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HERE and THERE

By Joe Quinn

IT seems that practically everyone these days has lost faith in mankind generally. Why people have become so skeptical that when a man does have kindness enough in his heart to do or suggest anything for the good of the country he is immediately branded as either a moron or a slick politician. Just recently a certain congressman from Tennessee arose to his feet in the house and suggested that the salaries of all congressmen be cut to \$5,000.00 a year. Immediately the newspapers were filled with this shocking story, and columnists began to sling stinging remarks at that individual who earnestly offered a suggestion that might save the government thousands of dollars annually.

ACCORDING to a recent statement from the right hand man to Germany's ex-Kaiser Bill, the old gent would not accept an invitation to return to that country for anything, practically. He did say, however, or intimate, that he would not return for anything less than the emperorship itself. This reflection can be taken in two different ways. He could have meant that he really expected to be offered that high and mighty position or it might have been that he intimated that there was no possibility of his ever returning.

SPORT fans are keeping at least one eye on the present activities of that famous king-of-the-swat, Babe Ruth. As you probably know the Babe has been getting \$75,000.00 per year (and not perhaps) for wearing a Yankee uniform. Well, recently he was mailed his contract but the stipulated sum had been reduced to a scant fifty thousand. Do you think Babe returned the contract unsigned? Why, of course he did. Didn't everyone expect him to? But the funny part of the story is that he is still keeping training which is a pretty good indication that he intends to play ball at some price. And you can count on it that it won't be for pleasure alone.

MAN without a cognny may be in a perdicament but the man without a home is far worse off. The Commissioner's Court in a certain Texas city recently issued a decree advising the local relief authorities not to give support of any kind to transients. It places a fellow between a rock and a hard place when he is forced to give up his home on account of high taxes and than can't even find a place where he can do an honest day's labor for one square meal and a place to rest his head at night.

STYLE is one thing that hasn't been bothered by the depression. Why even railroad companies are beginning to recognize the fact that in order to get up with the times they must cater to fashion. Just within the last week a certain railway institution took one of Henry Ford's V-8 machine off the highway, put specially equipped rubber tires on it and turned it loose on the track to do forty miles an hour while the driver read the evening paper. Even at that though I guess we should be satisfied that there is one less road-hog to worry about, but watch out when you come to a crossing; you never can tell when a rubber-tired locomotive is going to slip up on you and fail to blow his horn.

FIVE men were shot and wounded in another Iowa "milk blockade." It is really serious when it comes to this. A poor fellow with a herd of good contented milk cows shouldn't be shot down about it, even if the market isn't right. He surely can't talk his cows into quit giving milk until the market gets right, and with the milk on his hands he has to find something to do with it. It's just like shooting a man for picking cotton when it's cotton that he planted.

W. F. Johnson, Sr., of Anson, Texas, came in Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Post, returning Monday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Johnson, Jr., and little son, Billy Marlon, who had been visiting with the Post family for some time.

P.-T. A. Holds Open House Session at High School Auditorium

Preliminary Survey for Highway from Temple Completed Saturday

Surveying crews of the State Highway Department completed their work Saturday morning making a preliminary survey of Highway No. 36 south to Temple. The survey and locations of the lines made in this work does not in any manner establish the exact location of the new proposed highway that all have been hoping for these many years between Gatesville and Temple. All data and information is to be forwarded to the both state and federal engineers who will at a later date make known the exact location of Highway No. 36. The probable routing of this road into Gatesville from Temple will likely enter Gatesville near the Cotton Belt depot, passing between the depot and the Borden Milk plant and intersecting Main Street near the cemetery.

Coryell County May Get Federal Aid

A group of citizens of Gatesville, representing this place and the county in general, have been in conference with the headquarters of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Stamford with the purpose of securing aid from the Relief Finance Corporation of Washington. Gatesville has been informed that sometime in the near future further steps may be taken toward arrangements for the disbursing of any such aid as may be granted.

Heretofore when an application was made to the State Commissioner of Labor at Austin, who until recently had charge of this work in Texas, for assistance from this available fund, it was made known that no money or funds would be allowed this county until the local county commissioners court had approved the loan and promised the payment of same by issuing county warrants guaranteeing the payment. In this case our commissioners court unanimously deferred considering this proposition. Under the present ruling, the entire state of Texas is divided into three sections with the regional Chamber of Commerce as the chief disbursing source to a recognized relief committee in each county. Coryell County coming under the supervision of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Gatesville Man Making Good with Large Firm

Mr. and Mrs. Ayers Compton, who are making their home in Mineral Wells, spent the week-end here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Compton. Mr. Compton has been employed for the past two years by the Crazy Water Company of that city who are makers of the famous Crazy Crystals. At the time Mr. Compton became associated with this company he was employed as purchasing agent for the company. Since that time he was promoted to the position of state sales manager which place he held until recently. During the past few months he has been active as national sales manager with representatives in practically every state in the union. During this time the sales of this firm have increased with leaps and bounds, thoroughly determining the ability of Mr. Compton as its sales advisor and manager.

Mr. Compton's many friends here in Gatesville and over the state rejoice to learn of his great success with this concern.

Well Known County Citizen Dies at Purlmela

I. H. Hoskins, 86, died Sunday, Feb. 5th, at his home in Purlmela. He was laid to rest in the Murphy Cemetery at Evant, Monday, Feb. 6th. Rev. Ernest Copeland, his grandson by marriage, conducted the services at the cemetery. Mr. Hoskins was born Sept. 12, 1846, in Georgia. He came to Texas in 1872. His wife having preceded him in death some twelve years. Seven children surviving: Mrs. J. E. Mariott, Mrs. O. Harris, Mrs. Cade-lla Blackshire, Mrs. Smith Williams, Sam Hoskins, Joe Hoskins, Gus Hoskins. Five grandsons and one great-nephew acting as pall bearers.

M. B. (Brooks) Sasse Announces for Secretary

To the Voters of Gatesville: I take this method of announcing myself as a candidate for the office of City Secretary of the city of Gatesville. In announcing I wish to say that I am not the candidate of any elick, claz, organization or group of people. I am 25 years of age, have lived in Gatesville all but 6 years of my life. I was for two years Educational Director, Financial Secretary and business manager of the First Baptist Church of Sweetwater, Texas. I have been bookkeeper, school teacher and salesman. I consider myself qualified for the office to which I aspire.

Although the City Secretary has no voice in determining the policies of City Government I think it only fair that the voters should know what the various candidates stand for. To this end I wish to declare that I am for the common people first because it from the prosperity of the common people that lawyers, doctors, merchants and tradesmen have their prosperity. I believe in building Gatesville by spending Gatesville money in Gatesville for such money as is spent outside of Gatesville does not come back. Should you care to know what my beliefs are on any subject you have only to ask in order to find out.

I hope to see each of you personally between now and election time. In the meantime I shall appreciate any word spoken or deed done in my behalf.

Sincerely,
M. B. (Brooks) SASSE.

Baptist Begin Sunday School Enlargement Campaign Sunday

According to information to the News by the pastor, Rev. C. A. Morton, the officers and teachers of the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church, this city, will begin their Annual Enlargement Campaign, Sunday, Feb. 12, closing Friday night, Feb. 17.

General announcements will be made Sunday. The work proper begins Monday night, 7:15, in the main auditorium of the church, closing each evening at 8:15 promptly.

The course of study will be on the book, "Building a Standard Sunday School" by Arthur Flake, one of the foremost authorities on Sunday School work among the Baptist people. The pastor will conduct the course. Having obtained all the degrees and pursued all the post graduate work of the Baptist Sunday School Board and all the Sunday School courses given in the Baptist Schools and seminaries, he is authorized to teach the course and in the name of the Baptist Sunday School Board, award to all who attend and complete the week's study the Sunday School Administration Diploma.

There will be other things of interest through the week, such as conference and surveys looking to a regular attendance every Sunday of 400 in Sunday School.

COURT HOUSE

Warranty Deeds
C. H. Crawford and others to Kenneth G. Crawford; lots in Gatesville.

C. H. Crawford to Edina Amy Crawford; 148 acres, B. Eilers survey.

Archie Quicksall to A. T. Quicksall; 67 1-2 acres, Caruthers survey, 33 acres, Roddy survey, 6 acres, Williams survey.

Richard Adams to Alfred Adams and others, 18 1-2 acres, Richie survey.

R. D. Etchison and others to A. J. Kaddatz, 80 acres, T. W. Marshall survey.

Luther Davidson to B. B. Garrett, 165 acres, Lopez survey.

J. C. Jones and others to C. A. Tubbs, lots in Osage.

Mrs. C. D. Mooney to J. L. Mooney, lots in Oglesby.

Mrs. M. L. Epler to W. P. Freeman; 100 acres, Carmona survey. Fay Thetford and others to R. J. Smith; 100 acres B. McDaniel survey.

Marriage License
Andrew Kendrick and Miss Nina Murray.

District Highway Engineers Here Wednesday

Messrs. Younge and Pipkin, representing the Division Highway Engineer of Waco, spent Wednesday here in Gatesville conferring with county officials and others in reference to the construction of Highway No. 36, which is proposed from Temple to Gatesville and thence to Jonesboro.

It is said that this road is likely to be definitely located in the near future and as soon as possible an appropriation will be asked for from the State Highway fund for its construction.

This road has already been constructed from Temple to the Coryell County line and from Jonesboro to Hamilton, leaving all of the road in Coryell County as an unfinished gap in this highway running northwest from Temple for a distance of some seventy miles.

Construction work has been going on for some time on one of the three main bridge structures, this being the upper Leon bridge and located some two miles from Jonesboro. It is said there will be two other major bridges over the Leon river south of Gatesville.

The beginning of actual work on this piece of road will mean much activity in Coryell County and should give employment to many farmers, who have idle teams, also to those seeking labor who may not have teams, and will do much to relieve the unemployment situation in this county.

Painter & Lee Sale Attracts Many Buyers

Despite the extreme cold weather, the new business firm, and successors to the G. M. Carlton Bros. & Company store of this place, opened Wednesday of this week to a large crowd of eager buyers.

After closing a deal the past week for this stock of goods, Messrs. George Painter and Z. W. Lee left for Dallas where they spent hundreds of dollars for new merchandise which they added to the stock of merchandise here. In speaking of the sale Mr. Lee was very much pleased with the results of the opening day despite the extreme cold weather which confronted them when ready for business.

In accordance with the progressive spirit of this new firm, they placed the printing of their circulars with a home concern and the News turned out several thousand circulars at a price that is in comparison with any mail order house and at the same time keeping home money at home.

W. M. U. Mission Study Institute

Despite the severest weather of the winter the program as announced for a mid-winter Mission Study Institute was carried out in full. The place of assembly was changed from the church to the home of Pastor and Mrs. C. A. Morton.

Promptly at 10 o'clock on Tuesday the members of the class assembled for an intensive study of the Southwide W. M. U. year book taught by Mrs. J. E. Leigh, Texas W. M. U. Secretary. At the noon hour a buffet luncheon was served to all present.

