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W. A. (Art) Davis

Announces For Weigher

W. A. (Art) Davis authorized the News this week to announce to the voters that he is a candidate for the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 5, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

Mr. Davis has lived in this precinct for the past twenty-five years and has never held or asked for an office before. His record as a citizen is open to inspection for any who do not know him. Mr. Davis made the following statement:

"I feel like I am capable of handling the office. I have had 14 years experience in the cotton business and believe I know the needs of the farmers in the weigher's office. I will appreciate your support and will make an effort to see all of the voters personally before the election."

MITCHELL COUNTY FARM NOTES

Care of the dairy cow when dry determines to a large extent the amount of milk she will give when fresh. Five mature cows that had received just ordinary care when dry produced an average of 5663 pounds of milk and 202 pounds of butterfat in a Miami county Indiana cow testing association. These same cows were placed in the Purdue experiment station herd and after being given proper care during the dry period produced an average of 8662 pounds of milk and 316 pounds of butterfat.

E. B. Hale reports that when he opened his trench silo recently he found the silage in good condition with very little spoilage. He closed it back up and will save it for his dairy cows when the pasture plays out in late July and August.

Dick Gregory says that if every farm in Mitchell county had 12 fat calves to sell each year it would go a long way toward solving the farm problem. He figures that a fat calf would pay the running expenses of the average farm family for one month. This would leave the cotton crop clear.

William and Ernest Griffith, Lorraine 4-H club members are now attending Texas Tech at Lubbock. George Draper, another 4-H club boy, is now in his second year at Texas A & M. He is paying his way thru college by working at the poultry farm.

Watch for the announcement of the display of pork killed, cut up and cured the A & M way. The meats cured by the State Meat Specialist will be on display at a Colorado store Saturday, April 16th.

J. W. Sherrill, who lives about three miles northwest of Colorado, will try the A & M way of killing hogs this week under direction of the county and home demonstration agents. The hog will be killed Friday afternoon, April 8th, about 11 o'clock and will be placed in cold storage over night. The cutting, canning and curing will take place Saturday morning. The cured portions of the animal will be sugar cured under cold storage.

The hog will be killed without shooting or stunning and the carcass will be sawed down the backbone instead of taking the backbone out whole. With this method, superior cuts are secured for curing or canning. The head and feet will be made up into scrapple and the liver will be made into liver paste.

Anyone interested in learning more about this method of handling pork is invited to attend the demonstration.

Cotton Crop Near 30,000 Bales

Total gin receipts in Mitchell county from the crop of 1931 totaled 29,734 bales, as reported by the United States department of Commerce. This was an increase of 12,417 bales over total ginnings from the crop of 1930, when only 17,317 bales were reported.

New Trustees Elected

Two new trustees for the Lorraine Independent School District were elected last Saturday and one of the old trustees retained on the Board. The two new trustees are R. B. Ferguson and J. W. Preston. Joe Bennett was retained. E. C. Hallmark and T. C. Wilson were retired from the Board.

The new Board of Trustees will be composed of T. J. Riden, C. F. Glass, G. B. Tarr, J. W. Roberts, J. J. Bennett, R. B. Ferguson and J. W. Preston.

The Silver Tea

On Thursday, March 31, in the home of Mrs. W. L. Hester, the women of the Local Circle gave a Silver Tea to make some needed money. The visitors were met at the door by a little George Washington when they registered. They then went to the reception hall where they were served with cake and tea.

After tea they were ushered into the living room where the pupils of Mesdames Martin, Rowland and Taylor rendered a lovely program.

Out of town guests were Mesdames Barna Haney, Will Howard, John Henson, Ben Hardy and W. W. Kirkland, all of Roscoe.

Eighty-four persons registered and \$14 was made for the Circle. The Circle wishes to thank each and everyone who helped to make the tea a success.

BAPTIST NOTES

There were 177 in Sunday school Sunday morning. The Bible class of the Methodist Sunday school and their teacher Mr. J. M. Bruce, visited Prof. Clyde Bennett's class at the Baptist church last Sunday morning. Mr. Bennett's class, including visitors, numbered 44 and Mr. Bruce taught the sacred lesson. These visitors invited Mr. Bennett and his class to attend their barbecue Thursday night at the tabernacle.

