

# TORNADOES PLAY McCAMEY FRIDAY NIGHT

## Fire Prevention Week To Be Observed Here

### Mayor's Proclamation For Fire Prevention Week In Lamesa

Fire Prevention Week is again at hand. The object of the occasion is to remind the public of the seriousness of the large fire loss of this country, both as to life and property, and bring to the attention of everyone the fact that nearly all of this destruction could be avoided if greater care were taken in the construction of buildings, if litter and rubbish were removed from homes and places of business, if children and grown people were thoroughly educated in the handling of fire and taught the importance of extreme carefulness.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, W. L. Marr, Mayor of Lamesa, in cooperation with the nationwide movement for the elimination of preventable fires, do hereby designate October 7 to 13, 1934 as Fire Prevention Week in this city.

On these days I ask our civic and commercial organizations, our school officials and teachers, and our citizenship as a whole, to join with the chief of our fire department and our city fire marshal in arranging meetings and exercises for a study of ways and means of preventing fires as well as to impress the seriousness of the wastage that it causes and the need for utmost care for the protection of life and property.

During Fire Prevention Week I urge that a thorough inspection of the entire city be conducted for the purpose of locating and removing fire hazards, and that the work thus inaugurated be hereafter expanded into a Fire Prevention Year.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my name and affix my seal of office on this, the 4th day of October, 1934, A. D.

(Seal) W. L. Marr, Mayor.

### Housing Work Is Organized In County

An organization has been completed for Dawson county with a county chairman and an executive committee of nine to cooperate with the government and R. A. Stuart of Fort Worth, director for West Texas in the New Federal Housing administration program. Wm. A. Wilson, manager of the local chamber of commerce has been named as the county chairman and S. L. Forrest, Carl Rountree, J. K. Crawley, Loo Randal, Clyde Surface, Ed Haynes, George Norman, R. L. Gilbert and C. A. Hollingsworth were named as members of the executive committee for the county organization.

Plans are being completed to make a survey of the county's need for repair and remodeling of homes under this act. The local organization is also making an effort to bring the eligible borrower and the financial institution that can qualify under this act together that a maximum amount of good may be acquired.

Wilson states that the survey will be conducted from the local chamber of commerce offices at the city hall.

### Several Register For Night School

Several have registered at the chamber of commerce office at the city hall for the night school that is being planned under the supervision of V. Z. Rogers, superintendent of the local city schools and which is being sponsored by the Government for Adult Education.

LISTEN: if you are really interested in this matter get busy and register. It is a good thing and the government wants to give the adult population a chance to improve their general education. Most any course in which you are interested, provided there are as many as twelve to register in any one class, will be given. Decide what work you want and then get busy and get others interested and have them register that the classes be organized. Then this work can start. If interested help to organize a class of 12. Do it today.

### "FIRST FRUITS SALE"

The women of the Presbyterian church will continue their church "First Fruits Sale" at the Self-Serving Grocery this Saturday. Gifts are placed on the table and the proceeds go to the work of the church.

### Shook Tire Company In New Location

The Shook Tire Company has this week moved to their new location in the Broughton building, first door east of the Tatum Hatchery.

The Shook Tire Co., wholesale and retail dealers for the Seiberling tires and tubes, have been located in Lamesa for the past two years and are this week celebrating their second anniversary with a big tire sale.

The tire store first opened in Lamesa in October 1932, with Mr. G. V. Fulton as manager, and has since that time enjoyed one of the best tire businesses on the South Plains. The Shook Tire Store is the only tire store in Lamesa ever to receive an entire carload of tires at one time, this store having received three such shipments during their stay here.

Mr. Fulton, now assistant manager of the Shook Company in Lubbock is in Lamesa this week transacting business and assisting in the moving of the store to the new location.

Look up the Shook Tire Company ad on another page of this issue and read for yourself what they have to offer.

### Children Asked to Walk on Sidewalks

It has been noticed that school children are doing better with reference to staying off the pavement on North First and South First Sts. but yet a few forget and walk in the street. The city officials are requesting that all school children stay off the pavement while afoot. This request is being made to help lessen the chances of danger on these streets that traffic naturally causes.

Drivers of cars are being watched by the City officials, that they stop at all stop signs and that no speeding occur. Bicycle riders have been asked to ride on the left side of the street and to observe the same traffic regulations as other vehicles.

Let's all cooperate that the life of some child might be saved.

### Merchants Report Good Trades Day

Merchants report a good day First Monday. Shoppers from all parts of the county and the territory were here for the day and took advantage of the low priced merchandise offered by Lamesa merchants.

The following merchants made possible the Trades Day last First Monday: Arnett Motor Company, Corner Drug Store, Baldwin's Store, City Market and Grocery, Wilkes Grocery, Allen Hardware, J. C. Penney Co., Pierce's Toggery, Bryant-Link Co., Taylor-McCall Drug, Davis Food Store, Prati's Kash and Karry, Clark McDonald Drug, Collins Dry Goods, A. G. Waugh, Yates Hardware, Self Serving Grocery, Bryant Pharmacy, Hatch's Grocery, Spruill's Grocery, Ed Noret's, Burns' Grocery, Hull's Cash Grocery, Milk Plant, Dal-Paso Drug Store, Co-Op Gin Society No. 1, Meekes Grocery, Dawson County Courier, and the Lamesa Reporter.

On next First Monday, November 5th, a very important announcement will be made that will interest every man, woman and child in the territory.

On November 5th, the Mystery Man that visited Lamesa last year will be back. Guess who he is. Watch the papers next week and every week for important announcements concerning the Mystery Man.

### 557 Bales of Cotton Ginned In Lamesa

Five hundred and fifty-seven bales of cotton had been ginned in Lamesa this season when the Courier gathered statistics early Wednesday.

Gin men and others are estimating the crop this year at about 2500 to 3000 bales in the county, some estimates going a little higher. It is obvious that the county will produce its smallest crop in many years.

Only two gins are running at Lamesa. Gins over the county which are operating are at Klondike, Sparenberg, Midway and Patricia. Unofficial reports state these gins have ginned around 750 bales, making a total of 1300 bales ginned to date in the county.

The price this week has ranged around 11 and 12 cents per pound on the local market.

"Where Texans Are Texans"

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### Alphabet Soup

## Goodwill Trippers Have Big Time At Seminole

The old time "Lamesa spirit" blended with the Seminole spirit Tuesday evening of this week to form the original "far west" spirit, at a barbecue banquet and with hilarious program, when 126 Lamesans and about 100 Seminoleites joined in Seminole for a "get-together" good will event.

Ask any who made the trip from Lamesa if they enjoyed it. The renewal of old friendships, making new friends, the mixing and mingling, and the program—not forgetting the cats—as fine a barbecue as you ever enjoyed—all made the program a howling success.

Lamesa takes off its hat to Seminole for the way they put the job over. No one who made the trip from Lamesa could say "we were not welcome" or "we were made to feel out of place". These fellows at Seminole really made Lamesa feel welcome.

The affair was arranged and sponsored by the Seminole and Lamesa Luncheon Clubs which are organized along the same lines. Seminole will come to Lamesa with their club and their ladies next, it is planned.

And the program: Sing song led by V. Z. Rogers; invocation led by V. Z. Rogers (not a minister present, and yet the crowd behaved nicely); black face comedy by Miss Marjorie Ferguson (and it was a scream; welcome by Alton B. Freeman for Seminole (formerly of Lamesa, now of Seminole); hog calling contest, Seminole vs. Lamesa. Seminole won, their team being composed of R. W. Pit-

man, W. A. Cox and B. B. Curry. Lamesa's team was Philip Yonge, S. M. Mitchell and Dr. J. M. Harrington. Duet, W. G. Weekes and Mrs. A. G. Barnard, "Home on the Range" and "Git Along Little Doggie". Liars contest, Louis B. Reed, Lamesa, and A. L. Duff, Seminole with Reed losing out Duff for the grand prize of the afternoon and lady's corset. Cream cones were given to the Seminole hog callers and all day suckers were awarded to the Lamesa losers in this contest.

The Lamesa band under the direction of Conway E. King played before and after eating. There were 27 in the band and the music was grand. King has a mighty fine band and we venture to say that no where in Texas will you find a better band director.

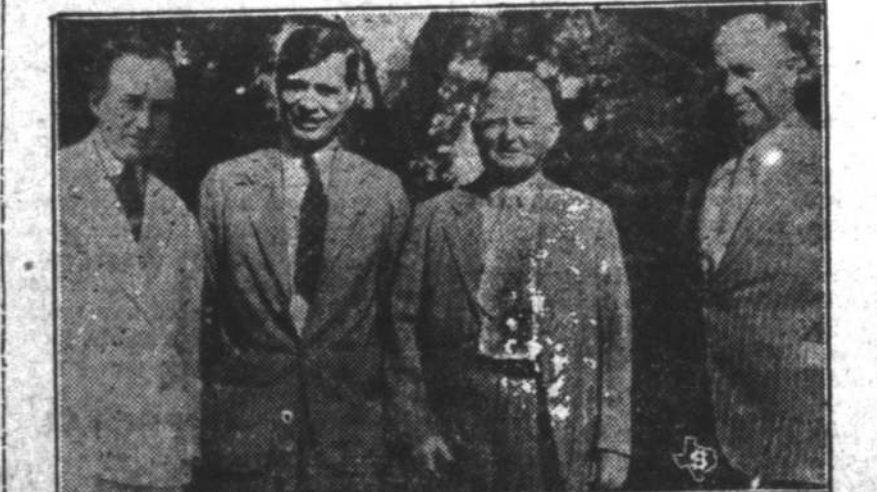
By the way Seminole is making a little city. Oil, Oil, Oil. Harry Stone, editor of the Seminole Sentinel says "Seminole—the Texas Tulsa" is our slogan. Things are really picking up at Seminole and Lamesa must realize a lot of business as this development goes forward.

Rufus Reeves of the Snyder Transfer Co., announced at this meeting that a truck line would soon operate from Lamesa to Seminole.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Backenstoss attended the Fair in Lubbock last Tuesday.

Alton Freeman of Seminole visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

### Garner Has Visitors in Uvalde



Vice-President John Garner, summing near the Mexican border at his Uvalde home, is far from the center of national affairs, yet is still in close touch with goings-on. Here is Garner pictured with some recent visitors. From left to right are: Major Paul L. Wakefield, Austin; Gascom Timmons, Washington newspaper writer and president of the National Press club; the Vice-President and Ralph W. Morrison, who was the President's personal representative at the World Economic conference in London. Morrison is a Texan also. (Texas News Photos.)

