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LONDON MAN RECALLS EARLY DAYS IN KIMBLE.

Worked with Cow Outfit when
There was Less than 12
Settlers in County. Came
Here Just After Noted
"Maverick War."

Last Saturday the Eagle editor accompanied Mr. E. R. Borden, local ice plant owner, on a business trip to London, and spent a very pleasant afternoon visiting with the London people. While there we met Mr. L. M. Walton, who is now well past his allotted three score and ten years, but is active and healthy, and his good memory enables him to recall many interesting events connected with the early days in this section of the country—events that passed into history before the organization of this county.

Mr. Walton came to this country in 1873, and is doubtless the only man living who was familiar with the Llano River country at that early date. There were few families in the country at the time, and during the next three or four years a number of families moved in and settled along the streams. At the time he arrived to work for the old Mann and Nash outfit, Raleigh Gentry had settled near the mouth of what is now known as Gentry Creek. J. A. Browning, who came here with his father in 1873, later lived at the Gentry place, Mr. Gentry moving farther up the creek. John Joy was living on what is now known as Joy Branch, near Sevia—the small stream that is crossed by the highway just before reaching the divide.

Rance Moore lived on Johnson Fork and Creed Taylor and Dug Knox had settled in the Noxville country.

Mann and Nash was one of the largest cow outfits in this part of the State at that time, claiming several thousand head of cattle and working about 30 men. Ranch hands at that time were paid \$30 per month and board—that is, they were furnished meat and bread and whatever other foodstuff they were fortunate enough to procure.

Cattle that were rounded up in this Hill Country were usually driven to the San Saba, near Old Peg Leg crossing, where they were checked out and a record kept of the number having different brands. No discretion was used in gathering only those bearing the brand of the outfit doing the rounding up, and the state officer doing the checking was no more careful in checking the brands, but Mr. Walton says even with the crude methods used in accounting for cattle that were driven to the San Saba to be delivered to buyers who put them on the trail for the northern markets, there was comparatively little thieving. If 50 or 100 cattle bearing another brand were collected, those having the cattle in possession would not attempt to cut them out, but would sell and deliver them and give the owner of the brand a due bill for so many cattle which would be paid for in money or some exchange of other property made later, or "power of attorney" to collect that number bearing the brand of the outfit who sold the cattle, so by this "swapping out" method, a fairly close settlement was usually made.

The Mann and Nash headquarters was at the mouth of Johnson Fork. Felix Mann, now a prominent stockman of San Angelo, is a son of one of the members of the firm. Cattle at the time this partnership was in existence, were worth about \$1 per head. The green

skins were worth \$1.50, so it was not infrequent that irresponsible parties drifted into the country and killed grown cattle for their hides. While Indians made frequent visits through this country, settlements were so few that they did not spend much time here. They had a peculiar sense of reasoning that caused them to kill whatever work oxen they could, for the reason that the settlers would then replace them with horses that could later be stolen and driven away by the Indians.

The Mann and Nash concern had a serious setback in '74 from which they never attempted to recover. They had gathered a large number of cattle and had delivered them to buyers, on the San Saba River, when the Indians attacked them and drove away all the horses. Shortly after the incident Mr. Walton moved to Red Creek where he resided for many years. Soon after he moved to the creek, Uncle Hugh Wilson, now living at Taft, but well known here, came to this country and became his neighbor. This was about '78 or '79.

Within a few years, some relatives of Mr. Wilson came here and together they started the L. C. outfit, which was one of the largest ranch and cattle outfits operating in the county after its organization.

MORE HATCHERY FISH GO AND COME.

One hundred and five more large breeder crappie were brought up from the Heart of the Hills Hatchery last week and placed in the Scudder Hole above town.

Tuesday of this week Mr. French, the superintendent, was here to take back to the Hatchery a number of cat fish that S. O. Durst and others have caught. Mr. French expects to try out artificial propagation of catfish. So far as past experiments of the U. S. Bureau of Hatcheries have gone, it has been concluded that cat fish cannot be successfully propagated in ponds with anything like the excellent results obtained with bass and crappie.

MENTAL TESTS FOR CHILDREN

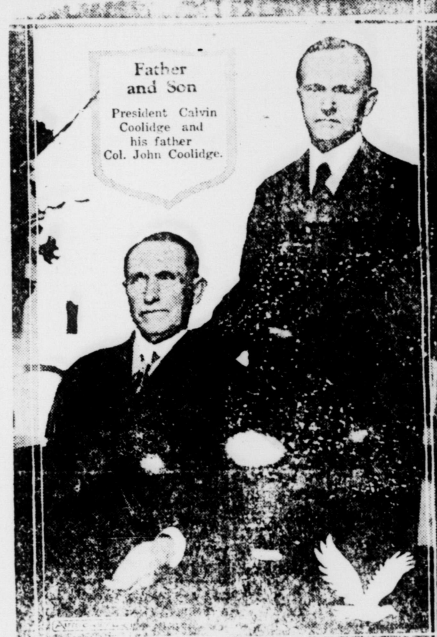
(By Wesley Peacock, Ph. B.)

In many cities all children, upon entering school, undergo mental tests to determine not only what grades they should enter, but also how much class work they can do.

In many schools there are three officials to examine all pupils: a psychiatrist, or mental doctor, to determine whether the child is normal in its mental life; a welfare worker, to determine whether the child lives under normal social and home-life conditions, especially as to sufficiency of food, recreation, diet and labor; a medical doctor, to determine whether the child enjoys normal health. By health is meant good digestion, good circulation of blood, good teeth, and normal working of the glands of internal secretion.

