

# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

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## GOLDTHWAITE SCHOOLS WILL OPEN ON SEPTEMBER 6

### Many Suffering from Different Diseases

The Livestock Commission was called to investigate the cause of the disease on Mrs. J. J. ... west of Goldthwaite ... Dr. L. L. ... and treat ... Endema and ... which was ... no cattle have ...

... treated the ... Mrs. L. ... Cook and Roy ... of these cattle ... treatment. ... Globe Laboratory ... in addition to Ma ... traces of gas ... evident. Further ... Sanitation ... Laboratory showed ...

... a serious com ... diseases and cond ... suggested that cat ... herds be vacu ... where possible a ... is recom ... County Agent W. P. ...

### H. Smith Will Class Sept. 6

H. Smith, who has ... in piano with ... for the past sev ... has announced that ... the fall term at ... the school build ... Sept. 6. Mrs. ... the director of the ... High School Or ...

### Methodist Church

... have only the morn ... at the Methodist ... Sunday. The night ... not be held because ... revival is in pro ... before let us urge all ... places promptly ... Sunday for Sun ... and stay for the ... service at 10:50, and ... evening let us wor ... Baptist brethren. ... be no mid-week ser ... week. Be in your ... because no one ... your place.—Fred J. ...

### Overstreet Has Auto Wreck

Overstreet, salesman for ... Paper Co., who ... Friday aft ... without serious ... his car overturned ... Anna and Brady ... The car over ... one of the tires ... Mr. Overstreet was ... Brady for scratches ... Jim Frizzell of ... who was with him, ... unconscious but ... injured.

### Zone Rally

... people of the Naz ... went to Nazarene ... Copperas Cove Friday ... 13, to attend a uni ... rally. ... program was ... followed by a very in ... message brought by ... Thredgill of Waco. ... representatives from the ... churches were present: ... Goldthwaite, ... Grove, Meridian ... entertaining church ... chapel. ... attendance banner was ... to the Goldthwaite So ...

### Library is Moved To Basement of Courthouse

The Goldthwaite Public Library is being moved this week from the third floor of the courthouse to the basement, directly opposite the office of Anderson & Gilliam. The new location is more accessible, larger and better lighted. There are five new members since last report. Mrs. Delton Barnett and Blake Hudson each donated a book last week. "The Mysterious Yangste," by the late Geo. S. Parker, which Blake Hudson gave was privately printed and is autographed.

### Three Editors Heard By Houston Rotarians

Three Houston newspaper editors played a "return engagement" when they appeared as speakers before the Rotary Club at the Rice Hotel in Houston. It was their second luncheon club appearance within a few weeks. Allan Bartlett, editor of the Press, and one of the speakers, referred to them as the "traveling train of trained seals." The other two members of the triumvirate are George Cottingham, editor of the Chronicle, and Lloyd Gregory, managing editor of the Post. The occasion was Newspaper Day at the club. The three editors, as on their previous appearance, lifted the curtain and revealed the "inside" of a daily newspaper.

Mr. Cottingham told of what constitutes news. News, he said, meant different things to different people, but that anything of current interest to a large group of people was classified under the general heading of "news." "What is news today is not news tomorrow," the editor of the Houston Chronicle said. "News is what our ancestors wrote in long, tedious letters to their friends. The bizarre and freakish are news, but on the whole that which affects the largest number of people is news." "There is one topic which is always news—the weather."

Mr. Gregory explained how news is gathered, sketching the two sources—telegraph and local. He likened a daily newspaper to the circus.

They are the only two businesses which begin anew each day. A circus tears down its tents, moves to another city, and starts all over again, he said, and a newspaper begins each day with new words and new items.

Mr. Bartlett's subject was "Why Your Daily Paper?" He said it was a common error to undervalue the press in the part it plays in the drama of a changing world. He spoke of the value and necessity to a country for a free press and free speech.

### Nazarene Boosters

The Nazarene Boosters met at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Alford Johnson, for a class meeting Tuesday night, Aug. 10. After a short business meeting, games were played and refreshments were served. Everyone reported an enjoyable time and we wish to extend an invitation to all who do not attend church elsewhere to come and be with us.

### Future Farmers Enjoy Big Camp

Thursday morning, Aug. 12, 33 boys accompanied by Tom Henry, their instructor, and Luther Soules, Walter Henry and Tully Lee departed from Goldthwaite en route to the Gibbons ranch, 12 miles southwest of Richland Springs.

Such contests as baseball, swimming and diving, along with camp cleaning were the general run of the day. At the final checkup it was determined that Goldthwaite ranked second as high-point school. Payne Coffman was second high-point individual. The boys were honored by a visit from Mr. A. H. Smith and family Thursday night. They also enjoyed the presence of Mr. Frank Bowman and daughter, Clara, Friday at noon.

The boys as well as the gentlemen guests thanked Mr. Henry for making possible such an encampment. They look forward to another next summer.

### Cunningham Reunion Held Near Comanche

The 36th annual reunion of the descendants of Captain James and "Aunt Susie" Cunningham was held near Comanche Sunday and Monday.

There were born to this pioneer couple nine sons, Aaron, Dave, Dick, John, Bill, Jim, Joe, Tom and George, and three daughters, Elizabeth, who married T. J. Holmsley; Eunie, who married J. R. Lewis, and Mary, who married Joe Neely. Of the 12 children, three are living, Jim of Comanche, now nearing his 90th birthday; Mrs. Lewis of Brownwood; and Mrs. Neely of Abilene.

Four of the boys, Dave, John, Jim and George, were in the early days among the best known peace officers of the state. Dave and Jim each served Comanche county as sheriff. John was for some twenty years sheriff of Taylor county, and George served Mills county as sheriff for many years.

The late George Cunningham was the father of Mrs. Earl Clements.

### Lower Big Valley Gospel Meeting

A meeting of ten days duration will begin at Lower Big Valley Aug. 21. Evangelist W. A. Bentley of Houston will do the preaching and Clem Wesley Hoover of Burnet will lead the song service.

Come, let us reason together. The gospel is God's power to save the believer. Rom. 1-16-17. Elders: W. B. Reagan, Hugh Smith, Dr. B. C. Colvin.

### Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Cockrum Entertain Athens Class

One of the most enjoyable socials of the Athens class was held recently when Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cockrum assisted by their daughters, Misses Velma and Mary Helen, entertained with a 42 party and melon feast.

The porch and lawn were lighted in beautiful colors and tables placed. When the guests had arrived, melons were cut and a very enjoyable social hour followed.

After everyone had ample justice to the melons, we were directed to the porch where score cards were passed and began the Athens' favorite game, 42.

At a late hour we bade our host and hostess good night, expressing our appreciation for the lovely time they had given us. The lovely time they had given us.—Reporter Proteum.

### Jackson Building Again to Have U.S. Post Office

Postmaster M. Y. Stokes, Jr., has received notice from Washington that the bid of G. W. Jackson for the post office quarters has been accepted, and that he will receive a ten-year lease as soon as improvements have been made and approved.

As the post office has been in this same building at the corner of Parker and Fourth street for more than 40 years the new lease will push it past the half-century mark. There was a short interruption of occupancy in 1893 when the building and several in the same block were burned. The post office was then moved to Fisher street where Paulkner & Rudd's barber shop is now located and remained there until the present building could be rebuilt.

For many years the post office was only one-half the present size. Then the length of the quarters was increased to 52 feet. For the next ten years it will occupy the entire first floor of the present building, an addition of 25 feet in length being made. Mr. Jackson has already started making numerous improvements in the building.

A loading platform has been built at the back door. A toilet and lavatory will be installed, hardwood floors will be laid, the walls plastered and the interior painted, and new lighting and heating fixtures will be installed.

The present post office furniture and fixtures will be turned back to the owner, Mr. Jackson, and the post office department will install government owned equipment. Besides adding a number of new post office boxes and a parcel post window, there will be modern furniture and fixtures for the interior of the office which are expected to increase the efficiency of the office. The government has already furnished a modern safe, steel COD cabinet, high speed electric canceling machine, improved scales and various other items since Mr. Stokes has been postmaster, and these will be retained in the new building.

### Comanche Makes Great Improvements

The city of Comanche has completed the paving of 46 blocks through the town and work has begun on paving 14 additional blocks, which will include the construction of Highway 36 from its junction with Highway 10 on the west, also the district WPA office of Waco has approved plans for construction of a City Hall and fire station which will begin in about 90 days. The city previously voted bonds to assist in this project.

### D. Hartman Opens Auto Parts House

D. Hartman, who for the past several years has been connected with the Nichols New and Used car parts store here, has opened a similar store in the Urbach building next door to the Eagle office. He is experienced in this line of work, and invites his friends to call and see him.

### Hospital Patients

Miss Jane Wilson, aged 100, of Blanket, is receiving medical treatment in Central Texas hospital. However, her condition is not thought serious. Edge Schlee, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Schlee, Priddy, is in Medical Arts hospital for a major operation.—Brownwood Bulletin.

### Rural Electricity Given \$100,000

Washington, D. C.—A fund of \$100,000 has been earmarked for a rural power project to extend through McCulloch, San Saba, Concho, Coleman and Brown counties, the Rural Electrification Administration reported.

This is the first step in the approval of the project which will come to 400 miles of line and serve 740 customers in these counties when completed. The total allotment to be put out when needed will be \$330,000.

A cooperative will be formed in McCulloch county under the leadership of William G. Morrison of Waco to carry out the program with this partial allotment made. REA approves the project. The next step is to form the cooperative and draft plans before final approval and actual allocation of funds is made. Power may be purchased from the Brady municipal plant at 1 cent per kilowatt hour.

### Head Family Holds Reunion

On Thursday, Aug. 12, the Head family gathered at the picnic grounds near Comanche for a reunion. The parents (Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Head), all six of their children, fourteen grandchildren and one great-grandchild, were together for the happy occasion.

A bountiful feast, spread on the table beneath tall pecan trees was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Many happy diversions including singing, kodaking, swimming, 42 and other games and contests made the memorable day complete.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Head have been married 55 years. They have lived in Mills county practically all their lives and have been outstanding in the development of the county.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Head, Mrs. Viola Chappel and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Head, all of Center City; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Head and family, Lometa; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Head and son, Eastland; Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Mitchell and sons, New Braunfels; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Head and family, Brownwood, and Mr. Mrs. Charlie Sheldon and son, Star.—Contributed.

### Miss Lillian Summy Opens Piano Class

Miss Lillian Summy will teach piano in the studio of Mrs. Sam Sullivan, starting Sept. 6.

Miss Summy is an experienced pianist, having studied under such able teachers as Mrs. Pearl McCulley of Howard Payne College and Charley Froh of John Tarleton.

