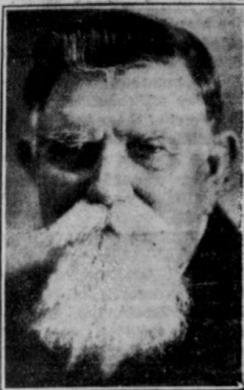


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WTCC PRESIDENT



E. K. FAWCETT

ABILENE.—E. K. Fawcett of Del Rio, new president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, is a typical pioneer West Texan.

For many years he has been one of the largest sheep ranch operators in Texas.

Mr. Fawcett has represented Del Rio and Val Verde county on the board of directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for more than a decade. He was elected second vice-president of the regional organization in 1937 and was named first vice-president in 1938. He was elevated to the presidency at this year's WTCC convention which closed in Abilene Wednesday, May 17.

New Warehouse For Piggly Wiggly

Joe Palmer is erecting a neat one-story, hollow tile warehouse in the rear of his building now occupied by the Piggly Wiggly grocery. The grocery company will use it as a warehouse which they have needed badly.

First Baptist Church

E. E. DAWSON, Pastor

"Pictures of the Church" will be next Sunday morning's sermon theme. The best view of the church is in the Bible pictures of it. Let's look at them for thirty minutes next Sunday morning.

At 2:30 in the afternoon we will have a county-wide meeting at the church at which it is hoped every Baptist church of the county will have representatives. W. J. Lites will be our guest speaker. Plans will be outlined for the Sunday school revival of next week.

Evening services will come a half hour later beginning with next Sunday. B. T. U. will meet at 7:30 and the worship service will be at 8:30.

We are gratified to announce that Miss Loraine Bledsoe, recent graduate of John Tarleton College, will direct the B. T. U. for the summer quarter. For her we bespeak most faithful co-operation in this delightful phase of work.

Every soul is forever welcome at any one or all of our services.

A County-wide Religious Census.

The Baptist churches of Mills county are putting on a Sunday School Revival next week, and during the week will take a county-wide religious census. We hope for a hearty co-operation of all the citizenry in this effort to learn the religious status of our county. The information amassed will be shared with all other religious groups that may be interested.

Santa Fe Carloadings

GALVESTON.—Santa Fe system carloadings for the week ending May 27 were 19,992 compared with 19,929 for the same week in 1938.

Cars received from connections totaled 4,921 compared with 4,626 for the same week in 1938. Total cars moved were 24,913 compared with 24,555 for the same week in 1938.

Santa Fe handled a total of 24,089 cars in the preceding week this year.

State Safety League To Visit Here, June 7

Members of the State Safety League will visit here Wednesday, June 7, in the interest of Safety, and to confer with the heads of the schools and civic organizations, offering the assistance of this function during the next scholastic season.

Members of the party to visit here will include Capt. J. C. Tappe, who is in charge of the Traffic Department, who will visit principal points of the city and brief addresses on safety will be made.

"The Civic Organizations, Parent-Teacher Groups, as well as the citizenship can aid materially in the reduction of deaths through accidents each year in Texas," stated Pierce Brooks, recent candidate for Lieutenant Governor, now Director of the State Safety League. "This can be accomplished by impressing upon the minds of the children, as well as the adults, the importance of thinking, talking and acting safely. We can materially reduce the death rate of the youth of Texas by traffic and safety education in the schools."

The League, composed of Texas business men and women, is operating on a non-profit basis and membership is extended by honorary invitation. The members of this organization devote one week of their time each year towards educating the public along the lines of safety in the homes and factories as well as on the highways.

County Baptists Begin Campaign

Beginning the week of June 4, the Baptist churches of Mills county will begin a Sunday School Enlargement Campaign with W. J. Lites of the State S. S. Department in Dallas, assisting. The campaign will begin with an associational meeting in Goldthwaite at the First Baptist Church, Sunday, June 4, at 2:30. All Baptists of Mills county are urged to attend this meeting.

During the week, Mr. Lites will visit each church and answer questions and advise on Sunday School problems. Each church participating will take a religious census of its community. It will be to your good to give those taking it, accurate and complete information. All who attend the classes each night during the week will be greatly benefited by doing so.

Mr. Lites will speak at the Center City Baptist Church Saturday night, June 3. Sunday morning he will speak at the Big Valley Church. Sunday afternoon at the meeting in Goldthwaite and Sunday night at Mullin.

R. L. PATTELO, Jr., Asst. Sunday School Supt.

Gets Promotion



MISS LOU ELLA PATTERSON

Miss Lou Ella Patterson, a very popular Goldthwaite girl, spent the week end at her home here.

She has accepted a position in the Waco District, as Assistant Home Demonstrator with headquarters in Waco.

Miss Patterson recently gave up the position as teacher in the Ropesville school to take the present position.

Rainfall for May

With a maximum of 1.17 inches of rainfall for one day and a total of 4.58 inches rain, the moisture for the last month was well distributed over the period. The amounts for the various days on which rain fell during the month, as registered on the government rain gauge at Harry Allen's, were as follows:

May	Inches
3	.62
7	.09
13	.97
16	1.04
17	.20
27	.12
28	1.17
30	.35

Methodist Church

Let us urge all members and friends to attend the church school Sunday. There will be no preaching services either morning or night, but we expect a large attendance at Sunday school.

And will you please keep in mind the Laymen's Day Program on the morning of June 11. Further announcement will appear next week.

Please pray for your pastor while he is away holding a meeting at Kerrville.

Church school at 9:45 a. m. League meet at 7:00 p. m.

FRED J. BRUCKS, Pastor

Notice

Mr. Fred Keeton, pastor of the Nazarene Church, will preach at South Bennett church at 3:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Homemakers Project

On Tuesday, May 23, the members of the homemaking classes who were interested in a summer project met for the first time to plan the work for the group and for the individual.

The group project is the making of table linens for the department while the various individuals, 33 in all, are taking clothing construction, bedroom improvement, food preservation, or other improvements and work in the home for their projects.

The second meeting was held last Tuesday and the work on the table linens was continued. Mrs. Baker, the homemaking teacher, who is in charge of the summer work, plans to make personal visits to all the workers' homes to supervise the work.

The last week in August, Mrs. Baker will return to inspect the finished projects, and an achievement day will be held, together with a display of the projects for the community and a buffet luncheon or picnic for the mothers.

Hail Damages Bayou Crops

A heavy hail Tuesday evening caused considerable damage to corn and fruit in several localities, mostly west of Pecan Bayou. One plum orchard was reported completely stripped of fruit.

Corn was blown over in many sections but no serious loss is anticipated.

Mills County Singing Convention Sunday

Notice to all singers and Mills county folks. The Mills County Singing Convention will meet at Center City next Sunday.

We want all the Mills county folks to bring dinner. Don't wait until dinner time to come and take up the singers seats. If you are coming, be here at 10:00 o'clock with your dinner and help take care of the singers. If you don't like singing, stay at home.

W. B. HUGGINS, President.

Nazarene Church

Our revival will begin Friday night, June 2.

Rev. Buford Battin, our District N. Y. P. S. President, will do the preaching. His wife will have charge of the singing.

Don't fail to hear these young people.

Come and join in the singing, feel at home and expect a blessing out of the services.

Services each evening at 8:00 p. m.

Beginning next Tuesday, services at 10:00 a. m.

MRS PEARL KEETON, Pastor.

Local H. D. Club

"A well-groomed woman will not make a good appearance if her posture is poor," said Miss Emma Scott in her lecture on "Grooming" at the Goldthwaite Home Demonstration Club, in her office Tuesday afternoon.

Following this discussion Miss Scott tested a pressure cooker belonging to Mrs. Joe Long using a thermometer and a gas hot plate loaned for the occasion by Mrs. Barton Smith.

The club welcomed as new members, Mrs. Cecil Denson and Mrs. Barton Smith. Others present were Misses Abbie and Ruth Erwin, Mmes. Beulah Sauters, Oscar Burns, Walter Doggett, John Schooler, and Miss Scott.

The county council will meet in the office of the county demonstrator next Saturday at 2:30 p. m. The next meeting of the local club will be Tuesday, June 12 at 2:30 p. m. in Miss Scott's office.

One out of every five persons killed in road accidents in England is a child under 15 years of age.

Nazarene Evangelist



REV. BUFORD BATTIN

Rev. Buford Battin, President of the Nazarene N. Y. P. S. of this District, will hold a revival at the local Nazarene Church beginning tonight (Friday), June 2.

Zephyr Storm 30 Years Ago

Monday was the 30th anniversary of the storm which destroyed almost every building in Zephyr and killed over 30 of its inhabitants.

