

THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

GOLDTHWAITE, MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 20, 1938.

NUMBER THIRTY-ONE

RAIN STOPS AIR MAIL FEEDER FLIGHT THURSDAY

May Make Flight Today or Tomorrow

FFA and 4-H Club Members to Date

Five members have been added to the Mills County FFA and 4-H Club Association. This brings the total number up to 80.

The Center City boys have been given \$12 for winners of their calf show. This leaves a balance of \$66 in the treasury.

The total membership is as follows:

Goldthwaite:

W. P. Weaver, G. R. Goosby, O. H. Yarborough, T. H. Henry, S. E. Cloninger, Raymond Little, W. E. Fairman, Floyd Blair, Arthur Cline, Mayor Bodkin, Marvin Hodges, Kelley Saylor, Blake Hudson, Dr. J. J. Stephen, Rev. F. J. Brucks, Dr. T. C. Graves, J. A. Hester, W. E. Miller, R. J. Gerald, Willis Hill, Arthur Bird, R. L. Steen, Rellis E. Worley, F. P. Bowman, L. B. Porter, Anne Coleman, Earl Clements, Claude Dickerson, Long and Berry, Earl Fairman, Howard Hoover, J. H. Randolph Lumber Co., Grover Meyer, Henry Featherston, D. Hartman, Hern Harris, Mrs. B. E. Dyas.

Mullin:

Tolbert Patterson, Lee Tesson, D. A. Hamilton.

Big Valley:

C. A. Womack, E. D. Robertson.

Center City:

J. M. Petsick, L. F. Arnold, J. B. McCasland, R. E. Lee Ira Alldredge, Clarence Geeslin, R. N. Miller, J. M. Geeslin, J. S. McCasland, L. T. Arnold, John Walton, Ernest Geeslin, A. G. Langford, Mel Booker, W. H. Hendry, Jess Geeslin.

Priddy:

Arnold Jeske, A. E. Gromatzky, W. J. Marwitz, Herman Kopp, W. R. Shipp, Albert Schumann, Ray Duren, George Tieman, E. D. Schrank, R. J. Gerald, Vandergriff.

Star:

Jim Soules, Dick Jeske, P. O. Harper, J. S. Armstrong, John Soules, Henry Soules, Fred Soules.

Ratler:

Luther Jernigan, A. D. Kirk.

Duren:

R. C. Duren, M. Stanley.

Texas Capitol Was 50 Years Old Monday

Texas' massive red granite capitol, taller than the National Capitol and larger than the English Parliament or German Reichstag buildings, Monday celebrated its golden jubilee.

Erected on the ashes of fires which destroyed two preceding capitol structures, the giant structure consumed seven years of labor prior to its formal dedication on May 16, 1888.

The seat of government for the largest State in the Union, for which the Legislature traded 3,050,000 acres of public domain in West Texas to a Chicago building firm, has seen vast changes in its half-century of existence.

Oratory and statecraft of three and more generations, which changed the course of history through eras of turbulence and peace have echoed through its corridors and spacious legislative chambers.

Gone are the gas lights which illumined the illustrious gatherings attending its dedication, and gone are other relics of building equipment long since abandoned in the march of scientific progress. Its huge staircases now are used only in emergencies as electric elevators now serve instead.

Postmaster H. D. Young of Fort Worth telephoned the local post office at 9:30 yesterday morning and advised that air mail flight from Fort Worth to Cleburne, Hamilton, Goldthwaite, Brownwood and other points had been postponed because of heavy rains in Fort Worth and other cities on the route.

He stated that if the weather cleared sufficiently, the flight would be held according to schedule on Friday or Saturday of this week, and that telegraphic advance notice would be given in the event.

Mr. Young stated that the planes being used for the feeder flights were private property and cost about \$8,000 each and that the government was not responsible for any loss or damage they might sustain during the flight, so it did not appear advisable to ask the pilots to take the risk imposed by poor flying weather.

A large volume of airmail had been accumulated at the Goldthwaite post office for dispatch on the plane. It was dispatched to Fort Worth by bus at 11:30 Thursday morning so as not to delay delivery.

J. L. Cortis' pasture on the San Saba highway had been selected for a landing field. It is three miles southwest of Goldthwaite adjoining the place of Charles Thompson, about half a mile west of John Jackson.

Last Saturday A. L. Holden, a commercial pilot of Fort Worth used this field while carrying passengers on rides over the city. He stated that it was ideal for the purpose.

Unemployment Is Slowing Down

Although the number of persons unemployed in the United States rose in March, for the sixth consecutive month, to a new peak for the current business recession, the increase was at a slower rate than in previous months, according to the Alexander Hamilton Institute. There were 13,327,000 persons unemployed in March as compared with 13,222,000 in February and with 8,891,000 last September when the low prior to the current business recession was reached. There were 3,734,000 more persons unemployed in March than in the same month last year when the unemployment figure was 9,593,000.

Church of Christ

Edgar E. Furr, Minister
Due to the school program at the School building Sunday morning at 11:00 a. m., the church will begin its Bible school at 9:00 a. m.

Preaching service at 10:00 a. m. Services will be over in ample time to reach the school building before the Baccalaureate sermon begins.



Atty. Gen. McCraw To Be in this Section Soon

The subjoined political calendar, compiled by Vann M. Kennedy, Secretary of the State Democratic Executive Committee, lists the most important dates and events.

The time for holding the next State Democratic Convention is uncertain because of conflicting election laws, Kennedy explained.

June 6th: Last day upon which State office candidates and district candidates (in districts containing more than one county) may file applications to have their names listed on the Democratic Primary Ballot.

June 13th: State Democratic Executive Committee meets to make up ballot for Primary Election. Committee also designates place where State Democratic convention will meet in September.

June 18th: Last day upon which county and precinct office candidates and district office candidates (in districts composed of only one county) may file applications to have their names listed on the primary ballot.

June 20th: County Democratic executive committee meets to determine, by lot, the order of names listed on the ballot; to estimate expenses of the Primary Election; to assess costs against candidates.

July 23rd: First Primary Election Day. In counties of 150,000 and more population, polls open from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. In counties of less population, polls open from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. Precinct conventions meet and elect delegates to district and state conventions.

August 6th: State Democratic Executive Committee meets at Primary Election in all state and district office races. Committee lists names to go on official ballot for Second Primary Election. Certification of Democratic candidates nominated in First Primary made for General Election ballot.

August 27th: Second Primary Election Day.

September 13th: Meeting of State Democratic Convention to adopt a platform of principles to declare nominations for state offices, to elect State Chairman and new State Democratic Executive Committee of 31 men and 31 women.

November 8th: General Election Day.

Lometa to Have Roping Contest

Plans have been completed for the first roping contest of the season in Lometa for Saturday, May 21, at 2 p. m. Pens and a 175-yard arena have been completed under the direction of the managers, Clyde D. McAnelly, Hugh Crouch, Sig Jernigan and Ike Williams, all veteran ropers.

In order that the events may be of the greatest amount of interest to both contestants and spectators a herd of Brahma calves have been secured. These calves were secured by Sig Jernigan, Manager of the White Ranch, only by considerable effort. Jernigan is an experienced roper and states that the calves are some of the best he has seen for this purpose and that it was only by putting forth considerable effort as well as the hand of good luck that he was able to secure them in San Antonio after first trying in Fort Worth, Houston and some East Texas ranches, that they were located.

Each contest is to be free to the public but the customary entrance fee is to be for each contestant with no one barred from entering.

School Exercises Begin Sunday

As announced last week, the program incident to the closing of school gets under way this week end. Sunday morning the Baccalaureate service will be held in the school auditorium. Rev. E. E. Dawson, pastor of the First Baptist Church will deliver the sermon on this occasion, with all other pastors of the town participating in the program. Music will be under the direction of Mrs. John G. Berry.

Wednesday evening, May 25, the grammar school graduation program will be held, also in the school auditorium. Rev. Fred J. Brucks pastor of the First Methodist Church will be the principal speaker on this occasion, with different members of the seventh grade class supplying part of the program. At this time fifty-eight boys and girls will be awarded certificates of Graduation from Grammar School.

Texas Conference Track Meet

Howard Payne won the Texas Conference Track Meet Friday with a total of 87 and 1-3 points; A. C. C. was second, with 31 and 2-3 points; St. Edwards University was next, with 14; Southwestern, 13; Texas Wesleyan, 5; Austin College, 4; McMurray, 4; Daniel Baker, 2 and Trinity, 1.

Bodeker of Howard Payne was high point man with 18 points. Ralph "Red" Swindle of Howard Payne was next with 15 and 1-4 points. Red won first in pole vault, 12 ft. 7 in. first in 220 low hurdles, second in 120 yard high hurdles, fourth in high jump, and run a lap in the mile relay. The 100-yard dash and the pole vault records were better than the records made in the Southwestern Conference meet held in Dallas Saturday.

Howard Payne's relay team holds the record as running the fastest mile relay in Texas this year.

Red Swindle almost won the district meet for Goldthwaite one year by himself. Winning first in pole vault, first in high jump, second in 220 low hurdles, third in 120 high hurdles.

As an athlete and fine young man we are proud of Red, and feel that next year he will have a better season.

Red's track coach, "Nig" McCarter said this of him: "He is one of the best athletes I have ever seen."

Howard Payne athletes broke 4 records in winning the meet. 100-yd dash run in 9:6 seconds, by Bodeker; 440 yard dash run by Barbee, in 49:8 seconds; Mile relay run in 3 minutes 19:9 seconds; Red Swindle, Wilson, Barbee and Howard; and the 880 yard dash by Wilson, run in 1 minute 55:3 seconds.

Howard Payne has won 8 track meets of the past 11 years.

Fire Destroys Carlock Place

Tom Miller and family narrowly escaped serious injury or death when their home, the old Carlock place on the north end of Fisher street, was burned Saturday night about midnight.

