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BURKBURNETT, WICHITA COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1940

NUMBER 41

Former Burk Burnett Man Killed Altercation Near Olney

For County Judge



GUY McNEELY

Guy McNeely Seeks County Judgeship

Guy McNeely has formally announced that he is a candidate for the office of County Judge of Wichita county, Texas. He is married, and has two children: a boy, Guy Heartwell, Jr., and a girl, Dorothy Frances McNeely. His son, Guy Heartwell, Jr., attended high school in Burk Burnett and is well known among the students. His daughter, Dorothy, is also a student.

Dogies Trimmed Tipton Team Here Sunday

The Burk Burnett Dogies played the best game of the season behind Pitcher Zink Sunday afternoon to hold back the threats of Tipton in the Oil Belt League game and win 3 to 2 in 14 innings.

Zink pitched the game of his career. He allowed 10 hits, but he kept them so scattered the Boosters were unable to score except for one splurge in the seventh inning.

Burkburnett jumped into the lead in the second inning with a two-run rally. The lead lasted until the Tiptonites blasted over two in the seventh to tie. Then neither team was able to mass an effective attack until the 14th.

Martin, Burk Burnett left fielder hit a double, Ruel Hanvey, shortstop, brought him home with a single to win the game. Score:

	Tipton	Ab	R	H	E
Moore, 1	7	0	0	0	0
Petty, 2	6	0	1	1	1
Lamb, 1	5	0	0	0	0
Bank, 1	6	0	1	1	1
Arrington, 3	5	1	1	1	1
Smith, c	5	0	0	0	0
Flowers, p	6	1	1	0	0
Parks, m	6	0	3	0	0
Hasley, s	6	0	3	1	1
Totals	52	2	10	4	4

Masons Have School Of Instruction

J. H. Cecil, Worshipful Master of the Burk Burnett Masonic lodge, states that he has secured Cleveland Ferris, a certificate man, and widely known for his work in the lodge, who is conducting a school of instruction at the local lodge.

Mr. Cecil and Mr. Ferris invite every Master Mason in good standing in the community to meet with the lodge every Thursday evening for instruction.

Sixteen Lions Got Attendance Awards Tuesday

Sixteen members of the local Lions club received attendance awards from Lions International at the regular meeting Tuesday evening. Awards were presented to those who had been present for thirtytwo consecutive meetings.

Wiley Browning and Jim Boyd had charge of the program and presented Gene Brookshear and Ann Danforth who spoke on "Tuberculosis," and Dorothy Browning who played two piano numbers.

John Morgan was introduced as the "baby Lion." Guests included Gene Brookshear, Ann Danforth, Dorothy Browning and P. W. Tucker. Awards were given to W. W. Browning, J. L. Caffee, Joe Davis, Bill Estes, Louis Harris, Ray Hill, O. B. Jordan, J. F. Kelley, Barney Lorang, Roy T. Makers, Joe Majors, Sloan Mills, Louis Weidenbaum, Ralph White, Henry Grace and Si Middleton.

Burk Responding To Red Cross Appeal For Funds

Burkburnett citizens were responding generously to the emergency drive of the American Red Cross and an incomplete check indicated that the quota of \$200 for this community would be reached as the paper went to press Thursday evening.

A report from J. V. Brookshear, chairman of the local drive, also showed that almost every business house in town had at least one representative actively engaged in the drive.

The county-wide drive was inaugurated Tuesday evening by county chairman Grover C. Bullington and the funds thus raised will go to the relief of war sufferers in Europe.

The quota set for the whole county is \$4,420. The drive will close Saturday.

Fanning Baby Buried Tuesday

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 from the Cedric school house for Sonya Fanning, 6-weeks-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Fanning of Devol, Okla. Ben F. Collins officiated.

The baby was stricken by pneumonia and died Sunday noon in a Grandfield hospital.

Survivors include besides the parents, grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Fanning of Devol, two uncles and two aunts.

Interment was in the Devol cemetery under the direction of Owens & Brumley Funeral home of Burk Burnett.

Professional And Service Week Of WPA Is Proclaimed

Mayor J. Frank Kelley has issued the following proclamation: Whereas, the week of May 20th through the 26th has been officially proclaimed throughout the United States as Professional and Service Week of the WPA.

Union Revival Starts May 26 Runs Two Weeks

Fort Worth Evangelist To Speak

A call meeting of the Pastors Association was held at the First Presbyterian church Monday morning to perfect plans for the Union revival to be conducted in Burk Burnett, May 26, through June 9.

The first service will open at 8 o'clock on the evening of May 26 and services will be held daily through the week at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. On the following Sundays in the afternoons and in the evenings.

Seven churches are cooperating in the revival in which Evangelist Herman Cochran, of Fort Worth, will deliver the messages assisted by his song leader and young peoples worker.

A set of rules, said to be similar to those used in the Dwight L. Moody, Gypsy Smith, Billy Sunday and E. J. Bulgin meetings, were unanimously adopted for the use of the churches cooperating in this series of services.

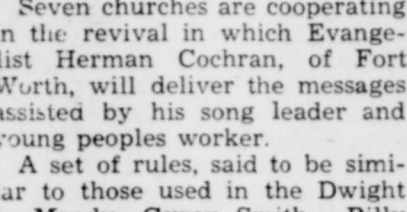
The Layman's committee, headed by Lynn Kincaid, are now at work on various phases of preparation.

With the exception of Rev. C. L. Neal, who is holding a meeting in Wichita Falls, all members of the Pastors association were present Monday morning, namely, Revs. H. M. Savage, Ray C. Morrow, Jack Manning, Otto C. Perry, Pierce J. Burns, Atwood A. Hyde and C. W. Thomas.

There is already quite an interest in this coming revival and the pastors request the prayers of all Christians that the Spirit of our Master will be present in power in every service.

Sponsors and Local WPA Projects Hold Open House

For Representative



O. T. WARLICK

O. T. Warlick Announces For Representative

O. T. Warlick, well-known Vernon attorney, today authorized the Burk Burnett Star to announce his candidacy for the Texas Legislature, 112th floratorial district, including Wichita and Wilbarger counties, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

He made the following statement of his views: "In announcing my candidacy for the office of State Representative for the 112th District, I would like the people of Wichita and Wilbarger counties to know at this time something in a general way of my background, life, work and views.

"A legislator holds a most important office, for he is in fact a director of one of the largest corporations in the land, the State of Texas. He has just one vote, but his influence for good or evil is great, according to his measure."

Article IVb Of City Charter

The Star has been asked to print the provision of the City Charter which pertains to such voters eligible to sign Initiative Petitions which is as follows:

Section 1. General Power: The qualified electors of the City of Burk Burnett, in addition to the method of legislation hereinbefore provided, shall have the power of direct legislation by the Initiative and Referendum.

Section 2. Initiative. The initiative shall be exercised in the following manner:

(a). Petition: A petition signed and verified in the manner and form required for recall petition in Article IVa by qualified ELECTORS EQUAL TO TWENTY PERCENT OF THE TOTAL QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID CITY, AS SHOWN BY ITS LATEST POLL TAX LIST, accompanied by the proposed legislation or measure in the form of a proposed ordinance or resolution, which must be written or printed, and requesting that such ordinance or resolution be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors, if not passed by the Board of Commissioners, shall be filed with the person performing the duties of city clerk or secretary.

Free Concert At High School This Evening

The Wichita Falls Civic Symphony is being presented in a free concert at the high school auditorium this evening at 8:15.

The conductor, Arthur Davis, states that among the numbers on the program is "Lovely Marianne" by Eitel Allan Nelson, which was included on the program of the February concert and met with such favor that numerous requests have been received for its repetition.

Mayor Frank Kelley is to speak briefly on the significance of the musical program which has been inaugurated for Burk Burnett.

Attend Dedication Of Government Hospital At Amarillo, Texas

Leo Dudley, Pat Brady, Jack Duke and Fred Brookman attended the formal opening of the government hospital at Amarillo Sunday. They also visited Roy Holt, Jeff Waits and Cowboy Poole, who are patients there. The boys stated they were well pleased with the attention they were receiving. They are improving in health.

Mrs. Tevis Flower Show Sweepstakes Winner

Mrs. R. C. Tevis was sweepstakes winner of Burk Burnett's first Spring Flower Show and Mrs. C. J. Morrison was runner-up.

Members of the local garden clubs who sponsored the show stated that they were well pleased with the response shown. Several hundred people viewed the displays which were arranged in the basement of the First Methodist church.

All who saw the show were impressed with the quality of the blooms and the number of varieties being grown here.

Judges were Mesdames C. E. Beavers, C. W. Snyder, W. C. Hamilton, and A. G. Holmes, all of Wichita Falls.

Winners are listed as follows:

DIVISION I.
Section A: Water and Mirror arrangement—(1) Floating Flowers—Mrs. Carl Morrison, first; Mrs. A. H. Lohoefer, second; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, third. (2) Mirror—Mrs. C. J. Morrison, first.

Section B: Water and Mirror arrangement—(1) Floating Flowers—Mrs. Carl Morrison, first; Mrs. A. H. Lohoefer, second; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, third. (2) Mirror—Mrs. C. J. Morrison, first.

Clara Group First In Talent Quest At League Rally

Members of Walther League of the Clara Lutheran church won first place in the talent quest at the Spring Zone rally held at Olney last Sunday, according to the Rev. Paul Kaiser, pastor.

Clara had a winning trio composed of Misses Emma Goetze, Vera Klinkerman, and Mrs. Arthur Ramming. Miss Marcella Engelmann placed first in piano solo and Miss Vera Klinkerman was first with her oration.

Miss Marian Klinkerman and Miss Emma Goetze placed first with dramatic reading and Bible essay.

Class Program Opens Senior Activities

Senior activities began officially last Thursday afternoon with the Class Day program presented at activity period at the high school.

According to Miss Gladys Westbrook, one of the class sponsors, the Class Day program was drafted to allow members of the class who had not taken active parts in other class projects to participate.

Christine Turner presented the numbers which include the Class Will by Joe Stocker, the Class Prophecy by Marcella Logan, the Class History by Georgia Spillers, vocal numbers by Trevelyn Miller and piano selection by Dorothy Beldon.

Committee members who arranged the program included Joe Stocker, Gracie Bell Jones, Desmond Harms, Marcella Logan, Howard Clement, Bessie Jo Cooksey, Georgia Spillers, Horace Coley and Christine Turner.

