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INCORPORATION GETS C. OF C. ENDORSEMENT.

Despite the threatening weather conditions the Kimble County Chamber of Commerce held its regular meeting Saturday night at Schriener Park with some 50 or 60 attending.

Supper was served promptly at 8 p. m., followed by a short band concert which was enjoyed not only by the Chamber of Commerce members but by a number of visitors as well.

The meeting was called to order by president Baker. Judge Baker informed the meeting that the relief work that had been assumed at Rocksprings had been completed, and paid for, leaving a balance in that fund of \$639.09.

Motion was made and carried that the balance be returned to the Kimble County treasury.

The meeting was informed of the appointment of Judge Farmer to gather data to be presented to the R. E. Commissioners.

Judge Randolph gave a detailed report of the meeting held at Abilene by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Thursday of last week. This meeting was held in protest of the granting of a franchise to the Power Syndicate of Dallas giving them all the water rights on the Colorado River and its tributary streams. What happened at this meeting will be found elsewhere in this paper. The Judge was sent as a representative by the County Commissioners Court. His report was interesting and well delivered.

Indorse Incorporation
The president then placed before the meeting the question as to whether or not the petition which had been prepared and signed by some 125 voters requesting an election to be held for the purpose of incorporating Junction should be presented to the County Judge for action.

A motion was made and seconded that the petition be presented. After some discussion the motion carried with only one dissenting vote.

The band played one more number and the meeting adjourned.

SCAFFOLD FALLS; WORKMAN HURT

Saturday several workmen had a close call when the scaffold on which they were standing gave way, crashing to the ground. All but one escaped injury; Mr. M. D. Jones received a broken and crushed arm.

The contractor, Mr. Newby, stated that the accident was caused by the workmen failing to properly brace their scaffold.

AT THE LOCAL HOSPITAL

Miss Verlan Skaggs was operated on for tonsillotomy.

Mrs. L. E. Standifer was operated on for tonsillotomy.

Mrs. E. O. Lowgren underwent a major operation.

The hospital opened June 4, 1927, and has had to date 18 hospital patients.

SPENDS VACATION IN JUNCTION

When asked why he chose Junction as a place to spend his vacation, a prominent attorney of Houston said, "I came to Junction to spend my vacation in order to meet my neighbors." When asked for an explanation, he stated that he had heard more real Houstonians at Hardeman's camp than he could ever expect to meet at home.

We would not be surprised if Houston should make an effort to annex Junction before next summer.

A TRIBUTE TO JUNCTION

"If you have visited Junction you recall the charm and beauty of the little city. Its business houses are modern and progressive. Its public buildings are surrounded with beautiful lawns of green grass, blooming flowers and attractive foliage. The large trees, near by, whisper of the goodness of God, and wave their branches in praise to Him, all day long. The city nestles in a curve of the beautiful Llano River, whose sparkling waters constantly sing a message of life and beauty. Surrounding it all are the eternal hills, 'rock ribbed and ancient as the sun.'"

"But the most beautiful thing about Junction is not its modern business houses and homes; not the green grass and flowers and foliage; not the great trees that uplift their branches in praise; not the singing river or the calm hills. The most beautiful thing about Junction is the spirit of her people. Their sympathy is gracious and sincere. Their hearts are the golden hearts of friendliness. Their hands are the open hands of helpfulness. Sorrow and sudden death came upon our friends and Junction opened their doors and hearts to them. Our friends were in trouble and Junction helped to ease their burden. They were hungry and Junction fed them. They were homeless and Junction housed them. They were strangers and Junction cared for them, and in that Junction was doing the will of God. The people there have caused me to realize anew that God lives in the hearts and lives of people."

"The people of Baird feel a sense of deep appreciation to the people of Junction, the beautiful and friendly city, and I want us to find some means of expressing our appreciation."

"It is our prayer that from the hands of God blessings rich and rare shall be scattered upon them, as the farmer scatters the seed upon his fields."—Baird Star

The above tribute was paid to Junction by the Rev. Cal. C. Wright of Baird, Texas, at the funeral of Mrs. Irving H. Mitchell of that city.

Mrs. Mitchell died while bathing in the South Llano River above Junction. The body was taken to Baird.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church of that city at 4 o'clock Tuesday evening, conducted by Rev. Cal. C. Wright, the pastor. The body lay in state in the church from the funeral hour until 1 o'clock at night when it was carried to Center, Texas, the home of the deceased parents, for interment, accompanied by the heart broken husband and Gus Hall, Brown Jones and Ashby White. Interment was made at that place at 3 o'clock Thursday morning.

The funeral was attended by a large concourse of sorrowing friends of the deceased and her husband. Mrs. Mitchell was a devoted Christian woman, a member of the Methodist church since childhood. She was highly accomplished, capable and always ready and willing to devote her time and talent to help others. She was president of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church; Superintendent of the Junior Department of the Sunday School, also president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion. She was always looking to the welfare and happiness of those about her. She was especially kind to the poor and needy—a lovable and loving Christian woman, and her tragic death has cast a gloom over the entire town. The floral offering at the funeral were many and beautiful, a fitting testimonial of the love her friends had for her.

FIRE DESTROYS AUTO HOUSE OF TOURISTS.

Fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed an auto house in which Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lucas of Houston have been spending their vacation. The auto was parked above 700 Springs. Sunday evening after supper Mr. and Mrs. Lucas walked over to visit with Mr. Bartley. When they returned to their camp they found all that remained of their auto house was a pile of charred ruins. All their clothing and some jewelry as well as the entire camping outfit were a total loss, which amounted to approximately \$3,500.