The Fire Department did excellent work in putting out the flames before the house burned to the ground, but all of the contents were lost, the family losing all of their furniture and wearing apparel.

Some sixty dollars in currency belonging to Miller was saved and discovered intact in a book in the bottom of a trunk which had been almost completely burned up.

Mr. Miller had moved to town from Pleasant Grove only two weeks ago, and the loss of their property is a hard blow.

District Conference Goes to Mason Next

Two-day session with praising the Goldthwaite Methodist Church for its part in the District Conference. The Llano district addressed the conference Wednesday afternoon. The invitation to the church to meet

was opened at 10:30 a. m. with 125 in attendance. About 39 of the district members attended Wednesday. After a brief devotionary by Y. Stokes, Jr. well attended by both speakers and the community. Presiding Elder J. H. Llanos responded. A check for \$100 was paid the late afternoon. The average of the district conferences and the Goldthwaite conference were chiefly res- cultivation.

W. W. Radetzky was elected secretary and the conference proceeded to the routine business which it was occupied for most part of the two-day session.

The two circles of the local society of the church retained the guests for luncheon in the room of the church. Preliminary prayer were served by Williams, presiding of the Brownwood District. Central Texas Conference, guest preacher Tuesday evening as his subject, "The Power of the Holy Spirit."

After the afternoon, after the evening session, the members of the church were assigned to the various churches where they were to be ment of business.

Miss Womack, department of the church, and the Rev. J. R. Hillard, preached an evening sermon on a text from Isaiah.

Monday morning reports from the churches were given by the excellent reports from the Goldthwaite church were warmly commended.

CE Bludworth of Llano led all the morning hour of the book of Job to be read today.

Luncheon was again held at the church. Delegates were to represent the district Annual Conference in San Antonio in October: O. H. Yarborough, Goldthwaite; W. L. San Saba; H. L. Furley, Goldthwaite; Mrs. Chas. Cox, Goldthwaite; L. T. Davis, Kerrville; W. Lewis, Lampasas; Frank Hill, and H. G. Edens, Center City.

John of Art was district lay leader with Bandera and M. Y. Goldthwaite as assistants.

Mason as the next place for the conference. Rev. J. R. Hillard presided and unanimously approved. Mason has both a Northern and a Southern church, so the District Conference to be held there will celebrate the anniversary of the unification of the churches in a particularly fitting manner.

W. W. Radetzky, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wilman, Mildred Jordan, and Mrs. J. R. Hillard. Rev. O. E. Moreheadenough, J. A.

Wright, B. C. Fleenor, and C. H. Brient.

BERTRAM and BURNET—Rev. and Mrs. Theo L. Cox, Mrs. F. J. Landon, Miss Pearl Kirk, Mrs. Effie Bryson, Mrs. J. H. Sullivan, Mrs. Arthur Fry, Betty Ruth Fry, Mrs. J. R. Reed and Miss Reed.

BLANCO and JOHNSON CITY—Rev. W. G. Birkner, E. W. Walker and G. E. Greebon.

BRIGGS—Rev. Alvin Mauldin, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wingren, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Morgan.

BROWNWOOD—Dr. F. W. Williams and Rev. D. A. Chisholm.

CASTELL—Rev. P. S. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dalcher, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Oestreich, and Lamar Lefstee.

CENTER POINT—Rev. and Mrs. H. Ellis Thomas, J. B. Reece, H. Edens, M. L. Hopkins, Frank Thomason, Elva Yundt and Mable Louise Sikes.

CHAPPEL CIRCUIT—Rev. W. L. White and M. E. Millican.

COMFORT and BOERNE—Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Davis, Shirley B. Davis, Mrs. C. E. Moore and Mrs. H. L. Davis.

FREDONIA CIRCUIT—Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Gibbons, Mrs. John Capps, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bode, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Slaughter.

FREDERICKSBURG—Rev. M. P. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. B. Weiss, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rebke.

KERRVILLE—Rev. J. R. Hilliard, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. King, A. R. Vetter, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Davis, Mrs. Charles Cox and Miss Gladys Anderson.

LAMPASAS—Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Ezell, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Briggs, Judge and Mrs. H. P. Lewis, and Mrs. Ben Peak.

LLANO—Rev. C. E. Bludworth, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Horton, Thelma Harper.

LIBERTY HILL—Rev. R. Gammenthaler.

LOMETA—Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Welmer, Mr. and Mrs. George Ashwander, Mrs. N. E. Loving, B. W. Supple, Mrs. Mathis, Mrs. J. C. Carpenter, Mrs. Biggs, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. J. H. Lockhart, Mrs. J. R. Nance, and Laddie Cheek.

MARBLE FALLS—Rev. and Mrs. L. S. Dubberly, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Phillips, H. L. Furley and S. A. Green.

MASON—Rev. F. P. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gray.

RICHLAND SPRINGS—Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Banks, F. P. Abney, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Kuykendall.

SAN SABA—Rev. Geo. J. Steinman, J. K. Rector, Mrs. J. M. Walker and Mrs. W. H. Kimbrough.

SAN ANTONIO—Rev. John K. Beery and Rev. Horace King.

STAR and CENTER CITY—Rev. Geo. L. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Webb Hill, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Horton, Miss Ima Collier, S. F. Miller, Mrs. Viola Chappell, Rena Vee Chappell, C. A. Head, Mrs. L. J. Venable, Mrs. H. C. Geeslin, Ada Geeslin, J. J. Witty and Lena Bell Hill.

PLEASANT GROVE—Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Benningfield.

New Magnolia Sta. Opens Out At "Y"

The new Magnolia Service Station just completed by R. H. Chandler at the "Y" one mile north of town on the Brownwood highway is open for business under the management of Shirley Nickols. The station built of native stone is very attractive and should attract much motorist trade when highway 7 is completed.

Mr. Nickols invites his friends to call on him for anything in the service station line.

An ad, announcing the opening will be found elsewhere in this issue of the Eagle.

Football Field Now Assured

According to a letter received this week by Supt. A. H. Smith, from Congressman C. L. South, a WPA application is pending for the completion of the high school athletic field and other school ground improvements. This project calls for the expenditure of approximately four thousand dollars and will require about two months time to complete. Included in the project is the top soil and fencing.

Although a work order has not been received from the state office of WPA it is expected that this will arrive in a short time and work will be in progress in the near future.

The WPA crew is now dividing time on mosquito control projects in Mullin and Goldthwaite.

Farrell Family Reunion

Mrs. Henry Henkes of Priddy made a trip to Fort Worth where she spent Mother's Day with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Farrell. All of her sisters and brothers were there. They were as follows:

Gorman Farrell of Fort Worth, Mrs. W. F. Lakey of Olney, Will Farrell, Mrs. Laura Robertson, Mrs. Mayo Lambert, Irene Farrell, and Mrs. Glen Neighbors, all of Fort Worth; Mrs. Henry Henkes of Priddy.

This was the first reunion of the Farrell family in sixteen years, and was enjoyed by all present.

Methodist Church

We rejoice with the Senior class in that it is nearing one of the worthy goals of life. It should be a matter of real pride and genuine satisfaction to the Seniors that they have attained this distinction. We congratulate everyone of them and our church is happy to unite with them on Sunday morning in the Baccalaureate service at the High School Auditorium.

May we urge all our people to attend the church school Sunday. We will dismiss in plenty of time so that all may get to the auditorium for a good seat.

We will have our regular evening services at 8:00 p. m. Come and bring your friends. Help us make the evening services rich and helpful. Visitors and friends are always welcome.

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Mrs. Cora Ford
We had two more good rains last week. Grain has begun ripening and we will have to start harvesting in a few days.

The shearing crew is still shearing. It will be some time before they will be through.

Mrs. D. Jones was carried to Scott and White Sanitarium last Wednesday. She is to have an operation soon, which we all hope will be a success.

Miss Greta Hines returned Saturday, after spending a week in Adamsville, with relatives and friends.

Mmes Marvin Laughlin, Fred Laughlin and Dutch Smith and Velma Gage, visited one day last week, in Elza Laughlin's home.

Barney Laughlin wife and son, Helen, and mother, Mrs. T. J. Laughlin, spent Sunday in Mr. and Mrs. Heatherly's home on the river.

Miss Virginia Smith spent the week end with Mrs. Marvin Laughlin.

Mmes. Ida Stevenson, Ora Black, Marvin Laughlin, Cora Ford, Frank Hines, Dutch Smith and Velma Gage met with the Goodwill Club in Mrs. Fate Eckert's home Thursday afternoon. They will meet next time with Mrs. Ora Black. The ladies made up money and bought ice and had ice cream and cake for 70 guests in Mrs. Cora Ford's home Saturday night. All had a nice time. Some played "42" others played and sang. Tom Hale and Mr. Hainey played the violin and guitar and Mrs. Black accompanied them on the piano.

Mrs. Henry's sister spent several days with Mrs. Walter Henry and family.

Ed Evans and wife and sons spent Sunday afternoon in Mrs. R. D. Evans home.

Mrs. Fred Laughlin and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Varnell.

Bro Pertiller will fill his regular appointment Saturday night and Sunday. One young man joined the church last church day.

Mrs. Fred Whittenburg is giving a quilting in her home Tuesday.

After Sunday school Sunday about 40 of the ball players and their families and friends met at Red Bluff and ate dinner and had several hours of social visiting together, then they went to San Saba to play ball. The score was in favor of San Saba.

Verna O'Branon had the misfortune of breaking the small bone in his ankle and spraining it.

Homer Eckert and wife spent several days last week helping his father shear sheep.

Mrs. Willie Casbeer spent one day last week with her mother, Mrs. Tom Huffstutler.

Sherwood Ford and wife, Mrs. C. H. Black and children spent awhile Sunday morning in his mother's home.

