

SCHOOL TO OPEN MONDAY, SEPT. 8; REGISTRATION TO BEGIN AT 9:00 A. M.

Supt. Brummett this morning stated the three vacancies on the teaching staff have been filled and everything is in readiness now for the opening of school next Monday morning. Mr. Beard from Sidney will teach science; Miss Dorothy Forrest of De Kalb, Tex., will head the commercial department and Mrs. Mack Underwood will teach in the grammar school. Mr. Brummett is well pleased with his teaching staff which now numbers nineteen. There is also a chance of adding vocational agriculture which this section sorely needs. This marks Mr. Brummett's seventh year in Gorman and the school system has grown each year under his splendid leadership.

Monday at 9 a. m. registration will begin and assignments made. Five buses will bring in the pupils outside the city and those transferred from adjoining communities. Those who will drive the buses are: R. W. Campbell, Willow Branch; Troy Johnson, Leon; Jack Bice, Grandview; Edgar Bowles, Lone Star; Mr. Beard, New Hope and Elm. Mr. Brummett states another bus will be bought and will be in operation soon.

MRS. BENNETT UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. Tom Bennett is improving now following the removal of a tumor on the brain in a Dallas hospital. Mr. Bennett and Aubrey returned Sunday night, while her daughter, Mrs. Bacil Eliff, and Mrs. Morgan Bennett remained with her. The specialist said she would be able to return in another week, barring complications.

Eusa Lindley Returns To Texarkana

Eusa Lindley spent Sunday and Monday with her family returning Monday to Texarkana where she was transferred to Lone Star Ordnance Plant. She is assistant to the Lead of the Invoice Division of the Chief Project Auditor. Eusa comes and efficient worker wherever she is employed, and her friends are glad of the nice promotion she has received.

STRONTIUM DEPOSITS LARGE

SWEETWATER, Texas — This West Texas town has gained importance because of its deposits of strontium, a mineral essential to national defense. Approximately 600 tons of strontium were taken from the Sweetwater area last year. The mineral is used to make red signal flares.

Don Moorman of Tyler spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Dona Moorman.

The Progress
Invites

Saturday Only
Mrs. W. J. Hines and one
To See
DOUBLE FEATURE

Sunday - Monday
W. V. Hurst and one
To See
BUCK PRIVATES

Tuesday Only
W. L. Trimble and one
To See
COUNTY FAIR

Thursday - Friday
Dr. T. G. Jackson and one
To See
BLOSSOMS IN THE DUST

AT THE
New Deal Theatre
Comfortable and Entertaining
CLIP THIS ADVERTISEMENT
It will be your admission ticket

To Continue As Piano Instructor

Mrs. H. B. Thompson will continue her work as a piano instructor, and her friends are rejoicing that her health will permit her to have a class this year. Fortunate are the youngsters who have studied under her guidance—fortunate also are those who will begin the study of music for the first time this fall.

Mr. Thomson, as most of us know, is thoroughly qualified to teach not only the beginner but those who are ready for advanced work as well. She was chosen by a music committee from one of our larger cities to membership on the National Guild of Music Teachers in 1934. Each year she has had one or more pupils to compete in the district and state tournaments, among them being: L. V. Brown, Harold Mehaffey, Macie Joe Hyatt, Frances Stubblefield, Jimmy Mehaffey, Peggy Dixon, Billy Joe Mathis, Earlene Moorman, Bobbie Jean Lane and others. These received their certificates of merit in Abilene where the district tournaments were held.

Lucke Reunion

A big dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lucke in honor of Mrs. Joseph Lucke's 70th birthday, which will be Sept. 8th. Six of her eight children were present. They are as follows: Mrs. E. L. Womack, her son, Oliver, wife and baby of Anson; Oscar Lucke and family of Gorman; Mrs. T. T. Wilkinson and two of her daughters of Hawley; Alfred Lucke and family of Stephenville; Alvin Lucke and family of Abilene; Mrs. J. W. Yowell and family of El Paso; A grandson, J. O. Barker, who is employed at Gorman, and a friend, Jaycelene Myers, of Austin. Two of the children, Mrs. J. O. Barker of Gatesville, and Max Lucke, of El Paso, were unable to attend. James Womack and family of De Leon and Buster and Wade Russell of Gorman visited in the afternoon.

Home On 10-Day Leave

J. W. Virden, stationed at Pensacola, Florida, arrived Saturday to spend a few days with his parents. J. W. is studying pharmacy and is in the Naval Reserves Division. He expects to leave tomorrow.

RETURNS FROM CAMP

Dr. and Mrs. Stubblefield were in Abilene Sunday to meet Frances who had spent the past two weeks at the Methodist Camp at Sequoia, Arkansas.

Home Recital and Party

The piano pupils of Mrs. Hudson Collins presented their program in her home Friday evening. Each pupil was awarded a gift according to the work accomplished this past summer. Games were played by the parents and pupils after the program, then cake and punch were served. It was an enjoyable evening for all.

Dick Ormsby is resting at his home today after receiving medical treatment for cuts about the ear and a possible slight concussion. He received the injury in a fall at the skating rink when he was tripped by another skater.

Mrs. Clara Howard of De Leon was a pleasant caller at the Progress office Thursday. Mrs. Howard is one of the teachers of the Indian Mountain school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Parr and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Blair have as their guests Mrs. Ida Longley of Mineral Wells and Wolfe City who is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Parr.

J. C. Caraway Dies Of Heart Attack

John C. Caraway, well known farmer of this section, died Aug. 28, at 5 p. m. He was born on Jan. 15, 1869 in Coryell county, being past seventy years of age. His death was attributed to a heart attack.

He was a faithful member of the Primitive Baptist church of which he had long been a member. Burial was at Pecan Grove in Erath county.

Surviving are his widow and nine children who are: Marshall, of Comanche; Mrs. Ella Craddock, Post City; Bill and J. C., Jr., Gorman; Mrs. Lora Graham and Ernest, Eastland; Mrs. Emma Overstreet, Cal. Earl, Comanche, and a daughter whose name we failed to obtain. His mother, Mrs. Martha Caraway of Dublin, survives him also.