### New Tire Store Opens In Lamesa

C. E. Martin and Jack McLaughlin have leased the Loo Randal's building at 525 North First Street, and have opened an up-to-date tire store, to be known as the Lamesa Tire Store, selling Goodrich tires and tubes.

The Store opened for business this week and have a complete line of Goodrich products.

The managers are old timers here and have many friends who are wishing them much success in their new business.

### Local Polo Teams Play Texline-Dalhart

Two polo games will be played in Lamesa this coming Saturday and Sunday. The Saturday game the Texline-Dalhart team vs. the Lamesa orange team will be played starting promptly at 3:30 p. m.

Players of the Lamesa Orange team are Gus White, A. C. Woodward, Eric Barron, Walter Lawrence and Hayden Barron.

The Sunday game will be between the Lamesa White against the Texline-Dalhart team. This game will start at 3:00 p. m. Lamesa players are Bryant Fulkerson, Elmo Smith, Spencer Barron, Ed Hatch and So! Cleveland.

Texline is trucking 20 fine polo horses here, one truck load arriving Wednesday, the other truck load due today (Thursday). Texline has a wonderful polo team, defeating all teams on the North Plains. They expect to have two polo horse races each day while in Lamesa.

Expenses are heavy when moving the horses a long distance, and the Lamesa Polo Club has never called on the town to assist in any way the financing of the club and it is hoped that a large crowd will attend these games where a small admission fee of 25 cents and 10 cents will be charged to help defray expenses.

### Home of L. C. Cumpton Is Destroyed By Fire

The home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cumpton, 1 mile west of town was completely destroyed by fire on Saturday morning about 7:30 o'clock. Only a small portion of the household furnishings were saved.

The fire started in the roof of the house. The loss was partly covered by insurance.

### Ms. E. R. Yates Wins Honors In Art Work

Mrs. E. R. Yates, one of Lamesa's most noted artists, had the very good fortune of winning two honors on her art work this week. Mrs. Yates entered two pictures, "The Sandstorm" and "The Foggy Morning" in the art exhibit of the South Plains Fair at Lubbock, winning first place on "The Foggy Morning."

Mrs. Yates has also been appointed by the Art Exhibit Department of the State Fair of Texas to act as hostess in that department on October 19.

### ATTENTION!

The third called session of the Legislature just closed, placed October 23, 1934 as the final date for claimants to file for reimbursement out of an appropriation of \$500,000 made by the legislature at its first called session.

We are hereby giving final notice that no claims filed after October 23 will be considered. As soon as practical after this date the books will be closed and a final report made to the governor.

Fred W. Davis, Chairman Pink Bollworm Claim Board

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cope are the proud parents of a baby boy born Monday, October 8, at 10 o'clock at the Court House. He is here to meet students who are interested in taking extension work at Tech.

## McCamey Has Class A Team

The Golden Tornadoes football team is making all preparations possible for what is thought to be one of the hardest games of the football season this week. The Class A McCamey Badgers, coached by Marlin Hayhurst, a Tech Star and former coach at Brownfield and by Jim Bardin of Sul Ross and a graduate of Lamesa High School in 1926 and who played here for several seasons furnish the opposition.

Mr. McCollum, Tornado coach, was Bardin's coach while he was in Lamesa more than ten years ago, and fans of that time remember how Bardin played end or any position in which he was needed and how when afflicted with seven boils on his leg he insisted on playing against Big Spring and the mighty smashing game he played. Jim continued his career in Sul Ross, making an outstanding record there for the four year period. The pupil-teacher angle of this game adds considerable to the local interest.

The local coaches have had to deal with training of substitutes because of the inroads made by severe colds and influenza in the team membership. The team was considerably crippled by these ailments at Hobbs last week and it is hoped that each player will be fully recovered before Friday night's game.

News items appearing in the daily papers from the Class A District state that McCamey is decidedly strong with speed, passes and defense and that they have chances of winning their district against Sweetwater, San Angelo, Colorado, and Big Spring. The local boys are priming themselves for a real battle as football games go and want to determine now if they have any chance against the best teams in this section.

The game begins on the newly lighted field at 7:45 and preparations are being made for a large attendance.

### Football Plan For Class B, District 3

Lamesa is now in Class B, District Three, instead of the District Two as it was last year. Spur, Matador, Paducah and Floydada were placed in Number Four District and thus the member schools in this district has been reduced.

The district is now divided into two halves, a North half and a South Half. Lamesa, Slaton, Brownfield, O'Donnell, Tahoka, and Post compose the schools in the southern half, while Levelland, Littlefield, Amherst, Ralls, Crosbyton, and Olton make up the membership in the north half.

The championship of the two divisions must be determined by a week before Thanksgiving and then the two champions meet for the purpose of determining the District Championship on Thanksgiving Day.

Sports writers are indicating that the competition is closer this year than usual because of the team losses and gains which have tended to even up the competition. They state that Lamesa lost some formidable material and that Coach McCollum is starting with a new crew but should finish toward the top in the south half. Levelland and Littlefield are classed now as the most likely contenders in the north half with the edge resting at this time with Levelland.

### Postal Receipts Show Increase

Gross receipts at the post office at Lamesa showed an increase for the quarter ending September 30 of this year of more than 16 per cent over receipts for the corresponding quarter of 1933, according to information furnished by postmaster J. D. Dyer this week. September quarter receipts in 1933 were \$3320.20 and in 1934, \$3856.15. He states that the volume of business is gradually increasing. The money order business is also reported very good, but Postal Savings Deposits on the decline.

### MR. McDONALD OF TECH EXTENSION DEPARTMENT TO BE HERE SATURDAY

Mr. G. F. McDonald of the Extension Department of Tech College, of Lubbock, will be in Lamesa, Saturday, October 6, at 10 o'clock at the Court House. He is here to meet students who are interested in taking extension work at Tech.

**Dancer at East Texas Rose Festival**



This graceful young lady above is Miss Gretta Connally, Tyler society girl, who will pay a unique tribute to the East Texas rose when she gives her "Rose Dance" at the East Texas Rose Festival in Tyler, October 11 and 12. She will dance at the coronation of the Rose Queen the night of October 11. (Texas News Photos.)

**In SOCIETY**

**Wedding of Miss Geneva Bowen and Carl Cox Announced**

The Fidelis Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church honored Miss Geneva Bowen with a seven o'clock dinner Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. R. R. Townsend, at which time the coming marriage of Miss Bowen to Mr. Carl Cox was announced.

The tables were very beautifully decorated. Plate favors were green bills bearing the words "Bowen and Cox, October 14." The guests arrived at seven, the delicious dinner being served immediately, after which a fro-tune telling cake was brought in. The honoree cut the cake and drew a boat, which foretells a wedding trip.

Shortly after dinner cup towels were embroidered by each girl present, during this time Mrs. A. G. Barnard sang and played, the theme song of the evening, "I'll Be Faithful."

Guests attending this lovely affair were Misses Edna Bedwell, Josephine Clement, Jewel Towns, Katie Lee Clement, Calous Ray, Opal Wortham, Minnie Cope, Opal McNew, Birdie Gorden, Bernice Williams, Opal McDonnell, Vivian Bryant, Josephine McWhorter, Ima Jeanne Umphreys, Gladys Barrett, Frankie Barrett, Alene Harrison, Maulee Bedwell, Jesse Hastings, Merle Shipp, the honoree, Mrs. Barnard, and Mrs. Townsend.

**Presbyterian W. M. S. In Regular Meeting**

The Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society met in their regular Monday meeting at the Manse with ten present. The meeting opened with a devotional led by Mrs. Eugene H. Surface, the theme being "The Soul is of Such Stuff That It Longs to Be Cared For." This was followed by the hymn, "God Will Take Care of You." The fourth chapter, "The Religious Life of the Japanese," of the study book "Christ and Japan," by Kagawa, was led by the Pastor.

A brief business meeting was held in which there was held a discussion of Rally Day, which is this coming Sunday.

After a time of social fellowship together, the Society adjourned to meet Monday the 8th, at the home of Mrs. J. W. Tipton.

**Pioneer Club Members Entertain Husbands**

Members of the Pioneer Club entertained their husbands and a few guests on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Day.

A delicious dinner was served consisting of fried chicken, cream gravy, vegetable salad, tomatoes, lettuce, radishes, hot rolls, apple pie with whipped cream and coffee.

Guests attending this enjoyable affair were Messrs. and Mesdames Dixie Kilgore, W. V. P. Baker, Buck Bennett, Walter Barfoot, Joe Barron, E. R. Yates, D. S. Day, Mrs. W. H. Bennett, Mrs. A. H. Gilliam and Mr. R. D. Simpson of Los Angeles, California.

**Mrs. Austin Entertains With Bridge Party**

Mrs. Rupert Austin entertained a few friends at her home on last Tuesday evening, at which time games of bridge were enjoyed. Miss Mary Cameron held high score at the conclusion of the games and Miss Gladys Alsbrook held low. Both were awarded prizes.

A most delicious refreshment plate was served to Misses Mary Cameron, Gladys Alsbrook, Nina Scott, Inez Paulk, Katie Lee and Josephine Clement. Melva Powers, Louise Billingsley, Wilma McMurtrey

Ruby Randals, Mesdames W. E. Cox Jr., and J. B. Tarleton Jr.

**Miss Louise Billingsley Entertains Tuesday**

Miss Louise Billingsley entertained with a bridge party at her home on Tuesday evening of this week.

At the conclusion of the games Mrs. Rupert Austin held the high score and Miss Melva Powers low, both receiving prizes.

Delicious refreshments of tuna fish, olives, potato chips and fruit punch were served to Misses Jetta Lee Conkline, Melva Powers, Katie Lee and Josephine Clement, Inez Paulk, Nina Scott, Mary Cameron, Ruby Randals, Gladys Alsbrook, Mesdames Bill Ridgeway and Rupert Austin.

**Recent Bride Honored With Shower**

Naming Mrs. Edward Kraus, who was before her marriage Miss Deola Herndon, as honoree, Mrs. C. P. Hendrix and Miss Mildred Medlin entertained with a miscellaneous shower last Tuesday afternoon at the Hendrix home.

The honoree received many beautiful gifts from the guests. Delicious refreshments of punch and nut cookies were served to about 40 guests.

**Attend Family Reunion In Blanco County**

On Sunday, September 2, nearly one hundred kinsmen, representing the Latham family, gathered at Camp Pedernales in Johnson City, Blanco County, for the purpose of holding a family reunion. The day was ideal for such an occasion, and long before the noon hour the beautiful pecan grove that fringe Shadow Lake became the scene of merrymaking by old and young, some of the crowd coming many miles to attend the happy occasion.

