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Commissioners Court Session

The court has been in regular session this week and has audited officers' reports, allowed claims against the county and transacted other routine business.

The returns from the election held last Saturday in the newly consolidated Trigger Mountain-Lake Merritt school district, for the new district to accept the bonds of the old districts, were canvassed by the court and it was found the proposition was approved by a vote of 31 to 10.

At this term of the court the tax rate will be set, in order that the assessor may make up his rolls.

The county budget will be adopted and notice will be given those who wish to protest any portion of it. This may not require much time, but the law requires that it be done.

Up to the time the Eagle's report was secured the highway money had not been divided to the precincts.

County School Board To Hold Session

This is to notify all the district trustees, of all the rural schools in Mills county, that the Mills county school board will hold an open session on Wednesday, August 23, for the purpose of making known to the rural trustees, as far as possible, the features of the new rural aid school law and to ascertain as far as possible what action the county board will take in reclassifying the schools of Mills county. There is a strong possibility that many of the transfers that have made application to be transferred by the county superintendent will be transferred by the state to other schools.

The county school board went to Comanche August 11, and heard the district state superintendent, for more than two hours, explain the new law. He at that time, informed the Comanche and Mills county boards that rural aid would not be granted on the number of teachers or the number of scholars.

This meeting will be held Aug. 23, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the district court room.

W. M. JOHNSTON,
President, Co. School Board

Association Meets Tonight

The Mills County Baptist Association meets in annual session at Trigger Mountain tonight to continue in session through Sunday. The opening sermon will be preached by Rev. Franklin E. Swanner tonight and the regular program and business of the Association will be taken up tomorrow morning.

It is expected that all the Baptist churches of the county will be represented in this meeting and associations of surrounding counties will likely send messengers.

Moderator G. W. Jackson appointed chairmen of the various committees several weeks ago, in order that all reports might be in readiness and the business of the association be expedited.

San Saba Visitors Appreciated

The San Saba band came over Wednesday and contributed largely to the entertainment of the people in the town and later at the fair ground. This was indeed a courteous and neighborly act on the part of the band and is highly appreciated by the citizenship of the town and county. Their coming was unannounced, otherwise they would have been given a more enthusiastic reception, but they can be sure we all appreciate their courtesy to the limit. San Saba has one of the best bands in this part of the country and contributes immensely to the success of the San Saba fair each year.

Methodist Notes

A large and appreciative audience greeted Rev. H. M. Ratliff, who preached for us last Sunday morning. Bro. Ratliff went to San Saba and preached for the Methodist church at that place Sunday night.

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. S. O. Hammond, who has gone to New Mexico to bring his family home. No Service was held in the Methodist church Sunday night. This gave the people an opportunity which they improved, to attend the other churches of the town, giving the pastors unusually large audiences and the people a splendid opportunity to worship with those of other communions and to hear good sermons. This scribe heard a most excellent sermon at the Baptist church.

Bro. Ratliff has for some reason got a considerable crush on our Goldthwaite people, all of which seems to be mutual. After spending last week teaching Bible readings to our people he brought his family here and they are spending a week in the parsonage, while Bro. Hammond is basking in the cool breezes of New Mexico and Colorado. All this causes some to raise questions about taste as to choice of places for a first class summer vacation. Bro. Hammond selected the snowcapped Rockies, while Bro. Ratliff not only selected Goldthwaite, but the parsonage from which Bro. Hammond escaped. Which one was the more wise in his choice this scribe and Pharisee refuses to express an opinion, but will say that he expresses the universal wish that the Ratliff family make this an annual camping place for all the years to come. We shall always be glad to have them among us.

While pastor of the church here many years ago we had in our Sunday school and church a little girl, always faithful to the church, Sunday school and Epworth League. A few days since the same little girl, grown into a mature matron with slight silver streaks in her hair, came to visit us. At first this Pharisee felt quite flattered under the impression, born of excessive egotism, which is one of his predominant traits, that this was a call upon her former pastor, which, needless to repeat, is this scribe. You may imagine his chagrin when he learned that the call was really upon his wife, who taught the lady in question in our schools, when both were younger than now.

How glad the entire family was to find this child of these past years and with a record for good works equal to any of the many who have gone from among us. For twelve years she has been a teacher in the public schools of our National Capital. She is now at home in Atlanta, Ga., where her husband has a responsible position and where she is devoting her time to the rearing of a daughter, which we all trust, may equal the usefulness of her mother.

It has always been my opinion and I have never had an occasion to change this opinion, that after all is said and done that the best investment we can make is not in stocks and bonds, but in the bright girls and boys among us. Such investments are almost sure to return to bless us. We are proud of Rotha Goldman.

J. S. BOWLES.

M.Y.P.D. PROGRAM

Subject—Singing Voices.
Leader—Louise Doggett.
Song, followed by prayer.
Stained Glass Windows—Leader Overtones—Vivian Johnson.
Highroads and Byroads of Poetry—Mrs. Sparks Bigham.
Catalogues of Loveliness—Connie Trent.
God and the Poet—Marzelle Boland.
Music and Poetry—Mary Ellen Trent.
The Door to Our Father's World—Florine Woody.
Benediction.

PROGRAM CONTINUED

SCHOOL OPENING SEPTEMBER 11

All members were present and considerable routine business was transacted at the school board meeting held Tuesday night.

At the suggestion of the secretary, Supt. Smith was given the work of keeping the books for the board, thus relieving the board from having a paid secretary.

Robert Littlepage was elected trustee to fill the unexpired term of Jess Hall.

The date set for school opening is September 11.

Rates of tuition for pay pupils in the school are: \$3 a month in primary grades, \$4 in intermediate grades and \$5 in high school.

The superintendent's office is to have lights and some needed furniture installed.

The outside fountains are to be equipped with sanitary bubblers and a fountain installed in the east hall of the new building.

The tax rate is 50c each for maintenance and sinking funds. There will be a called meeting of the board Monday night, Aug. 21, to open bids for a depository, conduct a public hearing on the budget for the coming year and to transact any other business that may come up.

OUR CORRESPONDENTS

The Eagle is frequently complimented on the work of its splendid correspondents and the commendation is just. Mighty few county papers can claim such an excellent list of writers and we want them all to know that we appreciate them very much.

Fair Program Is Curtailed

The program at the fair grounds this week was somewhat curtailed because of unavoidable circumstances.

The races, which were expected to be the most attractive feature of the occasion, were reduced to a number of matched races and the list of horses entered is far below that of former years. The carnival has attracted a goodly number and large crowds have attended the baseball games, which have been quite interesting.

Conditions made it advisable to abandon the premium list and purses for races and there has been no charge other than for the baseball games and of course the shows at the carnival.

It is expected that improved conditions will enable the fair management to provide for a bigger and better fair next year than has been held here in many years and, in that event, the races will also attract good horses and big crowds.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING

The Heart of Texas Young People's meeting will be held Sunday, August 20, at Bethel. Subject: Christian Courage. Leader—Ancel Horton, president. Scripture—Leader. Song: Open My Eyes That I May See—Audience. Talk: What is Christian Courage?—Speaker from Star. Special Music—Center City. Talk: How May We Show Christian Courage in Life Today?—Rosa Meek Fletcher, Mullin. Song: Give of Your Best to the Master—Audience. Talk: Biblical Christian Heroes and Later Christian Heroes.—Joseph Bowles, Goldthwaite. League Benediction—All.

CERTIFICATES OF COTTON REDUCTION

The county agent's office reports 308 certificates properly signed and forwarded to Washington. The county committee meets again today to certify all others ready at that time.

Work has been hindered by farmers not having completely destroyed the cotton on land plowed or pastured. Acceptances from Washington have not been received on a few offers, but are expected any day.

Producers may reasonably expect checks within ten days after certifications reach Washington.

Home Loan Not A Farm Loan

There is a misapprehension as to the function of the Home Owners Loan association, which is announced to begin to function in Texas in the next few days. The organization, fostered by the federal government, is not a farm loan organization, but is intended to do exactly what its name indicates, assist home owners who are unable to refinance the loans on their homes. Many salaried people and those of small means have purchased homes on the installment plan and payments haven't been met and the obligation has become what is commonly known as a "distress" loan. It is to relieve this situation the Home Owners Loan corporation was instituted by the government, but it is not for the purpose of taking up loans that are not due or buying vendor's lien notes in order that the interest may be reduced.

Baptist Reminder

Remember our Association meets Friday night at 8 o'clock at Trigger Mountain. I am certainly anxious that a good number of our people attend. Our Moderator, Bro. Jackson, is exactly on the right track, when he calls for a deeper spiritual Association. Dr. Taylor will be with us on Saturday. Let's purpose to make this one of our best Associations.

I will preach here Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday night at 8 o'clock. We had a packed house Sunday night. Many of our Methodist brethren were with us. We certainly appreciate your presence.

I wonder if we interpret the Christian Sabbath as Christ did. "And He came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up: And, as His custom was, he went into the synagogue on the Sabbath day and stood up for to read." Luke 4:6. Read this passage Sunday morning before Sunday school time, also Sunday night just before retiring.

P. S. Bring your offering Sunday morning for the co-operative work. Remember we call ourselves "Missionary Baptists."

FRANKLIN E. SWANNER.

A GOOD MARKET

Wool and mohair growers of this section of the state have learned by experience that Goldthwaite is a splendid market for their products. Our buyers are always in touch with the markets, are experts in grading and pay top prices. Already a number of clips have been brought in and the sellers have been well pleased with the results.

A good rule is to bring your wool and mohair to the Goldthwaite market.

Drouth Is Broken Tuesday Morning

A badly needed and most helpful rain fell here Tuesday morning and one of the most appreciated features of it was that it fell in almost every part of the county and throughout this section. The measurement in Goldthwaite was about 3 inches, which was perhaps as heavy as was recorded anywhere else and in some sections it was not so heavy, but it was helpful wherever it fell.

The drouth of several weeks duration was seriously weakening growing crops, the grass in the pastures was burning and fall plowing would have been useless without it. Much feed that had been planted would likely have been lost had not this rain fallen and conditions would have been serious. However, all of this has been changed.

The cotton crop will be greatly benefited and now that the acreage has been reduced by plowing up a large per cent of the growing cotton, the price is sure to be pretty good and those who have a part of their crop left will, no doubt, get as much for the crop they gather as they would have received for the larger crop, had the entire acreage been allowed to mature.

Stock water was becoming a serious need in some localities and fall gardens would have been a failure, but now everything is lovely and the outlook is encouraging in good old Mills county.

An Interesting Baseball Game

Last Sunday, August 13, Dublin paid their respects to Goldthwaite baseball team by giving them a 5 to 2 spanking. Dublin made 5 runs, 10 hits, 2 errors. Goldthwaite made 2 runs, 9 hits, 5 errors. In the errors went the ball game, as the opposition made only two earned runs and without the miscues the score would have been tied at the end of the ninth. Paul Hudson Hamilton did the hurling chores for Goldthwaite and pitched a good game. In fact, he deserved to win, but his mates didn't play a good defense game and were not too handy with the stick.

In spite of the errors made by Goldthwaite, they could have won handsily if they had offered any punch in the pinches. On two occasions three men were on base with only one out and left stranded, due to the inability of the Goldthwaite hitters to hit when hits meant runs. As to their failure to hit with runners on the paths much credit can be given Bill Gee, the Dublin pitcher for the game. He coasted along, giving a hit now and then but when he needed to bear down he always seemed to have a little something in reserve that the locals couldn't fathom. In giving 9 hits, Gee fanned 4 and walked only 1 man.

Hud Hamilton, who went the route for the first time this season, had his smoke ball working nicely and got 8 of the Dublin players by the strikeout route. He had the number of the Dublin outfielders, especially Welch

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Prohibition Speakers Get Good Hearing

Rev. P. T. Stanford of Brownwood and Rev. J. A. Newsome of Oklahoma City spoke in the district court room yesterday morning in the interest of retaining the 18th amendment and preventing the sale of beer in the forthcoming election, August 26. They were accorded a careful hearing by a large audience and their arguments were strong and logical. Many who heard them expressed the opinion that they had benefitted the cause by their arguments.

They went from here to Mullin where they were to speak yesterday afternoon.

COMMUNITY NEWS BY CORRESPONDENTS

SCALLORN

It commenced raining Tuesday morning about 4 o'clock. We were needing a rain, as stock water was getting scarce.

Everyone in this community has their cotton plowed up and have been accepted. Most everyone has been gathering corn and breaking land.

Mrs. R. D. Evans and Mrs. Lila Crawford returned home Sunday. Their daughter and sister, Mrs. Fox, came home with them to spend the week.

Joe Evans and family and Tom Tarleton and family of Lometa spent Sunday in R. D. Evans' home.

Mrs. Clark Bristo and Miss Ima Chadwick visited in Mrs. Joe Morgan's home one day last week. They brought their mother up to stay several days with Mrs. Morgan.

C. H. Black took Alva Ford out to his sister's, Mrs. Ora Malone's, near Del Rio last week. He will run the ranch while they are in town with their children in school.

Joe Morgan is in Temple. He had an operation on one eye last week, and is doing nicely. We think it will be a successful operation. Mrs. Della Stockton is staying with Mrs. Morgan.

Mmes. Allen and Homer Eckert and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Cora Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines took their girls, Misses Freda and Greda, to Adamsville to spend awhile with their grandmother and other relatives and attend the meeting that is in progress there.

Mrs. Huffman and daughter of Goldthwaite spent the week end with Mrs. T. F. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Nance spent the day and night in Eliza Laughlin's home recently.

Mrs. T. J. Laughlin spent last week with her son, Webb, and family. They brought her home Sunday.

Marvin Laughlin returned Saturday from Sonora, where he visited with his sister, Mrs. Nance. He is still going on

NORTH BENNETT

This community is certainly feeling fine after getting such a nice rain. It began raining about 5 o'clock Tuesday morning and rained a slow steady rain until about 8:30.

Several from this community attended the meeting at Center City and report fine services.

Bro. Richardson and Bro. Hart of Brownwood, who are holding a meeting at McGirk, have been visiting in our community quite a bit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Skyles returned home Saturday after a two weeks visit with relatives at Holder.

Clarence Geeslin and children went to Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harris were visiting in Moran the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Starnes and children were visiting in Mr. and Mrs. Kemper's home Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Tex Miles and daughter, Altha, were visiting friends in our community Tuesday.

Elizabeth and Dan Nix returned home Friday, after spending a few days in Ben Nix's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kendall were in Goldthwaite one day last week.

Otis Ellis of San Antonio was visiting his mother last Sunday.

Juanita Hazeline was visiting the Huling girls Sunday.

BLUEJAY.

CENTER POINT

The people of this community are extremely thankful for the good rain we received Tuesday morning. It came in good time to mature the fall feed and make fall gardens.

There was only a very small crowd out at singing Sunday afternoon. It seems as though we need to give our singing a boost by coming out each time.

Bro. Sparkman conducted a revival meeting last week at Center City.

Miss Ola Belle Williams dined with Miss Wilma Sheffield Sunday.

Several from here have been attending the meeting at Mullin.

Mrs. Julia Taylor and children, Arle and Joe, spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Taylor.

Mrs. Henry Speck, Eutis Stevens and Harvey Spivey of Bangs visited their mother, Mrs. R. J. Halford, over the week end.

James Lawson of Duren is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Lawson.

Quite a crowd enjoyed a musical in the Halford and Smith home last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Williams visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil Steinman Sunday.

Miss Besse Hutchings called on Mrs. Eula Nickols of Rock Springs one afternoon last week.

Several of the young people were entertained by the members of the Goldthwaite N. Y. P. S. Friday night in the home of Rev. William Braswell. All present report an excellent time.

