with her parents, Mr. and his constituents, and is also infor- Mrs. W. W. Everett and Mr. Moores turned home Sunday.



day. Mr. Powell came to Baird the towns have fewer population about 50 years ago. Conducted one than did in 1930. There is not like- Mr. Leemay who is a candidate for they have implicit confidence. this section of the State and bought cotton over two or three counties. business for 2 number of years, before retiring to private life a number of years ago. He is also noted

T. E. POWELL OF BAIRD

PASSES 81ST BIRTEDAY

LAST TUESDAY JULY 15

The Union Home Demonstration club will hold its next meeting at the school house July 24th, 1940, at 2 o'clock p.m. All members please

STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF

First National Bank

RESOURCES

CISCO, TEXAS, JUNE 29, 1946

Mrs. Clarence Armstrong and be present as plans are to be made children and brother Alvin Heslop to attend the annual encampment of Jal, New Mexico visited their at Abilene July 30-31. Don't formother for the past two weeks Re- parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heslep get the date and please attend this a few days this week. meeting.

Cunningham of Midland; Mr. and of the largest dry goods stores in ly to be many changes made in the the office of State Superintendent figures submitted. Cisco has a of Public Instruction of the State. The rally was well attended be- of cooperation and assistance that population of 4887, Eastland 3859, ing the largest attendance of any is commendable and neighborly. Baird 1810, Cross Plains 1245, Clyde business, he went into the banking 792. Mbran 734 and Putnam 486. let unless it was the one at Cottonwood.

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selves and had a general good time Jones county. listening to the talks of the different candidates and the stories told on each other. The parent every thing they had. The success of the rally was due largely to the ladies of the parent teachers organi-

GOOD SIZED CROWD

ATTENDED ADMIRAL

evening July 12.

Clarence Nordyke.

meeting.

they looked.

RALLY FRIDAY NIGHT

Upon invitation of the Home De-

The ladies had baked a large

Mrs. J. D. Cauthen, the able

and made a very favorable impres-

sion on the assemblage. She an-

nounced in a speech, which was

from the pie supper would go for

the needs of the community. The

cent in a guessing contest.

received by the audience.

monstration club, a political rally

was held at Admiral on Friday

The motorcade was headed by E. (Shorty) Hamilton, druggist, Irvin Sanders, ExCounty Commissioner All who attended enjoyed them- and Jim Lee Gordon, Ex-Sheriff of **RE-TOPPING OF ROAD** teachers association had a nice FROM ALBANY TO MORAN business selling out practically COMPLETED LAST WEEK

The road from Putnam and Albany will not be quite so long since zation and the News in together a new seal coat has been put on the with all the candidates wish to ex- Albany--Moran highway, greatly tend thanks to all the ladies that improving this stretch of road that were connected in any way with has been very rough during the past the sponsoring of and making the few years. The seal coat has been rally a success. The News does completed to the Eastland County not have the amount of cash re- line, southeast of Moran, but it is coived; but there was enough rais- understood it will go all the way to Cisco.

> The Earnest Lloyd Construction company was the successful bidder on the work and has a number more contracts for seal coating in West Texas.

POLITICAL RALLY AT **ADMIRAL FRIDAY NIGHT**

A political rally, to which all number of delectable pizs which county and district candidates were auctioned off by our con- have been invited, will be held in genial county sheriff, the Hon. the school building at Admiral Friday night, July 12. A number of aspirants for important offices have already signified their intentions of president of the club, was in charge being present. A large crowd is expected.

well received, that the money made SHERIFF REMINDS OF COUNTY'S STOCK LAW

county and precinct candidates Sheriff C. R. Nordyke was in were all present and made their Cross Plains Monday and advised anouncements with B. O. Brame, the Review that various comcandidate for Tax Assessor-Collec- plaints had recently been filed in tor, acting as chairman for the his office of violations of the county stock law.

"We do not want to impose a Mrs. Viola Mayfield of Ciyde, candidate for treasurer, received fine on anyone, however, i will be the grand prize, a beautiful white necessary that cottle, horses, mules cake, for scoring one hundred per | and other stock be kept within the ownor's premisis," he stated.

"Should a case be filed against Music for the evening was furnished by the Admiral quartet anyone there will be no course but string band and was enthusiastically to proscute according to law," he continued.

We have never seen a more beautiful array of pies, with their red, Mrs. Neal Moore and baby rewhite and blue decorations, than | turned to their home in Cisco Suno those the Admiral ladies had on day after a few weeks stay in the display and they tasted as good as home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fverett.

