

THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

GOLDTHWAITE, MILLS COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, AUGUST 2, 1935.

NUMBER FORTY-NINE

FORTY-ONE

Aid Asked Lateral Roads

County court was in session Monday to transact business and matters given attention in application for federal aid in building some lateral roads in the county. The roads are the Ebony and the Ridge, the Democrat road and the Goldthwaite and Moline. The roads are important lateral roads and it is believed that they will be granted federal aid for improvement.

Wiggly Store Saturday

The Wiggly store to occupy the old Palmer building, across from the court house, will open for business Saturday morning. The store will be operated by the Wiggly family. The store is a well-known establishment in the community and its opening is a cause for celebration. The store will carry a full line of groceries and other household necessities. The Wiggly family has been in the store business for many years and their reputation for honesty and service is well known.

Pensions

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eral government and to provide
for the aged. The federal
act allows an aged
person to receive a pension
of \$7.50 a month, \$15 of it
by the federal gov-
ernment and \$7.50 by the
state. The provision
for matching of funds
for the aged and child
blind, crippled chil-
dren, major provisions
Twenty-eight states
will old age pension
likely commence
their contributions
federal government at
once.

Meats and Fruits

Friday night, Aug.
meeting at tabernacle.
W. Hoover, minister;
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cordially invited.
MEMBER

Methodist Notes

These are the days of the summer revivals. The interest that our people take in the revival means much to the communities where the revivals are conducted. It is a sad fact, but true, nevertheless, that most of the effort put forth for the salvation of souls is confined to these special efforts, limited to about ten days in the year. This being the case, it behooves Christian people to put forth every effort to accomplish all possible in that time.

We all know how the great common people, part of which we all claim to be, regard the church and its influence upon society. We are all ready to acknowledge that the church exercises a great influence for good in any community where it exists, but we are disposed to think that that part of human society which we regard sometimes as the "upper crust" does not seriously regard the church as of very great consequence. It is refreshing, therefore, to find out occasionally how the humble followers of the lowly Nazarene, are regarded by those who are thought of as the elect in the body social and political. For instance, some years ago, during the administration of Mr. Wilson, there was raised the question as to whether or not the half-fare permits which had been extended to clergymen should be continued. Mr. Wilson was interviewed and at once protested any change. He said in substance that he regarded the preachers and the work that they were doing as being of inestimable value and that, therefore, no change should be made.

Only a few days since, Mr. Deets Pickett of Washington City had an interview with the secretary of the treasury regarding the liquor problem that has got to be really one of the big problems that big men have to deal with. Mr. Pickett had never met Mr. Morgenthau, knew him only as a banker and an official in the government, and so rather expected a cool reception, especially since he wished to talk to him about the liquor problem. To his utter astonishment this statesman, with so many weighty problems before him received him most kindly. He told him among other things that fifty per cent of his time was spent in trying to suppress liquor lawlessness. Then he added: "If we are to continue to progress, we will have to call the churches in to back this program up. There will have to be a public conscience behind it and it is time for the pulpits of the land to sound a call to that conscience." In this statement there is a tribute to the church that you do not find among the ten cent bootleggers and servers of suds, many of whom we come in contact today. These are constantly deprecating the fact that the church is meddling with politics when as a matter of fact it is not meddling enough with these forces that are attempting to overthrow our civilization. For my own part I have never been able to react to the scorpion lash of the foes of our institution who have sought to "securitize the preachers back into the pulpit." Their interest is not the best for human society, but rather for the worst that is in booze, and its effect upon human society.

All this has been said for the one purpose, to urge upon our minds the necessity of both saint and sinner standing by everything the church stands for. I care not what others may think about it, as for me I would prefer to follow the cause for which such men as Dr. George W. Truett, Bishop Beaz, W. R. White, A. J. Weeks and such men stand, than to be led by all the greatest of their opponents. These men of God have nothing to fear. They have no apology to make for the principles they advocate. Neither should any of us, who follow in their train. Let every man who loves his country, his home and who has at heart the best interest of his people fall in line with just such leadership. Let us be found in some church next Sunday. J. S. BOWLES

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School Board Holds Meeting

The Goldthwaite school board held an important meeting Monday night, at which two additional busses were purchased for the school. One bus will serve South Bennett district, one Center City and Live Oak, one Lake Merritt, one Ridge and Evans.

Schedules for these busses will be arranged before the opening of school and drivers will be designated.

Billie Stephens was elected to a position as teacher in the school. The teachers have not yet been assigned to the various grades, but that matter will receive attention before the fall term of school begins.

South Bennett Home Coming

Last Sunday, July 28, Rev. Joe Benningfield closed a ten-days meeting at South Bennett, with eleven converts and a "home-coming." Rev. Joseph Davee and Allen Carter assisted in the preaching during the meeting.

The following program was rendered:

10:00-10:30—Song service.

10:30-11:00—Talk by Bro. Allen Carter.

11:00-11:30—Talk by Dee Horton.

11:30—Rev. Joseph Davee.

1:30-2:00—Song service.

2:30-3:00—Talk by J. W. Kelley.

3:30-3:45—Talk by A. O. Irwin.

3:45—Quartet by Mmes. Viola Chappell, A. O. Irwin and Messrs. Matt Casbeer and Willis Hill.

4:00—Talk by Mrs. Dorca I. Webb.

4:15-4:30—Talk by Roy Simpson.

4:30-4:45—Talk by Mrs. A. O. Irwin.

4:45-5:00—Song service.

The following visitors were with us during the day and enjoyed the noon hour:

Visitors from Goldthwaite: M. M. Stephens and family, Rev. J. W. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Bodkin, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Simpson, D. D. McBride, Mr. and Mrs. Mohler Simpson, Ira Hutchings and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Simpson and Robert Earl.

Live Oak: Roy Simpson and family, Mrs. R. G. Blackburn, Mrs. Cicero Warren, Mrs. R. E. Griffin, Ruth and Farrell Spencer Elder, Mordine Brown.

Lake Victor, John Beal; Waco, Miss Velma Calaway, Dee Horton; Comanche Kathryn Hall; Tucson, Ariz., Mrs. Dorcas Webb;

Center City: J. D. Walton and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Jones, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harbour, Mrs. Vona Fox and children, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Carter and daughter, Miss Myrtle Russell, Luther Russell, Mrs. Viola Chappell and son, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hill, Floyd Day, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Oglesby and family.

North Bennett: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Benningfield and family, O. G. Niel, George L. Horton, Mrs. Elton Horton.

Pleasant Grove: Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Irwin and family.

Nabors Creek: Mae Dell Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Crawford and family.

Star: Mr. and Mrs. Webb Hill, and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Hill and Russell Hill.

ONE PRESENT

A Serious Operation

Relatives and friends here of Hud Hamilton have been informed that he has undergone a very serious operation in the Methodist hospital in Houston and is recovering nicely. The operation was for the purpose of removing two large ulcers from his stomach and it was necessary to remove a part of one intestine and make a new outlet. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morris went to Houston to be with the family and Mr. Morris is still there, Mrs. Morris having returned home several days ago. The many friends of the family are hoping for the early and complete recovery of Mr. Hamilton.

Building Sidewalks

The sidewalks on Fisher street are being built and made to conform in grade with the highway, which passes over that street. It is understood the sidewalk will extend through the railroad underpass in the northern part of the city, the obvious purpose being to prevent the use of the paved highway and underpass by pedestrians. A considerable amount of the sidewalk has already been laid and a large force is employed on the work.

A New Low Record

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An Expensive Risk

Those who allow their livestock to stray or pasture on highways in this state are taking an expensive risk, for a penalty is likely to be exacted of them, regardless of their knowledge of the whereabouts of their stock.

The legislature of the state of Texas this year passed a law providing that any person owning or controlling any horse, mule, donkey, cow, bull, steer, hog, sheep, goat or any other livestock who permits the same to run at large unattended on that portion of any designated state highway in this state, which is inclosed by fences on both sides shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Each day such livestock are allowed or permitted to run at large is a separate offense. The punishment for each offense shall be a fine of any sum not more than two hundred dollars (\$200.00). The law further provides that state highway patrolmen as well as local sheriffs and other local officers shall have the power to enforce said law.

This law will become effective on August 10, 1935, and thereafter will be strictly enforced upon the complaint of any citizen of Texas.

The Blue Bonnet Club

July 23, the Blue Bonnet club of South Bennett community, met with Mrs. Willis Hill, with six members present and four visitors. Some quilting on a quilt, while others did embroidery work. After working several hours, delicious cake and lemonade were served. The club adjourned to meet next time with Mrs. Herman Cox, August 6, instead of with Mrs. Huffman, because Mrs. Huffman plans to be away on a visit.

Liberal Policy

Adopted by Council

The Goldthwaite city council has decided to pave the business streets leading from the public square and also to pave the west side of Front street parallel with the railroad. Other paving will be planned later and it is reasonably certain the greater part of the residence section of the city will be paved, the plan being for the city to pave the center and the property owners on either side to pay for the paving in front of their property, the city supervising the work. The cost to the property owners will be very little, under this arrangement.

Baptist Reminder

I insist that we be ready to start the revival Sunday. Don't wait to get started, you will get more out of the services if you are here all the time. Rev. A. R. Watson will supply at both services Sunday. Bro. Longino, our singer, will be here for both services Sunday. Give him an agreeable surprise by filling the choir Sunday morning.

The services Sunday morning and night will be held in the church. Monday morning we will hold our first service under the Church of Christ tabernacle. Bro. Dossey will be here Monday.

