

THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

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Highway Work Is Contracted

Two contracts were awarded Monday for work in Mills county, on the highway from Goldthwaite to Mullin. The contract for grading and drainage was awarded to L. J. Miles of Fort Worth for \$51,453.

The contracts for the bridges over Mullin branch, Mullin creek and Browns creek were awarded to Monarch Engineering Co., San Antonio for \$22,623.

The specifications for this work are the same as those published in the Eagle by authority of the highway commission the past several weeks. These specifications give the scale of pay for workers, the hours of work and other particulars.

The letting of these contracts is encouraging to the people of Mills county, as it proves the commission is sincere in the claim that the highway improvement promised will be done as soon as all is in readiness.

These contracts will put a considerable amount of money in circulation in the county, as will the work on No. 81, from Goldthwaite to the Colorado river.

Good Rain Falls Over the County

A much needed rain fell in Goldthwaite and in other parts of the county last Sunday. The fall was estimated at between two and three inches in some sections, but an average of some thing like one-half inch would be a safe estimate, the county over. Most communities in the county received some of the rain, which was pretty general over this section. More rain is needed, as the fall Sunday did very little good, because of everything being so dry, but it will help to carry some crops along for a time and maybe a heavy down-pour will come in time to put everything in good shape.

THIEVES OPERATING

There have been several cases of thievery reported the past few days and the sheriff's department is confident it is the work of transients.

Wednesday night J. J. Cockrell's car was stripped in Big Valley and the hose at the service station in that community was taken off. The same night Wright Priddy's car was stolen from his place at Priddy and run off the highway a few miles out on the Comanche road and stripped of the motor and everything else detachable.

These thieves carry their stolen articles to some place and sell them for a very little, caring nothing for the heavy loss caused by them. For a few cents gained by them perhaps several hundred dollars loss will be suffered by the owners of the cars.

Sheriff Bledsoe is on the trail of the thieves and it is hoped that by the assistance of fingerprint experts and other detectives those who stole the property and those who bought it may be brought to justice.

TAGGING OF OLD COTTON

A supply of tags has been shipped to the county agent with instructions attaching tags to all bales of cotton ginned prior to June 1, 1934.

When tags and blanks are received notice will be given and all holders may come and make application for tags. After applications are filed with the county agent, taggers will be sent to attach tags.

MEETING TO BEGIN

Rev. W. T. Sparkman announces a meeting to begin at Center Point tonight and it is expected to continue through next week. Rev. J. L. Smart, pastor of the Mullin Baptist church, will do the preaching and the people of Center Point and surrounding communities are urgently invited to attend all of the services.

Methodist Notes

After an absence of two weeks the pastor of the Methodist church was greeted by a large audience at the morning hour last Sunday. The service for the morning hour was devoted to the subject of "Christian Education," the pastor preaching upon that subject.

It is well that this subject be kept well before the public in these days when there is so much to turn the youthful mind away from the old paths.

In this service, however, there was no criticism of what is commonly termed secular education, with strict reference to the educational work of the state schools. There was a time when this could not be said of the average preacher, as he discussed these issues. Many are the times when this writer has been regaled with dissertation upon the outstanding infidelity of the state schools. But not so now. While the most orthodox church man is a staunch believer in the church school, no longer is he obsessed with the hallucination that the state schools are hotbeds of skepticism. He believes that while skeptics may find access to our state schools as teachers, that upon the whole the great masses of the instructors are high class Christian gentlemen. Besides at most of our state institutions there are to be found Bible chairs, filled by high class churchmen, who carefully look after the religious life of their church people. Besides this, there are within easy access to the state schools splendid churches, whose faithful pastors are always at the command of the pupils. As a matter of fact if the youths of our seats of learning go in forbidden paths it is, as a rule, because of their own volition, a mere refusal to be in any sense subject to the provisions made for their moral, spiritual, social and physical well-being. In fact, if we will but get a fair understanding of matter, most delinquencies are the result of choice upon the part of the actors. The same may be thought of as true of those who are of the highest type of citizenship.

Exercise of the will is a mighty factor in determining our lives. In the midst of the great drouth, one would suppose that our people would be very attentive to religious duty. This is usually the case. Many people who are now holding prayer services, calling upon God to send the refreshing rains. To this, the writer has no objections. "Men ought always to pray and not to faint." But what puzzles me is the indifference to duty when the emergency appears to be at an end.

For instance, last Sunday morning, I verily believe that most of the worshippers in any congregation in a half dozen states would have been willing to have remained at the church services all day if they could have brought rain. Yet just before church time at the evening hour a fine cloud appear in the west and we had a fine shower. At church time there was a mere sprinkle. But the effect was so oppressive that every church in the town had so few at service that it was not thought profitable to count them. Well, now, says a half dozen Methodists, what about you? Oh, well, why bring that up. That is old, nearly a week old.

Well, perhaps it may not rain next Sunday, so be on hand early so as to get a choice of seats.

DISTRICT COURT

Judge Few Brewster was here from Belton Saturday for the purpose of a habeas corpus proceedings over the custody of the 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyt Roberts of Ebony, divorce proceedings having been instituted. The custody of the child was awarded the mother, with the father having the privilege of his custody one day and night each week.

Judge Brewster returned to his home that afternoon.

Enrollment Soon Begins

Instructions have just been received by the local relief office that another selection shall be made of young men between the ages of 18 and 25, inclusive, for enrollment in CCC camps. Selection is scheduled to begin about July 2. The local relief office is ready now to receive the names of those young men in Mills county who are desirous of applying for this type of work. Instructions are to the effect that about six selectees will be allowed this county.

Eligibility requirements are as follows:

1. Unmarried county men who are American citizens between the ages of 18 and 25, inclusive, who have dependents to whom they are willing to allot a substantial amount of their monthly allotment.

2. Men are to be selected from those now on relief rolls or whose families are on relief. If it develops that a man's family has not heretofore received relief, but that there is now actual need of his wages to avoid public aid, the applicant is eligible.

3. No two boys from the same family are eligible for CCC enrollment.

4. There shall be no discrimination because of race, color or creed.

5. Men on probation or parole are not eligible.

6. Men with history of mental derangement are not eligible.

7. Those whose allotments are to be paid in foreign countries are not eligible.

8. No man discharged for any cause from the CCC during a previous enrollment period or discharged at the expiration of a term of service at the close of the enrollment period is eligible for re-selection. In other words, those who have already served in the CCC and who have a discharge, either honorable, administrative or dishonorable, cannot be re-selected.

9. Selection is voluntary.

10. These eligibility requirements must be strictly adhered to. Boys whose parents are fully able to take care of them should not be selected and are not eligible.

After acquainting themselves with the above rules and regulations as to eligibility those in Mills county who desire to apply for this CCC enrollment should apply to the local relief office and leave their names. Formal application blanks will be received some time between now and July 2, at which time the selection will be made.

BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Lawrence Stokes

On Saturday afternoon at six o'clock, eleven young friends of Lawrence Morrison Stokes assembled at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R.M. Thompson, to celebrate his eleventh birthday. An exciting game of "scrub" baseball and other lawn games were enjoyed. After group photographs had been taken, the guests trooped into the dining room to enjoy a beautifully decorated cake, replete with favors and ice cream. They were then taken to the Melba theatre, where an interesting Western picture completed the celebration.

Edward Eugene Palmer

Lake Merritt was the scene of a joyful birthday party Monday evening, when Edward Eugene Palmer celebrated his eleventh birthday. After a swim and a boat ride, the guests were called to a delightful outdoor supper topped off with ice cream and a lovely birthday cake. A thoroughly delightful evening was enjoyed by both young and old who were guests of the young man and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Palmer.

Local Democrats Praise Blanton

Congressman Thomas L. Blanton was commended and the recent redistricting of Mills county which removed it from Blanton's district was deplored in resolutions adopted without a dissenting vote at the meeting of the Mills County Democratic Executive committee here on Monday. Every section of the county was represented in the committee which had been called into session for the purpose of arranging for the Democratic primary elections. A similar testimonial has been signed by a number of voters as a voluntary expression of appreciation of Judge Blanton's excellent record as this county's representative in Congress. Following is the text of the resolutions:

Resolved, that we, the Democratic Executive Committee of Mills county, Texas, duly assembled in the Court House at Goldthwaite, Texas, desire to express to the Honorable Thomas L. Blanton our hearty approval of his record and service as our representative from the 17th Congressional District of Texas.

We greatly deplore the fact that, contrary to our wishes, Mills county has been taken out of Judge Blanton's district and has been placed in the new 21st Congressional District, thus making it impossible for this county, after this year to continue to enjoy the benefit of his long and valuable experience in Congress and his intimate acquaintance with all departments of the federal government. It is our desire that the high standard of service that he has set will be taken as a model by the new representative to be elected from the 21st Congressional District.

Not only do we commend Judge Blanton for his praiseworthy record as a legislator, but we point to the fact that he has ever been alert to respond to every legitimate request from the citizens of Mills county, from the poorest and humblest just as readily and effectively as from the most prominent or highest placed, proving himself at all times to be a true representative of all of our people.

To the voters of Hamilton, Erath and Fisher counties—the counties that have been added to the 17th Congressional District—we extend the assurance that the re-election of Thomas L. Blanton to Congress will give them a statesman of outstanding ability and courage, a patriot of unquestioned integrity, and a representative with an enviable record for securing from the federal government a full share of the benefits available for the people of his district.

Unanimously adopted this the 18th day of June, 1934.

(Signed) DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS.
By Jno. W. Roberts, Chm.

POSTAL REGULATIONS

The Eagle has been notified that the postal regulations do not permit the mailing of papers at the county rate to business men who do not subscribe and have no advertisement in the paper. All advertisers are allowed a free copy of the paper for proof of their advertisements, but where there is no such advertisement a stamp must be affixed to the paper when mailed.

The Eagle has been liberal in regard to papers since the beginning of the depression, but must obey the regulations, either by discontinuing the paper to addresses not permitted under the mailing privilege or affixing a stamp to each paper so addressed, which also includes subscribers more than one year in arrears.

SELF CULTURE CLUB

There will be a called meeting of the Self Culture club on Friday, June 29, at the residence of Mrs. R. M. Thompson, at 4 o'clock, for the purpose of acting on some names presented for membership.

Primary Plans Being Formed

The Democratic Executive committee of Mills county met in the court house Monday, pursuant to a call of Chairman Jno. W. Roberts, who presided over the deliberations of the committee and made initial plans for holding the Democratic primary election July 28. Every part of the county was represented and the meeting was harmonious throughout.

A resolution was adopted endorsing Congressman Thos. L. Blanton and expressing regret

COMMENDED



Hon. Thomas L. Blanton
Mills County's Congressman

that the district had been so changed as to deprive the county of his services as representative in congress. This resolution appears elsewhere in this paper.

Assessments were made on the candidates for the various offices and are here shown:

Candidates for sheriff, assessor and collector	\$90
For county clerk	42
County judge	46
District clerk, each	25
County treasurer, each	23
County attorney	16
Surveyor	6
Commissioners, each	27
Goldthwaite weigher	9
Mullin weigher	6
District attorney, each	13
Congressmen and representatives	1

These assessments were made on the basis of 3 per cent of the salaries of the offices.

It was estimated that the cost of the two primary elections will be \$850. The law only allows district candidates of more than one county to be assessed \$1 each, except in the cases of the district judge and district attorney, who may be assessed their prorata share of the expense.

The assessments must be paid by next Monday, June 25.

The election committee, composed of J. F. Foer, J. D. Walton, F. R. Hines, T. J. Hufstutler, C. R. Dudley, R. H. Patterson and M. H. Fletcher will meet on Monday, July 9, to prepare the election supplies and send them to the various voting boxes in time for the first primary.

Names of local candidates announced in this paper will appear on the tickets in the same order in which they appear in the announcement column.

WESLEY WORKERS ARE ENTERTAINED

One of the week's largest social affairs was the lawn party at the Sam P. Sullivan home on Monday evening.

Preceding the games a picture show was given. Pictures of the guests from their babyhood to the present time were thrown on the screen. These pictures brought many reminiscences of by-gone days.

Tables were arranged on the lawn for forty-two. After seven spirited games of forty-two, ice cream and cake were served to about sixty guests.

The Wesley Workers class always enjoy the evenings spent in the home of their teacher, Mrs. Sullivan.

A GUEST

Baptist Reminder

Much interest is being shown in the Sunday school revival in progress at the Baptist church this week, with classes each night except Saturday. The class for young people and adults is being taught by T. F. Maynard of Fort Worth; studying the book, "Building a Standard Sunday School." Mrs. Frank Bowman has the Intermediates in "Meaning of Church Membership." Mrs. Will Pence is teaching the Juniors, "Trailmakers In Other Lands" and Miss Elizabeth Dalton has charge of the primaries and beginners. Through Wednesday night there was a total enrollment of 75 with 10 primaries, 17 juniors, 13 intermediates and 35 young people and adults.

The religious census which was begun last Sunday afternoon and completed Wednesday showed some 1250 cards with 650 who preferred the Baptist church and 50 with no church preference.

The churches at Mullin and Big Valley are co-operating in the work this week and are having meetings each night. Rev. W. H. Gage is working with the Big Valley church and Rev. A. F. Avant at Mullin. Fine interest is being shown in each church.

A goal of 225 in Sunday school attendance has been set for next Sunday and every member and prospect is urged to be present and help us reach it.

The revival has already resulted in increased interest in the Sunday school work and the importance of building a great, growing Sunday school where the Bible is taught by trained consecrated teachers and a continuous effort made to reach the lost souls in the community. The Sunday school is the greatest out-reaching and soul-winning agency in the local church and deserves the most prayerful and sympathetic support of every Christian if the greatest possible good is to be done.

Let me suggest that we be a little more prompt in coming to Sunday school. Remember the hour, 10:00. The preaching hour will immediately follow by the pastor. In the evening B. T. S. at seven and preaching at eight by the pastor.

FRANKLIN E. SWANNER

MEETING TO BEGIN

The Church of Christ gospel meeting in Goldthwaite, begins June 23, Saturday evening, promptly at 8:00 o'clock. It will continue for ten days, with no other purpose in view, other than to arouse in the hearts and souls of men, women, boys and girls, the all-importance of a preparation to meet their God in peace, in the great hereafter. "Soul-winning is wise," but souls must be taught how to come to Christ and God. "Therefore, he that hath heard and learned of the Father, cometh unto me," said Jesus. "And as many as received Him to them gave He power to become the sons of God, even to them (that) who believe on His name." Paul says, "The gospel is God's power to save the believer" (Rom. 1:16-17). There is no other power to save souls.