These mental tests have been standardized by universities, and are now used in every state to determine not what a child has done, but what he can do, if he wants to. The tests are believed to measure indirectly the child's native capacity to do, to study, to learn; so that the teacher may diagnose a boy's case in school just as the family doctor may diagnose his case in bed. The difference is in the method employed. The teacher asks him not to stick out his tongue, but to answer certain simple questions not dependent upon his schooling, but on general intelligence.

The French educator, Binet, about twenty-five years ago hit upon methods to determine the intelligence of children of defective minds, so that, when classified, they might be taught in special classes by sympathetic teachers trained in school room methods for retarded pupils. It was found that many dull pupils could do one grade in two years, instead of one grade in one year, or could carry special subjects for which they possessed an aptitude, leaving off others that were not needed. There is no longer any need of a child's burying his talent, as in the Bible story.



Father
and Son
President Calvin
Coolidge and
his father
Col. John Coolidge.

FATHER OF PRESIDENT IS BURIED ON HILLSIDE

Plymouth, Vt., March 20.—Col. John C. Coolidge, father of the President, was laid to rest Saturday in the little cemetery here, on a bleak hillside covered deep in snow, among those of his kind who had passed before him. The President and Mrs. Coolidge, their son, John; representatives of Nations and States and a few relatives and life-long friends stood in the snow at the graveside.

The funeral services were as starkly simple as the lives of these rugged dwellers in the Green Mountain valleys. At the white farmhouse where Col. Coolidge lived for many years and where Calvin Coolidge passed his boyhood, the brief burial service of the Episcopal church was read by the Rev. John

White of Sherburne, pastor of the Union Meeting House in Plymouth, where the Colonel worshipped. Six National Guardsmen acted as body bearers at house cemetery.

There was no eulogy and no music. It was the desire of the first citizen of Plymouth, expressed long before his death, that his funeral service should be without ostentation, and his wishes were respected.

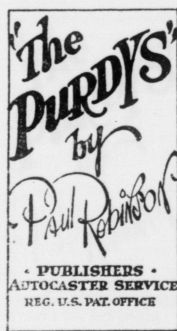
The service was held in the tiny parlor of the farmhouse, with folding doors opening to a sitting room as tiny. The dark gray casket, banked with flowers, stood but a few feet from the spot where Col. Coolidge stood one early morning to administer to his son the oath of office as President.

In the same room, six years ago, the funeral services were held for the Colonel's wife, stepmother of the President.

A bank of lilies from the President lay on the casket and beside it was a spray of pink roses from Mrs. Coolidge. Other pieces, tributes from Government officials and friends in Washington, from the crew of the presidential yacht Mayflower, from Vermont friends and organizations in which the Colonel was active, banked one side of the room. A spray of cala lilies was the gift of Plymouth neighbors, and the community custom decreed that all of them should be represented in the tribute.

The little rooms thrown into one, were filled when Captain Adolphus Andrews of Dallas, commander of the Mayflower, guided the presidential family and few close friends to seats beside the casket. Governor and Mrs. Bilings of Vermont, former Gov. William Stickney, on whose staff Col. Coolidge served; Attorney General Sargent and Maj. James F. Coupal, White House physician, were among those grouped near the casket. Relatives and neighbors packed the small space within the house and overflowed to the porch.

Immediately after the burial the President returned with Mrs. Coolidge and their son to the white farmhouse. After a brief stay the party left by sleigh for Woodstock, where the presidential train awaited for the return trip to Washington.



**BATTLE WITH INDIANS
ON DEVIL'S RIVER.**

(From Frontier Times.)

The following account of the Battle of Devil's River, July 19, 1857, is taken from the late General John B. Hood's excellent work, "Advance and Retreat."

"The latter part of the year, 1856, I was ordered to Fort Mason, situated near the Llano River, about 40 miles distant from Fredericksburg. Col. Albert Sidney Johnston was chief in command until sent to Utah. Although stationed with him but a short time, I became deeply impressed by the exalted character of the extraordinary man. Maj. George H. Thomas succeeded in authority; it was during my service as his acting adjutant that specially won my high regard by his manliness and dignity.

"After the lapse of several months, and having grown weary of the routine duties of camp life, I determined to change the scene and start on a scouting expedition in search of the Red Men of the forests. Preparations were accordingly made and I left Fort Mason on the morning of July 5, 1857, in command of 25 men of Company G, Second Cavalry, with an Indian guide, compass in hand and supplies for 30 days. I passed out upon the plains by the head of the Llano river, and marched thence to the country bordering on the Concho River. After an absence of ten days and an exploration of these different streams, I discovered an Indian trail, apparently about two or three days old, and indications warranting the belief that 15 or 20 ponies belonged to the party, which was moving in the direction of Mexico, via the headwaters of Devil's River.

"I was young and buoyant in spirit; my men were well mounted and all eager for a chase as well as a fray. It was soon apparent that we would be forced to pass over a portion of the Staked Plains, or desert, lying between the Concho River and Mexico; that in order to overtake the Indians, we would most likely have great fatigue and privations to endure, as we could expect to find but little water during the pursuit.