Our pastor, Rev. Hardin, brought us a message at eleven A. M. on "The Power of Salvation."

B. Y. P. U. met at their regular hour, and another good sermon by our pastor that evening. Mrs. W. J. Coon, Mrs. Jessie Pratt and Mother Hallman entertained the Missionary ladies in the home of Mrs. Coon last Monday afternoon. The W. M. S. program was unusually good. Their topics were "Heroes of the Cross". It was encouraging to note the number of visitors who were present on this occasion.

During the social hour chicken and pimento sandwiches, angel food cake and ice tea was served to 26 guests.

Both circles of the W. M. S. will meet at the church next Monday afternoon. Each circle will occupy their own department. Circle No. 1 will begin the study of the book entitled "Royal Service, with Miss Jeter as teacher. Circle No. 2 will continue their study of the Old Testament with Mrs. Lester Jarrett as teacher.

Reporter

Lorraine Schools County Champs

The Lorraine schools won a total of 320 points in the County Interscholastic League meet held at Colorado last Friday and Saturday, winning the county championship by the largest margin ever recorded for the Lorraine schools.

Winners as announced are:

High School
Junior boys playground ball, 1st. Junior girls playground ball, 1st. Tennis, boys singles, 1st. Glenn Thomas, Tennis, girls singles, 2nd. Rebecca Britton. Senior track team, 2nd. Junior track team, 2nd. Boys debate, 1st. Bud Furlow and Lester Ray Robinson. Girls debate, 2nd. Ina Bess Lee and Josephine Palmer. Boys extemporaneous speech, 1st. Leon Crutcher. Girls extemporaneous speech, 3rd. Rowena Richburg. Essay writing, 1st. Beatie Nell Johnson. Senior declamation boys, 1st. J. C. Angel. Senior declamation girls, 1st. Winne-dell Rowland. Senior spelling, 1st. J. C. Angel and Rowena Richburg. J. C. Angel was among the few who handed in perfect papers in the spelling contest and his papers will be sent to Austin.

100 yard dash, Bob Looney 3rd. 220 yard dash, Bob Looney 3rd. 440 yard dash, Clay Dean 2nd. Travis Hallmark 3rd. 1-1 mile run, Curtis Riggs 2nd, Thomas Horton 3rd. High jump, Clay Dean 1st, Curtis Riggs 2nd. Broad jump, Clay Dean 3rd. Shot put, Curtis Riggs 1st, Thomas Horton 2nd. Discus throw, Curtis Riggs 1st. Mile relay, Lorraine 1st. Bob Looney, Travis Hallmark, Carl House, Clay Dean.

First place winners in all events will be qualified to represent the county in the district meet at Abilene.

Grammar School
Essay writing, 2nd. Kathryn Harrell. Junior declamation, boys, 1st. Junior Harris. Junior declamation, girls, 1st. Opal Martin. Junior spelling, 2nd. Byron Bennett and Opal Martin. Sub-Junior spelling, 2nd. Robert Jones and Lucile Dockery. Picture memory, 3rd. Del Johnson, Doris Glass, Willie Fae Roberts and Rounce Thomas. Tiny tot story telling, 1st. Maxine Hooker.

Out of the nine places in public speaking events the Lorraine schools won four first places in declamation, a first and third place in extemporaneous speaking, a first and second place in debate and first place in tiny tot story telling.

Take Notice

The East Side singing convention will meet with the Pleasant Valley class the second Sunday in April, same being the 10th day of April. Everybody is invited. The convention will begin promptly at 11 o'clock. W. O. Kinnison.

SINGING AT ROSCOE

We are requested by T. H. Westbrook to announce that V. O. Stamps, Freddy Martin and other noted singers will be in Roscoe at the Methodist church on the fourth Sunday night in April.

Preaching services have been called off in favor of the singing, and a big program is anticipated.

Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Smith were Sunday guests in the home of A. B. Smith at Bauman.

Rabbit Race For Lone Star

We are requested to announce that a rabbit race will be staged in the Lone Star Community Friday morning of this week. Everyone is invited to meet at the Pleasant Valley church about eight o'clock Friday morning for the race. Take your dogs with you.

Instead of the usual rabbit drive in which guns play the principal part, the people of the Lone Star Community are going to use dogs to drive the rabbits. Be sure and go for it will be great sport.