In the afternoon at the close of the class period adjustment was made for a social hour which was planned as a courtesy to the brides of the year. The appointments of this hour were arranged for by Mrs. D. R. Boone, and Mrs. E. Price Beaman, with their circle. Voice numbers rendered from Miss Eugenia Cayce, and Mrs. Leo Johnson, and a reading by Mrs. Bythel Cooper, were appreciated by the guests.

Mrs. Dan E. Graves as president of the local W. M. U. presented gifts to the brides of the year, who are: Mrs. Garland Sydow, Mrs. Jarner Stockberger, Mrs. Tom Davidson, Jr., Mrs. Rufus McKinney and Mrs. Andrew Kendrick.

As a token of love and esteem, Mrs. Lee was remembered with a pair of hand-embroidered pillow cases. The refreshment plate of cherry delight, angel squares, salted nuts and valentine favors were served to 40 guests.

On Tuesday evening young people leaders gathered for a conference and on Wednesday the circle chair-

Valentine Social for Ladies' Wesley Bible Class of Methodist Church

About sixty ladies responded to an invitation for the enjoyment of a Valentine Social given by the Ladies Wesley Bible Class on Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist Church.

The chilly winds of winter were soon forgotten as they were greeted by Mesdames C. W. McConaughy, Arthur Scholeman, who ushered them into the basement where a glow of hospitality was felt by members and visitors alike. Bright red roses centered the tables previously arranged for playing the game of "Hearts."

Reminiscence of childhood days was a verse given each guest who was to find her partner having a corresponding rhyme. During the progressive game there was much merriment as a result of each woman being asked to write her given name on a heart she wore and respond to no other name during the afternoon.

The Valentine motif was accentuated in the table covers, napkins, and refreshment plate which held heart-shaped favors carrying these words, "Meet me each Sunday at forty after nine, and I will always be your Valentine."

This invitation will bring an enthusiastic response if judged by the many expressions of appreciation offered by those sharing this social courtesy.

Home Rites Unite Andrew Kendrick and Miss Nina Murray

The marriage of Miss Nina Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Murray, and Andrew Kendrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kendrick, took place at 9 o'clock Saturday morning at the home of the brides parents on the State School Road. The Rev. James M. McLean officiated with the ring ceremony, which was read in the presence of the immediate family, a few friends and relatives.

The bride wore a suit of blue with squirrel trimmings, and blue accessories. She carried a large bouquet of pink rosebuds and lilies of the valley, which she gave to her mother following the ceremony.

Miss Orpa Mayo, pianist, played Lohengrin's Wedding March for the entry of the bride and groom and during the ceremony Grieg's "Morning" was played. Cut flowers of red roses formed the back ground.

Immediately following the ceremony the couple left for Austin and San Antonio. Upon their return they will make their home in Gatesville. The couple is popular members of the young social group. The bride is a graduate of Gatesville high school, and attended Baylor University. Mr. Kendrick graduated from Gatesville high school, and is a former student at the University of Texas where he received his B. A. degree. Since that time he has been connected with the Gatesville National Bank, as assistant cashier.

Evant and Pearl to Be in the Final Games

Basket ball is proving to be rather interesting in the Coryell County meet. In the second series of games here last Saturday, Evant and Pearl played their way into the finals, while Plainview, Gatesville, Turnersville and Mount Zion will meet Friday afternoon, (weather permitting) to see which team will be in the finals which are to be held here Saturday.

1st Round
Jonesboro 17, Pearl 33
Turnersville 21, Evant 29
Jonesboro drew by.

Mt. Zion 10, Pearl 25
Jonesboro 18, Turnersville 25
Antelope 18, Mound 27
Mt. Olive 29, White Hall 13
Gatesville 16, Ireland 14
Plainview 41, Ewing 14

3rd Round
Mt. Olive 29, Plainview 35
Gatesville 31, Mound 14

With fair weather for Saturday a large crowd is expected at the championship of the county will be known. Mr. Marr studied plans for an onward program for the year. At the prayer meeting hour Mrs. Lee brought an inspiration address.

Local Organization Aided by Public School Faculty Were Hosts to Hundreds of Gatesville Parents.

Rep. Ford of McLennan Co. to Oppose Sales Tax

Representative J. B. Ford of McLennan County, and incidentally a brother of Wesley Ford, Postmaster of Gatesville, says he is opposed to many of the proposed laws that are being offered at Austin for tax relief. The following is an article taken from the Sunday issue of the Waco News-Tribune:

Opposition to increasing the number of highway commissioners, and to the sales tax, will be two main planks in the platform of Representative J. B. Ford's conduct in the Forty-third legislature.

"I am opposed," he says, "to the creation of any more bureaus and commissions, and I will not vote to increase the number of highway commissioners."

"The legislature has constantly fooled itself and the people in levying taxes, saying they would reduce the property tax, but never happened, and all taxes are passed on to the consumer. This country wants no more taxes of any kind, and I will oppose the sales tax as well as any and all other proposed tax measures. The government should adjust its way of living just as individuals now have to do."

What the legislature ought to do at this session is outlined with remarkable brevity by Representative Ford.

His Program in Brief
"In my opinion," he says, "it should reduce the appropriations 40 to 50 per cent, adjourn, and go home."

This is representative's Ford second term in the legislature. He resigned as mayor of McGregor after serving three years, upon being elected to the Forty-second legislature. He had no opponent in the race, nor did he for the Forty-third. He did not introduce a single bill during the Forty-second legislature, and probably will introduce none this session, he states.

"I am opposed to most legislation offered for the reason that we now have too many laws," he says. "The government has assumed numerous obligations that are not proper governmental functions. We have too many boards, bureaus and commissions, and there is too much overlapping and duplication. There is but one solution and that is big reduction of salaries and abolishing useless duplicating bureaus and commissions."

Man of Varied Experiences
Ford was born at Batesville, Ark., Oct. 5, 1892, and came to Texas in 1897. He graduated from McGregor high school in 1911, attended the University of Texas five years and received a license to practice law in 1917. He taught school two years and served 25 months in the World war, having a commission in artillery and being an instructor in the artillery training school at Louisville, Ky. He married a McGregor girl, Miss Hatfield Russell, in 1918, and has two children, Virginia, 11, and David, seven.

In the legislature, he is on the appropriations, state affairs, constitutional amendments and public lands and buildings committees. He also served on the governor's inauguration committee. He was manager of A. P. Johnson's campaign for speaker, visiting most sections of Texas before the Forty-third legislature convened, and having a personal acquaintance with 140 of its members.

G. W. Byrom, formerly with the firm of Byrom and Walker, but for the past few months, has been inactive with the firm, has resumed his duties in the office of this firm and invites all of his friends to visit him.

Farm Forecloser Is Shot to Death

Mound City, Kan., Jan. 31.—Mystery Tuesday cloaked the slaying of Luther D. Marr, 67-year-old Kansas City real estate dealer, and former Tulsa, Okla., banker, found fatally wounded Monday night near his bullet riddled automobile two miles south of Pleasanton.

Mr. Marr came to Mound City Monday to attend a foreclosure sale on a 500-acre farm, on which he held the mortgage. The farm, had been sold a few years ago by the

The open house sponsored jointly by the Gatesville Public Schools and the local Parent-Teacher Association was attended by hundreds of parents and friends who showed their interest in the work of the school by attending in such large numbers. By observing the work on display in the schools from the first grade through the upper grades one could see the advancement being made each year and realize that learning is a gradual process which must be carefully supervised and directed. The work showed a well-outlined program which the school, with the co-operation of the parents, is putting over successfully. Members of the P.-T. A. assisted the teachers in a welcoming and registering the visitors to the various rooms. Parents were encouraged to carefully examine the work of their children and compare it with that of other pupils in the same grade so that they would be in a position to better help the children in their future work. A check-up of the number registered in each room showed that many friends and a large percentage of the parents were in attendance. This was very gratifying to those in charge of the affair for it showed the splendid co-operation which the Gatesville School always finds in its patrons.

Following the examination of the work of the pupils, the crowd was summoned to the high school auditorium where music was furnished by the high school band under the direction of Mr. D. W. Diserens. The auditorium proved insufficient to accommodate the large number present and many were unable to gain admission for this reason. Mr. Joe Hanna presided following the music and expressed a word of appreciation for the excellent work being done by the school and for the co-operation of the people of Gatesville in supporting the open house so wholeheartedly. Short talks commending the work of the school were given by Messrs. Bates Cross, C. E. Alvis, Rev. W. W. Ward and Mesdames Tom L. Robinson, H. T. Johnson, S. A. Morton and Rufe Brown.

The Elementary School Choral Club rendered two numbers which were followed by a playlet entitled, "Red Shoes." Anita Lowrey, as the possessor of the red shoes, had some very interesting experiences. "Tramp Barbers," a comedy, was given by boys of the seventh grade and proved a fitting climax for the program. Both of these plays were directed by Miss Doris Jones and the pupils showed much talent in their splendid acting.

The P. T. A. hospitality committee, composed of Mesdames Elbert Stone, O. G. Gilder, Walter Stewart and J. H. Hamilton, provided a social hour after the program. Tea and sandwiches were served in the dining room made attractive with ferns and flowers carrying out the red and white color scheme. Mrs. Rufe Brown presided over the punch bowl where punch and cake were also served. The following girls of the home economics department assisted in serving: Misses Winnie Belle Whigham, Merle Scott, Frankie Wilson, Dessa Lee Hair, Lillian Hale and Ruth Raby Franks. The members of the hospitality committee and the ladies who helped them deserve much credit for their splendid work in arranging this feature of the program.

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Miss Brown Alexander of Parkland Hospital, Dallas, was one of twenty young ladies who passed probation and received her cap several days ago.

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TEXAS SENATE REJECTS FERGUSON APPOINTEE

In a secret session of the Texas Senate Wednesday, F. L. Denison of Temple, Texas, was rejected as a member of the Texas State Highway Commission.

In the failure of the Senate to confirm this appointment, Central Texas and Coryell County loses the possibility of having a real friend on the Highway Commission.

The action of the Senate is deeply regretted by many in Gatesville and Coryell County. The reason for disapproving of the appointment was given on account of Mr. Denison's participation in the construction of the highway from Belton to Temple under a previous Ferguson administration.

IS MILK A PUBLIC UTILITY?

At the present time in New York an effort is being made to bring milk sales under strict state regulation, by having it declared a public utility.

This proposal, like most attempted "relief measures," is the result of the chaos that has naturally resulted in the milk industry because of the general business chaos.

The difficulties of state regulation of milk are obvious. For example, milk from six states comes to the New York Metropolitan area, and about 30 per cent of present fluid sales of New York milk go into cities in New Jersey.

As a matter of fact, the New York milk situation is now being met as well as any such problem can be met at a time when the natural law of supply and demand would destroy the effect of any man-made law that attempted to run counter to its course.