Some Important Local Events

Elmer Featherston and his wife and daughter are here from Dallas, visiting relatives.

Roger Smith and family of Comanche, spent the week end here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Thurman Bird, who has been quite sick for a week or more, is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Max McKean and four boys of Gladewater are visiting in the Will Burks home.

Walter Reeves and family have moved to Mrs. Womack's residence, in the west part of town.

Melvin Crawford and wife, J. D. Hodges and wife and Brit Berry returned Wednesday from an automobile trip to Oklahoma and Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller returned Monday afternoon from a visit to relatives in Dallas and Collinsville.

Mrs. G. H. Frizzell and her sister, Mrs. Kilpatrick of San Angelo, are visiting relatives in Weatherford.

Mrs. Crews returned Wednesday from several weeks visit with her daughter and family in Pawhuska, Okla.

Mrs. Austin Taylor and daughter of Eastland are spending the week here with her mother, Mrs. A. C. Weatherby.

Mrs. R. H. Friezt and daughter were pleasant callers at the Eagle office from Nabors Creek community Saturday.

A large number of school books have been received by Judge Gerald this week, to be distributed to the schools of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gilliam returned Tuesday night from Ruidoso, N. M., where they spent several days with relatives and enjoying the climate.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Weatherby of Toyah, spent last week with relatives here and left Tuesday morning for a visit in Fort Worth, before returning home.

Judge Gerald, Commissioners Hamilton and Burnham, together with other good roads advocates, expect to go to Waco today to look after some road business.

A. Nieman of Miles was here the early part of the week, meeting his friends. He was visiting at Priddy, his former home, and looking after some business matters.

Jake Sexton and wife and his mother, Mrs. Mallie Sexton, arrived from Dallas Sunday for a visit to relatives. They will also visit in Brownwood, Eastland and Lometa.

Mrs. Virginia McGirk and little daughter, Mary Louise, are assisting in caring for the home of her brother, Will Moreland, at Pleasant Grove, while he is visiting in Virginia.

Judge Gerald, Supt. Tolbert Patterson, S. J. Casey and Gilbert Chancellors, the last three from Mullin, made a visit to Austin the first of the week to look after school business.

A delegation headed by County Agent Weaver left last Sunday for College Station to attend the session of the short course at A and M college. They are expected home this week end.

Joe B. Karnes and wife and her mother and sister, Mrs. Albert Grubbs, and baby of San Saba, returned home the latter part of the week, after several days visit with relatives at Cushing, Okla., and Greenville and Fort Worth.

Benefit Payments

Will Continue

The federal government has given great assistance to the people in all lines of endeavor throughout the nation. We of Mills county have been the beneficiaries to a great extent and without this assistance the country would have been in a deplorable condition.

The various payments made in Mills county are here listed:

1934 cotton rental and parity payments	\$ 37,000.97
1934 tag payment	5,519.06
1934 corn hog	24,332.46
Wheat	2,241.00
Cattle	125,225.00
Sheep	24,200.00
Goats	16,735.00
Cotton—rental and parity payments for 1935	—approximately— 41,500.00
Corn and hog	10,500.00
Total of all payments made, plus those that will be made	\$287,853.40

Congress has passed an act in the last few days, validating all contracts in all commodities, for the current year, and regardless of whatever decision the supreme court may make on the processing tax, all existing contracts will be paid in full for the year 1935.



J. E. LONGINO

We are having a fine meeting at Avant. We are having conversions, good interest and good crowds. I will be here for the service Monday morning.

It is a joy to have Bro. Charlie Jackson with us for a visit. I assure you his message at prayer meeting will be greatly enjoyed.

FRANKLIN E. SWANNER

No Payment Reduction

Loss through floods will cause no reduction in benefit payments to Texas signers of crop adjustment contracts, the agricultural adjustment administration recently pointed out.

"In the case of cotton, contract signers will receive not only the usual rental payments and parity payments, but also their allotted quantity of Bankhead act tax exemption certificates."

A. L. Smith, chairman of the state cotton allotment and review board, stated last week.

He also said that non-signers will get their quota of tax exemption certificates. Thus the adjustment programs of the AAA have crop insurance features which operate to compensate to some extent for any crop damage, whether from flood, drought or other natural causes.

"The regulations also provide that producers may sell tax exemption certificates, in case they do not grow their full allotment of cotton covered by the certificates, through the assistant in cotton adjustment or a national pool," Smith said.

Baptist Executive Board Meeting

At a meeting of the Executive Board of the Mills County Baptist association a change was made in the time for the meeting of the association, which meeting is to be held on Thursday and Friday before the first Sunday in October, the dates being Oct. 3 and 4. The Board members present were Jim Hayes, moderator; T. F. Cooper, acting secretary; T. J. Williams, Wm. Dennard, W. A. Cooke, J. D. Calaway, E. A. Obenhaus and R. R. Hines.

F. R. HINES, Sec.

Center City

A number from here attended the homecoming at South Bennett Sunday. We certainly enjoyed the entertainment, which lasted all day. The church services were fine. All seemed to be interested in religion of the great coming above. We hope it will be made a yearly event and many others will become interested. The feast at the noon hour was well enjoyed.

Mrs. Lizzie Barr, her son, Wilson, wife and little daughter visited in the Joe Langford and Jno. Carter homes last week. They, with Mrs. Langford, Naomi and Joe Shelby, visited in Mexia Saturday and Sunday.

James Day visited in the Oglesby home a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Head and two sons, Gerald and Linden, left Monday for Corpus Christi via San Antonio on their vacation.

Sympathy is extended to all the relatives of Mrs. McMahan. She was known here as Miss Buster Casbeer and was reared in this community. She died suddenly in her home in Corpus Christi Saturday and was buried at Lometa Sunday afternoon. A number from here attended the funeral.

Miss Naomi Langford is visiting in Mexia.

Mrs. McBeth and children of Picoke visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sills Reid, last week. R. L. Atchison returned home with her for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Littlepage and two daughters of Snyder are visiting relatives here.

Baptist Revival

Begins Sunday

By reference to the Baptist Reminder column, written by Rev. Franklin E. Swanner, the Baptist revival is expected to begin Sunday and all arrangements have been perfected for a successful campaign. The minister and song leader are expected to be here in time for the first service. The first services of the meeting will be held in the church, but the Church of Christ tabernacle will be used after Sunday.

Rev. Swanner and his people have extended a cordial invitation to all the people, regardless of denominational alignments or preference, to attend and take part in the meeting.

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WAR POSSIBILITIES

Many newspaper correspondents in foreign countries are kept busy summing up conditions in the various sections and the possibilities and even probabilities of war. Paramount in interest is the Italian-Ethiopian embroglio, which progresses steadily toward war—most observers think actual hostilities will start in the fall. Premier Mussolini does most of his speaking from gun-carriages at present—and his remarks are the most war-like in post-war history. On the other side of the fence, black Emperor Haile Selassie pledges the life of every one of his subjects to the defense of Ethiopian independence. In the meantime, foreigners are evacuating the Ethiopian capital, on the advice of their consular representatives.

If war comes, Ethiopia will have two advantages—it will be able to muster an army of several million men accustomed to the almost incredibly hard country in which they live. A recent book on Ethiopia bears the title, "The Hell Hole of Creation," and visitors to Ethiopia say that description is not exaggerated. On the other hand, it has no artillery worthy of the name, only a few out-of-date airplanes, and even lacks modern repeating military rifles.

Italy is, of course, equipped in up-to-the-minute military style, with the latest in machine guns, tanks, field guns, rifles, gas, etc. Military authorities are confident she will win—though at a terrific cost of life and over a longish period of time.

The problem is further complicated now by the appearance of Japan with a warning to Italy that Nippon intends to keep her Ethiopian markets. Japan is as much a military power as Italy—and Mussolini doesn't want trouble with her, but there is no telling what may happen.

A LONG ROAD AHEAD

The matters of securing employment for all who desire to earn a living by their own efforts seems about as far in the future as it was at the outset. Inexperienced people believed that unemployment could be relieved by government fiat, but this idea has been dispelled and it is possible that the employment in private industries has not, indeed, been improved by government or departmental efforts. The federal government also endeavored to relieve the situation by providing employment on public works and by public treasury loans to private industries to keep the wheels turning and provide against unemployment throughout the nation. In this endeavor the results have not been all that could have been desired. Early in this year congress, at the suggestion and request of President Roosevelt appropriated \$4,888,000,000 (almost five billion dollars) for work relief. The president confidently announced that by the first days of July all the nation's citizens who were able to work would be on pay rolls and off the local relief rolls, but his prediction did not come true and his hopes were not realized. However, the works relief program is at last getting well into actual operation and the question that remains to be answered is whether or not it can find useful and productive jobs for the 3,500,000 heads of families who are still out of work.

COMMUNITY CORRESPONDENTS

This paper has always maintained that the letters from its community correspondents are one of the most valuable features of any weekly newspaper. By offering a prize to the best community correspondent of an American newspaper, the editors of the monthly magazine, The Country Home, have acknowledged both the importance and the excellence of this class of newspaper writing and, incidentally, the importance of the so-called country newspaper itself.