Miss Georgia Sparkman spent the early part of the week visiting at Center City.

Clyde and Curtis Taylor dined with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Taylor Sunday.

Miss Lesie Shelton was operated on in a Brownwood hospital Friday. At last report her condition was serious. We hope to hear of her improving soon.

Craig Wesson and family, Mrs. Julia Taylor and the Shelton

LIVE OAK

Let's all remember that Sunday is the day for the Heart of Texas Young People's Union. Everybody is welcome.

Those visiting in the Featherston home Friday were Mrs. John Brown and girls, Mrs. Roach Fox and sons, Jewel, Alta and Olivia Simpson and Ruth Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Allen and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. U. Tumlison and Miss Beryl Fulton visited in the Roy Simpson home Sunday.

Roy and Anna Lee Hill and O. D. and Lois Wilkey visited Virginia Simpson Tuesday night.

Miss Jewel Simpson visited Saturday night with Ruth Heath.

Raymond Walk of Oklahoma has been visiting his uncle, Bob Thompson, lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parker, who have been visiting folks in this community, have returned to their home.

Bob Thompson and family entertained with a party Saturday night.

Let's all come to the Union meeting Sunday. L.I.F.

children were called to Brownwood Monday to be at the bedside of Miss Lesie Shelton.

Miss Eva Fallon and Mrs. Tom Brown were Thursday visitors in the Conner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry James of near Mullin spent Thursday in the C. A. Williams home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Williams visited his mother at Mullin Monday.

Mrs. W. T. Sparkman and children attended the revival at Center City part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Conner and children visited Monday and Tuesday with relatives at Trigger Mountain.

Gordon Williams attended Sunday school and N. Y. P. S. at Goldthwaite Sunday.

News is rather scarce as no one stirred much last week. BO-PREP.

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Don't forget to carry your poll tax receipt or exemption certificate to the polls August 26.

Superintendent John M. Scott made a business trip to Mexia last Saturday.—Buffalo Press.

Will Hiller and family of Shive visited in the Henry Martin home in this city last week end.

R. J. Geeslin is at home for a visit with his mother, Mrs. R. W. Geeslin, in Caradan community.

If you have visitors or go on a trip and fail to tell the Eagle it is possible the item will escape the reported. Better tell it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Randolph and their nephew, Trenton Smith, went to Austin last Saturday for a short visit to relatives.

Miss Ollie May, stenographer for Judge Anderson, expects to leave tonight for Chicago to see the Century of Progress exposition.

Joe A. Palmer and his wife and son returned Monday night from Chicago, where they spent ten days seeing the Century of Progress exposition.

Sidney Porter returned to his home in Waco Friday, after a two week's visit in the home of his grandfather, J. H. Randolph, in this city.

Miss Vivian Campbell and Raymond Little visited in Kerrville Friday, and Allen Campbell, who has been attending summer school there, accompanied them home.

Mrs. Ab Sykes and daughters, Mary Margaret and Lenora Ruth, arrived from Winters last week end for a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hudson.

E. W. Gerald and his granddaughter, Miss Vergie Mae Burris, of McComb, Miss., are visiting his brother, T. S. Gerald, who is 85 years old and the visiting brother is 75.

Ben, Miss Clemie and Mrs. Delton Geeslin spent the latter part of last week in Sweetwater and Roscoe, visiting relatives. Miss Clemie Geeslin remained for a stay with her sister, Mrs. J. N. Culp.

Burch is prepared to clean and press garments for any member of the family and takes orders for made-to-measure garments. See his samples for spring clothing.

Mrs. Reginald Lovelace, who was called here last week on the sad mission of attending the funeral of her father, Mr. C. L. Bodkin, left for her home in Memphis, Tenn., Saturday. She expected to stop in Fort Worth for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNeill of Valley Mills were expected Saturday to visit relatives here. Mrs. R. L. Farris and children will accompany Mr. McNeill to Valley Mills and will spend two weeks with relatives there, while Mrs. McNeill will accompany her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton, to Brady for a visit.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Mrs. D. A. Newton was hostess to her club Wednesday afternoon. The rooms were attractively decorated with zinnias. * * * Miss Nell Skaggs is spending this week in San Saba as house guest of Miss Margaret Baker. * * * J. D. Lowe is spending a few days here from White-wright on business, and to greet his many friends.—Brady Standard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burks returned Sunday evening from San Antonio, where they were called on account of the sudden death of Mrs. Burks' brother, Mr. Sam Kuykendall, which occurred last Saturday. He was a locomotive engineer in the employ of the Southern Pacific railroad, in which service he had been thirty years. He lived at Yoakum until a few weeks ago, when he moved to San Antonio. He has a brother at Seallora and his mother lives in Lampasas. The family has many sympathizing friends in this county.

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CONFERENCE "NOT A REAL FAILURE"

In a message addressed to Prime Minister MacDonald on the eve of the adjournment of the world economic conference, President Roosevelt asserted that he did not regard the conference as a failure and reaffirmed our willingness to cooperate in a program of world rehabilitation because, he said, "we are convinced that continuation of the world economic conference will result in practical good in many fields of joint endeavor." What constitutes failure is, of course, largely a matter of definition. Most men, however, will regard as a 100 per cent failure a conference which was prevented from engaging in serious discussion of any of the major problems on the agenda. Some would even go farther and maintain that the latest world conference ought to head the list of conspicuously futile endeavors to settle the world problems by international agreement. The London conference is indeed a notable failure, not only because of the lack of accomplishment, but also because of the gravity of the neglected issues that demanded attention.

Naturally the conference has been productive of some useful by-products. Senator Couzens, for example, says that it contributed to his education; he learned something about international relations. Doubtless some of the other delegates will also return home wiser than they were when they left, but the representatives of sixty-odd nations, whose delegates went to London with a fair knowledge of international politics and definite plans for solving world problems will probably resent the time and money expended in giving lessons to the Americans. It is safe to conclude, therefore, that if the adjourned conference ever resumes its deliberations the nations of the world will demand assurances from this country that our delegates have previously been instructed as to the nature of their activities and the limits of their discretion.—Journal of Commerce.

REALLY, WE KNEW IT

Sometimes a big man goes a long way to discover to himself a thing that the remainder of the world knows about. But having discovered it to his own surprise he somehow succeeds in startling the world with his announcement. The news that European nations are preparing for war, which Henry Morgenthau brings to America, is really not news, although it is a matter for serious consideration. Europe is preparing for war, but Europe has always been preparing for war. For conviction as to that, it is only necessary to turn back the pages of any European history.

Of course, Europe's present preparations for war constitute a matter of greater moment than ever before, because another war on that continent would be of greater consequence and bring greater disaster probably than any preceding war. But even in view of this situation, Mr. Morgenthau's announcement will only serve to remind us of what we already knew. Ever since Hitler began to attract world-wide attention it has been the world's guess that he would cause international trouble if he got control of Germany. When the matter of wheat acreage reduction was taken up at the London Conference every first, second and third magnitude political observer and economist in this country broke into print to state that European countries could not be expected to co-operate. And the same statement was made that Mr. Morgenthau now makes, namely, that a home supply of wheat is an essential part of the European nation's military program.

Although Mr. Morgenthau's discovery is not news, it may serve a good purpose in keeping a serious problem before us. European nations are preparing for war, but most of them are still in a mood to let the other nation start the war. With just the right kind of handling of the problem, war may be deferred for a long time, possibly prevented. It is well to keep the matter in mind, but it is unnecessary to start a European war here before it is started over there.—Dallas News.

ROCK SPRINGS

There were 25 present at Sunday school and every teacher was present. The B.Y.P.U. program was rendered Sunday night for the first time in over a month.

There will be some go from here to Trigger Mountain this week end to the association.

I wish to express my thanks to all who visited me while I was sick. I also appreciated the nice things that were brought to me to eat while I was sick.

There was a million dollar rain fell Tuesday morning. Now everyone can smile a real smile. The rain made it hard on people who had cows to milk, as it was raining the hardest at the milking hour. The milk car did not deliver the milk that morning. All who had to milk should have dressed like Shirley Nickols and Charles Ford Chambers. They wore their bathing suits and rubber boots. The rain may be a drawback to the fair, but we needed a good rain more than we do a fair.

There were some who attended Mr. W. H. Oglesby's funeral Saturday morning. We extend our sympathy to his children and grandchildren.

I believe all who have been sick are better at this writing.

Mrs. J. T. Robertson spent last week with her son, Walter, and family at Center City. She attended the meeting.

Noel Littlepage and wife and Charles from Dublin and Royce Cherry Eiland from Snyder called in the Nickols home Sunday afternoon.

Homer Circle and wife from San Saba spent Sunday with his parents, Miss Johnnie Belle went home with them for a visit.

D. S. Templeton and family from San Saba county spent Sunday with his mother and sister, Mrs. Sullivan, and children.

Mrs. James Davis and children from Iowa Park visited J.R. Davis and wife and other relatives this week.

Mmes. Roberts, Circle, Sullivan and Nickols visited with Mrs. J. R. Davis Monday afternoon.

Joe Davis and family spent Monday with J.C. Stark and Ray Stark and wife.

Miss Verda Lee Davis called on the Dewbre girls Monday afternoon.

Homer Doggett and family from town spent Monday night in the Nickols home.

Red Jones, Lamar McLean and Homer Doggett from town joined the Nickols boys Monday night in a wolf chase.

John Starnes from Mullin ate dinner with Joe Roberts Monday. He came down to see John Roberts on business. Ask him about the big tank Mr. Roberts is building, also the grubbing Mr. Roberts is doing.

Oscar Gatlin had business in Brownwood Monday.

Bro. J. R. Davis and son, Warren, and wife sat until bed time in the Nickols home Saturday night. Warren and wife and Mrs. Claude Holley played and sang for Miss Eva Cook from town and Bro. Davis and Mrs. Nickols and Glenn.

Jack Robertson and Herbert Cooke enjoyed a party at Arlie Davis' in Brown county last Friday night.

Philip Nickols spent Saturday night in the Ellis home. He and Mrs. Ellis went to San Saba to the Johnson reunion Sunday.

Ray Stark and wife and Herbert, and Horace Cooke visited with Mmes. Nickols and Holley Wednesday night.

I had a letter from Mrs. J. C. Stark, who is in Sabine Pass with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Smith. She is enjoying her visit.

Richard Sowers and wife visited his people in San Saba county last week.

Shirley Nickols and Charles Ford Chambers are helping head maize for Otis Hutchings at Center Point this week.

Glenn Johnson and E. G. Goode from Knott, Texas, Mrs. W. E. Tipton and Nell, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson from San Saba visited in the Ellis and Sowers homes last week.

Warren Davis and family from Wichita Falls are spending their vacation with his parents and other relatives.

Joe Roberts was confined to his bed with a sore limb last week.

A. J. Stark from Rabbit Ridge got a real hair cut at the Nickols' shop Wednesday.

Miss Nellie D. Cooke is in Dallas with her aunt, Mrs. Lloyd Strickland.

Philip Nickols made several trips to the river last week.

JIM ALLEN DEAD

James M. Allen, aged 53, passed away Friday, survived by his wife, Mrs. Ida Allen; three daughters, Mrs. Frank B. Laprelle, Miss Vera Allen of Dallas, Mrs. A. B. Bauchman of Seguin; mother, Mrs. John W. Allen; three brothers, John Allen, Sam H. Allen of Arkansas and Joe Allen of Hollywood, Cal. He was a member of W.O.W., Goldthwaite. Services were held in Weiland Funeral Church at 2 p. m. Saturday. Dr. W. Marshall Craig officiating. Interment in Restland Memorial Park. Pallbearers: L. W. R. S. and K. L. Laprelle, Earl Hogue, Virgil Skinner, Tom Fisher.—Dallas Journal.

Mr. Allen was reared in Mills county and lived here until a few years ago. He was a son of the late Mr. J. W. Allen, known to his friends as "Arkansas" Allen. He was married here to Miss Ida McPherson, who with three daughters, survives him. He was a liberal hearted man and one who had the friendship of all who knew him. The announcement of his death caused many expressions of sorrow and the bereaved family can know that their Mills county friends sympathize with them. Especially do we all sympathize with the aged mother, a most lovable old lady, who makes her home with another son in Arkansas.

see Miss Tipton from League City. She was visiting in the Ellis and Sowers home. This young lady was the unlucky one who took the mumps from Philip Believe me they both really had them.

Several from here attended the San Saba fair last week. All reported a good fair.

Otis Hutchings from Center Point ate dinner in the Nickols home one day last week.

Mmes. Holley and Nickols spent Monday with Joe Roberts and family.

The workmen think maybe they will complete the work on the tank where Joe Roberts lives this week. From the length of time they have been at work on it, it must be almost as large as the lake. The rain Sunday didn't extend far enough that way to fill it.

Dr. J. M. Campbell was called out early Sunday morning to see Miss Lois Dewbre. We hope she will soon be well.

Fred McClary and Miss Waldine Traylor, Shirley Nickols and Miss Bernice Traylor attended church at Trigger Mountain Sunday night.

Mrs. J. O. McClary's daughter, Mrs. Meeks, and children, who have been camped at the lake left for their home in Fort Worth last week. Mrs. McClary's other daughter, Mrs. Gordon Saulters and husband from Rising Star are at the lake this week with their mother.

Little Janette Roberts visited with her aunt, Mrs. Claude Holley, in her Grandmother Nickols' home the last two weeks.

BUSY BEE

MRS. HUTCHISON DIED IN BROWNWOOD

Mrs. Elma Hutchison, 53, member of a pioneer San Saba county family and a well known resident of Brownwood for the past 16 years, died at her home here Saturday. She had been in ill health for the past four years and had been seriously ill since the middle of June.

Mrs. Hutchison was born in San Saba county, the daughter of the late Wiley Williams, who was one of the earliest settlers in that county, having moved there about 1860. Mrs. Hutchison lived in San Saba until her marriage to Dr. G. W. Hutchison on March 11, 1901. They then moved to Ebony where they made their home until coming to Brownwood. Dr. Hutchison died December 18, 1928.—Brownwood Bulletin.

CUBAN REVOLUTION IS SUCCESSFUL

Escaping from mobs which carried the torch of revenge thru the streets of Havana, resulting in looting and murder, former President Gerardo Machado fled from Cuba by airplane late Saturday.

Held prisoner for several hours at the Machado airport with eight close associates, the deposed president finally obtained his release with the aid of United States Ambassador Sumner Welles.

He and his entourage left for an unknown destination aboard two Pan-American airway liners. It was believed they were heading for Porto Rico or Florida.

While Machado fled in panic from the crowds which looted his palace and turned the homes of his former cabinet officers into shambles, Cuba strove amid scenes of wild disorder to reorganize her government.

Carlos Manuel de Cespedes, was chosen provisional president of Cuba to succeed Gerardo Machado.

The president's capitulation to make way for a popular government to be headed by Dr. Carlos Manuel de Cespedes ushered in a period of rioting and bloodshed in which the two men held chiefly responsible for Machado's reign of terror fell dead before a mob which previously sacked the presidential palace.

Don Orestes Ferrera, former Cuban ambassador to the United States and secretary of state under Machado, fled to the United States aboard a Pan-American airplane.

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WITH chocolate a year-round popular favorite, modern housewives have learned the knack of making light, summertime desserts delicious with this rich, tempting flavor. The addition of chocolate also adds considerably to the food value of these desserts.