Pensioners' Fund Faces Deficit of \$6,896,000 in 1935. Austin, Texas, Feb. 1.—Moore Lynn, State Auditor, in a report on the Confederate pension fund, submitted to Gov. Ross S. Sterling Monday, said that unless the revenues are supplemented or the monthly payments to pensioners decreased, it is believed the deficit of Aug. 31, 1935, will be \$6,896,386.

Revenues for the fund are derived entirely from a special ad valorem tax levy of 7c on the \$100 valuation.

There was a credit balance of \$40,082 in the pension fund Aug. 31, 1924," the report said. "Each year since has closed with a deficit. The deficit Aug. 31, 1932, was \$2,825,881. Unless revenues are supplemented or the monthly payments to pensioners decreased it is believed that the deficit Aug. 31, 1935, will be \$6,896,386.

Reasons for Shortage. This situation is due in part to a reduction in tax valuations, an increase in delinquencies and the recent adoption of the homestead exemption amendment to the Constitution which, it is believed, will deprive the pension fund of \$1,200,000 of taxes during 1934 and 1935.

The expected deficit, however, is due primarily to the liberalization of the pension laws since the adoption of the latest pension amendment to the Constitution in 1928. Prior to its adoption the eligibility of applicants was limited by the Constitution and the amount permitted to be paid to pensioners was limited by law to the funds available.

Amounts Fixed by Law. The amounts now payable are fixed specifically by the statute, with no limitation designed to keep the total of payments within the total revenues. According to the Constitution, payments appear to be limited to those who are in indigent circumstances, but this provision and the definition of the word in-

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hope Blackstock of Arnett, Feb. 6th. They have named the little boy Weldon Jones.

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH TEXAS

By S. W. Adams, Austin, Texas

Ill-advised legislation has done more to wreck our state, perhaps, than all other things combined—and this legislation has peaked in all legislation.

When the State passed its recent prorator laws, under the compulsion of influence wielded by men frantic in their distress and without a proper perspective, the Legislature unconstitutionally and foolishly transferred to a board, the Railroad Commission, powers and functions never intended that one board should exercise.

Under this law, an attempt has been made to place legislative, executive and judicial powers in the commission's hands, and the mess they have made of it is painful to say more, surcharged with most terrifying probabilities.

A well-dressed, well-mannered, well-fed man was overheard to say in a local hotel lobby this week: "I have \$250,000 cash salted away. If this sales tax is put in and all ad valorem taxes taken off, I shall invest every cent in farm lands, and clean up a cool million."

The other reed: There appeared before a committee a delegation of rich men from San Antonio area, and their spokesman made an impassioned plea that all employees' salaries be cut, that the tax-burden may be taken off the wealth of Texas.

A Brenham bachelor said to his doctor: "This sales tax? Ah, that's fine. I have several hundred acres of fine black land, and my renters make my money. I buy one pair of shoes for \$5.00, and pay ONLY 15 cents tax. You have wife and three children, two in college and one in high school. You buy five pairs of shoes and pay 75 cents taxes—yeh, this sales tax is fine," and irony hung upon the lips of an honest man.

Legislation is stumbling along. The Senate is not yet measuring up to its supposed dignity. The capitol rats are frantically trying to justify their existence by using the spurious claim that "We turn in more money than we take out."

From Apprentice to Professional in Two Hours. A young man just finishing high school decided he would look for a job. He applied to a hotel and he was employed as elevator boy.

Bill for Crop Loans Signed by President. Washington, Feb. 10.—President Hoover Saturday signed the bill providing \$90,000,000 for crop production loans to farmers this year.

The measure, as finally approved by Congress, was a compromise between the bill authorizing \$75,000,000 passed by the House and one calling for more than \$100,000,000 approved by the Senate.

Measures for production loans to farmers have been passed virtually every year since 1921, but the sum 1930, when approximately \$60,000,000 was voted after a severe drought which seared large sections in the South and West.

As security for the loan, the department takes a lien on the crop. The primary purpose of the bill is to furnish funds for crop production, but money may also be loaned under its terms to harvest crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Patterson spent Sunday with Mrs. Patterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Wolf.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Stinnett visited Mrs. Stinnett's sister, Mrs. Charles Bustin, of Austin last weekend.

The Hornet's Nest

NEWS OF THE GATESVILLE HIGH SCHOOL.

Editor-in-Chief J. R. Saunders Sports Editor Charles Baker Social Editor Peyton Morgan Class & Club Editor, A. H. Meadows

Shake-up in Staff. Thursday morning in chapel, as is the custom, a new staff was elected by the student body. All are new hands except Peyton (Bull) Morgan, who served so efficiently as Sports Editor on the old staff that he was awarded the position as Social Editor on the new staff.

Open House Friday Night. Friday night the students' parents and townspeople were entertained by the high school with an open house. The student's works were displayed in the rooms where they have classes. This gives the parents an idea of what work their children are doing.

Detention Hall. Due to the growing popularity of the Detention Hall, it has been suggested that a Detention Hall reporter be added to the staff. We suggest either "Hot Man" Chamlee or Garland Anderson for the position as they are mainstays in the Detention Hall crew.

Requests. Johnnie Bradford requests that Rosalie Boyd and all other girls stay from 1200 College Avenue on week-end nights as he has business there.

Woodrow is a horrid boy and Woodrow is a tart. Woodrow came to my house and stole away my heart. Little George Witt learned how to knit. He worked and worked and turned out a shirt.

Margaret Gandy made some candy and J. B. Martin said it was dandy.

ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS. As is usual at this time of year, business sentiment is somewhat mixed. Reports from various parts of the country point to a change for the better in industrial activity.

At the recent retailers' convention it was forecast that sales would drop 20 per cent during the first quarter of 1933 with improvement in the second quarter.

Consumption of electricity, like car loadings and bank clearings, always plays an important part in the making of business barometers.

Latest reports on major industries show: Building—Improved, with contracts ahead of same period last year.

Lumber—New business continues to exceed production, and in Southern pine district is 13 per cent ahead of last year.

Steel—Fell off after moderate expansion; consensus of opinion looks to improvement in next few months.

Copper—Profitless at present 6c price; best side is that domestic

consumption leads production. Wool—Sales close to normal so far this year. Oil—The drop in crude from 63c to 38c a barrel, in the face of pro-rata agreements, and because of overproduction, is one of the most discouraging of recent events.

Shoes, silk and automobiles show definite improvement. Employment declined .4 per cent in December, with four out of seventeen major industrial groups marking increase.

While farm conditions show little change, a good sign is that the fundamental supply and demand situation in regard to wheat is steadily improving, thus warranting the opinion that price improvement will come in the future.

A rise in prices—probably temporary—recently occurred in Bolivia, with but little change in the other South American countries.

Of national interest is the fact that forced farm sales totaled 9.5 per cent of all the farms in the country during the five years ending March 1, 1932. Tax delinquencies were responsible for 3.5 per cent of these.

225 Men Put to Work At Temple by Santa Fe. Temple, Texas, Feb. 4.—Jobs for about 225 men for two months are assured as a result of the action of the Santa Fe Railway in starting track work.

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Brief History State Juvenile Training School

Formerly Known as State Reformatory, And Regarded as Penal Institution; Now a Training School.

BY M. H. RICHARDS

The State Juvenile Training School was first established as the State Reformatory by an act of the Twentieth Legislature approved March 29, 1887. The institution opened in January, 1889, receiving during that year 68 inmates, all by transfer from the State Penitentiary. It was thus tagged as a penal institution from the very start.

In 1911, however, the Legislature changed the name to "State Institution for the Training of Juveniles" and enacted legislation governing its functions and activities, substantially as they exist today under Article 5119-30 inclusive, R. C. S. 1925.

This legislation also quite definitely changed the objective of the institution from penal to rehabilitative, and in 1913 the First Called Session of the Thirty-third Legislature changed the name to "State Juvenile Training School." The name having been thus changed it is presumed that our law-makers desired to remove from the institution any stigma which might be associated with a penal institution. It has been the policy of practically all the former superintendents of the Training School, to discourage any inclination to class the school as a penal institution, and efforts have been made to change the physical appearance of the grounds, campus and buildings with that object in view, but it remained for the present superintendent, Mr. E. H. Nesbitt, to remove the last taint and vestige that would in any way lead the visitor or casual observer to infer that the school could be classed as a penal institution.

When Mr. Nesbitt assumed his duties as superintendent on August 1, 1928, one among the first things he did was to remove the high, tight "wall" fence with its corner watch towers and replaced them with an ordinary picket fence. Thus removing with one fell stroke the last vestige of evidence of the erstwhile institution, and converting an unsightly campus and surroundings into a thing of beauty.

The functions of the schools are:

- To receive "all male persons under the age of 17 years, who shall be lawfully committed to the State Juvenile Training School as a delinquent child."
- To maintain and provide suitable instruction and training to include common school or agricultural branches, training in some useful occupation, and such moral training and discipline as each boy is capable of receiving.
- To provide a system of grading and promotion on the basis of the moral, intellectual and industrial advancement of the inmates.
- When satisfied that any inmate has acquired sufficient control of his moral habits and sufficient industrial efficiency, and suitable employment with a responsible, sober and moral person can be found, he is granted a "leave of probation."
- To require that both the boy paroled and the person acting as sponsor shall report each month on the habits and demeanor of the paroled boy and to require that the sponsor shall return the paroled boy to the institution if convinced that he should be returned for further training or discipline.

The exercise of these functions require the proper housing, support and maintenance of all inmates, the conduct of a complete grade school, the establishment and maintenance of proper vocational shops and equipment, farming activities, maintenance of proper discipline, precautions against, and return from escape, etc.

Policies and Procedures
General Policies: In harmony with the present-day methods of handling juvenile offenders, the policy of the present administration, as stated before, is along the lines of rehabilitation rather than the strictly penal procedure. Under this system corporal punishment has been reduced to a minimum. In fact corporal punishment has so decreased and the morale of the boys has so increased that good behavior of the inmates is the rule rather than the exception.

The letter school is organized as an independent school district and the funds received from that source are sufficient to pay the salaries of the twelve teachers and to provide the other current costs of the academic training. The day here is divided into two parts. Each boy spends half the day on academic work and half on industrial work.

Boys committed to the institution are always received by the Superintendent or assistant superintendent, their papers are verified, and after a "get acquainted talk," they are assigned to quarters and issued the uniform worn by all inmates—khaki for the white boys and blue denim for the colored boys. The housing, school and labor assignments of the white boys and the colored boys are kept as distinct as though they were in separate institutions. The colored boys campus is in fact removed some half mile from the white boys campus.

The farm activities involve some 882 acres of land owned by the State and 2,480 acres which are leased on a share basis. Of this area some 1,900 acres are under cultivation and 1,460 acres are in pasture. Generally speaking, for the purpose of this article and with no effort to be specific, I suppose a normal crop would be approximately as follows:

200 bales cotton
5,000 bushels corn
24,000 bushels oats
8,000 bales hay
12,000 watermelons
800 bushels peaches
200 pounds pork
1,000 bushels millet seed

In addition to the above, enough garden truck is raised to supply the institution during the summer months, allowing surplus sufficient to provide for the canning of from 12,000 to 15,000 1-2-gallons each for winter use.