Mr. Lucas is in the auto accessory business and had spared no expense in fixing up his house on wheels. Before leaving Junction Wednesday he said that they will be back in a few weeks to complete their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucas wish to take this opportunity to thank the people of Junction and Telegraph, especially Mr. and Mrs. Bartley and Mr. and Mrs. Deats, for their kindness and many courtesies shown them.

JUNCTION SCENE OF SHOOTING AFFRAY

Last Saturday night a Mexican dance broke up when one Mexican proceeded to demonstrate his marksmanship. The result is that one hombre has a shattered right arm and slight scalp wounds, while the other is cooling his heels in the county jail, against whom have been filed charges of assault to murder.

From what we can gather a dance was given at the home of a brother and brother-in-law of Leo Aguirre and Domingo Aliniz. Aliniz was dancing with a younger sister of Leo, when some remark was made about the size of a gun Aliniz was carrying, to which Aliniz took exception, so he proceeded to demonstrate his marksmanship, with the results as above stated.

Probably only Leo's dodging and running ability saved his life.

HOUSTON VISITOR BREAKS AN ARM

Tuesday while exploring at 700 Springs Mrs. C. Johnson, wife of the manager of Houston Lumber Co., lost her footing and fell from a rock, breaking and crushing her right arm.

Dr. Luehrs dressed and set the injured member.

Mrs. Johnson is a guest at Hardeman's camp.

DALLAS JUDGE VISITS JUNCTION

Judge F. H. Alexandria and wife of Dallas spent a few hours in Junction Tuesday of this week.

The Judge and Mrs. Alexandria are spending their vacation hunting for the beauty spots of Texas, and naturally they found their way to Junction.

FIRE DESTROYS BARN AND CONTENTS

Saturday night a large barn belonging to Sam Parker went up in smoke.

The barn contained 800 bales of hay, a tractor valued at \$1,500, a new seeder valued at \$200, other implements and harness, all a total loss. Mr. Parker is on the old Red Hale ranch.

Dr. and Mrs. Alfred C. McDaniel of San Antonio have returned home after spending several days fishing on the Llano. They were the guests of the Fritz Hotel during their stay here.

THE SPIRIT OF PROGRESSIVENESS

Several months ago the question of incorporating Junction was brought before the Chamber of Commerce. Its merits and demerits were freely discussed by the members present. Since then it has been the topic of discussion. When three or more citizens meet on the street or in a store it isn't long until the question of incorporation will arise.

About two months ago the Chamber of Commerce instructed its secretary to have a petition prepared and circulated among the property owners, asking that an election be held to determine the wishes of the people in the matter. Some opposition has been met; many questions have been asked and answered by the members of our Chamber of Commerce.

This paper has carried article after article in an attempt to show the citizens the advisability of incorporating. In our effort to correctly inform our readers we have used only fact and figures gathered from other towns of like size all over Texas. We have passed them on to you in order that you might intelligently cast your vote either for or against incorporation when the time comes. We are this week carrying a tabulated article showing the water and insurance rates being charged in many towns of like size in Texas. Every voter should study this article carefully.

We have been asked by some why we are so interested in this matter. Others want to know what we expect to gain if the town is incorporated.

We are interested because we believe it is for the interests of very man, woman and child in this county. That this town have some kind of government whose duty it will be to see that the sanitary conditions of our town be improved in order to safeguard the health of our citizenry. To compel the property owners to take every precaution that his back yard is not a cesspool of diseases, subjecting his neighbor and his neighbor's family to the ravages of disease and sickness. If for no other reason than these, we are for incorporation.

Some may say this condition does not exist in Junction. If you have a doubt in your mind as to the truth of this statement make an investigation of your own.

Some say that we will have to pay taxes if we incorporate. Ask yourself this question—Which is the cheapest, taxes or doctor bills? We advertise to the world what a wonderful climate we have; what a fine place Junction is to spend a vacation in, yet we make no effort to safeguard the health of these people we invite here as our guests. Who is responsible for this unsanitary condition? We are—you and I—and every other property owner in and around Junction.

What are YOU going to do about it?

Now, Mr. Property Owner, let's forget about the humane side of this question for a minute and put it strictly on a business basis. How many of you are adverse to enhancing the value of your holdings? What would be the increase in value on your property if you had a sanitary sewer system in this town? Who will carry the big end of the load? Not the small home owner, but the business men. On them will fall the burden of taxes. Are they objecting to this move? Ask them about it. Take a little time and visit with the larger merchants or your banker and get their version on this matter. You will find that 90 per cent

TWO SCHOOLS MERGE; ERECT GOOD BUILDING.

The consolidation recently of the Reese and Gentry school districts has resulted in a contract for the construction of a modern school building, and work is already under way on this project. The people of these two communities are to be commended for this move toward the strengthening of their school facilities, and especially for the provision of a concrete building for the housing of the students.

The school is located at the intersection of the Junction-London road and what is commonly known as the old Sargent Lane on the plateau of a range of low hills that is drained and ideal in every respect for the location of a school building. Due to a recent agreement of all land owners along the route, a 40-foot roadway will be opened from the school house through the Sam McCaleb ranch to the concrete slab on the main Llano and down thru the Grobe community to the school house in district No. 16.

It occurs to us that the mail route from London to Yates could be eliminated and the Mason route be made to go by way of the Grobe community in the morning, via Yates to London and return in the afternoon over the present route, thus serving all the residents along both routes every day, with a daily mail service and would be a saving to the government in the cost of maintaining the present line from London to Yates. There is no good reason why a little store and filling station would not serve the community well, at the location of the new school house, as it is about equi-distant between London and Junction and on highway 10, which will ultimately be one of the major highways of the State, and is now being maintained by the State Highway Commission.