Chocolate Cream Jelly
1 square unsweetened chocolate, cut in pieces
1 cup milk
1 tablespoon granulated gelatin
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 cup heavy cream
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
Add chocolate to 1/2 cup milk in double boiler and heat. Soak gelatin in remaining 1/2 cup milk 5 minutes. When chocolate is melted, beat with rotary egg beater until blended. Add gelatin, sugar, and salt, and stir until gelatin is dissolved. Add cream and vanilla. Chill until cold and syrupy. Place in bowl of cracked ice or ice water and whip with rotary egg beater until fluffy and thick like whipped cream. Turn into individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold. Garnish with whipped cream. Serves 6.

Chocolate Cream Pie
3 squares unsweetened chocolate, cut in pieces
2 1/2 cups milk
8 tablespoons flour
1 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 egg yolks, slightly beaten
2 tablespoons butter
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 baked 9-inch pie shell
2 egg whites, stiffly beaten
4 tablespoons sugar
Add chocolate to milk in double boiler and heat. When chocolate is melted, beat with rotary egg beater until blended. Combine flour, sugar, and salt. Add to chocolate mixture, stirring well, and cook until thickened. Pour small amount of mixture over egg yolks, stir vigorously. Return to double boiler and cook 2 to 3 minutes longer. Add butter and vanilla. Cool. Pour into pie shell. Beat egg whites until foamy throughout. Add sugar, 2 tablespoons at a time, beating after each addition until sugar is thoroughly blended. After all sugar is added, continue beating until mixture will stand in peaks. Pipe lightly on filling. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 15 minutes. Serves 4.

De luxe Crumb Pudding
1 square unsweetened chocolate, cut in pieces
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup sugar
Dash of salt
1/2 teaspoon combination baking powder
3 cups fine soft bread crumbs
1/2 teaspoon vanilla

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Styles In New York

Smart Detail Characterizes Fall Handbags.

In keeping with the general trend for smart detail are the new fall handbags, characterized also by new shapes and materials. There are new bent frame pouch styles with loop handles and dignified monograms in old English feeling, also interesting round models—one with amusing disappearing handles. Very distinctive is a new pouch envelope model with double-roll handles, featuring an outer flap with cut-out revealing a smart ornament (this spacing easily converted into something very personal or individual.)

The vogue for mirror trims, as noted in clips, buttons and buckles on new fall frocks, is carried out in some of the newest handbag numbers. On some, these mirror trims take the form of a narrow bar extending flush across the top of the outside bag front. Mirror clips and clasps are noted—some fashioned from the crystal clear mirror and others in rose shades. Letters and monograms are seen on some of the mirror trims in a sort of etched-like effect. These mirror trims have heavy metal backs, so that they are fairly unbreakable. Decidedly refined in treatment is an evening bag model with baguettes completely encircling the frame, giving a sort of mirror-like effect.

Cold metal trims on handbags are important this season, as is amber-colored composition, which is often used as a frame for the black suede or antelope bag for dressy afternoons or informal evening. The heavy bracelet chain handle, too, is new and smart—particularly so when worn over black suede gloves, which are highlighted in the mode.

Next to black, brown is the most important handbag color for fall, particularly the rich Madeira shade, which, in one very smart model, is carried out in a shirred pouch style with double self handles. One notes, too, that bag fittings are smartly styled — many of the better models featuring leashed models, coin purses and the rest. Smooth and rough grained leathers are noted for day for tweedy and wooleny frocks and suits—while, for dressy afternoons and informal evening, suede and antelope are headlighted. There are also new bags in the various velvet and satin versions—mostly for evening wear.

Beer Garden Frocks Enters With Fall Fashions.

Simpler than the cocktail dress of last season is the new beer garden ensemble, which was featured recently in New

York at the showing of the National Retail Dry Goods Association. The model was fashioned in black satin, with a removable jacket and with sleeves trimmed at the cuff line with bands of blue dyed squirrel. Beneath the jacket was a gown with draped neckline and cape sleeves. The semi-formal ensemble is practical for street, dinner and the theatre. Accessories for the costume were also carried out in satin — the shoes and handbag featuring rhinestone trims. The gloves were in gauntlet styling, and with seven buttons.

Fabrikoid Tablecloths Stressed For Outdoor Dining.

The vogue for out-of-doors dining in Continental manner has given a new style impetus to practical equipment for out-door tables. Fabrikoid tablecloths in a wealth of new patterns and colors are noted in New York shops, where they are suggested through various types of table set-ups for picnicking, afternoon refreshments, back porch or yard suppers, breakfasts and whatnot. Checks, plaids and peasant designs giving that desired rustic touch are favored by many — and the beauty about these practical cloths is that they require no laundering, being easily cleaned with a damp cloth. Some of the set-ups also feature large out-door umbrellas matching the tablecloth.

Embroideries Important.

Delicate embroideries and embroidered effects are important in fall sleeve elaboration, as are hand fagotings, appliques, fabric work and soutache braids. There are interesting new combinations of fabrics in formal and informal developments — for example, a black lace skirt with a beige chiffon bodice. Draped movements are conspicuous, and there are new dinner dresses with separate guimpes which can be removed and worn for evening gowns — new among the practical things in the fashion field. Bloused effects are new and smart, and the wrap around silhouette gains favor.

White - Ivory Room Furnishings

White, which has been so important this season in room furnishings, continues with a new importance for the bathroom walls, with touches of color introduced by way of accessories — such as towels, shower curtains, cabinets and glass bottles. The very newest bathroom combination is white combined with

Bib collars of white bengaline are very chic over black satin frocks. These new collars, too, can do wonders in pepping up the frock of last season.

BEAUTY in the HOME



Photo courtesy R. H. Macy

Kitchen Ensembles Smart and Cheerful

OLD kitchens look like new and take on an up-to-dateness all their own when the "kitchen ensemble" idea is applied to them, an idea brought in by the wide use of lacquered fabrics. The ensemble in gowns has long been the vogue but now color ranges with either matching or properly contrasting hues are being used in the kitchen with very agreeable results.

Such ensembles include table coverings, shelf coverings, chair pads, window drapes, trims for cupboard shelves and other kitchen accessories with checked

gingham patterns in red and white, blue and white, green and white, or yellow and white. The effect is striking and gives the kitchen a fresh colorful appearance. The gingham check pattern is popular this season in apparel and is a design that is so simple that one never tires of it. Such ensembles can be made in a wide enough range of color choices so that the taste of every housewife is met. Such drapes, pads and coverings are easy to take care of as they are waterproof and can be easily cleaned with a damp cloth.

VOTE THREE BALLOTS

Voters in the election August 26 will be given three ballots, the longest of which contains the list of delegates to the state convention to decide on the Eighteenth Amendment. This ballot will contain the following:

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES

The Congress has proposed an amendment to the Constitution of the United States which reads as follows:

Section 1. The Eighteenth Article of Amendment to the Constitution of the United States is hereby repealed.

Section 2. The transportation or importation into any state, territory or possessions of the United States for delivery or use therein of intoxicating liquors, in violation of the laws thereof, is hereby prohibited.

Section 3. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by conventions in the several states, as provided in the Constitution, within seven years from the date of the submission hereof to the states by the Congress.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE VOTER.

In the columns below are printed the names of persons duly nominated as delegates and alternates to the convention to be held in accordance with law for the purpose of ratifying or rejecting the above amendment. In the column headed "For Ratification of the Above Amendment" are printed the names of nominees for delegates and alternates nominated as opposed to ratification; in the column headed "Against Ratification of the Above Amendment" are printed the names of nominees for delegates and alternates nominated as opposed to ratification of the above amendment. Each voter is entitled to vote for any number of candidates whose names appear upon this ballot, not to exceed thirty-one (31) delegates and thirty-one (31) alternates. Each voter shall indicate his choice by drawing a line through or striking out all the names of such candidates other than the ones for whom he desires to cast his vote.

FOR the Ratification of the Above Amendment. (Against 18th Amendment) (Delegates)

- J. W. BAKER
- L. A. BARNES
- JOHN BOYLE
- ADAM CONE
- E. B. COOPWOOD
- A. H. CULWELL
- W. D. DAVIS
- F. L. DENISON
- ALVIN C. FLYNT
- TOM E. FOSTER
- D. C. GIDDINGS
- R. H. HANCOCK
- HARVEY HARRIS
- A. C. HARTMAN
- MAURY HUGHES
- JOHN HENRY KIRBY
- R. T. LIPSCOMB
- MRS. JAS. M. LOVING
- MILBURN McCARTY
- A. V. McDONNELL
- B. M. McMAHON
- ROY MILLER
- E. M. MOSLEY
- PAUL NUNN
- E. B. PICKETT
- GUS PICKETT
- E. H. ROBERTSON
- E. A. SIMPSON
- JOHN L. SULAK
- E. T. UNDERWOOD
- J. A. WARD

(Alternates)

- RALPH BAILEY
- TOM BARTLETT
- A. G. BRAY
- A. S. BURLESON
- L. W. BURELL
- G. O. CHRISMAN
- JOHN CURINGTON
- HENRY DEW
- W. T. DUNNING
- LEWIS FISHER
- NAT GENTRY, Sr.
- JOHN C. GRAY
- W. M. HILLIARD
- JOHN HARMONSON
- GEORGE H. KURTH
- JOHN L. LANCASTER
- L. A. MACHAMEHL
- MRS. R. F. MARTIN
- W. A. McCARTNEY, Sr.
- RICHARD McCARTY
- A. C. McFARLAND
- MRS. JOSIE FAY PECK
- W. J. POLLARD
- R. S. REED
- E. H. REILEY
- C. P. ROGERS
- LEON ROSENBERG
- R. R. SMITH
- J. A. STEPHENS
- DICK O. TERRELL
- C. E. WALKER

AGAINST the Ratification of the Above Amendment. (For 18th Amendment) (Delegates)

- W. H. P. ANDERSON
- WILL G. BARBER
- GEORGE R. BEAN
- JOHN C. BOX
- GALLOWAY CALHOUN
- W. H. CHERRY
- M. A. CHILDERS
- THOMAS S. CLYCE
- SAM P. COCHRAN
- J. W. COOK
- W. L. DEAN
- HARRY FALK
- A. D. FOREMAN
- F. S. GRONER
- DR. J. C. HARDY
- ED J. HARRIS
- NAT HARRIS
- W. A. KEELING
- JOHN McCARTY
- J. E. MONTGOMERY
- W. F. NELSON
- TOM W. PERKINS
- J. E. QUAID
- E. A. RICE
- J. D. SANDIFER
- B. D. SARTIN
- THOMAS H. TAYLOR
- C. H. WADDELL
- DR. J. N. WHITE
- T. N. WHITEHURST
- W. ERSKINE WILLIAMS

(Alternates)

- GEORGE W. CARROLL, Sr.
- E. A. CHANDLER
- V. A. COLLINS
- K. W. DENMAN
- W. L. EASON
- J. J. FAULK
- MRS. J. W. FINCHER
- TOM GAMBRELL
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- COLBY D. HALL
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- CLAUDE McCORKLE
- MRS. ELLA Caruthers PORTER.
- J. C. SMITH
- H. W. STARK
- F. M. STUBBS
- REV. ALVIN SWINDELL
- C. L. TARKINGTON
- CLYDE E. THOMAS
- PORTER UNDERWOOD
- J. L. WARD
- MRS. L. B. WISEMAN
- J. R. WOODSON

THE NEXT IN LENGTH

The next longest ballot will contain a synopsis of the state constitutional amendments to be voted on in this election.

THE SHORT BALLOT

The smallest ballot will contain the proposal whether or not 3.2 beer shall be allowed sold legally in Mills county.

If the voters will study all of these ballots the election judges will be spared much trouble and annoyance.

MARINE CORPS VACANCIES

During the month of September there will be a few openings for young men in the United States Marine Corps, provided they have the necessary qualifications, mental and moral, and can pass the rigid physical examination required of all men enlisted in this branch of the service.

Any young man graduated from a high school, who is interested, should write Major F.D. Cornell, officer in charge of re-

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THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

EBONY

The meeting at the Church of Christ is now in progress with Elder Clem W. Hoover of Goldthwaite doing the preaching and Clarence Boles of Gordon, leading the singing. Good crowds are attending. Come and enjoy these services. Dinner on the grounds Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer Hutchison, widow of Dr. G. W. Hutchison, who died at Brownwood Saturday, was buried here Sunday afternoon. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church in Brownwood, but a host of friends awaited the funeral party here. Mrs. Hutchison came to this community a bride and lived here many years before moving to Brownwood. Four children survive her: Maurice, Morton, Robert and Elizabeth, all of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Mitchell of Telephone arrived here Monday to spend their vacation at the home of Mrs. Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Briley. Mr. Mitchell will resume his duties in the school at Bailey near Bonham in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lovelace and children spent the week end visiting the Ernest Lovelace family at Brownwood and the Ben Lovelace family at Mercury.

Mrs. W. A. Burn of Zambounga, Philippine Islands, who has been spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Nellie Malone, left Tuesday for Van Horn to visit her sister, Mrs. J. E. Bean. She expects to sail for her home September 18. While here Mrs. Burn superintended the remodeling of her mother's house, making it very cosy and attractive.

Miss Oneita Mashburn spent the week end with Miss Alline Lovelace.

Charles White and friend, Bridge Dunham of Los Angeles, Miss Anita White, Mrs. Mildred Roberts and Miss Evelyn Reeves took supper at the Wilmett home Thursday evening.

Cleone Haynes and Joyce Lovelace ate supper with Erline Day Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Martin and son and daughter of Big Lake have been visiting her brother, Lem Egger, and family and attending the meeting at the Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Sallee and little boys of Indian Creek attended church here Sunday.

W. A. Whittenburg had for guests over the week end his brother, Frank, of Sweetwater and a nephew, Thomas Whittenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowder and children and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hanna and children of Okland are attending the meeting here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Honea of Brownwood and Mrs. Bettis of May were among the number who attended the funeral of Mrs. Hutchison here Sunday. Mrs. Bettis once taught school here. We knew her then as Mrs. Letty Hooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Williams and daughter of Springfield, Mo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bateman and children, Joe and John Robert, and Mrs. Mattie Abdill, all of Fort Worth, spent the week end at the Wilmett home and attended the meeting. Mr. Bateman was principal of the summer session of the Fort Worth public schools. He and Mrs. Bateman and Mrs. Abdill went on Monday to spend their vacation in the mountains of New Mexico. Joe and Robert remained at the Wilmett ranch.

W. M. Clements, Mrs. W. H. Reeves and Mrs. John R. Briley attended the school meeting at Brownwood Wednesday.

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RABBIT RIDGE

A good rainfall fell here Tuesday morning. I am sure it was appreciated by all.

Mrs. Wright of California is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Stark, and other relatives.

Those who sat until bed time with Jesse Lowe and wife Saturday night were M. L. Spinks and family and Mrs. D. V. Westerman and daughter, also Grandmother Westerman.

A. F. McGowan and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Walk spent Friday with Carl Perry and family at Center Point.

Mrs. Wright and Miss Dora Humphries spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Jesse Lowe.

Mrs. Frank McDermott and Grandmother McDermott spent Thursday morning with Mrs. Jesse Lowe.

Louise Johnson returned home Friday afternoon, after a week's stay with Mrs. Lowe.

Those who spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Edith Whitt were Mrs. Abijah Stark, Mrs. Marvin Spinks and daughter, also Mrs. Dorman Westerman and daughter.

Carl Spinks of Center Point spent Friday night with his brother, Marvin.

Folk don't forget to call Mrs. Jesse Lowe. She is taking telephone service now.

If you want to know how to catch a lot of fish, just ask Marvin Spinks and Ray Davis. I am sure they can tell you.

Mr. and Mrs. Walk are spending this week with John Berry and wife at town.

