

CAREER OF DR. T. J. RATLIFF, PIONEER PHYSICIAN, ENDED

FINAL TRIBUTE PAID ON TUESDAY TO MAN WHO DUBBED HIMSELF 'A COUNTRY DOCTOR'

Death has ended the career of Dr. T. J. Ratliff, 70, pioneer Colorado physician who often described himself as "a country doctor and proud of it." Dr. Ratliff succumbed at a local hospital Sunday at 12:30 noon from a heart condition aggravated by a recent illness of flu.

Dr. Ratliff had been practicing in Colorado for 33 years. He was the last of the doctors who knew the frontier hardships of Colorado's early days.

The sixteenth child in a large family, Dr. Ratliff was born near Glory, Texas, in Lamar county on Nov. 16, 1868, and received his early education in a one-room country school. He entered the St. Louis College of Physicians and Surgeons in September, 1893. His license to practice was issued on June 4, 1895.

His first practice was in Glory. Most of his travel was on horseback because only a horse could negotiate the blackland roads, but when rains came and the black mud was deep he donned overhauls and walked, following the weed-grown fence rows.

Dr. Ratliff was married on Dec. 29, 1897, to Fannie Kirkpatrick of Glory. They lived at Glory until March, 1906, when they came to Colorado. His first surgical case here, he often recalled, was an appendectomy performed in a room on the third floor of the old St. James hotel. He was the first Colorado doctor to buy and use a car.

During the World War he was secretary and medical examiner for the Mitchell county draft board and was appointed by President Wilson as a first lieutenant in the medical reserve corps. He served prior to 1935 as president of the Mid-West Texas Medical association. He was both city and county health officer.

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DR. E. W. BERTNER, HEAD OF STATE DOCTORS, VISITS HERE BRIEFLY

Stopping here while enroute to Big Spring to address a six-county medical meeting, Dr. E. W. Bertner of Houston, former Coloradoan who now heads the Texas State Medical association, visited Joe Smoot and other old friends for a few hours Thursday.

Dr. Bertner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bertner of Little Rock, Arkansas. Mr. and Mrs. Bertner were prominent early-day residents of Colorado, moving away about 30 years ago. Mr. Bertner is an insurance company executive.

Accompanying Dr. Bertner on his visit here was Dr. Holman Taylor of Fort Worth, secretary of the Texas State Medical association. Both addressed a session of the Six-County Medical society at Big Spring on Thursday night. The session opened with a banquet at the Settles hotel.

Dr. Bertner's address was on "Socialization of Medicine" and Dr. Taylor spoke along the same lines. Dr. Bertner has been carrying on an active campaign against the move to socialize medicine.

Listed among guests at the banquet was Dr. W. S. Rhoads of Colorado.

BISHOP SEAMAN TO VISIT ALL SAINTS' ON SUNDAY EVENING

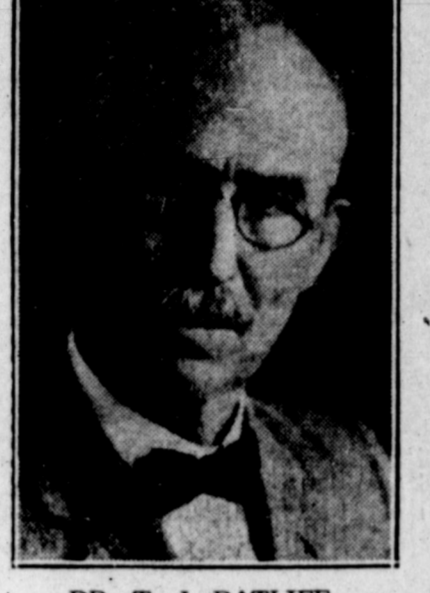
Rev. E. Cecil Seaman, bishop of the North Texas Missionary district of the Protestant Episcopal church, will visit All Saints' Episcopal church here Sunday evening, conducting services at 7:30.

A full attendance of the church membership is requested and visitors will be welcome. The bishop will visit here until Monday afternoon.

COLORADO GETS 20 PER CENT CREDIT ON FIRE RECORD

A 20% credit rating on fire insurance was again awarded Colorado by the state fire insurance commission Wednesday. Last year's rating was the same.

CAREER ENDED



DR. T. J. RATLIFF (Story in Column 1)

CAR LICENSES CAN BE BOUGHT NOW AND PLACED ON CARS AFTER MARCH 1

Car licenses for 1939 are now on sale at the office of Bruce Hart, county tax assessor-collector, it was announced this week.

It is illegal to place the licenses on vehicles before March 1, and they must be on after April 1, Hart says. This rule is somewhat different from that observed last year, when licenses could not be put on cars before April 1 but had to be on after April 1.

Hart hopes that a number of car owners will buy licenses early in order to avoid the usual last-minute rush. He suggests that time and trouble will be saved if car owners will bring their 1938 license receipts along when buying the new ones.

LIONS HEAR TALKS ON FAT STOCK SHOW AND CHILD WELFARE WORK

Talks on child welfare and on the Mitchell County Fat Stock show were heard at the Lions club luncheon Friday.

Miss Fern Carril, supervisor of the Nolan county child welfare board, talked to the club on child welfare work in her county. She was introduced to the club by Monte Crawford.

B. J. Baskin, county farm agent, made the fat stock show talk, telling of plans for the exhibition this Thursday and Friday. Jake Merritt reported on a district meeting at Anson, and W. W. Porter thanked the club in behalf of the Boy Scouts for the Boy Scout banquet recently sponsored by the club.

1939 DOG TAGS HERE; CAMPAIGN LAUNCHED

Dog license tags for 1939 have been received at the office of the city secretary, according to Mayor J. A. Sadler, and all dogs should be tagged as soon as possible.

The city is launching another campaign to get rid of all untagged dogs, the mayor reminded.

TEMPLE DICKSON HERE

R. Temple Dickson of Sweetwater, representative for the 117th district in the Texas legislature, was in Colorado Saturday visiting with citizens of this area.

BREEDERS AS WELL AS FEEDERS ARE IN LIMELIGHT AS FAT STOCK SHOW IS HELD

Although the limelight of the Mitchell County Fat Stock show which is now in progress in the exhibit barn at the Colorado City Frontier Round-up grounds, plays mostly on the 4-H club and FFA boys who have fed the animals, the men who bred these animals should come in for their share of credit, according to F. C. Shillingburg, head of the vocational agriculture department of Colorado High school. This department is furnishing the greater part of the show animals.

Shillingburg's FFA boys are showing calves bred by the following: Chester Jones, A. B. Erwin, Dave

HEARING ON TRAIN DISCONTINUANCE IS SLATED FOR TUESDAY

BIG SPRING EXPECTED TO JOIN COLORADO IN PROTEST

Hearing on the application of the Texas & Pacific railroad to discontinue two daily passenger trains between Big Spring and Sweetwater has been set for the railroad commission for Tuesday, it was announced Saturday.

Protest against the discontinuance of the trains, both of which give Colorado afternoon service, has been voted by the Colorado chamber of commerce and filed with the railroad commission. Big Spring has been making plans to join in the protest. Sweetwater has elected not to protest.

One of the trains originates in Big Spring and arrives in Colorado, going east, at 1:57 p.m. The other originates in Fort Worth and arrives here at a little past three, going on west to terminate in Big Spring.

In applying for permission to discontinue the two trains, the railroad company is maintaining that the two trains lost \$23,000 last year, with the run between Sweetwater and Big Spring accounting for \$19,000 of the loss.

COLORADO WOLVES WIN FOURTH PLACE IN DISTRICT PLAY

Jack Christian's Wolves won fourth place in district interscholastic basketball games played in Big Spring Friday and Saturday.

Ablene's powerful Eagles took the championship for the second straight year by defeating Sweetwater 34-14 Saturday evening.

The Wolves came near defeating Sweetwater in the semi-finals, the score being 20-20 with only two minutes to go. Sweetwater's Mustangs pulled out ahead at that point, however, and took the match, 25-20.

Ablene had walloped Forsan in their semi-final match. Colorado and Forsan played off for third place and Forsan won, 28-20.

The Wolves drew a bye in the first round and then defeated Highland in the second round Friday evening.

Regional games are to be played in Abilene this week-end.

ANSON MINISTER TO PREACH HERE SUNDAY

Cecil Hill, Church of Christ minister from Anson, is to preach at the local Church of Christ at both the morning and evening hours Sunday.

Woody Holden, local minister, will fill Hill's pulpit for the day.

ILLNESS KEEPS WATSON FROM ACC BOARD MEET

Illness prevented J. W. Watson from attending the Abilene Christian college board meeting in Abilene Wednesday. Watson has served on the board for several years.

At the meeting Jas. F. Cox was reelected president with Don Morris as vice-president.

HERE FROM AUSTIN

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mayes of Austin and little son, Jackie, spent the week-end in Colorado and Lorraine, visiting friends and relatives. The Mayes were accompanied by Billie True Templeton, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brashear.

EVERY COLORADOAN SHOULD ATTEND MASS MEETING ON TUESDAY

AN EDITORIAL

Every person who is truly interested in the progress and betterment of Colorado should attend the mass meeting which has been arranged for Tuesday night in the district courtroom.

At this meeting the possibilities and terms of the WPA residential paving project which has been hanging fire here for a number of months will be thoroughly aired. The time has come when Colorado must either take advantage of the terms of this project or allow it to be definitely cancelled.

Similar projects are being carried out in other towns no richer and no larger than Colorado—carried out at almost nominal costs to the property owners. Men from these towns will be present at the mass meeting, ready to answer any questions Coloradoans wish to put.

Coloradoans ought to look into this matter. They ought to learn the real facts, and then get strongly behind whatever move they consider best for our own town.

No one denies that Colorado needs more paved streets. No one denies that the terms of this WPA project are the most generous which can be expected from any source, any time. No one can honestly deny Colorado's ability to do what other towns are doing.

In the past Colorado has often missed opportunities because its people failed to fully comprehend what the opportunities were. Attendance at the Tuesday night mass meeting will be insurance against that being the case this time.

FINANCE DRIVE FOR BOY SCOUTS BEING LAUNCHED

Drive to raise finances for carrying on Boy Scout work in the Colorado district another year is being launched this week in Colorado by Jack Penrose of Big Spring, field executive for the Buffalo Trails council, Boy Scouts of America, and C. W. Cook, local Boy Scout treasurer.

In connection with the drive Penrose Wednesday outlined the ways in which each dollar subscribed is used.

Each dollar, Penrose pointed out, is divided thus: 15 cents for scouting activities, 10 cents for camping, 25 cents for field service, 10 cents for cubbing, 11 cents for general administration, 10 cents for leadership training and education, 4 cents for badges and supplies, 3 cents for telephone, telegraph, and postage, 3 cents for national service, 9 cents for registration, records, accounting, research, and statistics.

SKIT HONORING DR. COLEMAN PRESENTED ON STATE NETWORK

Tribute to the memory of Dr. P. C. Coleman was paid in a dramatized episode presented over the Texas State Network-Sunday afternoon at 2:45.

The skit was first presented from the Lubbock radio station several weeks ago by students in the Texas Tech speech department. The 15-minute program was one in a series of "Salute to the Pioneers" broadcasts.

GOODWILL DINNER AT WESTBROOK ON FRIDAY, MARCH 3

Business men of Colorado will hold their March goodwill dinner at the school gymnasium in Westbrook on Friday night, March 4. It was announced this week by H. B. Spence, manager of the chamber of commerce.

Dinner will be served by the Westbrook P-TA with Mrs. Jeff Jones as president. Each Colorado man attending will have a resident of Westbrook as his special guest.

MASS MEETING TO BE HELD TUESDAY ON CITY PAVING

PROPERTY OWNERS FROM NEARBY TOWNS ARE TO EXPLAIN HOW PROJECT CAN BE OPERATED

A mass meeting of Colorado property owners to discuss the matter of paving several residential streets has been arranged for 7:30 Tuesday evening in the district courtroom.

This is another move in the campaign to enable Colorado to take advantage of the city-wide WPA paving project before it is allowed to lapse. The project was approved some time ago.

Property owners from nearby towns which have paved recently with the help of WPA funds will be present at the meeting and will explain the methods used by their towns in putting the projects over.

Types of paving being considered and all details of costs and construction will be fully explained at the meeting.

All property owners and all other interested persons are urged to be present.

LIONS TO OBSERVE RE-DEDICATION TO DEMOCRACY IDEALS

Plans are being made by the Colorado Lions club to join other Lions clubs of the nation in observing a "re-dedication to democracy" program at their regular luncheon, Friday, according to Jake Richardson, president.

Lions Re-dedication week was set to coincide with the birthday week of George Washington, according to Richardson, who has been in communication with Lions International in regard to plans for the week.

Earl Cypert, chairman, and other members of the February program committee of the Lions club, are working out the program to be observed locally. On the committee with Cypert are Earl Bibby and Ford Merritt.

O. LAMBETH AND SON BUY OUT COLORADO MILLING COMPANY

It was announced this week that O. Lambeth & Son have bought out the interests of U. G. Hardison and others in the Colorado Milling company and will operate the mill under the name of O. Lambeth & Son.

The senior Lambeth lives at Lamesa at present but is a former Coloradoan. His son, Harold, is associated with him.

O. Lambeth said this week that his plant will manufacture and carry in stock a full line of dairy feeds of all kinds, mixed and rationed.

MORE THAN A DOZEN INDICTMENTS ARE RETURNED BY GRAND JURY AS COURT IS OPENED; HYMAN-SCOTT CASE UNDERWAY

More than a dozen indictments were returned by the grand jury Wednesday night as it ended its first session of the Mitchell county term of 32nd district court which opened in Colorado Monday morning.

While the grand jury prepared its indictments, Judge A. S. Mauzey was hearing the case of Mrs. Sara Minna Hyman vs. Bob Scott for an accounting of the handling of certain estate affairs. The case was still in progress Thursday noon and gave indication of continuing well into Friday.

WALLACE BRINGS IN ONE OF BEST AMONG NEW WELLS

NO. 4 A. M. BELL FLOWS 257.83 BARRELS IN 24 HOURS

One of the best among recent wells in the east Howard county field was brought in last week by R. J. Wallace, Colorado independent operator, when he completed his No. 4 A. M. Bell in the Dodge-Denman (Latan-East Howard) field.

The well made a 24-hour flow of 257.83 barrels of 31 gravity oil. It was shot with 550 quarts of nitroglycerin. Pay was topped at 2,630 feet, and the well drilled ahead to 2,850 feet before being shot.

Location is 2,310 feet from the north line and 1,980 from the west line of section 12-30-15-T&P. The well is now cleaning out. This well makes four producers for Wallace on the Bell lease.

LEONARD HENDERSON IS MADE MANAGER OF LOCAL HICKS STORE

Leonard Henderson, long-time resident of Colorado and for the past four years assistant manager of Hicks Rubber company, has been made manager of the local Hicks store.

Henderson succeeds W. M. Moseley, who died recently.

Associated with Henderson will be A. M. Athey, recently of San Antonio. Athey will be in charge of the office department. Athey has been connected with the Hicks company for the past three years in the capacity of factory representative.

Athey and his wife arrived in Colorado the latter part of last week.

SCHOOL CENSUS TAKING STARTS NEXT WEDNESDAY

Taking of the school census in the Colorado Independent school district and in other districts over the county will begin Wednesday, March 1, and continues through March 31.

John E. Watson, superintendent of Colorado schools, issued a request this week that all parents of children who will be six on or before Sept. 1, 1939, or who will not be over 17 on that date, see to it that their children are enrolled on the census some time during March.

Those who have children arriving at school age for the first time are most likely to be missed, Watson warns. Mrs. Chas. Brazil is to take the census in the Colorado district, and she may be contacted by phone at her home.

PRIVATE WESTERN UNION WIRE AT THE COL-TEX

A private wire and teleprinter were installed by Western Union at the Col-Tex refinery last week, according to L. M. Guest, local Western Union manager.

Tom Maroney of Dallas was here to supervise the installation.

MITCHELL COUNTY FAT STOCK SHOW GETTING UNDERWAY

CLIMAX DUE FRIDAY AT 9 A. M. WHEN JUDGING BEGINS; AUCTION TO BE AT 1 P. M.

With its climax scheduled for 9 o'clock Friday morning when judging will take place, the second annual exhibition of the Mitchell County Livestock association is getting underway today (Thursday).

The setting is the gleaming new show barn recently completed on the grounds of the Colorado City Frontier Round-up association. Practically all booths in the barn have been filled by the nearly 85 animals entered in the show by 4-H and FFA boys of Mitchell county and ranchers of the county.

P. K. Mackey has charge of general arrangements. Dr. R. D. Bridgford heads the finance committee which has raised funds to cover the show expenses and supply the over \$200 in cash prizes. H. B. Spence, manager of the chamber of commerce, is acting as secretary-treasurer of the show, which is sponsored by his organization.

Sifting of animals began at 1 o'clock Thursday with John Simpson of Fort Worth, livestock agent for the Texas & Pacific, in charge.

Judging at 9 o'clock Friday morning will be done by R. M. Milhollin of San Angelo, government soil conservationist.

Auctioning of 4-H and FFA animals passed by the sifting committee will begin at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon with Sam Wulfjen as auctioneer.

Future Farmer students of F. C. Shillingburg at Colorado are supplying the bulk of the show. Several good animals were entered by C. V. Cox's Future Farmers from Westbrook High school, however, the best animals having been selected at a project show held in Westbrook on Wednesday. Lorraine FFA boys and their instructor, Ed F. Brown, will attend the show but will have no animals to show, since the Lorraine FFA department was only launched in September. B. J. Baskin's 4-H club boys entered both calves and hogs.

The 4-H and FFA part of the show includes divisions for milk fed and dry lot steers, both heavy and light; fine fat wool lambs; heavy and light barrows. There is only one class of calves in the ranchers' division, which is a new addition to the show.

FREE PICTURE SHOW TO BE GIVEN MONDAY BY ALLIS-CHALMERS

An eight-reel free picture show is to be given at the Palace theater Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock under the sponsorship of Walker Brothers, local Allis-Chalmers dealers.

Farmers and their families are especially invited to attend. The show will be both entertaining and instructive.

Added features will be McKee's string band and drawing for valuable prizes.

ELEVEN LIONS VISIT ROBERT LEE CLUB AS IT RECEIVES CHARTER

Eleven members of the Colorado Lions club went to Robert Lee Tuesday night to see the new Robert Lee Lions club receive its charter.

Colorado had next to the largest delegation attending. Jake Richardson, son, president of the local club, brought greetings from Colorado. Other towns represented were San Angelo, Sterling City, Ballinger, Winters, Sweetwater, and Bronte.

Attending from here in addition to Richardson were: John E. Watson, A. L. McSpadden, Dr. Oscar Rhode, Nat Thomas, C. D. Hornberger, W. W. Porter, Dr. R. D. Bridgford, Frank Ramsdell, Jack Christian, and H. B. Spence.

J. B. PRITCHETT OPENS PLUMBING & TIN SHOP

A plumbing and tin shop has been opened by J. B. Pritchett on West Second street, just opposite the Grable Service station.