Live Stock
Our dairy herd consists of some 125 to 150 head of registered and high grade dairy cows, which are sufficient to furnish the institution with an adequate amount of whole-some milk and butter. Modern dairy barns with cement floors and gutters and steel stanchions. Dairy herd is headed by Registered Males of approved type and conformation and time is the only factor necessary to insure a uniform registered herd of merit.

Some 65 head of mules and 25 head of horses are owned by the institution at all times. These are used in connection with the field work. From 75 to 100 head of hogs per year serve to furnish fresh meat and cured bacon for the school.

Religious Training
The school has a resident pastor who conducts regular preaching services and Sunday School classes on each Lord's Day. He is assisted in the Sunday School work by men and women from other departments as there are some seven or eight classes. Classes are arranged according to grades obtained in the academic department and lessons are selected accordingly.

In addition to services of the resident chaplain, Rev. S. Rubi of Wichita Falls makes regular monthly visits here to minister to the boys of the Catholic faith. These services consist of a short sermon and the sacrifice of the Mass.

Entertainment
In keeping with the adage: "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy," an effort is made to furnish the boys with a sufficient amount of good, clean and wholesome entertainment. Base ball, foot ball and other collegiate games are sponsored in season. Special holidays such as Easter, Mothers Day, July 4th, Thanksgiving, Armistice and Christmas are especially observed in some appropriate way ordinarily a special feed is prepared for the boys on these days, such as turkey and the like on Thanksgiving and Christmas.

The school has its own auditorium, with a seating capacity of upwards of 600, equipped with a modern RCA Phonograph-movie is on the Paramount circuit and each week the boys are allowed to enjoy a good picture in addition to the Paramount News and comic strip.

Organization and Staff
The organization and staff are as follows:

Superintendent
Assistant Superintendent
Commandant
Assistant Commandant
Manual Training Teacher
Music Teacher
Bandmaster
Night Watchman (8)
Matrons (6)
Chaplain
Probation Officer
Physician
Nurse
Hospital Attendant
Steward
Assistant Steward
Assistant Steward (colored boys)
Teachers (12)

Superintendent of Grounds
Repairman
Nightwatchman
Barn Keeper
Dairyman
Plumber
Assistant Plumber
Lauderman
Linen Matron
Engineer
Assistant Engineer
Mechanic
Blacksmith
Painter
Printer
Gardner
Baker
Barber
Shoemaker
Tailor
Storekeeper and Accountant
Asst. Storekeeper and Accountant
Stenographer
Carpenter
Dentist (part time)
Field Sergeant
Field Instructors (ten or twelve)

Plant and Equipment
Contained in the 882 acres of State owned land there are two campus areas, one for the white boys and one for the colored boys. The white boys campus has six substantial brick dormitories, an administration building, warehouse, industrial building and school building of brick construction and a laundry, power house, ice plant, kitchen and dining room and several other buildings of stucco. Tool house, hospital, eighteen farm accessory buildings and employees quarters including the superintendents residence. Four employees buildings, twenty two employees cottages and three garages. The colored campus has two dormitory buildings and a kitchen and dormitory building.

(This is the first of a series of articles to appear in the News, by Mr. Richards. Another article will appear next week.)

SCHLEY NEWS

The farmers here have been busy this week getting their land in shape to plant. Health of this community is pretty good at present, although some have had real bad colds.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Woodlock and son, Lawrence, made a business visit to Gatesville Wednesday.

Mr. Chateaux of Waco is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Blackman, this week.

John Born and children, Elaine and Adelle, were in Gatesville Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Alford and daughter, Mildred, visited in her mother's home, Mrs. W. C. Roberts, Wednesday night.

Miss Iva Baker has returned home for a visit, Miss Baker has been living in San Angelo, Texas, the past two months where she has been employed.

Tom Alford and family spent the day Sunday with their son, John Alford, in the Hay Valley Community.

Seattle And County Line

(Too late for last week)
Miss Altie Finney who has been visiting relatives in New Mexico and Colorado for the past two months is at home now. She reports a good time while she was gone.

Mrs. S. C. Dixon is at her granddaughter's, Mrs. Ollie Williams, Rev. Williams and his mother and brother have gone to see their sister and daughter close to Lubbock. They received a telegram that one of her children had died.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Wall were guests of their mother, Mrs. J. E. Lockaby, Sunday night.

Mr. Manfred Walker from Leon Junction spent Saturday night with Winifred Taylor.

Guests in the home of William Walls Sunday afternoon were Mrs. S. C. Dixon, Miss Mary and Mr. Loddie Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Watts and Burl and Doyle Taylor were Sunday guests of the Lee Copeland family.

Little Opal Lee Dixon spent Sunday afternoon with her little cousin, Kathryn Dixon.

There was no Sunday school at County Line Sunday on account of the rain.

The Seattle String Band were Sunday guests of O. E. Reese at the Grove.

The Seattle String Band will broadcast another program at Temple next Sunday afternoon.

The party at R. L. Finney's Friday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Finney from San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Finney from New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lee spent the week-end in the R. L. Finney home.

School News from Pearl

Pep Squad
The Pep Squad have worked rather hard since we put on the program in Four Square meeting. Several new members have been added to the pep squad. One ex-student has joined our ranks. We gladly welcome any girl who is eligible. We are backing our team at home and at the tournament from first to last. Last Tuesday night when we went to Crawford we even cheered the men when they pushed the bus out of the mud. We are dictating these lines to the Dragons:

Prayer of a Sportsman
Dear Lord, in the battle that goes on throughout life, I ask but a field that is fair, A chance that is equal with allin strife, A courage to strive and to dare, And I should win, let it be by the code, With my faith and my honor held high, And if I should lose, let me stand by the road, And cheer as the winners go by, And Lord, may my shouts be ungrudging and clear, A tribute that comes from the heart and let me not cherish a snarl or a sneer, Or play any sniveling part, Let me say, "There they ride on whom laurels bestowed, Since they played the game better than I," Let me stand with a smile by the side of the road, And cheer as the winners go by, So grant me to conquer, if conquer I can, By proving my worth in the fray, But teach me to loose like a regular man, And not like a craven, I pray, Let me take off my hat to the warriors who strode To victory, splendid and high; Yea, teach me to stand by the side of the road, And cheer as the winners go by.

Primary Room
The first grade has been working on their numbers very diligently the past week and have learned to make interesting number stories. The trouble they have the past week is to learn when and not to leave their desk.

The second grade have a new book in reading and added several new stories to their bird envelope. We have almost completed our Mother Goose families.

We have not changed our window decorations, but mean to do that this week. The second grade are proud to welcome our new pupil, Richard Harper, from Port Arthur.

3rd, 4th and 5th Grades
Today, Friday, February 3, we count our milk marks at the beginning of school. We started our milk contest, some of us have brought milk every day. The side that wins is to be entertained by the other side with a Valentine Party. We are looking forward for a good time.

The third grade have been running races in arithmetic. Several of us can multiply, add and subtract more problems than our record calls for.

The 4th grade wrote an interesting account of cotton, beginning with the cotton seed, following its life eventually ending its life as a rag or as a paper.

The fifth grade are all working hard. We were very interested studying about Daniel Boone and the founding of Kentucky. We pretended visiting a pioneer home in Kentucky. We enjoyed our visit to school and our hunting trips.

Freshmen
You should have seen the Freshman Class Friday morning as they stepped out on the stage in their colors, lavender and white. We had the auditorium beautifully decorated in our Class Colors.

The program opened with a song by the class, "Santa Lucia." We had several comical numbers, the dialogue, "Mrs. Brown's Millinery," furnished much amusement to the audience. The character presenting this number were Mattie Bee Bynum, who kept the shop, Bill Ford (dressed to represent a girl) who wanted a bonnet not too loud, A. V. Freeman and Bernice Bynum, Jack Modart (dressed as a girl) who was the flapper and in search of a new bonnet, Tom Preston and Unerua Chaffin.

Other members on the program were "The Surgical Operation" which furnished much laughter. A reading by Jewel Williams and a song by the boys who were dressed to represent cowboys and sang, "The Old Chisum Trail." Two girls in the class, Ann Hampton and Nona Jane Franks sang "The World is Waiting for the Sunrise."

We are anxiously waiting to present this program at the Four Square meeting Friday night. We plan to include some extra musical numbers.

The Freshmen are going to convince people that we don't deserve to wear green and white colors. Rah! Rah! Freshmen, Rah! Rah! Lavender and White.

We are staying with our motto: "Find a Way or Make One."
Sophomore Class
Our Grammar Patrol Club met Friday, February 3. We elected new officers, Pete Nabors was elected president, Grady Kecton, vice-president and Iris Culp, secretary. Everyone had newspaper reports. We are also reading a book in English.

One of our members, Glen Barrington, has been out of school all of last week as a result of going to the basket ball tournament. We hope he will soon be well.

The Junior News
The Juniors are going to work on their flower bed soon. Heretofore we haven't had a chance since the Freshmen, Seniors and Sophomores have kept the hoes, rakes, etc. busy.

We are glad to welcome back to school, Norma Bynum, a class member who has been ill for several days. Also James Preston is ill and we hope that he will be able to come back to school soon.

The Juniors had a class meeting Friday and worked on plans for our Valentine party.

Sports
Glen Barrington and James Preston, two Dragons, have been absent the past week on account of the flu. We hope they will soon be back in the line.

The Dragons wish to thank the friends who fixed lunch for them last week.

The Dragons are still among the undefeated teams in the tournament for county championship. They will meet Evant next Saturday at 9 o'clock. This game should be one of the best of the series.

The Ex-Student Club
The Ex-Student Club is still alive and we are planning to put on a program soon. The type of program has not been planned but the date will be given later.

Word has been received from all the students attending college. Pawnee Cox is back at Draughton's after spending a month at home. She will finish her course in June.

Merle Jones and Zoma Doyle are at J. T. A. C. and are enjoying school work and doing well.

Lona and Lera Webb are in Lawrenceburg, Tennessee, attending a six weeks' school of music and vocal training. We are sure they will do well.

Dorothy Andrew who is in Denton Teachers College is also doing well in her work.

Henry Franks is working a survey of Coryell County with a cotton seed grader.

Byron Freeman, our president, is always busy.

Marion Freeman is at home after spending her last winter in Gatesville attending high school.

Bessie Earl Whitt has returned after a two weeks' visit at Lometa and Cherokee.

Domestic Arts
We have been taking sewing about two weeks. The first week was devoted to the study of the machine. We made drawings of the parts of the machine. We studied the different kinds of stitches and made a sample of each one on a six inch square of domestic. We have finished making captowels, each using different embroidery patterns. We have begun making dresses and pajamas.

Agriculture (9th-10th)
The Agriculture Class have just finished midterm exams in Agriculture and are highly pleased with the grades.