The new community house in London has been provided with a concrete floor arranged so that people sitting in the back of the house will be able to see over the heads of those in front of them toward the stage.

This new and permanent addition to the community hall has added much to its comfort and usefulness and it is to be hoped in the near future that ways and means will be provided to ceil the building and paint it inside and out.

The grounds around this community hall could be improved by levelling and the addition of 2 or 3 inches of good soil to be planted burmuda and flowers in the summer and kept by the people of the community.

It occurs to us that this could be accomplished by the citizenship of the people of London, the Kimble County Chamber of Commerce and the Commissioners' Court of the county working toward this end.

COMMISSIONERS' MEETING

The Commissioners' Court of Kimble County met in called session Saturday, August 20, to create a new roadway of the 3rd class.

The new road leaves the Junction-London highway about nine miles from Junction, running in a south-easterly direction, crossing the Llano River to the Grobe and Ivy community, then north to Yates.

of the property owners in the proposed incorporated limits of Junction whose holdings exceed \$10,000 are for incorporation. When you have done this you will be able to go to the polls and vote—for the best interest of Junction.

MUNICIPAL WATER WORKS ARE GOOD INVESTMENT

That city owned and city operated water works are a fine investment is proven in many instances throughout Texas.

Not only do properly built water works produce a revenue above operating expense, but they save their owners, the taxpayers of the city as much in the reduced price of insurance as would pay the interest on bonds to build the entire plant.

A good water works system

will often save property from fire loss greater than the cost of the water works.

It has been asserted by engineers and others that most water works plants make actual money profits greater than the amount needed yearly to pay off a bond issue with which to pay for such system.

The following table seems to confirm this statement.

Statement showing profit from operating water works systems in Texas towns:

Town	Pop.	No. Cust.	Rate—Minimum	Net Earnings	Fire Hyds.	Key Rate
Caldwell	1,689	400	\$1.50 for 2000 gal. 37½¢ per M for 20000 25¢ all over	\$3,000	38	.71
Anson	1,425	430	\$1.50 for 2000 gal. 25¢ per M all over	\$5,000 to \$6,000	.55	
Cooper	2,563	420	\$1.50 for 2000 gal. 50¢ next 2 M; 40¢ next M 35¢ all over	\$8,000	35	.61
Hearne	2,741	500	\$1.00 for 2000 gal. next 2 M 45¢; next 2 M 35¢; next 2 M 25¢; all over 15¢	\$3,500	80	.56
Crowell	1,175	250	\$1.50 for 3000 gal. next 3 M 30¢; all over 20¢	\$3,000	30	.53
Crockett	3,061	550	\$1.50 for 3000 gal. 18¢ all over	\$5,000 to \$6,000	56	.53
Mineola	2,299	416	\$1.00 for 4000 gal. sliding scale to 20¢	\$2,862	30	.50
Wharton	2,346	450	\$1.50 for 2000 gal. 25¢ next 2 M; 15¢ all over	\$9,000	40	.74
Kaufman	2,500	675	\$1.00 minimum for 2000 gal. 25¢ next 3 M; 15¢ over	\$12,000	50	.56
Nocona	1,422	600	\$1.10 for 2000 gal.	\$5,000	27	.49
Haskell	1,800	346	\$1.50 for 3 M gal. min. 25¢ for 1000 gal. all over	\$4,000	50	.48
Waelder	894	250	\$2.00 for 3000 gal. 25¢ all over. Plant not year old		30	.66
Runge	1,070	200	\$2.00 for 4000 gal. min. operated with light plant	Don't know	19	.48
Alvarado	1,284	375	\$1.25 for 2,500 gal.	\$1,800	21	.64
Rosebud	1,516	475	\$1.25 for 1500 gal.	\$5,000		.60
Whitewr'	1,666	460	Sliding scale; 60¢ to 36¢ per 1000 gal.	\$2,000	32	.38
Gilmer	2,268		\$1.65 min. sliding scale as low as 15¢	\$3,000		.43
Wylie	945	250	\$1.25 min. New plant	\$1,500	35	.70
Whitney	1,011	280	\$1.00 for 2000 gal.	\$4,000	18	.70

LAW RELATIVE TO DUMPING GROUNDS

Section 1. That no municipal corporation, private corporation, partnership, joint stock association, syndicate, voluntary association or person shall use or maintain any dumping ground or dump any trash, refuse, debris or dead animals or permit the same to remain within or nearer than three hundred yards of any public highway of the State of Texas; that no person, firm or corporation, as above named, shall dump or deposit any rubbish, trash, refuse, debris or dead animals within or nearer than three hundred yards of any public highway whether said land belongs to such person, firm or corporation or not; provided, however, that the provisions of this Act shall not affect farmers in the handling of anything necessary in the growing, handling and care of live stock, or the erection, operation and maintenance of any and all such improvements that may be necessary in the handling, thrashing and preparation of any and all agricultural products.

Section 2. Any violation of this Act by any person, firm or private corporation shall subject the offender to a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than two hundred dollars, and each day of any such violation shall be a separate offense. In event of any threatened or probable violation of this Act by any public corporation, municipality, city, town or village an

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West Texas Utilities Company

FIGHT IS ON FOR WATER RIGHTS

Abilene, Texas.—Four hundred West Texans rose to their feet and joined in the State song, "The Eyes of Texas are Upon You," lead by Dean T. U. Taylor of the engineering department of the University of Texas at the conclusion of his plea for safeguarding the water rights for the farmers and stockmen of West Texas. Dean Taylor told his hearers to fight for their rights "till Gabriel blows his horn."