Pritchett said this week that he will give special attention to repair work.

SOCIETY

MRS. JEWEL BARRETT
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would appreciate report of all social and club meetings, as early as possible, and all such reports must be phoned in not later than Wednesday afternoon each week.

Stitch-And-Chatter At Clanton Home

The Stitch-and-Chatter club was entertained by Mrs. Joyce Clanton Friday, having 12 members and two guests present.

The guests were Mrs. Bert Fry and Mrs. Agnes Tidwell. Cookies and coffee were served. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. H. Clark.

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Local Clubwomen Attend Institute

Twelve Colorado clubwomen attended the club institute held for the sixth district, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, in Sweetwater last Thursday.

Best representation among local clubs was from the 1921 Study Club, which had the following in attendance: Mesdames H. B. Broadus, C. L. Root, P. K. Mackey, Ed Jones, Sr., Johnny Rector, Ray Womack, C. C. Thompson, and W. W. Rhode.

Next was the Zetaganian club, with Mrs. Jack Cox, Mrs. Hunt Gultar, Mrs. A. E. McClain, and Mrs. John Shropshire in attendance.

Mrs. J. G. Merritt attended from the Hesperian club, Mrs. C. P. Gary from the Self Culture.

Philathea Class Has Its February Meeting

February meeting of the Philathea class of First Methodist church was held in the Sunday school rooms with Mrs. James Payne, Mrs. Eddie Plyland, and Mrs. E. B. Willbanks as hostesses.

Games were played and refreshments served at the social hour. Fourteen were present, including the teacher, Mrs. J. T. Pritchett.

Churchwomen Of Town Observing All-Day Program

Women representing five churches of Colorado and a number of rural churches will gather at First Christian church at 10:30 Friday morning to observe an all-day world prayer program. Women of all churches are invited.

Mrs. Leslie Crowder will lead the program, which will have for its theme this statement: "Let us put our love into deeds—and make it real." Mrs. Ray Womack will be pianist for the day and Mrs. James Payne will lead the singing.

The Baptist church will be represented on the program by Mrs. Lee Lavender, the Presbyterian by Mrs. Jerold Riordan, All Saints Episcopal by Mrs. Roy Buchanan, and the Methodist by Mrs. W. W. Rhode.

Mrs. N. H. White will sing a solo. Mrs. W. W. Porter and Mrs. R. P. Tandy will also have part on the program.

A covered dish luncheon will be served.

Presbyterian Women Have Circle Meetings

Circle meetings were held by women of First Presbyterian church Monday afternoon, Circle One meeting with Mrs. A. E. Madden and Circle Two with Mrs. Charles Womack.

Both circles studied home missions. Mrs. J. A. Sadler was a social hour guest at the Womack home.

Several From Here To Sorority Meeting

Several Mitchell county members of Delta Kappa Gamma, national honorary sorority for women teachers, were in Rotan Sunday to attend a meeting of Beta Epsilon chapter at the home of Estelle Patterson.

Mrs. Rees Jones led Delta Kappa Gamma songs. Mrs. Charles Brazil talked on "Discrimination Against Married Women Teachers." Pearl Traylor gave a report of the scholarship committee.

Members attending from Mitchell county were Hilma Joyce, Winnie Fae Cressett, Mary Kent, Edith Wilkerson, Cal Yates, Vada Cole, and Pearl Traylor. Mesdames Rees Jones, Charles Brazil, and J. E. Watson.

Bridgettes Meet With Mrs. Dorn

Most recent meeting of the Bridgettes was at the home of Mrs. Bill Dorn, who arranged three tables with valentine appointments and decorations.

Mrs. Jake Richardson won hose for high score. A salad course was served to the following:

Mesdames Richardson, Austin Bush, Randolph, McEntire, Chas. Mann, Jr., R. H. Cantrill, Frank Kelley, Arlie Taylor, Henry Hovis, Lester Manning, A. L. McSpadden, Jenks Powell, and Clay Smith.

Leroy Shepherd And Sweetwater Girl Wed

Announcement of the marriage of Leroy Shepherd of Colorado to Dorothy Hughry of Sweetwater was made Tuesday.

The wedding took place in Roscoe on Feb. 14.

Mrs. Shepherd was reared in Sweetwater. Mr. Shepherd is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Shepherd of Colorado. He is a graduate of Colorado High school, and is employed in the Pritchett grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd are at home in Mrs. Ben Plaster's apartment.

Study Of Methodist Women Is Continued

Taking up the fourth and fifth chapters in their study book, "The Inevitable Advance," twenty Methodist women met at the church Monday afternoon.

Rev. C. M. Epps taught the fourth chapter, dealing with "Progress and Organization for Missionary Work." Mrs. C. C. Thompson had the fifth chapter on "Becoming More Christian."

Circle meetings were held at the close of the study. Plans are to conclude the book next Monday.

UDC Planning For District Meeting Here Early In May

Plans for a meeting of district two of the U. D. C. of Texas to be held in Colorado in early May were discussed when the local chapter met Tuesday with Mrs. C. L. Root in her newly re-modeled home.

Mrs. C. C. Thompson, president of the local chapter, is also chairman of district two, which covers a wide territory.

The chapter selected Gloria Martin as its candidate for princess at the Pine festival to be held in Georgia. An offering was taken for the bronze statue of Jefferson Davis being erected in Montgomery, Ala.

Mrs. Hal Bennett was thanked for typing the programs.

Mrs. Hubert Smith led the ritual and Miss Mabel Smith led the lesson on Virginia. Topics were by Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Hubert Smith, and Mrs. J. G. Merritt. Mrs. Hubert Smith invited the members to the state D.A.R. meeting in Abilene March 16, 17, and 18.

Gingerbread made by a recipe said to have been used in the George Washington household was served with whipped cream and cherries, following a salad course. Little hats were favors. The March meeting will be with Mrs. C. P. Gary.

Merry Wives Meet With Mrs. Watson

Carrying out a George Washington motif, Mrs. John E. Watson was hostess to the Merry Wives on Wednesday afternoon.

Guests were Mesdames J. Lee Jones, W. W. Rhode, Dick Gregory, E. A. Barcroft, and D. C. Hendricks. Members playing were Mesdames Otto Jones, Sam Wulfjen, E. H. Winn, C. C. Thompson, J. M. Doss, Roy Warren, J. L. Pidgeon, P. K. Mackey, W. L. Doss, Jr., Earl Jackson, Ed Jones, Sr., R. P. Rose, Vivian Shropshire, and J. C. Ethridge.

The club voted to fine members failing to call each other by first names. Individual cherry pies were served with tea.

TO ABILENE
Mrs. H. H. Simons, Mrs. Frank Kelley, and Mrs. Bob May were in Abilene Monday.

W. J. (Mumps) Wallace and Louise Atkinson Married At Sterling City

The marriage of Wesley James (Mumps) Wallace of Colorado to Louise Atkinson of Sterling City took place at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at the Atkinson home in Sterling City.

The Rev. Bruce Cox, Methodist pastor, performed the ring ceremony in the presence of 25 relatives and friends of the couple.

Anna Lee Pearce, pianist, played the "Lohengrin" wedding music for the entrance of the wedding party and "I Love You Truly" during the service. The bride was given in marriage by R. J. Wallace.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was her sister, Mrs. J. S. Cole, Jr. Best man to the bridegroom was his brother, Don Wallace of Lubbock.

The bride wore a costume suit in beige wool fleeced with brown and designed with a blue fox collar. Her blouse, hat, and gloves were in light blue and her other accessories were in navy. She wore a strins of gold beads given her by the bridegroom as a wedding present and carried a bridal bouquet of sweetheart roses and sweet peas.

The wedding party stood before an improvised altar of fern and spring flowers, the fireplace forming the background. Fern banded the mantle. Tall floor baskets, filled with peach-colored gladioluses, stood at each end of the altar.

An informal reception followed the ceremony. A three-tiered wedding cake occupied one end of the lace-covered dining table. White tapers in

silver holders centered the board. Mrs. Don Wallace served the cake, and Mrs. Ira Q. Mayhew of Brady, aunt of the bride, presided at the coffee service.

The couple left immediately after the service for Colorado, and after a brief stay here went on to Monahans, where they will make their home. Mr. Wallace is connected with the Standard Oil company there, having recently been transferred from Westbrook.

Mr. Wallace is the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wallace of Colorado. He was reared here. After finishing Colorado High school he studied geology for three years at Texas Technological college, Lubbock, where he belonged to the Wrangler club.

Mrs. Wallace is the daughter of Mrs. J. B. Atkinson and the late Mr. Atkinson, long-time residents of Sterling City. She is a graduate of Sterling High school and, like her husband, attended Texas Tech. She was a member of Las Chapparitas while in Tech.

Among out-of-town guests at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wallace of Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Don Wallace of Lubbock; Mrs. Ira Q. Mayhew and daughter, Mina Lou, of Brady; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Dubois of near Colorado, maternal grandparents of the bridegroom; Carl Shelton of Big Spring; John Morgan Hale and Mr. and Mrs. Brady Warren of Colorado.

78th Birthday Of Mrs. Jameson Marked Sunday

Surrounded by children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren from all over the state, Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Jameson, pioneer of southern Mitchell county, celebrated her 78th birthday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. John Walker, on Sunday.

Mrs. Jameson is the wife of the late W. G. Jameson of Silver. She has lived in the same home at Silver for 51 years. She and her only son, Fred Jameson, now live there together.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Jameson and children from Boyer, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Day and son of Pampa, W. B. Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. Dib Compton and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Turney Jameson, all of Fritch; Mrs. Jettie Tubb and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hipp of Blackwell; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jameson and sons Mr. and Mrs. Merl Jameson of Cuthbert; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Jameson and daughter of Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell of Sango; Fred Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jameson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jahew Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Humble, Arthur and Fred Humble, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker, Jr., all of Silver; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wimborg and son of San Angelo.

Twelve o'clock dinner was served to 58. A tiered birthday cake with 78 candles centered the table.

'FEMININE INFLUENCE' TURNS OUT JUST FINE FOR HYMAN CAGE TEAM

The "feminine" influence turned out just fine for the Hyman boys' cage team last week.

The boys are coached by a woman, Della Matthews, principal of Hyman school. They entered the county interscholastic league rural basketball tournament here last Friday, and waded through a field of man-coached teams to take the county championship.

They even took one game with only four players on the court.

Players on the Hyman team are James Colebank, Horace Fowler, Merritt Lee Andrews, Ernest Rawlings, and Glenn Johnson.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MATRON IS HONORED BY OES

Members of the local Eastern Star chapter entertained their district deputy grand matron, Mrs. Ruby Read of Big Spring, on her official visit last Thursday night.

Mrs. Read was accompanied by a Mrs. McCormick of Big Spring. Special degree work was put on. Mrs. Read reported on Eastern Star work over the district. Mrs. M. L. Kirschbaum presented her with a gift in behalf of the local chapter.

About 30 were in attendance, according to Mrs. A. F. King, worthy matron. Refreshments were in charge of Mrs. Dick Delaney, while Mrs. Kirschbaum took registrations. Mrs. Read and Mrs. McCormick were dinner guests Thursday night in the home of Judge and Mrs. A. F. King, preceding the chapter meeting.

MRS. DAN S. PARKS, EARLY COLORADOAN, DIES IN WYOMING

Word of the death of Mrs. Dan S. Parks, 72, one of Colorado's earliest residents, at her home in Cheyenne, Wyoming, on Feb. 12 has been received by Col. and Mrs. C. M. Adams of Colorado.

Mr. Parks established the jewelry business now owned by J. P. Majors early in the eighties. He was the first Colorado employer of Col. C. M. Adams. Mr. Parks died about a year ago.

Mrs. Parks was the former Minnie Wessels, and she and Mr. Parks were married here in 1885. They moved away many years ago. She was buried in Denver, Colorado, beside her husband and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wessels. Mr. Wessels was an early-day stockman here.

Three sons survive Mrs. Parks, one having died.

H. B. WILSON, FATHER OF TWO COLORADOANS DIED MONDAY MORNING

Losing a gallant battle for life, H. B. Wilson, 77, of Lorraine, father of Mrs. L. B. Elliott and Edna Wilson of Colorado, succumbed at his home in Lorraine Monday morning.

Mr. Wilson had undergone surgery in a Roscoe hospital for a ruptured appendix some 10 days before his death. Pneumonia later developed. At his own earnest request he was moved to his home in Lorraine last Thursday.

He was born in Moulton county, Ala., on December 2, 1861, and was married in Lander county, Ala., on Dec. 28, 1887 to Della Sandlin. He and his wife came to Texas in 1903, living in Parker county for a time. They moved to Lorraine in 1905. Their golden wedding was observed in December, 1937.

Survivors are his wife and eight children: Mrs. L. B. Elliott and Edna Wilson of Colorado; T. C. Wilson, Mrs. D. F. Butler, Mrs. E. M. Bruce, and Mrs. M. J. Martin, all of Lorraine; Dewey C. Wilson of Roscoe; Clyde Wilson of Fort Stockton.

Two brothers also survive, these being Everett Wilson of Halesburg, Ala., and Chas. Wilson of Nashville, Tenn.

A number of Coloradoans attended the funeral held from the Lorraine Methodist church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. E. Sheevert, Rev. Hamilton Wright, and Rev. M. H. Godfrey officiated. Burial was in the Lorraine cemetery.

Kiker & Son of Colorado had charge of arrangements.

18th Anniversary Of 1921 Study Club Observed On Friday

Gathering in the recently re-decorated home of Mrs. A. C. Anderson Friday afternoon, members of the 1921 Study club celebrated the 18th anniversary of their club's organization.

Hostesses with Mrs. Anderson were Mrs. U. G. Hamilton, Mrs. Ed Jones, Sr., Mrs. J. T. Pritchett, and Mrs. Johnnie Rector.

Cut flowers in red, white, and blue decorated the room, where game tables were arranged. Prizes were given, Mabel Smith winning the traveling prize and Mrs. J. M. Doss the high score prize.

Playing appointments were in the Geneva Washington room. A salad course and individual cherry pies were served after the games. Only club members were present.

IN FRICHARD HOME

Mrs. Glass of Oklahoma City, sister of Neal Frichard, is visiting in the Frichard home this week. Little Patricia Frichard is staying with her while Mrs. Frichard attends Mrs. R. H. Cantrill, who underwent major surgery Tuesday in McKinney.

IN WARREN HOME

Mrs. Dale Warren's cousin, Mrs. Stella Fine, is here from Newport, Tenn., for a visit in the Warren home.

Panel an Alcove With Mirrors



MANY bedrooms have alcoves which it is sometimes difficult to make use of effectively. One of the most interesting treatments one can devise is to panel the alcove in mirrors of polished plate glass and thus convert it into a high point of glamour for a dressing table group. Illustrated here is a small alcove which became the focal point of interest in the bedroom through use of mirror panels. The cost of the above installation was approximately \$85. It is permanent, requiring no redecorating from year to year.

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SUGAR, fine granulated, 25 lb. sack . \$1.19

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FLOUR American Beauty 48 pound sack **\$1.49** 24 pound sack **79c** New Recipes Free

COFFEE Pennant Quality Guaranteed 1 pound **15c** 2 pounds **29c**

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Fruits and Vegetables	Market Values
STRAWBERRIES, 2 boxes . . . 25c	PORK ROAST, loin or shoulder, lb 19c
Subject to Arrival	PURE PORK SAUSAGE, lb. . . . 20c
APPLES, nice size, each 1c	FRESH PORK SIDE BACON, lb. . . 19c
ORANGES, Texas, each 1c	BOLOGNA, pound 9c
CARROTS, BEETS, RADISHES, ONIONS, TURNIPS, bunch 3c	CHILI, fresh, home made, lb. . . 20c
ONION PLANTS, bunch 5c	OYSTERS, Chesapeake Bay, pint 29c
ONION SETS, gallon 35c	FISH, red perch, fillets, lb. . . 20c
SEED POTATOES, red or white, pound 3 1/2c	SPARE RIBS, pound 18c
	CHILI MEAT, 2 lbs. 25c
	STEW MEAT, 2 lbs. 25c

CANDY, Coconut Roll, 2- 5c bars . . . 5c

TOBACCO Model pipe or cigarette **2** packages **15c**

BEST YETT Salad Dressing quart 27c pint 17c

Apricot Juice tall cans **3** for **19c**

COMPOUND Swift Jewel **8** pound carton **69c**

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THE COLORADO THAT USED TO BE 25 Years Ago 15 Years Ago

25 YEARS AGO

From The Record for Feb. 13, 1914. "Oil for Colorado" was the headline on a story about H. A. Shipman and Pennsylvania oil experts going over lands south of Colorado with a view to oil development.

Eight hundred dollars had been appropriated by the county commissioners' court for hiring a country farm agent. Mrs. J. L. Allen entertained for those who "had been specially nice" to her aunt, Mrs. Singleton, while the latter was visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Snyder had given a supper and picture show party with the following present: Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Arnett, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beal, Annie Beal, Nell Ruth Arnett, Myra McBeth of St. Louis, John Arnett and Oake Oxshier of Stanton.

Mary Broadbuss had entertained with a birthday party. Mrs. Edgar Majors assisted in entertaining. They played drop-the-handkerchief, farmer-in-the-deck and other games.

Sheriff G. B. Coughran and his son, Bob and Jim, had gone hunting in the Davis mountains. Gladys Miller, a former Colorado girl, had married Robert Hardie of Abilene.

Twelve girls had been chaperoned to a picture show party by Mrs. Herman Harp. Etta Doss had had a party honoring Hazel McKenzie, who was home from Simmons.

At the close of the party all the guests wrote a letter to Milburn Doss, who was at school in Dallas. Dera Wulfjen had been hostess to the GFC.

A team of horses pulling a wagon in which W. L. Langdon and his daughter and her baby were riding had run away down the hill south of Mrs. Jim Smith's and the wagon was overturned as the team rounded the corner of the Presbyterian church.

The occupants were thrown out and badly bruised, all but the baby, which was not hurt. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Robinson had returned to Dallas after a visit at home. Dr. P. C. Coleman was at the national corn show in Dallas.

Mrs. Jake Maurer was on the sick list. Byrd Adams was visiting in Fort Worth, Dallas, and Mansfield, and would attend grand opera in Fort Worth. Mrs. A. A. Bailey was visiting friends in Yoakum.

Mrs. Bert Wulfjen, recovering from a serious illness, had gone to visit her old home at Georgetown. Mrs. R. H. Looney had reached California in time to welcome her new granddaughter, Frances Elizabeth Lindsey. Mrs. John Daniel, nee Mary Coe, was moving from Merkel to El Paso.

From Loraine came news that fire had destroyed the C. H. Thomas home near Loraine about 6:30 o'clock on Wednesday morning. Very few things were saved. Jim Howell of Loraine and J. G. Narrell of near Loraine had been found dead beneath an overturned auto near Hermleigh.

15 YEARS AGO

Balloting on a \$325,000 road bond for Mitchell county had been set for March 22. One hundred and thirty boxes were being added to the local postoffice.