Dove Season To Open Sept. 16 Close Oct. 27

According to an announcement made today by Game Warden Ethridge the dove season in this district will officially open Tuesday, September 16, and will continue for forty-two days or through Monday, October 27.

This year's possession limit will be only 12 birds at any one time. These may be killed in any one day, but any accumulation of birds to the excess of 12 at any time regardless of when they were killed, the possessor is subject to prosecution and fine.

As it was last year all guns must be plugged to three shells and this must be a permanent job. And another thing the game warden stressed is that each hunter have in his possession at all times his hunting license, if he should be hunting outside the county in which he resides.

From reports of various sections of the county there are plenty of doves this year, and they should be in good condition, as there has been plenty for them to eat.

CHURCH SCHOOL HELD HERE TUESDAY

A well-attended Church School was held at the Methodist church Tuesday with a good representation of Sunday School teachers and workers present from over the district. The ladies of the Missionary Society served lunch to more than eighty attendants.

HULL PLASTICS NOW USED COMMERCIALY

Memphis, Tenn.—Increased commercial use of cottonseed hull plastics was seen today by the National Cotton Council as an ever-broadening outlet for hulls which at present find their chief use as feedstuff for cattle and livestock. The new plastic, developed at the University of Tennessee laboratories, is light in weight, hard, a non-conductor of electricity, and does not crack easily. It can be used for the board, fountain pens, ash trays, electric appliances, parts of machinery, radio cabinets and other articles.

Director John Leahy of the University experiment work reports that the latest commercial use of the product is in the cotton ginning industry. He states that a large number of cottonseed plastic sheaves are already in use in the cotton textile industry. During the current national emergency it is expected that cottonseed plastic sheaves will be used instead of aluminum in many industries.

Mary Dell Stewart has returned from Houston and other south Texas points where she visited Marie Koonce and other friends.

Arthur King of Austin was here to visit his mother, Mrs. W. R. King, and his sister, Mrs. Ethel Bettis, last week.

McDonald Says Cotton Should Bring 22 Cents

AUSTIN—"Farmers should not sell a pound of cotton for less than 22c per pound, nor a ton of cottonseed for less than \$60 per ton," declared State Commissioner of Agriculture, J. E. McDonald in a statement to Texas farmers recently.

"Because climatic conditions have been unfavorable, there has been the greatest insect infestation in the history of cotton growing, with the result that the 1941 crop has been produced at a tremendous cost," the Commissioner pointed out.

"The present U. S. cotton crop," he said, "will not exceed 9,500,000 bales, which is around 300,000 bales less than the past year's domestic consumption."

"Under the law, not more than 300,000 bales of U. S. cotton stocks can be sold in any one month nor more than a total of 1,500,000 bales for one year; therefore, the total available supply of American cotton for the present year will be only 11,000,000 bales."

"Domestic consumption, plus cotton needed for Lease-Lend, will approximate 11,000,000 bales, which gives cotton the strongest statistical position since 1923," emphasized McDonald.

"The average price of cotton, 7-8 middling for the ten-year period, 1920-29 inclusive, was \$20.31 per 100 pounds, at which time the price of things the farmers buy was lower than at present."

Barkers' Join Up To Help Britian

"Barkers for Britian," American canine organization formed to further the cause of aid to British through the sale of tags, now numbers more than 25,000 members. Its president, Falla, President Roosevelt's pet Scottish terrier, has designated the most recent State Chairman, Budget, the prize German boxer of Gov. Herbert H. Lehman of New York.

Budget's certificate of office, properly attested with seal and paw-print by Falla, was "given under my print at the White House, Washington, D. C., this fifteenth day of July" and was accepted by Budget and his master in front of the Executive Mansion, Albany.

Other famous dogs throughout the nation have rallied to the organization.

LODGE MEETING TUESDAY

Regular stated meeting of Gorman Lodge No. 716 AF & AM will be held Tuesday night, Sept. 9. All members are urged to be present.

B. F. Pendarvis, Sec'y

Football Team Starts Practice

The Gorman Panthers had their first workout Monday of this week with some 17 boys reporting to Coach Hicks to receive uniforms. Among this group were six lettermen, with four more to report as soon as school starts.

The lettermen returning this year are: Captain Edward Clark, Co-captain T. A. Brown, Dude Underwood, Toke Ormsby, James Jobe, James Isbell, A. G. Crosby, Odell Harrison, Bruce Hurst and Ray Neal Baze. These ten boys with several promising squadmen and freshmen are expected to give Gorman the best team they have had in several years. We don't expect them to win the district, but we do think they will win more games than they lose in district play.

They play their first game Friday, Sept. 12, at Ranger with the Bulldogs. Ranger is in Class AA, but the game promises to be a good test for both teams. It will give some of the boys the experience they will need before they have their first conference tilt on October 3rd. This game will be with Dublin on the new local field.

The bleachers will not be up for this season, but the lighting system is assured and we are looking forward to a good football season for the Gorman Panthers.

Grand Jury For 88th Court Was Convened Wed.

Judge B. W. Patterson of the 88th district court convened the grand jury for the September term of his court Wednesday morning. The grand jury personnel is as follows:

Lee Dockery, Ranger, foreman; Ira L. Swift, Rising Star; H. H. Harrelson Nimrod; James P. McCracken, Cisco; H. C. Abernathy, Gorman; Carl Johnson, Cisco; M. R. Snoddy, Scranton; W. M. Medford, Carbon; W. L. Yeager, Cisco, Rt. 1, and R. A. Brown, Desdemona.

MEETING OF PEANUT THRESHERMEN TO BE HELD

There will be a meeting of the peanut threshermen held at the Courthouse in Eastland at 10:00 A. M. Friday, Sept. 12th, for the purpose of receiving instructions on the threshing of peanuts under the new marketing quota regulations.

Every thresherman who expects to thresh peanuts this season is urged to attend this meeting.

Enters Draughon's

Dorothy Milam left for Dallas Saturday where she entered Draughon's Business School.

NEW DEAL THEATRE TO CELEBRATE 7th ANNIVERSARY WITH FREE SHOW

Air Warning Stations Set In The County

Airplane warning stations at 18 points in Eastland county have been set up by County Judge W. S. Adamson, as a part of the set-up for home defense. The county has been divided into zones, with several of the airplane warning stations in each zone.