All this week the class has been making plans for the trip on the 20th when they will go to Fort Worth in chartered buses and visit wholesale houses, packing houses, the airport, the Botanical Gardens and the Zoo. They will also be the guests of T.C.U. while there.

The trip will come as a reward to those who pass final examinations this week-end.

Baccalaureate Sunday is on the 19th and Commencement exercises are on the evening of the 23rd.

CALENDAR

Circle No. 1 of the Methodist Missionary Society will meet on Monday at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. C. E. Baker, 307 Hayworth street.

Circle No. 2 of the Methodist Missionary Society will meet Monday at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. B. M. Cropper.

Hardin club will meet at the home of Mrs. G. D. Holtzen Wednesday, May 22. All day meeting.

Professional and Service Projects program at Hardin school auditorium Monday at 6:45.

Circle No. 1 of the Baptist W. M. U. to meet with Mrs. Martha Pinkston Monday afternoon. Bible study.

Circle No. 2 of the Baptist W. M. U. to meet with Mrs. Teague Monday afternoon. Bible study. Blanche Butler's recital at high school auditorium Wednesday evening at 8:15.

Hardin Grade School News

Girls and boys of H 3-1 are on a picnic Monday. Their mothers are in charge and we hope that as many as possible will attend. We plan to leave at 3:30 P. M. and go to the picnic grounds. We shall return at 5:30.

Amateur games started last week and have been very interesting. Eight or ten have made enough points to win. Hugh Cole Preston with twenty-nine and a half points is second with twenty points. Participation was a hundred per cent.

Every boy is eligible for age or scholastic (Mr. Woodall).

Regret that Kenneth Gibson and Colleen Howard are absent because of illness. (Miss McCracken.)

Girls of L 4-1 whose names appear on our spelling list this week are: Roy Smith, Gene Brown, Bob Brown, Jack Hooker, Gene Foster, Veda Foster, Susie Ross. (Miss Mattingly.)

Girls of H 4-2 are studying. We are making bird nests which contain pictures of birds we have colored. The pupils made bird nests. (Miss McCracken.)

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Hal Dean Mabry is back in school after being absent for two weeks with the mumps. Elmer Gene Tyler visited in Oklahoma during the week-end. B. A. Dorland spent last Sunday in Olney. (Miss Griffin.)

Our room and Miss Parris' gave assembly program last Friday. Paul Gene Smith was to have been in our play, but he took the mumps the day before the program. O. D. Dial memorized Paul's part and said it without a mistake, so we all feel proud of him. (Miss Isbell.)

Rosie Lee Michna visited in Wichita Falls over the week-end. Ruby Hilbers returned to school today, also she visited in Windthorst and Thornton this week-end. In the Volley ball intramural, H 7-1 captained by Wilma Butts won over H 6-2 captained by Opal Lee Taylor. The next game scheduled is between H 7-2 captained by Glenda Moore and M 6-1 captained by Mary Frances Gamblin. The winner is the team winning the best 2 out of 3 games of 15 points each. The tennis intramural is in the finals. Dorothy Preston and Virginia Cope are playing Glenda Moore and Betty May. The winners of the best 2 out of 3 sets will play Jo Utts and Colleen Mattingly to determine the winner of first place. (Miss Hyden.)

Our fifth grade has finished a Japanese scene showing the costume and physical features of the country. Also made lanterns, fans, and screens. This will be exhibited in connection with their geography. The nature booklets are completed. Many have made a nice collection of pressed flowers to contribute to the things they have written and drawn. Wanda Cruce visited in Avery. Ramona Milford visited in Oklahoma City. Margaret Brady visited in Rhome, Texas. (Miss V. Smith.)

The 7th grade is very busy rehearsing the plays "Call Hecor" and "Buddy Answers An Ad." All are looking forward to a good performance and a large attendance. This event will be Monday afternoon and evening, May 13. (Mrs. Vann.)

We have enjoyed art lessons this past week, as we made gifts for our mothers. We wrapped them Friday to take home for Mother's Day. These names were on the spelling honor roll for the past week: Betty Jo Houtchens, David McNeil, Joe Sampson, Glen Broussard and James Rogers. (Miss Lasseter.)

Our pupils are very busy now reviewing in order that they may be prepared for fourth grade work next year. Bobby Gene Lawson, Marshal Miller and Eddie Ashman have made bird houses and brought them to school. Friday our pupils made Mother's Day cards to take home to their mothers. (Miss L. Smith.)

The seventh grade will have its annual banquet in the Hardin Grade school auditorium. We have all been looking forward to this and know it will be a great event. (Miss Gibson.)

We are very busy in high 1-1 now trying to read all of these nice first grade readers before school closes. We are also making a farm booklet and spend a part of every day reviewing words

we have had earlier in our work. (Miss Billingslea.)

The following program was presented at the flower show: "That Wonderful Mother of Mine," Louis Fulks, and Alice Millikin, accompanied by Dorothy Browning. "Mother," Mamie Browning, accompanied by Dorothy Browning. "In An Old Dutch Garden" and "Woodpecker's Song" and "God Bless America," was sung by Colleen Mattingly, Josephine Utts, Louis Fulks, Alice Millikin, Iva Jo Fields, Billy Sam Poteet, Doris Mae Grace, and Dorothy Ann Preston. "Ride Tender Foot Ride" and "Leaning On The Old Top Rail" by Mac Sutton, Hugh Cole Preston, Jack Deines, Gordon Clements, and accompanied by Louis Fulks. Piano selection—Mary Frances Gamblin. Piano selection—Janice Caffee. The following will be presented at the exhibit, May 14, Hardin Grade Auditorium:

Vocal selections—Alice Millikin, and Louise Fulks. Reading—Dorothy Ann Preston. Vocal—Mamie Browning, accompanied by Dorothy Browning. Piano numbers—Mamie Browning, Janice Caffee, and Mary Frances Gamblin. This is the last week for the school news from Hardin Grade school. I wish to thank the Burkburnett Star for the space given the news from this school. We appreciate it very much and hope that we can in some way be of service to Burkburnett and the Burkburnett Star with our school news next year. (R. M. Davis.)

Statistics just compiled by the American Life Convention indicate that 77,000 policyholders die annually in the United States, within a year after they invest in life insurance, and that their beneficiaries receive approximately \$52,000,000 as a result of their insurance.

The statistics, just received here by Mr. B. H. Alexander, who is local representative of Southwestern Life Insurance company, an affiliate of the American Life Convention, were taken from a survey which also covered the field of health and accident records. Based upon estimates of the United States Public Health Service, the American Life Convention reports an average of 5,000,000 persons invalidated each day by sickness, and 500,000 by accidents.

The report estimates the annual loss in wages from sickness not covered by Workmen's Compensation benefits, total more than \$6,500,000,000. Where permanent disability is involved, however, much of this loss is covered by life insurance.

The Texas oil industry has invested in this state \$1.10 for every \$1.00 worth of oil which it has produced to date. These expenditures included wages to Texas oil workers, lease and royalty payments and local government payments and investments in Texas properties.

The Texas oil industry is the largest carload customer of Texas railroads.

Burkburnett Volunteer Firemen were disappointed in their attempt to capture the loving cup in the hose-hook-up contest at the West Texas Firemen's convention held at Munday, last week.

They yielded to Archer City, but only after a bitter battle. Archer City and Burkburnett had both won the contest twice in succession and this win entitles Archer City to keep the cup. However, the local boys say there will be other contests and other opportunities.

Burkburnett people who attended the convention were Frank Kelley and son, James, Mr. and Mrs. John Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Goble, Norman Brittain, W. H. (Fat) Farar, Mr. and Mrs. Dink Lawson and daughter, and Fire Marshal and Mrs. John Blackstone.

Pemberton High Point Man At A. and M. Contests

Dean and Wildlife Team Praised.

M. S. Dean, head of the vocational agriculture department in the local high school, has received a report from Texas A. and M. on the results of the contests recently entered by his teams.

J. Wilson Pemberton was high point man for the state in judging market birds. He was a member of the poultry team which ranked, as a team, in the upper half. Out of a possible 3600 points the Burkburnett boys were 400 points under the high team.

The Dairy team had practically the same rating. Mr. Dean received a very complimentary letter from W. B. Davis of A. and M. on the work that the local Wildlife team is doing and on the showing they made in the contest.

One paragraph from his letter follows: "Our problems of conservation cannot be solved alone by the so-called specialist, and we feel that you men in the field who are teaching the principles and practices of conservation to the younger generation are making a real, lasting, and much worthwhile contribution. More power to you! I wish there were more teachers of your calibre."

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Wichita County, Texas, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Jack Lacey by making publication of this citation once each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the 78th District Court of Wichita County, to be held at the Court House thereof in Wichita Falls, on the first Monday in June, 1940, the same being the 3rd day of June, 1940. Then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of April, 1940, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 34592-B wherein, Jessie Lacey is Plaintiff and Jack Lacey is defendant, and said petition being one for divorce based on the grounds of cruel treatment. Plaintiff alleges that she has resided in the State of Texas for more than one year and in the County of Wichita for over six months next preceding the filing of this petition. Plaintiff further alleges that she was married to the defendant on or about the 23rd day of June, 1923, and continued to live with the defendant as his wife until on or about the 30th day of January, 1939, when by reason of harsh treatment accorded her by the defendant she was compelled to separate from him and since which time they have not lived together as man and wife. Plaintiff further alleges that there were no children born of this union and that there is no community property. Premises considered, plaintiff prays that the defendant be cited to appear, and that on final hearing she be granted her decree of divorce and that she may have such other relief to which she may show herself entitled.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this 30th day of April, 1940.

GLENN HAYNES, Clerk, District Court, Wichita County, Texas.

By W. E. Wilson, Jr., Deputy. (39-4tc-A)

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS) COUNTY OF WICHITA) Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Alias Execution issued out of the Honorable 78th District Court of Wichita County, on the 25th day of April, 1940, by Clerk of said District Court for the sum of Twenty-four thousand, eight hundred and seventy-five (\$24,875.00) Dollars and costs of suit, under a certain Judgment, in favor of Frances Ann Saunders Dickinson, joined by her husband, O. C. Dickinson, Jr., in a certain cause in said Court, No. 23104-B and styled Frances Ann Saunders Dickinson, et vir vs. Westmore-

land Park Company, a corporation, and placed in my hands for service, I, Pat Allen as Sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did, on the 25th day of April, 1940, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Wichita County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Lying and being situated in the County of Wichita, State of Texas, and being the West four (4) acres of the following tract of land described by metes and bounds, as follows: Beginning on the North line of the Wichita Falls and Seymour Road, at a stake for the Southwest corner of a seven (7) acre tract deeded by Mrs. Ed Waggoner to F. J. Darr, Dec. 15, 1923;

Thence S. 64 degrees 17 min. W. with the N. line of said Seymour Road 357.4 feet to a stake; Thence N. 17 degrees and 18 min. W. 703 feet to a stake; Thence E. 531 feet to a stake in the W. line of said Darr 7 acre tract; Thence S. with the W. line of said Darr tract 516 feet to the place of beginning, containing six (6) acres of land.