### Leonard Wittenburg Sells Ram at Top Price

Leonard W. Wittenburg, who recently purchased the Jeff Priddy ranch on Bull's Creek, sold the highest priced ram at the recent Junction Goat and Ram sale. Nelson L. Johnson of San Angelo paid \$75 for the ram, which sheared 38 pounds of wool and weighed 177 pounds at the age of 14 months.

Mr. Wittenburg has bought a fine Delaine ram for his flock from Bridges at Talpa and another from Ohio. He told the Eagle editor that he was delighted with the prospects for the sheep and goat business here.

### Many Improvements Are Now Underway

#### Howard Payne Looks For Banner Year

Howard Payne College will open its doors Sept. 13 with every indication of one of the largest enrollments in its history. During the spring and summer there has been carried on an extensive improvement program that is just about completed.

The new home economics department has been completed and will be added to the 27 major departments now offering more than 270 courses of study. The new department will be housed in a beautiful rock demonstration cottage and laboratory of like material fully equipped with a new and modern cooking and sewing department.

Reservations are coming in every day from all over the state of Texas as far as Pennsylvania and Washington state. Howard Payne College offers to the boy and girl of modern means a wonderful opportunity of earning part of their way while going to school. By working, a young lady can go for as little as \$242.50 for nine months, and a young man for \$212. Living expenses can be made even cheaper by light housekeeping.

Howard Payne boasts of its wonderful democratic spirit. It is known as a school where everybody is somebody.

#### Baptist Reminder

Our revival is in progress. The attendance and interest is the greatest since I have been pastor. We are anticipating a great revival.

The singing is being directed by Bro. Briley Forrester. He cannot be surpassed. Bro. Johnson is preaching with great power. He is different. If you hear him once you will want to hear him again.

We want you in Sunday school Sunday. Make your plans to be present. We want 250 present. We want 100 in BTU. Can we count on you?—Franklin E. Swanner.

#### Methodist Meeting At Center City

Pastor Geo. L. Ryan announces a meeting to begin at Center City Friday night (tonight) with Rev. Lowell Ryan doing the preaching. Announcements from the pulpit will give the hour and the song service will need the help of all good singers.

#### BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simpson gave a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of his brother, Edgar Simpson. They reported a grand time. Those present were Miss Anna Ideaus, Joe and Jim Benningfield, Mr. and Mrs. Mohlar Simpson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Denman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Simpson and daughters, Boyd Ivy, Varn Wilson, Miss Ruth Griffin, G. W. Simpson, Bob Simpson, Edgar Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simpson and daughters.

#### PRIDDY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday August 22—Sunday school and Bible class 9 a.m.; English service at Zion's church 10:15 a.m.; young peoples choir concert at Methodist church in Comanche 8 p.m. Notice: There will be no services on the fifth Sunday, Aug. 29th.—A. T. Kluge, Pastor.

#### One New Teacher Added to Faculty

September 6 has been set as the opening date for the local public schools. The faculty for this year is as follows: Primary department: Miss Ethleen Adams, Miss Grace Moore Skinner, Miss Lily May Ely and Mrs. Helen Saylor. Intermediate department: W. T. Smith, Hope Schulze, Mrs. Mary Bigham, Mrs. Doris Carothers, Miss Sallie Lee Taylor and Miss Lucy Cross.

High school: S. E. Cloninger, C. L. (Bill) Stephens, R. L. Peterson, Miss Love Gatlin, Mrs. Euna V. Barnett, Mrs. Lois Cox Marshall, Mrs. Cumile Pope Hatchett and Mrs. Zora Lee Baker.

It may be observed that Miss Lucy Cross is the only new teacher in the system. Miss Cross takes the place left vacant by the withdrawal of Miss Lou Ella Patterson and will teach penmanship and art in the elementary grades. The assignment of all the teachers will be practically the same as last year.

Superintendent Smith announces the following schedule for high school registration:

Thursday, Sept. 2: Seniors register in the forenoon, and juniors in the afternoon.

Friday, Sept. 3: Sophomores register in the forenoon and freshmen in the afternoon. Pupils in the grades will report to their respective rooms Monday morning, Sept. 6. Bus routes have been set up similar to those operated last year. All the neighboring schools that came to Goldthwaite last year by a contract agreement will return this year with the addition of the Scallorn school, which will come in this year for the first time.

Today (Friday) has been set as the day for awarding contracts for the building of additions to the schools, as provided for in the bond issue voted earlier in the summer. This building will equip both grammar school and high school buildings with improved sanitary toilets and will provide two additional class rooms for the grammar school. Supt. Smith states that he has plans in mind for as much expansion in the school system as the additional room will provide.

Indications point to the heaviest enrollment this year in the history of the local schools.

The present buildings will be thoroughly renovated and repaired prior to the date for the opening of school.

#### NOTICE

There came to this office a nice write-up of a wedding anniversary but no name was signed, so we could not use it. You must sign your real name if you want articles printed.

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### EBONY

(Too late for last week)  
Especially large crowds attended the revival here Sunday. There were three preaching services with dinner on the ground. A baptismal service was held after the afternoon service. As this letter starts to the press (Tuesday) the meeting is expected to close Wednesday night.

J. B. Jones of Brownwood writes that he will preach here Sunday morning at 11 and at 3:30 in the afternoon.

The Ridge people have attended the meeting well, and a goodly number were present Sunday. Among those whom we know were Mr. and Mrs. Will Crowder and children, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Curtis and children, Mrs. Annie Curtis, Mrs. Cummings and daughters, Edward Boyd, Miss Clovis Massey, Miss Pearl Edmonson and Mrs. Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boyd of Indian Creek attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry and two daughters of Greenville and Mr. Henry's mother of Elkins, whom they are visiting, attended church here Sunday.

Homer Jordan of San Angelo spent the week end at the Day home and attended church here Sunday.

Miss Corinne Hillhouse of Dublin is visiting Miss Dorothy Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins White and children of Brownsville came in Sunday for a visit at

the S. H. Reeves home.

Mrs. Sam Cutberth and sons of Houston are visiting her mother and sister, Mrs. Lydia Tippen and Mrs. Effie Egger, while Mr. Cutberth attends to business at Abilene. The latter part of the week Mr. and Mrs. Cutberth intend to take Mrs. Tippen with them for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Reynolds in New Mexico.

J. B. McNurien, father of Billie McNurien and Mrs. Roscoe Jones of this community died at the home of his son, Plez McNurien, at San Saba Saturday night and was buried at Locker Sunday. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Pierce of Dallas spent Saturday night at the Wilmeth home and attended church here Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Pierce's mother and sister, Mrs. H. G. Buckworth and Mrs. Ralph Wilmeth.

Mrs. C. M. Chesnutt of Bangs visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haynes, last week.

Albert Hardin of Eloy, Ariz., arrived at the Reeves home on Monday evening to join Mrs. Hardin, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross White of Oakland attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mayfield and baby June of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid and attended church here Sunday afternoon.

Trade with Goldthwaite stores

# The Rest of the Record

By James V. Allred

Mexico City, Aug. 14.—By the time you read this, we will be back in Texas, and notwithstanding the wonderful privilege it has been to visit Mexico, happy to be back home. We are particularly anxious to see little David, our second son, and baby Sam Houston.

It is difficult for us to realize that it is so hot in Texas. Mexico City is 7500 feet high and the weather is ideal. They tell us it is this way the year round—little cooler in winter than in summer. It was a little chilly for us at first—believe it or not we asked for a fire at lunch; now, however, we are accustomed to it and the weather is lovely. Occasionally when the mountain tops are clear of clouds we can see two snow capped volcano peaks in the distance.

Although Ambassador Joseph Daniels is in Europe, he wired his assistants here to insist upon our staying at the American Embassy. So here we are—and we have never been privileged to stay at a lovelier place. Our own government officials have been almost as marvelous to us as those of the Mexican government.

We have been entertained by seven governors in as many state capitols, and by officers in the president's cabinet here in Mexico. It clearly demonstrates that these people believe in the Good Neighbor policy inaugurated by President Roosevelt.

President Cardenas of Mexico is absent from the capitol. He is in the state of Yucatan, which is the most southern Mexican state, working on agrarian, or agricultural problems. He sent us a warm telegram of welcome, then commissioned the governor of this federal district to call on us officially as his representative. Mrs. Allred is visiting the president's wife today. Everywhere these people seem to realize that they have more in common with Texas than perhaps any other state; I think if we take the same position it can only result in more business and better relations for all of us.

It would be impossible in this short space to even refer to all the interesting places we have seen on this trip. I really believe we could spend a month right here in Mexico City, and not see half of all we should see. The old churches or cathedrals, the palaces, the public buildings, the theatres, the gardens, the parks, the flowers, the schools, the public markets, the people. It is the people who interest me. They are picturesque with their music everywhere, their arts, their dress which has changed but little for centuries, yet all this alongside a twentieth century civilization of modern highways, railroads, hotels, tourist camps and conveniences of every kind. We have driven over highways as well constructed and maintained as any in Texas, yet in fields adjoining they still plow with oxen and peons trudge alongside the road plying whips over the back of burros loaded with wood or cargoes larger than the beasts themselves.

The history of Mexico is as interesting as that of any nation. The struggles of the people for liberty and freedom have been just as brave, if not braver, than our own. It has been such a privilege to us to journey over the very ground traveled by Cortez, the Spanish Conqueror, hundreds of years ago; to see the palaces and the churches he built. One of the most inspiring and stupendous things we have seen was driving over the mountains to Puebla, looking out upon a valley where Cortez had built a church for everyday of the church year—360 of them, beautiful, massive things of stone with burnished domes; one built on top of a pyramid. I shan't tell you of the bull fight they staged for us. I am glad I saw one—in fact I enjoyed it, but I can't say that I want to see one again. One of the nicest entertainments

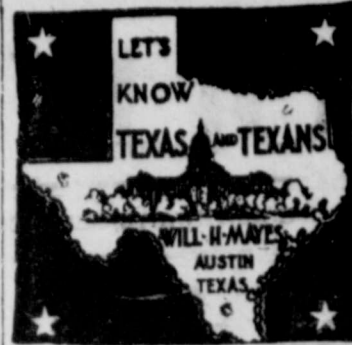
given us was yesterday at the Department of Communications. First, of course, a nice luncheon; then young ladies who worked in the department paraded before us dressed in the colorful native costumes of each of the 28 Mexican states. Then they entertained with music, songs and dances. It was better than a professional show since those who played the parts actually came from the states they represented.