Dr. C. L. Root was to build a new brick building on the lot just north of the City National bank (then located where Oswald is now). R. H. Ratliff had called a meeting of the Mitchell county fair association.

The first nine blocks of paving in the business district had been completed. Good progress was reported on six wells in the oil field near Colorado. Ground was being cleared for construction of the Herrington building at Main and Elm streets.

Joe H. Smoot and R. L. Spalding were city aldermen whose terms were expiring. Loraine Items: Swann Farrar, who was teaching at Coahoma, was home for the week-end.

Mrs. M. D. Cranfill and Mrs. Herbert Langley had been to Sweetwater. Elmer Rushing and family had moved into the new house on the Thos. Davis lot in west Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thompson had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Thompson on Sunday. Mrs. B. L. Templeton was recovering from a critical illness following the birth of her daughter.

U. D. Wulfjen announced for county judge, Tom Terry for public weigher. R. H. Ratliff asked a second term as county attorney. Longfellow Locals: Myrtle Seale had been visiting in the T. H. Westbrook home.

Mrs. A. L. Scott and daughter, Annie, had gone to South Texas. Lila Beaman was back in school after an illness of measles. Myrtle Newton, assistant teacher, and Jim Martin had married.

10 YEARS AGO

From The Record for Feb. 8, 1929. The fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Crowder had been observed. Thirty-three were registered in the newly organized vocational commercial classes at the high school.

Negotiations were on between the city and the T&P for construction of an underpass at the end of Chestnut street. Thelma Whitlock, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Whitlock of Westbrook, had been killed instantly when she fell from a truck which her father was driving.

Citizens of the Conaway community had erected a temporary building in three days' time to replace the one destroyed by fire. Employees of the Colorado National bank had given a farewell party for John Shaw, who was going to Cisco.

W. S. Cooper, former manager of the Breckenridge chamber of commerce, had accepted election as manager of the Stamford chamber. Jack Terry had been taken to Marlin for treatment of neuritis rheumatism.

The mother of Mrs. D. L. Phillips had died in California. Pauline Doremus, teacher here, had been called to the bedside of her ill grandmother. Q. D. Shepperd had gone to Austin for further study in electrical engineering.

Virginia Stoneroad, student in McMurry, had been home for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wallace had gone to Pennsylvania for the funeral of a friend. Mrs. Don Sivals of Cisco was visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. C. H. Earnest.

J. B. Reese was home after receiving treatment in Marlin. James Marvin Robinson had been quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Willbanks had moved into the Ed Jones, Jr. house. Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Dobbs had spent the week-end in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Oble Rice of Fort Worth were returning here to live. Mrs. D. M. Merritt had spent a few days that week in Big Spring with Mrs. Bill Dorn. Charles Walker, son of the W. S. Walkers, had won a wrist watch for having grown 1960 pounds of seed cotton on one acre of land.

An "envious" record had been established by the Colorado High school girls' basketball team. On the team were Macie Galey, Martha Reba Hubbard, Louville Long, Lucille Ashford, Beola Kirby, Mamie Lou Bedford, Lillis Garner, Muri Garner, Evelyn Moseley, Beulah Ashford, Loretta Byrd, and Venetta Byrd.

Mrs. J. T. Pritchett had been called to Stamford by the serious illness of her sister, Vada, who had pneumonia. Dale Hall had been home from Simmons university, as had Nelle Harper Greene.

5 YEARS AGO

Headlines questioned, "Will Congress Forec a Production Curb Upon Planters?" Another front-page story estimate that 700 producer acres would take 33,000 acres of cotton out of cultivation.

The city council was to appoint a city attorney to succeed M. Carter, who had died. W. W. Watson, pioneer resident of Mitchell county, had died on Monday.

Joe H. Smoot had undergone minor surgery in Abilene. Urda Coleman Wulfjen, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Wulfjen, had died at Root hospital after a long illness from complications following pneumonia.

The A. E. Maddins were in Dallas for treatment of an eye infection sustained by Mr. Maddin while riding on the ranch. Jimmy Payne had resigned as deputy sheriff. Fred Rives Hutchinson announced for county clerk.

Chas. William, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Crawford of East Colorado, had died of pneumonia. Mr. and Mrs. Wade Scott were visiting in Sulphur Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Loraine Smith were home from a visit in Waco. Jack Pritchett of Loop was visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pritchett. Sam Venable and son, John, were home from Marlin where the latter had been given medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hubbard were home from a visit in Kennedy. Mrs. W. E. Reid was visiting in Commerce. Mrs. Lois Prude Bennett had gone back to Dallas for special medical treatment.

Dr. Harold Lindley was opening a medical office in the B. F. Dulaney building. They had come here from Vernon. Lloyd Croslin was second vice-president of West Texas Young Democrats.

A George Mahon-for-Congress club was being planned for Big Spring. A comedy was to be staged at the high school auditorium with the cast including: June Cox, Eloise Cooper, Elizabeth Pigeon, Mardell Feaster, Louise Levens, Billie Henderson, Jenn Bodine, N. T. Berry, Annetta Lacey, Virginia Reese, Hazel Jim Gray.

Loraine news: Mrs. G. A. Hutchins had honored her granddaughter, Billie True Templeton, with a birthday party. J. L. Meadow had died. Alena Dell Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Martin, had a party on her fifth birthday.

Joe Mills had been called to Stamford, where his sister, Mrs. Tom Hughes of Anson, had undergone surgery. Lettisha Crabtree had undergone a tonsillectomy. Mrs. O. M. Jarnigan of Route 2 was recovering from an appendicitis operation.

Little Billie Dorn, daughter of the Huron Dorns, had been treated for a badly cut forehead. Maxine Conaway had had an appendectomy. Mary Frances Oglesby, 3, of Chalk, was a pneumonia patient.

ORGANIZATION OF FARM PEOPLE GIVES ADVANTAGES COLLEGE STATION.—The agricultural population of Texas, at the end of 1938, found itself in a better position in regard to organization than at any time in the past twenty years, says Helen H. Swift, sociologist in rural women's organization with the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

"It has been realized that no permanently satisfactory agricultural policy can be worked out without the help of many local groups," Miss Swift pointed out. "If the period of economic evolution through which we are passing is to bring economic democracy to agriculture, leadership must come from the ranks of farmers and ranchmen."

Organizations of rural people bring not only an opportunity to take part in shaping the trend of agriculture, but a chance for recreation, co-operation, and study, she said. An agricultural association in Collingsworth county has been able to effect an average saving of twenty dollars per family through lowered ginning rates, while in Harrison county a similar group purchased co-operatively 73,500 pounds of legume and grass seed.

Freight rates, the tariff, landlord-tenant agreements, social security, farm fire prevention, rural health programs, schools, and churches, rural libraries, and similar items were listed. It's got to be good to be advertised.

SPECIALS Glass Bowl 5c Flower and Garden Seed Special Offer, a handy Garden Tool Free with each purchase of 50c seeds KITES Boys. Now its Kite Time A 3-stick Kite in Red, White and Blue, only 5c MOPS No. 16 Floor Mops, Special 19c Poultry Feeders 23 1/4 inch legh 19c WOODBURY'S Special offer 3-10c cakes Soap and 1-10c bottle Woodbury's Lotion, a 40c value 29c ALUMINUM SALE Special shipment of Tea Kettles, Percolators, Double Boilers and other large pieces, choice only 59c Toilet Paper Donnetta Soft Tissue, perfumed. Choice of Orchid, Green, White, Blue or Pink. First time offered at only 5c Ladies' Panties Special lot at only 10c Neverleak For your Bicycle repairs, large 25c tube 15c The BEN FRANKLIN Store H. I. BERMAN, Owner

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Michigan Winter Queen Gets Feather Crown Many an Indian chieftain wore this feather war-bonnet before the white man turned his paths into auto highways, but Chief Greenleaf, of the Ottawas, revived an age-old ceremony to crown Miss Jaana May Luoks queen of the great Potosky, Michigan, Winter Carnival, February 5. Little Sally Jean Scoggins had to climb onto this handy Chevrolet to crown the attractive ruler of the annual sports-fest.

PIONEER PASSES (Continued from Page One) from 1914 until 1928, and was still city health officer at the time of his death. He was a deacon in First Baptist church and sang in the church choir regularly until his final illness. He was a Mason. In addition to his wife he is survived by two sons, Lister Ratliff of Colorado and Dr. Kirk Ratliff of Teague. He and Mrs. Ratliff were rearing two grand-children, Frances Rose and Tommy Ratliff. There is a third grandchild, Donald Clyde Ratliff, a half-sister, Mrs. Abbie Piper, lives in Harold, Texas. Eight brothers and sisters also survive. They are: Dr. J. D. Ratliff of Seymour, M. C. Ratliff of Colorado, Judge John L. Ratliff of Lubbock, Geo. C. Ratliff of Hartford, Ark. Sheriff Jas. H. Ratliff of Lamar county, Mrs. Molly Ludwick, Miss Ula Ratliff, and Mrs. Mattie Dewesse, all of Paris. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock from First Baptist church. Rev. W. C. Ashford, pastor of the Southside Baptist church at Abilene, officiated with Rev. T. A. Patterson, local pastor, assisting. Active pallbearers were J. L. Pidgeon, Ford Merritt, Luke Thomas, W. L. Doss, Jr., Joe Smoot, Bill King, Walter W. Whipkey, and Charles Root. Listed as honorary pallbearers were: Judge A. F. King, Mayor J. A. Sadler, F. B. Whipkey, Jack Smith, S. A. Andrews, Cliff Ethridge, John Holt, A. D. Kiker, Dr. W. S. Rhode, Dr. Oscar Rhode, Dr. Harry A. Logsdon, Dr. J. Melvin Crymes, Dr. W. B. May, Dr. M. B. Nail, Dr. R. D. Bridgford, Ed Moeser, Dr. B. F. Dulaney, Lay Powell, Roger Tandy, G. D. Foster, H. L. Hutchinson, Sr., C. M. Adams, John E. Watson, J. W. Watson, J. V. Glover, Jack Christian, W. W. Porter, Baron Smith, George Slaton, Truett Barber, W. R. Morgan, R. C. Morgan, Dale Warren, J. M. Green, Lon Allmond, J. H. Greene of Big Spring, E. Keathley, P. P. Roney, Jess Thompson, Needham Brown, O. B. Trulock, Sr., Ralph Lee, Frank Smith, Sam Wulfjen, Ford Morris, Dr. H. G. Whitmore, Bill Oswalt, C. E. Nesbitt, J. M. Doss, W. R. Charles, James Herrington, Joe Earnest, Maurice Terrell. Drug stores, county and city offices, and a number of other places of business closed at the funeral home. Burial was in the Colorado cemetery. Arrangements were in charge of Fyland Funeral home. PRODUCTION OF FOOD IS BIG BUSINESS COLLEGE STATION.—No piddling enterprise but big business is the home production of food for the family table. The average persons needs more than a ton of food a year, figures compiled by the foods committee of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service show. The estimates are based on the requirements of a safe diet as recommended by nutritional experts. With some 500,000 farm and ranch families, the No. 1 market of Texas agriculture could account for around 2,300,000 tons, or the equivalent of 119,500 carloads, of food a year. H. H. Williamson, director of the Extension Service, recently pointed out that this No. 1 market "requires no trade agreements, no foreign bargaining, no freight rates or distribution adjust ments" and that if every family engaged in agriculture in the state were provided with a first rate diet with sufficient variety to be conducive to health, this would represent a "store" value of \$250,000,000, or the equivalent of six million bales of cotton at eight cents a pound. Included in the adequate diet needs per person for one year are these items, most of which can be produced on the farm: 91 gallons of milk, 30 dozen eggs, 175 pounds of meat and fat for cooking, 200 pounds of potatoes, 200 pounds of green and yellow vegetables and 200 pounds of other vegetables, 100 pounds of citrus or tomatoes, 200 pounds of fruit, 170 pounds of grain products, 20 pounds of butter, 70 pounds of sweets, including syrup and honey, and 15 pounds of dried peas and beans. BIG ENTRY FOR TREASURE ISLE CATTLE SHOW SAN FRANCISCO.—Simultaneous with the Western World's Fair Premiere on February 13 and 19, the world's greatest beef cattle show will open on Treasure Island. This was assured as entries for the beef exhibition neared the 1,200 mark, the livestock bluebloods lining up from every section of continental United States and Canada, their owners seeking a share in the \$74,000 in prize cash, premiums and trophies. More than 500 Herefords, already entered, are being groomed and fitted for the showing; like numbers of Shorthorns and Aberdeen-Angus stock will be shown, according to Ezra J. Fjeldsted, Chief of the Division of Livestock. The beef cattle showing will run from February 18 to 18 in the mammoth Livestock Pavilion. It is the first major livestock event of the Exposition, with 12 other world-wide shows and events drawing interest on subsequent dates during the 238-day run of the fair. "It is remarkable," said Fjeldsted, "that a majority of our Hereford entries to date are from the East and South, with only a few from California so far. British Columbia, too, is pointing prize herds toward Treasure Island, indicating the show has a worldwide scope." Look over the advertisements in this paper. Advertising brings a new world to your home.

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FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom, convenient to bath. Mrs. John Brown. 532 Elm. 3-3-p

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FOR RENT—Brick business building. Also have offices for rent. Phone 52 or see B. F. Dulaney. 1tc

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FOR TRADE OR LEASE—160-acre farm with 100 acres in cultivation. U. G. Hardison. Box 708. 3-3-p

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FOR SERVICE—Jersey bull at Miller farm, east Colorado \$1.00; also Porter tomato seed for sale. L. S. Allen. 1tp

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PALOMINO HORSES FEATURED

Palomino horses, whose aristocracy dates back to the middle ages, are making a comeback on the Southwestern ranches. Classes for them have been arranged this year at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, March 10-19.

The Spanish dons called them "Caballos de Oro," or horses of gold because of their golden colored bodies. In Mexico they were called "Ysabelas" after Queen Isabella of Spain who owned 100 of them and pawned her jewels to finance an expedition to the new world.

REGISTERED PERCHERON STALLION AND BIG BONE BLACK JACK

My horse's pedigree carries Kommander, Kontakt, Calypso, Carnot, Koncarcalyps, Calypso. Calypso was chosen by the 100 best Percheron Judges to be the best horse in the United States or Canada since 1900. Calypso is out of Calypso, Koncarcalyps out of Calypso. My horse is out of Koncarcalyps. Koncarcalyps at 14 years old sold for \$6,000, because he had sired more champions than any other horse. My horse has a brother out of Koncarcalyps that won at the National Show in 1937, his name was Inchanter, Grand Champion, more points than any horse in 25 years. My horse's name is Carmode, he and Inchanter are brothers, both in show condition weight 2050 pounds or more each. They are both the same height, they say one-half inch more bone would make Inchanter perfect, Carmode has the one-half inch more bone. I bought Carmode in Wichita, Kansas. He was raised by T. B. Bowman, the same man that raised Koncarcalyps and Inchanter. All three of these horses were black. They charge \$100 for service on Carmode's Sire, but I am only charging \$10 for Carmode's service, so everybody will be able to get a colt out of such a large and high bred Percheron.

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My big bone black Jack, 15 1/2 hands high, 34 inches across ears, weighing about 1100 pounds. He gets the big bone, heavy built, easy kept kind. If you want to take advantage of the 61% feed acreage, raise plenty of good mules and mares.

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NEW COUNTRY CLUB PRESIDENT LISTS COMMITTEES FOR HIS ADMINISTRATION

Announcement of committees to serve during his administration was made this week by H. E. Grantland, new president of the Colorado country club.

The committees are as follows with the first named in each group being chairman:

Entertainment committee: Mrs. J. M. Doss, Mrs. L. B. Elliott, Mrs. O. B. Price, R. H. Radtiff, Dr. H. A. Logsdon.

House & Grounds committee: R. J. Wallace, W. W. Whipkey, Max Beraman, Joe B. Mills, Frank Ramsdell.

Sports & Games committee: Q. D. Sheppard, Charles E. Smith, R. H. Barber, J. W. Chas., J. Lee Jones.

Fishing & Boating committee: Charles Mosser, J. C. Pritchett, A. L. McSpadden, W. W. Henderson, Jerold Ripstein.

BIG SPRING CC VOTES TO PROTEST SLASHING OF T. & P. RAIL SERVICE

BIG SPRING, Feb. 22.—Directors of the Big Spring chamber of commerce took action Monday night on matters of rail transportation, voting to enter a protest against the T&P's application to discontinue service on Trains 3 and 4 between Big Spring and Sweetwater.

Formal notice that the C. of C. would appear as a protestant against the T&P's plea for curtailing its day train service in and out of here went Tuesday to the Texas railroad commission, which has set a hearing on the application for February 28, in Big Spring.

Directors made it clear they are protesting the application principally to bring about a full hearing of the case, so that information as

to train operations, service factors, mail delivery, etc., will be established. President Cal Boykin is instructed to name a special committee to handle the chamber's part in the railroad controversy.

The railroad recently announced it would seek to discontinue Trains 3 and 4 between here and Sweetwater because of reported operating losses. The railroads' spokes are fighting the chamber's case before the C. of C. directors are expected to appear in a hearing pertinent to the case.

The chamber of commerce has taken a similar stand. Other members of the proposed district include the Coscoma, West-

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Marriage Licenses Issued:

J. G. Harris and Dorothy Jupp, Hargrove, Colorado.

Kirk Carpenter and Billie Tankersley, Colorado.

Farvin Scarborough and Helen Chaney, Colorado.

Jack Reed and Mary Hill, Colorado.

R. W. Matlock and Thelma Browne, Colorado.

Wm. H. Rutherford and Mrs. Annie C. Rutherford, Colorado.

J. W. Bishop and Elma Pettie, Colorado.

Bruce DeGarmo and Mrs. Lou Ellis East.

Transfers in Real Estate: Jane Estes to R. L. Richardson, Lot 1 and Part Lot 3, Blk. 35, W. & M. Ad. to Colorado; \$275.00.

Addie P. Hargrove, Adm. to Paul W. Hargrove; West 50 ft. Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 93, Colorado; \$2,000.00.

Mrs. Katie Russell et al to Wm. Brookover; Lots 16, 17, 18, 19, Blk. 1, West Colorado; \$275.00.

Wm. Brookover to Dorris M. Burrus; Lots 16, 17, 18, 19, Blk. 1 West Colorado; \$1.00.

B. B. Byrne, Adm. Est. Mrs. Nanale Haley, Deceased, to Floyd Sheppard; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, Blk. 119, Colorado; \$350.00.

C. T. Beights et ux to D. M. Beights; 1/4 of SE 1/4 Sec. 19, Blk. 25, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys; \$2,250.00.

N. P. Kirby et ux to G. M. Smith; Lot 15, 16, 17, Blk. 1, New Iatan; \$150.00.

J. W. Watson et ux to G. D. Shelton; Blk. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 11 and 12, J. W. Watson Ad. to Colorado; \$400.00.

N. A. Rogers et ux to T. W. Watson; Part Sec. 49, Blk. 28, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys; \$1.00.

Mrs. Annie Adams to T. W. Gilman; Lot 7, Blk. 17, Amd. Ad. to Westbrook; \$200.00.

