

COUNTY FAT STOCK SHOW MARKED UP AS ALL-ROUND SUCCESS

CHAMPION CALF SHOWN BY WESTBROOK FFA STUDENT; LARGE CROWDS DRAWN TO NEW PAVILION

Marked up as a success from every angle the second annual Mitchell County Fat Stock Show was held Thursday afternoon and Friday, drawing large crowds continuously to the spacious new livestock pavilion on the Colorado City Frontier Round-up grounds.

IRA D. LAUDERDALE ELECTED FOR 11TH YEAR AT WESTBROOK

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Having already established an unenvied record for teacher service in Westbrook, Ira D. Lauderdale has been re-elected for another year as superintendent of the Westbrook Rural High school in Western Mitchell county.

SCHOOLS EXPECTED TO BE BACK ON FULL TIME SCHEDULE SOON

REPAIRS ON TWO WARD BUILDINGS DUE TO BE COMPLETED IN THREE WEEKS

Schools of the district may be back on a full-time schedule as early as next week, so it is expected that some maintenance work has been completed in the past few days.

MORE THAN 75 ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND TEXAS EXES BANQUET

JOE EARNEST TO PRESIDE AT BANQUET FOR FOUR COUNTIES HERE

Seventy-five or more exes and members of the University of Texas from Nolan, Scurry, Howard and Mitchell counties are expected to gather at the Colorado hotel Thursday evening at 8 o'clock for the annual Texas Day dinner.

BASKIN TO BECOME COUNTY AGENT FOR DAWSON ON MAR. 15

DISTRICT AGENT ANNOUNCES THAT DAWSON COUNTY MAN TO BE TRANSFERRED TO COLORADO

Announcement was made in Colorado Tuesday by J. D. Prewitt, agent for district six of the Texas A. & M. Extension service that B. J. Baskin, farm agent in Mitchell county for the past five and a half years, will be transferred to Lamesa as Dawson county agent effective March 15.

COLORADO MEN TO DINE WESTBROOK CITIZENS FRIDAY

H. M. SANDERS NAMED AS TOASTMASTER FOR CC GOODWILL MEETING

Business and professional men of Colorado will play host to citizens of Westbrook and vicinity Friday night in the fifth community good-will dinner sponsored in Mitchell county by the Colorado chamber of commerce.

PROPERTY OWNERS HOLD MASS MEETING ABOUT CITY PAVING

METHODS USED BY OTHER TOWNS WHICH ARE NOT BOOSTING TAXES ARE REVIEWED

Ways and means by which WPA paving projects are being carried on in other West Texas towns at low costs to property owners and with no increase in taxation were reviewed at a mass meeting of Colorado property owners in the district courtroom Tuesday night.

POEM BY GLADYS MILLER ACCEPTED FOR ANTHOLOGY

A poem by Gladys Miller, member of the Colorado High School English faculty, has been accepted for publication in one of the nation's best known anthologies of verse, according to information received here this week.

STAFF WRITERS HERE TO COVER STOCK SHOW PRAISE EXHIBIT BARN

Two staff writers were expected to arrive here today to cover the Mitchell County Fat Stock show and exhibit barn. Both took the plane of last night and will be here by 8 o'clock this morning.

COMMITTEES DUE SHARE OF CREDIT FOR STOCK SHOW

Much credit for the success of the Mitchell County Fat Stock show which was held last Thursday and Friday in a modern livestock pavilion on the Colorado City Frontier Round-up grounds is due to the chamber of commerce and Colorado City Frontier Round-up committees which worked in plans for both the show proper and the building in which to hold it.

ABOUT 175 ATTENDED ALLIS-CHALMERS SHOW ON MONDAY AFTERNOON

About 175 persons attended the free show given by Walker Bros. local dealers for Allis-Chalmers farm implements on Monday afternoon at the Palace theater.

WEST SIDE SINGING CONVENTION AT NEW HOPE THIS SUNDAY

Quarterly convention of the West Side Singing convention is to be held at the New Hope church Sunday afternoon at 4:30 according to George Sweeney, president.

