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Poll Tax Falls Behind

Unless an unusually large number of orders for poll tax receipts have been mailed and have not yet reached the collector's office, the payment of poll tax will not reach the grand total of the assessments by several hundred. There are some orders in the collector's mail yet unopened, which will raise some of these figures, but the receipts actually issued up to the close of business Jan. 31 are given by voting boxes.

Goldthwaite No. 1	273
Nabors Creek	17
Antelope Gap	40
Center City	141
Payne	61
Star	78
Caradan	185
Mullin	265
Fisher	55
Priddy	217
Big Valley	73
Rock Springs	33
Ratler	17
Regency	27
Buffalo	61
Ridge	43
Rye Valley	16
Mount Olive	24
Goldthwaite No. 19	327
Pompey	52
Total	1905
Assessed	3254

DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairman entertained a few of their friends with a dinner party on Monday evening, having as their honor guests on this occasion, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Geeslin, formerly of this place and now residing in Brady.

The season's colors of red and green were carried out in the three-course dinner, which was served in the spacious dining room. The dining table was laid with Madeira and was centered with red and green geraniums.

Plate favors were calenda. In the games score trophies were awarded Mr. and Mrs. Mark Fairman, Miss Vivian Campbell, Raymond Little and the honor guests.

The personnel of this delightful affair included, besides ones mentioned above: Miss Garetta Little, Miss Adeline Little, Miss Lucile Conroy, Miss Georgia Frizell, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dew, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rowntree, Mr. and Mrs. Ed B. Gilliam, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Saylor, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Burch and Clyde Weatherby.

A GUEST

BAPTIST CIRCLE

Circle No. 4 of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Baptist church met last Monday afternoon for their regular Bible study in the lovely home of Mrs. L. B. Ashley.

We had a very interesting lesson. Next week we study the last two books in the Old Bible.

Mrs. Ashley served a delicious refreshment plate to eight members. We were glad to have Mrs. Jim Faulkner as a new member.

REPORTER

ROCK SPRINGS B. Y. P. U.

Program for Sunday, Feb. 4. Subject: Christ must reign in our quiet times.

Leader—Lavern Chadwick. Topic, Our Zeal for Christ—Lavern Chadwick.

The B. Y. P. U. Plan: F. W. Chadwick.

The Index to Life—Horace Cooke.

When Jesus Reigns, He Speaks—Miss Nellie Dee Cooke.

The Secret of Christian Work—Miss Johnnie Belle Circle.

Quiz—John W. Roberts.

Benediction.

CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

The Cemetery Association will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 at the rest room in the court house for the annual election of officers.

Baptist Reminder

Dr. J. Howard Williams, our state secretary, will be with us Sunday morning and will preach at the 11 o'clock hour. He is one of our best preachers. In my judgment he is the greatest secretary Texas has had since Dr. Gambrell. If you fail to hear him you will miss a great message.

One month of the new year has gone. We cannot recall even one day. As the next eleven unfold, shall we profit by the mistakes of this past month, or make the same ones over and over again. Our attendance has been unusual for this season of the year. I am again calling your attention to the attendance in each department by classes:

Adult Department:	
Men's Bible class	7
T. E. L. class	10
Athens class	31
Young Peoples' department:	
Fidelas	8
Amica	10
Berean	11
Young Men (senior)	11
Young Women (senior)	8
Intermediate Department:	
Boys	9
Girls	8
Junior Department:	
Boys	9
Girls	10
Primary Department:	
Boys and Girls	8
Beginners Department:	
Boys and Girls	7
Cradle Roll Department:	
Boys and Girls	1

Total present 148
We have averaged in our Sunday school for the past month 155 actually present.

If every teacher will enlist two more Sunday in each class we shall reach 175 Sunday.

"What I spent I had; what I saved I lost; what I gave I have." I am inviting not only every member of our church to hear Dr. Williams Sunday morning, but the Baptist throughout the country.

FRANKLIN E. SWANNER.

B. T. S. SOCIAL

The members of the senior B. Y. P. U. enjoyed themselves greatly at a party given at the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Summy last Friday night, January 26. It was a tacky party and our first fun came when we admired the guests' costumes as they arrived. There seemed to be a prevalence of old fashioned costumes and plenty of make-up. When all the guests had arrived the game of "hearts" was begun amid much laughter and joking. After playing this interesting game for some time, we were introduced to the exciting game of "spoons." Then later we all joined in the ever popular "king-em." About 9:30 our sponsor, Mrs. Littlepage, our hostess, and Miss Euna Vee Brim, served delightful refreshments, consisting of hot chocolate, sandwiches and pickles, cakes and candy.

The guests of this delightful affair were Misses Elizabeth Dalton, Bobby Littlepage, Louise Evans, Lillian Summy, Debra Shaw, Mary Louise Fairman, Aileen Martin, Lottie Belle Hester, Juanita Rudd, Willie Faye Gray, Beatrice Bledsoe, Virginia Bowman, Euna V. Brim, and Misses Earl Summy and Robert Littlepage; Messrs. Henry Kemper Dalton, James Robbins, Edward Soules, Leonard Huddleston, Wallace Johnson, Harold Yarborough, Maurice Long, Wayne Hamilton, Jack Bradley, Burton Leverett, Raymond Summy, Milton Cook, Earl Harvey, Lawrence Bledsoe, Delton Barnett and Earl Summy.

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ART EXHIBIT

The Art and Civic Club will sponsor an art exhibit on Feb. 14-17. This exhibit is from the Texas Fine Arts association, and includes fifty pictures by noted Texas artists. The public will be invited to see this exhibit.

County Campaign Still Quiet

There has not been much heat engendered by the county campaign so far. Possibly the candidates are waiting for those "higher up" to start things to heating in the county or, possibly, there will not be enough of them in Mills county to do much heating up. So far, to say the least of it, there is perhaps the smallest number of candidates ever registered at this time in a campaign year. It is at least hoped there will be enough to offer to fill the various offices, without the necessity of the commissioners court having to select those needed to fill the offices.

SELF CULTURE CLUB

On Thursday, January 25, the club met in social session at the beautiful home of one of our past presidents, Mrs. John G. Berry.

This home, furnished in the Early American style, is always a delightful place to gather.

On this occasion the rooms were enhanced by vases of American Beauty rosebuds, trailing ivy vines and narcissus blossoms.

After a short business session, tables were placed and unique score cards of cut valentines, were passed. Partners were found by matching the valentines, and forty-two was the diversion for the afternoon. After seven lively games were played a refreshment plate of heart-shaped ice cream and cake was served.

The hostess then requested everyone to come out on the lawn where pictures of the entire party were made. Upon returning to the living room each one was requested to tell a joke or relate life's most embarrassing moment. This was the crowning feature of an afternoon packed with joyous pleasure.

The club members and associate members made up the personnel of the party. REPORTER

MERRY WIVES CLUB

Thursday evening for 7:30 dinner the Merry Wives, with their husbands, were bidden to the Rowntree home, where hospitality ever abounds.

On the eventful occasion Mesdames Kelly Saylor and Roy Rowntree were hostesses. When the roll was called and all had partaken of punch, we were seated at game tables and a lovely feast of turkey and dressing with all the "accompaniments" was served. It is needless to speak of just how delicious the dinner was, for with two such wonderful housewives at the steering wheel things were just bound to come out exactly right.

After dinner, partners found their places and a full evening was spent at bridge. In due time the round up was made and upon adding scores of husband and wife it was found Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hodges scored high. They were awarded cards for their skill while Mr. and Mrs. Claude Burch received the consolation prize.

The Merry Wives, their husbands with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gilliam were guests of the evening.

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HEALTH NURSE BUSY

Miss Gertrude Kaus, the county health nurse, was kept pretty busy during January, as her report shows. She made 65 home visits, 10 school visits, examined the children in five schools and gave health cards filled out. She also completed toxoid treatment of 64 children. Miss Kaus has visited most of the schools of the county one or more times and finds the parents, teachers and children co-operating nicely with her work.

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Mr. Cobb was very fortunate in passing the rigid bar examination the first time, lawyers here say. Of the 260 taking the test recently, 148 were back either the second or third time. Cobb has had four years study in the University of Texas, majoring in business administration. He was born and reared in Goldthwaite, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hez Cobb of that city.—Brady Standard.

PREVENTING DIPHTHERIA

To Parent or Guardian: Diphtheria is one of the most common communicable diseases and perhaps the easiest to prevent.

We should not have a single death from a preventable disease like diphtheria, when the new toxoid, which is highly recommended and requires only one inoculation for life time protection, prevents; parents isn't it a feeling of security to know that your child will not have diphtheria? Don't you believe that every parent should assume responsibility and see that their child's health is protected.

GERTRUDE KAUS, County Health Nurse

Poll Tax Falls Behind

Unless an unusually large number of orders for poll tax receipts have been mailed and have not yet reached the collector's office, the payment of poll tax will not reach the grand total of the assessments by several hundred. There are some orders in the collector's mail yet unopened, which will raise some of these figures, but the receipts actually issued up to the close of business Jan. 31 are given by voting boxes.

Goldthwaite No. 1	273
Nabors Creek	17
Antelope Gap	40
Center City	141
Payne	61
Star	78
Caradan	185
Mullin	265
Fisher	55
Priddy	217
Big Valley	73
Rock Springs	33
Ratler	17
Regency	27
Buffalo	41
Ridge	63
Rye Valley	16
Mount Olive	24
Goldthwaite No. 19	327
Pompey	52
Total	1905
Assessed	3254

DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairman entertained a few of their friends with a dinner party on Monday evening, having as their honor guests on this occasion, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Geeslin, formerly of this place and now residing in Brady.

The season's colors of red and green were carried out in the three-course dinner, which was served in the spacious dining room. The dining table was laid with Madeira and was centered with red giant geraniums.

Plate favors were calendar. In the games score trophies were awarded Mr. and Mrs. Mark Fairman, Miss Vivian Campbell, Raymond Little and the honor guests.

The personnel of this delightful affair included, besides ones mentioned above: Miss Garetta Little, Miss Adeline Little, Miss Lucile Conro, Miss Georgia Frizell, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dew, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rowntree, Mr. and Mrs. Ed B. Gilliam, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Saylor, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Burch and Clyde Weatherby.

A GUEST

BAPTIST CIRCLE

Circle No. 4 of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Baptist church met last Monday afternoon for their regular Bible study in the lovely home of Mrs. L. B. Ashley.

We had a very interesting lesson. Next week we study the last two books in the Old Bible.

Mrs. Ashley served a delicious refreshment plate to eight members. We were glad to have Mrs. Jim Faulkner as a new member.

REPORTER

ROCK SPRINGS B. Y. P. U.

Program for Sunday, Feb. 4. Subject: Christ must reign in our quiet times.

Leader—Lavern Chadwick. Topic, Our Zeal for Christ—Lavern Chadwick.

The B. Y. P. U. Plan: F. W. Chadwick. The Index to Life—Horace Cooke. When Jesus Reigns, He Speaks—Miss Nellie Dee Cooke. The Secret of Christian Work—Miss Johnnie Belle Circle. Quiz—John W. Roberts. Benediction.

CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

The Cemetery Association will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 at the rest room in the court house for the annual election of officers. PRESIDENT

Baptist Reminder County Campaign Still Quiet

Dr. J. Howard Williams, our state secretary, will be with us Sunday morning and will preach at the 11 o'clock hour. He is one of our best preachers. In my judgment he is the greatest secretary Texas has had since Dr. Gambrell. If you fail to hear him you will miss a great message.

One month of the new year has gone. We cannot recall even one day. As the next eleven unfold, shall we profit by the mistakes of this past month, or make the same ones over and over again. Our attendance has been unusual for this season of the year. I am again calling your attention to the attendance in each department by classes:

Men's Bible class	7
T. E. L. class	10
Athens class	31
Young Peoples' department:	
Fidelas	8
Amica	10
Berean	11
Young Men (senior)	11
Young Women (senior)	8
Intermediate Department:	
Boys	9
Girls	9
Junior Department:	
Boys	9
Girls	10
Primary Department:	
Boys and Girls	8
Beginners Department:	
Boys and Girls	7
Cradle Roll Department:	
Boys and Girls	1

Total present 148. We have averaged in our Sunday school for the past month 155 actually present.

If every teacher will enlist two more Sunday in each class we shall reach 175 Sunday. "What I spent I had; what I saved I lost; what I gave I have." I am inviting not only every member of our church to hear Dr. Williams Sunday morning but the Baptist throughout the country.

FRANKLIN E. SWANNER.

B. T. S. SOCIAL

The members of the senior B. Y. P. U. enjoyed themselves greatly at a party given at the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Summy last Friday night, January 26. It was a tacky party and our first fun came when we admired the guests' costumes as they arrived. There seemed to be a prevalence of old fashioned costumes and plenty of make-up. When all the guests had arrived the game of "hearts" was begun amid much laughter and joking. After playing this interesting game for some time, we were introduced to the exciting game of "spoons." Then later we all joined in the ever popular "king-em." About 9:30 our sponsor, Mrs. Littlepage, our hostess, and Miss Euna Vee Brim, served delightful refreshments, consisting of hot chocolate, sandwiches and pickles, cakes and candy.

The guests of this delightful affair were Misses Elizabeth Dalton, Bobby Littlepage, Louise Evans, Lillian Summy, Debra Shaw, Mary Louise Fairman, Allen Martin, Lottie Belle Hester, Juanita Rudd, Willie Faye Gray, Beatrice Bledsoe, Virginia Bowman, Euna V. Brim, and Mmes. Earl Summy and Robert Littlepage; Messrs. Henry Kemper Dalton, James Robbins, Edward Soules, Leonard Huddleston, Wallace Johnson, Harold Yarborough, Maurice Long, Wayne Hamilton, Jack Bradley, Burton Leverett, Raymond Summy, Milton Cook, Earl Harvey, Lawrence Bledsoe, Delton Barnett and Earl Summy. A GUEST

ART EXHIBIT

The Art and Civic Club will sponsor an art exhibit on Feb. 14-17. This exhibit is from the Texas Fine Arts association, and includes fifty pictures by noted Texas artists. The public will be invited to see this exhibit.

There has not been much heat engendered by the county campaign so far. Possibly the candidates are waiting for those "higher up" to start things to heating in the county or, possibly, there will not be enough of them in Mills county to do much heating up. So far, to say the least of it, there is perhaps the smallest number of candidates ever registered at this time in a campaign year. It is at least hoped there will be enough to offer to fill the various offices, without the necessity of the commissioners court having to select those needed to fill the offices.

SELF CULTURE CLUB

On Thursday, January 25, the club met in social session at the beautiful home of one of our past presidents, Mrs. John G. Berry.

This home, furnished in the Early American style, is always a delightful place to gather.

On this occasion the rooms were enhanced by vases of American Beauty rosebuds, trailing ivy vines and narcissus blossoms.

After a short business session, tables were placed and unique score cards of cut valentines, were passed. Partners were found by matching the valentines, and forty-two was the diversion for the afternoon. After seven lively games were played a refreshment plate of heart-shaped ice cream and cake was served.