As outlined to members of the aircraft warning service in the county, stations have been designated at the following places.

Ranger, Eastland, Cisco, north of Lake Cisco northwest of Eastland, west of Ranger, Scranton, south of Cisco, Carbon, north of Rising Star, northwest of Okra, east of Carbon, Pioneer, Gorman, Romney, Desdemona, northwest of Desdemona and at Rattlesnake Mountain, which is in the eastern part of the county, north of Desdemona and southwest of Ranger.

Farmers Urged To Plant More Winter Cover Crops

College Station, Aug.—Texas farmers are being urged in the name of national defense to plant more winter cover crops as a means of increasing production of needed foods for America and the embattled democracies.

Meeting in College Station on the request of Secretary of Agriculture, Claude R. Wickard, the Texas USDA Defense Board studied a threatened shortage of winter legume seed and recommended increased plantings of both winter legumes and non-leguminous cover crops.

"Protection of our soil is more important than ever during the defense emergency," B. F. Vance, chairman of the board, told board members representing all USDA agencies in the state. "Food is vital to our national defense, and increased production of the necessary foods to a great extent depends on increased productivity of the soil."

Winter cover crops, it was pointed out, prevent leaching and erosion of the soil and add to its fertility. Most widely-used legume cover crops in Texas are vetch, Austrian winterpeas, and various clovers. Non-leguminous cover crops in the state include oats, barley, rye, and sudan grass.

Texas farmers this year ordered nearly a million pounds of winter legume seed through the AAA's conservation materials program. Vance told the board, and already have received 60 percent of their order. A delay in shipment of the rest of the order will seriously curtail the planting of winter legumes in the state and will result in serious damage to the state's soil, he declared.

It was explained to the board that most of the vetch and Austrian winter peas seed supply was produced in the northwest, but that an anticipated bumper crop of seed had failed to materialize with the result that growers were holding the seed off the market to await better prices.

FATHER, 96, DAUGHTER, 75 DANCE

SMITH CENTER, Kas.—Among the most enthusiastic dancers at a street dance here were Charles Mathis, who spent the evening dancing with his daughter. Mathis is 96, his daughter 75.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Kinnison had as their guests Labor Day Mrs. Nina Kinnison, of Moran, mother of Mr. Kinnison; Mr. and Mrs. L. G. McKelvain of Sherman; their son, Jack, and daughter, Mrs. Ralph Hughes; Buster Kinnison and son, Larry, of Durant, Okla.

The New Deal Theatre will have a birthday party next Wednesday Sept. 10, and everyone is invited. This will be its seventh anniversary, and Mr. Capers and Frank Gray, owner and manager, are issuing invitations to all their old patrons and friends to be their guests on this occasion. The title of the picture is "The Biscuit Eater," starring Billy Lee.

Mr. Capers gave over active management to his nephew, Frank Gray, and they have made a big success in the picture business. Before they acquired the theatre, it had been operated by a number who kept it for only short periods. Now those who enjoy the better pictures are assured the best and latest ones, which are shown here many times before they are booked for the larger places.

Good pictures, courteous treatment and a comfortable, clean building with new air-cushioned seats, and new projection and sound equipment have all contributed to the popularity of the New Deal Theatre.

The first show will begin at 4 P. M. and will show continuously until all the guests have seen the show.

Each year the management has observed the anniversary of this theatre and on one occasion about 1500 people accepted this invitation. This year they hope even a greater number may find it possible to attend and enjoy the picture and have a part in the New Deal Celebration.

So Mr. Capers and Frank are extending to one and all, in and near Gorman an invitation to see the picture, "The Biscuit Eater," at no cost to you. Mark Wednesday, Sept. 10, on your entertainment calendar, and remember it's a treat from the New Deal management.

Weldon Kirk Remains In Hospital

Weldon Kirk received a serious injury last Tuesday in football practice and was taken to the sanitarium. It was feared this morning it might be necessary to operate. Reports are that he received a kidney injury, which is to be hoped will not prove to be serious.

Mrs. Cam Longley, sister-in-law of Mrs. W. B. Parr, and her daughter, Mrs. Calvert Curry, and son, Bob of San Angelo, were Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Parr and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Blair.

NEW DEAL Theatre

Thursday - Friday
Bob Hope - Dorothy Lamour
in
CAUGHT IN THE DRAFT
Plus: News of the Day

Saturday Only
DOUBLE FEATURE
Bill Boyd - Andy Clyde
in
IN OLD COLORADO

FEDERAL BULLETS

Sunday - Monday
Bud Abbott - Lou Costello
in
BUCK PRIVATES

Tuesday Only
ONE CENT NIGHT
Eddie Foy, Jr. - June Clyde
in
COUNTY FAIR

Thursday - Friday
Greer Garson - Walter Pidgeon
in
BLOSSOMS IN THE DUST
In Technicolor

DEFENSE BOND Quiz

Q. I would like to provide a regular income for myself when I retire. Can this be done by buying Defense Savings Bonds?

A. Yes. If you purchase a Bond for \$37.50 each month, each Bond will mature in exactly 10 years. Thus at the end of 10 years you will have \$50 payable each month as each of your Bonds reaches maturity.

Q. But I will need more than \$50 a month.

A. Then you should invest a larger amount each month. Every \$75 you put into Defense Bonds will pay you \$100 ten years from now. Meanwhile, your money serves your Government during this period of national emergency.

NOTE.—To purchase Defense Bonds and Stamps, go to the nearest post office or bank, or write for information to the Treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C.

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DISQUIETING LETTER

I have just received a letter which, in itself, would not be so significant, but taken together with various other reports reaching me, is very disquieting. I am writing it here approximately as it is written, changing only such things as might identify the writer.

"Several years ago, like many others, my family suffered financial reverses and we accepted FERA work, but not relief. I have supported my mother, who is a chronic invalid, and assisted my father through wages received through WPA work. From December, 1938, to May, 1941, I was fortunate to be on the administrative staff, first as a stenographer and later as an occupational interviewer, receiving when I left, \$1,440 a year.