And levied upon as the property of Westmoreland Park Company, a corporation and that on the first Tuesday in June, 1940, the same being the 4th day of said month, at the Court house door of Wichita County, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. by virtue of said levy and said Alias Execution I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Westmoreland Park Company, a corporation.

And in compliance with law, I

give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Burkburnett Star, a newspaper published in Wichita County.

Witness my hand, this 26th day of April, 1940.

PAT ALLEN, Sheriff, Wichita County, Texas.

By H. F. Hawkins, Deputy. (39-3t-c-A)

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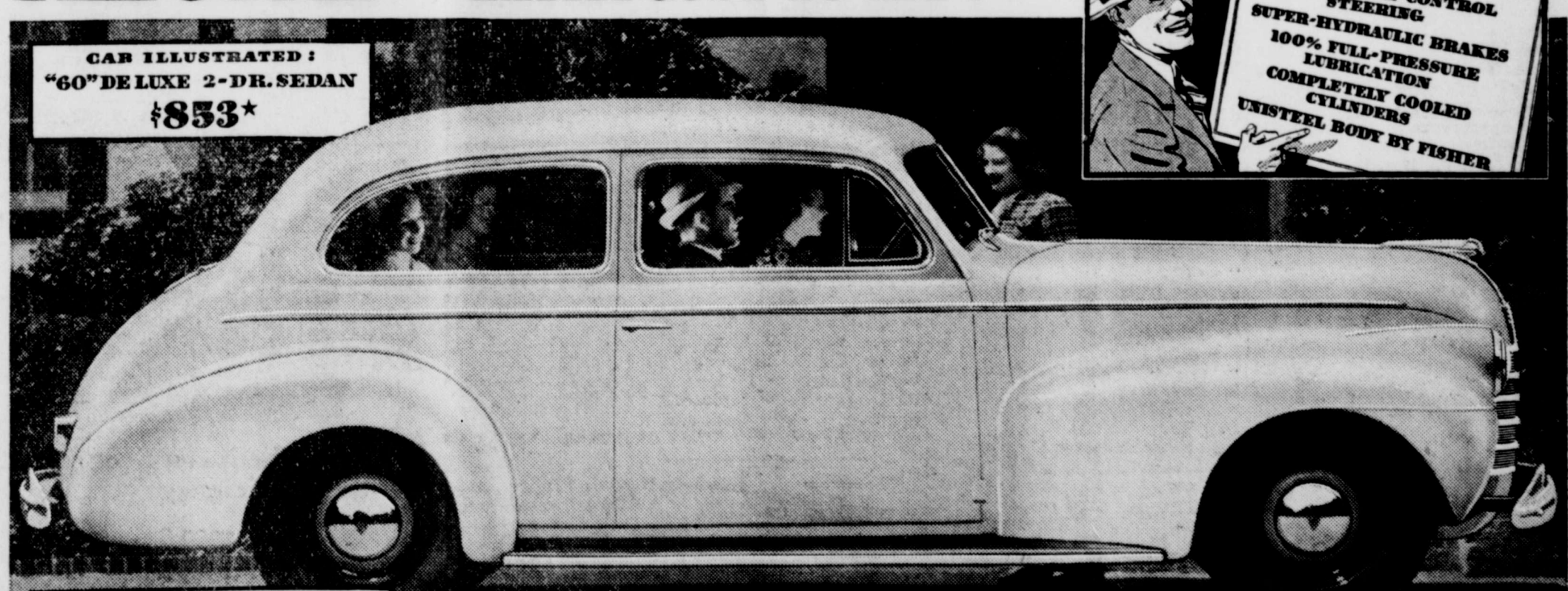
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-SOCIETY-

Auxiliary Honors
Mothers And
Plans Poppy Sale

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary observed an annual custom Saturday by presenting a Mother's Day program during their meeting at the home of Mrs. H. C. Gilbert.

Mrs. M. W. Majors, chairman, presided over a brief business session at which time plans were made for the Poppy Sale which will be held on Saturday, May 25th.

Those present were Mesdames A. H. Bazell, Henry Porter, Leo Dudley, Fred Brookman, Ellen Prater, M. W. Majors, C. F. Johnson and H. C. Gilbert.

Mother-Daughter
Banquet At First
Baptist Church

The W.M.U. of the First Baptist church gave a Mother-Daughter banquet for the Junior and Intermediate Girls' Auxiliaries at the church Thursday evening, May 9.

Mrs. C. B. Beldon gave the welcome address and the Rev. Jack Manning brought the devotional on "Mothers of the Bible."

Each G. A. member introduced her mother and Mamie Brown, Irene Hullum, Doris Frances Magers, Myrtle Mae White, Dorothy Beldon and Virginia Andrews were presented on a program of songs and readings.

Mrs. Jack Manning addressed the assembly on "Memories of Mother."

Following the program, each girl took her mother as partner and marched into the basement where tables had been set and decorated in the Auxiliary colors of green and white. Covers were laid for sixty-five members and guests.

Lanelle Elder
To Wed In June

An announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss Lanelle Elder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Elder of this city to Booth Owen of Grandfield, Okla., was made at a reception at the bride-to-be's home Saturday afternoon. The wedding will be an event of June 23.

Emphasis was placed on the bride-elect's chosen colors of blue and white. Sweet peas, orange blossoms, and roses were used in lovely profusion throughout the reception rooms and on the refreshment table where interlocked wedding rings were used to reveal the nuptial news.

Approximately 100 guests called to extend their good wishes to the young couple.

The bride-elect is a life-long resident of Burkburnett. She was graduated from the Burkburnett high school and Hardin Junior college in Wichita Falls. She attended North Texas State Teachers college and Texas college for Women at Denton.

Mr. Owen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Owen of Grandfield, is a graduate of Oklahoma University, Norman, Okla.

At the reception Saturday the receiving line consisted of Mrs. P. A. Wiggins, Mrs. W. B. Owen, Miss Elder, Mrs. Clyde Elder. At the guest book was Mrs. James Aven of Grandfield. At the tea table were Miss Marjette Owens, Wichita Falls; Mrs. Elton Hodges, Odessa; Mrs. Bertha Cropper; Mrs. J. B. Andrews, Overton; Miss Jean Holt, Miss Frankie Givens and Mrs. Barney Loring.

Guests from Wichita Falls included Mrs. Albert Owen, Mrs. T. R. Vague, Mrs. R. D. Owens and Mrs. Claude Riley, Mrs. Dora Crowley and Mrs. C. O. McDuffy.

Another out-of-town guest was Mrs. John Hubbard of Galveston.

Circle Meeting At
Mrs. Whitesides

Circle No. 2 of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Artie Whitesides. Mrs. Keith brought the devotional from the 40th Psalm. Mrs. C. O. Walling led in prayer. Roll call was answered with scripture verses.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames C. O. Walling, Suttles, Hal Goodlett, C. B. Beldon, M. P. Keith, Bill Hinnant, Wood, Whitesides.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Teague. Bible study.

The suspicions of women, so far as men are concerned, are not without foundation.

★ FASHION PREVIEW ★



A charming custom that has become popular is the mother-daughter duplicate dressing. For play-time, May Good Housekeeping suggests a mulin worn with little boleros. They wash beautifully and don't have to be ironed. Colors are turquoise, trillium rose, lupin blue or gladiolus pink.

Mrs. Majors Was
Hostess To Current
Literature Club

Members of the Current Literature club met at the home of Mrs. M. W. Majors last Thursday for an all-day meeting and covered dish luncheon. Assisting Mrs. Majors was Mrs. J. D. Majors.

It was at this meeting that Mayor Frank Kelley formally proclaimed Mrs. Major "Official Mother" of Burkburnett and presented her with a copy of the proclamation.

Mrs. Fred Brookman and Mrs. A. C. Harris were welcomed as new members of the organization. Mrs. B. Danforth was program leader and presented a program on "Government." Mrs. M. W. Majors discussed "Our Government," the Rev. A. A. Hyde spoke on "Democracy for the World," and Mrs. Hugh Jones gave a "Critique Report."

Those present joined in singing "America," accompanied by Mrs. Roy Magers.

Those who attended were Mesdames B. Danforth, B. M. Cropper, D. C. Dodson, N. R. Allen, B. F. Gilchrist, Hugh Jones, A. H. Lohofener, M. W. Majors, Roy Magers, C. J. Morrison, Frank Riley, L. L. Harris, Joy Sesums, J. L. Caffee, E. L. Blum, Fred Brookman, A. C. Harris, and Mrs. Minnie Lewis, Mrs. Joe Majors, and the Rev. A. A. Hyde, guests.

Clara Club
Met Tuesday

The Clara Demonstration club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. P. Van Loh. Miss Ruth Farquhar discussed use of commercial patterns and of foundation patterns.

The mattress making project was also discussed.

The next meeting will be on May 22 at the home of Mrs. Joe Beaver. This meeting will be a seated tea and a book review will be given by a guest speaker.

During the social hour Mrs. J. W. Whitney read a poem, "Every Mother's Way." Mrs. H. M. Sutterfield read "Mother's Day Is Every Day."

Refreshments were served to Mesdames S. E. Ferguson, J. W. Whitney, Wayne Redmon, D. B. Redmon, R. C. Bassett, E. A. Birkman, Paul Schroeder, J. F. Wolfe, M. C. Chapman, J. L. Pearson, Wilbert Prechel, H. M. Sutterfield, R. R. Johnston, Miss Ruth Farquhar and the hostess.

G. A. Meeting
At Church

The Junior Girls' Auxiliary of the First Baptist church met Monday at the church. Following roll call and a personal service check, the leader, Mrs. C. B. Beldon, told some very interesting Missionary stories.

Every girl between the ages of 9 and 13 is urged to attend G. A. meetings.

Those present were Tommie Sue Spillers, Biddie Pearl Ashman, Helen McBride and Mrs. Beldon.

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Mrs. Harwell, Mrs.
Allen Hostesses
To Garden Club

Members of the Bluebonnet Garden club were entertained by Mrs. F. H. Harwell and Mrs. N. R. Allen at Mrs. Harwell's home Tuesday afternoon.