Adrian Long of Big Valley has been working on his place in this community this week. He has a new tractor, so I guess his land will be broke before long. I am glad Busy Bee is able to be up again. I missed her letter in last week's Eagle.

Dutch McKinzie and family and Hugh Nelson and wife ate ice cream with Marvin Spinks and family Sunday night.

Louie Ponder is staying with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lowe.

Mrs. Earl Hale of Big Valley had a birthday celebration at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Stark's, home Tuesday night. Those present were Wesley Stark and family, Mrs. Wright and daughter, Abijah Stark and family, Ernest Hagen and family, Austin Whitt and family, also Charley Simpson and family. They returned home at a late hour, wishing her many more happy birthdays. **CROSSEYES**

BOYCOTT THE WRONG WEAPON

Gen. Hugh S. Johnson's administration of NRA has been so forceful and intelligent so far that many of his admirers will regret to find him adopting one of the ugliest weapons to bring all America under the blue eagle. Word comes from Washington that at the expiration of the two weeks the NRA administrator has assigned for this task, he will issue an appeal to all consumers to buy only from the persons or establishments that are entitled to display the eagle. This is a natural step, from one point of view. From another it is a direct application of the boycott, one of the most insidious and deadly of devices, which in many cases will do much to alienate friendly sentiment from the administration program.

One case alone is typical of thousands that will be seriously embarrassed by any boycott scheme. A builder who had not had work for three years secured a commission to build a house. His contract, of course, fixed the terms, and he made his engagements to hire labor accordingly. Along comes the building code by which he will be ruined if he carries out his contract, and, according to General Johnson, he will be boycotted if he does not. The implications are plain enough.

Despite everything, however, business men are doing their best to come into line, because they hope it will be for the general welfare. But for the administration to divide the employers into two classes and then demand that one of them shall be given no business under any circumstances is going farther than the American sense of fairness usually carries. We appreciate the problems of Administrator Johnson and his co-workers, but they may help recovery more if they put the soft pedal on the boycott business. The people will make their own decisions.—Boston Transcript.

SOUTH BENNETT

There were 42 present at Sunday school Sunday morning. Next Sunday afternoon is our singing afternoon, so let's all be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Casbeer and children from Anson are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Mrs. Willis Hill visited Mrs. Ray Davis and family Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hill and Mrs. Townsend Perry and baby, all of Seaton and Miss Lorae Hill of Fort Worth have returned to their homes, after a short visit with relatives and friends in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Waggoner are proud of their baby boy, born last week.

Misses Charline Warren and Evelyn Covington visited Mrs. Clyde Featherston Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Casbeer and children spent Friday, visiting with Mrs. Willis Hill.

Dixie Webb has suffered quite a bit since he was dragged several yards by his team Saturday afternoon, when they started to run away and he was holding to the lines, trying to hold them back. We are surely hoping he gets along all right.

George Wayne Featherston visited Leroy, Valeria and J. M. Siacy Saturday afternoon.

Saturday night J. M. Casbeer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Casbeer and family, Mrs. Anna Jones and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Montgomery and baby, Cleve Perry and wife, M. L. Casbeer and family, Myrtle and Luther Russell, Elam Horton and B. R. Casbeer and wife, all enjoyed ice cream.

Raymond Casbeer from Center City spent Saturday night with Aaron Stacy.

Willis Hill and family visited with Mrs. Hill's mother at Star Sunday.

Mrs. Bina Oquin and Mr. English of Fort Worth visited with Mrs. Oquin's relatives Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Jones and children visited Mrs. G. C. Jones and family Sunday afternoon.

Miss Noma Lee Webb and Mrs. Hartman of Big Valley, Morgan Stacy and Mr. Whitt and family visited Dixie Webb Sunday.

Mr. M. L. Casbeer and children visited in the J. M. Casbeer home Saturday morning.

Will Horton and Virgil Casbeer have been visiting in Jones county the past week.

Travis Griffin and family went visiting Monday, but I didn't learn where.

Mrs. Jim Waggoner's brother from San Antonio is visiting her this week.

Berlin Whitt sheared goats for Bob Kerby Monday.

Mmes. Anna Jones and Willis Hill and little Mary Martha Jones visited in the Casbeer home Monday afternoon. They also made a visit in the D. W. Webb home.

The ladies who had planned to meet at the school house Thursday afternoon are requested to meet Saturday afternoon right after dinner. The time was changed on account of the fair being held Thursday.

ROSEBUD.

REMOVING THE HOG SURPLUS

There are too many hogs, the price is too low, there is too little feed, the price of that is rising. So the federal agricultural officials propose an immediate butchery of some 5,000,000 swine, with most of the meat to go to relief agencies.

A processing tax on meat dealers is expected to pay for the program. That means the pork can be sold to the relief bodies at a very low figure, and since these agencies have seldom been furnishing such meat products to their dependents, the purchase will not affect the general market for meats.

The plan seems sound, provided the meat actually gets to the needy people. A destruction of hogs merely to get them off the market will never be countenanced by the American public, certainly not when some millions of persons in the country are daily facing starvation.

Granting, however, that there will be no real waste, but that the pork will merely take the place of other products which would be fed the needy, general approval will be forthcoming.

The program is a drastic one, but apparently nothing else drastic efforts will serve in this time of crisis.—Houston Chronicle.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace says that a processing tax on hogs may be levied Oct. 1, 1933, to provide money for the agricultural adjustment administration's emergency hog production control program.

Forty persons were killed in an electric storm, which flooded Kingston and St. Andrew, Jamaica, Tuesday night, causing estimated damage of \$2,000,000. The storm lasted six hours. Floods in Kingston streets were as deep as six feet, and many dwellings were destroyed.

Gerardo Machado, fugitive Cuban ex-president, deposited \$2,600,000, in United States currency in the Nassau branch of the Royal Bank of Canada this week, according to authoritative sources. He carried the huge sum in four suitcases when he fled from Havana by airplane Saturday.

Suits asking \$200,000 as damages for alleged libel were on file in district court in Fort Worth Wednesday against C. C. McDonald, repeal leader, and the Fort Worth Press. The suits were filed by J. Frank Norris, pastor of First Baptist church of that city, who charged he was libeled in connection with statements made in the prohibition campaign.

Another cotton control plan is said to be in the making and Secretary Wallace indicates that he expects action to be taken some time this fall. The program for this year, resulting in a crop reduction of more than four million bales, is regarded as only temporary. Wallace said that he found anxiety throughout the south for the formulation of the more permanent cotton control plan which was to follow this year's emergency drive.

Two radical agitators, a negro and a white man, said to be from Dallas, were egged out of Lancaster, about 15 miles from Dallas, Monday night, when they attempted to hold a meeting. Warned once before that meetings of radical nature could not be held in the square, the pair called a gathering of RFC workers in the north part of town. A shower of eggs stopped their addresses before the laborers and ran the two men from the town limits.

Several men believed to be members of a nation-wide kidnap gang fought a machine gun battle with 300 massed police on the western edge of Chicago Tuesday. The suspects were believed to have been implicated in the kidnaping of Charles Urschel, wealthy Oklahoma City oil man and John Factor, international speculator of Chicago. Negotiations to complete payment of ransom demands purportedly agreed upon at the time of Factor's release were reported to have put police officers on the trail of the suspects.

Advice from Washington says that President Roosevelt has decided to concentrate many army posts into a few major establishments for purposes of economy and efficiency. He is now surveying the army outlay and is determined to weed out a large number of the army barracks to cut costs of operation and promote co-ordination of the forces. Until he has decided which posts will be retained in the new order he is withholding any funds for army housing. Secretary Dern has urged the public works board to allocate funds from its \$3,300,000,000 employment fund for army housing, but no action has been taken.

The deputy county clerk of Bexar county was wondering Saturday whether the hills of San Antonio are harboring real gold. A man who refused to divulge his name strode into the county clerk's office and asserted he wanted to file some papers so that he could stake out a gold mining claim. The deputy said it couldn't be done, since the land belonged to someone else and at the same time expressed skepticism about the presence of honest-to-goodness gold in the city limits. The man thereupon pulled from his pockets several pieces of ore and pointed out what looked like gold streaks. The chief deputy, somewhat nonplussed, suggested the man confer with the owner of the land about the matter.

REDUCING ACREAGE

There is great lamentation, just now, over the circumstance that in spite of the plowing up of acreage the department of agriculture estimates the present cotton crop of the south at 12,314,000 bales, and that of Texas at 3,541,000 bales. And yet nothing is so certain as that neither the south nor Texas can be prosperous with such curtailed crops of cotton, even at twelve cents a pound, to say nothing of nine cents a pound. The production of crops of that size can not give employment to that part of the population of the south and of Texas which must obtain employment through the production of cotton or go without employment altogether, and the production of cotton at such prices must mean a subsistence standard of living for a large percentage of the people who produce it.

We know, of course, that a larger crop might have meant disaster, and that the gross return for a larger crop might have been much smaller than that which the smaller crop will bring. We appreciate also the circumstance that a crop of 10,000,000 bales in the south, and of 2,800,000 in Texas, might have brought a larger gross return than a crop of the size estimated by the department of agriculture will bring. We know that there is a carry-over of about 12,000,000 bales, and that the total consumption of American cotton in the world last year was only a little more than 14,000,000 bales and that even that was the greatest consumption since the fiscal year of 1928-29. We appreciate all this, we say, and we are not expecting the government to perform miracles. What we are saying is that the policy of curtailed production alone will not bring prosperity to the cotton farmer. It is expected, for example, that this policy will be followed two or three years longer, in order to give the world an opportunity to consume the surplus, and that is not an inviting prospect for the millions in the south who have no other way of being employed and of obtaining money income except by producing cotton. Something else, something more fundamental, should be done to promote the recovery of cotton.

What happened to cotton was not the creation of a surplus through over-production, but the creation of a surplus through the collapse of its markets. And its markets collapsed because of the very mistaken policy which Mr. Wallace described in his Mississippi address, the policy of attempting to go in two directions at the same time.—Texas Weekly.

SCHOOL DEPOSITORY NOTICE

The trustees of Goldthwaite Independent School District will receive bids from persons or corporations who will serve as depository for the funds for said school district.

Bids will be opened Monday, night, August 21, 1933.

D. O. SIMPSON, President,
W. A. BAYLEY, Secretary.

President Roosevelt has ordered three American navy vessels to Cuban waters to stand by in the event they are needed to protect American interests.

PASSING OF W. H. OGLESBY

Mr. W. H. Oglesby, aged 77 years, 6 months and 28 days, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. V. Linn, in San Saba last Friday and his remains were interred in the Mohler cemetery Saturday morning by the side of the grave of his wife, who preceded him in death many years ago.

Mr. Oglesby was a citizen of this county for many years. In the early days of the county's history he was merchant and postmaster at Big Valley. He had an extensive acquaintance and a wide circle of friends, all of whom were grieved when the announcement of his death was made, while his passing was not a surprise to any who knew of his condition, for he had been in feeble health a long time.

He is survived by one brother, Mr. John Oglesby of Westbrook, one sister, Mrs. Mollie Evans of Winona, Miss., and eight children; six sons and two daughters. They are: Mohler, Harry, and Alvin of this county, Bryan of Breckenridge, Chester of Wichita Falls, W. H., Jr., of Roscoe, Mrs. Carrie Linn of San Saba and Mrs. Agnes Mauldin of Weslaco, and twelve grandchildren, all of whom were at his bedside when the end came except his sister, who is quite feeble at her home in Mississippi and one grandson, J. W. Mauldin, who had visited him and left for home only a few days before his death occurred.

Funeral services were conducted in the Baptist church in this city by Rev. W. T. Sparkman, prior to the removal of the remains to the cemetery for interment.

CARD OF THANKS

H. G. Bodkin, Mrs. Bodkin and his sisters, Mrs. Reginald Lovelace and Mrs. W. T. Little, desire to express their sincere thanks to their friends in San Saba, Goldthwaite and elsewhere for the kindness and sympathy of which they were recipients at the time of their bereavement. Kind friends were ever ready to minister to their father, Mr. C. L. Bodkin, during his illness and to render every assistance to the family. The beautiful flowers supplied for the funeral and the sympathy expressed for the family was all appreciated to the fullest extent.

BIG VALLEY

Let me say right off that it rained in the Valley Monday night and all the inhabitants are glad.

One social event of the week was a picnic party made up of the Weaver families, W. M. Johnston and wife of Goldthwaite, and the Cockrell family. The rain sent them from Peck's Crossing to the Weaver park near home. Sandwiches, salad, cake, ice cream and watermelons, pleased the appetites. The occasion was in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Robert Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sloan went to Brownwood Sunday for the day.

Harbin Gillentine and family are back from a tour of South Texas.

Mrs. Swim and Cleota were week end visitors in the valley. Miss Lucy W. Smith has returned to Sherman, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Cockrell.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Reed have enjoyed a visit from their daughters, Mmes. Otto and Lee Sykes.

Mrs. Jim Hays is home from the hospital.

Floyd Weaver and family took their vacation in Luling at the home of their sister, Mrs. Elmo Smith.

Claude Lawson and family returned from Alexandria.

Friday afternoon, "Uncle Billie" Oglesby passed away. He had been a long time resident of the valley and had many friends among its citizens, as was attested by the large number who attended the funeral. He died in San Saba at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Bill Lynn. Funeral services were conducted by Bro. W. T. Sparkman, pastor of Big Valley Baptist church. Interment was in Mohler graveyard, with Masonic rites.

Bro. Jim Nicholson spent the night in the Cockrell home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Sykes have been happy this week, because of a family reunion. All of their children were together in the home another time. One son-in-law and one daughter could not be present. Forty of the family ate dinner with father and mother Tuesday, August 15. They had been gathering in for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Sykes have seen the third generation of their line and are still hale and hearty enough to enter into and enjoy all the occasions.

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THINK IT OVER

By Phoebe K. Warner

The state of things in this old world reminds me of my kitchen when I let everything go for a week or so to run around after a lot of things that don't amount to anything.

But I can see great possibilities in my kitchen and its allied interests, when I settle down, get busy and use my head, hands and feet in unison for a few hours. There's the gas range, the gas and the pilot all ready to go with the scratch of a match. Plenty of water over in the corner, the washing machine near by and an electric button on the wall.

Light, heat and water, make up a power plant. Plenty of equipment empty and idle, such as kettles, pans, dishes. Human power, mechanical power and food enough there to keep a fair-sized family clean, healthy and happy. But I've got to get right in there and use that whole power plant every day or I'll have the sorest bunch on my hands you ever saw.

Just so, this grand old world in which we are living is simply full of possibilities for every one of us. If ??? And it can be done. It must be done. And the quicker about a hundred million of us lay down our foolish prejudices and begin to think and work and pull together for the best interests of our entire nation, the quicker we will straighten out the perplexing and cruel conditions that have overtaken us.

There is not a thing wrong with this beautiful world. It's just as big as it ever was. It is just as rich in its resources as ever. Our national power plant is the greatest in the world. Our store rooms are full of food and clothing, products waiting to be prepared for use. We have the mechanical power standing idle. We have the human power going to waste, begging for the privilege of making an honest living while millions of little children go to bed cold and hungry every night.

God and the farmers have done their part. The industrial toilers have done their part. There is no surplus except the surplus of debt and disease, sin and crime, hunger and poverty, ignorance and idleness.

The whole tragic story of our nation's economic distress can be summed up in one word—**SELFISHNESS**. Our national sin. The hour for readjustment of our economic and social life in

WAR ON KIDNAPERS

Texas isn't as big as it used to be. It isn't so big, at least, that major offenders against the law can lose themselves in it and evade detection. That has been newly evidenced by the capture of the alleged masted mind in the Urschel kidnaping case in a lonely farm shack in Wise county with the netting of a group suspected of aiding in the criminal business.

