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## Seniors of Flat High Winding Up Year's Work: Plenty Doin'

Flat seniors began their graduation activities Tuesday night when they were entertained by the Junior Class with a theatre party and picnic.

Coming next, will be the Senior play "Tempest and Sunshine" which will be held May 16 at the high school auditorium, and to be announced later, will be series of one-act plays which will be presented.

Baccalaureate address at one of the local churches will be June 1, and Commencement exercises will be Friday night, June 6.

In the 1941 class are George Blackshear, president, Pearl Spurlin, vice-president, Gladys Wolff, secretary-treasurer, Homan Brazzil, Sarah Nell Brazzil, Grace Clawson, Jeanne Clawson, Clara Dixon, Vennis Mensch, J. W. Owen, Earline Sydow, Mashburn Wall, Violetta Wolff, Bill Zuehlke, Dorothy Evans, Charles Whigham, C. J. Powell, Martha Smith, Billie Bob Stovall, Wanda Stovall, Joice Williams, and Jennie Marie Kearney.

In the play, which will be presented next Monday the 16th, the theme is woven around two sisters and their experiences in their lovely southern home, near Lexington, Kentucky. It is a play where laughter and tears are skillfully blended, and is certain to be a new high in amateur presentation, according to reports.

In the cast will be the following: C. J. Powell, Gladys Wolff, Grace Clawson, Violetta Wolff, Wanda Stovall, Oscar Spurlin, Earline Sydow, Charles Whigham, Sarah Nell Brazzil, Jeanne Clawson, Milburn Wall, and Dorothy Evans.

## HUBBARD SCHOOL PICNIC COMES OFF SATURDAY, MAY 10

W. R. Goodson, principal of the Hubbard School announces that school will have their closing picnic, Saturday, May 10.

At noon there will be free barbecue, and a play on Saturday night, entitled "The Scarecrow Creeps".

All patrons of the school are urged to attend, and visitors are extended a special invitation.

## Markets

As of May 8

Corn, ear	55c
Corn, shelled	60c
Cottonseed, ton	\$25
Cream, No. 1	30c
Cream, No. 2	25c
Oats, sacked	30c
Oats, loose	28c
Eggs	17c
Fryers, 2 lbs.	14c
Old Roosters	5c
Hens, light	12c
Hens, heavy	14c

## Gatesville Boy Is Winner of Pulitzer Scholarship, \$1500

Pat Mayo Holt of Gatesville, son of Editor and Mrs. Pat Holt, and a graduate student at Columbia University, New York City, has just won one of three traveling scholarships, valued at \$1500, given to graduates of the Columbia School of Journalism.

In making this distinguished award, the Trustees of the University and Joseph Pulitzer stated the awards are made to those "who shall have passed their examinations with the highest honor and are otherwise most deserving, to enable each of them to spend a year abroad, to study the social, political and moral conditions of the people and the character and principles of foreign press."

Only two other awards were made and these went to students from California and Pennsylvania.

These awards were made possible by the late Joseph Pulitzer's will which created these awards, along with professional awards to cartoonists, poets, writers, and columnists. Newspapers are awarded for public service, magazine writers, teachers and in many other lines of journalist endeavor.

Mayo, in receiving this distinguished honor has not only brought upon himself, his parents, and relatives, but to every citizen of Coryell county and Gatesville, and it goes without saying, that it will be a rare instance indeed, if a native Coryellian will ever again receive such an honor at an age comparable with Mayo's. What Henry Ford is to the automotive industry, Pulitzer is to Journalism—sort of a Godfather.

## All Teachers Re-Elected; E. D. Shelton Resigns

At a recent meeting of the Board of Trustees, all teachers were re-elected for the next school year.

E. D. Shelton, principal of the elementary and junior schools, has resigned to accept a position as superintendent of the first 12 grades of the parochial school controlled by Abilene Christian College.

Sidney Pruitt has been elected to succeed Mr. Shelton as principal.

## Leon Drops 2 Inches Got A Lot To Drop Yet: 'S Big Show

Our statistician has estimated 500 automobiles have driven a half mile down and a half mile back "lookin' at the river" since it's spree which began Sunday. This was at least 3 times a day.

Also, figuring gas consumption at a conservative 16 miles to the gallon, not counting "idling time", this would be about 100 gallons of gasoline a day, which isn't bad business for the filling station. Too both business men, have lost no less than 1 hour a day, "lookin' at the river," and their employees have probably taken 3 hours a day, just lookin'. Of course, nobody cares, and it is a sight. It's the biggest we've seen in a long, long time, not since before the cedar grew up that the government is paying to have cut down now. We predict bigger and better shows in the future. With every cedar down, it probably means 2 more gallons in the river—but, we did not figure that far, so wouldn't know. Anyway, the outlook is for bigger floods and a big flood control dam soil conservation wild life conservation movement, ere the water subsides, and, why not, navigation—they're going to pour a lot of billions in the Trinity. Why not the Leon? Every bit as sensible!

But, regardless, of that, "the river" has been the main topic lately, even overshadowing the impending Rodeo and Frontier Celebration.

In the Leon valley, contrary to other "valleys" no one in this river's valley, and therefore, lives are very seldom lost in these floods. However, drops are ruined or damaged, which makes it awfully tough on the "river valley farmers", and they have everyone's sincere sympathy.

## SHERIFF NABS ALLEGED JAIL BREAKER AT HOME IN BED

Sheriff J. H. Brown picked up one of the men alleged to be in the recent jail break this week in his home in bed near Hubbard.

The man had been in West Texas, and had come into Killeen on a freight, catching a truck to his home, where he was caught.

The other two in the break have not been apprehended yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenox Ligon and son of Llano are visiting Mrs. Ruth Carlton and son this week.

## Alvis-Garner Co. Victim Of Burglars: Loss About \$75

Burglars entered Alvis-Garner Company store here Tuesday night and got away with around \$75 after knocking knobs on two safes.

Entry was gained by prying up the tin on the roof, and then boring about a dozen holes in order to get thru a 1x12 board. After this was completed, they knocked off boxing around a skylight and entered the building.

A double-door safe, apparently open, had the inner door's knob knocked off, and a smaller safe also lost a knob. Nothing was taken but cash, and a number of checks were left on the floor scattered with other papers. Officials on the case said it looked like a "professional job" and similar to others that have been pulled here recently.