____50,000.00 Surplus, Earned Undivided Profits ____34,604.94 1,052,958.70 Deposits Ser Land \$1,187,563.64

LIABILITICS



IN CISCO --- TEXAS Member of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

business and was active in that All of three towns have fewer people than they did in 1930.

for active church work, having UNION DEMONSTRATION WEDNESDAY JULY 24th

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FRIDAY, JULY 19, 1940	and the second second second	THE PUTNAM N	IEWS. PU	TNAM, TEXAS		
THE PUTNAM NEWS	***********	Die Die Hand			Law main and a state has	CROSS DI AINS VOUTH
PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY	* Political *	Fines Recently Assess	ions Will Be Enforced	Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heslep, Mrs. Clarence Armstrong and children	guest Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. H.	ENLISTS IN U. S. ARMY
MEMBER	* Announcements			Falls Sunday returning Monday.	Swenney and J. B. Mr and Mrs. Dewey Rogers, J. D. Elvis, Royce,	Calvin O. Long, son of L. D.
	* The Putnam News is *	Fines recently assessed against Cameron county residents for viol-	eting quota for country proclaimed	Mrs. S. M. Eubank, Miss Mary Lou Eubank and Mrs. W. R. Fran-	ward Harrison, Lynn, Weston and	Long of Cross Plains enlisted in the United States Army July 13
TEUAS PHAN PRESE	* authorized to announce the fol- * * lowing candidates for the re- *	ations of the marketing quota pro- visions of the Agricultural Adjust-	whenever the cotton sapply is too large and the price too low, To		Ratty Sue, Mrs. Weston, Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Harrison, Mrs. Math-	and was assigned to the field artillery at Fort Bliss, El Paso.
Assiscution	* spective offices, subject to the * * primaries.	ment Act leave no doubt but that the AAA will enforce these regul-	make the quota ericetive, cotton	Mrs. J. W. Harrison and son, J.	ews and sons Carlton and Terry and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer. Harrison,	
MILDRED TEAGER. Editor	* For U. S., Congress.	ations, J. Lester Farmer, chairman of the Callahan County ACA com-	must approve it by a two-thirds	W. Harrison and two grandsons,	Boys, Mrs. Harrison, J. W. Don	Cards are out announcing the marriage of Earl Sunderman and
pheaription Price: \$1.00 Per Year. Intered as second class matter	* OTIS MILLER *	long ago and grass hides the spots.	forced. When quotas are in effect,	Don and Billie visited relatives in Merkel this week.	and Mrs, Rogers to spend a few	Miss La Frances Hamilton at S
agust 29, 1984, at the post office t Putnam, Texas.	* THOMAS L. BLANTON * * C. L. (Clyde) GARRETT *	However, there is a legend that on dark and quiet nights, music	a three-cent per pouse penalty is collected on cotton marketed in ex-	CARD OF THANKS	days.	in Putnam.
Any erroneous reflection upon		from an old organ can b hard faint- by; and that, if you pass by the	cess of anotas, but the producer may			
he character, standing or reput- tion of any person, firm or	* For County Sheriff:	a cemetery at the exact stroke of midnight, your car will stop-if you	market all the cotton produced with- in his acreage allotnent without	many friends who have stood by	family of Eunice, New Mexico vis-	Houston attended the Heslep-Han
orporation that may appear in the	* For District Clerk:	are out of "gas."	penalty. All-risk crop insurance indemnity	us and aid in the sickness of our mother and wife during the illness.	ited relatives here this week and attended the Meslen-Hart family	reunion Saturday and visited re- latives heer, a few days before re-
elumns of The Putnam News will be gladly and fully corrected upon	* RAYMOND YOUNG *	He was the Mexican tamale ped-	payments to Callahan county grow- ers who suffered losses have passed	M. A. Lunsford and children	reuniou at Landers Saturday.	turning home,