REFINERY OFFICIALS HERE

George Burrus, superintendent of refineries for the Anderson-Prichard oil corporation of Oklahoma City, arrived Wednesday morning to spend a few days on business at the Col-Tex refinery. He was accompanied by R. H. Dozer of Oklahoma City and T. H. Brighton of El Paso.

TWO DOCTOR BROTHERS CLAIMED BY DEATH IN LESS THAN ONE WEEK

Less than a week separated the passing of Dr. T. J. Ratliff, pioneer Colorado physician who died on Sunday, Feb. 19, and that of his only doctor brother, Dr. J. D. Ratliff, pioneer Seymour resident, who died unexpectedly Saturday. The Seymour man was also a brother of M. C. Ratliff of Colorado.

LETTER CARRIERS TO BIG SPRING SATURDAY

Several who carry the rural mail out of Colorado plan to attend a county meeting of the Mitchell County letter carriers association in Big Spring Saturday night.

LUCILLE BODINE IS ON BLUEBONNET BELLE LIST

AUSTIN, Texas, Lucille Bodine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bodine of Westbrook, was the one of the Bluebonnet Belle nominees presented at the 1938 Bluebonnet Belle contest at the University of Texas on March 31.

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ILLNESS OF JOHN BAZE CRIPPLES RECORD FORCE

Illness of John Baze, shop foreman and advertising man on the Colorado Record, has somewhat handicapped the schedule of Whipkey Printing company during the past two weeks.

REV. AND MRS. EPPS TO NEPHEW'S FUNERAL

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Epps of First Methodist church returned Thursday from Sonora, where they attended the funeral of a young nephew of Mrs. Epps on Wednesday.

LEES TO CHILDREN

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ralph Lee and children spent their week-end in Childress with relatives.

GRAND CHAMPION CALF BOUGHT BY PRITCHETT

J. T. Pritchett, owner of the Pritchett Green & Market, announced Wednesday that he had bought the grand champion calf of the Mitchell County Fat Stock show from A. B. Erwin and now has the beef on sale in his market.

TWO FROM HERE TO HICKS RUBBER MEET

Leonard Henderson, new manager of Hicks Rubber company here and A. M. Athey, new bookkeeper, were in Ballinger on Tuesday night to attend the annual battery convention of the Hicks Rubber company.

BEEMAN DOCKREY IS ON PLOWBOY'S SQUAD

STEPHENVILLE, Beeman Dockrey of Colorado began his preparations for the coming season with Coach Earl Butler and his John Latham Agricultural College Plowboys recently.

COLORADO TERMINAL FOR MERCHANTS MOTOR LINES

Colorado has been made a terminal for Merchants Motor Lines on the Fort Worth-Ogden run, and this will bring at least four new families to Colorado.

McCLAIN GOING TO SAN ANGELO SHOW

A. E. McClain, manager of the Palace and Ritz theaters, is leaving Thursday afternoon with E. H. Rowley of Dallas, one of the owners of the Robb & Rowley theater chain, and a group of friends for an overnight stay in Big Spring and a trip to the San Angelo Fat Stock show.

WESTBROOK HOLDS FIRST COMPLETE LIVESTOCK SHOW FOR FFA PROJECTS

Westbrook's first complete livestock show was held as a project exhibition for Westbrook High school Future Farmers preceding the recent Mitchell County Fat Stock show in Colorado, according to C. V. Cox, Westbrook vocational agriculture teacher.

PIGGY WIGGLY SERVES RESERVE CHAMPION BEEF

Beef from the reserve champion calf of the Mitchell County Fat Stock show is on sale at the Piggly Wiggly market this week-end, according to J. W. Randle, owner.

BREEDERS OF SHOW ANIMALS AMONG MORE INTERESTED VISITORS AT LIVESTOCK BARN

Among the more interested spectators at the Mitchell County Fat Stock show Thursday and Friday were many of the men who bred the calves, lambs and hogs which were on exhibit.