The prior rights of water for irrigation and domestic uses in Texas had always received due consideration by Texas courts in the past, Dean Taylor said, and the only thing which could have precedence would be navigation which is not dreamed of.

"The water of the streams of Texas is yours—you are the people for which the State has held these waters in trust," exclaimed the dean amidst applause. "These waters originate on the upper courses of Texas streams and you have prior rights. What would happen if the headwaters of our streams happened to be in New Mexico, for instance? That State would assert its prior rights to these waters for the benefit of all the people."

Saying that no one had yet been able to tell him what constituted the nonriparian water of a stream, the dean said that in his judgment it was the excess waters which flowed down a stream over and above the usual normal stream flow. Dean Taylor warned that if power companies are permitted to obtain exclusive rights to Texas streams, it would spell calamity and West Texas stockmen and farmers would have nothing left to brag about except climate and air.

It would mean a stop to the legitimate development of West Texas, not only its agriculture but its cities, as well. Dean Taylor quoted from the Supreme Court of Texas decision in the case of Nottle vs. Ioid in which Judge Cureton held that the nonriparian waters are held in trust by the State to be controlled and disposed of for the best interests of all the people of the State. He further said that beginning with the old Spanish grants Texas water rights always went with the land and belonged to the owners of the land who lived along the streams, except where streams were considered navigable. Riparian rights can not be transferred, he said. The paramount issue, said Dean Taylor, in this case is as to whether the waters of all Texas streams eventually will be used for domestic or for commercial purposes.

He said the present issue is the most significant in the history of Texas as it would mean stagnation for those areas now so dependent upon stream water if they were to be deprived of their legitimate rights on their farms.

Members of a permanent committee of twenty-five representative Texans to gather and disseminate information of water conservation in Texas will be appointed shortly in accordance with a resolution adopted at the water rights mass meeting here Thursday, Homer Wade, manager of the West Texas Chamber

of Commerce, said Friday before leaving for his home at Stamford.

Appointments will be made by a representative of the Texas Conservation Association, and W. Haynie, Abilene, president of the West Texas Chambers of Commerce, from a list of members of those organizations in all probability, Wade said.

Although the resolution termed the committee "permanent" it probably will serve only until some action is gained from the State Board of Water Engineers or the next Legislature with reference to resolutions of the mass meeting. These resolutions asked, principally, that the State Board of Water Engineers reopen the hearing at which grants to water rights along the Colorado River were made to the Syndicate Power Company, Dallas, that the grants be declared null and void, and that, if grants are not nullified, the Governor of Texas call a special session of the Legislature to amend water conservation laws.

Other than appointing the "permanent" committee, and mailing copies of the resolutions to Gov. Dan Moody and members of the State Board of Water Engineers, the latter of whom were at the meeting, action of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be one of "watchful waiting" for the present, officials of the organization said.

Chairman John A. Norris of the Board of Water Engineers declared that any request for a reopening of the hearing on the Syndicate Power Company permits case would be referred to the Attorney General's Department for opinion as to legality of the move. Several speakers at the meeting and more than one lawyer, state officials, that in their opinion the power company secured its rights to water from the Colorado River in a legal manner, and that the whole matter would have to be threshed out in the courts.

Following the meeting at which he made a short statement, Dempster McMurphy, Chicago, representing the Middle West Utilities Company or "Insull interests" reiterated that his company, which has a contract with the Syndicate Power Company, would not be disposed to press development of hydroelectric power along the Colorado River if this was shown to be injurious to the interests of the State.

"We undertook to develop these power rights, under certain conditions, believing that such development would be approved by the people of the State," McMurphy said. "We believe that laws permitting the development were for the State's best interests."

He said the Insull interests have many millions of dollars invested in Texas, and that, having faith in the development of the State, they expected to increase their properties. He declared, however, that the Insull Company had no interest whatever in the Syndicate Power Company, but had merely contracted with that company to make hydroelectric developments along the Colorado.

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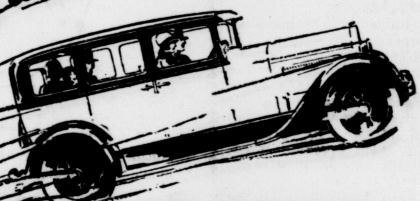
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THE AUTOMOBILE TOURIST

Theoretically people start out on automobile tours to see the country. It is supposed they want to see how the folks live in near by and distant states, and how these communities are progressing. But practically the principal thing that interests a lot of them, is the speed with which they can make certain distances.

If you hear them talking on the hotel porch after supper, they are not probably discussing the history and conditions of the cities they have passed through. More likely they are comparing the speed of their runs, the distance covered, the way their automobiles took the hills, and the condition of the roads.

And after they get home, they can not tell much about what they have seen. But anyway they can say they have been to this or that famous town, with mighty little idea what it is noted for. These people do not seem to have obtained the real benefits of travel, but anyway they get as much intelligence therefrom as they are capable of receiving.

COMBAT THE FLY

Many species of flies are very harmful and destructive to West Texas and other portions of this state. The house fly, which is sometimes called the typhoid fly, is the chief agent in spreading typhoid fever. It breeds in manure about the barn and other places of filth. By removing the manure and keeping the lots clean one may hope to reduce the number greatly, perhaps completely.