Apparently none of the Eagle correspondents entered the contest just closed, for we feel certain that had they done so their names would have been listed among the winners. But those to whom the awards were made wrote letters that with the change of names of places might well have appeared in this paper. The correspondent who received first place by the unanimous decision of the judges received it not for flights of fancy writing, not for grandiloquent editorializing nor for what is termed "snappy stuff." She won it for plain, straightforward reporting and writing in which she gave the facts in an easy-to-read yet interesting style. Her letters were not cumbered up with the trivial, but neither were they limited to the sensational. From them the reader could gain a true picture of life in her community. And that, after all, is the kind of letter every good correspondent tries to write.

A SUBSTANTIAL IMPROVEMENT

One does not have to be an optimist to see that there has been a substantial improvement in business conditions for several months, while a pessimist who would deny the improvement, no matter what cause he might assign for it, would get himself tangled with the facts and figures. The largest and most reliable commercial agency of the country substantiates the statement that the improvement is real and not imaginary and says in support of the statement that instead of being forced to offer resistance to the awaited midsummer recessions, most divisions of trade have been enabled to better their showing of a year ago without much effort. Fall buying at wholesale also made more headway, as retailers advanced their earlier budget estimates, in view of the improved outlook.

These statements appear in the agency's trade review, which caters neither to the optimists or the pessimists, but is believed by the business world to give an accurate and unbiased report, no matter what that report may embody.

A PUBLIC SAFETY BOARD

Under the provisions of the new public safety law, adopted by the last legislature, the governor has appointed a commission to enforce the provisions. This law was in accordance with the suggestions of Governor Allred in his campaign and it is hoped there will be a vast improvement in law enforcement, at any rate.

The governor advocated a state police system in his campaign for office and his messages to the legislature. He emphasized that the existing personnel of the rangers and highway patrol would be transferred intact to the new department of public safety. Under the combination the public safety department will be under direction of the commission, with a director of public safety as executive officer and various division chiefs. The department will be equipped with a bureau of communication and divisions of criminal identification and education.

Health Hint

A MODERN DUODECIMO
OF HEALTHBy Maria Leonard
Dean of Women, Univ. of Illinois

Of every 100 persons that are now alive, 36 will die from preventable diseases before they reach sixty-five years of age. If you want to be one of the sixty-four who reach the age of sixty-five, follow these rules, part of which are Dr. Thomas D. Woods' creed of keeping fit:

1. Eat less, chew more.
2. Smoke less, breathe more.
3. Ride less, walk more.
4. Bundle less, bathe more.
5. Worry less, work more.
6. Hurry less, read more.
7. Idle less, play more.
8. Talk less, think more.
9. Go less, sleep more.
10. Waste less, give more.
11. Scold less, laugh more.
12. Preach less, practice more.

Scold less and laugh more, for there are far too few "morning faces" seen today in our thoroughfares, instead there is a worried, tired look as though people had forgotten how to smile. The depression has taken much cheer out of the world. Stocks and bonds can go, but the radiance must not go from our every day living. Let us not forget the healthful exercise of laughter. Some one has said it takes fewer muscles to smile than frown.

Childhood loves laughter and life. Children exercise. They are always moving and growing. They are happily busy busily happy. This is why they live abundantly.

Health is the greatest asset of the human race. Daily are we beginning to wake up to the fact that physicians are for the purpose of keeping us well rather than getting us well. Not only is individual health kept constantly before the public mind with its health column in the newspapers, cautioning over-eaters, the radio answering diet questions, outdoor summer camps for younger children and health books and magazines, but community health is being brought to the laity also through cities' safe water and milk supply, cleanliness of streets and new methods of sewage disposal.

Health at its best means resistance to disease, relaxation from mental tension, calm from anxiety, regularity at all times, recreative power through play, temperate living and thinking, spiritual enthusiasm for one's work. Health brings a radiance in our living and gives us and others life abundant.

A NEW LOW RECORD

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THAT YOU MAY KNOW
(Sovereign Visitor)

Business conditions in Hawaii showed a steady improvement during the first five months of 1935, according to an article in the Christian Science Monitor. The pineapple industry packed 12,000,000 cases during the 1934-1935 season and employed 1,000 additional persons. New building permits in Honolulu totaled \$1,256,132 for the first five months of 1935, against \$745,105 for the same period in 1934.

Prof. Peter P. Lazarev of the Moscow Institute of Experimental Medicine recently succeeded in extending life in lower animals to as much as four times the normal span by treatment with Roentgen rays, according to an item in a recent issue of the New York Herald Tribune. Professor Lazarev expressed the belief that man's normal mental life, barring deleterious influences wearing out his body, should be from 150 to 180 years.

An item in the June issue of "Fortune" says that each year about 7,000,000 carats of rough diamonds are shipped to London from South Africa, where 97 per cent of the total production originates. The "Diamond Corp." in London sells 95 per cent of the world's diamonds. Eighty per cent of all diamonds are in Amsterdam and Antwerp, and the United States buys from these three cities about 500,000 carats of cut diamonds each year, valued at \$50,000,000.

The share of government expenditures in national income in Canada rose from 19 per cent in 1930 to more than 30 per cent in 1932. It was stated in the June issue of Canadian Business, which is published in Montreal. During the last 20 years the Canadian government spent \$134 for every \$100 of income. One person out of every 10 in Canada is dependent on a government job. During the past four years \$400,000,000 was spent on relief. While tax yield decreased 16 per cent between 1929 and 1933, ability of the people to pay decreased 55 per cent.

Between 80 and 90 per cent of the towns and cities in the United States have only one paper each, according to an article appearing in a recent issue of the magazine, "Today." In the larger cities, 61 chains operate more than 300 newspapers. There are 37,000,000 copies of newspapers printed each week day and 27,000,000 every Sunday. On an average there is a newspaper printed for every home in the country. This extensive news service costs more than \$500,000,000 annually.

The oldest newspaper in the world, "Peking Pao," published in Peking, China, and founded by the Chinese Emperor Ting-Ku-ang-Keng, was discontinued early this summer, according to an article in a recent issue of the Norganiat of Zagreb, Yugoslavia. For centuries the Peking Pao had been printed on silk. Since 1800 it had appeared daily. China has a total of 600 publications, of which the weeklies, due to the appeal to the Chinese family, are the most important.

DO YOU KNOW

More than four million farms in this country are located on unimproved roads.

The ancient Egyptians taxed the rich back in 700 B. C.

More than 16,000 communist agitators and young radicals have been expelled from CCC camps.

Two-thirds of all drownings in the United States occur during the swimming season—May, June, July and August.

Most French wines are now made from grapes grown on vines derived from American root stock.

Charlotte, N. C., has a city ordinance which makes it illegal to wash horses on the streets.

No one knows the origin of chess.

Some unbreakable buttons are made from blood.

The total cost of accidents in 1934 is estimated at \$3,500,000,000.

Some people will believe anything.

Cornerstone laying is an ancient custom, dating back to Ur, the ancient city of the Chaldees.—Pathfinder.

—EDITORIAL COMMENT—

VIEWS OF THE NATION'S PRESS ON TOPICS OF INTEREST AND IMPORTANCE

TRYING FOR NAVY EQUALITY

Great Britain's proposal to do away with naval ratio provisions in its efforts to reach an agreement on naval limitation may show the way to accomplishment. The Japanese have been sensitive about accepting a permanent and defined status of naval inferiority. We would be, if any country asked us to accept such a status. We rather griped at the idea of agreeing to definite equality with Great Britain. We are not beyond understanding Japan's feelings in the matter, yet we have been inclined to think that her dislike for the ratio included more than this resentment, that it included also a design to overreach us in naval building.

Even now it is not clear how we can agree on naval limitation unless some country will accept an inferior status. Surely all can not be on an equal footing. And, almost as surely, the United States will not agree to a Japanese navy as great as her own. Under these circumstances there appears no easy solution of the problem. But the British move makes possible a new approach to it. Assuming the British have further ideas on the subject, these should be worthy of careful consideration.

Of one thing we can be sure: The world needs naval limitation. The three great naval powers are now engaged in spending more than a billion and a half dollars in bringing their fleets to the strength permitted under the Washington agreement. Two years ago each was well below this standard. The individual governments had saved hundreds of millions of dollars by refraining from building vessels permitted to them. But in recent months there has been frantic fear in Japan that 1936, when the treaty terminates, would find the United States and Britain far ahead of her in navy strength, and there has been a similar fear in Britain and in the United States. Thus each has rushed into huge expenditures, which, when completed, will leave the three nations relatively exactly where they were when the absurd rivalry began.

When 1936 has passed, unless a new treaty is framed, there will be no limits and no agreements on types of vessels. We will be faced with the possibility of a naval race dwarfing the present one, a race likely to eat out our substance like an invading army, and almost certainly eventuating in war.

That is why we should have a new naval limitation treaty and why we should welcome British moves to that end, however great the obstacles that loom in the way.—Houston Chronicle.

FARM POWER PLANS

President Roosevelt's rural electrification program is all set to go. Morris L. Cooke, director of the rural electrification administration, has announced that hundreds of applications for loans for rural electrification projects have already been approved by the engineering and legal divisions of his administration and await only approval by the advisory committee on allotments of the work relief set-up. According to Director Cooke his REA will make no grants under its \$100,000,000 program. But REA will, under proper conditions, lend to pay the cost of building power and light lines in areas without electric service. He says these loans will be made for 20 years at three per cent interest. But no farmer will be required to mortgage his home to assist him in bringing electrical service to his community. Loans will be made to private companies assisting the government in carrying out its program. Pointing out that only one American farm in 10 now has electric service, Director Cooke says the REA program has two main objectives. One is to bring economic benefits and living comforts to farmers. The other is to "promote national recovery by creating new and profitable business for producers of supplies, equipment and appliances, and by providing useful jobs, directly

RIGHT THINKING

The popular form of government is that in which people do their own thinking, elect their own officials and crystallize the sentiment that makes the laws. But we too much and too often emphasize thinking en masse. It is splendid if we can have majorities for the ushering in of every needed reform. But many a reform is obtained through an invincible personality—one person doing and saying what he thinks is right and standing by his guns though the heavens fall.