The department of justice made good with this haul on its announcement of purpose to wage relentless and exterminative warfare on kidnapers and gangsters. Of such importance was the sensational roundup, it can prove little short of a death blow to the desperate game of the kidnaping. The imposition of that first death sentence in Kansas City, had its effect, and such a major arrest as this latest in Texas will prove even more telling.

The long-defied law has shown that it can get its man. Juries have shown that they will make the punishment fit the crime. The two revelations should operate as deterrents to the criminally-minded. — Dallas Journal

America is at hand. Human justice must be restored to the masses or we perish as a democracy of the people, by the people and for the people.

New laws, no matter how sincere their intent, will never change things much. We've got to go deeper. It's the inside of this nation that needs changing—our ideals, our business motives—our life goals will have to be made over before we can look for permanent prosperity. And that means the reconstruction of our economic and social life on the basis of **SERVICE** to humanity.

And this new program of life must start with the individual—must begin right at the source of life itself, the home. Our children must be reared to be of service to others and not merely to be served. Our goal must be service to God through service to humanity rather than the mere perpetuation of selfish prejudices and man-made creeds. The community, the school, the city, the government, must put service above self.

Then will our little life lights shine together like the stars at night. And have you ever noticed that the darker the night—the more stars in the sky, the brighter they shine and the closer they get together?

DESPERADO ARRESTED IN NORTH TEXAS

In a farmhouse near Decatur, Texas, Harvey Bailey, escaped Kansas convict, was arrested Saturday night and the place identified by federal department of justice agents as the rendezvous in which kidnapers held Charles A. Urschel, rich Oklahoma City oil man, who was ransomed for \$200,000. The officers said they found Urschel's fingerprints in profusion about the place.

Gus Jones, head of the San Antonio office of the department of justice, who led the raid upon the farmhouse near Decatur, told newspaper men that it was at the home of Bailey's mother in Missouri that "Killer" Burke was arrested a few years ago, after a nationwide search for Chicago and Indiana murderers. Burke now is serving a life sentence. Jones recognized Bailey from a photograph as the long-sought desperado. He had never seen him before.

Bailey carried a large sum of money identified as that paid in ransom for Mr. Urschel.

Bailey, also identified as the leader in the Kansas City union station killings of June 17, was asleep in the back yard of the farmhouse when 12 officers, four department of justice agents, four Dallas county and four Fort Worth officers, descended upon the place.

He awoke to find himself covered with machine guns and was unable to reach for two automatic pistols or a rifle that he had on the cot with him. Another rifle and pistol and hundreds of rounds of ammunition were available on the back porch of the house a few feet away.

Several persons found in the farmhouse were arrested for questioning, but were later released.

In addition to the Kansas City rail station massacre and the Urschel kidnaping, Bailey also was wanted in connection with the \$2,000,000 bank holdup at Lincoln, Neb., September 17, 1930.

Before a United State Commissioner's hearing on the fifth floor of the Dallas county jail, Harvey Bailey and four members of the Shannon family Wednesday pleaded not guilty to kidnaping C. F. Urschel, and were ordered held for transfer to Oklahoma under heavy bonds.

Bailey, considered the leader of a gang of ruthless killers, was placed under \$100,000 bond, while bond of \$50,000 each was set for the Shannons, including R. G. Shannon, owner of a farm near Paradise, Wise county, where Bailey and others of the gang were arrested.

PASSING OF FRANK SOULES

Mr. F. M. Soules, aged about 70, died at his ranch home nine miles from Star Wednesday morning at 3:30 o'clock, as a result of heart trouble, from which he had suffered for many years.

Mr. Soules was a pioneer of that section and had extensive land and property interests. He was highly regarded by all who knew him and had been a leading factor in the development of the country all of the years of his residence there. He is survived by a large family of sons and daughters and several grandchildren, also by three sisters, Mesdames McCaughn of Norton, J. W. Mills of Santa Ana, Austin Jones and J. H. Clifton of Star, and two brothers, B. C. and Neal Soules, both of Star.

He was a member of the Star Masonic lodge and his burial in Hearst ranch cemetery, east of Star, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, was under direction of that order. A large number of Masons and other friends of the deceased and his family attended the funeral.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of expressing our sincere thanks and appreciation to the people of San Saba, Big Valley, Goldthwaite and Center City for their kind words, their expressions of sympathy and the many kind deeds shown us during the illness and death of our brother, father and grandfather, Mr. W. H. Oglesby.

Our words are too weak to express our feelings. May God's richest blessings rest with each and everyone who helped us in our hours of sadness, is the wish of us all.

THE OGLESBY FAMILIES

Mullin News

From the Enterprise

MULLIN LADY WINS HONORS

Mrs. F. M. Wortman of Tuttle, Okla., is here visiting and was recently at the Century of Progress fair. While there she was enjoying the Ball Fruit Jar exhibit of canned products. She discovered a Mullin lady had won distinction for canned chicken, and the company sent Mrs. Mary Davee a pretty souvenir—a pepper and salt shaker, the unique shape of Ball Fruit Jars. Mrs. Davee had entered a canning contest last year and the best exhibits were sent to the Chicago exposition, and so Mrs. Davee was agreeably surprised, as she did not know her exhibit had been sent to Chicago.

RECENT BRIDE SHOWERED

Mrs. Smith Hardwick, now of Ben Hur, was recently showered at Mullin Creek picnic grounds. A group of the bride's friends met under the stately old trees at the favorite picnic spot and enjoyed the affair with a friendly visit and neighborly chats for half an hour while the crowd was gathering for the event.

The honoree was until her marriage about the first of the month, one of the efficient telephone girls at Mullin exchange. A delicious picnic lunch was served and enjoyed even by the heavy-weights, who instantly decided after lunch they would go on a diet the next day. A resolution that will not be kept.

The bride received many useful and ornamental gifts in the miscellaneous shower.

MRS. J. W. BAILEY

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Bailey, aged 63, passed over the river, from whence there is no return Thursday afternoon at a Brownwood hospital.

Mrs. Bailey had resided in the Prairie community for over thirty years. She was married to J. W. Bailey about sixty years ago in Collin county. Mrs. Bailey was a devout Christian, a beloved wife and mother and held the esteem and respect of a wide circle of friends and neighbors.

Funeral services were held Friday at the Duren cemetery, where a crowd of loved ones gathered to pay their last tribute to this good woman and it can be truly said: "She hath done what she could," along life's journey.

Surviving are her husband and seven children—Mrs. Nola James, Mrs. Ola Dennis, Mrs. Maude Welborn, Mrs. Eula Vaughan, Mrs. Alpha Nesmith, Mrs. Alma Johnston and John Bailey, also a number of grandchildren and great grandchildren.

LAKE MERRITT COUPLE ARE MARRIED

Miss Katie Evelyn Smith and Mr. Doyle Marler, prominent young couple of Lake Merritt community, drove to the residence of Rev. J. D. Long Saturday afternoon and he performed the sacred marriage rites for the happy young couple.

The bride is a granddaughter of C. M. Smith and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Marler and was reared in the Lake Merritt community. He is an energetic young farmer and Mr. and Mrs. Marler are at home to their friends on the Marler farm.

They have many interested friends who wish for them the acme of success and happiness.

LONG DROUTH BROKEN

A good rain fell here Monday night and Tuesday morning, breaking a long drouth of a hot summer. The rain of over an inch, is of inestimable value to bring up the feedstuff planted when the cotton was plowed recently, and stock water was beginning to be a serious problem to many of the stockmen.

Cotton will be materially helped and fall pastures and crops in general benefitted by this good rain that came two weeks earlier than it usually comes in this section.

The first of September central Texas expects and often gets a complete change in the weather and a number of good rains.

MEETING CLOSED

The meeting conducted by Elder I. A. Dyches closed Sunday night and six were added to the church.

Miss Holly Guthrie was a week end guest of Miss Reba Tillman. Mrs. Anna Neill and Miss Alma Neill were Brownwood visitors Friday.

Mrs. B. P. Kittle and Mrs. L. J. Vann were Sunday visitors with relatives in Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill of Slayden were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis.

Mrs. W. C. Hancock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lampman in Brownwood. A. H. Daniel and Supt. Tolbert Patterson attended a school meeting at Comanche Thursday.

Mrs. L. J. Smith and son, Jimmie, are in Rio Vista and Fort Worth visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stark and children of Palmdale, Cal., are here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ince had the following guests Sunday—Mrs. Slack and Mrs. Davee of Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boland of Goldthwaite were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Lockett, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith of Lometa and Mrs. Tom Cryer of Goldthwaite visited Mrs. Ila Messier here Sunday.

Mrs. A. C. Searcy, wife of a former pastor of the Methodist church here, spent Sunday visiting friends in Mullin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Henry and Leverett Henry attended church at Prarie Sunday, where they met with many old friends and neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Crouch of Eola and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Wallace have gone to Rusk to visit Mr. Wallace's aged mother for awhile.

We are glad to report Tobe Cox, who was carried to a hospital in Brownwood Friday, as improving nicely and it is hoped will soon be free of fever.

Mrs. Jim Davee received news Sunday of her little grandson, Winifred Davee of Brady, being severely burned. At last report he was improving nicely.

Misses Era and Clemmie Mae Hancock returned home Sunday with Ernest Hancock and family and will visit awhile in Jonesboro and Gatesville.

Chester Chancellor left Saturday for Gladewater in response to a message that he had been accepted with an oil company and to report for duty.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wigley and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Wasserman. Helen Wigley remained for a longer visit with Norma Lee Wasserman.

G. M. Flecher and family and J. A. Fletcher spent Sunday in San Saba with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Isham. Mrs. Fletcher and Mary Ruth remained over for a more extended visit.

Swinney Bros. began fall shearing of goats Monday at W. M. Smith's farm in Prairie community. They moved from there to Blanket, where they will have several days work.

Miss Oleta Fisher has accepted a position in the primary department here, caused by the resignation of Miss Mabel Smith, who is building on her degree. Miss Fisher is a Mullin girl with excellent college work and will likely be a splendid teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pettit and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lockett moved Tuesday to the Sleepy Hollow farm on the bayou. They will occupy the house vacated by Arch Hodges and family. Mr. Lockett will farm here another year and has moved in order to begin to get his land ready for another crop. Mr. Hodges will continue to reside on the Sleepy Hollow ranch.

Misses Sybil Guthrie, Katherine Kemp and Mildred Cunningham are expected home in the next few days from a tour of the north and a delightful visit to the Chicago fair. The last report from the young ladies was from St. Louis and they had the pleasure of meeting Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Skaggs and son of Oklahoma City, who were en route to Chicago for a vacation.

Sollie Baker of Zephyr suffered a fracture of both bones of his left leg at the ankle Saturday afternoon, when he was thrown from a mule at a rodeo at Bangs. He was taken to Central Texas hospital, where he was reported resting fairly well today. Miss Geraldine Hester of Goldthwaite has entered Central Texas hospital for a minor operation. — Brownwood Bulletin.

Gilbert Chancellor and family and Mrs. J. L. Chancellor left Saturday morning for a vacation visit in western New Mexico with his brother, Russell Chancellor, and family. They expected to spend Sunday in the Carlsbad Cavern, enjoying the magic beauties of that wonder of the world. Mr. and Mrs. Barney Keating are keeping house for Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Chancellor while they are on their western tour.

Miss Irene Wall is a guest of Miss Aline and Ozella Ince.

R. H. Patterson attended the funeral of his old friend and business associate, F. M. Soules, at Star Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece McCormick of Gladewater arrived in Mullin Tuesday morning and left for Los Angeles, Cal., Wednesday. They were accompanied from here by Mrs. W. S. Kemp. They will visit their mother, Mrs. Emons, while in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ince had as their guests the past week Mrs. J. R. Slack of Mullin, Mrs. J. B. Davee of Goldthwaite, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stark and children of Palmdale, Cal., Mr. and Mrs. Algie Ross, Mrs. W. L. Wall and Miss Irene Wall of Brownwood.

A group of men and boys have been at work for the past few days on the school grounds, improving the campus and clearing away the weeds and beautifying the school campus. Various needed repairs are now under way, getting ready for the fall opening of school.

Miss Nell McFarland of Breckenridge is at home on a vacation. Miss McFarland is one of the four McFarland girls, who are graduate nurses, and all along the journey of life few are given a warmer welcome than an efficient nurse, when called to administer to the sick or dying with the skill of a trained nurse.

Rev. Sheffield of Brownwood closed a most successful meeting Sunday night. Great crowds of interested people came each night. There were 21 conversions one night and others at various times during the ten days revival at Duren. Revivals were also conducted at Trigger Mountain and Pompey last week.

Bro. Moore Eubanks of Mercury will preach at the Baptist tabernacle Thursday night, Aug. 17, at 8 p. m. There will be a man here in the interest of a singing school. All those who would be interested in going to a singing school to be held at the tabernacle at this time, be present. Bro. Allen will be with us on Friday to begin his 10 days meeting.

Miss Nell Kirkpatrick won the honor of being salutatorian of the class of graduates at Daniel Baker college in Brownwood Thursday night. Walter Chambers, son of W. H. G. Chambers, was the valedictorian of the class. Mullin and the people in this section are intensely interested in these two honorees and both of them have successful careers as teachers of ability.

Famous Painting at Fair



The famous painting "Nazarene", which portrays Christ as a blond, blue-eyed, triumphant person, is viewed by Rufus C. Dawes, president of a Century of Progress—the Chicago World's Fair—(left), and Col. H. Stanley Todd, painter of the masterpiece, which is on exhibition in the Hall of Religion at the Fair.

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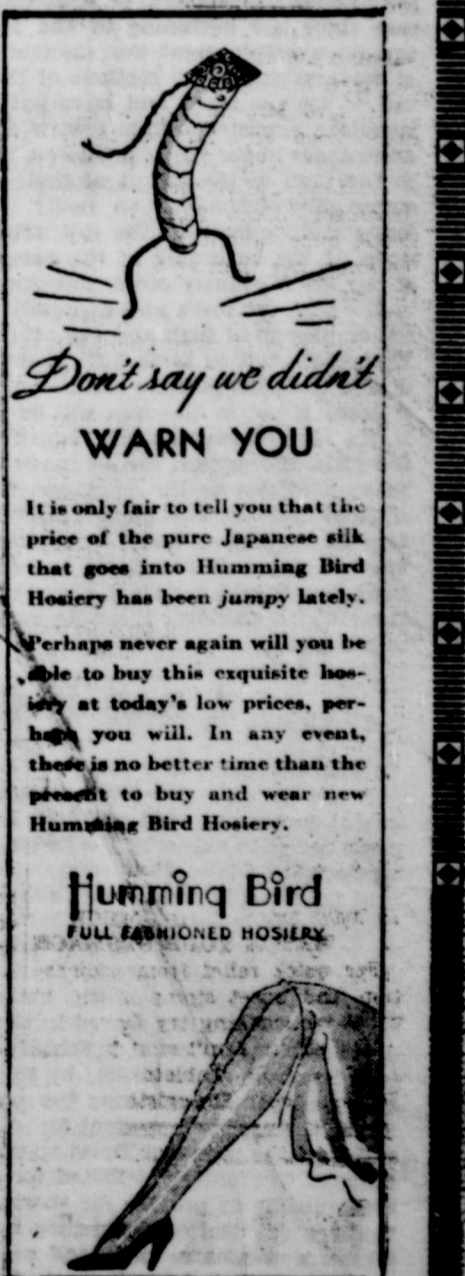
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Perhaps never again will you be able to buy this exquisite hosiery at today's low prices, perhaps you will. In any event, there is no better time than the present to buy and wear new Humming Bird Hosiery.

