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BALLINGER, TEXAS, MONDAY, JULY 13, 1925

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NEW FACES SEEN IN COUNTY JAIL RESULT OF LAW'S WORK

Following activities of the strong arm of the law Saturday night, Sunday and Monday morning the county jail was filled with new boarders Monday and Judge C. H. Willingham's justice court was kept grinding all morning. Some of the persons arrested have since paid fines and were released.

Frank Leach was arrested Sunday night in the northwestern part of Runnels County, and was charged with the sale of intoxicants and also with being drunk. Leach, when arrested, is alleged to have had two gallons of beer in his possession, which is said to have tested six per cent. Bond of \$1,000 was ordered posted in this case by Judge Willingham.

John Goodman, arrested with Leach and alleged to have been drunk, was released on plea of guilty and payment of fine.

A negro, Dennis Lawrence, who is said to have had a gallon of "Choc" beer in his possession, was arrested and placed in jail. Lawrence was arrested Saturday night near Winters. His home is near Norton. His bond was placed at \$1,000.

A negro by the name of Kelly Herring was arrested with Lawrence, but was released on account of insufficient evidence.

Two vagrancy cases, a man and a woman, are on file in the justice court they were picked up Saturday night in Ballinger.

A. P. Paek, wanted in Robinson county for alleged forgery, was arrested five miles east of Ballinger by the sheriff's department Monday afternoon. Paek will probably be held in jail here until called for by Robinson county officers.

Lonnie Scott, whom officers say was ready out on a five-year suspended sentence, was arrested Saturday night on a vagrancy charge.

B. W. Pilcher, chief of police, also put a prisoner in the county jail Monday morning. Mr. Pilcher went to Rowena Monday morning and arrested a Mexican, for speeding whom was later released after paying his fine.

ENDEAVORERS URGED TO AID WORLD WIDE PRO.

(By Associated Press)
PORTLAND, Or., July 11.—Use of airplanes directed by radio, powerful automobiles and many fast vessels by bootleggers, all tend to make the enforcement of prohibition a world problem, said Ernest H. Cherrington of Westerville, Ohio, general secretary of the World League Against Alcoholism, in an address tonight at the thirtieth international Christian Endeavor Convention. He urged the Christian Endeavor to become more active in the world-wide prohibition movement. "The liquor problem is a world problem," he asserted. "The Eighteenth amendment received the strongest official sanction ever given a constitutional provision, yet never before has there been arrayed against any such provision such a powerful and aggressive minority as that which today opposes national prohibition. That minority, more ever is being supported and reinforced not merely by state and national liquor organizations but also by a gigantic, wealthy, politically influential international liquor traffic."

"Knowledge of the truth will eventually make beverage alcohol an impossibility in modern civilization, because it is at variance with the inexorable economic law of the new age."

"The moral and religious forces of America must take the gospel of prohibition to the rest of the world, in order to make permanent American prohibition at home."

The Temple Telegram, Daily and Sunday, \$4.00. The Underwood News Co. Itd.

TO COMBINE STONE-PUCKETT DISTRICTS

The Stone and Puckett school districts will be consolidated as the result of a double election held last Saturday to pass on the question.

These two districts, which adjoin each other, will be combined one more teacher will be employed as soon as the other necessary details have been worked out.

In the Stone district the vote was 21 for and none against. Thirty-one voted in favor of the consolidation at Puckett, and sixteen voted against the proposition.

When red tape proceedings are out of the way, a two-teacher school will be replaced by a three teacher school.

The vote was canvassed by the Commissioners' court Monday afternoon.

BRING IN 900 BARREL WELL IN CROSS CUT FIELD

(Coleman Demott-Voice)
Cross Cut emerged from its position as a small shallow field into the limelight as a major field of the Central West Texas oil area when the Gilman and Conway Brothers No. 7 on the Newton lease came in flowing 35 barrels of high grade oil per hour, or over 900 barrels a day. The field is now producing close to 5,000 barrels of oil daily, and in fact this figure has probably been passed.

The greatest development in the history of this field is now under way with a number of wells being rushed down to the producing horizon, and about eight brought in at Cross Cut within the past ten days or two weeks. More locations for drilling have been made within the past two weeks than at any previous period of the same length. The bringing in of the 900 barrel well and the increase in the price of oil doubtless result in feverish intensive development of the Cross Cut area.