The stable fly and horse fly are spreaders of anthrax. It is hard to control the horse fly because of its life history, but the stable fly is more easily controlled. It breeds in old straw stacks on the damp and decayed straw. By properly removing such breeding places the number may be greatly reduced.

The flesh flies include all the species which, in the larva stage, feed on living and dead flesh. These flies are a constant worry and menace to the stockman. They keep him busy doctoring and looking after his stock through the entire worm season. By intensive co-operative effort the flesh fly can be eradicated just as the Texas fever tick was exterminated in West Texas just a few years ago.

The flesh fly may be eradicated by two methods. First, if all the dead bodies of all animals are immediately destroyed and all wounds on living animals are properly protected from all flesh flies including the wet wool fly then we can hope to rid ourselves of these pests. This, however, seems almost impossible. The second method of eradication is by placing properly constructed fly traps near the home and a number of traps in the pasture. If the traps are properly spaced, baited and looked after it seems reasonable to believe that the flesh fly can be exterminated.

A combination of the two methods should be employed. By starting in the fall of the year will reduce the number of flies to pass the winter, then the task of getting the few survivors in the spring will be much easier. If the people of Kimble County will make a united start, the nearby counties will follow. "To get a thing well done, do it yourself." Now let's do it ourselves—it pays.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rich and family of McAllen are spending a few days at McWright's camp.

Don't throw it away. Have it fixed at

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FOR SALE

Ten 2-year-old registered Angora bucks bred by B. M. Halbert, Sonora. These bucks are well grown, sturdy and in prime condition. We are offering them at a real bargain for quick sale at \$20 each. They are in charge of J. L. Hodges, Jr., for show and sale at his barn in Junction where it is convenient to drop around and see them. Get in touch with this boy and trade with him.

18-4fc Paterson & Rieck.

I will be at the opening of Schreiner High School, to begin my music class for the ensuing year. Those interested please see me on or before that day.

18-2tp85 Mrs. Irene Chase Brown.

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Mr. Forest Welden was a San Antonio visitor last week.

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Miss Kaleta Taylor is visiting in Del Rio for several weeks.

Mr. Howard Blackburn is home after visiting at Palestine.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hubbell returned Monday from Austin.

Roy Hoggett of Sonora spent Saturday and Sunday in Junction.

Judge Boyd and wife of Houston are stopping at McWright's camp.

Mrs. A. L. Bartley is spending a week with her daughter at Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McCarthy spent several days of last week in Sonora.

Mrs. W. J. Barry from Houston is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Sutton.

Judge Coke R. Stevenson is attending court in Fredericksburg this week.

Miss Audrey Blackburn has accepted a position with the Junction Variety Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Muir of Corpus Christi are at the McWright camp this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs and little son of San Antonio are visitors at the Fritz Hotel this week.

Mrs. Walter Parker of Harper spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Maggie Jones.

Mrs. Carl Wolf returned home Wednesday after a visit with relatives in San Antonio.

Mrs. Coke R. Stevenson and son, Junior, spent several days of last week in San Antonio.

Dr. Bass and family of Houston came in Sunday to spend a vacation at McWright's camp.

FOR SALE—Congoisum rug 9x12. Almost new. Mrs. Emma Turner.

Mrs. Willie Bagland has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Watson, on the Watson Divide.

Judge W. M. Jeter of Houston, attorney for the First Texas Joint Stock and Land Bank of that city, is spending his vacation at Hardeman's camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson and family have returned to Houston after several weeks of camping here on the South Llano.

Mrs. Vera James Stevens returned home last week from Dallas where she bought a beautiful supply of ready-to-wear for the "Model Shop."

Dr. J. Holt Smith returned Wednesday from Houston and other South Texas cities. Dr. Smith says he is thoroughly convinced that Junction is the best place in Texas to live in. Of course we agree with him.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Z. Roost request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Miss Rulethe, to Mr. I. Am. Taken, Jr. High School Auditorium, Friday night, 8:30. Admission 10c and 5c.

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Mrs. Pierce Hoggett.

Mrs. Roy Williams and daughter, Lucille, and Miss Susie Beasley left Saturday for San Antonio and San Marcos where they will visit relatives several weeks before returning home.

Among those enjoying camp life this week are La Rue Newby, Lemuel Jones, Raymond James, Lawson Johnson, Bass Motley and Sessum Couey. They are located at "Flatrock."

Judge Roy F. Campbell, Judge of district court No. 81 of Houston, left for home Wednesday morning. The Judge was one of the many Houstonians to visit Junction this year.

Mrs. Guy Wynne and Mrs. Pearl Turner spent several days last week in Dallas buying stock for their new store, "The Vogue," which will open at an early date.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lee and daughter of Houston arrived Tuesday for a few days outing in the Hills Country. They are stopping at McWright's camp.

It's a crime the way some neglect to have their car greased or the oil changed. Be good to your car. Bring it to Powell's

Mrs. Will Taylor and Miss Lura B. Taylor returned Wednesday from a short visit with Mrs. Taylor's daughter, Mrs. S. N. Williams in Del Rio.

Mr. Aubrey Moran and his sister, Mrs. J. A. Koffman, of Weatherford are here on business.

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Mr. Thomason, wife and daughter of Houston are stopping at McWright's camp.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Tinsley and Mrs. R. M. Stevenson of South Llano were Junction visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grubbs of the Grubbs Music Co. of Houston are spending their vacation at McWright's camp.

Mrs. Cora Tracy returned to her home in Abilene after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Earl D. Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hoggett have returned home after having spent several days in Sonora visiting relatives and friends.

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TEXAS AND TEXANS.

(By Will H. Mayes.)