The hostess then requested everyone to come out on the lawn where pictures of the entire party were made. Upon returning to the living room each one was requested to tell a joke or relate life's most embarrassing moment. This was the crowning feature of an afternoon packed with joyous pleasure.

The club members and associate members made up the personnel of the party. REPORTER

MERRY WIVES CLUB

Thursday evening for 7:30 dinner the Merry Wives, with their husbands, were bidden to the Rowntree home, where hospitality ever abounds.

On the eventful occasion Messdames Kelly Saylor and Roy Rowntree were hostesses. When the roll was called and all had partaken of punch, we were seated at game tables and a lovely feast of turkey and dressing with all the "accompaniments" was served. It is needless to speak of just how delicious the dinner was, for with two such wonderful housewives at the steering wheel things were just bound to come out exactly right.

After dinner, partners found their places and a full evening was spent at bridge. In due time the round up was made and upon adding scores of husband and wife it was found Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hodges scored high. They were awarded cards for their skill while Mr. and Mrs. Claude Burch received the consolation prize.

The Merry Wives, their husbands with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gilliam were guests of the evening. A GUEST.

HEALTH NURSE BUSY

Miss Gertrude Kaus, the county health nurse, was kept pretty busy during January, as her report shows. She made 65 home visits, 10 school visits, examined the children in five schools and gave health cards filled out. She also completed toxoid treatment of 64 children. Miss Kaus has visited most of the schools of the county one or more times and finds the parents, teachers and children co-operating nicely with her work.

THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reeves of Boony were week end visitors to this city.

J. M. Petsick of Caradan was a business visitor to the city Saturday.

H. R. Collier of Center City had business in the metropolis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Teague of Star transacted business in this city a few days ago.

Elam Berry of Pleasant Grove was one of the appreciated callers at the Eagle office Saturday.

Mrs. C. J. Brown of Lake Merritt community was a pleasant caller at the Eagle office Saturday.

Rev. I. M. Mansur of Priddy, an outstanding citizen, visited the city Monday and called at the Eagle office.

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

Henry Williams was one of the good men of Mullin who had business in the county capital Saturday.

Miss Laura Nelson, one of the most efficient teachers of Mullin, was visiting in this city Saturday.

Prof. R. J. Gerald of Star transacted business and visited his parents in this city last Saturday.

S. M. Bull, an old time citizen of this section, now a resident of Rodeo, N. M., writes expressions of good will to the Eagle.

A. Lorenz, one of the good farmers of Priddy, transacted business in the metropolis last Saturday.

O. D. Montgomery was in Saturday and ordered the paper sent to his mother, Mrs. J. T. Montgomery.

If your paper stops when the subscription has not been paid, don't take it as an affront, but send in the subscription and all will be well.

Supt. Moore of South Bennett school was a business visitor to the city Saturday and called at the Eagle office.

C. H. Leverett of Houston, in writing to renew his subscription, was kind enough to say "The Eagle gives 100 per cent service." Thank you.

D. A. Jeske, a prominent merchant and outstanding citizen of Star, was a week end visitor to this city and made the Eagle an appreciated call.

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 Fall Clothing.

H. L. Skipping, one of the progressive young men of the Zephyr community, was here Monday looking after business matters and made the Eagle office a pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wilson of Corpus Christi were here a short time Saturday, visiting relatives and meeting with their friends. They were on their return home from a visit to San Angelo and Coleman and it was indeed a pleasure to meet with them again. They have many friends in Goldthwaite and throughout Mills county.

Judge and Mrs. J. C. Darroch were here from Brownwood last week end visiting relatives, while he looked after business and imparted to his friends the information that he was a candidate for district attorney in the district of which Brown county is a part. He is a mighty good lawyer and if he is elected prosecuting attorney it will be "too bad" for those indicted for crime in that district.

The Eagle and all other newspapers, as far as we are informed, charges for the publication of cards of thanks, obituaries, resolutions of respect and articles of a similar character.

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ROCK SPRINGS

There were 19 at Sunday school Sunday morning and 23 at church. Bro. J. R. Davis did the preaching and he preached a fine sermon Sunday morning. He didn't feel able to preach Sunday night.

There were 36 present at singing Sunday afternoon. If those from other places hadn't come, there would not have been any singing, for most everybody stayed at home. We had visitors from Goldthwaite, Rabbit Ridge and Center Point.

I guess there were over two dozen at the B. Y. P. U. Sunday night.

The W. M. U. met Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. O. McClary. The lesson was first Samuel. Mrs. J. R. Davis taught us a good lesson. There were five present.

E. D. Roberson and W. A. Daniel both took cattle to Fort Worth Monday night.

Harvey Dunkle went to Rhome Monday on business. Gus Roush from town accompanied him.

J. R. Davis is getting his farm terraced this week. W. P. Weaver bossed the job.

Last Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sowders entertained some of their friends. Those present were E. D. Roberson, Paul James and wife, Ed Hufstutler and family, Landy Ellis and wife, Fred McClary, Waldine and Bernice Traylor, Haskell Gatlin, Mrs. Eula Nickols and James and Shirley, Raymond Williams and Miss Nellie Dee Cooke, Mrs. Sowders and mother, Mrs. Ellis made delicious candy, which they served. This celebration was Mrs. Sowders' and Shirley Nickols' birthday party. We hope they still have birthdays every year for several more years.

Miss Johnnie Belle Circle, Miss Nellie Dee Cooke and Mrs. Eula Nickols spent Thursday afternoon with Mmes. Dunkle and Roberson. Horace Cooke seems to be very popular with the lady teachers in the Big Valley school, where he is teaching. They should enjoy the nice car ride home almost every afternoon. Noah Orr and family spent Wednesday night with J. R. Davis and family. Haskell Gatlin from Rabbit Ridge spent Wednesday night with the Davis boys. Mrs. Joe Davis and son stayed Wednesday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stark. Her husband and Mr. Simpson went hunting. Herbert Cooke spent Saturday night with his father. This is his first real visit this year at home. He is enjoying his school work at Mount Olive. Our friend and neighbor, Mrs. Claud Smith, made us glad when she told us she would teach in the South Bennett school in the absence of Mrs. Palmer Hill. Fred McClary and Waldine Traylor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sowders. In the afternoon they went to Algeria in San Saba county, to visit Beryl Turner and family. Woody Traylor was real sick Friday, Saturday and Sunday. At this writing he seems to be lots better. J. O. McClary and wife dined with Marion Robertson and family Sunday. Bro. J. R. Davis and family enjoyed the day with J. M. Traylor and family Sunday. August Kauhs and wife from town attended church and singing Sunday and they ate dinner and supper with Mrs. Eula Nickols and boys. Mrs. Richard Sowders had to be taken to the dentist Sunday morning about 6 o'clock. She was suffering misery untold. Loy Long and family from town spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Ellis home. Louie Ponder from Rabbit Ridge, Collier Ballard and James Nickols played 42 Saturday night in the Webb home. Glenn Nickols took his hounds Thursday afternoon and went to Mullin to see Jim Tullos. They had a wonderful fox chase. Raymond Williams and sister from Center City and Jack Robertson spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Dunkle and Robertson homes. Phillip Nickols helped J. O. McClary haul feed Thursday and Friday. Collier Ballard takes advantage of the weather. When it is too wet to plow he fixes fence.

How One Man Lost 22 Pounds

Mr. Herman Runkis of Detroit writes: "A few lines of thanks from a rheumatism sufferer—My first bottle of Kruschen Salts took all of the aches and swellings out of my joints—with my first bottle I went on a diet and lost 22 pounds and now feel like a new man."

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If not joyfully satisfied after the first bottle,—money back.

BRYAN'S PROPHECY

"Our opponents admit that it was a mistake to demonetize silver but insist that we should limit to present conditions rather than return to the bimetallic system. They err in supposing that we have reached the end of the results of a gold standard; we have not reached the end. The injury is a continuing one, and no person can say how long the world is to suffer from the attempt to make gold the only standard money. The same influences which are now operating to destroy silver in the United States will, if successful here be turned against other silver-using countries and each new convert to the gold standard will add to the general distress. So long as the scramble for gold continues, prices must fall, and a general fall in prices is but another definition of hard times."—Bryan in 1896.

He is setting a good example for some other men and boys I know I hope some follow his example. Louie Kemp Davis had to miss school some last week. He was sick.

Mrs. Eula Nickols dined in the "His home Tuesday night.

Harvey Dunkle and wife chaperoned Jack Robertson, Johnnie Belle Circle, Nellie D. Cooke, Raymond Williams and sister Saturday night on a weiner coast. I'm glad it didn't affect all of them like it did Raymond. From his conversation he must have eaten more than the rest. Anyway they had a good time.

Horace Cooke took Herbert back to Mount Olive Sunday morning. He visited with him in the Valentine home. Mrs. Ben Davis burned her arm last week pretty badly, but it is better.

James Nickols worked for Dorman Westerman at Rabbit Ridge Monday and Tuesday, when he went over Monday to work Dorman said it would be six days' work, but they did the work in a day and a half. Now, I call that getting work done fast. I wonder just how it looked, finished in such haste.

Claud Laird and wife and Mrs. Mary Faulkner, who lived in town, moved on Mrs. Faulkner's farm last week.

Marion Robertson and Oliver Traylor hauled wood for Woody Traylor Monday.

Mmes. Dunkle and Robertson visited Mrs. Gus Roush Monday afternoon in town. They visited Mrs. McClary on their way to town.

J. O. McClary and wife attended church at the Baptist church in town Sunday night.

Louie Ponder and James Nickols traded hair cuts Monday night in the Webb home. Of course a 42 game was enjoyed.

Mrs. J. O. McClary spent Saturday afternoon and until Bible study time with Mrs. John W. Roberts.

Almos McGowan from Rabbit Ridge and Phillip Nickols worked Monday and Tuesday at the school house.

Clyde Weatherby in town, has a job this winter feeding his father's sheep on the farm out here.

Some are sowing oats and others are breaking land, while others killed hogs this week.

BUSY BEE

The Vegetable TONIC HERBINE
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SOUTH BENNETT

There weren't but 22 present at Sunday school Sunday. Next Sunday will be our regular singing afternoon, so let's all try to be present at Sunday school and singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Homan of Goldthwaite visited in the Willis Hill home Thursday. Mrs. Palmer Hill returned home with them where she is still under treatment for goiter. Mr. Hill joined her Saturday. Mrs. Claud Smith is teaching school in Mrs. Hill's place this week.

Ab Hill has been quite sick. We are surely hoping he will improve and be able to be up soon. His father, Will Hill, has been staying with him quite a bit since he has been sick.

Mrs. R. G. Blackburn's sister has been visiting her lately.

J. M. Stacy and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with Elton Horton and family at Caradan.

Mrs. B. R. Casbeer has also been real sick since Friday. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Casbeer stayed and helped attend to her Friday night and Saturday night and Mrs. D. O. Simpson and Robert Earl have been staying with her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Bodkin visited Willie Smith and family Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Jones and children visited Miss Myrtle Russell Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Long of Goldthwaite and Mrs. Rex Clifton and baby of Star, spent Saturday night with their sister, Mrs. Willis Hill, and family.

Those who visited Mrs. B. R. Casbeer during the day Sunday were: Roy Simpson and family, Mrs. Anna Jones and children, Mrs. Claud Smith, M. L. Casbeer and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Simpson and little son, Mrs. Walter Simpson and Robbie Jean, Mrs. J. M. Stacy, Mr. and Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Walter Jones. Mrs. Jones spent Sunday night and Monday in the Casbeer home.

Miss Evelyn Covington is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Elton Horton, at Caradan.

Mrs. Anna Jones visited in the Ab Hill home Thursday afternoon.

Henry Simpson went to town Monday.

Walter Simpson and family killed hog Monday. Edgar Simpson helped them.

Miss Evelyn Covington spent Saturday night with Mrs. Clyde Featherston.

Mrs. Will Burks and Miss Grace Denson of Goldthwaite, Mrs. Claude Smith, Mrs. Walter Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Casbeer, and Claud Kerby and family visited Mrs. Casbeer Monday. We are surely glad she was somewhat improved.

Willis Hill sat up with Ab Hill some during last week.

Florine and Earline Simpson visited Paye and Mae Dell Griffen Sunday.

John Whitt killed hog Monday.

Mrs. M. C. Morris visited Mrs. Walter Simpson awhile Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. M. L. Casbeer visited Mrs. Willis Hill awhile Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Anna Jones was a caller in that home too.

Edward Simpson visited Bill Horton Sunday **ROSEBUD**

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ACREAGE REDUCTION

Land which is taken out of cotton production for 1934 and rented to the secretary of Agriculture may be put to good use by growers under the terms of the reduction agreements, says O. B. Martin, director of the Texas A and M College Extension Service. "The first thought of the farmer should be to observe the letter and spirit of the contract which sets forth that crops must not be grown on rented acres for sale, directly or indirectly. This obligation can be observed and yet benefit derived from the contracted acres by most Texas farmers," he states. "Much cotton land has been getting poorer and poorer each year as a result of clean cultivation," continues Mr. Martin. "The adjustment plan is the chance of a lifetime to tone up land with clover, cow peas, soy beans and other soil-enriching legumes. We are also becoming pasture conscious as a result of several thousand fine demonstrations showing how improved pastures, particularly permanent pastures in East Texas, make livestock production more profitable. Rented acres offer the farmer some good land on which real pastures may be built.

"I suspect," says Mr. Martin, "that half or more of our Texas farmers do not live as completely at home as they might. Tremendous gains have been made in this direction in recent years due to the combination of a major depression and the spread of the Extension Service demonstration of how to live at home. Rented acres offer the opportunity to extend this sound development to practically every farm, and to make living at home complete on those farms where families have gone only part way in producing their own food and feed.

"In many counties farmers are planning to terrace rented acres this year while soil improvement crops are growing. This is a job that must be done sooner or later and this is a good time to begin or to complete farm terracing, as the case may be.

"Texas has the best chance that it has ever had to begin the development of a planned and sound system of farming. Demonstrations of this kind are to be found everywhere in the

MORATORIUM VALIDATED

The United States Supreme Court held valid the law in Minnesota, that created a moratorium on mortgage foreclosures and ejectments, for a given period; the court holding the law was in contravention to contract rights, guaranteed by constitution, but was an emergency measure, in case of public necessity. The opinion was rendered by Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes. Minnesota law is much like the laws of other states on the same subject.

A NEW ANIMAL

A new animal is reported—called a "geek," a type developed in a cross between sheep and goats. The experiment was made by T. D. Wood, rancher of Sonora. Mr. Wood has 40 geeks. They grow both mohair and wool. Whether these animals will be an improvement over sheep and goats is a question which the scientists have not yet answered.—Earth.

state. They prove conclusively that by working toward this kind of farming, families in Texas can secure a living from the farm and achieve as full a measure of well-being and security as any other class of people on earth. Rented acres may prove to be the key to a happier future."