eing brought to the attention of	* For County Treasurer:	dler in Eastland. None of those who bought his wares knew that	the \$1896.00 mark with adjustment work still going on.			A CONTRACTOR OF
be editor. Cards of Thanks, Resolutions of	* MRS. WILL McCoy * * JENNIE HARRIS *	 he was a former school teacher in Mexico, but after coming to Texas. 	Applications for indemnity pay- ments have been filed by 28 wheat	allowing .		
Respect, and any kind of enter-	* For County Assessor	was never able to learn more than a few words of English and so he	nroducers in the county for a total		CEODOE 'A	ATTROOM ID
tainments where admission fee or other monetary consideration is	* and Collector * * B. O. BRAME *	k went about, selling tamales day after day and week after weary	of \$3000.00, Fred mounced, Of		GEOKGE A. I	DAVISSON, JR.
given. :	* MRS. T. W. BRISCOE	week. But on Cinco de Mayo, he would come into his glory for then	these, 28 have already been certified to the Federal Crop Insurance			
	* For County Judge: * * B. H. FREELAND *	he would read a patriotic poem of his own composition (in Spanish, of	Corporation and checks or wheat have been delieved to 14 growers		f	or
DeSHAZO'S	* J. S. YEAGER *	* course), and deliver the chief orat-	Most loss claims in the county	7		
PUTNAM, TEXAS	* For County Clerk:	ion while the handful of Mexicans in the town, in their bright costum-			STATE	SENATOR
Paper Napkins, 100 in. pkg9c	* MRS. S. E. SETTLE	 es, cheered, A few fleeting hours— and then back to peddling tamales 	total losses, the producers receiving	g		
5 Rolls toilet tissue25c Large paper plates, 12 for9c	*	for another year. mittee, points 'out.	the full 75 percent of their crop fo which they were insured.			
2 large pot cleaners15c 10 qts. milk pail23c	* No. 3	Federal Judge James V. Allred assessed fines ranging from \$1,000	Indemnity payments are made either in bushels of wheat or the		24th	District
W. America W.	* O. D. ALLEN * W. C. (Buck) BROOKS	to \$10,000 against the two partners in a San Benito gin, the book-keep-	cash equivalent at the going mark			
We Appreciate Your PATRONAGE	* CLAUDE C. KING	er for the firm, and a farmer, all	If payment is taken in wheat, tha	t		
	*****	of whom pled guilty to violating the marketing quota regulations.	the Commodity Credit Corporation	, Construction of the local division of the		
		The two owners were fined \$10,000 each with \$9,000 suspended pending	better market by putting it under		ALLOT OF DEMOCE	ATIC DDIMADY
GROVER CLARE		good behavior for three years. The bookkeeper was fined \$1,000 and	and the second s	SAMPLE B FOR UNITED STATES SEN		ATIC PRIMARY RESENTATIVE 107th.
Candidate for County Commissioner,		the farmer \$2,000, both fines sus- pended upon good behavior for three	SELLS CREAM PARLOR	Tom Connally of Falls Con	Tom Connally of Falls County Guy B. Fisher of San Augustine County Guy B. Fisher of San Augustine County	
		years. The owners and the farmer had	TO MR. ANR MRS MEXHER	A. P. Belcher of Erath Co	ounty June K	Hendricks of Eastland County Curry of Eastland County
Precinct 2. Your vote and influence will		been indicted for conspiracy to de-	Miss Ruth Caraway who opened up the cafe in the building west o	, 17TH DISTRICE:	FOR DIST	RICT JUDGE 42ND. DISTRICT:
be very greatly appreciated at the com-		feat and evade the AAA act of 19- 38 and to defraud the U. S. govern-	the city water office a few month	s Sam Russell of Erath Co.	astland County FOR DIST	S: Long of Taylor County RICT ATTORNEY 42ND.
ing July Primary the 27.		ment of penalties due on cotton sold in excess of allotments granted to	Frank Meyher who took charge o	f China L. Blanton of Shac	kelford County J. R. B	lack of Taylor County
		certain farms. All four defendants were indicted for conspiracy to viol-		Too H Shonnerd of Fast	and County FOR COU	NTY JUDGE:

Your Vote and Influence will be

ting false and fraudulent reports. the Union community.

ate the 1938 act and to defeat, evade long the same lines as it has been and impair the agricultural policy run in the past. Mr. and Mrs. Meyof the U.S. Government by submit- her have moved to Potnam from

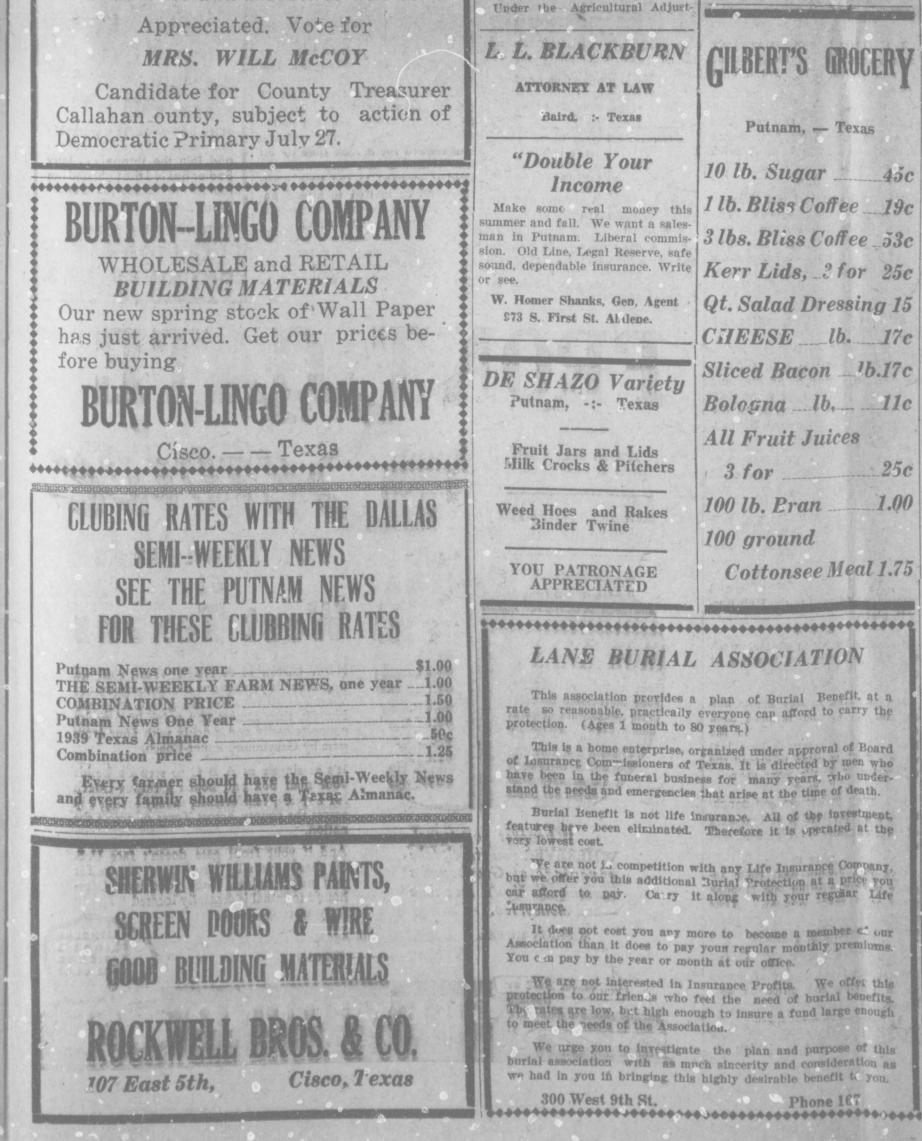
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FOR GOVERNOR:

Harry Hines of Wichita Courty Arlon B. Cyclone Davis of Dallas County Ernest O. Thompson of Potter County R. P. Condron of Cameron County Meriam A. Ferguson of Travis County Jerry Sadler of Gregg County W. Lee O'Daniel of Tarrant County FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR: Charles Lavergne Somerville of Dallas County Alton M. Mead of Tom Green County Coke R, Stevenson of Kimble County FOR COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS: Cliffo d E. Butler of Harris County Geo. H. Sheppard of Nolan County FOR STATE TREASURER: Charley Locknart of Travis County Harry McKee of Travis County FOR COMMISSIONER OF GENERAL LAND OFFICE: Bascom Giles of Travis County FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL: Gerald C. Mann of Dallas County FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC **INSTRUCTION:** S. R. LeMay of Henderson County L. L. Woods of McLennan County FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE: William N. Corry of Tarrant County J. E. McDonald of Ellis County W. W. King of Sabine County FOR BAILBOAD COMMISSIONER: Wm. H. McDonald of Eastland County Jonn Pundt of Dallas County Larry Mills of Dallas County Ross Hardin of Limestone County O. O. Terrell of Brazoria County Walton D. Hood of Travis County Charlie Langford, Jr., of Galveston County Clyde E. Smith of Tyler County Pierce Brooks of Dallas County Bailey Sheppard of Gregg County Errol Holt of Dallas County Eugene T. Smith of Travis County Olin Culberson of Jackson County Bryan Patterson of Jim Wells County John D. Copeland, Jr., of Travis County Baker Saulsbury of Potter County John Paul Jones of Rusk County Olan R. Van Zandt of Grayson County FOR CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT: John O. Douglas of Harris County Richard B. Humphrey of Dallas County H. S. Lattimore of Tarrant County Tuck Chapin of Bexar County Gordon Griffin of Hidalgo County James P. Alexander of McLernan County FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT: Wm. Richard Watkins of Tarrant County John H. Sharp of Ellis County FOR JUDGE OF THE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS: George E. Christian of Burnet County Tom L. Beuchamp of Smith County FOR CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS 11TH. DIST_LICT: N. P. Leslie of Eastland County FOR STATE SENATORS 24TH DISTRICT: Jim Stanley Phelps of Taylor County George A. Davisson, Jr., of Taylor County Omar Burieson of Jones County John Lee Smith of Throckmorton County Wilbourne 3. Collie of Eastland County Jecil A. Lotief of Fisher County

