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Lamesa's Beauty Contestant Enters Finals Sunday night

Miss Geraldine Robertson, crowned queen of the West Texas zone, will leave early Saturday morning for Dallas to compete in the final selection for the Official Queen of The Texas Centennial Exposition on August 9th. W. D. Arnett, local Dodge-Plymouth dealer, who through courtesy of Chrysler Corporation sponsored Miss Robertson in this contest, and Mrs. Arnett will accompany Miss Robertson to Dallas.

Jerry Robertson (as she is called by her friends here) will compete in this final contest along with three other girls, who have been chosen queens of their respective zones in Texas. The winner of this final contest will be crowned the official queen of the Texas Centennial Exposition by Ginger Rogers, famous movie actress, who makes her first personal appearance in Texas in Dallas on this occasion. Ina Ray Hutton and her Melodears will furnish the music for this spectacular occasion. The Million Dollar Hollywood Electrical Floats will again be displayed.

A number of Lamesa people plan to attend the Final Queen's Night. Those who have radios will be able to get the program over their radio Sunday night.

Earnest Motor Parts Install Repair Dept.

Announcement has been made by the Earnest Motor Parts company of the installation of an electrical repair department, in connection with their electric appliance sales. They have secured the services of Jack Winters, formerly of Lubbock, who will have charge of this department

Mr Winters is an experienced electrical mechanic being employed at one time with a large electric company in Chicago.... A complete line of supplies will be carried and the shop will be equipped to repair any appliance such as radios, refrigerators, irons, motors, etc.

Library Continues To Be Mecca For Lamesa Readers

Interest in the Library didn't seem to lessen much in July. There were about seventy-five new members enrolled during the month of July, making the total enrollment near the three hundred and fifty mark.

Mrs. T .K. McMillan donated Zane Grey's Call of the Canyon, and Motor Cycle Champs by Andrews C. Lincoln, the Hickory Ridge Boy Scouts' Great Hike by Douglass: Lula Mae Banta donated a new copy of Alice in Wonderland, and Through The Looking Glass by Lewis Carroll.

Local Student Finish Work At Canyon Soon

Canyon, Texas—One hundred fifty-two Seniors at West Texas State Teachers College will receive their degres at the summer commencement exercises on August 20.

Dr. J. A. Hill will deliver the Commencement address this summer. An open air band concert will be given, and the President will invite all seniors to attend a faculty reception to be given during Commencement Week.

Following are students from this territory who will receive degrees with the class: Ima Haney, Lamesa; J. Garland Miller, Loop; Hester Gates, O'Donnell; Mrs. Josie Miller, Loop; Ruby Randals, Lamesa.

KLONDIKE REVIVAL CLOSES

The revival meeting at the Klondike South Side Baptist church closed last Wednesday night with 10 conversions and a number of re-dedications. Twenty members were added to the church roll. The pastor baptized 10 on last Thursday afternoon.

On last Tuesday evening, when the pastor and his wife went to their car to go home, they found their car loaded down with an old fashioned pounding, with can goods, flour, jellies, fruit and sugar and believe it or not, a big country ham and chickens. And then the wife received a linen shower.

May the blessings of the Lord be upon you folks.

Pastor.

CARS REGISTERED

Seven new cars have been registered at the county assessor's office the past week. They were as follows:

C. I. Beck, 1936 Ford fordor, July 29; Snyder Transfer, 1936 International truck, July 30; John R. Bizzell, Chevrolet town sedan, August 1; Dr. J. M. Harrington, Chevrolet Master town sedan, August 1; E. B. McCullough, Ford tudor sedan, August 3; J. H. Proctor, Chevrolet pick-up, August 1; W. C. Cowgar, 1936 Chevrolet Master town sedan, August 1.

REVIVAL AT KEY

Rev. S. C. Shipley, pastor of the Baptist church at Key, announces the beginning of a revival meeting. August the Seventh. Rev. Leroy Smith will have charge of the services. The meeting will continue for ten days.

Everyone is urged to attend.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS OF KLONDIKE SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Board of Equalization of the Klondike Independent School District will meet August 20th at the school house between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. Property owners may attend.

Board of Equalization,
By Clyde Edmonson, Sec'y.

Volunteer Fire Boys Enjoy Annual Outing Last Monday Evening

Members of the Lamesa Volunteer Fire Department enjoyed their annual outing and picnic Monday evening, August 3, when they gathered at the brakes about 14 miles northeast of Lamesa.

A chicken barbecue as only Leslie Pratt can prepare, was served, with pickles, potato chips, bread, cake and plenty of ice cold lemonade. Pratt, who left early to prepare the feed, was accompanied and assisted by Boyd and James Sumpter, and Misses Peggy and Betty Jo Sumpter.

During the festivities, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fry, who were recently married, were presented with a beautiful silver service, a gift from the fire boys.

Those who enjoyed this picnic included Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Crawley, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hatch, Mr. and Mrs. Davie Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fry, Mr. and Mrs. Jelly Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Standifer, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phinizy, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lindsey and Mrs. Lindsey's guest, Miss Oleta Wallace of Lone Oak, Texas, Copus Boyd, Bruce Boyd, Sol Cleveland, Luther Peterson, Juanita Paulk, Acie Dell Morton of Snyder, Fire Chief James Sumpter and two daughters, and City Commissioners Uncle Bill McWherter and Buck Bennett, and Mrs. Bennett.

Vaughn Chevrolet Company Opens Used Car Sales Lot

One of the civic improveemnts under way in Lamesa is the conversion of the unsightly vacant lots on the south side of the square into a used car lot by the Vaughn Chevrolet Company. The lots, which have been unused since the buildings were destroyed by fire two years ago, have been leveled and covered with chat. A neat fence has been erected across the front of the lots and painted white and the place is taking on the appearance of a real up-town auto sales yard.

The used car department of the Vaughn Chevrolet company has been moved to the location and salesmen will be on the ground at all times to demonstrate the complete stock of late model used cars on display there.

Gulf Radio Studio Attracts National Talent To Texas

Houston, Texas—Texas has become the mecca for the radio and entertainment talent of the country.

Since the Gulf Radio Studios on the grounds of the Texas Centennial in Dallas were opened lass than two months ago, 759 live talent radio shows have been produced there. These broadcasts include more than a score of programs which were carried all over the United States over the National Networks.

They include one international broad cast, which necessitated the crossing of the water five times.

The publicity Texas has received as a result of the broadcasts has become national and international in its scope. Radio magazines and radio sections of newspapers throughout the country have carried stories about these broadcasts and about the unique Radio and Pubic Address System installed by the Gulf Company at Dallas as its contribution to the celebration of the Centennial year.

MY SINCERE THANKS

To the people of Precinct 3, for the splendid vote you accorded me in the First Primary and which enabled me to win a place in the run-off. I take this as a signal honor, in view of the fine and able men who were my opponents. Now as the second Primary approaches, I solicit your vote and influence. To those of you who supported one of my opponents who failed to place in the run-off, I ask that you consider my claims and qualifications before casting your vote, and if you can support me, I will certainly appreciate it.

If I am your choice, I promise at all times to cooperate fully with the County Judge and Commissioners Court for the betterment of the County as a whole, and to faithfully perform the duties of the office to the very best of my ability.

Again thanking you for past support and soliciting your vote on August 22, I am,

Yours truly,
S. J. Jordan.

McCARTY SCHOOL TO OPEN

McCarty school will begin August 26. Everything is in fine shape to start and it is hoped that the attendance will be 100%.

Auction Sale Of Used Cars Saturday

The Lamesa Auto Company have announced a unique used car sale for Saturday afternoon, August 8th at 4:00 at which time several cars from their regular supply of used cars will be sold at auction to the highest bidder.

H. H. Barron has been secured to hold the sale and the company assure you that no bi-bidding will be allowed.

This is a departure from the usual method of handling used cars and it will be worth the time of anyone who is in the market for a good used car to attend.

This organization which has just recently taken over the Ford agency, have a nice stock of clean used cars traded in on the new 8-V Fords.

Exclusive Ladies' Ready-To-Wear Shop Opens Here

Mrs. Truman Campbell has this week returned from the Fort Worth and Dallas Markets where she purchased a stock of ladies' ready-to-wear for the new shop which she is opening on North Austin Street, across from Hurt's Haberdashery.

The store is being arranged, fixtures moved in and decorations completed this week and Mrs. Campbell hopes to receive enough of her goods in time to open the store Saturday. However, she will have the formal opening next week, the announcement of which will be carried in the columns of the next issue of The Courier.

The new shop will be known as Campbell's, and will carry a complete stock of the latest fall and winter dresses and accessories for the ladies of the Lamesa trade territory. Mrs. Campbell invites you in to inspect her store and new merchandise.

Mahon Attends Garner Day Fete

Colorado, Texas— Leaving Colorado Monday afternoon, Congressman Geo. Mahon went to Dallas this week where he attended the Garner Day celebration sponsored by the Texas Centennial Exposition. The Vice President was honored with a luncheon and banquet on Wednesday and made a radio address over a nation-wide hookup Wednesday evening speaking from the Cotton Bowl on the Centennial ground. Mr. Mahon was invited with other members of congress from Texas and other Texas officials to serve as a member of the Vice President's official party.

Mrs. Mahon joined the Congressman in Dallas on Wednesday. She was a guest at a luncheon honoring Mrs. Garner on that day.

Many 4-H Members To Visit Centennial

Approximately 2,000 4-H club boys and girls from thirty-five Texas counties have been booked for visits to the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas, according to information received from L. T. Stone who has charge of rural tours department of the Exposition. Home demonstration club women are included in many of the delegations.