Alva Ford is breaking some land this week for John Haney.

Miss Cricket Eckert spent Saturday night with mother Ford and attended Sunday School.

Winter Stevenson and wife and D. Jones went to Temple Tuesday to be with their sister and wife, Mrs. D. Jones.

Say you saw it in The Eagle!

Court house door of Mills County, Texas, in the city of Goldthwaite, in said County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all of the estate right, title and interest which each and all of said defendants have in and to the above described premises, said sale to be held in the following manner:

I will first offer for sale and sell the 595 acres of land in excess of the 200 acre homestead tract above described, and apply the proceeds to costs and to the entire judgment rendered. If the proceeds of the sale do not discharge the entire judgment I will then offer the 200 acre homestead for sale to satisfy any balance not to exceed the amount of TEN HUNDRED SIXTY-FOUR AND 86-100 (\$1064.86) DOLLARS, with interest at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum from June 17, 1937, to and including the day of sale.

I have mailed all parties defendant, a copy of this notice.

DATED at Goldthwaite, Mills County, Texas, this, the 12th day of May, A. D., 1938.

J. H. HARRIS,
Sheriff of Mills County, Texas
5-13-38

Senator Connally Speeds Cotton Payment

Early payment of the 1937 cotton bounty of two cents per pound has been approved by the Senate in adopting the amendment of Senator Tom Connally of Texas to the agricultural appropriation bill. When the bill is finally enacted into law the department will start immediate preparations to make payment upon proper proof of compliance Senator Connally has been advised.

The benefit payments to cotton farmers are made possible by the Connally-Jones amendment to the agricultural adjustment act of 1935. This amendment, which was sponsored in the Senate by Senator Connally, provided that a percentage of the revenue from customs duties should be used by the Secretary of Agriculture to pay bounties to farmers and otherwise aid in the increase of agricultural exports.

Last August Senator Connally offered a resolution in the Senate making provision for benefit payments to cotton farmers on their 1937 crop under the terms of the Connally-Jones plan. It was finally put into effect but provided that payments should go only to farmers who co-operated in the 1938 program. The Comptroller General ruled that such payments could not be made until the end of the 1938 crop year and officials of the Department of Agriculture said it would be December before farmers would get their checks. Senator Connally then introduced his amendment providing that the payments should be made just as soon as a farmer shows he is complying with the 1938 program. Approximately \$130,000,000 will go to cotton farmers as benefit payments under the provisions of this amendment.

Self Culture Club

The final meeting of the club year was held at the home of Mrs. J. H. Saylor. At this time the new officers for next year took their seats and plans were made for the work next winter.

We were very happy to have our incoming president, Mrs. Walters Hester with us after a month's absence in Cameron. Miss Love Gatlin, program chairman, outlined the program for the coming year and all were enthusiastic in their praise of this program.

Mrs. W. E. Miller was leader of the study and asked each one to give a summer recipe for roll call.

Mrs. C. C. Saylor told about "Our Home Land," after which all took part in a round table talk on Mexico.

Mrs. J. A. Palmer, the retiring president, was presented a beautiful pottery urn shaped vase as an expression of the club's appreciation for her splendid leadership during the past year.

We have had much sorrow in our club this year. May the next one be brighter.

Mrs. Saylor served delicious refreshments at the close of the meeting.

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Castor Beans Impractical as Grasshopper Control

"Castor bean plants are not the answer to the farmers' prayer for a cheap and easy way to control grasshoppers," says R. R. Reppert, entomologist of the Texas A&M College Extension Service.

He bases his statement on recent information from the U. S. Department of Agriculture. "Tests on the effect of castor bean plants on grasshoppers have not gone far enough to find out whether the alkaloid ricin contained in the plants is as poisonous to grasshoppers as it is to men and the higher animals," he said.

"Even if it is, castor bean planting is impractical for hopper control. It would be impossible to raise the plants early enough to kill the insects before they spread. And the seed is pretty high, so it would cost a good deal to plant enough to do any good. Even if the seed were planted, and early enough for the first hoppers, the chances are that the insects would eat all the cultivated crops before beginning on the castor beans.

"Grasshoppers are beginning to hatch out in the southernmost part of the 104 Texas counties that are threatened by the worst hopper infestation in many years," Reppert said. Plans have been made to combat the infestation before the insects have a chance to multiply and spread. The method used in Texas last

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BREAKS ARM

Mrs. J. H. English of Fort Worth, had the misfortune of falling down the basement steps at her home and breaking her arm last week. Friends here are very sorry to hear it, for a broken arm is a great inconvenience for weeks.

year, which saved Texas farmers over six million dollars and returned more than a hundred be used again this year. This dollars for every dollar spent will consist of spreading a mash of bran, sodium arsenite, and sometimes sawdust on the areas where the hoppers hatch out.

Scattered thinly at the rate of 10 to 20 pounds an acre as recommended by county agricultural agents, this bait is harmless to man and to domestic animals. The only danger is from using lumpy bait, spreading it too thickly, or leaving it in piles or containers easily reached, Reppert pointed out.

Schools to Debate Sales Tax

The state meeting of delegates of the University Interscholastic League, held the closing day of the twenty-eighth annual meet of the league, adopted the "Retail Sales Tax" as debate subject for 1938-39 league debates. Thus the sales tax controversy will be debated in hundreds of schools throughout the state.

Thomas Martin

Thomas Martin, three years, died at home in Star after illness. Funeral services in the Methodist Church, Rev. Geo. L. Ryan, minister, was made at Oak cemetery with ceremony.

Mr. Roe, family of "Uncle Tom," was an. As a young man Round Valley, when Miss Emily Scott, who eighteen months later infant son, Mr. Roe, one brother, W. R. Rader, a son, Martin R. Voll, and a niece, Mrs. Guice, whom he had several nieces and other relatives.

After his wife's death moved to Star where he been a resident. He son, a member of the Church since childhood, full Christian, and friend.

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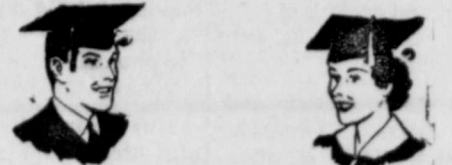
Regency
Mrs. Charles Roberts

There has been many changes...
May the choice month...
The once devastated valley...
Mother's Day observations...
The writer was glad...
Mrs. Merle Daner...
Mrs. and Mrs. Loyt Roberts...
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Perkins...
Homer Rowlett...
Mrs. Merle Daner...
Ernest Woods...
I am sorry to state...
A. J. Jeffrey...
H. C. Griffin...
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Egger...
Wayne Roberts...
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones...
Trading in sheep...
"Leto's" for the Gums...
HUDSON BROS.

Jones Valley
By Mrs. Geo. D. Brooks
(Too Late for Last Week)

Miss Gretta Traylor...
Mrs. A. D. Kirk...
Mrs. Bell and daughters...
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilcox...
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boyd...
Elva Faye and Sydney Brooks...
Dalton Powell...
Clifton Boyd...
Elva Faye Brooks...
Mrs. George Brooks...
A. D. Kirk...
Mrs. Caley Hanson...
The Eagle can now take...
sold Jesse Egger...
Several from here...
The rumor of a bridge...
Mr. and Mrs. Arle Egger...
The Primitive Baptist...
If a hardware dealer...
If a druggist...
If a clothing merchant...

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Because he knows his particular line of business and I don't. If a hardware dealer, he knows the factories and wholesalers whose products is dependable. If a druggist, he knows the pharmaceutical house compounds are pure and safe. If a clothing merchant, he knows the manu-

facturers who use only good material and guaranteed workmanship.

Because, it is the wise, profitable, and unquestionably the best thing to do.—Beville Beepicayune.

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Everything to Build Anything
Goldthwaite, Texas

Mother's Day observations

were carried out in the same usual way for our mothers, whom we hold as our dearest friends at Regency.

Ernest Woods returned from the Sealy Hospital several days ago where he underwent an operation for appendicitis and we are glad to report he is doing fine.

A. J. Jeffrey of Dora, who has been visiting his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Curtis of Ridge, spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts.

H. C. Griffin an employee at Houston spent his vacation last week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Egger.

Wayne Roberts made a business trip to Goldthwaite, Mullin and Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jones and grandmother Jones were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Egger, Sunday.

Trading in sheep is still active in this locality. Walter Fairman

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Goldthwaite, Texas

Letters of Interest From Mills County Communities

South Bennett

By Mrs. M. L. Casbeer

We met last Sunday, at the school house, and organized Sunday School. Our officers were elected as follows:

Supt., M. L. Casbeer; asst. supt., Leon Johnson; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Clyde Featherston; asst. secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Claud Smith; adult teacher, Marvin Casbeer; Young Folks class, Mrs. Bill Eckert; Junior class, Mrs. Harry Palmer; Beginners class, Mrs. M. L. Casbeer; song leader, Valeria Stacy; asst. song leader, Mrs. Burthel Roberts. We are planning to have one of the best Sunday schools that we have ever had here, and are hoping to have the help and co-operation of everyone in the community. We had 36 present Sunday. Let's everyone be there next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Smith dined in the Clyde Featherston home Sunday. In the afternoon Edgar Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Clyde Featherston attended the good singing at Pleasant Grove.

Marvin Casbeer and family were Sunday afternoon guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Casbeer and family.

Travis Griffin and family spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. L. Covington at Pleasant Grove.

Mrs. Freeman Mason and children visited Mrs. Harry Palmer and children, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Simpson and son, Robert Earl, visited in the Walter Simpson home awhile Sunday.

Mrs. Burthel Roberts was on the sick list, the early part of the week. Guests in this home during Sunday afternoon were: Maynard Roberts and family, Mrs. Morgan Stacy, Elton Horton and family, Mrs. M. L. Casbeer and girls, and Mrs. Clyde Featherston.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Covington were guests of Mrs. Emma Casbeer, at Center City, Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Dennis visited her sister, Mrs. Sam Morris at town Saturday afternoon.