The wisest man is he who changes his mind and does different thinking today from that of yesterday, if convinced that he was in wrong yesterday. It is not only important that we have firm convictions, but it is equally important that we have reasons for our convictions. Many a person, to take his word for it, does not know why he belongs to a certain church or votes a certain ticket. He has never thought through to its logical conclusion the philosophy to which he subscribes.

As a man thinketh, so does a nation think. As a nation thinks, so is it. The nations of the world thought for years in terms of militarism, commercial rivalry, secret treaties, jealousy, suspicion and intrigue. The most destructive war the world has yet known seemed necessary in order to change the thinking of the world.

Now our civic responsibility and humanitarian obligations tell us we must think in terms of arbitration, love, service and universal peace.

Let us continue to change our thinking. It is time our thoughts leaped from armaments to the personal needs of man. The unemployed, the tired, the hungry, the illiterate must be helped and saved. Crime must be overpowered. Children must be given the right to live the best of lives.

The contagion of sound thinking of sincerity, integrity and moral courage can save our civilization. —Muskegon Heights, Mich., Record.

LAUGHTER AS MEDICINE

Smile, and whether or not the world smiles with you, you may live to be 105 years old. In an article in the Journal of the American Medical Association, it is said cultivation of the proper mental attitudes may prolong the life span five years into the second century, not only for the extremely rare specimen of humanity, but for many others. The claim is based on the fact, or the assumption, as the case may be, that the average life of an animal is five times the number of years needed to attain its full skeletal development. In the case of a human being twenty-one years are required. Five times twenty-one are 105.

At present, we are told, only 33 of every 100,000 persons will attain the age of 100 years, but with proper qualities of equanimity, contentment and optimism man might be on an equal footing with his dog, when it came to living out his allotted span of life. There are, of course, those who say that men dig their graves with their teeth, but perhaps proper mental attitudes are relied upon to prevent that and other follies tending to shorten life.

A proper mental attitude, presumably, banishes worry. That should be a factor in economics. Without worry how could there be depressions described as psychological? There would be new meaning when life was likened to a glad, sweet song. "Eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow we die," might be revised and shortened to read: Be merry and live to 105. It would be a new case of "smilin' through"—through one century into another. The prospect is pleasant, or would be if proper attitudes were not the hardest of growths to cultivate in the midst of the attitudes of the other kind, which are the fast growing weeds in the garden of mentality.—Boston Transcript.

and indirectly, for the largest possible number of workers."—Pathfinder.

PART PROTECTION

FOR SUCH A commission is to undertake the protection of the public stock racketeers. It will and publish information, operations of get-rich-quick promoters, attempting to put the hands of prospective investors complete and reliable.

It might seem that a government service in operation the day of the lent promoter probably drawing to a close. But it no doubt will help, but not cure the American, who can afford to lose, of the of taking long chances offered at the end of a sales talk.

Now and then an investor, one who has money to afford to take a stock. He drops it and poultries the burns. It pens to complain about community laughs. It is as a good joke.

It is no joke when the investor, with the savings dating back to day, lends an ear to the promises of a certain stock promoter. He may first-hand information, seldom investigates the information is available mind is as open to the vice the securities will offer as it has been shady argument of the plan ought to help.

But that is about as far protective devices of government can go. The federal government can't take its citizens' hand and lead them into "phony" securities and get-rich-quick sales, spite all its paternalistic tendencies, it must leave a responsibility and discretion citizen.—Kansas City Star.

ETHIOPIA'S ARM

The refusal of major powers to sell arms to Ethiopia gives point to the claim that a ban on munitions war-prevention means merely adds to the help of weaker nations that themselves in the armamenting business. In preventing war it opens to practically unrestricted imperialism by stronger nations on conquest. It means the subject submission by the backward countries or sided slaughter. Under national treaties Ethiopia right to buy arms. There in Emperor Haile Selassie demand that if what he decries as civilized nations prevent the invasion of Ethiopia, they at least should him the means of self-defense. There is only one deeming feature in the and that is the weakness. Even if armed the King of Ethiopia the Lion of Judah would match eventually for the Hercules. But, if decries means of even an unfettered, the hopelessness emperor makes a strong to the world to find a solution.—San Francisco Chronicle.

GOVERNMENT

The wisdom of the not greater than that individual who discovered colored people seldom have appendicitis. It is remarked in the same that the colored people to have no tonsils. At appear never to be have their tonsils removed tonsilectomy is a luxury for those who have the that as it may, the old farmers who struggle bollworms and boll weevils out any help from pesticides or scientific assistance have had a hard time to the extent of the they raised bread, and potatoes at home times indeed had no to mother them or with attentions. They dependent and their self-reliance. It was State Press in Dallas

GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

PLEASANT GROVE

Harry Hall is in a Gorman for a tonsil operation. Ben Hurdle is expected this week end, after visiting his grandsons at Brenham. Mrs. J. D. Hodges, Melvyn and family, are visitors in Oklahoma. Berry is reported to be sick. Harry Palmer visited relatives in town last Saturday. Clark Miller and baby returned from a week's visit with his parents at Catherine Hall returned to visit relatives and the meeting. Robbins and wife returned the first of the week visiting his parents. Hurdle entertained his school with a party last night. He attended church and singing program at South on Sunday. Meeting is in progress. Bro. being assisted by Rev. from San Saba county. Irwin returned Saturday attending a camp meeting. Mollie Horton is visiting and attending the meeting this week. Maybell Jeffery spent last with his sister near town. Griffin of South Ben returned Saturday with his mother. Ward Collier and the Miles of Center City were for berries in our community. D. Irwin, who is visiting at Lometa, is spending days with her son and one is invited to come to meeting.

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BROWNWOOD BOAT RACES

Addition of a free-for-all runabout race for Sunday afternoon and division of the Saturday races into three classes has heightened interest in the boat races and regatta to be held at Lake Brownwood Saturday and Sunday, August 3 and 4.

Prizes of \$40, \$25 and \$10 have been announced by the Regatta association for the runabout race.

In addition to the regular Regatta, director of life saving, Fort Worth chapter, American Red Cross, with three of his pupils, will give two diving exhibitions, one Saturday morning and the second Sunday afternoon.

Entries in the bathing revue to be held in connection with the Charlie Davis dance Saturday night have been received from a number of nearby towns. Sixteen local merchants are planning to have bathing revue entries. The dance will be held in the Memorial hall.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Ora McMahan was born November 13, 1905. She died July 26, 1935, in Corpus Christi, aged 29 years, 8 months and 15 days. She was buried July 28 in Lometa, by the side of her husband, who died last year.

One consolation we all have, she didn't have to suffer. She passed away without a struggle. She is at rest where there is no worry and no pain or sorrow. It is so sad to think she had to leave two small girls, ages eight and two, Johnnie Ray and Marie. Her twin sister, Mrs. Long, at Corpus Christi, will rear the little girls. She was so kind. She was loved by everybody who knew her. She always met you with a smile. She never felt too bad or tired to be cheerful. There is a vacant chair where the little family dwells that can't be filled again. We hope to meet her in a better world, where there will be no sorrows. She was converted and united with the Methodist church at the age of 14. She married John McMahan October 20, 1925, at Ballinger.

One of her brothers went to awaken her Friday morning to go to her cafe to work and he found her dead, lying between her two small children. Death was caused from a weak heart.

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LOWER BIG VALLEY

Mrs. Tomlinson of San Saba was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Elvin Wells, over the week end. Mrs. Raymond Wilson and little son, of near Coleman, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Knowles.

Mrs. Scott Thompson was on the sick list this week, but is able to be up again.

Walter Upton of Port Arthur is visiting his sister, Mrs. Newell Duey.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Bohannon and children are visitors in the Nelson home.

Mrs. Hilliard Whitt of McMillin, San Saba county, visited her mother, Mrs. J. W. Warlick, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith and Hugh Forrest were visitors with relatives in Mullin Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Hale and little son are visiting relatives at Menard.

Frankie Gene and Walter Glen Howard of Richland Springs are guests with the Duey families for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Crain of San Saba were visitors at the church services Sunday.

Mr. Knowles has begun his annual syrup making this week with J. J. Newton of McGirk in charge.

Sam Campbell is a guest of his sister, Mrs. Scott Thompson.

The ladies of the community are quite busy canning at the present an abundance of fine fruit and vegetables have been preserved as a security against the "big bad wolf."

Mrs. Hugh Nelson and daughter, Patsy, visited in the Nelson and Knowles homes Tuesday.

Mrs. W. E. Harkey, Mrs. Latham, Mrs. Bob Norris and little daughter from San Saba, spent the day with Miss Lorraine Duey last Saturday.

The Church of Christ has just closed a very fine ten-day meeting. Elder J. Pat Salyer of Burdett, Coleman county, did the preaching. We enjoyed having Bro. Salyer and were benefited by his simple gospel sermons, conducted under an old fashioned brush arbor. The song services were led by Damon Smith of San Saba and were beautiful and inspiring. The all-day services were especially enjoyed Sunday, which included a lovely feast at the noon hour. New friendships were formed and old acquaintances were renewed by people of this and other communities. There were also visitors from San Saba, Goldthwaite, Coleman and other places. XXX

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the good people of Goldthwaite and Lometa for their kindness, during our dear daughter and sister's sudden death. May we all meet again on the happy golden shore.