TWO NEW BOOKS ADDED TO SCOUT'S LIBRARY

Two new books have recently been added to the Boy Scout division of the territorial library at the city hall, bringing the total to 114.

OSCAR MAJORS ATTENDS GIFT SHOW AT DALLAS

Oscar Majors of the J. P. Majors jewelry store left Monday noon to attend the spring gift and novelty show in Dallas.

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SOCIETY

MRS. JEWEL BARRETT Society and Local EDITOR Phone 253, Res. Phone 588W would appreciate report of all social and club meetings...

Hooker auxiliary was organized in 1920 with Mrs. J. G. Merritt as president and Mrs. Jim Dobbs, now Mrs. J. A. Ferguson, as secretary-treasurer...

Legion Auxiliary Planning To Mark 14th Anniversary

Members of the women's auxiliary to the Oran C. Hooker post, American Legion, are planning to entertain members of the post on March 14...

Stitch And Chatter Club At Clark Home

Mrs. W. H. Clark was hostess to the Stitch and Chatter club Friday afternoon. Fifteen members and one guest, Mrs. Mack Harper, were present.

RECENT BRIDE



Mrs. W. J. Mumpsey, who was Louise Atkins Sterling City before her marriage to Mr. Wallace, son of Mrs. R. J. Wallace of Clark on Feb. 18.

MISS CRIPPEN IMPROVING

Although still confined to her room, Vera Crippen, 67, is slowly improving from the illness she contracted during the past two weeks. She is suffering from a severe cold.

CELEBRATED VIOLINIST TO APPEAR IN HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM MAR. 8

Josef Piastro, world-famous violinist, will be heard in a concert on Wednesday evening, March 8, at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium...

As a concert artist, Piastro has few equals today, being classed by discriminating critics among the best of such artists as Kreisler, Paganini, Heifetz, Paderewski, Hofmann and others of that rank...

Spanish Banquet Held Tuesday At The Whipkey Home

Members of the Pan-American Student forum of Colorado High school held their annual banquet at the home of Mrs. A. L. Whipkey Tuesday evening...

Spanish music, short talks in Spanish and Spanish decorations featured the evening. A scavenger hunt provided the main entertainment.

Contract Luncheon Club Meets At Mrs. Oswald's Tuesday

Featuring a spring motif, Mrs. Bill Oswald entertained the Contract Luncheon club Tuesday. Loyse Price made high score and Mrs. Jack Christian second high...

Seventy-Five Women At Prayer Program

Seventy-five women representing five Colorado churches and several rural churches gathered at First Christian church Friday for an all-day world prayer program...

Local Rebekahs Have Charge Of Initiation

Members of the local Rebekah lodge went to Big Spring Saturday night and gave initiation for the Cactus Rebekah lodge...

Book Completed By Methodist Women

Completing their study book, "The Invisible Advance," women of First Methodist church met Monday afternoon to take up the final chapter...

APPEARING HERE



Josef Piastro, famous violinist, who will be heard in a musical arts series concert at the high school auditorium Wednesday night, March 8.

Breakfast table Honored by former, Mrs. M. Worrell

Mrs. M. Worrell, former of the late Mrs. M. Worrell, who was a well-known social worker, is being honored at a breakfast table...

Dorcas Class Meets At The Dockrey Home

The home of Mrs. Oscar Dockrey was the meeting place for the Dorcas class of First Baptist church last Thursday afternoon...

Employee In Record Shop Is Married

The daughter of H. H. DeWitt, who has been in the record shop for several years, was married last week to a young man of the Riverwater...

Presbyterian Women Have A Bible Study

A Bible study was held by women of First Presbyterian church at the home of Nelle Phelan Monday afternoon...

Magic Silver Tea To Be Given On Tuesday

The women's council of First Christian church is to sponsor a magic silver offering tea in the high school auditorium Tuesday evening...

REGISTERED AT HOTEL

Mrs. Mrs. Chas. Balla of Dallas has been registered at the Colorado hotel this week.