This was the first big family reunion of the Latham family that has been held in this section and while nearly a hundred people were on the grounds to enjoy the festivities of the day, there were many detained at home for various reasons and could not enjoy festivities of the day. But those that did attend enjoyed the day to the fullest extent and will long remember the pleasant time they had on the banks of the Pedernales river at Johnson City on the date mentioned.

At the noon hour well filled baskets of cakes and pies, salads and other tempting viands, were unpacked to supplement a feast of nice barbecued beef. After feasting various games were enjoyed by the young folks, some of the swimming, hiking, singing and having a good time in general. It was a very happy occasion, and one that will be repeated before many years roll by.

In the party were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lane, Mrs. Una Berger and Mrs. J. E. Pounds, Lamesa. —Johnson City Record-Courier.

**Sewing Club Meets With Mrs. Morris**

Mrs. O. H. Morris was hostess to members of the 1931 Sewing Club on last Friday afternoon at her home. After a most enjoyable afternoon spent in sewing a delicious refreshment plate consisting of sandwiches, congealed salad, olives, cake and tea were served to the club members.

The club will meet this coming Friday with Mrs. C. E. Sumner. The meeting will be a social.

Mrs. John Allen is visiting her sister this week in Crosbyton. Mrs. John Buhman of Seminole underwent an operation at a local hospital Tuesday. She is reported as doing nicely.

**Entertains With Party Friday Evening**

Miss Bernice Holcomb entertained with a party Friday evening, September 28th.

Guests attending were Louise Harp Mable Dean Sasser, Doris Day, Laura Dell Davis, Bobbie Gill, Billie Gill, Ed Scott, Buck Beeman, Howard Chumly and the hostess. They enjoyed various games and delicious refreshments of sandwiches, cake, and lemonade.

**Delphian Club To Observe Art Week**

The Delphian Club will again observe National Art week from October 15 to 20.

The Club is again asking the merchants to cooperate by arranging especially artistic window displays during that time and are also asking artists to arrange downtown display of their work.

Since the Delphians are studying Texas this year, on October 16, at 7:30 o'clock they will have a program on Texas Art at the club house and each member is asked to bring a guest.

It is planned to have an antique exhibit during art week, but owing to circumstances this exhibit will be held November 3. Full announcement will be given in next week's paper. Also prizes will be listed for this exhibit.

**TO THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF LAMESA**

To all young people of Lamesa between the ages of fifteen and twenty-five, who are not members of young people's organizations of other churches, the First Christian Church extends a cordial invitation which is to be organized next Sunday to meet and work with our group night, October 7, beginning at 7:30.

The first meeting will be held at the church. In the future some of the meetings will be held in home of the members, and some at appropriate places out of doors in the fall and next spring when the weather is favorable. About once a month, we shall plan a program to which all of the church and other visitors will be invited. Here are some of the things which will claim our attention in the regular Sunday night meetings: "Understanding Ourselves"; "How to Have and Be Friends"; "What Does It Mean to be a Christian"; "Crime and Punishment"; "Having a Good Time"; "Problems About the Bible"; all of these considered in the light of the teachings of Jesus. The group will add others to this list.

Due attention will be given to organization, worship, the working up of plays, music, and other activities. The group itself will have a vital part in planning and in making the plans work. We shall plan some social event about once a month.

If this sounds interesting and you would like to help make it go be at the church next Sunday night at 7:30. We'll start on time.

**PERSONALS**

Robert Koger, George Gable and Herbert Rule left Sunday afternoon for Lubbock where they will attend Tech. They were accompanied to Lubbock by Dick Collins and Misses Evelyn Burnside, Audene Ragan, Sybil Mitchell.

Miss Willie Belle Cleveland and Ed Hatch attended the Fair in Lubbock one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. P. Baker visited in Hobbs, N. M. for a short time Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Alley of Gail visited Misses Olive Meadors and Willie Belle Cleveland here Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Averlett returned home Sunday from a tour of the Federated Clubs of the Seventh District.

Marriage license were issued the past week to W. C. Clyatt and Miss Ruth Perry.

Mrs. T. B. Turner of Tyler has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. C. Canon this week.

Mrs. Morris Stark and Mrs. Guy Stark of Seminole were shopping in Lamesa Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Baldwin left Tuesday for a visit in Artesia, New Mexico. They will go from there to Roswell to attend the New Mexico State Fair.

Miss Ina Hooten spent the past week end in Lubbock the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Chick.

Mrs. Truman Campbell and son Truman Jr., returned Sunday from Lubbock.

Mrs. F. T. McCallum was a Lubbock visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oquin Meyers of McLean spent last week end here visiting relatives.

**LAMESA HI-LIFE**

Quite a number of pupils attended the football game at Hobbs, New Mexico last Friday afternoon when the Golden Tornadoes played there. Lamesa was not wholly without a rooting section.

The high school band and pep squads are rehearsing for the McCamey Badgers and Lamesa Golden Tornado contest next Friday night. The addition of a boys section to the pep squad and the acquisition of uniforms by the band coupled with the spirit and thoroughness of execution of their duties enables these groups to be attractive features of the out-of-doors program.

Rev. J. S. Aslin addressed the student body on Wednesday on "A Good Name" presenting much evidence and a strong argument on the advisability of such a choice, early in life, by the youth of today.

The Junior class presented an entertaining program on Thursday's assembly period. Depicting the types of modern young ladies, with their ideas of making a living or performing the duties of life, the class gave their fellow students cause for serious thought. There were some excellent vocal numbers by members of the class.

Mr. King was kind enough, with the help of the band members, to give a program of band music Tuesday morning.

Donald Burdine, whose nose was broken in the Hobbs game has shown improvement to the extent of removing the bandages.

Three pupils have their names on the drop list. One has quit school and two others have removed to other schools.

Gilliam Abbott has withdrawn to attend the Seminole school.

**Ballard Sunday School Elects New Officers**

The Sunday school and League elected new officers Sunday. For the Sunday school the following officers were elected: Mr. Aubrey White, superintendent; Mr. Clarence Davis, assistant superintendent; Miss Mary Bob Harrell, secretary and treasurer; Marcus Debnam, song leader; Verma White, pianist; Mrs. L. H. Carlton, Bible teacher; Mr. C. F. Cox, Victory class teacher (this class is composed of young married folks); Mrs. Floyd Woods, Faithful Workers teacher; Mr. Golden, intermediate teacher; Mrs. C. F. Cox, Willing Workers teacher; and Mrs. Yates, Sunbeam teacher.

The Senior League elected the following officers: Marcus Debnam, president; Mr. C. F. Cox, vice president; Bettie Porterfield, secretary and treasurer; Boner Standifer and Mrs. A. White, group captains.

The Intermediate League elected the following officers: Thomas Ward, president; Audine Summerlin, vice president; Earnestina Wintringham, secretary and treasurer; Edna Standifer, song leader; Mrs. Marcus Debnam, sponsor; A. H. Porterfield was appointed head of the program committee and Bobbie Lou Carlton head of the entertainment committee.—Reporter.

**MRS. V. O. KEY BREAKS ARM**

Mrs. V. O. Key fell while shopping at the Higginbotham-Bartlett Co., last Friday afternoon, breaking her right arm just above the wrist. She was rushed to a local doctor where her arm was set, and is now doing nicely.

Misses Laverne Carson, Evelyn Burnside and Vanabel Clark and Mr. Price were Big Spring visitors Saturday.

**Associational S. S. Meeting October 21**

Carl Esmond Associational Superintendent; First Church Lamesa, Host

A new organization among the Baptists of the Lamesa Association was created at the Annual Associational meeting at Fairview last month with Mr. Earl Esmond of Midway as the newly elected superintendent of the Lamesa Associational Sunday School Work. All the Sunday schools meeting in connection with the Baptist churches of the Association automatically become members of the new body and other officers will be elected at the first meeting to be Sunday, October 21st at three o'clock at the First Baptist Church, Lamesa.

The Sunday Schools of the Association have been grouped into five groups and a group superintendent will be elected to lead each group. Mr. Esmond will attend a two day meeting at Sweetwater the 11th and 12th of this month at which time the Sunday School workers of this part of the State will receive instructions in Sunday School work from J. N. Barnett of Nashville, Tenn., and Mr. J. S. Hopkins of Dallas, instructors for the two-day school. Mr. Esmond is anxious that every Sunday school sponsored by the Baptists of this association have representatives at this meeting on the 21st.

The District Missionary, Willis J. Ray of Big Spring has arranged a district wide Sunday School revival to be held from January 6 to 20th with State Secretary G. S. Hopkins of Dallas, leading. The churches of this association will all be in the revival the week of Jan. 13 to 19. Special workers will be trained to lead in each of the Sunday schools. The following program to be rendered at the meeting: 3:00 Model Sunday School Opening—presented by First Church, Lamesa.

3:15 Why the Associational S. S. Organization—Rev. Willis I. Taylor.

3:30 Report and Plans for the Work—Earl Esmond.

3:40 Election of officers.

4:00 Special music by First church Lamesa.

**NEW CARS REGISTERED**

New cars registered the past week were J. H. Collett, Ford Tudor; L. M. Reynolds, Ford Tudor; Jack Ladd Chevrolet Coupe; W. N. Cope, Chevrolet coupe; E. P. Vaughn, Chevrolet coach; and Earnest Rhodes, Chevrolet truck.

**ANTIQUE EXHIBIT TO BE HELD NOVEMBER THIRD**

On November 3rd the Delphian Club will sponsor an Antique Exhibit in a downtown location and all Dawson County is asked to take part. Watch next week's paper for further announcement and list of prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bean visited in Van Horn the past week end.

Mrs. Belle Ridgeway visited her sister, Mrs. McIlroy in Lubbock over the week end.

Charnel Ridgeway left Tuesday for Seattle, Washington where he will spend several weeks.

**MRS. M. F. DUFF IMPROVING AFTER SERIOUS FALL**

Mrs. M. F. Duff, who suffered a serious head injury in a fall at her home early last Thursday morning, is rapidly recovering and it is thought that she might be able to be up in a very short time.

Mrs. Duff, mother of Mrs. J. H. Pierce, was found practically unconscious on the floor of her home by a neighbor. She had fallen several hours earlier, cutting a deep gash in her head.

Mrs. Duff's many friends here are wishing for her a speedy recovery.

**SINGING SCHOOL TO CLOSE**

The singing school which has been in progress at Shumake, will close Friday night, October 5th, with a musical program. Musicians from neighboring communities are expected to be present. After the program a box supper is to be held. Everybody is invited to bring a box or be prepared to buy one.

Mrs. H. A. Gilliam and son Hilburn visited for a few days this week in Littlefield.