Local Circle

The Local Circle met in the home of Mrs. Clyde Smith April 4, at 3 o'clock with thirteen members present. The meeting was opened by singing "Work for the Night is Coming." Mrs. Roy Edwards read the devotional. Prayer was led by Mrs. J. E. Harrell.

The Circle reported 37 sick visits, 28 trays and 1 bouquet.

After all business was transacted several games were played, after which the Circle was dismissed by saying the Lord's Prayer in concert.

A Remedy For Cutworms

It has been reported that the cutworms are damaging gardens to a great extent. We have information from a reliable source that cutworms work on top of the ground and not under it as is generally believed, and can be poisoned in the same manner as grasshoppers. If you do not have the formula for poisoning grasshoppers call the county agent and he will give it to you.

WILL PRESENT PLAY

The Public Speaking class of Lorraine High School will present a 3-act comedy-drama "The Path Across The Hill," Friday night, April 8, in the High School Auditorium. The curtain will rise at eight o'clock. The story is one of bitter desire for vengeance, showing how this desire is overcome by love, the situation being brightened by many touches of comedy.

A small admission fee will be charged. The fee will be far less than one would ordinarily expect to pay for an entertainment of this nature.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school and church attendance was good last Sunday. However the attendance is not what it should be. Let us all do our part to increase the attendance and make Lorraine a church going community. Come to church and Sunday school next Sunday.

Rev. J. E. Harrell, pastor, will preach next Sunday morning and night. Special music will be arranged for the services. Help make our services count for more by your attendance and interest from Sunday to Sunday. Visitors are welcome. We invite you to worship with us at any and all times. Go to church Sunday.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Marriage license have been issued recently by County Clerk B. L. Templeton to the following couples: Curtis Lafayette Felts and Miss Gertrude Dossey; J. A. Crosby and Mrs. Pearl Gaither; James Wood and Miss Lois Lucile Parkerson. Intention to marry have been filed by William Louis Lamb and Miss Ethie Jonie Barrister.

City Election Held Tuesday

Only 53 votes were polled in the City Election held Tuesday of this week. This would indicate that very little interest was taken in the election. Although eight names appeared on the ballot there was no contest of any kind.

J. L. Meadows and T. R. Bennett were elected as aldermen. The other six men on the ticket ran a very close race, there being only a few votes between any candidate.

Mr. Bennett was re-elected on the council while Mr. Meadows will be a new member.

CONAWAY CHILD IS KILLED BY SCHOOL BUS

James Marion Lewis, seven-year-old Conaway school student, was ground to death under the wheels of a heavily loaded school bus, last Wednesday.

The child lost his life in a tragic accident which happened on the highway one mile west from the school building within a few minutes after he, with several other students, had left their class rooms to be returned home. Lynn Halbert, principal of the school, was driving the bus.

The accident occurred when Mr. Halbert applied the brakes to the bus to make the first scheduled stop. The Lewis boy and others of the smaller children were standing near the front door. As the bus was being brought to a stop he lost his balance and fell between the front and rear wheels. He was dead when picked up a moment later.

Father of Mrs. Trott Died at Cisco Tuesday

Mrs. L. L. Trott and family of Hermaleigh and Mrs. B. F. Trott and family of Lorraine, were called to Cisco, Tuesday March 29, to attend the funeral of their father, J. H. Martin who died in Falkville Alabama March 24 after a brief illness with pneumonia.

The body was accompanied to Cisco, his former home by his son H. L. Martin of San Antonio. Funeral was held from East Cisco Baptist church, with former pastor I. W. Lawrence, of New Castle, in charge assisted by local, pastor Rev. James L. Smart.

He is survived by the, following children who were all present for funeral, H. L. Martin San Antonio, Mrs. H. H. Hagerman, Mrs. G. P. Pole Cisco, Mrs. John H. Hamilton Edna, Mrs. E. S. Williams Amherst, Mrs. E. J. Kinnard McCamey, Mrs. L. L. Trott Hermaleigh and Mrs. B. F. Trott of Lorraine.

The following were selected as pall bearers: W. J. Poe and J. D. Hall Cisco Marion and Robert Snoddy and L. R. O'Brien Scranton, and I. E. Ramsey of Pleasant Hill Community.