Roll call was answered with favorite spring flowers and plans were made for the June luncheon. Mrs. H. C. Gilbert read a paper on "Lilies," and Mrs. Ray Mills discussed "Our Natural Gardens."

Comment was made on the unusual beauty of the bouquets each member brought to the meeting for competition.

Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames J. M. Patterson, Ray Mills, Charles Boyd, George Kerr, W. C. Gage, P. G. Williamson, M. E. Bean, Will Teal, B. Danforth, H. S. Grace, H. C. Gilbert, H. R. Hayes, N. R. Allen, L. J. Loring, Fred Brookman and Mrs. Fred Datsen, a visitor.

T.E.L. Held
Social Last Week

The T.E.L. class of the First Baptist church held their May social at the home of Mrs. Herbert Cook last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Floyd Milford led the opening song, "My Mother's Bible." Mrs. George Kent brought the devotional and led in prayer.

Mrs. O. P. Brookover presided during a short business session. Mrs. C. D. Mullins dismissed the business meeting with prayer.

Mrs. Fred Lynch had charge of the entertainment and presented Mesdames D. C. McCullough, M. P. Keith, Lillian Davis and Venus Reese in a program of readings and songs.

Refreshments were served by Group Two to Mesdames D. C. McCullough, C. E. Garner, R. V. Broussard, Frank Simmons, Roy Blansett, C. D. Mullins, M. P. Keith, W. A. Hinnant and Rosemary, J. L. Smith, Martha Pinkston, Lillian Davis, Venus Reese, George Kent, W. T. Reese, Carl Miller, B. D. Simpkins, O. B. Wofford, Johnny Bell Brown, C. B. Teague, F. M. Milford, G. T. England, Herbert Cook and Wilbur W. Spray.

Federated Meeting
At Mrs. Exley's

The last regular meeting of the Federated Missionary Society was held at the home of Mrs. H. J. Exley. Mrs. O. H. Dickinson and Mrs. D. R. Peevey assisted the hostess.

Mrs. Hugh Jones, president, presided, and plans were made for the Story Telling Hour sponsored annually. It was tentatively decided to begin the program two weeks after school closes and Mother Majors and her helpers will again conduct the hour.

Members selected a mother to honor on Mother's Day and Mrs. W. D. Phillips led the devotional.

Those present were Mesdames M. W. Majors, C. B. Beldon, W. A. Strickland, A. H. Lohofener, F. R. Knauth, Hattie Buchanan, Hugh Jones, B. F. Turner, P. J. Burns, Neal Hall, Sid Gamblin, Wil Phillips, Artie Whitesides, D. R. Peevey, O. H. Dickinson, and H. J. Exley.

Wilma Jackson Of
Cashion Hostess
To Friends

Miss Wilma Jackson entertaining with an informal party at the home of her parents at Cashion Monday evening.

Those present were Louise Pray, Neal Hall, Dorothy Van Houten, Martha Jean Walling, Weldon Minick, Jo Ella Morris, Dorothy Warren, Kelly Reid, Katharin Blewett, Wanda Ruth Clements, Leon Harris, Vernon Duke, Bobby Essner, Charles White, Luella Pemberton, Glenda Prescott, Jimmy Roy Morris, Doris Minick, Omar Baumhardt, Billy and Bobby Jackson, J. D. Moody, Walter Hewell, Evelyn Shields, Robert Riddle, Mildred Reid, W. A. Strickland, Truman Meadors, the hostess, and Mrs. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Blewett and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson.

Study Club Closes
Year And Installs
Officers

The last official meeting of the University Study club for this year was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. A. Wiggins.

Mrs. H. W. Prinzing installed officers for the coming year as follows: Mrs. W. R. Hill, president; Mrs. I. D. Russell, first vice president; Mrs. A. R. Bunstine, second vice president; Mrs. P. G. Williamson, recording secretary; Mrs. J. V. Brookshear, corresponding secretary; Mrs. O. R. Wood, treasurer; Mrs. C. J. Duncan, parliamentarian; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, reporter.

The program committee, composed of Mesdames W. R. Hill, J. V. Brookshear, and O. C. Willis, presented Lela Mae Pinkston, Myrtle Mae White, Mary Jane Patterson, and Dorothy Browning in a charming little play, "The Wrong Number."

Those present were Mesdames J. M. Pogue, O. R. Wood, R. C. Tevis, I. D. Russell, P. G. Williamson, J. V. Brookshear, W. R. Hill, P. A. Wiggins, R. H. Henry, H. W. Prinzing, George Kerr, O. C. Willis, J. H. Rigby, O. B. Jordan, Jess Hageman, and A. R. Bunstine.

Mrs. Broussard
Hostess To
Jolly Workers

The Jolly Workers club met at the home of Mrs. R. V. Broussard Tuesday afternoon. Following a short business meeting a social hour was enjoyed by Mesdames Oletha Allen, Dorothy Allen, Bertha Wood, Thelma Martin, Bertha Lynch, Lillie Rogers, Pauline Brightwell, Katie McKown, and Elma Broussard, all members and the following visitors: Mesdames C. E. Holms, T. W. Scribe, C. E. Jones, Lewis, Minnie Todd and Nina Brown.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Billie Boyd at Byers, Texas.

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Margaret Tanner

The home of Mrs. P. B. Brown formed a charming setting for a lovely personal and linen shower honoring Miss Margaret Tanner last Thursday evening.

Miss Tanner is the bride-elect of Dr. Leo George Hertlein of San Francisco.

The hostess group included Mesdames O. C. Willis, Paschall Kimbrow, Louis Sims, J. R. Chat-ham, Opal Bookbinder, R. W. Wallace, G. A. Reaves, Butler Westerfield and Miss Laura Faye Herring.

Pink and silver, the bride-elect's chosen colors, were used in house and table decorations.

James Hicks, Donald Willis and Miss Louise Kent were presented in a program of readings and songs.

The presentation of gifts was made by Mrs. G. A. Reaves.

The guest list included forty names.

Mrs. Davidson
Circle Hostess

Circle No. 1 of the First Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. Earl Davidson Monday afternoon. The meeting opened with song and Mrs. Murphy Dean read the devotional from the 20th chapter of Matthew.

A short business session followed and Mrs. Dean urged that new church members be enlisted in the Circle. Mrs. Will Teal dismissed with prayer.

Those present included Mesdames Murphy Dean, Martha Pinkston, Will Teal, Earl Davidson, Simpkins, and one visitor, Mrs. Teague.

Bride Is Honored
With Shower

Mrs. Alvin Stripling, a recent bride, was complimented with a lovely shower at the home of Mrs. L. O. Campbell Tuesday afternoon. The hostess group included Mesdames Campbell, H. W. Prinzing, R. L. Gragg, L. J. Loring, and O. E. Melton.

The reception rooms were made lovely with roses and other spring flowers. Mrs. James Bohner presided at the bride's book.

The honoree entered to the strains of the Wedding March from Lohengrin played by Mrs. M. C. Tucker. She was clad in a charming rose-colored, floor length afternoon frock.

Mrs. C. W. Thomas sang "I Love You Truly," and Mrs. H. W. Prinzing reviewed "Love on a Budget."

Mrs. L. J. Loring presented the gifts to Mrs. Stripling.

Misses Tia Juana Ashton and Mrs. Ruby Ashton assisted the hostesses in entertaining the guests.

The names of sixty-two ladies were included on the guest list.

In conjunction with WPA field crews, University of Texas geologists are excavating one of the nation's largest known meteor craters, a 600-foot-wide pit, eight miles southwest of Odessa.

Wedding Of
Chester Roberts
Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Roberts of this city received an announcement last week of the marriage of their son, Chester, to Miss Olga Thomas of New Haven, Conn.

The wedding was an event of May 5th and took place at one o'clock on that afternoon in the home of the Rev. Blackburn, pastor of the First Methodist church in Ada, Okla.

First Baptist
Announcements

Our Sunday School attendance Sunday was 444, one less than our average for last month which was 445. Let us on this next Sunday, May 19, go beyond this and up close to, if not over, the 500 mark.

We appreciate the presence of so many visitors to our services this past Sunday. Come back to see us.

On this next Sunday night the High School baccalaureate services will be held at our church.

On the next Sunday night, May 26, the Union Revival begins, and our church has voted to cooperate in the meeting. This will mean that we will have no night services in our church May 19, and 26 or on June 2 or 9. Our Training Union, which meets at 6:45 will continue through this time, however, as usual. There will be no Sunday morning services in the Union Revival, but each church will have its regular morning services on the Sundays during the Union Revival, with the regular Sunday school and 11:00 a. m. worship hour.

Calendar of Services.
Bible School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 6:45 p. m.
Intermediates in charge of assembly.

—Jack W. Manning, pastor.

Propagandized "scientific" reports and regimentation into the army of potential scientists is undermining technical progress in Germany, according to W. R. Woolrich, University of Texas engineering dean. Supposedly scientific journals, particularly in chemical and mechanical engineering, are often tainted with false claims that American scientists know to be unreliable, he added.

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Morgenthau Issues Report On Bonds Sold Through P.O.'s

Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau announced today that the total sales of Savings Bonds through March 31, 1940, aggregated in maturity value, more than \$3,860,273,75, and that purchases have been made by approximately 1,987,374 investors.

The total represents average purchases of \$2,495,325 for each business day since March 1, 1935, when these bonds were first placed on sale. Deducting bonds redeemed, the maturity value of Savings Bonds outstanding on March 31, 1940, was approximately \$3,495,573,600.

The total maturity value of purchases for the calendar year 1939 was \$1,104,060,975, an average purchase for each business day of last year of \$3,687,975.

United States Savings Bonds are sold on a discount basis and mature in ten years for one-third more than their purchase price. For example, \$75 is the purchase price of a \$100 face value bond, which matures at the end of ten years. Records of the sales for the individual post offices authorized to sell Savings Bonds are tabulated in cash value.

Direct-by-mail and post office purchases from New York, New York, give that city the lead for the nation and for the first class post offices. New York's cash purchases for the period were \$61,116,881.25 (maturity value \$81,489,175).

Glen Ridge, New Jersey, leads the second class post offices with a cash purchase of \$272,006.25 (maturity value \$362,675.) Chaska Minnesota, leads all third class post offices, having a cash purchase of \$80,887.50 (maturity value \$107,850).

The fourth class post offices are led once again by Plemons, Texas. This town led its class in 1938 with a cash purchase of \$99,637.50 (maturity value \$132,850), and this year it tops its class with the extraordinary amount of \$108,693.75 (maturity value \$144,925).