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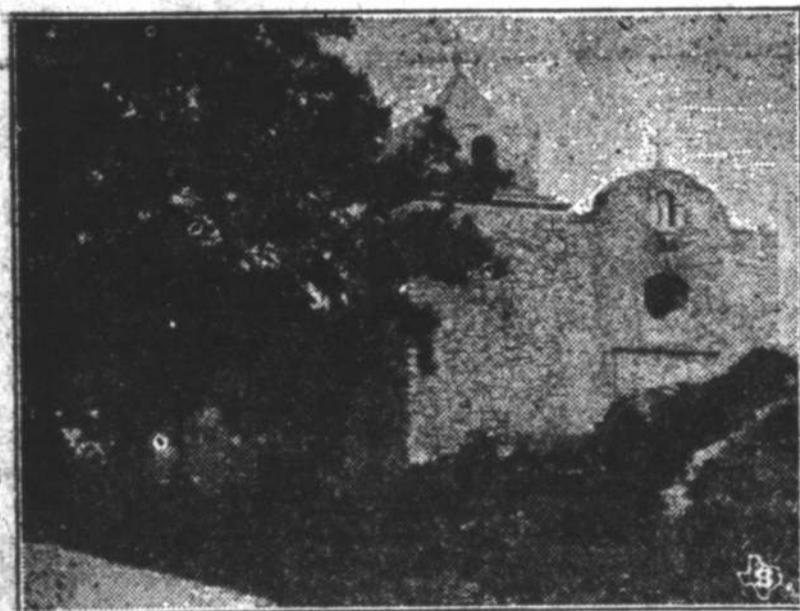
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### Texas History in the Making—No. 1



—Think—Talk—Write—Texas Centennial in 1936

Mission la Bahia, a few miles from Goliad, will ever remain a shrine of all Texans. The mission, pictured above, was built in 1749 and formed the nucleus of the settlement of Goliad, one of the three Spanish outposts in Texas at that time, the other two being Nacogdoches and Bexar, now San Antonio. Here in 1812, Magee gave Salcedo, Mexican general, his first taste of Anglo-Saxon war tactics and here Col. J. W. Fannin and his men surrendered honorably to Urrea, only to be slaughtered like dogs within sight of this mission. The massacre took place March 27, Palm Sunday, 1836, and of 357 Texans in that doomed band, only 27 escaped with their lives. Mission la Bahia is still used for worship today. (Texas News Photos.)

## Home Demonstration Club News Items

### TOMATO JUICE

In making tomato juice, care should be exercised in selecting sound, well ripened tomatoes because the juice is as good as the poorest of the tomatoes used in making the product. Remove the brown part of the core. Without peeling, run the tomatoes through a Sep-ro-siv which removes all seed, skin and woody portions of the tomato. Place the tomatoes on the stove and heat carefully to 180 degrees F. Pour the juice immediately into hot sterilized jars. Add 1 level teaspoon of salt to each pint. Seal and process in the hot water bath five minutes. Overheating tomato juice causes it to become watery and separate.

### FALL GARDEN HINTS

Lice are often troublesome in fall gardens but they can be practically avoided by planting Swiss Chard and the Shogoin lice-proof type of turnip which is practically immune to bug damage.

Tiny worms which attack young cabbage plants can be killed by the

following spray mixture thoroughly tested by the U. S. Department of Agriculture: 1-2 pound of Paris green and 1 pound of potash fish oil soap to 16 gallons of water. This spray can be applied to almost all easy vegetables that insects are feeding upon and will effect a safe control. There is not enough poison in the mixture to cause any damage to the human body, but it will kill the bugs.

Cabbage and lettuce seed should be started in a small plant bed in a protected spot for setting for the fall and winter garden. In three or four weeks the plants will be large enough for transplanting to the permanent location in the garden.

### HIGGINBOTHAM H. D. CLUB MET SEPTEMBER 26

The Higginbotham Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. L. M. Baxter September 26.

For our program we had a Bible lesson. Mrs. W. P. Cozart gave a talk on "Mothers of the Bible". Mrs. Daniel on "Wives of the Bible" and

Miss Bernice Hill on "Daughters of the Bible."

There were eleven members present and two new members were added to the roll.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Calhoun, October 10 at 2:30. Every lady is invited to meet with us. Miss Cox will give a demonstration.—Reporter.

### SPARENBERG H. D. CLUB MET SEPTEMBER 26TH

The members of the Home Demonstration Club at Sparenberg met Wednesday, September 26, with Mrs. E. J. Turner. Miss Cox was present and gave a demonstration on vegetable canning and making tomato juice.

After the luncheon hour we adjourned to meet again, Friday, October 12, for an all day meeting with our pantry demonstrator, Mrs. E. H. Lay.—Reporter.

### MCCARTY H. D. CLUB MEETS AT SCHOOL HOUSE

The McCarty Home Demonstration club met at the school house October 2, rendering a program with the Missionary Society. The subject for the program was "Community Life in Foreign Fields." The program was very interesting and enjoyed by all. After the benediction for the Missionary program was said by Mrs. Echols the club met in a business session.

The minutes were read and then roll was called. Sixteen members were present. New business was discussed. A librarian was elected in the person of Mrs. Robert Head. The group sang "Rock of Ages" and the meeting was adjourned by prayer led by Mrs. N. F. Peterson.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. George Hardesty, our pantry demonstrator, October 23rd.—Reporter.

### SHUMAKE H. D. CLUB MET SEPTEMBER 25TH

The Home Demonstration Club of Shumake met at the home of Mrs. J. W. A. Cox, Tuesday, September 25, with the president Mrs. J. B. Speck presiding. Members answered roll call with the name of their favorite author or book.

Mrs. S. R. Birswell was selected as Wardrobe Demonstrator.

An interesting business session was held after which a talk was made by Mrs. J. B. Speck on the importance of good books in the home. As stated by Mrs. Speck, children can be taught early in life to appreciate parents to see that their children are good books and it is the duty of the provided with them. Mrs. J. W. A. Cox spoke on supervised reading and of parents interest in the kin of reading matter in the hands of their children.

A joint session with Midway club will be held at the home of Mrs. J. B. Speck, Tuesday, October 9th. A

demonstration on canning tomato juice will be given by our agent Miss Madeline Cox. All members are urged to be present.—Reporter.

### BALLARD H. D. CLUB MET SEPTEMBER 27TH

Thursday, September 27, at 3 p. m., the Ballard Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Claud Wasson. Nine members were present. Mrs. W. S. Ray was elected club librarian.

Miss Cox, Home Demonstration Agent, gave a demonstration on making tomato juice.

The club did not have a meeting the first of the month on account of so many busy canning.—Reporter.

### MUNGER H. D. CLUB MET SEPTEMBER 28

The 4-H Club girls of the Munger community met Friday, September 28th at the school house with 21 members and 1 visitor present. Miss Cox was with us and made a very inspiring talk on bedroom improvement. Every girl is urged to make some improvements in her bedroom to make it attractive. Miss Cox also told of some of the work we would do on our gardens, making tile hot beds, etc. We are planning to have a party or picnic at our next regular meeting which will be Friday October 12.—Reporter.

### HANCOCK H. D. CLUB MET WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 26

At the Hancock Home Demonstration Club Wednesday afternoon, Miss Madeline Cox, Home Demonstration Agent, explained how tomato juice might be standardized for the market by club members.

The tomato juice demonstration was given using the Sep-ro-Siv for extracting the juice from the cold tomato. The finished tomato juice retained the natural fresh tomato flavor and color.

We are sorry that all the members could not be present. The club will meet again October 10th. Everyone is urged to be present.—Reporter.

### KLONDIKE H. D. CLUB MET SEPTEMBER 27TH

The Home Demonstration Club of Klondike learned some interesting facts about the women of the Bible at their regular meeting Thursday, September 27th. After the roll call which was answered with either the names of women from the Bible or a quotation from the Bible, Mrs. Cornett gave an interesting talk on the mothers of the Bible. In the absence of Mrs. G. W. Thorp, who was to have reported on the wives of the Bible, various members of the club contributed to that part of the program. Mrs. E. F. Self discussed the daughters of the Bible.

After the program the club voted to present a play to raise funds for

printing the year books. It was also decided that the club would make a quilt to sell also.

It was reported that approximately forty pounds of cheese had been made by various members of the club.

Four new names were added to the club roll. At present the club has 33 members enrolled.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. Tuckness and Mrs. Davison served the club members with delicious sandwiches and hot tea.

The next regular meeting will be held Thursday, October 11, at two o'clock, at which time Miss Cox will give a demonstration on the use and preservation of tomatoes.—Reporter.

### WILSON H. D. CLUB MET WITH MRS. LEWIS

The Wilson Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. S. D. Lewis last Thursday, October 11, at two o'clock and one visitor. In the morning Miss Cox demonstrated on canning okra, butter beans and tomato juice. The ladies served a nice dinner. In the afternoon Miss Cox demonstrated on cheese making. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. B. Anderson on Thursday, October 4th.—Reporter.

### GIRLS 4-H CLUB ORGANIZED AT HIGGINBOTHAM

The girls of the Higginbotham community met at the school house and organized a 4-H Club. The following officers were elected: President, Vaurine Milliken; secretary and treasurer, Marie House; Reporter, Mary Smith.

We would be glad to have all the girls of this community to join us in this work.

The next meeting will be at the school house on Wednesday morning October 10.—Reporter.

### H. D. CLUB OF MUNGER MET WITH MRS. GREER

The Munger Womens Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. Jim Greer on Friday, September 28, with 14 members present.

Miss Madeline Cox, our H. D. agent, gave an interesting demonstration on canning tomato juice. She explained fully how we might next year, standardize the tomato juice for commercial purposes.—Reporter.

### President of Texas Last To Hear of Texas' Victory

Dallas, Sept. 29. (Special)—Details of how the President of Texas was notified of the decisive victory, gained at San Jacinto, a battle that realized the independence of Texas, in connection with the Centennial, constitutes an interesting sidelight which in 1936 will be commemorated

in celebrations at San Antonio, Goliad, Houston, Brenham, Nacogdoches, Huntsville Dallas and cities associated with the early history of the State.

David G. Burnet, the first provisional President of Texas, for safety's sake had moved with several members of his cabinet to Galveston Island, and while the battle took place April 21, 1936, the President did not learn of the victory until six days later.

News of the victory was carried by Robert J. Calder, who commanded Company K in Burleson's regiment in the battle, and Judge B. C. Franklin, accompanied by two soldiers. Their only means of transportation was a leaky skiff, which they rowed and towed, sleeping at night with difficulty and having a hard time getting anything to eat.