The esteem in which this good man was held was manifest in the floral offering which was both rare and beautiful.

SINGING AT BARNETT

A large crowd attended the singing at Barnett last Wednesday night. A short program was rendered which was enjoyed by everyone present. The program follows:

Negro dialogue—Mr. York and Chas. Rutledge.
Guitar Solo—Mr. Bantis.
Story—C. L. Allen, Jr.

The next meeting for the singing will be on Wednesday night, April 13. Everyone is invited to attend.

J. A. Crosby And Mrs Gaither Wed

J. A. Crosby, nightwatchman and deputy sheriff of Lorraine, and Mrs. Pearl Gaither, night telephone operator, were united in marriage at the Baptist Church last Thursday night at eight o'clock, Rev. A. C. Hardin pastor, officiating. Mrs. Lee Walker and Jack Walker were the only guests present for the ceremony.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Crosby left for an unknown destination on a short honeymoon. They returned to Lorraine late Friday.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Crosby are well known and loved by all in this community. Mrs. Crosby has been a resident here for several years and her friends are numbered by her acquaintances. Mr. Crosby has been serving as nightwatchman and deputy sheriff here for a number of years and has made a reputation that is enviable.

The News joins with their many friends in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

Miss Maudie Lee McGee of Colorado spent the week end with Miss Metta Dean.

LARGE AND SMALL EGGS

You have probably heard the old story of "The long and short of it." But you probably have not heard the latest story about the large and small egg. It follows:

C. B. Reeder, who raises high class White Leghorns in addition to his farming operations, was in town Friday of last week exhibiting two extremes in hen eggs. The large egg measures four inches in length and six inches around it. The small egg measures one and three-quarters inches in length and two and one-half inches around it.

Mr. Reeder says the eggs were picked up out of the same nest and were laid by hens of the same age and size.

The hen which laid the small egg is probably trying to get her product down in line with the present price of eggs, but the hen which laid the large egg has no sense of values.

Pastime Bridge Club

The Pastime Bridge Club meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Howard Spikes Wednesday afternoon with Miss Ruth Coon as hostess. Delightful refreshments served to 11 members. Miss Jo Cook was a guest. High score was won by Miss Irene Brown.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. H. B. Derryberry as hostess.

ACE HIGH CLUB

Miss Ruth Johnson entertained the club Tuesday. After several interesting hands of bridge were played she served delicious angel food cake and hot chocolate to the members and guests. The guests were Mrs. Clyde Bennett and Mrs. Ed Williams. Miss Jo Cook won high score and Miss Mayme Howell low.

CEMETERY WORKING

We are requested to announce that the Lorraine Cemetery will be worked on Tuesday, April 12. Everyone who is interested in keeping the cemetery in first class shape should be present for the working and do some work. Bring your hoes, rakes, and other tools suitable for working and be there as early as possible Tuesday morning.

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IT IS NOT A RAID ON THE TREASURY

(Big Spring Weekly News)
If the officials of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce were honest they would admit that the balance of the adjusted service certificates can be paid to the 3,660,000 veterans of the World War without a bond issue, without increasing taxes, without additional interest charges and save the government annual payment of more than \$112,000,000 until 1945 in addition to abolishing a government bureau which will save the people tens of millions of dollars; according to the statement of Representative Patman of Texas who has given the payment of the soldier bonus a thorough study.

Congressman Hamilton J. Fish of New York states the following:

"The impression that loans already granted to the veterans on his adjusted service certificate caused a drain on the treasury of the United States or have increased taxes is utterly erroneous.

When Congress enacted the adjusted service certificate law in 1924 it created a funding

plan which retired annually the sum of approximately \$112,000,000 toward the ultimate payment of these certificates.

The government makes use of the war risk insurance fund money which actually belongs to the veteran himself, carrying their government insurance in paying a part of the bonus.

THEY AGREE TO DISAGREE
(Editorial Digest.)

Interest in the fight being made by ex-service men to secure full payment of the bonus has been enlivened by prospects of an early showdown on the Patman bill now before Congress. A majority of Texas newspapers are supporting the veterans. They also have the support of many influential citizens of the state, who believe the veterans are entitled to cash payment now instead of in 1945.