Some of the things we have taken since midterm was the study of the bees, which was very interesting.

Next we took up feeding and balanced ratio which we studied for several days. We took up the feeding of several different animals.

We also have been studying dairying, cattle and also taking up other types next.

Things We Like
Tenth Grade: A short geometry lesson.
Miss Laura: A fried squirrel with rice.
Laveal: More time.
Doyle: A sunshiny day when a ball game is to be played.
11th grade: A long chapel program in order to miss civics especially when it is debating time.
School: A long recess.
Sixth grade: To sweep the hall.
Pete: To water the flowers.
For Aubrey to yodel.
Things We Hate
To push in the mud when on our way to Crawford.
To miss a ball game.
Recess period cut on bad days.
For Mr. Tharp to take a nap between bells.
Dawson: To forget to announce that the bus is going to Pearl.
For "Rube" to have a sprained ankle and Grady the ear ache.
To bring in wood after 4 o'clock or to sweep at noon.
Personals
Among the patrons who attended chapel last Friday are the following: Mrs. C. J. Shook, Mrs. George Whitt, Mrs. Gordon Shook, Mrs.

Henry Patterson, Miss Varina Deloach, Miss Clara Whitt, Mrs. John Lacy, Mr. Ollie Whitt and several others.

One of our ex-students was on the campus one day last week. She reported the ex-students all happy and working hard.

Mrs. Henry Patterson spent the day in school last Friday.

Mrs. Jewel Ballard and Miss Emme Jane Kecton visited the school last Thursday.

Mrs. Ester and Elcen Harper visited the school last Friday.

Mrs. B. F. Reynolds and Mrs. Kecton came by to see the flowers we have been keeping during the winter months. They seemed quiet pleased with our effort and certainly we have enjoyed caring for the flowers.

A member of the Junior Class, Norma Bynum, has been absent from school with the flu, but is back now.

Glen Barrington who is a member of the Sophomore Class and a substitute for the Dragons, is absent with the flu.

James Preston, and a substitute member of the Junior Class, is absent from school with the flu. Probably due to the fact of having to push the bus out of a mud hole on the trip to Crawford.

PEARL NEWS

The groundhog evidently saw his shadow, Feb. 2, groundhog day, if he saw anything because the day was clear and beautiful here. This, according to tradition, means Mr. groundhog hiked back into his hole for another snooze, meaning six weeks of winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ballard and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. George Manning and sons of Evant attended church here Sunday morning and spent the rest of the day with Mr. and Mrs. George Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Edmondson and daughter, Ruth, of Gatesville visited Mr. and Mrs. Dudge Poole Sunday.

R. D. Tharp of Turnersville spent Saturday night and Sunday with Laura and "Peck" Tharp.

Dr. and Mrs. Haynes of Gatesville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Elam.

Ladies' Social Club
The Ladies Social Club met in regular session Thursday, Feb. 2, in the home of Mrs. Omie Oney. Quilting was the diversion of the afternoon, having quilted and hemmed two quilts.

Every member with the exception of one responded to roll call. Several visitors were present. Mrs. Oney asked each guest into the dining room where she served lovely cake, grape punch and peaches and apricots with whipped cream. The club will meet next with Mrs. T. H. Oney, Feb. 16.

T. H. Oney visited in Lampasas Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brazwell of

Arnett visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGuire Thursday.

La Verne Wilson and Audrey Whipters spent Sunday in Evant with friends.

Pearl was well represented at the Basket Ball Tournament Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bynum and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Self in Peabody Community Sunday.

Lee Bynum, W. A. Bynum and M. Tharp were in Evant one night last week.

Bro. Moris Studer will preach here next Sunday morning and night at Methodist Church. Everyone invited to attend these services.

Mrs. Andy Karl died Sunday night at her home in Slater Community with flu and pneumonia. Funeral services were held Tuesday at Levita. The people of this community were made very sad to hear this news.

AMES NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Yows visited in the Otis Yows home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Benner visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Holland, and Mrs. Tom Box and son, Francis, Sunday.

Miss Lorena Ward and Miss Lucile Wilhelm visited Miss Louise Lipsey Sunday.

Watt L. Sanders of Austin was visiting in our community the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Edwards visited his father at Ireland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hinson and family visited the Carl Hinson home Sunday.

Several from this community took in the basket ball games Saturday at Gatesville.

The P.-T. A. program Friday night was a very good program, and enjoyed by a large crowd. It was a laugh from start to finish. They had Kangaroo Court. Refreshments were served during the social hour.

The farming is going in kindly slow now on account of cloudy-misty weather.

We are hoping for a cold spell as we have quite a few hogs to kill yet.

Thesingling at H. H. Wilhelm's was enjoyed by a large crowd Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Shafe Weaver visited in the McClutchen home Sunday night.

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FROM OUR RURAL CORRESPONDENTS

MAPLE NEWS

The tenth grade class of our school was taken by the principal, Mr. A. C. Murphy, to Austin, Texas, for a visit to the Capitol Building and other noted places in Austin. All reported a most pleasant trip leaving here early Saturday morning and returning Saturday evening late.

The dance at Percy McElride's home was enjoyed by a large crowd Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bodkins of the Hubbard Community visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stevens Sunday.

Orvall Hill of the Brown's Creek Community was carried to the sanitarium Monday. The nature of his trouble was not learned.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bay and their daughter, Mrs. J. C. Graham, visited their mother and grandmother at Killeen Monday who has been sick since Saturday night, but is doing better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hopson spent Sunday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hopson of Killeen Church at Little Flock was attended by a large crowd Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Shults of our Community is on the sick list again, having a case of tonsillitis.

Our school is progressing nicely at this writing.

MOUNTAIN NEWS

A play, "The Poor Married Man," was presented at the school house Friday evening. An excellent audience attended. The play is to be given at Turnover next Friday.

Miss Ida Mae Fisher entertained the young people with a dance after the play Friday night.

A singing was held at the home of Mrs. C. B. McGuire on Sunday night after prayer services.

The Mountain Missionary Baptist Church started choir rehearsal with splendid attendance Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Mae Hardin is staying in Gatesville with Mrs. O. B. Beard who is indisposed from a broken ankle. A speedy recovery is expected of Mrs. Beard.

It has been announced that Bro. John Childers of Waco will preach here for the Primitive Baptist Church on the fifth Sunday in April.

Miss Aleen Lazenby visited in the Tom Barton home Sunday and spent the night there. Miss Nan Lazenby was a visitor on the Mountain on Monday.

Mrs. Carrie Burt visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Burt on Sunday.

A miscellaneous shower for Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hartis, a newly married couple, was held at the home of Mrs. Henry Franks on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Hartis was Miss Effie Barton prior to her marriage.

HARMON NEWS

We are sorry to report that health in the community is not as good as it has been. Vance Royce underwent an operation for appendicitis last Friday morning at Temple. He is reported to be getting along fine.

Berniece Storm and Billie Cowan are also on our list of sick people this week.

Topsey Senior boys and Junior girls played the Harman teams in basket ball last Wednesday afternoon at Harman. The Harman girls were defeated by a very small score of 14-12. The Harman boys were victorious by a margin of 20-16. Both games were very interesting.

Everyone who has entered an Interscholastic League event is working to win. We hope to be able to win more cups this year than we did last.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hornsby and children visited Saturday in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Briggs, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Biggs.

Visitors in the M. L. Harman home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robison, Earl, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey, Harman, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harman, Mrs. Par-rack and children and Mr. Sid Harman and children and Mr. and Mrs. G. Perryman and family.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Howell Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Howell and Herschel and their granddaughter of Gatesville and Miss Nadine Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hornsby spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Patterson.

with Mrs. Cowan to spend a few days with her.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jonce Edmondson a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Littlefield and children and Mrs. A. R. Littlefield visited in the J. Keener home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Opal Hollomon spent the week-end with Miss Irene Storm.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberts and daughters visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Culp at Brown's Creek Saturday night. Miss Beatrice spent Saturday night with Miss Willie Maude Roberts there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hill and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hill attended church in Lampasas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gossett of Gatesville were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Gossett Sunday night.

NEW AND USED PARTS for all popular cars.—Scott Motor Company.

ANTELOPE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Thompson spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hinson.

Miss Minnie Waddill spent the week-end with her parents at Paddock.

Misses Catherine Sharp, Elvis Haedeg and Estelle Morse spent the week-end with Miss Sharp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sharp, at Turnersville.

E. S. Jackson of Hico visited his mother, Mrs. E. E. Jackson, a while Monday afternoon.

Miss Vera Carroll visited her mother in Gatesville last week-end.

Misses Lucile and Anice Thompson visited Mildred and Pauline Morse Sunday afternoon.

Several from this community went to Gatesville on "first Monday."

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Hindrix and Mrs. Archie Wright and baby, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Babe Hindrix, of near Gatesville on Saturday night and Sunday.

The Senior play, "Two Days to Merry," will be staged at the Antelope school house on Saturday night Feb. 11. The cast is being coached by their principal, W. A. Freeman.

The characters are: Edna Dearson, Lena Hinson and Alice Wright Eddie Turner, Herbert Groth, Nathan McDonald and W. A. Freeman. Admission will be 10 and 15 cents.

On Thursday night the primary and intermediate rooms will put on their program at the school building.

OSAGE NEWS

Miss Willie Bland of Crawford spent the week-end with homefolks.

Misses Millye Jack Jayroe and Alysne McMinn spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard Edwards.

Miss Ava Dear Allison has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Leonard Huff.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Etchison and family have moved to West Texas make that their home.

Mrs. E. A. McKinney is not doing so well at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Hill Martin went to Waco Friday to see Mrs. Ted Martin, who is in the sanitarium.

Visitors in Gatesville Monday were Mr. Blanchard Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Craddock, Mr. Hillie Etchison, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Martin and Miss Jack Martin, Mr. J. F. Wallace and sons, Elisha and Jesse, Mr. Rubert Sadler, Mr. Bill Edwards and S. C. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Painter spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sheffield.

CORYELL CHURCH

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richard and Miss Nan McFaden visited relatives in Hamilton County last week-end.

Mr. Doc Davis was in Waco last week on business.

J. W. Roe visited his daughter, Miss Juanita, at the Baptist Sanitarium in Waco one day last week.

Several from this community were in Gatesville First Monday.

Rev. J. F. High of Waco preached for us again Sunday. He accepted the call as pastor. Our church days will be second and fourth Sundays and Saturday night before the fourth Sunday. We had good attendance at both services Sunday and Sunday night. We reorganized our B. A. U. Sunday night with 21 members present. New officers of B. A. U. were Mrs. T. P. Simmons, president, Mr. J. C. Shirley, vice-president, and Mrs. Hobert Keltner, secretary-treasurer.

J. H. Bland visited his sister, Mrs. Flora Graham, in the Osage community Sunday.

Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roe.

Our String Band met and entertained large crowd Friday night at the home of Mrs. J. M. Wood. Every one certainly enjoyed the good music to the fullest extent.

They will meet at Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Graves' home Friday night and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ray Saturday night of this week.