WPA WORK HISTORY

"I started June 1, making a tour of every agency handling stenographic, clerical and typing positions. The interviewers show their interest in my appearance, my ability to operate a typewriter, stenography and my ambition to continue college, even if it meant working at night; yet they are sorry they can do nothing for me because I have worked for the Works Progress Administration, and I will not lie about my work history. . . I am 28 years of age, of good parentage, have good training, good educational background, am attending Columbia with money saved over a period of five years in order to learn stenography, and yet I can not get a job in New York city unless I lie, because I worked on WPA."

A similar picture is fairly true in other parts of the country. While this is not a universal experience, there are still enough employers who have this attitude to make it a very serious situation. Some eight and a half million Americans temporarily found work on WPA during the last six years. Their abilities and talents represent a pretty good cross-section of the American public and it seems to me very sad that any employer anywhere should not recognize that misfortune has come to people regardless of their own wishes or abilities.

FOREIGN POLICY

We all listened breathlessly when the radio from England gave us a

statement of the peace aims, drawn up by the President and Mr. Winston Churchill. There was nothing new, nothing which I had not heard many times before in conversation about our foreign policy. Yet, stated this way to the people of the world, one felt it was an important moment in the history of world progress. Chairman May of the military affairs committee in the house of representatives expressed very well in his short speech which followed Senator Connally's, the feeling which many of us shared.

The radio this morning brought me the news that our two sons, Elliott and Franklin Jr., were with their father during these last days "somewhere at sea." I knew that Franklin Jr. had gone off for an undisclosed length of time to these waters, but the last I heard of Elliott was several weeks ago, when he was starting to fly over undisclosed and barren areas, and no word from that time on.

It is foolish to worry, for all of us know that whatever comes we have to meet it. Everybody has to do his job in the world, but just the same that statement on the radio that morning started me off for the rest of the day with a lighter heart.

MARSHALL FIELD

One day Mr. Marshall Field came to lunch with us, after which we went over to look at the library before he went to visit the Greenwood House camp at Lagrangeville, N. Y., which is in this county. There are not many people who take their positions on boards and various organizations as seriously as Mr. Field.

I have grown to know him better through our association on the United States Committee for Refugee Children, and constantly am impressed with the fact that he never so much of himself. He never seems to consider that the money he has donated absolves him from a personal responsibility.

There are few young men I know, who would start out for a day in the country and remember that an organization with which they had been long connected, had a boys' camp nearby.

RURAL YOUTH GUIDANCE

Last February, there was held in Washington an Institute of Rural Youth Guidance.

I have just received a report of the proceedings and a "suggested plan of action." These pamphlets are going to be distributed by the agencies interested to those concerned with this problem in various parts of the country. I hope that many newspapers in rural areas, particularly the country weekly papers, will quote many of the recommendations.

I Give You Texas

By Boyce House

The changes that El Paso has undergone—and the picture is true in general of Texas cities and towns—is graphically set forth by William Moran, able editor of the El Paso Labor Advocate, who wrote this during prohibition days:

When I came to El Paso it had ten banks and sixty-four saloons. Eggs were twenty cents a dozen. Texas street was an unpaved country road. Home buyers insisted on close-in locations. The valley struggled with Johnson grass, and dust storms made miserable the lives of the people. Roadhouses were infamous.

The bungalow craze was just beginning. Beauty parlors, tourist camps, chain stores, auto laundries bungalow courts, closed cars, home brew and bare-legged women were all unknown. Golf was at a minimum and bridge only understood in limited circles. Petting was done in the parlor and drinking was left to the men. Ash

trays had achieved no gift popularity. The luncheon clubs were yet unborn. Self-expression was found in the kitchen and workshop. Daylight hours were filled with labor and night-time was undisturbed by the moan of the saxophone.

Horses were still to be seen on the downtown streets, and people carried packages unashamed. Installation buying, was but faintly developed. Homes were furnished in tearful taupes and mournful mauves; jazz decoration, rich colorings and rococo styles were evidences of crudeness and barbarity. The bathroom was unholy unless in white.

GIN had not yet become a household word. The cocktail shaker never appeared except at stag suppers, and people quit dancing after forty. Divorces were spoken of in whispers. The speed limit was fifteen miles an hour.

Today, where the horse-wrangler lately plied his trade, we have city-planning and zoning, stop streets, through streets, one-way streets and loading zones, with electric traffic control. Movies, talkies, co-operative apartments, tabulated public endeavors and card indexed charities are the rule of the day. Rayon has displaced cotton, and ice comes by wire. Few are too poor to ride and all too proud to walk. Potatoes are peeled by electricity and furnaces fired by a robot. Business men are whisked fifteen floors upward for a four-hour day in a five-day week. Surely civilization, on the border, has delighted, if not enriched the lives of the people.

"Cattle" will be the central theme of the 1941 State Fair of Texas, which isn't very far away—

Oct. 4 to 19. Two national beef cattle shows will be the feature of the \$150,000 livestock division. In the National Hereford Show (the third consecutive year it has been held at the State Fair), \$30,000 in prizes are offered and awards in the National Aberdeen-Angus Show total \$10,000. The Hereford prizes represent the biggest amount ever offered by any fair in a single classification of livestock, it is declared by this columnist's old friend, E. Paul Jones, publicity director.

At least 400 head of Aberdeen-Angus are expected in Dallas for what will be the first national show ever held for the breed of black cattle.

But of course cattle are by no means all. When closely questioned, the officials will admit that the 1941 State Fair will be the biggest and best yet—and they point to \$17,500 in prize money for "the largest farm show ever housed under a single roof"; \$7,500 for poultry, besides the hobby show, culinary, textiles, flowers, pigeons, and others—the grand total of prizes reaching the breath-taking figure of \$150,000.

An Independent Midway, made up of the cream of the attractions of many exhibitors and not of just one, including the popular Harley Sadler with two shows; Press Day when the editors of the State will be guests of honor; the Queen's Pageant; University of Oklahoma against University of Texas on the gridiron, so President Harry Seay and Secretary Roy Rupard have good grounds for hoping to see a new attendance record set for the third straight year, the 1940 mark being 1,116,487, with 215,000 children on hand for Children's Day.