At midnight, May 29, 1909, a storm coming from the west struck the town. According to reports carried in the Bulletin it was not a common cyclone. None of the residents told of seeing the funnel shaped cyclone, and no thunder was heard. The Bulletin story stated, "It appeared to be like a huge electric battery, spitting out great balls of fire that darted here and there through the air, rolling and tumbling near the surface of the earth and dealing death and destruction with remarkable rapidity."

By 3 a. m. Brownwood people had ready a special train carrying doctors, nurses and medical supplies to the scene of the disaster. The Santa Fe sent physicians, offered the use of a special train to Temple and took scores of the injured to Temple for treatment in the company hospital.—Brownwood Bulletin.

H. D. Council To Meet June 3

Mills County Home Demonstration Council will meet Saturday, June 3, 1939, at 2:30 o'clock in the county home demonstration agent's office. This is an important meeting as there are a number of problems to be discussed and settled concerning the Short Courses, a Home Demonstration Club Rally Day, etc.

Council members, let's plan to attend this meeting. Visitors are always welcome.

EMMA SCOTT, H. D. Agent.

Barbecue Honoring C. D. Lane, Driller

A barbecue honoring C. D. Lane, will be given by a number of his old friends at the Spinks place southwest of Mullin where Lane is spudding in an oil well Friday. Lane was formerly a Mills county resident, and is returning to his home county to drill an oil well.

Picnic Plans Still Undecided

No further plans have been announced for the homecoming picnic in Goldthwaite since it was indefinitely postponed last week. As soon as a definite date can be decided upon, it will be announced in the Eagle.

Visit Johnson City

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Weaver were in Johnson City last Sunday for the Extension Service's 25th anniversary celebration.

Mr. Weaver was the main guest speaker and his subject was "History of Extension Service." A very pleasant and profitable day was enjoyed by the Weavers.

Successful Flea Hopper Control

At this time it should interest cotton growers to know that successful flea hopper control was demonstrated in Mills County last year.

W. W. Limmer and the Schlee brothers, Priddy, applied chemicals by means of a home-made duster operated by a tractor. The duster cost \$40. One machine was used for the three crops and would have been sufficient for as many more crops.

Mr. Limmer states that he dusted his cotton twice leaving 10 rows for a check plot. When dusting the wind carried the dust away from the check plot. From the ten rows not dusted he picked 10 1-2 pounds of cotton and the yield increased to 32 1-2 pounds, thirty rows further out in the field. The entire field was planted at the same time and is the same kind of land.

Mr. Limmer says he started late for best results. He dusted twice—the first time using half sulphur and half calcium arsenate and the second time calcium arsenate.

These results justify the conclusion that it pays to dust for control of these pests and to begin early. Call on this office for information.

W. P. WEAVER, County Agent

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bryan Celebrate 60th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bryan celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary at their home northeast of Goldthwaite Thursday, June 1. Next week the Eagle will carry an interesting account of how they met and were married back in 1879.

The Editor joins their many other friends in congratulating them and wishing them still more anniversaries.

Hobby Contest Is Postponed

At the request of a number who wish to write about their hobbies, the Eagle's hobby contest has been postponed until later in the summer. Full announcement will be given when it is reopened.

Latest Thing in Cotton

David H. Young, of the Textile Division of the U. S. Bureau of Home Economics, has developed a special material to help solve the cotton surplus.

His job is to sell American women on cotton stockings made from this material which is so lovely and wearable that millady can't resist it.

NEW POST OFFICE CLERK

Mr. and Mrs. Ben W. Davis and sons, Benny and Loy, moved here from Wichita Falls Saturday and are occupying the house formerly occupied by A. F. Maricle. Mr. Davis began work in the post office here yesterday.

The University of Utah biological museum has just received an extra-special gift of 1,000 bird eggs.

DO YOU KNOW—



That the month of June owes its name to Junius, which some derive from Juno and others from Juniores, the lower branch of the Roman legislature. Among the early Romans June was considered the lucky month for marrying.

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HE'S WISER NOW

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel's radio speech last Sunday morning proved that the governor has learned a lot since he has been sleeping in Sam Houston's bed in Austin. While he may not yet know as much as the professional politicians whom he blames for all his troubles, he knows a great deal more than he did a year ago.

For it was just one year and two weeks ago that he filed for a place on the primary ballot. Last year he was promising that he would secure \$30 a month pensions for every one over 65. Last year he was arguing against the sales tax and promising that if elected he would pay the pensions without raising taxes. Last year he was denouncing the snoopers who investigated grandpa and grandma and was promising they would be fired in a hurry as soon as he was elected governor.

W. Lee O'Daniel has been governor for five months now, and not one of these promises has been made good. Meantime he has learned a thing or two. For instance, the governor knows now that it is the legislature that makes the laws and not the governor as he thought a year ago. Now he knows that the federal government is paying one-half of the old age pensions and that if he pays a pension to everyone over 65, regardless of need, Uncle Sam will withdraw what he is paying now, and instead of more old folks drawing more money, a lot fewer will draw a lot smaller pensions. Now he knows, or appears to know, that he didn't know what he was talking about last year when he denounced the sales tax. Instead of its being, as President Roosevelt says, "a tax on poverty," he thinks it is just what is needed for Texas.

Now Governor O'Daniel has learned that those pension snoopers he ridiculed so mercilessly are investigators required by Uncle Sam, so he isn't talking about firing them anymore.

But the biggest thing that Gov. O'Daniel has learned is that instead of rolling in wealth, the State of Texas is twenty million dollars in debt and sinking deeper day by day. He knows now that the state hasn't even started to meet its obligations to the needy blind, the dependent children and the pensioned school teachers.

While he didn't mention it in his Sunday speech, it is pretty certain that Governor O'Daniel isn't a bit pleased about that bill resting on his desk which would add 100,000 and probably a lot more than that, old folks and nobody knows how many of their children and grandchildren.

Of course the professional politicians knew all these things last summer and Candidate O'Daniel could have learned them too. But if he had known them then, he couldn't have made the speeches he did, and if he hadn't made the speeches promising \$30 a month to everyone over 65, regardless, he wouldn't have had a Chinaman's chance of being elected governor.

But the encouraging thing is that Governor O'Daniel proves that he is learning right now. Who knows but after a while he may even learn how to get along with the legislature which, after all, has to pass the laws he has been promising so freely.

THE POCKETBOOK OF KNOWLEDGE BY TOPPS

Illustrated text about labor relations, agricultural products, and a car. Includes a drawing of a car and a person.

Have Several Stopping Points

A VERY SUCCESSFUL PUBLIC SPEAKER gives much of the credit to this idea: "I have four or five places where I can end my talk gracefully," he says. When he notices members of the audience beginning to squirm and fidget he concludes his speech when he gets to the closet ending. Salesmen, too, should have stopping points. Many a sale has been lost by talking too much. When a prospect begins to pick up the papers from his desk, or calls in his secretary for dictation it is a good sign that you should reach for your hat. But don't retreat in confusion. Have four or five ways to end your sales interview gracefully and effectively. The parting words a salesman says, like the last paragraph in a letter, are often the most important. No matter how abruptly your talk must end, be prepared to close it with a few well chosen words which will stick in the memory of your prospect.

—THE SILVER LINING

News In Brief FROM HERE and THERE

ROME, Italy (NF)—Although the Rome-Berlin Axis has been considered strengthened by a military pact, there is no doubt that the infiltration of German agents, "experts" and technicians into Italian territory has caused alarming internal trouble in Italy. In general the Italian people are very worried over the effect of Hitler on the Mussolini regime, their lives and their businesses. Hotel owners complain that the Germans are only interested in the Italian factories instead of the museums and usual tourist attractions. This year American and British tourist trade has fallen off sharply with a resulting heavy loss to what was once a very lucrative occupation. At the same time, the Italian Government is feeling the effect of the terrific drop in foreign exchange.

Meanwhile, further indication of the growing Italian internal tension is seen in the report from the French Consul in Milan. The French diplomat advises that from 60 to 80 persons were killed and an unknown number wounded during a recent street riot in Milan. The disturbance was the definite outgrowth of a large anti-war and anti-German demonstration. Although there have been reports of a number of anti-German disorders in various parts of Italy, this is the first to be confirmed by the diplomatic representative of a foreign government.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce recently announced that last year Americans spent \$130,000,000 in steamer fares and tours to Europe. This amount represents a \$30,000,000 decrease over the amount spent during the year of 1937. The Bureau estimates that this amount will receive another tremendous decrease this year. Evidently this travelling and tourist money is now being spent in the United States and on tours to the West Indies and South America.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—In its campaign against subversive activities against the United States the Federal Bureau of Investigation has sent out a number of its agents to interview subscribers of the publication "Liberation," the organ of the Silver Shirts (pro-Fascists) group with headquarters in North Carolina.