Thomas E. Wilson, Chicago meat packer and probably the greatest individual supporter of the 4-H club movement in the nation, has placed his six giant Clydesdale horses, now showing at the Exposition, at the disposition of the boys and girls for a wagon tour of the grounds.

Polk County ranks to date as having booked the largest delegation, 500 for October 3. Montague and McCullough counties have booked 250 each for August 25-26 and August 27-28, respectively. Clay county will send 100 on July 29-30 and Navarro County a like number on August 5-6.

The visiting delegations are taken on personally conducted tours of the grounds, terminating with an educational tour through the Agrarian exhibit buildings.

TO THE VOTERS OF DAWSON COUNTY

I wish to take this method of expressing my sincere appreciation and thanks to those who saw proper to support me in the election just passed. To those who did not support me, I wish to say that you only exercised a duty and privilege. A duty to vote and a privilege to cast your vote for the one you thought best, leaving no ill-will from me toward anyone. Again thanking you, I remain,

Truly yours,
Jim Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sumner and daughters, Maxine and Fairy Mae, Mr. and Mrs. T. A Harris and daughter, Edith, and Miss Myrtle Standifer are spending the week at Two Draw Lake near Post.

O' Donnell Rodeo Promises To Thrill Fans, August 14-15

Plans for the O'Donnell rodeo are getting under way. The committee in charge of contests announces that entries are coming in daily, and that a number of nationally known rodeo stars have signified their intention of being there by sending in their money. Cash prizes in the amount of $225 will be awarded the winners of the various events.

Invitations have been sent to fifteen neighboring towns to send sponsors to the event, which is scheduled to take place August 14-15. All rodeo events will be held in a stadium which is being built on the site of the O'Donnell ball park. A speakers platform, equipped with loudspeaker, will be erected for the use of the announces, and will also be used as a throne room for the Rodeo queen and her court.

Miss Jim Ellen Wells has been named Rodeo Queen by the committee in charge of this feature, and her coronation and the Queen's Ball which follows will be one of the highlights of the first night performance. The sponsors will ride in the parade which will open the affair.

Services of two orchestras have been secured for the dances each night, and the visiting sponsors will be the center of a round of teas, breakfasts and other social affairs.

The rodeo events themselves are being worked out so as to offer one of the most varied and entertaining programs of the kind ever staged on the South Plains. Plenty of good stock, scores of daring performances and cash prizes to back all the program up, virtually assure the public of a show that will long be remembered.

Uncle Sam's Letter Jugglers Get Casons' Goat Monday Eve

Barbecued goat, furnished by Mr. and Mrs. John Cason, was the main dish on the menu when the Lamesa Post Office crew and their families enjoyed a picnic in the City Park on Monday evening. It was a delicious dish and accompanied by the necessary trimmings, the meal was tapered off with plenty of home made ice cream and cake.

About fifty were in attendance at this outing which included an enjoyable social hour at which time games and visiting was indulged in by the picnicers.

Local Teacher Leaves For Summer Study

Mrs. L. M. Pratt, teacher of expression and dancing left Sunday for Hollywood, Calif., where she will take a six weeks course in speech, radio broadcasting and dancing.

Mrs. Pratt will study with her former teacher, Oliver Hensdell, formerly director of Dallas Little Theater, and now dramatic coach for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer She will have a course in dramatics, collecting new plays and readings for her fall work here.

An intensive study of the dance, both tap and ballet, will be taken by Mrs. Pratt with Theodore Kesloff, one of Hollywood's foremost dancing masters.

Mr. Pratt, Inez Sharp and J. B. Oxford accompanied Mrs Pratt to Lubbock where she boarded the train for her trip.

Sod, Not Seed, Best Way To Grow Buffalo Grass

Requests for Buffalo-grass seed to re-establish the natural vegetative cover in the Western Plains country are in tons, while the supply is only in pounds, says H. H. Bennett, Chief of the Soil Conservation Service.

It was only yesterday, he says, that short grasses on the Plains were being destroyed by the plow, overgrazing and occasional devastating fires. Today, men are using their wits to bring back the grasses which through centuries have demonstrated their value as a protection against wind and water erosion.

Seven years ago a farmer in Western Kansas wished to re-establish Buffalo grass on a small field that had been in cultivation for a long time. He cut strips of Buffalo grass sods from along the highway. These strips were spot planted in furrows in the field. Today, despite four years of subnormal rainfall, the field is almost completely covered with Buffalo grass.

Sources such as this and fence rows and other patches, agronomists believe, offer a suggestion to farmers wishing to establish small areas of Buffalo grass.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burnside spent Wednesday in Ralls on business.

Two Lamesa Polo Teams Play Sunday

Polo fans were treated to a fast game by the local boys last Sunday when two teams of Lamesa players took the field against each other at the polo field south of town on Highway Nine.

The Blues, a team consisting of Ed Hatch, Sol Cleveland, Elmo Smith and Spencer Barron, won a close game over the Yellows which included A. C. Woodard, Gus White, Lem Parkinson and Erie Barron, with Claud Hurlbert of Plainview substituting on the Yellows team. The score was 9 to 8. Bill Teague was referee.

These Sunday afternoon contests are drawing larger crowds each week and those who once go and see the game become polo fans right there. If you have not enjoyed one of these, drive out some Sunday and watch it.

Quite a bit of improvement is being made in the field. New goal posts have been erected and the ground is becoming smoother. This will be treated with oil soon and this will give the local players a faster field for their games. It is the intention of the club to continue improving the ground until they have one of the best fields in this part of the country.

Lamesa CCC Team vs. Pumpkin Center

What promises to be a fast game of baseball is the scheduled game between the Lamesa CCC team and the Pumpkin Center team, which will be played at Pumpkin Center next Sunday afternoon. The CCC team has beaten all the camp teams in this area and are recognized as a fast aggregation. However, the boys at Pumpkin Center are making a record for themselves among the surrounding towns.

Batteries announced for the game game are Peterson and Reeves for Pumpkin Center and Greer and Patterson for the CCC boys.

Lamesa Boy Scouts Win Majority Of Swimming Events

Results in the Boy Scout swimming meet which was held at the City Pool in Lamesa last Wednesday evening, July 29th, gave Troop 22 of Lamesa 125 points out of a possible 130.

In the Junior Division, 20-yard dash, back stroke—Charles Jacobs, 1st, 13 seconds; Ralph Burleson 2nd, Jack Harris 3rd.

20-yard dash, breast stroke—Charles Jacobs, 1st, 14 seconds; J. D. Dyer Jr., 2nd.

40-yard dash, free style — Charles Jacobs, 1st, 10 seconds; Ralph Burleson 2nd; Russell Rising 3rd.

Distance Plunge—J. D. Dyer, Jr., 1st, 32 seconds; Jack Harris 2nd; Charles Jacobs 3rd.

10-lb. Weight Carry—Charles Jacobs 1st, 24 seconds; Wright Boyd 2nd; J. D. Dyer, Jr., 3rd.

Diving—Front Dive, Back Dive and Front Jack—Charles Jacobs, 1st with 24 points; Russel Rising, 2nd, 22 points and Jack Harris 3rd with 21½ points.

Intermediate Division: 20-yard dash, back stroke—Victor Crawley 1st, 11½ seconds; Bob Crawley 2nd; J. H. Wheeler 3rd.

20-yard dash, Breast Stroke—Victor Crawley, 1st, 11.3 seconds; Russell Clark 2nd; Jackie Vaughn 3rd.

40-yard Free Style—Victor Crawley 1st, 8. sec9onds; Bob Crawley 2nd; Russell Clark 3rd.

Distant Plunge—Jackie Vaughn 1st; Bob Crawley 2nd; Victor Crawley 3rd.

10-lb. Weight Carry—Victor Crawley, 1st, 21 seconds; Bob Crawley 2nd; Richard Crawley 3rd.

Diving—Front Dive, Back, Opt., Front Jack—Victor Crawley, 1st, with 31½ points; Bob Crawley, 2nd, with 30½ points; Jackie Vaughn 3rd with 22½ points.

Senior Division: 20-yard Dash, back stroke—Richard Crawley, 1st, 12 seconds; Edwin Easterwood 2nd; Ralph Burleson 3rd.

20-yard Dash, breast stroke—Edwin Easterwood, 1st, 12 seconds; Richard Crawley 2nd.

40-yard Dash, free style—Edwin Easterwood, 1st, 9½ seconds; Richard Crawley.

Distant Plunge—Edwin Easterwood, 1st, 30 seconds; Richard Crawley, 2nd.

SUB-DISTRICT COMMANDER INSPECTS LAMESA CAMP

Captain Roy E. Adair, new sub-district commander for this area, was a visitor in the Lamesa CCC camp last week and made his first inspection and audit. He was formerly C. O. of the Canyon CCC Camp and later of the Amarillo Veterans Camp.

He expressed himself as being particularly well pleased with the conditions of the local camp, where a number of improvements are under way

DR. J. D. BURLESON MOVES DENTAL OFFICE

Dr. J. D. Burleson has just completed the moving of his office from the Palace Theatre Building to the Nix Building on North First street. D. V. Lawson will be associated with Dr. Burleson.

DUBOSE EXPRESSES THANKS

Although busy with the second campaign, I pause to thank friends as loyal as any man ever had, and to make mention of my apreciation that is entirely too deep for words. Gratefully yours.