An official from the State Department of Justice was here on the job and took finger and heel prints. The burglars got on the roof by climbing a tree at the rear of the store.

## Twelve Grade School Plan to be Explained Wed.

A meeting has been called for the District Court Room, May 11, at which time, a discussion of the recommended by State Superintendent L. A. Woods plan will be held. Superintendents, principals, and teachers of the county are urged to be present at this meeting.

Here is the "form" letter from State Superintendent L. A. Woods to:

April 16, 1941  
County and Local School Supts.:

"Since a recent survey by the State Department of Education shows that the schools of this state are changing to the twelve-grade system in ever increasing numbers; and

Since at a state-wide meeting of superintendents in the City of Temple on April 10, the twelve-grade system was endorsed by an overwhelming majority; and

Since we believe that this type of organization is for the best interest of the school children of Texas; and

Since we can no longer operate efficiently and effectively a system of schools in which there exists two distinct types of organization; and

Since the State Board of Education has officially recognized the Twelve-Grade System by adopting textbooks for that type of organization;

I hereby officially announce that the recognized pattern for Texas public schools is an elementary school of eight grades, followed by the standard four-year high school. May I ask you to work with your school boards in putting this plan into execution in your respective districts as soon as possible?

This pattern may be changed to a six-grade elementary school, a three-year junior high school, and a three-year senior high school for those who desire the junior-

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## National Music



## Week, This Week

## THE WEATHER

Barometer Reading . . . . . 29.75  
Temperature . . . . . 84  
Western Union Forecast:  
East Texas partly cloudy Friday  
Fishing . . . . . Fair

# NORTH EAST WEST SOUTH

A SUMMARY OF WORLD, NATIONAL AND STATE NEWS

### HOUSE VOTES SHIP SNATCH

Washington, May 7 (UP)—The convoy issue exploded in Congress again Wednesday as a war-jittery capital awaited President Roosevelt's next move in the Battle of the Atlantic.

The House passed a bill authorizing the President to take over and use as he sees fit 100 foreign merchant ships in ports here.

### BRITISH SCRAP IRAQ

Cairo, Egypt, May 7 (AP)—British troops and the RAF were declared officially Wednesday night to have dealt crushing blows to the Iraq forces of Premier Rashid Ali Al Gailani and military quarters expressed belief that the conflict was near an end because Germany sent him no aid.

### U.S. ARREST NAZI SEAMEN

New York, May 7 (AP)—One hundred twenty-eight German seamen—sized in Manhattan and elsewhere in a sudden predawn raid—were concentrated on Ellis Island Wednesday night as federal operatives continued a search for others in the government's appar-

ent effort to guard against fifth column activities.

### U.S. PLEDGED TO SAVE NAVY

Washington, May 7 (UP)—Secretary of Navy Frank Knox said tonight that "all the great resources of this nation," including man power are committed "to one supreme purpose—to see that British seapower shall not be destroyed."

### \$ MILLION HIKE FOR STATE

Austin, May 7 (UP)—A \$30,350,000 biennial appropriation for state departments, nearly \$8,000,000 over the current expenditure for the purpose, was approved today by the Texas house of representatives.

### FOUR STRIKES DELAY DEFENSE

By United Press  
Four new strikes developed Wednesday at defense plants, halting production on an additional \$7,000,000 in government orders and increasing to 24 the number of disputes affecting the industrial

program with 15,000 men idle.

### L. GEORGE SAYS, "MORE"

London, May 7 (AP)—Warned in the anxious tones of David Lloyd George that America's war help is yet infinitely too little to beat Germany, the British house of commons today gave Prime Minister Winston Churchill a new mandate to carry on with a confidence vote of 447 to 3.

### STALIN REPLACES MOLOTOV

Moscow, May 6 (UP)—Joe Stalin Tuesday became premier of Russia his first government office altho he has been the Soviet strong man for 17 year, after the resignation of Viacheslav M. Molotov.

### STIMSON WANTS "CONVOY"

Washington, May 6, (UP)—Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson Tuesday night advocated use of the U.S. Navy to safeguard shipments of war supplies to Britain and warned Germany that the U.S. will not "flinch" and permit these munitions to be sunk in the Atlantic ocean.

Mrs. Rosa Dillingham of Dallas, co, were week end guests of relatives and friends here. is a guest of her sister, Mrs. R. C. Farmer.

Misses Margaret Haase, Virginia Burleson, and Ruth Hanna, students at Baylor University in Wa-

Mrs. Sophy Presley of McKinney is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott.

# UNCLE JAKE SEZ



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*Tradein' with yer local merchant brings back dividends fer you in good churches, good schools, paved streets an' civic bettermint.*

WELL, customers, here I is, right in yer hometown paper with th' inside, outside an' all th' angles on sports an' other things I figger ya mought be interested in. Every week I'm goin' t' set down an' rite a piece fer ye an' it's goin' t' be honest an' accurately ritten fer that's th' only way yer Uncle Jake knows how t' deal with his customers.

Ya know I cum in frum th' farm 28 years ago an' started ritein' 'bout sports, wimmen's hats an' other things an' I bin at it ever since. I ain't got an' never had inny axes t' grind fer innybuddy an' has always rote my pieces fer th' fans, th' boys what pay th' freight in sports by spindin' their good money t' git in t' see th' sportin' events.

Texas is jist chuck full o' good sportsmen. This state has produced sum o' th' greatest athletes this good ole U.S.A. has ever seen an' continues t' produce 'em every year. These ole Texas boys jist don't know what th' wurd "quit" means an' in sports they is always tryin' t' do th' job jist a little bit better'n innybuddy else.

An' these athletes in Texas always has a good gang o' sports backin' 'em up. Even small boys what wanta improve their minds an' bodies in healthful exercise kin always find good sportsmen t' see they has this opportunity. In High School an' college they'll find good sportsmen what'll give time an' money t' see they has full advantage o' what opportunities they desire.

It's jist natchil like fer Americans t' like sports. Nuthin' takes th' place o' sports t' build clean bodies an' clear minds. Show me a good sportsman, a feller or girl what kin talk victories an' defeats with a smile, an' I'll show ya th' making o' a good citizen an' a good American.