LA PAZ, Bolivia.—Although the Bolivian Legations in foreign countries deny that a dictatorship has been established in Bolivia, the New York Times correspondent wired from Buenos Aires, "The first totalitarian state of the Western Hemisphere has just been established in Bolivia by the president, Lieut. Colonel German Busch."

At the same time, an official dispatch from La Paz to all Spanish newspapers stated, "The President of Bolivia, Senor Busch announced to the representatives of the press that in order to accommodate the needs and development of the country, it had become necessary to substitute a totalitarian government for the parliamentary regime hitherto in force."

WASHINGTON, D. C.—President Roosevelt must soon declare his 1940 intentions according to the United States News. The latest issue of that paper declares that "Word is being passed in the very highest political quarters that President Roosevelt, soon after Congress leaves town, must either announce his intentions to retire in January 1941, or be regarded as receptive to the 1940 Democratic party nomination for himself. The top-flight political strategists are watching the period immediately ahead for determining the signs of the future."

LONDON, England.—The British Board of Motion Picture Censors recently advised that they will not allow the anti-Nazi film "Professor Mamlock," "Confessions of a Nazi Spy" and "I was a captive in Nazi Germany," to be exhibited in English theatres. This is seen to be another move by the British Government in its campaign to prevent any incidents which might be offensive to the Berlin Government.

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NEIGHBORING NEWS ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

Comanche

Tommie Coleman of San Angelo, Annie Coleman of Goldthwaite, and Thelma Coleman of Lometa spent Sunday in Comanche with their parents, Mayor and Mrs. M. Coleman.

Tom H. Beene, 56, well known Comanche county farmer of the Shiloh community died at a Gorman hospital Tuesday, May 23, following an illness of eighteen days.

The Durham Berry Plant, canners of "Comanche Chief Blackberries" opened the canning season here Monday, May 22. Growers brought in over 1,000 crates of berries on the first day.

The Farmers Cheese Company of Comanche is sponsoring illustrated lectures in farm communities throughout Comanche and Mills counties on trench silos feeding of dairy cows and other farm problems.

Comanche county wheat farmers received checks totaling \$3,901.08 Wednesday morning from the Agriculture Adjustment Administration.

Two car loads of wool were shipped from here Thursday by the Burton Brothers Warehouse bringing their total to six car loads for the three week old wool season.

Dublin has a new hospital, Stephenville a new hotel, Hamilton is to have a new post office building and Comanche a new court house. Judge R. S. McClaren received a letter last week from Congressman Clyde L. Garrett stating that he was doing all he could to get Federal approval of the \$125,000 court house grant for Comanche and that things were looking favorable.—Chief.

Lometa

The ladies of the Study and Civic Club are sponsoring the building of park accommodations on the lot just south of the Masonic building. They recently leased the lower floor of the hall and fitted it to a club room.

Last week we thought we might be able to give the low down on the Tiger Lily Oil Test, but aside from the fact that they still have a fine showing in a very hard lime formation, there are few new developments.

Arturios (Tuce) Pollard, aged 69 years, four months and 24 days, died Sunday morning, May 21, at 2:30 o'clock at his home in Lometa.

Leo Ehlinger, District Engineer, has written Judge Lewis, asking that the county court secure at their very earliest convenience, the section of right-of-way for 74 from Silas Lee's store to the Colorado River, at the place of the new bridge. Mr. Ehlinger stated that this bridge contract would likely be let in June, and they wanted this section of right-of-way before the contract was let.—Reporter.

San Saba

Joseph B. Cowan of the department of journalism faculty of Texas Technological College will spend the summer at the University of Missouri where he will study on his Ph. D. degree in journalism. He received an M. A. degree in journalism there in 1932, and a B. J. degree in 1929. The University of Missouri is the only school which offers a doctor's degree in journalism and it has granted only two such degrees in the history of the school.

The Texas Pecan Industry at its annual meeting in Brownwood May 12, retained Leche & Leche, Inc., Dallas advertising agency, to make a detailed study of the industry's problems and markets and to prepare plans for a nation wide advertising campaign this fall.

Rev. D. W. Gaddy, one of the oldest Methodist Protestant ministers in this section, and possibly the oldest retired minister in this county, observed his 77th birthday at his home here on Tuesday, with the Rev. Mr. Gaddy going quietly about his usual affairs of the day. He has lived in this county since 1898, and in this city for a number of years.—Star.

Front fenders of an Englishman's car are "wings," the rear fenders are "mudguards."

Brownwood

Surveys of the northeastern Brown county wind and hail storm area were completed Tuesday by the Brown County Red Cross Chapter and Miss Frances Blackburn, disaster representative from the Mid-Western Red Cross offices in St. Louis.

Under consideration for exactly one year, Howard Payne's physical education plant and gymnasium, the first of an eight-building program, was begun Wednesday afternoon when the first ground of the proposed \$60,000 building was broken by Brooke S. Ramey, president of the college's board of trustees, college officials and members of the board.

Suffering from serious injuries Herschel Mills, 18, was rushed to the Medical Arts Hospital after riding his motorcycle into a truck driven by Edwin Lee, Brownwood. The accident happened at the "Y" the junction of Highways 7 and 10.

Rev. S. G. Posey, pastor of the First Baptist church of Austin, addressed 71 graduating seniors of Howard Payne College at commencement exercises held in the college auditorium Wednesday night on the subject "Standing on Holy Ground."

Hamilton

Mrs. Ida Oustad Jennings, beloved wife of James Jennings, passed away at the Indian Gap family home on Monday, May 15. An impressive funeral service was held in the Center Valley church building on Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

At a meeting of the City Council last Monday afternoon, the date for the official opening of the municipal swimming pool was set for Friday, May 26, at 5:00 o'clock.

Marking a new, modern era in Hamilton, Lampasas and Mills counties, highlines were energized last Monday from Texas Power & Light Co. transformers installed recently at the sub-station south of Evant. Service is available over lines starting at Evant and covering the territory to Star, Goldthwaite, Priddy, Indian Gap, Pottsville, Gentry's Mill and on the Roy Cathy ranch home on the Hamilton-Pottsville road.

It is reported that some 800 homes have been wired within the area of the REA Hamilton County Electric Co-operative Association, and many of these are now receiving service.

Excitement and speculation ran high in Hamilton and in the region of the Wallace-Vickers Lund No. 1 oil test on Monday morning when at about 4:00 o'clock drillers at work on location removed a packer from the well and live oil spurted to the top of the derrick. The geyser lasted some twenty to thirty minutes, soaking the clothing of the workers who were unable to leave the machinery.—Herald-Record.

Lampasas

Mrs. Ward Bowden received a broken collar bone and a cut on one of her legs and her son, John Ryburn, was cut above his right knee Tuesday morning when the Bowden car turned over about five miles west of Lampasas on the Nix road.

Following a very brief illness, Mrs. S. H. Berry died at the family home on West Second street Thursday morning, May 25, at 3:00 o'clock. She had not been well for some months.

Paul Henderson of Goldthwaite spent Sunday here with Miss Vivian Dickens.

Mrs. Myrtle Henderson of Amarillo is visiting here in the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Lambert, and also with her nephew, Harry Porter.

The Lampasas Fire Department was called Monday afternoon about 4:00 to extinguish a fire in Barnett's Jewelry Store. It was believed that the fire was caused by spontaneous combustion. There was only a small damage done to the drawers of the work bench.—Leader and Record.

When cotton came to the South, prosperity followed in its wake; when cotton "comes back" better times will follow again.



Nutritional Value of Meat

By H. COOPER, Consulting Home Economist
Breeder-Feeder Association

As its publicity implies, it is too common—like small pox, one case is too many—and is responsible for the scourge of pellagra which still plagues the South.

The Breeder-Feeder Movement has enlisted the cooperation of various home economists and dietitians throughout the state in a concerted effort to touch the subject from many angles. The Safe Diet is being explained and publicized. This diet calls for lean meat at least once a day with liver once a week.

Medical science now prevents and even cures pellagra with nicotinic acid, an identified substance in vitamin B complex or G, as some authorities call it, of which meat is an excellent source. If the substance is present in the regular diet, pellagra will not occur.