On the fifth day, they rowed along side the war schooner "Invincible", the commander of which fired a cannon three times to celebrate the news of victory. The messengers par took liberally of the best liquor on the ship and then were taken to the "Independence", the flagship of Commodore Hawkins, who fired a cannon thirteen times in celebration and winned and dined the messengers. He then advised them to go and tell President Burnet the news, which the executive received in his tent the sixth day after the battle. It is said that the President was "miffed" that everybody knew that the victory had been won before he was informed.

### ON TEXAS FARMS

R. J. Kornfuehrer of Weestache community still forges ahead along the land to greater poultry profits. Credit for getting "Richard" started in the right way should go to his brother-in-law, Max Weise a poultry demonstrator.

The demonstration chain seems endless; Max Weise got his start from his brother, Willie Weise, the first poultry demonstrator in the neighborhood.

Anyway, Mr. Kornfuehrer started from scratch with a few mongrel buff leghorn hens from two to eight years old which roosted in trees, lived on a diet of corn and plenty of fresh air and succeeded in laying perhaps 70 eggs per year.

Mr. Kornfuehrer now is the proud possessor of 280 pullets of this year raising and 150 yearling hens all of outstanding breeding.

He has consistently fed them in the proper manner since breaking away from the old regime, kept them free of body parasites and given them a dosing once or twice a year with gasoline for intestinal worms.

The next thing in order is another 20 by 30 foot house built strictly A and M way to supplement his first A and M house of the same dimensions.

Arthur Duff of Seminole was a Lamesa visitor Monday.

# Correspondence From Rural Communities of County

## BALLARD

Lela Seals spent the week end visiting in the C. A. Summerlin home. Mrs. Alvin Hawkins and daughter of Key visited her mother Mrs. L. H. Carlota over the week end.

The party at C. F. Cox's Saturday night was well attended and a good time was reported.

The basketball boys played Weaver team Wednesday at Weaver and won by a score of 14 to 7. The girls team played Woody team at Woody Friday and was also victorious by a score of 4 to 1.

Audine Summerlin and Lucille Priddy visited Bobbie Lou Carlton Sunday.

Jean Yates spent Thursday night with Gloria Dean and Darlene Moore. Billie Jean Neill visited school Tuesday.

Jack and Don Mundell and Junior Cox visited Jessie Duffie Sunday.

## HIGGINBOTHAM

Mrs. Archie Young of Conroe is visiting relatives here.

Clarence ones of Roscoe is visiting his sister Mrs. C. L. McDaniel.

John Stanford and Buck Gandy went to New Mexico and went thru Carlsbad Cavern last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pounds visited their daughter Mrs. Mitchell of Seagraves Saturday and Sunday.

Sunday school was fairly well attended. Everyone come next Sunday and bring some one with you. Rev. Gentry will preach both Sunday morning and night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cook of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. James of Sparenberg visited Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Archer Tuesday.

## FIVE MILE

The services at church Sunday were well attended.

A party at Tyler's Saturday night was enjoyed by the young folks.

Several from here enjoyed the Lubbock Fair.

Many from here enjoyed the party at Cornetts at Klondike Monday night.

Sunday is singing evening. Everyone come.

Several of this community left the past week for Lubbock, where they will attend Tech.

Eva Fambrough spent Sunday in the Fairview community.

The boys have a basketball game matched for Friday afternoon with Sparenberg. Everyone come.

A few from this community attended the basketball games at Klondike Tuesday night.

A few that attended the Lubbock Fair were: Misses Clovis Wright, Ava Nell Gordon, Sammie Leamon and Bud Cornett of Lamesa, and Cleburne Shofner.

George Cornett and family took dinner in the home of his father Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Leonard spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Willie Scott of Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McBrayer, Mr. and Mrs. William Fry, Mrs. Willie Webb and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fry spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fry.

## FAIRVIEW

Church was well attended Sunday morning and B. Y. P. U. Sunday night.

Mrs. W. E. Crump and daughter, Mrs. Rudine Damerion, spent Saturday with Mrs. J. F. Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Hero Mitchell.

Miss Luna Sutton spent Sunday with Miss Winifred Hatcher.

Mrs. Silkstone, Jack and Eva Fambrow, J. R. Tipton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cox and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn and Thelma Parks and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. O'Brien were all visiting in the Riley Miller home Sunday.

Mr. O. L. Harp has returned home from New Mexico.

Miss Orene Hancock of Lamesa has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Verney Towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Weeks visited Mr. and Mrs. Loys Doremam Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Tipton visited Mrs. Pauline Raney Wednesday evening.

## MT. OLIVE

Sunday School and League were well attended Sunday and Sunday night.

Several from here attended the laymen's meeting at McCarty Sunday.

There was no school Friday due to repair work being done on the school building.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Whitehead and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Adcock and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore of Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Leath Bartlett and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bartlett in the Bartlett community Sunday.

## SHUMAKE

The singing school was well attended this week and last.

There was a good attendance at League Sunday night.

Everyone is invited to the box supper Friday night, October 5th. All the girls are asked to bring a box and the boys a pocketfull of money.

School is progressing nicely in this community.

The H. D. Club will meet with Mrs. J. B. Speck on the second Tuesday in this month.

Ethan and Mabel Skeen spent Saturday night with S. D. Skeen and family.

Jeanetta and Edsell Sutfen visited Jeanetta's parents over the week end.

Mrs. Plew, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Skeen and Rhuey Ruth Skeen visited Mr. and Mrs. Ethan Skeen of Elrod ranch Sunday.

Several of this community went to Trades Day Monday.

## HAGIN

Sunday school was well attended Sunday.

Miss Mattie Booth and Ade Pennington were married in Lovington last week. All their friends wish them a long and happy married life.

Mr. Pennington's daughter of Meadow visited him Sunday.

Roscoe and Alvis Taylor of Brownfield were in this community Sunday.

S. C. Brock and family of Hobbs, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown of Munger and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wilson of Sunset were visitors in the C. F. Brock home Sunday.

## SUNSET

Rev. Leroy Smith is now our pastor. He was called some time ago.

Robert Wilson, who has been in a CCC camp the past six months returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vinson Chapman had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Chapman of Five Mile, Mrs. Paul Minnix and children of Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lee have been visiting their daughter and husband.

Frank Stringer went to Lubbock Saturday to visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown of Munger spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wilson.

Bill Smith of Higginbotham, Joe and Jeff Stringer, Odessa, Raymond and Vernell and C. V. Wilson, J. V. Calhoun, Albert Knox spent a few hours in the Payton home Saturday night.

Mrs. M. E. Wilson is spending this week with her granddaughter, Mrs. Clyde Brock of Hagin.

Alvin and Rudolph Minnix of Loveland attended Sunday school and BYPU here Sunday.

Rev. Leroy Smith will Preach every third Sunday of each month at the church. Everyone come out to hear his sermons.

## SPARENBERG

Earl Forrest of the CCC camp in Arizona has been visiting his parents for the past ten days.

Murphy Bradford returned home last week from Monahans where he has been at work for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pruitt and Mrs. E. O. French and their children returned home Tuesday from a visit with relatives at Corsicana.

E. J. Turner was in Andrews on business the first of the week.

Miss Ruth Plunkett of Big Spring is visiting friends here this week.

Clarence Eakin, Monroe Davis and J. M. Trice Jr., arrived home last Monday from California where they have been working the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lauderdale spent Sunday with Mrs. Lauderdale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mabry.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Freeman had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Womack and children of Balingier. Mrs. Womack is a sister of Mr. Freeman's.

John Flache left Monday for Lubbock where he will attend school this winter.

Mrs. G. C. Shortes and little daughters of Forsan spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Trice.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Andrews and son Cowger, former residents of this community visited with friends here Sunday.

## WOODY

Sunday school and BYPU were well attended Sunday.

The Fifth Sunday Singing convention met here Sunday with a large crowd of visitors as well as home folks in attendance. Lunch was served at noon.

Mrs. J. L. Morris is ill with flu.

Our H. D. Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Buck Phillips. Miss Cox gave a demonstration on canning tomato juice.

Mrs. C. W. Morris visited Mrs. D. L. Adcock who is ill, Tuesday afternoon.

Gov. and Mrs. Eldridge visited Mrs. Adcock Monday afternoon.

The Women's Missionary Society will meet at 10 o'clock Tuesday, October 9, in the home of Mrs. Faires. Travis Key and G. C. Clift Jr., are at home after teaching a singing school at Fairview.

## WILSON

Sunday school was not so well attended Sunday. We urge more people to come each Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Murphy and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Norris spent Saturday night and Sunday in Lubbock.

There was a good crowd at the penny social Friday night. There was something over fourteen dollars made which will go on the church fund.

There will be a box supper at the Wilson school house Friday night, October 5, everyone is invited. All girls and women bring a box and all men and boys bring a pocket full of money.

The W. M. U. ladies will have their food sale at Wilkes Grocery, Saturday, October 6. Pies, cakes, chicken and candy will be for sale.

L. D. Ham and family visited Frank Wright and family of Five Mile Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrl Flenniken visited in New Mexico the past week end.

## KEY

Mrs. Berrymon and son Lewis of Winters visited Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Stricklin last week.

A crowd of young folks visited Mrs. H. E. Kerby and children Saturday night.



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The Gail basketball boys team came over Friday afternoon and was defeated by the Key boys.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bryan of O'Donnell and Miss Jewel Towns of Lamesa visited Mr. and Mrs. Jene Towns Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Grissom visited relatives in Dickens county last week.

Frank Hoyt is home again after spending the summer in different places.

Miss Fay Brooks visited school one day last week.

Misses Mary Kate Straicklin, Jimmie Southard, Odessa Holt and Lily Mae Whitmire who are attending school in town were home over the week end.

## MIDWAY

Howard Moore and family returned home Sunday after an extended visit with relatives in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Thompson visited relatives in Jones county this week.

Mrs. Taylor Bedwell of Liberty was a pleasant visitor in this section Thursday.

The young folks enjoyed a party at the home of T. L. Shults Saturday night. All reported a fine time.

Elmo Brown and family of Lamesa were visitors in this community Sunday.

Mrs. Vera Weir and little daughter Imogene spent the week end with her father W. C. Speck of Lamesa.

Vesper Love and family returned home Saturday after a cotton picking tour in Howard county.

## LOYOLA

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Davidson visited H. A. Duke and wife Sunday afternoon.

The bean prospects are good here if the frost will delay its coming long enough.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Johnson of Dallas are here visiting Mrs. A. R. Duke.

Mrs. Monroe Robinson and children visited her sister Mrs. Clyde Raines at Smackover last week end.