I has always figgered every-

buddy oter be active or interested in sum sport whether it's baishball, golf or spittin' at th' crack. 'Course whin ya git as old as I is checkers an' fishin' air moughty good medicine t' git yer mind off taxes an' th' trouble ye has breakin' in a pair o' nue store bought teeth.

Kids oter be started early in sum sport what'll give 'em plinty o' helthful exercise. High schools oter offer sum sport t' every student. It don't have t' be football exactly. But, a good high school football player nowadays has a good chance o' gittin' a college edycashun free fer nuthin'.

I also figger every high school what kin afford it oter have lighted football fields so th' boys kin play Friday nites. Miny boys has wurk t' do on Saddidys an' others wud have th' opportunity o' seein' college gains on Saddidy.

As I sed b'fore this column every week is goin' t' be fer th' fans. I'm 'bout th' best expert ya ever seen on inny sport ya wanta spring up. No city slicker kin fool yer Uncle Jake an' whin they git too big fer their pants I'll tell ya 'bout it.

I'm goin' t' tell ya what baishball teams an' football teams is goin' t' win 'long 'fore th' gaims is played. I don't exactly like t' brag on myself but yer Uncle Jake picked th' winners o' th' wurd serious in baishball 17 outta 20 yeers an' in 14 o' th' serious he picked th' number o' gaims each nine wud win.

Th' only thing I can't figger out is whin th' ole woman is goin' t' change her mind. If I cud do that I'd quit ritein' 'bout sports an' go t' mind readin'.

So, customers, I'll be seein' ya here every week with sports nues an' dope an' other things I hope you'll enjoy.

Cum over an' have supper with me sumtime.

## SUNDAY Mother's Day Gift Specials MAY 11th

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Mrs. Leo Brown, Cors.

Claud Huff and wife, also Joy Moseley made a trip to Dallas Sunday.

Dawson Preston of Cherokee was a visitor to the Whitt home here Sunday.

The singing here Sunday was a big success. We had one of the largest crowds we have ever had and lots of good singers, some coming from a long distance.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Edmondson and son from Peabody community have moved to Pearl. Byron is working in the Chaffin garage.

Mrs. Bob Moore, who has been ill for some time, is still confined to her bed. We are sorry to report this.

Oveta Medart, who has been working in Mineral Wells, has re-

turned to her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Pokie Blackstock of Purmela visited their daughter, Mrs. Mart Short, Monday.

Marvin Cook of Mineral Wells visited friends of Pearl over the week end.

Mrs. Alice Whitt and Bessie Earl, Mrs. Emmitt Cox, Mrs. T. H. Oney and Charlene Cox were in Waco Tuesday shopping.

Bob Webb and wife of Hamilton visited relatives here this past week end and attended the singing Sunday.

Burton Jones of Carlton visited his mother recently.

Tulley Ballard has a broken arm and Arthur Brewer is going on crutches. They say they are going to stay off roller skates for a few days any way.

Besides the Friday night and Saturday skating session, Tuesday night has been added to the list, for all over thirty years of age and married couples only. That's giving the older people a chance.

**Brown's Creek**

Geneva Keener, cors.

Mrs. W. B. Keener has been on the sick list, but is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Stephens visited in the Merval Gartman home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Keener and daughter, Billy Yvonne, visited in the J. C. Buster home Sunday afternoon.

Those visiting in the Will Roberts home Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wittie, Geneva Keener and Jimmy Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bigham visited their daughter, Mrs. Ben Roberts, of Fort Worth Sunday.

Miss Geneva Keener spent Monday with Mrs. Merval Gartman.

Mrs. Bryon Graham spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Elzie Warren, of the Friendship community.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shoe are visiting in the Pierce Barron home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Brookshire spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Brookshire.

Quite a few attended the cemetery working Saturday.

We are glad to report Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Roberts' baby better at this writing.

Jean Brookshire spent a few days with her cousin, Doris Marie Graham, near Gatesville.

Callers in the W. B. Keener home one day last week were, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Keener and daughter, Florence Sue, Mrs. Ira Graham and Mrs. Parr.

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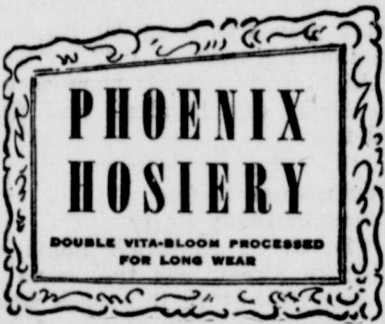
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## Silver Tea And Musical To Be Given Next Week

A silver tea and musicale, sponsored by the Friendly Bible Class of the Methodist Church, is to be given Friday afternoon, May 16, at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. C. E. Alvis Sr. Featured on the program will be two very capable and talented musicians, Mrs. Claude L. White, Corsicana, and Mrs. Winston R. Smith, Long Beach Long Island.

Mrs. White is past president of the Third District of the Federation of Music Clubs, and is now third vice-president of the Federation of Music Clubs of Texas. She is a member of the Nevin Club in Corsicana. As a soprano she is well known in Central Texas and is composing songs of interest to many. She will sing in Mexia on the thirteenth of this month as a guest of the music club in that city. She did post-graduate work in public school music at Northwestern University in Evanston, Illinois prior to her marriage, and taught music several years in Cleburne and Corsicana.

Mrs. Smith too was a music teacher before her marriage, and was for several years a supervisor in the Tyler and Abilene schools. She has had many years' experience as a choir director and an organist.

Both women are daughters of Dr. and Mrs. D. K. Porter, and are now visiting in Gatesville.

The public is invited, and all music lovers are especially urged to attend. The program will appear in this paper next week.

## Delta Kappa Gamma Society Holds Open House

Members of the Gamma Alpha Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma held open house in the Home Economics department of the high school Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. In the receiving line were members of the chapter.

Three students from Baylor University, Harold Brown, vocalist, Miss Kathryn Morgan, pianist, and George Ames, reader, rendered a delightful program during the afternoon. Boyce Drummond was master of ceremonies.