IN ARNOLD HOME

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Arnold recently have been Mr. and Mrs. J. H. and his brother.

COLORADO FFA BOYS WINNERS IN COUNTY LIVESTOCK JUDGING

The Colorado High school FFA boys defeated Mitchell county in the county livestock judging contests to be held in Angelo this week-end...

Extra Good FOOD Begins With EXTRA GOOD ingredients. Buy Here. Well Known Brands That Never Disappoint. At Low Prices

WHEATIES advertisement with image of cereal box and text: BE THE FIRST TO HAVE ONE... WHEATIES, 2 pkgs. . . 25c

Market Values advertisement listing prices for OYSTERS, BOLOGNA, BEEF RIBS, HAMBURGER MEAT, PURE PORK SAUSAGE, BACON, and Tender, Juicy 4-H Club Beef.

COFFEE advertisement listing Folgers Mountain Grown and Pennant Quality Guaranteed with prices for 1 lb., 2 lbs., and 5 lbs.

Peaches or Apricots advertisement for gallon cans priced at 39c.

SALTED PEANUTS, 10 oz. bag 10c

Fruits and Vegetables advertisement listing SPINACH, BANANAS, ORANGES, APPLES, CARROTS, BEETS, RADISHES, ONIONS, TURNIPS, LETTUCE, and GRAPEFRUIT.

FLOUR advertisement for American Beauty with prices for 48 pound sack (\$1.49) and 24 pound sack (79c).

COCOANUT, cello bag, 1 pound 21c

P-G SOAP advertisement: Puts 25 times more soap right on dirty spots. 6 bars. Large 23c

OXYDOL and CAMAY advertisement: The Soap of Beautiful Women. Large 23c

CRISCO advertisement: Seed Sweet Potatoes, Onion Plants And Sets, Cobblers And Triumph Seed Potatoes. Large pail . . . \$1.09 Small Pail 55c

DOG FOOD advertisement: IDEAL LARGE CAN SUPERCHARGED WITH FOOD VALUE 8c

The Pick & Pay Store advertisement: SEE MANY MORE SPECIALS IN OUR STORE. PHONE 501. WE DELIVER.

TUCKER'S GROCERY & MARKET advertisement listing GOLD CHAIN FLOUR, BANANAS, CALIFORNIA PEACHES, SYRUP, MEATS, and BABY BEEF ROAST.

ANGELO BOOSTERS HERE
A group of cowboy-garbed San Angeloans were through Colorado Thursday morning publicizing the San Angelo Fat Stock show and rodeo March 3-6.

PAUL TEAS HERE
Paul Teas, who is drilling a well in the new Ira field, has been here most of this week, registered at the Colorado hotel. Teas formerly lived in Colorado but is now at San Antonio.

DEATH CLAIMS MRS. MECKS, WELL-KNOWN LOCALLY, IN DALLAS

After a long period of ill health, death claimed Mrs. Mary Figh Meeks, 71, in a Dallas sanitarium Sunday. Mrs. Meeks, a sister of the late Mrs. H. B. Smoot of Colorado and an aunt of Joe H. Smoot, was well-known in Colorado, having spent several months of each year in the Smoot home since the town's early days.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smoot were in attendance when she died. Mrs. Smoot went to Dallas on Thursday and Mr. Smoot joined her on Saturday. They returned home Tuesday following the funeral on Monday afternoon in the Ed C. Smith & Bro. chapel with Dr. Geo. W. Truett officiating.

Mrs. Meeks was married to John Carter Meeks of Dallas in 1883. He died five years later while visiting here in Colorado for his health and was buried in Dallas. They had no children. Mrs. Meeks always spent her summers in the Smoot home. She was critically ill while visiting here last summer. She returned to Dallas on Oct. 1.

Survivors include one sister, Mrs. W. S. Adair of Dallas; a niece, Mary Figh of Dallas; four nephews, Jack Figh of Dalhart, Joe H. Smoot of Colorado, John and Lewis Adair of Dallas.