The gospel will be preached in its fullness and completeness during this series of meetings, as well as sung with the spirit and understanding. Bring your Bible and Testament and "let us reason together," saith the Lord. Elder Clem W. Hoover, will do the preaching. Arthur Stark will lead the song services of the Church of Christ.

THRESHER BURNED

Owens Bros. thresher was burned in the Long Branch neighborhood Wednesday afternoon on the T. J. Williams farm. A pair of mules also perished in the fire and a wagon was burned. Considerable loss was sustained in the grain that was being threshed and that held in waiting for the thresher.

The Eagle did not learn whether or not there was insurance on the thresher or the grain.

Road Workers Make Progress

The highway builders, under direction of John Berry, are making good progress on highway No. 81, between Goldthwaite and the Colorado river bridge. They are still working south of Goldthwaite and the highway commission has appropriated \$3000 per month for the work. A large number of men, together with several teams, scrapers and fresnos are on the work.

Mills county highway building is now under way in earnest and it is hoped that work will soon be possible on 74-A, the right of way of which is to be secured by the commissioners court, provided agreeable terms can be made with landowners and the highway department. This county's part on this highway extends from this city to the Lampasas county line.

On Wednesday the Highway Commission appropriated \$2427 for location surveys on Highway No. 74-A in Mills county from the Lampasas county line to Goldthwaite.

County Politics Now Interesting

The people of the county are taking a considerable interest in politics, especially as to local candidates. A number of gatherings have been held in the county, where the county and precinct candidates have been given an opportunity to address the voters and tell of their plans and purposes. This has had the effect of exciting interest in the campaign and from now until July 28, when the first primary election will be held, the interest is expected to increase.

Attorney General Jas. V. Allred made a speech here last Saturday morning to a fairly good sized audience, but not as many heard him as would have been in his audience at a more convenient hour. Some were planning to attend the picnic at Ridge and others had already gone, while a great many from the rural precincts had not come to town that early. However, Mr. Allred was given a careful and respectful hearing by those who were assembled at the place of the speaking. The loud speakers conveyed his voice a considerable distance and enabled a good many to hear the speaker who otherwise could not have heard.

Mr. Allred was the first gubernatorial candidate to speak here during this campaign, although two or three others have visited Goldthwaite and other communities in the county. The visits of these candidates have helped to create interest in political matters and will have an influence in getting a good turn out of the voters at the July primary election.

PROGRAM FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL DAY

At Methodist church, 10:50 a. m., Sunday, June 24, 1934.
Prelude—Piano solo.
Introduction by superintendent.
Pryaer—Bro. Bowles.
Hymn: Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing—Entire school.
Methodism's part in the early Sunday school movement—Geraldine Hester.
The Christian flag—Harriet Allen.
Salute to the Christian flag—Junior and Intermediates.
The Christian flag—Sung by the Juniors and Intermediates.
Scripture reading—Bro. Highsmith.
Development of Southern Methodist Sunday school in the past fifty years—Mr. Bayley.
Our Sunday school history—Mrs. R. M. Thompson.
The challenge of the past—Mrs. S. P. Sullivan.
Hymn: Bless Be the Tie That Binds—Entire school.
Benediction—Bro. Kelley.
PROGRAM COMMITTEE

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It will pay you to read all the advertisements in this paper.

Hugh McCullough and family of Hico visited relatives in this city Sunday.

A. M. Whitt of Rock Springs community looked after business in the city Monday.

There was quite a Trades Day crowd in town Monday and the merchants seemed to do a fine business.

Judge R. A. Luker of Proctor was here the first of the week, in the interest of his candidacy for representative.

Mrs. Thurman Bunn and children of Mexia have been visiting her brother-in-law, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ducey.

Mrs. Lange has returned to her home in San Antonio, after a visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Martin, in this city.

E. E. Faulkner, carrier on mail route No. 2, is taking his vacation this week and his brother, Clyde, is serving as his substitute.

John I. Haney of San Saba peak section looked after business in the city Saturday and made the Eagle an appreciated call.

You can get a daily paper at a bargain for a short time at this office.

W. J. Helms of Caradan looked after business in the city last Saturday and told of the picnic to be in his community today and tomorrow.

J. W. Edlin of Center Point was transacting business in the city the first of the week and reported a light rain in his community Sunday night.

Miss Ann Oden, formerly of Brownwood, who taught in the Pleasant Grove school the past session, has bought Mrs. Bodkin's hat shop and has an ad in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stephens and Mrs. Horace Caldwell went to Mexia Sunday to accompany Mrs. Tom Meador home, after her visit to them and other relatives in this city.

The Eagle can offer the Houston Chronicle, daily and Sunday, three full months for \$1.50 or the daily only three months for \$1.25. This will carry the subscription to the fall, when bargain offers are usually made.

Miss Lillie Martin, who is a traveling representative of the Delineator company, came home last week end for a short visit. She has been making her headquarters in Abilene for a few days.

Judge and Mrs. J. C. Darroch of Brownwood were visitors to the city the early part of the week. He is much encouraged over the prospects in his candidacy for district attorney in the Brownwood district.

Miss Lois Blackwell, who taught in Mount Olive school last session with a high degree of success, writes to have her paper changed to Alpine, where she is attending summer school and says the scenery there is certainly beautiful.

Roy Hunt, son of A. M. Hunt has enlisted in the United States navy and left Monday for Dallas to undergo a physical examination preparatory to leaving for San Diego, Cal., to enter upon his duties. The young man's friends here are wishing him the best of fortune.

Now that the school are out and the hot weather keeps most folks indoors or in the shade, news in the communities is hard to find, but the correspondents are urged to send in their letters as often as possible anyway. Get what items you can. We must continue to carry on.

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ROCK SPRINGS

There was Sunday school Sunday morning, but the rain kept them from having B. Y. P. U. Sunday evening.

Everybody should be very happy since the fine rain Sunday afternoon. The wind blew terribly hard and a few hailstones fell.

It looks like those people at Trigger Mountain, who met and prayed for rain last week, had their prayers answered. That used to be the custom long time ago, but people are living too fast now. They don't take time for prayer.

Some from here attended the ball games at Goldthwaite and San Saba Sunday afternoon.

You will read about the cream social in the Nickols home next week. They are expecting a large crowd and lots of cream Tuesday night. They will also have some music by the orchestra.

James Nickols has taught the threshing crew some bad habits in eating. His boss, Frank McDermott, and Virgil Doggett are eating syrup on their beans and sugar on their cabbage.

The ice cream social in Long's home in town last Tuesday night was fine. Those present were Jake Long and family, Landy Ellis and wife, Clydene and Billy Johnson, Richard Sowers and wife, Clifford Hicks, Fred McClary, Mrs. Eula Nickols and Phillip and Shirley Nickols and Homer Doggett and family. There were others invited, but they didn't come. They sure missed a treat. The cream was fine and the radio music was excellent, too. They ate cream with the scribe last Tuesday night.

We are glad to report that Joe Almos Davis' foot is improving fast, but he can't bear any weight on it yet.

Robert Steen from town went to E. D. Roberson's Friday to see about some of his cattle.

Harvey Dunkle, Jack Robertson and Glenn Nickols spent from Friday night until Monday afternoon with their homefolks. They will soon finish the well at Olney if they can have good luck.

Mrs. Joe Roberts and boys from town picked peas at John Roberts' Monday morning to can.

Richard Sowers and wife and Mrs. Landy Ellis spent Sunday in San Saba county visiting their parents.

Sherrill Robertson was kept pretty busy last week hauling roasting ears to town for E. D. Roberson.

Mrs. Eula Nickols and Phillip and James and Glenn Nickols and wife dined with Joe Roberts and family in town Sunday.

Clark Davis helped his grandfather, A. F. McGowan, run the hamburger stand at Ridge Saturday.

Herbert Cooke spent the week end in Mount Olive with friends.

Howard T. Davis visited Roth Robertson Sunday.

Marion Robertson and family spent Monday with Beryl Turner in Big Valley. The men built a granary for their oats.

Glenn Nickols and wife ate supper with Otis Allen and family in town Sunday night.

J. O. McClary, Landy Ellis and wife and Mrs. Eula Nickols went to Ridge to the all day program Saturday. It was an awful warm day, but everyone said they had a good time. When you want good cooked barbecue just get Hern Harris and A. F. McGowan to do the cooking. Now it really was fine. Their other basket dinner was fine, too, and they had lots of it.

Some from here went to Ridge to the dance Saturday night. Others went to Louie Ponder's at Rabbit Ridge.

Joe Almos Davis' foot is doing pretty good. We hope he can soon get around on it again.

Howard T. and Louie Kemp Davis spent Saturday night with Haskell Gatlin and their grandmother, Mrs. McGowan, at Rabbit Ridge.

Miss Alice Williams of Center City and Woody Traylor and family visited in J. T. Robertson's home Sunday.

Joe Davis and Landy Ellis, Fred McClary and James Nickols had business in town Tuesday morning.

John Roberts has gone into the sheep business. He bought sheep from Albert Hereford last week.

J. T. Robertson dined with the Laird and Faulkner families Sunday. He sure enjoyed the fish.

Gus Roush, Jr., from Odessa, and Billie Robertson from Big Spring have come to spend the

Fat Folks Lose Weight - Feel Fine

LOSE FAT THIS SUMMER — KEEP COOL—LOOK AND FEEL YOUNGER

Mrs. Jessie Martin of San Francisco is happy because she has discovered the right, safe way to reduce—read her letter:

"I have taken Kruschen Salts a month and find great benefit. I have lost 14 lbs. in that time and would lose more if I stuck to a diet as I should. I take them every morning regular and hope others will profit by them as I have."

We have letters from men and women who have lost as much as 100 pounds of fat—from people who have reduced high blood pressure—from folks who have no more bloating or shortness of breath.

Kruschen helps stomach, liver, bowels to function properly—increase physical attractiveness all while losing unhealthy fat. Just take a half teaspoonful in a glass of hot water every morning before breakfast—Get it at druggists everywhere.

RURAL SCHOOL TEACHERS WILL GET RELIEF FUNDS

Allotment of \$500,000 of federal relief funds to Texas for salaries of teachers in rural schools where funds from other sources have been exhausted was announced Tuesday by the federal relief administration.

Detailed information as to the number of teachers to benefit from the allotment was lacking, but the additional educational advantages accruing to pupils will be great. The double benefit of providing wages to needy teachers and education to rural students accrues from this type of relief appropriation. Matching with state funds is not required.

HERE AND THERE

French export trade with the United States registered a notable improvement in the first quarter of 1934.

President Roosevelt plans to visit Colombia, on his trip to Hawaii, he says. It will be the first time any American president has ever visited a South American country during his term in office.

Summer with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Robertson.

Joe Davis helped J. C. Stark one day last week when the thresher was at Mr. Stark's.

Fred McClary and Phillip Nickols took their girl friends, Miss Dena House from San Saba, and Miss Fleta Sheppard of Goldthwaite, to the show at San Saba Sunday afternoon.

Glenn Nickols called in the Webb home Monday morning before going back to Olney.

Fred McClary, Otis Hutchings, and Marvin Spinks helped the Nickols boys bale hay this week. Marvin Spinks from Rabbit Ridge and Fred McClary are good hands when it comes to ripping up tobacco sacks. They helped Mmes. Glenn and Eula Nickols while they waited for the hay to dry.

Mrs. J. O. McClary has a new granddaughter in Fort Worth. Little Miss Dorothy Ann Salters. We are glad the mother and babe are doing fine.

Louie Ponder from Rabbit Ridge and Landy Ellis dined in the Webb home Sunday.

J. Frank Davis and wife spent the first of the week in Brown county with their son, Arlie, and family.

I have been asked to let this community know that Bro. Collier from Ratler will preach here the second Sunday in July at 11 o'clock.

I had a long letter from Rudolph Cooke and Daley Sullivan, who are still in the CCC camp out in the mountains. They do not seem to be so delighted in their move.

If nothing happens Hardy McClary, who is in the army, will soon be coming home to see all of his friends.

Mrs. Loy Long and son from town canned peas in Landy Ellis' home Tuesday.

We were very thankful for the fine rain that fell Sunday evening.

RABBIT RIDGE

The first thing I want to tell this week is about the good rain that fell last Sunday evening. It rained about 2 1/2 inches. The Rabbit Ridge folks feel like they are rich now.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lowe and Louie Ponder went to the picnic at Ridge Saturday. They reported a fine time and a nice dinner. Mrs. Lowe said she had never been treated nicer in her life. The Ridge folks are mighty fine folks.

W. E. Hagan and wife and Mrs. W. J. Stark visited J. C. Stark and family Sunday afternoon.

M. L. Spinks and family enjoyed Sunday in the Hugh Nelson home at town.

Howard T. Davis spent Saturday night with Haskell Gatlin and his grandmother, Mrs. A. F. McGowan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Johnson spent Sunday afternoon with Jesse Lowe and wife.

Duey Bohannon and wife sat until bed time with Marvin Spinks and wife Friday night.

W. J. Stark and wife visited in John Roberts' home at Rock Springs Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Duey Bohannon and Mrs. Marvin Spinks sat until bedtime in the J. C. Stark home Wednesday night.

Grandmother Whitt came Saturday from Waco to visit awhile with her son, Austin, and family.

M. L. Spinks and wife and Mrs. Jesse Lowe picked berries on the Pass farm Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Duey Bohannon enjoyed Sunday in the Sloan home in Big Valley.

Wesley Stark and family arrived here Tuesday from Palm Dale, Cal. They will visit his parents, and other relatives. While here he will meet a host of old time friends. They have been gone from our community a number of years, but we haven't forgotten them.

A. F. McGowan cooked the meat for the Ridge picnic last Friday and Saturday.

Tom Brown from near Mullin, spent Saturday night and Monday night with his daughter, Mrs. D. V. Westerman.

M. L. Spinks and family and Mr. Byrne enjoyed ice cream with Connie Knowles and wife Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stark expect to have all of their children with them Tuesday, June 26, on their 50th anniversary.

Harvey Hale and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Connie Knowles.

Monroe and Albert Spinks and Lenville Calder joined Phillip Nickols, M. L. Spinks and Wick Webb in a hunt Monday night.

The folks out here don't know what to think. We haven't had a candidate call this week.

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CHIGGER TIME

We've heard of apple blossom time in Normandy, watermelon time in Weatherford, cherry blossom time in Washington and of hard times quite a bit in the past years, but we are telling the world that it is now "chigger time" around here and if you don't get up and scratch you'll have a "time." No, our village children don't have the measles or chicken pox or anything of the kind, those are only chigger bites that you see on their legs, faces and arms. No wonder there is no bacon grease for gravy, and a scarcity of butter in the average home. You can talk about your new fangled remedies all you please for chiggers, but there is none to compare with these two good and economical old remedies which grandmother used in her day. — Palo Pinto Star.