Mr. Less Burton is still improving but still having to go to Waco to have his head treated almost every day. Mrs. Burton is still suffering with rheumatism but is improving slowly.

The men intended to gather at Mr. Burton's home and put up his land for him today (Tuesday) and the ladies were intending to take dinner and wash and scour for Mrs. Burton, but it had to be postponed on account of the cold weather.

J. W. Clark, who is working at Waco, visited his family last week-end.

Misses Creola Riddle, Allie Holt, and Mr. Huban Holt visited relatives near Mochein Saturday and Sunday.

The young people enjoyed the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Allison Saturday night.

UNION NEWS

Mrs. J. H. Hazan and daughters were hostesses to the Busy Bee Club Wednesday. A large number was present. We were delighted to have for visitors Miss Mahew Woodard and Misses Estelle and Mary Belle Porter. We were also glad to welcome a new member, Mrs. R. M. Rogers.

The day was spent quilting and enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Estes visited relatives in Gatesville recently.

Mrs. Walter Miller was hostess to Mrs. M. T. Carroll and Mrs. W. T. Martin Thursday afternoon.

Ero. Lee filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Carroll and Mrs. Laura White are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carroll of Purlmea this week.

OAKTON NEWS

Clifton Wilson spent last Saturday night with his grandmother, Mrs. Wilson, near Gatesville.

A large crowd enjoyed a 42 party at Mr. Edgar Brittain's Saturday night.

B. D. Wilson and family spent the afternoon Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones and family.

Mrs. Otto Yates visited Mrs. W. C. Roberts Sunday afternoon.

Tom Jones was a business visitor in Gatesville Saturday.

Jimmie Alford and family and Robert Woodlock visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roberts one night last week.

The farmers are all busy with their land. The rains delayed them considerably.

TURNERSVILLE

Rev. C. D. Daniels and wife of Waco were Sunday visitors in the home of their son, Alford Daniels.

J. R. McMinn and Miss Thelma Meharg visited Miss Mildred Williams at Temple Friday and Saturday. Her condition is not much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Stokes and daughter, Helen, of Hillsboro were visitors in the John Hobin home Sunday.

Frank Jones and family of Gatesville visited his mother, Mrs. W. M. Jones, Sunday.

Misses Ruth Cooksey and Ruth Davis visited in Clifton Sunday. They were guests in the home of Mrs. Grover Lane.

Miss Kathryn Sharp who is teaching at Antelope spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sharp.

Mr. Earl McKinney has been confined to his bed the past week with a case of tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Maxwell and family spent the week-end with his parents at Purlmea.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Basham spent Sunday in Hico in the home of Ben Cunningham.

Hubert Mayhew and wife were business visitors to Waco Monday.

R. M. Holder and family visited his father at Mt. Calm Sunday.

Rev. Andrew Byers of Clifton filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

WOODARD NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Ed McDonald and daughter, Catherine, were visitors in the home of Dan Hirsch Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. J. Hayes has been visiting friends in Osage for the past few days.

Hayes and daughters, Messrs. Crawford, Howard and W. H. Baker and Misses Ruby, Nora and Iva Baker and Lillie Ward. Other guests for the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Robertson.

Mrs. Eli Williamson and daughter, Minnie Exa, Mrs. A. T. Hirsch and daughter, Hattie, and Mrs. Esther Lenegfeld were guests of Mrs. Gus Barsch Friday afternoon.

Miss Pauline Alford spent Saturday night with Miss Virginia Hirsch Mrs. J. D. Fegette and Mrs. Homer Robertson were visitors in the home of Sam Box Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Roberts has been sick with tonsillitis Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Bob Alford and Mrs. Parker Hirsch were guests of Mrs. Arthur Melton on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Hirsch were guests of Ed McDonald Sunday night.

Mrs. Charlie Bunnell spent the day with Mrs. Ernest Chitwood of Gatesville Monday.

HAY VALLEY ITEMS

Miss Eva Spence visited a short while with Mrs. Ellis Kelo one afternoon last week.

Guests in the Jake Yows home last Wednesday were: Mrs. Ella Hamilton of Spurr, Texas, Mr. Ella Yates and Mrs. Allie Yonque of Gatesville, Mrs. Shafe Weaver of Ames and Mrs. Will Davis.

Mrs. John Draper of Waco and Mr. Joe Draper of Oglesby spent a few hours with Mrs. Ellis Kelo Thursday afternoon.

W. T. Jackson visited her mother, Mrs. R. J. Glaze, one day last week.

Misses Hazel Kelo and Ozell Glaze spent a few hours Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Will Davis and enjoyed several games of 42.

C. A. Bradley and children, James and Carroll, visited with W. R. Kelo Sunday morning.

Mrs. G. D. King visited Mrs. E. H. Kelo a while Friday afternoon.

Miss Ozell Glaze spent several days last week with Mrs. Will Jackson.

Several of our patrons visited the school Friday afternoon and served home-made candy to the pupils. Those who were present were: Messdames O. C. Curry, Marion Lary, Thiss Kelo, Guy Byron, Alford Davis, Walter Kelo, Will Davis and Miss Hazel Kelo.

Seattle And County Line

Our community was made sad Feb. 1 by the death of a friend and loved one, Mrs. J. W. Farris. We wish to extend sympathy to those bereaved ones.

Our Sunday school at County Line is progressing fine. The crowd is growing. Everyone is cordially invited to come worship with us at 2:30 p. m. each Sunday.

The flu has died down a little now and our school absentees are coming back. We have had several new scholars the past few weeks.

The music entertainment at Eugene Watts Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Katie Marie Ayers spent Saturday night with Miss James Everett Holt.

Miss "Bootsy" Rhoades who goes to school at The Grove spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Rhoades.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Wall and family, Mrs. S. C. Dixon and Mrs. Ollie Williams visited in the A. P. Dixon home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown and family visited in the Tom Ayers home Sunday.

Edeouch—Construction of three blocks paving from old Delt State Bank corner to Santa Rosa Ice Co. plant, and then to highway, progressing.

Five Kaufman County farmers who conducted pasture demonstrations last year on 189 acres have made returns averaging \$8.15 per acre for an average investment of less than 50 cents per acre.

Wife Keeps "Gotten Man"; Girl Gets Hers with These Valentine Vlands

Valentine's Day Dedicated to Marriage-Goddess, Legends Say

Sweethearts and wives (here's to them!) will not be in the least surprised at the latest reports on the much-discussed origin of Saint Valentine's Day. Recent researches have discovered that the pretty practices connected with February 14th started 'way back in heathen times with Juno—who was Goddess of Marriage! The love-lorn maid sent her heartfelt "billets" to get her man and the already-wedded one cooked good things to eat, to keep her gotten man.

Valentines you can eat have always found their way straight to the male heart, by the traditional path-lies-through-the-stomach route. So, whether you insist upon honoring any one of the Saints Valentines (there happen to be seven such!) or whether you fancy the Juno legend, you won't change your methods much, if you're clever.

You will continue to show your heart is in the right place, holiday or none, by sharing the works of your kitchen. It is at a party, the regular family meal, or when "the date" calls. These recipes, for dishes both hearty and hale, will help you.

Rosy Hearts Mold (A Raspberry Fruit Gelatine) 1 package raspberry gelatine 1 pint boiling water 1-2 cup nutmeats 1-4 package pasteurized dates Dissolve gelatine in boiling water. Cool until mixture is of thickness of egg white. Add dates (sliced) and nuts (chopped). Pour into one large or six small heart-shaped molds which have been rinsed in cold water. When firm unmold and serve with whipped cream. Make a "piping" of the whipped cream around edge with your pastry gun, and serve on lacepaper doilies.

Valentine Nougat of Cakes Bake your favorite cake recipe in small teacake or muffin pans, or in paper cups. When cool frost sides with Easy Uncooked Frosting which needs no creaming if made as follows: Add 3 tablespoons of hot milk or cream to 2 1-3 cups confectioner's sugar. Pour in a teaspoon of mazzola and beat all until well mixed. The use of the oil makes it unnecessary to cream the mixture. Divide into four parts and prepare as follows: Buttercups: Add enough egg yolk to color a delicate yellow and a little orange rind to flavor. Put on some of the cakes and cover top with chopped shredded coconut which has been colored yellow. Pink: Beat in a little raspberry or strawberry jam to color and flavor. Put on cakes and cover top with chopped shredded coconut colored pink. Snowballs: Leave frosting white; spread on cakes and cover top with chopped shredded coconut. Lavender: Flavor frosting with almond and cover with coconut colored lavender.

Serve on one large plate, on which a lace-paper doilie has been placed, and put sprigs of smilax or fern around the edge.

Lobster Love-Birds Shredded lobster, tuna fish, crab meat or salmon may be used: 1 tablespoon finely minced onion 1 cup milk 2 tablespoons mazzola 1 egg Pepper 2 tablespoons water 3-4 teaspoons salt 1 teaspoon lemon juice 2 cups chopped fish 1-2 cups fine crumbs 1-2 teaspoon mustard Paprika Cook onion gently over low fire, in hot mazzola, three minutes. Do not allow to brown. Stir in cornstarch and cook two minutes, stirring constantly. Stir in milk gradually, add salt, pepper, paprika and lemon juice, and stir until thick and smooth. Boil two minutes. Mix one egg yolk, and one-half teaspoon mustard with fish and add to white sauce. Spread mixture on plate and chill. Form into shapes. Dip in crumbs, egg beaten with water, and then crumbs again. Let stand few minutes and fry in deep mazzola (385 degrees F.) until light brown.

Valentine Sandwiches Cut bread in heart-shaped pieces with cutter. Make a filling of cream cheese (which has been moistened with a little cream) and chopped pasteurized dates. Make a border around edge of sandwich with chopped maraschino cherries.

Crowell—A check over Foard county made by Dosca Hale, home demonstration agent, showed that about 1000 gallons of pickles had been cured out by home demonstration club women using the brining method. In order that all the women might have a chance to see products from all over the county a pickle show was held December 10th.

ON TEXAS FARMS

Fifty-one farm yards were beautified in Travis County last year by home demonstration club women at an average cost of \$5 per yard.

Seventy 4-H club boys who fed pigs in Childress County last year made slightly less than \$1 per animal for their labor and investment even though they produced pork at the low feed cost of 2.2 per pound. Fifteen boys who raised litters of pigs made an average of \$17.01 for their labor and investment.

Ten Bexar County farm women acting as wardrobe demonstrators in their home demonstration clubs found they could dress becomingly for an average of \$32.71 last year. It took planning and wise buying to do it, they explain, but declare the result is worth the effort.

Woodville—One five-acre pasture started three years ago by R. A. Cruse of Woodville as a demonstration bringing a greater net profit per acre than any cultivated crop has opened the eyes of the farmers of Tyler County to the value of pasture work. By Mr. Cruse's cooperation in going with B. B. Martin, farm agent of Tyler County, and pointing out pasture value, 32 farmers were enrolled to sow from one to 20 acres each last fall in clovers and rye grass, all of which are now up to a perfect stand and even after the freeze were green, with livestock beginning to graze on them.