Adorning the reception suite throughout were beautiful red



roses. At one end of the refreshment table was a crystal punch bowl, and at the opposite end was a map of Texas made of yellow Queen Anne's lace and outlined in red roses. Across the face of the map were the Greek letters of Delta Kappa Gamma. Three tall red tapers in brass candelabra were placed at irregular intervals around the map.

Light refreshments were served to about one hundred and fifty guests.

### Presbyterian Ladies Given Birthday Party

The J. P. Kendrick home on Picadillo street was the scene of a delightful affair this week when the Woman's Auxiliary of the

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On W. Main

First Presbyterian Church entertained with the annual birthday party Tuesday afternoon. Decorating the reception suite throughout were various spring flowers, and a color scheme of green and gold, the colors in the Brazilian flag, was featured.

Several games, in keeping with the theme of the program, "Brazil" were directed by Mrs. Andrew Kendrick. Concluding the games, the guests were invited into the dining room, where they were served delicious punch and the birthday cake. Mrs. C. R. Byrom

presided at the punch bowl, and Mrs. E. L. Taylor assisted in serving. Favors were small Brazilian flags.

Twenty women were in attendance.

Mrs. S. A. Goodall, accompanied by Mrs. Perry Grover and daughter of Coolidge, who have been visiting here, left Thursday morning for Memphis, Texas, where they will be guests of Dr. and Mrs. Otis Goodall. Miss Ann Goodall of Amarillo will join them this week end for a visit there.



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Jack Horne, who has been in Scott and White hospital in Temple, returned home Monday.

## HORNETS END SPRING PRACTICE WITH SCRIMMAGE GAME MONDAY NIGHT

Monday night on the local athletic field the Gatesville Hornet Spring football squad was divided up into two teams and a regulation contest was played before a crowd of fans who had witnessed a colorful May Day Pageant at the High School gymnasium prior to the game.

The Hornet squad was divided up into two teams for the contest. The first squad line was put with the second string backfield, and the first string backfield was put with the second string line.

The game opened with the whites, the team composed of the first string backfield and second string line, taking the kickoff and quickly bucking past the first string line for a first down, but a

few plays later were forced to kick.

The game progressed like this until the latter part of the second quarter when the blacks blocked a White kick and marched to the White's goal line, but within three inches of pay dirt the Black attack faltered and the Whites took over and punted out of danger.

From this point on the game was a back and forth affair with neither team being able to score until the last few minutes of the last period when Coach Pruitt transferred the first string line to the first string backfield, or vice versa. After this change the First Team combined running and a neat passing attack to score a touchdown and thus win the contest with a score of 6-0.

Long Gordon Thornton, brother of Jack, paved the way for the touchdown by reaching high into the air to snag a couple of passes in the last few seconds of play. Then Curtis Davis, sophomore and last season letterman, carried the ball over for the only touchdown of the night.

Others who starred in the backfield were Kenneth Fry, junior letterman; Jimmy Dick Thomas, and Fred Post.

In the line both teams had their stars. For the first string Charles Caruth was one of the leaders on defense from his center position, while Cross, Lee, White and Wilkinson broke through the second string line several times during the game to bring down the White backs.

For the second string line Wittie Gohlke, Edwards and Boynton were leaders on defense and offense.

This game ended the spring training for the Hornets, and their showing was impressive to football fans who got a chance to see what the '41 Hornet team will really have.

## Pidcoke-Cop. Cove Contest At Pidcoke Sunday

The feature game of the county league will be played Sunday on the diamond of the defending baseball champs, the Pidcoke Cokers. The Copperas Cove nine will be on hand to engage the Cokers, and the contest is expected to be witnessed by a large crowd from various sections of the county.

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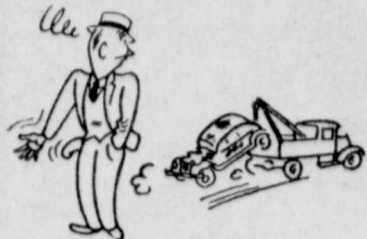
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**Turnover**

Mrs. Elbert Collier, cors.

The wind and rain storm Sunday night blew down several trees in the community.

Mr. Richard Wicker visited his brother-in-law, Mr. J. S. Torbett, of Gatesville, who is ill, Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Kitchens and baby attended church meeting Sunday and went home with



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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blanchard and stayed the rest of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Straw of Corpus Christi stayed all night Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Blanchard.

Mr. Jeff Sharp of Waco spent the week end with his family.

Miss Bennie Carothers visited Miss Johnnie Mae Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Blanchard visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Straw Sunday.

Miss Geneva Sharp visited Miss Ray Gribble Sunday.

Mrs. Flyg Blanchard has been very ill with a cold.

Mr. Luther Hoser went to Little Flock church Sunday and attended the all-day church services.

Miss June Gribble spent the week end with her grandmother, Mrs. Hinsley of Carden.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Powell of Friendship visited Mr. and Mrs. Josh Logan Sunday.

Pearl Maxwell and Hazel Collier called in the home of Mr. Guy Hord Sunday.

Miss Willie Hall Young of Belton visited her mother, Mrs. Olga Young, recently.

Mrs. Lydia Wicker visited Mrs. Lillie and Floy Blanchard Monday.

Charles Elmer Jackson of Jonesboro and Robert Marshall Jackson visited Floyd Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Sharp visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Carothers Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Schrimpsner and baby, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Kitchens, have returned home.

Gerald Cummings, Tony and George Sharp and Truman Maxwell visited Earon and Minard McCutchen Sunday.

Mr. A. D. Rauschenburg and Mr. Roy Floyd Wittie visited Miss Bennie Carothers and Miss Johnnie Mae Williams the past week end.

Mrs. Clyde Mohler of Friendship visited her sister, Mrs. Roxie Williams, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin McDonald and family of Flat and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Campbell and family visited in the Lee Blanchard home Sunday.

Doris Culp visited her brother, Mr. R. M. Culp and family of Ewing.

Mrs. Lewis Autrey and L. J.

of Topsey spent the week end with her husband, Mr. Lewis Autrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford Tenson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Carothers Sunday.

Mrs. Zelma Jackson and children visited in the Estle Jackson home.

Mrs. Jennie Jackson called in the home of Mrs. Lora Mae McCutchen Sunday.