Approximately 16,000 post offices throughout the country sell United States Savings Bonds. Regional reports as to annual purchases at each of these offices and mail order purchases originating in their respective territories are being forwarded to the postmasters concerned.

The Burkburnett post office ranked 157th in the 222 second class postoffices listed in the 1939 tabulations with a total of \$18,300.

Fawn, 2 Dogs, Cat Are Pals

One of the strangest groups of animal pals ever discovered can be found on the headquarters ranch of H. L. Kokernot & Son near Alpine, Texas. A young deer, two Scottie dogs and a black cat can be seen day after day roaming the canyons a considerable distance from the ranch house. They frolic hour after hour apparently on the best of terms with never a cross "word" between them, according to the Alpine Avalanche.

The four became pals after the fawn was found near the corral one day by cowboys. The cowhands adopted the motherless waif, took him to the corral and fed him for a time on a bottle. But cowboys are busy people and this took too much time and work so they taught the fawn to suck the milk cows. The little buck was an apt pupil and readily took to his foster mothers. He now stays with the cows on the range when not playing with his pals and comes in with the cows at night. He is now about half grown.

Outdoor Writers Organize

The men who give the sportsmen their news of where fishing or hunting is best, publicize the anglers' tall tales and preach conservation of wildlife, organized during the recent sport writers' tarpon rodeo at Port Aransas. Their organization, the Texas Outdoor Writers' Association, will affiliate with the Outdoor Writers' Association of America.

Fred Maly, sports editor of the San Antonio Evening News, was unanimously elected president; Jim McMullen, Fort Worth Star-Telegram, vice-president, and John Huntress, San Antonio News and Express, secretary-treasurer. The officers, along with the following men, will compose the board of directors: Jimmy Langan, Houston Chronicle; Collier Parris, Lubbock Avalanche-Journal; Floyd Aton, Tyler Courier-Times; Fred Gipson, Corpus Christi Caller-Times; and J. Austwell Small, Austin, editor of the Southern Sportsman magazine.

skit closed with the seniors bidding farewell to their parents and friends and sailing out on the sea of life. P.T.A. officers for next year were introduced and they were installed by Mrs. Y. C. Paschall, Mrs. Tom Williams is the new president, Mrs. Louis Hough the vice president, Mrs. Lloyd Wright, secretary and Mrs. J. O. Roberts, treasurer.

Nobody's Business

By JULIAN CAPERS JR.

Austin—The competition of an European war that threatens at last to flame into "total warfare" with involvement of all Europe, and the apathy of an electorate continued to smother the 1940 political show in Texas.

Garner forces, taking advantage of a "peace agreement" work-out in Washington by Congressman Sam Rayburn and Lyndon Johnson, met little opposition from Roosevelt third terms in the Texas precinct and county conventions, and will control the Waco State convention. Roosevelt advocates are satisfied to permit the convention to endorse the Roosevelt-Garner administration, frown on a "stop Roosevelt" movement, and give the sage of Uvalde a complimentary favorite son vote at the national convention. Otherwise, the Garner movement seems to be hopelessly deflated. Indications are now that Roosevelt, unless he forbids it, will be drafted by the votes of states ahead of Texas on the roll-call, so the Garner vote will be nothing more than a compliment to a distinguished Texan.

Out of the campaigning, however, likely will come the election of Myron G. Blalock, Garner leader, as Democratic national committeeman from Texas, and the state could make no better choice. Blalock, able, experienced, one of Texas' best speakers, and a man who retains the confidence of the people at large and of the group interests, will reflect honor and prestige upon the Democracy of Texas as its representative on the national committee.

Big Legislative Turnover

Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel asked the folks, in his opening address, to give him a legislature that would knuckle under his fantastic financial plans for a \$60,000,000 sales tax program for Texas. He may or may not get it. But it is

evident at this stage that there will be a lot of new faces in the next legislature, with nearly one-third of the present house membership voluntarily retiring, and 360 candidates for the 150 places, with many others expected to get in as the political show warms up, during the next three weeks.

Seven women candidates already have announced. Sixteen senators' terms expire, and there will be new faces in some of these places, it is certain, with John Redditt, of Lufkin, G. H. Nelson, of Tahoka, and probably Clint Small of Amarillo, not asking for re-election. Will Pace, the Tyler veteran and mentor of the powerful East Texas bloc in the Senate has not yet announced, but his friends say he will. Three other candidates seek his place.

Two hold-over Senators, Olan Van Zandt of Tioga, and L. J. Sulak of Lagrange, seek other offices, Van Zandt to the Railroad Commission and Sulak for Congressman.

Rail Race Is Joke

With 20 candidates either announced or planning to get in, the competition for the Railroad Commission place of retiring Lon Smith has become a political farce. Olin Culbertson, William McDonald, former Land Commissioner, Olan Van Zandt, and possibly Ross Hardin are regarded as possibilities for the runoff, at this stage, by most observers here. The public has shown little interest up to date, despite a barrage of radio oratory in this race.

Mann Sues Motor Sales Corporation

Attorney General Gerald Mann, charging that officials of the corporation had refused to permit an assistant of his to inspect its books and records in Detroit, has brought suit to oust the General Motors Sales Corporation from doing business in Texas. It is a sales subsidiary of the huge auto manufacturing corporation. Mann has sought, he said, to determine

whether the company was violating the anti-trust laws in Texas, and Texas' law provides for forfeiture of the permit to do business in this state, upon refusal to permit inspection of its records, under such circumstances.

Morse To Vacate

Emmett Morse, veteran of seven terms in the House from Harris county, and present speaker, will seek re-election to the House, he announced, but will not seek a second term as speaker. That leaves Homer Leonard, of McAllen, a contender last time who withdrew to support Morse, as a likely top candidate for speaker of the next house.

Flower Show-

(Continued from page one)

Arrangement—Mrs. O. E. Milton, first; Mrs. R. C. Tevis, second; Mrs. R. C. Tevis, third.

Section C: Miniature arrangement—Mrs. J. C. Morrison, first; Mrs. George McClarty, second; Verna Jean Pogue, third.

Section D: Arrangement of Roses in suitable container (1) Polyantha: Mrs. C. J. Morrison, first; Mrs. A. H. Lohoefer, second; Mrs. R. C. Tevis, third. (2) Pink: Mrs. W. P. Sims, first; Mrs. Tom Boyd, second. (3) Multi-color: Mrs. F. L. Pilkenton, first; Mrs. O. C. Wills, second; Mrs. H. S. Grace, third. (4) Red: B. E. Hurt, first and second; Mrs. H. R. Hayes, third. (5) Any combination: Mrs. Tom Boyd, first; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, second. (6) Climbing: Mrs. C. J. Morrison, first; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, second; Mrs. Henry Porter, third.

Section E: Artistic arrangement of Annuals—(1) Phlox: Mrs. J. C. Adams, first; Mrs. Tom Boyd, second; Mrs. Henry Porter, third. (2) Petunia: Mrs. Tom Boyd, first; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, second; Mrs. L. Lohoefer, third. (3) Larkspur: Mrs. J. M. Pogue, first; Mrs. L. Lohoefer, second; Mrs. Tom Boyd, third. (4) Snapdragons: Mrs. C. J. Morrison, first, second and third. (5)

Poppies: Mrs. E. Jeffers, first; Mrs. C. J. Morrison, second; Mrs. W. P. Sims, third. (6) Cornflowers: Mrs. J. M. Pogue, first; Mrs. A. H. Lohoefer, second; Mrs. P. B. Browning, third. (7) Pansies: Mrs. Carl Morrison, first and second; Mrs. Tom Boyd, third. (8) Sweetpeas: Mrs. Carl Morrison, first; Mrs. D. C. Dodson, second; Mrs. George McClarty, third. (9) Hollyhocks: Mrs. R. C. Tevis, first; Verbenas: Mrs. F. L. Pilkenton, first; Mrs. R. C. Tevis, second. (11) Daisies: Mrs. Tom Boyd, second. (12) Calendula: Mrs. C. J. Morrison, first; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, second.

Section F: Any combination of Annuals and Perennials—Mrs. C. J. Morrison, first; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, second; Mrs. H. R. Hayes, third.

Section G: Artistic arrangement of Perennials—(1) Columbine: Mrs. A. H. Lohoefer, first; Mrs. Paul Browning, second; Mrs. R. C. Tevis, third. (2) Honeysuckle: Mrs. R. C. Tevis, first; Mrs. R. C. Tevis, second. (3) Any combination: Mrs. R. C. Tevis, first; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, second; Mrs. W. P. Sims, third.

Section H: Any arrangement of Iris—Mrs. A. H. Lohoefer, first; Mrs. Harold Van Loh, second; Mrs. Ray Mills, third.

Section I: Any arrangement of Lillies—Mrs. J. D. Majors.

Section J: Any arrangement of Flowering Shrub: Mrs. R. C. Tevis, first; Mrs. L. Lohoefer, second; Mrs. H. C. Gilbert, third.

Section K: Junior (under 16 years of age)—(1) Artistic arrangement of Annuals: Verna Jean Pogue, first; Dorothy Ellen Boyd, second; Verna Jean Pogue, third. (2) Artistic arrangement of perennials: Verna Jean Pogue, first; Carolyn Rose Boyd, second; Patricia Oxley, third. (3) Artistic arrangement of roses: Carolyn Rose Boyd, first; Verna Jean Pogue, second; Norman Dodson, third. (4) Snapdragons: Mrs. C. J. Morrison, first, second and third. (5)

Wildflowers: (1) Bluebonnets—

Dorothy Ellen Boyd, first; Carolyn Rose Boyd, second; Dorothy Ellen Boyd, third. (2) Yucca: Verna Jean Pogue, first; Kay Morrison, second. (3) Any variety not listed: Kay Morrison, first; Jessie Ruth Preston, second and third. (4) Any combination: Kay Morrison, first; Verna Jean Pogue, second; Jessie Ruth Preston, third. Junior Pot Plants: Dorothy Ellen Boyd.

Junior Miscellaneous: Sadie Beth Tevis, first; Dorothy Ellen Boyd, second; Jessie Ruth Preston, third.

Nosegay: Sadie Beth Tevis.

DIVISION II

House Plants: (1) Rubber: Mrs. A. H. Lohoefer, first; Begonia: Mrs. T. D. Oxley, first; Mrs. J. M. Patterson, second. (3) Miscellaneous: Mrs. R. C. Tevis, first; Mrs. L. Lohoefer, second; Mrs. Henry Porter, third.