News of Desdemona

On Thursday night at the Baptist Church the closing session of the B. Y. P. U. Training School was held. Miss Clara May of Wilson, Texas, was the teacher of the school which proved very successful. She was assisted by the pastor, Rev. Arville Richardson, and by Charles McFatter, leader of the senior division of the B. Y. P. U., and several of the teachers of the Sunday School. Good crowds attended and quite a number were given certificates.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Parks and son, Earl, and Mrs. W. H. Powers and son, Jack, were in Stephenville Saturday to make arrangements for the boys to enter John Tarleton, and to have board and room at the home of Mrs. Alice R. Harrison, who recently moved to Stephenville from Victor.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Montgomery of Cisco were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee Sunday.

Supt. C. A. Skipping was in Brownwood on school business Monday.

Miss Mignon Whitworth left Sunday morning for Dimmitt where she began her 3rd year of teaching on Tuesday. She had spent the summer here with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Whitworth, and her sister, Valla Whitworth.

Miss Oma Mae McCellan of Loving, Texas, arrived Sunday and began work on Tuesday as teacher of the 3rd grade in our school. Her father came with her and stayed a few hours.

Miss Billie Jean Reid, who has been attending a business college

at San Angelo, returned Sunday and will be here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Reid, a few days. She will then go to De Leon to accept a position in the office of the Peanut factory.

R. C. Richards and family of Stephenville were guests of his son, Whit Richards, and family Sunday.

Rev. H. B. Clark closed a week's revival meeting at Victor Sunday night. Rain during the week made the roads almost impassable two days but there was a good attendance at nearly all services and much good was accomplished.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Maltby, their daughter, Mrs. Scotty Lemaster, and her husband and Marlow Salter were in Abilene Sunday to visit Neil Maltby, who is attending business college there. His many friends will be glad to know that Neil made A plus on typing and A's and a B plus on his other subjects.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Roe and Mrs. W. H. Powers were in Gorman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter May drove to Mineral Wells Monday to take his sister, Mrs. Iola Ferrell, to her home. She had been visiting them the past week.

Floyd Moore and his two daughters, Loise and Dorothy, and his son, Floyd, Jr., were in Brownwood and Comanche Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Stover, formerly of Desdemona but now of De Leon, came over and visited with their many friends Saturday. Helen Dale Hicks and Dorothy Williams went home with them and stayed until Monday.

Misses Uarda Maltby and Grace Lemaster spent Sunday at Ranger with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lemaster. The Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon at the Desdemona Methodist Church and had a short business session presided over by Mr. Charles Lee. Officers were elected for the year beginning in January. Miss Olga Smith of Victor will be president. A Spiritual Life program was led by Miss Mollie O'Rear.

Quite a crowd of people enjoyed a picnic at Bass Lake Friday, when the annual Rob Morris Day celebration was observed by the Desdemona Eastern Star Chapter. Not only the members of the chapter but also their families and some friends attended the picnic. Mrs. Bill Parks who now lives at Olden is Worthy Matron of the chapter.

Our schools opened Tuesday morning with a good enrollment. A list of the teachers will be given next week.

Mrs. Guy Bruce accompanied by Mrs. John Arnold, drove over to De Leon Friday night and attended the Methodist revival services.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKain and daughter enjoyed a week-end visit from Henry and John McKain, Jr., of Kilgore.

The Carbon news failed to reach us in time for this week's publication.

Lightning Expert Gives Safety Tip

Pittsburgh, Pa.—It's a good idea to get out of the rain if you want to avoid being struck by lightning, a research engineer advises.

This word of warning comes from Dr. P. L. Bellaschi, who knows his lightning. Dr. Bellaschi has made some 400,000 strokes of lightning in his laboratory here to study its characteristics and effects on power lines and people.

When rain comes, he advises: Find shelter immediately—any house or barn will do. Stay away from swimming pools, beaches, trees, golf, courses poles, bicycles, horses, open machines or any sky-projecting objects.

A man is said to be like a tack, useful only if he has a good head and it pointed in the right direction, and even then can go only as far as his head will let him.

Some pious persons think it is very much worse for women to use powder on their faces than to use white wash on character.

Week	End
SPECIALS	
FLOUR, Pura-Lite	24's 90c
	48's \$1.65
TOILET TISSUE, White Fur, 4 rolls 23c
PURE LARD, Armour's	4 lbs. 60c
	8 lbs. \$1.15
Kellogg's CORN FLAKES, 2 pkgs. (With Crystal Bowl) 21c
TABLE SALT, 3 - 5c pkgs. 10c
ORANGES, (Red Ball), Nice Size, doz. 29c
Clabber Girl BAKING POWDER, 32 oz. can 24c
COFFEE, DeL-Monte, lb. 29c
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LOCAL NEWS

W. H. Thompson of Kansas City was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Butler Sunday.

Homer Mason will be pleased to figure with you on any insurance coverage.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Smith and Katy Lou of Roby spent the week-end with Mrs. S. B. Smith.

Mrs. C. L. Ponder and Claudine spent the week-end in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Richey and Wilma were visitors in Stephenville Saturday.

Mrs. Clara Moore of Breckenridge and Mrs. Henry Compton of Moran were Monday visitors of Mrs. E. O. Kennison and family.

James Dean who has been attending A. & M. this summer spent the week-end here.

Margie Grisham and Doyle Linder were in Weatherford Sunday.

George L. Smith, Jr., was in Brownwood Tuesday on business.

Florence Love of Abilene spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Thompson were in Strawn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester McDonald of Abilene visited her parents Tuesday.

Insure with Homer Mason before you have that unavoidable accident.

Tobe and Dick Ormsby, Othell Clark and Preston Capers attended the rodeo in Ranger Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Underwood and Mrs. Cockrill were Mineral Wells visitors Sunday.

Jimmie Dean accompanied L. E. Moake to San Antonio Tuesday. He drove Mrs. Dean and Mrs. Ormsby back after a week's visit in the home of Mrs. Neal Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Thomson had as recent guests Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kenworthy and daughters, Bertha and Florence, and Miss Patricia Climer of Kokomo, Ind. Mr. Kenworthy is a brother of Mrs. Thomson.

Miss Maudie Lee Greer returned home to Skellytown Sunday after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Greer.