J. H. Parker et ux to Bryan T. Porter; Lots 1 and 2, College Blvd.

DEPARTURES

Miss J. W. Sheppard, Jr., returned from Alpine, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Sheppard of Stanton returned from relatives here during the last week-end.

BIRTHS TO HARDISONS

Word was received here shortly after midnight Thursday of the birth of a daughter, Sarah Louise, to Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hardison of Fabens, Texas, on Thursday.

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HEALTH GROUP TO MEET IN BIG SPRING MAR. 3

BIG SPRING.—Meeting for the first time since organization was perfected in Lubbock last September, District 1 of the Texas Public Health association will be convened in Big Spring on March 3rd. Dr. George A. Gray of Sweetwater, president, recently in Big Spring to perfect arrangements for the conclave and an attendance of 200 is anticipated.

Purpose of the association is to create interest in public health, to give instruction to both lay and professional groups on public health problems and to suggest ways of meeting those problems. Program for the Big Spring meeting accordingly will cover a variety of topics, and several men of statewide prominence will appear here.

Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, will tell of the campaign against venereal disease; Dr. Charles J. Koerth, medical superintendent of the W.O.W. War Memorial hospital of San Antonio will give an illustrated lecture on prevention and treatment of tuberculosis; and Dr. T. D. Young of Roscoe will give a paper on undulant fever. Effect on public health of sub-standard housing conditions will be discussed by City Manager E. V. Spence of Big Spring.

Topics dealing more directly with the organizations activities will include:

Importance to Parents, Teachers and Children of the School Health Program—Dr. E. W. Proctor, director of the Winkler County Health Unit; County Health Organization—Mr. R. O. Pearson, Haskell; The Future of Public Health in Texas—State Rep. Alvin R. Allison; Leland; Cooperation in Our Public Health Association—State Rep. C. L. Harris, Spur; and The Function of Public Health Districts in the Health Department Organization—Dr. John M. Hooper, Floydada, district director.

A dramatization of health unit activities will be given by the speech art class of Floydada high school under direction of Mrs. Eva Papp.

The meeting here will be a one-day affair, with meetings at the municipal auditorium lasting from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Visitors will be honored with a luncheon at noon.

Officers of the district organization, in addition to Dr. Gray, are Jack Wyatt of Amarillo, Dr. J. W. Rollo of Lubbock and Miss Anna Ericson of Levelland, vice president; and Bruce E. Sasse, Floydada, secretary-treasurer. The executive board is composed of Rep. Allison, chairman; Judge Chas. W. Lewis of Sweetwater, Mayor; J. W. Rollo of Amarillo, and Ralph Duncan of Haskell.

TEXAS EXES TO DINE NEXT THURSDAY NIGHT AT COLORADO HOTEL

In accordance with custom followed wherever a number of University of Texas students are gathered on March 25, Texas Independence Day, a dinner will be held in Colorado at Hotel Colorado next Thursday night at 8 o'clock by Texas exes and "annexes" of Nolan, Mitchell, and Scurry counties, according to Joe Earnest.

An invitation has been extended to former students now living in Howard county. The Honorable Charles W. Lewis, judge of West county, will deliver the principal address. During the evening there will be a radio talk by the incoming university president, Homer P. Haines, from Washington, D. C., where he attended the capital city gathering.

There are more than 200 exes of Texas University living in West county. Of the tri-county organization, Joe Earnest of Colorado is president, Alvin Nunn, Sweetwater, is vice-president, and T. J. Smith of Colorado is secretary. Thomas R. Smith is district commander of the Ex-Students association.

WARSHIPS OF MANY NATIONS TO VISIT FAIR

SAN FRANCISCO.—Treasure Island will be surrounded by an international armada when the great World's Fair of the West opens on February 18.

Italy is the latest nation to accept the invitation of the Exposition, made through the State Department in Washington, to send one or more warships here for the Exposition Premiere.

The Royal Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Rome notified the United States Embassy that Italy would send the new cruisers Eugenio di Savoia and Duca d'Aosta here in February.

These 7,000-ton 35-knot crack cruisers are on a world cruise. Australia, Peru, Brazil, Argentina, Chile, France, and England, will also send warships here for the Exposition. With Uncle Sam's Navy on hand as co-hosts with the Exposition, an international naval pageant is being planned in which the sailors and marines of the various nations will take part.

HERE FROM TECH

Hunter Brennan, who attends Texas Tech at Lubbock, was a week-end visitor in Colorado.

Read the ads as carefully as you read the news articles.

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INFLUENCE OF GOOD BOOKS IS P-TA TOPIC

By Mrs. Lon Strain, Reporter
Influence of good books on a child's character was the subject for the Fairview Parent-Teacher association on Feb. 16.

Books and magazines suitable for children were discussed. Mrs. W. C. Barry gave out a questionnaire on the lives of Washington and Lincoln. Silhouette pictures of these men were given to the teachers of each room.

THEIR NAMES IN THE PAPERS

Being a Collection of Items From Other Papers About Present and Former Mitchell Cottonians.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Turpin (Evelyn Danner) left Sunday for a week's visit to Louisiana. They are attending the Mardi Gras in New Orleans, and visiting relatives in other parts of the state.—Pecos Enterprise.

Mrs. Richard Bridgford of Colorado, the former Miss Emily Arledge, spent the morning here on business.—Sweetwater Reporter.

COAL-BLACK CATTLE WERE ANCESTORS OF LONGHORNS

AUSTIN.—Coal black cattle, clean-limbed and with white horns, were the early—and expensive—ancestors of the famed Texas Longhorn. J. Frank Dobie, University of Texas English professor and Southwest lore expert, informs readers of the January Southwestern Historical Quarterly issued here. The black cattle have modern counterparts in some bull rings today, he points out. The planimeter, he says, described these black cattle as having horns set forward to kill, like the buffalo's.

The influence of masonry on Mexican history, discussed by Lillian Estelle Fisher, a continuation of Colonel M. L. Crimmins' report of the Military Department of Texas in 1856; an article by D. L. Kobernet on the three-ship navy of the Texas Revolution; and a Texas natural history feature describing a 640-acre Wood county pigeon roost of the 1850's are also included.

The annual meeting of the Texas State Historical association will be held in Austin, April 28-29.

HERE FOR NAIL FUNERAL

Among out-of-town people here for the funeral of Mrs. Mary Nell, mother of Mrs. John Holt, last Thursday afternoon were the following: Dr. P. L. McClure of Port Cobb, Okla.; Dr. H. M. McClure of Chickasha, Okla.; E. L. Crawford, Sr., and E. L. Crawford, Jr., of Abilene; Sam Reese, Jim Reese, and Mrs. Ola Hooks, all of Abilene.

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In Michigan, the motor state, it is only fitting that a Winter Queen and her court should arrive—not in a coach of state—but via Chevrolet-powered skidding. Miss Janna May Leach, center, Grand Rapids, was chosen Queen of the great Winter Carnival at Petoskey, and decided that modern skidding behind a car was the proper way to approach the ice throne.

- CRACKERS, 2 lb. box 25c—VANILLA WAFERS, 1 lb. bag 15c
- CHILI, No. 1 can 13c—HOT TAMALES, No. 1 1/2 can 15c
- FLOUR, Miti.Good, 48 lb. sack \$1.15—24 lb. sack 60c
- SORGHUM SYRUP, Country Made, gallon 50c
- PEACHES, in heavy syrup, No. 2 1/2 can 15c
- MIXED COOKIES, 1 pound box 25c
- CORN, Sweet, 3 No. 2 cans 25c
- CUT BEANS, 3 No. 2 cans 25c
- PEAS, No. 300 size, 3 for 25c
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LORAINE NEWS

MRS. H. P. DAY, Editor

Mrs. Day is also authorized to receive and receipt for subscriptions for the Colorado Record and to transact other business for Whipkey Printing Company. See her and take your county paper.

H. B. WILSON SUCCEUMBS

Henry Bannie Wilson, resident of Loraine since 1906 died at his home Feb. 23, 1939, following a brief illness. Funeral services were held at the First Methodist church at 2 p. m. Tuesday with the following ministers officiating: Rev. J. E. Shewbert of Loraine, Rev. Hamilton Wright of Baird, formerly of Loraine, and M. H. Godfrey, Baptist pastor, also Rev. S. H. Young of Sweetwater, former pastor; Rev. C. R. Hooten of Sweetwater, presiding elder; Rev. C. M. Epps of Colorado, pastor of Mrs. Elliott, a daughter of Mr. Wilson, and Rev. C. E. Foote of Roscoe, pastor of Dewey Wilson, a son.

The choir leader was Mr. Thomas Riden; pianist Mrs. Kirk Taylor. Flower bearers were members of Mrs. Wilson's Sunday school class. Honorary pallbearers were members of Bruce Bible class. Active pallbearers included Bill Honea, H. B. Beights, H. E. Thomas, Earl Jackson, Ed Williams, and S. E. Meadows.

He is survived by his wife, four sons, T. C. Wilson of Loraine, Clyde Wilson of Fort Stockton, D. E. Wilson of Roscoe, H. E. Wilson of Colorado; four daughters, Mrs. Clara Butler, Mrs. Beatrice Bruce, Mrs. Minnie Martin of Loraine and Mrs. Elizabeth Elliott of Colorado. Also two brothers survive: Everett Wilson of Halesville, Alabama, and Charlie Wilson of Birmingham, Alabama, neither of which could be present. He is also survived by 24 grandchildren, 21 who are living, and friends by the score both here and at other places.

Henry Bannie Wilson was born Dec. 3, 1861 at Landersville, Ala. He spent his early life around this place. On Dec. 28, 1887, he was married to Miss Della Adelaide Sandlin at Landersville. In November of 1900 he and his wife moved to Parker county, Texas. Six years later they moved to Mitchell county making their home near Loraine. Since that time Loraine has continued to be Mr. Wilson's home, thus he was numbered with that small remaining group of the early settlers of this community.

Mr. Wilson was a man who was firm in his convictions, yet was not narrow for he numbered his friends with various groups of worshippers. He was one that stood for the highest in his community and could always be found on the side of righteousness. He served as steward and trustee in the Methodist church at various times and was a member of the Bruce Bible class.

Rev. Care of Hamlin, a cousin by marriage, brought a fine testimony in behalf of Mr. Wilson. Also Mrs. N. H. White of Colorado sang "Does Jesus Care."

After a great deal of suffering, which he bore so bravely, he passed away Feb. 20, 1939 at 8:40 a. m. being 77 years, 2 months, and 17 days old.

LORAINA COOPERATIVE ASSN. HOLDS MEETING
The Loraine Cooperative Assn. held a meeting Friday night and had as their guest Mr. Sullivan of the Baker Ice Machine Manufacturing Co. of Dallas, who proved to be a very interesting speaker, giving directors and members points on establishing and the operation of such plant. He is to furnish plans and layouts for

this type of plant. Another important step the association has taken is the purchase of a map of the territory in which the plant will serve. The map is on display in the office of the Mitchell County News, with each member designated on the map showing his particular location. There being 234 members shown this makes a very attractive display.

NEW LUMBER YARD BEING BUILT
Construction of a new lumber yard for Loraine was started this week by Roy Edwards and Son, dealers in building materials. The location is just east of the Phillips Service Station. This goes to show that Loraine is still building. Mr. Edwards has been in a similar business for the past twenty years and is well acquainted with it.

DR. BRUCE JOHNSON HOSPITAL NOTES

Burdett Lee dismissed from hospital Sunday after an appendix operation. Marland Gibson got his right shoulder hurt when a mule jerked him last week.

W. L. Lindsay of the Buford community received treatments. Evelyn Nannie has the measles. Mrs. A. D. Sawyer has been real sick.

Eldon Chitney had his tonsils burned out with new machine. Dan Butler has been on the sick list.

Melvin King has been receiving treatment for sinus trouble. Youngest son of E. D. Bowlin is sick of pneumonia.

Mr. S. H. Hart has been sent back to Abilene. Jay Mooring returned home to Roscoe after receiving treatments for burns he received last week.

ANNUAL QUILT AND BEDSPREAD SHOW TO BE HELD

The annual quilt and bedspread show will be held at the Thornhill Dry Goods Store Friday and Saturday, Feb. 24th and 25th. Prizes will be given for the prettiest pieced quilt, appliqued quilt, bedspread and afghan. All entries should be brought in not later than Friday noon.

LORAINA CC MEETS

The Loraine chamber of commerce met Monday night at the high school building to elect new officers and make plans for the 1939 program. Rev. M. H. Godfrey was elected president, Harold Martin secretary-treasurer, O. I. Griffin, R. K. Thornhill, Glen Coon, Alonzo Phillips and K. L. Taylor were elected directors. The chamber of commerce will have a luncheon at the high school band room Thursday. The Home Ec class is in charge of preparation and the serving.

42 PARTY

Mrs. Faye McCollum entertained with a 42 party in her home Thursday night. High score for the ladies was won by Miss Fern Coon and for the men by Oren Coon. Salad plate and cherry pie topped with whipped cream and coffee was served to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Martin, Virgil Walker, Oren Coon, Fritz Ohlenbusch and Misses Fern Coon and Elizabeth Looney and Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Mc-

Intyre and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Terrell of Sweetwater.

PAUL CASEWELL SUCCEUMBS

Paul Casewell, age 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Casewell and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hart died Tuesday night in a Midland hospital. Paul was operated on for appendicitis and developed pneumonia. He lived in our community a few years ago and is also a nephew of Mrs. Wiley Walker. His father, Mr. A. C. Casewell, once ran a grocery store here. Burial will be held at Midland Wednesday afternoon.

METHODIST CHURCH

J. E. Shewbert, Pastor
In spite of the fact that a large number of our members were absent last Sunday due to illness in their family, we had a splendid crowd out—larger than the preceding Sunday. I appreciate the fact that our S. S. officers carry on when the pastor is busy at other tasks.

A large crowd was out for the morning message by the pastor on "Being a Christian in an Unchristian World." Sunday night we were happy to have our presiding elder, Bro. Hooten and his good wife with us. Mrs. Hooten visited the young peoples meeting and Bro. Hooten spoke at the Mission Forum preceding the regular worship services.

The pastor was proud of the fine crowd that greeted Bro. Hooten—almost a house full. The singing was the best we have had, I believe with a fine choir and orchestra. Bro. Hooten sang for us and all decided he can sing as well as he can preach and he is a noted preacher. His sermon Sunday night was deeply evangelistic and touched our hearts in a way that will cause all to live closer to their Christ. I am sure. We want Bro. and Sister Hooten to know they will always find a warm welcome at Loraine.

Following his message, Bro. Hooten held our second quarterly conference. The fine report made by the church is primarily due to the splendid cooperation and interest of the various church leaders. The pastor is proud of his workers and every member who is seeking to build up the Kingdom of God by loyal work in the church. No pastor can put a church over alone; but he can with members backing him and doing a great deal of outside work. What has been accomplished this quarter is largely due to your fine work—let's keep it moving right on.

We are deeply grieved at the passing of our beloved member, Bro. Wilson, last Monday. We want the members of his family to know the church he loved so much, also loved him. We will miss him in his regular place both in Sunday school and church services. Noble and faithful men like Bro. Wilson are great builders of Christ's Kingdom on earth. He will long be remembered by our members as well as friends of other denominations. We are so glad to have his children carry on and Mrs. Wilson as they do this.

Next Sunday will be "Youth Day" in our church. Let every parent be out with their children and help to make this one of the biggest days in our church thus far this year. We will look for all of you. Visitors are welcomed at all services.

The pastor will bring the third chapter of our book to the Mission Forum Sunday evening. Be out. S. S. at 9:45 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Leagues at 6:30. Forum for adults at 6:30.

YOUTH CRUSADE RALLY AT BIG SPRING TONIGHT, 7:30

The Methodist Youth Crusade Rally for the Sweetwater district will be held tonight (Thursday) at Big Spring Methodist church. This is the meeting which the young people have been anxiously looking forward to attend. As we stated in last week's issue of the paper, the Youth Crusade is a spiritual movement for the benefit of youth and largely carried on by the youth of the Methodist church. Ten thousand young people are expected to be touched in these District meetings within the bounds of the Northwest Texas Conference. The goal is one thousand for the Big Spring Rally. The program will open at 7:30 p. m. with Dr. J. O. Haynes, pastor of the Big Spring church as master of ceremonies. After an orchestra prelude by the Colorado young people, Rev. Lead the group in a medley of hymns. There will be a mass choir directed by Mrs. J. L. Payne. Miss Reta Mae Bignon of Big Spring will talk on "Youth is Ready" and Rev. Albie Carlton of Clyde will speak on "The Youth Crusade." The main address will be given by Dr. Edmund Heinsohn, pastor of the University Methodist church at Austin. His subject will be, "A New Earth."

Lloyd Beatty, president of the local Senior League, together with Mrs. Shewbert, their counselor, are in charge of arrangements. A car caravan will leave from the Methodist church at 5:30 p. m. and every young person between the ages of 12 and 24 is urged to be present at the church by that time. Loraine is expecting to have at least 50 to attend. ON TO BIG SPRING. LET'S GO.

SPECIAL YOUTH SERVICES AT M. E. CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY
Next Sunday will be observed as "Youth Day" at the Methodist church. There will be two special services devoted to the youth—the morning and evening worship hours. At the morning hour Rev. Shewbert will bring a special young people's

message. The girls sextet will sing. At the evening hour the whole worship service will be in charge of the young people. They will speak to the adults of their own problems. The special music will be brought by the high school singers. A great crowd of Loraine young people is expected to attend both of these services. The orchestra will be at both services. Plan now to attend both of these great youth services—information, inspiration and consecration for our youth of today.

REV. SHEWBERT ELECTED ASSISTANT DEAN

Rev. J. E. Shewbert, pastor of the local Methodist church, was elected Assistant Dean of the Young Peoples Assembly this past week. The Conference Executive Committee met at McMurry college last Friday night and Saturday. At the Friday night session Rev. Shewbert was elected and after being notified, attended the Saturday morning session. Rev. Shewbert was Young Peoples Field Secretary during 1928-29 and has been connected with the conference young people activities for the past 12 years. The Assembly will meet during the first week in June at McMurry and some 400 young people are expected to register.

REV. SHEWBERT TO TEACH AT SNYDER NEXT WEEK

The Interdenominational Training School will be held at the Methodist church of Snyder next week with the Presbyterians, First Christians and Methodists cooperating. There will be four courses offered. Rev. Shewbert has been invited to teach in the school and will give his course, "The Christian's Religion—Its Meaning and Mission." This will be a five night school. Rev. Shewbert is an accredited instructor in this course and a course in worship and is authorized by the General Board of Education of Nashville to issue credit to those doing the required work. He will return to Loraine each day.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Norman and family, accompanied by Mr. Norman's mother of Abernathy visited with Misses Annie and Fannie Jarrett Sunday.

Douglas Taylor of Lubbock visited home folks over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Henderson and mother, Mrs. Page Henderson went to Coahoma Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richey went to Westbrook Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mayes of Austin were in Loraine visiting his parents and friends Saturday and Sunday.