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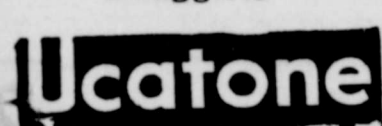
The federal administration has followed up its recognition of the new Cuban government by extending to it as a loan, \$2,000,000 worth of foodstuffs for the hunger-stricken of this island. Wheat, flour, pork products and rice will be sent immediately. Plans also were made to dispatch additional consignments as soon as possible. The total cost will be \$10,000,000. The action was taken at the request of President Carlos Mendicta. Another step in the campaign to win Latin American friendship was taken by President Roosevelt in announcing recognition of El Salvador, after more than two years of broken relations. Acting through Secretary, Hull the president sent word to the president of that country that his government henceforth could count on the recognition and good will of the United States.



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General School News
Mid-term examinations are past and everyone is feeling easier again. The play "Cranberry Corners" was a great success. There were many people present from the Priddy, Newburg and Indian Gap communities. The Glee Club sang "Down On the Farm."

To our sorrow, Margaret Bryan is going to move from Priddy. She has been a good student, being salutatorian of the grammar school graduation class of 1933. She also has many friends at Priddy high school, won by her friendliness. We are wishing her much luck and happiness in her future school work.

Monday the tenth grade received a new student, Carl Willman, from Pompey Creek. Everyone is glad to see him, especially his classmates. May joy and success be his at Priddy.

Priddy school now has an attendance of 161. This is better than ever before.

The county health nurse came to Priddy this week to vaccinate those who wished to be immunized.

Sport News
The Priddy basketball boys defeated the Goldthwaite team in a game last week, (Wednesday afternoon), by a score of 20 to 11.

Monday afternoon the game was returned. The girls' baseball team, under the coaching of Albert "Mutt" Schwartz is working hard for the coming county meet.

The boys' baseball team under the coaching of Mr. Cunningham is also working hard. We hope both teams will win.

Grammar School Report
Billy Fay, the sister of Margaret Bryan, will mark the loss of another student.

Just Like Them!
Spurgeon: "Say, Norman, I want to borrow your car tonight."
Norman: "Alright, for \$5.00."
Spurgeon: "Heck! I didn't want to buy it."

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Much soda disturbs digestion. For gas or sour stomach Adierka is much better. One dose rid's you of bowel poisons that cause gas and bad sleep. — Hudson Bros., Druggists.

STYLES IN NEW YORK

Rayon Fabrics Important In N. R. D. G. A. Fashion Show

Rayon fabrics in an unusual variety of new weaves and textures, featured in clothes for formal and informal wear, played an important role in the Spring Fashion Show presented by the National Retail Dry Goods Association during its recent convention in New York. In rough and smooth surfaces, dull and shiny, in checks, stripes, dots, floral designs and plain colors, these new fabrics were highlighted in some of the smartest frocks, suits, beachwear, street and evening costumes displayed. Outstanding among them was an active summer sports dress of "Dumello"—a smart woven shirting stripe—a suit frock of "Ashville Print," and a street dress of "Pine Needle," a lovely new geometric crepe weave. There were chic street dresses in the mossy crepes and the new armure weaves, and bright and cheery beach suits in novelty knit rayon fabrics.

A highlight of the show was a bridal ensemble with bridal gown of white "Mistvel"—a novelty transparent velvet with a small dot on a chiffon ground—and bridesmaids' dresses of white chiffon trimmed with large bows of fuchsia-colored Debuvel. In keeping with the vogue for Mexican colors was another interesting presentation—week end resort interchangeable costume made of "Nubspun," a charming new sports weave, which was shown in the blending of five vivid Mexican colors.

Next to fabrics, color was most important at the N. R. D. G. A. Fashion Show with the following colors sponsored by the color committee of the association: Cinema blue, a vivid blue with a purple cast; Caviar, a deep Russian rose, and Falfa, a bright light green with a yellowish cast.

Windblown Effects Stressed Throughout the Mode

The feeling of motion pervades all style this season. It is the windblown silhouette or nothing, fashion decrees just now, with gowns, frocks, wraps, hats, shoes and what not, all designed to heighten this new fleet, windswept effect. One notes it particularly in evening gowns in shimmering satins, failles, crepes, lace and net, which are all carried out with a fresh windswept rhythm. Highlighted among these new gowns in a smart New York shop is one in brown Alencon lace with beautifully long tight sleeves and a rayon satin peek-a-boo slip, with matching satin flowers squaring the deep V décolletage. There are dressy day frocks of sheer silk and rayon crepes with lines of fulness blown forward, some with the Schiaparelli collar and lingerie vestees—very smart for the cocktail hour.

Hats for both day and evening—brimmed and brimless—have movement, whether they set back on the head or dip over the right eye. There's a very chic coronet turban—half coiffure—made of a new fabric. Veering backwards and leaving the face bare to the wind, it is full of animation, verve and youth. The windblown silhouette is carried to the feet, an outstanding collection of shoes—now on the way to a Paris showing—achieving the effect by means of narrow ribbon or strips of leather interlaced along the sides of the pumps, tying at the back in bows or flaring at the sides.

Eyewear in Flattering Styling

There's real style combined with the practical in the season's new eyewear. One very flattering new model is carried out in a flesh-colored composition with hand-engraved goldfilled bridge and featuring straight flat temples, which is easily adjusted when worn with a hat. One notes also a new style in demi-amber on flesh designed with high bridge and high set temples. There are these and other stylings in crystal with discreet black trims, the latter distinctive for grey hair. There are various new flesh colors featured in the various designs so that it's an easy matter today to select eyewear that harmonizes with the natural skin coloring, if one so desires.

Mexican Colors in Costume Jewelry

The vogue for things Mexican has brought about limitless combinations of strong Mexican colors in the field of costume jewelry. New and smart are necklaces and matching bracelets made of many strands of composition beads in the sun god colors—strong oranges, yellows and reds, contrasted often with black. There is one—a multi-strand known as the "Lasso" necklace—which is fastened with silver slides so it may be worn high or low, depending upon the neckline of the frock. There are amusing little sombrero bracelets, made of these rows and rows of bright beads, which look like hats without the crowns. They are often worn two or three on one arm. One notes all sorts of trick ways of styling these bold colored beads, as well as those made of precious and exotic woods, with which the former are sometimes combined. Tulip wood, rosewood, zebra wood, cocobola, mahogany, olive and pear are all featured and cut to show the grain to the best advantage. Some smart new models combine wood and composition accented further by touches of metal.

"President's Ball" Colors Give New Interest

Peach, green and silver—the sponsored colors for the President's Ball, January 30, are being featured in some of the smartest evening costumes now on display in New York shops. The "Georgia Peach" colored crepe satin chosen by Mrs. Roosevelt for her gown for the occasion had for its sole trim a jade and brilliant brooch worn at the base of the décolletage. The gown is designed along slim simple lines with a smart front and back flare.

Patent Leather and Novelties Important in Handbags

New York shops are fairly shining just now with smart patent leather handbags, which are all set to do a lot toward pepping up the somber winter costume. Black, reds, browns, green and blue are all noted and, among cruise displays, white and pastels. Frames, for the most part, are rectangular—flat pouch and envelope stylings favored. There is also a model with top part straight across and the lower part rounded—something like the cagabond. Composition, metal and wood are all featured among trims and carried out in clasps and trick closings. In addition to patent leathers, there are smart new bags in lacquered fabrics, rough grains in fabri-koid, plain and simulated grains. There are still others in smart novelty fabrics, including linen and tweedy looking cottons, rayon and silks.

CAN YOU IMAGINE!



CAN YOU IMAGINE—the surprise of the New Bedford citizen who came to Boston to consult a stomach specialist, experienced an attack of acute indigestion, took a dose of BISMA-REX at the Liggett Store in the South Station, felt such relief that he returned to his home, and bought 6 bottles of BISMA-REX!

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Bisma-Rex is a new antacid treatment that is bringing welcome relief to thousands everywhere who suffer the agonies of indigestion and other acid stomach ailments. Bisma-Rex acts four ways to give lasting relief in three minutes. It neutralizes excess acid; relieves the stomach of gas; soothes the irritated membranes; and aids digestion of foods most likely to ferment. Bisma-Rex is sold only at Rexall Stores. Get a jar today at Clements' Drug and Jewelry Store.

BURNHAM'S REPORT

Money spent by L. B. Burnham on roads of Precinct No. 1, for months of October, November and December:

Antelope Gap	\$ 41.47
Aston Crossing	21.52
Center Point	62.84
Chadwick road	85.86
East Line	55.68
Caradan road	64.58
Lampasas	16.92
Lower Williams Ranch	78.30
Kelley School house	39.40
Nabors Crk. & Rye Val.	35.34
Will Rose road	11.34
Payne Gap	338.22
South Bennett	257.90
Rock Springs	5.96
Simpson road	80.81
Ryan road	2.81
Upper Williams Ranch	11.54
Tools and upkeep, gas and oils, 11-13-1933	41.80
12-11-1933	61.37
1- 8-1934	123.16
Total	\$1446.63

MONOXIDE GAS DEATHS INCREASE

Deaths from carbon monoxide gas are constantly increasing in number, according to the National Safety Council. Worse yet these deaths are increasing at a greater rate than any other form of accidental death. Figures from the Census Bureau show that in 1924 there was but a total of 123 deaths from this cause. In 1931 the total climbed to 478 and jumped nearly 25 per cent in 1932 to 508. Over a period of eight years the increase was nearly 400 per cent. A warning is issued by the Council to leave all doors to the garage open while running the motor as carbon monoxide gas is odorless and tasteless. The biggest percentage of these deaths occur in private garages.—Pathfinder.

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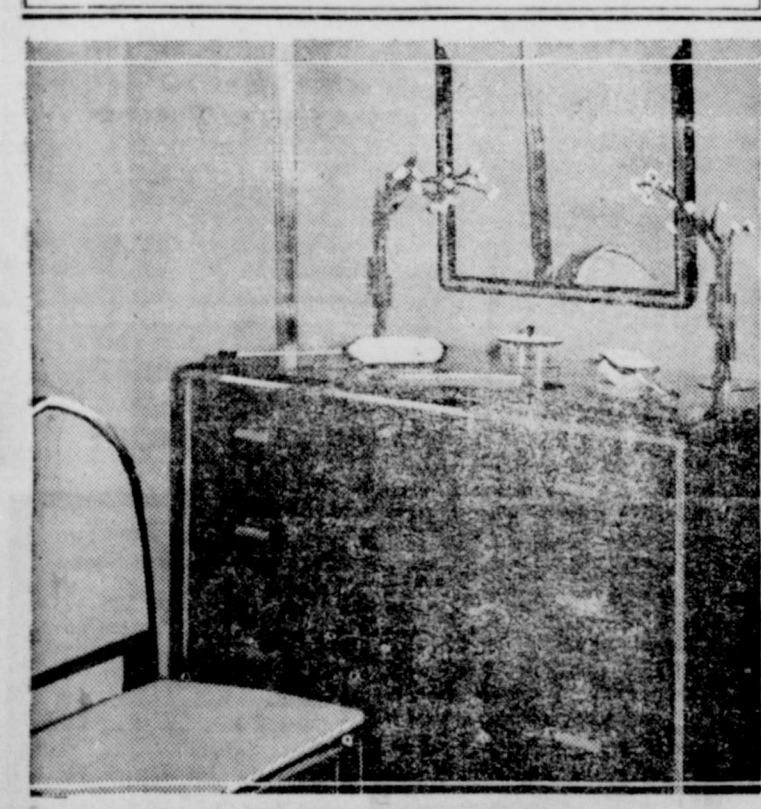
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BEAUTY in the HOME



Accessories in Modern Decoration

ACCESSORIES form a very important element in all modern decorative schemes. This is shown in the above setting, a chest of drawers of black and chromium, and in keeping with it, toiletware of ivory and black, and artificial flowers of almost severe simplicity. The toiletware, like the dressing table, is modern both in design and composition. It is made of a plastic material, known as Pyralin, combined with chromium in the mirror and brush handles and this set, which is called the Deauville, reproduces a beautiful trained ivory set.

Not only have accessories assumed a new importance in carrying out the spirit of a modern room scheme, but they are being widely used to give an up to date note to any room. This partly accounts for the return to favor of toiletware, particularly in the new plastic materials which possess suave coloring and textures. Toiletware in black, or ivory-like, plastics is also much used for modern bathrooms which include, whenever space permits, a dressing table conveniently and smartly equipped.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Eagle is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic Primary Election July 28.

- For County Judge, L. E. PATTERSON. For District Clerk, JOHN S. CHESSER. For County Clerk, L. B. PORTER. For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector, J. HERN HARRIS. For County Treasurer, MISS GEORGIA FRIZZELL. For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1, L. B. BURNHAM. For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2, J. A. HAMILTON. For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4, J. G. (Jess) EGGER. J. H. BURNETT.

EBONY

P. R. Reid took a truck load of school children, accompanied by the teachers, to Indian Creek to play ball Friday evening. After a very close game, Ebony beat by a score of 3 to 2.

Quite a number enjoyed the singing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger Sunday night.

Miss Leona Ketchum spent last week in the home of her brother, J. P. Ketchum.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reeves made a business trip to Goldthwaite Saturday. They spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting Mrs. Reeves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Guthrie, at Mullin.

Mrs. Effie Egger, Clayton Egger, Charm Whittenburg, Bill and Clifton Ketchum, Everett Philten, Billie McNurien and Nelson Williams played forty-two and ate candy in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid Saturday night.

Herman Glen Egger, who stays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Egger, and attends the school here, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Egger, on the other side of Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hanna and little daughter, Erva June, of Oakland attended Sunday school here Sunday and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Swan Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. L. Smith and baby, Joe Paul, and Loy Roberts ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones visited their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Russell, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Arle Egger of Ridge visited her sister, Mrs. Will Crowder, Friday. Mrs. Crowder and her children returned home with Mrs. Egger and spent the week end at Ridge.

Miss Verla Mae Reid spent Sunday in the home of Miss Evelyn Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roberts and children of Elkins spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNurien.

Miss Odene Russell spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. E. L. Schultz, who lives on the Day ranch.

Miss Bernice Wilmeth and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dwyer went to Valley Springs to visit Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cawyer Sunday.

Lillard Wilmeth made a trip to Goldthwaite Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts and Wayne Roberts visited in the Wilmeth home Sunday after Sunday school.

Mrs. W. J. Philten and children visited Mrs. McDearman of Jordan Springs Sunday.

Friends of W. M. Clements, who called on him at the hospital in Brownwood Saturday, found him able to be moved to his home. They will make Brownwood their home for awhile. The address is 1111 Avenue I.

Noel, Merle and Pauline Haynes of Brownwood spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haynes.

Ruby Ketchum spent the week end with Joyce Lovelace.

Ruth Mashburn and Etta Clements of Brownwood spent several days in the Lovelace home last week.

Miss Evelyn Reeves visited friends in Mullin Saturday night and Sunday.

THE POINTER

Published by the Pupils of Center Point School. Editor, Edna Harmon

We are glad to say that we are through with examinations and starting on a new month.

Visitors

Ovella, J. C. and Barbara June Wesson visited Arle and Lucille Taylor Sunday evening.