M. L. Casbeer and family made visits with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Casbeer in town on Wednesday and Saturday.

Grandpa Wayne Featherston spent several days last week with his son, Charlie and family at Live Oak. He has returned now,

Pleasant Grove

By Ruby D. Berry

There were not very many at Sunday School and church last Sunday. There was singing at the church Sunday evening with a good attendance present.

This community was well represented at the picnic at Moline Saturday.

Several met in the Ray Berry home Saturday night and practiced singing in the new books.

Our hearts were made sad Wednesday when we heard of the deaths of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McMurray. Mr. and Mrs. McMurray have a host of relatives and friends in this community who mourn their deaths.

Bill Virden and family visited in the Edith Covington home Saturday night.

Mrs. Ima Collier and Will Collier from Center City visited in the Bill Virden home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Berry and Peggie, Mrs. Melvin Crawford and Otho Loyd visited in the O. Z. Berry home Friday night.

Miss Sylene Miller went to Temple to broadcast last Saturday. She went with Mrs. Hurdie and her expression teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Crawford and Otho Loyd visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hodges at Goldthwaite Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Covington and Travis Griffin and family visited Miss Edith Covington and mother Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Porter visited her father, who is sick, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Leverett visited relatives in this community Sunday.

Willie Leston Berry visited Jude Miles Sunday evening.

Miss Edith Covington's sister, Sally, from Corpus Christi, visited her last week end.

Cecil Virden visited Hubert Berry Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller and Melba Dean visited relatives at town Sunday.

Mr. Jeffrey went to his home at Pecan Wells Sunday and got the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Brit Berry and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Berry Wednesday night

to the home of his son, Clyde.

Harry Palmer visited with his mother, Mrs. P. G. Palmer awhile Saturday night.

Rock Springs

By Mrs. Eula Nickols

Glenn Nickols from town was in this community Thursday night, hunting and one of his fine hounds got bit by a rattle snake. The dog died.

R. C. Webb spent a few days in the Sealy Hospital last week in Santa Anna.

Philip Nickols and mother spent Sunday in the Ellis home.

Marvin Spinks and family visited Sunday in the Sowders and Ellis home.

Mrs. Eula Nickols and Phillip visited Friday night with Otis and Bess Hutchings at Center Point and Sunday night they visited in the Bohannon home.

This place never misses anything. It was well represented at the Snow White show and the airplane stunts Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Roberts visited in the Circle home Saturday night.

Mrs. J. T. Robertson spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. McClary while her husband went to the city.

Rudolph Cooke and family spent Sunday in the Brown home close to Mullin.

Duey Bohannon and wife were Sunday guests in Casey Smith's home in Big Valley. Mrs. Smith prepared a nice dinner as it was Duey's birthday. There were others who enjoyed the feast.

Mrs. J. M. Ballard spent Saturday afternoon with grandmother Pass.

Rudolph Cooke, J. T. Stark and R. E. Collier and wife visited in the Spinks home Saturday night, the men played dominoes.

J. T. Robertson and wife were Sunday visitors in the Daniel home.

Mrs. J. M. Ballard visited in the Ellis home Friday night she was inspecting their nice frigid-aire, called the cold spot.

R. E. Collier and wife visited, Friday night in the Cooke home.

Mrs. Eula Nickols spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. V. D. Tyson at Center Point. They finished her star quilt with the aid of Mmes. Barton Smith and Dwight Nickols.

Joe Davis and family visited Mrs. Stark and J. T. one night last week.

Mr. Hughes and son moved the Weatherby goats to the Taylor pasture Saturday.

The farmers are working hard trying to get some plowing done before it rains again.

Big Valley

By Miss Flora Weaver

There is still a few cases of mumps in the community. A good many people are worrying about taking them, but here's hoping they have about run their course.

There was 52 present at the Baptist Sunday school, Sunday morning. About 30 at B. T. U. Sunday evening. This is preaching week end, so everybody who can, come and be with us for all these three services.

Miss Lorean Shotwell has returned from San Angelo where she had worked for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Miller of San Saba county have been helping care for the sick in the C. S. Miller and Ben Long homes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hale and children attended a picnic at Naruna last Friday.

Several enjoyed a musicale in the N. A. Duey home one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hale and children of Naruna spent a few days in his parents home last week.

Carl Woods and family and Cecil Shuffler and family made ice cream in the Hugh Denward home, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cockrell, Mrs. Homer Weaver and children visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. D. G. Barnett, who is quite ill, near Goldthwaite.

Mrs. D. Hartman called in the Ben Long home Monday morning.

Mrs. Woodrow Long has been real sick for several days.

Several from here went to see the airplane Sunday afternoon, and several had the courage to ride in it.

Sympathy is extended Mrs. Guthrie of Mullin and others who have recently lost loved ones.

I am sure I failed to get all the news this week but I helped care for the sick last week and didn't have time to gather much news.

Mrs. Floyd Sykes is recovering from a serious illness.

North Bennett

By Miss Lula Batchelor

I haven't sent in any news in some time, so thought I would drop the old bird a few crumbs.

Mmes. R. L. Kendall and J. J. Geeslin and Miss Kate Petsick spent one day last week in Brownwood.

C. D. Gerald is driving a new car.

The Jolly Chatter Club met with Mrs. R. L. Kendall Thursday afternoon. There were several ladies present, but the weather was so threatening they didn't quilt very much. Mrs. Kendall served ice cream and cakes. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. H. Brown.

Mrs. S. J. Batchelor is improving and is able to be up some.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ellis and Ray from Comanche and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Obenhaus and Lollie, from Goldthwaite, visited with Mrs. Batchelor Sunday afternoon.

Ernest and Cecil Whitson visited in the W. L. Lawrence home while Sunday morning.

R. J. and Ernest Miles and Dan Kinchalaie sheared sheep for M. Booker and Mrs. Batchelor, one day this week.

Clifford Rose helped C. W. Batchelor shear sheep Monday.

Elmer Geeslin has purchased a nice calf that he is very proud of. We wish well in his calf work.

M. Booker and family visited their daughter, Mrs. Hancock and family at Gustine Sunday.

M. Booker is driving a new car. I understand that he spends most of his time riding around and listening to the radio. Raymond says its still too wet to plow on the Mountain, so they just enjoy the car and radio.

We had a good crowd out for Sunday School Sunday. Hope others will be there next Sunday. It is our regular preaching day, so everyone come.

The Freeman family had visitors from Gustine and Comanche last Sunday.

Bob Sparkman from Goldthwaite visited in the L. C. Sparkman home awhile Sunday morning and later attended church at Pecan Wells.

Mr and Mrs. Hammet Miles

Only a National Crisis Would Bring Lindberghs Back

Americans learned last week on the eve of the eleventh anniversary of his historic nonstop flight to France that only a national emergency would bring Col. Charles A. Lindbergh back to this country from his self-imposed exile in England.

Lindbergh's plans were revealed in a letter to associates who helped him build in an old fish cannery here the Spirit of St. Louis, the small, single-motored monoplane which carried the then gangling, happy-go-lucky former airmail pilot and barnstorming pilot over the Atlantic Ocean.

The associates who chose to remain unidentified, said the famous flier wrote them he would remain in England with his wife, the former Anne Morrow, and his sons, Jon and Land Morrow, born after the kidnaping and slaying of his first son in 1932, unless America, needed him in event of war or other national emergency.

Lindbergh's letter quashed repeated reports heard since he left America secretly with his family in December, 1935, that he would renounce his American citizenship for that of British.

Thursday marked the first birthday of Land Morrow Lindbergh, the Lindberghs' third son, born in England.—Fort Worth Star Telegram.

Political Announcements

The Eagle is making the following announcements subject to the Primary Election July 1:

For Senator 25th District E. M. DAVIS

For Representative 10th District TOLBERT PATTERSON

For County Judge R. J. GERALD

For County Clerk L. B. PORTER

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor, Collector, J. HERN HARRIS

For County Treasurer W. L. BURKS SAM HENRY RAE

For District Clerk TRAVIS A. MEEKS MRS. B. J. KEEFER

For Commissioner Precinct O. H. SHAW

For Commissioner Precinct J. A. HAMILTON

For Commissioner Precinct A. A. DOWNEY H. R. (Rube) MOORE W. L. BARKER J. H. (Robert) FRENCH KEENAN B. HENRY

For Commissioner Precinct JESS G. EGGER REIDE M. HAYDEN GEO. D. BROOKS

For Justice of the Peace No. 1. JAMES RAHL

Headlines

Passport applications by American tourists decline 25 per cent in first four months—Secretary of Interior Ickes bans sale of helium to Germany—Europe has most severe freeze in 80 years, stimulating shipments of fresh, canned and dried fruits from Miami and other southern port cities—Railroads formally notify 1,000,000 employees of plan to cut wages 15 per cent July 1—New tax bill goes to White House

Patronize Eagle Advertisers

of Springdale and Mrs. R. T. Miles of McGirk, visited in the J. M. Harris home awhile Saturday.

Willie Dean, Billie and Calvin Sparkman visited in the Tom Head home Sunday.

Midway 4-H

We have been having very good meetings twenty-seven members are twelve boys and we hope to have more.

We went on a boat trip to the Caradan church last week. We had two 4-H projects. Mr. Weaver came way Monday and insects. We enjoyed very much. He put on Club girls some pens out on their exhibit.

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Baking Powder 21c

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Sugar 2 for 15c

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BROOMS 19c

LIFEBUOY 3 for 19c

Steak 2 lbs. 35c

Chuck Roast 2 lbs. 29c

Picnic Cooked Ham lb. 25c

West Lake Merritt

By Miss Inez Ritchie

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cave and Miss Ruby attended the funeral of Jim Guthrie in Mullin Saturday afternoon.