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Perhaps you just need a little stimulation that many need once in a while. Why not try OXIDINE, the Doctor's Prescription, used by thousands for over 50 years. OXIDINE is guaranteed to satisfy you or money back. With nothing organically wrong, see how your run-down, tired, sickly, achy, no pep, bilious feeling responds to OXIDINE's honest build-up tonic action. Guaranteed OXIDINE, regular bottle 50c. Family size containing 2 1/2 times as much, \$1.00. Try it today.

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Bass Lake

ROLLER RINK
Gorman Texas

Mrs. May Ervin of Kermit left Sunday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Greer.

Mrs. Elmer Underwood and daughters reached Louisville, Kentucky last Thursday where Elmer has government employment.

Mrs. Horace Oldham and little daughter of Blanco spent Tuesday and Wednesday in the homes of Mrs. Oldham and Mrs. Moake.

Insurance with Homer Mason is worth more than it costs when death comes, your home burns or your car is wrecked. You cannot afford to overlook INSURANCE.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Shelley and son, Jack Benny, Elizabeth Brewer, Faye Jones and Juanita McGaha spent Sunday in Brownwood.

Rev. and Mrs. Levi Price were in Wichita Falls Monday and Tuesday.

Elaine and Mava Lou Crossley of Eastland were in Gorman Wednesday.

Imogene and Florene Love, Jean Childers, Louise Baker, Ed Clark and Billy Childers were in Eastland Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Cooter Ramsey.

Mrs. Bud Milam, Minnie Lee Ormsby and Verda Spurlem of Eastland spent the week-end in Dallas and Milford.

Frances Perry left for Shellytown last Friday where she will teach again this year.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Blackwell and Paul Ormsby accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Boaz to Brownwood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Ross were Gorman visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. "Pug" O'Neal of Houston returned to her home Tuesday after spending several days visiting her mother, Mrs. Harwell.

American makes accounted for 83 per cent of all motor vehicles throughout the world on January 1, the Department of Commerce says.

I will make button holes for the public. —Mrs. Bud Milam.

You cannot afford to neglect your insurance interests — see Homer Mason.

Walter Horton and S. E. Linder were in Fort Worth on business Saturday.

I T. Grisham was in Ranger Sunday.

Dr. Stubblefield and Frances were in Fort Worth Tuesday.

Bob Stubblefield, who is attending medical school in Galveston, arrived Tuesday for a month's visit with his family.

Rev. and Mrs. Levi Price spent last Friday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Ross in Brownwood.

Jack Prichard from Camp Bowie spent the week-end in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. J. L. Pearey.

Mrs. Annie Stokes of Eastland spent Wednesday with Mrs. Zelpha Wood.

Mrs. Swancy of Brownwood spent Sunday with her sisters, Mrs. Zelpha Wood and Mrs. Maynard Boston.

James Jobe, Billy Gene Alsbrook, and Billy Mack Smith left Sunday for Dallas, returning Tuesday night.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their help and many expressions of sympathy during the passing of our husband and father.

—Mrs. John Caraway and children.

TWO FAMOUS COWS

AUSTIN, Aug. 25.—Now there two famous cows—Mrs. O'Leary's and Mr. Wright's.

Everybody knows about Mrs. O'Leary's cow, and the lawyers and police officers of Texas are learning about Mr. Wright's. It was four years ago that Wright began selling his cow, along with a song and dance, and he's been selling it ever since.

Wright—his initials are C. R., but his friends call him Charley—always sells this cow to one C. A. Fox for \$42. Mr. Fox pays by check, typing everything but his scrawled signature, and usually notes on its face that the check is "For 1 cow."

Usually, upon selling the cow again, Wright calls upon a lawyer in a medium-sized city, retains the lawyer to handle a suit against a railroad whose train allegedly has run into his truck, and gets the lawyer to endorse Fox's check so he can cash it. On two occasions Wright sought the professional services of a dentist. A Cleburne dentist gave him a \$90 set of false teeth and \$12 change for Fox's check. A Seguin dentist endorsed one of the checks after agreeing to work on Wright's teeth.

Fox's checks always come back marked "no account," and Wright is nowhere to be found.

Wright's first known offense was in Mineral Wells in September, 1937. Subsequently he has cashed worthless checks in Cleburne, Laredo, Waco, Marlin, Cameron, Conroe, Kerrville and Seguin.

Chief Joe S. Fletcher of the State Police Identification Bureau believes many swindles perpetrated by Wright have never been reported. Wright is described as 55 years old, 150 to 160 pounds, and about 5 feet 10 or 11 inches tall.

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To Be At State Fair Of Texas



Orrin Tucker America's orchestra leader, and Wee Bonnie Baker will be the featured attraction at the Cafe Esplanade at the 1941 State Fair of Texas. The Cafe Esplanade will be operated by George T. Smith of Fort Worth, who has operated Lake Wirth Ca-

fe for the past several years. The Cafe Esplanade will occupy a space of 200 feet by 185 feet in of the Automobile Building and will face the Esplanade. Extensive improvements will begin shortly after Labor Day, Mr. Smith has announced.

Total railroad tracks was 22,420,73 miles in Texas last year, with 16,314.57 being main line track, according to a history of S. G. Reed, pioneer Texas railroad man. The first Texas railroad was chartered during the first year of the Lone Star republic and was built by the Texas Railroad Navigation and Banking Company.

Queen Elizabeth of England does not smoke.

Want Ads

GOATS for sale — B. E. Holder Ranger, Route 2. 3tp

FOR SALE—67 acres, 2 miles north of Desdemona, fenced with new goat wire and cedar posts. S. J. Holder, Desdemona. 3tp

FOR SALE—Redwood tanks, all sizes. Give us pour order now. Lonnie Clark, Desdemona. 3tp

FOR SALE—108 acre farm 80 in cultivation. 4 yr. old 17 acre orchard; fenced hog and turkey proof. House and barn and plenty of soft water. —O. O. Mann, Gorman. 3tp

LOST—Young bird dog, female; black ears, white body with black specks. Liberal reward is offered for the return to Henry L. Capers, New Deal Theatre.

FOR SALE—Fifty-six acre farm 2 miles northwest of Gorman. See or write to M. E. Mullings, Station A, Abilene, Texas.

WANTED—Bookkeeper part time Keys Feed Mill.

WANTED—Peanut Hay. Key's Feed Mill.