Clairene Dennis and Doris Newman called on Doris Davis awhile Saturday morning.

Curtis Taylor visited L. D. Spinks Sunday.

Garland Spinks visited Elam Wright.

Joe Taylor and J. C. Wesson visited Gerald Davis Sunday evening.

Lucille Taylor and Ovella Wesson spent Sunday evening with Dorothy and Florence Davis.

Doris Newman spent Sunday night with Clairene Dennis.

Thelma Horton visited her grandparents Sunday.

Zeta Lawson and May Ellen Williams visited B. I. Lawson over the week end.

Norma Lee Harmon visited Anna Beth Davis Sunday.

Merlene Stark and Doris Davis visited Mrs. Mahan Saturday.

Oran Stark was a visitor of his grandparents Sunday.

Miss Ruby Brooks and Eva Fallon visited school for awhile Friday evening.

Absentees

Edna Harmon was absent from school Tuesday.

Lyndon Davis was absent on account of sickness last Thursday.

Anna Beth Davis was absent Monday morning. She had to help her mother.

Deward Fallon was absent last Thursday.

Honor Roll

The following children have made an average of 85 or more and are on the honor roll for the fourth month of school:

First grade: Ruth Charlene Stark, Lavenna Mae Robinson, Lewis Conner.

Second grade: Joe Taylor, Shirley Newman, Barney Horton, Zona Lee Perry and Haynie Conner.

Third grade: Florence Davis, Alvin Spinks.

Fourth grade: Reta May Sparkman, Dorothy Davis and Zeta Lawson.

Fifth grade: Ovella Wesson, Lucille Taylor, Mae Ellen Williams and J. C. Wesson.

Sixth grade: Doris Newman, Arle Taylor, Idella Allen and Clairene Dennis.

Eighth grade: Merlene Stark.

Ninth grade: Lyndon Davis and Clyde Taylor.

Can You Imagine:

Edmon Perry not giggling.

Anna Beth Davis being sweet sixteen.

Lyndon Davis not talking about new cars.

Edna Harmon not coming to school.

Elmo Fallon not giving the girls chewing gum.

Doris Davis liking to say poetry.

Curtis Taylor being a good sport.

Deward Fallon not planning a hunt.

Clyde Taylor not studying.

Athletics

The Lake Merritt boys basketball team played our boys Friday. The score was 23 to 12 in favor of Center Point.

Humor

Mr. Sparkman: Do you think what age a baby begins to think?

Edmon: Certainly. It begins to think that anyone ought to walk the floor with him the first week he arrived in the home.

Miss Duey: Joe give three proofs that the world is round.

Joe: Yes'm. The book says so. You say so and Ma says so.

One morning two little girls, aged seven and nine, were hurrying on their way to school. Fearing that they would be late, the younger one said: "Let's kneel down and pray that we won't be late."

The nine-year-old answered: "Oh, let's keep on hurrying and pray as we go along."

Clyde: What shall we do tonight?

Curtis: I'll spin a coin and see. If it comes heads we'll go a visiting; if it's tails, we will go for a hunt, and if it stands on the edge, we'll study our lessons.

The Mountaineer

Editor Eva Koen Assistant Editor Vera Koen

High School News

A large crowd attended the program Friday night. We have decided to have the P. T. A. once a month and we want everyone to be with us at the meetings. The officers elected were as follows: Mr. Cooke, president; Miss Blackwell, vice president; Eva Koen, Mrs. McArthur and Orval Harris, program committee.

This week is examination week again. My, but doesn't it come often?

Grammar School News.

The intermediate room is getting ready for mid-term examinations this week and all expect to make good grades.

A new library has been recently added to our room. We are enjoying the stories in the new books immensely.

We invite you to visit our room and see our new window shades. We think they make our room look very nice.

Some of the pupils in our room enjoyed a ball game at Lake Merritt Wednesday.

Primary News

The negro play, songs and readings were enjoyed by a large group Friday night.

Almeta Koen and Arvel Montgomery have been absent from school, due to sickness. We wish them a speedy recovery.

We are very sorry to report that two of our most brilliant students, Matilda and T. R. Abbott, have moved to Midland. We certainly hated to lose these pupils, but we wish them success at Midland.

We certainly regret to report that Tommy and Sammy, our gold fish, died. Why? Ask Jack Hightower! !

Euna V. Harris and Ruby Lee Guess have skinned places on their heads. They tried to go too high and fast on the see-saw!

We were certainly glad to have Neeta Mee and Mrs. Sam Koen and Anita McCarty visit school last week.

A farm is being worked out for the sand table project by the third grade geography class. It seems to be very interesting to them.

Mid-term exams are here! If it isn't one thing, it is something worse.

Miss Blackwell spent Monday night with Earlene and Anita McCarty.

Jokes

"Come Mary, I will show you how to milk the cows!" said Myrl to her city cousin visiting the dairy farm for the first time.

"Haden't I better begin with the calves until I get more experienced?" asked the city cousin.

Doctor: "What kind of a nurse do you want?"

Mr. Smith: "Did you wire for my wife?"

Doctor: "Yes, we did."

Mr. Smith: "Then a homely-looking nurse will do."

Community News

Singing at Mount Olive was enjoyed by several people from Midway and Caradan. Misses Venable and Clara Blackwell from Center City attended. We were glad they came and invite them back next fourth Sunday.

Miss Mary Gladys Couch from Mullin and Mrs. Virgil Wicker of Dallas visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Bleeker Sunday.

Those who had business in Goldthwaite Saturday were, Elton Huckabee, Miss Eva Koen, Nadine Hodges, Alvin Guess and Vada Lee McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith visited in the Buck Griffin home awhile Monday night.

Cecil Huckabee announced his wedding Saturday night to the school.

Several of the pupils of this community enjoyed a party at Miss Virginia Simpson's Saturday night.

Miss Vada Lee McCarty spent the week end with Miss Blackwell at Center City.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poer visited in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Green and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hodges.

Vernon Lawson spent Sunday with Elmer Koen.

Several of our young folk attended a dance at the Elton Horton home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Mr. Cooke and Mrs. M. G. Roberts and Sammie Roberts spent a while Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McCarty.

Weldon Couch visited in the home of Burt Weathers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Benningfield visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hebertz awhile Sunday night.

Mr. Cooke spent Thursday night with Sammie Roberts.

S. O. Koen spent part of last week in the Rio Grande valley. J. R. Kiser spent Thursday night with Allen Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Koen.

PRIDDY

The Happy Home Makers' club met in regular session with Mrs. Henry Drucekhammer on last Thursday afternoon, and assisted the hostess in quilting two quilts, a wedding ring and a friendship quilt.

Attendance of the old members was almost one hundred per cent, and three new members, Mrs. G. H. Tieman, Miss Eleanor Tieman and Mrs. W. W. Limmer, were admitted to the club. After the quilting, the guests were served delicious lunch of salmon salad sandwiches, cheese sandwiches, cookies, pie and coffee. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Coney McDonald on Feb. 8, and every lady in the community is urged to come and join.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Stegemoller Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Shipp and son, Billy, attended the birthday celebration of Louis Stegemoller of Pottsville last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kopp and children of near Abilene returned home Thursday, after visiting several days with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kopp of Priddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swindle and daughter, Bobby Lou, spent Sunday visiting in the homes of their sons, Messrs. Newman Swindle and Clint Swindle, of Indian Gap.

G. H. Tieman and Lee Priddy made a business trip to Eden Friday.

A group of the young people were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Limmer in their home last Wednesday night in honor of one of our lady teachers, Miss Nita Swindle, on the occasion of her birthday.

Marvin Lawson visited his grandmother Lawson part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Spinks and family visited her daughter, Mrs. Elam Wright, and family of near Pompey Creek Sunday. In the afternoon Albert and Evie called on Miss Myrtle Lee Pyburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Shelton and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Perry, and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carroll and children visited in the Sam Carroll home Wednesday.

Mrs. W. A. Allen was called to the bedside of her mother at San Saba last week. At last report she was improving.

Johnnie and Deward Fallon visited Wilson Mills Sunday.

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Lake Merritt basketball boys came down Friday afternoon.

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CENTER POINT

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Our leaders are Miss Geneva Sparkman and Clyde Taylor and they chose red and blue as their colors. The losing side for this quarter will entertain the winner. Come, join the Sunday school, receive a ribbon and help make a wonderful Sunday school class.

We did not have a B. Y. P. U. program Sunday night, as we elected new officers. We expect to have a good program Sunday night. After the program there will be singing.

Mrs. Joe Spinks is staying a few days this week with her daughter at Caradan.

Misses Ruby Brooks and Beatrice Bledsoe spent the week end with Miss Julia Dee Fallon.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Taylor spent Sunday with Mrs. Julia Taylor and family.

A large crowd enjoyed a musical at Omer Hill's Friday night. The music was sure fine.

Misses Mae Ellen Williams and Zeta Lawson visited Zeta's grandmother, Mrs. B. I. Lawson, Saturday afternoon.

Curtis Taylor dined with L. D. and Howard Spinks Sunday.

Miss Lillie Conner spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. J. N. Smith.

Jim Fallon and children, Eva, Julia Dee and Elmo, and Miss Beatrice Bledsoe of Goldthwaite enjoyed a birthday dinner in the Jim Mason home at Hamilton Sunday.

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RIDGE

Miss Dollie Reynolds of Ebony is spending this week with Mrs. W. A. Hollis.

Those who called on W. J. Kelso during his recent illness were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Egger, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Smith, Flat Hollis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powell, Bill Ketchum, Charm Whittenburg, Grandpa Stanley, Hern Harris, Flowers Lindsey, Jesse Massey, John Burnett, Sie Cummings, Mrs. Cummings, Miss Boland and Marietta Atkinson. Their kindness was certainly appreciated.

Alvin and Marietta Atkinson and Zeta Kelso visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Howington at Indian Gap and attended Wilford Howington's birthday dance.

Quite a few from Ridge attended the play at Ratler. They certainly did enjoy the play.

The play, "Here Comes Charlie", will be presented at the Ridge school house Friday, February 9. Every one is invited.

Mrs. Annie Curtis went home with her son, L. C. Boyd, of San Angelo. She will take treatment from a doctor while there.

and played our boys. The score was 12 to 23 in favor of Center Point.

Lloyd and Harvey Allen sat until bed time Thursday night with Johnnie Taylor.

High School Herald

STAFF:

Beulah Thompson — Editor-in chief.
 Merlin Faulkner—Associate editor.
 Lucile Hoover—Senior reporter.
 Daphne Evans—Junior reporter.
 Mary Clements—Sophomore reporter.
 Mary Horton — Freshman reporter.
 Virgil Howard—Sports reporter.
 Wallace Johnson — Boys' Glee Club reporter.
 Geraldine Burnett—Girls' Glee Club reporter.
 Ralph Swindle, — Spanish Club reporter.
 Charline Brim—Pep Squad reporter.
 Beryle Fulton, —Library reporter

New Drinking Fountain

The high school pupils are enjoying the convenience, and added sanitation of a new drinking fountain. Also its beauty.

Through the good work of the Parent-Teacher Association a three bubbler sanitray fountain has been installed in the main corridor in place of the unsanitary, unsightly, one bubbler fountain that has been in use for many years.

The high school students are indeed grateful to the Parent-Teacher Association, and say, "Thank you."

Tennis Court

The new tennis court is nearing completion and in a few days should be open to use. All material for surfacing has been put in place and as soon as that has been rolled and back stops have been put in place the court will be ready for playing. This court when completed should be one of the best in this part of the country and is expected to give a boost to tennis interest in the local schools.

The Public Speaking Class

The public speaking class has become one of the most interesting classes in school. The class has been studying parliamentary law for the past week, so the class has organized into a club for a few days. Lawrence Bledsoe was elected president and Geraldine Burnett, secretary. The class has already heard the coming statesmen of America in extemporaneous speeches. Heated debates have been heard with amusement and interest. The students have been taking a lively interest in the classes and they are looking forward to many more classes filled with surprises and discussions.

Eagle's Eye

The Eagle with his quick eye has seen fire in Bobby (Baby Ray) Boland's eyes. Bobby makes an excellent debator.

Clark Huddleston has a hidden talent that with polishing, it would shine brightly. His fire and enthusiasm in a debate might win for him school honors.

Underneath Henry Nauert's "calm" countenance there is a jolly sense of humor.

Mary Trent and Geraldine Burnett admire refinement and "polish" in young men. So boys dust off the rust on your manners!

The Eagle wonders that if under Ralph Swindle's nonchalance and serene bearing there is any of the fiery temper that is supposed to follow along with "redheads."

The Eagle has seen and heard, but he wonders if really there is so much difference in extemporaneous speaking and declamation?

Why is hope and charm so easily mixed? Mrs. Bowles seldom fails to call Hope Crews "Charm."

The Eagle's stern eye twinkles with wonder and amusement because of the senior answering to strange names: Lucille Hoover has been answering to the name of "Gracie." Is it because she resembles Gracie Allen in some way?

Bobby Boland has always been noted for his charming manner, but he is now called "Baby Ray". Has Bobby regained his lost youth?

Gerry Hester smiles when "Anderson" (Clark Huddleston) calls her "Lorraine."

The Eagle noted with pleasure the patriotic Billie Weatherby at the basketball game Monday.

Before the Eagle wings his way up toward the high mountain to watch his people, he wishes to remind the seniors to pay for their "calling" cards before it is too late.

Interscholastic Meet

The students of Goldthwaite high are preparing themselves for the coming interscholastic meet in March.

Mrs. J. S. Bowles has a good team of debaters chosen from the public speaking class. There is also a number of declaimers who are working hard.

The characters are being chosen and the one act play has been decided upon. The play is to be coached by Miss Mary Bowles, and the characters are to be taken from the sophomore, freshman and junior classes.

Miss Gatlin has charge of the extemporaneous speaking. However, it is not yet known who will enter in this.

We feel that those who are entering in the meet are among the best, and hope that some of them will be able to carry off honors for Goldthwaite high school.

Juniors

Can You Feature:

Mr. Cloniger letting us talk to each other in our home rooms?
 Jack Burns with his Spanish lesson prepared?

Lawrence Bledsoe saying, "bird seed" in English for "bird shot?"

Ima Bayley without red hair?
 Beatrice Bledsoe winking at a freshman.

Jack Bradley behaving in geometry?

Norman Black without that "goofy" grin?

Allen Campbell not having his car on the week end?

Bentley Clements not arguing with someone?

Mary Louise Fairman going to class without tripping someone or untying their shoes?

Liz Fisher not always talking to Woody Saylor in home room?

Fatima Faulkner not getting along with everyone?

George H. Frizzell not carving on his pipe?

John Reese Graves without his serious look?

Wayne Hamilton acting like a grown-up junior?

Mutt Howard without that "come hither" look?

Dora Dean Hale not having her lessons prepared?

Roy Hunt making "A" in Latin?

Not seeing Leonard Huddleston entering the theatre every Saturday evening?

Wallace Johnson not humming a tune?

Gertrude Johnson with blue eyes?

Thelma Johnson having black hair?