Dr. Joseph Goldberger of the U. S. Public Health Service laid the foundation for pellagra research and his work today is still used as basis for further study. He once stated that the only way to prevent pellagra is to be sure that the diet included the foods containing the pellagra-preventive factor at all seasons of the year such as lean meat, milk, and such vegetables as turnip greens, tomatoes, green peas, spinach and cow peas.

Only by practicing each day the Safe Diet can we insure the family diet against deficiency diseases. Use of the protective foods liberally, with daily menus containing milk, meat, fruit and vegetables in variety, and in sufficient quantity to satisfy the bodily requirements of the family is the best insurance against doctor's bills.

City people dependent upon cash earning may find it impossible to buy all the elements of a safe diet. Country people can produce them for themselves, regardless of what they cost their city neighbors.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

TRICK PICTURES



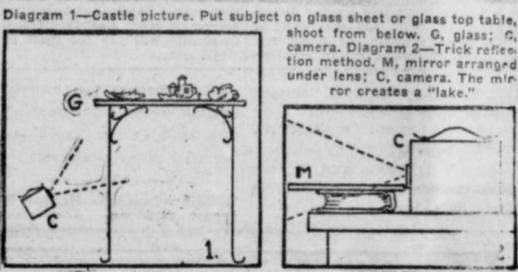
"Castle in the clouds"—an easy trick shot you can make at home. For how to do it, see below.

TRICK pictures made with the aid of glass or mirrors are easy—and these devices permit many unusual effects.

Place an object on a table with glass top—shoot from underneath the table—and the object seems to be floating in air, for the glass, of course, will be invisible.

That is how the picture of the "castle in the clouds," shown above, was taken. A big piece of glass served as support—the castle is a toy one—the clouds are pieces of fluffy cotton. And a portrait attachment was used on the camera to permit shooting "close-up." Diagram 1 shows how things were arranged.

You can use this same technique in shooting a picture of a pet—in picturing a ship model—showing a doll making a high dive—and in many other clever, striking snapshots.



Gives Bell to Highway Dept.

Miss Ann Kayser of Tyler, retired school teacher, who collects old bells of Texas, gave the Texas department of public safety a bell, following a request for one to toll fatalities of motor car accidents. The bell was taken to Fort Worth, Friday, and turned over to Jack Mitchell, program director of the Texas State network.

Everytime there is an accident and a person is killed the bell will be tolled and sounded over all cars with radios running.

Health Notes From Austin

AUSTIN.—The main trouble with Rhus toxicodendron, which is blooming now, is that most of us do not recognize it.

Not knowing this plant, many Texans, particularly those city folks who seldom go to the country, may contract a severe case of skin poisoning if they are not careful on picnics, camping and fishing trips.

Warning that several cases of poisoning have been reported already this year, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, describes Rhus toxicodendron for the benefit of those not familiar with it. The plant has three leaves which are now green, and later become red or bright yellow. It grows on a low but erect plant, varying from several inches to three or four feet in height. The plant bears smooth, whitish, waxy berries containing a stony seed.

The easiest way you can distinguish the plant is by its leaves. Two of them are on short stalks and the third is on a longer one. They are one to four inches long, dark green on top and light green underneath. The leaves also have notched margins.

If you are susceptible to it, slight contact with the plant may result in violent skin irritation caused by a resinous substance in the sap. First manifestations will appear within a few hours to five days. Itching, burning sensations and redness, swelling and development of small blisters on the affected parts are symptoms of rhus poisoning.

Early use of soap and hot water soon after exposure will prevent poisoning, but a brush should not be used for washing. The most effective method of prevention, however, is to avoid the plant entirely.

Ignore Rhus toxicodendron as you would poison ivy, for if you haven't guessed it yet, they are one and the same.

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Our sincere thanks go out to our neighbors and friends for the many kind acts and words of sympathy tendered to us during the long illness and death of our father and grandfather, J. R. Ivy.

Especially do we thank those who provided, so generously, a lovely dinner for our household and visitors in this hour of sorrow. Also to those who sent

flowers in tribute to his memory. May our Heavenly Father bless each one of you.
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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones and family of Rotan.

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MINERAL WELLS, TEXAS

Letters of Interest From Mills County Communities

Ebony

By Wilmeth Clementine Briley

Another good rain fell here after midnight Saturday night. The storm which accompanied it caused many to take refuge in their storm houses.

Only a few were out at church Sunday. Remember our summer meeting begins July 14, which is Friday night before the third Sunday in July.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth and Miss Bernice Wilmeth visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilmeth at Brooksmith, Sunday.

Mrs. Bennie Huron of San Antonio, who came in May 19, to spend two weeks with homefolks, cut her visit short and returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cawyer and Edna Beth of San Angelo came in Sunday afternoon to spend the summer at the Dwyer home.

Mrs. Nellie Malone, Miss Bernice Wilmeth, and Mrs. J. R. Briley called on Mrs. Ivy Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNurlen and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts.

Oll Dwyer seems to be doing all right. Bernice Wilmeth came for him and his nurse, Miss Ruth Yeatts, Saturday afternoon and took them to see Grandmother Wilmeth.

Miss Vivian Day and Mrs. Earl Day went to Abilene Monday to be present for the graduating exercises of Abilene Christian College that night. They returned home Tuesday evening bringing with them Miss Earlene Day, who has just finished her sophomore year in A. C. C.

Clayton Egger, who was one of the 71 graduating from Howard Payne College last week, was the first to receive the Bachelor of Business Administration degree from that institution. Clayton is the son of Mrs. Effie Egger, widowed since Clayton was a baby. Perhaps a dream of him graduated from college has been the motive which has made her known as the champion farmer and turkey-raiser of this community.

Grandmother Wilmeth is still able to be up. She is now enjoying the comfort of a special nurse in the person of Mrs. Reiger of Goldthwaite, who came to the Wilmeth home Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Burrows and children of Sherwood visited Mrs. Lula Kelly Sunday.

Mrs. Alvin Ketchum and Mrs. Gene Egger called on Mrs. P. R. Reid and Mrs. Dale Reid Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ernest Russell and children visited at the George Jones home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charm Whittenburg and baby Clint visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams Sunday

Lake Merritt

By Mrs. Douglas Robertson

Floyd Daniel has been real sick, suffering from a spider bite. He is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bramblett and Edd Bramblett spent Sunday at Evant with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bramblett.

Clint Petty and family visited in the Reynolds home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. V. T. Stevens and Vada Dene, Mrs. Virde Price and baby spent Thursday morning with Mrs. Douglas Robertson.

Those who visited in the Waddell home during the day, Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Geeslin and baby, from Menard, V. T. Stevens and wife, Virde Price and little son, James Eddie, Ira Townsend, Mary June and Marjeanne Perryman.

Mrs. Oden and Mrs. Nix spent Sunday afternoon in the Daniel home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stuck visited in the Jake Brown home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Teague and baby from Austin are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson took supper in the Douglas Robertson home Sunday night.

Catherine Crook spent one day last week with Kathryn Ryan.

Mrs. McNutt spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sparkman visited Lewis Sparkman and family Sunday evening.

Wedding bells rang in our community this past week. Dale Reid and Evalyn Mashburn were married at the home of Mr. Rives on the Brownwood road Monday night, May 22. Dale is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid. Evalyn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cloud Mashburn. Both are graduates of Indian Creek high school. For the present they are at home with Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid. We have nothing but good wishes for them, and we are greatly pleased that they will reside among us.

The H. D. Club met Friday with Mrs. Billie McNurlen. We had one new member, Mrs. Dale Reid, and two visitors, Mrs. Bennie Huron of San Antonio and Mrs. Eula Nickols of Rock Springs. Miss Scott was with us. We spent the time working on foundation patterns. Our next meeting will be Friday, June 16, at the home of Mrs. Wood Roberts. Miss Scott will be with us then. We will continue to work on foundation patterns.

Wood Roberts received a telegram Sunday night stating that his brother, Dan Roberts of Monahans was dead. He and his brothers, Swan, Tip and Charlie, and his son, Charlie, left that night for Monahans to attend the funeral.

Ridge

By Preston Calder

A good crowd attended Sunday school and church Sunday.

Church will be held at the Regency church next Saturday and Sunday at 11:00 o'clock. A deacon will be ordained Saturday. Foot-washing will take place Sunday.

Miss Frances Powell and G. C. Calder enjoyed ice cream at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Calder Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Calder and Junior enjoyed ice cream at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Lee Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Tippen visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Boyd late Saturday evening.

Our pastor, Rev. B. F. Renfro, Sr., and the B. Y. P. U. took a trip to the Regency school to preach and put on a B. Y. P. U. program Sunday. A program and preaching will take place there every fourth Sunday at 2:30.