Billie True Templeton of Austin came to spend a few days with her grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hutchins last week. Mrs. Hutchins returned home with her for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Allbright of Odessa visited home folks Sunday. Jiggs Allbright of Odessa spent Friday night with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bryan went to Colorado Sunday afternoon to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Basil Hudson.

Mrs. J. C. Meeks is still on the sick list this week.

A. H. Nelson of Putman was in Loraine Saturday attending to business and visiting with his mother and other relatives.

Grandmother Richards is sick this week of flu and a severe cold. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mote returned to Dallas Sunday. Mrs. Mote is receiving medical treatment there.

Miss Elizabeth went to visit with her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Lawlis. G. A. Moore of the China Grove community was carried to the Young hospital Saturday for an appendix operation.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Riden and family and Christine Thomas, Arnold Marshall and Ray Preston went to Sweetwater Monday night to hear the Cowgirl Band of Hardin-Simmons University. Miss Irls Riden is a member of the band.

Russell and Elmer Miller of Dublin were guests in the T. R. Bennett home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gage of Sweetwater visited Sunday night with her father, Mr. C. M. Thompson.

D. D. Blair received a message Sunday night that his brother, Ed Blair of Tulsa had died at 3 o'clock. He and his brother, Hugh Blair of Cisco attended the funeral Monday.

A. J. Henley is seriously ill of paralysis at his son's home. A. J. Henley, Mr. Henley is 83 years old.

Ruth Ann Hall of Hardin-Simmons University spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall.

William Simmons of McMurry spent the week-end with homefolks. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hamilton were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Martin.

MAYOR ISSUES WARNING ON SHOOTING OF LIGHTS

Small boys with air guns recently destroyed 36 street lights in two days' time. Mayor J. A. Sadler said Wednesday in issuing a warning on this matter.

"Parents who have small sons with air guns should warn them about using street lights as targets," Mayor Sadler said. "We can't let this destruction of property go on, and we are going to have to clamp down."

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DOLLAR DAYS CONTINUED

SATURDAY

At 2 P. M. February 25th, We Will Sell 200 Yards of **Rayon and Silk Remnants** 25c yd.

Saturday

At 9 A. M. February 25th we will sell 6 dozen Men's **Dress Shirts** 50c Old Price 98c

Friday

At 2 P. M. February 24th we will sell 200 yards **Cheviots** 3c yd.

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Men's 220 weight Blue and Striped **OVERALLS** Repriced to Clear Entirely 50c

Monday

At 2 P. M. February 27th we will sell 20 dozen **Ladies' and Misses' RAYON PANTIES** 10c

Close Out

One Lot Ladies' Rayon **TAFFETA SLIPS** Excellent Quality 35c

Close Out

Men's and Boys' Full Cut Triple Stitched **WORK SHIRTS** 25c

PENNEY'S

ENCOURAGING PERIOD FORESEEN BY GOODYEAR

An encouraging new year for the South is envisioned by The Goodyear Tire & Rubber company in a statement received from President P. W. Litchfield, by Thomas Bros. Goodyear representative in Colorado.

Goodyear will consume something more than sixty million pounds of southern-grown cotton during the year, it was indicated. This figure is in substantial excess of the company's cotton consumption, during 1938.

During the past year Goodyear has made remarkable progress in the development of improved cotton cord construction. These improvements have been in the direction of producing cord for tires which would afford longer tire wear through resistance to heat.

Already the company's four cotton textile mills in Alabama and Georgia have been converted over to the new type construction and tires produced from this fabric are showing substantially increased mileage over the older type of construction.

In its search for tire cord improvements, Goodyear has developed a new type of Rayon cord called Rayotwist. This material has been used to a limited extent in the construction of tires for use under extreme conditions. Trucking operations which call for heavy overloading and high sustained speed have been afforded increased tire mileage and safety through use of the Rayotwist tires. Cotton linters is one of the basic materials used in Rayotwist.

However, the market for these tires has been distinctly limited due to factors of cost and the fact that a vast majority of trucking operations are not sufficiently severe to call for the more expensive Rayotwist tires. Meanwhile, Goodyear technicians are continuing their experiments with cotton cord construction looking toward an ultimate process which will meet the most severe requirements.

Increased shipments of crude rubber from the Orient into the port of Mobile, Alabama, will be made in 1939 for use in the Goodyear tire factory at Gadsden.

R. B. McENTIRES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McEntire, Jr. and their five-month-old daughter, Sandra Camille, were here Saturday and Sunday from Salem, Illinois, visiting Mr. McEntire's mother, Mrs. R. B. McEntire, Sr., and his brother, Randolph McEntire and family.

HYMAN BOYS AND CARR GIRLS WIN RURAL CAGE CHAMPIONSHIPS OF COUNTY LEAGUE

Rural junior basketball championships of Mitchell county were won by Hyman boys and Carr girls in the rural interscholastic cage tournament held at Colorado High school last Friday.

Roy Davis Coles, head of the rural division of the county league and Lynn Halbert, rural athletic director, had charge of the meet.

In the first boys' game Carr defeated Looney 19-6. Hyman defeated Valley View 15-5. Bauman defeated Seven Wells 1-0, and Lone Star defeated Conaway 1-0.

Hyman defeated Carr and Lone Star defeated Bauman in the next round. Hyman then defeated Lone

Star 19-15 in the last minute of play, winning the championship.

In the girls' division first-round results were: Hyman 14, and Valley View 18; Bauman 12 and Lone Star 1.

Carr drew a bye, and then beat Bauman 8 to 1. They defeated Valley View for the championship.

Della Mathews is coach of the Hyman boys' team, and Mrs. Lynn Halbert is coach of the Carr girls' team.

JOE FARMS HERE
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Farr of Monahans were in Colorado for a short time Sunday afternoon.

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PONY EXPRESS RIDERS WILL PASS THROUGH COLORADO MARCH 4

Riders in the Nocona-Golden Gate Exposition Pony Express race will pass through Colorado on March 4, according to information received by M. B. Spence, chamber of commerce manager.

Riders in the race will carry regulation mail pouches and will stop at each town along the route to take on mail carrying the Pony Express stamp and regular United States postage. From one to six riders have been entered in the race by over 25 Texas towns, it is reported.

The Pony Express route will follow the old Overland Mail Trail established in 1849 by Capt. R. B. Marcy, U.S.A., as a winter route to the gold fields of California. This trail entered Texas at the old Colbert Ferry on the Red River and led West from Gainesville to El Paso, Tucson, Phoenix, Yuma, and Los Angeles, then up the Pacific coast to San Francisco. It passed through or near Colorado.

According to rules for the race, released by the Chamber of Commerce, each rider can have only two horses and must finish the race with the horses he started with. Relays of 25 miles will be ridden before a change of horses is permitted. The entrant is to furnish his own horses and his trailer or truck for transporting the horse not under saddle. Riding judges will patrol the highway between contestants to insure fairness. No entries will be accepted after Feb. 25.

L. A. Parton, manager of the Nocona Chamber of Commerce, also is manager of the race.

First of the riders is due to pass through Colorado about 5 o'clock on the morning of Saturday, March 4, and the last one is due about 6 o'clock that evening.

IS GIVEN SURGERY

Mrs. R. H. Cantrell was given major surgery in a McKinney hospital Tuesday morning and was reported Wednesday night to be resting well. Mr. Cantrell is returning Wednesday night after having been with her all week. Mrs. Neal Prichard has also been in attendance.

VISIT MRS. POOL

Here during the first part of the week to visit Mrs. T. Y. Pool, who is critically ill, were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Murphy and daughter, Marlene, and P. F. Murphy, all of Fort Worth. Marlene was the guest of Patsy Reese while here.

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LOCAL NOTES

TO SAN ANGELO
Charles Root made a business trip to San Angelo on Tuesday.

HAS CHICKEN POX
Bobby Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Price, is confined to his home with chicken pox this week.

MOVE TO FLOYDADA
Mr. and Mrs. Sam C. Wilkes, who left here some time ago for Tullia, are now living in Floydada.

HERE FROM H-SU
Jane Gracey, student in Hardin-Simmons at Abilene, spent the week-end visiting her sister, Sid Gracey.

IN CHRISTIAN HOME
Mrs. G. L. Christian of Abilene, mother of Coach Jack Christian, spent the week-end in the Christian home.

AT INSURANCE MEET
R. P. Tandy of Colorado was listed among those attending the annual banquet of the American National Insurance company in Big Spring on Saturday.

MRS. POOL ILL
Mrs. T. Y. Pool, pioneer Mitchell countian, was reported Thursday morning to be resting somewhat better at her home here. Mrs. Pool, who is 89, has been gravely ill for some time.

RETURNS TO WORK
After spending two weeks at her home in Wellington, Kansas, to recuperate from an illness, Miss Lorene Hohn returned to her duties at the Colorado hotel this week.

LEAVE FOR HOME
After having spent last week in the Jack Christian home, Mrs. C. D. Hall and daughter, Carol, returned to their home in Childress Sunday. Mr. Hall came from them. Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Christian are sisters.

HERE FOR FUNERAL
Bob Nunn of Big Spring was here Saturday to attend the "Dad" Clark funeral. He remained over Sunday to visit his sister, Mrs. Vivian Shropshire, and his brother, Jim Nunn.

TO LIVE HERE
Mrs. E. H. Gunn and daughter, Sandra, arrived Monday from Fort Worth and are planning on making their home in Colorado. They are staying at the Lowell Schmidt home while arranging for living quarters.

HERE FROM STERLING CITY
Mr. and Mrs. Fowler McEntire and sons, Billy and Ewing, and Mrs. James McEntire and daughter, Jamie Sue, all of Sterling City, were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Randolph McEntire.

VISITS IN BARSTOW
Nancy Lee Reese, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kennie Reese, visited her aunt, Mrs. John Mogford in Barstow from Tuesday until Saturday. She came home Saturday on the train alone.

HOME FROM TARLETON
Boone Jackson returned home last week from John Tarleton, Stephenville, where he has been a student this year. He was accompanied by Beeman Dockrey, who returned to Tarleton after the week-end.

VISITS MOTHER
Mrs. Jay McCollum and little son of Crane returned home Sunday after a two-weeks visit with Mrs. McCollum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Hart. Mrs. McCollum had her tonsils removed while here.

HERE FROM LUBBOCK
Mr. and Mrs. Don Wallace of Lubbock were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wallace. They all attended the wedding of Mumpsey Wallace in Sterling City Saturday morning.

WORKING IN STANTON
Maurice Terrell, pharmacist with the John L. Doss drug store here for many years and a pioneer resident of Colorado, went to work Monday as pharmacist in a drug store at Stanton.

BACK AT WORK
Dorothy Carter, member of the Root hospital staff, has returned to her work after being out some two weeks because of illness. She returned from Fort Worth on Saturday.

VISITS IN DALLAS
Mrs. Pink Wade Hodge returned Sunday night after a week-end visit in Dallas. She went to Dallas last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Wade Scott and son, Joe Reid Scott, who were overnight visitors here on Wednesday. Her daughter, Betty, and Moncure Carter came over from TSCW, Denton, and joined her late Saturday.

TWENTY-THREE FROM HERE ATTEND CREDIT MEET AT SWEETWATER

Twenty-three Mitchell countians were in Sweetwater Monday to attend the annual meeting of the Sweetwater Production Credit association, which takes in Borden, Dawson, Fisher, Mitchell, Nolan, and Scurry counties.

J. W. Watson of Colorado, who helped organize this association five years ago and has served as director ever since, presided. Watson is vice-president, and was reelected to that office.

Reports and discussions, along with a talk by L. Roy Prescott, treasurer of the Production Credit corporation at Houston, made up the program. Prescott talked on "Why Agriculture Needs a Special Credit System."

Total resources of the association as of December 31, 1938 were reported to be \$568,100 of which \$376,391 are loans to members. The capital account showed that the surplus earned since organization of the association 5 years ago is \$27,898. In addition members have paid \$35,585 for class B stock and \$875 for class A stock (non-voting). These two items together with funds originally furnished by the Production Credit Corporation, Houston, of \$150,00, make a net worth of \$204,358.

Watson was named with W. B. Willingham of Rotan on the executive committee.

FUNERAL HELD FOR FRANCIS MARION COE, 80, ON WEDNESDAY

Funeral for Francis Marion Coe, age 80, was held from Kiker chapel Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Rev. Mr. Dunn of Floydada officiating.

Mr. Coe, who has lived here for 20 years, off and on, died at his home in South Colorado Tuesday evening at 6:30. He was born on March 11, 1858, in Mississippi. He had been blind since 1919.

Survivors in addition to his wife are seven children: Leslie Coe of Austin, Mrs. Ed Davis of Encino, N. M., Mrs. Arthur Wilson of Westbrook, Mrs. C. G. Brinkley and Gordon Coe of Colorado, Mrs. C. A. Bearden of O'Donnell, and Mrs. Boyd Green of Silver City, N. M.

Burial was in the Colorado cemetery with grandsons acting as pallbearers and granddaughters acting as flower girls. Kiker & Son had charge of arrangements.

COLORADOANS ATTEND O'DANIEL ANNIVERSARY

Listed among out-of-town visitors at the golden wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. O'Daniel of Coahoma last Friday were several Coloradoans.

Mrs. O'Daniel is a sister of Mrs. J. M. Terry of Colorado. Several relatives of Mrs. Terry's gathered here and went to the reunion with the Terrys. Included in this group were Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Rutherford of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Waddell of Royalty, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Young of Lockhart, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dunlap of Lockhart, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wright of Rule, Mrs. Paul Brumley of Sweetwater, Jesse Wright of Fort Worth, Will Dunlap of Houston.

Counting Mrs. O'Daniel, six of Mrs. Terry's brothers and sisters were at the reunion, only one child, a brother, being absent. One of her sisters, Mrs. Edna Duffey of Denver, Colorado, she hadn't seen in 31 years.

Among those attending from Colorado in addition to Mr. and Mrs. Terry were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and Mrs. H. P. Allmond. Mr. and Mrs. O'Daniel have lived in Howard county since 1901. Mr. O'Daniel has always been a stockman, but is now retired. Oil was discovered on the O'Daniel land near Coahoma several years ago. The O'Daniels were married in Caldwell county in 1889.

FORT WORTH FAT STOCK SHOW TO BE PUBLICIZED

FORT WORTH.—The Round-up club will ride again this year over the highways and rail lines of Texas, carrying invitations to the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, March 10-19.

Fort Worth business men were working this week on plans for a limited number of goodwill trips in which the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the Round-up activities. In the past the club has been an adjunct of the Stock Show.

Five years ago the club was formed to stimulate interest in the exposition. In 1938 five good will trips were conducted to visit 100 Texas cities and broadcast invitations. Three two-day trips carried the envoys into the far corners of Texas.

Active roles in the trips will be taken by William Holden, general manager of the Chamber of Commerce, and Charles G. Cotten, manager of the trade extension department.

AUBREY LEGGE HERE
Aubrey Legge of Sweetwater, district manager for Texas Electric Service company, was here on business Wednesday.

FARMERS HAVE RECEIVED \$47,174.27 FOR SOIL CONSERVATION TO DATE

Soil conservation checks received by Mitchell county farmers for compliance with the 1938 farm program had reached a total of \$47,174.27 Thursday morning, according to J. Wiley Holmes, AAA director for the county.

Farmers are being notified by mail immediately on the arrival of their checks, Holmes says, and checks will be issued only to those farmers who can produce their notices.

CARD OF THANKS

Mere words are inadequate to express our sincerest thanks and appreciation for the many helpful hands extended us during our recent bereavement, and may God bless you. We wish especially to thank the hospital and nurses for their homelike care and help, also the doctors who were so kind and helpful and Brother Patterson and the choir in their thoughtfulness, and the hundreds of friends who called at the home with flowers and words of condolence and sympathy.

On February 12th, the great prompter who sets the stage of all earthly life and who gives us the cue to our exits as well as to our entrance in life, uttered the last call to Dr. T. J. Ratliff, a great man and friend, him ready.

MRS. T. J. RATLIFF
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SIGNIFICANT SHOWS LOGGED BY WELLS IN NEW POOL NEAR IRA

Longing shows of oil at significant depths, three wells are drilling ahead in the new Ira pool of Scurry county.

Coffield & Guthrie's No. 1-A First National Bank of Snyder, logged a show of free oil at 2070 to 2077, and was drilling on past the latter depth Thursday.

Paul Teas No. 1 W. P. Thompson, a one-half mile pool extension, was drilling in lime at 1969 after encountering a small show of oil and gas at 1825.

After small shows at 1752 and 1930-35, Yarbrough & Wheeler's No. 1 W. H. Sterling was drilling at 2,023 feet in lime.

INSURANCE

JOE EARNEST

TRANSFERRED

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Irwin and children, who have been living in Butler camp for the last six months or more, have been transferred to the Foster camp near Coahoma. Mr. Irwin is employed by the Standard Oil company of Texas.

FARMER GUESTS

Miss Maude Farmer and Roy Farmer had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gray, Jr., and son and Mrs. A. W. Robertson, all of Lamesa.

LAST TWO DAYS... SAFEWAY'S CANNED FOOD SALE!



Libby's Red Salmon
tall can
19c



Red Heart Dog Food
3 tall cans
25c



GIGANTIC COLOSSAL
Dried Peaches
3 pound package
25c

Flour

Kitchen Craft Home Type Flour
24 pound bag **65c**
48 pound bag **\$1.19**

Harvest Blossom Family Blend
48 lb. bag **\$1.00**

Rice Quality Guaranteed 30 pounds **\$1.00**

Helen Harrison, Assorted Chocolates 3 pound round tin **79c**

Lamco Spaghetti or Macaroni 3 reg. pkgs **10c**

Van Camp's Pork & Beans 3 giant cans **25c**

Airway Coffee 2 lbs. **29c**
Edwards Coffee 3 lbs. **42c**

Tex-Sun Valencia **ORANGES**
176 size dozen **19c** 5 dozen **89c**

Texas Seedless Grapfruit, 64 size, 3 for **10c**

Calaveos, each **5c**

Apples, 198 size, dozen **15c**

Fancy Yams, 4 lbs. **19c**

Cabbage, pound **1c**

Lettuce, 2 large heads **15c**

Idaho Russets Potatoes, 10 lb. mesh bag **29c**

Dried Prunes 10 lb. box **55c**

Chili Sauce
C. H. B. Brand 7 1/2 oz. bottle **10c**

Cocoanut
Long Shreds in Cellophane, pound **21c**

Egg Noodles
Del Monte 16 oz. Brand pkg. **15c**

Sunmaid Nectar Raisins 15 oz. box **9c**

Ovaltine sml. can **33c**

Mazola Oil pt. **25c**

Towels 2 rolls **17c**

Tissue 2 rolls **15c**

Frying Chickens

Dressed and Drawn Pound **27c**

Sirloin Steak, pound **25c**

Hog Lard, 2 pounds **19c**

Fresh Liver, pound **12 1/2c**

Dry Salt Jowls, pound **9c**

Collage Cheese, pound **10c**

Brookfield Paddies, pound **19c**

Sliced Bacon
Korn Kist or Morrells Pride Pound **25c**

SAFEWAY

**Writing Home
From Austin**

By R. Temple Dickson
Cities and counties of Texas will be facing, in two or three months, a problem more serious than any they have seen in a good while.