Valera Jones without a winsome smile?

Ted Kirby dying his hair white?

Daffy Evans studying at night?

John S. Kuykendall not being able to get along with Mrs. Bowles?

Cecil Jo Kuykendall being tall and slender?

Bobby Littlepage with straight hair?

Edward Soules without red hair and freckles?

Grace Saylor not receiving a letter from Tarleton?

Henry Nauert being fat and short?

Ruth Obenhaus not wanting to go to Moline?

Woody Saylor not insinuating that he is a woman hater?

G. W. Simpson misbehaving in Miss Kerfoot's study hall?

Ceylon Smythe biting his tongue half off?

Bill Todd not being in love with a dignified senior?

Harold Yarborough not giggling at everything?

Robert Cooke in Mrs. Bowles public speaking class?

Well, I can't.

Freshmen Thoughts

Can You Imagine—

The freshmen not always copying the seniors in everything they do?

Lalla Joyce Batchelor being loud-mouthed?

Carrol Berry flirting with some girl?

Lorane Bledsoe not being one of the freshman beauties?

Nina Mae Chilton not glad

CHEAP MONEY

The American dollar can not be made a sixty-cent token at home unless it can be correspondingly reduced in terms of foreign money. The two-billion dollar stabilization fund voted by congress to the use of the president and the secretary of treasury is designed to allow of their keeping the dollar quotation down in international exchange. This fund is limited to three years of activity. By that time it is expected that it will become stabilized at the gold value put upon it by congress and the president, but, unless England and France stabilize their currency to run along with ours, it is difficult to understand how the American dollar can be kept down. Of course, higher prices are expected to come out of devaluation. But even that can not occur unless our exports rise. We are unlikely to buy more of our own produce than we need, no matter what the dollar amounts to. Certainly an enlargement of credit circulation will come out of it. There will be more bank deposits, therefore more bank checks. Bank checks perform today where cash used to act. There has to be something back of the checks, to be sure, but that something is often a loan from the bank to the depositor, the loan in turn being repaid out of business profits. There is no sense in trying to sneer off the cotton on the assumption that it would have risen to that price by let-alone policies. Cotton doubled in price in the face of a large and unwieldy surplus. It didn't lift itself by tugging at its own belt buckles.—State Press in the Dallas News.

STOP THAT ITCHING

If you suffer from a skin trouble, such as Itch, Eczema, Athletes Foot, Ringworm, Tetter or Pimples, we will sell you a jar of Contay Ointment on a guarantee. Price fifty cents.—Hudson Bros., Druggists.

when it is 3:45 on Friday afternoon?

Dale Chilton without his freckles?

Dolan Chilton as an industrious student?

Vivian Corts without any lipstick?

Voyd Lee Doggett not having his fun regardless?

Allice Doggett not always laughing?

Shults Faulkner being still?

Izetta Featherston not being Louise Harwell's pal?

Jimmie Frizzell without his finger tied up?

Dorothy Fryer not talking about how hard her physical geography lesson is?

Louise Gartman not having her history lesson?

Flora Evelyn Gatlin not having her fun?

Leon Gray not wanting to be a football hero?

Price Griffin being a blonde?

Ruth Hale being noisy?

Jack Hall not being the "freshman runt"?

Louise Harwell not talking D. L. R.?

Lottie Belle Hester not being the "sophisticated" lady?

Forest Hill without glasses?

Mary Horton not coming in last with her laugh?

Barbee Jernigan being slender?

Agnes Johnson with short hair?

Vivian Kerby being fat?

Annabel Langford with blue eyes?

Juanita Sanderson riding from school without Price Griffin?

Kenneth Shaw not laughing out in algebra?

Fleeta Sheppard with black straight hair?

Opal Smith without bangs?

Addie Mae Summy not being the sweetest girl in the freshman class?

Sara Swanger with straight hair?

Warren Thompson not falling for all of the beauties?

Connie Trent not being liked by everyone.

Charline Tyson not always laughing?

Mildred Tyson being seen with out Charline Tyson?

J. M. Wrinkle not having to clear his throat in history class?

Clara York not always looking fresh and clean?

MULLIN NEWS

From The Enterprise

A. H. Pickens was among the crowd in town Saturday.

Mrs. Sam Couch is reported quite ill at her home in this city.

Mrs. J. J. Wagoner is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. F. Wigley at Caradan.

Miss Alma Neill is in Jonesboro visiting Ernest Hancock and family.

Prof. Burgess Fisher of Harmony school spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Fisher.

E. E. Etheridge of Prairie was here Saturday and reports good rains, but could still use more of the same kind.

Wilba Kemp, a student at Waco University, spent the week end at home.

W. E. Brazeal of Pompey was here Tuesday looking after some business matters.

Till Jenkins and Jack Smith of Pompey were in Mullin Monday buying supplies and transacting other business.

Miss Mary Smart, a student in Howard Payne college, spent the week end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Smart.

J. G. Curb, Claude and Will Curb, substantial citizens of the Prairie community, were among the crowd in town Saturday.

Herb Harris, popular candidate for sheriff, was among the number here this week, meeting old friends and making new ones.

Chester Williams of Center Point was looking after some business here Monday and reports everything looking good in his section.

Miss Marsalete Summy spent the week end visiting her friend Miss Thelma Casey of Austin, and her brother, Henry Ford Summy, at San Marcos.

Mrs. W. L. Clark of Brownwood came down Monday and her mother and brother, Mrs. J. N. Crockett, and Roy Crockett, returned home with her.

Joe Ratliff has returned from the races at Galveston. He had the pleasure of seeing W. S. Kemp's race mare, "Chicken" carry off first money one day.

Rex Mahan and family are moving this week to Brownwood. We regret to lose these good people from our city, but wish for them success in their new home.

Rev. E. P. Swindall arrived in Mullin Friday and spent the week end looking after the church interests here. He also preached two interesting sermons Sunday to large crowds.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Willis and little daughter spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hamilton. Mr. Willis is one of the efficient teachers at Pettit school in Comanche county.

The many friends of Mrs. T. A. Lovelace will regret to hear she has been quite ill for the past few days and at last report she was but slightly improved. Mrs. B. D. Beck of Abilene, Mrs. T. M. Shipman of Indian Gap and Roy Lovelace of Brownwood were called here the first of the week to be at their mother's bedside.

Mrs. A. H. Burgess had the following guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Leland Lockeridge and son, LeRoyce, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hancock and son, Charles, and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Patterson. Mrs. Burgess has been an invalid for a long time, but enjoys her many friends and has a smile for all with whom she comes in contact.

A blue norther changed this city Monday and all who have been calling for cold weather to save the fruit crop must be satisfied that the fruit crop has gone back into winter quarters without being told by the famous old groundhog. Tuesday brought a mixture of sleet and rain. January brought a fine balance sheet of good rain and lovely days of sunshine.

The Forty-Third Legislature is now in session at Austin in an extraordinary session. It was unexpectedly called by the governor for issuing more bonds. Relief measures will also be one of the issues to help those whose homes and farms are mortgaged and about to be foreclosed. It will be an extraordinary session for the 150 solons, the many clerks and stenographers and pages. A month on the state payroll will be a good inducement to be a politician.

NEW SHOWING

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It will be a pleasure for us to show you the new goods in the different departments.

New Shades in Hosiery

We want you to see the new ringless stocking

Little's

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Billy Louise Neill had a lovely birthday party Saturday from three to five p. m. The school mates came, bringing sunshine and happiness and gifts, with love for the honoree. Games and contests were enjoyed.

A delicious cake, all in pink and white, decorated the table and ten little candles were added to the attractiveness of the table and told how many milestones the honoree had traveled.

Mrs. John Neill was assisted by Mrs. E. P. McNeill in serving delicious hot chocolate topped with marshmallows and the birthday cake, to the following guests: Floretta Burkett, Daisy Lee Sanders, James Harvey and Horace Fisher, Mary Ruth Fletcher, Joyce Preston, Theda Fay and Bonita Daniel, Dick Morgan, Salie Mae and Elizabeth Sharp, Marilyn and Hester Smith, Oleta Utzman and Billy Louise and Rex Neill. Dick Carson won the prize.

P. T. A. MEETING

The P. T. A. held its regular meeting Thursday, January 25. After the regular business session an interesting program was rendered by the following:

Vocal solo—Miss Laura Nelson. Accompanist, Miss Iva Lee Daniel.

Vocal solo—Mrs. Darnay Keating. Accompanist, Mrs. Glenn Kittle.

The P. T. A. is carrying out some worthwhile projects and we, as parents and friends, should co-operate in this work.

The next meeting will be held on Feb. 8, and all friends and patrons are urged to be present.

P. T. A. REPORTER

"NEW DEAL" SOCIAL

Monday night a jolly crowd of Miss Carrie Kirkpatrick's friends stormed her in honor of her "teenth" birthday.

Fortune telling and songs and spontaneous merry making soon slipped one by old Father Time.

It is always deemed a great pleasure to be entertained in the jolly home of Miss Kirkpatrick and this was no exception.

The good fortune telling, enchanted gaiety, laughter and famous futures predestined for all the young people who were fortunate enough to attend this social event. They claimed a "new deal" as all were of the fairer sex.

PIONER CITIZEN OF DUREN OBSERVES NATAL DAY

Mr. Carl Wasserman passed his 32nd. milestone Sunday in the Duren community, where he has been a prominent citizen for many years. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wasserman celebrated the event with a good feast and as Mrs. Wasserman is well versed in the culinary arts, the dinner as usual was a complete success.

Those enjoying the occasion were his children and grandchildren, Messrs. and Mmes. August Wasserman and two children, W. H. Wasserman and two children.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mary Ruth Fletcher was the lucky girl Monday, when her mother, Mrs. G. M. Fletcher, entertained a group of Mary Ruth's friends Monday afternoon from four until six p. m.

Treasure Hunt and other thrilling games were enjoyed by the merry young folk, celebrating the honoree's eleventh birthday. She was the gracious recipient of many appreciative gifts.

Mrs. Fletcher, assisted by her daughter, Miss Rosa Meek, served cake and punch to the following: Joyce and Wilma Preston, Sallie Mae Sharp, Theda Fay and Bonita Daniel, Laura Mills, Barbara June Casey, Marilyn Smith, Virginia Lee Chancellor, Floretta and Juanelle Burkett, Aline Farmer, Helen Spivey, Daisy Lee Sanders, Virginia Harding, Billy Louise Neill, Jack Eaton, Tilman Knowles, Ward Williams, Jimmie Smith, James Smart, Lester Romans, Ernest Lynn Fisher, Clifton Chancellor, Jake Burkett and Rufus Kent Guthrie.

SHELTON—SKIPPING

Ernest Skipping and Miss Mamie Fae Shelton of Zephyr were married Saturday at the home of Rev. L. J. Vann in this city, Rev. Vann saying the words that made the happy couple husband and wife.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Shelton of Zephyr and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Skipping of Zephyr, where the couple has grown to maturity and has a host of friends. The Enterprise joins with their friends in wishing them bliss in their wedded life.

S. J. Casey and Judge O. E. Rice were visitors in Goldthwaite Monday.

Royal Etheridge of Pompey Creek was visiting in Mullin Saturday.

Miss Evelyn Reeves of Regency visited Miss Tootsie Hancock Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Shelton is visiting friends and relatives in Zephyr this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hancock spent the week end in Owens visiting her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harper of Goldthwaite visited in the home of Rex Mahan recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reynolds were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bramlett of Prairie Sunday.

W. H. Wasserman and family and Mrs. J. N. Crockett canned 93 cans of nice pork Tuesday.

Mrs. G. H. Frizzell and Miss Georgia Frizzell of Goldthwaite were meeting friends here Monday.

A. Little of Comanche was a visitor here one day last week, looking after his farm interests here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Leinneweber, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Leinneweber of Scallorn visited here Sunday.

Mark Falten and Miss Holly Guthrie of Kempner were visiting relatives and friends here Sunday.

Gordon Neill and two sons, Carmon and Dery, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Neill this week.

Miss Verdie Smith and Miss Ethel Dean McFarland, students at Stephenville, spent the week end with home folk.

Tom Clark Graves and Miss Mabel Lillian Graves of Lake Merritt attended the plays at the school auditorium Saturday night.

WOOL LOANS

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A DEBT MORATORIUM

The principle of governmental interference with private contracts is generally obnoxious, but there is a time when such a policy is entirely acceptable. When the home owners and the citizens have been unable to meet their obligations, through no fault of their own and then it is that the strong hand of government can intervene in the interest of right and fair dealing. In most cases, the creditor of one is the debtor of another and to declare a moratorium until adjustments can be made and settlements reached can do no harm. Most creditors will be found to be reasonable and just, but there is a custom requiring every creditor to look out for his own interest and if he fails to do so the probabilities are that some other creditor will be the beneficiary of his laxness. On the other hand, most people will meet their obligations in time, even though some may not make as great effort as others. At any rate, the idea of a general moratorium for a reasonable time to give debtors time to recover from the effects of the most destructive depression the country has ever known can not work such irreparable injury as would be wrought by a general foreclosure throughout the state or nation.

It is not the intention or desire of the lawmakers or others to give additional time to those who would defraud or lessen their securities, but the desire is to help the honest and well-meaning debtor who is unable to meet his obligations because of a condition to which he did not contribute and over which he has no control. One of the purposes of the governor in convening the legislature in special session was to provide for the protection of debtors whose property is in jeopardy because of the effects of the depression in which the country was involved for several years. Under normal conditions this special session would not have been necessary, but now protection is needed for those who can not help themselves.

GOVERNMENTAL FINANCING

There is and long has been a wide range of discussion as to how the immense government deficit is to be met and the estimate of the president that the government will have thirty-one billion dollars deficit by June seems appalling to most of us, who can scarcely realize just how great a sum of money is involved. To be sure it would be an immense sum for a lone citizen or even a firm, company or corporation, but in reality it is not so great for a wonderfully strong and wealthy government like ours to owe. While the amount is large, undoubtedly, we can scarcely imagine the conditions that would have resulted had the government withheld the appropriations for the relief of the people who were without means of securing the necessities of life. Suffering and even starvation would have been recorded in all parts of the nation but for the liberality of the government. Not only have the funds been used in direct relief, but large grants have been made to reduce surplus crops and make a market for the products of the farms, ranches and other industries. When conditions are normal and the nation is again prosperous the public debt can be gradually reduced without the extra and indirect levy being burdensome. The country is indeed fortunate that at the time of the greatest crisis the nation ever knew an administration came into power with the vision that has characterized the one we now enjoy. Few if any in this nation believe in a paternalistic government, but there is a vast difference between paternalism and helpfulness in a time of need.

WE ALL MUST PAY

Congress is working on a bill to increase the income tax of the nation possibly \$300,000,000 and will doubtless succeed. This is a very serious situation and one that requires the best thought of the statesmen charged with making the laws and finding the means by which the governmental expense may be met. The thought is indulged by many that requiring large income payments from the rich is of no concern to those who are not liable for such payment, but in this they are greatly mistaken. The income taxes, like all other taxes, are passed on to the public in every way by which the incomes are produced. If it is in banking, manufacturing, merchandising or any other line of endeavor the income tax is passed on by the very simple method of adding it to the overhead or in plainer words—the cost of doing business. None of us can sit by with satisfaction and say the proceedings by which heavier levies are made have no interest for us. In the last analysis the income tax, like all other tax, is paid by the public.