DIVISION III

Specimen blooms to be exhibited in milk bottles: Roses: (1) Pink—Mrs. C. E. Baker, first; Mrs. Carl Morrison, second; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, third. (2) Red: B. E. Hurt, first; Mrs. O. C. Wills, second; Mrs. J. C. Adams, third. (3) White—Mrs. Fred Brookman, first; Mrs. T. D. Oxley, second; Mrs. Tom Boyd, third. (4) Yellow—Mrs. Henry Grace, first; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, second. Multi-colored—Mrs. O. C. Wills, first; Mrs. J. C. Adams, second; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, third. (6) Polyantha—Mrs. R. C. Tevis, first; Mrs. J. M. Pogue, second; Mrs. Carl Morrison, third.

Pansies: Yellow, red, blue, bi-colored and purple—Mrs. R. C. Tevis.

The scrubby mesquite cluttering Texas from the Panhandle to the Gulf, provides excellent ornamental wood, according to J. Frank Dobie, University of Texas author and English professor. Colors are yellow and red, the latter "as beautiful when polished as the richest mahogany."

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Little Theatre To Have Three One-Act Plays

Miss Margaret Tanner, director of Little Theatre productions, states that work has started on the organization's next presentation which will be three one-act plays instead of the usual three-act play.

The first of these is a tragedy, "The Terrible Meek," which deals with the mother of Jesus at the crucifixion.

The other two are comedies; "Bumble Puppy," a brief character study of two lazy, easy-going backwoods men; and "Letters," a domestic comedy treating the subject of the "eternal triangle," and showing what a really clever wife does to win back her straying husband.

The plays will be presented at the high school auditorium on the evening of May 29, and Miss Tanner states that they have secured Jew Bent for the lead in "The Terrible Meek."

THRIFT NEWS

By B. F. Jackson

(Received too late last week)

Mr. and Mrs. James Zink are the proud parents of a young son born to them at the Burk Burnett clinic, April 28th. The boy weighed 9 pounds and 4 ounces and was named Gerald Wayne. Mrs. Zink and her son are at home at this time.

The local Baptist church is observing "Youth Week" this week with the young people of the church filling the positions that are normally filled by the older persons of the church. The young people assumed charge last Sunday morning at the beginning of the preaching service and will have charge of the various services during the week and will return the leadership of the church to the various leaders next Sunday morning.

The W.M.U. of the local Baptist church held their regular monthly meeting at the church last Monday. The morning session was devoted to business. Luncheon was served at noon to the ladies and their husbands, also to the young people of the church who are serving as leaders of the church during youth week.

The many friends of Albert Zink will be glad to hear that he has accepted a position with the Sterchis Furniture company of Nashville, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. William Carnes and children of Wichita Falls visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zink last Sunday.

Mrs. Curtiss Wright, who has been ill for several weeks, is reported to be somewhat improved.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Miller and children of Borger, Texas, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Greer last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Greer and daughter, Juanita, of Archer City, visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Greer Sunday.

Those attending the Workers' conference at Lory Memorial Baptist church in Wichita Falls Tuesday of this week as representatives of the local church were the Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Bales and children, Mesdames L. B. Horr, C. P. Spencer, L. W. Ferguson, L. A. Hodges, W. M. Ferguson, Misses Lois Edwards and Wanda Gale Harmon, and Messrs. J. W. Zink and Edd E. Gibbs.

The local church is looking forward to the revival meeting which will be held from June 23 to July 7, inclusive. The Rev. Homer B. Reynolds, pastor of the Lamar avenue Baptist church of Wichita Falls, has been secured to do the preaching and singing will be under the supervision of the local pastor, Rev. G. W. Bales.

Fairview high school speech class presented a three-act drama at the high school auditorium Tuesday night entitled, "The Glow Lights of San Rey." The play was the closing unit of work for this school year and included all the members of the class. Special lighting effects were originated by Carl Winkles and the stage set was prepared by Raymond Anderson and Virginia Spencer.

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FREE GATE AT CARNIVAL SAT. AFTERNOON



Carnival Opens To Large Crowd Monday Night

Monday night, The Greater United Shows, one of the largest Texas Shows on the road today arrived in Burk Burnett and set up its big midway on Wichita Falls Highway, and will continue all week through Saturday night. It is being presented under the auspices of the American Legion.

There are twenty-five attractions, including Tracey Bros. big Circus Side Show, Prof. Johnson's oriental illusions, Giggle Alley, Athletic Stadium, Happy Family with the wrestling monkey, Hawaiian Village, Funhouse, and others — then there is the Loop-o-Planes, Ferris Wheel, Sky Ride and several for the youngsters.

The American Legion announces that Saturday afternoon from 1 to 5 p. m., everyone will be allowed FREE to the grounds and all school children can see any show or ride for five cents and Billy Shaffer, the "Sky High Man" will do his spectacular circus stunts 100 feet in the air without a safety net. There will be several other free attractions. The carnival will be open every night and leaves for Wichita Falls on Sunday.

Ruby Nell Jackson was house manager.

Included in the cast were the following: Avis Todd, Dorothy Cox, Johnny Pounds, Tressie Todd, Billie Jo Shrum, Marie Weidner, Raymond Anderson, J. L. Podberger, Sam McCall, Caroline Miller, and Carl Winkles.

Senior Class Day Program

The Fairview seniors will present a class day program in general assembly in the Fairview auditorium next Monday morning, May 13th.

The program is as follows: Class history by Andy Anderson; class song, by the whole class; Prophecy, Bill Wright; Last Will and Testament, Avis Todd.

Fairview Wins Third In Row

The Fairview Ramblers held the Crump-Penick Grocers to two hits last Sunday and emerged on the long end of a 4-2 score. Tommy West and Carl Winkles of Fairview hit three baggers which figured in the scoring.

Fairview scored one run in the first inning, then three more runs in the third, while the Grocers chased across runs in the 4th and 6th innings.

Winkles and Brantley did the chunking for Fairview and Hodges did the receiving. Cates and Gordon were the pitchers for the losers with Brewer doing the catching.

Fairview and Electra, both undefeated, will meet on the Fairview diamond next Sunday in what promises to be a real ball game.

The leadership of the Wichita-Archer league will be at stake as the other teams have each lost one or more games.

Both Electra and Fairview have been hitting the ball at a lively clip, so the game Sunday promises to produce plenty of base knocks.

Subscribe for the Burk Burnett Star. All the home news.

Devol News

By Lorene Mowery

Mrs. Tandy from Oklahoma City is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Effie Wright, this week.

Mrs. W. M. Harrison, and son, Bryan, and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Charboneau visited in Burk Burnett Saturday night.

Mrs. Frank McClendon was reported ill last week.

Mr. Dillow, who is working in McClain, Texas, was home over the week-end.

Monroe Betts visited in Burk Burnett last Saturday night.

Miss Louis Stevens from Oklahoma City spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stevens.

Mrs. Marlene Inman from Salem, Illinois, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kelsie Smith.

Mrs. Maude Stevens and children are visiting in Wichita Falls, this week.

Floor sander for rent at Thaxton Bros. 41-1tc

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McClendon, Mr. and Mrs. Lagrone and Bernice Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClendon, and baby Francine, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Harrison last Sunday.

Oliver Rushing visited in Devol with Gladys Sykes.

Tracy Turner from Oklahoma City visited with Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Uthe last week-end.

Miss Marguerite Miles and Miss Emma Tandy from Lawton, visited with friends in Devol last Sunday.

Baccalaureate Services were held in the Devol auditorium last Sunday morning.

Senior Class Night—May 14. 8th Grade Graduation—May 16. Commencement—May 17.

New G. E. refrigerators \$119.50 at Thaxton Bros. 41-1tc

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rodough from Temple visited Mrs. Vera Robbins last Sunday.

Mrs. Relda Uthe visited in Burk Burnett last Friday and attended the matinee "Gone With the Wind."

A farewell party was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stevens last Thursday night for Inez Whitney and Homer Tanner. There were several friends present and each reported a nice time.

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vival meeting will be the third Sunday in August. Rev. Hailey from the First Baptist church in Walters will do the preaching.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dillow from Oklahoma City visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Dillow last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens from Tuttle, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Betts and Monroe last Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Simms went to see "Gone With the Wind" in Burk Saturday.

Mrs. Joe Wright left last Thursday to join her husband, who is working in Texas.

Mrs. Clint Dickson made a trip to Walters last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Uthe visited in Wichita Falls last Sunday.

Miss Orthella Compton of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Bishop and children from Greycliff, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Compton last Sunday.

The following people spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hinkle and Robert: Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKensie, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Morris, all of Burk Burnett, and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Munson, Mr. and Mrs. Curley Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Munson and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Glidewell and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and Sandra Louise.

One of the nation's greatest collection of material on the South in the Civil war era is housed at the University of Texas library.

Grace Preston In School Play

Waco, May 14—Grace Preston of Burk Burnett has been selected to play a part in Baylor University theatre's production of William Saroyan's "My Heart's In The Highlands," Prof Paul Baker announced.

The play by this year's Pulitzer prize winner will be presented in Waco hall on the Baylor campus May 24. It is the fourth and final play of the year by the Baylor thespians.

Clara Lutheran Announcements

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning service, 10:30 a. m. Subject of sermon, "In The School of Jesus," Evening service, 8:00 p. m. Subject of sermon, "Jehovah's Constant Blessing Upon His True Israel."

The Men's club meets on Monday night, 8:00 p. m. Walther League Bible study meeting on Wednesday night.

Some people think that all the world should share their misfortunes, though they do not share in the sufferings of any one else. —A. Poincelot.

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News

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Fender is suffering with an infected ear caused by a severe cold.

Miss Louise Babers of Geronimo, Okla., spent the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Babers.

New G. E. refrigerators \$119.50 at Thaxton Bros. 41-ltc

The Eighth grade commencement exercises were held Friday night, May 10, at the school auditorium with twenty-three graduates. Judge Toby Morris made an interesting talk using as his topic the class motto, "Seeking Wisdom."

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eastman Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wood and children of Lawton, Mr. and Mrs. John Fender and son, of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Weaver and children of Devol, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Fender and son, Mrs. Jennie Fender and Sam Fender of Randlett.

Miss Imogene Myers of Edmond State Teachers' college spent the week-end visiting her sister, Mrs. Marshall Tompkins and Mr. Tompkins.