It is expected that the federal relief program will be withdrawn—or at least greatly curtailed, and that the state relief administration which helps to administer the federal program will fold up.

Then, the whole job of relief will be in the laps of the towns and counties. Few of these local units are ready to receive the burden. In addition, voluntary charity organizations have been leaving things to the federal government so long that their organizations are weak.

Some time, probably in this session, the cities will get together and make a plea to the legislature for a state appropriation to aid in this emergency.

Attacks made by members of the senate against J. C. Hunter of Abilene after he had been named by Governor O'Daniel as the new member of the highway commission were answered this week by Rep. Pat Dwyer, veteran member of the house from San Antonio.

He shouted, "The name of the state of Texas has been desecrated by the senate," referring to the personal attacks made against the governor when he had appointed Hunter. East Texans had objected to appointment of Hunter because he comes from West Texas. They want an East Texan.

In the hands of the house committee on agriculture is a resolution asking appointment of a three-member committee to investigate "discrimination" and "unfair election practices" in the federal cotton control program.

The resolution was introduced by Rep. John A. Kerr of LaGrange, who alleged unfairness by the AAA. Among those representatives immediately rising to the defense of the program was Rep. Robert Wood of Marshall.

As this was written, the show-down on the transaction tax method was gradually drawing nearer. In joint sessions, the committees on revenue and taxation and on constitutional amendments have been hearing long lists of witnesses since the middle of last week.

The lists of witnesses will likely run out in another day or so, but there will be much bickering over various substitutes to the bill after that.

During the first two days of the joint hearing on that matter, there appeared before the committee persons claiming to represent various organizations of old persons seeking pensions. One newspaperman counted eight such organizations mentioned. Each such organization claimed to be fighting the old folks' battle.

No doubt some of these are good, legitimate organizations. But others, many legislators firmly believe, were organized by unscrupulous persons who want to get the nickels and dimes of old folks by passing around the hat at their meetings. Some men are unscrupulous enough to rob the old folks in just that way.

An interesting bit of information came from some research by the University of Texas social science department the other day.

It was found in this research that Texas has more crime than the nation averages. National average of non-negligent homicides is 6.1 per 100,000 population, while in Texas it is 17.9, annually. In other crimes, Texas leads by smaller margins.

WESTBROOK'S FIRST



LEECROY CLIFTON
—Courtesy Dallas News
Distinction of being Westbrook's first Eagle Scout belongs to this youth, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Clifton of Westbrook. He received his Eagle badge during the recent Boy Scout banquet held in Colorado.

**THREE SUSTAIN ONLY
MINOR INJURIES AS
CAR IS DEMOLISHED**

Three Californians sustained only minor cuts and bruises when their 1939 Chevrolet sedan was demolished in a mishap at the west end of Morgan creek bridge between Colorado and Westbrook last Saturday morning about 8 o'clock.

The car, traveling west, skidded on the ice-coated pavement and went over the embankment, doing a complete turnover and landing in upright position again. Members of the Mitchell county highway maintenance crew were first on the scene and brought the injured men to town, where they received treatment for their injuries. They were not hospitalized.

Those who saw the wrecked car expressed surprise that there were no casualties or serious injuries. The three men, W. R. Benson and Chas. F. Underwood of Los Angeles and S. E. Richey of Burbank, took the Saturday afternoon train to continue their journey to the coast.

**'DAD' CLARK, ONE OF
COLORADO'S EARLIEST
RESIDENTS, SUCCUMBS**

One of Colorado's earliest residents, Jesse Christopher Clark, commonly known as "Dad" Clark, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. L. R. Pond, in Colorado at 12:45 Saturday morning. Mr. Clark, who would have been 90 in August, had lived in Colorado 57 years.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock from Kiker chapel with Rev. T. A. Patterson of First Baptist church officiating. Pallbearers were Thos. R. Smith, Douglas Burns, Jack Smith, Jerold Riordan, Bennett Scott, and Charles Moeser. Burial was in the Colorado cemetery.

Born in Ripley, Missouri, on August 8, 1849, Mr. Clark came to Texas after he was grown. His wife, whom he married in Missouri, died 55 years ago, two years after they came to Colorado. For years Mr. Clark operated a team-drawn dray wagon here.

He is survived by two sons, J. V. Clark of Colorado and F. S. Clark of Montana, and one daughter, Mrs. Pond of Colorado. There are four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Kiker & Son had charge of arrangements.

**CROUCH'S WESTBROOK WILDCATS AMONG
BEST CAGE TEAMS IN WEST TEXAS**

If the basketball championship of the season's record, it would undoubtedly have gone to R. G. Crouch's Westbrook Wildcats, who have piled up some of the most impressive cage figures in West Texas this season.

In 34 games they have made a total of 773 points as compared with 493 for their opponents, giving them a comfortable margin of 275 points to the good. They won 26 of their 34 games, and in the course of the season defeated five of the eight teams who had defeated them. Teams which they defeated once and lost to once were Big Spring, Alpine, Forsan, and Divide.

They administered two defeats, one 23-17 and the other 18-14, to the Colorado Wolves, who dined them in an "uspy" game recently for the county interscholastic league championship.

Among the strong teams which they conquered during the season were Big Spring, Iraan, Garner, Coahoma, Colorado, Ira, Dunn, Fort Stockton, Ackerley, and Water Valley. They won first place trophies at the Ira and Dunn tournaments, second place at the Rankin tournament, and third in the Sterling City tournament.

High point men were Sidney Jones with 266 points and Howard Redwine with 235. Jones played center and Redwine forward on the first team. Other first-team players were Red Davenport, forward, A. G. Board and Ray Moody guards. Substitutes used the most were Junior Oglesby, Rufus Jackson, Gerald Anderson, and Byrl Claxton. Jones, Redwine, Board, and Moody have played their last football and cage games for Westbrook High school, being graduates this year.

**HART URGES PAYMENT
OF TAXES BEFORE THE
PENALTY IS INCREASED**

Those having delinquent state and county taxes for this year are reminded by Bruce Hart, tax collector, that the present penalty is only 1%, but that this will be increased to 2% after April 1.

The penalty increases each month until it reaches 8% on July 1, Hart points out.

Farmers who have been waiting for government checks to pay their taxes will have to pay only 1% penalty if payment is made before April 1.

**E. V. GRANTLAND LISTED
AMONG THE TOP THREE ON
INSURANCE HONOR ROLL**

E. V. Grantland was listed among the top three on the December honor roll of the West Coast Life Insurance company, according to information which he received last week.

Winning this place entitles Grantland to an all-expense-paid trip to the San Francisco Golden Gate exposition in September.

The West Coast Life Insurance company takes in all of the Western part of the United States, along with China, Alaska, and the Philippines. Only two Texans were among the top three on the honor roll of twenty for all the company's territory.

**WESTBROOK FFA BOYS
MAKE WAR ON PRAIRIE
DOGS AND TREE BORERS**

Making war on peach tree borers and prairie dogs, Future Farmers of Westbrook High school and their instructor, C. V. Cox, recently went on a field trip.

They pruned fruit trees at the farm homes of Mrs. R. M. Jones and Mrs. Tom Jackson, and gave these trees para dichloride benzene treatment for peach tree borers.

On the Tom Jackson farm, which is located 13 miles northwest of Westbrook, they ran special contour listing on an eight-acre prairie dog "town" for the double purpose of increasing grass and killing out the prairie dogs.

Lists were made from 6 to 7 feet apart so that water will be held when rain falls. This water can be easily ditched into the prairie dog holes, and the dogs can be killed when they attempt to come to the surface, Cox explains.

OLDEST VETERAN RANGER

Trails of yesteryears will be followed into Fort Worth for the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, March 10, by Capt. John R. Hughes, oldest veteran of the Texas Ranger Service.

Hughes has advised John B. Davis, secretary-manager, that he will leave his home in El Paso March 1 on a motor tour of South and Central Texas, visiting old friends and cooking his own meals.

Half a century ago when Hughes was the law along the cattle trails of the Southwest he bent over the camp fire many nights in preparing his food while tracking down bad men of the Old West. The difference is that Hughes will travel by automobile instead of horseback and he will use modern conveniences of tourist camps instead of open camp fires.

**INCOME TAX MAN TO
BE HERE MARCH 2ND**

The following letter promising aid to Mitchell countians in filling out their income tax reports has been received from W. A. Thomas, collector of internal revenue:

The new income tax law presents many complicated problems which the layman, in attempting to file his income tax return for 1938, cannot solve. This office is anxious to be of help to all taxpayers who desire our assistance in making out their returns.

For this reason, we will send a deputy collector, to your city to assist your citizens with their income tax problems. The law does not impose this duty upon us, but we feel obliged to assist wherever we are needed. The deputy's advice and assistance is extended purely as a courtesy and without cost to your citizens.

For this reason, we request that you give our visit as much publicity as possible, for your citizens will benefit in direct ratio to the number who know about our visit.

Deputy Collector H. C. Broadus will be at the Mitchell county court house, on March 2, 1939, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. to render income assistance to any who desire it. This will be the only visit we can pay your city during this filing period.

**COUNTY SCHOOLS ARE
CHECKED BY SANDLIN**

Schools of Mitchell county have been checked for standardization this week by R. N. Sandlin of Abilene, district deputy state superintendent.

Sandlin was here from Monday until late Wednesday, according to Roy Davis Coles, county superintendent.

HERE FOR FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Greene and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pond were here from Big Spring for the "Dad" Clark funeral Saturday.

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TAKEN TO PLAINVIEW
Austin Roundtree was taken to Plainview in a Pyland ambulance Sunday. He will visit his mother and other relatives there while convalescing from the illness which kept him in the hospital several days last week.

GO TO LUBBOCK
Mrs. John Arnett, Mrs. Ford Merritt, and little David Merritt went to Lubbock Wednesday.

HEAR NELSON EDDY
Mrs. Thos. R. Smith went to Denton the latter part of last week and accompanied her daughter, Nina Laura, a student in TSCW, to Dallas to hear Nelson Eddy.

ATTEND FUNERAL
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rose of Odessa were here Tuesday to attend the funeral of Dr. T. J. Ratliff. They also visited their daughter, Mrs. Luke Thomas.

**THREE FROM HERE TO
RANGE CONFERENCE**

Three Mitchell countians, B. J. Baskin, J. Wiley Holmes, and W. T. Brooks, went to Big Spring Saturday to attend a district conference dealing with the new range program. The session was one of a series being conducted in West Texas by AAA and extension service experts.

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Romance And Tradition Of Blue Grass State Glorified In Technicolor Hit, "Kentucky"

FILM DUE HERE WITH FINE CAST HEADED BY LORETTA YOUNG AND RICHARD GREEN

In the belief that millions of Americans are loyal and enthusiastic followers of the sport of kings—without actually knowing much about the sport, or the kings either, for that matter—Hollywood has now turned out a picture which is said to be the last word on the subject.

It is 20th Century-Fox's Technicolor production, "Kentucky," coming to the Palace theatre Saturday night, Sunday and Monday, Feb. 25, 26 and 27, with a cast headed by Loretta Young and Richard Greene, and including (among its more temperamental players) some of the finest thoroughbreders of American turfdom.

Announced as a great romantic story, centering on two of those proud families who for three generations have fostered one of the finest tradi-

tions of horse breeding and racing that the world has ever known, "Kentucky" reveals all the luxuriant beauty of the Blue Grass country in its natural state—for it was there that many of the scenes were filmed, according to Darryl F. Zanuck, 20th Century-Fox's astute production chief.

TRUCK IS BURNED ON BEAL CREEK BRIDGE

By L. T. Moore, Route 2
Crashing into a banister of the Beal Creek bridge on the Sterling City road, Monday night, a late model Ford truck hurled its driver out and burst into flames.

The driver, who said his name was Click and his home San Angelo, said that he did not know what caused the wreck.

The truck was wrapped in flames and the driver leaning against the front fender, still not fully conscious when Percy Felts, who lives about a mile away, arrived on the scene. He rushed to the Spade store for assistance.

The truck was completely burned up. Damage to the bridge was not great. Click suffered slight internal injuries and several bruises.

CATHOLIC BISHOP IS VISITOR HERE

The Most Reverend Robert E. Lucey, bishop of the Catholic diocese of Amarillo, made a canonical visit to St. Anne's church in Colorado and to the sisters of St. Francis' convent here.

The bishop arrived in Sweetwater Saturday night and spent three days making canonical visitations to mission churches in this area.

Sisters Starred Together In Four Daughters

The girls get their innings this week when "Four Daughters," the Warner Bros. picture adapted from a famous Cosmopolitan story by Fannie Hurst, coming to the Palace theatre Friday and Saturday, Feb. 24 and 25.

Priscilla, Rosemary and Lola Lane, Hollywood's only three sister stars, and Gale Page, a lovely Spokane newcomer, have the title roles, and it is around them that the bright and charming story revolves. The daughters of an elderly musician, played by Claude Rains, theirs are all the joys and sorrows of small-town girls whose lives are full of work and play, dreams and ambitions.

Of course where there are four pretty girls, four young men are likely to put in an appearance. And they do, in the person of Jeffrey Lynn, a handsome screen newcomer who seems destined for stardom, John Garfield, a young character actor recruited from Broadway and the Group Theatre, Dick Foran and Frank McHugh. May Robson is on the spot to act as chaperone. The Fannie Hurst story was adapted for the screen by Julius J. Epstein and Lenore Coffee. Michael Curtiz directed.

BRING HORSES TO SHOW

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whiteman, he the "King of Jazz" and both horse fanciers, are bringing two of their horses from New York City to the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, March 10-19.

Mr. Walk-A-Long, acquired by Whiteman in Fort Worth during the band leader's engagement at Casa Manana, and The Pride of Tennessee, owned by Mrs. Whiteman, will be entered in the horse show in which prizes of \$8,000 will be distributed.

Whiteman music will be heard at the World Championship Rodeo and at the Round-up, night club entertainment spot at the show.

Read Record want-ads.

Sabu Heads Cast Of Action Drama

All the thrills, danger and romance of life on the North West Frontier of India will be brought to the screen of the Ritz theatre on Sunday and Monday, Feb. 26 and 27 when "Drums," Alexander Korda's magnificent technicolor production, plays there.

Sabu, the sensational child star of "Elephant Boy" fame, is featured with Raymond Massey, Roger Livesey, Desmond Tester and Valerie Hobson at the head of a cast of 3,000 in this exciting cavalcade of empire building, photographed in natural color in nature's most dramatic setting.

The stirring story casts Sabu as a brave young Indian prince who, with the help of his Scottish drummer boy pal, is able to foil the fiendish plotting of his power-mad uncle, Prince Ghul, forestall the wholesale slaughter of British troops, which Ghul had planned as the bloody climax of a five-day ceremonial feast, and regain his own rightful place on the throne.

The breath-taking realism which marks the battle scenes and the scenes of Indian tribal life was achieved by invading India's treacherous Khyber Pass, territory which no motion picture camera had ever penetrated.

A beautiful romance is contributed by Roger Livesey, as the redoubtable Captain Carruthers who undertakes the mission into the hostile Prince Ghul's territory, and Valerie Hobson, as the bride who accompanies him to this distant and dangerous outpost, where she is the only woman among thousands of men.

"Drums" was directed by Zoltan Korda and is released through United Artists.

SEVEN WELLS, PAYNE, LOWE

Ed Roach and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Fields Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Holeman, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Conaway were visitors in the home of J. M. Rogers Sunday.

Dervle Hammans spent Sunday with Billy Earl Roach.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Lindley visited Mrs. Lindley's mother Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Fortenberry and children of this community spent Sunday with Mrs. E. Blassingame and children of Buford.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Blassingame spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Porter Hammans.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. John Hammans.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathis and family spent this week-end in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams of Seven Wells have gone to her mother at Horn's Chapel.

Miss Lucille Bassham has returned from a visit to her grandmothers in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Pruitt visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Saunders Sunday.

Billy Bassham, Roscoe Bahham, R. L. and Shelton Bassham enjoyed fishing this week-end.

Services will be held Sunday in the Payne church. Everyone invited. Singing will be held Sunday evening there also.

The final rush was under way this week for livestock entry blanks in the forty-third annual Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, March 10-19. The deadline will be Feb. 18, D. G. Talbot, general livestock superintendent, said.

THEIR NAMES IN THE PAPERS

Being a Collection of Items From Other Papers About Present and Former Mitchell Countians.

Jim Byrd, head of the soil conservation service camp at Stamford, not only was an outstanding judge of livestock while attending Texas A. & M. college, but was a coach of outstanding teams at Dublin where he taught vocational agriculture following graduation.

He coached an undefeated team during 1931 . . . a team that won the national championship. Byrd is much in demand as a judge of livestock shows in this area and is one of the most popular judges in the business.

Members of his great team at Dublin were F. C. Shillingsburg, now VA teacher at Colorado and greatest of all members; Henry Turney, now with the soil conservation camp at Dublin; Joe Liles, who later graduated from Texas Tech; and Byron Eubanks, a radio entertainer.—From Harry Holt's Chousin' Around column in the Abilene Reporter-News.

BUFORD NEWS

Sixth and Seventh Grades

Sixth Grade Editor—Gladys Roberts
Seventh Grade—Dorris Marie Webb

Miss Paulette Derryberry returned with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dunlap from Junction on Thursday. Mr. J. E. Derryberry and Mr. J. H. Dunlap went back to Junction Thursday night returning Saturday. Mrs. Dunlap remained with her mother until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Holman and son of Levelland visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Glover and family last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Laster and family visited in the W. W. Wilson home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lipham and family from Kermit and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Feaster and family of Buford were guests in the H. F. Feaster home Sunday.

Dinner guests in the J. E. Derryberry home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Teaff of Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Henderson and daughters and Mr. Arlie Henderson of Lorraine, Mr. Ross Derryberry and son, Billie, were visitors in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Rogers and family spent Sunday at Valley View with Mrs. Curtis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hoover.

Effie Mae Prescott spent a part of the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hines and family of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hughes and family of Longfellow, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hoover of Colorado, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Rogers and family of Buford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hoover and family of Valley View.

The Gamble children visited in the Prescott home Sunday.

Betty Baker and Marie Ellis spent Sunday with Billie Louise Smith.

Ray Smith visited Leron Harris Sunday. While they were playing, Ray stuck a nail in his right eye; however it is not so serious as expected.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Feaster, Lodeña, and C. D. Feaster are in Ellis county visiting a sick relative.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bloodworth and family of Buford, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Higgins from Snyder, and Charley Bloodworth of Bauman were guests in the C. L. Feaster home Sunday.

Joe Bloodworth returned from Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Thirty thousand windshield stickers (as reminders of the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, March 10-19), rolled off the printing presses this week. They are being distributed to every nook and corner of the Southwest.

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OVER HALF OF FLEET CARS ARE CHEVROLETS

DETROIT—More than half of the 1938 passenger cars purchased by the 440 leading fleet operators in the nation were Chevrolets, according to official fleet registration figures released recently.