Miss Herma Duke went to Lubbock Saturday to enter Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Duke, Mrs. Lola, Herma and Tommie Duke attended the Lubbock Fair Saturday.

Hubert Benton is working at Wilson for Robert Kelly.

Tommie Duke went to Big Spring Monday morning to enter the CCC camp there.

Mrs. Bonnie Bryant has returned home since spending a few days visiting her brother in Lubbock.

Homer Ezell of Mt. Vernon is here visiting his sister, Mrs. H. Davis.

Robert Koger went to Lubbock

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## WEAVER

Roy Cates came home Monday.

Weaver enjoyed a basket ball game Wednesday with Ballard. The scores were 14 to 5 in favor of Ballard.

Mr. Tolbert was carried to Lubbock Thursday to be operated on.

Several around here are sowing wheat and oats.

Weaver girls and boys went to Richardson Friday and enjoyed a basketball game. Girls scores were 41 to 6 in favor of Weaver and the boys was 15 to 3 in favor of Richardson.

Mr. Cates gave a dance Friday night in honor of Ray, his oldest boy's birthday.

George Sturdivant spent Friday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Sturdivant.

Miss Berta Nell Borland, Wrenza Biggerstaff and Buck Kirksey spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Biggerstaff and children spent Sunday with the Borland family.

## ACKERLY

Miss Edna Pearl Nelson entertained the two Spanish classes of Ackerly high school with a social in the home of Othella Chilton Thursday evening.

Interesting games were played thru out the evening. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and lemonade were served.

Several from Ackerly attended the Fifth Sunday program at Soash.

Joe Moore and family and Roscoe Moore took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Creswell.

Thelma and Dean Hambrick took supper with Lois and Wilson Hannah Sunday evening.

The Ackerly High Eagles won their first game of the season when they played Lakeview Friday afternoon. The scores were 12 and 5.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bryant visited Mr. Sykes Sunday.

## KLONDIKE

Sunday school was not so well attended Sunday on account of the Fifth Sunday singing at Woody. Several of the people went over there.

Grandpa Thorp is seriously ill at the home of his son, G. W. Thorp. We hope for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Eoff and G. H. Hyatt have been visiting in Jones county the past week.

Lottie Self visited Marie Duff Sunday.

Silva Harris spent the night with Louise Foster Saturday night.

Ruth Slatton visited Josephine McCulloch Sunday.

Klondike school begins Monday. It has been closed the past four weeks for the children to help gather the crops.

A large number of people visited in the G. W. Thorp home Sunday.

## PATRICIA

The school has turned out for cotton picking. It will start back in three weeks.

Miss Lola, Iran and Esie McWhirter have returned to their home at McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Latson and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Latson of McCamey spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Latson and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Nedra Folkner have moved back to Patricia and will operate a filling station.

The school bus took a good many to the circus at Big Spring.

Opal McReynolds has gone to Lubbock where she will attend Tech this fall.

Baptist services were held at the school house Sunday and Sunday night. They had a good crowd.

The 4-H club will meet at Mrs. Carmichaels. Miss Cox will give a demonstration on tomato juice making and vegetable canning.



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"It just happened. She swung and struck him across the head. Blood spurted. Fury was as swift as a second blow, and snatching the thing it was fastened in, she dragged her other hand over her back. She began a furious struggle. His mouth was still open but he was a moment too weak, but of a maddened blood her lips, kisses. Suddenly she arms. The sheing—pierced with a smile more than bitter was. There was blood on her cheeks; other alabaster. "I think I'm with you—and from men went on, huskily a lesson to you. crazy to come. Go home. Lie. Make him shortly." She wiped the and then shuddered. "You—did that she presently was as if fascinated. "Get on your of me," he or Miss Helen He. Don't tell your you till after I do I'll kill him. She left a gloom. Jim made no effort horse had grazed when he counted Miss E. Jim let advance before. The excess of leaving him glad the issue for him. It actually desired eyes of this girl one of a robber. But he was no a thief made a feeling about y he could not co but that in no feelings. Stran in love with H. She rode on without looking gaze appeared. The ranch-ho Herrick saw it to let Jim cat. "Can you tell me the truth?" "I have not!" "That—that was it honest?" "Miss Herrick swear by it. Mother! I sw that I never d—I looked up. close. Your them." They went e as far as the again. "I believ on a tremor though it was deeply stirred, excusable, un not have stru. . . That, and me, perhaps. . . I shall Star ranch." For an inst upon the ver her change scrutable gene was good with "Miss Herr must leave." only a wande and—a memb And I was m with you. . . home to Eng do that—nere He spurred down the road the court, in the brook. Spect group of down the ro They bestroo there was th Jim sharply Smoky's outf Hays stood bareheaded, if to anchor at his hips, up ruffled lik "Hub! Th nat" follow

# ROBBERS' ROOST

By ZANE GREY

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"It just happened. I—I don't know—"  
She swung her leather quirt and struck him across the mouth. The blood spurted. The leap of Jim's fury was as swift. He half intercepted a second blow, which stung his neck, and snatching the quirt from her hand he flung it away. Then his iron clutch fastened in her blouse. One lunge dragged her out of the saddle. He wrapped his other arm around her and bent her back so quickly that when she began a furious struggle it was too late.

His mouth had pressed on hers stilled any but smothered cries. There was a moment's wrestling. She was so weakling, but she was in the arms of a maddened giant. Repeatedly he kissed her lips, long, hard, passionate kisses.

Suddenly she collapsed heavily in his arms. The shock of that—its meaning—pierced Wall with something infinitely more imperious and staggering than bitter wrath. He let go of her. There was blood on her lips and cheeks; otherwise her face was like alabaster.

"I think I must have been in love with you—and wanted to protect you—from him worse than myself," he went on, huskily. "I hope this will be a lesson to you. . . . Your brother was crazy to come here—crazier to let you come. Go home! Go before it's too late. I'll make him go. He will be ruined shortly."

She wiped the blood from her cheeks, and then shudderingly from her lips. "You—did that—to frighten me?" she presently whispered, in horror, yet as if fascinated by something loomingly. "Get on your horse and ride ahead of me," he ordered, curtly. "Now, Miss Helen Herrick, one last word: Don't tell your brother what I did to you till after I'm gone. . . . If you do I'll kill him!"

She left a glove lying on the ground. Jim made no effort to recover it. His horse had grazed a few paces away, and when he had reached him and mounted Miss Herrick was in her saddle. Jim let her get a few rods in advance before he followed.

The excess of his emotion wore off, leaving him composed, and sternly glad the issue had developed as it had. The situation had become intolerable for him. It mocked him that he had actually desired to appear well in the eyes of this girl. How ridiculous that one of a robber gang should be vain! But he was not conscious that being a thief made any difference in a man's feeling about women. He knew that he could not command respect or love; but that in no wise inhibited his own feelings. Strange, he had indeed fallen in love with Helen Herrick.

She rode on slowly down the ridge without looking to right or left. Her gaze appeared to be lowered.

The ranch-house came in sight. Miss Herrick saw it and halted a moment, to let Jim catch up with her.

"Can you be gentleman enough to tell me the truth?" she asked.

"I have not lied to you," replied Jim. "That—that first time you kissed me was it honestly unpremeditated?"

"Miss Herrick, I don't know what to swear by. Dot, yes, I have. My mother! I swear by memory of her that I never dreamed of insulting you—I looked up. There your face was close. Your lips red! And I kissed them."

"They went on for perhaps ten paces, as far as the road, before she spoke again. "I believe you," she said, without a tremor of the rich, low voice, though it was evident her emotion was deeply stirred. "Your action was inexcusable, unforgivable. But I should not have struck you with the whip. . . . That, and your passion to frighten me, perhaps justified your brutality. . . . I shall not tell. . . . Don't leave Star ranch."

For an instant Jim felt as if he were upon the verge of a precipice. But her change from revulsion to inscrutable generosity called to all that was good within him.

"Miss Herrick, I'm sorry, but I must leave," he replied, sadly. "I'm only a wandering rider—a gunslinger—and a member of a gang of robbers. And I was mad enough to fall in love with you. . . . Forget it. . . . Go home to England. But if you won't do that—never ride out alone again."

He spurred his horse and galloped down the road, by the barns and across the court, into the lane that led along the brook. Suddenly he espied a compact group of mounted riders coming down the road beyond Hays' cabin. They bestrade bays and blacks, and there was that about them which drew Jim sharply up with a fiery thrill. Smoky's outfit!

Hays stood at in front of the cabin, bareheaded, his legs spread apart as if to anchor himself solidly, his hands at his hips, his sandy hair standing up ruffled like a mane. "Huh! The boss isn't mad. Oh, nah!" murmured Jim. "Small won-

der. Smoky's outfit has busted loose, or is going to—Well, now, I've a hunch there's luck in this for me."

Jim made for the bridge and, crossing, looked up to see the horses of Smoky's outfit standing, bridles down, and the riders up on the porch. Jim mounted the steps.

Hank Hays sat upon the bench, his shaggy head against the wall, his pale eyes blazing at the row of men leaning on the porch rail.

Smoky was lighting a cigarette, not in the least perturbed, but his eyes had a hard, steely gleam. Brad Lincoln sat back on the rail, eyeing the chief with a sardonic grin. Mac appeared more than usually ghoulish; Bridges and Sparrowhawk Latimer betrayed extreme nervousness.

"Hello, men. What's the mix? Am I in or out?" returned Jim, sharply.

"I reckon you're in," replied Smoky. "Hank is the only one that's out. . . . Hyar, Jim, ketch this." He drew a dark green bundle from a bulging pocket and tossed it to Jim—a large, heavy roll of greenbacks tied with a buckskin thong.

"Yours on the divvy, Jim," went on Smoky. "Don't count it now. There's a heap of small bills inside an' if you untie them hyar there'll be a mess. But it's a square divvy to the last dollar."

"That's a hefty roll, Smoky, for a man to get for nothing," observed Jim, dubiously.

He then noticed that a roll of bills, identical with the one he had just received, lay on the floor.

"You double-crossed me!" burst out Hays, at length.

"Wal, that's accordin' to how you look at it," retorted Smoky. "Things came up at Grand Junction. We seen some of Heeseeman's outfit. They're onto us, or will be pronto. So we jest took a vote, an' every one of us stood for one big drive instead of small drives. An' we made it. Your buyers says they was short of money an' would pay twelve dollars a head. Talk about robbers! Wal, I took that an' said I liked it. . . ."

"You disobeyed orders."

"Put it up to Jim, hyar. What do you say, Jim?"

Thus appealed to, Jim addressed Hays point-blank.

"Smoky's right. If you meant to clean out Herrick, that was the way to do it."