Miss Geneva Sharp, Ray Gribble, Mae Allen McCutchen and Mr. Earl Graham called in Mrs. Hinsley's home at Carden Sunday.

Miss Roxie Frances Carothers spent Sunday night with her aunt, Mrs. Roxie Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Culp are visiting their daughter, Mr. and

Mrs. Nick Pack, of Fort Worth.

Mr. Josh Logan, Ross, Willie and J. W. Carothers were callers Monday in the Earl Graham home.

The wind blew part of the window panes out of Newland Blanchard's house, blew a chicken house several feet, a plank off the dwelling house and some trees down at the Luther Hooser place.

Hail hit Mr. Alex Campbell's crop and seriously damaged it, and also ruined his car top and killed several turkeys.

The Black Smith Shop that Mr. John Dankworth used for years and until his death six years ago, still stood until Sunday night when the wind blew it away. Mrs. Lora Mae McCutchen had 17 chicken

hens and several turkeys in the old shop and they were killed.

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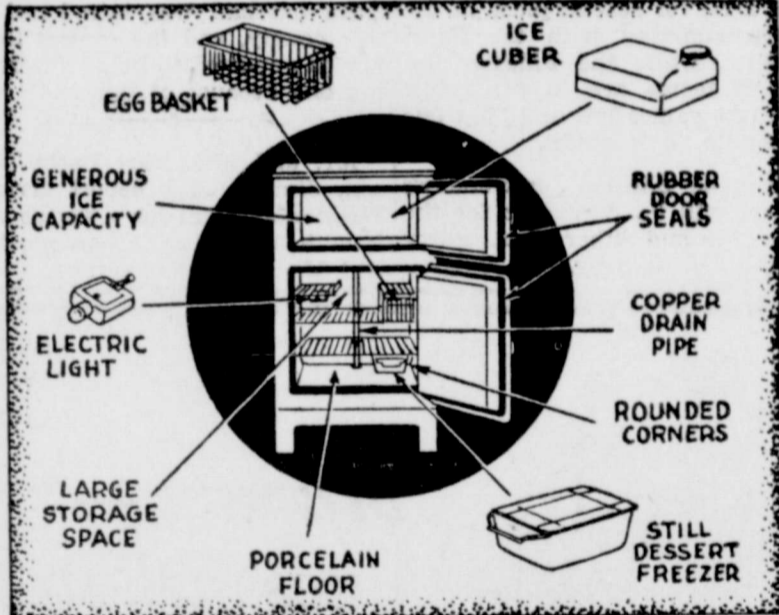


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### CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Communion Service 11:50  
Evening Service 7:45 p. m.  
Tuesday, Ladies Bible Class 3 p. m.  
Every Wednesday service, 7:45 p. m.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

C. M. Spalding, pastor  
S. L. Bellamy, Sunday School Superintendent  
Mrs. Ola Mae Parks, organist  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.  
Church 8:00 p. m.

B.T.U. 6:45 p. m.  
Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:15 p. m.  
Officers' and Teachers' Meeting Wednesday 8:00 p. m.  
Choir Practice, Wednesday, 8:45 p. m.

### FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible study, 10 a. m.  
Communion Services, 10:45 a. m.  
Preaching each second and 4th Sunday morning at 11 o'clock by the Rev. C. C. Klingman.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Edward S. Bayless, Pastor  
May 11, 1941  
Sunday School, 9:45, Mr. Frank Kelson, superintendent.  
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Vesper worship, 5:00 p. m.  
Sermon morning and evening by the pastor.  
Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Boy Scouts, Troops 72  
Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. Mid-week worship, Workers' Conference.

### HARMON SERVICES

Edward S. Bayless of Gatesville will preach at Harmon Sunday afternoon. Sunday School begins at 2:15. The sermon will follow immediately.

### PRAIRIE VIEW SERVICES

There will be worship morning and evening at Prairie View Church Sunday. Sunday School begins at 10:00 a. m. Rev. Ed S. Bayless, pastor, will preach at the evening hour, 8:00 p. m.

### THE METHODIST CHURCH IRELAND

A. R. Corn, Pastor  
10 a. m.—Sunday School  
11 a. m.—Morning worship, subject, "A Mother's Love".  
7:30 p. m.—League Service  
8 p. m.—Life of Christ, illustrated by stereopicon pictures.

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL INSTITUTE TO BE HELD IN WACO WEDNESDAY

A series of Vacation Bible School Institutes will be held in Central Texas Presbytery next week under the direction of Miss Lillian Richter, Presbytery's Director of Religious Education.

Churches in Coryell County will be represented at the Institute to be held in Waco on Wednesday. The meeting will begin at 10:30 a. m. and continue until three o'clock.

Assisted by Directors of Religious Education from two other Presbyteries, Miss Richter will offer for those attending instruction in administration of a Vacation Bible School, courses available, and teaching methods. There are to be a departmental meetings for Beginners, Primaries, Juniors, and Intermediates.

Since Vacation School work follows general prescribed methods and uses largely texts prepared co-operatively by the several denominations, this Institute, which will be held in the First Presbyterian Church of Waco, should be of value to all who contemplate a school this summer.

Institutes will also be held in Corsicana on Tuesday in Temple on Thursday and in Austin on Friday.

### Cave Creek

Bertha Neely, Corrs.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bingham spent a few days in the home of their son, J. D. Bingham, and family of Hamilton last week.

Damon Harold and Lillie Mae Graham spent a few nights last week in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Davis, of Buster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Neely visited their daughter, Mrs. Bill Brown, and family of San Saba Sunday.

Mrs. Davis and daughter of Gatesville spent Saturday night in the Ben Johnson home.

Ben Johnson and family and Mrs. Davis and Miss Ann went to Buchanan Dam Sunday.

The mattress making has started in this community.

Ed Neely has the flu this week.

### FUNERAL SERVICES HELD TUESDAY FOR MRS. CECILIA WILLIS

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in Scott's Funeral Home for Mrs. C. A. V. Pollard Willis, 87, who died Monday after an extended illness. Rev. Edward S. Bayless, Presbyterian minister, conducted the services.