HOSPITAL NEWS

A medical patient in the hospital since Feb. 18, Dale Warren went home on Saturday.

Ralph Holguin, Mexican, was given surgery for appendicitis early last week and suffered slight complications, but is now improved.

After having been seriously ill for several days, Carey Edwards of the Magnolia camp at Iatan is now improving from pneumonia. He was admitted on Thursday, Feb. 23.

Mrs. H. A. Martin of Route 3, Snyder, and her infant son were moved home Saturday.

A daughter, Betty Jan, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Watson at 2:45 a.m. Saturday. She weighed 7 pounds and 14 ounces. Mother and infant were moved home Sunday.

L. L. Smith, who was admitted with an infected hand, went home Saturday.

A son, Rex Dearth, was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bell of Coahoma at 9:55 a.m. Sunday. He weighed 6 pounds, 4 ounces. Both are still in the hospital.

Mrs. J. C. Brown of Route 1, Westbrook, was in the hospital from Saturday until Tuesday for minor surgery.

Obie Bowlin of Route 2, Colorado, was a medical patient Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Ruby West of Dunn was admitted Thursday morning as a medical patient.

Mauzey of Sweetwater has not yet rendered a verdict. The second civil case, that of Bob Scott vs. W. E. Stockton of Hyman for the cancellation of a lease, had also been completed. Thursday noon but no verdict had been rendered.

The damage suit of J. E. Ross vs. J. W. Bird of Westbrook is set for Monday. This suit, an outgrowth of a car wreck some time ago, was continued for a week in court.

Criminal docket is to be taken up Wednesday morning, according to a calendar announced by Judge Mauzey.

COUNTY FAT STOCK

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show barn after sifting was completed Thursday afternoon by John Simpson, T. & P. livestock agent.

George Plaster took first place in the ranchers' class of fed steers, this class being a new addition to the show. Clay Smith, Sr. took second and fourth place, P. K. Mackey third and fifth, and Plaster sixth.

Clay Mann Smith, Jr. showed the best group of three calves, with Raymond Uzzle second. J. F. McCabe was awarded a prize for the best group of five lambs.

Auction of animals began at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon with Sam Wulfjen as auctioneer. Albert Erwin, breeder of the grand champion calf, bought him back for 15 cents. J. W. Randle, owner of Piggy Wigly store, bought Roberts' reserve champion for 14 cents. The first-prize heavy dry lot calf belonging to M. A. Webb was bought by Berry-Fee Hardware company for 11 1/4 cents.

Dr. R. D. Bridgford paid 12.75 for McCabe's champion lamb. Tom Burrus paid 8.40 for Hubert Hall's champion hog, while C. L. Grabbe bought the reserve champion from Jay Hooks. A complete list of buyers appears elsewhere.

Competition was limited to 4-H club boys, vocational agriculture students and ranchers of the county. The show was sponsored by the Colorado chamber of commerce with the Colorado City Frontier Round-up association cooperating. P. K. Mackey was general chairman of arrangements.

Cash prizes totaling around \$200 were donated by Colorado business men through the chamber of commerce and distributed among the following:
Milk Fed Class Winners—first, Oscar D. Roberts; second, Mack Walker; third, Clay Mann Smith, Jr.; Heavy Dry Lot Class—first, M. A. Webb; second, Clay Mann Smith, Jr.; third, Donald Burrus; fourth, Garland Strain; fifth, Bass Hines; sixth, Raymond Uzzle; seventh, Billy Erwin; eighth, Garland Strain.
Lightweight Dry Lot—first, Floyd Langley; second, Lee Roy Thompson; third, Clay Mann Smith, Jr.; fourth, Ross Strain; fifth, Billy Erwin; sixth, Jack Long; seventh, Don Henderson; eighth, Donald Burrus.
Group 3 Steers—first, Clay Mann Smith, Jr.; second, Raymond Uzzle.
Pine Wool Lambs—first, J. F. McCabe, Jr.; second, McCabe; third, McCabe; fourth, Fred Andrews; fifth, Ross Glover.
Group 5 Lambs Fed by One Boy—first, P. McCabe, Jr.
Heavyweight Barrows—first, Hubert Hall; second, Jay Hooks; third, Wallace Hestand; fourth, Fred Andrews.
Lightweight Barrows—first, Jay Hooks; second, H. W. Venus; third, Oley V. Barker; fourth, Hubert Hall; fifth, Clay Mann Smith, Jr.; sixth, Kenneth York; seventh, Bradley Redman.
Ranchers Class Fed Steers—first, George Plaster; second, Clay Mann Smith, Sr.; third, P. K. Mackey; fourth, Smith; fifth, Mackey; sixth, Plaster.