OUTLAW'S SON BAPTIZED

Jack Dempsey Floyd, son of the notorious outlaw, Charles (Pretty Boy) Floyd, Sunday joined the First Baptist church of Fort Worth, of which Rev. J. Frank Norris, is pastor.

Rev. Mr. Norris baptized the boy at regular services at the church. Newsreel cameras clicked the ceremony.

Mrs. Floyd was in interested spectator. It was reported that Jack was baptized by Dr. Norris at the request of the Oklahoma outlaw.

Dr. Norris patted the lad on the shoulder. "Some day you may occupy this pulpit," the veteran preacher said.

MEDIATION BOARD CREATED

The final big obstacle to quick adjournment of congress was swept aside with senate passage of the administration bill for establishment of mediation boards to settle labor disputes.

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STYLES IN NEW YORK

Beachwear—Practical and Colorful—Stresses

Nautical Details

With the nautical trend so important in the summer mode, it is only natural that it should find, as it has, its most fitting interpretation in beach clothes, which were never more practical, colorful or varied in fabric and styling than they are this summer. Classic ribbed woolens and jerseys—always favored by active swimmers—in new rich yellows, browns and blues, as well as in black and white—are vying in style interest this season with a wealth of new synthetics in ribs, knits and crocheted effects, to say nothing of their new versions in taffetas, satins and crepes—all decidedly important particularly for those who prefer the sand to the surf. And for these, too, there are such delightful beach clothes of gingham, linens, seersuckers, terry cloth and muslins in unusual variety of smart stylings—featuring oftener than not with linings of jerseys. Some very chic new models combine two or more fabrics. For example, one notes soft ribbed woolens with silk or rayon taffeta trims. A decidedly smart new swim suit with nautical influence is one featuring back and front lacings of cotton cords finished with metal ends. Another that smacks of the sea—a one-piece model finished with a purled rib stitch—features an anchor motif knitted right into the suit and also into companion short and sweater that compose this smart beach ensemble.

Colorful plaids and checks distinguish many of the new models in wool, as well as in cottons and synthetics—these including a new sea plaid and all featuring adjustable shoulder straps. Streamline suits in handknit effect are decidedly important particularly those of fine zephyr in two color checks such as brown and beige. Brown—a high style note in beach wear this season—is often combined with sand, yellow, beige or white. There are new shades in blues, too, this season—and black and white—which are always smart.

Beret Takes On New Summer Style Interest

The beret—too practical, youthful and flattering ever to be out of the style picture—has reasserted itself in the summer mode through all sorts of new twists and through unusual variety of fabrics—silks and synthetics in taffeta, velvet, satin and crepe versions—as well as in cottons—piques, crashes and linens—and in new straws—all fitting into the smart casual and comfy mode. The newest beret silhouette is draped to the side—and this effect one notes not only in the new Lanvin section beret, but in the various new flange, square and cut-out stylings. The white beret with matching gloves and handbag is important just now.

White Important In Costume Jewelry Mode

The vogue for white accessories in the summer mode has white jewelry to the fore in style importance—with necklaces again in the picture. Large composition beads—square, round and rectangular—are featured in New York shops in necklaces as well as in bracelets and clips. While white is favored, they are also noted in vivid reds, rich browns, blues and green—and in these colors and black often combined with white. Perhaps the newest item of the moment is the hand clip—featured in white composition—also in colors. It is a little hand with frilled cuff to resemble a glove worn alone or in pairs.

The big composition hoop bracelets—white and in colors—have lost none of their favor. And now with the vogue for black and other dark colors—in net—particularly for evening, pearls are particularly important. They are featured not only in necklaces of sixteen, eighteen and sixty inch lengths, but in three and four strand chokers. One notes them also colored this season in grey, pale rose and honey beige, and worn with matching clips, bracelets, earrings and hair ornaments. Pearl rings are also favored. There, as well as the pearl bracelets and

chokers are featured for daytime as well as for evening.

The White Coat

A Summer Favorite
From the emphasis given to white summer coats in New York shops just now, one takes it that no smart wardrobe is complete without one. In classic, swagger and link stylings, they are featured in new novelty weaves of woolen, synthetic and cotton fabrics—both lined and unlined. Decidedly important are those showing a casual British influence—three quarter length models with big patch pockets. New and flattering are some of the new crash and linen weaves—these sometimes with touch of color introduced through buttons and detachable revers.

Style Flashes

Printed muslins featured this summer in a permanently crisp finish and fast dye colors are among the summer's smartest fabrics noted in dresses for little girls. They are also used for cool summer negligees.

Little flower sprays accent smart summer evening coiffures. One notes also little floral wreaths worn like tiaras back from the forehead. These are attached to wavy-tooth little combs that help to hold waves and curls in place.

Summer satins in glacier pastels—cool as cotton—are new in the summer evening mode—these sometimes worn with little hip-length net jacket.

Smart beach strollers wear middies and shorts with correct nautical insignia—sometimes the shorts are of red, blue or rust color sail cloth. There's a new slip-over yachting coat of knee length with big patch pockets and an Eskimo air.

The print jacket frock youthful, flattering and fresh looking, makes an ideal summer ensemble. New York shops feature them with dashing little jackets in navy, beet root, brown and black with white—smart for travel or staying at home.

FAIR DISTRIBUTION OF RELIEF

In a report by Auditor George B. Simpson, the Texas Relief Commission is urged to consider how funds may be fairly distributed over the state and whether relief cost should be proportionately greater in the more densely populated counties. He said relief applications have been inflated in many instances, making it difficult to allocate the funds proportionately.

To determine the amount of relief actually needed in each county, Simpson suggested that a competent and sufficient staff of case workers be employed to do the required amount of work, and said each county then would know its exact needs. During the three months ending February 28, there was allocated \$6,413,791 of federal and \$2,710,944 of state relief funds, which does not include the CWA and teachers' projects.

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SOUTH BENNETT (Intended for last week)

There were thirty present at Sunday school Sunday. Let's have a still larger number next Sunday and also have a good crowd at singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Featherston, Mrs. J. M. Stacy, Evelyn Covington and Frank Benningfield visited with Elton Horton and family at Caradan on ill late bedtime Friday night.

There was a large crowd who attended the birthday party of Aaron Stacy Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Covington. Those present reported a most enjoyable occasion and left wishing Aaron many more such birthdays.

Mrs. Claud Smith left June 4 to enter school at Brownwood. She spent Saturday night and Sunday at home and returned to Brownwood Monday morning.

John Hill, who has been in the hospital at Hamilton, was brought home one day last week. His condition is not much improved. His daughter, Mrs. Bob Jones, of Mexico spent two weeks with him. She returned home Sunday morning.

We were so sorry to learn of Robert Smith having had the misfortune to cut his finger off with a mower last week. He was rushed to the doctor and treated at once. We are certainly glad he is doing alright now.

Dane Huffman and family, Juanita Booker and Bill Moore, all of Dallas, spent part of last week visiting in the B. R. Casbeer and Huffman homes in this community.

Misses Minnie and Ruby Kuykendall and Evelyn Covington ate dinner with Ruth Griffin Sunday.

Dan Covington was on the sick list Sunday. We hope he is alright at this time.

Ab Hill was rather sick Saturday night. M. L. Casbeer and Mrs. Huffman sat up with him until real late. He is doing better now.

Henry Blackburn visited Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Blackburn Sunday.

M. L. Casbeer and family, B. R. Casbeer and Mary Martha Jones spent Sunday afternoon with Luther and Myrtle Russell.

Mrs. Clyde Featherston has had an attack of the flu. We certainly are hoping she will get well soon. This flu is not a very good thing to have.

Nelmarie Perry spent Saturday afternoon with Mae Dell and Faye Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Casbeer and Will Horton dined with Willis Hill and family Sunday. Mrs. Casbeer visited Mrs. Anna Jones that afternoon.

Travis Griffin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Scrivner, Luther and Myrtle Russell, Jim Elder and Fred Day and family enjoyed ice cream with Cleve Perry and family Saturday night.

Mrs. D. O. Simpson visited in the Willis Hill home one morning last week.

Miss Opal Cox is visiting in the home of her brother, Herman Cox.

Mrs. Clyde Featherston visited her mother, Mrs. Stacy, Saturday.

Frank Benningfield spent Saturday night with Clyde Featherston and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Head, Miss Mollie Welch and Mrs. Tom Mitchell and baby visited in the Willis Hill home one afternoon last week.

Mrs. Madge Brister and boys have been spending the past week in San Angelo.

Willie Belle and Earline Hill visited Mrs. Dan Covington last Thursday morning.

Mrs. Walter Simpson took Robert Smith to town last week, when he got his finger cut off, to the doctor. Robert stayed with Hammond Bodkin and wife a few days, where he could be treated.

Grain cutting is one of the main occupations in this community now.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hoover canned beans at Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Casbeer's one day last week. M. L. Casbeer and family visited in the Casbeer home the same afternoon.

Mrs. Palmer and Webb Hill visited John Hill in the Willis Hill home one afternoon last week. They also called on Mrs. Anna Jones awhile.

T. J. Harrison visited in Center City several days last week.

Mrs. M. L. Casbeer and children left last week for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Englehart at Fort Worth. ROSEBUD

NEWS BRIEFS

Sentence of Governor William Langer and four co-defendants of North Dakota, convicted of defrauding the United States government, was deferred by Federal Judge Andrew Miller until June 29.

The administration's \$1,000,000 home building and slum clearance program, forerunner of other sweeping social betterment legislation projected by President Roosevelt, was adopted in final form Monday night by the closing congress.

President Roosevelt has signed a bill authorizing \$522,000,000 for road construction over a three-year period. The act provides that states, to be eligible for full participation in federal aid, must continue to use for roads at least whatever portion of their revenues from gasoline and other taxes on motor vehicles is now authorized by law to be expended for highway purposes.

One of the biggest cattle deals in history, the purchase of approximately 5,000,000 animals by the federal government from drought-stricken ranchers, was virtually completed Monday at a meeting of federal officials with representatives of 12 states, including Texas. It was announced that the cattle will be purchased by federal agents working with the extension services of the agricultural colleges in the 12 states.

Time Monday ticked away the most drastic power of NRA. Just five minutes before noon a year ago President Roosevelt signed the recovery act. At that hour Monday his power to enforce NRA policies by licensing industry expired. Never used, the extraordinarily licensing authority would have enabled Roosevelt to tell a business just how it should operate. The only choice of the licensed industry would have been to obey government dictates or go out of business.

Continuous "open season" on criminals was declared by the Seventy-third Congress. It armed federal agents with unprecedented authority to get their quarry. Strong administration pressure was brought to assure prompt passage of approximately a dozen bills on Attorney General Cummings' anti-crime program sent up early in the session. Most of these give the federal government jurisdiction over kidnapers, racketeers and other criminals who disregard state boundaries in their operations. Congress went even farther than the justice department asked, however, and put through some legislation of its own devising.

Right of the states of Oklahoma and Texas to build and operate a free bridge over the Red river in competition with a previously franchised toll bridge was upheld in a decision by the Tenth United States Circuit Court of Appeals Monday. The appellate court reversed the federal court of the eastern district of Oklahoma in awarding \$168,000 to the Red river bridge company for damages to the company's toll bridge by erection of a free bridge within a territory previously awarded to the company. The case, which once led to the mustering of troops by Governor William H. Murray to defend the free bridge from toll collectors has been in federal court since December 5, 1929.

WORTH KNOWING

History repeats itself — when you least expect it.

By the time a husband will stand without hitching, he's hardly worth owning.

When the ordinary person tries to make some easy money, he loses his shirt.

Housework is quickly reduced to a science when a woman gets interested in bridge.

Nothing is done artistically until all suggestion of hard work has been eliminated.

One nice thing about the income tax is that they can't take anything unless you make something.

Everybody has big ideas, but only the man who masters the details can translate a big idea into a reality.

Dull conversations continue until somebody says something bright and then everybody laughs and promptly escapes.

The man who has no children knows how to raise children, just as the man without money knows how to invest money.

What is one of the commonest causes of failure in business?

Try to answer the question before you read further. George Harvey is reported to have asked John D. Rockefeller if he could say, in a few words, to what he attributed the success of Standard Oil. He was silent for a few minutes, and then said, "We never deceived ourselves." Any man who has survived in business more than ten years will acknowledge the wisdom of Rockefeller's summary. — Imperial Magazine.

CORRESPONDENTS NOTICE

The Eagle appreciates your letters, but must know who does the writing. Sign your name to EVERY LETTER. The name will not be published.

The 73rd congress adjourned Monday night at 11:45, and the curtain dropped on the second act of the drama called the new deal. For more than five months congress has squabbled and orated to enact legislation. Typical of the spirit of the session's legislation was the last major measure adopted — the billion-dollar housing program.

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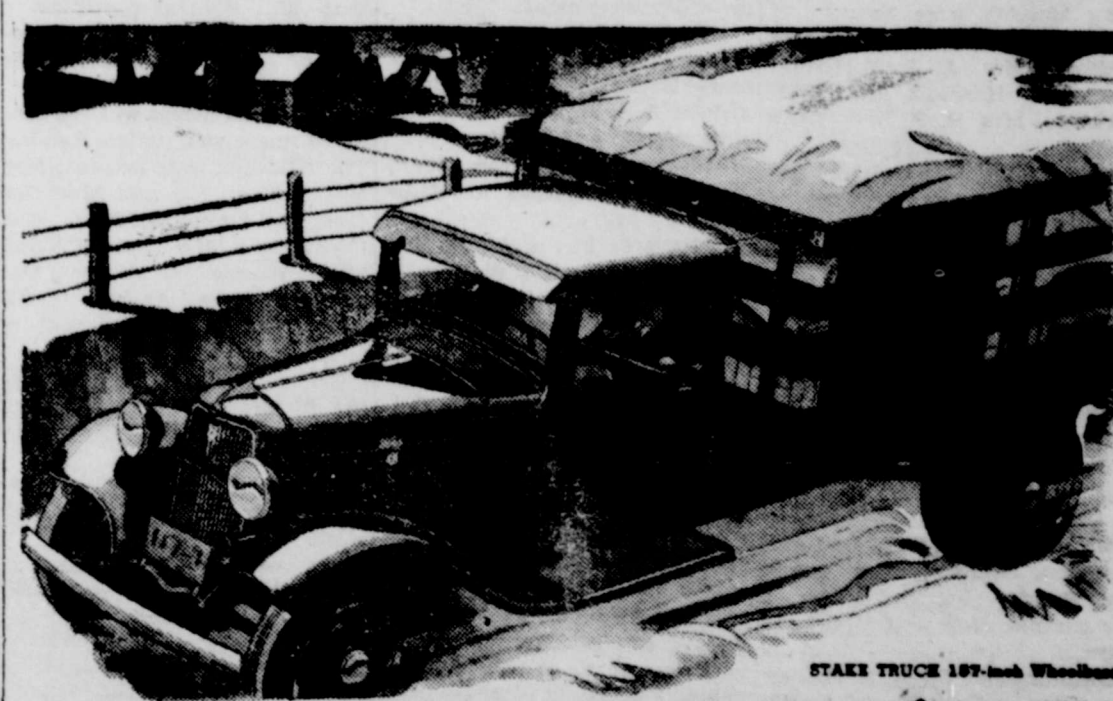
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TRIGGER MOUNTAIN

The shower which fell here Sunday afternoon was fine, but not enough to be of much benefit to growing crops.