We have met lots of people here from Texas. I hope more will be able to come in the future. We were particularly happy to find the Cowboy Band from Hardin-Simmons College at Abilene playing at one of the local theatres. They are also going to play at a reception given for us at the Embassy tomorrow.

We will, of course, be back in time to vote at the election on Monday, Aug. 23. Six constitutional amendments are to be voted on: All of them are important, and I hope my friends will vote for them. I am particularly interested in seeing the one adopted which will authorize the legislature to provide for payment of county officers either by salaries or fees. The present salary system hasn't worked as satisfactorily as the old fee system. It costs the taxpayers of the state 70 per cent more, and I'm interested in trying to save that money!

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
To The Sheriff or any Constable of Mills County, Greeting:  
Jim Soules, Administrator of the estate of Frank M. Soules; deceased, having filed in our County Court; his final account of the condition of the estate of said Frank M. Soules, deceased; together with an application to be discharged from said administration; and you are hereby commanded that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the County of Mills, you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate to file their objections thereto, if any they have; on or before the September term A.D. 1937, of said County Court commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said county in the City of Goldthwaite, Texas; on the 6th day of September A.D. 1937; when

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In this column answers will be given to inquiries as to Texas history and other matters pertaining to the state and its people. Address inquiries to Will H. Mayes, Austin, Texas

Q. Will you give a brief sketch of the life of Chief Justice John W. Stayton?  
A. John W. Stayton was born in Washington County, Ky., Dec. 24, 1831; graduated in law at the University of Louisville, March, 1856; came to Texas in November; lived first at La Grange, and then at Pleasanton, where he was district attorney from 1858 to 1862; served in the Confederate Army, after which he located at Clinton, DeWitt County, and formed partnership with Sam C. Lackey, Major A. H. Phillips and R. J. Kieberg, with law offices at Cuero and Victoria; was appointed associate justice of supreme court in 1881 and elected chief justice in 1888, which office he held until his death, July 5, 1894.

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said account and application will be considered by said Court.  
Witness L. B. PORTER  
Clerk of the County Court of Mills County, Texas.  
Given under my hand and seal of office in the City of Goldthwaite, Texas; on this the 11th day of August A.D. 1937.  
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sacrifice and suffering as independence.

A number of such constructive present facts in Texas history find it interesting.

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## THE EAGLE SNAPSHOTS

**Lanny Ross Returns**—Handsome microphone favorite comes back to the air as singing star of a new full hour musical comedy series over the NBC-Red Network, Tuesdays at 9:30 P.M., EDST, with comedian Charles Butterworth, soprano Florence George and Raymond Paige's orchestra.

**Odd Fellows**—Teddy, an English sheep dog, brought home a baby rabbit after a day's poaching. The rabbit is now a pet and Teddy his firm friend. They play together and Bunny ventures too far, Teddy drives him home.

**Balloon Jumping Latest Hollywood Sport**—A new and novel method of keeping that girlish figure, as illustrated by Priscilla Lawson, motion picture actress. The balloons are filled with gas and carry one high into the air when tied around each wrist and each ankle.

**Boake Carter, America's No. 1 Radio news commentator**, whose Phoenix Radio Program has been increased to fifty-nine stations from Coast to Coast, goes after his news fittingly garbed. Here he is on the stern of Sayre M. Ramsdell's sixty-footer covering the International yacht races for America's Cup. Carter is a keen yachtsman, and the water provides him with his only relief from broadcasting news writing.

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# COMMUNITY LETTERS

## CENTER POINT

The Baptist meeting conducted by Rev. C. W. McCullough of Mullin and Rev. Roger Smith began last Wednesday night and is progressing nicely.

J. D. Fallon and boys visited relatives in Red River county this week.

Bro. Roger Smith visited in the John Edlin home Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Stark and son, J. C., visited in the Craig Wesson home last week.

Miss Doris Davis from town visited Merlene Stark Saturday night.

Mrs. Joe Spinks called on her mother, Mrs. E. T. Davis Saturday.

Amy Halford and Oran and Ruthie Stark visited J. C., June and Ovella Wesson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Taylor visited his mother, Mrs. Julia Taylor, and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edlin and Rev. Roger Smith called on Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts at Rock Springs Sunday afternoon.

Ray Stark called in the C. O. Stark home Sunday.

Henry Davis visited his mother last week.

Mrs. Craig Wesson and children and Mrs. Henry Stark and son, J. C., visited Tuesday night with Mrs. Julia Taylor and children.

Zeta Lawson called on Norma Lee Harmon in the Randes home one day last week.

James Lawson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Joe Taylor.

J. C. Stark is visiting in the Taylor home.

Those who called on Mrs. E. T. Davis during the sale Saturday were: Mrs. Fred Davis, Mrs. Clifford Hammond and baby, Mrs. Woody Traylor, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. C. O. Norton, Mrs. Hubert Scrivner, Mrs. Clyde Faulkner and Ovella Wesson.

Mrs. Henry Stark is visiting

Mrs. Kate Shelton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Taylor, Mrs. Julia Taylor and daughter and J. C. Stark called on Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shelton and little son and Mrs. Kate Shelton Sunday afternoon.

Amos Shelton headed maize for Craig Wesson last week.

Betty Wesson is visiting her cousin, Barbara June Wesson.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Sam Self into our community. They have moved to the B. F. Mahan farm.

Mrs. Warren Wilson and little son spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Spinks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins are staying with her mother while her father and brothers are away.

Craig Wesson and son, J. C., and Oran Stark called in the Simpson and Martin homes on Sunday.

Everyone remember the church services and attend. The meeting will close Sunday night—Sunflower.

## ROCK SPRINGS

There wasn't any Sunday school Sunday morning—too many places to go, and others had company.

We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Ed Davis and children in the loss of her husband and father, also to the Karnes children in the loss of their mother.

While in town Saturday afternoon I was asked why there wasn't any news from here last week. Well, I took a long trip.

I went to Snyder with A. A. Downey and family to visit relatives. We found the weather just about like it is here, only hotter. They need rain. They have good crops.

Some are going to church at Goldthwaite, Big Valley and at Center Point this week.

Mrs. Homer Dogget and Ja-

## RATLER

Mrs. Jess Bradberry is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Roberts.

Jim Wilmeth and sons, Ralph and Lillard, were in our community Monday on business.

Louise Jernigan is spending the week with her brother, Malcolm.

Imaray Henry spent last week end with Janet Jernigan.

Raymond Griffith and Janet Jernigan had a birthday party on Crooked-Run Creek. They played lots of games and served ice cream and cake to everybody. Seemed to have a fine time.

Mrs. George Brooks visited friends and relatives in Snyder last week.

We are very sorry to report Mrs. Waldon Kirk is on the sick list this week. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilcox and Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Weathers took lunch in the Arthur Wilcox home Sunday.

We are glad to report little Raymond Patton is lots better.

Grandmother Scrivner is visiting in the home of W. B. Wilcox this week.

Harris Griffith visited home folks Sunday.

Mr. Rawlings of Johnson City was in this community Monday selling registered bucks and billies.

M. L. Jernigan attended the goat raisers association at Johnson City on the 10th and 11th of this month. He also bought a large bunch of registered nannies and billies.

Theta Fay Grantham is visiting Janet Jernigan.

Homer Egger and Bryan Patton went to Brownwood Tuesday.

Mrs. Taylor visited in the Kirk home Sunday.—Reporter.

Miss Ruth Warlick is working in town now. She is missed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Duey visited her mother, Mrs. Faulks of Hassie, last week. Earl Faulk returned with them for a visit.

June Knowles spent the latter part of the week with her sister, Mrs. Hugh Nelson, of Goldthwaite.

Mrs. J. T. Bledsoe, Mrs. Cas Bledsoe and Macalee Long were visitors of Mrs. Ezzell last week.

Amos Sheppard has been cotton picking in South Texas.

Everyone remember the meeting beginning Saturday night, Aug. 21, and continuing over the 24, and come. Bring someone with you.—Boots.

are liking fine.

Glenn, Dwight and James Nickols and wives from town spent the day Sunday with Mrs. Homer Doggett and Janece in their mother's home.

J. T. Robertson and wife spent Sunday with their son, Jack, and wife at South Bennett.

Landy Ellis and wife visited with the Ballards Saturday night.

Mrs. E. L. Pass is staying in town this week attending the Baptist meeting.

Shirley Nickols is back on his job at the Bird Station in town.

A. R. Kauhs and family from Bull's Creek visited his brother, Julius, and family Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. O. C. Gatlin from Brown county visited her husband Saturday and Sunday.

Duey Bohanon and wife visited in Big Valley with relatives.

I am sure I haven't told all I should tell, but I think I've told all I am sure is true. I am sure there has been more visiting, but I didn't know who visited whom they visited.—Busy Bee.

Rudolph Cooke and wife came home Friday afternoon to get peaches to can in the Mason home.

Richard Sowders and family visited in the J. C. Stark home Sunday night.

Philip Nickols helped J. F. Davis vaccinate Monday morning.

Mrs. Eula Nickols spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Dwight Nickols in town.

Joe Roberts and family, who now live in Winters, write they

## Laughing Around the World

With IRVIN S. COBB

### Past Tense But Present Mood

By IRVIN S. COBB

THERE is a writer in New York who never does today what he can put off until tomorrow. All the same, among the editors, his output is always in demand. Some time ago, in a careless moment, he took on a contract to furnish a given number of humorous articles at stated intervals for publication in a popular periodical.



One day about noon-time two of us dropped in on him at his office. We found him humped up at his desk, his coat off, his sleeves rolled up, and his pen racing across the paper.

"Come on, old man," I said, "we want to take you out to lunch with us."

"Can't go to lunch," he said, "Can't quit the job. You know how I am—if I go out to lunch with you fellows I won't get back for two or three days. I'm going to send a boy out to bring me in a cup of coffee and a sandwich."

"Can't you spare even half an hour to join us?" asked my companion.

"No, I can't. I tell you, I can't leave here until this job I'm working on now is done. There's a time limit on it and I'm under a solemn pledge to stick here until the thing is finished."

"A time limit, eh?" one of us said; "well, under your promise, what is the very latest possible date when you must deliver the manuscript?" He glanced at the calendar above his desk.

"A week ago last Tuesday," he said.

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## LOWER BIG VALLEY

A large crowd gathered Monday and rebuilt the arbor. Everything looks nice for the meeting which is to begin Saturday night, Aug. 21. Bro. Bentley will do the preaching and Bro. Clem Hoover will be in charge of the song service.

Mrs. Charlie Snyder, Mrs. Snyder and Mrs. McCurry of the Spring Creek community were in the Valley Monday looking after some graves in the cemetery.