HONESTY IN SMALL THINGS

It isn't the big things in life or business that proves the honesty of people, but the small transactions. Few men would rob a bank at the end of a pistol or machine gun, but the number who would take advantage of a mistake made by the bank in overpaying a check or making change is larger. A great many people who really believe they are strictly honest would take as their rights a newspaper placed in their mail box by error, even though the name of the owner be printed or written plainly upon it. The principle in one case cited is identical with that of the others, with the exception that the one who boldly presents a gun to the cashier and demands the money is taking desperate chances with both his life and liberty, while the one who knowingly takes advantage of an error takes no risk whatever, either with life, liberty or reputation.

EVIDENCE OF PROSPERITY

There is no one line of business or industry that demonstrates more clearly the condition of the country than does the automobile industry. While automobiles are generally looked upon as luxuries, this can only be accepted in a relative sense, for automobiles have become as necessary as any other mode of transportation, but when there is a heavy demand for new cars from every part of the nation it must be accepted as an indication of improved financial conditions and this certainly is the case with the automobile industry of today. The factories and assembly plants are crowded, many of them to capacity, and thousands of workmen have been returned to places they left because of the depression. Truly, the country is building back and building rapidly.

WISE AND OTHERWISE

The kind of "sound" money we like is enough of it so it jingles in our pocket.—Jasper News-Boy

The girl that marries money now a days is a genius.—Henderson Times.

Some parents worry if the kid is dumb in arithmetic. It's a good sign that he'll be the boss instead of the bookkeeper.—Garland News.

Men would be great successes if they could be half as good as their wives think they can make them.—Liberty County News.

The tactful hostess tries to make you feel at home, and generally wishes you were.—Henderson Times.

The flock of candidates next year promises to be as dense as some of the candidates for governor.—Bonham Favorite.

Wife hasn't much interest in an old beau of hers, except that she hopes he married a woman who is mean to him.—Claude Callan in Star-Telegram.

The football score this year was quite high, but the number of touchdowns was not so great as the number of contusions.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Many a man's wife dresses stylishly because his creditors can afford it.—Ochiltree County Herald.

Criminals are now grafting new skin on their finger tips to make identification difficult. Just another skin game.—Corsicana Sun.

"Is than an eight or a twelve?" asked the admirer of Mr. Twitchell's new automobile. "Both," replied Elmer. "Eight cylinders; twelve payments."—Denison Herald.

Once a boy won an oratorical contest and didn't decide to be a lawyer.—Ennis News.

The county isn't the only one that has a poor farm.—Karnes County News.

The ladies always want the newest wrinkle unless it's in their face.—Cuero Record.

The man who got disgusted strap-hanging is now going crazy looking for a place to park.—Grapevine Sun.

Half a million hoboes ride the freight trains in America each year. At least these still prefer the railways to the bus lines.—Breckenridge American.

The crime wave seems to be waving again—and prohibition isn't to be assigned as the cause, either.—Bonham Favorite.

Every little girl goes through a spell of playing "house." The problem is to keep her that way after the wedding.—Grapevine Sun.

Some one writes and asks why they call it "mother tongue." Simply because the women folks use it the most, we guess.—Mineral Wells Index.

LIVESTOCK SITUATION

Pastures generally have been closely grazed, and the feed value of most of them are going downward. Some sections are shipping feed in for stock needs, and others are shipping stock out to localities where feed is plentiful; but generally the various livestock areas will be able to take care of their respective needs.

Shortage of water is reported in many sections. Creeks, wells and springs from which thousands of heads of livestock have drunk their fill for a generation are dry, and in many instances stockmen have been at their wits' end to meet this emergency. However, no deaths from thirst have been reported, and the situation in dry areas has been improved by light rains in the last few weeks.

Stock is in good flesh considering the difficulties the industry has undergone, and stockmen started the new year with a fair degree of hope for successful operation.—The Earth.

Health Hint

PNEUMONIA DANGEROUS

Austin, Texas, Feb. 1.—Pneumonia is a seasonal disease, in that the incidence and mortality is much increased during wet, cold weather, according to Dr. John W. Brown, state health officer. It is more prevalent and serious in towns where contacts with people is more common. Pneumonia is always dangerous, but it is especially so to persons in a run down condition. This accounts for the number of cases following illness with some other disease.

The germs that cause pneumonia are spread by careless coughers, sneezers, spitters and the things that they thus infect. The first symptoms are usually a severe chill and fever, a very sick feeling, loss of appetite, very rapid breathing and a heavy sensation in the chest. Sometimes coughing brings up blood from the inflamed lungs. Any of these signs should be the signal for going to bed at once and sending for your doctor.

The familiar rules of the prevention of other respiratory diseases apply to pneumonia. These rules should become personal habits and not be put on or off at times of prevalence or absence of disease. Persons should avoid careless coughers and sneezers, even if you have to be rude. Wash your hands thoroughly before each meal. Keep your hands, pencils, money and other such things away from your mouth and nose. Get plenty of fresh air day and night. Exercise and eat in moderation and wear clothing suitable for the weather.

Pneumonia ranks second as a cause of death in Texas, in 1932 almost 6000 persons died of this disease. It should be remembered that contagious and infectious diseases cannot be decreased or eliminated without the cooperation of the people and that means that people who are sick with contagious or infectious disease should be isolated and visited as little as possible by relatives and friends.

DO YOU KNOW

Grasshoppers grow by changing their skins.

The Japanese dynasty is the world's oldest.

One plant of the common pigweed yields, by actual count, 117,000 seeds.

The people of this country spend over \$1,000,000,000 a year at the movies.

The CCC plans to plant 50,000,000 young trees in the spring to aid in control of erosion.

More than 1,000,000 negro children in the United States do not attend school.

There were 28 lynchings in the U. S. in 1933, as compared with only 10 in 1932.

The average value of owned farm homes is \$1135 and tenant farm homes \$500.

Government estimates indicate three billion tons of soil are washed from fields and pastures in this country each year.

The United States produces 35 per cent of the average annual world yield of 550,000,000 bushels of apples.

Over the past four depression years life insurance companies have paid to policy holders and beneficiaries more than \$11,000,000,000.

The entire American private investment abroad at the beginning of 1934 was around \$16,700,000,000, irrespective of war debts.

The mileage of railroads in the United States in receivership or bankruptcy was doubled in 1933, increasing from 22,000 to 44,000 miles.

Less than 18 pounds of butter per person are consumed in the United States annually while Canadians eat 27 pounds each during the year.

Forty-four per cent of the farm homes in America are worth less than \$1000 and only four per cent are worth more than \$5000. (Census Bureau figures.)

A negro, claiming to be 106 years old with a brother 116 years old dependent upon him for support, applied for CWA work in Oklahoma Saturday.

Silver was once valued above gold.—Pathfinder.

—EDITORIAL COMMENT—

VIEWS OF THE NATION'S PRESS ON TOPICS OF INTEREST AND IMPORTANCE

PEDESTRIANS

No motorist of normal human instincts would ever deliberately run down a pedestrian. Possibly there is not more than one such case in one thousand accidents involving pedestrians.

How does it happen, then, that so many pedestrians are killed or injured by automobiles?

The state of Massachusetts has just completed a survey relating to walking the highways at night. It was found that the driver of a car is able to see a pedestrian only six seconds before he reaches him when traveling at ten miles an hour; three seconds at 20 miles, and one and one half seconds at 40 per hour.

The simplest lesson of that finding is that pedestrians should watch their step. At best the driver has only a split second of time to decide what to do and do it.

It is and always has been popular to blame the driver in all such accidents. Drivers occasionally are to blame, to be sure; but not always. Pedestrians are a careless lot, and most of them have a chip on their shoulder. You just dare to run over me! is their attitude. Many of them seeing a car approaching, deliberately turn their heads in the other direction and throw all the responsibility of preventing an accident upon the driver at the wheel.

Safety in traffic is a matter of co-operation. The motorist owns the road and the street. The pedestrian has 100 per cent rights only when he is following pedestrian lanes—sidewalks—and at street intersections when the lights are in his favor.—Abilene Reporter.

THE CHIEF VICTIM

About a year and a half ago Owen D. Young pointed out that the greatest damage done by unemployment and destitution is that done to the children. He said that the service performed in restoring employment would be a service "to men and women who need food and shelter, and most of all who need to retain their own self-confidence and self respect."

"And indeed," he added, "not only their confidence and self-respect, but, what is even more important than all, to enable them and us to retain the confidence of the children who are coming on. A father's job lost does more than weaken the respect of the child. It threatens that stability and that opportunity for the future which are the basis of our hopes and the impulse of our accomplishments."

BAD FOR TEXAS SULPHUR

Chemists of the University of Toronto have recently announced the success of a five-year experiment in the production of sulphur from waste gases. Canada uses a good deal of sulphur for paper-making and insecticides. No sulphur is obtainable at present in Canada. The Dominion has therefore been importing about \$4,000,000 worth every year from the United States. At the same time something like 1000 tons of waste gases have been shot into the air from Canadian mines. These are the gases the scientists have used to make sulphur. A by-product of the work will be protection of orchards and farms from the damage now caused by smelter gases. Modern chemists succeed more often in their quests for support, applied for CWA work in Oklahoma Saturday.

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A NOBLE EXPERIMENT

For the first time since government was founded, there has been sweeping legislation to control the wages and hours of the entire working population, and the competitive methods of virtually all industry. A dramatic and frankly experimental effort to solve the farmers' problems has become part of the law of the land. The largest public works program we have ever known has been inaugurated. Everything that the present leaders of government believed would spur recovery, has been done. Advisors who had no previous connection with politics have been called in—and their plans have been adopted. The whole prestige of government, and the immense power of the public treasury, have been used wholeheartedly and sometimes ruthlessly to bring us stability and prosperity.

To say that these efforts have been entire successes is to close our eyes to facts. To say that they have failed is to be unjust. They have fallen between these extremes. Men have been put to work by the hundreds of thousands—men who had had little or no work for two or three years, and had been forced to suffer the ignominy of organized charity in order to keep their families and themselves from utter privation. Wages have been appreciably raised, and the sweatshop, encouraged by the depression, has been eliminated. Child labor is on the wane. The CCC camps, whatever their shortcomings, have served to provide thousands of young men with useful work under army pay and discipline, and have kept them away from debilitating and demoralizing influences.

And in other fields the administration has much on which it can honestly pride itself. It has started a program whereby the transportation difficulties of the country may eventually be solved. It has done a good job in solidifying and safeguarding the banking structure. It has attempted to protect the public against stock swindlers and fly-by-night promoters, who reaped so fine a harvest in the boom years and even after. It has created machinery seeking to encourage home financing and private construction.—Industrial News Review.

INCOME TAX BILL

The new income tax bill is drawn to stop tax evasions in the higher brackets and to produce an additional \$200,000,000 of revenue from the incomes of the current year. Revision is needed especially in those provisions relating to capital gains and losses which have furnished the loophole for the major part of the technically legal evasion since the deflation of values began in 1929. The law ought to be re-drafted in such manner as to eliminate largely consideration of capital gains and losses. Not only has it proved a means of evasion that has been scandalously unfair to taxpayers in the low brackets, but it is unworkable as a theory because it does not apply equally as among the various fortunes yielding incomes in the higher brackets.

Alteration of the law to prevent family swapping of securities to write off losses will hardly be sufficient to prevent evasion in the future. Application of the income tax to capital gains and losses according to the theory of the present law will continue to favor the man with liquid wealth, which is the man usually in possession of the technical knowledge to effect legal evasion.—Dallas News.

FOR JAPAN'S ATTENTION

It looks as if this country is headed for the ownership of the largest navy in the world. We are going in the direction of a sea force equal to the full amount allowed us by treaty. When treaty revision time comes, it is indicated Japan will demand equality. Nobody expects us to grant any such demand, or suppose that Great Britain would allow it. If, then, there is no treaty, it is a case of each country for itself and the devil take the hindmost. In such a case the devil usually does.—Dallas Journal.

DRESSING AND BATHS

Frequent changes of dress consume time and time to the housewife is the same as money, except that she can't take time to the store and fetch home bundles and packages in exchange for it. It certainly would be a good idea for the lady of the house to put on at rising the outfit she's going to wear all day. Pajamas won't do. In the first place they are ugly. In the second place the wearer is self-conscious in them. She can't put all her mind on her domestic tasks because part of it is concerned with her bizarre costume. Pajamas are garments of the neuter gender. They may be adopted by man or woman with equal authority. But just as man without pants is uneasy and poor in spirit, likewise a woman without skirts is uncertain and abashed. The quoted contemporary is correct in advising the scientific housewife to take her bath and don a fresh dress while the dawn is in the dawning. The Bible speaks highly of the good woman who gathered herbs and mandrake while it was yet dark and her husband yet slept. The modern woman who has no herbs, no mandrake to gather can substitute other chores and thus win the applause of those who know what a dutiful and industrious lady should be like. But if there is no bath tub in the house the lady may not be able to have her bath until night, when she can utilize the washtub and the back porch for her ablutions. If the back porch faces north, and there's a north-easterly blowing, she can skip a few baths.—State Press in Dallas News.

BIGGER AND BIGGER

France wants a navy which shall always be as big as the combined naval power of Germany and Italy. You can't blame her for that. Germany wants a bigger navy because she has almost none now. Italy wants a bigger navy because Japan might do something or other (not to mention France). Japan is worried because the United States is increasing its tonnage of fighting ships. Great Britain is uneasy because everybody else is. So it goes.

Nationalism is bound to go that ruinous road of competitive armament. Until the League of Nations is given an international navy as a police force, we are not going to be able to dispense with our several navies. Until we get in a frame of mind to treat Japan down for violating a treaty to which we are not a signatory we can't expect to be aided by any other country not directly concerned in our woes when some aggressor comes against us.

Sane internationalism is the sole road to peace. So long as we stay resolutely off that road we shall need as big a navy as we can build.—Dallas Journal.

SOMEBODY USED HIS HEAD

One of the neatest tricks yet performed by Uncle Sam in his recovery program seems to have been turned along the edges of the Navajo reservation at Shiprock, N. M., in connection with a plague of grasshoppers and a flock of turkeys.

Grasshoppers got so numerous on the reservation that they were destroying the peach orchards and melon patches and threatening the Indians with disaster. So an intelligent federal officer spent \$1400 on 1100 young turkeys. The turkeys were turned loose where they would do most good. Result: the grasshoppers are gone and the turkeys are fat; and the latter will make fine dinners for the young men of the forest conservation corps.

In this doubtless unimportant little tale there is evidence of sensible action by someone which deserves due commendation. Unfortunately the dispatches failed to give the name of this unknown genius so he might get due recognition for his feat.—Dallas Dispatch.

NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

Hamilton

County administrator H. W. Henderson reports the receipt of 2600 pounds of flour this week for free distribution in Hamilton county as direct relief and for workmen on relief rolls.

A call came from Hico the first of the week to County CWA Administrator H. W. Henderson for 25 laborers, one carpenter and one cement mixer for state highway work on 67 through Hico.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Steen and their son, Robert L. Steen, Jr., and family of Goldthwaite visited relatives in Hamilton Sunday. They were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. McKinley.

For a number of years past foxes have scarcely been found in Hamilton county, but recently there seems to have been quite a migration of these animals into this territory. Hunters report seeing numbers of them.

Information has been received in Hamilton that the Hon. Thos. M. White has received the nomination by Franklin D. Roosevelt as postmaster at Hamilton and the nomination has been sent to the senate for confirmation.

The Indian Gap Happy Hour Club met with Mrs. W. L. Conner, Thursday, January 18. The ladies spent the afternoon working on friendship blocks and quilting. In spite of the rain most of the members of the club were present, and the afternoon was a very enjoyable one.

Mrs. T. T. Brown is at home from the hospital and is very much improved in condition, and there is every reason to hope for an early and complete recovery. Her sister, Mrs. T. A. Gardner, who had been here since Wednesday of last week, has returned to her home in Lometa.

Rev. James L. Smart and family visited relatives and friends in Hamilton last week. They recently moved from San Antonio, to Mullin, Texas, where he is serving as pastor of the Baptist church. He is one of the best men in the world and is a power in the pulpit, and Mullin is most fortunate to secure the services of Rev. Smart as pastor. He has a nice family who form many friendships wherever they make their home.—Record-Herald.

Comanche

Committees from four of the churches in Comanche met January 23 for the election of officers to serve for the Woman's Federated Missions of Comanche for 1934.

Announcements have been received in Comanche of the marriage of Miss Ruby Dudley of the Democrat community to Fred Wallace of Dallas on Friday, January 12.

Comanche county schools this week are to receive approximately \$5000 as the first \$1.00 payment of the \$16.00 per capita state apportionment for the term of 1933-34.

J. R. Eanes is now acting postmaster of Comanche, taking the oath of office to succeed George B. Black Tuesday afternoon.

Government grants to Comanche county corn and hog farmers will total around \$30,000 during 1934, County Agent J. A. Barton said Thursday. Farmers will be paid \$15 for every hog they take out of production under the plan.

Fire loss in Comanche during 1933 was only about one-eighth of that of the preceding year, according to the report sent Mayor M. Coleman and Fire Chief R. C. Graham, by the state fire insurance department at Austin.

The date for the acceptance by cotton farmers of the cotton option agreement plan was extended Thursday until February 1, according to a telegram received from Washington by the county agent.

The second trial of A. M. (Ab) White on a charge of murder growing out of the slaying of Pink Milton of Comanche, in front of his home on the night of January 20, 1932, is scheduled for Wednesday, February 7, at Gatesville, according to official information received this week by Comanche county officers.—Chief.

Lampasas

A contract was let Monday to Crouch & Nolan of Strawn for the building of the Freeman Branch bridge. L. McGowan will superintend the work, which will begin this week.

County Agent W. P. Graham, and committeemen were disappointed in the number of cotton reduction contracts signed last week. Only 244 contracts have been signed.

Supt. Wachendorfer states the school canning plant had canned six beeves and this meat has been turned over to the local relief office for distribution.

A mass meeting of hog and corn producers was held Saturday, Jan. 20, at the court house. A temporary county organization for the producers was set up. A county administration committee was selected.

A negro was arrested Wednesday afternoon in Austin and charged with theft of merchandise from the dry goods department of Stokes Bros. & Co., at Lampasas. Deputy Sheriff Long and Chas. E. Stokes went to Austin and returned Wednesday night with the negro and he was placed in jail. There was a large stock of Phoenix silk hose for ladies in the front of the store and when search was made it was found that the negro had \$56.35 worth of them in his possession. A traveling man used the negro to drive his car and he had called on Stokes Bros. and the negro was there early Wednesday morning and placed the traveling man's cases in the car and soon after his departure the loss was discovered. The traveling man was located in Austin and agreed to assist police in making a search which disclosed the theft of the hose. The negro gives the name of James Larkin. He also had in his possession a new suit of clothes, which officers are trying to trace down.—Leader.

San Saba

W. P. Ormand was named last week to make the industrial survey of San Saba county.

The Workers Meeting will be held with the First Baptist church, San Saba, Friday, Feb. 9, continuing all day. Dinner will be served by the church.

Decidedly the best and most drenching rain since away last May soaked all of San Saba county last week. Starting early Wednesday morning a steady rain fell all day and all night. The fall totaled 1.80 inches in San Saba. Other localities report one to two inches.

Members of the Armadillo football squad were happily entertained by Rev. and Mrs. Val L. Sherman at the Methodist parsonage last Friday night. A delightful dinner was served. Each boy was permitted and urged to bring a girl friend, which most of them did.

Rev. Bob Shuler, pastor of the Los Angeles Methodist church, will be the principal speaker at a great church rally for the Llano district at Llano on Feb. 8. He is coming in the interest of the Denominational Evangelism movement, and his message will be of vital interest to the public as well as the church men.

P. C. Sloan last week closed two ranch deals in this county. By the first sale he conveyed a part of his present ranch holdings to O. P. Leonard of Fort Worth. This deal included the home place, 2700 acres of what is commonly known as the old "George Baker place." He reserved 2000 acres off the west end of this ranch.—News.

Lometa

Norborne Stockton this week sold his educated cow horse, Dick, to Bud Willford, commission man at Fort Worth.

J. B. Kirby reports he is building a new house for W. T. Moore at Bend, to be occupied by Autry, Mr. Moore's son.

W. K. Sonneman has accepted a position with the local highway office as office man and has entered upon his new duties.

F. A. Stockton was on the Fort Worth market Tuesday with a car of mixed cattle, which he

Brownwood

Brownwood's fire loss for 1933 was \$49,909, as compared with a loss of \$90,830 the year before.

For the second time since CWA work has started, the Brown county payroll passed the \$10,000 figure last week, as \$10,502.72 was paid out through the local office to 859 workers.

Cotton option checks totaling \$10,124.60 were received this week by County Agent C. W. Lehmburg. These checks are for farmers who, holding options on government cotton, elected to borrow 4 cents per pound from the government on these options. In event the cotton is sold for more than 10 cents per pound, farmers will receive the difference.

J. D. Brown of May and U. R. Grooms of Brownwood bought \$19,000 worth of Brown county road bonds this week, the sale being arranged at a special meeting of the commissioners court Tuesday. Mr. Brown bought \$15,000 of the bonds and Mr. Grooms \$4,000.

With the expectation that if sufficient contracts to reduce 1934, 1935 cotton acreage are not secured by January 31, compulsory reduction through license of cotton growers will be adopted by the government, committeemen from various communities in Brown county this week were working desperately to complete the job in this county.—Banner.

WHEAT CONFERENCE

The proposal of the International Wheat Advisory Commission is to stabilize world markets, as distinct from domestic markets, by establishing a minimum scale of prices and fixing export quotas. Presumably the price minimum is to affect domestic wheat but with half an eye it can be discerned that in its local markets it can not be enforced so effectively as in export, where limitation on amount is fixed. Local response to excess production is certain to be more quickly felt.

In the anticipated difficulty of the commission in having its program adopted is visible the provable impracticability of the plan. Wheat growers want to seek their own markets, fix their own prices. Large wheat growing nations do not want split markets. Wheat moves toward the impasse that has blocked efforts to "stabilize" the price for sugar and rubber and coffee. With distribution to consumption the admitted need of our day organizations like the Wheat Advisory Commission could be useful indeed. If the day ever arrives when the world thinks in terms of world distribution, of proper routing of production to avoid glutted markets and to supply empty ones, the direction must be in the hands of international agencies which can regulate effectively. The day is well into the future.—Dallas News.

sold to a good advantage.

Mrs. Bohning and Mrs. Hufstler were hostesses to the Study and Civic club Thursday, January 18, at the Bohning ranch.

According to M. V. Hereford, county committeeman, the local sign-up campaign was completed Wednesday afternoon, and the office was closed.

Thursday noon at a luncheon at the Majestic Cafe, the Lometa Chamber of Commerce was "borned again." For several years this organization has been in a state of semi-consciousness, unable to perform the duties which come to hand of such a body.—Reporter.

NEWS BRIEFS

The Texas Interscholastic Music meet will convene in its 12th annual musical festival at Baylor college at Belton, April 13-14.

More than 133,000 men are working on 3140 public road projects actually under way in the federal government's \$400,000,000 highway program, the federal bureau of public roads reports.

More planes for the navy and a method of training youthful pilots for the nation's air force were put forward in congress Monday as separate phases of the sudden drive to build up the country's defensive works.

Music of a "hot" jazz orchestra literally "brought down the house" at Houston Monday night when part of the ceiling at the University Club collapsed, injuring five dancers painfully and bruising a score of others.

A Houston man whose 35 year conviction on a burglary charge was reversed by the court of criminal appeals on the ground that he was shown to have broken out of a house rather than into one, was reindicted by the Houston grand jury Monday.

The resignation of Lawrence Westbrook as director of the Texas relief commission was tendered Monday to Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson, the commission's ex-officio chairman. Westbrook will have charge of national rehabilitation and direct relief for special units.

President Roosevelt late Saturday sent to the house a request for \$950,000,000 for continuation of the civil works administration and for direct federal relief. The president asked this lump sum without specifying the amounts to be given for civil works and direct relief.

Three men and two women, including "Whitey" Walker and Roy Johnson, sought in at least three Texas bank robberies, were captured in Tallahassee, Fla., early Monday. Walker and Johnson resisted arrest and were shot. They were captured by a group of Tallahassee officers.

Three Bryan men, former bank employees, all in their twenties, were sentenced in federal court in Houston Monday on charges of embezzling approximately \$2,000 from the First National Bank of Bryan about two years ago. The trio pleaded guilty to the charges last October, but sentence was deferred until Monday.

Gutzon Borglum, famous sculptor, wants the CWA to paint scenes of fairy tales on school walls. Borglum said the CWA should use a greater percentage of its funds for beautification of school buildings, for he said: "Most of our schools are sorry sight compared to a millionaire's stables. One thing is certain, the schools don't have as many pictures as good stables."

George (Machine Gun) Kelly, serving a life sentence in Leavenworth for the kidnaping of Charles F. Urschel, would rather be anywhere else than in that particular penitentiary. Officials Monday revealed he had written recently to his wife, Katherine, now confined at Milan, Mich., that he hoped for a transfer to Alcatraz federal prison in California "because nothing could be worse than Leavenworth." Now in solitary confinement, he boasted when sentenced to Leavenworth that he would "be out by Christmas."

The state's portion of the commissions on wagers placed at the Galveston Downs racing meet totaled \$4630.17 through January 25, the state racing commission reported. The meet opened January 1, and was concluded Saturday. The report did not carry totals for the last two days. Receipts for the first 10 days of the meet, while the track was operating under the old law, totaled \$695.29, the state receiving 8 per cent of 10 per cent of the commissions. Receipts for the latter part of the meet amounted to \$3934.88, the state receiving 25 per cent of the commissions under the new law.

HERE AND THERE

A suit claiming that 500 acres of land in Gregg county, in the heart of the East Texas oil field, is unpatented school land belonging to the state was filed in district court in Austin Saturday by Attorney General James V. Allred. The suit seeks recovery of the land, on which there are now 50 producing oil wells and damages for oil heretofore taken are estimated to be worth \$1,250,000.

A nocturnal visitor left \$1700 in gold coins in a sack on the front porch of the home of the Snoqualmie, Wash., postmaster Saturday night. He told authorities there was no note with the gold to indicate ownership. Investigators believed it was left by some person who feared he would be prosecuted for possession of gold. Bank officials refused to describe the coin, fearing they would be flooded with calls from the owners of the money.

The First National Bank of Midlothian was robbed Sunday night of approximately \$5000. The robbery was discovered by the president of the bank. He found the night watchman gagged and bound in a rear room. The vault was burned open with a torch. The watchman who was making his rounds of the bank, said he was surprised by the robbers at 1 a. m. One of the men, he said, held a shotgun to his back. He was ordered to a rear room, where he was blindfolded, then bound and gagged.

Death Monday claimed another of those present at the opening of the inner chamber of King Tut-ankh-Amen's tomb, when Dr. Albert M. Lythgoe, 65, curator emeritus of Egyptian art of the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York, died at the Massachusetts General hospital. More than a week ago Dr. Lythgoe entered the hospital suffering from cerebral arterio-sclerosis. His illness gave rise to repetition of the legendary tale that all those connected with the opening of the tomb in 1923 eventually would fall under the Pharaoh's curse.

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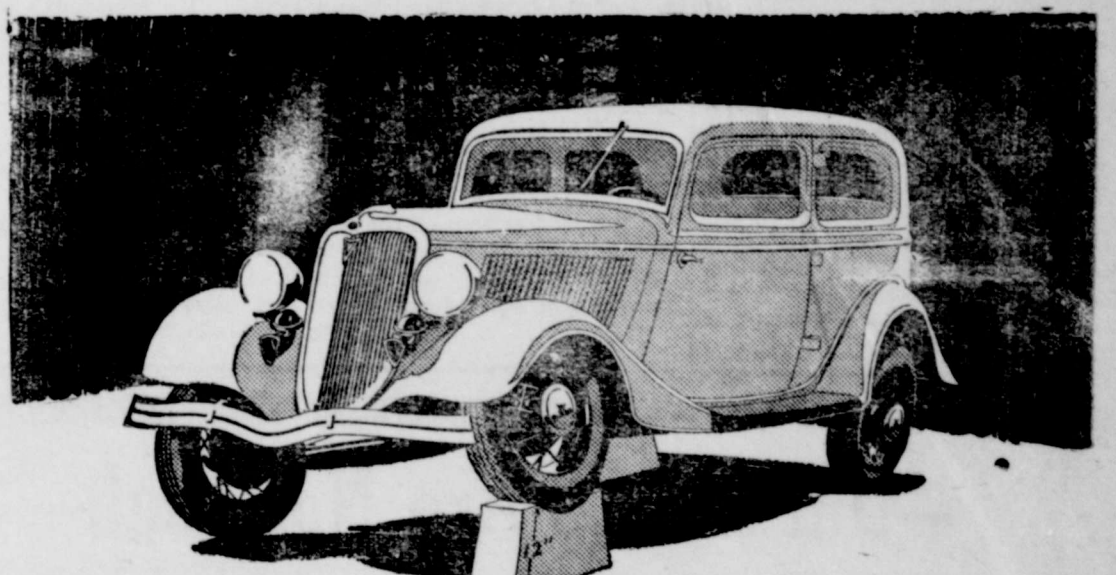
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THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Geeslin of Brady were visitors to this city the early part of the week. Come in some time soon and see the latest in Spring Millinery—Mrs. H. G. Bodkin.