JIM GREENE HERE

J. H. Greene, former manager of the Colorado chamber of commerce, was in town Thursday. Greene is now manager of the Big Spring chamber of commerce.

- FLOUR, Texas Lily, 48 pounds . . \$1.33 — 24 pounds . . 70c
- SUGAR, Pure Cane, 10 pounds 49c
- SYRUP, Sorghum, 1 gallon 49c
- CAKE FOUR, Soft as Silk, with premium 25c
- PEANUT BUTTER, 1/2 gallon bucket 43c

CRISCO
Super-Creamed DIGESTIBLE
3 lb. can 59c
1 lb. can 20c

OXYDOL
Giant 68c
Large 24c
Medium 10c

CAMAY
The Soap of Beautiful Women
1 bar 7c
3 bars 18c

P-G SOAP
Puts 25 times more soap right on dirty spots
6 bars 25c

IVORY FLAKES
PURE IVORY SOAP FLAKES
Large 23c
Small 10c

Chipso
Suction Suds Gets Dirt Protects Clothes
Large 25c
Medium 10c

Odreft
Marvelous New Suds
Large 25c
Small 10c

IVORY SOAP
IT FLOATS 99% PURE
large med. guest 12c
7c 5c

MARKET
GRAND CHAMPION CALF—FEATURED AT FAT STOCK SHOW ON SALE AT OUR REGULAR PRICES

J. T. PRITCHETT GROCERY
Phone 177 Free Delivery

GRAND JURY AGAIN IN SESSION; CIVIL DOCKET IN PROGRESS

Grand jury of 32nd district court in Colorado reconvened Thursday morning and was still in session at noon. Fifteen indictments were returned by the body last week at the close of its first session.

Only two civil cases have been given the court's attention to date, according to J. H. Ballard, district clerk. Evidence in the case of Mrs. Sara Minna Hyman vs. Bob Scott for an accounting of estate affairs was completed last Friday after having been in progress since court opened on Monday morning. Judge A. S.

WE ARE CONTINUING OUR MID-SEASON SALE

Take advantage of the low prices that are still in effect. All merchandise advertised in our two-page circular is still available at advertised prices.



Guaranteed Fast Color Percales
NEW SPRING PATTERNS
7 1/2c yard
Solid Color Broadcloth
All Wanted Colors—Sturdy Construction—Yard Wide
7 1/2c yard

Pillow Cases
42x36 inch size—Bleached Sturdy Quality Sheeting Compare with any to 15c
8c each

OUTING
36 inches wide, only 300 yards left. Darks, Lights, Solids
8c yard

Joanne Prints
80x80 Construction, newest Spring Patterns Save 5c yard
12c yard

CLOSE OUT
Ladies' Knit Dresses
Each of the Dresses made to sell for \$1.98 As long as present stock last—Mid-Season Sale Price
77c

Army Twill Gabardine
PANTS or SHIRTS
Made of fine twill gabardine, closely woven from tightly twisted cotton fibers, giving an extra fineness of texture and a rich lustrous sheen, and dyed, fabric shrinkage is less than 1 per cent. Sanforized
\$1.88

SHIRTS, SHORTS
21c each
Outstanding values at their regular price—and now you save an extra 16 per cent. SANFORIZED shorts, cut full, in all new patterns. Swiss rib shirts.