John Seldon of Lometa spent Monday and Tuesday with his sister, Mrs. Aggie Cummings and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Boyd and girls, Mrs. Joe Wilkins and Mr. and Mrs. A. Egger and son enjoyed ice cream in the Cummings home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Daughy of Ratler spent Saturday night in Warren Freeman's home.

Mrs. Jack Atkinson and son are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Atkinson at Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Boatwright spent Sunday in Mercury with relatives.

Mrs. Flat Hollis and Mrs. Joe Wilkins went to Mrs. D. Lindsey's Thursday to can beans.

Paul Jones has been ill this week. He has been going to the doctor at Goldthwaite.

Will Kelso is working for Earl Fairman.

Mrs. V. S. Stanley spent Wednesday evening with Mrs. Herman Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Curtis and children visited R. J. Edmondson Sunday at Mullin.

Elvis Hollis has been working for Mrs. Sally Kight the past week.

Little Bobbie Jane Egger has been very ill the past week, but is better at this writing.

Center Point

By Ovella Wesson

The fine showers we have been getting are very nice.

V. D. Tyson left Saturday for Mississippi. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Taylor spent Saturday night with Mrs. Tyson and girls.

Mrs. J. D. Fallon visited Mrs. Craig Wesson Saturday afternoon.

Several of the men in this community have vaccinated their livestock against anthrax.

Those who spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Kate Shelton and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shelton are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hammond and children, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hammond and baby Mr. and Mrs. Amos Shelton and children and Mr. and Mrs. Craig Wesson and children.

Arrangements are being made to make an oil test on Will Spinks place.

Miss Ovella Wesson spent Saturday night with Miss Juneve Tyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Spinks have been visiting relatives in this community.

Elmo Fallon is the proud owner of a car.

Mrs. Dwight Nickols called on her mother, Mrs. V. D. Tyson Monday.

Sunday was a big day in the C. O. Stark home. There were many present.

Sherman, Gorman, and Gladys Perry, Elmo and Deward Fallon and Oran Stark visited in the Lovell home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Taylor visited his mother and family Sunday.

Wiley Mahan and son had business in this community Monday.

Clell Fallon visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fallon and family last week. He also visited Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins.

Darwin Denson and Baily Kuy-

Electrical Tools on Farm Are Protection Against Breakdown



For sharp tools and sound equipment, every farm needs a good workshop.

By IRA MILLER
Rural Electrification Bureau

A RAINY day chore—though actually it will require several such days to complete—that is certain to pay for itself many times over and to prove its value in countless ways is to clean up and electrify the farm workshop. For, with all the machinery and equipment used in the modern business of farming, it often is vitally important that repairs be quickly made. Also, and particularly since the village blacksmith has practically disappeared from the American scene, more and more farmers have found that a well-equipped workshop saves them both time and money.

If a machine can be repaired on the farm, it will keep the men at work, eliminate the expense and time of a trip to town, possibly prevent several days' stoppage of an important operation while waiting for replacement parts, and may even be the means of saving an entire crop. Although many minor repairs—

especially of a temporary nature—can be made manually, major ones usually require several power-driven tools. If the power is provided electrically, there are numerous advantages. A small electric motor—low in both original and operating cost—will run grinding wheels, lathes, drills, metal and wood saws, planers, splitters and many other tools. It also will power the blast for a forge.

Portable drills and other tools—all electrically powered—are valuable in making repairs to machinery that is too large or too heavy to be taken to the workshop or to town. Electric soldering irons, arc welders, gluepots and battery chargers also have many uses on every farm.

When needed, there is no more important building on the farm than an orderly and complete workshop. It should be adequately lighted so that, if desired, repairs can be made at night after the chores are done. The wiring and equipping of such a shop should be given serious consideration on every electrified farm—it frequently will pay for itself in a single season.

Kendall are running an ice route through this community. This is very convenient for those who need ice often.

Mrs. V. D. Tyson and Dorothy Nell visited her daughters in town Saturday.

Miss Florence Davis visited Ovella Wesson Tuesday afternoon and Juneve Tyson visited her Wednesday afternoon.

Vacation Supplies—Hudson Bros.

Center City

By Mrs. J. M. Oglesby

Sultry days with showers of rain are with us and everybody seems to be busy as can be. Quite a lot of canning of vegetables and berries is being done by the ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Carter spent the most of last week at the bed side of their son, De Albert, who was quite ill with pneumonia. He was able to be brought to their home Sunday, and is recovering nicely.

The many friends of Mrs. Will Taylor are pleased to hear she is improving in a Brownwood hospital. It will be remembered Mrs. Taylor fell and broke her hip and has suffered much pain.

Mrs. J. M. Geeslin is at home after spending quite a while in a hospital in San Angelo. She will be confined to her bed for some time yet. Mrs. Geeslin has led a very active life in her home and in the community and is missed much.

Bro. Pattillo and wife have moved to this community. They have rooms with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Alldredge.

Prof. Huggins wishes to announce the singing convention meets here Sunday and everybody invited to come and bring plenty to eat, your song books and be prepared to sing.

Miss Naomi Langford has purchased a beauty shop in Lometa and is well pleased with prospects for business.

Mrs. Biddle and William attended the reunion of the Blackburn families at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blackburn Sunday. All the three brothers and four sisters were present and most of their children.

Mrs. Dan Waggoner and son, Nelson, returned Monday from a week's visit with relatives in West Texas.

Al Truman Langford and Fayne Coffman, who attended John Tarleton in Stephenville and Misses Hulda Carter and Wilma Lee of Howard Payne are at home for their summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Faulkner and daughters visited the Ogles-

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Laughing Around the World

With IRVIN S. COBB

The Day of Miracles Was Past

By IRVIN S. COBB

JONES, who had been married a considerable number of years, took counsel with one of his bachelor friends.

"It seems to me," he said, "that my domestic affairs are slipping into a rut. I'm afraid my wife is getting bored. There don't seem to be any of the romance left that we had in our early married life. I wish I knew what is the matter."

"I can make a guess," said his confidant. "Do you still pay your wife those little attentions that you used to pay her when you were courting her?"

"Well," confessed Jones, "I can't say that I do."

"I thought as much," said the wise counselor. "The trouble with you is that you're like that other married man who said under similar conditions that when you'd run to catch a car you didn't need to run any more after you have caught it. Now, this is my advice to you: Turn over a new leaf. Start this very day. Begin, paying your wife



a little attention. Fuss over her just as you used to do when you were first engaged. Try to be a sweetheart to her instead of just a husband."

"By gum, maybe you're right," said Jones. "I'll do that very thing."

That evening, when he burst in the front door his arms laden with parcels, he planted a warm kiss upon the cheek of the astonished Mrs. Jones and in tones of a well worked-up enthusiasm he cried out:

"Dearie, this is going to be a big night for us! Here's a ten-pound box of candy for you and here's a dozen American beauty roses. Now I want you to slip into your best frock. I've got a table reserved at the Ritz-Carlton for dinner and I've ordered two seats for the opera. Why—what's the matter?" he added, seeing that her lips trembled.

"Well, to begin with," she said, "the cook quit today. Your Aunt Clara arrived unexpectedly for a visit and there's no telling how long she'll stay, both the children were sent from school, sick with bad colds and now—" she burst into tears—"and now, to cap the climax, you seem home drunk!"

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Fruit Cocktail 3 for	25c	Mustard
2 lb. box		FULL POUND CANS—
Crackers	11c	Pork & Beans
DRESSED—		Fresh Tomatoes
Fryers 25c to 35c		2 Pounds
NICE AND LEAN—		FRESH—
Salt Pork lb.	7½c	Pineapple 2 for
Hamburgur Meat		Lettuce 2 heads
Pound	10c	
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GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS		

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

James O. Burns left Thursday for San Diego, California, after spending several weeks with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burns and his sister, Evelyn. They accompanied him as far as Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller left last Sunday morning to attend the funeral of his brother, Noah Miller at Collinsville, Texas.

John Boykin of Star who had a serious operation at Temple several weeks ago was able to come home last Sunday and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allen who have lived for a number of years in Hot Springs, Ark., stopped here for a few days to visit her sister, Mrs. Walter Fairman and husband. They were on their way to Brady where they will make their home in the future.

Fishing Tackle—Hudson Bros.
Brian Smith of Dallas left Monday after spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Frank Smith here.

John Soules, who is quite ill at his home is somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Littlepage spent Sunday afternoon in Llano visiting relatives.