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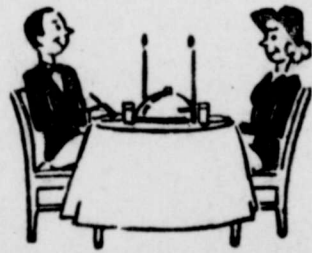
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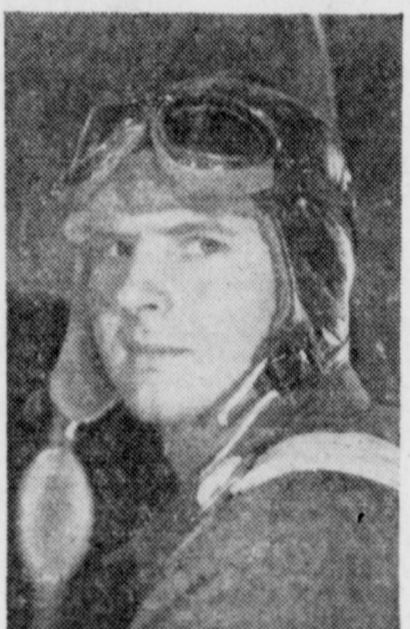
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 We wish to express our appreciation and thanks to each and everyone who came and helped us with our dear mother. We want to thank each one for every kind word and deed, for the nice food and the beautiful floral offering. May God's richest blessings rest on each one and give you an abiding peace forever is our prayer.  
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**LOANS BEING TAKEN AT F.S.A. OFFICE NOW**

Tenant Purchase Loans are being taken at the FSA office in the News building, according to George J. Fritz, chairman of the FSA's tenant purchase committee. "Live-at-home" farmers will be the first choice for these long term, low interest loans. The committee

helps choose the families to which these loans are made.

**Gatesville Boy Wins Wings In Air Corps**



Bryon L. McClellan, of Gatesville, Texas is one of approximately 175 young men who have completed almost two-thirds of their flight training, and will report shortly to one of the advanced flying schools for the final ten-week period of training. McClellan reported at Moffat Field on February 1, following completion of the ten-week primary training course at the Ryan School of Aeronautics, at San Diego, California, one of the Air Corp's civilian elementary flying schools. With the completion of the basic flying work at Moffett Field, he will be sent to one of the advanced schools for a ten-week period of advanced training. Prior to his acceptance as a flying last November, McClellan, son of Mr. D. R. McClellan, Gatesville, Texas, attended Gatesville High School, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, and the University of Texas, Austin, Texas. He won awards in high school football and was on the debating in high school and college. His father was a second lieutenant of cavalry during the world war.

On completion of the basic, or second course at Moffett Field, McClellan and his class will go to one of the advanced schools, probably at Stockton, California, for the advanced course. The completion of this course will lead to a commission in the Air Corps Reserves and his wings as a full-fledged Air Corps pilot. He will then be assigned with one of the Air Corps units for tactical instruction and training.

**SPORT SCRAPS**  
 By **NORRIS**

The County league will get back into full swing Sunday on two diamonds in the county. The inclement weather has caused many of

the games to be postponed, and still others to be forfeited because of not knowing whether it was going to rain or not.

The Pidcoke Cokers and the Copperas Cove baseball teams will resume their long baseball rivalry Sunday when they meet on the Pidcoke home field. The Cove nine is now resting in second place with a tie for that position with the Pearl Dragons. The Pidcoke Cokers are in a tie the Ireland Cardinals for the cellar position.

The Pearl Dragons, a team which has not played an official game in the league, will meet the league leading Blackfoot Indians on the Pearl diamond Sunday. The Dragons are in second place with a 500 percent standing since they have forfeited one game and have received a forfeit.

The Ireland Cardinals are in a tie for third place with the Pidcoke team, but the Ireland nine will have this Sunday off, and by the time they meet the undefeated Blackfoot team next Sunday they should be plenty tough to handle.

The County softball meet is scheduled to be played today and Saturday at the State Training School diamonds. This event is due to draw many softball fans from over the county, and many good teams should be there since there are many entries.

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**RITZ TODAY AND SATURDAY ROY ROGERS**

Mr. and Mrs. Seth McLarty of Menard spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Whisenhunt in the Plainview community, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McLarty, in this city. Mrs. Ruth Carlton and son, Tommie Lee, will leave Sunday for Glendale, California, where they will make their home.

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# NEWS

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**New Yorkers  
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The former Minister to Austria, who teaches Foreign Relations at Georgetown Univ. He is still on the Nazy payroll at \$200 a week "pension" . . . Vincent Cullen, N. Y. insurance exec and former business associate of FDR, who may head the Stock Exchange . . . Alex King's new mag. It'll have a page (for obnoxious people) called The Bore of the Month Club. Nothing personal, I hope.

Gertrude Lawrence's "laryngitis" which is really heartache and nerves over news from abroad. Bert Lytell of the cast had to shake her before an eve's performance to stop her from crying so hard . . . Grand Duchess Marie's withdrawal from the Paderewski Fund Party Committee, after he heard she was on it and hit the ceiling . . . The frosty glances these nights between Noel Coward and John Buckmaster Sets. Each believes the other should be in the British army instead of staging benefits over here.

The truth about Tommy Corcoran's magnesium fee. He received

no coin, merely an offer of stock . . . Quentin Reynolds returning to England with 6,500 sulfanilamide tablets which are marked "Made in Germany" . . . The Communist leaders who last week voted to start an anti-Semitic campaign in an effort to get the public's mind off Communists.

Charlie Chaplin's newest and most torrid romance: The way he dunks hamburger sandwiches into coffee . . . Senator Wagner's recovery, which is everybody's idea of swell news . . . The new music mag, "Baton"—which is so superstitious it has no page 13 . . . The Brits placed in the swank spots by the British Gov't at swell pay to watch and listen . . . Pod'n the proofreading: Wm. C. Bullitt's smarticle in Life is called "What Next?"

Jimmy Cromwell and Luise Rainer being glug-glug . . . Gen. Hugh Johnson being miffed at his publishers, Bobbs-Merrill, who are also publishing Ralph Ingersoll's "America Is Worth Fighting For" in 10 days. It contradicts almost everything Johnson says in his book . . . Dorothy Thompson's yip that she has nothing to do with collaborating on a new play. Why doesn't Dorothy get the drama eds who said it to deny it? . . . The description of a White House press conference, where the reporters are pretty blunt, "It's like having an entire audience heckle the m. c." . . . The rumor that Senator Burton Wheeler will win the Pulitzer Prize for Fiction.