"However, in the conviction that we could live for a short time wherever Indians could

subsist, we began the chase on the morning of the 17th of July, marched about 40 miles and camped upon the dry plains without water or the sight of game, so plentifully in view the previous day, and without even the chirp of a bird to cheer us on our journey, we knew not exactly whither. At early dawn the following morning the march was resumed; we passed during the day a water hole utterly unfit for use and went into bivouac that night with the same surroundings, fully 50 miles further on the desert. Our canteens were now empty and the outlook was somewhat dismal.

"At daybreak on the 19th, 'to horse' was sounded and the journey continued. About noon a deer was seen bounding over the prairie, and with the sight went forth a shout of joy from the men, who then felt confident that water was not very far distant. The trail had, moreover, become more distinct; this encouragement, together with the hope of quenching their thirst, re-inspired the soldiers. A few hours later another pool was reached, but not of that purity which was desirable. The odor of that water was such as to obligate us to hold our breath while we partook of the distasteful but refreshing draught. We filled our canteens and continued in pursuit and at daylight we bivouaced after a forced march of 60 miles. Several of our horses began to show signs by this time, of fatigue and legweariness. The next morning the lofty peaks of the mountains near Devil's River could be seen afar off and all possible speed was made as we recognized that the line between the United States and Mexico was not far distant.

"About noon we reached another stagnant water hole near the foot of a low range of hills in proximity to the rugged mountainous country about the head waters of Devil's River along the lower valley of which stream passes the stage line from San Antonio to El Paso. Here we discovered that another party of Indians had joined that of which we were in pursuit. The deserted camp gave evidence that there were not less than 40 warriors in number. The trail from this point was not only much larger, but presented a fresher appearance. The arms of the men were therefore, carefully inspected, every preparation made for action, and the chase quickly resumed. The horses were much fatigued and some of them were scarcely able to keep their places in the line of march; consequently the pursuit was not as rapid as it had been the three days previous. The march over the hills and up the mountains increased, moreover, their leg weariness to such an extent that about 4 o'clock p. m., I abandoned all hope of overtaking the Indians before they crossed the Rio Grande, which river was then not far distant. The condition of the horses and the thirst of the soldiers led me to the determination to quit the trail and go immediately in search for fresh water.

"We were at this time well up on the high rough range of mountains bordering on Devil's River, and after leaving the trail a distance of high one mile I perceived on a parallel range about two miles off a few Indians waving a large white flag, apparently hoisted from a mound. Orders from Washington had been issued before I left Fort Mason notifying all United States troops that a party of Tonkawas were expected at the reservation near Camp Cooper, and that they would, in the event of meeting a body of our soldiers upon the frontier, raise a white flag, upon which signal they were to be allowed to pass unmolested. I therefore became convinced that the Indians were either the Tonkawas or a hostile body endeavoring by an infamous ruse to throw me off my guard and entrap and massacre my entire

party.

"Notwithstanding the condition of the men and the horses, I determined to pass over upon the ridge occupied by the Red men, move toward them and ascertain the meaning of this demonstration. I had at this time but seventeen men for action, the remainder having halted in the rear owing to the inability of their horses to advance further without rest. I moved across the opposite ridge and, as a precautionary measure, formed a line and marched forward in readiness to talk or fight. Every man was armed with an army rifle and six-shooter; a few of us had sabers and two revolvers. While I was armed with a shotgun loaded with buckshot and two navy six-shooters. As we passed over a mound about 150 or 200 yards distant from the one occupied by friend or foe—we knew not which—the flag, seemingly a sheet, was still waving aloft and a few Indians were lounging about with every appearance of a party desirous of peace.

"The ground in that vicinity was rough and partially covered with a growth of Spanish bayonete, which afforded a secure place of concealment. Feeling that in the event of an attack I had better chances of success mounted than dismount-

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ed, for the reason that my fighting forces in the latter instance would have been lessened by the number of men required to hold and guard the horses in the rear, and sharing the belief which generally prevailed in my regiment, that 20 well armed oldiers should be able to successfully engage four times their number of Indians. I continued to move forward slowly upon the immediate right of my line. When we were within about 20 or 30 of the mound occupied by the Indians, four or five of them advanced toward us with the flag. Then suddenly they threw it to the ground and fired upon us. Simultaneously from a large heap of dry grass, weeds and leaves, burst forth in our immediate midst, a blaze of fire some 30 feet in height and, with a furious yell, the warriors instantly rose up around us, while others charged down the slope into the midst of us, even seizing some of our horses by the bridle reins. At the same moment a mounted party attacked the left of our line with lances. "Thus began a most desperate struggle. The warriors all painted, stripped to the waist, with either horns or wreaths of feathers upon their heads. They bore shields for defense, and were armed with rifles, bows and arrows. The quick and sharp report of rifles, the smoke and crackling noise of the fire, together with the shouts of the soldiers and the yells of the Indians betokened the deadly peril from which seemingly naught but a miracle could effect our deliverance. Each man, after discharging his rifle, drew his revolver and used it with terrible effect as the warriors in many instances were within a few feet of the muzzles of our guns. Stubbornly did my brave men hold their ground. Again and again they drove the enemy back to the edge and in the rear of the burning mass of weeds in front, when finally the Indians charged desperately and forced our line back a few paces in the center.
"Having discharged my shotgun, I rode at once with revolver in hand to that point, rallied the soldiers, who again drove them back, while our horses in some instances were beaten over the heads with shields. The contest was at such close quarters that a warrior bore off a rifle which had been used and hung by one of the men upon his saddle, meantime the Indians, as quickly as they discharged their guns handed them to their squaws, who ran to the rear, reloaded and returned them. At this juncture I was pierced in the left hand with an arrow, which passed through the reins and fourth finger, pinning my hand to the bridle. I instantly broke the spearhead and threw it aside.
"Thus raged this hand to hand conflict until all our shots were expended and it was found that, owing to restiveness of the horses, we could not reload while mounted. We then fell back about fifty yards and dismounted for the purpose. Soon afterwards arose from beyond the burning heap one continuous mourning howl such as can alone come forth from the heart of the Red man in deep distress. These sounds of sorrow revealed to me that we were in little danger of a renewal of the assault, and I was, I may truthfully say, thankful for the truce thus proclaimed. Two of our men had been killed and four besides myself, severely wounded. We had also one horse killed and several disabled. Had the combat been renewed I would have, after leaving a guard with the horses, but five or six men to fight on foot.
"Nightfall was approaching. The Indians gathered up their dead and wounded and moved off toward the Rio Grande. Our thirst, which was great in the beginning of the conflict, was now intense from excitement