Miss Lucille Meyers of Algert visited her aunt, Mrs. Ed Vogel, several days.

Ellis Smith of Shreveport, La., has been visiting relatives here. He visited Joe Walker and family of Medina. This week he is visiting relatives at Bunker and Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Taylor visited in the Kirk home Sunday.—Reporter.

## RABBIT RIDGE

Mrs. Marvin Spinks and her daughter called on Mrs. George Bohannon and baby this week. They reported it a very fine and good looking young lady.

Raymond Hale and family spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Tom Hale home. They attended the surprise party of Mrs. Hale's. She received many presents which was a great surprise to her. She enjoyed it immensely.

Clark Davis is staying with his grandfather, Mr. A. F. McGowan, while his grandmother is visiting her daughter in Arkansas.

Bonniefern Doggett spent Sunday with Maxine Spinks.

Mrs. F. W. Byrd spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins of South Bennett.

Raymond Hale and family spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with her father, Will Hill and family.

Maxine Spinks joined her Sunday school class on a picnic Tuesday afternoon. She reports a wonderful time.

Doc Letbetter and family spent Sunday with his parents, Gene Letbetter and family on the river.

R. H. Anderson and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and family of Big Valley.

Marvin Spinks and family are going to the Baptist meeting at town this week.

Mrs. Stanley and daughter of Mullin spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Westerman.

Robbie Moreland from town spent Saturday night with Maxine Spinks.

Wick Webb called in the R. H. Hale home Tuesday.

M. L. Spinks and wife visited Thursday night with Earl Davis and family.

Mrs. M. L. Spinks, Mrs. Austin Whitt and daughter, Margie Dell and Mrs. F. W. Byrd and children called in the R. H. Hale home Monday afternoon.

Charley Simpson and son Farrell are cutting feed for Austin Whitt this week.

Doc Letbetter and family called by Marvin Spinks' Sunday afternoon.

Little Miss Patterson from Big Valley is spending a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. R. H. Anderson.

Miss Louis Doggett from town came home with Mrs. M. L. Spinks and stayed until church Sunday night.

Dorman Westerman of Mullin called on his mother Saturday morning.—Pat.

## Piano Classes

I will open classes in Piano Monday, September 6.

Studio near School Buildings.

Mrs. A. H. Smith

## PLEASANT GROVE

We did not have church Sunday. Bro. Ryan was holding a meeting at Bethel.

Several from this community attended the Baptist meeting at Center City last week.

Mrs. Burton Leverett of Goldthwaite visited her grandmother Mrs. W. W. Berry, Tuesday.

Nelda Joyce Crawford from Mt. Olive spent last week with her cousin, Otha Loyd Crawford.

Mrs. Will Moreland, Mrs. Walker Berry, Mrs. O. Z. Berry, and daughter, Ruby D., Mrs. Melvin Crawford and son, Otha Loyd and Nelda Joyce Crawford visited in the W. W. Berry home Wednesday afternoon.

Dealvin Virden spent last week with her grandmother Collier of Center City and attended the meeting.

Mrs. Brit Berry and Novaleen Berry visited Mrs. Malissa Bryan and daughter, Fern, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. Hodges from Goldthwaite is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller went to Seagraves Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miller from Kelly accompanied them.

Mrs. Pete Miles from Payne Gap visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Howell, a few days of last week.

Troy Berry, Lee Roy Miller of Kelly, Ruby D. Berry, Willie Leston Berry and Annie Louise Shaw of Kelly visited Miss Gladys Casbeer of Center City Sunday afternoon.

Miss Elia Kelly is ill again and had to go back to a hospital in Brownwood Monday afternoon.

Miss Edith Covington and L. C. Covington returned from New Mexico Friday.

Ray Berry and family went to Stephenville Monday. Mrs. O. Z. Berry accompanied them as far as Comanche, where she visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Berry visited Grandmother Steele of Moline Thursday afternoon.

Oran Irwin came home one day last week after spending a few days in New Mexico.

Duce Wilkey went to Santa

## SCALLOP

We have been cloudy cool weather. It is still dry and

Mrs. Cora Ford for Junction where it her sister had

Mrs. Lalla Reed spent the week at home of Mr. and

Rachel Ford returned Sunday from Gal

Austin where she is visiting her brothers, Ford and Dr. Har

and sister, Mrs. D

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Mr. and Mrs. Rob

Sonora visited last home of Mr. and

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Mrs. Burton Leverett

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W. W. Berry and Mrs.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chade

and son, Troy, went to

ville Tuesday.—Fanny P

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**SOUTH BENNETT**

Mrs. Morgan Stacy was sick the early part of last week but is up again now.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hill and son, Charles Wilbur, spent Sunday at Austin visiting their son and brother, Forest, who is attending school at that place.

Mrs. M. L. Casbeer and three daughters, and Miss Evelyn Covington returned last week from several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. English in Fort Worth. They report a grand time.

Walter Simpson and family are enjoying a new Terraplane, which they purchased last week.

Guy Laughlin and family, the Welch family, Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Warren, Doc Laughlin and family, Morgan Stacy and family, Birtel Roberts, A. M. Shaw, Joe Adams and wife and possibly others whose names I failed to get enjoyed Saturday night on the river.

Bedford Kuykendall and family were guests in the C. H. Black home one night last week.

M. L. Casbeer and family dined with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Casbeer, Sunday. In

**BIG VALLEY**

A nice crowd attended Sunday school Sunday morning. The revival began Sunday night with a large audience in attendance. All the visitors were greatly appreciated and have a standing invitation to come back at any time.

The BTU enjoyed a social in the C. W. Lawson home Tuesday night. Everyone was very sorry Mrs. Lawson happened to a very serious accident just before dark and was unable to attend the party. She stuck a needle in her foot and had to go to San Saba and have a doctor cut it out. Therefore she and Mr. Lawson missed the party, but since it was too late to call off the affair, a large crowd came and had a fine time. Mrs. Lawson's foot is doing nicely, for which we are all very glad.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ramsey and son of Plainview called by the Weaver home Tuesday. Mr. Ramsey is a cousin of the Weaver family. He had not visited the old place in a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Ham of Stephenville were looking over the Crockett, Weaver and Robertson fruit orchards Tuesday.

Mrs. Sam McClane and three children from California and Mrs. Talmadge Palmer of Albany, Texas, are visiting their sister, Mrs. Ben Long and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Stephens and children from San Saba county called by the Lawson home after Sunday school Sunday.

Griff McConal of Kermit spent a few hours Thursday in the Cockrell and McConal homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Holly Haynes and son, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cherry of McGregor visited the Weaver fruit orchard Thursday afternoon.

Yvonne and Beverly Bohannon of Arlington are visiting in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nelson. — Blue Jay.

the afternoon M. L. and wife accompanied by his mother, Mrs. B. R. Casbeer, visited Mrs. Malcolm Jernigan and baby.

Doc Laughlin and family have a new Chevrolet car. Henry Simpson and Aaron Stacy made a trip to Llano Sunday.

Harve Miles had his goats sheared last week. Clyde Featherston and family and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Casbeer and children called in the Stacy home late Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Covington visited in the Dick Griffin home at Live Oak Sunday. They also visited her sister, Mrs. Emma Casbeer, at Center City on Sunday afternoon.

Walter Simpson and family and Edgar Simpson attended the Simpson reunion at the Roy Simpson home Sunday.

Mrs. Dan Covington spent one day recently with Mrs. Claud Smith.

Lorene Covington of Pleasant Grove is spending this week with Valeria Stacy.

James Hill and family were guests in the Bedford Kuykendall home Tuesday.

Evelyn Covington, Valeria Stacy, Lorene Covington, Ruby D. Kuykendall, Henry Simpson, Aaron Stacy, J. M. Stacy, Jr., and Doward Simpson visited a while with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Casbeer Tuesday night.

Mrs. Walter Simpson made calls in the Willis Hill and Dan Covington homes Monday morning.

George Wayne Featherston visited Dalton Laughlin Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Casbeer and children visited in the Willis Hill home a short while Friday night.

A friend of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Morris from Cherokee is visiting with them this week.

Florine Simpson is visiting Ruth Griffen at Live Oak this week.

M. L. Casbeer has been helping Clyde Featherston head maize. — Rose Bud.

**CHAPPEL HILL**

We are yet wishing for a cool rain. We think maybe the thermometer wouldn't register so high afterwards.

We are sorry to report this week that Mrs. E. E. Eakin is in a serious condition, suffering with heart trouble and is at her mother's at Pioneer for treatment, also that Miss Emma Rosentretter is in a critical condition at the home of her sister, Mrs. Rhinhart Buife. She has been at Brenham for the past month for treatment but returned home about 10 days ago.

C. M. Braunblett had a new Farmall delivered to his place one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ivy enjoyed a few days vacationing, and camping on the Colorado river last week.

Willis Aubrey Crook attended the three days FFA encampment at Richland Springs last week. Seven FFA classes from different schools were represented including Goldthwaite. They report a grand time with plenty of fun and eats. Willis Aubrey says Tulley Lee is the best cook there is.

The Crooks and Evans had as their guests part of last week and over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Reed and granddaughter, Bettye Jeane Cook, and Mrs. Lewis Hamilton and son, Willis, from Haskell and Tom Hall and daughter, Marie, Lyle Hall and two sons and Clayton Crook from Dallas.

Clayton Crook has recently accepted a position with Avery & Sons Implement Company at Dallas.

Marie Hall, Jake Davis, Riley Bratton, Catherine and Clayton Crook visited Bernice Traylor in the Rock Springs community for awhile Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans had a pleasant surprise Monday morning when Walter Taylor and his wife from Phoenix, Ariz., drove up. Bro. Taylor is a lifetime friend and old neighbor of the Evans family. He is now pastor of the First Baptist Church at Phoenix and has been living there for a number of years.

Hard times and dry weather may not be the cause of frowns on our faces here very much longer as we have a man here leasing land to drill for oil.

Kathleen Walker is now living in Priddy helping in the telephone office.

Hazel and Pauline Eakin spent one day last week with Catherine Crook.