**Last Time  
I Saw London:**

(By Reagan McCrury, chief editorial writer of The New York Mirror. He was the first American to cross the Atlantic ocean to Britain in a bomber.)

**London Memories that Won't Erase:** The young Scotch boy, member of the Pioneer Corps that cleans up smashed cities right after an air raid . . . tears were sluicing through the bomb-dust caked on his face . . . he carried a child's glove . . . "There was a little 'and in it . . . a kiddie's 'and but I can't find the kiddie' . . . and the veteran sergeant who kicked the boy in the pants because he was shattering morale . . . and how the Scotch boy said: "Thanks."

The big picture of Roosevelt, torn from a magazine, flapping on the stump of a wall in the slums back of Mile End Road.

**London's No. 1 Glamour Girl,** whose first fiancé was killed in a crash, whose second fiancé is in a Nazi prison camp, whose only thought now is how to avoid being conscripted in Ernie Bevin's drive for women munitions workers.

**Lord Perry Brownlow** describing the little Caspar Milquetoast of a man who came to remove a 3,000-pound unexploded bomb from his air cannon factory after a night raid: "A strong wind would have whisked him away . . . he hugged the bomb, fondly, and listened . . . then he asked for a cup of coffee, then he went for a half hour's walk . . . to think . . . then he came back and took the fuse out of the bomb, carried it off in his pocket . . . and we breathed again . . ." Lord Brownlow prophesied: "After this war, there will be no House of Lords . . . nothing without function will survive."

**This Raced My Pulse:** Watching a flight of Grumann American-made Martlets from the Fleet Air Arm, swooshing down through fog onto the field at an RAF station while Hurricane pilots watched goggle-eyed . . . then watching the Martlets tangle with the Hurricanes in challenge aerobatics . . . The Martlets won at intermediate altitudes. The 14 combat pilots from the American Air Force landed in Britain as observers last week will soon prove the value of the American made P-40 Tomahawks at ANY altitude.

**Cranfills Gap**

Mrs. M. C. Terry, cors.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brasher and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Uiertel went to Stanford Sunday to see Mrs. Brasher's aunt, Mrs. Lars Nelson (nee Sorley). Mrs. Nelson is in a very bad condition. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Pendleton and Mrs. George Pendleton went to Stephenville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Knudson of Baytown were with relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Oscar Domstad and Miss Annie Domstad have just returned home after a few days' visit with their aunt, Mrs. Lars Nelson, who is in a hospital at Stanford.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sorley and Grady, Mr. and Mrs. Elder Neil and children spent Sunday in San Saba with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Goar and Mr. and Mrs. Malvin Purcell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burleson and children, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wickin and daughter, Eunice, went to Abilene Sunday where they met Mr. and Mrs. Simp Gruhaugh of Big Spring. They had lunch together and spent the day visiting, each returning to

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his or her respective home in the afternoon.

**Schley**

Mrs. Jim Alford, Cors.

We have been having a few days of sunshine which is welcomed by all.

Those attending the singing at Pearl Sunday were: Mr. M. Blakley and family, Jim Alford and family, Mrs. Jack Painter and

daughter, Charlotte, and Mrs. Bud Truss and Gay Nell and William.

Miss Faye Graves visited her sister, Mrs. Cecil Woodlock, Sunday. Quite a few attended the May Fete Monday night in Gatesville.

William Truss of Fort Gates spent several days last week with his sister, Mrs. Jack Painter, and family.

Nine persons with name Abijah are mentioned in the Old Testament.

**After Dark!!... by Rice**

**SEVEN LIVE!!**

**BECAUSE OF JUST ONE U.S. JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE "SAFETY WITH LIGHT" PROGRAM**

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**BEFORE**

**SEVEN LIVE BECAUSE THE JUNIOR CHAMBER GOT SAFETY LIGHTING INSTALLED. IN 12 MONTHS AFTER LIGHTING THERE HAVE BEEN NO NIGHT ACCIDENTS—NOT A PERSON KILLED OR INJURED AT NIGHT.**

**AFTER**

**OUR DEMOCRACY—by Mat**

**THE NINETEEN HUNDREDS**

**WE'VE HAD UPS AND DOWNS SINCE 1900, BUT ON THE AVERAGE IT'S BEEN MOSTLY UPS. HERE ARE A FEW SINCE 1900:**

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**MESCAL IKE** By S. L. HUNTLEY

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**AND BACK**

And, we're just about back! We're in the state of Louisiana, a few miles west of Opelousas, that is still La France, and also the rice and crawdad district. Yesterday, after we left you, we just kept on passing swamp after swamp, and, too, we'd better tell you about the tobacco part of the country around Tallahassee. Tallahassee, as you know, is the capitol city of Florida, and west of the city it looks like something. They have great fields, as big as a city block, or maybe, a couple of them, completely covered with mesquite bar,

and under this is the tobacco, probably the "better than ever" kind, but the signs on the negro shack and sheds advertised cut tobaccos and snuff, mostly, and we imagine most of this Florida leaf goes into making those products. In Kentucky and other states last year, those sections of the country advertised cigarettes, and we supposed that was the part of the country the cigarettes were made from.

Further west of Tallahassee, they specialize in pecans, and of course, have them for sale in bags along the highway. However, it's a business here, and not just a few along the creek. They plant them in fields and keep the fields as clean as the orange groves.

From this section to Defuniak Springs, Fla., where we spent the night, it's lumbering, along with the fishing industry, not to mention crawfish, tourists, and alligators. They could have practically any animal between this part and New Orleans, because it's nothing but the wildest and wooliest kind of swamp country, and continues on from the latter up to Baton Rouge.

to four lane drive, that's simply grand, and not grand with joints, but with homes, courts, tourist (Continued on back page)

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In New Orleans, we stayed the next night, and looked around a bit, and then headed out to the Louisiana capitol, and on the way up, couldn't see anything but the swamp gullies alongside the highway, which is sheltered on both sides by high trees, and dense jungle, just the other side of the gullies. Now that's not quite a correct statement of the situation, but it nearly covers it all. In one or two places, the valley of the Mississippi spreads out and there are immense sugar plantations with hundred of negro houses, and narrow gauge railroads running to different parts of the plantation to haul the sugar cane to the large sugar mill. The sugar industry in this part of the country, tho, has been badly hurt by the importation of Cuban sugar, and many of the refineries are closed.