and loss of blood. I therefore moved at once to Devil's River, where we bivouaced about 10 o'clock p. m., and sent a messenger to Camp Hudson for supplies and medical aid.
"Thus closed the terrible scene, and often since have I felt most grateful that our horses were so broken down, as, but for our condition, they would doubtless, when beaten over the head, with shields, have become totally unmanageable and cause the massacre of my entire command. I attribute our escape also to the fact that the Indians did not have the self-possession to cut our bridle reins, which act would have proved fatal to us. We were nigh meeting a similar fate to that of the gallant Custer and his noble band.
CURIOUS FACTS ABOUT THE BOOK OF BOOKS.
The Bible has 1189 chapters and 260 belong to the Old Testament and 260 in the New. The 117th Psalm is the middle chapter of the Bible, its number being 594 chapters precede it, and 594 follow it.
The middle chapter of the Bible is the shortest, containing only 33 verses, composed of 133 letters. The longest is the 119th Psalm, containing 176 verses, 2,445 words and 10,146 letters.
The text of the Bible is divided into 31,101 verses; 23,144 for the Old and 7,957 for the New Testament. The shortest verse in the Bible is John xi:35 containing only two words and 9 letters. One verse in the Bible contains all the letters of the alphabet except J.—Ezra vii:21.
The famous inscription on the Liberty Bell, in Independence Hall, Philadelphia, is taken from Leviticus xxv:10. It reads, "Proclaim Liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants thereof."
CHURCH NOTICE.
Not desiring our meeting to conflict with the meetings of the other churches of our town, in December of last year we published in the columns of this paper, that we had arranged with Elder Lyle Price, of Wills Point, Texas, to conduct a protracted meeting for the Church of Christ, here in Junction, beginning June 26th, 1926, and continuing till the 14th of July.
We would be glad if the public would remember the above dates, and help us to make this a great meeting; Bro. Price is one of our most interesting speakers, and it will do you good to hear him.
46-tfc The Members.

TALK OF HIGHWAY.
Let's get up and build that highway, folks. No one can say that it isn't needed. Every one should be behind it. Now, if we could just grade that road from Fredericksburg through Harper and Noxville to Junction so that westward travel could be established over this route the state would designate it a highway and put it in first class condition in jig time. Let's get busy and put over the biggest deal of our lifetime.—Harper Herald.

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H. G. Perry Editor.

Editor L. C. Warren of the Menard Messenger was in Junction a few hours Tuesday. This was Mr. Warren's first visit to Junction, and while he was able to spend only a few hours here, he was greatly surprised at the progressive and growing appearance of our town and the scenic country around it.

We hope that he will find it convenient to pay us another visit soon.

The question of whether long or short skirts should be worn is one that has never been settled, and we fear it never will be. In order to satisfy all parties some women of the East have adopted a plan of placing their skirts on rollers, like window curtains. In crowds where short skirts meet approval, the skirts are rolled up; where long skirts are demanded, the skirts are rolled down. This ought to quiet all parties. The only fear that we entertain is that the springs in the rollers may not be dependable. We know our window curtain turns loose of its own accord occasionally. —Honey Grove Signal.

About the best thing we can think of to do about it is for some of his friends to go to Dan Moody and advise him to withdraw from the race for Governor, and then announce for re-election to the office of Attorney General. There seems at present no likelihood that there will be any more candidates for governor, and Moody withdrawing, the field would be left to Davidson and the Fergusons. In which event Davidson would have a good chance to win. Moody would be trading an uncertainty for a certainty—it is very uncertain that he could be elected governor, but it is practically certain that he could, with the splendid record he has made, be re-elected to the office of Attorney General. And in so doing he would be paving the way to higher offices later on. If he stays in the race he jeopardizes both his own and Davidson's chances. —Edwards County

We are very sorry to hear that Dan Moody has finally made his announcement for governor. We had hoped and even thought that he would have more sense than that.

Dan Moody has made an excellent attorney general of Texas. He has been in office now but a little over a year in his first term, and has apparent phenomenal success. Just how deep-grained is that success will probably be shown in the coming campaign. Dan Moody is a young man and one in whom the people of Texas could place much trust. They have done so. He has made good, but it has "gone to his head." He is perhaps seeing more than what is actually on the horizon. He had so many people call him Moses he is probably beginning to think he is.