A spider bit Charlie Karnes one day last week and for several days he was in a critical condition but is much better now. — Ditto.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mills County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon:

Henry Mundell, Mrs. Florence E. McCall and husband, M. D. McCall, D. J. Phillips and wife, Mrs. D. J. Phillips, Mrs. F. E. Prince and husband, A. A. Prince, and the unknown heirs, legal representatives and devisees of each and all of the above named persons, all alleged to be deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Mills County, Texas, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Goldthwaite, Texas, on the fourth Monday in September A.D., 1937, the same being the 27th day of September A. D., 1937, then and there to answer a Petition filed in said Court on the 10th day of August A. D., 1937, in a suit numbered on the Docket of said Court Number 2527, wherein C. A. King is Plaintiff and Henry Mundell, Mrs. Florence E. McCall and husband, M. D. McCall, D. J. Phillips and wife, Mrs. D. J. Phillips, Mrs. F. E. Prince and husband, A. A. Prince, and the unknown heirs, legal representatives and devisees of each and all of the above named persons, all alleged to be deceased, are defendants; said petition alleging substantially as follows:

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The Henry Mundell survey number 22 on the waters of Pecan Bayou, a tributary of the Colorado River, about ten miles N 65 West from Goldthwaite, by virtue of Headright Certificate No 235 issued to said Mundell by the Board of Land Commissioners for Texas County. December 28th, 1846.

Beginning S 45 W 250 vrs and S 45 E 500 vrs from the East corner of the C. Devan survey No. 289, from which an Elm brs N 65 W 6 vrs & brs S 88 E 18 vrs;

Thence S 45 E 728 vrs a stone mound on the N E line of survey No. 5 in the name of Archibald Thompson;

Thence N 45 E 728 vrs to a stake;

Thence N 45 W 728 vrs to a stake;

Thence S 45 W 728 vrs to the place of beginning. Bearings marked H, and containing 94 acres of land.

That on the day and year last aforesaid, the defendants entered upon the said premises and ejected the Plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withhold from him the possession thereof to his damage in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars.

Plaintiff further alleges title to the said land under and by virtue of the statute of five and ten years limitation, as is more fully set out in Plaintiff's Petition on file herein, and the nature of the defendants title or claim to the said land is unknown to him.

Plaintiff prays Judgement for the title and possession of the said land, and that he be quieted in his title thereto, and that the cloud cast upon the title of the Plaintiff to the said land by the claim of the defendants be removed and held for naught and for such other and further relief to which he may be en-

titled in law or equity. Herein Fall Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness B. J. Keese, Clerk of the District Court of Mills County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Goldthwaite, Texas, this the 10th day of August A.D., 1937.

B. J. KEESE, Clerk of the District Court Mills County, Texas. 8-20-47

Just arrived John Deere 5-Asc tillers for Model B Tractor. Steen & Son.

Plenty of Cotton sack and Wagon Sheets.—Steen & Son. Trade with Goldthwaite store.

Luther O'Quinn is able to be up and is doing nicely. He and his family and his daughter, Mrs. Lee George and small son arrived Wednesday to visit relatives for a few days.

Little Miss Jeffery Ann McKinney left with her grandmother, Mrs. Jeff Bates, Wednesday for Gatesville for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Laird are the proud parents of a ten and one-half pound baby girl, named Jo Ann.

L. A. Moon made a business trip to Brownwood Wednesday afternoon.

Lorena Ann Moon has been quite sick the past few weeks, but is improving nicely now.

**Lillian Summy**  
Teacher of Piano

Pupil of Mrs. Pearl McCulley of Howard Payne College and Mr. Charley Froh of John Tarleton College announces the opening of her studio September 6.

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HOW ABOUT THE AMENDMENTS?

For a good many years Texas voters resolutely voted down every amendment that was offered for the Constitution. In the last two elections, however, a majority of the amendments has carried. So far as the six proposed amendments that will be voted on next Monday are concerned, we believe less harm would result if all are turned down than if all are added to the Constitution.

**Banking Amendment.** Two years ago when the federal government set up the FDIC to insure individual bank deposits up to \$5000 in all national banks, the double liability of national bank stockholders was repealed. Now the state banks which are eligible for voluntary membership in the FDIC, are asking that the double liability of their stockholders be also withdrawn. The trouble with this is that membership in the FDIC would still be voluntary for the state banks. To the stockholders in strong, conservatively managed state banks such as the one in Goldthwaite, the double liability is not seriously objectionable. It is the weaker banks whose stockholders are operating on the proverbial shoestring already who are clamoring loudest for this change. Writing in the Texas Weekly, Dale Miller prophesies that unless this amendment carries, many state banks in Texas will change to national banks. This fear is unfounded for the very banks which most desire relief from double liability would also dislike the restrictions imposed by compulsory membership in the FDIC and Federal Reserve System.

**Destitute Children and Needy Blind Amendments.** Two of the proposed amendments enable the state to take advantage of the federal subsidies of destitute children and the needy blind as provided in the Social Security Act. Texas is already participating in all of the other provisions of the act, but is so far unable to raise sufficient money to pay Old Age Pensions to all who have been deemed worthy to receive them. It would appear foolhardy to assume still greater liabilities without specific provision for raising the necessary funds by taxes. Through the various church, lodge and state orphanages, the destitute children are already being provided for, and the Blind Institute is seeking to make the blind self-supporting. These amendments are laudable, but until the state of Texas can take care of its needy aged they should not be adopted.

**Fee System Amendment.** This amendment does not directly affect the citizens of Mills county, but applies to those with populations of 20,000 and over. Just two years ago we were hearing of the abuses of the fee system and were urged to vote the straight salary system. Now some of the same people are claiming that the officers have raised their salaries to the point where the counties will go bankrupt or that officers are on sit down strikes because they will get their salaries whether they work or not. It appears to us what these counties need is not a return to the fee system with its encouragement of heedless and often unjustified arrests, but better officers.

**Harris County Amendment.** This amendment affects Harris county exclusively and we are opposed to it for that reason. If Harris county should have the right to revise its local road-building system, so should every other county. We think it a waste of the people's time and money to cause a statewide vote on a local issue. If the proposition cannot stand up on its own merits for all counties, it should be turned down.

**Tax Amendment.** This amendment is double-barrelled. It provides that no property shall be assessed for ad valorem taxes at more than its fair cash value. This is already a law on the statute books, and we can see no necessity for incorporating it in the constitution. Apparently it is bait to secure the adoption of the other section which would provide a discount of 1% on taxes paid before January 1, 2% if paid before December 1, and 3% if paid before November 1. This is equivalent to 12 per cent a year. The larger taxpayers would naturally take advantage of it. The small taxpayer would not make enough saving to make it worthwhile. In effect this will offer a subsidy to the large taxpayers as they could well afford to borrow the money to pay in advance and secure the 1% per month discount.

While none of the amendments are of sufficient importance to get worked up about, it will be to the best interest of the people of Texas, in our opinion, if all of them are voted down.

Old Timers Corner

So far as the Eagle knows, the oldest resident in Mills county who was born here, and the only one who graduated from school in the same house where he was born is Joe Curtis. Mr. Curtis was born in 1863 on Simm's Creek in what was then

The WEEKLY CONSTITUTIONAL by MAX BERN

The Federal Judiciary

What courts constitute the federal judiciary?

Our Constitution specifies in Article III that "the judicial power of the United States shall be vested in one Supreme Court, and in such inferior courts as the Congress may from time to time ordain and establish."

There can be only one court that is Supreme and our Constitution provides for that. But as the number of inferior courts must be accommodated to the changing extent and population of the country, our Constitution leaves the establishing of these to Congress.

The Judiciary Act of 1789 established the first of such courts consisting of three Circuit Courts (now changed to Circuit Courts of Appeal) and thirteen District Courts. Gradually Congress increased the number of courts and of judges, the greatest increases occurring during the flood of federal cases in the prohibition era. There are now ten Circuit Courts of Appeal, 86 District Courts of original jurisdiction, with District Courts also in Alaska, Hawaii, Porto Rico and the Canal Zone. In general, a case originates in a District Court, may be appealed to

a Circuit Court of Appeals and if warranted may be appealed to the Supreme Court. Besides these main secondary courts there are the Court of Claims



to hear claims against the federal government, and the Customs Court which is empowered to hear appeals from the Court of Claims and appeals from decisions made by the patent office.

In addition there also are federal agencies with quasi-judicial powers such as the Interstate Commerce Commission and Federal Trade Commission.

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CONNALLY SEEKS LOANS FOR COTTON FARMERS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Senator Tom Connally addressed the senate last week in an effort to obtain loans for farmers on their cotton; such loans to permit the farmer to hold his cotton for a better price, yet have funds to pay his obligations.

Believing that the power for the making of such loans existed and should be exercised, Senator Connally said, "The commodity Credit Corporation not only has the authority, but has the money, with which to make the loans. The loans ought to be made, not next year, but now act in October, but now, because now is the time there is need for them."

"The theory back of the loans provided for has been to make the loans at such figure as would tend to stabilize or flatten out that price over the whole year rather than to force the farmer to take the very low price which he has to take when he sells his cotton, because at that time he is in debt and wants to meet his bank payments and pay the doctor and perhaps the preacher, and settle his store account. He has to meet his payments, and the only way he has of meeting is to sell his cotton, and sell it immediately."

When discussion arose of returning to Washington in the fall to enact a general farm bill, Senator Connally stated, "It will be entirely agreeable with me to come back in October if the Agricultural Committees of the two houses have a farm bill ready at that time."

During his remarks Senator Connally stated that the Agricultural Adjustment Act had aided in raising the price of cotton but that the reduction of the gold content of the dollar did more to raise the price of cotton than all the other legislation enacted. Senator Connally was the first member of the Senate to advocate reduction of the gold content of the dollar, urging that action in congress a year before the administration took that step.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

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

EAST AND WEST

Japan, pushing belligerently into the ancient capital of China, expects the incident to provoke a declared state of war. So the Premier warns in Tokyo. In China, a hapless country probably wishes to know what else China has had for the years past in dealing with Japan, except war.

Twenty-three years ago, Austria declared war on Serbia, lighting the match to a terrible conflagration that lasted a little more than four years in Europe. It involved the world. It prepared the way for present Japanese aggrandizement. But the Japs were on the outskirts of the holocaust, profiting by it, learning few of the somber lessons that were impressed on less fortunate humanity.

Austria had had its "incident" too, the assassination of the Archduke of Serajevo exactly a month earlier than the declaration. What happened between times is still debatable. But in final analysis, superannuated Franz Josef, the man who had it in his power to say no, said yes. Someone in Japan has the authority to say no today.

The negative may not be invoked. If not, what will happen is mere speculation. Common sense says that Japanese will win. But the might is in training and armament. Numbers are on the other side and China is no longer entirely helpless.

The man in Tokyo who can say no might take a look at the map of Europe, changed by four years of catastrophe. He might study world economics, still upset after 24 years of trying to repair 1914 errors. He might think of dynasties overturned, of once humble men who have been jockeyed into importance deaths, on total military casualties in excess of 37,000,000, on too great for their talents but not for their egotism. He might look back on 8,538,315 battle civilian hardships that ran the total casualty list up to a figure equal about half the population of these United States.