FOUND—A pig. Owner may have same by describing fully and paying expenses. A. B. Hunt 1tp

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. J. H. Hicks.

FOR SALE or Trade—Registered Jersey bull calf. See Frank Dean.

A handfull of emery dust will disable a battleship; a drop of ink will discolor a glass of water. In all walks of life, it does not take much to throw things out of balance to the extent that they fail to function.

One discordant note may spoil an entire song; one thoughtless word may wreck a friendship; one careless act may cause untold suffering. It behooves us, at all times, to be on our guard as to the things we say and do. If we would create that atmosphere in which progress thrives, we must be tolerant, tactful and typical. "All for one and one for all" means helpfulness, loyalty, cooperation, but first of all there must be harmony.—Author unknown.

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When you buy insurance because it's cheap, it's like buying a cheap pistol for self protection. If you have to hold off a bandit, you want a weapon that will do the business. If you aren't going to be held up, why spend any money at all to protect yourself? The catch is, you don't know.

Moral: Be sure your insurance is COMPLETELY dependable. We'll be glad to tell you anything you want to know about it.



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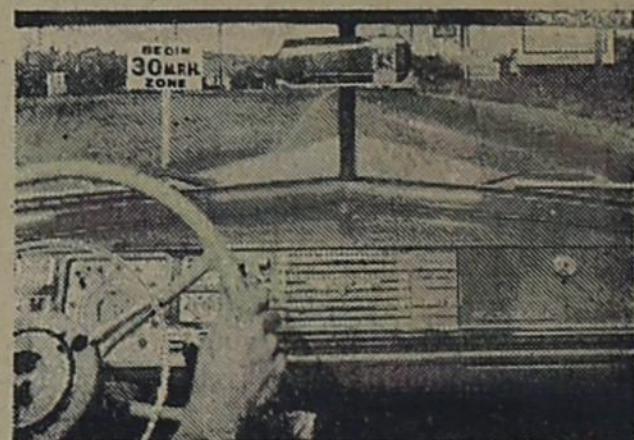
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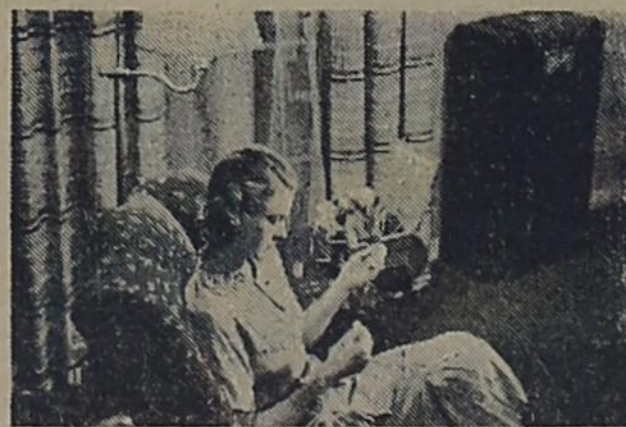
For Safety's Sake—

Keep Your Speed Under 30 Miles When driving in town



—and—

Keep Your Lighting Over 30 f.c.* When reading at night



You know that it's safer to keep your speed UNDER 30 miles an hour when driving in town. You also should know that it's safer to keep your lighting OVER 30 foot-candles when reading at night.

If you travel at a greater speed and don't get arrested, you may not have an accident. But if you read under a poor light, scientific tests show that you are definitely putting extra and unnecessary work on your eyes.

So, for "Safety's Sake", watch your speedometer and stay UNDER 30 on the streets. And also for "Safety's Sake", get the right kind of lamp and bulb so that your reading light will stay OVER 30 foot-candles.

Dealers will be glad to demonstrate these new lamps so you can see for yourself how much more light they give.



*A FOOT-CANDLE is a measure of light, just like miles-per-hour is a measure of speed.

Reddy Kilowatt says—"Be sure to use big enough bulbs to give you plenty of light."

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'V FOR VICTORY' CAMPAIGN USED IN UNITED STATES TO AID BRITAIN

The "V for Victory" campaign which already has swept across the British Empire and the conquered countries of Europe has now become an active part of the nation-wide program of Bundles for Britain for the British war.

The campaign was launched recently over the British radio, the "V" being used as a symbol of Victory over Nazism and aggression. "V for Victory" became a popular slogan almost overnight. Forming the letter "V" by parting the second fingers of the right hand, it is used as a salute. It is tapped out in the International Morse code—three dots and a dash—in knocks on doors and on glasses to call waiters in restaurants. The opening notes of Beethoven's Fifth Symphony, three short notes and one long one, are in the same rhythm. The "V" sign and sound printed, chalked, tooted by railroad whistles, by the roll of drum have taken Britain and much of Europe by storm.

This psychological campaign of hope for the people of Europe's conquered countries is being put to work by Bundles for Britain's 1135 branches and units throughout the United States to mobilize aid to Britain, and to further the United Kingdom. The campaign in the United States will culminate on September 3, the second anniversary of the war, in a nation-

wide series of "Victory" functions.

In announcing the campaign, which is being run concurrently with that in Great Britain, Mrs. Wales Latham, president of Bundles for Britain, said that through our enlistment in the "V for Victory" campaign, we hope to stimulate Americans to further aid for the civilian victims of war in Britain, whose unexampled courage has won for them the admiration of free people the world over. We shall make Bundles for Britain's national headquarters and all our branches clearing houses for information relating to the "V for Victory" campaign and the purposes it will serve here. We will supply signs, literature, posters and other materials to interpret this great movement for human freedom.

Bundles for Britain is spreading the letter "V" and the slogan "V for Victory" across the country on posters, windshield stickers, window cards, and by means of lapel pins and buttons.

Special drives to provide increased quantities of new and used fall and winter clothing are being emphasized by the "V for Victory" sign.

The campaign is going forward to the tempo of a stirring marching song turned over to Bundles for Britain by its authors and publishers who also contribute part of their revenues from this song to Bundles for Britain.