Mrs. M. A. Casbeer and daughters, Mrs. Joe Casbeer, Mrs. Otis Allen, Mrs. Mark Holland, Mrs. Buddie Shelton from Goldthwaite, Mrs. Tas Renfro and Mrs. Dollie Langford, Ratler, Ellen Casbeer and Mrs. Herbert Long, Corpus Christi; Clayton Casbeer, Ingleside; a half-brother, John Jones, Houston.

She also leaves other relatives and friends here and in Corpus Christi.

BIG VALLEY

Another attempt at rain, but none to amount to anything in the valley. Showers all around us. Guess our time will be next.

Little Miss Neta Earl Hale of Ratler visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hale, and family the first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Burns and family moved out of our community last week. They moved to Adrian Long's place. We regret very much to lose them from our community, but hope they will like their new surroundings and come back to Big Valley once in awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Miller are moving back into our community. Mr. Miller has been attending school in Brownwood and is to teach in this county this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Hartman and daughter, Dorothy, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. F. L. Hartman.

The Lower Valley people had dinner on the grounds Sunday. There was a good sized crowd attending and services were enjoyed by all. There has been a Christian meeting in progress there the past week, which closed Sunday night.

Mrs. Arnold Sloan and baby, Nelda Boyd, visited Mrs. Cockrell Thursday afternoon.

Bobbie Doak came in from Austin Sunday to spend several days with Vance Cockrell.

Earl Hale from Ratler visited his parents, one day last week. His little daughter returned home with him.

Bill Hyslop hurt his foot one day last week while working with the hay press.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward and two of their friends, all of Breckenridge, were visiting his sister, Mrs. Claud Lawson and family Sunday.

Mrs. Weaver and children, Howard, Robert and Flora, attended a birthday dinner at Jim Burdett's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Patterson and children of Austin and Mr. Patterson of Goldthwaite were visitors in the Cockrell home Sunday.

Jack Shotwell and Mr. Perkins of Star were visitors at Hale's Saturday.

Mrs. Newell Duey's brother is visiting her this week. I failed to learn where he is from.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Bohannon and family of Arlington are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson.

Several enjoyed a barbecue at Marvin Cooke's Sunday.

Sam Campbell is visiting his sister, Mrs. Scott Thompson, this week.

The Baptist meeting has started this week. Bro. Scott came in Sunday evening. Bro. Hawkins filled the pulpit Saturday night and Sunday morning. Everyone come and join in the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sloan and baby visited in the Lawson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dennard attended her brother's birthday dinner, Mr. Robert Weaver, at Jim Burdett's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Weaver and son, Mrs. Oral Bohannon and children and Miss Laura Nelson visited in Mrs. Liva Weaver's home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Raymond Wilson and son from Coleman are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Knowles.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Hale and son are visiting his sister, Mrs. Ernest Ware, and family of Menard. Mr. and Mrs. Ware came for them Sunday and visited in the Harvey Hale home awhile.

Mr. Hawkins, Bro. Hawkins' father and Mr. Burnett, Mrs. Hawkins' uncle, are visiting in the Hawkins home this week.

Miss Beatie Sloan of Rogers is visiting her uncle, Arnold Sloan, and family.

Miss Nell Miller is spending a few days in Brownwood visiting relatives. BLUE JAY

MEMORABLE AUGUST DATES

August 3, 1914, Germany invaded Belgium.

August 4, 1914, England entered the world war.

August 15, 1914, the Panama canal was opened.

August 17, 1916, Italy entered the world war.

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When you want a suit, dress or single garment cleaned or pressed, Call Burch and he will please you.

LAKE MERRITT

Miss Millie Frances Hutchings spent Saturday night and Sunday with Marie and Faye Stuck.

Those who dined in the I. P. Hutchings home Sunday night were Faye Stuck, Juanita Sanderson, Wiley Griffin, Johnnie Price and Bill Stuck.

Wiley Griffin spent Saturday night with John C. Price.

Miss Betty Joe Sanderson from Brownwood spent Wednesday in the C. H. Sanderson home.

Mrs. J. S. Sanderson of Brownwood spent Sunday with C. H. Sanderson and family.

Mrs. Kitty Dellis and daughter, Oia Mae, spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Dellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hutchings and family spent Sunday in the South Bennett community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Stuck spent the week end in Lampasas county.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Ryan and C. O. Norton are well again.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sanderson went to Moline Sunday evening. REPORTER

TWO DAYS BASKET PICNIC AT CARADAN

There will be a two days picnic at Caradan Friday and Saturday of next week. Arrangements have been made for a rodeo, baseball games, pony races, a big platform dance each night and plenty of other entertainment. Everybody invited. For stand rights and other concessions see G. K. McCaleb or Alton Koen, Caradan.

GAME PRESERVE ADDITION

A special from Waco to the daily papers tells of an addition John F. Barnes has made to his game preserve on his ranch. Mr. Barnes is a member of the firm of Barnes & McCullough of this city and is well known here. The special says:

"John F. Barnes, wealthy Waco lumberman and sportsman, arrived here Thursday night, after flying from the Pitchfork ranch in Wyoming with three baby antelope recently captured by Charles Belden.

The antelope, Lindy, Laura and Amella, made the trip in the rear of Barnes' cabin plane, with their feet tied.

Barnes said he would place the

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antelope on his game preserve in San Saba and Llano counties. The preserve, created eight years ago by R. G. Yates and Barnes, is 60,000 acres, extending along the Colorado river for a distance of 20 miles. Ten thousand acres of the preserve is surrounded by a 12-foot deer proof fence. Barnes said he had hundreds of deer, buffalo, wild turkey and fish on the preserve.

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BRAND Jar **74c****Gallon Fruit** Gal. **31c**
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For Ice Cream, No. 1 can**Camay 23c**
SOAP 6 bars**Crisco** With each
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NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

Brownwood

district court will be in vacation until September 1. The first fall sessions of court will be at Coleman September 1. Coleman the court moves to Brownwood. The fall term in Brownwood opens the latter part of September.

Commissioners court sitting as a board of directors of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce Tuesday afternoon rendered decisions of utility companies in this county approximately \$185,000. Representatives of most of the companies appearing here appeared before the court at the hearing.

J.D. Dodgin, Santa Anna, in a case of cigarettes he bought in Brownwood he paid that he had paid \$95 for a case of cottonseed hulls. As a result two men are in county jail with swindling over \$50. Alleged that they made the cottonseed hulls to represent them to be cotton.

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San Saba

One of the first buildings in this section of the state and the first in San Saba county for the housing of large school buses has been completed at Richland Springs. The structure is 30x60 feet and is built of native stone, covered with sheet metal.

The thoroughbred horse belonging to W. W. Holman of San Saba and reported stolen a couple of weeks ago was located by Sheriff Doran last week. The horse was found in possession of parties on a farm near Groesbeck, in Limestone county. Mr. Holman went after the horse the latter part of the week.

One of the large livestock trucks of C. H. McMillan was stolen in Fort Worth last Monday noon while Don Linn, driver was in a cafe for lunch. The truck was recovered about an hour later by Fort Worth police. Don had gone into the cafe for lunch and as he came out he saw the truck being driven off. He reported to the police at once and in a very short time it was recovered. The thief, apparently drunk, ran over a man, seriously injuring him, and through this accident the truck was recovered.

News.

Mrs. A. L. Bird is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Bird, of Goldthwaite.

An automobile and garage belonging to Wesley Griffey burned Monday night at his home near the Mill creek. Origin of the fire is unknown. The car was a Buick coupe.

Climaxing the social activities of the year for the home demonstration club women of San Saba county, a basket lunch was served in the beautiful pecan grove at the Harkeyville school campus Friday.—Star.

Comanche

During the twelve months ending June 1, Comanche county farmers were paid more than \$100,000 through AAA benefits. More than \$15,000 federal aid to help pay teachers salaries during the term just closed has been granted Comanche county schools by the federal government.

Steps toward forming an organization to oppose the repeal of the state prohibition amendment were taken at the local Baptist church Wednesday night when about 30 people met for that purpose.

Otho Tiner, former T.C.U. grid star, who coached Hico high school football teams for the last two years, and who, a month ago was elected to coach the Comanche Indians next year, has offered his resignation to the school board.

All caliche on the 3.7 mile strip of highway No. 10 through the city of Comanche, was completed Tuesday. Immediately following that, the rock crushers began preparing stone for the road and paving will be started immediately.

The much-talked of and often exhibited "Black Widow" spider did her first damage in Comanche Tuesday, when Hubert Knight was bitten on the foot by one of the insects at the home of his brother-in-law, District Clerk Ben Wilhelm. Mr. Knight came in from work about sundown Tuesday and was bitten on his foot after he had changed shoes and while he was sitting in the Wilhelm home. Mrs. Wilhelm killed the spider, which was a large black specimen with the typical red "hourglass" markings.—Chief.

Hamilton

L. Scarborough, who was in reaching Hamilton for the coming days of the revival at the First Baptist church is now in the city.

standing affair on the society calendar was the reunion feast and dance at the Country Club on Monday night given by Harold W. J. of Renken, and Miss Halbert of Corsicana, in the home of Judge and Mrs. Allen.

an electrical thunder one day last week lightning struck and killed three animals were on the home place eight miles from the Lund Valley. One was a valuable cow, and all three animals were killed, making their toll to the storm's Herald-Tribune.