John A. Todd, "Cotton Expert"

Prof. John A. Todd, an "English cotton expert," has recently been to Texas and was a guest of the "Business Research Department" of the University of Texas where he came to enlighten Texans about the cotton business. While in the State he associated with "researchers," cotton dealers, chambers of commerce and civic clubs. He was fed and flattered and allowed to talk. The main idea he seemed to want to put over was that the English cotton manufacturers are not pleased with the prices they pay for American cotton, but would prefer a fixed price at around 12 cents a pound, rather than the variable prices, often above and sometimes below that. While in Texas he seemed to like us fairly well, even if not pleased that English mills might have to pay 18 to 20 cents a pound for cotton when they would like to get it at 12 cents.

Talking About Us

Prof Todd is an ungrateful guest. He went from Texas up to New England among the cotton manufacturers of Massachusetts. Up there he is talking some more and saying ugly things about Texas farmers and their methods. He says that "laziness and the tenant system in Texas have caused a state of affairs too serious to be tolerated." He says "the economic conditions of the State are miserable and have resulted in soil exhaustion and diminished production." He is saying that Texas farmers are below efficiency, that their living conditions are enough to grind the life out of them, that they won't fertilize the soil, and a lot more along that line. He is charitable enough to say that the climate is more responsible for these "intolerable" conditions than the people.

Conditions Might Be Better

It is too bad that Texas standards are so displeasing to this English professor. Of course Texans have always felt that conditions might be improved. They are not of a kind to be entirely self-satisfied, as the professor seems to be. They are willing to admit that they have somewhat abused the soil and that they do not take the care of it that they should, but if Professor Todd would look around New England he might find some depleted farms there. Perhaps there are some in Europe, too. Economic conditions may not be ideal here, but with our 5,000,000 bale cotton crop almost in sight and a good prospect of \$500,000,000 for it, conditions are not so bad, not so very bad. Instead of selling it to England and New England mills, we admit that we should be manufacturing it ourselves and getting 100 times more for it than we do. That would better economic conditions considerably. We are producing more food than we can consume and leading all other states except New York in exports. Our banks are full of money, much of which is being loaned out of the State. Some of it drifts to England.

Climate and Laziness

What would Professor Todd have us do about the climate? There is an idea among the people that the fogs of England and the cold blasts of Massachusetts do not afford "tolerable conditions" for cotton growing, even if we could bring them to Texas. Somehow this climate, with all its objections to a professor from England, seems adapted to cotton. We may grow a bit lazy at times in Texas and have a dial for the cotton under the mid-day heat of summer, but we manage to produce crops enough to help feed and clothe the British, and the latest cotton field laborer will do more real work, except in a day than Prof. Todd does in a whole year. We confess we do not use a great amount of imported fertilizers, but if Texas farmers do not value their soil so highly, they can make fortunes loading it into cars and selling it for fertilizing lands up where Prof. Todd has been making his talks about the "impoverished farms" of Texas. Plainly stated, Professor Todd should quit lying about Texas and Texans.

Progress in Road Building

Rapid progress is being made on the Canada to Gulf highway through Texas. This road starts near Winnipeg on the Canadian border and comes with an almost southerly route to Denison. Ninety-five per cent of the road to Texas has been completed. At the present time only about 40 miles of the Texas road remains uncared for by bond issues. The road extends through Grayson, Collin, Dallas, Ellis, Navarro, Freestone, Leon, Madison, Walker, Montgomery, Harris and Galveston counties, a straight line through from Denison to Galveston.

Seven Cars Peppers

Seven solid carloads of peppers have been shipped from Troup this season. While Troup farmers have been growing peppers for several seasons, this is the first year that extensive shipments have been made. The profits from pepper growing are said to be about the same as for tomatoes.

Bastrop County Turkeys

Bastrop county is turning its attention more to turkey growing this year, the inducements being the high prices of last season and the fact that young turkeys thrive in the county. Grass and weed seeds are abundant and the young turkeys are in splendid condition.

Brenham Shipping Butter

Brenham has shipped its first carload of butter to Chicago. The Brenham creamery has stimulated dairying in that section and the farmers are so pleased with the returns from their cows that the dairy herds are being increased rapidly. Texas is turning more and more attention to dairying, and everywhere it is proving profitable.

Snyder Gets Big Water Well

Snyder is one West Texas town that is not going to be dependent on the generosity of power syndicates for drinking water. The town has brought in a water well that spouts 1,000 gallons of water a minute, pure, tasteful water. The water rate has been cut in half and a still further reduction is expected.

Rusk County Court House

East Texas counties have not been as disposed as those of West Texas to tear down their old court houses and build new ones, but progress and increasing demand for room is gradually causing new court buildings to displace the "landmarks" of early days. San Augustine let a contract some time ago, and now Henderson is to have a new court house. The new buildings will not call for a bond issue but will be paid for thru deficiency warrants.

PLEASING THE EYE

There are many communities which are very substantial places which are on the whole making good, yet that never seem to think of the necessity of pleasing the eye of visitors and strangers and newcomers.

The reputation of a town is created by the impression it makes on the eyes of strangers. They know nothing of the good feeling that exists under the surface in these towns, but if a city or a neighborhood looks seedy and poorly kept up, the idea is conveyed that that place is on the down grade. But by the use of housepaint and the lawn mower and the garden tools, by cleaning up the streets and parks, the eye of the visitor is so pleased and attracted that he leaves the town with the feeling that that place is advancing and ambitious, and would be a good location for a home.

You can recognize the typical American anywhere. He is asking somebody for a match.

Most of the big jobs are held by men who couldn't even name three naughty magazines.