P. W. DuBose,
Candidate for County Judge.

E. C. NIX THANKS FRIENDS

I wish to thank my friends who voted for me in the recent primary.

E. C. Nix.

Lamesa Schools Will Open On September 7th

The Lamesa school board, in recent session, set the date for the opeing of the fall term of school on September 7, the first Monday in next month, according to announcement made by V. Z. Rogers, superintendent.

The total scholastic enrollment to-date is 1204. About one hundred will be enrolled in the high school who do not pay tuition.

Work has been under way during the vacation period geting the buildings renovated and ready for the recepption of the pupils.

Entrance examinations will be given for those who desire to enter the senior class on Friday, September 4th, and if there are too many applicants to finish that day, the 5th will also be given over to the examinations.

Announcement of dates for registration of the different classes will be given at a later date.

Pioneer Resident Of Shumake Community Passed Away Aug. 4

Residents of the Shumake community feel an inestimable loss in the death, Tuesday morning of Mr. W. H. Lauderdale, age 73 years, who has been a respected and beloved resident of that community for the past fifteen years. Although Mr. Lauderdale had been in failing health for about six years, he had ben confined to his bed with a recent attack for about ten days.

Born in Limestone county, Texas, he had spent his entire life in this State, moving to Dawson county from Eastland county fifteen years ago and settling on the place at which he died.

Mr. Lauderdale had been a Christian for the past fifty years, having been a member of the Misionary Baptist church for 45 years of this time. He reared a family of 5 daughters and 3 sons, all of whom are living near the home place except one son who lives in Big Spring.

Funeral services were held at the Lamesa Cemetery Tuesday afternoon with Rev. LeRoy Smith, pastor of the Highway Baptist church, officiating.

Surviving Mr. Lauderdale, besides the widow, are: Miss Mattie Lauderdale, Mrs. E. L. Pierce, Mrs. Chester Guinn, Mrs. Vesper Love, Mrs. Olin Friday and W. L., D. W., and E. Lauderdale.

Old Jupiter Pluvius Smiles On Dawson County Farms Again

Ordinarily rain is news in Dawson County, but we have been so graciously served by Old Jupiter Pluvius recently that it is becoming a looked for event by those of us who have not lived here long enough to know better. Last week two good showers visited most of the county. Early Friday morning a refreshing shower cooled the atmosphere and brought relief from a heat wave. This was followed late Friday afternoon by a still larger shower which visited Lamesa and various parts of the county. Reports were that the showers were very general over the South Plains. The rain guaged .54 in. in Lamesa, bringing the July total to 3.41 inches.

The best feature of these showers which have been visiting this section is the fact that they are not heavy enough to do any damage in the way of washing, nor often enough to cause much concern of a wet spell. Of course they are so light that some parts of the county are not receiving as much as they need, but all in all, the prospects in the county are said by the farmers to be the best in many moons.

SPARENBERG DISTRICT CONVENTION AUGUST 9

J. L. Garrett, president of the Sparenberg District Singing convention, has asked the Courier to again remind singers of the meeting of that organization which will be held at Brown school house in Martin County next Sunday, August 9.

This meeting was originally scheduled for the second Sunday in July, but was postponed when it was learned that the date conflicted with the date of the Dawson County Convention.

All the singers in this territory are invited to attend this gathering. The singing will begin at 2:00 in the afternoon. Everyone who can bring their song books. This organization always has a good meeting and this will be no exception to the rule.

J. H. BARRON'S HOME HAS BEEN REMODELED

Work has been completed on the remodling of the J. E. Barron home on North Bryan street, which has made it one of the most attractive places in that section of the city.

The improvements, planned by Architect Henry Allen, and supervised by Contractor Waller include the enlargement of the house, redecoration of the interior, stuccoing the exterior and additional landscaping.

VITAL STATISTICIAN GIVES COMPARATIVE DAWSON COUNTY FIGURES FOR SIX MONTHS

Births for 1936 up to July 1, 152.
Births for 1936, up to July 1, 164.
Deaths in 1935 up to July 1, 55.
Deaths in 1936, up to July 1, 46.

You who have had births or deaths in your family since January 1st 193:: sometime when in town, call at my office and let us check up and see if yours have been put on record. It is very important that they should be.

Yours for service.
D. M. Campbell, local registrar.

COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE

HIGGINBOTHAM

Sunday school was very well attended. Everyone come next Sunday and bring some one with you. Services starting at 10:00 o'clock each Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hall and family of Crystal City are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Archer, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stokes of O'Donnell and Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Caffety visited Mr. and Mrs. Cozart Sunday.

Mrs. Norman Gandy left Friday for Levelland, where she will teach school. She was accompanied there by her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. House and family made a trip to Andrews Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Archer, J. D. Stewart and children of Ackerly, Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Archer and Mr. Stokes of O'Donnell, Mrs. House and daughter, Marie, and Burl Gary were visitors in the Lee Smith home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter entertained the Juniors and young folks with a cream supper Saturday night. Everyone reported an enjoyable time.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Omer Daniel is a lot better at this writing.

Mrs. Norman visited Mrs. Tapp of Weaver, Wednesday.

McCARTY

The revival meeting closed Sunday night. Brother Beavers did most of the preaching. We feel like our community has been spiritually revived again and we certainly wish to thank Brother Beavers of Lamesa for the splendid work he did.

Brother B. C. Smith of Morton, Texas, will begin a Baptist revival here Friday night. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Pruitt of Sparenberg and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Peterson and daughter, Janet visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pruitt, Sunday.

Mollie Joe Mabry of Sparenberg visited Margie Peterson over the week-end.

Mattie Opal Peterson spent the week-end with Francis Mabry of Sparenberg.

Virginia Green, Mary Lee Bostick and Margaret Borden visited Margaret Slover Sndy. u

Carlene Green visited Janie K. Peterson Sunday.

Adrian Williams, who has been working for Mr. Kennady left last week for a visit with relatives in Oklahoma.

Noble Fox started working for L. Berry last week. He was formerly employed by J. M. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Peterson went to Brownfield Sunday, to get her sister who has been visiting there the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Furlow and family of Littlefield visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Blair and baby, Shirley Dean last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barkhurst and daughter of Lamesa attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Peterson and children left last week for New Mexico where she will visit relatives.

Miss O'Dell McCasland left last week for Tulia, Texas, where she will attend school this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Blair and Dorothy Mae Blair and Louise Ranson visited in the Key community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Davis and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ranson and son of Hancock visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ranson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Haggard and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Haggard, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pike and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bostick and son spent the week-end in Lubbock.

PATRICIA

There was a good crowd at Sunday school and B. T. U. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burton and daughter of Wichita Falls who has been visiting here went to Commanche accompanied by his father, J. A. Burton to attend a reunion over the week-end.

Alton Scott and Charlotte Brown were married July 27. They left Friday for their home in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Bruce left Friday for Dallas and points east.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hightower, Eulane and Earl Vernon spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Hightower of Garden City. Eulane and Earl Vernon remained for a weeks visit.

The Baptist meeting starts at the school house Friday night. Brother Walter Scott of Brownwood will do the preaching. Everyone is invited to come.

Doc and Harry Thurmond received a message Sunday that their mother was dead. They had just returned from her bedside in Oklahoma.

KLONDIKE

The services at both churches were attended by large crowds Sunday.

Brother Whatley preached at the South Side church in the morning. Due to a revival he is holding at Wells we did not have services at night.

Our school starts the 24th of this month. We have bought two new busses to carry the children to school.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ray and children of Scranton are visiting his sister, Mrs. Lee Clements.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Moss are the proud parents of a baby girl. The little lady has been named Norma Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell of Spur and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Henson of Midway visited in the John Self home Sunday.

Jess Johnson and family from Hamlin is visiting their uncle E. L. Eoff and family.

Crops in this community are good at present. However the old feed will be needing rain before long.

IT IS TRUE

The U. S. Public Health Service estimates that 43 ot of 100 people are at some time afflicted with Athletes Foot or Ringworm. This condition may be quickly relieved by using PAR-MOR Lotion. You take no risk as every bottle of PAR-MOR LOTION bears a money back guarantee. Sold only by:

Morris Cleveland Drug Co.

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FAIRVIEW

Had a very good attendance at Sunday school Sunday morning.

A good crowd at BYPU and singing Sunday night.

The farmers are very busy hoeing and plowing their cotton out. The crop sure looks fine.

Miss Lula Mae Byrum and Alphus Byrum of Sylvester were guests of Miss Thelma Gibson this past week. They returned to their home Monday.

H. A. Gresham got a message Friday night of the death of his niece Miss Oleta Greshman of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Greshman left immediately for the funeral.

John Joeunett and family of Estelline spent last Thursday night and Friday wth his sister, Mrs. J. R. Tipton.

Johnnie Westbrook is helping repair the gin at Pumpkin Center.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Greer left Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Boss to visit their baby Jessie Faye Boss who is in the hospital in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurwhanger have returned from South Texas.

Mr and Mrs. J. T. Tipton and family attended the rodeo at Post last Saturday. Miss Thelma Meeks accompanied them.

The protracted meeting begins at Fairview Friday night, August 7. Everyone is invited to attend.

RICHARDSON

Sunday school and preaching, Sunday were well attended. Bro. Owens preached.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Ballew of Fairview community and Miss Nennis Mobly of Munger spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ballew and family.

On the sick list this week are Powhatan York and Cal Junior Speed. We hope they will recover soon.

Mrs. Eddie Mae Burns of Eastland is visiting her mother and father for a few days, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Ballew.