Church services were well attended over the week end. We surely enjoyed Bro. Smart's sermons. We were pleased to hear Rev. Carroll of Brownwood with us Saturday night.

Mrs. Addie Swafford and children, Porter and Scottie, of Rice are here for a visit with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Hays. Mrs. Myrtle Garner and children visited Mrs. T. B. Graves Monday.

Those who visited Mrs. J. H. Long Monday were Mrs. E. W. McNutt and her mother, Mrs. Redford, Mrs. J. J. Northcutt, Mrs. Will Harmon and Billie Carlidene, Mrs. R. F. Daniel and Lucille.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Calaway and boys of Goldthwaite attended Sunday school here and spent the day in the J. D. Calaway home.

Ina Belle Petty visited Sunday with Russel Faye Oden.

Mrs. Jennie Harmon is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Long, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gunter of Pompey spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Northcutt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Byler and son, Cameron, were dinner guests last Sunday in the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Hays.

Grandmother Petty is visiting her sister and niece and family at Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nowell of Chappell Hill attended church here Saturday night.

Mrs. W. C. Oden and Billie spent Thursday night in Mullin with her daughter, Mrs. Florence Masters.

Mrs. Lynn Nix helped Mrs. C. E. Carter on a beef Friday.

Amber Florence Graves spent Friday with Earlene Nix in the Carter home.

Mrs. Jack Huffman and children spent Monday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Randles.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Northcutt of Fort Worth spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Northcutt. OLD MAID

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EBONY

Bro. E. L. Green of Brownwood preached at the tabernacle here Sunday morning. He could not remain to preach at night as had been previously announced, because he was beginning a revival in North Brownwood Sunday night. Mrs. Green accompanied him. Bro. Green expects to preach here in the morning and at night the third Sunday in July.

A hard shower was gratefully received here Sunday evening late. It wet the ground and put some water in tanks.

Everyone who passes the south road to the store is glad to see Edward Egger's windmill going again. Last year the storm, which blew away his house, twisted the windmill and bent the tower until the top part touched the ground. But Edward is somewhat of a genius at fixing things. With the help of a few new parts he now has the tower all straight and the windmill whirling in the breeze as though nothing had ever happened to it.

The J. M. Ketchum family spent a week in San Saba county visiting relatives. They returned last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cawyer and daughter, Edna Beth, of Brownwood spent the week end with Mrs. Cawyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dwyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Curtis and children of Ridge and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Crowder and children went fishing on the Colorado Friday night. They caught a nice lot of fish.

Mrs. W. H. Reeves went to Mullin Saturday to be at the bedside of her Grandmother Guthrie, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Green took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Day Sunday, before returning to Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clements and daughters, Ruth and Etta, took dinner at the Wilmett home Sunday after church.

Ruby Ketchum, who attended school here the past school term, went to San Saba county last week end spend a while with relatives there.

Miss Mildred Cariker, who spent last week in Abilene, returned Saturday to extend her visit to Miss Bernice Wilmett.

Misses Iva B. Longley, Eileen Satterwhite and Geneva Moore of Brownwood spent the latter part of the week visiting Miss Lucille Wilmett.

John Mashburn is at home again. The doctor says he is getting along all right, and that it will just take time for him to get entirely rid of his fever.

L. R. Wilson and Otho Jones of Brownwood visited Ralph Wilmett Tuesday night.

Mrs. Mae Malone and children, Jane and Beth, and a friend, Mrs. Mary Hammond, all of Odessa, arrived here Monday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Quite a number from Ebony attended the picnic at Ridge Saturday.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Arle Egger were shocked to hear of the death of their little son, Billie Juan. We deeply sympathize with them in this crushing sorrow.

Mrs. Faye Godwin and children, Patsy Faye and Donald Milton, of Austin spent Tuesday night with her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Wilmett.

Mrs. P. R. Reid, Verla Rae and Dale Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNurten and Norville, Alline Lovelace, Pauline Haynes, Odena Russell and Mrs. J. W. Roberts were among the number who attended the picnic at Ridge Saturday. Mrs. J. W. Roberts got the quilt.

Mrs. Herbert White of Tankersly writes that she will come with Bro. A. C. Knight and wife of San Angelo when they come to hold our meeting, beginning Friday night before the fourth Sunday in August. She expects to attend the meeting and says she wants to see all her old friends at Ebony. We remember Herbert and Emma as two of the best citizens who ever went out from our community, and she'll find lots of friends here glad to see her.

SPECIAL PRICES

The Eagle is prepared to make close prices on sales books and other stationery used by the business men. Place your orders with the Eagle and keep at least a part of the money in the county.

CENTER POINT

A large group of young folks attended Sunday school last Sunday. Lessons were good.

We hope to see more older faces present next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edlin and Mrs. Gardner and daughter, Pauline, from San Antonio, visited Mrs. Etta McGee of San Saba Sunday.

Several people from here attended the picnic at Ridge Saturday. All had a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cox and family of Stamford visited relatives and friends in Mills county Sunday.

A most delightful party was held in the Allen home last Wednesday. A fine group of young folks were present. After having played several games refreshments were served. Cake and lemonade were plentiful.

Bro. Renfro's thresher struck Jim Fallon's and Manuel Shelton's grain fields last Tuesday and Wednesday. A fair yield was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith and Mrs. Ida Smith moved to Bangs last week.

Kyle Lawson, B. J. Lawson, Johnnie Taylor, Walter Connor went to the bayou fishing Saturday night.

Mrs. Julia Taylor and girls, Arlie and Lucille, and Misses Anna Beth, Doris and Florence Davis called in W. A. Allen's home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith and Mrs. Henry Speck of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hallford dined in the Conner and Taylor homes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Allen and daughter, Idella, called on Mrs. Connor awhile late Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Leverett and baby visited her parents Sunday.

Miss Merlene Stark spent Saturday night with Miss Gladys Perry.

Great bands of jumbo grasshoppers are raiding many cotton fields about. However, no serious damage has yet been reported.

T. T. Brooks has gone to Moran, Texas, on business. He intends to be gone for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbins and family of San Saba have recently moved into our community. Mr. Robbins will head our school for the coming year. He was formerly, years back, the superintendent of the Mullin school. He is a man of high regard and esteem. We are looking forward to him as a popular and competent teacher. We welcome him and his family into our community as a worthy addition. May success be the lot of all its members.

The people are glad to learn that Will Spinks' condition is improved. His injury was the result of a kick by a horse. We hope he continues to improve.

The Fallon homes was the center of much visiting last Sunday. The following were present: Mrs. Mattie Steel, Mr. and Mrs. Don Cook and family of Moline, Miss Evelyn and Miss Doris Robbins, Misses Winnie Mae and Opal Cox of Stamford and Anderson Shelton, also Happy Herrington of Mullin.

The young folks went kodaking in the afternoon. Some of them called on Miss Ruby Brooks later.

The Gartman house is undergoing a new coat of paint this week.

We are very sorry to learn of Mrs. Milton Collier's recent operation, which was upon her throat. She is a former Center Point girl, but now resides in Goldthwaite. We hope her speedy recovery.

Also we deeply regret the condition of Dr. J. E. Brooking, who suffered the amputation of a leg in a Temple hospital recently. He is much remembered for the good services he has given to this community. May he recover soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Perry and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Shelton enjoyed ice cream at the Woods home last Tuesday night.

Last Saturday night the young folks were entertained by a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Omar Hill. A good time was reported.

Here of late the phone service has been bad. We hope someone will remedy the matter.

Misses Anna Beth and Doris Davis visited in the Hill home last Friday.

In the early part of the week Carl Spinks and a Mr. Petrolle

DO YOU KNOW

World consumption of tin last year totaled over 129,000 long tons.

Over 50,000 farm families in North Dakota are on federal relief rolls as a result of the drouth.

Canada leads the nations of the world in shipment of merchandise to the United States with Japan running her a close second.

New York has ordered suspension of the tuberculin testing of cows because of a possibility of a severe milk shortage.

Milk is the largest single source of our national farm income.

A group of only 80 life guards watch over several million bathers each season at Coney Island.

Cleveland has a huge \$3,000,000 municipal stadium, one of the most beautiful in the world, but it is a sort of "white elephant."

Tuberculosis among colored people in the larger cities in this country has increased in excess of 300 per cent in the last two years.

More than 31,000 tons of mixed grasshopper bait was delivered to the hopper infested states of the middle west this year.

More than half the farm dwelling owned by Virginia farmers are valued at less than \$1000, placing the Old Dominion 30th on the list of states in this respect. Still Virginia is ahead of all other southern states.

A total of over 10,000 insane and feeble-minded persons have been sterilized in California in the past 25 years.

More than 2,000,000 cars and trucks were produced in the United States and Canada last year.—Pathfinder.

SLAVERY INCREASING

The world may be improving in some ways, but in regards to human bondage it is growing steadily worse, according to figures gathered by Lady Simon, wife of Britain's foreign minister, Sir John Simon. There are three times as many slaves in the world today, she says, as there was 100 years ago (not counting those in the United States.) Slave trading is carried on openly in most of the larger cities of Arabia and a slave market adjoins the Great Mosque of Mecca. Oddy enough, Liberia, which at one time was a refuge for escaped and liberated slaves of the United States, has nearly 800,000 slaves numbered among its 2,500,000 population. Slavery still exists in many parts of Abyssinia, Ethiopia, many parts of China and northern Africa.—Pathfinder.

Kempner. Carl is a good singer and a popular young man of this community.

Miss Ruby Brooks spent Wednesday night with Miss Julia Dee Fallon.

Miss Eva Fallon spent one night with her parents, last week. She works in Hamilton.

Miss Merlene Stark spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Ruby Brooks.

A very pleasant little picnic was held at the Sheffield water-hole last Tuesday. The following joined in: Misses Ruby Brooks, Doris and Evelyn Robbins, Mary and Julia Dee Fallon, along with Johnnie Deward and Elmo Fallon and Anderson Shelton.

The day was begun with a swim. Then came a fishing spree which resulted in Elmos becoming angler champion. A delicious lunch was prepared by the girls at noon. A swim would have brought the social to a climax, had it not been for the trial and acquittal of Elmo on a charge of filching bologna and chicken.

Mr. Anderson and E. W. Shelton made a trip to Ewant Monday on business.

Ed Jenkins is being missed very much from Sunday school. Things seem lonely without him.

A much needed rain fell late Sunday afternoon. It was nothing short of a blessing. The rainfall is reported to have varied from one-half to an inch in this section.

The B. Y. P. U. was delayed by slippery roads and threatening clouds. A few young folks came regardless. However, no program was held. If the weather permits we shall have a good program arranged for next Sunday night.

We welcome you to our B. Y. P. U. "A constructive and Christian organization."

POP EYE and OLIVE OYL

LAKE MERRITT

Mrs. J. D. Ryan was hostess to the Happy Hour club Tuesday afternoon. The ladies piced on a Dresden plate quilt for Mrs. Ryan. There were only five members absent. A refreshment plate of fresh pineapple and whipped cream, cake and iced tea, was served to 38. We had several visitors. We always welcome visitors and new members to our club. We will meet with Mrs. R. V. Leverett Tuesday afternoon, July 2.

R. D. Norton spent a few days this week on the river fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Price and baby are spending this week with her parents at Indian Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Robertson and children, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Waddell and Frances, dined with Mrs. C. J. Brown Sunday.

Mrs. H. E. Jones is visiting relatives at Nederland.

Jesse Price spent Monday night with John C. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Leverett and Bobby Vann dined in the Will Spinks home Sunday. Woodrow Spinks accompanied them home to work for Mr. Leverett this week.

Mrs. Travis Long spent Saturday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Henry Featherston.

Pete Ryan was poisoned Tuesday afternoon by eating of an apple, which had been poisoned to kill rabbits. Pete's condition was very serious at first, but we now hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hutchings and boys and Edward Dean Dickerson ate ice cream in the C. H. Sanderson home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Long and Bobby Joe called on Mrs. J. D. Long Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Norton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Connally.

Edward Dean Dickerson spent the week end with Nolan Hutchings.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitfield and Charles, Jr., of Beaumont are visiting Mrs. J. M. Baker.

Miss Bobby Jo Long spent Tuesday with Miss Elsie Lou Norton.

Mrs. C. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Waddell and Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. Hearst Porter, Ed Bramblett and Grafton Townsend enjoyed ice cream in the F. D. Waddell home Saturday night.

Mrs. Skeet Pearson called on Mrs. R. Logan Friday afternoon.

Price Griffin spent the week end visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Price, Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Stevens and children went to the cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Those who called in the C. H. Sanderson home Sunday were Bill, Marie and Faye Stuck, Price Griffin and Millie Frances Hutchings.

Misses Elsie and Ethel Hill spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Pearson.

John C. and Jesse Price went fishing Monday night.

E. R. Jenkins dined in the Ira Hutchings home Monday.

REPORTER

SHORT BALLOT

The state democratic ticket this year is comparatively short, only 43 names. Principal saving of space was due to the congressional redistricting, which removed the names of the candidates for congress at large from the state ticket. Two years ago there were more than thirty names on the ticket seeking the three places involved.

Only two candidates are unopposed this year. They are L. A. Woods for superintendent of public instruction, and W. C. Morrow, for the court of criminal appeals. Three are in the race for United States senator, but few observers believe a runoff there will be necessary. Seven would be governor, six lieutenant governor and three attorney general. Four are in the race for comptroller and also for treasurer. Five seek the railroad commission place open this year.

Curiously enough, the short list of candidates is taken as an indication of better times. Hard times not only brings out a lot of opposition to established office holders, but rouses ambitions in the breasts of men seeking a solution of their economic problems.

Texas could save the candidates much expense and useless campaigning by eliminating the second primary. This could be done with a preferential ballot.