The Dallas News is one of the few newspaper objectors in Texas. The Houston Post is championing the veterans' cause. During the last month the Houston paper has averaged about one editorial every three days favoring immediate payment of the bonus. In one editorial recently the Post explained how the bonus would be paid under the Patman plan. Said the Post:

"The plan is simplicity itself. The bill provides that for paying the bonus the Congress shall authorize the printing of treasury notes to the extent of \$2,200,000,000, in denominations of \$1, \$2, \$5, \$10, \$20, \$50, \$100 and \$1000. The notes would not be interest bearing, and would be legal tender. That paper currency would be distributed among the veterans in payment of their certificates."

The Post said other things, too, but it failed to convince the News that payment of the bonus now would be a good thing for the country's financial condition. The News chided:

"There you are. The Post is right about it, the plan is simple. It is, if Russia, Germany, Italy and a dozen shotgun South American administrations know anything about it from experience.

"The sinking fund for the bonus would retire the notes, it is argued. How beautiful is the thought. And here we have been, poor deluded souls that we are, paying interest on the national debt when we can print seventeen dollars' worth of shin-plaster out of the sinking fund. No interest, no trouble—and besides, maybe we could print the sinking fund,

too. Simple is right."

Meanwhile, West Texas newspapers and ex-service men are jumping all over the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for taking a stand against payment of the bonus.

In Texas, newspapers, politicians, and the weather do not always agree.

R. C. BAIRD, FORMER LORAIN BOY, WRITES

The News recently received a letter from R. C. Baird, a former Loraine boy, enclosing an article in regard to paying the bonus now. The article:

THEN, AND NOW

The bands were going "Oompah!"

Every day along the street; There were boys in khaki marching

And we heard passing feet, And we stood and watched them marching,

Stood among the cheering throng, And our hearts went, "Oompah-oompah!"

As the music went along, "Oompah-oompah-oompah!"

Throbbing upward to the sky, While the boyhood of the Nation

Heads up marched away to die; Then we gave our hearts and money,

Grief was graven on our brow We'd have given everything, then—

But they want the bonus now! Now there is no "Oompah-oompah!"

No more war now to be won; Our hearts now are not uplifted

As the waves of cheering run; No heads bared and no prayers uttered

As the flag is carried by; Now "our heroes" want the bonus,

Those of them who did not die. Yesterday our hearts were burning;

Yesterday our eyes were wet; Can it be that we're ungrateful?

Can we smile now and forget The lives and the service given?

Is our Nation ruled by greed, That we can forget their service,

That we can ignore their need?

Announcements

The following candidates have authorized us to announce their candidacy for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:

Frank D. Crownover
J. T. Draper
W. D. McCauley
R. L. May.

For Public Weigher, Precinct 5:

Ottis Muns
(Re-election)
Roy S. Baird
W. A. (Art) Davis

For Tax Collector:

J. B. Holt
(Re-election)
Henry C. Doss
Clyde Smith,

For County Clerk:

B. L. Templeton
(Re-election)

For District Clerk:

J. H. Ballard (Re-election)

For County Treasurer,

Mayme Taylor

For County Judge

A. F. King (Re-election)

For Sheriff:

Burr Brown.

For District Judge 32nd District:

A. S. Mauley
James T. Brooks

SILVER HAPPENINGS

The singing at Barnett school house Wednesday night was supplemented with a short but spicy literary program, which was enjoyed by all present. Mr. Bennett, who is President of the singing society, said he would make a political speech at the next meeting, which will be on Wednesday night, April 13, an unlucky date Mr. Bennett better watch out.

A musical at the home of Mr. Gregston last Friday night was well attended and all seemed to have an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rutledge, Charley Rutledge, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Green and family, visited L. W. Hanta and family Sunday, afternoon.

Health remains very good and most everybody is busy

with the new crops, some planting while others are preparing to plant, but all seem to have the land in fine shape for this time of year.

A. Q. Rosaty.

BRUCE BIBLE CLASS

The Bruce Bible class met with Bro. Bennett and his class at the Baptist church Sunday. We had a good attendance, 44 being present in both classes. Everyone had an enjoyable time.

The subject of the lesson was "Creation" which was well explained by Mr. Bruce, who taught the class. Part of the class remained for church and enjoyed a good sermon delivered by Bro. Hardin.

The members of both classes who were absent Sunday missed a great blessing, for it brings us closer together to visit each other and get different views on the lesson.