"Aw—shore, you'd side with them!" "I wouldn't do anything of the kind if I thought they were wrong," retorted Jim, angrily. Here was a chance to inflame Hays that he jumped at. If the robber could be drawn into a fight, when his own men were against him, the situation for the Herricks could be made easier for the present.

"You'd better shet up."

"I won't shet up, Hays. Someone has to tell you. And I'm that fellow. There's no hand out against you in this outfit. Never heard of a bunch of riders who'd work like dogs while the boss was twiddling his thumbs and talking mysterious."

"I ain't ready to leave Star ranch an' now I'll have to!"

"Why ain't you ready?" queried Smoky, curiously. "Our work's all done. We've cleaned out the ranch, except for a few thousand head. We've got the long green. You ought to be tickled to death."

"I'm not through here," replied the robber.

"Smoky, why don't you ask Hays what this mysterious deal is?" queried Jim, sarcastically.

From a cornered lion Hays degenerated into a cornered rat. Jim sank a little in his boots while his upper muscles corded.

"Hank, what's got into you?" queried Smoky.

"Smoky, the boss is up a tree," said Jim, caustically. "He means to rob Herrick all right. But that's only a blind. It's the girl!"

"That gold-headed gurl we seen you drivin' hyar?"

"Yes, Herrick's sister."

"Haw! Haw! So that's what's eatin' you, Hank?"

Hays had reached his limit and probably, but for Smoky's mirth, would have started hostilities. He hesitated, but there was a deadly flare in the eyes he had fixed on Wall.

Smoky got between them. "See hyar, Hank. So that's the deal? An' you'd do fer pore Jim hyar jest because he's onto you? . . . Wal, if you're so keen as that to draw on somebody, why, make it me. I started this. I dragged Jim into it. An' I ain't goin' to let you take it out on him."

Then Hank Hays came back to himself.

"Jim's right, Smoky, you're right," he declared, hoarsely. "I'm bullheaded. . . . An' I've lost my bull head over Herrick's sister."

"There. Spoke up like a man," declared Smoky, heartily relieved. "Why didn't you come that clean long ago?"

Neither Jim nor me nor any of us blame you fer admirin' that gurl. And if you'd gone crazy, an' dragged her away into the brakes with us, we'd quit you cold."

Hays bent to pick up the roll of bills.

"Fall to, men. I've got to do some tall thinkin'," he said, and left them. Before they were half finished with their supper Hays entered.

"We're shakin' the dust of Star ranch tonight," he said, deliberately. "Pack up an' leave at once. I'll come later. If I don't meet you at Smoky's camp I'll meet you shore at midday in the cedar grove above the head of Red canyon."

No one asked any more questions or made any comments. Whatever they thought about Hays' peculiar way of leading his band they kept to themselves. Jim Wall was not greatly relieved, still he concluded that Hays must abandon any plot he might have concocted toward Herrick's sister. At any rate whatever was in Hays' mind Jim could not further risk alienating him or his men. Jim would have to ride out with them. If he stayed behind to spy upon Hays or frustrate any attempt he might make to call upon the Herricks, he would have to kill Hays.

Dusk was mantling the valley when Jim went out. Under the bench the shadows were dark. From the shelter of the pines he looked for Hays, expecting to find him standing guard. But the robber was not on the porch. He was stalking to and fro along the brook, and he was no more watching for Heeseeman than was Jim. His bent form, his stride, his turning at the end of his beat, his hands folded behind his back—all attested to the mood of a gloomy, abstracted, passion-driven man.

Whereupon Jim repaired to his covert, rolled his bed and made a pack of his other belongings. What to do with the two packages of bills, this last of which was large and clumsy for his pockets, was a puzzle. By dividing the two into four packets he solved it. Then he carried his effects down to the cabin. All was cheery bustle there. The men were glad to get away from Star ranch. They talked of the robbers' roost Hays had always promised them, of idle days to eat and drink and gamble, of the long months in hiding.

"Wal, you all ready?" queried Hays, appearing in the doorway.

"Yep, an' bustin' to go."

"On second thought I'd like one of you to stay with me. How about you, Latimer?"

"All right," declared Sparrowhawk.

In a few more minutes all the men leaving were mounted. The pack animals, with packs gray against the darkness, straggled up the trail.

"Wait at your camp till sunup," said Hays, conclusively. "An' if I'm not there I'll meet you about noon shore at head of Red canyon."

Without more words or ado Smoky led off behind the pack horses, and the five riders followed. Once across the brook all horses took a brisk trot. Jim Wall looked back. Then he saw a bright light on the bench. That was from Herrick's house. An unfamiliar sensation, like a weight of cold lead in his breast, baffled Jim. He knew he was glad never to see Helen Herrick again.

About midnight Smoky turned the pack animals up the slope into the woods, and after a mile of rough going emerged into an open canyon head.

"Hyar we air," said Smoky. "Throw things an' git to sleep. I'll stand first guard."

Jim unrolled his bed beside a rock, and pulling off his boots and unbuckling his gun belt he crawled under the blanket.

Crack of ax and Happy Jack's voice pierced his slumber, both recognized before he opened his eyes. Jim sat up, stretched, and reaching for his boots he gazed around. The men were stirring, two around the camp fire and others among the horses.

"Wal, long past sunup," said Smoky, as Jim approached the fire. "Who was it bet Brad that Hank wouldn't show up?"

"Nobody," replied Lincoln.

"Jim, suppose you take your rifle an' sneak down an' knock over a deer," suggested Smoky.

Three hundred yards down the slope Jim emerged into the open. There were no riders on the winding, white trail.

Stealthily working back into the timber he soon espied two deer about sixty paces distant, long ears erect. He killed the buck standing.

Upon his return to camp Smoky greeted him with a grin.

"How far to Red canyon?" asked Jim.

"I don't know. About fifteen miles. Don't you remember that heavy grove of cedars leadin' down into a red hole?"

"Reckon I do. If Hays joins us there it'll mean he comes by another trail, doesn't it?"

"If! So you figger he might not? Course he'd come around the mountain, or maybe over another pass. He shore knows trails that we don't."

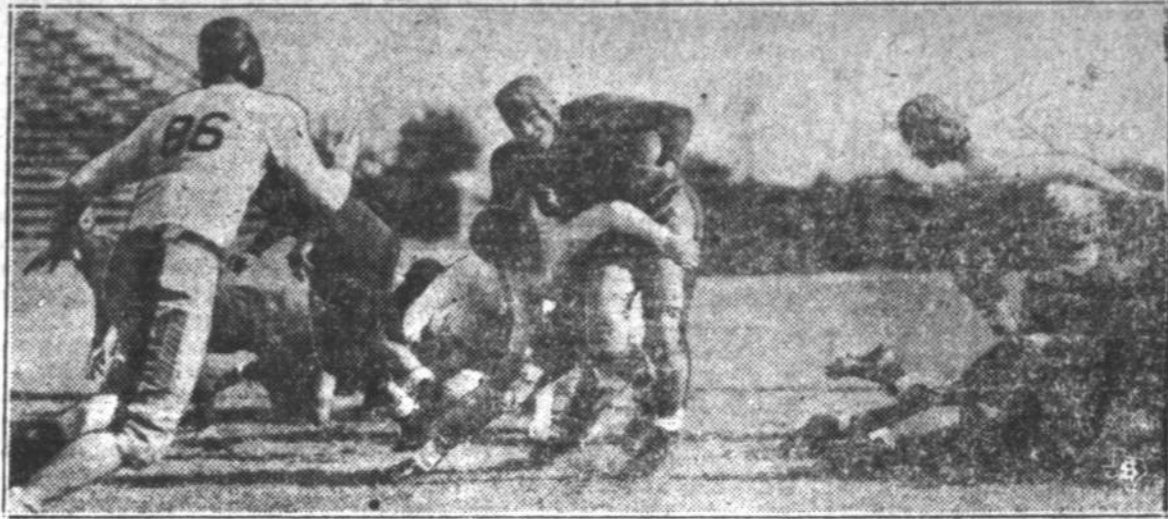
"Aw, Hank'll show up on time."

"Wonder if he stayed back to plug Heeseeman? He hates that rustler."

In less than an hour the riders were on the move down the mountain. Packing on the deer Jim had slain occasioned a little delay for all, because Smoky kept them close together. At the edge of the timber belt he halted them again while he peeped out to reconnoiter. Then he called: "Come hyar, a couple of you long-sighted fellers."

They all rode out to join him, where he sat his horse, pointing to a faint

## Football Comes to Texas Again—Ponies Smother Denton



Football is here again. And here is the first football picture of the year, showing diminutive Bobby Wilson, stellar S. M. U. back, ripping through the North Texas State Teachers. The final score was 33 to 0, with the Mustangs on top. Texas University at the same time was winning a close game from Texas Tech at Lubbock 12 to 6. Rice topped Loyola at New Orleans, 12-0; Texas A. and M. romped on the Sam Houston Teachers, 28 to 0 and T. C. U. overturned Daniel Baker at Brownwood, 33 to 7. (Texas News Photos.)

### GOLDSMITH

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kelton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stephenson on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lambright and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ab Shipp spent Sunday in the E. W. Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Green and Johnny Wayne were Lamesa visitors Friday.

Those attending the slumber party at Edith Lambright's Tuesday night were: Clara Bell Kelton, Marjorie Johnson and Dorothy Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stephenson spent Sunday in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stephenson. Johnny Mae Bridges spent Thursday night with Reba Nell Stephenson.

L. D. Greaves and O. B. and Willie Green went to Lamesa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Green spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Carroll.

### HANCOCK

Mrs. Eerooks McNeil of Midland and Miss Johnnie McNeil of Weaver spent the week end in the G. W. Nelson home.

Miss Lela Stephens has returned home from a five weeks visit in Big Spring. Lois Stephens of Big Spring visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Stephens, of this community this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Ansley accompanied their son Albert of Big

Spring Sunday where he is to enlist in the C. C. camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hancock, Mrs. S. N. Ansley and children and Paul Eagman attended the Lubbock Fair Tuesday of last week.

Herman Buckhamam was in Lubbock from Tuesday until Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Cleve Johnson of this community entertained the women with a quilting Friday. Those present were: Mrs. S. B. Hodge, Mrs. Victor Middleton, Miss Lela Stephens, Billie Jo Cowan, Mrs. Smith and daughter Norwetta, Mrs. T. L. Middleton and daughter Artis, Mrs. R. P. Davis, Mrs. G. W. Nelson and daughters, Mrs. Blair and daughter and sister-in-law Mrs. J. R. Johnson, Mrs. J. L. Kitchens and daughters of McCarty, and Mrs. Lott of Lamesa. Everyone enjoyed the good lunch.