The coming campaign is going to be a bitter one. It promises, according to opinions of experts, to be the hottest in the history of the State. With only one year of his first term behind him as a background for his campaign, Dan Moody is not enough seasoned to be governor of Texas. He has probably allowed his antagonism of the Fergusons, together with the solicitation of his friends, and the inherent ambition of youth to urge him over-much. He has taken a step too far. He has made a fine record but

he is liable to get that reputation and that name besmirched a little before the primary is over. He should have remained in his present office for another term and by that time he would have gained such prestige that by another four years he could have asked for almost anything.

Lynch Davidson is the logical man for the place, and, of the four candidates who have announced, he should have the office. —Quanah Times.

COUNTY INTER-SCHOLASTIC MEET, APRIL 9-10TH.

The Kimble County Inter-Scholastic Meet will be held at Junction on Friday and Saturday, April 9th and 10th, at the High School building.

J. B. Patterson of the London High School is director and will have general charge of the events, assisted by others whom he may select, from the teachers of the county.

The list of events in which contests may be had is too long for publication. Teachers who have students who wish to enter any of the events should get in touch with Mr. Patterson.

All school pupils of the county are eligible for the different classes of events, governed by the regulations of the Inter-Scholastic League.

TOWN'S NEW TOURIST CAMP IS NAMED.

Junction Riverside Camp—headquarters for vacationists, is the name of the new project which is under construction by J. J. McWright, in the east part of town, on lands leased to him by the Chamber of Commerce and County.

About twenty 10x14 cottages are now under construction and others will be built later. Additions to the cottages in the way of added built-in conveniences will be made soon, and each cottage will have an 8x10 foot screen porch on the east.

E. M. Browning and family are moving from San Antonio to Abilene. They were here this week for a visit with relatives. Mr. Browning who has spent several years with Swift & Company, has accepted a traveling position with a large canned milk concern.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 24, 1926.

For District Attorney, 33rd Judicial District:
F. H. Hammond (Re-election)

For County Judge:
A. G. Farmer, (Re-election)

J. E. Randolph.

N. R. Skaggs.

For Dist. and County Clerk:
L. R. Hodges, (Re-election)

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
Dee Gibbs, (Re-election.)

J. L. Wright.

Carl M. Wolf.

T. T. Randle.

For Treasurer:
J. A. Browning (Re-election)

E. P. Furr.

Guthrie Williams.

For Tax Assessor:
Joe Bissett, (Re-election)

Wauldimor (Buster) Jarvis.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 1:
A. B. Hodges.

Hilry D. Henderson.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 2:
Burl Fisher.

J. F. Ragsdale.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 3:
R. W. Fisher.

For Commissioner Prec. No. 4:
H. W. Bierschwale.

BILL BOOSTER SAYS:

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

See those Easter hats and dresses at the Model Shop.

Five pounds Peanut Butter for \$1.25. Butt & Garrett.

A few 8 to 10 feet cedar posts for sale. Inquire at The Eagle office.

Mrs. Arthur Taylor of Goliah is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Henry Hamer.

Ve Maddox is now a member of the clerical force at the Junction State Bank.

Nice fresh spinach, right from my garden, near flatrock crossing. Will appreciate your help. Mrs. Knox.

Miss Bernice Henry of Rock-springs was the guest of Mrs. H. G. Perry the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletch Sullivan of Flatonia arrived Tuesday and are visiting friends and relatives here.

Unfurnished rooms or small residence wanted. See A. P. Boyett at Quick Service Tailor Shop, or phone 57.

Have good Jersey milk cow for sale. Gives 3 or more gallons per day. See or phone 49-tfc Mrs. H. O. Denman.

Field seed, Red Top cane, Sudan, Maize, Kaffir, Feterita, Big Head Millet.

Butt & Garrett.

C. W. Herbst was in town Monday. He has recently moved from the Herbst farm on Red Creek to a place near the London School House.

Saturday, March 27th, at the Model Shop, a pretty line of Easter hats and dresses. Don't fail to see them.

Mrs. Vara James Stephen.

Rev. J. A. Dekkle and wife were in town visiting friends and attending to business. San Angelo is their former home.

W. W. Taylor and daughter, Mrs. S. M. Williams of Del Rio, spent last week with home folks. Miss Lura B. returned to Del Rio with them Sunday and will visit there for a while.

Mrs. Nellie Hankins returned Monday, after several weeks spent in San Antonio. Mrs. Hankins, with the other Corkill heirs, have considerable property in Duval County, near the recent oil developments, and while prospecting continues, and excitement is much in evidence, Mrs. Hankins says it has not yet been fully established that the new field will prove a profitable producer.

Thos. Wilson and wife were in town Tuesday from their ranch near Roosevelt. Mr. Wilson has recently undergone some operations at Temple and thinks he will be able to get around again in a few days. This is the first time he has been away from home since his return from Temple, and is still very weak.

Five cents per pound off on H. & H. Coffee.

Grace Fisher left for Lubbock Saturday after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fisher. She has been in T. C. U. at Fort Worth for the past two terms, and goes to Lubbock to enter Texas Tech. She will be with her sister who is also a student of this college.

If you have pressing, cleaning, altering or repairing that you want done properly and promptly, phone 57. We call for and deliver. Make your old clothes look like new at small expense. A. P. Boyett, Quick Service Tailor Shop.

All kinds of gallon fruit. Solid pack. Butt & Garrett.

Nothing will be more surprising to the ladies than a big new line of Easter dresses that are now on display at Phillip Joseph's. You would expect to find such an array of late styles only in the large city stores. Come in and see them.

LADIES! That new Easter dress that you have been hoping for is at Phillip Joseph's. They have just arrived. See them before they are picked over.