Lampasas

Mrs. W. T. Linn of San Saba is visiting her in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Allen.

The McCoy family held its annual reunion on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 18, 19, and 20, on the North Gabriel, in the Sage community of Burnet county. This family gathering was started six or seven years ago and they have something like 300 who gather there each year and spend three days together.

Miss Virgie Stoddard and Miss Bernice Snell have returned from Nashville, Tenn., where they attended a summer school. During their stay in Nashville, they attended church services held by Rev. J. Grady Timmons, former Methodist minister in Lampasas. He has been in Nashville for the past two years.—Leader.

ABSENTEE VOTING

A new statute to be enforced in the August 24 election on amendments to the constitution will make absentee voting more difficult than it has been in the past. The new law provides for a form of application by which the prospective qualified voter may obtain a ballot from the county clerk, which must be sworn before a notary public. Heretofore the absentee voter had only to appear at the county clerk's office or to write the clerk a letter asking that a ballot be mailed. The new form of application must be accompanied by the poll tax receipt or exemption certificate, or, if either has been lost or mislaid, an affidavit to that effect.

If the ground for an application for an absentee ballot is sickness or disability, the voter must have a certificate from a physician of his condition. The new law provides that the voter pay the county clerk 24c to cover postage of the ballot. In the past the county has borne the expense of mailing.

Absentee votes of persons who died between the time of marking a ballot and election day will not be counted in the election, by terms of the new law. In last year's election a man who had cast an absentee vote was killed in an accident before the election, but his vote was counted.

A daily posting of a list of all persons who have obtained absentee ballots also is required of the county clerk under the new law. It is also required that the applications, poll tax receipts, exemption certificates and affidavits shall be open to public inspection during regular office hours of the county clerk, under reasonable rules to safeguard the documents.

Absentee voting for the August 24 election will begin August 5.

A DRIVE FOR JOBS

Harry L. Hopkins, works progress administration Saturday contemplated plans for a nationwide drive to stimulate the supply of private jobs for those on relief.

Coupled was a determination to cut off the dole those refusing private employment.

In making known the new move, officials said the transfer of every man possible from relief to a private job even if temporary, was essential if the \$4,000,000,000 work fund was to end direct relief by November—the goal set for employing 3,500,000 men.

But the drive, in which state works progress directors and their subordinates will assume the task of seeking to promote a resort to relief rolls by private employers temporarily needing

more workers, will emphasize, too, the permanent absorption of those on relief. The goal was to reduce the amount of federal relief appropriations needed after the present fund is gone.

The private work drive was in addition to 3,500,000 jobs relief officials contended would be supplied indirectly by an estimated expenditure of \$1,500,000,000 on materials and equipment.

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When your baby tosses about, cries in pain and cannot sleep, why not get at the cause with McGee's Baby Elixir. It neutralizes indigestion acid, ends gas cramps and colic pains and then helps them become cheerful again. They sleep better. McGee's Baby Elixir is made of the purest medicinal extracts and syrup. It cannot harm. Years of use has proven that. Simple directions tell exactly how to use it. Tastes good. Gives relief promptly. Two sizes: 35c, 60c. (adv)

HUDSON BROS., DRUGGISTS

New Loan Plan Will Benefit Farm Homes

Other Rural Property Also Eligible for Better Housing Program, Financing Chairman Says

SEVERAL YEARS TO PAY

Survey Shows Country Places in Need of Many Important Improvements

"Our farmers and people living in the smallest communities will benefit as much as the city dweller from the Better Housing Program," was the comment today of the chairman of the local campaign committee, in stressing the wide scope of Title I of the National Housing Act.

"We have learned through the United States Department of Agriculture," he said, "that out of every 100 farmhouses, probably 50 are under the desired standard of livability; that 15 need new foundations; 15 to 20, new roofs; 10 to 15, new floors; 10, new walls, and a large number lack running water and bath facilities.

"This modernization program offers the farmer the same means of bringing his property up to modern standards—also, of buildings—as is given the city improving his barns and other home owner.

"Under this plan, the money for such improvements is available through a local approved financial institution as a character loan, payable by farming-income seasons over a period of 3, and in certain cases 5, years. The borrower is fully protected from excessive financing charges.

"Here is a brief outline of the procedure:

"1. A modernization loan is solely for the purpose of repairing, altering or improving the farm home, barn, silo, shop, store or other building (with deepening or digging wells permissible in drought-stricken states). Diversion of the money to any other purpose is prohibited.



How an old run-down farmhouse can be made completely modern is illustrated in these photographs. Money is now available to farmers for work of this kind through local banks and other lending agencies approved by the Federal Housing Administration.



"2. The loan cannot be for less than \$100 or for more than \$2000. In addition, the borrower must have a regular source of income equal to at least five times the annual payments.

"3. The loans can be made for a term up to 3 years (5 years in special cases), but may be paid in full earlier than the maturity date if the borrower desires.

"4. Maximum charges, including interest and all fees, cannot exceed an amount equivalent to \$5 discount per year per \$100 original face amount of the note.

"5. The property owner files a property owner's credit statement with the bank, showing his financial condition, sources and amount of income and other information necessary to determine his ability to repay the loan.

"If the bank considers the improvements advisable and the property owner able to meet the payments when due, it can advance the money on the personal note of the property owner. No endorsers or cosigners are required and no mortgage or collateral security is necessary, unless state laws or bank officials demand it."

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MEAL, sack	50c
SALT, 100 lbs.	49c
SUGAR, pure Cane, 25 lbs.	\$1.29
Lard, Jewel or Vegetole, 8 lbs.	98c
Bananas, long as they last, 3 dozen	25c
Pork & Beans, 3 large cans	13c
Pineapple, Libby's, crushed, 3 cans	20c
KRAUT, 2 cans No. 2 1-2	17c
LETTUCE, 2 heads	7c
STEAK, any cut, 2 lbs.	25c
ROAST, lb. 10c and	12 1/2c
JARS, quart, glass or self Sealers, dozen	72c

IT PAYS TO PAY CASH

LONG & BERRY

EBONY

A good rain fell here Saturday evening and one still better fell Monday afternoon. We had not had rain since the latter part of June and gardens and crops were beginning to suffer.

The people of this community were very sorry to hear of the death of little Joe Douglas Daniel, which occurred at Goldthwaite last week. Before her marriage, Mrs. Daniel was Miss Gladys Holland. She went to the school here just a few years ago.

Bro. Wharton of Brownwood did not get to preach for us Sunday afternoon, as he had expected. He was called to preach a funeral and could not come.

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Homer McNurlen, brother of Billy McNurlen and Mrs. Roscoe Jones, died Friday afternoon at the veterans hospital in Muskogee, Okla., and was buried Sunday afternoon at Locker. He had been sick for some time, but had recently undergone an appendicitis operation. Billie had gone to see him early in the week. He returned home Wednesday, leaving Homer better. J. B. McNurlen, father of the deceased, had gone to Richland Springs Friday, expecting to take the train for San Angelo to join his wife, who was visiting their daughter, Mrs. Hudson, but news of Homer's death came just before he left. Friends of this community extend their sympathy to the bereaved, especially to the wife who survives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts, Miss Odene Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Williams, Mrs. Ira Egger, Mrs. George Jones, Hard Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNurlen and Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Jones attended

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CENTER POINT

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Several from this community attended church at Mullin over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith and baby returned to their home at Bangs Tuesday, after a two weeks visit here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore from Fort Worth spent last week in the J. D. Fallon home.

Miss Rosa Spinks has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Alfred Anderson, of Byrd, who has recently undergone a serious operation. Mrs. Anderson is doing fine now.

Arthur Williams visited Johnnie Taylor and J. N. Smith Sunday.

DeAlvin Doggett of Live Oak spent Saturday night and Sunday with Elton Jarrett.

Mrs. Leverett Henry of Mullin spent part of last week with her father, E. P. Shelton, and canned peaches.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Priddy and her mother, Mrs. Ethel Metz, of Bangs spent the week end visiting in the L. W. French home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis entertained a large crowd Thursday night with a musical and ice cream supper. The Hill family furnished plenty of good music. There was plenty of ice cream for all. At a late hour the guests departed, hoping for another good entertainment soon.

Miss Eva Fallon called on Mrs. E. H. Harris at Goldthwaite Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Ratliff and son, Chester, of near Mullin, were Monday visitors in the Ernest Jarrett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Haynie French and children of Fort Worth were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. French, and family.

Mrs. Johnnie Taylor and Patsy Nelle and Miss Lillie Conner called on Mrs. George Hammond on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore and Miss Eva Fallon spent Thursday in Mason visiting friends.

Mrs. Ross Gardner and daughter and Miss Frances Vickers spent Monday with Mrs. John Edlin.

Mrs. Omer Hill spent Saturday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Evans near Chappel Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hammond and children were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Kate Shelton.

Willie Wasserman of Duren was measuring cotton land in our community Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore and Eva, Johnnie, Deward and Elmo Fallon spent Tuesday night of last week down on the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Conner and children spent Monday night at South Bennett with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huffman.

Miss Gwendolyn Hill visited Miss Besse Hutchings and helped can peaches last week.

Curtis Taylor spent the week end with his mother.