Misses Revice B. and Reathe Faye Teague of Lamesa spent the week-end with Pauline Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Erman and two small daughters of Lamesa are spending the week with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Cherry and family of Ballard community spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Warren and family.

Floyd McGee spent Sunday with Hub Kirkland.

Miss Vivian William of Weaver community spent Sunday with Mrs. P. B. Lingsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris of Mt. Olive spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn Ramsey.

Mrs. A. V. William gave her daughter a birthday dinner Sunday for her birthday. Outside guests who enjoyed the dinner were Mrs. J. L. Helms, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and family, Mrs. Carl Owens, Revice B. and Reatha Faye Teague, Mr. and Mrs. Argie Williams and Alma Joe Owens. Everyone enjoyed the day.

MUNGER

Sunday school and preaching were well attended Sunday.

The Methodist revival was well attended last week. Brothers Dial and Walker conducted the services.

Everyone is wearing a smile these days since the good rains this past week. Crops are looking pretty.

The Baptist revival will start the 7th of August.

Mrs. Lorene Jones of Gail is visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Dunbar.

Miss Martha Alice Rape spent last week in Big Spring.

Little Gene Batam left for Mena, Arkansas, Saturday morning. He was accompanied home by his uncle, Mr. Purtle.

Mrs. H. S. Phillips' sister, from Arkansas, is visiting her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. O'Brien of Lamesa spent Sunday with Mrs. Wells.

Miss Ava Dunbar of Big Spring is visiting her parents this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cooksey visited his parents, Mr. Frank Cooksey Sunday.

Miss Viola Hall spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Nolan McDonald of Lamesa.

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Rural Correspondence

WELCH

Brother Evans filled his regular appointment Sunday morning. Only a few were present but they enjoyed his wonderful sermon.

Sunday school at the Methodist church was well attended. We urge every one to attend.

A family reunion was held at Grandpa Britts home Sunday. Those to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Britt and family of Fairview, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dickerson and son of Pumpkin Center, Mr. and Mrs. John Davidson of Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Britt of Welch and friends and relatives of Abilene.

Willard Fowler of Oklahoma is visiting friends and relatives in this community.

Horace Tatum and son attended a family reunion at Dublin the past week.

Miss Elifice Whitten of Woody is visiting Mrs. Horace Tatum.

A large crowd of young folk enjoyed a picnic at Cedar lake Saturday evening.

Our singing services have been decreasing. We wish to urge everyone to attend every Wednesday night. We have ordered new books, so come and help us use them.

Several from here attended BYPU at Fairview Sunday night.

ACKERLY

We are proud of the good crowds we are having at Sunday school and church. Lets' keep it up. Reverend Cock delivered a very interesting sermon at the morning hour. The Third Quarterly Conference was held here Sunday night. The Presiding Elder, Brother Young brought the message Sunday night to a nice crowd.

Mrs. J. F. Cook and children of Big Spring are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Graham this week.

Wayne Smith who has been working in New Mexico is home visiting his family this week.

Mrs. S. L. Woodul of San Angelo visited Mrs. Paul B. White, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cooksey spent Sunday visiting in Big Spring.

Mrs. Sutphen spent Sunday evening in the Doyle Sutton home in the Shumake community where their baby is real ill.

Mrs. Haney of Fort Worth is here with her daughter, Mrs. V. J. Coleman and son.

Miss Lois Helburn of Knott visited Anna Mae Stewart this week.

Ralph and Randolph Williamson of Lytle are here visiting with their brother, Thelbert.

Mr. Chiles of Grandview was here the past week attending to business.

The building of the new school house is underway. We will be proud of the new structure when it is completed.

Hazel Ward has returned to her home after a month's visit with her grandfather, Mr. Warren Jeffcoat at Pettitt.

Mr. and Mrs Jobb and daughter Ruth, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. L. Coleman, Sunday.

Mrs. Charlie Myles has returned home after a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cook at Lytle, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin of Vealmore attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Yates of Soash spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Rhea.

THREE LEAGUES

A large crowd has been attending the meeting each night. There has been several visitors from out of the community attending. We extend a hearty welcome to all visitors to come back each night.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Teague of Goldsmith visited in this community Sunday evening and stayed for church Sunday night.

Mrs. D. T. Teague and daughter, Frankie Lou visited in Lubbock last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Esker Beckham of the Wilson communit y spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holcomb.

Jake McGuire of Sand, Texas, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lambright.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambright and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Seaborn McGuire, Glenn and Calvin McGuire spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert McNew of Five Mile.

Mrs. Joe Teague's family received word last week from her, that her father who has been ill, is no better.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lambright and daughter of Five Mile visited a while in this community Sunday evening.

Larue Teague of Klondike spent Sunday with Frankie Lou Teague.

MIDWAY

The Baptist protracted meeting is in progress at Midway this week with Bro. Bradley of Roaring Springs doing the preaching. Everyone invited to attend.

Jack Pelham and family of Klondike were visitors in this community Sunday.

Arthur Riddle and wife and Jim Gipson and wife visited friends in the Shumake community Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Kutch of Lamesa visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Burleson and family over the week-end.

Bud Winkler and family of Franklin county spent last week with his uncle Felder Hoffman and family.

W. C. Speck and family of Lamesa attended church here Sunday and visited relatives here Sunday evening.

Claude Davis and family are spending a few weeks with relatives in East Texas and will also attend the Centennial while there.

R. T. Ogden has purchased a new car.

Mr. Mann of Gaines county visited relatives here last week.

FIVE MILE

Sunday school and B. T. U. were well attended Sunday and Sunday night. The meeting starts here Friday night and everyone is invited to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. George Blackman and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blackman, all of Shallowater spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Tom Tyler and family.

Pearl Ansley of Klondike spent the week-end with Eve Lee Pillion.

Oley Shaufner and family spent the week-end visiting relatives of Brownwood.

Monette and Naomi Davis are spending this week with Ruth Tyler.

Mr and Mrs. Red Foster and family spent the week-end at Snyder.

Mrs. Hackleman and children of Hancock spent Sunday with Mrs. Tyler and family.

Several from here have been attending the meeting at the new church down on the highway.

Mrs. Albert Ansley of El Paso is visiting her mother and family, Mrs. Pillion.

A number of the Shumake younger set were visitors in the community Sunday.

BALLARD

The revival meeting will start here Sunday, the 9th. We wish to invite everyone to come. Mr. Kinard will be in charge of the song service.

There will be a special place prepared for the choir.

Archie Moore and family and Mrs. L. H. Carlton attended the Primitive Baptist Association at Midland the past week.

Mrs. J. D. Kinard and girls are visiting Mrs. Kinards parent's in Big Spring this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hogg received a message that Grandpa Hogg had passed away on Tuesday evening. They left immediately to attend the funeral services which were held in Eastland County on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hahn and family and Jana Ruth Cox visited Mrs. Hahn in O'Donnell last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pade of Lamesa were dinner guests of Lefty Davis and family Sunday.

SUNSET

Mr. and Mrs. Smith and daughter, Ozell, visited Mr. and Mrs. Herman Freeman of Ballard, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Minix visited her mother, Mrs. Knowles, of Richardson, Sunday.

Mrs. R. C. Lee was called, Sunday morning, to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Boles, of Lubbock.

Miss Marguerite Knox of Lamesa spent the week-end with home folks.

Mrs. J. L. Parks and little daughter Flo Helen, spent the week in Klondike visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Self.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Myers and family of Jones County spent the week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Welty and other relatives.

Jewell, Velma and Ethel Webb of Klondike were visiting in this community Sunday.

Miss Faye Dean returned from a week's vacation in Los Cruces, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henderson spent Sunday in Midland.

Political Announcements

The following are candidates for office subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, August 22.

FOR STATE LEGISLATURE:
119TH DISTRICT
"Hop" Halsey.

COUNTY JUDGE:
W. M. Yates
P. W. DuBose

TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR:
Willie Belle Cleveland, re-election
R. W. (Buster) Herndon

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2:
D. L. Adcock
Sam Hodge, re-election

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3:
S. J. Jordan
Oscar G. Kelley, re-election

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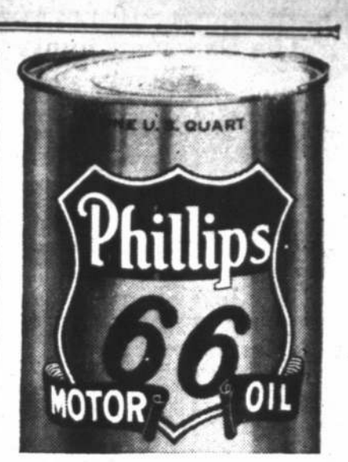


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JOE ALEXANDER, EDITOR

METHODIST NOTES

Revival at Munger closed Sunday night. No conversions as we know, but it was a revival. I know the preacher was revived and many others of our faith and not of our faith, expressed themselves as being benefited by the meeting. Have never seen different demonimations work together more earnestly. God will reward us in the future for such love for Him and his cause.

We are expecting to see results among the unconverted even in the near future. Let every Methodist show a bigger spirit. God rewards according to interest of the heart. He can work and none can hinder.

We hope many will be converted in the other meetings to be held in the near future.

Remember our revival at Welch begins next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. My brother, A. M. Walker of Cleburne, Texas, will be with us in charge of the music. You want to see and hear him. He is not a 'know all' in music but he is an eye opener and gets it over to the people if there an avenue for it.