J. H. Carpenter J. S. Yeager FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY: F. E. Mitchell FOR CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT: Raymond Young FOR COUNTY CLERK: Leslie Bryant Mis. S. E. Settle FCR SEERIFF: O. R. Nordyke FOR DEMOCRATIC OHAIRMAN: J. Rupert Jackson, Jr. FOR ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES: B. O. Brame Mrs. T. W.' Briscoe FOR PRECINCT CHAIRMAN: PRECINCT NO. . FOR COUNTY TREASURER: Mrs. Will McCoy Mrs. Viola Mayfield Miss Jennie Harris FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER: PRECINCT NO. 5: T. Y. Woody FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER: PRECINCT NO. FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER: PRECINCT NO. 1: Hub Warren Glen Boyd Paul Sbanks FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER: PRECINCT NO. 2: H. B. Straley B. M. Baum Grover E. Clare FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER: PRECINCT NO. 3: Claude C. King O. D. Al'en FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER: PRECINCT NO. 4: Bryan Bennett Howard Gary Jeff Clark J. M. McMillan Sam T. Swafford FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE: PRECINCT NO. 1: G. H. Corn Mike Sigal J. W. Farmer FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE: **PRECINCT NO. 5:** F. S. Bouchett FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE: PRECINCT NO. 6: J. C. Watson Drew Hill FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE: PRECINCT Ny. 8: W. W. Dverett FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE: PRECINCT NO. . FOR CONSTABLE: PRECINCT NO. 1: J. C. Allphin FOR CONSTABLE: PERCINCT NO. 9: Bert Brown FOR CONSYABLE: PRECINCT NO. 8: L. D. Maynard FOR CONSTABLE: PRECINCT NO.



FRIDAY, JULY 12, 1940

37 Dodge Sedan 1937 4 Door **Plymouth Sedan** A nice car. radio and heater 1936 Chev. Coach

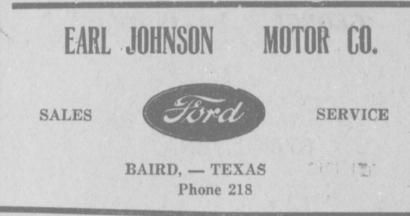
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****** COTTONWOOD

Miss Thelma Haley who has been visiting her mother Mrs. R. J. Young left Monday for Cleveland, gular appointment at the Primitive Ohio. * * *

Miss Grace Taylor of Belton visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey and Mrs. Glenn Purvis and son Edna Earl Gray were in Brownwood and Mrs. Wayne Gilliam last week. sioner. Grover Clarc, Bo Baum * * *

Mrs. Lula Hinsley of Abilene home folks and friends. spent last week end with her sister Eunice Hembree.

* * * for California. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Mitchell of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear club short course.

Clean enought to go to "Preacin' in" BRGAIN 1938 Plymouth Coach See and Drive It Before You Buy Anybody's Car 1936 V-8 Long **Dual Truck** Good Rubber and good mechanically. A Bargain Only \$250.00 1939 Chev. Coupe Just a Few Miles Looks Like A New One! ***** ATWELL ****** - ****** Rev. J. C. Foster filled his re-Baptist church Saturday and Sun- He has been a visitor here for the day. * * * Miss Annie Ruth Morrison, Mr. Randall and Leo Purvis of Brownwood spent the week end with * * *

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Lovelady and Evans, last Friday. Donnell Strahan left Thursday Sunday in the Clyde Lovelady son, E. D. Jr. of Winters spent * * *

Baird visited with Mr. and Mrs. entertained the girls of the Junior John Henry Mitchell Sunday and Sunday School class with a picnic attended the Methodist meeting. supper on Deep Creep Sunday visited in the home of her parents. night and attened services at the | Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Roberts last * * * Will announce again through these locals that our Baptist protracted meeting will commence Monday night after the third Sunday in July and will continue until first Sunday in August. Fulliagim and Folkes of Brownwood will do the preaching. * * *

THE PUTNAM NEWS,

******* BURKETT ***** - ******

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(John L. Brink)

Princy Lou Henderson is in Wichita Falls visiting her sister, Jo Ella, who is a registered nurse in a hospital there. * * *

Mrs. Luther Porter returned with her husband to Forsan Friday for an indefinite stay. Mrs. Porter has been ill for some time.