Dixie Webb and family visited in the Mt. Olive community Friday night.

John Dellis and family called in the Charles Thompson home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ford were dinner guests in the Ira Hutchings home, Sunday.

Relatives of Brownwood spent Sunday in the Charlie Campbell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Verdine Price are entertaining a new son.

Jake Brown and wife spent Sunday in Santa Anna, with his sister, Mrs. Felton Waddell.

Mr. and Mrs. Cave and Miss Ruby spent Sunday afternoon in the Ritchie home.

Charlie Booker and family and Aubrey Cline and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Willis Booker.

Mrs. J. D. Ryan is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Grover Price.

Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Tom Fuller, visited with Mrs. Booker Monday afternoon.

J. W. Ritchie and family visited Monday with his mother who is quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Long.

Live Oak

By Mrs. J. H. Brown

The weather man seems to keep reminding us that all the cool weather isn't past yet, as we are having plenty of wind, rain and cool cloudy weather.

Mrs. Will Heath visited Mrs. C. G. Featherston last Thursday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Featherston visited home folks over the week end. She brought Mae home, her school having closed last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simpson and children spent Saturday night and Sunday in Burnet as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ray. Sunday afternoon they went to see the boat races at Buchanan Dam.

Miss Mordine Brown is spending a short vacation at home, before leaving for summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Randles and Travis spent Sunday with his father and sister in Center Point community.

Naomi Hill spent Sunday in the C. G. Featherston home.

We were sorry indeed to hear that Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miller had the misfortune of losing their house and contents by fire Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Blackburn visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilcox Monday morning.

Miss Mae Featherston is visiting relatives in Coleman for a few days.

Roy Simpson is building a new barn, to replace the one that burned, some time ago.

The Jolly Chatter Club meets with Mrs. J. H. Brown Thursday, May 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fox were Brownwood visitors Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. G. Featherston and Mae visited in the J. H. Brown home Monday afternoon.

Homer Denman had the thrill of riding in an airplane Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fox spent Sunday with Mrs. Ballard.

The Eagle can now take your subscription to most Texas dailies at bargain rates. Ask for prices.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the multitude of friends who so faithfully stood by us in our deepest sorrow, the loss of our dear loved ones.

For the beautiful floral offering, we thank you and pray God's blessings on each of you.

J. G. McMURRAY and family, JOE KELLY and family.

Sell it with a Want Ad.

CAMERA GRAPHS

TWO BANTAM...
WATCH OUT FOR THIS OLD SMOOTHIE, says A. L. Viles, president, Rubber Manufacturers Association, to Motorist...
RECENT PREVIEW PARADE of the New York World's Fair of 1939 gave New Yorkers a glimpse of "things to come"...

HIGH BALL...
SHATTERS RECORD: The Kinka Maru, Japan's latest and fastest freighter shown shortly after making her record-breaking maiden voyage across the Pacific in 11 days. Built at the Kawasaki Dockyard, Kobe, Japan, 1937, the Kinka Maru is propelled by Kawasaki M.A.N. 9,300 normal, B.H.P. Diesel engine and has an average speed of 21.6 knots an hour.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Herman Richards and Mrs. Ben Peek and Mrs. Dave Briggs of Lampasas were among those who attended the District Conference here Tuesday and Wednesday.

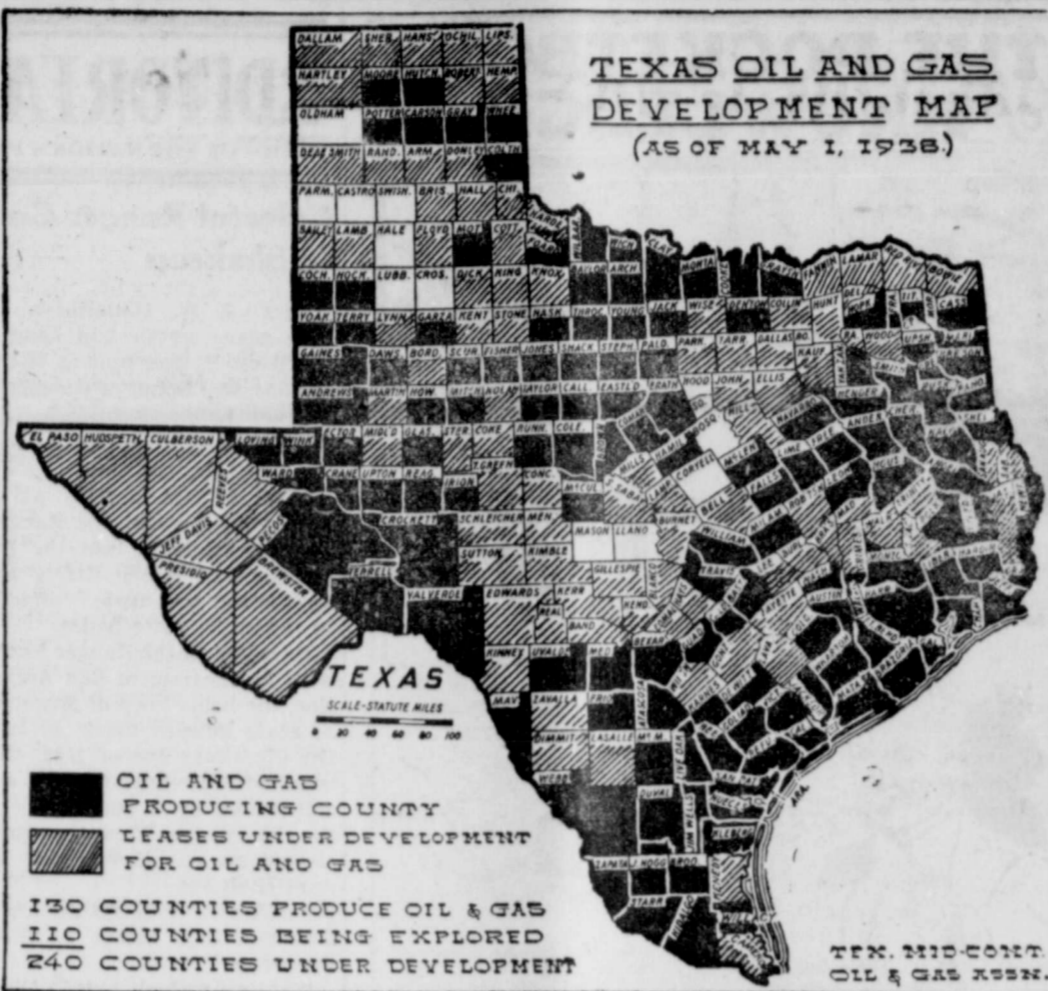
Mrs. L. R. Gray of Lometa, sister of Mrs. Dan Bush was here Wednesday.

Mrs. H. O. Blair and son, Floyd and Mrs. L. E. Miller spent last Wednesday in Santa Anna.

Mrs. W. P. McCullough took her granddaughter Angele Smith, back to Copperas Cove Sunday after a weeks visit with her grandparents, Mr and Mrs W. P. McCullough. She will visit her daughter, Mrs. O. O. Smith and family for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Leineweber, of Pineville, La, spent the week end with her parents, Mr and Mrs Lee Berry. Mrs. Ford Leineweber of Kempner came Sunday to be with her son, Francis.

Mrs. Jack Reed are now home in the new home in the part of town.



Rural Electrification For McCullough Co.

Rural electrification is expected to become a reality in McCullough County in the no distant future. With construction of the first unit of 135 miles of lines nearing completion, it is hoped that electricity may be turned into the lines by June 1. Already 100 miles of wire have been strung, and comparatively little work remains before this stretch of line may be energized. One obstacle still to be hurdled is the injunction suit brought against the McCullough County Electric Co-Operative, Inc., and which will be heard in district court here on Monday, May 16th. The case is styled W. O. Hall vs. McCullough County Co-Operatives, Inc., et al. The suit alleges interference with the telephone lines of the plaintiff by reason of failure of the defendant to properly insulate the new electric lines.

Worldwide Church Movement Started

UTRECHT, The Netherlands, Protestant leaders acting for 350,000,000 constituents throughout the world today laid the foundation of a great "fellowship of churches," an organization for world-wide church co-operation. Shunning political storms buffeting the world, delegates representing 130 denominations drew up the constitution for a world council of churches, a body which would be the most sweeping union of Christian Churches since their reformation. The constitution draft will go to all participating churches for ratification, accompanied by a letter asking them to send delegates to a proposed council meeting.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES HELD AT STAR, FRIDAY

The Star school closed a successful term Friday. There were fourteen graduates with Miss Dorothy Soules valedictorian. Dr. J. C. Godbey of Georgetown gave a splendid address. Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Henry's granddaughter, Miss Irene Stephens was one of the graduates. Mrs. Tobe Stephens and daughter, Miss Irene Stephens, of Star are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Henry. Mrs. Lillie Witt and her brother, Wayne Henry, have returned to their homes at San Antonio and Marfa. They left their father, Mr. Wiley Henry, well on the road to recovery. Invitation are out announcing the graduation of Miss Theda Fae Daniel from Waco High school May 26.

Y. W. A.

The Y. W. A. met with Oleta Henry for an interesting program on Baptist Hospitals. Several appropriate hymns were sung. The program was opened by a prayer and the watchword. Auriel Tullos will be hostess to the Y. W. A. Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.—Reporter.

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DALLAS, TEXAS.—That but 14 Texas counties are now under development for oil and gas is shown by a State map just prepared by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association. As a result of the continual search for possible new oil fields in Texas 45 million acres of land, spread over 240 of the State's 254 counties, are now under lease in proven and prospective oil territory. This widespread activity of the State's oil industry has been a major factor in placing Texas to the forefront as one of the nation's bright spots on the business map.