BEST WISHES TO THE NEW DEAL THEATRE ON ITS SEVENTH ANNIVERSARY SHELLEY'S VARIETY STORE "The Friendly Place"

BEST WISHES TO THE NEW DEAL THEATRE FOR MANY YEARS OF CONTINUED SUCCESS Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

State Fair To Have Great Musical Show

All of the elements necessary for a great musical show are included in Earl Carroll's Vanities, which will be presented for the duration of the State Fair of Texas, Oct. 4-19. Coming to Dallas directly from the famous producer's Hollywood restaurant-theatre, the show has Carroll's justly celebrated "most beautiful girls in the world", lavish costumes and settings, hilarious comedy, latest song hits, and a star-studded cast.

Playing in the Auditorium, the Vanities will continue the Fair's policy of giving the public outstanding shows at popular prices.

One of Carroll's trademarks is "Through These Portals Pass the Most Beautiful Girls in the World," earned by his single requirement that girls in his show "be breath-takingly beautiful." There will be 40 of these gorgeous creatures in several production numbers, highlighted by lavish costumes and spectacular settings.

Jeanne Devereaux, famous ballerina and the only dancer to have appeared before the King and Queen of England in a command performance, will perform a sparkling bubble dance, set to the music of Debussy and surrounded by the Carrolloviens.

Others of the cast include the zany Slate Brothers, with their own particular brand of humor and slappstick comedy; Buster Shaver with Olive and George,

most perfectly formed midgets in the world who specialize in unusual dance routines; Fay Carroll, Al Norman, Beverly Carroll and Lois Morrissey, all specialists in comedy, and the Wiere Brothers, one of the most famous comedy teams.

The Wiere Brothers appeared in two command performances before the King and Queen of England, and their hilarious antics also made them favorites of the Duke of Windsor, the Duke of York, King Leopold of Belgium and the late King Alfonso of Spain.

The United States Army's Jeep automobiles can climb 60 foot grades and turn around in a 30-foot circle.

One sage palm tree produces enough food to keep a native of the Dutch East Indies alive a year.

Gunpowder was discovered by the Chinese about 600 A. D., but they used it only as a toy.

Because of the great density of night air, the lifting ability of a transport airplane is greater at night than in the daytime.

Probably there is nothing quite so pure as the motive of a man who lends money to another when he is morally certain he will never get it back.

Sometimes an airplane can be seen from the ground when the ground cannot be seen from the plane.

National Aberdeen-Angus Show To Be At The State Fair

The great "Lone Star State" will be host at the Texas State Fair, Dallas, October 4-19 to the first National Aberdeen-Angus Show ever held in this country. Mr. W. H. Tomhave, Secretary of the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' Association, Chicago, Illinois, report that this show is expected to draw the largest Angus exhibit ever shown in America. Top show strings and herds from all sections of the United States and Canada will be on exhibition. Ten thousand dollars in premium money has been appropriated featuring both the breeding classes and the fat steer divisions. The Aberdeen-Angus judging dates are October 7, 8, 9, 10, and a sale of choicest breeding cattle will be held on Friday, October 10. A banquet for all Aberdeen-Angus breeders and friends will be held October 9 at six P. M. at the Baker Hotel.

The Texas State Fair Board has been busy during the past few months building new barns and making other arrangements to properly house the large number of cattle that will be shown.

Mr. Tomhave states, "Many large commercial and purebred herds have been established in Texas during the past few years. There is a great demand for Aberdeen-Angus in the Southwest. By bringing this show into Texas, we hope to better acquaint the people with the outstanding qualities of the Aberdeen-Angus breed."

Texas breeders who are expected to show are Tommy Brook, Brady; Essar Ranch, San Antonio; Marvin Beerwinkle, Moody; Ed Brewster, Temple; Mrs. O. Gowdy, Jacksboro; Pat Jackson, San Angelo; A. T. MacDonald, Houston; the Texas A. & M. College, College Station, and the Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

Iowa is the leading state in chicken production, according to the census. Its 213,318 farms raise nearly 44,000,000 chickens a year, or an average of over 200 per farm.

Watch out for the grey eyes, says a scientist, because they're very keen and penetrating and hard to read.

Do not thaw out frozen food until it is to be used. Once thawed, the food should all be used.

Some women who wear what they choose don't do enough choosing.

Drop for drop, venom of the coral snake is the most deadly produced by any North American snake.

Amber is said to be a hard, lustrous, resinous substance composed of a fossilized vegetable gum which originally exuded from an extinct kind of cone-bearing tree standing in prehistoric times.

The northernmost point in the United States is Lake of the Woods, Minnesota.

Every minute, 19 persons are accidentally injured in the United States.

To remove water marks on waxed floors rub the spots with a cloth dipped in turpentine, cover them with a little wax, then polish.

Jean Devereaux, ballerina in Earl Carroll's Vanities, which will be the Auditorium Show during the State Fair of Texas, is the world's champion for pirouettes. She does more of them, faster, and more perfectly than any other dancer.

How the bee lives and works will be seen this year in the State Fair of Texas' huge Agricultural Show. Special hives made of glass will be used in the Apiary exhibit to reveal the industry of the bee, which travels 40,000 miles to collect enough nectar to make one pound of honey.

The State Fair of Texas has enjoyed a daily average attendance of 54,368 during the past 21 years. Total attendance during that period, 1916 to 1941 number 18,267, 785. Average annual attendance has been 869,895.

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GORMAN PROGRESS

"I expect you will miss your son when he returns to college?" "I will," replied the farmer, "I really don't know what I will do without him. He has got the livestock so they won't move unless he gives them the college yell and I can't remember it."

Our so-called "funny bone" is located at the lower end of the bone known as the "humerus."

So sacred is bread considered by the Arabs of Morocco that they never cut it with a knife.

A man who is turning out careless, imperfect work is turning out a careless, imperfect character for himself. He is touching deceit every moment, and this unseen thing rises up from his work like a subtle essence and enters and poisons his soul.

I profess to love liberty as much as any man living; but I profess to love AMERICAN liberty; that liberty which is secured to the country by the Constitution under which we live; I hold the Constitution of the United States to be the bulwark, the only bulwark, of our liberties and of our National Union—Daniel Webster.

Experiments now being conducted may result in the production of colored cottons. Plants have been grown bearing green and cream colored cotton lint.

In speaking of the Philippines it is correct to say, "the Philippines is," according to Joachim M. Elizalde, resident commissioner of the Philippines to the United States. The name refers to the Commonwealth of the Philippines and is therefore singular.

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