Hoyt Tompkins of Hayward, Okla., spent the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. R. C. Tompkins and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Myers and daughter, Helen Raye, and Mrs. Clint Dunn and Harriet and Dwan, visited Mrs. Myers' and Mrs. Dunn's mother, Mrs. D. P. Taylor of Tipton, Okla.

H. T. Bentley of Edmond Teachers' college, spent the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. Erma Bentley and Lavoy.

Mrs. Earl Dunaway and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Joedd Inman of Salem, Ill., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Inman.

Miss June Griffin of Edmond, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffin over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Harper and children of Walters, visited Mrs. Goldie Bridges and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Smith of Cordell, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson Sunday, going on to Burk Burnett to visit Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Smith is a sister of Mrs. Jackson.

Harold McFarland of Longview, Texas, visited his mother, Mrs. H. E. Linn and Mr. Linn over the week-end.

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Valley View News

A large crowd attended the Mother's Day program sponsored here Sunday by Mrs. George Warren, Mrs. Stella Varner and Mrs. Una Bowman. Lunch was spread at the noon hour and the afternoon was given to song services and a very interesting sermon delivered by Brother Tamrager Sherrill.

A number of people attended the eighth grade graduation exercises at Randlett Friday night. Four graduates were from this community: Rosellen Wilson, Ima Jewel Hatcher, Orlena Pirtle, and Leo Henry.

The Valley View school closed this week. They concluded the year of school with a picnic at the Walters park.

Ima Jewell Davis visited in Burk Burnett Saturday night.

Manuel Spannegel has been ill the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Reeves were visiting in Wichita Falls Sunday. They attended church there.

Rose Mary Hinkle of Lawton, Okla., was a visitor here Sunday.

Vernon Thornton was a business visitor in Dallas, Texas, last Monday.

Marie Stanford has been very ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Tuckett and

son, Jimmy Dee, of Wichita Falls, visited with the Dickerson family Sunday.

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Christian Science Services

"Mortals and Immortals" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 19.

The Golden Text is: "This corruptible put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality" (1 Cor. 15:53).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Till we all come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of Christ" (Ephesians 4:13).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Mortals can never know the infinite, until they throw off the old man and reach the spiritual image and likeness" (page 519).

Health is the greatest of all possessions; a hale cobbler is better than a sick king.—Bickerstaff.

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WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

Miss Maxine Bates of Geronimo spent the week-end visiting Miss Lena Patton.

Mrs. Cal Williams of Walters and Mrs. A. J. Williams and daughter of Lawton visited the Eastmans Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Zachary and son of Temple visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rose Friday night.

Glen Dillingham of Lawton was a visitor in Randlett Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norvel Kirkpatrick and children visited G. W. Bowers and family of Temple, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tully Pope of Lawton visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Nora Wilson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tribble of Devol spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Campbell.

Jackie Leach visited her grandmother, Mrs. Ollie Matthew, last week.

Mrs. Leon John visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. I. Graham of Snyder last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Watson of Geronimo visited Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Watson, of Randlett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, Jr., and James Madsen, Jr., of Amarillo, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wilson of Randlett from Sunday to Wednesday of this week.

:-: About People You Know :-:

Mrs. "Dutch" Schroeder of Odessa spent Mother's day here with her mother, Mrs. Louise Cashwheeler.

Fire Marshal John Blackstone has been ill the past few days.

Floor sander for rent at Thaxton Bros. 41-1tc

Miss Marilyn Harwell of Baylor University spent Mother's Day with her mother, Mrs. I. E. Harwell.

Miss Grace Preston, student at Baylor University, returned with her mother, Mrs. B. H. Preston, and her sister, Gayle, from Waco last week and spent Mother's Day here.

Miss Pauline McGinnis of Fort Worth, spent Mother's Day with her mother, Mrs. Fred McGinnis.

Miss Claudia Mae Bowman, student at Howard Payne was home for Mother's Day.

Mrs. Carol Jackson of Galveston is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Fulk.

Binder repairs at Thaxton Bros. 41-1tc

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McPherson of Fort Worth spent the week-end here with their parents. They were observing their first wedding anniversary.

Grover Posey, who has been working in Fort Worth, returned last week-end to make his home here with his parents.

New G. E. refrigerators \$119.50 at Thaxton Bros. 41-1tc

Mrs. Richard Pink was called to Cleburne last week on account of the illness of her mother.

Donald Lohofener, Virginia Ann Laney, and R. H. Henry, Jr.,

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Friday-Saturday
May 17-18

GEO. RAFT
JOAN BENNETT
"HOUSE ACROSS
THE BAY"
MARCH OF TIME
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SHIRLEY TEMPLE
"The Blue Bird"
Pete Smith and 3 Stooge
Comedy

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"Ask About the Show"

spent the week-end with their parents. All the young people are students at North Texas State Teachers' college.

Mrs. J. M. F. Gill of Abilene was here on business this week.

Mrs. Henry Porter was called to Ardmore, Okla., Tuesday on account of the death of an uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Cruce and daughter, Wanda Gayle, spent the week-end in Avery, Texas.

Miss Nell Rowan of N.T.S.T.C. spent the week-end with Miss Pauline Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Milford and daughter, Ramona, spent the week-end in Oklahoma City visiting Miss Mildred Milford.

H. D. Smith and W. R. Hill left Thursday to attend the West Texas chamber of commerce convention at Big Spring.

Mrs. T. D. Oxley and daughter, Patricia, left Thursday to visit relatives in Pauls Valley, Okla. They were accompanied by Mrs. Ray Hill who will visit relatives in Wynnewood.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McNeill and family of Fort Worth; Mrs. Neta Pettyjohn and daughter, Pauline; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allison, all of Wichita Falls, spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Vance.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Vance were informed this week that their son, Hammett, who is a state highway patrolman, stationed at Dallas, sustained minor injuries last Saturday when an automobile collided with his motorcycle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pogue and daughter, Verna Jean, spent Sunday in Fort Worth and Dallas.

Butler Recital At High School Wednesday Eve

Preparations are complete for Miss Blanche Butler's annual spring recital which will be held at the high school auditorium at 8:15 o'clock on the evening of May 22nd.

Miss Butler states that this is one of the most pretentious presentations yet attempted by her pupils and that every effort has been made to arrange a varied program which will move swiftly and easily.

An all-western theme has been chosen for specialty numbers, and stage settings and costumes. The curtain will rise to the muted strains of "Twilight on the Range" and the entire cast will be grouped on the stage in front of an impoverished "Dude Ranch."

Thirty-five of Miss Butler's piano pupils will take part in the recital and there will be specialty numbers which will feature the Jordan twins and Kenneth Spell of Wichita Falls.

Calvary Baptist Announcements

Sunday school at 10 a. m. All classes studying Romans, chapter 11—"What God's Future Purpose With the Jewish Nation Is."

Eleven o'clock, preaching service; sermon subject—"By What Method Is God's Work to be Financed?" Does the New Testament teach us anything on this subject?

Young people meet at 7:15 p. m. for an interesting period of Bible study. This is an open forum hour and questions of importance are derived into.

For the evening preaching hour beginning at 8 o'clock, the pastor will discuss the question from a scriptural point of view: "Is the World Facing a New Economic and Political Order and What Part is the War in Europe Playing in such a set-up?"

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Nation Unites In Observing Cotton Week

Cotton bales will line the curb of Main Street in many a Texas town and city May 17 to 25 as National Cotton Week salutes the First Fibre of America. Every section of the state will see or hear some sort of parade or program—but more important, will "hear about" special sales of just about every cotton product that has clothed man and sheltered him, even been the shortening in his bread and oftentimes the spread he smeared on it.

The plans for observance in Texas, to which Cotton Week on a countrywide scale means so much, were announced by the Texas National Cotton Week committee, John D. Rogers of Navasota, farmer and cottonseed breeder, new president of the East Texas chamber of commerce, is chairman of the Texas participation in this annual week during which purchasers and shoppers are reminded of the year's newest uses for the king of crops. Beginning the 17th, the period stretches actually beyond a week, into a nine-day period that will include two Saturdays.

This year cotton is featured in mesh stockings and sheer frocks, in marked contrast to the work shirt or dress commonly thought of bearing the "cotton" label. In the food line the newest feature in a few points, is rich, nutty-tasting ice cream, most recent Texas item of many food products extracted from cotton seed, such as cooking oils and shortening.

"It is a break for the housewife," said Chairman Rogers, "and it is vital to the twelve million Americans who depend on cotton for a livelihood, especially as international trade in our biggest crop is curtailed abroad."

Albinos Are More Numerous

It is entirely possible albinos are not so rare as had been thought. A check of the fur dealers' plants in one state game warden's district disclosed the fact that fifteen fur-bearing animals were snow white, but it was impossible to determine whether they were true albinos. The true albino has pink eyes.

The animals included five o'possum, noted in a fur house at Sherman, two skunk and one mink, also found at Sherman; one o'possum at Bridgeport, two at Jacksboro; one mink at Sherman and one ringtail cat at San Saba.

A trio of white quail were also uncovered by the same game warden at Chico, Texas.

McNeely Seeks—

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othy Frances is a student in the Senior high school of Wichita Falls. McNeely was born in Fannin county, Texas, and moved to Wichita county more than twenty-one years, coming here in 1919.

He is a member of the Methodist church, and of the W.O.W., Elks, and Odd Fellows lodges.

Unable to attend a university, he worked by day and studied by night for several years, securing his license to practice law in 1932. Even after securing his license, he worked at his trade of floor finishing in order to add to the meager returns of an early practitioner. Although McNeely is not so well known in the City of Burkburnett, those who do know him are for him, almost to a man. With a record of no great accomplishments, but with a record of long and faithful efforts to advance, McNeely now seeks the office of County Judge.

His wife, Mrs. Ruby McNeely, is well known among the members of the Rebekah lodge of Burkburnett, and also many other ladies of this vicinity. His formal announcement follows:

"In offering myself as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Wichita county, it is with full realization of the importance of the duties to be performed in that office. It is with humbleness that I seek this position, but it is my belief that I am fully qualified to hold the office. Throughout the years I have always tried to live by the Golden Rule, doing unto others as I

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would have them do unto me, and in no wise will this policy be changed, whether successful in my candidacy or not.

Having worked for years in Wichita county and its vicinity as a carpenter, and as a floor scraper, sander and finisher, it was my privilege while thus engaged to work on many beautiful homes. To those of you who engaged my services while I was working at either of these trades I say thanks for helping me to earn an honest living for myself and family.