Every member of both classes remember that Thursday evening is the time we will have our barbecue and we are expecting you to be present at 6 o'clock. The principal speaker for the evening will be Judge W. P. Leale. Do not disappoint us for we are expecting you to be present.

Reporter.

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BAUMAN NOTES

Bauman school was well represented last Friday at Colorado for the first day of the Inter-scholastic League meet. Our representatives did not win any medals, however we feel like each contestant that took part in the spelling and public speaking contest was a winner in the fact that he has gained in experience and knowledge. We always encourage pupils to enter the literary events of the Inter-scholastic League.

The Bauman Junior girls defeated the Loraine Junior girls in playground ball last Thursday afternoon by a score of 6 to 5. The game was close from the start to finish. The winning of this game gave the Bauman girls third place in the county.

The singing at Bauman was well attended Sunday afternoon. The singing was good and we invite everyone to be present at the next regular singing on the first Sunday in May.

We had 52 in Sunday school Sunday. We begin the new quarter with a contest between the men and women. The men led Sunday by 10 points. The men want to come back next Sunday and keep in the lead and the women want to come and bring someone with them and gain back those points lost.

Mrs. Dollar Sandlan from Abilene was visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. D. A. Forbus, last week.

Wyman Cleveland of Westbrook and Miss Lorene Callaway of Colorado were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barnes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hallmark visited in the S. E. Meadows home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Davidson of Longview are here visiting Mrs. Davidson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lee.

Miss Lorena and Ada Pearl Collier have returned home from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Sylvester.

Charlie Lee and family spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wimberley of the Landers community.

The men of the community met at the home of Mr. Dan Butler last Thursday afternoon and finished getting his land ready to plant. Mr. Butler is just recovering from a case of the flu and Kenneth has had pneumonia. They certainly appreciate the work these good men did.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Webb are in Eastland at the bedside of Grandpa Webb, who is seriously ill.

Miss Auta Mae Land spent the week end in Sweetwater visiting her sister, Mrs. V. H. Lich.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Farris left Sunday morning for Lometa to visit in the home of Mrs. Farris' sister, Mrs. Grady Carothers, who will be remembered as Miss Edna Richards.

Charlie House' mother is making her family an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Bruce spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Richards.

C. A. Land and son-in-law, V. H. Lich of Sweetwater made a business trip to Big Spring the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Riden opened their home Sunday with a home coming for their relatives here entertaining with a sumptuous dinner. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall and daughter Miss Annie Bell, Mrs. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Dee McCollum, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Riden and family, and E. A. Hall of Loveland.

Reporter.

Browlee Notes

Sunday school was well attended Sunday morning. Bro. Dunn filled his regular appointment and brought us some great messages. Those on the sicklist last week are all well at this writing.

Those from here who had their tonsils and adenoids removed last Friday were Billy and Buddy Harrison, Arthur L. Lehmann, Vernon Rannefeld and Irene Zetzman.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Zinke spent Sunday in the home of A. Henricks and family.

Miss Edna Myrtle Lewis spent Sunday with Marie Harrison.

Misses Tressa and Ruby Rannefeld and Selma Zinke took dinner with Misses Laura and Wilma Althof Sunday.

Mr. Mrs. A. Henricks visited Mr. C. L. Harrison and family Saturday night.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lehmann were Mr. and Mrs. A. Zinke, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Zinke and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bruns.

Mrs. G. Zinke entertained a group of friends with a quilting party last Thursday afternoon. Those present were Mesdames A. Henricks, C. L. Harrison, Max Hantsche, August Lehmann and Miss Norma, A. J. Marth, H. R. Zinke, Otto Bruns, Arno and Arthur Rannefeld and Mrs. E. Marth and Miss Piola and A. Zinke.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Althof are the proud parents of a baby boy born March 25.

The Brownlee H. D. C. met last Wednesday with Mrs. Calvin Montgomery, with 11 members and 2 new members present. The lesson was on planning meals. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. E. E. Mathis April 13. The subject of discussion will be materials, visitors are always welcome.

The Junior boys and girls play ground ball teams played the Champion teams, last Wednesday. The boys won and the girls lost. The scores for the boys were 7 and 0, girls 10 and 11. They will play again Wednesday.