Miss Gloria Armstrong spent Tuesday and Wednesday in San Angelo visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moon and daughter, Lorena Ann, returned Wednesday afternoon from their vacation trip to Arkansas, Louisiana and South Texas. They report a pleasant trip except for too much rain. Mr. Moon's stepfather, A. B. Cullipher of DeWitt, Ark. and Mrs. Moon's niece from Beaumont, Miss Helen Colvin returned with them for a visit.

Bathing Suits—Hudson Bros.

Relatives who attended Mr. I. M. Ward's funeral in Cleburne from here last Thursday were: his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Brim; grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brim, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bob Steen, Jr., Miss Charlene and Mrs. Jane Brim and Herbert Brim.

Miss Abbie Ervin received a message Saturday that her brother, J. R. Ervin of Ranger had been bitten by a rattlesnake on his right hand as he pulled some Johnson grass. He was rushed to the hospital and at last report was doing as well as could be expected.

Bath Caps—Hudson Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Hope Shulze and Sam Sullivan attended the closing exercises of Hockaday School at Dallas. Miss Constance Trent being one of the graduates. Mrs. Shulze will receive her degree in music next Tuesday at S. M. U. at Dallas.

Mrs. T. R. Dempsey and daughter, Mrs. Charlie Smith of Dallas, paid the Eagle a pleasant call Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey visited in Dallas last week and Mr. and Mrs. Smith and little daughter came home with them for a short vacation.

Vacation Supplies—Hudson Bros.

Ben Patterson and Neal Dickerson spent Saturday and Sunday in Corpus Christi visiting Mr. Dickerson's daughter, Mrs. Jack Kilgore and family. Ben Patterson remained in Corpus Christi where he has accepted a position.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Browning of Bryan spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. K. Browning and other relatives here. His nephew, Billy Ray Whorton accompanied them home for a week's visit.

Fishing Tackle—Hudson Bros.

Mrs. J. K. Browning who has been ill for some time is much improved and is able to sit up. Miss Grace Patterson came home from Vernon last week where she has taught school for several years.

Mrs. J. V. Cockrum returned Sunday from Crane, where she spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. Bryan Ware and family. Her grandchildren, Joan and James accompanied her home for a visit.

Bathing Suits—Hudson Bros.

Miss Loraine Duey of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Duey and little son of Eagle Pass, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newel A. Duey.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Marricle have received word that they are comfortably located in their new home at 1624 Harrison street, Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Marsh Johnson and her father, W. G. Miller and Bobbie Johnson returned Wednesday from Ranger where they visited her sister, Mrs. O. R. Irvin and family.

Lyndon Morris came through Monday on his way to Fort Worth and spent the night with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Yarborough and her mother, Mrs. J. C. Mullin spent Sunday in Austin with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Yarborough and Harold Yarborough.

Virgil Priddy and wife and two sons are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Priddy. He is transferring from Pendleton to Blanket.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Z. Woodard's modern and attractive little home, just west of the school campus is nearing completion and will soon be ready for occupancy.

PERSONALITIES IN MUSIC

GEORGE GRAFF, A.S.C.A.P.

He Writes Songs Just For Fun



By Daniel I. McNamara

GEORGE GRAFF is a successful song-writer ("When Irish Eyes Are Smiling," "Till the Sands of the Desert Grow Cold," "Teach Me to Pray" and many others). But he is also a business executive with a commercial background quite apart from the traditional romanticism of the songwriting profession. The creation of song has been his hobby, never his vocation. Yet he has written some of the outstanding popular song successes of the generation.

Graff, now in his early fifties, is president of an investment trust company. At the same time he is a member of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers which he helped Victor Herbert to organize in 1914. He became seriously interested in songwriting through a chance meeting with the composer, Ernest R. Ball, "America's Tosti," in 1907, the year after Ball had brought out his memorable "Love Me and the World Is Mine." He became Ball's protegee. First of many songs they produced was "As Long As the World Rolls On," which established Graff as a lyric writer. He wrote songs with many composers.

Graff is a native New Yorker, son of a clergyman who was an aide of the late Dr. Charles R. Parkhurst, famous crusader for civic reform at the turn of the century. His mother was a short story writer, her mother a concert harpist. Graff was a musician from boyhood.

(Music Features & Photo Syndicate, N. Y.)

Graff and Ball wrote "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling" for Chauncey Olcott, star of romantic Irish plays, in 1912, completing the song from scratch in a few hours. Olcott wanted a new song about "eyes"—that was their only cue. Now the song is as popular in Ireland as native songs of a hundred years ago such as "Rory O'More" and "The Low Backed Car." Some of the other Graff successes are "To the End of the World With You," "In the Garden of Tomorrow," "I Love the Name of Mary," "Out Where the Blue Begins," "Wake Up, America" and "Let Us Have Peace."

Graff believes the greatest composers of popular songs America has known are Irving Berlin, Ernest R. Ball and Caro Roma. With Caro Roma he wrote "I Come to Thee" in 1924 at about the same time he wrote with Jessie May Deppen another spiritual work, "Teach Me to Pray." These were among his last songs, for late in 1924 he announced he was definitely through. Ball's death in 1927 further decreased his interest. Yet there are recurring rumors that he is coming back, for his associates of former years will not be convinced that the man who for twenty years wrote many of the nation's favorite songs will not emerge from his self-imposed retirement by writing a new song hit.

Mrs. Emil Zuhlke left for San Antonio Monday after spending a month with her sister, Mrs. Henry Martin and family.

Vacation Supplies—Hudson Bros.

Mrs. Lewis Gartman returned Sunday from a week's visit with her mother in Houston and her daughters at Austin and Seguin. Miss Evelyn accompanied her mother home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hiller of Shive spent Monday in the Henry Martin home.

Bath Caps—Hudson Bros.

Oscar Burns left Monday for Miles where he resumed his duties after spending his vacation with his family here.

Mrs. J. A. Youngblood of Dallas left Saturday after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairman.

Bathing Suits—Hudson Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsh Johnson, and children, Misses Myra Nell, and Joyce and Bobbie spent Sunday in Dallas visiting relatives.

W. W. Linkenhogor and little son of Hamilton spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Linkenhogor.

Fishing Tackle—Hudson Bros.

Miss Billie Weatherby returned home Friday from Brady where she taught music in the public school last semester.

Miss Jackie Gregg left for Gatesville Monday for a short visit.

Rev. F. J. Brucks left Monday for Kerrville where he is holding a meeting.

Rev. and Mrs. N. S. Daniel and sons of Meadow arrived Monday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Linkenhogor.

Luther Soules, who is still in the hospital at Dallas, is doing as well as can be expected.

South Bennett H. D. Club

The club met with Mrs. Faulkner, May 2, with our demonstrator present. We had an interesting discussion on slip-making and Miss Scott had a slip made from a foundation pattern for demonstration. She also finished a waist pattern for Mrs. Faulkner.

There were six members, two visitors and one new member present. We were very glad to have Mrs. Scriver join our club. Later in the evening, little Orpha Faulkner came home from school and entertained us for a while with recitations and piano playing, which everyone enjoyed very much.

We adjourned to meet again June 5 with Mrs. Morgan Stacy.

Scallorn H. D. Club

"Personal cleanliness is one of the outstanding marks of a well-groomed woman," stated Mrs. Frank Hines, local member of the Scallorn H. D. Club, which met in the home of Mrs. Jack Davis on Thursday, May 25, 1939, at 2:30 o'clock.

Another mark of a well-groomed woman, according to Miss Scott, county home demonstration agent, who met with us Thursday, is a dress placket that will stay fastened. Miss Scott gave a very interesting discussion and demonstration on ways to attain more perfect personal grooming.

After the preceding portion of the program was completed, Miss Scott gave a demonstration on how to check the gauge of a pressure cooker.

Delicious refreshments were served to fourteen ladies, including a new member and Miss Scott.

The next meeting will be held Thursday, June 8, in the home of Mrs. Fred Laughlin.

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As the guests departed, they were presented with dainty favors attached to the announcement card.

Pleasant
Pecan Valley

By Miss Johnnie Weathers

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Crawford are out on the Plains for a few days visit with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Singleton and children had lunch in the Weather's home Sunday.

Miss Clorie Langford of Ratler and Bill Woods of Ridge were visitors in J. D. Kight's home this week end.

W. B. Wilcox helped his son at Ratler shear sheep Saturday.

David King of Owens spent the week end in the Weathers home. He returned home Monday.

The Ethridge children who go to school at Mullin are rejoicing because school was out Friday.

Remember the singing at Center City, Sunday.