NEW TRAIN SCHEDULE FOR PRISCO RAILROAD

The officials of the Prisco railroad have announced a new train schedule that will provide sleeper coach service from Fort Worth to Menard after August 15th. This will add convenience to their service inasmuch as the sleeper has been stopping at Brownwood, necessitating a change to chair cars at that place for all persons enroute to Menard. For the benefit of our people we are herewith announcing the new schedule.

TRAIN No. 5	
Arrive	
Brownwood at	6:10 a. m.
Brady at	9:00 a. m.
Menard at	10:55 a. m.
Leave	
Brownwood at	7:00 a. m.
Brady at	9:20 a. m.
TRAIN No. 6	
Arrive	
Brady at	7:05 p. m.
Brownwood at	10:00 p. m.
Fort Worth at	6:30 a. m.
Leave	
Menard at	11:45 p. m.

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QUALITIES ESSENTIAL TO CIVIC DEVELOPMENT

(By R. T. S., London Special Correspondent)

In this brief bit of composition, we shall attempt to outline some of the basic principles, which are in our judgment, important factors in the development of social and economic conditions, and we believe that they are applicable to any people, regardless of race, color or position of residence.

From the dawn of history in the valleys of the Nile and Euphrates Rivers in Egypt, we have authentic records, which tell us of the attainments of man. We also note from these same records that many obstacles have arisen at various instances, which have had their influence toward hindering development in many ways. But after all, obstacles are inductive to success, for there is an old adage which says: "For every bitter there is a sweet and that even the darkest of storm clouds are often gilded with silver linings." We believe that these are true principles and may be applied to many of the situations in the lives of men.

Most of the peoples of earth have always manifested a desire to improve their manner of living from time to time. One exception to this was the savage races, whose ambitions and ideals were very limited. However, this condition of the savage is explained by saying that they were very ignorant and unenlightened. From this conclusion, then, we are ready to make the statement that knowledge is one of the outstanding factors which man must have in order that he possess the proper kinds of ideals and ambitions, and that he may be more properly equipped to master the obstacles which he is sure to encounter. Knowledge, out of which has developed reason, has done more than any other one thing to solve the problems of peoples, and this same property has caused the dove of peace to appear when nations were angry and were almost ready to wage war against each other. Reason has also done its part in many instances toward settling the heated differences that existed between man and man. Strife between nations and individuals, is, according to history, the result of an improper understanding between them, and since knowledge and reasoning are the things needed to produce a better understanding between them, we see at a glance the possibilities of these two forces. Let us give our people knowledge and better conditions are sure to follow.

Another offspring of knowledge is contentment. True and lasting contentment can only exist with a people who recognize a supreme ruler of this earth, and pay to this ruler a portion of reverence in a spirit of humbleness and meekness. If there are infidels among men, we disbelieve their statements, when they say their minds possess the same amount of ease as does the man who places his hopes on things eternal. The vanities of all mankind shall sink into insignificance when comes the time of judgment. To the infidel and to the skeptic we would say: Maybe you are sincere in your convictions, but

how little does the future mean to you!

We do not mean by contentment that people should sit down idly and not strive for any improvement in their lives. We maintain that they are duty-bound to ever be ready to assist in anything that will elevate their spiritual, social and economic atmosphere. The contentment we speak of should characterize itself in the form of reverence for a God, humbleness of spirit, simplicity in manner of living, and satisfied at having lived in a world of this type and contented to know that man is a very significant creature as compared with things divine, and that the anticipations of a future life in heaven gives a more perfect contentment than anything else.

I. W. Ellis, who for the past twelve years has been a resident of the London country, died at his home in the town of London Saturday, August 2nd, at 4 o'clock. Mr. Ellis was another of the old pioneers of Texas who helped to develop this section of the State and his passing will be a great loss to us.

B. F. Stewart of Barksdale passed through London one day this week enroute to Sweetwater, where he will teach in the public school. He was accompanied as far as London by his father, B. A. Stewart.

The revival meeting of the Church of Christ, conducted by Bro. Glen Wallace, was well attended and resulted in much good. The meeting was held at the site of the new proposed school building of Gentry and Reese school.

Some ten or twelve bales of cotton have been ginned at the London gin to date. Cotton is opening rapidly.

Judge Weaver Baker was in London Friday on business.

Simp Pearson and family left the last of the week for New Mexico. They will be away two weeks on a prospecting trip.

Mr. Jess Walker of the Little Saline community is making some delicious cane syrup.

VACANT LOTS

Most American cities have grown in an irregular way, due to the desire of real estate owners to hold their land for higher prices. It will happen in many places that there will be handsome developments in some neighborhoods, but that near these attractive homes there will be vacant lots held for higher prices, which are kept in poor condition. Such lots are apt to become overgrown with weeds and brush, and they are sometimes dumping grounds for rubbish.

Many cities have adopted ordinances governing the condition of such lots, and owners are required to keep the weeds trimmed down. If property owners are going thus to have their land lie idle, it should be kept in such good order as not to

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offend the neighborhood.

If such lots are visible from the public streets, they should be gone over regularly to remove any rubbish that collects, and people ought not to be allowed to dump refuse there.

It should pay the owner who is holding them for higher prices, to keep them in order. Purchasers may be repelled if they are unsightly. Such an appearance must exercise a depressing effect over a neighborhood, and people would be slow to build nice houses near some lot which was an eyesore.