Of a total of 26,025 passenger cars put into fleet service last year, the figures show, Chevrolet registered 13,089, or 50.4%. The Chevrolet total of 13,89 is more than twice the number registered by the next most popular make.

In the truck fleet sales division, Chevrolet registered 7,687 units. The next most popular make registered 6,370 units.

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THURSDAY, February 23
"NEXT TIME I MARRY"
Lucille Ball, James Ellison
Paramount News, Comedy, "Plum Crazy"

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
February 24 and 25
"FOUR DAUGHTERS"
Priscilla Lane, Rosemary Lane, Lola Lane, Gale Page, Jeffrey Lynn
Fox News, Our Gang Comedy and Sport Short

SATURDAY MIDNIGHT
SUNDAY AND MONDAY
February 25, 26 and 27
"KENTUCKY"
Richard Greene, Loretta Young, Walter Brennan
Fox News, March of Time and Color Cartoon

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY
February 28 and March 1
"OFF THE RECORD"
Pat O'Brien, Joan Blondell
Community Sing and Color Cartoon

THURSDAY, March 2
"Mr. Moto's Last Warning"
Peter Lorre, George Sanders, Ricardo Cortez, Virginia Fields
Paramount News, and Andy Clyde Comedy

COMING NEXT WEEK
"HONOLULU"
Night Shows Opens 6:45 P. M.
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Martha Raye, Bob Hope, Betty Grable
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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
February 24 and 25
"ARIZONA LEGION"
George O'Brien, Loraine Johnson
"Red Barry" No. 7 and Cartoon

SUNDAY AND MONDAY
February 26 and 27
"DRUMS"
Raymond Massey, Valerie Hobson
Musical Comedy

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY
February 28 and March 1
"SING YOU SINNERS"
Bing Crosby, Fred MacMurray, Donald O'Connor, Ellen Drew
Edgar Kennedy Comedy

THURSDAY, March 2
"WILD AND WOOLY"
Jane Withers, Walter Brennan, Alfalfa Switzer
Paramount-Pictorial and Popeye Cartoon

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FANNIE HURST'S masterpiece becomes the most beloved picture of the year!

Four Daughters

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Fred B. Whipkey

EDITORIAL

Last week we had an article on the "Two Resurrections," to all of which quite a few of our readers take issue and say it is all speculative. This week we submit:

THOUGHTS ON FREE WILL

Our most valuable possession is probably not position, money or education but our individual moral liberty.

Of course we may have voluntarily given up a lot of our liberty, physical or moral, but could of our own volition recover it at any time we might choose to step out on faith and pay the price of regaining it.

Take, for instance, a family man, with an invalid wife; he has the personal choice of slipping out of his responsibilities and to go in pursuit of some frivolity, but in most cases duty and real love guide him to a use of his liberty to make his dependents happy and himself, incidentally, in the doing of it.

Another "hombre" makes other uses of his freedom of choice and in due course gains the newspaper headlines, a sour disposition for himself, with wreckage in the wake.

It seems to be entirely up to the individual to decide just what to do with this freedom of moral choice, and if hereditary tendencies, either good or bad, are overcome so much more will be the loss or gain of the actor.

Regardless of limitations, everyone, within his or her own sphere, possesses liberty of moral action; all that has been said anent "behaviorism" to the contrary notwithstanding. Tony Sarg has no strings on us.

Physical man has a standardized animal structure of spine, stomach, lungs, extremities and brain pan, and the question is not so much the process of the creation of this commodious carriage as whether or not the spirit of its Creator occupies the bodily temple.

As children, at least, all men have had the Christ spirit in some degree, without perhaps having any clear knowledge of the source.

This divine spark may have become very dim as they grew older, but I believe the unpardonable sin consists not in lack of knowledge but in becoming deliberately and eventually "hard-boiled" to every good of life, thereby exiling one's self from God the Father.

The Christ spirit is as free as the air we breathe and available to all. If the Creator thus dignified mankind by the bestowal on him of this freedom, alone of all known created beings, and which is man's supreme possession, it would seem very unjust on our part to charge Him up with all the results of man's misuse of his God-given prerogatives, as in the case of the World War and all of its attendant miseries.

Hosts of people lost their faith in the fatherhood of God as a result of the war, which was a manmade catastrophe.

Suffering, like the rain, falls upon the just and upon the unjust, but with this mitigation: "Standeth God amidst the shadows, keeping watch above His own."

It is the long run—that matters and we have aeons to go. Job learned well the big lesson that only men of faith can be patient to the end.

The misuser of his liberty, however, wants to anticipate all of the bliss of heaven, right now, and raises Hades to do so.

It seems to be a fact that most of the woes of human history have been due to unjust acts between individuals or to the misdirected self-will of men or groups taking it upon themselves to rule without divine guidance. Washington wasn't that way.

It strikes me that mankind's relief will not be through radical materialism, but through the promulgation of the Christ way for the individual and the acceptance of Him at His own valuation of Himself.

Surely He was more than a mere mortal, achieving his own divinity, for "Never man spake as this man."

No one could have brought so convincingly the message of the fatherhood of God and backed it up so nobly with every fiber of such highly sensitized consciousness.

At present the world is dizzy from the rapidity of mechanical development and we tend to mechanize and to card index the the imperponderables, as we drift away from the things of the spirit—the only source of a satisfactory existence.

A man lying on a hospital bed, with his limbs off, may say with Job: "Although Thou slay me, yet will I trust in Thee," which would be the greatest thing obtainable; a sublime faith in the ultimate all rightness of things for the believer in and doer of the Word.

O'DANIEL'S TRANSACTION TAX

Someone has written in to ask what is the difference between a simple retail sales tax and the proposed transaction tax.

The transaction tax is a super-colossal sales tax, pyramided to the third or tenth power, depending on the number of transactions involved.

With the retail sales tax, the consumer pays at the time of purchase—though theoretically it is the dealer who pays. As a matter of fact he merely collects from the consumer. With a retail sales tax of two per cent, the consumer who buys a dollar's worth of ten-penny nails pays a tax of two cents. That is all there is to it.

With the transaction tax it is different—and how.

With a transaction levy of 1.6 per cent as proposed, the nails would bear a number of pyramided taxes by the time they were delivered to the consumer. The most obvious one would be the 1.6 per cent paid by the consumer at time of purchase. But the retailer would already have paid 1.6 per cent when he bought the nails from his wholesaler. The wholesaler, if he bought from a Texas manufacturer or jobber, also would have paid a 1.6 per cent transaction tax. That is three separate and distinct levies of 1.6 per cent each on the nails, or a total of 4.8 per cent.

But that isn't all. The jobber, wholesaler and retailer would have to pay 1.6 per cent on shipping or hauling charges. They would have to pay 1.6 per cent on money borrowed to carry on their business, and 1.6 per cent on rent, insurance and other fixed costs. By the time the nails reached the consumer, they might bear anywhere from three to 10 or 20 separate and distinct transaction levies, varying in ratio to the selling price, but all added finally to the cost to the consumer. If the consumer paid by check, the transaction tax would be levied on that, too.

So much for the direct levies. The merchant would be caught in a cross current of levies the like of which was never conceived before. The spiritual godfather of the transaction tax, Dr. Francis E. Townsend, gave loud praise to Governor O'Daniel for proposing it but insisted that the wages of labor should be taxed, too. However, this is not proposed in Texas.

But the merchant would have to pay the transaction tax on his rent, on his fire insurance, on his floor sweep, on his heating fuel, on his electricity, his water, his window cleaning fluid; on every stick of lumber he bought for repairs; on his telephone and telegraph messages, his notes, his bank checks, his freight and haulage, his advertising, his ox, his ass and his neighbor's free flyswatter. Verily, he would be hit going and coming—and the taxes would go on if he never sold a dime's worth of goods.

All of these taxes, being included in the cost of doing business, would be handed on to the consumer, who would have to pay them all in one grand flourish. So the consumer, as usual, would be the principal sacrificial goat.

That is what is meant by calling the transaction tax a pyramided sales tax.

By comparison, the simple retail sales tax is a joy and a privilege.

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

Gov. O'Daniel wants to abolish capital punishment and quotes the Bible "Thou shalt not kill." Here are only a few other quotations. Deut. 13:9. Referring to other Gods says, "Thou shalt surely kill him."

Ex. 22:20. Referring to idolatry says, "He shall be utterly destroyed."

Lev. 24:16. Referring to profanity says, "He shall surely be put to death."

Num. 15:35. Referring to the Sabbath says, "All the congregation shall stone him."

Deut. 31:21. Referring to respect for parents says, "All the men of his city shall stone him with stones, that he die."

Lev. 24:21. Referring to murder says, "He that killeth a man, he shall be put to death."

Lev. 20:10. Referring to adultery says, "The adulterer and the adulteress shall surely be put to death."

Ex. 21:16. Referring to theft says, "He shall surely be put to death."

Deut. 19:19. Referring to false witnessing says, "Then shall ye do unto him as he had thought to have done unto his brother."

Our good friend, R. C. Crane down at Sweetwater, writing on this subject says:

When Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel says he is against the death penalty for crime in Texas because the Ten Commandments says "Thou shalt not kill," he shows that he has not bothered to analyze the proposition.

True, the Ten Commandments do say, "Thou shalt not kill." But they were issued by Moses as a rule of action for the Children of Israel. But elsewhere in the Bible (notably in the twenty-first chapter of Exodus; in the twenty-fourth chapter of Leviticus, etc.), Moses the great lawgiver makes it plain that the man who does kill is doomed by his own action, and as penalty, to suffer death.

The penal code of Texas condemns a great many crimes and affixes the penalties for their violation and the code of criminal procedure provides the means by which the person charged with crime shall be brought to trial and punishment; and then the Governor has his oath of office, to uphold and enforce the laws of Texas as he finds them.

It is the man who has shut his eyes and closed his conscience to the command, and has gone out and killed his fellow man—who has violated the Ten Commandments and is therefore condemned to suffer the penalty for his own willful and voluntary action.

That rule of law was in the land from which the Patriarch Abraham came, a thousand years before the time of Moses.

L. C. Evans in his letters to readers writes from Dallas to say:

After hearing Governor O'Daniel's broadcast Sunday, Feb. 5, with reference to the Negro boy's reprieve which he recently granted, I cannot sit idly by without letting him know how many ordinary citizens feel about this elimination of capital punishment.

Our ordinary people of Texas are as tender-hearted as anyone, but we as a whole believe in capital punishment. Thus get a life sentence instead of electrocution or hanging, and the next thing we hear of them, they have committed rape, murder, or have held up some member of your family or mine.

If Governor O'Daniel cares to investigate, he will find that this is a fact, and if he really wants facts, why not inquire into conditions in Michigan, where there is no capital punishment.

Up at the high school the school inspector was giving a lecture and among other things he said:

"I wish I were a boy again and back at school." He paused. "Do you know why I wish that?" For a second or two there was silence, then a grimy hand went up. "Well?" asked the inspector.

"Cause you've forgotten all you ever knowed," said the youth.

It is human nature to do as little as possible, and get the top price for what is done. The exceptions to the rule are not sufficient to alter the application to human nature.

As a rule the person who works less, is readiest with advice. It is easier to tell twenty how to do than to be one of twenty to do it.

DON'T ORDER GOD

A good many people in their prayers tell God what they want him to do, and tell him it is a rush order. They forget that God doesn't take orders from anybody, and he takes his time about fulfilling promises. He promised Abram a wife and descendants twenty five years before Isaac was born. Abram and Sarai waited about fourteen or fifteen years in vain for the promised heir. They came to the conclusion that God had forgotten his promise, and Sarai called her Egyptian maid, Hagar, to help them out of their impatience. They made a mess of things that have not been cleared up to this day and Abram and Sarai had to wait about ten years longer before God gave them the promised heir in their son Isaac. Human beings generally get into trouble when they butt into God's plans.



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GRAY CARS AND BLACK LEAD IN POPULARITY

Gray cars stand second only to black in the preference of Oldsmobile purchasers, according to D. E. Ralston, general sales manager.

"Black remains the most popular car finish," Ralston said, "It is chosen by approximately 30 buyers in every 100. But gray is running a very close second with a preference of 29 per cent. This last figure, however, includes two different shades, a light gray and a dark gray."

"It is interesting to note that the two grays have traded places in the popularity rating. During the 1938 model year, dark gray represented 13.2 per cent of our deliveries, against 16.9 per cent for light gray. Our latest color report shows dark gray is currently accounting for 18 per cent against only 11 per cent for light gray. The next most popular colors are light blue, green and dark blue, respectively. Trailers on the color popularity chart are brown, maroon, red and cream."

"In the matter of body styles, the Oldsmobile four-door sedan is well ahead of all other models in the medium priced Seventy and Eighty series. More than 75 per cent of buyers in the Eighty purchasers select the four-door sedan. Slightly over one-half of all Series Seventy buyers choose the four-door sedan. The two-door is second choice in both of these series. In the Series Sixty, when Oldsmobile recently introduced into the low price field, the two-door sedan leads the four-door, 43 per cent to 36 per cent."

Mr. Ralston's explanation of this fact is based upon the greater consideration which buyers in the low price field give to the price differential existing between various body models.

"The two and four-door sedans of the 1939 Sixty Series are definitely low price cars," he said, "both being priced more than \$100 below the corresponding body models of the 1938 Sixty, but there still remains sufficient price differential between them to favor the less expensive two-door among buyers who value every dollar of their motoring budget."

OLDSMOBILE SALES STILL CLIMBING UP

LANSING, Mich.—Oldsmobile retail sales continued an upward trend, and for the second ten days of January, totaled 3458 units, to represent an increase of more than 75 per cent over the corresponding period of last year, according to a statement issued

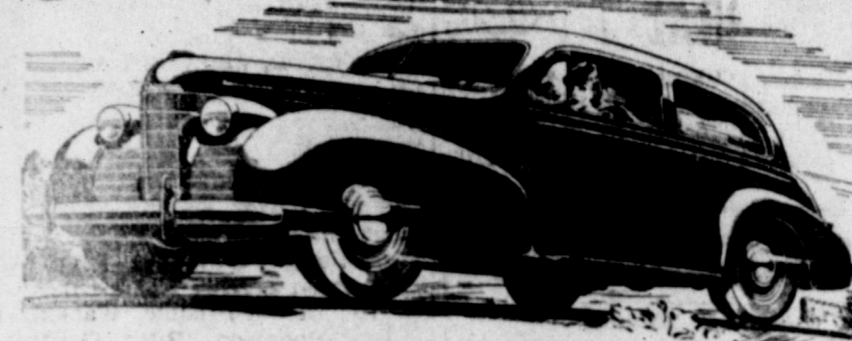
recently by D. E. Ralston, general sales manager.

Total retail sales for the first 20 days of January were 6641 cars. This is a gain of 78 per cent over the same period of 1938.

In addition to large gains being made in new car sales, Ralston stated that used car sales for the second ten day period of January also in-

creased. Oldsmobile dealers sold 12,530 units compared to 9,628 for the previous ten-day period. Stocks of used cars in hands of Oldsmobile dealers throughout the United States are more than 5,000 cars lower than the stock on hand for the same period last year, further emphasizing improved business conditions, Ralston added.

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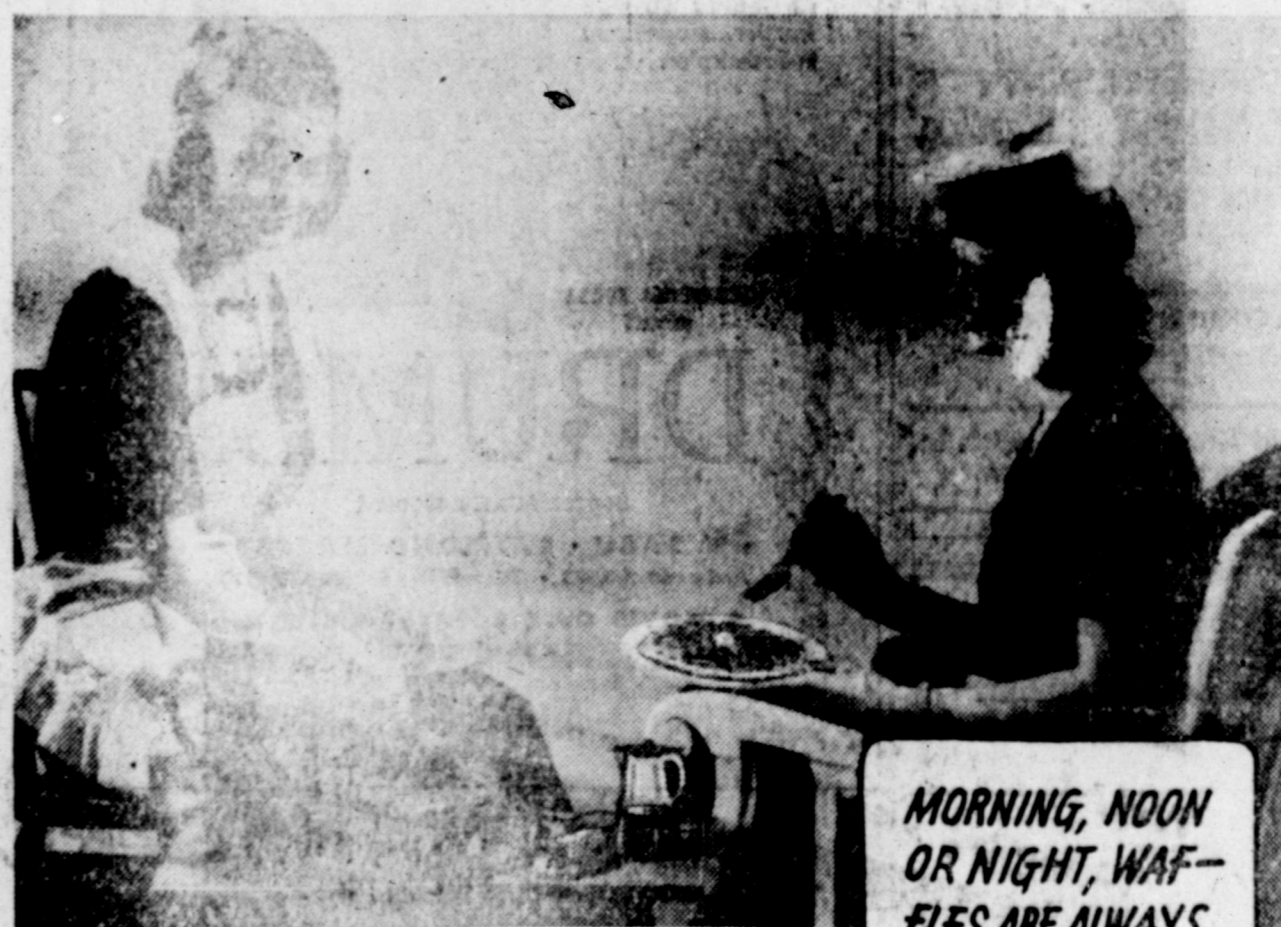
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OFFICIAL RAINFALL TABLE FOR COLORADO

Table with columns for Year, Jan., Feb., Mar., Apr., May, June, July, Aug., Sept., Oct., Nov., Dec., Total. Rows for years 1920 through 1939.