It is said that the Humble Pipe Line Company plans to lay a small line from Cross Cut to the Byrd relay station. If this is done soon the problem of transporting and selling any amount of oil products at Cross Cut will be solved. The Prairie Pipe Line Co., and the De Leon Pipe Line are now taking all the oil from the field.

It should not be surprising to see the Cross Cut field double or triple in production within the next few weeks at the present rate of development.

Sweden Expects to Cut Down Imports of American Wheat

(By Associated Press)
STOCKHOLM, June 25.—Preliminary reports from the various districts of Sweden received by the agricultural department show that the crop prospects are better than it has been for the last ten years.

The weather has been very favorable and consequently the work in the fields started much earlier than usual. Wheat and rye are very forward.

With the continued favorable weather there is no doubt that it will mean a considerable decrease in the importation of foreign food stuff, especially in American wheat. The importation of American wheat has shown a steady decrease during the last 16 years.

Uncle Sam's "Mellon" Patch



PLANE CRASH KILLS TWO MEN

(By Associated Press)
WESTBURY, N. Y., July 13.—First Lieutenants Charles Hickey of Brockton, Mass., and Albert Perry, of Marlboro, Mass., were killed today when their airplane crashed to the earth near here.

The two men were reserve officers stationed at Mitchell Field for two weeks training.

3 BODIES FOUND IN TRAIN WRECK

(By Associated Press)
TAYLOR, Texas, July 13.—Three bodies had been recovered late today from the debris of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas freight train which was wrecked four miles south of here Sunday.

The bodies recovered are so badly burned that it is thought identification will be impossible.

C.I.A. PRES. SAYS NONE RESIGN

(By Associated Press)
AUSTIN, July 13.—Dr. Blaney, president of the College of Industrial Arts, of Denton, in a statement to an Associated Press correspondent today branded as a pure fabrication the report that fifty-five members of the college faculty had resigned.

APPOINT HARRISON ON WAR FINANCE BOARD

(By Associated Press)
SWAMPSCOTT, Mass., July 13.—Floyd Harrison was appointed today as director of the War Finance Corporation, succeeding Frank Mondell, who resigned recently.

Harrison had been assistant to Eugene Meyer, managing director of the corporation, and had also served as secretary to Secretaries Wallace and Houston, in the department of agriculture.

Kirk Gregory who has been seriously ill in the Halley & Love sanitarium for several days, was reported to be resting some better Monday, but his condition is said to be critical and it will be several days before he is out of danger.

Last Will and Testament of a Man Who Knew

The following little sketch was furnished by a Ballinger business man, who states that he can vouch for the document's authenticity. It purports to be the last will and testament of a man of the world who died.

"The deceased relates in his will: 'To my wife I leave her lover and the knowledge that I wasn't the fool she thought I was. 'To my son I leave the privilege of earning a living for 35 years. He thought the pleasure was all mine. 'To my daughter I leave \$100,000, for she will need it. The only good deed her husband ever did was when he married her. 'To my valet I leave the clothes he has been stealing from me for the last ten years, also my fur coat he wore last winter while I was in Palm Beach. 'To my chauffeur I leave my cars he nearly ruined for me. I want him to have the pleasure of finishing the job. 'To my partner I leave this advice: to get another man in with him if he wants to stay in business very long.'"

TWYMAN CASE IS DISMISSED

(By Associated Press)
BELTON, Tex., July 13.—The case of H. G. Twyman, former military instructor at the Gatesville reformatory, charged with the death of Dell Thomas in that institution several years ago, was dismissed on motion of the district attorney today. The district attorney said he had asked dismissal of the case because witnesses were absent.

MR. AND MRS. WILL DOOSE ARE IN COLORADO

According to a letter to his nephew, Collis Doose, Will Doose and wife are now in camp near Boulder, Colorado, having arrived July 4th, after a 930 mile trip. Mr. and Mrs. Doose are camped out at Radium Springs, 16 miles from Boulder, in an altitude of 6,500 feet.

Mr. Doose says they did not see any crops en route to exceed those in Runnels county. Crops in the Plains country are backward, even where it has rained. Mr. Doose said New Mexico and Colorado are also dry, according to the letter, which said there was no grass as good as near Ballinger, and that it was dry enough to burn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Keeton, of Abilene, came in Saturday night in response to a message announcing the serious illness of Mrs. Keeton's brother, Kirk Gregory.