In addition to the acreage sowed money was donated by some of the business men of Woodville and 150 pounds of clover seed was purchased, and one pound was given each farmer who would agree to feed the seeds to cows at the rate of one tablespoonful at night to each cow, watch for results and report to county agent. Already 47 reports

have been made to the effect that rapidly growing clover has been scattered all over their pastures in the manure. This is laying a foundation for a successful livestock industry and more farmers are becoming interested.

Advertisement for Jim Martin Tailor Shop. Includes an illustration of a man in a suit and the text: 'DRY CLEANED THE RIGHT WAY Here's the place to send your soiled and faded garments for complete rejuvenation! We are equipped to clean and press them in an efficient and sanitary way. When we have finished, they will look like new! Our years of experience permits us to guarantee complete satisfaction on every job. Prompt service and lowest possible prices. Phone us and we will call for your work. Jim Martin Tailor Shop'

Advertisement for Howard Compton Insurance. Includes an illustration of a car and the text: 'INSURE YOUR AUTO AGAINST ACCIDENT, FIRE AND THEFT The wise man protects himself against accidents, fire and theft of his automobile. Accidents will happen even to the most careful driver—frequently it's the other fellows fault. To have your car wrecked, stolen or burned through no fault of your own is harsh enough, but not to be covered by automobile insurance is tragic. We don't guarantee you against accidents but we do pay for them. Whether you desire accident, liability, theft, fire or collision insurance for your automobile, it will pay you to get our terms FIRST. HOWARD COMPTON Insurance'

Advertisement for Coryell County News. Includes the text: 'High School Graduate WANTED! Here is an opportunity for some young man or young lady who is ambitious and who prefers making their own living rather than depending on Dad. This paper is in such a position to furnish such a person a scholarship in the Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas, at a very substantial saving. We can recommend the big School at Tyler because of its reputation and because it is accredited. A good school is judged by the success of its graduates. Fifty thousand graduates of T. C. C. stand as a monument to its training. See us now for scholarship before it is too late. Coryell County News GATESVILLE, TEXAS'

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom L. Robinson made a business trip to Austin Sunday.

Mrs. Monroe Woodson of Ewing continues to improve from a severe illness.

Mrs. Jim Forrest and son, R. R., of Fumela were greeting friends in Gatesville Saturday.

Miss Lillie Lou Rodgers of Pido-coke entertained a group of friends Sunday with a birthday dinner.

Mrs. Pat Olson's mother, Mrs. John E. Swenson, of Clifton is visiting with her this week.

Mrs. J. A. Hallman and daughter, Martha Ann, are visiting in Itasca, Texas, with her mother, Mrs. Weir.

Ben Woodall, student of A. & M. College, College Station, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. L. G. McClung.

Rev. Lollar and family accompanied his mother, Mrs. Lollar, to her home in Waco Friday, returning next day.

Mrs. J. B. Ritcheson of Waco was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cohen Ritcheson the past week-end.

Miss Josephine Pennington of Hillsboro is spending the week with her grandmother, Mrs. A. P. Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Wilkinson of the Pido-coke community are rejoicing over a six pound boy, whom they have named Charles.

D. E. Draper of Gilmer, Texas, came in Sunday for a visit with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson.

Jack Wall returned to his home in Dallas Monday. He has been connected with the State Highway Department of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Harper and little daughter, Betty Jean, of Oglesby spent the day Sunday with her mother, Mrs. R. W. Cayce.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Walker of Carden are entertaining their little grandson, George Kent, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Walker, of Gladeswater, Texas, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Skinner and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roberts of Waco were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Painter.

Clinton Chamlee, a student at Baylor University, spent the week-end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chamlee.

Miss Louise Sadler of Waco and Miss Vera Sadler of Belton were visiting at home with their mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sadler, this past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blair and daughters and Miss Pauline Clary of Brownwood were here Monday and Tuesday visiting Mrs. Frank Kelso, Mrs. Blair's sister.

Mrs. D. F. Hinson and children accompanied by Gerry Franks were week-end guests of Mrs. Hinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Caldwell, of Pido-coke.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Alexander of Valley Mills visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Alexander last week-end.

Bunk Forest is visiting his sisters, Mrs. Al Rabb and Mrs. A. W. Hallonquist, of Beaumont, Texas. He expects to stay several weeks as he has a temporary position in that city.

W. O. Draper visited his brother, Ernest Draper, of Longview, Texas, who is in a local hospital in Waco. He underwent an operation Wednesday and is reported to be doing nicely.

Bill Bates of Marfa, Texas, is visiting friends and relatives over the county. He has lived most of his life in different sections of this county and has many friends and acquaintances here.

Mrs. M. W. Lowery, John Powell, J. O. Brown and Miss Edith Raby attended a luncheon of the Federation of Women's Clubs at the Federation Club House in Waco Thursday. They were accompanied by Mrs. R. W. Ward who attended and Executive Presbyterial Meeting at the Presbyterian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hancock of Mound Community are the proud parents of a new son.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Copper made a week-end trip to Goldthwaite last week.

Sheriff Mack Morgan of Hamilton spent Wednesday here in Gatesville on business.

Mrs. Pat Olson's mother, Mrs. John E. Swenson, of Clifton is visiting with her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones of Reagan returned to their home Thursday after a few days spent with Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Post, parents of Mrs. Jones.

Leon Warden, manager of the Gatesville Farm Products Company in company with Dale Lipsy, were business visitors at Lampasas Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Bythel Cooper and Mrs. Francis Voss attended Waco Little Theatre play "Dead Eyes" last Friday. Miss Winifred Jones formerly of Gatesville enacted one of the leading roles.

Miss Louise Routh and Mr. Charles Powell visited Miss Ethel Routh of Denton, who is a student of the College of Industrial Arts, Saturday. The three accompanied Miss Sarah Lilly to her home in Ft. Worth Saturday afternoon to join a group of friends in a week-end house party.

City Marshall Bone wishes to call the attention of automobile drivers to the fact that there has been entirely too much speeding on the streets of Gatesville here of late. He says that most of the speeding is not intentionally done, that the driver will be driving 30 miles per hour or more before he realizes what he is doing. There is a city ordinance against driving an automobile faster than 20 miles per hour on the streets.

Death of Mrs. Edna E. Farris, Feb. 1, 1933

On Feb. 1, 1933, the death angel came into our midst and took Mrs. Edna Farris. Mrs. Farris had been in bad health for a long time and everything was done to restore her to health gain; but God who is rich in mercy saw fit to release her from suffering, and has called her to that Home where there is no more sorrow and suffering. But weep not dear ones as those who have no hope, for she is not dead but sleepeth. But look forward to that blessed day when the Lord shall come, and the dead in Christ shall rise first. Then we which are alive shall be gathered together in the air so shall we ever be.

Edna Eldora Collins was born in Mississippi in 1876. She was converted at the age of fifteen and lived a true Christian life. She was married in 1903 to Mr. J. W. Farris. To this union one child was born which died in infancy. At the time of her death, she was a member of the Baptist Church at Cold Springs. She was laid to rest by the side of her husband in the Flint Creek Cemetery, Friday, Feb. 3. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Ollie Williams. She is survived by one sister and two brothers in Mississippi and three brothers in Texas. Mr. Felix Collins, at Rals, Texas, Mr. Doshier Collins, of Corsicana, and Mr. Tom Collins, of Seattle, Texas, and a host of friends. For to know her was to love her. She was so good and kind. Written by a Friend.

Urger Merger of Two Counties Central West Texas

Santo, Jan. 28.—The Santo Business Men's Association, anticipating action by the Legislature to effect consolidation of a number of Texas counties, is considering seriously plans for the merger of Palo Pinto and Erath Counties. It is the association's hope to secure the seat of government at Santo provided the consolidation is effected. The association contends such a consolidation would effect enough saving in a single year to finance new buildings at Santo for the merged counties' needs. Among other names suggested for the proposed county is "Miriam," to honor Governor Ferguson.—Ft. Worth Star-Telegram.

Texas Weekly Industrial Review

Borger—Work of remodeling sheriff's office, started.

El Paso—Work of laying roof on Brown Street reservoir to be completed about March 1st.

Cumby—Sulphur Springs State Bank purchased First State Bank of this place.

Ablene—W. W. Grubb purchased barber shop here recently.

Bids to be called soon for paving Zapata County part of State Highway No. 4.—San Juan Sentinel.

SOCIETY

Faculty Club Entertained At Hines Home

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Hines assisted by Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thompson entertained the Faculty Club members and guests with an 84 party Monday evening at the Hines home on Fenimore Street.

The motif of the decorations for the party was Valentine and red carnation cut flowers. Appointed places were found by matching place cards of "heart-shaped valentine rhymes."

A refreshment plate accenting the Valentine motif was passed. Honored guests included Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones, Dr. and Mrs. M. W. Lowery, Miss Marie Johnson and the Faculty Club Members.

Tuesday Night Club Meets With Mrs. Gardner

Mrs. Cecil Gardner was hostess to the Tuesday Night Club at her home on E. Leon Street, Tuesday night, with four tables arranged for games of bridge.

The home was decorated in the Valentine motif, tallies and score cards carried out the theme. Prizes consisting of a pair of hose and a necktie went to the winners of high score, Mrs. Francis Caruth and Mr. Troy Jones, respectively.

A salad course was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Jim McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. Ermon Chamblee, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Prentiss, and members, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Caruth, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore.

Mrs. Abner Williamson Entertains with Birthday Dinner

Mrs. Abner Williamson entertained Sunday with a surprise dinner in honor of her husband's birthday.

It was very much a surprise to Mr. Williamson when the guests began to arrive. Groups of elderly people and young people kept coming in until the noon hour. Five tables were attractively arranged to seat six people each. Everyone was invited to enjoy the feast which was prepared in honor of the occasion.

The dinner guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Jones—Florence, J. D. Fegette, Earl Sycamore, Mrs. Lee Fegette, Misses Lillie Ward Matie Pearl Fegette, Nora Baker, Ophelia Squares, Ruby Baker, Odelle Hayes, Glen Hayes and Iva Baker, Messrs. Sam Bunnell, Howard Baker, Crawford Baker, Grady Fowler, Luther Hayes and several small children.

Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Robertson and Miss Minnie Clara McConny. The day was enjoyed by all, and many wishes were extended to Mr. Williamson for many more happy birthdays.

Miss Painter Entertained

Auction bridge was played at 5 tables Saturday night at the Friday Night Bridge Club party, given by Miss Maude Alyce Painter, 612 S. 14th Street.

The valentine motif was carried out in the decorations and refreshment plate. High score favors were stationary and lingerie awarded to Mrs. Robt. Brown and Mrs. Howard Franks.