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A RIGID POLICY NEEDED

The country as a whole has been too lenient with the drivers of automobiles who cause serious injuries and death by their carelessness or worse, their hogishness. With many operators of automobiles the principle appears to be "The highway is mine. Get out of my way or I will kill you." Some may not think in terms of gain as the quotation indicates, but their actions prove the spirit, just the same. On every highway and on almost every street you find people driving at lightning speed, with never a care as to the danger to others. Sometimes it is simply a desire to display their recklessness and bravado, but the hazard to the public is equally as great as though the driver started out on a mission of inflicting injuries on others. The reason for this is that punishment for the injuries inflicted have not been sure or sufficiently severe.

In the industrial field, tremendous progress in accident prevention has been made. The roster of important industries which operate for months at a stretch without a single mishap of importance, is constantly growing. The life and health of workers in every producing field has never been better guarded—because management has been tireless in instilling the doctrine of safety first into its employes.

That is also true of children of school age. Thousands of young lives have been saved through courses on caution and accident prevention.

The great failure has been in the field of the automobile. Most years have been decisive advances in the number of deaths and injuries over the last. Reductions, the few times they have occurred, have been small. The reckless and inconsiderate driver has scored victory after victory. The result is that our public streets and highways have become places of carnage.

The never-ending war against accident must be fought with increasing vigor if it is to succeed. The dangerous driver is a public enemy. He should be given the treatment he deserves.

A DUPLICATED AMENDMENT

Two years ago the voters of Texas authorized the exemption of a homestead of a value up to \$3000 from state taxes and it is now in effect. In the forthcoming election another amendment similar in character is to be submitted to the electorate. There is danger of becoming confused by the existence of this last amendment, which in fact has no bearing whatever on tax matters in Mills county, but allows the same exemption to property owners in those sections of the state that were formerly exempted from all taxes for special reasons, such as having suffered some public calamity. The Star-Telegram explains the amendment in a lucid way when it says: "The actual question before the voters is whether they will extend to all homesteads the exemption which they voted last year, but which did not include counties which had previously been granted tax remission by the legislature and which now are using the revenue thus diverted to them in servicing bonds issued for emergency relief and reconstruction works."

"In framing the original homestead amendment the fact was overlooked that none of these counties had been granted a remission of their school or Confederate pension taxes."

"Thus homestead owners in these counties now find themselves not only required to keep on paying the state general tax into the local treasury, but they must keep on paying the school and pension taxes to the state treasury, a thing required of no other homestead owners in the state."

"Obviously a gross injustice has been done them."

A DISPLAY OF PATRIOTISM

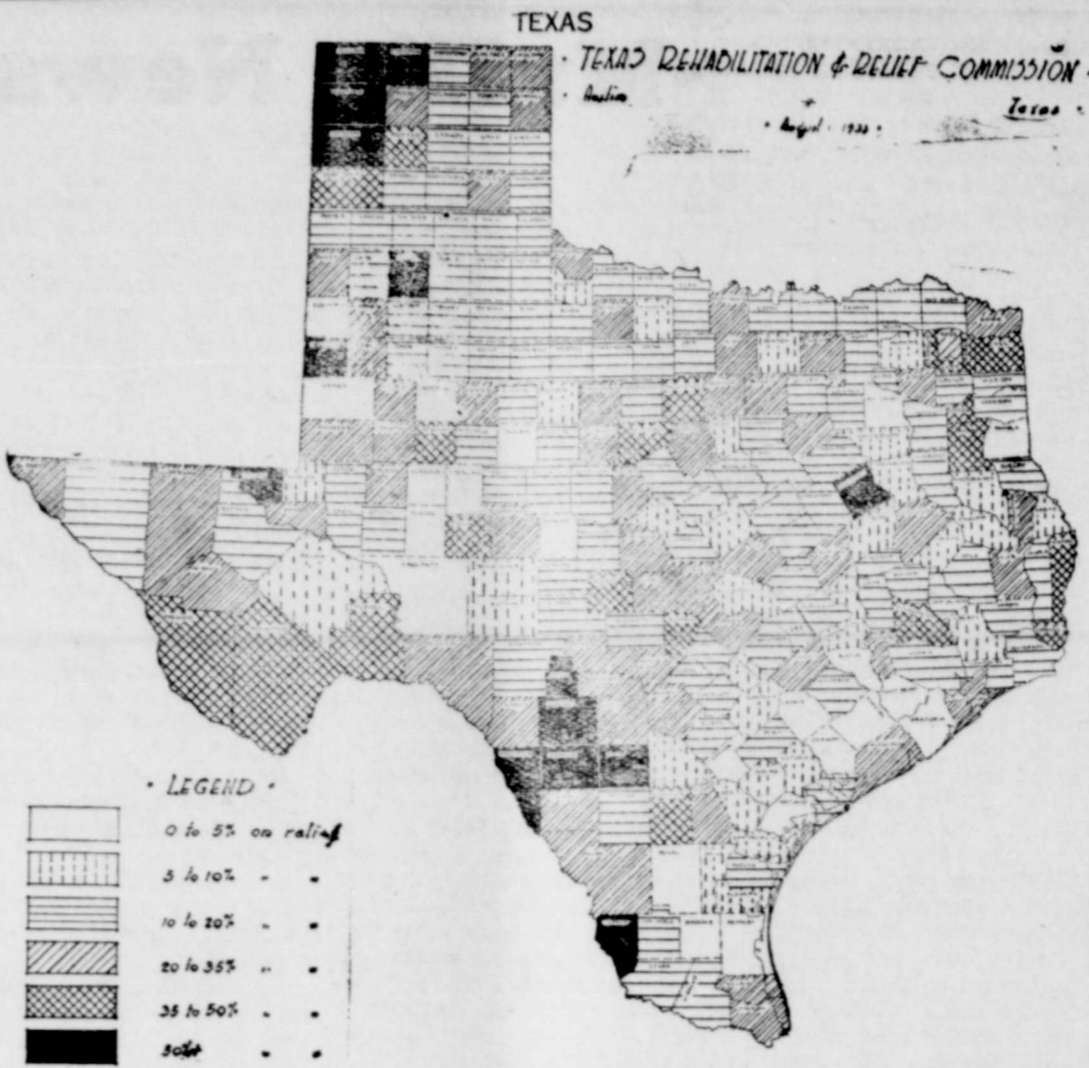
Never has there been a greater display of genuine patriotism throughout the country, even in time of war, than has been the case since the beginning of the N.R.A. campaign or the drive against unemployment was inaugurated. Employers in every line of business and in all sections of the country have rallied to the call of the president and have put forth efforts to give the cooperation expected. While few, if any, have realized any of the advantages hoped for or predicted, they have loyally given support to the plan to the extent of their understanding of its requirements. Few business men really understand their "codes" and fewer still understood the full import of the agreement offered them at the beginning of the campaign, but from every section of our great country comes announcement of the ready adoption of the plan set forth and expression of the desire on the part of the employers of high and low estate to give support to the plan. That there will be some difficulties encountered and some violation of the pledges there can be no doubt, but in a great majority of cases, if not in all cases, will be found a lack of understanding of the requirements rather than a desire to do wrong or thwart the plan. If the plan can be made to work without inflicting too heavy a burden on the employers it will have the hearty support of those involved. It is more a matter of patriotism and a desire to help than a hope or desire for personal benefit on the part of those who are giving their support and co-operation. The result of this campaign should certainly prove to the labor organizations that in reality an employer is not an enemy, even though he be classed as a capitalist.

A BAD PRECEDENT

The advocates of a twenty million dollar bond issue by the state are sending out most alarming propaganda, claiming the federal government will withhold further RFC aid to Texas if the voters refuse to authorize the bonds. Whether the claim and warning be true or false, the principle is all wrong and to authorize a bond issue would certainly establish a bad precedent.

If Texas is entitled to a part of public funds distributed by the federal government, it certainly would be unfair to withhold the prorata due the state by the treasury because of a refusal to burden the taxpayers of this state with such an immense sum. To be sure, Texas has shared in the distribution of emergency relief funds, but in fact it is doubtful if any considerable or lasting good has been accomplished by such funds, and certainly it would be a bad plan to continue the paternalistic system indefinitely. Maybe the need was as great for relief as the bond advocates claim and if so, the people of Texas appreciate having received their just share of the funds distributed for public work or for the relief of those unable to provide for themselves, yet it can not be denied that a great deal of the money was used unnecessarily and that where people learn to depend upon public funds and public assistance their independence is impaired and they become less self-reliant.

Every voter should consider the matter carefully from his own viewpoint and then cast his ballot as his judgment dictates, but the Eagle is firmly of the opinion that the bonds should not be authorized and that a heavy burden will be placed on the backs of Texas taxpayers if such an issue is authorized by the voters on August 26.



MAP OF RELIEF WORK

An even distribution of relief funds to all sections of Texas is reflected in the map prepared by the Texas Rehabilitation and Relief Commission, a copy of which appears above. This map was prepared from the requests from county chairmen for aid for the month of August and the percentages are based on the 1930 total populations of the counties.

An outstanding dark area is in the Panhandle, where drouth and winds have killed all crop prospects. The effect of the drouth is also reflected all along the Rio Grande and particularly in the Southwestern portion of the state. The extreme northeastern counties and some southeastern counties are dark, while interspersed throughout the central portion of the state great distress is reflected by the map.

Contrary to the belief of some that relief is in greater demand in the cities than in the rural districts, the map shows that in proportion to the total population there is virtually no difference. Harris and Dallas counties have about the same percentage as the whole state, it being 17 and 19 per cent respectively. Tarrant and Bexar are slightly higher, the percentage being respectively 25 and 22 per cent. It will be noted that the extreme counties of El Paso, Cameron, Bowie and Lipscomb are all in the grouping of from 20 to 35 per cent.

There are a few counties not having relief organizations. These are Borden, Cochran, Crockett, Duval, Glascock, Kennedy, King, Reagan, Sterling and Van Zandt. All of these except Van Zandt are in the big ranch country where a few individuals own nearly all the land.

All of the funds requested from the counties as reflected in the map are now being furnished by the federal government.

THE REALM OF SCIENCE

IMMUNIZATION FROM ANTHRAX

Anthrax, the scourge which has swept the world since first reported in the Bible as the "Murrain" of Exodus, may lose its last terrors for man in a new type of immunity discovered at the University of Cincinnati.

The first anthrax immunizer was made by Pasteur in 1880 from anthrax bacteria. The new Cincinnati antidote is taken from much less dangerous sources. It was developed by the department of bacteriology and hygiene, college of medicine.

The new immunizer is the red corpuscles of sheep, boiled in water. The scientist injected some of these boiled corpuscles into the bodies of rabbits. After two weeks he inoculated these rabbits with virulent anthrax bacilli. The animals were not even made ill.

But exactly similar anthrax germs proved 100 per cent lethal to rabbits which had not been immunized with the sheep corpuscles.

This experiment taps some recent discoveries by several scientists in a new field of disease immunization. Heretofore, like the Pasteur anthrax bacilli, most immunity has come from the germ which caused the disease. This immunizing substance would not work against any other disease.

Sheep corpuscles are only one of their sources. More important it has been found that they can generate immunizing "antibodies" usually taken by mouth. This is usually safer for humans than inoculation.

GOOD TO EAT

Hungarian Chocolate Frosting

Two squares unsweetened chocolate, cut in pieces, 1-3 tablespoons hot water, 1-2 cup confectioners' sugar, 2 egg yolks, well beaten, 1-4 cup butter, washed in cold water to remove salt. Melt chocolate in double boiler, add hot water and blend. Add sugar and egg yolks and beat well. Remove from fire and allow mixture to stand over hot water 3 minutes or until slightly thickened, stirring constantly. Cool quickly to lukewarm, add butter, a tablespoon at a time, blending after each addition. Makes enough frosting to cover top and sides of an 8x8x2-inch cake.

Chocolate Butter Frosting

Four tablespoons butter, 2 cups sifted confectioners' sugar, 1-2 teaspoon vanilla, 1-2 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted, 4 teaspoons milk. Cream butter, add 1 cup sugar, and cream together thoroughly. Add vanilla and chocolate. Add remaining sugar gradually, beating well after each addition. Thin with milk until of right consistency to spread. Makes enough frosting to cover top and sides of 8x8x2-inch cake or tops of two 9-inch cakes.

Health Hint

A warning against over confidence in regarding tuberculosis as a vanquished disease was sounded last week by Dr. Livingston Farrand, president of Cornell University. "During the past six months in several sections of the United States there have been slight increases in the number of reported cases of tuberculosis," he said.

"How can we best wage war against tuberculosis?" Dr. Farrand asked. "The answer is simple. Prevent it! The methods of treatment are long and expensive, but those of prevention are relatively easy and inexpensive. The first step is to break the contact between tuberculosis sufferers and those living and working in close contact with them."

"This important phase of the problem is being stressed this very month by the National Tuberculosis Association and its affiliated state and local units throughout the country in the sixth annual Early Diagnosis Campaign. This organized effort emphasizes the importance of tracing every case to its source."

"The campaign slogan asks two important questions, which, if properly answered, in the treatment of every active case of tuberculosis would quickly send the death rate from this disease on its last downward spin. The questions are, 'From whom did he get it?' and 'To whom did he give it?'"

"Results of the tireless efforts by public health authorities, private physicians, tuberculosis associations and other health and social agencies to combat tuberculosis can be measured in terms of hundreds of thousands of lives reclaimed throughout the nation. "There should be no let up in the campaign against this disease. The facilities for dealing with it should be maintained and strengthened. Any relaxation of effort at this time would be extremely unwise. The consequences would be disastrous for years to come."

MANY FREAK LAWS

The following queer laws were discovered by an attorney, in looking up some regulations still in force in various parts of the nation.

Women's bathing suits worn on South Park beach in Chicago must have quarter arm sleeves.

It is illegal to peel an orange in a California hotel.

Hire your neighbors cook and you can be imprisoned in Florida.

A North Carolina law says that twin beds must be at least two feet apart.

In Vancouver, Canada, it is unlawful to ride a tricycle more than two miles an hour.

In Kansas a law requires that every public building be provided with a sufficient number of cuspidors.

It is against the law in Nebraska for women to wear skirts more than eight inches from the floor.

In Joliet it is unlawful for a woman to try on more than six dresses in any one store.

In Massachusetts it is illegal for a woman to appear in public with her face powdered and rouged. It is also unlawful for anyone to promote a masked ball in that state.

A Wisconsin law forbids the use of a phonograph.

In Bellingham, Wash., a law provides that a woman must not take more than three steps backward at a time when dancing.

In New York it is illegal to have a gate that opens outwards. One must have a permit from the sheriff to buy a chicken after dark in Idaho.

It is unlawful for a woman to wear a bracelet watch on her ankle in Elizabeth, Tenn.

Fishing from the back of any animal is illegal in Idaho.

The Voice of the Press

IN THE MILL VILLAGES

An energetic and ambitious man, whether a textile worker or not, will not be content to work forty hours a week and loaf eighty.

If half a dozen mill workers least 200 acres of land and engage in dairy farming they compete with other dairy farmers.

In a few cases in this state, now, and for the last two or three years, members of farmers' families have worked "part time" in cotton mills and have thereby bought the fertilizers and financed the farm operations.

Shall we punish the strong man for working too hard and earning too much? Or shall we limit to a small amount his earnings, however great his skill, talent and ambition? That is the plan in Russia.

In Greenwood the textile operatives gave a dance when the forty-hour work schedule took effect, and 1500 persons shared in the festivities. But they will not continue to dance. They will not come out of the mill fagged as formerly. They will have energies for other work.