WOMEN AND WAR

Women, not diplomats, cause war. So declared General Johnson Hagood, commander of the Third Field army, Fort Sam Houston. "The lipstick does more to provoke war than the big stick," said the general. "Men fight for their women, and there will be wars as long as there are women worth fight for."

In which the voter indicates his first and second choices. Some agitation for this has already been undertaken but it has lacked adequate support. Sooner or later the people will see the justness and simplicity of the preferential primary system, and demand its adoption. Until then we must struggle along with the cumbersome and not always representative double primary plan.—Abilene News.

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Pointers For Spring Painting



If you're going to paint, a little time spent on planning the work will save time and energy in the end. The first thing to do is to select a good working place where you have plenty of room. It should be well ventilated, but it is preferable to paint furniture indoors and not too close to an open window, to avoid the settling of dust on a wet finish, which will permanently mar it. Spread newspapers on the floor. Place chairs and small pieces upside down on the papers so that you can paint the legs without bending over; set right side up to complete work. Remove all drawers and leave them removed until painting is finished.

In selecting your paint, the most satisfactory thing to use is a quick drying finish, choosing one that eliminates all danger of brush marks. If white is your color choice, be sure to get one of the new household finishes that stays white and does not turn yellow or grey with age. Incidentally, these finishes also withstand stains better and last longer. Get a good brush, taking care to work it back and forth across the palm of the hand to remove possible loose bristles. If

using a contrasting color for trim or for small pieces of furniture, it will be more convenient to have a separate brush for each color.

Keep a bottle of turpentine and clean rags at hand—should you spatter or spill, immediate wiping off with turpentine will remove the damage. Leave your brush clean and in turpentine or thinner overnight, preferably suspended so that the bristles won't become bent.

If painting a floor, begin in the room corner diametrically opposite the door, and work towards the door, so that you won't become stranded from the exit by an expanse of wet finish. A floor should be finished with deck enamel which is especially made to resist hard wear.

Finally, follow manufacturer's directions with care, for different products require different usage.

For The Campaign

This being campaign year there is great interest in the doings — politically and otherwise — throughout the state.

The Eagle can make some special offers of Daily Newspapers for short terms, during the campaign.

Table with columns for newspaper names (Houston Chronicle, Fort Worth Star-Telegram) and rates for different durations (Daily and Sunday, Three months, Daily without Sunday, Three months).

Other special rates for any time from one month to one year on either of these dailies.

Call the Eagle or send in your subscription before the end of June.

Mullin News

News Notes Glipped From the Mullin Enterprise

R. W. Hull is in Brownwood applying for first trick operator at the Santa Fe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lockridge and children visited in the home of W. M. Smith at Prairie Friday.

Mrs. W. O. Oden and daughter, Billie, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Cleburne Masters.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lockridge and son returned home the first of the week from a visit in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gibbard announce the arrival of a son on June 12. The little fellow weighed 12 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lawson are happy over the arrival of a lovely little daughter June 15. She weighed ten pounds.

Mrs. E. V. Bolten is improving nicely from a recent relapse. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Leinweber of Scallorn made her a recent visit here.

Mrs. J. L. Burkett, and Miss Birdie accompanied J. W. Jackson to Clyde, where they had an enjoyable week end visiting with relatives.

Hon. Penrose B. Metcalfe of San Angelo and a candidate for state senator, was here Thursday meeting the voters and making friends.

Mrs. Frankie Forgy and son of Hico were guests of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. J. Vann, Sunday. Mrs. R. W. Hull returned home with her for a visit.

Mrs. E. Reynolds of Trigger Mountain community spent several days here the latter part of the week with her mother, Mrs. I. T. Guthrie, who is very sick.

W. G. Hancock and family visited the families of D. L. McNeill and W. C. Hancock the past week end. Mr. Hancock is taking college work in Daniel Baker this summer.

Billie Louise Neill is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. B. Lindsey, in Brownwood, and Carmen and Del Ray Neill of that city are guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Neill.

Mrs. E. P. McNeill returned home Monday from a visit to W. G. Hancock and family in Brownwood. She was accompanied home by her niece, Joy Hancock, for a visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jean Pierce and children of Abilene visited Miss Nell Kirkpatrick Sunday. Mrs. Pierce was formerly Miss Ruth Ferris, a teacher in Goldthwaite school a few years ago.

Glenn Casey has been elected to teach in a school near Wolf-forth out in the Lubbock section. Mr. Casey is an enterprising young man with initiative and ability and will succeed in his work.

M. E. Casey, Mrs. M. E. Casey, Dorothy and Billy Casey of Wolf-forth spent the first of the week here with relatives and old friends. They have many friends here who are always glad to give them a welcome.

The Church of Christ will begin a meeting here Friday night, July 6. Elder Moore Eubanks will conduct the services. Everyone is given an invitation to come and enjoy the services. Place of meeting will be announced later.

Miss Edith Mae Jackson of San Antonio is spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Pafford. Mrs. Pafford is an aunt of Miss Jackson. Other guests in the home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pafford and children of the Duren section.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Andress of Bellville accompanied Miss Grace Perkins home Friday and spent the week end here with relatives. They report great enjoyment of our cool breezes and good climate here and heat excessive in their city.

Mrs. W. O. Kemp and children and Miss Lois Kemp of Brownwood visited in the home of J. S. Kemp Sunday. Miss Lois expects to leave soon for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kemp, in California and will possibly reside out there permanently.

Quarterly conference will be held at the Methodist church Wednesday, June 27. The pastor requests the presence of all Methodists and a basket dinner by each, so dinner can be served at the church. Rev. Sorey, the presiding elder, will be present and a large crowd expected. All visitors welcomed.

ATKINSON-WILKINS

Miss Linnie V. Wilkins and Raymond Atkinson stole a march on their friends by going to Goldthwaite Friday and taking the sacred vows of marriage. Judge John L. Patterson performed the ceremony.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wilkins, and the groom a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Atkinson, prominent citizens and farmers of the Ridge community.

Both young people have a wide circle of friends in this section, where they have resided most of their lives. For the present they will be at home with the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wilkins.

L. G. TILLMAN WEDS WOLF CITY GIRL

L. G. Tillman and Miss Frankie Lee Sauls of Wolf City were married in Fort Worth Sunday.

The bride is a stranger here, except for the recommendations and compliments of the groom, whom we all know well and are sure he has splendid judgment in matrimonial affairs.

L. G. is the son of the late F. M. Tillman, and Mrs. F. M. Tillman, prominent citizens of this section. The groom grew to manhood here and is quite popular with the young and also the elderly people of the city.

All join the Enterprise in wishing the happy couple, now located at Vernon, abundant happiness.

SEVERAL VISITORS HONORED

A delightful picnic group met at the Mullin Creek recreation hook and made merry again on Monday, as the sun was slowly sinking away and cool breezes came to add comfort to the picnickers.

Mrs. M. E. Casey of Wolf-forth was again one of the jolly group and the center of all fun. It brought back good old times and sweet memories of other picnic days of the past, for Ruth to be present. Yet other surprises came when Mrs. H. S. Casey of Brownwood and Mrs. Virgil Priddy of Pendleton joined the group. They, too, have wandered off from the promised land and out into new folds.

The picnic feast was ideal and the personnel other than the three honored guests mentioned above were Mes. G. M. Fletcher, W. S. Kemp, S. J. Casey, W. C. Preston, S. M. Casey, C. C. Hancock, H. R. McDonald, Misses Fletcher, Preston, Kirkpatrick, Hancock and Caseys.

RIDGE PICNIC

The picnic at Ridge Saturday was well attended by a number of Mullin citizens as well as from other sections of the county and state. Most of the county candidates and a few candidates from out of the county were present to greet the people and address them. The program was varied and interesting and the sociability and picnic dinner was a success from all angles. Old friends and neighbors were present to renew and recall happy events of yester years.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Saturday morning D. B. Eaton took a shot at a rabbit on his farm, a mile north of town, and to his chagrin, missed his aim—the bullet glancing—was diverted off line some 25 feet and entered the shoulder of Jim Huffman. Mr. Huffman was carried to a doctor for attention. The bullet was left in the arm, with Mr. Huffman, apparently suffering little inconvenience.

BUSY THRESHING TIME

Threshing time is at hand and men and boys are up and rushing early and late. The oats and wheat are not so good as was expected on account of the dry weather. Cotton is growing fast and thriving on this hot weather, but not so good for the corn. It has been needing moisture for some days. Canning and gardening are important event now and much valuable food has been well prepared and carefully stored away for future use by the ladies of this section.

Bobby Crockett is a guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Crockett.

C. E. McCormick of Stephenville spent Tuesday night with his sister, Mrs. W. S. Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Hodges of San Saba are visiting at the home of R. H. Young this week.

Miss Pat Weston of Brownwood spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. I. McCurry and Mr. and Mrs. B. McCurry attended a singing convention in Brownwood Sunday.

Mrs. Noe of Clovis, N. M., and Mrs. Copeland of Dallas are visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. E. P. Smith, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Casparis of Blanco county, stopped here Tuesday for a short visit with his boyhood friend, C. L. Summy.

Ed Hohertz and family, prominent citizens of Priddy visited Carl Wasserman Sunday and other guests were August Wasserman and family of Duren.

R. C. Duren was carried to a Brownwood hospital Wednesday for medical treatment. He has been ill for some time and his host of friends hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lindsey and Johnnie Woody of Brownwood and Miss Lou Ella Woody of Weatherford spent Sunday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Weston on their ranch south of town.

Elder I. A. Dyches announces the meeting of the Church of God to begin in Mullin Friday night, August 19, and to continue over to Sunday, August 26. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

Miss Carrie Kirkpatrick returned home with M. E. Casey and family Wednesday and will visit at Wolf-forth and Lubbock a few days, and then go to Amarillo for a visit with her brother, H. C. Kirkpatrick, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brewster and daughter, Carma Letz, and Vernon Jones of Austin, spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Jones. The little girl remained over for a longer visit with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. Jones.

A group of Mrs. W. S. Kemp's friends went to the newspaper contest in Brownwood Saturday night. Mrs. Kemp won a cash prize. Among the group going from here were Mrs. W. S. Kemp, Mrs. L. L. Wilson, Misses Nell and Carrie Kirkpatrick and Miss Rosa Meek Fletcher.

Ben Gardner and family of Vernon and Sam Gardner and family of Swenson, have returned to their homes, after a visit here with their sick sister, Miss Annie Gardner, who was carried Wednesday to a Brownwood hospital. Ham Gardner, R. H. Young and Mr. and Mrs. Barton Hodges accompanied Miss Gardner to the hospital.

Mrs. G. B. Baskin and daughter, Miss Lillian, went to Rice the latter part of the week for an extended visit with Rev. and Mrs. George Henry. They accompanied Scott Swafford of Rice, who came here the early part of the week to bring his wife and children here for a visit with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Hays, of Trigger Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith of Judkins made a brief visit here and at Prairie recently, as they were en route home from Cleveland. Mr. Smith has received several promotions in the past year in salary. He is employed at the same refinery plant at which his brother, Calvin, has been employed for a long time, and both young men are well pleased with their progress in the Judkin refinery plant.

Mrs. John Shelton and her mother, Mrs. T. E. Hamilton of Star, visited in the homes of A. F. Shelton and R. H. Patterson Sunday. Mrs. Shelton reported a most pleasant vacation trip to Houston, Galveston and Liberty. At the latter city Mr. Shelton was offered and accepted a good job in the oil fields in that city and has commenced his new work. However, he has spent years in the oil fields in west Texas and is fully experienced in that line of work.

NEWS FLASHES

Henry Ford, in an interview this week, expressed the conviction that "the industrial picture looks better all the time," and that "things are getting better in spite of everybody grabbing up all they can get." "Things are very much on the upgrade," the automobile manufacturer said, "and have been since people made up their minds to get out and work."

An undetermined number of persons was killed in Western Turkey by an earthquake Wednesday. The shocks were greatest in the region of Smyrna. The earthquake was accompanied by a heavy downpour of rain and all communications were interrupted. A cloudburst caused many streams to overflow their banks, inundating a number of villages while houses were crumpled by the earth shocks.

A suit for \$1,000,000 against Charles F. Urschel and the T. B. Slick oil interests was filed in district court in Oklahoma City this week by an Oklahoma oil man, who claimed the sum was due him as commission for the sale of \$20,000,000 in Slick properties to the Carter Oil company. Other defendants besides Urschel are his wife; Arthur Selgson, trustee of the Slick estate; the Slick-Urschel Oil company and the Carter Oil company.

Speaking for the governor and in her presence, former Governor James E. Ferguson said Wednesday that a political eruption is threatened by the East Texas illegal oil production "the situation being intensified by the discharge of R. D. Parker Tuesday, and that a special session of the legislature may be necessary to save the situation. He said that it appeared to be on the way though not positively settled. He said that unless the matter is quickly and effectively remedied Federal control was inevitable and justifiable.

Sam M. Hargrove of Mission, former Hidalgo county commissioner, was convicted in federal court in San Antonio this week of failure to file income tax returns and attempting to evade payment of the tax on taxable incomes in 1928 and 1929. He was sentenced to two years imprisonment in Southwestern reformatory at El Reno, Okla., and fined \$2500. The government alleged he failed to pay \$2624.08 on a taxable income of \$36,402.21 in 1928 and \$754.18 on a taxable income of \$21,067.36 in 1929. It was Hargrove's second trial on the charge. A previous conviction was reversed.

Seven noisy gunmen who literally captured Crescent, Okla., a town of 1200, in a futile attempt to make away with a bank safe and the \$4200 in it kept Oklahoma officers and townspeople alike on the alert Wednesday night. The thugs, snipping telephone wires and kidnapping seven or eight residents, including a pajama clad telephone girl and another woman, stood off scores of others on the main street before dawn with sawed-off shotguns as they tugged and swore at the three-ton safe of the Farmers and Merchants' bank. Unable to hoist it into their truck, they left the unopened safe on the sidewalk and fled the town, releasing the last of their captives near Cushing, nearly fifty miles to the east. He was blindfolded and bound, but unhurt.

BIG VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Bohannon and children of Dallas have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Long from town spent Sunday with Ben Long and family.

Melvin and Robert Doak visited their sister in Austin Sunday. J. H. Hale and family were in the valley Sunday. They reported that Mrs. Ernest Ware has a baby girl, Mrs. Ware was formerly Vera Hale. She lives at Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Davenport were in our community hunting a horse Monday.

Otto Sykes and family, Ab Sykes and family and Mrs. Lee Sykes and daughter from Winters are visiting relatives here. They all had dinner at Charlie Miller's Sunday.