A few of the men and boys attended the 4-H club encampment held on the river last week BO-PEEP

CARADAN

D. L. Reynolds said last week: "Frank Stephen gave the young people a party last Friday night. Those who were there reported a nice time. Deward Reynolds gave a birthday party Saturday night for Miss Oleta Knight. We had a nice crowd and every one laughed and played games until we were so tired we had a good night's sleep. Refreshments were served of cake and lemonade and grape juice. The cakes were pretty, but that wasn't the attraction, they surely were good."

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reynolds and Herman and Deward Reynolds, Gloria Oatis, Walter Marion Reynolds made a trip to LeVita to visit Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Scott. Mrs. Reynolds and Herman remained there for a week to attend the revival meeting and to visit her daughter, Mrs. Scott.

Alton Huckabee and Miss Mildred Wilcox were married Sunday morning by Bro. Venable. We wish the young couple a long and happy married life.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Petsick and daughters, Miss Laura and Kate, visited Mr. and Mrs. Watson Wright of Priddy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stewart and family left Saturday for Corpus Christi, where they will spend a

week on their vacation. They are enjoying themselves.

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A message has been received here telling of the death of W. T. Ward, a former citizen of this place, who has resided in Lufkin the past three years. It was at that place his death occurred. His remains will be here today and funeral are to be held in the Church of Christ this afternoon and will be made in the cemetery. Mr. Ward is remembered by many friends. He was a brother of I. M. Ward, formerly of Goldthwaite. He was a brother-in-law of Mrs. J. D. Brim.

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4 rolls Bathroom Paper	15c
Quart Mustard	15c
No. 1 can Mexican Style Beans	15c
25-lb sack Salt	25c
1-lb sack Vanilla Wafers	15c
3 boxes Ice Cream Powder	25c
10c K C Baking Powders	15c
48 lbs. Bewley's Best Flour	\$1.00

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POLISH "EXPERIMENT"

Poland, according to a recent press dispatch, is preparing to launch a "unique experiment in government without parties and without a dictator." Administration of the nation's affairs will be based and guided wholly by the new constitution setting up "a strong state government with clear cut division of duties and responsibilities." No man will assume the dictatorship vacated by the death of Pilsudski. The Pilsudski party, indeed, will "set an example by liquidating itself." The new government plan was outlined, we are told, by the Polish premier, Walerj Slawek, on the eve of dissolution of the Polish parliament and before the governmental block in that body. Actual abandonment of dictatorship by the young nation begirt by dictatorships would be front page news the world over. Comparatively little attention has been attracted by the Polish prospectus, however—perhaps because neither the Poles nor their neighbors take it very seriously. The concept of a strong government has been so strongly tied to one-man rule in Central Europe during recent years that divorce of the two is perhaps inconceivable to Central European minds. So it appears that Poland's promise of a "unique experiment" is heavily discounted. Perhaps its inspiration may be traced to political conditions and confusions created by Pilsudski's passing. There may be, among the old marshal's former lieutenants rivalry so active and jealousy so intense that no one of them is permitted by the others to take over the dictatorship. That theory would explain the experiment and also would forebode it, in all probability, to a brief and troubled life. Success of the new plan, the Warsaw dispatch admits, "will depend at the start upon the ability of Marshal Pilsudski's political heirs to co-operate in their new tasks." Such of his heirs as may have the dictatorship complex may tire of co-operation early in the experiment, and try for dictatorial powers. The proposal of a constitutional and dictatorial government for Poland deserves the applause of all democratic folks, but its well wishers abroad probably will reserve their applause pending actual establishment of a dictatorial and genuinely constitutional regime. —New Orleans Times-Picayune.

"MYSTERY PLANE"

The United States, as all governments interested in defense, is paying a good deal of attention to airplanes. News reports recently have told of the building in Seattle of a "mystery plane," designed to strengthen our aircraft. The plane is powered by four 800-horsepower motors. It weighs 15 tons when loaded, and carries six tons of bombs. It is capable of a speed of 250 miles per hour, can fly at an altitude of 25,000 feet and has a cruising range of 2500 miles without refueling. It could spread a great deal of death and destruction in its wake. That's swell. But where is the mystery? —The Omaha World-Herald.

Interesting Items Reported Over the World

A decline of 6.6 per cent in the number of families receiving relief between May and June was reported by Harry L. Hopkins, relief administrator.

The state highway commission in a session at Lufkin Friday with division engineers allocated federal aid construction aggregating \$6,000,000 in eight East Texas divisions.

Dr. King Vivion resigned Friday after seven years as president of Southwestern University at Georgetown, to return to the ministry. Dr. Vivion asked to be relieved on Aug. 1, but the executive board asked that he continue to Sept. 1.

Governor Frank H. Cooney of Montana, who was a self-made millionaire by the time he was 32, is certain that there are just as many opportunities, and as big, today for youth. "There is always room at the top for the fellow who does his work better than anyone else," the Montana executive declared.

Approximately 140,000 relief clients will be eligible for jobs on the federal works program, it was announced Saturday by the Texas relief administration. Of the eligible employables, 115,000 are men and 25,000 are women. Certification of the employables to the WPA rolls is expected to be completed in about a week.

Hon. Thomas L. Blanton of the Abilene district denied before the senate investigating committee, that he had discussed utility legislation with John W. Carpenter, Dallas, president of the Texas Power and Light Company who had stated he had held conferences with various congressmen. Carpenter later confirmed this statement of Judge Blanton.

The Japanese war office proposes a broad five-year plan for modernization, improvement and expansion of Japanese land and air armaments. The program, requiring expenditures of 900,000,000 yen (about \$261,000,000) was drafted by the general staff of the war office for submission to the cabinet and inclusion in the budget. The money is in addition to regular military appropriations.

Standing in the White House office for one of the few times in 32 years on Capitol Hill, Senator Norris of Nebraska, forecasted that congress would end its labors after Sept. 1. He had just lunched with President Roosevelt and said he felt the executive put the utility and tax bills at the top of congressional jobs remaining. Should the holding company abolition be defeated, the Nebraskan said the president could carry the issue to the country.

Leon Trotsky, famed Russian exile, has predicted an Italo-Ethiopian war would be followed by another world war. In the first statement he has made since going to Norway for his health, the one-time Bolshevik leader told the Norwegian labor newspaper, Arbeider Bladet: "It is very difficult to prophesy, but I believe an eventual Italo-Ethiopian war is in the same relation to a new world war as the Balkan war of 1912 was to the world war of 1914." Trotsky said an armed conflict in Africa would bring about new coalitions of European powers, thus setting the stage for another bigger war.

With economy given as a motive, the government decided Friday to rid its federal prisons of all alien convicts. By order of President Roosevelt the first group of 149, including one woman, will be sent back to homelands in Europe, the Orient and South America. Others will make the outward bound journey as rapidly as they become eligible for deportation. Also to be deported, although she is not of the same group, is the woman in red of the Dillinger case. The asserted operator of a Chicago disorderly house, she has been given one month to settle affairs in this country before being shipped back to her Rumanian homeland.

A house bill to provide a 40-hour week in the postal service was passed Monday by the senate. The bill, which now goes back to the house for action on senate amendments, would cost an estimated \$22,000,000 a year and give permanent work to 10,000 substitute postal employees.

Every oil field in the United States will be pumped dry within forty years and possibly in sixteen, according to an eminent Harvard geologist, but American motorists needn't worry about running out of gas. He explained that after the country's petroleum supply is exhausted we can begin turning coal into gasoline—and there's enough coal down below to last us 3000 to 4000 years.

Television without actual scenery, also a studio so big that it puts the present largest broadcast studio in the background are some of the things in the making for the day when sight by air waves is an actuality. The plan of no scenery television, so the engineers say, is going to solve one of the puzzles of telecasts in that it will make unnecessary a lot of cumbersome equipment in the studios.

Amid a furious campaign for adjournment of congress by the last week in August, the president's new tax bill was expanded Saturday to boost the rates on incomes as low as \$50,000. House ways and means committee Democrats who are drafting the bill—which holds the present key to adjournment—ended their preliminary work by broadening it to dip into the incomes of more than 7000 individual taxpayers. Previously it had been indicated that the rates would remain unchanged below \$150,000.

The AAA announced that the government has collected a total of \$866,694,982 in processing and related taxes from May, 1933, through May 31, 1935. The taxes, it was said, are collected at the points of the first domestic processing of the commodities, such as flour mills, textile mills and packing plants. The Bankhead act fixes a tax on all cotton ginned in excess of the Bankhead allotments, while the Kerr-Smith act taxes are those on tobacco marketed in excess of allotments.

A war veteran at Tulsa is indeed superstitious. A report from that city says that natural markings of the letter W on the backs of locusts found thereabout recently are omens of war to Edward F. Morris, a veteran of the Spanish-American war. Morris said Saturday he found the same markings on locusts' backs just before the Spanish-American war and before the World war. The W, he said, is missing except just before a conflict. A circle under the W indicated to Morris the war would be world wide.

Registered unemployment in Great Britain at the end of May of this year was 2,044,750, according to information contained in a story in the New York Times. These figures show 45,600 less unemployed than a year ago. The number of temporarily idle increased from 280,000 in April to 315,000 in May. The increase in unemployment in this period was due to the thousands of children who left school and were counted as unemployed. In the number of unemployed adults, there was a reduction of more than 10,000.