Will say to Welch people, the opportunity and responsibility is yours. You have the best time for a revival. You have had plenty of time to finish your farm work; and most of you are through. Now don't run off visiting or fishing and leave us with this greatest work of all unfinished. We have practically done nothing so far, in this year. If we don't do it within this revival meeting I feel it will not be done. Your pastor will be broken hearted. If you love him as we have evidence to believe you do, throw yourself into the work he loves so well.

Thanks to Brother R. C. Dial for service rendered in Munger meeting.

J. G. Walker, P. C.

SHUMAKE H. D. CLUB HEARS SHORT COURSE REPORT

"One of the most outstanding things I learned at the short course at A. and M., was the need of more recreation among the farm folk," Mrs. R. S. Stanfield told the members of the Shumake club when they met July 29 in the home of Mrs. Stanfield.

The delegates at A. and M. were told to have their clubs spend a few minutes at each meeting singing or playing games.

Mrs. Stanfield told the members of the many interesting things she saw and learned while at the short course and the Texas Centennial at Dallas.

Refreshments of cantaloupe, cookies and punch were served to the members. The club voted to adjourn and meet again September 9, not having a meeting in August unless some business comes up that needs special attention.

Miss Dorothy Crow left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in Stanton.

FAIRVIEW H. D. CLUB

"Brushing is the life of hair," Mrs. J. R. Tipton told the Fairview Home Demonstration club at Mrs. Alice Kelley's home July 28.

"If the hair were combed and brushed more it would be more lively."

We decided to have a club vacation through August.

Those present at the meeting were: Mmes. J. R. Tipton, O. G. Kelley, A. W. Hatcher, J. E. Towns, J. R. Miller, W. E. Crump, Melvin Lankford, Beatrice Kelley, Pauline Raney and Alice Kelley.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Simpson and son Homer and E. E. Patterson of Iraan spent the last week-end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. House at Morton.

E. E. Patterson left for his home in Iraan Wednesday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Simpson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barron and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Cox will leave Friday for a vacation at Cloudcroft, N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Elliott and sons, Benge and Kenyon left Thursday morning for a visit in Merkle and San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs T. A. Painter and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Craddock in the Wilson community.

Mrs. Fletcher Conner returned from a visit in Snyder, Texas, Tuesday.

Ned Robertson who is employed in Hobbs, spent Monday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Anderson returned this week from a visit in Flagstaff, Arizona. They left immediately for Hobbs, New Mexico, where they are both employed.

Grover Jr. and Marjorie Ann Watkins, children of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Watkins underwent operations for the removal of their tonsils Wednesday morning. They are reported doing nicely.

Mrs. T. B. Fulkerson and daughter, Addie Ruth, has returned from a visit in New Mexico, Colorado and Wyoming.

Mrs. T. B. Fulkerson had as her guests this week, her mother, Mrs. J. W. Kay, and her brother Howard Kay of Los Angeles, California, and her sister, Mrs. S. E. Howe of Victoria, Texas.

Miss Reba Bucklew who has been employed as case worker for the Texas Relief Commission in Dawson and Howard counties, has been transferred to Terry county and will be stationed at Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burnside made a business trip to Lubbock last Wednesday.

Miss Martha Campbell of Alvarado, Texas, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. Q. Martin this week.

W. D. Arnett spent Monday in Lubbock on business.

Rev and Mrs. J. W. Braswell and Mrs. James Sumpter and daughter attended the Whitfield reunion at Dublin, Texas, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barrett and children of Plainview spent the week-end with Mr. Barrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barrett.

Mrs. S. B. Reed and daughters Ruth and Lahoma Louise, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Farley.

Miss Juanita Rhea returned to her home in Austin Sunday after a three weeks' visit with Mrs. Bogan Caldwell.

Mrs. J. F. McSpadden returned to her home in Corpus Christi after a three weeks' visit with Mrs. Bogan Cadlwell. Her little daughter, Theda B. remained for longer visit with her aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tacton and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ladd spent Sunday in Big Spring.

Mrs. Earnest Barrett underwent an operation for appendicitis at a local hospital last Wednesday. She was returned to her home Sunday where she is reported as doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilma Holder returned Friday night from Dallas where they attended the Texas Centennial.

W. B. Collins and W. H. Collins and Miss Thelma Riddle returned last Friday from St. Louis where they have been the past week, buying fall merchandise for Collins Department Store.

C. Baldwin, Caryol Baldwin, Mr. and Carrol Davis and Mr. Rodney Baldwin of Artesia, New Mexico, spent last week in Dallas, purchasing fall goods for the Baldwin store.

Mrs. Sherman and children of Hadley, Texas, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Baldwin this week.

Benge and Kenyon Elliott, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Elliott, had their tonsils removed last week. They are reportd as doing nicely.

Miss Mattie Phenix returned to Lamesa Sunday after a visit with her parents in Prosper, Texas.

Miss Sybil Mitchell returned Sunday from Dallas where she attended the Texas Centennial.

Judge and Mrs. Phillip Yonge left Sunday for Taos, New Mexico. Judge Yonge will return Wednesday and Mrs Yonge will ramein for a three weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Waffle spent the day in Lubbock on business.

Mr. and Mrs Harris Waffle will spend the week-end in Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gibson and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Austin, returned Sunday from Dallas and Fort Worth, where they attended the Texas Centennial and Fort Worth Frontier.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

The State of Texas,
County of Dawson.

Wheeras, by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the County Court of Dawson County, Texas, on the 28th day of July, A. D., 1936, wherein W. J. Smith is Plaintiff, and R. E. Wilkinson, is defendant, and Sam Park, W. D. Stelzer, F. E. Patterson and M. Hatch are sureties on appeal bond on a judgment rendered in said court against said Defendant and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the sum of One Hundred Sixty and 50-100th ($160.50) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, from date of judgment ,together with all cost of suit; I have levied upon and will on the 1st day of Sept., A. D. 1936, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. at the Court House door of said County, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of R. E. Wilkison in and to the following described property, levied upon, to-wit: E½ Lot 1 Blk 27 Original Town of Lamesa, Dawson County, Texas.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for $160.50 in favor of Plaintiff, together with all costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds to be applied to the satisfaction theerof.

Dated August 5th, 1936.

Gus White, Sheriff,
Dawson County, Texas.

(August 6, 13, 20, 1936)

John I. Dean, educational adviser of the local CCC camp made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Miss Anna Belle Allen of Lubbock spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie Allen.

Miss Coma Davis of San Angelo spent last week with Miss Willie Vaughn.

Mrs. W. C. McMurry underwent an operation in a Lubbock hospital last week.

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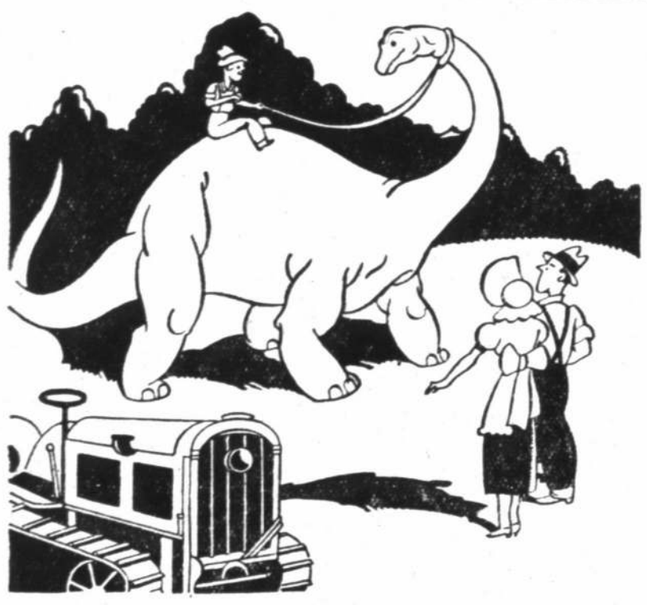
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SOCIETY

W. M. S. To Hold Meetings In Homes Of Members

The monthly business meeting and program was conducted by the Methodist Women's Missionary Society at the church Monday afternoon. The members voted to hold their meetings for the remainder of the summer in the homes. Mrs. W. K. Crawley will be hostess next Monday afternoon and each one is to bring a school girl lunch with them.

If you enjoy a good missionary lesson and one hour of social enjoyment, come and meet with them next Monday and bring your lunch.

Wednesday '42' Club Guests of Mrs. Gus White

Mrs. Gus White entertained twelve members of the Wednesday Forty-Two Club last Wednesday afternoon at her home on North Fourth Street.

The entertaining rooms were beautifully decorated with cut flowers. After the games, the hostess served delicious refreshments of sandwiches, cake and punch to the following: Mrs. A. M. Bennett, Mrs. A. E. Jacobs, Mrs. Walter Jones, Mrs. O. Lambeth, Mrs. A. N. Randal, Mrs. R. E. Simpson, Mrs. W. K. Crawley, Mrs. E. R. Tinsley, and Mrs. M. E. Boren.

The club will meet next week with Mrs. E. V. Wilkes.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Scott were hosts at a picnic supper and lawn party at their home Monday evening. Following the picnic lunch of fried chicken sandwiches, pickles, olives, potato chips and soda pop, the guests enjoyed games on the lighted lawn until a late hour.

Those enjoying the evening were: Mr. and Mrs Rupert Austin, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tarlton Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Scott.

McGee Home Is Shower Scene

Mrs. Ben Allen, who before her marriage three weeks ago, was Miss Polly Chilton, was honored Tuesday night with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Butler McGee at 506 South Wasson Street, with Miss Wilma McMurtrey and Miss Acie Dell Morton of Snyder as hostesses.