There will be singing at the school house next Sunday night April 10, every-body is cordially invited to attend.

MYSTERY BABY 'ORPHAN OF STORM'

(From an Alabama paper.)

Monday night an 18-month-old girl was lost in the storm near Thorsby. Wednesday morning she was still homeless and nameless.

Since she was picked up in a deserted cotton field Monday night, she has been sleeping and staring at strangers and whimpering only a little, in Dr. Arthur Johnston's infirmary at Clanton.

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Clanton residents have hung over the white crib. Each one shook his head. Nobody knows who the child is.

When an ambulance from Clanton slipped off the road near Thorsby at 9 p. m. Monday, the driver and his assistants heard a cry. The cotton field was empty except for a white splotch, which turned out to be the baby. Not another person, not even a house, was in sight.

The above incident occurred just a few miles from the old home of Mr. Ison of this city.

NORTH CHAMPION NEWS
Malon Compton is very ill with pneumonia this week.

R. H. Haggerton and family spent the day with his brother, George Haggerton, at Hermleigh Sunday.

C. W. McAnally and family, accompanied by Elvo Snow, spent Sunday with his brother, R. R. McAnally.

Miss Elvo Snow spent Saturday night with Ruby McAnally.

Leta McAnally spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mary Emma Snow at Loraine. J. D. Gibson spent Sunday

night and part of Monday with his sister, Mrs. Coy Woodell.

The play that is being put on by the North Champion school will be at the school house, so everyone come. We are glad to have you with us.

Reporter.

C. H. Manly, Rev. A. C. Hardin and Earl Montgomery seem to be the lucky fishermen on Champion Creek so far this season. Monday each one caught a channel cat that weighed around four pounds (so they said).

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5.25-18	7.53	14.60	34x7 H.D.	36.40	70.60
5.25-21	8.15	15.82	6.00-20 H.D.	14.50	28.14
5.50-18	8.35	16.20	6.50-20 H.D.	16.30	31.60
5.50-19	8.48	16.46	7.50-20 H.D.	26.45	51.60
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LOCALS

The neices and nephews of Alvin Hall returned to their home at Levelland Sunday after visiting him for a few days. They were accompanied to Snyder by Thomas Riden.

Mrs. Marion Mahon, Mrs. W. A. Jarrett and Misses Annie and Fannie Jarrett visited Mrs. Taylor Jarrett at Snyder Sunday.

Mrs. B. D. Smith visited in Abilene Saturday. Her son, B. D., Jr., returned home with her for the week end.

B. D. Smith, who is attending college at Stephenville, won first place in tennis at the college, it is announced.

On March 24, Mrs. S. H. Hart celebrated her birthday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ewel Coles in the Landers community. Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Walker, Mrs. A. K. McCarley and Mrs. C. L. Hudson and daughters Ible and Mrs. Burks.

Mrs. Otha Thompson and Mrs. Philip Smith are on a business trip to Lubbock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Coon visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dorn, at Colorado Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stone of Roscoe visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Richardson of Midland visited in the home of Mrs. Richardson's brother, Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Hester Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bennett and R. H. Bennett and family returned Monday from a short visit with R. E.'s brother, C. E. Bennett, on his ranch near Granbury.

Claude Muns and family of Sweetwater visited his mother, Mrs. J. S. Muns, Sunday.

J. B. Mahon and family visited his father, J. K. Mahon, Sunday afternoon.

The following Lorraine people attended the singing at Bauman Sunday afternoon: J. T. Wilson and family, Bud Richburg, Clifton Hodges, Mrs. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Kinnison, W. H. Nix, Sudie Ruth Crowmover, H. J. Askins and John Clark.

G. A. Hutchins has a new Crosley refrigerator on display in his store. The motor rests on springs and makes no noise of causes any vibration. Call at his store and see it.

J. B. Mahon made a business trip to Abilene Thursday.

R. B. Ferguson made a business trip to Coahoma last Friday.

Mrs. R. E. Ferguson spent last Saturday in Coahoma.

Misses Rena McCullum and Juanita Blair spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bennett at Colorado.

F. H. Martin of Arlington is visiting his brother, Dr. T. A. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Donahoo visited relatives in Lamesa Sunday.

Mrs. G. A. Hutchins and son Stanton were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Templeton at Colorado Sunday.