He can still say no.—Dallas News.

HIT-RUN DRIVERS

The hit-run driver, who frequently is a murderer as well as a motorist, apparently is running wild on the highways of Texas. During the past three months, 81 persons have been left gravely hurt or dying beside Texas highways while the drivers responsible for their injuries sped away. Nineteen deaths in the three months were attributed by the state department of public safety to the murderous technique of the hit-runners. Apparently the only way the hit-run menace may be eliminated is through more stringent penalties. Penitentiary terms of from five to 20 years would have a deterring effect.

The accident record for Texas during the past three months is far from cheering. The death list contains 428 names. Four motorists or pedestrians were killed every day. With heavy vacation travel beginning, the toll is rising rapidly. This unsavory record was compiled at a time when strenuous safety campaigns were being carried on in nearly every city and town of the state, when the state legislature was passing a more stringent drivers license law and when safety was kept constantly before the public. Apparently we need stricter law enforcement throughout Texas, not only in the cities but on the highways.—Hamilton Herald-Record.

MIRTH IN THE AFTERNOON

Mr. A. P. Herbert who, besides being an M. P., is an English author whose humor is justly celebrated, remarked lately that the most difficult time to be funny is between 3 and 4 in the afternoon. It seems a little unfair that great humorists in their efforts to leave "footprints on the sands of time" should have a difficulty, beyond that of other great men, with the sand that runs through the hour-glass between 3 and 4 o'clock. However, they can rise to the occasion; and those of us who go to matinees at the theater will agree that the hour can produce the man.

But since "a jest's prosperity lies in the ear of him that hears it," it may be we, the world at large, who are really being indicted. Are we dull in the afternoon? Most of us are busy, certainly, at that time and perhaps prone to consider humor as out of season—yet when it comes to us then, is it not more appreciated as a delicacy? Does it not come with that element of surprise that is an essential factor in humor?

Why may not always be welcome; but humor, of the genuine, kindly sort always finds us at home, whether its call is an afternoon call or not. Let us hope therefore, that our humorists will not be unduly dismayed by any maxims that bid them look upon "the dial." Like Touchstone, "with lack-luster eye"—perhaps they will rather, adapt Benedek's phrase to them selves, and not let "sentences, and these paper bullets of the brain, awe a man from the career of his humor."—Christian Science Monitor.

"WE MISS YOU, DADDY"

Following a fatal highway accident recently in which a man was killed, a medical examiner searching the pockets of the dead man for marks of identification, found a telegram.

The message while nothing out of the ordinary, was one that would make any father happy. It read: "We miss you, daddy. When are you coming home?"

It was signed by the two children of the accident victim.

The man had received the telegram and was on his way home when the tragedy overtook him. What a blow it must have been when he did arrive home. He will be missed by those children, not for a day but for many long years to come.

Highway tragedies today are not rare occurrences but everyday events. So drive that no act of yours will deprive your child or any other child of his father. When inclined to transgress the rules of the road, remember that poignant message: "We miss you, daddy. When are you coming home?"—Waco Record.

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OKLAHOMA

"Texas and Oklahoma have been flirting of levying a state balance their ponder well the tax in the name of Oklahoma." Post points out, affluent citizens of the north are bags and moving Worth and Houston with the pro-tighter federal in the prospect of the state government distasteful to upland Oklahomans."

At least one special sessions of the legislature will be held before the fall, designed to finance increased state taxes next two years. It is one of three sources of additional funds that seem to be there are many are said to favor a look long and call Oklahoma's experience from it. When a state becomes a citizens move to and that is what is just now in Oklahoma.

It is worthwhile however, that we are not the only before oppressive situations. Business avoid states whose rules are unreasonable wants to retain all es and industries, more; but if a pesonome taxation is desire will be defeated by the golden eggs is the situation. Just survival of industry is the country and the dreds of enterprises searching for new where their operations probably conducted that welcome in-nice speeches by the and banquets by the of Commerce, and their operations by tory taxation, will not of them.

State taxation, a constitution, must be uniform. If it is burdensome upon individuals or commercial enterprises, it feat its own purpose. Legislature should keep the mind next September convenes in a special session.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Almost half the total production of Texas earns a living from cotton. In 223 of Texas' 254 counties one-sixth of the population is employed directly by the petroleum industry. This means that more than one-third of the people are left for other things.

Keep up with the times don't get ahead of you.

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A good flight is better than a bad fight.

CLANCY'S KIDS



By PERCY L. MURPHY

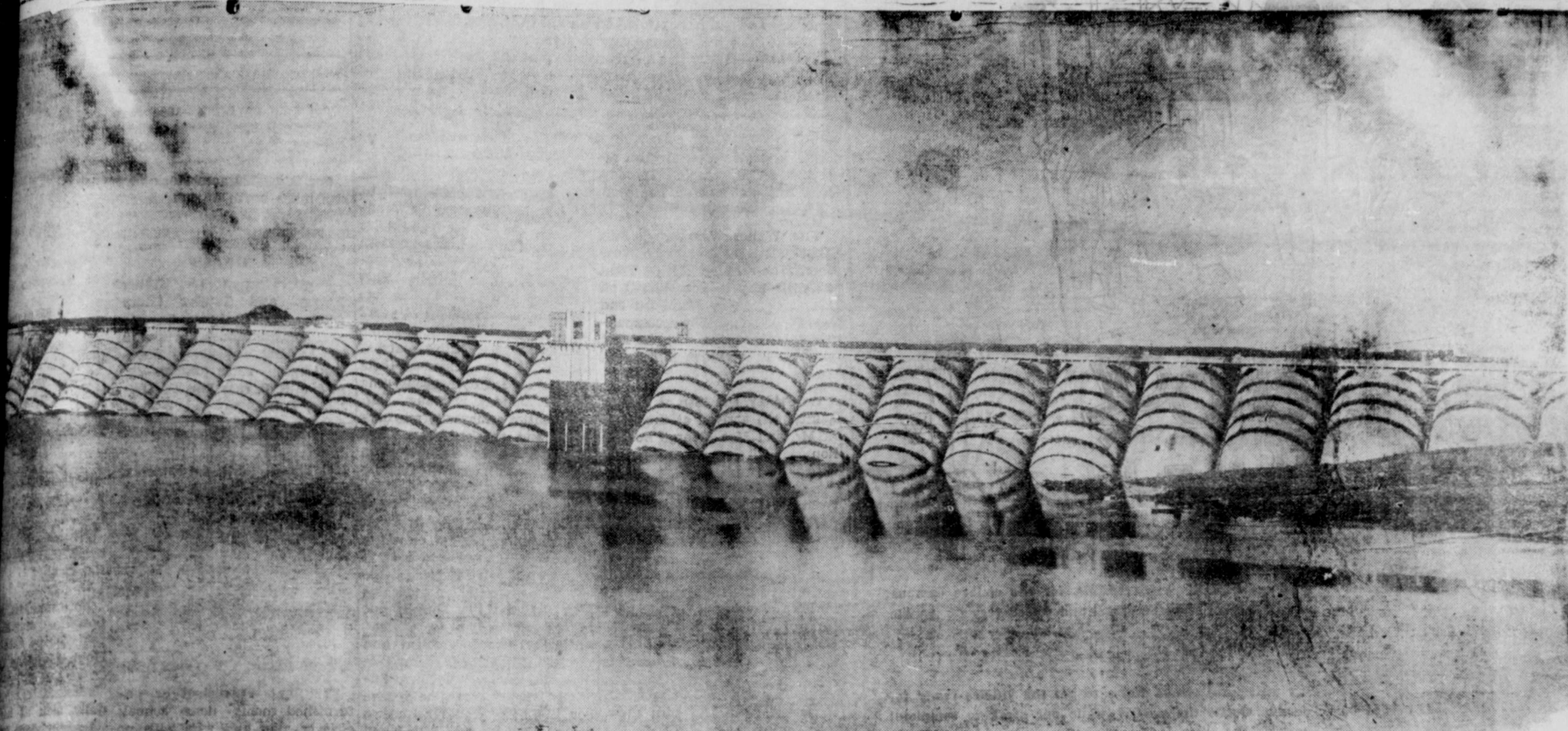
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That the bulldog originally called butcher's hound, because it was employed to catch and detain cattle, and then they could be reached until they could be reached.



# Nichanan Dam To Harness Colorado River's Destructive Flood Waters



completion of the dam construction by the Marshall Ford Dam looks into the attention of the public, a completed, imposing structure architectural accomplishment which will lead to the establishment of new industries and manufacturing plants as well as the development of an unrivaled irrigation system for the South Texas fields. Measuring 11,200 feet from end to end, the dam is somewhat L-shaped in appearance and rises to a maximum height of 160 feet. The structure will form a lake of 34 square miles backing up the river for a distance of 30 miles and creating the largest fresh water lake in Texas. After being stocked with fish, the lake will become a veritable fisherman's paradise, attracting the sportsmen of the world and the summer vacationists from far and near.

## NEIGHBORING NEWS

FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

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### Comanche

The annual Cunningham reunion will be held at their historical camp grounds Sunday and Monday. This is one of the oldest reunions in Texas and has had much to do with making Comanche county one of the most popular homes of reunions of any county in Texas, or as for that matter, we believe in the whole U. S. A.

Kirksey wears off John A. Mohon's big shirt. Yeah, Johnnie Mohon finally found a man large enough to wear the E. & W. Shirt displayed in the window of his store this week. J. W. Kirksey of Brownwood, who is 6 feet and 4 inches tall and weighs approximately 300 pounds, was man enough to wear off the size 20 shirt that Mr. Mohon had offered to give to any man that it would fit.

A fourteen ounce tomato that was raised in the city limits of Comanche was brought to the Chief office Wednesday morning by T. J. Davis, local blacksmith. Mr. Davis said that the tomatoes in his garden had never been watered.

A wedding of much interest was that of Miss Kathryn Eanes daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Eanes of Comanche, and J. Frank Harlan of Kermit, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harlan of Temple. The couple was married at the bride's home Wednesday, July 28, at 10 o'clock.

Work is one-third completed on the new brick and tile Energy school building. The new construction will have three rooms and a large auditorium. The outside walls of the building are already completed.

John Duncan, whose name is closely connected with the land grants of Comanche and Comanche county, died at his home at Columbus, Colorado county, Texas, this week at the advanced age of 99.

Rev. H. J. Sanders of Comanche read the ceremony for the marriage of Miss Kalene Coker and J. P. Beaty Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Funeral services were held at 4 o'clock Sunday, July 25, for Mrs. Margaret Smart of Comanche who passed away Saturday afternoon in a Brownwood hospital after a ten days' illness.