A letter and subscription check were received from Henry Schild last week. Henry and his wife are operating a hotel at Fort Davis and doing well. He says that country has had good rains and conditions are very good.

I wish to inform the public that I have my new shop completed and am equipped to do all kinds of blacksmith work and horse-shoeing. Located just west of Stephenson's Filling Station.

Dee Taylor.

Chicken feed, cow feed, horse feed. Butt & Garrett.

Phone 57 and Boyett, the Quick Service Tailor will be right up after your clothes. All work guaranteed and finished promptly. Give me a trial. A. P. Boyett, shop just back of Ogley's Drug Store.

A fine baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Bierschwale at Segovia on Sunday, March 21. The young lady weighs seven and one-half pounds and has been named Pauline Gladys.

THE BOYS AND GIRLS WANT EASTER SHOES.



For the little boys and girls we have a new line of slippers—especially made to properly protect the feet of growing children. They are wide and comfortable, but dressy in appearance—in light kid trimmed in patent leather, or patent leather trimmed in light kid, and they wear like iron. Bring the kiddies in and let us fit them correctly.

PHILLIP JOSEPH

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Figure with me on your Freight hauling (any kind)

I will save you money.

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ANSON BALDWIN

There is much more land being put in cultivation around London.

Poultry Wanted at Bissett's Meat Market. 46-tfc

D. E. GOBEN, CITY BLACKSMITH SHOP.

Have installed a power hammer for heavy work, and have emory wheel and power saw and can take care of any kind of blacksmith and repair work. Call and see me. 47-tfc

The KITCHEN CABINET

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Of all the men I have known, I cannot recall one whose mother did her little best for him when he was little, who did not turn out well when he grew up.—Frances Parkinson Keyes.

THINGS TO REMEMBER

When placing foods in dish on ice, place an old can rubber under them.

This will keep them from slipping.

A wise cook will own two or three measuring cups; one may be used for liquids, another for dry ingredients, and save time.

All fruits not protected by a good covering like bananas, should be well washed before using. Any fruit, such as apples, oranges or grapefruit, when served whole or halved, should be well washed.

Washing silk stockings after each wearing will double their life, as the perspiration rots the silk.

A butter stretcher may be prepared thus: Add a cupful of fresh sweet milk to a pound of butter, softened so that the milk can be well worked into it. Use it very soon and keep in a cold place or the milk will sour.

A small peanut butter glass, with a lid, can hold so many good things for the children's lunch basket.

Wet stains of jelly or jam with spirits of camphor; iodine stains with ammonia, and tea stains will come out when washed, if sprinkled at once, while fresh, with salt.

Clean velvet collars or hats with corn meal mixed until moist with gasoline. Rub in well, then brush out with a good clothes brush. It raises the nap of the velvet and cleans at the same time.

When making pastry, use two knives, cutting in the lard and butter until it is like corn meal. Handle as little as possible and have the water used very cold.

Turpentine, a few drops added to the boiler of clothes will whiten them. A few drops of turpentine on sugar, given when a cold is coming on, seems to heal the inflamed tract and relieve in a short time. A cold sore if touched with a drop of turpentine when first felt, repeated two or three times, will pass away.

When burning vegetable peelings or skins in the furnace, add a handful of salt; it will keep the odor from coming into the house.

Nellie Maxwell

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Laying Mash.
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Feed Corn.
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These seeds are all new, tested and priced to sell. We didn't buy 'em to keep. Plant while the season is in the ground.

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PLANTING AND CARE OF FRUIT TREES.

In order to make fruit trees pay, or in other words, "produce the proper amount of fruit," it requires as much attention as successful stock or poultry raising.

Selection of stock to produce the best herds or best flocks is very essential, this selection also applies to fruit growing. Reliable varieties of fruit trees, which are adapted to the climatic conditions where they are to be planted, is of great importance. Nurserymen are always willing and able to recommend the best varieties for localities where such trees are to be planted.

Fruit trees must be planted and not cramped into a much too small excavation and then left to shift for themselves. It is always best to prepare the soil where trees are to be planted a year in advance so that the soil may be mellow and not consist of a lot of clods. The trees should be planted several inches deeper than they stood in the nursery. All roots that were damaged or torn off by transplanting should be cut off, the top should also be pruned back so that a balanced condition of the plant may be re-established.

Young transplanted trees should be cut back to about 12 to 18 inches above the ground in order to form a tree which will protect the trunk on the southwest side, to prevent sun scald which later will permit borers to enter.

The second year the tree requires pruning out such limbs

which interfere with one another and should be pruned in such a manner to form an open top which will permit light and air which will aid in the size and color of the fruit.

Spraying fruit trees for the control of insect pests and plant diseases has passed the experimental stage, hence every one growing fruit trees should be prepared to mix and use the necessary sprays for insects and diseases that might attack their trees at any time. There are now several commercial preparations of spraying material on the market, which when properly applied, according to directions, accompanying each container, will give good results in keeping the trees in a healthy condition.—G. J. Scholl, Chief Nursery Inspector, State Department of Agriculture.

TEXAS POPULATION UP 100,000 IN A YEAR

Dallas, Mar. 20.—The population of Texas has increased about 100,000 in the last year, the United States Census Bureau announced in a statement today. The population on next July 1, will be 5,312,661, the bureau estimates. On July 1, 1925, it was 5,212,822, and on January 1, 1920, it was 4,663,228.

There are about 650,000 more persons in the state now than there were at the time of the last general census, January 1, 1920.