CLEAN UP
Rayons and all Silk Piece Goods
PRINTS AND SOLID COLORS
36 to 42 inches wide—as long as limited stock lasts
29c yard

RELIABLE DRY GOODS CO.

D. S. BODZIN ONE PRICE TO ALL COLORADO, TEXAS

SPRING IS NEAR

Though March winds may blow occasionally remember it is only a few days till Spring is here in earnest. Are you ready with your Spring Ensemble?

LADIES' HATS
The newest Spring Styles for your selection at only
98c

SLIPS
Lace trimmed or Tailored that were designed and cut to fit, only
49c

HOSIERY
Full fashioned, 4 thread silk chiffon with the long wearing heel, toe and sole new spring colors, only
49c

SMART ANKLE SOCKS
A riot of colors and patterns for Spring, mercerizer or rayon plated, pr.
10c

SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK ONLY

PIE PLATES
9 inch Tin Pie Plates, regular 5c values
2 for 5c

Old English Furniture Polish
24 oz. size
15c

JOHNSON'S GLO COAT
Paint Can **49c**

JOHNSON'S PASTE WAX
1 pound Can **59c**

PRINT DRESSES
The New Happy Homes Dresses are here in gay color prints, sizes 14 to 20. Select several now at **98c**

BAGS
The latest in Spring Styles, choice of Patent, Kid and Melo Suede in the newest colors, only
98c

CHILDREN'S PRINT DRESSES
Most adorable styles, you will want several when you see them **25c, 49c, 98c**

Special lot of NEW BAGS
just arrived, only **59c**

Chocolate Covered Cherries
Delicious Cherries in cream, covered with chocolate, pound box
19c

Pure Chocolate Kisses
wrapped in foil, **19c**

FOR YOUR ST. PATRICK PARTY
Let us supply you with St. Patrick Tally Cards, Favors, Napkins, and other necessities for your St. Patrick's party.

A Free Gift from Golden Peacock Co. With each 10c box of Face Powder you receive a Powder Puff Free

The BEN FRANKLIN Store
H. I. BERMAN, Owner

SCHOOLS EXPECTED

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Hutchinson building with the third and fourth grades.

This plan will be followed the remainder of the school year, Watson says. By next September, the new junior high school building will be ready for occupancy. Then the former junior high school building will be used for the first and second grades, the Hutchinson building for the third, fourth, and fifth grades, and the new junior high building for the sixth, seventh, and eighth grades, leaving only the upper three grades in the high school building.

The school board plans to keep the Coleman building for use when further expansion of the school system becomes necessary in the future. Open house is being planned for the two remodeled school buildings as soon as they are ready for use again. Both have been painted throughout. New toilets with tile floors have been installed, also new drinking fountains. Floors have been refinished. The third floor of the old junior high school building has been removed and new stairs constructed.

Ingle & Sikes of Lubbock is contractor with Walter W. Whipkey of Colorado as supervising architect.

MONDAY'S SANDSTORM ONE OF WORST EVER

According to many old-timers, Monday's sandstorm was one of the worst ever experienced in Colorado in recent years.

The wind was exceptionally strong and was accompanied by temperatures that reached a low of 23 degrees that night. Snow accompanied the sand in Lubbock and other Plains towns.

PROPERTY OWNERS

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meeting showed that Coleman has paved 75 blocks and has 65 more under contract at a cost of 65 cents per front foot to property owners. No bond issue has been necessary. Brady is also paving without a bond issue at a cost of 75 cents per foot to property owners. Brownwood's paving is costing property owners 60 cents per foot. The tax rate there has not been boosted. Sweetwater is paving at a cost of 75 cents to property owners with no bond issue.

Several Colorado property owners who paid \$6.85 per foot for their paving over 10 years ago expressed themselves during the meeting as being in favor of paving other residential streets at the lowest possible cost to property owners, even though this cost would run less than a tenth

of what they had to pay. A letter from the district WPA office in San Angelo carried the warning that unless a WPA project is provided in Colorado or vicinity in the near future a hundred men will either be looking to the city or county for direct help or will have to be moved out of the county to other projects. It was pointed out later that this would mean a great payroll loss to Colorado.