Leasing of land, prospecting for and producing oil have collectively proven a boon to Texas Texas farmers and landowners, for last year their combined income from lease rentals, lease bonuses and royalty payments amounted to 105 million dollars. And, it is likely that this year's total crop value, these payments will be even greater. On the basis of last year's total crop value, these payments to farmers and landowners of Texas constituted an extra "cash crop" which was the equivalent of 25 cents above every dollar received for crops.

Oil and gas are being produced now in 130 counties of Texas, while leasing of lands and exploration for new oil fields is being actively pursued in 110 counties which are not as yet productive of oil and gas. Wildcat wells are being drilled in many of these non-producing counties at this time, with the expectation of finding new sources of oil supply. Discovery of production in these areas means added income for farmers and landowners in the form of royalty payments on every barrel of oil produced.

COUNTY NEWS BY JUDGE R. J. GERALD

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Johnston, left Thursday for Lexington, Texas to attend the Graduation exercises of their grandson, Sam Parker Peebles. They will return home Saturday night.

G. H. Tieman, Hobert Priddy, and George Nieman made a business trip to Ballinger, Paint Rock and other points last week. They report crops in good condition with oats already being harvested. Wheat appeared to be as good as here, but none of the grain was as tall as that here.

Mrs. Virginia McGirk visited Mr and Mrs Harry Baird, who have recently returned from Kansas, where Mr Baird's health failed, and they are now in Brownwood where he is taking treatments. Mrs Baird will be remembered here as Miss Kate Bowden and Mr Baird is a son of one of Mills County's pioneer Methodist Ministers.

Mr and Mrs O. H. Yarborough spent Sunday in Austin with their sons, Harold and William G. and wife.

Mrs. Earl Clements returned from Houston Sunday, after a weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. H. E. Burch and family.

LAKE MERRITT SCHOOL TO CLOSE WITH PICNIC

The Lake Merritt school will close a successful term Friday with a picnic. A school program will be held Thursday night. The pupils, patrons and teachers expect both to be well attended. J. L. Patterson and Miss Lee Ruth Graves have been re-elected to teach this good school.

Invitation are out announcing the graduation of Miss Theda Fae Daniel from Waco High school May 26.

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WATCH OUT, BLACK MAN

The day is rapidly approaching when the ugly head of race rioting is likely to be raised in the cities of the North, if a recent significant article by a one-time New Deal adviser can be believed. Trouble has already appeared in fact. Several years ago when a negro boy was caught stealing from a New York department store, other negroes completely wrecked the place and rioted on the streets.

Descendants of the Garrisons and Stoves now have an opportunity of finding out what it means to live near negroes—not merely the highly educated, high yaller type, but the well-scented, sooty black followers of mysterious Voodoo cults. And some of them, it appears, are finding that the northern negro is not satisfied with the equality his white brothers are according him. The Communist party is strongly for the negro, and many of them are ardent communists. In 1936 the Communist candidate for vice-president was a negro. And the Communists teach that the way to get what you want is to take it.

A tremendous proportion of arrests in New York are of negroes. A big majority of female offenders in Chicago are negroes. One-fourth of all the northern negroes are on relief and have been since it was started. Such conditions, to one who is familiar with the negro character, are ominous. There are still many Texans who remember how a troop of negro soldiers ran amuck in Houston at the beginning of the World War. There are still men and women who can remember why there are still no negroes living in Mills, Comanche and Hamilton Counties. And there are plenty more who devoutly hope that there never will be.

Bringing the negro to America was a cruel and tragic blunder. Emancipating the slaves in the manner that it was accomplished was a terrible tragedy. Reconstruction and negro supremacy form the blackest chapter in the history of the South. But it was exclusively the South that suffered from each of these.

Now it is the North's turn to learn from first-hand experience that the negro is still only a few generations removed from the jungle and savagery. And the negro has already learned that the loud professions of equality on the part of many white citizens in the north do not stand the acid test of economic rivalry in days of deep depression.

White politicians in the North who are sowing the wind in their pampering of colored voters will have a whirlwind of disorder to reap.

What is the answer? Seven great American cities each with more than one hundred thousand restless and dissatisfied black men in its borders would very much like to know.

THE WAY TO GET A LIBRARY

Nowadays the papers are full of the efforts to establish state or county libraries for the rural counties of Texas. Embarrassing statistics have been published which purport to show what a bookless lot most Texans are. And tremendous pressure will be brought to bear on the next Legislature to appropriate funds for county libraries.

Certainly this is a worthy project and far more deserving of state support than many other movements that are now being maintained by public funds. But the EAGLE would like to point out that the best way to have a library is to start one without waiting for the state.

That is the way it was done in Mills County. The worthy ladies, and the gentlemen who assisted them, did not wait for an act of the legislature. They secured the donation of books, they secured and furnished a room in the court house to house them. They employed a librarian, and now Mills County has a library. There are not as many books as in the big city libraries, to be sure, but most of them are selected books, many of them thumbed over by careful readers and worthy of reading by those who now find them on the library shelves.

Sometimes it seems that the people of Mills County must be pretty old fashioned. For they still believe in doing things for themselves!

THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE BY TOPPS



Rats Cost Texas 20 Million A Year

Rats cost Texas people around 20 million dollars a year, according to the Rodent Control Service of the U. S. Biological Service.

Farmers alone suffer an annual loss of over 2 million bushels of corn through this source.

County and community wide campaigns are the answer to rat control. The Rodent Control Service, in co-operation with the Extension Service of Texas A&M College, has outlined a three-way system of control based on rat proofing, poisoning, and trapping.

During the past year, the Service exposed 17,658 pounds of poisoned bait in 33 counties. The work was done through county agricultural agents, commissioners' courts, and civic and farm organizations. County agricultural councils sponsored the campaign in several cases. In Caldwell county, the farm organization leadership resulted in the use of 1,350 pounds of bait, while a similar campaign in Harris county brought about the use of 2,100 pounds.

Figures of the Rodent Control Service show that a pound of poison bait will kill an average of 14 rats. Red Squill, the type of poison used, is not harmful to humans or animals.

Rats can be controlled by systematic, community wide poisoning campaigns which should be launched at least twice a year or as often as the infestation warrants.

Loss can be minimized by rat proofing all new buildings and old ones where possible. Infestations will be held at low levels if food and feed is kept in rat-proof containers and if garbage and other wastes is promptly removed.

Trapping is effective after the rat infestation has been reduced by poisoning or by other means. A careful and systematic use of traps will keep the premises free from the rodents.

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Still Wearing The Pants

Legislation for equality of the sexes has gone a long way since pre-suffragette days, but Texas laws show that there are still a few hang-overs from that era. A woman in Texas cannot convey property, even to her husband, except in his presence. However, even if the property is acquired by both husband and wife during their marriage it can be conveyed by him, without the presence or consent of his wife, except in the case of a homestead.

Just as his presence is required for these transactions, his absence is required when a woman makes an acknowledgement before an official, such as signing a document before a notary-public, since presumably he would influence her decision. Various other distinctions are made between men and women, one well known instance being that women cannot sit on a jury in this state.

Time for the Soul

A friend of mine, a distinguished explorer who spent a couple of years among the savages of the upper Amazon, once attempted a forced march thru the jungle. The party made extraordinary speed for the first two days, but on the third morning, when it was time to start, my friend found all the natives sitting on their haunches, looking very solemn and making no preparation to leave.

"They are waiting," the chief explained to my friend. "They cannot move further until their souls have caught up with their bodies."

I can think of no better illustration of our own plight today. Is there no way of letting our souls, so to say, catch up with our bodies? If one thinks over the sort of life led in innumerable homes a generation ago, our immense speeding up in the process of living today is clear. People then, as we say, "had time." Now no one "has time."

—The Tempo of Modern Life

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Views of the Nation's Press on Topics of Interest

Colorful Ranger Goes In Shakeup

Capt. J. W. McCormick, old time peace officer and head of the Texas Ranger unit at Wichita Falls, will be out of the service by June 1.

McCormick formerly headed the entire Ranger force. He was shifted to Wichita Falls, at his own request, when the Rangers were consolidated into the Department of Public Safety and Carmichael was made director of the entire state police.

He added to the Ranger legend with his cleanup of San Augustine, the home town of Secretary of State Edward Clark, in 1936. On Christmas eve of 1935, that small town's reign of terror was culminated by a gun battle on the city square. When the smoke cleared away, three men lay dead or dying.

Substantial citizens requested that Governor James V. Allred intervene.

Wanting no one killed, Allred called in McCormick. The Ranger took his pistols and—of all things—a portable typewriter, and set out for San Augustine.

With the typewriter he set about interviewing citizens. He promised every citizen protection. After he gathered a few statements he started firing jobholders. Some eight men were put behind prison bars. Not a shot was fired.

The local newspaper commented: "San Augustine today is one of the cleanest communities in the state. Capt McCormick brought to the county a new peace and old home serenity."

McCormick is reputed one of the south's fastest men on the draw. Famed by a ballad is the story of how he killed Bud Ballow, Oklahoma badman in the early oil field days in North Texas.

Ballow was a "seven notcher." When Sheriff McCormick heard Ballow was in town, he went to arrest him. He walked into a store, clapped Bud on the shoulder. "Bud, you're under arrest," he said.

"Arrest, hell!" shouted the badman, reaching for his pistol; but he didn't reach fast enough.

The McCormick legend says that the killing of Ballow was one of two times he used a gun in his whole career.

Famed was McCormick's description of howto pistol-whip a bad man. You draw, he said, just as though you were going to shoot, but instead of shooting you slap your man across the left cheek with the pistol barrel. The blow must strike below the cheek bone, otherwise there's danger of complications from fracture of the skull. The method is guaranteed to tame without killing.—State Observer.