Tuesday night someone stripped Mr. Cockrell's car and took Harry Oglesby's water hose from the station. Wednesday morning the sheriff came out and investigated.

Mrs. Robert Cook from San Antonio is visiting Marvin Cook and family.

Bro. Gage of School Creek, Lampasas county, is teaching a Sunday school course here at Big Valley.

Carl Woods and family and mother spent Sunday in Lampasas with relatives.

FARMER

CENTER CITY

A light shower fell here Sunday evening, which made everyone feel better. A good rain is much needed and we are hoping it will fall in the next few days.

Bro. Brown and wife returned from Georgetown and Leesville last week. He spent 10 days in the pastors' training school, while she visited her parents at Leesville. He reports crop conditions much better here than any place he visited.

J. Everett Evans and family are enjoying a reunion of his brothers and sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Will Evans and daughter of Houston, Mrs. Frank McCasland of New Mexico, Mrs. Walter Doggett and daughters of Goldthwaite, Mrs. Byrd Cooke and family of Wink were together with their brother, Mr. Evans, and family Sunday. Another brother, Charles, and family of Mexia, are expected to come on the twentieth.

Thrashers have been running the past week. Grain is much better than it was expected. This week will see it about all threshed and in granaries. Most of it will be kept by the farmers for feed since the corn crop will be light.

Mrs. Tom Mitchell and two little sons are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Head, and other relatives.

Prof. Richardson entertained his orchestra pupils with a trip

to the river Friday night. All enjoyed a fine supper followed by a program at the Big Valley school house. Enough fish were caught for breakfast Saturday morning. All enjoyed the time so well, we hope to go again soon.

Prof. and Mrs. Luther Figs visited her sister, Mrs. Harry Welch and family Sunday.

Singing Sunday afternoon was enjoyed by a good crowd. Richard of Moline was a winning singer. He is a good leader and we welcome him.

Bennie Lutz lives here.

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Effective Friday, June 15, prices on Ford V-8 Passenger Cars, Trucks and Commercial Cars were reduced \$10 to \$20. These reductions represent new low prices on 1934 models, as there have been no Ford price increases this year.

FORD V-8 PASSENGER CARS (112-inch wheelbase)

	WITH STANDARD EQUIPMENT	WITH DE LUXE EQUIPMENT
TUDOR SEDAN	\$520	\$560
COUPE	505	545
FORDOR SEDAN . . .	575	615
VICTORIA		600
*CABRIOLET		590
*ROADSTER		525
*PHAETON		550

*These prices remain unchanged

FORD V-8 TRUCKS AND COMMERCIAL CARS

Commercial Car Chassis—112-inch wheelbase	\$350
Truck Chassis—131-inch wheelbase	485
Truck Chassis—157-inch wheelbase	510
Stake Truck (Closed Cab) 131-inch wheelbase	650
Stake Truck (Closed Cab) 157-inch wheelbase	715

In addition to above, prices were also reduced on other Commercial Cars and Truck types from \$10 to \$20

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What Is a College Education Worth?

Something over a year ago the Eagle published an editorial addressed "To the Graduates," the gist of which was that nothing is worth having if it does not have to be worked for or fought for. We said then that instead of weeping on the shoulders of those graduates who could not go to college, we would congratulate them on the opportunity that was theirs to carve a way to real success.

By that we did not mean to disparage a college education. Four years or even more of college training may prove of incalculable benefit to the man or woman who knows what to do with it. But the high school graduate who goes away to school simply because it is the popular thing to do, stands a far greater chance of wasting his time there than if he stayed at home to work.

In the early days of this country a college education really stood for something. In those days the burden of proof that a man was capable of receiving an education was upon his shoulders. It could not overcome the difficulties of mathematics and logic and Latin and Greek, he dropped out. There were no "script" courses then. There were no long lists of elective subjects from which to pick and choose those that were easiest to pass. The work that was offered then may not have been as practical or as immediately useful as many vocational college courses are today, but there can be no doubt that in training the mind in perseverance and resourcefulness it was far superior to our present curricula.

What is a college education worth today? That it has cultural value, that it helps to broaden the appreciation for literature, music and art is possible though not very probable. But its value in helping to earn a living, the consideration that is foremost in the minds of most graduates today, is debatable. In order to find out what the leaders of American industry think about the value of a college education, 500 of them were asked to express themselves. Here is what a few of the most prominent, as quoted in News-Week, had to say:

"I have never been able to think of any reason which would seem to justify me . . . in giving greater consideration to the young man who had been fortunate enough to obtain a college education . . . As a matter of fact, my sympathies . . . lean in the direction of the young man without the college education."—Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

"Due to the radical and dangerous theories now emanating from certain colleges and universities . . . many employers are hesitating about employing graduates of certain colleges and universities."—E. M. Allen, president of the Mathieson Alkali Works.

"For present purposes, my suggestion would be that which the German government recently promulgated . . . No one graduating in Germany into a business or professional career is permitted to so function without first spending a full year very . . ."

So it really boils down to this: College training is good if it is well directed. If not, it is, practically speaking, largely a waste of time. Every profession today is sadly overcrowded and that old stand-by of the graduate who couldn't find anything else to do, the so-called profession of teaching, is crowded worst of all. The boy or girl who knows this, who knows that the pathway beyond the college gates is steep and strewn with obstacles, but is willing to brave them for the sake of a career, will probably profit from a college course. But those who still look on four years of academic training as a magic password that will unbar the blocked doors and open a short cut to success need some one to wake them up. They are dreaming in a world that has outgrown dreams.

First Year's Record

Last week ended the first year of the operation of the NRA and President Roosevelt and his right-hand-man, Hugh Johnson, claim great accomplishments for the act. It is hard to determine, however, just what it has done—whether its results have been helpful or otherwise, so we will all join in the hope that it has been helpful. If we could know just what the conditions would have been without the operation of the act, we could then estimate its benefits or its detriments. We of the interior communities know little as a personal way of the sweatshops of the larger cities, but if these conditions have been improved—if the workers in the factories and shops have been given better pay and allowed better living conditions because of the act, then it is creditable to that extent, at any rate.

The formulation of plans for all lines of industry and employment by one man, or a combination of men, untrained in such industries was an immense undertaking and the fact that there was no precedent for such a plan made it more difficult of accomplishment. Under the circumstances the promoters of the plan are entitled to credit for their efforts, whether or not the results have been what they wished or claim. There are still many people out of employment and many others in need who should be helped in some way, but their restoration to the ranks of prosperity will require something more than an effort to cut down the hours and increase the pay of those already employed.

The administration must be credited with an honest desire to help the people and restore prosperity, no matter what effect the National Recovery Act has had in attaining the end.

Measures Rather Than Men

The present political campaign in Texas is one of the most interesting in the history of the state. There are many important offices to be filled and a large number of worthy and honorable men who are candidates with platforms that should demand and receive attention. The trouble is, however, that in voting on candidates a large per cent of the voters vote to defeat some man, rather than to elect one or endorse his platform. In a great many cases the voter gives more attention to men than to measures.

Health Hint

BALDNESS BLAMED ON NERVES

A little known kind of "nerve baldness" believed to be responsible for the gradually rising forehead of so many American business men is described by Dr. Herman Goodman, New York City skin specialist, in a recent review of different kinds of baldness for the professional periodical American Medicine.

Nearly 2000 years ago a Roman medical writer named Celsus described a kind of baldness characterized by individual bald spots which become perfectly smooth and hairless; a condition still officially called by Celsus' name. For some years experts have believed that this kind of baldness is due to something wrong with the nerves supplying affected parts of the scalp; a theory with which Dr. Goodman agrees and in favor of which he notes the fact that similar hairlessness of the whole scalp or body may be caused by drugs containing the chemical element thallium, known to be a nerve poison.

Dr. Goodman adds the suggestion that similar nerve disorders may explain the common kind of baldness which begins with gradual retreat of the hair at the temples and often moves slowly backward until the whole crown of the head is bare.

This kind of baldness sometimes has been blamed on too-tight hats, although there never has been much actual evidence for this theory. If it really is some nerve disorder which is at fault, a possible basis is provided for the popular idea that worry or mental strain may make men bald in this way.

A few drugs are known to counteract in part the hair-killing power of thallium. Dr. Goodman hopes that studies of these drugs may show some way to let business men who have this kind of baldness keep their foreheads where they belong.

KEEPING UP WITH TEXAS

Low bids on new road projects to cost \$1,003,436 were tabulated by the state highway department Monday.

John Newton of Chickasha, Okla., was sentenced at Coleman Monday to five years in the Texas state penitentiary, after he pleaded guilty to charges of robbing the First Coleman National bank. The bank was robbed of \$23,700 on February 2. Three men were in the bandit gang, but Newton is the only one who has been arrested.

Claude Pollard, former attorney general of Texas, with several others, has been indicted by a Travis county grand jury in connection with alleged use and circulation of counterfeit cigarette tax stamps. The charges against Pollard allege that he consented to the use, issuance and circulation of counterfeit cigarette stamps. There were two counts and Pollard's bond was set at \$1500 in each case.

Ignorance on the part of legislators, rather than crookedness should be charged as the controlling cause of bad legislation, in the opinion of W. Edgar Davidson of Waco, a retiring member of the Texas house of representatives. There is a lot less crookedness and a lot more ignorance in the legislature than most people realize," he declared. "Not much of bad legislation is chargeable to the questionable acts of legislators, for after all, most of them try to carry out the will of the majority of the people."

The first bale of cotton for the 1934-35 season and the first to be ginned under the provisions of the Bankhead cotton control bill, was sold on the floor of the cotton exchange in Houston Sunday for \$1 a pound. The bale weighing 500 pounds was delivered late Saturday night by its grower, Teofilo Garcia of the La Grulla community in Starr county, Rio Grande valley. Garcia delivered the first bale of cotton in Texas last year. A Hampton spot cotton broker, in bidding in the bale at \$1 a pound classified the cotton as "strict middling, inch staple."

NEW DRESS EVERY DAY WILL BE THROWN AWAY

One-time dresses, as beautiful and rich looking as the finest silks or wools, but cheap enough to be worn once and thrown away forever like paper towels or napkins, are forecast by a report of Prof. A. T. King of the textile research department of Leeds University, England, in a talk to the recent annual conference of the British Textile Institute.

Other experts at the conference agreed that the trend of demand and development in fabrics now is definitely away from the lasting qualities once demanded and toward dresses and other textile materials, which no one expects to wear well but which are beautiful and showy for brief use.

Professor King expects this trend to be hastened by perfection of new synthetic yarns and fabrics made by chemical treatment of wood pulp, like the present rayon and even more beautiful, but with less wearing quality and much less expensive. Such synthetic fibers already have been produced to imitate wool and cotton as well as silk, but Professor King does not expect the new wood pulp dresses and other articles to be imitations of anything. Instead, the future fabrics designed to be used a few times and discarded probably will be altogether new in character. Cheap and brilliant dyes may fade in a few days, but that will not matter. Clothes will be more beautiful and novel than ever, even the poorest women will have brand-new dresses every day and feminine slavery to the washtub and ironing board will disappear forever.

HELPFUL HINTS

Shoes can be freshened up by rubbing the leather with the inside of a fresh orange peel and then polishing with a soft cloth.

Fish smell can be removed from frying pans by cleaning them with salt and hot water.

Butter will keep sweet a long time even in hot weather, if it is stored in strong salt brine. Prepare brine in a stone jar, making it strong enough to float a potato. Immerse the butter, cover the jar and set away in a cool place.

It is an advantage to line the inside of kitchen and pantry drawers with white oilcloth—which can easily be kept clean.

A soft cloth dipped in melted paraffine will give a stove a clean and attractive appearance. Paint can be removed from woolen clothing, no matter how hard or dry it has become, by using equal parts of ammonia and turpentine well diluted with water. Wet the spots two or three times, then wash out with soap-suds.

Colored silk fabrics need careful washing. Never allow them to become really dirty. Wash in cold water to which a little salt has been added so as to keep the color from running.

Use water in which macaroni, rice or potatoes have been boiled in as a foundation for soup or sauces.—Pathfinder.

WITH THE PARAGRAPHERS

Women are dreadful gossips. They tell one another every bit of scandal they are told by their husbands.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Some candidates, listening for the voice of the people to call them to enter a race, must be convinced that it is the still small voice.—Denison Herald.

Presumably if the professors in Washington fail to put over their theories they will wait until more of their students go into politics.—Dallas Times-Herald.

There is something appealing in the complaint of the Boston convict that he was persecuted by society even after he had reformed and settled down as a bootlegger.

"A vegetarian diet is best for those who would be beautiful," we read. Well, it does not seem to have done much for the elephant.—Punch.

Flock of professors are experimenting with monkeys, trying to give them an education. It ought to be easy to get them to go thru the higher branches.—Jacksonville, Fla., Times-Union.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

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

TEXAS CENTENNIAL

Although the issue is settled that the Texas Centennial will revolve largely around a single exposition site with subsidiary celebrations held in other parts of the state, it must not be forgotten that the Centennial movement is statewide in character, too vast in scope to be confined to any particular city or group of cities. It has always been my opinion that the Texas Centennial, while offering an excellent means of displaying to the world the progress and development of this incomparable state, will achieve its most inspiring and lasting purpose here at home as a patriotic awakening of the people of Texas to the blessings of their bountiful heritage. For that reason, every hamlet in the state, no matter how humble, should be recognized as an important part of the greater Centennial. County fairs, pioneer roundups, citrus celebrations, cowboy reunions, rose festivals, tarpon rodeos, turkey trots, and what not—all these local events held annually over the state must impart the Centennial spirit in 1936. The Texas Centennial today is progressing along a wide front. Let's keep in mind its fundamental character as a patriotic force in the upbuilding of Texas internally.—Dale Miller in Texas Weekly.

FARM BOOKKEEPING

If farmers are now keeping books, farming isn't what it used to be. One of the many attractive features of the farmer's life was his freedom from the petty details of accountancy. He kept no day book, journal or ledger. And as for a filing cabinet and adding machine, he was properly contemptuous of them. Running a farm was not like running a store. At best, bookkeeping is a tedious employment, and if it has come about that a farmer must open a set of books and post them, balance them, prove them by frequent audits after his evening chores are done, then his life is no longer a merry one. He is in no better case than a credit merchant. If State Press ever goes in for farming he will keep no books. He will raise no money crop except cotton, but will try to grow enough contributory crops to make his cotton as nearly net as possible. He will have ten acres in pasture, twenty acres in cotton, twenty acres in corn, highgear, eggs, chickens, butter and butterbeans. This will take up his fifty acres and fifty acres as many as any regular farmer ought to own. He can manage fifty acres without keeping books, or buying a tractor, or financing a self-binder on the installment plan. He will prepare his land with a turning plow and one that puts the fresh dirt up against the young plants with one shovel and busts the middle with the other. When farmers farmed that way they didn't need federal aid and didn't keep books.—State Press in Dallas News.