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- 25c Narcisse Talcum - 19c
- 50c First Aid Adhesive Plaster 1 in. 5 yds. - 33c
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OVER 60 PERSONS KILLED IN U. S. OVER WEEK-END

SCOPES CASE JUDGE WANTS BRIEFS FILED

(By Associated Press)
DAYTON, Tenn., July 13.—A motion to squash the indictment against John Scopes, charged with violating the Tennessee law against the teaching of evolution theories in public schools, brought the first clash in the trial in the open forum court today.

John Neal, defense counsel, submitting the motion to quash, cited fourteen reasons selected by him for defense on which to base the motion. Neal's contentions were nearly all related to the constitutionality of the act claiming that both the constitutions of Tennessee and the United States were violated in the act of the Tennessee general assembly.

In presenting the motion to quash Judge Oneal spoke first for the defense, and was followed by Arthur Hays representing the same contention. Former state's attorney general McKenzie spoke in opposition to the motion, with Judge S. K. Hicks, also member of the prosecution counsel, upholding the prosecution's side of the argument.

Presiding Judge Raulston, before the order to recess until 1:00 o'clock this afternoon said to the lawyers, "Gentlemen, the issues in this case are profound and the court does not wish to guess." Judge Raulston also added that he would expect briefs to be filed on the motion to quash.

SON MURDERS FATHER'S FOE

(By Associated Press)
VICTORIA, Tex., July 13.—Taylor Drake, age 47, was shot and killed at Raisin, in this county, Sunday morning. Monroe Martin, age 22, was arrested following the shooting.

Drake and Martin's father, Dan Martin, are said to have had a difficulty which caused the younger Martin to become incensed and take up the quarrel.

UTILITIES SELL MANY ELECTRIC RANGES

Fifty electric ranges have been sold by the West Texas Utilities Company in their recent demonstration and sale, and it is stated that there are several prospects yet who have expressed a desire to get in on the partial payment and bargain rate plan.

About twelve of the ranges have been sold to out-of-town customers, Winters and Rowent citizens being among the purchasers. 13-1td

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(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, July 13.—More than three score persons were killed throughout the United States as the result of the heat wave, lightning, automobile and flying accidents, bathing mishaps and other causes over the week end.

Several of the most disastrous accidents occurred in Texas. Six men, believed to have been tramps were burned to death in the explosion of an oil tanker train on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas rail road near Taylor, Texas, yesterday. Eighteen cars of oil were destroyed. Officials of the Katy intimated it was the worst accident in the road's history. The cause of the explosion has not been ascertained.

At Gainesville, Texas, Dr. Roy Hughes was burned to death, and James Cole, a former army aviator, was probably fatally injured when Hugh's airplane crashed to the ground.

Eugene K. Leonard, 40 years of age, son of J. T. Leonard, editor and publisher of the Gainesville Register, was killed when his automobile turned over near Gordon, Palo Pinto County.

7 ARRAIGNED FOR INN CRASH

(By Associated Press)
BOSTON, Mass., July 13.—Seven men were arraigned before Superior Court Judge Lummus today on secret indictments returned by the grand jury which last week investigated the collapse of the Pickwick Club building on July 4th, in which forty-four persons lost their lives.

Two of those indicted were employees of the city of Boston's building department.

B. W. Pilcher, chief of police of this city, and Lum Bailey, city marshal, of Miles, will leave for Dallas Tuesday to attend a three-day session of the State Chiefs of Police and City Marshall's Association convention. The convention sessions will be held in the Adolphus Hotel in Dallas, and will commence Wednesday.