Miss Jewel Taylor of Comanche and Ulmer Burleson of Sipe Springs were married Saturday afternoon in Yuma, Ariz.

The marriage of Miss Dorothy Foster and John Robertson, both of Comanche, took place at 9 o'clock Sunday morning at the altar in First Methodist church of Commerce.—Chief.

### Lampasas

Little Patsy Tissell, daughter of Ed Tissell, died Wednesday about 12:00 o'clock from burns received when she fell in a tub of hot water. The accident occurred Tuesday morning about 10:30 when the child was playing around where her grandmother was washing and accidentally fell in the hot water. She was rushed to the local hospital but no hopes were given for her recovery.

Funeral services were conducted Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock in St. Mary's Catholic church by Father Louis LeBlanc for Timothy Robert O'Keefe, who died early Sunday morning at his home here.

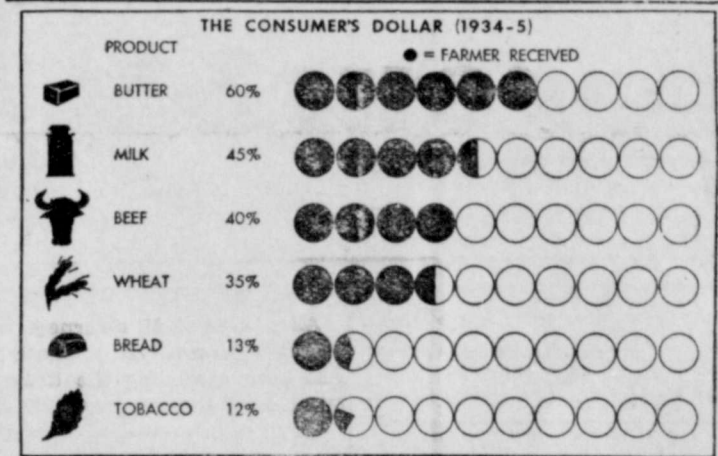
Mr. O'Keefe had only been confined to his bed for a few days before his death which was caused by heart trouble.

C. P. Warner, age 65, passed away Sunday, Aug. 8, at the Southern Pacific Hospital in Houston. Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Lake Victor.

Miss Ruby Flanagan and Roger Carpenter were married Saturday night, Aug. 7, at 8 o'clock at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Lambert. Rev. Lambert read the beautiful single ring ceremony. The bride was attended by Mrs. G. C. Barnett, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Lambert. She was becomingly dressed in a black and white dress suit with white accessories. Mr. Carpenter was attended by G. C. Barnett.

Miss Iris Higgins entertained at her home Tuesday night at 8 o'clock with a lingerie shower and bridge party honoring Miss Annie Louise Berry, who will be married on Sept. 5 to Earl Horton.—Leader.

## What Is the Farmer's Share?



A recent investigation of farm income by the Federal Trade Commission shows that the dairy farmer receives a substantial portion of the consumer's dollar.

For milk, 50 per cent of the consumer's dollar went to the farmer, minus transportation from the farm. The figures indicate that the transportation item averaged around 5 per cent, leaving an average return of 45 per cent for the farmer. This is a larger share for the producer than generally credited by the layman.

For butter, the farmer got about 60 per cent of the price the consumer paid, for beef about 40 per cent, for wheat about 35 per cent of the bread dollar and for tobacco 12 per cent.

### LLANO RANCHER CREDITED FOR MESQUITE ERADICATION

Llano.—While the eradication of mesquite timber in Llano county is a part of the government range program, there is one Llano farmer-ranchman who deserves credit for his foresight in this connection and for being several years ahead of the times.

He is Erwin Bauer, who four years ago started the work on his mesquite timber on 250 acres of his farm last summer.

The work he has done this year includes 230 acres classified under the government program as medium, and which was done in about 15 days with practically a 100 per cent kill. From his experience he has found that land not being sapped by mesquite brush will run a third more stock.

Bauer recently demonstrated his four year old program of mesquite eradication for a group of interested ranchmen from neighboring counties. He paints only two or three inches of the trunk with kerosene and makes sure that oil runs into the ground around the trunk.

It has been found that the young slick trees often take 30 days to die, and some of them go as long as 60. Most of the larger rough bark trees die in about a week or less.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

### Hamilton

Tuesday night at 10 o'clock W. P. Lawson Gin turned out the first bale of cotton grown in Hamilton county this year. It weighed 383 pounds, and was grown by B. M. Muse on his farm five miles from Hamilton on the Shive road.

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the C. S. Manning home near the highway barns on the Comanche road at the edge of Hamilton Sunday morning at 11:30. The loss was partially covered by insurance.

Three hundred representatives of towns along Highway 36, which extends from Abilene to Freeport, convened here Tuesday, Aug. 10, to make the most successful meeting of Highway 36 Association since its organization over four years ago.

Contract will be let to build a new brick gymnasium in Pottsville Aug. 30, and construction will begin as soon as possible thereafter. Bonds were voted for \$15,000 there Saturday for the purpose of constructing the gym and repairing the present school plant. The bond issue carried by a vote of 89 to 5.

In a ceremony performed at the home of the bride's parents Sunday morning at 8:30 by Rev. W. P. Cunningham of Meridian, Miss Maxine Hudleston became the bride of Eugene Ebers of Waco.

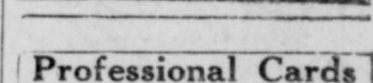
Mr. and Mrs. Grady Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Davis spent the week end in Goldthwaite with Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Bradford.

Miss Charlene Malone of El Centro, California, who has been visiting Miss Billy Margaret Santly here, is spending the week in Goldthwaite with Miss June Perryman.—News.

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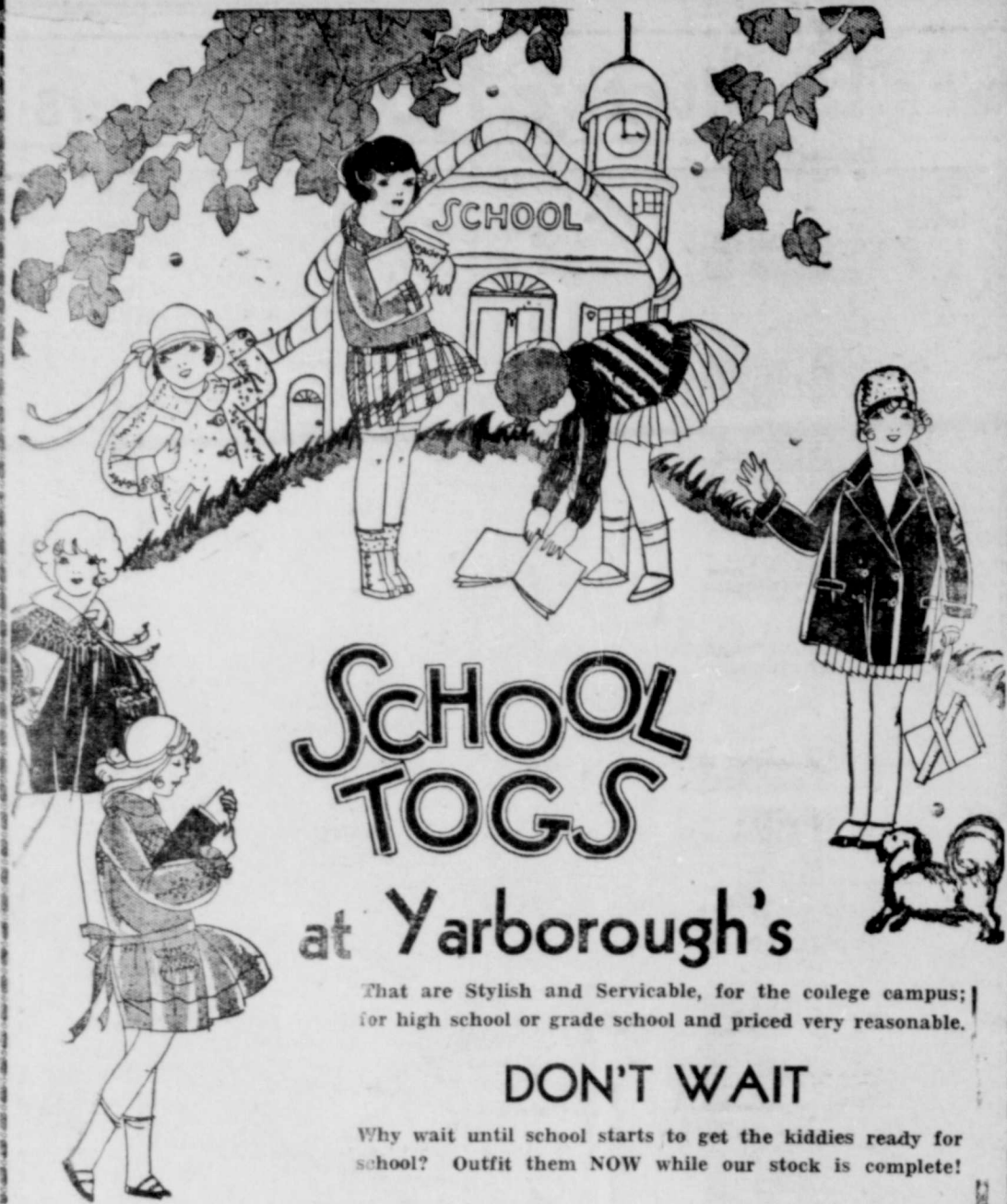
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## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Madaline Dennis took her father, Frank Dennis, to Brownwood to be checked over at the hospital Thursday. Mrs. Hugh Moreland accompanied them.

Randall Garrett of Star, who has been quite sick for several weeks, was taken to Sealy hospital at Santa Anna Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elam Berry of Pleasant Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Nesbit and son of Lometa went to Taylor Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Robbins. Mr. Robbins is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sanders and daughter, Jean Ann of Arlington spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Ashley, and other relatives.

## LYRIC

**THEATRE**  
Brownwood, Texas

Friday-Saturday  
Fred MacMurray  
Frances Farmer  
Charlie Ruggles  
in  
"EXCLUSIVE"  
Midnight Show Saturday  
Sunday-Monday-Tuesday  
Shirley Temple  
Victor McLaglen  
in  
"WEE WILLIE WINKIE"  
Wednesday-Thursday  
Robert Montgomery  
Marion Davies  
in  
"EVER SINCE EVE"  
Coming Soon  
"BROADWAY MELODY OF 1938"

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pearce of Coleman visited Hugh Moreland and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Crews (nee Louise Hammond) and daughter, Betty Lou, of Eldorado, Kan., who are on their way to Carlsbad Caverns and Colorado, stopped Tuesday and Wednesday with her uncle, H. G. Bodkin, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith and daughter, Neta V. of Lampasas were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Obie Tumlinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Rahl and daughter of San Angelo are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Rahl.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burnet moved last week to the house they recently purchased on Fisher Street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beck arrived Saturday from McComey to spend their vacation with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schooler spent Sunday in Ballinger and San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ford and granddaughter, Sarah Dell Scott left Saturday for a visit in Abilene.