TEXAS DROUTH AREA

The adding of sixteen Texas counties to the drouth relief area by the federal government should not have an appreciably bad effect on Texas business. The counties have relatively small population and are among the lighter contributors to Texas' annual crop of wealth—and, besides, it must be remembered that Texas has 254 counties.

Texas, which has something of a reputation of its own in the matter of drouths, has thus far been fortunate this year. In fact, Texas has actually profited from the drouth to date because of the increased price of wheat. It is not a profit that Texas takes pleasure in making, of course, but it comes our way nevertheless.

Judging by the record Texas should produce fair crops this year. The record shows that when Texas receives a normal winter rainfall there is usually a good crop season following. During last winter the average Texas rainfall was less than 10 per cent below normal. Texas soils and Texas farming methods have a way of combating drouth if the bottom "season" is in the soil.

With fairly good wheat and fruit and vegetable crops assured, and the prospects for a cotton crop not below the average, Texas business has at present no great need for worry about the agricultural outlook.—Dallas News.

FARM RELIEF IN BULGARIA

Just when it was supposed that the international effort to control the narcotic trade had come to its most successful stage, a decidedly painful impression was caused in Europe by a report that no less than ten secret heroin factories are operating in Bulgaria.

The exposure was made at Geneva by Russell Pasha, general director of the Narcotic Bureau at Cairo, and Stuart Fuller, American delegate on the Geneva committee. Poppy-raising is the spontaneous form farm relief has taken among the Macedonian peasants, who have been deprived of the Salonica market for their tobacco and find the price of wheat too low to meet the cost of planting and harvesting. Financed by the Bank of Macedonia, they are said to have raised \$750,000 worth of opium last season, a crop that persists in Turkish and former Turkish territory.

Of chemicals used in the manufacture of heroin it is found that Bulgaria imported enough to turn out 10,600 pounds of heroin. This same chemical may be used in making dyes, aspirin and rayon, but as Bulgaria produces none of these things it is deduced that the only product must have been the five tons and more of heroin. This is reckoned to be twice as much as would meet all the medical needs of the world and enough to poison 3,000,000 persons. As usual, the success of the traffic is attributed to a "master mind," this time a Turk, said to have organized the most powerful smuggling gang in the world.

Bulgaria, one of the 46 nations joined in the opium pact, promises better observance of its duty. Discovery of a source of the traffic ordinarily results in suppression—until a new source of the drug and a new marketing organization are created.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

GENIUS AND AGE

At what age is genius likely to assert itself? The popular belief is that great men first demonstrate their talents in youth, and many instances might be cited as proof. Galileo was but 19 when he formulated the laws of the swinging pendulum, Michaelangelo was 17 when he painted his Saint John, Mozart wrote music when he was 6, and Paschal was only 16 when he published his first important scientific essay.

Actually, however, genius may not appear until much later in life. The great scientist, Newton, was 45 when his first great mathematical work appeared, Descartes was 41 when he published his philosophical essay, "Discourse on Method," Lagrange, one of the great mathematicians of his day, was 70, when he gave definite form to his "Analytic Mechanisms." Caesar Frank was 56 before he composed his first great musical work, and the English novelist De Morgan, was 60 before he even began to write.

The truth of the matter is that genius is an incomprehensible thing which may appear at any age. In some fields, such as biology or philosophy, long study is required before original contributions can be made. Men in business and industry, such as Walter P. Chrysler or C. O. Mininger, do not usually make signal accomplishments until they are at least past 40. The man approaching middle age, therefore, need not give up hope of doing great things. Sometimes that which is long in coming is long in enduring.—Temple News.

LATENT POWER

Two great leaders of American business were standing one day on the bridge at Niagara looking at the great fall, Roger Babson tells us in his inspiring little book, "Fundamentals of Prosperity." One man turned to the other and said: "Behold the greatest source of undeveloped power in America." And the other business man replied: "No, no. The greatest source of undeveloped power in America is the soul of man." Stenmetz, the inventive wizard, made a similar remark just before his death when he said the greatest advances in science in the future would come from the development of the latent power of the human mind and soul.—Ennis News.

NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

San Saba

Six hundred and thirty cotton checks, representing a sum of \$40,000, have been distributed to McCulloch county farmers the last two days by county agent J. D. Prewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McMillan have returned from a three months itinerary including Fort Worth, San Antonio, Seguin and Hondo, where Mr. McMillan officiated in the races as starter. Mrs. McMillan will remain here for awhile. Her husband left Tuesday for Panhandle and Amarillo to attend the races.

Improvement of the San Saba county highways continues as the drainage structures and grading was started on highway 81 north of the city this week, with Raymond Brookshire of Austin, in charge of the work. Through state maintenance funds, the work of straightening, installing approved drainage structures and grading the roads from the city to the Mills county line will be completed during the next few weeks.

A large cavern covering two or three acres of land has just been discovered on the J. B. Harrell ranch near Chappel, fifteen miles southeast of here, according to reports from that section. The cave which was discovered by Ben Harrell, Chappel youth, is said to contain four or five large rooms already explored and possibly more. The first of these is reached by a fifty-foot rope ladder which leads from the four foot square opening at the surface of the ground.—Star.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Little are taking their summer vacation and visiting in north and east Texas this week.

San Saba county is coming in for its part of the federal relief program. The latest to be had is two complete canning plants to be established at San Saba and Richland Springs, according to E. B. House, county administrator.

S. E. Harber rural carrier for route two, is taking his vacation. In company with his son, Milton, left Friday bound for the blue waters of Don Martin, Mexico, where the fish bite when there is no bait.—News.

Hamilton

Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Shaw and little son, Kenneth, left last week for Plainview, where they visited relatives and Rev. Shaw assisted a brother in conducting revival services at the Baptist church in that city.

Hamilton county shows a slight decrease in scholastics since the enrollment a year ago, according to figures on file in the county superintendent's office. The enrollment this year totals 3494 scholastics living in Hamilton county.

Acceptances for 719 cotton producers who signed contracts in Hamilton county were received by County Agent Nelson on Thursday of this week. A letter from the agricultural adjustment administration accompanying the acceptances stated that checks for this group should reach here in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCullough and little daughters, Mary Ella and Norma Frances, of Hico were in Hamilton greeting friends for a short time Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. McCullough and their baby had made a trip to the half-way ground to meet Miss Mary Ella, who had been visiting relatives in Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Little and their young children, John Norman and Dorothy Jane, stopped over in Hamilton Wednesday en route from Dallas to their home in San Saba. It will be of especial interest to many Hamilton friends of the Little family to learn that Garth Little, second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Little, is spending this summer in the City of Mexico, as a college student. He is majoring in Spanish. Garth has traveled extensively of late months in Mexico.

On Sunday evening as Coit Manning and family, with Mrs. Manning's mother, Mrs. Florence Wells, were returning from Kempner, Lampasas county, where they had spent the day visiting, an automobile accident occurred with the result that Mrs. Wells was painfully injured. Mr. Manning was driving and said that a car approaching

Lometa

Mont Swain went to Temple Wednesday for a few days. He has been ill and did not work last week.

Mrs. Earl Patillo and son, Edward Earl, of Temple have been visiting in the Joe Morgan and Whittenberg homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Crews and children were visitors in Fentress Sunday and Mrs. A. M. Crews of Goldthwaite accompanied them and remained for a visit.

Monday morning was glorious with the event of actual work starting on the highway north of town through the valley. The delay in starting is now all forgotten.

The Lometa Chamber of Commerce held their regular monthly luncheon at their meeting room in the Masonic building. The Legion Auxiliary served the dinner. The first matter to come up was whether trades day be continued during July and August. It was put to a vote and by a majority, was decided to discontinue further trades days until the second Monday in September.

Milton T., the 6 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Blackwell of Lampasas, suffered an almost serious attack of lockjaw the first of the week, but at the present is considered out of danger, if no further complications arise. The little fellow stepped on a nail Saturday, but it was not considered serious until tetanus developed Monday. The young man was immediately given serum and it is hoped he will soon be completely out of danger.—Reporter.

Brownwood

The county relief administration has received \$550 for the continuance of work relief thru-out the county. Work relief was resumed Tuesday on a number of projects in the county.

Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College and district Rotary governor, left Brownwood last Friday night on his journey to Detroit, Mich., where he will attend the Rotary International convention from June 25 to 29.

Everything is in readiness at the State Park at Lake Brownwood for the arrival of the 200-man Civilian Conservation Corps camp, which will be established the latter part of this month. June 26 or 27, has been set as a tentative date for opening of the park.

Ted and Ned Cole, 4-year-old twins of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cole of Zephyr, are undergoing rabies treatment at Central Texas hospital, after being bitten by a dog that is thought to have been affected with rabies. The two boys were bitten early Wednesday morning and brought to the hospital during the morning.—Banner.

from the opposite direction blinded him with its lights. The Manning car was nearing a bridge on highway 66, and in order to avoid a possible collision turned out sharply. He was driving nearer the embankment at the side of the road than he realized and his machine went over, and in falling overturned several times. All of the occupants of the car escaped without injury except Mrs. Wells. Her nose was crushed and there were a number of lacerations about her head and face. She was conveyed immediately to the Hamilton sanitarium and is reported to be recovering satisfactorily.—Record-Herald.

Black-Draught Brings Refreshing Relief of Constipation Troubles

Constipation produces many disagreeable sensations, several of which are mentioned by Mr. T. E. Smith, of Booneville, Ind., who writes: "I have used Theford's Black-Draught many years when needed for biliousness and other minor ills when a laxative was needed. I have a tight feeling in my chest when I get bilious. I get dizzy and feel very tired, just don't feel like doing my work. After taking Black-Draught, I feel much better. This is why I continue to use it when needed." Theford's Black-Draught is a good, purely vegetable laxative, obtainable for 26¢ a package.

Comanche

What is believed to be the largest onion crop ever harvested on a farm in Comanche county is being gathered this week on the J. B. Chilton, Jr., farm near Comanche, under the supervision of Jack Carnes, who estimates that the yield will be 100 bushels per acre on the 30 acre patch.

A general parole was awarded last Friday to Mrs. Montie Sims once under indictment here as an accomplice to the murder of Pink Milton. Mrs. Sims was granted the parole on a two year sentence that she received in Sutton county on a burglary charge. She is now in jail here and possibly shall be released as soon as final papers are received from Austin in regard to the parole.

R. E. (Ed) Blue of near Gustine, was carried to a Brownwood hospital about noon Friday suffering from severe burns about both legs and hands. He was burned when gasoline exploded. Mr. Blue, who is a ranchman of the Gustine section, was shearing sheep when the gasoline in the engine used with the machine exploded. Attending physicians said that Blue's burns were serious, but probably not critical.—Chief.

Lampasas

About 600 checks for cotton contracts were received Saturday by County Agent Graham.

Mrs. J. W. Mills of Beaumont, who is teaching in the pastors' schools at Georgetown, spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Vernon.

Joe Barnett of Goldthwaite spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Lampasas with his brother G. C. Barnett. He attended the rodeo Tuesday and won the calf roping in 24.2.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, Jr. and children of Goldthwaite spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Stokes.

The commissioners court of Lampasas has ordered a bond election to determine whether or not the voters of Lampasas county wished to vote bonds for the purpose of purchasing and constructing a bridge across the Colorado river at Bend, Texas. The amount of bonds to be voted on is \$15,000.

Marcellus P. (Jack) Adams received official notice Thursday morning of his appointment as acting postmaster at Lampasas. The appointment is to take effect immediately and Mr. Adams will take charge of the office as soon as an inspector comes to check him in.—Leader.

DELINQUENT TAX RELIEF LAW

Comanche, Texas, June 13, 1934. In my talking with people I find a good deal of misunderstanding about the law passed by the last legislature to relieve delinquent taxes from the penalty and interest; so I shall try to explain it, as a service to the public.

It has always been the law and still is, that if taxes for any year are not paid before Feb. 1 of the following year, they draw 6 per cent interest per annum from that date, and a penalty of 10 per cent of the taxes is added. The relief act passed last year provides that for all taxes delinquent Feb. 1, 1933, and previous years, the citizen could be relieved of such penalty and interest by paying within a certain period, the original tax and 1 per cent added; or within another period by paying the original tax and 2 per cent; or within another period by paying the original tax and 4 per cent; or by paying within another period of the original tax and 6 per cent added; and we are now in the last period, which expires with the present month.

To illustrate: If one owes \$100 for 1930, and pays it during the present month, he squares it off for \$106.00. But if he waits until after the month expires, the life of the relief act expires, it goes back under operation of the old law, and he must pay the \$100, plus 6 per cent for three years and five months, plus a 10 per cent penalty, or a total \$130.50. This relief law applies to both state and county and commercial district taxes. It will readily be seen that it will be to a citizen's interest to raise the money and pay off, if at all possible, during this month of June.

Y. W. HOLMES

QUILT HAS 14,788 PIECES

With quilting so popular again anything about quilts is interesting to everybody. But when it comes to finding the largest number of pieces in a quilt, the glass hammer goes to a Lexington, Ky., newspaper. That paper published an account of a quilt with only 4000 pieces as a sort of record. But, as all publishers find out sooner or later, somebody had one with 8000 and before that got dry on the presses another woman had one with 11,528 pieces. And before that could get into print, Mrs. S. K. Clark of Horse Cave, Ky., had one, a jigsaw quilt containing 14,788 pieces. Now don't tell us you have one with more pieces in it because really we are not interested that way.—Sunshine Monthly.

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ITEMS APPRECIATED

The Eagle sincerely appreciates all local items and local matters written and sent in or reported orally and is always glad to publish them, but events of long ago can not be chronicled as news. Items developing during the current week are the only kind that can be accepted on a news basis. Social gatherings and similar occurrences of a date prior to the last issue of the paper must be allowed to lapse, whereas, the accounts would have been gladly received for the issue in which such articles properly belonged.