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WITH THE BOYS IN CAMP AT AUSTIN
 Camp Mabry, Texas, July 1925.
 The Ballinger Ledger today has been the center of the boys' camp at Austin. It would be a treat to the people at home if they could hear the boys saying "oh my shoulder," but we are very proud of the showing that we made at many of our boys had never had a rifle before. Grumpy, Tom and Harrison were the high point men in our company. Grumpy making forty seven scores out of a possible. We are proud to say that Futch Grindy was also high point man out of about two hundred and fifty men on the rifle range today. But to bring a little pleasure along with the work, we were given a dance at the camp canteen tonight. There was a large crowd present and all expressed themselves as having had an enjoyable time.
 Very truly yours,
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TEXAS BAPTIST ENCAMPMENT AT LAMPASAS, TEX.
 The twenty-first annual session of the Texas Baptist Encampment will begin at Lampasas, Tuesday evening, July 14. This is one of the oldest Encampments in the state and has had large attendance from all over the state for years. This year we are offering one of the best and strongest programs in the history of the encampment. Books on Sunday School, B. Y. P. U., and Women's Work will be taught, also conferences on Church problems will be held.
 The grounds are the most beautiful to be found anywhere. Large shade trees with plenty of good water, tents or screened cottages may be rented at a small cost. Come and enjoy ten days of great religious services.
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FARM LOAN DIVIDEND CHECKS MAILED OUT
 The secretary of the Ballinger Farm Loan Association, Judge Paul Trimmer, is mailing to holders of stock in the Federal Farm Loan Bank of Houston Monday, the semi-annual dividend checks. The dividends are approximately four per cent on the stock.
 Each farmer who borrows money on real estate from the association must take five per cent of the amount he borrows in stock, and in return receives a dividend twice a year. In other words if a member of the Ballinger Farm Loan Association borrows \$1000 on a year's term, he will receive \$40 a year in dividends. The checks will be mailed this week.

NOTICE TO COUNTRY CLUB MEMBERS
 As a slight token of our appreciation, our Club has extended an invitation to the Officials and employees (MALE) of The West Texas Utilities to join in a swimming party at the Club Lake on Tuesday, July 14th, 1925 at 6:00 p. m.
 The entire bath house and pool will be turned over to these gentlemen on this time.
 R. G. Erwin, Presi.
 M. J. Atkins, Secy.
 1013rd.

REVIVAL CONTINUES THROUGH ALL THIS WEEK
 There is an increase in interest in each service. Sunday the Sabbath was the greatest day thus far of the revival. Evangelist R. M. Hoeker spoke five different times. At the evening services there were nearly five hundred people present to hear the evangelist. But best of all souls are finding the Lord.
 Misses Cox and Rhodes are singing the glory down. If you fail to hear these young ladies sing you will miss one of the greatest treats Ballinger has had the privilege to hear.
 The subject for the evening hour will be "Paul's Commission to the Gentiles." You cannot well afford to miss it. Come and bring your friends with you.
 "REPORTER"

"HACKBERRY" SLIM TO STAGE RODEO
 Hugh A. Johnson, better known as "Hackberry Slim" is here arranging for a rodeo celebration on July 23rd and 24th. He has arranged with the American Legion to stage his rodeo celebration under the auspices of the local post, and it will be put on at the Fair Park with a program which promises to draw quite a crowd of rodeo fans.
 Mr. Johnson is one of the best known rodeo promoters in the country, and has followed that line of entertaining the public for many years. He claims this section of the country as his home, having spent a good part of his early life in the Wingate country. The show which he proposes to put on here will be given wide publicity and he has already received the promise of some of the best riders and wildest horses and steers in the country.

BRADY COUNCIL VOTES IMPROVEMENTS
 At the regular meeting of the City Council, held on Tuesday night, it was voted to add an 80-gallon per minute capacity pump and a 75 horse power motor to the Brady Volunteer Fire department. Purchase of the new equipment was made through the San Antonio Machine and Supply Co. This is a most commendable action on the part of the City Council, as more equipment is needed by the city. With the placing of the new fire plugs and larger mains, the fire hazard will be greatly reduced in the city.
 A motion was passed granting permission to the committee of


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One of the most beautiful weddings of the season was the marriage of Mr. Towner Dickinson and Miss Dorthis Graf, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Graf.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. W. Bridges in the home of the brides parents at nine o'clock Sunday morning.

The room was decorated artistically with sweet peas, nasturtiums and ferns. The bride was beautifully and simply attired in white georgette with a corsage of sweet peas and ferns.

AMERICAN CAFE NOW GOLDEN'S CAFE

This is to notify former customers of the American Cafe that we have changed the name of the cafe to Golden's Cafe.

S. E. GOLDEN, Prop.

Sheriff Bob Miller, of Paint Rock, took the Santa Fe at Ballinger Sunday afternoon for Beaumont to attend the State Sheriff's Association convention which convenes in that city Tuesday.