Mrs. G. A. Hutchins is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pool at Abilene this week.

Kenneth Martin visited in Santa Anna Sunday.

Miss Adine Howell spent the week end in Colorado with her sister, Mrs. W. E. DuBois.

Mrs. I. J. Pierce spent the week end with her son I. J., Jr., in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Plez Beaty are visiting his sisters, Mrs. A. L. Smith and Mrs. A. M. Young, at De Leon this week.

Tennis Alderman and his friend Paul Wood, who have been visiting Mrs. J. E. Morrison, returned to their home at Lelia Lake Monday.

Miss Orpie Lee Ballard visited friends in Snyder Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eby of Waco were week end guests in the J. C. Spikes home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Morrison are visiting relatives in Breckenridge this week.

Mrs. Zora Dean visited E. B. Ribbles at Big Spring Saturday night and Sunday.

H. H. Kirkpatrick and family Mrs. W. A. Holley and Miss Myrtle Holley of Sweetwater visited in the L. J. Tillison home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Wilson of Roscoe visited in Lorraine Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Muns are visiting relatives at De Leon this week.

Mrs. J. H. Beaty and daughter, Oma, are visiting Mrs. Beaty's daughters at De Leon this week.

Mrs. Otto Langley of Eastland visited in the B. F. Trett home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall, accompanied by their daughter Ruth Ann and Ruby Martin, attended a school entertainment at Big Lake Monday night.

Mrs. S. J. Norman is visiting her daughter at Colorado this week.

Card Of Thanks

We thank you for your kindness and assistance during the short illness and death of our dear father, grandfather and brother. May God bless each one of you.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hall and daughter Annie Bea.
Mr. E. A. Hall.
Mrs. M. J. Smith.

LONE STAR TWINKLINGS

Lone Star took off many honors at the Inter-scholastic League meet Friday and Saturday of last week, making a total of 165 points. Lone Star won the loving cup last year and will also keep it this year. Lone Star won the following literary events: First in the three divisions of spelling; first in Junior girl declamation; first in Senior boy declamation; first and third respectively in girls and boys extemporaneous speaking; second in arithmetic and Junior boy declamation. Doris Narrell's spelling paper will go to Austin, she having handed in a perfect paper in Junior spelling. There will be three entries at the district meet.

There were also several places won in track events Saturday. The Junior boys also received ribbons for indoor baseball.

Rev. G. C. Farris delivered a fine sermon Sunday morning. The church is to call a pastor next Sunday. Rev. Farris has been preaching until the church could call a pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Narrell entertained the young people with a singing Sunday night.

Forrest Reece is visiting relatives at Rogers this week. Several young people of this

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community attended the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hallman Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Martin and family and Elmer Martin visited relatives at Snyder Saturday and Sunday.

The singing convention will meet at Pleasant Valley next Sunday. Everyone is invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Blair spent Monday afternoon in the home of Claud Martin.

J. M. Winstead returned Monday from Pecos. Mrs. Dewey Winstead returned with him and will spend the week visiting relatives.

Dr. W. L. Hester and Fred Ison left Monday for Waco on business.

Mrs. C. H. Manly and Mrs. W. L. Hester visited in Abilene Tuesday.

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Sugar, 10 lb Holly and 10 lbs Pinto Beans 78

MILK, Page, 6 small cans 23c

SCOTCH OATS, 55 ounces 15c

Flour, 48 lb Quality and 1 gallon Richfield Ribbon Cane Syrup \$1.45

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Spuds, 10 lbs 16c

Pinto Beans, 5 lbs 19c

Peaches, No. 1 Gold Bar 10c

Pineapple, No. 1 Blue & White sliced or crushed, 3 cans for 25c

Green Beans, No. 2 Kurer 10c

Tomatoes, No. 2, 3 cans 25c

Salmon, No. 1 Nile, each 10c

Gelatine Dessert, 2 pkts. Red & White 15c

Peaches, choice evaporated, 2 lbs 25c

Post Toasties, pkg. 10c

Pickles, Quart Mountain Out, Sour 15c

Bacon, lb sliced (Cellophane) 17c

Longhorn Cheese, lb 17c

Salad Wafers, package 23c

Pineapple, Gold Bar crushed, so called gal. 46c

Blackberries, so called gal. 42c

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