A change of work is in itself recreation—a man may go from a machine to a pasture to feed sheep and find a measure of relief from fatigue. That is why the News and Courier rejoices that the hours of mill work have been substantially reduced—it would have the operative develop other faculties than those necessary to tending spindles and looms.

The textile workers have not been employed too many hours in the week. They have been employed too many hours in one kind of toil.

They will turn to other occupations in time, and production by them will not be reduced.

Garment making will be an industry among women in the mill villages, as it should be.—Charleston, S. C. News and Courier.

INDIANS RELIEVE RELIEF

From the dense pine woods of their reservation in Wisconsin two Indian couriers a day or two ago brought a message to the White Father in Washington from the tribal council of the Menominees. And, speaking vernacularly, it was some message. So much so that when Harold L. Ickes, Secretary of the Interior and Public Works Administrator, read it he was, to use a favorite expression of Sarah Gamp, "knocked all of a 'eap."

It was a pretty warm day that day in Washington and the secretary and his staff had been besieged by an innumerable host of mayors, congressmen and officials from almost every state in the union, all clamoring for a cut from the \$3,300,000,000 federal work relief fund. Then, like a cooling draft from the deep, pellucid waters of some lily-padded Wisconsin lake, came the amazing message of the Menominees refusing the tidy sum of \$30,000 which had been offered them for the construction of roads.

"We'll build them with our own money," declared these sturdy descendants of a tribe once mighty at Indian powwows and now largely engaged as lumbermen along the rushing rivers of the Badger state. "Good for the Menominees," ejaculated Secretary Ickes, "with thousands of people using ever yartifice to seek allotments from the public works fund—many with utterly unqualified projects—the Menominees show the way with true public spirit."

Mixing thoughts of charity with independence of character, the messengers expressed the hope that the money they declined might be used for the relief of other Indians less fortunately situated. Evidently that reference of Alexander Pope to the poor Indian of "untutored mind" should be relegated to the limbo of forgotten things now that the red man carries the torch of enlightened public spirit showing the economic way, which the white man may wisely follow.—Christian Science Monitor.

STILL A BIG CROP

The government says there is going to be a 12,314,000-bale crop. That is much larger than the trade expected, as the drop in prices indicate. It is the first intimation of the tremendous yield that would have occurred but for the plow-up campaign. In fact,

CONSUMER'S PROTECTION

A clear insight into the difficulties of Gen. Hugh Johnson task in administering the National Recovery Act is supplied by the Washington news story the other day on the consumer protective division swinging into action. The reason for its existence has already become painfully evident to old John Consumer himself. His cost of living has already risen while his paycheck has become no larger.

Both conditions respond to simple economic laws. NRA is primarily a minimum wage force bringing low level remuneration up to living limits and putting great numbers of the hitherto unemployed back at labor at the minimum rates. Theoretically increases should accompany the lowest rates in higher levels and in time this will probably occur. But such increases naturally lag behind in pace. Individuals and corporations responding loyally to the national appeal and increasing their pay rolls through shorter hours, more employees and increased pay are taxed even in the case of large operators to produce the capital necessary to finance the move.

At the same time, the increased expenditures must be balanced by increased cost to the consumer. Hence the latter feels the pinch while he may not have shared the pay rise. There is a considerable class of working America in this predicament. Willy nilly these men and women must support NRA and meet its cost. Their only out is to face the fact cheerfully and in sharing the real burden of NRA hope eventually to participate in the benefits which it is expected to provide.—Dallas News.

FUTURE OF SMALL COLLEGE

Troubling educators far and wide is the present and future place of the small college. Is it still playing an important part in the educational system? Will it endure or perish? Is it outgrown and obsolete? These are some of the questions being asked.

It would simplify the problem somewhat if the good small colleges were to be considered apart from the inferior. There are a number of institutions whose very existence is not justified. These should be closed or improved.

But the United States also supports a large number of excellent colleges of importance that rival in scholastic standing the liberal arts colleges of the large universities. These schools are constantly turning away students for lack of facilities and boast of commanding endowments and fine buildings. That they are performing their work well is evidenced by the success of their graduates when they enter the universities.

There is a school of educators, parents and scholars which finds in the approved small college certain advantages which outweigh the advantages which only the large school can offer. This belief is general enough to keep scores of small institutions supplied with student waiting lists and to cause the University of Pennsylvania to establish a small liberal arts college with no connection with the university except that of control.—Bangor Commercial.

all interpretations of the situation will inevitably interrelate the price-fixing efforts of the government and its cotton-predicting service.

The first question that suggests itself is whether the prediction service is blue-eagling with the price-fixers. It cannot be denied that a generous figure now on the acreage supposed to be left over will help maintain conditions under which the inducement to comply with plow-up contracts will be strong. On the other hand, a prediction of a 10,000,000 bale crop would have shot the price up to where it would be more profitable to pick the cotton than to plow it up.

There is here no intimation that there is a conspiracy abroad to falsify the figures. But in a system where pars are news every year and where some guesswork is bound to be involved, anyhow, under the most scientific methods, there is always lee-way. Whether by design or not, a 12,000,000 crop with a 12,000,000 carry-over is a good argument for plowing up every acre of every contract. We still have too much cotton.—Dallas News.

NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

Brownwood

The much discussed local option petition was not presented to the commissioners court at the regular meeting Monday of this week.

T. A. Lacy of Stepps Creek community, brought in the first bale of cotton to Brownwood Wednesday, August 9. It was ginned at Brooksmith. The bale weighed 435 pounds and graded strict middling.

With the signing up of merchants throughout the county, practically completed, the Brown county NRA committee this week turned its attention to the pledging of every consumer in Brown county to patronize only the merchants who display the blue eagle.

The United States government already has spent approximately \$5000 in putting on the cotton acreage retirement program in Brown county, it was disclosed this week. The amount of money to be distributed to cotton farmers in this county will be approximately \$200,000, including cash payment and the present value of options held in the county.

Anyone who thinks selling beer, when and if it is legalized in Brown county, will be as easy as opening a soda water stand, has another think coming. According to information received from the comptroller's office at Austin, there are many provisions thrown around the legalized selling of beer, in event Texas and Brown county voters legalize it at all. The license fees will be high and there will be four of them including the federal license. The person who dispenses beer for consumption upon the premises must pay a \$50 fee to the city, another \$50 to the county, and \$100 to the state. Then the federal tax falls on top of all these. — Banner - Bulletin.

Lampasas

The old RFC committee will be replaced in the near future by a new committee to be known as the county board of welfare and employment.

Prof. G. D. Scott died at 7:40 o'clock Thursday morning at home of his daughter, Mrs. Maxwell, in Springfield, Ill. He was buried in the family burial grounds in Pleasant Plains, Ill.

The commissioners court of Lampasas county has ordered an election to determine whether the sale of beer containing not more than three and two-tenths per cent of alcohol by weight shall be permitted or prohibited in Lampasas county, the election to be held on August 26 at the same time as the state election on the same subject.

The Bend Pecan Growers' Association just recently sold six carloads of pecans to E. B. McCrea, to be delivered between October 1 and December 20. Mr. McCrea reports that the Bend pecan crops are the best he has seen anywhere this year. These six carloads do not represent the whole of the Association's expected yield.

At a called meeting of the executive board of the Lampasas Baptist Association last Saturday it was decided to change the date for sending the Buckner Orphans' Home car from the time of the association to the latter part of September. For one reason the association meets at Naruna, and it would be rather inconvenient to load the car in Lampasas with the association meeting there. And it was also thought best to give a little more time for some products to be harvested.

The Chevrolet car, stolen here on the night of August 3, from Miss Lula Berry, was returned Monday night and is apparently undamaged. E. Owens, who lives on Third street just across the railroad transfer track, noticed the car parked by the side of his place early Tuesday morning. He paid no special attention to the car and later in the morning the car had not been moved and he took the numbers and went to the sheriff's office to notify the officers of the car. It was the car that had been stolen from Miss Lula Berry and it was returned to her. The spare on the car was flat but otherwise there was no noticeable damage to the car. The gasoline tank had just about the same amount as when taken. — Leader.

Hamilton

Charles G. Jermstad, a farmer who resided near Meridian, died at the Hamilton sanitarium at about 12 o'clock Tuesday, some two hours after being brought to the hospital with self-inflicted pistol shot wounds in the head.

Rev. Vernon Shaw, pastor of First Baptist church, with Mrs. Shaw and their little son, Kenneth, arrived at home Thursday from Lockney, where they had been visiting relatives. Rev. Shaw has been absent from his pulpit on account of illness since the first Sunday in June.

Hamilton is engaged in a big, forced clean-up campaign, inaugurated by Mayor William Lemmons and the city council in combination with county and state health departments, the state department of health cooperating for the reason that a civilian conservation camp with some 200 government regulated civilians is located here.

A big plank barn belonging to W. W. Barkley and standing on his home premises in east Hamilton, was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin on Thursday between twelve and one o'clock noon. The barn contained one hundred bales of new hay, and sheltered a number of hogs. The hogs were rescued, but the hay burned.

King Childress and family of Goldthwaite visited in Hamilton and at Carlton the past week. Mr. Childress was reared at Carlton and formerly edited the Carlton Citizen. He is prominently known in the state as a newspaper man. For a number of years Mr. Childress worked in Stephenville on the Empire as an employe of W. H. Hawkins. He went with Jack Hawkins to Groesbeck, where he is publishing the Journal. Relatives and friends have greatly enjoyed the visit in his county of Mr. Childress and his nice family. — Herald-Record.

Lometa

Miss Willie Allison and Alton Hallenbeck were united in marriage at 8 o'clock Saturday night by Rev. D. H. Kirkpatrick at his home.

Several from this community have been attending the meeting at Seallorn, which closed Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kirby, J.R. Gaylan and Pete Kirby attend the Walker Yarborough funeral in San Saba Tuesday afternoon.

Last Saturday afternoon late the granary on the Fisher place was destroyed by fire. No serious loss was estimated other than the barn, as it was filled with fodder and not grain. The distance was too far for the fire boys to go on the truck.

E. B. McCrea, who has been out for the past several weeks buying pecan crops, reports that this year's crop is going to be light. Also that it will be very late before they are ready to thresh, probably October 1. Mr. McCrea says that the pecan orchards of Lampasas county have better prospects for a good pecan crop than any other orchards he has visited along the Colorado river between San Saba and Austin.

The first bale of this season's cotton was ginned in Lometa on Saturday, August 5, by the Greathouse Gin. This bale was brought in by Candy Fernandez, this being the third time he has brought the first bale to Lometa. It ginned out 480 pounds from 1370 pounds of seed cotton. This bale was bought by Henry Stallings and Company at ten cents per pound. — Reporter.

San Saba

All gates at the fair grounds were swung wide open Tuesday night and gay crowds thronged the park. Midway was a happy, jolly scene of young life.

Misses Johnnie Bob and Gladys Weatherly have gone on a visit with their grandfather, John Burnett, of Goldthwaite to the old family home in Kentucky.

An experienced operator is in the Algerta-Bethel section or Richland creek, taking drilling operations and preparing to sink a real oil well for this county. The latest report is that practically all acreage required for the block has been signed and that within 30 days from the time the last

Comanche

A local option election for Comanche county to determine whether or not it will be lawful to sell 3.2 per cent beer in Comanche county provided that the state also votes for beer, was ordered by the Comanche county commissioners court Monday. The election will be on August 26, at the same time as the state election when four proposed amendments to the state constitution and the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment shall be voted on.

George Miller of Cleburne was arrested on highway 10 near Proctor Monday and brought to Comanche and placed in jail. Charges of driving while intoxicated were filed against him.

The low average per acre yield of cotton in Comanche county for the past five years, cost Comanche county farmers several thousand dollars under the cotton acreage reduction plan.

Drilling at around 2000 feet was under way Monday at the Gray well northeast of Comanche. The drilling is in black shale and progress is being made at the rate of about 100 feet per day.

Planting of wheat on land where cotton has been destroyed under the government's cotton acreage reduction plan is strictly forbidden and will be fatal to the planter's contract, according to information obtained from A. & M. College.

Practically every business firm in Comanche was represented at a mass meeting called last Friday morning by Mayor M. Coleman to work out a local policy for observing the NRA code.

Men who are doing day labor for government pay from RFC funds in Comanche and other sections were given a wage boost last week when their day's pay for eight hours of work was increased from \$1 to \$2.40.

Comanche's first bale of cotton for the present season was ginned Tuesday, August 8, at the Blue Gin. It was brought in by Tom Sliker, four miles east of Comanche, who nearly every year raises one among the first bales. The bale weighed 555 lbs. and was bought by Sherwood McDonald at 9 cents per pound. A premium of \$18.25 was raised. — Chief.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

West Texas' most popular Optical Specialist, Dr. Fred R. Baker, will be at the Saylor Hotel Saturday, August 19, only. Reference list too large to publish, will be furnished upon request. Over 20 years' service to local people. The doctor has just returned from big convention with all the new styles in spectacle-ware at moderate prices and Doc says, "When I can't fit them, then they are blind."

QUICK RELIEF FROM SOUR STOMACH, HEARTBURN

Stomach pains after eating and gas disturbances can be stopped quickly with Dr. Emil's Adla Tablets. Banish heartburn, sour stomach. — Hudson Bros. Druggists.

signature is secured the drill will be going.

Will L. Robertson, world war veteran, was found in an unconscious condition on the sidewalk on the east side of the San Saba National Bank just at dawn Sunday morning. A physician was summoned and first aid was administered and he was rushed to a Temple hospital. Apparently the skull was crushed at the base of the brain and cuts on the front of the head. Tuesday death came without consciousness ever returning. There are two theories being advanced. One is that young Robertson had gone into the Legion Hall over the bank, had sat in the window, went to sleep and fell out of the window to the sidewalk. The other theory is that he was slugged and left to die. — News.

Build Up Health and Pains Go Away

WOMEN who suffer from weakness often have many aches and pains which a stronger state of health would prevent. Women in this condition should take Cardui, a purely vegetable tonic that has been in use for over 50 years. Take Cardui to improve the general one of the system in cases of run-down health and "tired nerves." Women have found, in such cases, that Cardui helps them to overcome and make the monthly period easier. CARDUI is safe and wholesome for women of all ages. Try it! Sold at the drug store.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The crop reporting board of the department of agriculture forecast the second smallest corn crop since 1901, and the lowest production of wheat and oats in 35 years.

An emergency tax relief conference has been called to meet in Dallas Saturday morning, August 19, to launch a statewide movement for a general retail sales tax.

Permission to raise a special force of 8000 men to deal with "terroristic outrages," has been obtained by Austria from Britain, France and Italy, the London Telegraph states.

The agricultural adjustment administration has accepted an emergency plan to raise hog prices suggested by the national corn-hog producers' committee of twenty-five providing for removal from the domestic market of 4,000,000 pigs and 1,000,000 sows.

Governor Rolph of California announced this week he would allow the state personal income tax to go to a "pocket veto." The governor declared the income tax was unnecessary, dangerous and would fall more heavily on the man with a small income than on the man with a large income.

After careful study the German archaeological institute has pronounced the Roman bust found near Catania, Italy, a likeness of Julius Caesar. It had been resting on a shelf in the library of Acireale, not far from Catania, for more than 200 years. No one knew whom it represented, but now the German savants declare it to be the most lifelike of all the images of caesar that exist.

Uncle Sam's horde of income tax collectors has been given orders to dig a little deeper for revenue, to pry more thoroughly into your tax return in an effort to help fill the yawning treasury coffers. With the bulk of returns for 1932 now in hand, they are being subjected to microscopic examination by the government's trained personnel. What labyrinth of inspection the millions of returns required under the income tax system must undergo.