All Films received by 9:00 a. m. will be finished by 5:00 p. m. at Partlett's Studio

CHILD FALLS FROM CAR; IS SERIOUSLY HURT

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holder, of Bronte, brought their two year old baby girl to the Halley & Love sanitarium Sunday afternoon, suffering from injuries sustained when the little girl fell from an automobile and was run over by the car.

Mr. Holder was in the act of backing his auto out of the garage when the child fell out and the front wheel of the car passed over the child.

Mr. Holder was chief engineer in charge of the survey for the Colorado River Irrigation project. He spent several months in Ballinger while making the survey and has many friends here.

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E. J. Keen holds the medal, or at least he received the largest amount of cash, for a milk fed calf which he recently sold to Street & Middleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Maddox were among those who attended the Baptist encampment at Christoval

GROWS ALFALFA ON DRY LAND

A bundle of alfalfa which was grown on the P. L. Hayes farm four miles southeast of Abilene without irrigation was brought to the Times office Friday by Mr. Hayes.

The alfalfa was planted two years ago as an experiment and has proven to be a successful crop on upland, having made four crops last year on the natural rain fall.

C. A. Doose was looking after business in Menard and the Devils River country last Friday. He reports good conditions in Concho county, and says the range is in fine shape.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Shepherd and Mrs. J. G. Douglass visited Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Luckett and Mrs. E. L. Rasbury at San Angelo, Sunday afternoon.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine

Those who are in a "run down" condition will notice that Catarrh bothers them much more than when they are in good health.

Dr. Alvin Swindell and family came home from Christoval Sunday and Dr. Swindell preached Sunday at the Baptist church and returned to the encampment where he will assist in conducting the encampment in the absence of Dr. Fry who was called away.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE First National Bank

at Ballinger, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30th, 1925.

RESOURCES

Table listing resources of the First National Bank, including loans and discounts, other banks' acceptances, U.S. government securities, and other assets. Total resources: \$804,321.73

LIABILITIES

Table listing liabilities of the First National Bank, including capital stock, surplus fund, undivided profits, reserves, and deposits. Total liabilities: \$804,321.73

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Runnels, ss: I, R. G. Erwin, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of July, 1925. HARRY LYNN, Notary Public. CORRECT—Attest: D. M. Baker, J. McGregor, A. J. Thorp, Directors.

RECAPITULATION

Summary table of resources and liabilities, showing a total of \$804,321.73 for both sides.

THE OLD WEST IN ROUND-UP

Hugh A. ("Hackberry Slim") Johnson, a name that is known in every locality in the county where horses are bred or cattle raised—"Hackberry Slim" of Coke and Runnels counties, has entered into a contract with the American Legion post of Ballinger to stage a monster celebration and rodeo here on July 24th and 25th.

Mr. Johnson was raised in Runnels and Coke counties, where he worked as a cowboy for years, and has been noted for a considerable time as a horseman. He stated that he would put on one of the best and biggest shows ever staged West of Fort Worth. "Hackberry" has just closed a three-day engagement at Coleman where crowds were turned away every day at the gate, and it is stated by both American Legion officials and Mr. Johnson that the show here will contain many features not found in the usual rodeo. Concession men are already asking for space at the celebration.

"Hackberry Slim" has a collection of man-hating outlawed horses gathered from western ranches specially for rodeo attractions, some of these broncs have a reputation as long as a search warrant and will test the skill of the best of the local cow punchers. Names of some of the outlaws suggest violent names of ridding themselves of their riders, such as "Accident," "Fade-Away-Dun," "Buster Brown," "Billie H," "Pop Eyes," "I B Dam," "He'll Do," and the "Pecos Paint," who threw all of the boys West of the Pecos River, and was captured in the wilds of the Future Two Ranch at Van Horn, Texas.

There are twelve men in the "Hackberry Slim" outfit, consisting of ropers, bull-doggers, and riders. Riders in the celebration in Ballinger will be some of the best who ever mounted the hurricane deck of a bucking horse.

The Pat Williams Post, American Legion, of Ballinger deserves the consideration and support of the entire citizenship of Ballinger and vicinity for staging shows of this nature, the "Hackberry Slim" rodeo being conceded as the cleanest and most moral show of the kind in America. The Legion will get a good per cent of the proceeds.