Miss Kathleen Gardner of Dallas arrived last week to visit with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Campbell, for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson and daughter of San Antonio stopped over for an hour this week to see her cousin, Mrs. Claude Saylor, and other relatives.

Allen Campbell returned on Thursday from Austin, where he has been attending the University during the summer.

Mr. Sam McClain's children from California are here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Henry have a new nine and one-half pound boy. He arrived Monday afternoon, Aug. 16.

Mrs. J. J. Adams and family of Abilene are visitors of Mrs. L. J. Gartman at Lake Merritt this week.

Plenty of Cotton sack and Wagon Sheets.—Steen & Son.

Mrs. Jeff Bates of Gatesville arrived Monday to spend several days with her daughter, Mrs. Rufus McKinney, and family.

Mrs. Ray Ford and daughter, Ray Ann, are visiting with relatives in Fort Worth.

Rex Clements of Belton visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clements, for a few days this week.

Ed Harper is building some new rent houses in the western part of town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holderness of Odessa arrived Sunday on their vacation for a few days visit with relatives. They left Tuesday.

Jake Harrison is in Beverly Hills, Calif., with Howard Trent. He has taken extra parts in four big productions, "Old Chicago," "All Baba," "Marco Polo" and "Wells Fargo." At present he is George Brent's body guard.

Mrs. Ed Gilliam who under went a major operation in a Brownwood hospital last week, is getting along as well as could be expected. Mr. Gilliam is with her.

## THE WOODPECKER

A Woodpecker was peckin' on our post oak tree  
If he found a bug, you couldn't prove it by me.  
He'd rest a while, then he'd peck some more,  
Finally, deciding there was nothing in store  
He flew away and I hadn't seen him since  
'Till I found him peckin' on an old rail fence.  
He winked his eye and says to me:  
'This is better peckin' than your post oak tree.

—ROG.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Hudson returned from Temple Tuesday. Mrs. Hudson is much improved.

Mrs. Walter Weatherby, Mrs. Annie Little, Misses Billie Weatherby and Mary Ellen Trent on their way to Fort Worth on Monday went by Hamilton and Mrs. Clyde Weatherby accompanied them for the day to Fort Worth. They returned Tuesday.

On Friday, the 13th of August, a little girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bohannon.

Sam Fraizer of Lubbock arrived Wednesday to visit a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Berry and other relatives.

Mrs. Walter Moreland received last week a paper from her home in Iowa showing a picture of a stalk of corn that had grown 16 feet and 6 inches high. On a ladder by the stalk of corn is Joe Kelly, publisher of the Batavia, Ia., News. Isaac Ogden, on whose farm the corn grew, says the ordinary stalks in the field are 15½ feet high. Iowa grows wonderful corn.

Mrs. Charles Thompson and children visited with Mr. Thompson's sister and family, Mrs. Arthur Beal, in Hamilton this week.

Mrs. Marvin Rudd and two daughters, Misses Virginia Ruth and Dorothy Nell, have returned from a delightful two weeks' trip to East Texas and Louisiana, where they visited Mrs. Rudd's sisters and other relatives and friends.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Stephen and daughter returned home Tuesday from a vacation trip to Corpus Christi and San Antonio.

Dock Laughlin, genial citizen out on Moline Route and a long time reader of the Eagle, made an appreciated call at our office while in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Marricle and little daughter returned Sunday from their vacation in Idalou and Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pritchard have moved here from Brady. Mr. Pritchard is with the State Highway Department and his work will be in connection with the new highway that is to be built to Star.

Dr. and Mrs. Sam Rahl are the parents of a baby daughter. The young lady arrived Saturday.

Mrs. M. E. Cook has returned from Driftwood, Hays county, where she was carried by the serious illness of her father. He was much improved when she left.

Henry Morris has received word that his seven-year old mare has won two races at Fredericksburg. She was taken off the grass this summer and turned over to a trainer just before the races at Brady. She took a second and a third place there. At Lampasas she took a first and a second, and has now topped that record with two firsts.

Y. E. Hoover, accomodating Santa Fe agent, and Mrs. Hoover are enjoying their annual vacation and are visiting Galveston and Dallas.

D. L. Wheeler, Jr., of Rankin visited over the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Wheeler, and other relatives.

Miss Louise Johnson returned Wednesday from her vacation in Jacksonville. She found the weather pleasantly cool there following rains.

## MRS. OTTO STAHNKE

Mrs. Frieda Louise Stahnke, nee Hiller, was born April 18, 1894, in Mills county. In infancy she was baptised and later confirmed in the Lutheran faith On July 30, 1914, she was married to Mr. Otto Stahnke. This marriage was blessed with one son, Albert, who is now 21 years of age. Mr. and Mrs. Stahnke had spent their entire married life in the same house on their farm near Priddy. About nine o'clock Monday morning, Aug. 2 the entire community was horrified and shocked when the news spread that Mrs. Stahnke had been critically if not fatally injured in a car wreck near Indian Gap. Mrs. Stahnke, who was known as a careful driver, lost control of her car after the throttle hung; ran into a ditch and against a heavy bridge. The car was completely demolished. Mrs. Stahnke was thrown out of the car in the air 47 feet. An ambulance was called and she was rushed to the Hamilton hospital, where everything humanly possible was done to save her life. She had received a serious head injury which failed to respond to all treatment and operation by a brain specialist from Waco.

L. J. Gartman made a trip to Waco Monday.

Mrs. Lewis Hudson is visiting relatives in Georgetown and Round Rock.

Mr. Lewis Hudson attended an important Masonic meeting in Brownwood Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilkins welcomed into their home a new little daughter on Thursday, named Marsha Amanda. She weighed 10 pounds. Mother and babe doing fine.

Mrs. Earl McKee and children of San Angelo spent several days in the home of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Weatherby.

Jno. O. Beck of McCamy spent the week end in the home of J. B. Burnett and family.

J. B. Burnett and L. W. Whitteburg attended the Ram sale and rodeo in Junction last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Straley of Hamilton spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Long.

County Clerk Lewis Porter is convinced that it still can rain. Sunday he ran into mud between Energy and Indian Gap, went into the ditch and had to be pulled out.

L. A. Moon made a quick trip to Brownwood on Wednesday.

Supt. A. H. Smith and his family, Duke Clements and family and Mrs. Earl Summy spent last Friday in Waco on business and pleasure.

Mrs. Ruby McNeil of San Antonio spent Friday here visiting Mrs. J. E. Greathouse and other friends. She had spent her two weeks' vacation with home folks at Mullin. She is well pleased with beauty parlor business in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Harrison of Brownwood spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Berry, and other relatives.

Mrs. S. E. Pass and daughter, Peggy Jo, Miss Leona Pass, and Thelma Lavene Graham of Abilene are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pass.

Mrs. W. C. Fox and daughter, Velma, left Thursday morning for Cleburne to visit with her sister, Mrs. Joe Taff, for a week.

Just arrived John Deere 5-disk tillers for Model B Tractor. Steen & Son.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

### CLASSIFIED AD RATES

One and one-half cents per word for first insertion with 25c minimum. One cent per word each subsequent insertion.

### For Sale

For Sale or Lease—160 acre Survey No. 38. Cheap.—Chase Holman. 8-20-1tp

For Sale—320 acre stock farm five miles north of Goldthwaite on Highway 81. See Mrs. Douglas Robertson. 8-20-1tp

### FOR SALE

Ideal location for Filling Station and Tourist Camp right on 74A between Lometa and Goldthwaite. 7 acres with one building and storage house and well. Price \$250.00.—W. F. & J. F. Barnes Lbr. Co., Lometa, Texas.

### Miscellaneous

WANTED—Ford and Chevrolet automobiles to wreck.—D Hartman. 8-20-2tc

Government recommended Fly Smear and Screw Worm killers at low bulk prices.—Hudson Bros. 4-30-1fc

Good used cars to trade for all kinds of livestock. You can see them at Fox Service Station, east side of square.—Key Johnson.

For Rent—Furnished or unfurnished rooms near school; girls or man and wife with no children. Apply Box 142. 8 20 1tp

DON'T SCRATCH — Paracide Ointment is guaranteed to relieve any form of Eczema, Itch, Athletes Foot or other itching skin irritation in 48 hours or money refunded. Large jar 50c at Clements' Drug Store. 10-1-37

NOTICE STOCKMEN! — We guarantee our Red Steer Screw-worm killer will kill worms quicker and Red Steer Smear repels flies longer than any other brands. They cost 25 per cent to 50 per cent less. Get our prices. Clements Drug Store. 10-1-37

Who wants a '29 model A pick up? Will trade for maize or livestock, also 25 good ewes for sale.—Dock Laughlin, Moline Rt. 8-20-3tp

A furnished 2-room apartment for rent. Telephone 304J.—Mrs. Jim Weatherby. 8-20-1tc

## Specials for Friday and Saturday

- FRESH BLACK EYED PEAS Home raised 3 lbs
- FRESH GREEN BEANS (extra nice) 2 lbs
- FRESH OKRA lb
- YELLOW SQUASH lb
- FRESH TOMATOES home raised, the price is right
- LETTUCE firm and crisp head
- Turnips and mustard greens, cauliflower, egg plants, onions, English peas, ruta baga, turnips and celery. All nice and fresh and priced right.

## Bananas, Extra Special price for SATURDAY

- VANILLA WAFERS full lb package
- OLIVES—Queen—full pt. jar
- BARBECUE SAUCE 5 oz size
- WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE regular 4 oz size
- CATSUP 14 oz bottle
- MUSTARD full qt
- PEANUT BUTTER full qt
- WHEATIES—Save the box tops and get a ball and bat glove—2 regular size packages
- SYRUP pure Ribbon Cane half gal size
- FLOUR Pillsbury's Best—It Must Please you—48 lbs 24 lbs

## MARKET SPECIALS

- VIRGINIA COUNTRY STYLE HAMS half or whole
- CHOICE VEAL STEAK—2 Lbs.
- CHEESE, Full Cream, lb
- ROAST CHUCK—LB.

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