T. C. Perry was one of the prosperous young farmers who called at the Eagle office Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Bayley is in Oklahoma City with her daughter, Mrs. Lee Eby, who has been quite sick.

Grass is appearing some local and some of the small grain crops will afford good pasture for the stock.

J. W. Flatt was one of substantial citizens of the eastern portion of the county who had business in this city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Toland have been in Dallas this week, buying spring goods for their dry goods store and seeing the style show.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen returned from Buffalo Gap Tuesday night, where they spent several days on business and visiting their daughter.

Mrs. F. P. Bowman, Al Dickerson, S. P. Sullivan, John Berry and Misses Ruby Lee Dickerson, Myrna Miller entertained the Lions Club with a musical program Tuesday night.

Will set the incubator in my hatchery on Monday, Feb. 5.—Mrs. C. M. Burch.

Enoch Godwin, one of the Eagle's best friends, was here from the Long Cove section the early part of the week and reported everything moving nicely in his section.

Mayor and Mrs. H. G. Bodkin were visitors to Dallas the early part of the week, where they attended the spring style show and Mrs. Bodkin selected spring millinery for her store.

E. J. Ward, the new owner of the C bar ranch, transacted business in the city Saturday and called at the Eagle office, in company with our esteemed friend, J. R. Crawford, who is a rancher in the Nabors Creek country.

Mrs. T. P. Reed of Big Valley was an appreciated caller at the Eagle office yesterday and gave us the information that her brother, Mr. Leverett Privett, died at his home in Bonning, Cal., Jan. 26. Mrs. Reed's friends sincerely sympathize with her and the other members of the family in their bereavement.

Dana Everly writes to the Eagle from Seattle, Wash., and is kind enough to refer to "the best county paper" and says it is pleasant to "hear from home" through this paper. The Everly family lived here a long time and still own valuable property in Goldthwaite. The members of the family are kindly remembered by many friends throughout the county who are always glad to hear from them.

DEBTOR'S AID PLAN

Texas legislators, meeting in special session, were asked in a message from Governor Miriam A. Ferguson Tuesday to issue \$10,000,000 of the \$20,000,000 relief bonds voted by Texas people. A take action for relief of home owners threatened with debt foreclosures.

The governor suggested that the bonds this time be issued in denominations of \$5, \$10 and multiples of \$100.

Several measures were offered to extend the moratorium law. The current one expires May 1. The governor sent in a bill fashioned after the Minnesota statute recently held constitutional by the federal supreme court. Representative Joe Greathouse of Fort Worth proposed re-enactment of the present law. It would be effective until February 10, 1936, and provide for judicial stay of sales under deeds of trusts or contracts. Representative W. E. Pope of Corpus Christi offered bills providing for stay of execution on forced sales of real estate for 730 days after final judgment and for advertising of such sales.

TEXAS RELIEF DIRECTOR

J. F. Reed of Galveston was named Wednesday as acting director of the Texas relief commission to succeed Lawrence Westbrook, resigned, by members of the relief commission.

Action on naming of a permanent director was deferred by the commission because of the absence of three members. Reed will serve as acting director until February 12, when the commission will meet again to decide upon Westbrook's permanent successor. He was Westbrook's assistant and served as secretary of the commission.

DUREN

The farmers are proud to see the northers instead of rain, for most of them are behind on putting up their land.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Rannels and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Green spent the week end in Burnet visiting relatives.

Arthur Jones and family left recently for Abilene, where they expect to make their home.

Mrs. Claud Medford gave a 42 party for a number of her friends Friday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Will Butts, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Green, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Patrick and Mrs. Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Butts were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Green.

Mrs. Pierce Hodges and Mrs. F. L. Jones spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. R. M. Hodges. Mrs. Hodges has been on the sick bed for the past few days.

Everybody come to church next Sunday. Some good singers are expected. WILD ROSE

MCCORMICK SALE

Napoleon's wedding present to his sister, Pauline, at the time of her marriage to Prince Camillo Borghese in 1803, sold for \$57,000 at the public auction of the Edith Rockefeller McCormick estate, held in New York last week.

The wedding present was a gilded silver service of 1600 pieces, bearing on each piece the Borghese arms and the imperial French crown used by Napoleon. Two gilded, four-light candelabra in the set went to a Paris agent for \$1400. Bidding ran wild when great, silver wine coolers were put on the block. One pair sold for \$900.

The silver was divided into 147 small lots, and sold to private buyers, many of whom used "buying names" to conceal their identity. Mrs. McCormick's daughter, Muriel Hubbard, made one vain attempt to keep the service intact with a bid of \$20,000.

The catalogue of the auction listed more than 1000 art treasures. Italian lace banquet cloths dating from the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries were included. One cloth brought \$4000. A coverlet of coraline Venetian lace with scrolls and flowers of lace de Milan sold for \$3300.

When the late Mrs. McCormick's diamond necklace and breastplate were put up, a black velvet shrine was brought forward, with a light in its dome that drew fire from 1081 diamonds in the 40-inch chain. It was knocked down to an unknown bidder for \$15,000.—News of the Week.

THE SHOE EVIDENTLY FIT

The rural editor was very busy setting up in cold type his leading editorial for the week, on "The Sublime, the Beautiful and the True," when a big man who was very angry broke in on him. "What do you mean by libeling me in your dirty sheet?" exclaimed the angry man, as he doubled up his fists as if intending to strike the editor down.

"I don't seem to remember saying anything about you," explained the editor, drawing into his shell like a turtle with non-committal attitude, as editors will do when cornered up.

"I'll read you just what you said and then you'll remember it," vociferated the big man as he pulled a clipping from his vest pocket. "Here's the item; it reads: 'If somebody offered prizes for the three meanest men in the United States, there's a man in this town who would take all three.'"

"Well," said the editor, "that article didn't mention you, did it?"

"No," exploded the angry man, "you didn't mention any name, but who else in this town is there that answers that description?"—Pathfinder.

TAKE YOUR Broken Spectacles To

L. E. Miller, The Jeweler and get them repaired good as new.

L. E. Miller The Jeweler

LAKE MERRITT

A jolly group, about 30 in number, gathered at the home of Mr. Graves Saturday night. About 8 o'clock we started from there on a hunt. After a round-about journey we came upon the lake. We stayed there some time, frying bacon and devouring bread, pickles and bacon we had. We then started on our way back to Mr. Graves'. All departed for home about 11 o'clock.

Those who visited in the Price home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sanderson, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Leverett, Mr. and Mrs. Will Tully and family of Indian Gap, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Denman and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Pearson, Wiley Griffin, Virgil Bramlett, Carl Allen, Grafton Townsend, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ryan.

Mrs. J. M. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Leverett called in the Brown home Sunday night.

Misses Mae Dell Crawford of Nabors Creek, Madeline Dennis of Goldthwaite, Millie Frances Hutchings and Juanita Sanderson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Marie and Faye Stuck.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stanley of DeLeon spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Daniel, and family.

Mrs. Jim Evans called in the G. C. Price home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Ritchie, Misses Inez Ritchie, Marie and Faye Stuck called in the Ira Hutchings home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Burns and two grand-children of Amarillo, have moved into our community. We extend to them a hearty welcome. SUNFLOWER

BOZAR

J. Y. Tullos has been on the sick list.

Odessa Davis visited Mrs. J. K. Davis Friday evening.

Mrs. J. C. Sanderson spent last week with Mrs. Jim Hays of Big Valley.

Mrs. W. N. Shields returned home last Sunday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. A. Tosch, of Mesquite.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Calaway and children visited J. D. Calaway and family Thursday night.

Tom Shannon and his niece, Anice Shannon, of San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Tullos Monday evening.

Mrs. Lois Hargon visited Mrs. T. B. Graves Wednesday evening.

Burgess Petty spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Davis and family.

Arvid and Loraine Calaway visited Mrs. E. J. Noack of Brownwood Sunday.

Juanita Sanderson spent Saturday night with Marie and Faye Stuck of Lake Merritt.

Tommy, Mabel Lillian and Lee Ruth Graves spent the week end with home folk.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sanderson spent the week end in Molline.

Miss Minnie Cody visited in the Graves home Saturday.

Mrs. Dan Calaway, Mrs. E. J. Noack and Loraine Calaway visited Mrs. Shields last Monday morning.

Cecil Lawson visited his parents near Mullin Sunday.

PROF. NEIGHBORS

PASSED AWAY

Prof. I. T. Neighbors died at his home in Center City community Tuesday morning at 8:10, after several weeks illness, a part of the time having been spent in a hospital in Brownwood, where he underwent a serious operation in the hope of benefiting his condition, but the malady had such a firm hold that it was impossible to save his life.

Prof. Neighbors was reared in the Indian Gap section and had been engaged in school teaching in this and Hamilton county for twenty-five years. He had been at the head of some of the important schools in both counties and had a fine reputation as a school man and a citizen. At the time he was stricken in his last illness he was superintendent of the Center City school, having taught there some years ago and returned to that work last year.

He leaves his wife and two daughters, one aged about 15 years and the other about 12. He is also survived by his mother, whose home is in Hamilton, and by four sisters.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon under the auspices of the Masonic order and were attended by a large congregation of friends of Hamilton and Mills counties and elsewhere. Burial was made in Hurst Ranch Cemetery near Star.

RATLER

Our play, "Always In Trouble," which was presented last Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Bro. B. F. Renfro preached for us Sunday morning and night. There were large crowds at both services. We also had Sunday school in the afternoon.

The Sunday school has been changed to the evening instead of morning for awhile until the days are longer.

Casey Hibbler and family were over Saturday night for the play and spent the night and Sunday with Ellis Wallace and family.

Bill Trowbridge moved to Ratler one day last week. He is living with Bedford Renfro and family. He intends to put in a store later on.

Newel Duey and son, Howard, and wife came Saturday night for the play.

Ellis Wallace's children were vaccinated Saturday for diphtheria.

There were several at the play Saturday night from Neal and Ridge communities.

There has been quite a bit of sickness in the community the past two weeks, but all are better at this writing.

There is one case of measles in the community. One of the Patten boys. We hope he gets along alright and will soon be well.

Odorine Renfro, who is working for his uncle out on the plains, sent his mother some fine buff orphington chickens Tuesday of this week.

Mr. Duey, the school teacher, spent Saturday night and Sunday at home.

Gorman Partridge helped his dad kill hogs Tuesday.

Mrs. Clarence Langford and boys and Mr. Casbeer had dinner with Tas Renfro and wife Sunday.

Bro. Jim Nicholson visited in the Bedford Renfro home a few days last week.

The reporter was in town Saturday and was a caller at the Eagle office.

Several of the Ratler folks saw the Chevrolet picture Saturday evening in town. Wonder why? Because it was free I guess. Anyway, we would all like to have one of the new 1934 Chevrolets to travel over these awful roads we have out our way.

RATLER TATTLE

NOTICE

Beginning February 1, we will sell milk at the following prices: 1 pint, 4 cents; 1 quart, 8 cents; 2 quarts, 15 cents; 1 gallon, 28 cents. Special price on sweet cream for churning your own butter.—CORTS DAIRY

CALL BURCH

When you want a suit, dress or single garment cleaned or pressed. Call Burch and he will please you.

METHODIST NOTES

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inet officer, former manager of the United States railroads and son-in-law of the late President Wilson, but that mattered not to Bob Shuler. No, he was not elected, but Mr. McAdoo knew that he had an opponent, and when the smoke cleared away, Mr. Shuler had received a large majority of the vote in the great city where they both lived. As this city has never been distinguished for its hospitality to reformers Mr. Shuler harvested a great kick out of his accomplishment as a candidate for the United States senate.

Well, maybe, by some stretch of imagination, this may be thought of as Methodist Notes, but at any rate show up at church Sunday, and I shall apologise for my derelictions.

J. S. BOWLES

BIG VALLEY

Did you know that Howard, Bob and Floyd Weaver and Hugh Nelson chased a fox Sunday night and caught him. On with the fox chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Haggood have returned from Temple, accompanied by their new daughter, Miss Elizabeth Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Oneal have a new member in their family. A little baby boy has come to make his home with them.

Mrs. B. F. Bledsoe is reported on the sick list. Several others are on the sick list also.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sykes visited in the Lawson home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oglesby and family visited in Mrs. Hartman's home Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Cockrell was called to the bed side of her sister, who is very ill in Sherman.

Mr. Burns made a trip to Coleman last week.

The young folk enjoyed a party at Joe Peck's Friday night.

Bro. Hoover preached at Lower Valley Sunday.

Miss Laura Nelson visited home folk this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Weaver called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oglesby Sunday evening.

Hog killing is still the order of the day. The Cockrell boys killed hogs Monday and Walter Nelson also killed hogs.

Bruce Burnett and family visited in John Burnett's home Sunday.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Will Dennard is improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oglesby made a trip to San Saba Monday.

We are glad to know that Mrs. J. J. Cockrell's sister, Miss Smith, is slowly improving. It is likely that Mrs. Cockrell may have to stay longer than at first thought.

Miss Anna Bell Long visited Miss Dorothy Hartman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sykes and family and H. A. Sykes took dinner in the Ben Long home Sunday.

With these wonderful rains and plenty of ham, sausage and other material blessings, we farmers should take courage and thank God that it is as well with us as it is. FARMER

The Eagle and all other newspapers, as far as we are informed, charges for the publication of cards of thanks, obituaries, resolutions of respect and articles of a similar character.

Hugh Dennard of Big Valley was one of the good men who had business in the city the first of the week.

There have been no new developments in the highway improvement plans for the county, as far as the Eagle has been able to learn this week.

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

Marvin Hodges and family were called to San Angelo last week end by a message announcing the serious illness of Mrs. Hodges' step-mother, whose death occurred Friday. Mr. Hodges and children returned home the first of the week, but Mrs. Hodges remained for a few days with the other members of the family at San Angelo.

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 Fall Clothing.

CLASSIFIED

Will set the incubator in my hatchery on Monday, Feb. 5.—Mrs. C. M. Burch.

For Lease—A 540 acre farm and ranch.—H. J. Robbins, Goldthwaite.

FRUIT TREES, BERRIES, PE-CANS. Why not raise them yourself? Write for our list of lowest prices for varieties adapted to various sections.—Ramsay's Nursery, Austin, Texas.

EVERGREENS and ORNAMENTALS, hardy, climate-proof, are described in our catalogue. Make your home grounds beautiful. We can help you. Write for free catalogue.—Ramsay's Nursery, Austin, Texas.

Well Drilling—We are prepared to drill water wells promptly at any location. Price reasonable.—Bleeker & Koen, Caradan.

For Sale—One Model T Ford car. Apply to J. W. Kelley or to Joe Palmer.

For Rent—Two unfurnished rooms and screened in back porch.—Apply to Carlos Patterson.

For Sale—100 young White Leghorn hens at 40 cents each, also some young Black Giant hens. Call J. M. or C. K. Petsick, Caradan.

Setting Eggs—White Leghorn, M. Johnson strain. Best layers on market. 30 cents dozen. See J. W. Sparkman, at Sparkman's Shoe Shop. 2-2c

Found—A small rubber boot. Owner can get it by paying 50c for this notice.

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