A number of novelty events will be put on that have never before been presented in this county, such as the Western Relay act, novelty races, riding or bucking buffaloes, etc. "Hackberry Slim" announces that he will put up a \$25.00 purse to go to any cowboy who will ride "Chihuahua" the notorious buffalo carried in

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WRIGLEYS

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Ed Schawe, of Eagle Pass, Miss. Louise Schawe, of Dallas and Miss Willidell Schawe, of Denver, are here on a visit to their mother, Mrs. A. Schawe. Mr. Schawe says Eagle Pass is in good financial condition as it draws most of its trade from Piedras Negras, Mexico, just across the Rio Grande in Mexico and from Eagle Pass. Piedras Negras is a coal mining town of about 18,000 population.

Order of Eastern Star
Regular meeting Monday evening at eight o'clock. All members urged to attend; visitors invited.

Mrs. Willie Walker, W. M.
Mrs. Flora Sims, Secy.

the show. Many local boys will be invited to take part in the liberal cash prize events to be staged for the best riders and ropers, and bull-doggers. Among cowmen who will probably take part in the two-day and night celebration are Stan Cameron, Lottie Farris, Ben Morgan, Harp McFarland, Arthur Dooze, Chas. Allen and Bob Tarbell. "No one will be barred in this rodeo," said Mr. Johnson, "and we want the best men of their class to compete for the prizes."

That the celebration would be staged in a clean, moral manner, was emphasized by both Mr. Johnson and the Legion officials, who stated that there would be none of the objectionable features usually found in cheap, wild west shows of carnivals and circuses. "It will just be the old West in round-up," said Mr. Johnson, in speaking of the rodeo to be offered during the celebration here.

GROCERS TO PLAY LUMBER MEN TUES.
The grocers of the city, who defeated the dry goods men in a baseball game last week, will take on the lumbermen Tuesday evening at 6:00 o'clock in Fair Park. The lumbermen won from the hardwaremen last week, in the city series, and now these two fast teams will hook up in what promises to be a fast fracas.

Other games will be played this week between teams representing various lines of business. The West Texas Utilities Co., has asked permission to work out this afternoon in the park, and may be matched with the champion Harwell Motor Co. club. A game has also been sought by the Humble Pipe Line station crew. All of these organizations contain men who have played fast baseball, and should furnish some rare sport for the fans.

PECAN SPRINGS PICNIC
A big basket picnic will be held at Pecan Springs on Thursday, July 16th. There will be various amusements including goat riding, baseball, etc. Everybody is invited to come and join in the event.

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Fred Weilerhusen and family will leave Tuesday morning for Lampasas, where they will attend a Baptist encampment which is convening at that place. They will be gone several days visiting relatives and friends while on the trip.

Movies

Man-Woman Team Best in Making of Photo Dramas

That the best pictures are the result of scenarios written by both sexes is the belief of the noted director, Phil Rosen, who won fame through his "Albion Lincoln" film.

"When I took 'The Bridge of Sighs' for directing, one of the first things I did was to have Hope Loring and Louis Daryen Lighton take charge of the continuity. My reason was a desire to get the male and female angle on every situation in this absorbing story written by the song writer, Charles K. Harris."

"The Bridge of Sighs" is a Warner Bros. Classic of the screen featuring Dorothy Mackaill. It will be shown at the Queen Theatre today and tomorrow.

William Mong in "What Shall I Do?"

William V. Mong who plays an important part in "What Shall I Do?" the new Frank Woods production, starring Dorothy Mackaill, which is playing at the Fo-to-sho Theatre today and tomorrow, is a veteran of both the stage and screen. He played on the speaking stage for eighteen years during which he starred in "The Clay Baker," "The House Next Door," "The Light in the

Window," and "The Divorce Question." His screen career extends over a dozen years. His pictures include "The Turning Point," "Porrod and Sam," "The Name is Woman," and others.

In "What Shall I Do?" he lives up to his reputation as one of the screen's foremost character actors.

W. W. Wood, of Hays county, was here Monday en route home from a trip to the Plains country. Mr. Wood stopped off here in the lookout for grass for cattle. He

says that conditions in Hays and Travis counties could not be worse. "Our feed crop is a complete failure," said Mr. Wood, "and stockmen are shipping out their cattle." Mr. Wood stated that conditions in the Plains country were pretty good.

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