* * * Miss Leora Beardon is still visiting Oteka Bell in Eunice, New Mexico.

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Mrs. Beakley's recreation is being well attended each afternoon. * * * Many local people attended the

Coleman rodeo last week end. * * *

Bob Cross left Thursday morning by automobile with his daughter-in law for an extended visit in her home in Illinois. * * *

F. L. Mayfield was visiting in Burkett last Wednesday. Mr. I will gossip stated that the Mayfield Western" in a big way on Treasfamily may move back to take up residence here in Burkett. * * * Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carter return-

ed to their home in Forsan after vacationing in and around Burkett her son for quite a while. for the past two weeks. * * *

Aunt Rilly Strickland has been on the sick list this week. * * * ris of Coleman.

Mrs. W. T. Burns was returned home from the Overall hospital where she spent several days due to an infection. * * * Williams Lloyd Audas accomp-

anied his mother home last Sunday, past seven weeks. * * *

shopping last Friday. * * * Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klutts visited family were visitors in the home of

* * * Bonita Mountain returned Wed-

nesday of last week from College Brown home were Mrs. F. B. Carp-Station where she attended the 4-H enter and son of Blanket, Mr. and

Mrs. W. C. C. rpenter of Abilene, * * * and Miss Sue Carpenter of Emporia, Kansas Mrs. Velma Renfro of Coleman Kansas.

PUTNAM, TEXAS

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and Judge and Mrs. John O. Har-

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Scott, Sunday.

Sunday.

Sunday visitors in the home of

OPLIN RALLY TUESDAY EVENING WAS ATTENDED BY GOOD SIZED CROWD

There was a general community political rally held at Oplin Tuesday evening which was well at-, ner, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Hutchison

were about three hundred people in attendance. Oplin is about twenty miles south of Clyde, in the southwest corner of Callahan county, and in one of the best farming sections of the county. They have an ideal little town out there, with a number of business houses which includes two grocery stores, one dry goods store, two cafe's, three filling station, a barber shop, post office and cotton

gin. And one of the nicest school building and gymnasium in the entire county. The gymnasium is well furnished, well lighted and arranged so that it can be used for most any public gathering and has a seating capacity of several hundred. Enough to accommodate most any crowd that will attend.

The rally was a little slow getting started on account of the absence of the chairman for some unavoidable reason. About nine Pretty Clono Price, one of the o'clock Felix Mitchell was made Fair's Golden Forties Girls, takes two rare firearms relics and "goes toast master and called the meeting to order. ure Island in San Francisco Bay.

All county candidates were there and made their announcements. Fir-

st being called was the candidates for county judge, J. H. Carpenter, day. She has been visiting with J. S. Yeager and B. H. Rreeland. and all made brief announcements

lector and assessor, and both Mrs. grannie Harris were her sons and T. W. Briscoe and Borah Brame families, Mr. and Mrs. Bent Harris made short talks in the interest of their candidates, county clerk was next with both Mrs. S. E. Settle and Leslie Bryant being present and making brief announcements. Mass best farming land in the county Jennie Harris, Mrs. Will McCoy and and he is a good farmer too raising ham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Mrs. Viola Mayfield were there and almost a bale of cotton per acre on

their campaign. Clarence Nordyke, Mr. and Mrs. D. Gilliam and Raymond Young and Felix Mitchell family of Cement City, Oklahoma all running without any opponent and J. M. Gilliam of Comanche made announcements. Then came Nancy Viola all made a trip to Mr. and Mrs. Alfree Godwin and were visitors in the bome of Mr. the c.ndidates for county commis-

and Mr. Starley all made short Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baker and talks in the interest of their races. Judge Sam Russell, of Stephenin the home of her parents, Dolph Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Baker last ville a candidate for congress made a speech discussing national issues. O. H. Earkett running for representative of the 107th. and George

NANCY HUTCHISON GIVEN A DINNER IN HONOR OF

HER FIRST BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hutchison had as theri guest for Sunday dintended. It was estimated there and Miss Ola Hutchison of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Hall Walker and Amelia and Wesley of Ranger. The occasion was Nancy Hutchison's first birthday. The climax of the dinner was the cutting of the cake, frosted in white with pink letters, 'Happy Birthday to Nancy," an top with, pink taper in the center.