Sweeping up Business

Brooms and brushes may be a pain to the housewife, but they are signs of industrial progress to Texas business men. According to the Biennial Census of Manufacture of 1933, Texas ranked second among the states in the number of factories manufacturing brooms and brushes. In 1936 a total of 38 plants reported production as compared with 22 plants in 1933. There is now a Texas Broom and Brush Manufacturing Association,

Annual Education Bill Is Two Billion: 'Is it Worth it?' Author Asks

Education of their children costs parents in the United States 2 billion dollars annually. They support a 10-billion-dollar educational plant. They make it possible for a million and a half American young persons to attend college, compared with 50,000 not many years ago. Over three-quarters of all children in the United States now get to school.

"Are the results worth the price?" That's the question Dr. Henry C. Link, psychologist and author, asks after presenting the above figures in the current Rotarian Magazine.

"The free education which parents so often force on their children," say Dr. Fink, "may be a source of more than good. The ideal education program would be one in which all children, rich and poor had to work to pay at least part of their expenses, especially during the summer months. Some colleges already follow this plan, with very satisfying results."

"In the absence of the ideal program, parents can make further education of their college student contingent upon his getting a job during the summer. Going some paying work at school, or, at least keeping his expenses to an absolute minimum. If a student has time for nothing but his studies, and even so finds college work difficult, then probably he would do better to get a job.

"The longer a young person postpones the getting of a job, the less likely he is find it, or the less fit he may be for it when he does find it. This is a matter of personality, not economics, not, as we are so often told, the reverse.—Ex.

A Tale of Tails, Nine Tied Together

Here's one for Robert Ripley to solve. This is a tale of tails.

Mrs. Byron Fewell has a granary at her home northwest of Honey Grove and she has, or did have rats, because late one evening last week she heard a peculiar noise coming from the granary and immediately began an investigation.

To her surprise she saw nine full grown rats hanging from a rafter. She summoned the assistance of Earl Cobb, who, with the aid of a stick knocked the rodents in the head and ended their existence. But to his astonishment, the rats still hung to the rafter after they had been slain. He climbed the rafter to release them and found that the nine rats had, in some manner, gotten their tails tied together in a hard knot.

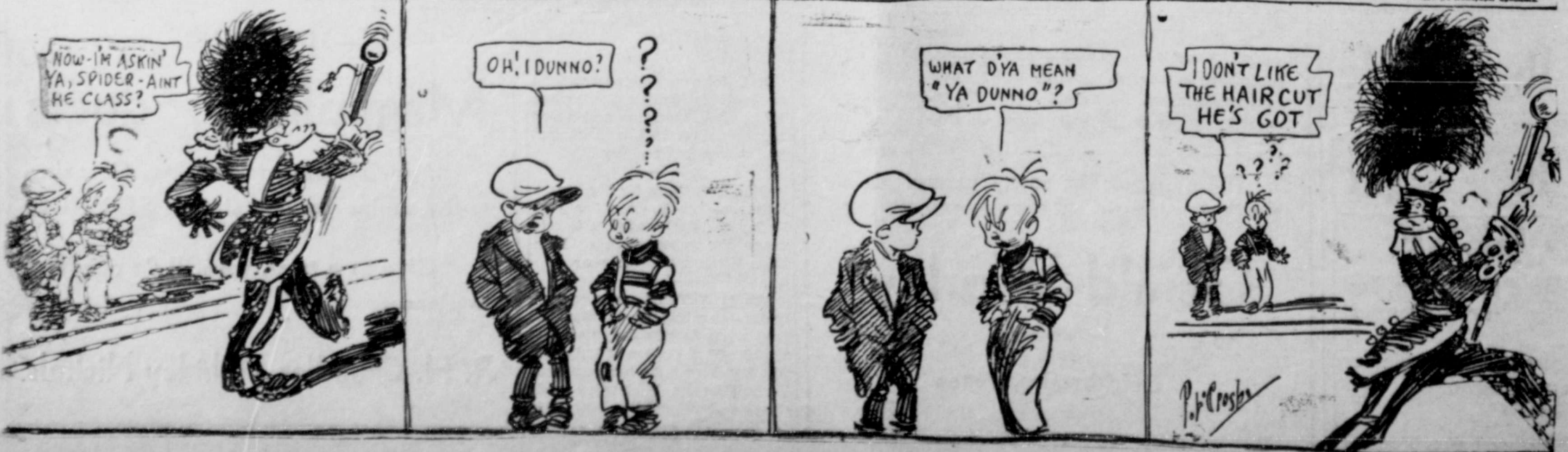
How did their tails get tied together? This is the perplexing part of this tale, and if any of our readers can solve this tale, and if of our readers can solve it, we'll be glad to publish the answer.—Honey Grove Signal-Citizen.

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The Unkindest Cut of All.

By PERCY L. CROSBY



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NEIGHBORING NEWS

LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

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Lampasas

Mrs. Wm. Burnes died in the Rollins-Brook hospital Sunday, May 8, at 2 p. m. following a brief illness. She was brought to the hospital Saturday in a serious condition.

Following a brief illness of only three days, Mrs. M. E. Parker, 80, died here Tuesday morning, May 10, at 8:25. She suffered a heart attack on Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Faires, 88, and for 62 years a resident of Burnet County, mother of Mrs. Minnie Childers of Lampasas, died at her home in the Joppa community near Bertram Monday, May 9, at 11 a. m.

In recognition of the service rendered when Evant had her fire of a few week ago, the fire departments of Lampasas, Gatesville and Hamilton were entertained by the citizens of Evant Tuesday night with a banquet.

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Funeral services for Mrs. W. M. Little who died in California were held Friday afternoon at the Pettit Church with interment in the Albin Cemetery.

W. W. McCullough, long-time resident of Comanche County and a retired farmer, died at his home in Gustine May 7, following an illness.—Chief.

organizing and formulating a Highway 81 Association. Delegates from DeLeon, Comanche, Priddy, Goldthwaite, San Saba, Cherokee, Llano and Fredericksburg.

CONTRACTORS NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 1.578 miles of the Colorado River Bridge and 2 relief bridges with adjacent roadway approach located at Mills and San Saba County line North of San Saba on Highway No. 81, covered by Control 289-3&4-2&4, in Mills & San Saba Counties will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 a. m., May 24, 1938, and then publicly opened and read.

The attention of bidders is directed to the Special Provisions concerning prevailing and minimum wage rates and hour of employment included in the proposals in compliance with House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas, and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas. The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply as a minimum wage rates on this project.

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Goodwill Club

The club met last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Fate Eckert. A short program was given which included talks by Mrs. Marvin Laughlin on "the art of making good tea," Mrs. Sherwood Ford on "ice cream and sherbits," and Mrs. Ward Evans, "How to Make good sandwiches, all of which were very interesting.

The rest of the afternoon was devoted to piecing quilts, crocheting and embroidery.

Refreshments of angle food gold cake, and chocolate was served.

The club welcomed five new members, Mrs. Frank Hines, Mrs. Cora Ford, Mrs. Winter Stevenson, Mrs. Ora Black and Mrs. Velma Gage.

The next meeting will be in the afternoon at 2:30 May 26, with Mrs. Ora Black.

Each member is requested to bring their own work.

A very interesting program will be given.—Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Estlock, publishers of the Donley County Leader of Clarendon, are visiting his sister, Mrs. L. W. Boyd and family west of town.

Table with columns: Job Title, Rate

RALLY

Sixty-five scouts from Richland Springs, San Saba, Mullin, and Lampasas participated in a Patrol Rally in San Saba Friday night. The Tahoka Patrol Troop No. 36, San Saba, won first place. Flaming Arrow Patrol Troop No. 36, second place, Fox Patrol No. 36, third place. The Wolf patrol No. 34, Richland Springs placed second from a troop standpoint. Patrols from Lampasas and Mullin tied for third place from a troop standpoint.

Treet advertisement for face-saver blades and Doan's Pills for kidney health.

with ADS and various legal notices and advertisements.

THE AWFUL PRICE YOU PAY FOR BEING NERVOUS advertisement with image of a woman.

Keep Main Street Facing Forward advertisement for Eagle Publishing Company.

Advertisement for Mennen Lather Shave with image of a man shaving.



Congratulations SENIORS of 1938

The entire personnel of Yarborough's Store congratulate the graduates of Mills County schools. May you continue to climb with success in all undertakings.

To Parents and Friends...

Select your Gift for these worthy graduates from our store. Give useful gifts.

Graduation Gift Headquarters

For the Boy . . .

Suits, Shoes, Ties, Shirts, Hose, Bags, Belts, Hats, Underwear, Swim Suits, and numerous items. We will be glad to assist with your selections.

For the Girl . . .

May we suggest a few items, such as, Dresses, Slips, Purses, Hose, Bags, Fine Underwear, Shoes, Coats, etc. See our New Spring and Summer Ready-to-Wear. An ideal Gift.

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DISTINGUISHED CITIZEN CALLED BY GRIM REAPER

James T. Guthrie, age 60, died in the twinkling of an eye early Friday morning of a heart attack.

The news quickly spread and sadness went with the news into each home in this town.

He was born and reared here, married a home town girl in the days of his youth.

Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie spent 42 happy years together and were known as a most devoted couple. The ties of love seemed to grow stronger as the years passed, and theirs was a marriage of devotion.

Mr. Guthrie was noted for his keen sense of business and was a good financier; a fine citizen and a good neighbor.

He was a Christian, well read in the Bible and loved to talk on the funeral service was held at the Baptist Church Saturday afternoon by Elder I A Dyches, Rev J L Vann, and Rev C W McCullough.

A large concourse of relatives and friends were present at the last rites to pay homage to the departed.