To the members of the Wichita County Bar, I express by gratitude and appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown me. Many of you invited me to use your libraries, which invitation I often-times took advantage of. To each member of the bar I say thanks, and if elected as County Judge, you will be shown every courtesy in all matters which you have before me.

In all my past life I have always been opposed to radicalism of any nature. I shall continue to oppose it throughout the span of my natural life.

Tax matters have been carried along smoothly by the tax payers working together with the Commissioner's court. If elected County Judge, as Presiding officer of your Commissioner's court, I shall endeavor to make no changes in either the rate or the valuation of the property upon which taxes are paid and shall favor operation of our county affairs as economically as is consistent with efficient government.

I will give my best efforts in trying to bring to Wichita county the full benefits of every WPA project that is authorized. I favor letting contracts for any improvements of any kind or character done in this county to contractors who will agree to employ only Wichita county citizens. I strenuously object to contractors bringing their men from other districts to this county and doing the work that rightfully belongs to the people of this county.

Much of the time of the County Judge is occupied in trying misdemeanor criminal cases. If elected as County Judge it will be my duty to sit in judgment on those charged with the commission of such petty offenses. Both the state and the defendant will be given a fair and impartial hearing and every effort will be made toward the impartial enforcement of our laws.

In conclusion let me say that I will always be on the job, striving diligently at all times to give the very best that is in me."

—GUY MCNEELY.

O. T. Warlick—

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sure. Returns of the office are comparatively slight. I consider the office as a sacrifice to one who occupies it. The greatest returns are to be found in the satisfaction one finds from his accomplishments. If I were thoroughly selfish in the matter, I would not seek the office. With these thoughts, I submit my candidacy.

"I am a native Texan, born in Johnson county and reared in Childress county. My work as a young man was principally on the farm and in the machine shops of the Fort Worth and Denver City Railway company at Childress. I began the practice of law at Paducah, Texas, in 1909 and moved to Vernon in 1912, where I have since resided. I have served as County Attorney and County Judge of Wilbarger county and as District Attorney of the 46th Judicial District. My education was attained in the public schools of Childress county, Clarendon college and the University of Texas.

"Should I go to the legislature I will not go as the agent or special advocate of any certain class, group, or interest but will espouse, in legislative ways, the cause of any person, class, group or interest that I believe deserving. It is my thought, in order to best serve, one should align himself with those members who more nearly entertain the same economic views and use his best efforts cooperatively in the furtherance of the most economically balanced program for the public welfare.

"The sovereign people, by overwhelming vote, have obligated the State, and, as I am pleased to view it, have commanded the legislature to pay and provide for the blind and dependent children, the teachers' retirement fund and the rest of the social security program. Therefore, the one and only unqualified commitment I am going to make is to vote and use my best efforts to effect payment and adequately provide for these obligations. My greatest concern is to pay these obligations.

"I would favor no appropriation to pay the Legislative, Executive or Administrative officers of the State until and after adequate means had been devised and appropriations made to pay the old age pension and other social security obligations. This is with

the thought that the governor and the Legislature would put forth a prompt, earnest and cooperative effort to pay themselves where they would not do so to pay the helpless old people and the blind and dependent children. If we would put this "monkey" of anxious waiting on the backs of the hired hands, I believe we would soon "kick goal" with this political football of old age pensions.

"I am mindful of the fact that the State does not have the money with which to pay these obligations; and, in my opinion, it will be necessary to raise some twelve or thirteen million dollars, but this can be done without creating and levying additional general tax upon either industry or the people, if we approach a solution in a businesslike way. Approximately 80 per cent of all the revenues received by the State is required in the payment of such obligations as education, public welfare, and highways, all of which we, the people, created and obligated the State to pay."

"It follows that the first step looking toward a balance of the budget is that the people create no more obligations. In this connection, it must be kept in mind that the people's shoulders are now drooped by the present tax burden; that the power to tax carries with it the power to destroy; that you can tax the people until they themselves, become dependent; that any horse, be he ever so strong, can be ridden to death if you don't give him a breathing spell and feed with which to rebuild his energy; and that governments, like individuals, must live within their means, if they survive financially. Thus, the people should firmly refuse to create any additional obligations upon the State until the old horse is given a breathing spell and a chance to catch up."

"The second step would be to cut down overhead. Much saving can be effected in this way without serious detriment to the interests of the State. This should be done. Article 3, Section 48, of the Constitution of our State reads in part: "The Legislature shall not have the right to levy taxes or impose burdens upon the people except to raise revenues sufficient for the economical administration of the government."

"The next step would be to collect the delinquent ad valorem taxes now due the State, which, I am sure, would mean in revenue anywhere from five to ten million dollars, for the payment of which the law has now provided methods of payment at a saving of penalty and interest accruing to the State.

"I would further favor a care-

ful study and research to seek out those persons, corporations and interests that are now escaping taxation entirely, which, in fairness, uniformly and equality, should be taxed. The amount of this source of taxation is impossible of exact determination but has been estimated by good authority to be between five and ten million dollars.

"If for any reason from these savings and these sources sufficient funds were not raised to take care of the social security obligations, by extending the period for recovery upon such amounts of these obligations as are not essential to raise at once, then I would further favor a tax on soft drinks, additional luxury tax on sporting goods, cosmetics, jewelry, playing cards, and dice, and any such items as it would be fair and equitable to tax. There is no necessity for voting other general taxes. I do not favor further tax on natural resources, inasmuch as such taxes are now so heavy that I believe more taxes would materially retard industrial development, and I am opposed to a general sales tax because it is a tax upon the poor who are now unduly burdened. However, I would favor most any means of raising these funds, whether the same were best, fair or equal because the people of Texas have commanded their payment, and, so far as I am concerned their orders would be carried out."

"Through our conviction that general diffusion of knowledge is the surest safeguard to our representative form of government, we have liberally given, and should continue liberally to give, to the cause of education; by reason of the enjoyment of our people, both young and old, in speeding across the highways hundreds of miles a day on business or pleasure and with the liberal aid from the Federal government we have lavishly spent huge sums of money for the fine highways that now lattice our entire State, of which all of us are proud; and since the days of rugged individualism and family units have been replaced largely, by combination and group interest, it has apparently become a governmental obligation to care for the dependent classes of our people and to which the people have commendably responded at a heavy cost. These expenditures have created heavy and ever-mounting obligation upon the State, and one wonders whether we, the people, in creating these obligations were sufficiently mindful of public economy. However, that may be, it certainly is time now to look to devising

means to promote prosperity among the bills.

"Raw material sources with capital prosperity to a pervert natural resources and may increase unemployment not safe-guard and elective labor, capital labor, I would try to effect an economic balance capital and tax labor of a decent er industrial development. I am convinced truck load should be raised."

"I shall appreciate the attention of my candida duly grateful for sa is given me."

Respectfully
O. T.

Political Announcements

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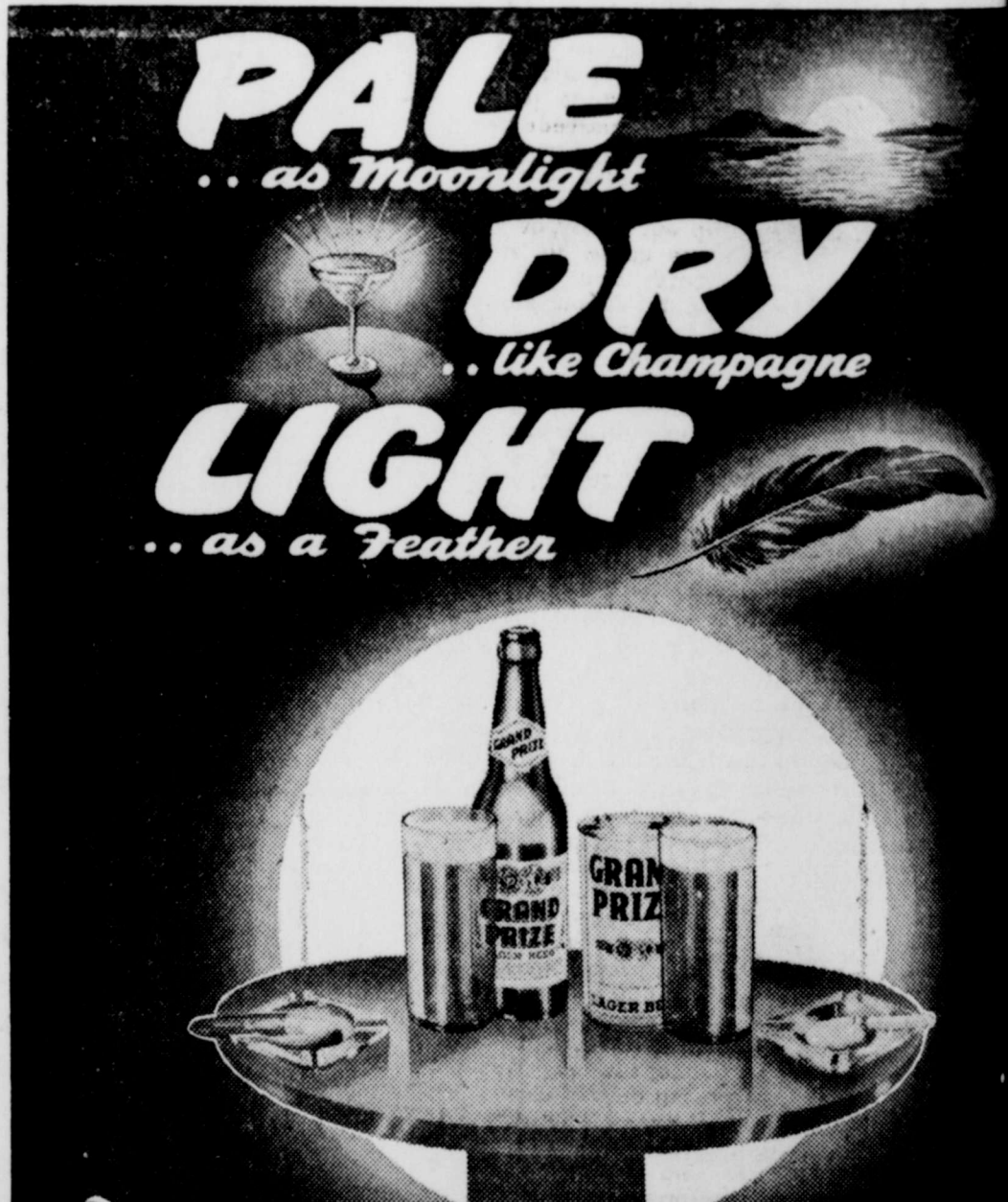
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