Just as it is a constant effort to keep a home cleaned up, and the housewife has to be going over it forever with her cleaners, so it takes a similar campaign of cleanliness to keep a town in order. The vacant lots are places where disorder often gathers. The owners of these often live out of town, and anyway they may forget or be ignorant as to how they look, and they often dislike to go to the expense for them while they bring in no income. Those who keep them in nice order are entitled to public thanks, and their property stands the best chance of bringing a good price.

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WEEK-END CAMPING PARTY

A large crowd of young people spent an enjoyable week-end camping on the Hubbell ranch on South Llano this past week-end. The time was pleasantly spent in boating and various other diversions. The main event enjoyed by all was a huge chicken fry on Sunday. Those included in the party were: Misses Lura B. Taylor, Josephine Urban, Olive Chadwell, Nettie Wright, Ve Maddox, Fay Taylor, Flora Mae Spiller, Margaret Goodwin and Mesdames Mary Wheat and Dorothy Westmoreland. Messrs. Aubrey Hill, Fred Taylor, Jack Richardson, Cecil Craven, Alton Mason, Charlie Coombs, Lee Craven, Clifford Hamer, Doebay Taylor, Max Riley, Rudolph Tatum, Roy Hoggett, T. L. Baker, Walter Chadwell. Mr. and Mrs. Turk Kendrick chaperoned the party.

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Tuesday night the guests at McWhight's camp were entertained with music, furnished by Judge Boyd of Houston, Mr. Sod Durst and others of Junction.

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FARM LOAN

The Federal Land Banks had loans in force throughout the United States on July 31, amounting to \$1,135,070,927.79, with undivided profits of \$3,412,388.19. The figures show the enormous proportion of farm loans in the country. The totals perhaps represent only a small part of the grand total, most of which is held by banks and other corporations.

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NOXVILLE NOTES

(Too late for last week)

The hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Whitworth was the scene of a happy gathering Friday night. Dancing and refreshments were enjoyed until the wee small hours of the morning. Mrs. Whitworth, who is at all times a good hostess was at her best and the event was one long to be remembered.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Whetstone and Mrs. G. A. Purviance went to San Antonio Friday and spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughters, Misses Allyne and Alma.

Mrs. Blanche Armstrong was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Whitworth Tuesday. Seth Whetstone took Uncle Johnnie Lane to Mason Saturday where he will visit with his sons for a while.

A revival meeting is in progress at James River. The preaching is being done by Rev. Lewis Pearl of London. Dinner is served on the ground every day at five o'clock. Let everyone come and bring baskets and worship with us and do all in their power to make this a real revival.

Mrs. G. A. Purviance left yesterday for her home in Brownwood after having spent the last three weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. T. Whetstone.

Mr. Willie Collins and Miss Celesta Stapp surprised their many friends by going to Kerrville and getting married last Saturday. Miss Celesta was born and reared in Noxville, being the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stapp, Sr. She is a graduate of Schofield College at Kerrville, and her beauty, charm and culture make her a favorite with all whose privilege it is to know her. Her bright, happy disposition makes her the central figure of her home circle. Mr. Collins is a New York boy and a brother of our neighbor, Mrs. Dillard Stapp. During his five years sojourn among us he has won a warm place in our hearts by his jovial disposition and his many sterling qualities of character. We join the many friends of this young couple in wishing them health, wealth and happiness through their future life.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Whetstone, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whetstone and Mrs. Blanche Armstrong were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Cobb Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones were Junction visitors one day last week.

Our road work continues. With good roads, good range and stock in good condition there is no better ranch country in the world than eastern Kimble County.

CAFE TO OCCUPY NEW BUILDING

Bruce's Cafe, formerly the Tourist Cafe, will move into the new building being erected by Dr. Burt as soon as it is completed.

LONDON LOCALS

Miss Victoria Brewer and her sister, Mrs. C. M. Young, left the 18th for an extended tour and visit through West Texas and New Mexico. We all wish for them a real pleasant trip.

Little Miss Louise Price has returned home after several weeks visit in Mason. Glad to have you home again, baby.

Cotton is selling from 19c to 20 c. Fifteen bales ginned to this hour.

Mr. F. F. McDonald of Temple, a R. R. postal clerk for 32 years called on the writer Saturday, the 20th. Mr. McDonald informed us that his duties were out of Temple to Brownwood and San Angelo. He also served notice that he would visit this country again because he liked it so well. That is what always happens when they get a good drink of Llano River water: they want to come again. You are welcome, Mr. McDonald. Come when you will.

John S. Goodman, R. T. Amberson and L. M. Walton were among the old timers who were on the streets shaking hands last Saturday.

N. J. Johnson, the merchant from Erna, was in town Tuesday. Nath. is jovial and always ready for a laugh.

S. H. McCaleb from Yates was one of our visitors this week. Sam says we need rain, but everything is fine to the present.

Mr. Bert Brewer has about completed the concrete job for the community hall. We are glad to say the job is well done.

Mrs. R. L. McKinney will move to Brady about Sept. 10 for the purpose of sending the children to school.

The time is near when school will begin. Let's all make one united effort for a successful term. A board of teachers, a board of trustees, a united community is the only thing necessary to put over a successful term. I will vouch for the board of teachers if you will do your part; I will vouch for the board of trustees if you will stand behind them. We have possibly 30 days to think this over and start right. Let's all begin together.

Rooms and board. 11c.
Mrs. Agnes Jarvis.

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Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Weldon, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Bennett and daughter, Nellie, and Mrs. Natt Cowser and daughter, Lena, left last week for an overland trip through Mexico and Arizona. Mr. Weldon purchased a new 1928 Buick sedan in which he and Mrs. Weldon will make the trip. They will be away several weeks.

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