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(Continued from page 1)

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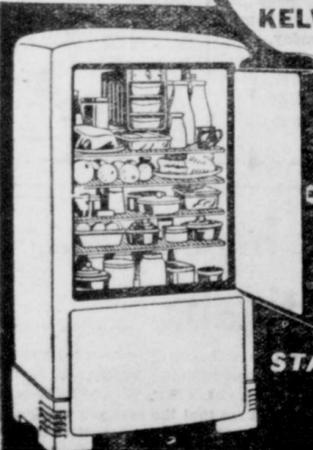
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Chappell Hill

By Catherine Crook

Grandfather Ivy, who has been sick for the last four weeks in the home of his son, Jess Ivy, passed away last Wednesday afternoon and was laid to rest in the North Brown Cemetery Thursday. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family in the loss of their loved one.

Pat Shirley and family from Pioneer visited in the home of E. E. Eakin this week end. His mother's mother, Mrs. Shirley, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Eakin for the last three weeks returned home with him Sunday.

The Eakin and Shirley families visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Colvin at Big Valley Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. George Mason who has been seriously sick is in Santa Anna hospital and at last report was doing nicely.

Mrs. L. M. Hamilton of Dallas and Willis Hamilton and family from Haskell visited for a few days last week in the Crook and Evans homes.

Catherine Crook left Sunday for a visit with relatives at Aus-

Publishers Dedicate New Newsprint Plant

LUFKIN.—Old East Texas, which has slept for centuries in the shade of its stately pines, today saw its forest cradle a new industry that bring fresh economic hope to the south and may revamp the newsprint industry of the world.

Southern newspaper publishers stood inside bare, unfinished walls of a great paper mill and while workmen's trip hammers knitted the skeleton-like frame, dedicated a plant that will convert native pine into newsprint.

Fifty thousand tons of newsprint annually will begin to roll from the \$6,000,000 mill about Dec. 1.—Temple Telegram

tin and other points.

Mrs. J. N. Crook had a very pleasant visit two Sundays ago with her friend, Mrs. Joe West in the home of Mrs. West's mother at De Leon. Mrs. West will be remembered by friends of this community some 20 years ago as Miss Vera Hightower. For the last 17 years Mrs. West has made her home at Long Beach, California.

Scallorn

By M... Cora Ford

J. D. and Tom Ford sheared sheep over in San Saba county last week.

Mrs. T. J. Laughlin returned from Temple where she visited with her son, Worley and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines and Greda attended the graduation exercises at Lometa Friday night.

The baseball team and their families took their dinner to Red Bluff Sunday. They played the Pecan Grove team Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. Ford and girls picked berries at Mrs. Tom Hale's Monday.

Mrs. Ernestine Strayley spent Sunday in Mrs. Ford's home.

Gordon Henry spent several days last week with the Ford boys in San Saba county, tying wool.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hines and Greda spent Monday in Santa Anna with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Todd.

Oats will be ready to cut the last of the week.

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The DIM LANTERN

by TEMPLE BAILEY.

STORY

Young, pretty Jane with her brother, Fred, and her father, Mr. Delafield, were particularly impressed with the attractive Edith who sat at the altar by the wealthy New Yorker. It was a young neighbor who had left completely dependent. Evans had that morning Baldwin to work in Washington to a tall, lovely woman who was in a car, containing a bag which was inscribed "Del." He knew then she was half way in that night he discussed the sophisticated Fred, who had been Edith's friend since they were children. He had heard her uncle had accepted Delafield's proposal, but she had not prevented her from then he failed to show the wedding was to be. The next day Jane called again.

When he learned she were tempered and she did not possess. She did not have a license. She had drunk. There was dancing a fine and which saved it from when he told her always that irked the shoulders. "Oh, crowd—your know to play around."

grew—in her burning blue of her beauty, the fineness integrity of her. She looked with relief when she saw her engagement to Delafield. He loved her, but none of the strain of her establishment. It was to be a wedding back into the of a father bed, to take the old life where she had ended.

When she welcomed her when I marry you," Delafield said. "I am going to all the notes. In Uncle Fred's everythings runs clockwork, it is he who winds the clock." His engagement was one of mutual freedom. Edith did as she pleased. Delafield did as he pleased, by rarely clashed. And as the wedding day approached, they were happily expectant.

Deliafield dictated, and waited with the flowers at the altar. Edith knew the right bridesmaids—I'll get the bridesmaids in the color of the bride. She hesitated. "Miss Delafield for orchids." "How?" he demanded.

Sterling entered. No one was with him, and he wore a worried frown. "May I speak to you, Mr. Towne?" he asked. Edith was standing by the window looking out at the old churchyard. The uneasiness which had infected the others had not touched her. Slender and white she stood waiting. In a few minutes Del would walk up the aisle with her and they would be married. In her mind that program was as fixed as the stars.

And now her uncle approached and said something. "Edith, Del isn't coming—" "Is he ill?" "I wish to heaven he were dead." "What do you mean, Uncle Fred?" "I'll tell you—presently. But we must get away from this—" His glance took in the changed scene. A blight had swept over those high young heads. Two of the bridesmaids were crying. The ushers had withdrawn into a huddled group. The servants were staring—uncertain what to do.

Somebody got Briggs and the big car to the door. Shut into it, Towne told Edith: "He's backed out of it. He left—this." He had a note in his hand. "It was written to Bob Sterling. Bob was with him at breakfast time, and when he came back, this was on Del's dresser." She read it, her blue eyes hot:

"I can't go through with it, Bob. I know it's a rotten trick, but time will prove that I am right. And Edith will thank me. "Del."

She crushed it in her hand. "Where has he gone?" "South, probably, on his yacht." "Wasn't there any word for me?" "No." "Is there any other—woman?" "It looks like it. Bob is utterly at sea. So is everybody else."

All of her but her eyes seemed frozen. The great bouquet lay at her feet where she had dropped it. Her hands were clenched. Towne laid his hand on hers. "My dear—it's dreadful." "Don't!" "Don't what?" "Be sorry." "But he's a cur—" "It doesn't do any good to call him names, Uncle Fred."

"I think you must look upon it as a great escape, Edith." "Escape from what?" "Unhappiness." "Do you think I can ever escape from the thought of this?" The strong sweep of her arm seemed to indicate her bridal finery.

He sat in unhappy silence, and suddenly she laughed. "I might have known when he kept sending me orchids. When a man loves a woman he knows the things she likes." It was then that Towne made his mistake. "You ought to thank your lucky stars—" She blazed out at him. "Uncle Fred, if you say anything more like that—it's utterly idiotic. But you won't face facts. Your generation never does. I'm not in the least thankful. I'm simply furious."

There was an hysterical note in her voice, but he was unconscious of the tension. She was not taking it in the least as he wished she might. She should have wept on his shoulder. Melted to tears he might have soothed her. But there were no tears in those blue eyes. She trod on her flowers as she left the car. Looking straight ahead of her she ascended the steps. Within everything was in readiness for the wedding festivities. The stairway was terraced with hydrangeas, pink and white and blue. In the drawing-room were rose garlands with floating ribbons. And there was a vista of the dining-room—with the caterer's men already at their posts.

Except for these men, a maid or two—and a detective to keep his eye on things, the house was empty. Everybody had gone to the wedding, and presently everybody would come back. The house would be stripped, the flowers would fade, the caterers would carry away the wasted food. Edith stopped at the foot of the stairs. "How did they announce it at the church?" "That it had been postponed. It

was the only thing to do at the moment. Of course there will be newspaper men. We'll have to make up a story—"

"We'll do nothing of the kind. Tell them the truth, Uncle Fred. That I'm not—wanted. That I was kept—waiting at the church. Like the heroine in a movie." She stood on the steps above him, looking down. She was as white as her dress. "I don't want to see anybody. I don't mind losing Del. He doesn't count. He isn't worth it. But can you imagine that any man—any man, Uncle Fred, could have kept me—waiting?"

The thing that Frederick Towne got out of his niece's flight was this. "She wouldn't let anybody sympathize with her. Simply locked the door of her room, and in the morning she was gone. It has added immeasurably to the gossip."

His listeners had, however, weighed him in the balance of understanding and sympathy, and had found him wanting. The youth in them sided with Edith. But none of this showed in their manner. They were polite and hospitable to the last. Frederick, ushered out into the storm by Baldy, still saw Jane like a bird, warm in her nest.