Mrs. Page Nelson and Mrs. Oscar McLenson visited in the Herman home at OK Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stribling and family of Trent spent the week end in the W. J. Beckham home. Mrs. W. J. Beckham of Trent returned home Thursday with her son Hubert Beckham.

### PLAINVIEW

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin a girl, September 25. Mother and baby are doing fine.

G. M. Heard reports the birth of a new grandson. This young man was born on September 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poggan of Veilmore.

His name is Paul Wayne. Mrs. Poggan will be remembered here as Miss Beattie Heard.

E. Q. Smith also reports a new grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Men tell Smith on September 28. He has been named Alvin Roy. He weighed eight pounds.

Mrs. C. C. Floyd is improving after taking treatments in Lamesa for three or four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovioe O'Connor and family went to Lamesa for Trades Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Richardson were shopping in Lamesa Monday.

Mrs. J. C. Riley and children were shopping in Lubbock two days last week.

Curtis Brandon of New Moore is visiting his sister and family of this community.

Our school is progressing nicely with Mr. Cargile as principal and Mrs. Foster, assistant.

### RICHARDSON

Richardson boys defeated Weaver boys in basketball 18 to 3 on the Richardson court Friday. Weaver girls defeated the Richardson girls to even up the count.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams and family have returned home from New Mexico where they have been working.

Mrs. Sim Marley who has been suffering from blood poisoning for the past week is some better.

Those visiting in the Sim Marley home Sunday were Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Bill Teague, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Warren and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Welty, Mr. and Mrs. A. Welty.



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IN RE: ESTATE OF L. J. PIERCE, DECEASED No. 193

**Notice of Sale**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Mrs. M. A. Pierce, Administratrix of the Estate of L. J. Pierce, Deceased, will, on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1934, being the first Tuesday of said month, at the Court House door in Lamesa, in the County of Dawson and State of Texas, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described tract or parcel of land belonging to said estate, to-wit: Section Eight (8), in Block Sixty-Six (66), Certificate 5972-6137, Township 5, T. & P. Railway Company Survey in Culbertson County, Texas.

WITNESS my hand at Lamesa, Dawson County, Texas, this, the 25th day of September, A. D. 1934.  
Mrs. M. A. Pierce,  
Administratrix of the Estate of L. J. Pierce, Deceased

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF MARCH 3, 1933.

Of The Dawson County Courier published weekly at Lamesa, Texas, for October 1, 1934.

STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF DAWSON: ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Joe Alexander, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the owner of the Dawson County Courier and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc. of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912 embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1. That the names and address of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business manager are: Joe Alexander, Lamesa, Texas.

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Joe Alexander  
(Signature of editor, publisher, business manager, or owner.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1934.  
(SEAL) W. H. Thurston  
(My commission expires 6-1-35)

**Churches**

**MINISTERS' COUNCIL**

Monday morning at ten o'clock, the ministers' council will meet at the First Baptist church. All pastors and ministers of the county are urged to be present.—A. L. Dennis, chairman.

**NAZARENE CHURCH**

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.  
Preaching at 11:00 A. M.  
N. Y. P. S. at 7:30 P. M.  
Preaching at 8:00 P. M.  
Rev. R. L. Holder will preach at both the morning and evening services next Sunday, October 7th. Come to church this Sunday. Always welcome.  
A. L. Dennis, Pastor.

**AT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Plans are completed for the observance of Rally Day at the First Presbyterian church this coming Sunday, October 7th. All members and communicants of the Church are urged and expected to be present at each and every service. Under the direction of Sam Richardson, superintendent, the Sunday school will carry forward a special worship service, the theme being "The Lamp Within Thy Hand", and the text: "The light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ." (II Cor. iv. 6). The morning worship service conducted by the pastor will have as its theme the general theme of the day. Likewise will the evening worship service at 7:30. Visitors and friends are always welcome at any and all services. "Let us worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness" — "In spirit and in truth" — "for the Father seeketh such to worship Him".

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

Starting this month, there will be preaching service at the First Christian Church three Sundays in each month. This will include each first, second, and fourth Sunday in the month. On these days, there will be preaching at the morning hour only, and the evenings will be given over to Intermediate and Young People's meetings. Following are the services for next Sunday:  
9:45 Sunday School, J. D. Dyer, Superintendent. Next Sunday will be the beginning of a new quarter and a new year. Let every one be present and on time.  
11:00 Morning Worship, including preaching and the Lord's Supper. Sermon subject: "Christ's Disappointments."  
7:30 Young People's Meeting. All of the young people in Lamesa who do not attend meetings of groups in other churches are cordially invited to meet with us. We are planning to have a live organization. A fuller description of plans will be found elsewhere in this paper.  
Thomas L. Massie, Pastor.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors who were so kind, and helped us move things from our house when it burned Saturday morning. If it had not been for these good friends, we would not have saved a thing.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cumpton.

**STATE FAIR READY FOR OPENING OCTOBER 6**

Dallas, October 2.—With everything in readiness for a "bigger and better" exposition, Otto Herold, president of the State Fair of Texas, the board of directors, junior board and staff of the exposition was "all set" here for the opening of the 48th annual exposition next Saturday.

More new features are promised for the State Exposition this year than ever before in its history. With its new quarter million dollar race plant which brings back horse racing to the State Fair for the first time in many years, a new type of show in the auditorium "The Show of A Century" a huge musical extravaganza, the return to the policy of presenting free entertainment to visitors in the form of sensational outdoor attractions and many other innovations, President Herold has promised the people of Texas an entirely new exposition.

Despite the drought through which the State passed this summer, the Agriculture and Livestock shows bid fair to be better than ever. A complete showing of livestock will be on the grounds throughout the 16 days. The agriculture show will be a recommendation to farm leadership as every county exhibit is from a county where there is stationed a home demonstration agent, a county agent, a vocational agricultural instructor or some agricultural agency which is ready to lend its aid in combatting such conditions as Texas has undergone this year.

The 48th annual exposition will open by celebrating its annual Press Day to which every newspaper editor in Texas is invited. The Press Day program this year included

**Plains To Be Featured In Texas Centennial**

Dallas, Sept. 29. (Special)—The tremendous natural resources of Texas, generally, even in sections other than those immediately adjacent to such points as San Antonio, Houston, Galveston, Brenham, Nacogdoches, Huntsville and Dallas, which are planning co-ordinated celebrations of the State's Centennial of independence will attract attention of visitors to those events in 1936. Texans themselves realize that a hundred years has given much to the understanding of men relative to the visible and the unrevealed natural resources of this or any other State.

About 1880 a party of some eight or ten United States Soldiers became lost on the high plains above the cap rock in West Texas and died of thirst at a point southwest of Lubbock. The location has been designated as being on the New Mexico-Texas boundary line, not far from Brownfield. (Editor's Note: This is said to have occurred near Cedar Lake.)

At the spot where these soldiers are reported to have died—in a sandy and shinnery-spotted region—they could have excavated with their own hands for no more than ten feet into the sand to tap an inexhaustible supply of pure artesian water.

Although the Panhandle-Plains region of Texas is almost devoid of native trees and few streams are to be found throughout the area, which is larger than the state of Pennsylvania, there is hardly a section of that region where water cannot be found from eight to three and four hundred feet below the surface.

**612,700 POUNDS OF COTTON FOR ADDITIONAL MATRESS**

Austin, Oct. 1.—Federal authorities today notified officials of the Texas Relief commission of an additional grant of 612,700 pounds of cotton for mattress plants being operated in this state by the commission.

This means about 12,250 more mattresses for the destitute people of the state, according to A. C. Allen director of production for the commission.  
Distribution of the first mattresses manufactured by relief labor got under way this week. Persons without bedding will be the first to receive mattresses. Distribution of mattresses and about 168,000 comforters is expected to be completed by the time of arrival of cold weather.

Roscoe Holton made a business trip to Hobbs, N. M. Wednesday.

luncheon at the Baker Hotel, the afternoon at the races, and at night in "The Show of A Century" at the auditorium.

**Many Farm Improvements Now Possible**

Farmers in West Texas are able to improve water supply under the Federal Housing program.

Farmers are also interested in many things in addition to wells. They inquire about the possibility of modernization loans for fences, gates, garages, poultry houses, smoke houses and similar small buildings. Lightning and fire protection, insulation, reconstruction of faulty chimneys, stronger foundations, installation of plumbing, wiring and other improvements are in the list.

Those farmers needing new wells also inquire about such items as wind mills, pumps, tanks, cisterns, piping troughs and other things required to get the greatest use from the wells they hope to dig with the proceeds of their modernization loans.

All these improvements are eligible under the regulations governing Modernization Loans according to FHA officials, and the inquirers should be able to get the loans they desire from the banks or other lending institutions in their own communities, provided these institutions approve.

Mrs. Manuel Medley of Santa Rosa, N. M., is here visiting her sister Mrs. Jimmy Cotten and Mr. Cotten.

Misses Evelyn Barron, Erma Lynn Coleman and Jessie Norris left this week for Lubbock where they will attend Tech.

Miss Marjorie Ferguson spent the past week end in Lubbock as the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. F. Huie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Duff of Hobart, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Duff of Sentinel, Oklahoma, returned to their homes Tuesday morning after visiting their mother, Mrs. M. F. Duff, who has been seriously ill.

Misses Opal Wortham, and Minnie Cope and Mr. Jack Ladd were Lubbock visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foust and daughter Annie Laura Towns of Littlefield visited Mrs. Maude Shipp and family here the past week end.

Johnnie Myrtle Smith had her tonsils removed at a local hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lex Brock and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brock have returned from a visit in Oklahoma and Arkansas.

Mrs. John Marks of McCamey visited her father, Mr. McClain here last week.

Miss Evelyn Baker, teacher at Lou spent the week end here visiting her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. P. Baker.

Mesdames John Cason, Jim Stanfield, J. E. Goen and Ed Harrell were Lubbock visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Abbott have this week moved to Seminole to make their home. Mr. Abbott will open up a grocery store there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDonald of O'Donnell were Lamesa visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Mac Lundsey is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mack Gray, in Monroe this week.

Mrs. C. B. Hayes of Tahoka underwent an operation in a local hospital Tuesday. She is doing nicely.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ross Morris Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Erman Weeks and baby, Jack Warren, David Pierson, Bill Smith.

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Friday Night, October 5th., 7:45 p. m.

## Lamesa Golden Tornadoes

Vs.

## McCamey Hi-School (Class A)

The Tornadoes step out of their class to meet the McCamey eleven, who are playing Class A football. However, the locals are making preparations to offer a real battle.

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 Hull's Cash Grocery  
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