In a clever program during the social hour, Little Miss Johnnie Merle Smith rendered a violin solo, 'Mountain Waltz'. Miss Estelle Billingsley also gave an appropriate reading 'Mandy's Wedding.'

The gifts were presented Mrs. Allen in a treasure hunt and she expressed her appreciation in a few well chosen words.

The hostesses served a delicious ice course with silver wedding bells for favors, to about twenty-five guests.

Tuesday Bridge Met In Sypert Home

The Tuesday Bridge club held its weekly meeting with Mrs. J. P. Sypert this week. The home was decorated with cut flowers.

At the conclusion of the afternoon's game, Mrs. Elzie Burleson was awarded the gift for high score. Little sham prizes went to Mesdames Griffith and Burleson.

The hostess served a sandwich course to the following: Mesdames Frank Rose, Elzie Burleson, Tom Burnside, J. H. Harp, Jack Phinizy, M. Q. Martin, Truman Campbell, J. E. Garland, Guy Simpson, W. W. Griffith, Gilbert Watson.

Mrs. J. B. Fisher and son, Bobby, of Sierra Blanco returned to their home last week after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Simpson. Mrs. Fisher was honored at many social affairs while a guest of Mrs. Simpson.

Celebrates Ninth Birthday

Mrs. J. D. Wilson entertained a group of young folks at her home Tuesday in honor of her little nephew Bennie Burt Thigpen, who was nine years old on that day.

Mrs. Wilson baked a lovely birthday cake, decorated with nine candles, which was cut and served with fudgecycles to the guests.

Many nice gifts were received by the honoree. Games were played throughout the afternoon to entertain the following litle guests: Joyce Chilton, Billie Joyce Thurman, Bubbles Rising, Lugene Lawrence, Reece Crouch, Robert Kirk, Jimmie Rex Mitchell, Patsy Ruth Thigpen and Charles Rae Hamilton.

Mrs. Hardy Parker returned Monday from a visit with her husband in Sudan.

Dr. J. D. Burleson

and

Dr. V. L. Lawson

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Wednesday Sewing Club Meeting

Mrs. Raymond Bryant entertained the Wednesday Sewing Club at her home on South Austin Street.

Refreshments of congealed tuna salad, santines, pickles, cake and ice tea were served to the following ladies: Mesdames Bee Henry, Robert Beane, Emmett Busby, Al Richardson, Ervin Ray, Troy Gibson and the hostess' mother, Mrs. P. M. Ragsdale of McCamey.

Forrest Home Is Scene Of Lovely Lawn Party

One of the most enjoyable event of the summer social season was a lawn party given at the beautiful Forrest home south of Lamesa on the Stanton road, when Miss Mary Jo Forrest entertained a group of the younger set honoring Miss Ella Katherine Temple.

Forty-three Lamesa young people were included in the guest list.

Mrs. J. L. Morris, in her usual charming manner, had charge of the entertainment and the evening was one of enjoyment, without a lull for those in attendance.

At a late hour a delicious ice course was served to the guests.

Miss Temple, the honoree, formerly was a resident of the Bartlett community, but has been attending school in Lubbock the past three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beane and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Busby spent Sunday in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bryant have returned home after visiting in Breckenridge, Abilene, Christoval, McCamey and the Centennial in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Ragsdale have returned to Lamesa to make their home.

Miss Acie Dell Morton of Snyder is visiting her uncle and aunt Dr. and Mrs. Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and Miss Belle Jones were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie Allen, Sunday. They were enroute to their home in Abilene after a tour of nine states.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Steele returned home Sunday from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. L. E. Standifer, in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moreland and son left Tuesday for a ten days vacation in East Texas.

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HANCOCK

There were 48 present at Sunday school but a larger number were present for the eleven o'clock services, which were held by Robert Smith.

Wednesday night prayer services will be started with Brother Ralph Ranson leading the services.

It is planned to have a daily vacation Bible school for the children in the afternoon during the Baptist revival which begins the 21st day of August.

Miss Billie Jo Cowan, sister of Mrs. Ben Dopson has been seriously ill with inflammatory rheumatism for the past month but is improving at the time of this writing.

Harvey and Elizabeth Rials drove their father over to Midland this week for a visit with relatives.

Herman Buckhannan, Willie Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Weaver and baby visited relatives at Trent in Taylor county over the week-end. They were accompanied home by Mr. Weaver's nephew, L. C. Higginbotham.

Hubert Beckham of Trent is visiting his brother and family, W. J. Beckham.

The community sympathizes with Mrs. Charlie Robert over the loss of her father.

Mrs Jack Meares' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer and children and sister and husband of Lamesa, have returned from visiting her.

Visitors in the S. B. Hodge home over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Fallwell, Mrs. C. F. Phillips and children Herman and Unabel, and Mrs. Loucelle Williams, all of Tuscola. Miss Unabel Phillips plans to remain for a month.

WEAVER

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Buckalew had as guests recently, her mother, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Pinkney Fuller and children, Mrs. Dave Womack and daughter, Mrs. Lucy Berry and daughter, and Miss Mildred Pounds, all of Cuthbert, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Madry of Lamesa, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hudson spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Coon of Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wilson and Mrs. Bohannon visited relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Daugherty of Big Spring Friday.

Ed and Bernie Williams and families of Sparenberg, visited their sister, Mrs. F. L. Buckalew, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Means of Lamesa visited in the H. G. Tolbert home Sunday.

Mrs. Jamison of Lamesa, visited her daughter, Mrs. Fay Beckham last week.

Mrs. Cates was on the sick list last week.

Miss Inez McClenty a former Weaver teacher, spent Friday night with Mrs. F. L. Buckalew. Miss McClenty is now teaching in the Slaton school.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wilson spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Mack Nelson of Lamesa.

MT. OLIVE

The revival meeting started Sunday with a good attendance. It will continue a week. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Atterbury and family attended the Atterbury family reunion in Abilene last week.

Miss Rae Dunn spent seevral days last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Burkett of Lamesa.

Mr .and Mrs. Graydon Herndon of Midway, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bartlett of Key, and Ernestine Nix spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Bartlett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O .K. Shillingburg and sons spent Sunday in the Trice home at Sparenberg. Mrs. Trice is seriously ill.

Ernest Adcock is in Cleburne on business this week.

Ralph Callaway of Lamesa spent Sunday with J. D. Nix.

Mrs. T. W. Roberson of Hereford, Mrs. Gearhart and Miss Lillie Stovall of Lamesa visited Mrs. Lester Parsons and family Wednesday.

Milton Buchanan spent Saturday night and Sunday with Maurice Brown of Patricia.

FLOWER GROVE

A real large crowd attended both Sunday school and prayer meeting. Mr. Vernon Buckner, a singing teacher from Waxahachie lead the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. oe Wood of Levelland, spent the week-end in the home of M. E. Dyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Westbrook of Toler are visiting in the home of R. P. Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mayfield of Lamesa spent Sunday in the home of R. P. Mayfield.

Melvin Brown spent the week in Colorado, visiting his aunt, Mrs. Anderson.

O'Neal King of Lamesa, spent the week-end in the home of M. E. Dyer Jr.

Mr. Putnam and Vernon Buckner of Waxahachie spent Sunday in the home of A. F. Bearden.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Bearden spent Sunday evening in the home of Mr. George Bearden of Wilson.

There will be a singing school at our school house starting the 3rd of this month. All are invited to attend.

Mrs. M. T. Mitchell spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Glen Lillard of Brown community.

There will be a quilting party the 21st in the home of Miss Cleta Faye Oaks. All are invited to come and help.

George Bearden of Wilson was visiting in our community Sunday night.

Mrs. Albert Foster and children are spending the month visiting relatives in Oklahoma.

The Baptist meeting starts the 8th. Everyone is invited to attend the services. Bro. Webb of Five Mile will preach.

S. J. R. NO. 18
A JOINT RESOUTLION

Proposing an Amendment to Section 48, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, authorizing the establishment of Teachers' Retirement Systems, and making an appropriation for the election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto immediately after Section 48, a section to be known as Section 48a, and to read as follows:

"Section 48a: In addition to the powers given to the Legislature, under Section 48 of Article III, it shall have the right to levy taxes to provide a Retirement Fund for persons employed in public schools, colleges and universities, supported wholly or partly by the State; provided that the amount contributed by the State to such Retirement Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time five per centum of the compensation paid to each such person by the State, and -or school districts, and shall in no one year exceed the sum of One Hundred Eighty ($180.00) Dollars for any such person; provided no person shall be eligible for a pension under this Amendment who has not taught twenty years in the State of Texas, but shall be entitled to a refund for the moneys paid into the fund.

All funds provided from the compensation of said persons, or by the State of Texas, for such Retirement Funds, as are received by the Treasury of the State of Texas, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas, or counties or cities of this State, or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States Government, the payment of the principal of and interest on which is guaranteed by the United States; provided that a sufficient amount of said funds shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the Amounts that may become due each year under such retirement plan as may be provided by law; and provided that the recipients of such retirement fund shall not be eligible for any other pension retirement funds or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless such retirement fund, contributed by the State, is released to the State of Texas as a condition to receiving such other pension aid."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next General Election to be held on Tuesday, after the first Monday in November, which is November 3rd, 1936, at which election all voters favoring said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution authorizing retirement and the creation of a retirement fund for persons employed in public schools and colleges and universities supported wholly or partly by the state."