Pictures were made of the little Miss with her first cake and it was

OIL ACTIVITY-PICKING UP LAST FEW DAYS IN THE PUTNAM TERRITORY

a most happy day for her.

Hutton and others drilled in a shallow well on the Isenhower about one and half miles southeast from Putnam the first of the week. The oil was struck at about four hundred feet and will produce about 4 to six barrels of oil.

M. Worth of Moran has moved a rig on the George Anthony section 56. eighth north of Putnam and has spudded for a 600 foot test in the middle of the section. The well on section 1, is to resume drilling again next week.

LEONARD ALVEY REPORTS SOME WHEAT PRODUCING **20 BUSHELS PER ACRE**

Leonard Alvey reports, that he had some wheat that had made 26 bushels per acre. This is the best yield reported in the Putnam trade territory. The best reports have been about twenty bushels. However, Mr. Alvey has some of the made brief talks in the interest of part of his crop last year.

> Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wilhite and children Marjorie Sales Fay, and Abilene Saturday returning to Putnam, Sunday afternoon.

A. Davisson candidate for the state senate made short speeches on state affairs. Lloyd Patterson superintendent of Oplin schools made a speech in favor of Mr. LeMay for superintendent of public instructions. After this the meeting was turned over to the Oplin ladies, who had cakes, pies, ice cream and cold drinks for sale, which was taken by the people faster then they

FRIDAY, JULY 5, 1940

Mrs. J. M. Cribbs and daughter Helen, were at nome from Snyder a day or two the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Clinton and nephew, David Park Clinton visited relatives in Knox City recently.

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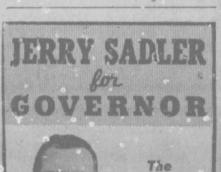
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next came candidates for tax col-

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Windham of Abilene were callers on Mrs. Wind-

Mrs. W. H. Coppinger had as her Hawkins Revival. guest last week her mother, Mrs. J. G. Varner of Baird and nephew Jerry Morris of Abilene. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Russel' of Baird visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Thomas Sunday afternoon.

* * * Eunice Hembree spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. P. Ledbetter of Scranton. * * *

Several from here attended the zone meeting of BTU at Admiral Sunday afternoon. * * *

Bro. Redden is in a meeting at Wingate this week. * * *

Mrs. W. H. Coppinger and son Lilly were Fort Worth visitors first party Monday right in honor of of this week. * * *

Jewell Ellis and family of Put- father, Fred Purvis. nam, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellis of Admiral visited home-folks Sanday. * * * Jimmie Stewart of Oklahoma is and Mrs. Monroe Black and son, route. visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. of Cottonwood, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stewart. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thomason of Cross Plains. Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sparks Sunday.

* * * L. M. Purvis had a family re- mother, Mrs. Ben Pillians Thursunion Sunday, all of his children | day. were home; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Purvis, John and Hugh Purvis of California; Miss Faye and Gene Purvis of Midland; and the boys | Sam Jones home Sunday afternoon. at home, Golden, Richard and Bobby Joe Purvis.

* * * Misses Roxie Lee, Clara Bell, Marjorie Jordon of Kansas City, are visiting their grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton.

* * * Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey were Fort Worth visitors Sunday.

POLITICAL RALLY TO BE

A political rally will be held at Clyde Monday night, July 22, boginning at eight o'clock, the Review was advised yesterday by Earl C. Hayes, chairman.

GAS GAS ALL TIME

my stomach was so bad I could not | Rouse home Wednesday and return sleep. Gas even seemed to press home Thursday, accompanied by on my heart. Adlerika brought me Mrs. Otis Purvis and children. quick relief. Now I eat as I wish, sleep fine, never felt better. Y. A. ORR, DRUG STORE Putnam, Texas

Mrs. Ben Young and children of Ranger visited the Ander Lavender and family recently. * * * Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Lavender and family of Abilene called on

friends here Sunday. * * * Mr. and Mrs. George Purvis ent-

ertained the young folks with a Burkett. their nephews, Hugh and John Pur-

* * * as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. | to return by the California-Arizona

Mrs. Paul Harlow, Truman Foster, and Emily Gray McDermett of for a visit with her mother, Mrs. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan of ness. Merkel visited Mrs. Morgan's * * *

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morgan and son of San Angelo visited in the * * *

Mr. and Mrs. George Purvis and boys were Sunday dinner guests of Fred Purvis at Cottonwood. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Moore of Albany visited in the Ben Pillians home Sunday. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Griffith and daughter of Fort Worth are visit-HELD AT CLYDE JULY 22 ing Mrs. Griffith parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Black and other relatives this week. * * Doyce Purvis is spending this week in Brownwood with her

brothers.