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The days of the oxen are not over in these parts, and night before last, we nearly ran into a negro on a one-oxen wagon going home on the highway last Saturday night. Right now, in this part of the country in the rice fields, we see grown men planting or working in the rice fields bare-footed. Well, of course, there are some places where everything is better. Usually, the man on the job knows best what is best for him.

We're going to back-track from Orange on, or practically from St. Charles, La., on to Gatesville, and so we can't see much reason for continuing this story, and, therefore, this will be the last go around.

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One peculiar thing we saw relative to the defense program was at Pensacola. They, the army, has tents for 500 enlisted men of the "new army" so they can bring them by special train from army posts in Florida and other southern states, and improve their "morale". Wonder what the Australian, English and Greek soldiers would think of that? Seems a bit like Boy Scout stuff, or week end parties.

Pensacola, too, calls itself, the "Annapolis of the Air" just as San Antonio calls itself the "West Point of the Air".

After Miami, and the other resorts, we'll still take Bloxi and Gulfport as the prize resort towns we've seen anywhere. They're not so highly publicized, but are really the cream of the crop. There's about a 25 mile on-the-gulf two

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**FLORIDA AND BACK—**

homes, hotels, and things you'd like to see in a place you'd come to rest. Of course, there are the usual places of pleasure around a resort of this kind, and enough of

young boys and girls, and as we time was being had by all. Sailing ships of various sizes, including commercial fishing ships were on the bay and in the yacht harbor, as were the usual "Sunday drivers".

Would bring some of this French Coffee home, drip and otherwise, but as far as we are concerned, they can keep it here. One man said this coffee they used here was roasted blacker. When they bring it to you, it's just about like some that's been in the coffee urn four or five hours, only has a different taste. The quicker you drink it the better.

Well, folks, we've had a grand trip, forgot everything (until we get home) except that we were out to see, and to take is easy on the "worry", and get ready to "hit the ball" when we get home.

Now, as to the cost of this sashay First, we borrowed \$100, and brought back, and payed back \$10 of it. It was "squandered" about as follows. Tourist camp and hotel accommodations from \$2.25 up to \$4.00 a night for the party. The best places we stayed were AAA recommended tourist camps, with lights, heat, air-conditioning, tile bathrooms, or bath tubs, inner-spring mattresses, and modern furniture. These accommodations are not bad at \$3.00 a night for three adults and two kids.

We ate, too, and at (for 5) from about 85c to \$1.25 for breakfast; dinner or lunch, if you must run around \$1.25, and the same can be said for supper.

Just figured up the gasoline consumption which was all carried on "courtesy cards" and will be paid back on our "inner tubes". Cool, month. The gasoline was \$34.42, and, starting with new oil, we changed once (4 quarts) and added 4 quarts during the trip, on account of "old age". On our thin tires, three of them with 30,000 or more miles, we had four 50c flats, and were extremely lucky to get back on our "inner tubes". Cool, cloudy, rainy weather did that, or we would not have made it.

Well, in the parlance of this business, that's just about '30', and you, too, can do it.

"Go as you are, carry as little as possible, take it easy and don't worry, is our advice on any trip you may plan."

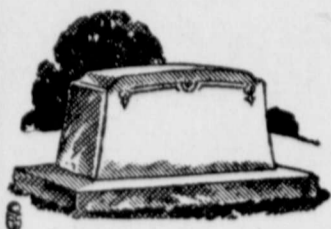
W. A. Hamilton and daughter, Maurine, Paul Sharp, McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Sharp and son, George, of Waco.

A group of young people enjoyed a singing Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Gipe.

Visitors in the Park this week were, Mildred Simonton, Brookscene Adams, William Connaway, Bob Grace, Willie Ledbetter, Bruce Hiatt, Jane Palmer, Arthur Best, Gloria Truner, M. Woodson, Doris Masters, Bonnie Ola Davis, Bessie Woodruff, Malone Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Henry McMillian, Mr. and Mrs. Otha Gent, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Derrick, Mrs. J. L. Patton, Waco; Mrs. L. P. Stupleton, Long Beach, California; Marian Isbill, Austin; Eugenia Lee, Herbert Zacharias, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Reed, Mrs. Cleo Howard, McGregor; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Richardson and daughter, Hulona Ruth, Florence; William F. Vaden, Brook Field, Don Truitt, Edinburg; Bonney Gates, San Antonio; W. W. Cloud and Winifred Cloud of Houston; Mary E. Cloud, Vesta Cloud, Tom Gregory, Temple; Signe Marie Swanson, Ogden, Iowa; Mrs. Olin McMahan, Mrs. Truman Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Hatter and daughter, Mrs. Odelca Hatter, Mrs. Robert Goodfellow, Moody; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Grissom and family, Ruth Holcomb, Leland Kattner of The Grove.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bryan, superintendent during construction of the Park from Santa Fe, New Mexico were visitors in the Park Monday. Mr. Bryan is with the National Park Service.

Those enjoying a picnic Sunday in the Park were, Ruth Cooper, Mattie Lou Winston, Gloria Johnson, Dorris Johnson, Myrtle Hesse, Pauline Cooper, Waldean Whitenburg and Pegg Johnson of McGregor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sharp of McGregor entertained their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart and Mrs. George Graf of Wallis, with a dinner Sunday in the Park. Those present were, Mrs.

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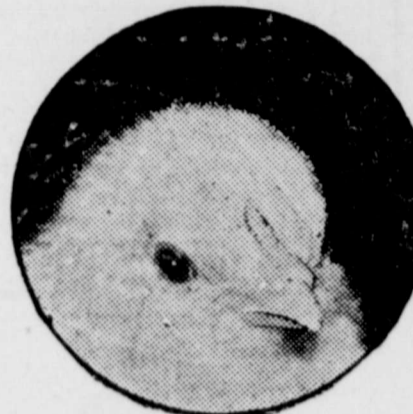
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