Many a Friend Recommends BLACK-DRAUGHT

People who have taken Black-Draught naturally are enthusiastic about it because of the refreshing relief it has brought them. No wonder they urge others to try it! . . . Mrs. Joe G. Roberts, of Portersville, Ala., writes: "A friend recommended Black-Draught to me a long time ago, and it has proved its worth to me. Black-Draught is good for constipation. I find that taking Black-Draught prevents the bilious headaches which I used to have." . . . A purely vegetable medicine for the relief of

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WORTHY OF THOUGHT

By Hugo.

Work is a tonic, whereas inactivity and worry sign many death warrants.

If you would be loved be generous. No man can be "generous to a fault," however old that adage may be.

Never put off until tomorrow what you can get somebody to do for you today.

There are throngs with absolutely nothing before them, even when gazing in the mirror.

Don't wait for things to turn up—turn things up while you wait. That's the genius for this rapid age.

Despite the fates, we hunt our El Dorados. Defiant-like, men court the sweet delusion.

If all our life were one day of wild, delirious laughter, at last we would sigh for grief that would break its monotony and dreariness.

Ignore any theory of providence that makes God partial, or that makes him appear whimsical when dealing with a human heart torn with a destiny.

Another odd thing about the whole business is how they can wallop the taxpayers for four billion dollars at a whack and call it relief.

A man may read a time table until his misses his train. So with all these patented rules on "How to Succeed."

The Sage of Three Rivers declares that woman can never claim equality with man until she wears shoes that don't hurt her feet.

A southern evangelist says the road hog is a sinner. There's one thing about that, he don't have to wait for the hereafter to be pretty thoroughly damned.

You and I are sure to get real tired one of these days of feeding those who refuse to work.

Usually the results of trying to kill two birds with one stone is that you lose the stone.

CALL BURCH

When you want a suit, dress or single garment cleaned or pressed. Call Burch and he will clean you.

TAX RATE REDUCED

The state tax rate for the ensuing year will be 62c, a reduction of 15c from the present 77c constitutional maximum levy. The rate was fixed Saturday by the state automatic tax board, consisting of the governor, comptroller and treasurer.

Under Saturday's adoption, the state ad valorem rate will continue at 35c on the \$100 of assessed valuation, the maximum under the constitution, the pension tax at 7c, also at the legal limit, while the school impost is made 20c, as compared to the present 35c maximum.

It was found that the available school fund will have a cash balance of \$2,676,978 on September 1, the beginning of the new fiscal and scholastic year and that its estimated income during the twelve months from sources

other than the state school fund will be \$22,482,935. Anticipated requirements of the school fund, based upon the \$17.50 per capita apportionment for approximately 1,560,660 enumerated scholastics, is \$30,318,241. The cash balance and other sources of income aggregating \$25,159,913, only \$5,158,427 is left to be raised by state school taxes, which explains the drop in that levy from 35c to 20c.

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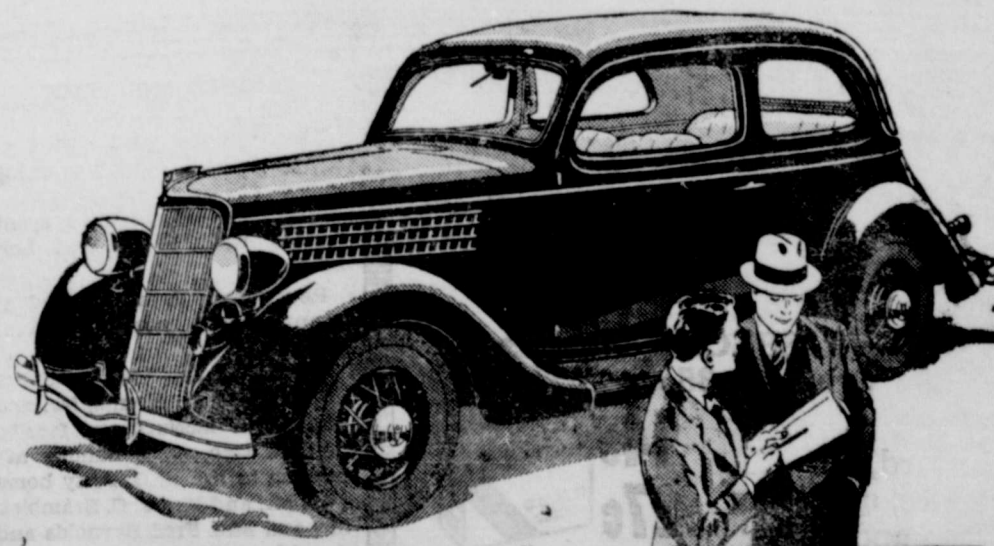
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SPECIALS

FOR SATURDAY

CEREAL SPECIAL
 50c Value for 35c

Mustard, Qt. **14c**
 Pickles, qt. Heinz **27c**
 Bread and Butter

Bread, Hill Top, 4 loaves for **25c**

Syrup, Brer Rabbit, gal. **52c**

Baking Powder, K C, 50 oz. **31c**

Grape Juice, pint **17c**

We'll have plenty of cling peaches starting the tenth of this month.

CITY GROCERY

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TRIGGER MOUNTAIN

There was a good crowd at Sunday school Sunday morning and B. Y. P. U. Sunday night. Miss Russell Faye Oden spent Sunday with Vivian and Lois Lewis.

Rev. James Hays preached at Evans Sunday morning and at night.

Mrs. Glyn Gill and daughters are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McNutt, and family. Those who spent Sunday afternoon in the R. C. Petty home were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bramblet, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reynolds and daughter, Myriene, and Miss Gwendolyn Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stanley and son spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Daniel and family.

Misses Margaret Oden and Ethel Hill spent Sunday with Loraine Calloway.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nix and daughter, Ruby Yvonne, spent Sunday in the R. F. Daniel home. Everyone of this community enjoyed a party in the Oden home Friday night.

Mr. Brothers of DeLeon is visiting his sister, Mrs. M. E. Carver.

Mrs. R. C. Petty and family spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reynolds of Goldthwaite.

Several of the girls of this community enjoyed a picnic Monday on Brown's Creek. RED WINGS

CARL McDANIEL PASSED AWAY

Carl B. McDaniel, Jr., aged 12 years, son of Capt. and Mrs. Carl B. McDaniel of Randolph Flying Field, San Antonio, died at Jacksonville Tuesday and his remains were carried to his home in San Antonio, where burial will be made this morning.

Carl B. was a close friend of Lawrence Morrison and Melmoth Young Stokes and has visited them here on several occasions. Only recently he spent two or three weeks here with them and at that time met a number of the young people at this place and made many friends among them. He was a pleasant and gentle young man who drew people to him because of his lovable disposition and his pleasant manners.

A message was received here Tuesday night by the Stokes family telling of his death, which resulted from a ruptured blood vessel, which was caused by intense vomiting. However, his illness is believed to have been the most violent form of pneumonia and he was only in bed six hours. He was visiting relatives in Jacksonville when he became ill and was carried to the hospital and his parents notified. His father made the trip from San Antonio to Jacksonville in an airplane, but reached there after his son's death.

After receiving the message of the death of Carl B., Mrs. Stokes left on the midnight train for San Antonio, to be with the family and will return home Sunday. Mr. Stokes and boys left yesterday afternoon for the Alamo City to attend the funeral, which will be held there at 11 o'clock this morning.

Paul McCullough and wife visited relatives in Hico last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Griffin and daughter, Miss Emma Jean, of Mountainair, N. M., and Miss Edith Head of Clovis, N. M., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Patterson in Mullin and the entire party, including Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, favored the Eagle office with a visit Tuesday.

G. W. Smith was painfully hurt Monday when he was struck by a grader on the street. The lower part of his leg was badly injured, although it is not thought there will be any permanent effects. However, he will be confined to his home and possibly to his bed for several days.

Mrs. A. C. Weatherby and her family enjoyed a reunion at Lake Merritt last Sunday. All of her children and grandchildren were present, except Mrs. Norman Weatherby and daughter, Norma, who are spending the summer in Europe. A very happy gathering was had and a time long to be remembered.

OBITUARY

Little Joe Douglas Daniel, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Daniel, died Tuesday, July 16, at the age of eight months and two days. The little body was laid away in the cemetery at this place. There are left to mourn his going his parents and grandmothers, Mrs. Leather Jones and Mrs. Allie Morgan; H. H. Holland of Ballinger and John Daniel of Killean, grandfathers; also a number of other relatives in Goldthwaite and in Bell county, for whom we have great sympathy.

A FRIEND

MELBA THEATRE

FRIDAY-SATURDAY

"Flirting With Danger"

with
 Robert Armstrong
 William Cagney
 Edgar Kennedy

MONDAY-TUESDAY

JEAN HARLOW WILLIAM POWELL in "RECKLESS"

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY

"The Florentine Dagger"

with
 Donald Wood—Margaret Lindsay

COOL AS A CAVE

SPECIALS

For Saturday Only

Pure Cane Sugar, 10-lb
 Cloth Bag, (limit) -----
 Crustine or Swift Jewel
 8-lb carton -----

RAISINS, 2-lb package ----
 Crushed Pineapple, Sunkist,
 2 for -----

Tomato Juice, Campbell's 3 for
 Pillsbury's Sno Sheen or Swans
 Down Cake Flour, per pkg.
 Coffee, Longhorn, packed in
 4-lb zinc buckets, each ----

Coffee, Folgers, 2-lb can ----
 Breakfast Bacon—odd sliced
 but fine flavored, per lb. -
 Choice Veal Steak, lb. 13c—
 2 lbs. -----

Bologna, (best grade) lb. --
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