COTTON GINNED IN MITCHELL COUNTY PAST TEN YEARS

Table with columns for Year, No. of Bales. Rows for years 1929 through 1938.

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pany, in the general store keeper's office. Mr. Randle came to Colorado in October of 1925. He built his own store, Piggy Wigly grocery, and is doing a reputable amount of business today.

WOLVES TAKE FOURTH PLACE AT DISTRICT. Drawing a bye in the first round of play the Wolves moved into the semifinals by setting back Highland 42-30.

ORIGINAL POEMS TO BE PUBLISHED. Original poems written by students of Colorado High school have been accepted by Mrs. Frances Coffin Boaz of Ft. Worth for publication in a volume known as "Colts of Pegasus" second series.

WHO'S WHO. Mr. Randle was born in Estelline, Texas. He attended grammar school there and high school in Childress. After that he worked in Childress for four years with the railroad com-

THE UNIVERSE. The moon, a silent silvery swan, sailing as a canoe on placid water. Lovely as a fairy with her wand. Wise as a learned old scholar.

AS PATE TURNS. Like the leaves that are scattered. By the ever sweeping wind. Our lives are swept along by fate. Like our dreams that are shattered. By an unknowing friend.

C. H. S. DEBATE MAKES DEBUT. Six members of the Colorado debate squad took part in a practice tournament with class A high schools Saturday 18, in Lubbock. The boys lost to the Lubbock second team but won their second debate with Big Spring.

HOME ECONOMICS. The Home Economics classes are all going into a deep slumber for their tests, which come once every six weeks.

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month by month, the figures show. They increased more than six per cent in November, over the same month in 1937, more than 24 per cent in December, and, according to latest figures, 31 per cent in January.

CHEVROLET LEADS IN REGISTRATIONS AGAIN. DETROIT—For the seventh time in the last eight years, Chevrolet led in passenger car registrations in 1938, figures for all states except Wisconsin, revealed recently.

Since introduction of the 1939 models featuring new knee action and the exclusive vacuum gearshift with steering column control, the percentage of increase over corresponding periods in the 1938 model year has been mounting steadily.

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MANLY MANNERS. Your correspondent is in the depths of sublime ignorance and must study for six weeks exams therefore the questions have been dissolved into what you should and should not do.

- 1. In a restaurant the girl follows the waiter to the table and the boy follows the girl. 2. When going to a party always speak to your hostess and never be late! 3. Act as if you are having a grand time and contribute your part to the success of the party. 4. When you call on a friend don't stay forever; never be a bore. 5. On the street a boy always walks near the curb, never sandwiched between two girls.

CAMPUS CAMERA. The exchange of valentines on the campus last week awakens the knowledge and reassurance that there is still room for sentiment in the grizzled hearts of CHS students.

High spots of the debate trip: Freddie and her oysters, Harvey Hicks and his continuous pep, Beau-

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PICKED UP ALONG THE NEWS PATH

Some time ago a person who signed himself Claude (Bruiser) Collins wrote from Beaumont and did some rather interesting memory path rambling about "old days" in Colorado. . . . The letter contains a number of references to early-day shootings and feuds which have had to be deleted for publication purposes, but what's left goes like this: "When in 'Do You Remember' style: 'Written in they built the iron bridge across the river to South Colorado? . . . When there was a town water pump at the intersection of Main & Second streets? (the must have meant Oak street, which used to be called Main, for today Main and Second are one and the same) . . . When the Lone Wolf was the favorite saloon? . . . When the rock court house stood in the middle of Main street on the square? . . . When Charley Lasky started in business by buying old man Dobbs' bakery? . . . When a steam brick yard across the river made all brick for Smith & Walker buildings and several others? When they built the Frencle Opera house, a three story brick? . . . When Fred W. Braun, now owner of the largest drug store on the Pacific coast, had his drug store in Colorado? . . . When Mrs. Riordan's home burned? . . . When the schoolhouse was across from the Colorado Clipper office, later moving into a two-story brick out on the sand hill further north? . . . When the Clipper and the Sunday Graphic had their office over Uncle Pete Snyder's store? (I was the devil, and later went to work for S. Lapowski) . . . When the first postoffice was on the north end of the main square in Hazard & Lester's clothing store? . . . When George Wilson had a tin shop in the alley, and later went to St. Louis to get a patent on the Wilson Airtight heating stove and become a millionaire? . . . When Jay Gould spent the day in town in his private car? . . . When old man Cooksey, Fred Lanester, and Milton Davis ran water wagons, selling water for 25 cents a barrel? . . . When they put in the water works and built a standpipe east of town? (I carried water for the ditch-digging gang) . . . When the first telephone went in with the exchange office located over Snyder's store? . . . When Chinese laundries owned by Wing Lee, Sam Wing, and Sam Gee were doing all the business? . . . When everybody met the west-bound train at 7 p.m.? (Tom Powers got a cinder in his eye and was blind for life in it) . . . When Ike Gronski was a rich Jew sheep man? . . . When John Goode, Clay Mann, Elkins, the Slaughters and many others could always be found at the St. James hotel in the sun, talking tattle? . . .

tables in remote farm homes. . . . He was the last of those who rode these vast rolling acres in horse-and-buggy days, facing sleet, snow, rain or summer's burning sun. . . . Yes, an era has died, as well as a widely known and much-beloved man. . . .

If all folks were as nice about the errors we make as Mrs. R. S. Brennan and her mother, Mrs. J. T. Leavell, newspapering would be a much more pleasant business. . . . In writing about Mrs. Leavell's 83rd birthday last week, we gave her a son named Harry G. Wulffen at Alpine rather than a daughter named Mrs. Harry G. Watson. . . . What burned us up in this particular case was the fact that we caught this mistake and corrected it before publication time—but we corrected the carbon copy of the story that goes into our files and left the original from which the story was set all wrong!

As yet we haven't seen Mrs. Mumpsy Wallace, the former Louise Atkinson of Sterling City, in person, but the picture of her which appeared in the Sunday morning San Angelo Standard-Times somehow reminded us of Mrs. R. J. Wallace, Mumpsy's mother. . . . Their beauty is of the same type, or something. . . . The picture is due to be in *The Record* this week or next, so you can see for yourself whether we've been seeing things or not. . . .

In the "Down Memory Lane" column of the special Hereford edition put out last week by the Albany News, this little squib for April 23, 1937: "A. P. Bush, a prominent stockman of Colorado City, was in Albany this week on business." . . .

The hugeness of the new junior high school building is just beginning to come home to Coloradans, now that the building is well "out of the ground." . . . It's going to be a plant of which the town can well be proud. . . . Speaking of the new school, John Crum, the construction foreman for Ingle & Sikes, contractors, has a stock greeting via telephone or in person. . . . Rain or shine, it's "Fine day!"

Whenever I try to compliment Mrs. Bennett Scott to her face I never get very far, because she sets out to marshall in all the reasons she can think of to convince me that she's not as good as I'm implying that she is. . . . So I'll just do my complimenting in here, taking advantage of the fact that she can't talk back! Recently she's given three different reviews of "The Art of Selfishness," each review taking the book from a different angle. . . . Although I didn't hear any of the reviews, I've heard plenty about them, and everything I've heard has been, to put it mildly, complimentary. . . .

A pleasant surprise for Mrs. J. M. Terry when she attended the 50th wedding anniversary of her sister, Mrs. M. H. O'Daniel at Coahoma, last Friday was seeing a sister whom she hadn't seen in 31 years. . . . The sister, Mrs. Edna Duffey, lives in Denver, Colorado. . . . The occasion turned out to be a reunion of Mrs. O'Daniel's brothers and sisters as well as an anniversary celebration. . . . Of the eight living Dunlap children—Mrs. O'Daniel and Mrs. Terry are former Dunlaps—all were present

CHINA GROVE NEWS

By Mrs. Jim Wood

Mrs. Cliff Stevenson and son, Thomas O'Don, Mrs. Minnie Krop and sons, Earl and Harvey, and Mrs. Jim Wood and son, Jimmie, visited Mrs. Luther Lewallen and James Cook of Snyder Tuesday. Mrs. Lewallen and daughter, Wanda Jean, returned with them and visited until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton White of Snyder visited in the Frank Wilson home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Slater and Revis Laster of Meadow visited in the J. G. Slater home a few days this week.

Jim Merket motored to Lubbock Saturday. Roy Lee Merket and J. C. Angel returned with him from Tech to visit here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Merket visited Frank Stevenson and family of Snyder Saturday.

Several from here attended the funeral of Bob Johnson of Dunn. He had many friends in this community. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to his loved ones.

N. O. Brown and family and son Harvey spent Sunday in Colorado visiting relatives.

Mrs. Elbert Burnett and children visited in the community Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Marshall visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Lee of Lorraine Tuesday and John Marshall and family of Lorraine Sunday.

Carl Hairston and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Anton White, Charlie White and wife, and Carl Wilson and wife of Roby visited Frank Wilson and wife Sunday.

Bob Hairston has as his guest Bobbie Collier.

There is still Sunday school at the church. Everyone is invited to attend each Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie White visited in the Richard McFarland home of Dunn the past week.

Roy Lee Merket returned to Tech Sunday evening.

Friends please help me with the news. Leave it in my mail box any day.

Mrs. Minnie Krop and son Earl and Mrs. L. Lewallen and daughter of Snyder visited Mrs. E. H. Allen, and Erin McGee in Colorado Wednesday.

HERE FROM STERLING CITY

Mrs. J. B. Atkinson of Sterling City spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wallace. Mrs. Atkinson is the mother of Louise Atkinson, who became Mrs. Mumpsy Wallace on Saturday morning. She came home with the Wallaces after the ceremony in Sterling City.

except one brother. . . . Mrs. Terry is next to the youngest. . . .

They need some chickens out at the Dan Beeman place. . . . They can't sell but about 75 dozen eggs a week from the 210 White Leghorns they have at present. . . .

Among those who came from out of town for the funeral of Mrs. John Holt's mother, Mrs. Mary Nail, last Thursday afternoon was Samuel Wesley Reese, age 65, of Abilene, an old-time friend. . . . As he ate breakfast Friday morning, Mr. Reese suffered a stroke. . . . He never rallied, dying in an Abilene hospital on Sunday morning. . . . He was an uncle of Mrs. Woodie Holden of Colorado. . . .

WESTBROOK NEWS

MISS THELMA KING, Editor
Miss King is also authorized to receive and accept for subscriptions for the Colorado Record and to transact other business for Whipkey Printing Company. See her and take your county paper.

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Sunday school at 9:45 a.m.
Preaching service at 11 a.m.
B. T. U. at 6:45 p.m.
Preaching service at 7:15 p.m.
The Baptist church enjoyed splendid attendance at both services Sunday with 110 in Sunday school and 63 in B. T. U. The W. M. S. organized into three circles on Monday of this week. We are looking forward to some fine work on the part of our W. M. S.

The pastor's message next Sunday will be "The person and work of Jesus" and the evening message will be "A Guest Room for Christ."

W. M. S.

The Womens Missionary society of the Methodist church met Monday evening with Mrs. W. W. Knox with six members present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ira D. Lauderdale. We would like for as many as could come be with us in this great work.

BUILDERS CLASS

The Builders class met Monday in the home of Mrs. C. V. Cox with Mrs. Jewel Brewer and Mrs. Alvin Jones and Mrs. Cox as hostesses. Mrs. Lovelace gave the devotional and after the business meeting the group enjoyed games conducted by Mrs. Horace McDonald. Refreshments of cherry pie, whip cream, and coffee were served to 13 members. The meeting next month will be with Mrs. Walden.

M. E. CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

As I go through the country here and there seeing so many disappointments, so many who seem to have lost step because of discouragements that have come their way, then when I see so many who are trying to make themselves believe they are doing all one can, and yet may be holding out on God, but if you will take your Bibles and turn to the fifth chapter of Acts, you will see that that will not work because there are so many who will not go to church until they die and then they are just carried through so folks may look upon them and shed a few tears. Oh yes it is sad but it is true. For many never stop to think that all they have or ever will have comes from the hand of God who owns the cattle on a thousand hills. And many of them will tell you that they do not believe in missions, never stopping to think that the mind of Jesus must have been a mission mind when He said go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. Yes He was mission minded and we are told to "Let this mind be in you which was in Christ Jesus. Now how can you do that and at the same time have no thought for those who are less fortunate than we. How true is that saying of St. Paul when He said that the love of money was the root of all evil. Why did you know that we have folks who seem not to know that we have such a thing as the sabbath day. Again we are told to be sure that our sins will find us out. What kind of seed are you sowing. Now Bud you are just as sure to reap what you sow as you are living. So do be careful. Go to church, take your children with you. Don't let them grow up to be drones.

Now do come be with us next Sunday for both Sunday school at 10 o'clock and also for the preaching hour at 11 o'clock. Then for the evening service we would be so glad to have you with us. We will try and help you if possible.

We will have good singing for both services, so come help us with your presence.

Your friend and pastor,
R. B. WALDEN.

LOCALS

Mrs. C. J. Miller of Abilene spent a few days here this week visiting her son Mr. Robert Miller and family.

Mrs. Truman Herderson and Miss Margaret Lasseter were shopping in Big Spring Tuesday.

Tom Bryan Coker, Jr., and cousin, A. J. Kemp of Clovis, N. M., students of Texas Tech, spent the weekend here in the T. B. Coker home.

Mrs. Ralph Ramsey spent a few days in Big Spring last week visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Johnson and son or Godsmith visited in the J. W. Fiumer home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Wilson's baby who has been ill with pneumonia is reported much improved.

WESTBROOK SCHOOL NEWS

Editor-in-Chief . . . Iris Costin
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INTERESTS OF STUDENTS IN GENERAL

The basketball boys and girls are going to have a supper given them by their most ardent fan, Mr. Lauderdale turns a "Sadie Hawkins" on the girls and make them choose the boy with whom they choose to "dine." Some of the basketball girls got rather shakey in the knees, when it came to choosing two certain girls steady b.f. Can you blame them?

The cry is constantly going around that the annual must be finished by March the 15th and we can see a group of senior staff members going in circles and getting gray haired.

Winton Lee is back in school and Bonnie and Ramelle have him running in circles. Guess they are making up for lost time. Do you notice how pale Bonnie and Ramelle become when Coach mentions following them down the hall?

The affair between the Junior boy and the Sophomore girl is getting along very well, thanks! Your guess is as good as mine.

Mr. Cox's study hall the fourth period! Boy do we feel sorry for ourselves. He seems to have some idea that it all is good for us. Is it possible that he is correct?

SOPHOMORE NEWS

The Sophs do not really seem to be so happy these days. This is my guess; six weeks exams. Do you agree?

The Home Ec classes are working toward the finish on the children's clothes.

The English classes don't seem to be so good on description but just the same they can be real advisers. Is there any hope left? Why couldn't there be? The English classes are to take the state tests and the only thing the poor Sophs can say is, I hope I pass English.

Our Algebra classes are progressing rapidly or at least we hope so. And Miss Speights too as far as we're concerned.

THE FISH POND

The Freshmen are all down-hearted, fearing that dreadful week of tests. We are hoping they will go easy this six weeks, but there is no rest for the weary, eh Fish?

Virginia has been absent from school the last few days, due to a hurt hand she received while playing volleyball. We all extend a "hand" to get her back in school.

Last week when the state inspector came around he found plenty of mistakes. He scared two Freshman girls in Science class, peering over their shoulder looking their Science notebook.

SEVENTH GRADE

We surely are studying hard. That health final exam was scheduled for Friday, but we had the Tuesday after all.

Miss Mohon's sore throat keeps her from talking to us so much, but we can talk more because she can't remind us to be quiet so often. A friend of Miss Mohon's sent her some oyster shells from Chesapeake Bay and she gave them to us! We are very grateful.

Charles will be fourteen next Thursday. He is going on his first date and take a girl to the picture show! Lucky stiff!

THE TOOLS

Nancy Jean Lindsey
The tools were scattered all around. And Mother looked at them and frowned.
Then she turned to me and said, Nancy you did that.
I'll bet my hat.
And I said, No I did not do that. Then she turned to James and said, James you did that.
I'll bet my hat.
He said no I did not do that. Then Mother went to Dad and said, Dad you did that.
I'll bet my hat.
And Dad looked up and said, Yes, I did that I guess.

FOURTH GRADE NEWS

With the money we got when we won the Membership Drive we bought an electric clock. If you want to know the correct time come to the third and fourth grade room and

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Valley View Visits

The P.-T.A. failed to meet Friday night on account of the extremely cold weather. The next meeting will be on March 3rd.

Mr. Shelton's brother Hoyt is much improved.

Our girls won second in county basketball tournament and the boys were defeated by the winning Hyman team. Nice going boys and girls, we are real proud of you.

Sunday visitors in the Hernan McDaniel home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lavever and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bare were visitors of the R. D. Lavevers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Velmer Hamilton visited the Melvin Burleson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walker and family spent Sunday in Sweetwater with Mrs. Walker's sister.

G. H. Hoover was in Big Spring Thursday on business.

Herman Hoover left Friday for Oil Center, New Mexico, where he has employment with an oil company.

The G. A. Dulin's dinner guests Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil and Mr. and Mrs. Oren Carpenter of Seven Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hoover had as their dinner guests C. A. Hughes and children of Longfellow, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Rogers and children of Buford, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hoover of Colorado, and Myra Nell Thomas.

Christine Thomas spent Monday night with Frances Riden of Lorraine and attended a concert at Sweetwater given by the H.-S.-U. cowgirl band.

W. A. Dulin, Helen and Josephine Nunn visited Mrs. Briggs Owen Sunday afternoon.

J. W. Hamilton spent Sunday afternoon with James and John Nunn. Kenneth Hoover left Tuesday morning to attend a series of Bible lectures given at A. C. C. He will return Thursday.

Mrs. Bedford Dulin and little sons spent Monday with the Jim Nunn's.

TEXAS COTTON IMPROVES IN GRADE AND STAPLE

COLLEGE STATION.—F. E. Lichte, cotton ginning specialist at Texas A. and M. College, reported Thursday the 1938 cotton improvement campaign in Texas had brought definite results, with only 8.5 per cent of the crop measuring under seven-eighths of an inch in staple compared with 16.7 per cent in 1937.

The staple as a whole, he added, improved by one thirty-second of an inch. The grade was much better, too, with 65 per cent going white middling and better as compared with 53 per cent for the preceding year.

Lichte, in reviewing further accomplishments, said 71.7 per cent of the crop was picked this year compared with 61.5 per cent in 1937—and a corresponding drop in percentages snapped, sledged and gathered as bolliers.

A total of 17,483 bales was packaged in cotton bagging. He estimated universal use of cotton bagging would open a market for 135,000 bales annually.

Lichte said Texas ginner's were cooperating in the improvement campaign and noted that eighteen cotton driers were added to gin equipment during the year to bring the total number in use to 285. Ginner's in addition are slowing down their gins and running a lesser roll, enhancing the value of the cotton.