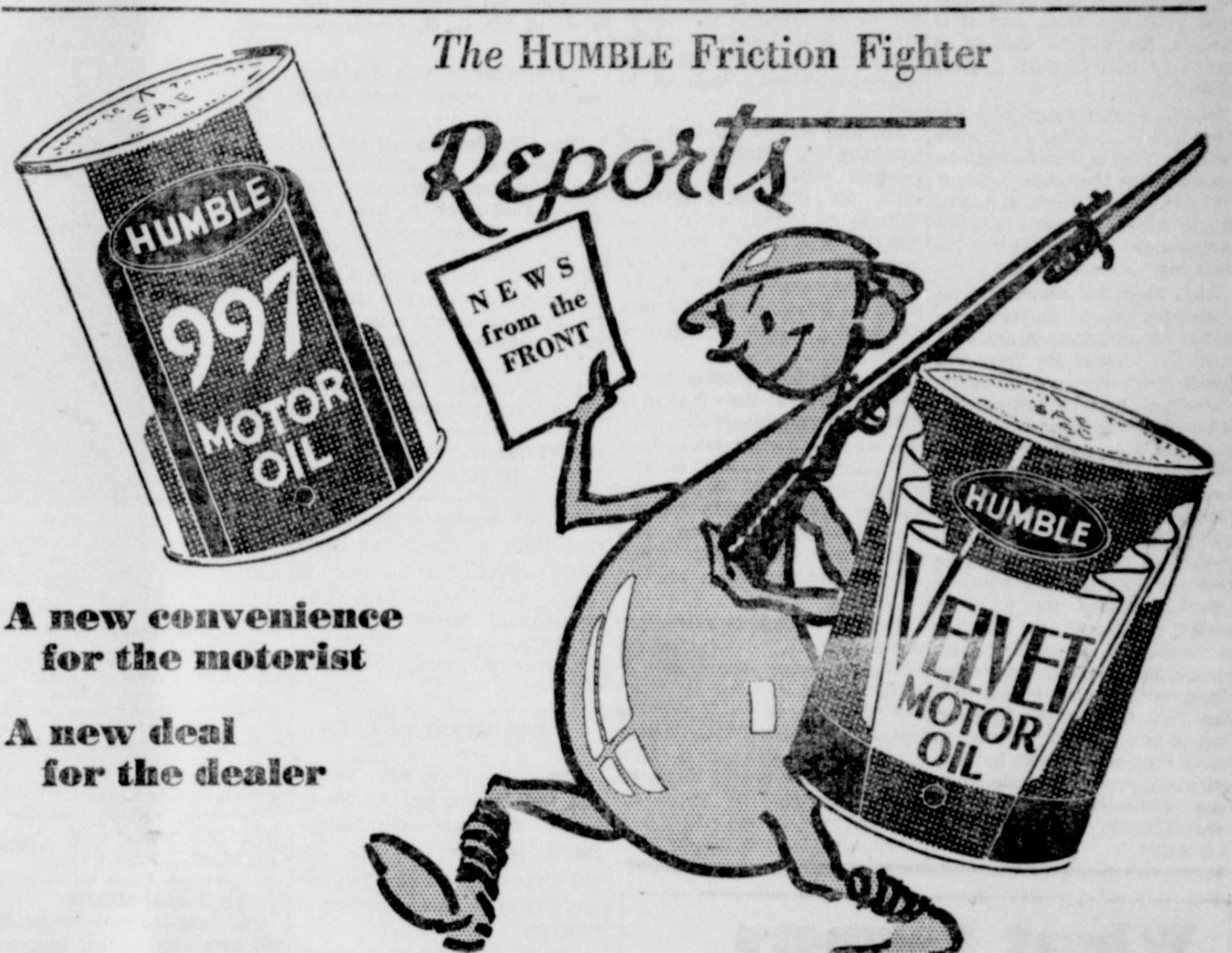
SPECIAL PRICES

The Eagle is prepared to make those prices on sales books and other stationery used by the business men. Place your orders with the Eagle and keep at least a part of the money in the county.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

The State of Texas, County of Mills, To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of Frank M. Soules, deceased: The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Frank M. Soules, Sr., deceased, late of Mills county, Texas, by John L. Patterson, judge of the county court of said county, on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1934, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law, at his residence, in Mills county, Texas, near Star Texas, where he receives his mail. This the 4th day of May, A. D. 1934. JIM SOULES, Administrator of the Estate of Frank M. Soules, Sr., Deceased.

Three youths were burned alive inside their blazing red motor car by an infuriated mob in Havana, Cuba, Sunday afternoon, after they had shot down scores of men and women in the streets of the capital with machine guns during an A. B. C. political festival. Their deaths brought the total to twelve in a day and night of terror sweeping the Cuban capital. They shot down upward of sixty persons from the death car, killing seven, including three women. A fourth youth in the machine, horribly burned, was not expected to survive. The driver turned the machine down a side street and sped away from the scene of their slaughter. Crowds of bystanders and paraders pursued the car down the Malecon, overtook it and tossed matches into the gasoline tank. The youths made no effort to fight their captors. One screamed and staggered out as the flames enveloped his body, but the others perished inside.



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THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

J. D. Fallon of Center Point made a business trip to Houston this week.

Blake Hudson is still in Fort Worth, under the care of physicians, but is getting along nicely and is expected home in the near future.

Will Yarborough, who is a student in the law department of the state university at Austin, has been at home for a few days on a vacation.

Miss M. M. Campbell and Mrs. Mack Jackson visited Monday with their father at Kopperl. Miss Vivian Campbell accompanied them.

Judge John L. Patterson, W. H. Johnston, W. P. Weaver and E. B. Gilliam made a visit to Austin Wednesday, where they had business with some of the departments.

Mrs. R. L. Burns, who was very sick in her home in Coleman for several weeks, is now in the hospital in Santa Anna and it is thought she will be able to be moved to this city in a short while.

Dr. J. E. Brooking, who has been in the hospital in Temple for some time and underwent an operation for the amputation of his right leg last week, is unable to be moved home, but his friends here are hoping for his early recovery and return.

W. F. Brim has returned from a business trip to Dallas and a visit to his grandfather, Mr. I. M. Ward, in Cleburne. Mr. Ward and family lived here a good many years ago and are remembered by many friends, who are glad to know he is in good health and still thinks of his Mills county friends. Mr. Brim orders the Eagle sent to him in future.

A. M. Hunt has received notice from the navy recruiting station at Dallas that his son, Roy, has passed the physical, mental and moral test and has been accepted for service. He left Dallas for the naval training station at San Diego, Cal., for a term of 12 weeks' training, after which he will be sent to one of the trade schools for several months more of training in some particular line or will be selected for duty on board a naval vessel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Long and baby visited relatives at Stat Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Smith made a business trip to Austin Tuesday.

Mrs. W. B. Jackson visited relatives in San Antonio last week returning Saturday.

Miss Julia Dee Fallon of Center Point was an appreciated caller at the Eagle office yesterday.

Mrs. Richard Burgess and son of Denton, are spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Grover Dalton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairman returned Monday night from an automobile trip to the western part of the state.

Mrs. M. C. Morris underwent an operation for appendicitis in a Waco hospital the early part of the week and reports say she is recovering nicely.

Mrs. J. S. Sparks of Amarillo a niece of Mrs. E. B. Anderson, is here with her little son, Marvin, who is suffering from rheumatism. Mrs. Anderson accompanied them to Temple Saturday where he was taken through the clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Randolph and Miss Una V. Dupuy left Wednesday morning for Austin, where Mr. Randolph's birthday is being celebrated with a six o'clock dinner in the home of his niece, Mrs. Jas. Pulliam, nee Miss Jaime Smith. They will remain for a week's visit with Mrs. Randolph's sister, Mrs. Haskell Smith.

John Shelton of Star has a good position in the oil field at Liberty, in east Texas. Mrs. Shelton, who has been a saleslady in O. H. Yarborough's store for several years, expects to leave for Liberty tonight, where she and her husband will make their home for some time. Their friends here wish them the best of fortune.

Prof. E. W. Robinson, who has contracted for the principalship of Center Point school, has already moved into the community and will be ready for the opening of school. Prof. Robinson is not a stranger in Mills county, having taught in Mullin some years ago. He began his citizenship right by calling and subscribing for the Eagle.

LIVE OAK

As it was impossible for Bro. Harris to be with us this week end he sent Bro. Bruten and Bro. Tornes. Everyone present Saturday night, Sunday morning and night, enjoyed the sermons very much. We hope we shall be honored by their presence again sometime.

There will be Sunday school at Bethel Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Everyone is invited to come and bring your company. There will be B. Y. P. U. at Live Oak at eight Sunday night. Everyone is invited to come and bring their company there also.

Several of our community attended the picnic at Ridge Saturday. From all reports they still eat there.

Most of the young folks of this community enjoyed the party at Clarence Hill's Saturday night. We hope they will give another sometime.

Mrs. Virginia McGirk and daughter, Mary Louise, spent last week in the C. G. Featherston home.

Alfred Parker, who has been working at Waco, came home last week.

Mrs. Roy Simpson has an "eye for business" as most people have learned. Example: She waited until after the rain Sunday afternoon and then decided to can peas Monday, and not only got the help of the women in the community, but also the threshing crew, who expected to start threshing Monday morning, but found themselves hulling peas instead. Why can't we all be smart like her?

COMPLIMENTS NIECE WITH OUTING PARTY

An old fashioned hayride to Flat Rock featured the party Mrs. Edward Geeslin gave in honor of her niece, Miss Jane Donosky, of Dallas, and Miss Dorothy Kettle, also of Dallas, Thursday afternoon. — Brady Standard.

IMPORTANT BILLS

President Roosevelt signed and left behind him in Washington Wednesday the \$2,000,000,000 deficiency bill, the second largest peace time appropriation measure in the history of congress.

The White House made known that before starting on his trip into New England, Mr. Roosevelt also signed into law the communications bill setting up a new commission to regulate the telegraph, telephone and radio.

Another bill signed was that requiring the department of commerce to make public the results of its investigations into fatal airplane crashes.

These measures were among more than a score upon which he placed his signature.

B. C. SOULES PASSED AWAY

Mr. B. C. Soules died at his home at Star Wednesday night at 11:30, after a long illness, and his remains were interred in Hurst Ranch cemetery yesterday afternoon, the sad service being attended by a large congregation of friends of the deceased gentleman and his family.

Mr. Soules had been a leading citizen of the eastern part of the county for a good many years and leaves a lot of friends here and elsewhere. He was engaged in farming and ranching for a long time, afterwards engaging in the mercantile business at Star, but retired from the mercantile business several years ago. He leaves his wife and one grown son, besides a number of relatives to mourn his death.

For Attorney General



WILLIAM McCRAW

William McCraw, prominent Dallas attorney, has launched his campaign for the office of Attorney General of Texas.

McCraw served three consecutive terms as District Attorney in his home county, holding the distinction of being the only prosecutor who has ever been so honored. His record as a public official and in private law practice has won him state-wide recognition.

McCraw studied law while working in his father's printing office; active service in France and made a notable record for law enforcement as district attorney. He has been active in the State's Democratic party affairs, being regarded as a liberal in politics.

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A NEW POLICY

No more cash to be paid out for work relief pay rolls.

A new policy adopted by the local relief office of Mills county effective beginning with the next payroll week, which starts on Friday, June 22, will be the discontinuance of any cash payments on work relief. All wages for work done on relief projects will be made hereafter 100 per cent in kind. Formerly payment for work relief has been two-thirds in kind and one-third in cash. The reason given for this change by the relief officials is that the payment of cash to relief families makes it impossible for the case investigators to determine how this money is spent and with the adoption of the new policy disbursing orders will be made out in the office for every item which the relief clients are to receive, thereby giving the relief office a closer check on the budgetary needs of a family.

Plans are also being worked out for working relief roll clients in amounts equal to the direct relief granted them where that amount falls below the required minimum of eighteen hours as fixed by the work division for work on approved projects. In other words, where a man's budget has been reduced to an amount less than five dollars and forty cents, because of the reduced amount of monthly money sent the county then these men will have to work in return for this the same as where a man's budget is five dollars and forty cents or more. The local office takes the position that if a man is not anxious and willing to work out these smaller budgets on the same basis as he has in the past been required to work out the larger ones, then he is not entitled to relief. These workers will be referred to public works of the same character as approved work projects, supervised either by county or city officials.

AGED WOMEN ATTACKED

Three men were held at Brownwood Wednesday in connection with a brutal attack on two aged women at Cross Cut, seven miles south of Cross Plains, before daylight and the theft of \$40 from the mattress on which one of them slept.

No charges were filed against the men and officers were not certain they were implicated in the case. Only one man was seen in the home in which both women lived.

Mrs. Lige Debusk, 82, was beaten severely and Mrs. Abbie Hounshell, 83, was knocked to the floor by blows from a pistol in the hands of an unidentified man. Physicians treating them at their home said the women were improving normally. Mrs. Hounshell said she heard Mrs. Debusk scream, "Oh, they're beating me to death."

Mrs. Hounshell said she started towards her companion's room, but was met at the door by a man with a flashlight. He struck her on the head twice and she fell to the floor unconscious.

The man apparently attacked Mrs. Debusk as she slept and, after knocking her unconscious with his pistol, pushed her off the bed and picked up \$40 in cash under the mattress.

A couple living near by heard the women scream and hurried to their aid, but the man had fled, apparently through a window. Officers found tracks of a man in the yard and a field.

TEXAS WOOL CLIP 20,000,000 POUNDS UNDER 1933 TOTAL

A report from San Angelo says that the wool clip of the state of Texas is approximately 20,000,000 pounds under the 1933 accumulation, and wool concentration points will have on hand approximately 39,045,000 pounds of free long and short wools when the shearing season closes within a week, according to compiled estimates of wool men of the state.

Of the free wools to be on hand the majority is 12-months, the 8-months not running over 3,000,000 pounds.

Wools shipped on consignment or committed to shipment total 10,185,000 pounds, of which \$1,000,000 to 7,500,000 pounds is estimated to be under government mortgage. The rest is free.

TEXAS' SHARE

An Associated Press dispatch from Washington, calling attention to the extent to which Texas has been a beneficiary of administration measures, states that representatives of some other states are grumbling. This dispatch did not assert that Texas had gotten more than its share, but it is possible that such an impression will be left with the public. As a matter of fact, Texas has gotten no more than its share, considering its size, population and the character of its industry. Texas is a big state and, even more significantly, the nation's greatest producer of the basic raw materials of industry.

Of course, it is entirely possible that, had there been a Republican administration, Texas would not have fared so well. But in a state that has maintained an open season on Republicans for more than half a century, that is no reason for refusing the long deferred blessings of a Democratic victory, so long as other parts of the country are not inequitably dealt with. A Democratic victory has meant that Texas and the southern states are getting an even break, previously they did not get that—certainly not until the Hoover administration when much of the south went Republican in the presidential election.

The last two presidential elections, in fact, have almost eliminated party favoritism as applied to states and geographic regions. Almost all of the country went Republican in 1928 and then switched over to the Democrats in 1932. The last two administrations have had practical reasons for distributing their favors evenly. That is the only kind of distribution that Texas asks. — Dallas News.

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