Included in the guest list were Misses Mary Routh, Elizabeth Thornton, Aurora Yongue, Louise and Vera Sadler, Mesdames B. E. Hines, Howard Franks, Edgar Lorenz, Robert Brown. Members attending were Mrs. Bob Saunders, Misses Lorene Moon, Francis Austin, Edna Murray, Mammie Sue Halbrook, Dahlia Mae Murray, Vera Cayce, Ila Fae Selby, Villa Holmes, Mary Wyatt and Doris Jones.

Members of the Morris Federation and friends of Lexie Dean Robertson, the poet, will be interested to know that she will broadcast over K. R. L. D. at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, Feb. 12th.

Mrs. Clifford Adams entertained with an attractive party Thursday night for members and guests of the Owl Club. Games of 84 were played and dainty refreshments were served.

Valentine Party and Shower Honoring Miss McCollum

Mrs. Louis Newman entertained Tuesday afternoon at her home on South Lutterloh Street, complimenting Miss Francis McCollum, bride-elect of Francis Stout, with a surprise bridge party and miscellaneous shower.

The reception room was decorated with hearts observing the valentine theme in colors of red and white. A guest towel given Mrs. Geo. Painter as high score winner. After the games a miscellaneous

shower was presented to the honoree.

The refreshment plate consisting of cherry jellies topped with whipped cream carried out the valentine colors was served with angel food cake.

Guests were the honoree, Mesdames Merle Carroll, Elmo Washburn, Geo. Painter, Misses Mary Oldham, Buchie Wollard, Willie Mae Hollingsworth, Hope and Ruth Murrel, Janice and Jeona Cook, Mary Kathrine Franks and Francis Voss.

1929 Club Holds Meeting on Wednesday

Cut flowers of narcissus and jonquils and Valentine motifs decorated the home when Mrs. C. C. Hines, Fenimore Street, entertained the 1929 club Wednesday afternoon with 84.

Guests were Mesdames Tom Davidson, C. E. Gandy, Cecil Garrett, James McLean, R. W. Ward, Levi Anderson, Clay Stinnett, B. E. McCoy, John Frank Post, Charlie Caruth, Monroe Blankenship, H. T. Johnson.

The dainty refreshment plate of molded salads and red mints, with hot tea, carried out the color scheme of yellow and white.

CHURCHES

NOTE—There will be no charge for church and Sunday School announcements. All announcements are urged to be in this office as early as possible each week.

Presbyterian Church

There will be the usual services at the Presbyterian Church on next Sunday, February 12. The pastor will speak at both the 11 and 5 o'clock hours. The Vesper Service will be devoted to the study of the Book of Daniel.

The Woman's Auxiliary will meet at 3 p. m. on Tuesday, February 14, with Mrs. Milton Patillo. All women of the church are urged to attend.

The public is most cordially invited to worship with us at all services.

James M. McLean, Pastor.

Christian Church

Dr. Arthur Stout, pastor of the First Christian Church of this place, will fill his regular appointment here Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to come out and hear him.

Baptist Church

Sunday School Sunday, 9:45 a. m. All officers and teacher, and students urged to be present.

General announcements will be made Sunday for the Week's Study in the Enlargement Campaign beginning proper Sunday night, 7:15.

The pastor will preach Sunday 11 a. m. on "The Parable of God's Title to Me."

All seven unions of the Baptist Training Service meet Sunday, 6:15 Come.

Sunday night, 7:15, the pastor will preach on "The Parable of the Wedding Robe." Christ's story of one wedding to which everyone is invited.

Special Music both hours under direction of Mesdames Parks and Glass.

The Sunbeam Band will meet Monday, 2:30 p. m.

The Intermediary G. A. S. meets Tuesday, 4:30 p. m.

The W. M. S. will meet Tuesday, 3 p. m. in five circles.

The Junior G. A. S. meets Wednesday 4 p. m.

The Y. W. A. will hold its regular meeting Wednesday, 4 p. m.

Wednesday night, 7:15, the pastor will speak.

You, your family and friends, strangers and visitors will find a cordial welcome at every service.

Clarence Allen Morton, Pastor.

No prayer meeting next week account of the Training School. Those who regularly attend prayer meetings may attend the class. The school's first class each evening meets at 7 p. m.

An important announcement will be made Sunday morning preaching service that will be of interest to our entire church. Be sure to hear this announcement.

The general public cordially invited to worship with us in every service.

W. W. Ward, Pastor. L. R. Ables, S. S. Supt.

Cattle Feeding Raises Price of Farm Grown Feed Thirty Per Cent

College Station—If all cattle feeders in Texas did as well last year as the 1516 men and boys who fed 71,919 head of demonstration methods, they increased the sale price of their home raised feed 30 per cent, and are likely to repeat the gains again this year, declare livestock specialists in the Extension Service at Texas A. & M. College. There are not as many cattle on feed this winter as last but there are practically as many on feed in co-operation with county farm demonstration agents as last year. This represents about half of all cattle being fed.

Cattle feeding today is not the speculative game it was once, but is a plan many farmers are using to sell their feed, specialists point out. Net profits from feeding have remained about the same for the last two years, demonstration records reveal, and Extension service men do not expect them to vary greatly when the cattle are sold this spring. Demonstration cattle sold in the spring of 1931 returned an average of \$3.50 per head for labor and investment, and the crop sold in the spring of 1932 averaged \$4.50 per head in return on labor and investment. Expressing this return in return in terms of an increased price for home grown feed, about 30 per cent was added to the value of this feed each of these years by selling it through the cattle. The manure obtained in feeding operations is generally regarded as a fair offset for the labor.

One of the features of last year's feeding was the large increase in creep feeding of calves. Of the men and boys who fed cattle in co-operation with county agents, 18 per cent creep fed their calves, which represented 28 per cent of all calves fed by demonstration methods. Creep feeding is a new way of inducing quick and early growth in calves by providing young calves grain and cottonseed meal and hay in creeps inaccessible to their mothers. The calves learn to eat while nursing and grazing, and usually go into the feed lots out-weighting other calves about 100 pounds. This added gain is produced at a very low cost. Creep fed calves also go on feed in the feed lot more quickly and make better butter gains.

Four-H club boys outstripped all others last season in net returns per calf, with average returns for labor and investment of \$20.27. This was possible through the premium prices so many obtained in auction rings at livestock shows.

St. Louis, Jan. 21.—The Southwest is watching the process by which "swapping" of eggs for garden tools or grain for flour develops into organized barter exchanges, printing their own scrip to perform the work of hard-to-get money.

In Oklahoma City a group of unemployed organized an informal "shirt sleeve exchange" through which they exchanged their services for farm products or the wares of co-operating merchants.

Out of that now has grown the self-help exchange, which set itself up in downtown offices with a total expenditure of 25 cents for a package of nails. The rest of the needed labor and equipment was obtained through barter.

Using this end, experts in merchandising have been placed on the governing board, which consists of 21 members. The exchange is intended to be permanent, though it is yet too young to forecast its success. The organizers have attempted to avoid connections which might involve it in politics.

Ernest R. Chamberlain, its secretary, declares the exchange has the united support of the community and the sanction of the Retail Merchants Association. Forty men were obtaining support for themselves and their families through the exchange in the first days of its organization.

Innumerable institutions, business houses and individuals in the Southwest have contributed to the growth of direct barter with individual offers to accept goods or labor "in trade."

Oklahoma Baptist University at Shawnee, for example, announced it would accept wheat in payment of tuition and other expenses at 10 cents a bushel above the market price. Highland College in Kansas makes a similar offer, and gives

the goods so received to faculty members in lieu of cash salaries. Many other colleges accept livestock and farm produce under similar plans.

Kansas rural sections report a widespread revival of the types of barter common 40 and 50 years ago, when farmers traded their produce at the general store for groceries, farm equipment or clothing.

Barter apparently has gained but little foothold in Texas as yet, although some communities have a farm goods exchange periodically.

With the backing of bankers and business men, however, J. F. Combs, Jefferson County farm agent, has called a series of community farm meetings at Beaumont with the intention of organizing a barter exchange.

Cover Crop Increased Peanut Yield

Eastland—That 30 bushel peanut land can be made to yield 60 bushels per acre and double the usual amount of peanut hay has again been demonstrated in Eastland County according to the report of J. C. Patterson, county agent. Koko peanut growers in that county who raised winter cover-crops of barley on peanut land, pastured the crop during the winter and then in the spring plowed the barley under to be followed by a crop of peanuts, attained a yield of 60 bushels per acre whereas adjoining property left bare during the winter made only 30 bushels per acre.

The grazing more than paid all expenses of the small grain planter and plowing under. Stock turning to the pasture also added fertility to the soil. The sand does not blow with such a crop on it which is a big advantage on blaw sand. Winter rains do not leach plant food from such land as the growth holds much of the moisture. The planting of six to eight rows of peanuts then an equal number of corn or grain sorghum is another practice which is being adopted to prevent the sand from drifting. The stalks are left on the land and later are plowed in for fertilizer.

Mr. Vernon—Silage beats sargo, thinks O. W. Gandy of Mt. Vernon. Mr. Gandy has his own syrup mill and planted three acres of sargo to make into syrup but after the price of syrup went to 30 cents per gallon and buckets to 8 1-2 cents he decided to use the cane for another purpose. Under the supervision of the Franklin County agent, V. O. Teddie, he built and filled a trench silo with this sargo and other red top cane which he had planted for roughage. This silo holds approximately 40 ton of feed. When the silo was opened up December 10th it was found to be more than 98 per cent cured. Mr. Gandy is supplementing with this silage for 12 dairy cows. He likes his silo so well that

Jim McClellan Buys Bauman Meat Market

In a deal made several days ago and effective only recently, Jim McClellan has purchased the meat market on west side of the square known as the Bauman Meat Market.

In a rearrangement program, Mr. McClellan has made an opening in the wall between the two buildings, which houses the market and his grocery store, and by the use of some new fixtures and paint has given the entire business of a new store.

Mr. McClellan has always enjoyed a nice business and anyone desiring anything in his line will please read his advertisement on this page of the News.

City Office ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements are subject to the regular City Election in April.

For Secretary: M. B. (Brooks) SASSE

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR RENT: Two room apartment furnished and one two room apartment unfurnished. All bills paid, rates reasonable.—See Mrs. Frank Jones, 1507 E. Main Street. 2tp

Jim McClellan's Cash Store & Market

Two Phones Groceries 86 Market 95 Regular Delivery Service All Day

Table listing prices for BUTTER, PINEAPPLE, SUGAR, and LYE. BUTTER Kingsville Per Lb. 30c. PINEAPPLE Fancy Sliced No. 2 1-2 Can 15c. SUGAR Pure Cane 22 Lbs. \$1.00. LYE Hudson 15 Cans \$1.00.

MARKET SPECIALS

Table listing prices for SWIFT PREMIUM HAMS, half or whole, Lb. 10c. CHUCK ROAST Lb. 8c. ROUND STEAK Lb. 15c. FANCY SLICED BACON Lb. 14c.

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Jim McClellan's Cash Store Company

Grocery Phone 86 Market Phone 95 We Buy Eggs and Other Farm Products.