Survivors are wife, sister, Mrs Reynolds; two brothers, John Guthrie and Eph Guthrie and other relatives.

The active pall bearers were F E Burkett, E A Kemp, Jerry Davis, I McCurry, Fred Johnson, and G M Fletcher.

There was a large number of his friends honorary pall bearers—Mullin Enterprise.

TRADE AT HOME

Patronize Eagle Advertisers

Mrs. Will D. Wyatt And Daughter Killed In Truck-Car Wreck

Charge of negligent homicide has been filed in Brown County court against Ernest Watts, Abilene truck driver, in connection with the deaths of Mrs. Will D. Wyatt, 39, and her 19-month-old daughter, Ann Ola, in a truck auto wreck at 2:30 Sunday afternoon. Mr. Wyatt was critically injured, but the truck driver escaped injury.

The accident occurred seven miles east of Brownwood on the Zephyr highway. Both machines were traveling down hill when the light sedan in which the Wyatt family was riding was struck from behind and crushed beneath the heavy truck, which was loaded with cattle. The truck, operated by Watts for the W. M. France truck service of Abilene, did not overturn and came to a stop against the embankment left of the highway.

—Brownwood Bulletin

District Meeting Of Modern Woodmen

The Modern Woodmen District meeting will be held here Thursday, May 26, at Fair Park.

A barbecue and social event for all members and their families in this territory.

San Saba, Brownwood, and other towns will be well-represented.

The local members expect to entertain 75 or 100 visitors on this occasion.

Raymond Bledsoe has charge of arrangements for the local Camp.

Mrs. Sallie Hayes Passed Away

Mrs. Sallie Hayes (known to all as Aunt Sallie) was born in Wayne County, Tenn., October 11, 1851, and died May 12, at 9:30 a. m. Making her stay on earth 86 years, 7 months, and one day.

When she was about 20 years of age she was married to Johnny Barkley, who died three years later. To this union was born two children, Mary (deceased) and John William who is now living in Cloverdale, Ala.

When Aunt Sallie was about 50 years old she was married to Joe Hayes. He preceded her in death about 30 years.

She was living with her granddaughter, Mrs. Wayne Scott at the time of her death.

During her early life she joined the Missionary Baptist Church and continued to live a Christian life.

She enjoyed worshipping Christ through songs and had songs sung to her a few days before her death.

Mt. Olive 4-H Club

The Mt. Olive 4-H Club met May 9, 1938.

We were fortunate in having W. P. Weaver as our guest. He made a very interesting talk, and presented the club girls with some labels.

Projects were discussed and a new meeting time was decided upon. Beginning with our next meeting, we will meet every two weeks on Wednesday nights.

We are all working hard and looking forward to a prosperous summer in which we may keep the cup.—Reporter.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

CHOOSING A CAMERA



Fast vacation-time action calls for a speedy shutter. Nobody wants to miss shots like this, or get pictures that are blurred and fuzzy because of movement.

IF YOU are planning to get a new camera for your vacation this year, let me suggest that you do not delay until the last moment, and then have to pick your instrument in a great rush.

A camera should be chosen with care and attention to every detail—picture size, lens, shutter, view finder, ease of opening and handling, finish and durability. Moreover, it should be obtained early enough for you to become thoroughly familiar with its workings, because on a vacation you will often want to use it in a hurry.

Compare and handle several cameras before you choose. Study lenses—maybe you will want an f.6.3, to make sure of well-timed snapshots on dull days, or an f.4.5, twice as fast, for speedy action shots in bad light—as well as better indoor snapshots. It is well to bear in mind, too, that a good fast anastigmat lens gives sharper pictures— which means better enlargements if your

vacation yields top-notch scenes that you want to have framed.

Make sure that the shutter of the new camera has enough speed to take care of all your probable needs. It is bad when you have a chance for some good action snaps on the tennis court or beach and your camera shutter is too slow to get them. Remember, too, that if your hand is at all unsteady, a speedy shutter is a great help in getting sharp pictures.

You have a wide choice of camera styles and prices. You can get super-speed miniatures with f.2 and f.2.8 lenses; others with f.3.5 lenses; cameras taking larger pictures that have f.3.5, f.4.5, and f.6.3 lens. Naturally, the better the camera is—the more speed and versatility it has—the more it costs, but there is no need to spend in excess of your needs. Thousands of good pictures are made every day with moderately priced cameras, and they will serve for most snapshot purposes.

John van Gulder

Safety Convention to Meet in Fort Worth

AUSTIN, May 19.—The greatest mobilization ever assembled of traffic safety enthusiasts is expected to converge upon Fort Worth June 15 according to an announcement this week by the Governor's Traffic Safety Committee.

C. J. Rutland, Chairman of the Committee, said that several thousand citizens from over Texas representing civic, trade and educational organizations as well as city and state enforcement agencies would represent a "peace-time army of serious minded citizens determined to turn the tide for safety in the war on accidents."

Governor Earle of Pennsylvania has been invited by Governor Allred to make the principal address at the safety meeting and tell of the far-reaching and drastic safety innovations launched successfully in that state. Preceding the convention program will be a mammoth safety parade led by several hundred motorcycle officers and several bands and containing many floats depicting specific phases of traffic control.

Among sponsors of the convention will be: State Teachers Association, County Judges and Commissioners Association, Texas Good Roads Association, Sheriffs' Association, the East, South and West Texas Chambers of Commerce, Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, District and County Attorneys Association, Texas Motor Transportation Association, Kiwanis International, and Texas League of Municipalities.

The Mayor of every city in the state is being invited by the state committee to have representatives at the convention.

Catfish Conquers 90-lb. Alligator Gar

Charlie Dittich and Joe Konvicki, fishing in the Colorado river at Garwood, landed a 90-pound alligator gar, measuring five feet and seven inches, that didn't touch their hook.

A small yellow cat was on their line. Evidently the big gar, attracted by the fish on the line, paused momentarily before partaking of an anticipated meal.

The little cat must have decided on a hasty retreat, and in quick getaway, darted through the gar's gill, securely tying the line through the gill of the big fish.

The fisherman landed the gar, the line through its gill, and the little cat, which had taken the hook entirely on the outside of the gar's body.—Eagle Lake Headlight.

U. S. May Build Short Wave Radio Station in Texas

WASHINGTON.—The federal government may build a \$350,000 short-wave radio station in Texas to meet the challenge of European and Oriental propaganda in Latin America if a proposal of Representative Maury Maverick of San Antonio is accepted.

Maverick has introduced a bill calling for construction of a broadcast unit the size of the General Electric short-wave station in Schenectady, N. Y.

The station is part of a comprehensive plan outlined by the Texan to strengthen cultural and economic ties between the republics of the Western Hemisphere.

Although the bill does not designate the location of the station, Maverick said Saturday that he favors one of three locations—some city in Texas, preferably San Antonio; New Orleans, La., or Key West, Fla.

The proposed transmitter would send programs from the United States in relatively narrow beams.

One beam would be directed at the eastern half of South America. These programs would be in Portuguese, the language of that section of the continent.

The other half would cover the western half of South America, where Spanish is spoken. Central America would receive the benefit of both programs.

4-H Club Report

The girls' and boys' 4-H Clubs of Center Point, met Friday, May 13, for the purpose of electing recreational leaders.

Those elected are: Elmo Fallon, Tommie Cunningham, J. C. Wesson, Mrs. Wesson, Mrs. Perry, and Mrs. Stark.

The program committee elected was as follows: Tommie Cunningham, Amy Hallford and Oran Stark.

A good program was rendered which consisted of songs by members, a poem by Sherman Perry, poem by Mr. Shelton, piano solo by Miss Daniel and a poem by Jane Cunningham.

The club adjourned until May 27.—Reporter.

Notice

Modern Woodmen will have a barbecue and social meeting at Goldthwaite Fair Park Thursday evening, May 26, at 7:30 p. m. All members in this district and their families are invited.

RAYMOND BLEDSOE, Sec. of local Camp.
A. O. MURPHY, District Mgr.
5-29-1tp

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FOR SALE—or Trade for ewes, one Persey bull yearling. Buddy Stokes, in care of Eagle

FOR SALE—Full blooded yearling Delaine rams. Price \$12.50, before July 1st. Also 100 young ewes. L. W. Wittenburg, Goldthwaite, Texas. 5-20-1tc

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Carloadings

Santa Fe system carloadings for the week ending May 14 were 18,744 compared with 22,844 for the same week last year.

Cars received from connections totaled 4,597 compared with 6,578 for the same week last year. The total number of cars moved was 23,341 compared with 29,422 for the same week in 1937.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, MAY 20 & 21

If you can't come to our Store, our Store will come to you.

FRESH CABBAGE, nice firm heads, 7 lbs.
ONIONS, No. 1 Bermuda, everyone good, 5 lbs.
FRESH BEANS, extra nice, 2 lbs.
NEW POTATOES, Washed, nice size, 5 lbs.
FRESH YELLOW SQUASH, 2 lbs.
BIG 5c SALE ON HOMINY, SPINACH, PORK & BEANS, No. 1 TOMATOES, BAKED GHETTI, VEGETABLE & TOMATO SOUP, JUICE.

BANANAS, extra nice Central America fresh
APPLES, school lunch size, a penny each
ORANGES, Texas, full of juice, doz.
Bring us Your Soap and Coca Cola Coupons
FLOUR, Acorn, unconditionally guaranteed
Carton of lard free
BAKING POWDER, large 2 lb. can.
SYRUP, Pure Ribbon Cane, gal. 59c; 1-1/2 gal. 89c
GRAPE PUNCH, Full Pt, ready to serve
LIPTON TEA with glasses
VINEGAR, qt. bottle, 13c; 1-2 gal 23c; gal 39c
FRESH CUCUMBER PICKLES, Heinz 24 ct
TOMATO JUICE, Heinz, 3 tall cans

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