David Hutton has definitely chosen a career to marriage with Aimee Semple McPherson. Fresh from the egg-throwing plaudits that marked his stager revival, Hutton arrived in San Francisco Saturday to sing a little torch song. His evangelist wife is a "dear, sweet woman," but he intends to continue divorce proceedings, he declared. There will be no reconciliation. "Both of us are going our own ways," the rotund singer asserted. "Mrs. Hutton has her profession and I have mine. Mine is the stage."

Final approval of application blanks and other forms to be used by the Home Owners' Loan Corporation of Texas has been given by the Home Loan Board. James Shaw, manager, said Friday after his return from Washington. Because of the Texas homestead laws, forms used in this state had to be revised. Shaw said that as soon as the various blanks were printed the corporation would be able to start operating. This doesn't mean that we will be able to make all the loans immediately, but that we can make the first loans within a short time, he explained.

HOME OWNERS LOANS

Some of the essential data of the Home Owners Loan Corporation plan as stated from official sources are:

1. Principal method of refinancing to be used: Exchange of bonds of the Home Owners Loan corporation for distress mortgages. Interest of 4 per cent on the bonds guaranteed by the government for the life of the bond.
2. Refinancing of mortgages through cash loans is permitted where the mortgage covers not more than 40 per cent of the appraised value of the property. These mortgages will bear 6 per cent interest. A total capital of \$200,000,000 is given for this kind of refinancing.
3. Corporation may sell its bonds for cash and use cash for refinancing. It is stated that this process probably will be used little if at all because of the possibility that it may interfere with federal treasury financing.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mills County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon John Howell by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Mills county, to be held at the court house thereof, in Goldthwaite, Texas, on the fourth Monday in September, A. D. 1933, the same being the 25th day of September, A. D. 1933, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1933, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 2394, wherein Edna Howell is plaintiff and John Howell is defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff was married to defendant John Howell Dec. 24, 1920, and he abandoned plaintiff the 30th day of November, 1925, and plaintiff alleges three years permanent abandonment without cause or provocation for cause of action. She has resided in Texas for more than 12 months and six months in Mills county, preceding the filing of this suit for divorce, asking for said marriage to be declared null and void, and that plaintiff be restored to her maiden name, Edna Morris, and for judgment for costs and relief in general in law and equity, and this is a brief statement of her cause of action.

Herein fall not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Goldthwaite, Texas, this 7th day of August, A. D. 1933.

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THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

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S. M. Bleeker was here from Caradan yesterday, looking after business matters.

Lindsey Thompson and his wife and daughter were visitors in Goldthwaite Sunday.

G. W. Barr of the Confederate Home, Austin, has been here several days meeting his old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Frazier of Brownwood are here visiting their parents and attending the reunion.

Mrs. V. G. Cash of Blanket visited Mrs. W. W. Stephens and family in this city the early part of this week.

Mrs. Jenner Coil of Ardmore, Okla., who visited the Evans family here and in Houston, has returned to her home.

A large number of Masons and other citizens of this city attended the funeral of Mr. Soules at Star Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Bert Gibbins and little son returned to their home at Potters, Neb., Wednesday, after several weeks visit with her uncle, E. L. Pass, and family.

Miss Virginia Epley of Brownwood is visiting Miss Mary Bowles and other friends in Goldthwaite this week.

Mrs. Bob Steen, Jr. was brought home Wednesday evening from a Temple hospital, where she had gone last week for treatment and a minor operation.

Mrs. Walter Summy was carried to a Temple hospital last week for an operation and is expected home Sunday. At last report she was convalescing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burnett and their granddaughters, who have spent the past two weeks at his old home in Kentucky, are expected home in the next few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cobbs of Brownsville have been here this week visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Fairman, and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairman.

Wilbur Wood of Regency and Mrs. Annabel Littlepage and little daughter of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Tom McKinley of Hamilton were guests in the Will Burks home Wednesday.

Miss Geraldine Hester, who was carried to Brownwood last Friday for an X-ray examination, is reported to be getting along very well, although not yet able to be brought home.

J. R. Cooke of Winters, accompanied by Mrs. Cooke and their daughter, Miss Mattie, came over this week for a visit to relatives and to meet with their friends. We were all glad to see them.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schweining of Roosevelt visited his mother, Mrs. Sophia Schweining, and sister, Mrs. Henry Martin, over the week end. Mrs. Otto Tinters, who had been visiting her mother and sister for several weeks, returned home with them.

Give the Eagle your order for N. R. A. cuts for your advertising. We can also order rubber stamps of the same style.

Prof. A. H. Smith's two sons fell from their bicycle Wednesday afternoon, while riding down the hillside, in the eastern part of town, and the youngest of the two suffered several cuts about the head and face and a badly bruised elbow. There is nothing serious about the hurts and the lad will be able to be about as usual in the next few days.

Julian Evans and mother have returned from a delightful trip to Houston, Galveston and other points of interest. Among the pleasures of the trip was a deep sea fishing trip out in the Gulf of Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Butler Evans and small daughter, Gloria, accompanied them home and left Friday morning for Dallas for a brief visit with his sister, Mrs. Louis McElroy and her husband, before returning to their home in Oklahoma.

Announcement of the arrival last Friday of an 8-pound boy at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Gordon McFarland in Dallas has reached the friends of the family here. Mrs. McFarland, nee Mildred Street, was reared in this city and graduated from the Goldthwaite high school, afterward attending C. I. A. at Denton. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Street and the family moved from here to Lubbock, where she was married to Dr. McFarland.

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INTERESTING BALL GAME

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and Daffern. Both of these players singled their first time up but fell victim to Hamilton's fast ball on their last three appearances at the plate. Besides pitching a good game Hamilton bounced a double over the short right field fence.

The hitters for the day were C. Jones, Heath and Wilcox for the Goldthwaite team, while Connelly and Warner did the heavy clotting for Dublin. Jones, playing second for Goldthwaite, got a single and a double. Heath got two singles and Wilcox hit one over the wall for a double that almost cut the home run flag that scored his team's two runs. Connelly, the lanky first baseman for Dublin, was a continual thorn in the side to Goldthwaite by his base running, two hits and hard hustling play all during the game. Warner, the Dublin second baseman, got three hits, two doubles and a single and scored two of his team's runs.

Huffman, playing right field for Goldthwaite, had a good and bad day in the field. His miscue of a ground ball allowed two runners to score while he contributed two catches of the sensational variety. One of them, a hard driven ball near the rail on the race track, that Huffman took and after a run, was left suspended in the air across the riling when the force of the catch and his run nearly took him over Littlepage had a freak day at bat by getting on every time he was up without getting a hit.

The game was well attended and interest didn't lag at any time. Something was happening in every inning and the outcome of the game was in doubt throughout. The Dublin victory makes the two teams even, as Goldthwaite went to Dublin the week before and won 4 to 2. Whenever they meet again it will be an interesting game, to see.

At this writing Goldthwaite team is having a busy week during the Mills county fair. Three good games will be played and their outcome will be in next week's paper. REPORTER

BLESSINGS FROM THE DEPRESSION

By Ople Welch.

I am an incurable optimist—a perpetual seeker of the silver lining to every black cloud—which possibly explains how I got that way about considering the depression, whom which we are emerging, as a blessing in disguise, although it has left its mark on practically every man, woman and child.

Off hand, it seems that the greatest blessing of the depression is that it caused us to take time out to revalue ourselves, our public men, our institutions, and even our mode of living.

Back in the halcyon days prior to the deluge of 1929, there was considerable grade A energy wasted on class D enterprises. We leaped before we looked, invested before we investigated, and rebbed Peter to pay Paul without any thought of the final consequence because we were thoroughly sold on the idea we were the super-human race.

Well, since those days we have had occasion to change our opinion about ourselves, and it surely was a blessing that as a nation and as individuals, we have been sensible enough to realize that instead of laying the groundwork for perpetual prosperity, we merely were taking an economic joy ride on the F.O.B. plan.

Of course, we have done a lot of whistling in the dark during the last three years while adjusting our mental attitude to changed conditions, but even a conscientious objector will agree that the attitude has been adjusted.

We've discovered that some of the gods of the financial world have feet of clay. Their old warnings against issuing additional currency to relieve the financial straits of the country have lost their power to chill us with fear. We no longer regard them as high priests and prophets, sacredly enthroned upon a pedestal.

In fact, since the new deal along our way, a number of pedestals have been kicked from under the big shots; printing presses have ground out new money, and the old world has taken on a rosier hue. Isn't that a blessing?

NEWS IN BRIEF

A rain of bullets from the pistol of George Littlefield, assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Fletcher, Ok. routed five men who attempted to rob the bank Wednesday afternoon. One of the five was believed wounded.

For the first time in the history of the London police, three women have been named members of the Scotland Yard staff of detectives. Experimental tests of their aptitude for criminal investigation proved successful.

A world war veteran at Dallas lacked a bed Tuesday night and slept with some chance acquaintances in the Trinity bottoms. Wednesday morning he awoke to find his friends gone. With them they had taken his wooden leg.

A department of agriculture official announced this week all fruit blown from citrus trees in the Rio Grande valley by the recent gulf storm must be buried 18 inches beneath the surface. Previously the fruit had been buried six inches deep.

Declaring the downward plunge of cotton prices is causing grave concern among farming masses, Governor Miriam A. Ferguson Wednesday telegraphed President Roosevelt to open the way for farmers to borrow money on cotton at banks at once.

A 25 per cent increase in American exports to China is reported by an American oil company representative at Tien Tsin, China, now visiting in the United States. He declared that increased sales in oil, cotton and tobacco have followed the lower price of the dollar.

Bids on approximately \$600,000 road work, first of the emergency federal fund projects, were opened in Austin this week by the state highway commission. Awards await approval of the federal road bureau. Bids on a second group, estimated to cost \$900,000, will be taken on August 28.

The possibility of the Dallas County Welfare and Relief committee using RPC labor to clear land for wood that can be distributed this winter to needy families was presented to the administrator this week and opens a field for thought by other committees.

Newton D. Baker, secretary of war in the Wilson administration, and leader of the United States group attending the Institute of Pacific Relations, holds that the institutions of the western world have failed. "We are standing at the parting of the ways; we are puzzled and bewildered," Baker said.

San Antonio detectives Wednesday morning were planning to raid an asserted "murder farm" which, lying somewhere near the city, is believed to serve as a base of operations for a lawless Chinese tong whose recent wave of terrorism was climaxed Tuesday night with the ambush slaying of a Chinaman.

An armed bodyguard now surrounds Guy Waggoner, 50, millionaire oil man of Fort Worth, to protect him against threatened abduction. Waggoner, a summer visitor in Colorado Springs, has been warned that a Texas gang, believed an offshoot of that of Harvey Bailey and Walter Bates, now under arrest in connection with the Urschel kidnaping, has plotted to abduct him.

The Humble Oil and Refining Company Wednesday was sued by the state for \$190,502.81 on alleged back gross production taxes on oil. The state seeks to recover on 2 per cent of all oil produced by the Humble company since its organization in 1917. The suit, filed in district court in Austin, asks for taxes on 2 per cent basic sediment and water deductions that oil companies purportedly have been making for a number of years throughout Texas. The action presaged similar suits against other oil firms operating in the state.

Government ownership of a large part of the capital of the country's banking system appears to be a possible outcome of the administration's bank rehabilitation program. If present policies are carried to the limit

TEETH FOR THE ESCHEAT LAWS

The state auditor appeals for a strengthening of the escheat laws of Texas, and a better administration of them. That is to say he wishes the legislature to make it compulsory for banks to give information on funds which are left them by persons lost, missing or dead; that county officials be required to move more speedily and effectively in selling off land which for any reason is found to be without legal owner; that prison officials be required to turn over sums left on the books of the system by prisoners who die or escape—and so on through a long list of provisions calculated to turn hundreds if not thousands of sums annually into the state treasury.

Since the law provides that all such "lost" moneys and properties shall revert to the state there seems no reason why effective administration of it should not be set up. The average citizen would only like to suggest that sufficient provision be made for a bona fide search for owners and heirs before such wealth is syphoned into the state treasury. There might be such a thing as overdoing the job.—Houston Chronicle.

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Notice for Sale—177 acres of land, fenced goat and sheep proof, 40 acres in cultivation. Three miles from Goldthwaite on Hamilton road. Will take a house and lot in Goldthwaite on first payment. Balance on good terms.—J. W. Kerby (8-18p)

Wood Wanted—The Eagle will contract for the delivery of five cords of Spanish oak wood, either 4-foot lengths or smaller. Submit price to this office.

Wood Wanted—Have a used planter and cultivator to trade for wood. See me at Fairman Co. J. L. Boland.

the government eventually would own from 25 to 30 per cent of the outstanding bank stock, estimated now at approximately \$3,000,000,000. Jesse H. Jones, chairman of the government-owned Reconstruction Finance Corporation, has indicated the R. F. C. stands ready to buy up to \$1,000,000,000 worth of preferred stock to assist bank reorganizations and to help going institutions expand their capital to meet increasing business needs.

FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Sykes entertained their family with a family reunion at their farm home, eight miles west of Goldthwaite, on August 15. The day was spent very pleasantly, feasting, swimming and visiting.

Present at this meeting were six sons and two daughters; twenty-one grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Forty nine people partook of the bounteous dinner, including other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Sykes were married in 1884 in San Saba county, where they lived for eight years. The remainder of their lives has been spent in Mills county except six months, which they spent in Indian Territory in 1901. They moved to their present location in Big Valley community in 1904. The children are located as follows: Mrs. Mary Henderson, Cold Springs, Okla.; Mrs. Lola Miller, Plainview; J. T. Sykes, Canyon; H. A. Sykes, Jr., Winters; L. O. Sykes, Ballinger; O. C. Sykes, Ballinger; H. E. Sykes, San Angelo; F. O. Sykes, Goldthwaite.

The meeting was considered a decided success and all agreed to meet again next year in November for a Golden Wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Taft, their son, Tom Taft, wife and two children were among those present. Mr. Taft is Mrs. Sykes' brother, they being the only two living members of that family. ONE PRESENT

ACE HIGH CLUB

The Ace High Club met at the home of Mrs. Tom Cryer on Thursday afternoon with Misses Barbara Cryer, Hope Carews, and Mrs. Tom Cryer as hostesses.

Yellow sunflowers made lovely bouquets for the tables, which also carried out the color scheme of yellow and white.

Miss Barbara Cryer won high bridge score.

The club will meet with Mrs. Raymond Bledsoe and Mrs. Herman Kaufman Thursday evening, August 24. REPORTER

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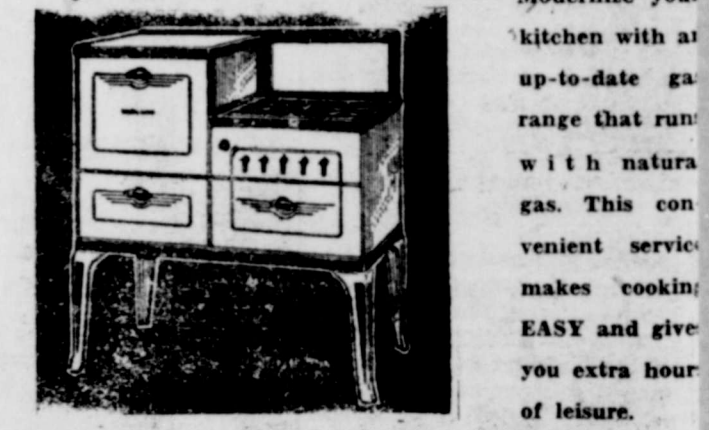
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