By morning the violence of the storm had spent itself. But it was still bitterly cold. The snow was blue beneath the leaden sky. The chickens, denied their accustomed promenade, ate and drank and went to sleep again in the strange dusk. Merrymaid and the kitten having poked their noses into the frigid atmosphere withdrew to the snug haven of a basket beneath the kitchen stove. Sophy sent word that her rheumatism was worse, and that she could not come over. Jane, surveying the accumulated piles of dishes, felt a sense of unusual depression. While Frederick Towne had talked last night she had caught a glimpse of his world—the great house—six servants—gay girls in the glamour of good clothes, young men who matched the girls, money to meet every emergency—a world in which nobody had to wash dishes—or make soup out of Sunday's roast.

She was cheered a bit, however, by the announcement that her brother had decided to stay home from the office.

"I'll have a try at that magazine cover—" Her spirits rose. "Wouldn't it be utterly perfect if you got the prize?" "Not much chance. The thing I need is a good model—" "And I won't do?" with some wistfulness.

They had talked of it before. Baldy refused to see possibilities in Jane. "Since you bobbed your hair, you're too modern—" She was, rather, medieval, with her straight-cut frocks and her straight-cut locks. But she was a figure so familiar that she failed to appeal to his imagination. "Editors like 'em modern, don't they?"

But his thoughts had winged themselves to that other woman whom his fancy painted in a thousand poses. "If Edith Towne were here—I'd put her on a marble bench beside a sapphire sea." "I'll bet you couldn't get an editor in the world to look at it. Sapphire seas and classic ladies are a million years behind the times—" "They are never behind the times—" Jane shrugged, and changed the subject. "Darling—if you'll put your mind to mundane things for a moment. Tomorrow is Thanksgiving Day, the Follettes are to dine with us, and we haven't any turkey."

"Why haven't we?" "You were to get it when you went to town, and now you're not going—" "I am not—not for all the turkeys in the world. We can have roast chickens. That's simple enough, Janey."

"It may seem simple to you. But who's going to cut off their heads?" "Sophy," said Baldy. Having killed Germans in France he refused further slaughter. "Sophy has the rheumatism—" "Oh, well, we can feast our souls—" Young Baldwin's mood was one of exaltation.

Jane leaned back in her chair and looked at him. "Your perfectly poetic solution may satisfy you, but it won't feed the Follettes." With some irritation, therefore, he promised, if all else failed, to himself decapitate the fowls. "But your mind, Jane, never soars above food—" Jane, with her chin in her hands, considered this. "A woman," she said, "who keeps house for a poet—must anchor herself to—something. Perhaps I'm like a captive balloon—if you cut the cable, I'll shoot straight up to the skies—" She liked that thought of herself, and smiled over it, after Baldy had left her. She wondered if the cable would ever be cut. If the captive balloon would ever soar.

So she went about her simple tasks, putting the bone on to boil for soup, preparing the vegetables for it—wondering what she would have for dessert—with all his scorn of domestic details, Baldy was apt to be fastidious about his sweets—and coming finally to her sweeping and dusting in the front part of the house.

The telephone rang and she answered it. Evans was at the other end of the wire. "Mother wants to speak to you." Mrs. Follette asked if she might change her plans for Thanksgiving. "Will you and your brother dine (Continued Next Week)

Pleasant Grove

By Ruby D. Berry
Several in the community have started cutting grain now.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Armstrong and family from Goldthwaite spent Sunday in the Ray Berry home.

Syble Miller visited a few days last week with friends at Lometa. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Berry and Troy visited Mr. and Mrs. Jewel O'Neal last Wednesday.

Bill Virden and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Collier and Miss Ima at Star.

Mrs. Will Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lucas and baby, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jeffery and children visited in the O. Z. Berry home Saturday night.

Harvey Jeffery went to Blanket Sunday. He has a job there. Mr. and Mrs. John Porter and Anna Lee spent Sunday in the Sam Porter home.

Relatives of Tom Baber were visiting him Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. John Patterson and Ima V. Covington spent Friday night in the Bill Virden home.

Troy Berry visited Garland Crawford near Goldthwaite Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Berry and Lovine visited in the Marion Cox home at Moline Sunday.

Lula Wilkey spent Sunday with Ima V. Covington. Mr. and Mrs. Walker Berry visited in the O. Z. Berry home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Brit Berry and Chester visited her parents at Moline Sunday evening. Ruby D. Berry visited Rosa Lee Jeffery Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Griffin and family from South Bennett visited Mrs. Queenie and Miss Edith Covington Sunday.

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Mrs. Frank Mingus Passes Away

Mrs. Frank Mingus died Sunday, May 28, in the Medical Arts Hospital in Dallas, Texas. Funeral services were held in the Hico cemetery near Hico, Texas, at 4:00 o'clock Monday afternoon, May 29th.

Those attending the funeral from Goldthwaite were:

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Bradford, Mrs. A. L. Whittaker, Mrs. S. E. Cloninger, Mrs. E. B. Gilliam, Julian Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus McKenney.

She leaves her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Paul McCullough and Mrs. J. M. Bauknight of Ganado; one son, Otis Mingus, Aruba Island, Dutch West Indies, and 11 grandchildren.

Sympathy is extended to the family.

Friends are delighted to greet E. B. Anderson and R. L. Steen on the streets again, after weeks of serious illness.

J. R. Ivy Buried

J. R. Ivy died Wednesday afternoon, May 24, at the home of his son, Jess Ivy, near Goldthwaite. He was buried Thursday afternoon at North Brown cemetery. I. A. Dyches of Goldthwaite officiated.

Mr. Ivy was born Dec. 5, 1859, in Mississippi. He came to Texas at the age of 12, living in Burleson and Williamson counties.

He was first married to Miss Donie Gross. In 1892, while they were living in Williamson county, she died, leaving him three small children. When his children were about grown, he married Mrs. Reid of Regency. A few years after her death, he married Mrs. Mary Crowder of this community. Since then he had made his home here.

Mr. Ivy had been in failing health for several years. A few weeks back he became bedfast. It was then his son came and took him and Mrs. Ivy to his home where they stayed until

SHANGHAI, China.—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek has evolved another plan on how to eventually liquidate the Japanese invaders. Under his new economic war plan, the various Chinese industries are taking their factories apart piecemeal and removing them into the interior of southwest China. This industrial expansion has started in the provinces of Hunan, Kwangsi, and Kiangsi. At the same time, the Chinese Government is building new highways and railroads to convey the recently reorganized industrial products out of the country. In this way, China hopes to combat the invader on his own ground.

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his death.

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News Flashes!

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Governments of Great Britain and the United States have reached a tentative barter agreement whereby the U. S. will send 1,000,000 bales of cotton to England in return for \$50,000,000 worth of rubber. It is understood that the bartered supplies will be held as "war reserves."

Although the plan is still subject to the U. S. Senate for ratification due to the fact that the barter scheme is a treaty, U. S. Ambassador, Joseph P. Kennedy, is credited with having completed the tentative deal with the English officials. It is understood that the cotton will come from the 11,000,000 bale supply that the American Government has stored away during its price-fixing and buying program. At the same time, the British Government is expected to increase the production of rubber in order that the large amount of that product suddenly withdrawn from the market will not disrupt the normal flow of the rubber trade.

LONDON, England.—Although the international situation has not cleared up, there was a definite easing of tension in Great Britain over last week end. Many circles feel that Hitler will not start any active campaigns until the middle of August. At the same time, there is a definite feeling that Great Britain will be able to sign a military pact with Soviet Russia.

Of an annual total of nearly 1,500,000 deaths in the United States, about 30 are caused by leprosy.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Mexican Government is very anxious to settle the expropriated oil properties dispute. The Mexican Ambassador has been seeing the Undersecretary of States, Sumner Welles, in an attempt to bring about a rapid conciliation of the trouble which has caused considerable anti-Mexican feeling in the United States. Also, it is seen in some circles that Mexico is afraid that the United States may terminate her silver buying program in retaliation for the anti-American treatment in Mexico. The production of silver is one of Mexico's chief industries.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Secretary of Agriculture has just announced that the wheat loan program will be continued, almost the same as last year, to cover the 1939 crop. The loan program provides cash to wheat growers that stay within the allotted number of wheat acres as defined under the terms of the 1939 AAA.

LISBON, Portugal.—The continents of Europe and America were linked here today for the first time by a regular airmail service. The "Yankee Clipper" landed in Lisbon Harbor at 3:42 P. M. (Eastern Daylight Saving Time) just 26 1/2 hours after her take-off from her base at Port Washington, Long Island, N. Y.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The Census Bureau reports that the consumption of cotton by U. S. mills during the month of April at 546,702 running bales. This is an increase of 133,533 bales over April 1938.

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