Mrs. Kathleen Rouse and child-Mrs. James Filler says; "Gas on ren of Baird visited in the Clyde * * *

Mr. and Mrs. John Frank Boland of Scranton spent Saturday night and Howard Pillans home last For Representative 107th. Mr. and Mrs. John Frank Boland in the home of Mrs. Boland's par-

| week end. Mrs. Renfro was ariving | a new maroon colored Chrysler.

* * * E. G. Adams is still fishing on the creek and hoping for better luck next time. The big ones are still getting away. * * * Farmers are giving a sigh of re-

lief for the rains have stopped long enough for the grain to be thrashed. in the community will be completed.

* * * held July 26, 27, 28. * * * Walter Harris of Goldsboro is visiting his mother, Granny Harris,

and other relatives in and around

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burkett,

* * * Mrs. W. M. Newton left Friday Perry, in San Angelo, Mrs. Perry

* * * Ruban Knight visited his family over the week end. Mr. Knights works on a ranch near Coleman.

* * * Mr. and Mrc. Sterling Walker brought home his mother, Mrs. Walker from Lampasas last Sun-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Sykes. * * * parents.

Mrs. Sam Jones entertained the Ladies of the Adult Sunday school pictures were put together and week end, Bible questions were asked for past-time. Ice drinks and cake

were served to the following ladies; gular weekly meeting last Morday * * * Buster Foster, Ebb Rouse, Otis hike is planned for Thursday night. Purvis, Howard Hillians, Gussie Jones and Ben Riffe.

* * * Mrs. S. S. Pilians and son John for a singing convention in Bal-Mack and daughter, Lillian of linger. Austin visited in the J. M. Jones 70TE For O. H. BURKEIT

case of neuritis.

* * * Russell Zirkle and two grandsons Boby Joe and Davy Lee visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Johnson

last Tuesday.

The H. D. club met last Tuesday Another week and all the thrashing afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Porter, with 8 members present. Mrs. J. E. Oliver was a visit-The Burkett annual picnic will be or of the meeting. Next meeting will be held July 30, at the home of

Mrs. D. S. Tabor. * * *

Mrs. Hattie Adams is on the sick list.

* * * Mrs. Harry Porter, Mrs. Avi Bell vis, who has been visiting their and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bowden Oliver, Mrs. Hattie Adams. and left last week on a vacation trip to Mrs. Fannie Strickland were visit-Pikes Peak, Colorado and on to ors in the home of Mrs. Hugh Ed-Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Foster had Yellowstone National Park and are ington of Cross Plains last Sunday.

* * * Miss Virginia Ruth Edington is in the hospital suffering a case of ptomaine poisca.

* * * Paul Hanke, son of Mr. and Mrs. is recuperating from her recent ill- Hobert Hanke, is seriously ill in the Medical Arts hospital in Brownwood at the present.

* * * Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Boyles and family have moved to the Hub Burkett place.

1. * * Mrs. Evans returned last week from a visit with her relatives at different places. * * *

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Brown and children, J. C. and Barbara Ann, Mrs. Claude Foster of Cross of Mankins, were visitors in the Plains visited in the home of her home of their relatives here last week. J .C. is going to attend the university at Austin next year. * * *

Mrs. Clay Strickland and daughclass Sunday afternoon. Bible ter, Dora Fae, visited in the home games were played. Cut out Bible of Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Farmer last

* * * The Roy Scouts held their renight with ceven present. They Mesdames, Mendon McWilliams, met in the grove. An advancement

* * * Mrs. Beakley and her doublequartet left last Tuesday afternoon

| District.

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grees, LeMay has served in rural of the Oplin community for the and city school systems, has taught in two Texas colleges, and has been superintendent at Athens for given the candidates while speakling. the past 18 years.

from a recent illness due to having a tooth pulled. He had a light **FRIENDS OF EDUCATION all LeMay of Athons for State S. R.** known how much cash was received, but evidently the cash on hand was intendent because started. The meeting was over about 11

o'clock and every one appeared to have enjoyed themselvs and had a good time. The meeting will be remembered for a long time by all investigated De who attended, and they will be looking forward to the time when they will be invited to attend an-University of other meeting in the future just Texas, helding like the one Tuesday evening.

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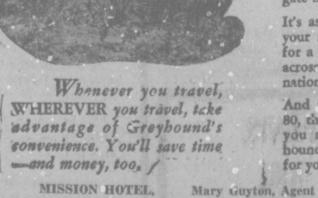
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