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution authorizing retirement and the creation of a retirement fund for persons employed in public schools and in colleges and universities supported wholly or partly by the State."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary Proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand ($5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expense of such publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

R. B. Stanford,
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SPARENBERG

Mrs. Trice is ill in a Lamesa hospital. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Paul Schatschaula and family of Giddings were visitors in the Albert Richter home, the past week.

Mrs. D. Freeman and daughter Nena Joe spent Wednesday with relatives in Wison.

Blewer Franks and family of San Antonio visited his brother Jess Franks and family last week.

Senor Bradford from Lubbock spent the week-end with his parents.

L. E. Jones and family are spending this week in Coleman.

Both gins in this community are being repaired in anticipation of a busy season.

W. A. Davis left Wednesday for a visit in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eakins left Thursday for a two weeks vacation in Balmorrhea.

N. B. Crane of Lamesa spent Saturday here visiting relatives and friends.

Leo Skinner of the CCC of Lamesa spent the week-end here with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reithmayer and children are here from Longview visiting his parents and other relativs.

The Sparenberg school will start August 24. We hope that every one is ready to start then. Adolph Monthey will be the bus driver.

J. L. Franks spent Sunday at Key.

Mr. Burdine and family left Thursday for a two weeks' visit in East Texas. They will visit the Centennial before returning home.

Mrs. Flatche attended the funeral of her brother in Oklahoma last week.

Mrs. Porterfield of Lubbock is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mauld.

Several from here attended the McNew reunion at Knott last Thursday.

Mrs. J. F. Houghton of Fisher county, Mr. and Mrs. Green and daughter of Stanton, are visiting in the Green home this week.

Jack Crow is spending the week in Coleman county visiting relatives.

Leland Payne of Hobbs, N. Mex., visited his parents Sunday.

Misses Tommie and Mary Helen Bradford of Lamesa spent the week-end here with friends.

Mrs. Burchell of Knott visited her daughter, Mrs. Airhart, Friday and Saturday.

Several from here attended the revival meeting in Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Parchman and children spent Sunday in the home of Roy Hunt and family of Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Airhart and son spent the week-end with relatives in Knott.

WOODY

Sunday school and church had a good attendance here Sunday.

Sunday school at the Baptist church will begin prompty at nine thirty next Sunday so we can finish in time to attend the revival meeting at the church of Christ.

Several from here attended the singing at O'Donnell Sunday.

Our singing class met at the school house Sunday for practice.

Mrs. Pat Boatright is ill at this writing.

Buford and Eltis W. Cox of Haskell spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Adcock.

Little Misses Evelyn and Helen Preston of Carlsbad, New Mexico are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Preston.

Mr. McMullins is improving after a lingering illness.

Mrs. J P. Trimmer and son, Edwin, and Mr. Henry Crump and son of Haskell visited Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Adcock and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rushing Thursday and Friday.

A group of the ladies and girls of this community enjoyed a picnic at the Mullins ranch Saturday night.

Carl Foster is ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Green of Ballard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Green.

SHUMAKE

The meeting that Brother Roy Kemp has been holding closed Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed and son, O. D., and Miss Lois Ruth Wright of Lamesa spent Sunday in the Marian Whitmore home.

We are very sorry to report that Mr. and Mrs. Dale Sutton's baby has been ill this week.

W. H. Lauderdale of this community, passed away Tuesday morning, August 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Porch of Soash spent Sunday in this community with Mrs .Porchs mother'.

Arthur Little of California, spent the week-end in this community.

KEY

Rev. Elmer Franks of San Antonio filled his regular appointment here Sunday night. A large crowd heard his sermon Sunday.

Our meeting with Rev. Leroy Smith doing the preaching will start Friday night, August 7th. Everyone come.

Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Franks and children of San Antonio visited his sister, Mrs. S. C. Shipley and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Blackmon of Lovington, New Mexico, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Southard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Osburn and family visited relatives in Lubbock Sunday. Reuben Osburn remained in Lubbock to attend the Stamps-Baxter singing school.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Shipley and family and Rev. and Mrs. S. C. Shipley visited relatives in Oklahoma last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Shipp and son of Los Angeles, California, are visiting relatives in the community.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pierce and Miss Elizabeth Duff returned Friday night from Dallas where they bought fall merchandise for Pierce's Toggery. They were accompanied home by Mr. Pierce's sister, Mrs. Mollie Medlin.

Miss Elizabeth Duff of Hobart Oklahoma, has accepted a position as sales lady at Pierce's Toggery.

Miss Ruth Lee and R. A. Stuart left Sunday for a visit with relatives in Vernon. They were accompanid by Ralph Stuart.

Vernon Smith spent the week-end with home folks in Lubbock.

A. J. McDaniel and Donald Williams are vacationing in Junction this week.

Mrs. Frank Roberson and Miss Ben Brown of Cleburne are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Goen and Miss Leva Cason this week.

Mrs. L. C Tidwell and son, Roy Mac are visiting relatives in Tolar, Texas, this week.

Misses Billie Cope and Billie Bogard visited friends in Big Springe Friday.

S. J. R. No. 3-a
A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an Amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas by striking out Section 20 thereof; providing for local option on the question of the sale of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes; providing, that spirituous liquors, or liquors composed in whole or in part of the products of distillation shall not be sold for private profit, except to the State; providing that the Legislature shall pass laws relative to the sale, possession, transportation and manufacture of such spirituous liquors; providing for the establishment of State dispensaries; providing for the manufacture, sale, transportation, and possession of all liquors which are exclusively products of the fermentation process; providing that intoxicating liquors shall not be manufactured, sold, bartered, or exchanged for beverage purposes in an ycounty or political subdivision wherein the sale of intoxicating liquors had been prohibited by local option elections held under the laws in force at the time of the taking effect of Section 20, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, until a majority of the qualerage purposes in any county or political subdivision shall determine such to be lawful at an election held for that purpose; providing for an election on the question of the adoption or rejection of such amendment and making an appropriation therefor; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof; and prescribing the form of ballot.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by striking out Section 20 thereof and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Article XVI. Section 20:

(a) It is hereby declared to be the policy of this state that the open saloon shall not be re-established. The sale of spirituous liquors, manufactured in whole or in part by means of the process of distillation and or liquors compounded and or composed in part of such spirituous distilled liquors, for private profit, is prohibited within this State except when such sale is made to the State. The State of Texas shall have the exclusive right to purchase at wholesale and to sell at retail such distilled spirituous liquors. Such sale shall be made only in unbroken packages and no such liquors shall be consumed on the premises where sold. The Legislature shall pass laws to prescribe regulations relative to the manufacture, sale, transportation, and possession of such spirituous liquors and relative to the establishment of State dispensaries; provided, however, the Legislature shall have the power to regulate the sale for private profit and possession of distilled liquors for medicinal, scientific and mechanical purposes.

"The manufacture, sale, transportation, and possession of all liquors, the alcoholic content of which is entirely and exclusively the result of the fermentation process is hereby authorized under such restrictions as may be authorized by law.

"(b) The Legislature shall enact a law or laws whereby the qualified voters of any county, justice's precinct or incorporated town or city, may, by a majority vote of those voting, determine from time to time whether the sale of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes shall be prohibited or legalized within the prescribed limits; and such laws shall contain provisions for voting on the sale of intoxicating liquors or various types and various alcoholic content.

"(c) In all counties, justice's precincts or incorporated towns or cities wherein the sale of intoxicating liquors had been prohibited by local option elections held under the laws of the State of Texas and in force at the time of the taking effect of Section 20, Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, it shall continue to be unlawful to manufacture, sell, barter or exchange in any such county, justice's precinct or incorporated town or city, any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication or any other intoxicants whatsoever, for beverage purposes, unless and until a majority of the qualified voters in such county or political subdivision thereof voting in an election held for such purpose shall determine such to be lawful; provided that this subsection shall not prohibit the sale of alcoholic beverages containing not more than 3.2 per cent alcohol by weight in cities, counties and political subdivisions, thereof in which the qualified voters have voted to legalize such sale under the provisions of Chapter 116, Acts of the Regular Session of the 43rd Legislature."

Section 2. Such proposed Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a special election to be held throughout the State of Texas, on the third day of November, 1936, at which election all voters favoring said proposed Amendment, shall write, or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the State Constitution providing for the establishment of a state dispensary system having the exclusive sale of distilled liquors, and providing for local option."