The figures disclose a surprising comparison between Texas and Florida. Despite its great real estate boom, Florida, according to these figures,

has increased 56,611, only slightly more than half the increase in Texas. The Florida figures, however, are based on a 1925 state census, which gives that state 1,263,549. The estimated population for Florida on July 1 next, is 1,317,160.

Texas still maintains her position as the fifth state in population, the other four leading states having shown substantial increases in the last year. The four ahead of Texas are: New York, 11,303,296, increase 141,145; Pennsylvania, 9,613,570, increase 137,454; Illinois, 7,202,983, increase 110,385; Ohio, 6,600,146, increase 129,369.

PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT.

I have recently leased the front room of the former Mrs. Boone property, and installed an office in which I will conduct general office work, such as writing deed, contracts, oil leases, taking acknowledgments as Notary Public, and negotiating loans, and preparing abstracts of titles and selling houses, lots and land.

I have on hand a carefully prepared index for abstracts of titles and will guarantee all my work, in that line.

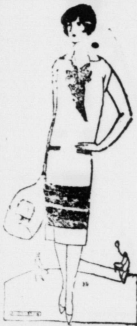
Will appreciate any work in the above outlined business, which my friends and the public at large can give me.

Will be glad to see you in my office at any time, no matter whether for business or friendly chat.

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GOV. MIRIAM A. FERGUSON

Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson of Temple, has formally announced for re-election with "Vindication" of her husband, Jim, as the paramount issue. The amnesty bill of the last legislature does not seem to cover the case. It just occurs to us if "vindication" could not be secured from the Senate last year, there is no hope along this line, for the Senate then was friendly by over two-thirds, and if there had not been so much "jockeying" and "back-pedaling" that Senate would have given Jim Ferguson anything he wanted.

The Star and its Editor have been laboring for ten years, in season and out of season for the "vindication" of Jim Ferguson, and we still believe we were right and that he was framed-up against in 1917 by a bunch of political free-booters.

While we have worked ten years to "vindicate" him of the wrong perpetrated on him then, we intend to work ten years more, if necessary, to have his friends "vindicate" him in causing the appointment and retention of a bunch of kuxluxers and Butteites to positions in the department at Austin.

This may sound like "sour" grapes on our part, but it applies to hundreds of his old loyal supporters throughout the State who have been side-tracked for the new alignment of his former adversaries. It may be old-fashioned and out of date, but we think a fellow ought to stay with his tried and true friends, and let the band-wagon contingent ride in a rear seat for a few miles. We print the following excerpt from a letter from an old supporter in South Texas that fills the bill exactly. He says:

"It makes me think of the fellow whose car was stuck in the mud and a farmer came by with a team and the fellow asked him if he would please pull him out of the bog hole, and the farmer got out, unhitched his team and bogged around and pulled and pushed until he got him out on dry and level ground. Then the fellow stepped into his car and stuck his head out and said: 'Thank you, damn you; I am all right now.'"—San Saba Star.

Ragland Brothers recently purchased 350 mutton goats from James Prentice at \$4. This is probably the highest price paid for this kind of livestock since the good old days of 1920.

BACKING HIS CONVICTIONS

A lawyer in New York City wrote his brother who is head of a New York state country bank, in regard to the use of government printed envelopes by the bank. He said:

"I know their convenience and doubtless they are cheaper, but in these days when the various classes of industry and business realize the necessity of fighting against the further encroachment of the government and state into business, it is rather inconsistent for a bank, or any other business, to encourage government competition with its own citizens. So far as the envelopes are concerned, the government is in the business tax free; and if it can manufacture, sell and distribute envelopes in competition with private enterprises, which must pay the taxes to maintain government, there is no good reason why it should not invade other fields of business. Each industrial function taken over in the name of the government adds an increased tax burden on the private citizen and property owner. I think that when the present supply of government envelopes is exhausted, we should purchase our envelopes from a private printer who pays taxes to maintain our government, even if it makes us lick our own stamps and causes us to pay a little more for the printing. Think it over."

LOOT!
BY ELMO SCOTT WATSON

He Was Almost an Ideal Pirate

MANY respects Capt. John Quelch was the ideal pirate. That is to say, some of the incidents in his career read like the story of a buccaneer in some blood-and-thunder piece of fiction. And this a man, born in the Puritan colony of Massachusetts!

In 1703 John Quelch was one of the crew of the brigantine, Charles, a vessel which had been fitted out by some of the leading citizens of Boston to go on a privateering cruise in Canadian waters. Soon after leaving Marblehead the crew mutinied, killed the captain and elected Quelch commander.

Here Quelch, the pirate of fiction, first enters the picture, for the flag which he hoisted was the "Old Roger," and in the middle of it was a skull only with an Hourglass in one hand and a dart in the heart with three drops of blood proceeding from it on the other."

Off the coast of Brazil they captured no less than nine Portuguese ships, from which they took a great amount of valuable booty. Then Quelch had the insolence to sail back to Marblehead, divide the plunder among the crew who landed, and quickly prepared to return to their homes. But word of their crimes had preceded them, and an exciting man hunt was soon on. Within a week Captain Quelch and his mates had been captured and sent to Boston.

In June, 1704, he was sentenced to death, and from an old pamphlet we read how the time was spent between his trial and execution. The ministers of the town used more than ordinary endeavors to instruct the prisoners and bring them to repentance. There were sermons preached in their hearing every day, and prayer daily made with them. And they were catechized and had many occasional exhortations. And nothing was left that could be done for their good."

On June 30 a strange procession wended its way through the streets of Boston town. At the head marched a man carrying a silver oar, the emblem of a pirate's execution. Behind him came a company of musketeers, and in the midst of these walked a little group of wretched downcast men—Captain Quelch's pirates. The captain, however, was an exception. With a great show of bravado he stepped to the edge of the platform after he had mounted the steps, and with his hat in hand and bowing to the left and right, he harangued the spectators and ironically warned them against "bringing money into New England to be hanged for it."

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JUNCTION, TEXAS

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MORE "JUICE" FOR IRRIGATION PROJECTS.

Irrigation by electric motor on Concho River Projects has a counter part in the use of the "juice" of the West Texas Utilities Company on the Llano, it is indicated in the report from headquarters.

Work is now under way by the construction department of the West Texas Utilities Company in the building of more than 20 miles of transmission line specifically for irrigation and farm and ranch service. One of these lines is 17 miles in length, running east of Menard to Hext on the route of the Menard-Mason high line. It will carry a 12,000 volt circuit and will serve a large number of farmers and irrigation projects along the valley of the San Saba River. Another extension runs from San Angelo west a distance of five miles for irrigation projects on the Concho, with more than 500 horsepower already arranged for to be handled this spring. This extension will carry a 4,000 volt circuit. Other extensions are being planned in the Llano valley for irrigation service.—San Angelo Standard.

BOX SUPPER

The public is invited to a box supper at the San Jose (Murr Community) school house on Saturday night, April 3rd. 11p

JOSH HERRING DIES AT COMSTOCK SUNDAY.

J. T. Herring, for some twenty-five years a resident of this county, died at Comstock Sunday and was buried here Monday afternoon, Rev. J. A. Dekle conducting the services.

Deceased was born at Bluffdale in Erath County, February 20, 1866, and came here when a young man, and about a year ago moved to Comstock with three of his sons.

He is survived by his father and mother who live near Morgan Mill in Erath County, his wife, four sons, Deb, Jim, Mark and Tom, all of whom live at Comstock, except Jim, who lives here, and five daughters, Miss Lucile of Kerrville, and Mesdames Ina and Nina Glossbrenner, and Rebecca Wood of Junction and Pearl Howard of Kerrville.

All of the children were here Monday for the funeral.

Death came very suddenly, the result of a severe case of asthma.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY

On Tuesday of this week from 3 to 5:30, little Miss Lorena Henderson entertained with a birthday party, it being her eighth birthday.

She had as her guests 22 of her little friends and playmates. All kinds of games were played, then refreshments of cake, animal cookies and lemonade were served.

In the cutting of the lovely birthday cake, Carlton Massie received the thimble; Letha Faye Taff, the dime and Damon Liverman, the button.

Lorena received several nice and useful gifts.

All departed at 5:30, wishing Lorena many more happy birthdays.

An excellent assortment of fresh fruits and vegetables for Sunday's dinner.

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BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES.

"Three Classes at the Cross," morning theme at 11 o'clock. "The Judgment Day," evening theme.

We had 103 last Sunday in Sunday School.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Preaching at Roosevelt 3 p. m.

Baptising at 5 p. m. at Junction

Which is Your Number?

Here are several kinds of church goes; to which number do you belong?

No. 1. Attend when you feel like it; very few times feel like it.

No. 2. Attend on special days, especially when a so-called big preacher is there.

No. 3. Attend if up with your sleeping, laziness, or nothing to read, or worn out with static, or batteries are dead.

No. 4. Attend if there is no picnic to attend, where there's plenty to eat and plenty of fun.

No. 5. Attend one service only; could not take on any more in my system.

No. 6. Attend each and every service during the big summer meeting and then wait a whole year, and then do it again—maybe.

No. 7. Attend each and every service and get good from them and feel like and know that I have missed something if I were not there.

Pray for God to lead the minister.

Pray for God's word to be proclaimed. Give myself unreservedly to God and His cause, and help support the work in my praying, voicing, thinking, going and giving, beginning here at Junction, and to the uttermost parts of the world.

Let us not neglect the assembling of yourselves together; let us therefore come boldly unto the Throne of Grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need. The Pastor.

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EPISCOPAL SERVICES

There will be services at the Episcopal church Sunday, March 28th, at 11 o'clock. Rev. Frederick W. Jones is back after a four months' absence spent in Mississippi and New York, and will conduct the services.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE

The Methodist Conference of the San Angelo District will meet at Paint Rock on March 29th to 31st.

In this District there are about 100 churches and some 20 pastoral charges. All pastors, and all other Methodist preachers in the District are expected to attend this conference, as well as delegates from all churches, each church having one delegate for each 35 members.

Rev. Davis and several local Methodists expect to attend.

FARMERS' NOTICE!

If you want some good Casch cotton seed for planting, see me at once.

J. J. McWright, 48-2tc at Tourist Park, near South Llano bridge.

Not Afraid



Mrs. B. M. Halbert of Sonora and San Angelo, who gained considerable notoriety some weeks ago on account of an attempt to go by airplane from Fort Worth to some town in Indiana, where her granddaughter was seriously ill. Her daughter is Mrs. Loyd Bloodworth, whose husband and husband's father are known in many towns in Texas, as Methodist Revivalists. The Halberts have lived in Sutton County for many years and Mr. Halbert is prominent in the sheep and goat industry, and has become widely known for his efforts to popularize chevon.

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