And those voters opposed to said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment to the State Constitution providing for the establishment of a state dispensary system having the exclusive sale of distilled liquors, and providing for local option."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for such election, and shall have the same published and such election held as provided by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Eight Thousand ($8,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for the expenses of said publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

R. B. Stanford,
Secretary of State

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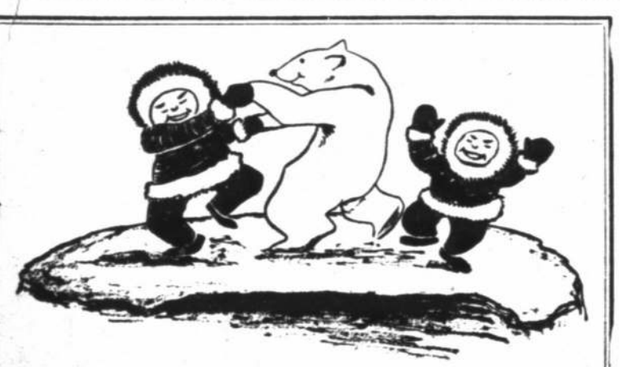
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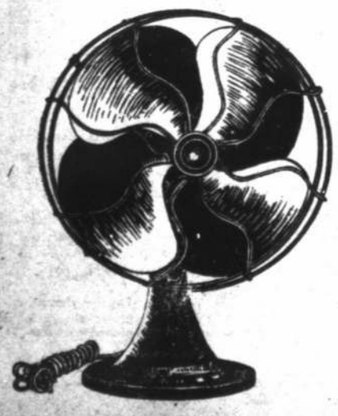
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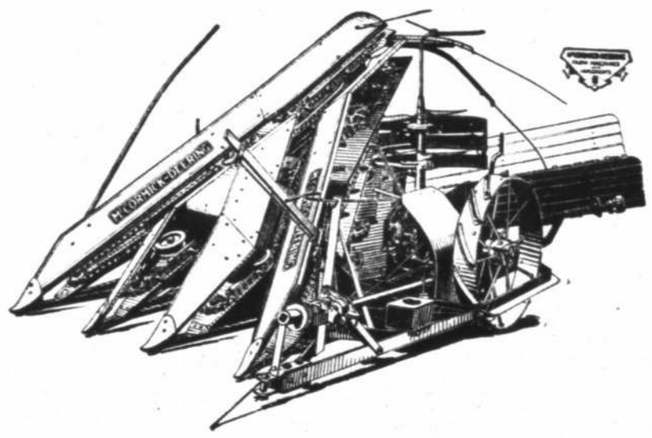
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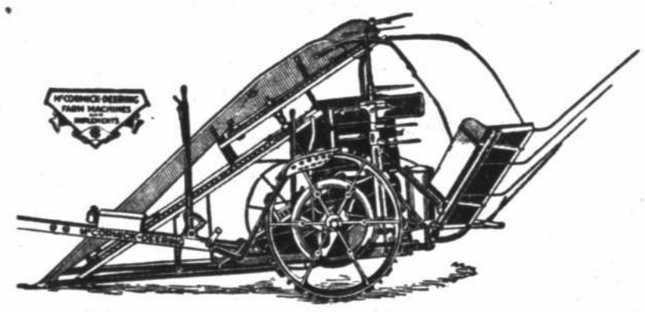
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By R. C. Dial, Cir. Mgr.

We had the pleasure of spending last week with Rev. J. G. Walker in the Munger community where we found the same big hearted and cordial welcome in the homes visited which is characteristic of Dawson county. No one can feel like a stranger among the people composing this community, nor can anyone fail to desire to go back where the latch string seems to hang on the outside of each home.

Crops are fine and in the main in good condition. The last rain was light but plenty the farmers seem to think and the only thing that will prevent a bumper crop will be a calamity. At each farm visited the hen, cow and hog were in evidence. So the writer feasted on the fat of the land.

There is a splendid brick school building at Munger and the people seem to have a keen interest in educating the youth, and three religious denominations, Baptist, Church of Christ and Methodist have organizations worshiping in the school house and there is beautiful harmony and co-operation among them.

The Dawson County Courier is to be found in most homes and is recognized as good as the best county papers. The Semi-Weekly Farm News is very popular also and is in a great many homes.

You can tell the world that meeting the fine folks in these communities makes us want to pitch our tent among them. More anon.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to take this method of expressing our thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their deeds of kindness and words of sympathy expressed during our sorrow at the recent illness and death of our husband and father, W. H. Lauderdale. Also we appreciate the beautiful floral offerings received.

Mrs. W. H. Lauderdale,
Miss Mattie Lauderdale,
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lauderdale,
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pierce,
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Lauderdale,
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Guinn,
Mr. and Mrs. Vesper Love,
Mr. and Mrs. E. Lauderdale,
Mr. and Mrs. Olin Friday.

Mrs. Bob Brown of the Five Mile comunity was admitted to a local hospital last Thursday to receive medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler McGee left Monday to visit relatives in Cross Plains. They will attend the Centennial before returning home.

R. DECK DAVIS DISCUSSES ISSUES OF CAMPAIGN

To the Voters:

As there is some misunderstanding in regards to my charges for weighing, I wish to make this statement. With the improvement of roads, and the building of bigger, better and longer trucks to haul the farmer's produce, it became necessary to install larger and longer scales. This I did. These scales are very expensive, but I took it as my responsibility to install them so that you might receive accurate weights on all size loads. You now have scales that will weigh accurately the smallest or largest of trucks. It doesn't take long for these large trucks to move the entire crop of the county, and it only seems fair and just that these trucks pay more for weighing than the average farmer load, as they made it necessary for this additional expense. My charges are still ten cents for the average load, up to four thousand pounds. 15 cents 4 to 6 thousand; 20 cents 6 to 8 thousands and 25 cents for loads over 8 thousands, regardless of size, which makes an average of 5 cents per ton, or less than half what it cost you a short time ago when everything was hauled in with wagons and teams. If anyone has paid differently to this, it was without my knowledge or approval.

I believe the farmer is willing to pay a fair price for accurate and efficient service. If I were to charge the wagon loads and the large trucks the same price, 10 cents, I would not be able to pay my office expenses and make the payments on my scales, and pay my help. Therefore, I could not give you the service you have a right to expect. So I will make no promise that experience teaches me I cannot keep. I appreciate the honor of being your weigher and I will always appreciate what you have done for me and my family, and wish to assure you that I hold my responsibility to them and to you of the utmost importance. My duty in each instance is sacred in my heart and I believe an investigation on your part of the duties of the office and the charges therefor willshow you that my actions are consistent with this statement.

One other thing I wish to say, I am running for a third term in office but let me call your attention to the fact that 2 of the 3½ years I have held office the county has made crop failures because of the drouths. The office pays no salary, just fees. Weighing it in this light, I do not believe you will hold the name of two terms against me. This is my answer to the two issues of the race. I trust you will investigate carefully and on the basis of your findings, I solicit your vote.

Again thanking you forall past favors and trusting you may see your way clear to return me to this office, I am, yours truly,

R. Deck Davis/

Texas Dental Health Program Planned

Austin, Texas—Mouth care is an integral part of the nation wide public health program and the dentists of America are keenly aware that strong teeth of the citizens of tomorrow are dependent upon health education of today, Dr. Edward Taylor, director of the dental health division of the State Department of Health said recently upon his return from San Francisco where he was among ten thousand dentists from Canada, Mexico, and the United States attending the annual meeting of the American Dental association.

Dr. Taylor heads a division of the Texas Health Department that was established in March and he has formulated a program to be launched at the beginning of the school year.

"We are beginning our work in Texas at an opportune time," Dr. Taylor said, "for there is universal recognition just now that no public health program is well balanced that does not include dentistry. Strong emphasis was placed by the association president. Dr. George W. Winters, on dental education in his address and it was urged that more attention be paid to dentistry for children, a field which has been neglected in the past."

Plans for a dental health program in Texas contemplate work in the public schools and free examination of the mouths of school children.

"It will be our aim," Dr. Taylor said, "to give every school child in Texas a reasonable knowledge of the part a healthy mouth plays in the growth, advancement, and general health of the individual. We will encourage early correction of whatever mouth defects are found. The Texas school survey likewise will include children who will enter school next year. Along with our school program will go a plan of education for the general public through the use of newspapers, radios, motion pictures, and public addresses. We bespeak the co-operation of the public in this work."

Texas Relief Offices Will Be Opened

Texas Relief Commission offices will be open in the various counties by August 1 to receive application of persons desiring to be considered for Works Progress Administration jobs, Adam R. Johnson, director of the Texas Relief Commission has announced.

Upon the request of Works Progress Administration officials, the Texas Relief Commission has agreed to undertake the task of determining the need of persons who apply for WPA employment, Johnson said. Expense of this service will be paid from Federal funds.

In addition to performing this service for WPA, the Texas Relief Commission will continue to sponsor surplus commodity distribution contingent upon the continued cooperation of counties in employing approved case workers, it was explained. Applications for WPA employment or for surplus commodities will be filed and cleared through the same office.

Eligibility for WPA employment or for receipt of surplus commodities is determined upon a basis of need, it was explained. Although it is no longer required that a job applicant be a former relief client, present need must be definitely established.

Officials pointed out that certification to WPA does not necessarily mean a job is awaiting the person certified as the quota assigned to Texas will permit the absorption of only a portion of those referred to WPA offices. Unless this surplus is absorbed by private industry in the various localities of the state, these persons must remain jobless, he declared.

Miss Myrtis Wright and sister, Miss Theima Wright of Lubbock will leave the last of the week to attend the Centennial central exposition in Dallas.

Mrs. W. H. Bennet and son, Henry Marshall, left last Thursday for Falfurrias, Texas, to visit relatives. They will be accompanied home by Mrs. Bennett's daughters who have been visiting their grandparents there for the past few weeks.

Clyde Bucklew has returned from an extended visit in Los Angeles, Hollywood and San Diego, California.

Clifford Ray of Waco spent the week end with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ray of the Ballard community. His son, Dewey, returned home with him after spending the summer here.

Mrs. V. B. Kidd had as her guest her brother-in-law, Mr. Will Gregory and children, Truman and Truitt; Mr. and Mrs. Wright Emfinger and son, Bobby, of Ranger. She had not seen them in over 14 years.

D. L. Ham of the Wilson community visited his daughter, Mrs. O. D. Barnes in Ballard, Sunday. The two little girls, Alto Faye and Tootsie are spending this week with their sister.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Krohn of Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Singleton and two sons of Lamesa, visited Mrs. V. B. Kidd of Ballard, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Marr returned Monday afternoon from Dallas where they attended the Texas Centennial.

Mrs. Earnest Wood and children visited relatives in San Angelo this week.