H. B. Spence, manager of the Colorado chamber of commerce, presided at the meeting. Buddy Johnson of San Angelo, area engineer for the Col-Tex refinery, and Nick Jordan of Plainview, paving contractor, were among out-of-town visitors. Mayor J. A. Sadler and others made brief talks.

Specials For Friday, Saturday and Sunday

- Seven Steak** home killed 2 pounds **25c**
 - ROAST** Chuck and Brisket 2 pounds **25c**
 - HAMS HOCKS** 2 pounds **25c**
 - Pure Home Made LARD**, lb. **9c**
 - BANANAS** Golden Ripe 2 doz. **15c**
- FRY'S GROCERY & MARKET**
EAST HILL.

FOR SERVICE REGISTERED DUROC BOAR

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FOR SERVICE—Jersey bull at Miller farm, east Colorado \$1.00; also Porter tomato seed for sale. L. S. Allen. 3-10-p

NOTICE

This is to warn the general public that we will not be responsible for any check given or any debt incurred by C. G. (Bus) Gressett.

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LOST—Old brown billfold, containing some money, both American and Mexican. Finder please return. Reward offered. Return to Record office or Jeff Dobbs. 1tp

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REGISTERED PERCHERON STALLION AND BIG BONE BLACK JACK

My horse's pedigree carries Kommander, Kontakt, Calypso, Carnot, Kancarclyps, Calypso. Calypso was chosen by the 108 best Percheron Judges to be the best horse in the United States or Canada since 1908. Calypso is out of Calypso, Kancarclyps out of Calypso. My horse is out of Kancarclyps. Kancarclyps at 14 years old sold for \$8,000, because he had sired more champions than any other horse. My horse has a brother out of Kancarclyps that won at the National Show in 1937, his name was Inchanter, Grand Champion, more money than any horse in 28 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 Kancarclyps and Inchanter. All three of these horses were black. They charge \$100 for service on Carmode's sire, but I am only charging \$19 for Carmode's service, so anybody will be able to get a colt out of such a large and high bred Percheron.

SEE THIS HORSE AT THE FAT STOCK SHOW

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 51% feed savings, raise plenty of good males and mares.

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LIONS INTERNATIONAL CODE OF CITIZENSHIP AND PATRIOTISM IS SUBJECT OF LOCAL LIONS

The code of citizenship and patriotism recently adopted by Lions International to mark the week of George Washington's birthday was the basis for the program presented at the Lions club luncheon Friday.

Earl Cypert, program chairman, was in charge. Paragraphs from the code as printed in the February issue of The Lion magazine were read by Max Berman, W. W. Rorter, W. L. Doss, Jr., Dr. J. D. Williams, and John E. Watson.

The code follows: "To create by precept and example a civic and patriotic conscience; by fostering an idealistic attitude toward my country, its historic past, its spiritual heritage, its free institutions, its boundless natural resources, its great men and women, its wonderful privileges, and its solemn responsibilities, that we may give it our full measure of devotion and love.

"To develop a greater knowledge and understanding of the principles of democratic government and the institutions which are the sources of liberty, happiness, and freedom of thought and action; a respect and reverence for the flag; obedience to law and authority; a sustained and intelligent interest in public affairs.

"To uphold the principles of democratic government by supporting such movements as seek to save a country from its own apathy; by awakening my fellow countrymen to their obligations of citizenship; by stimulating an interest in governmental policies on the part of future voters; by supporting Lions 'Of Age' ceremonies; by encouraging and expediting naturalization of eligible aliens; by furnishing speakers and programs for patriotic events; by furnishing speakers and programs for

patriotic events; by observing patriotic holidays and displaying my country's flag.

"To perpetuate in the public memory historical episodes worthy of emphasis by aiding in the erection and maintenance of memorials, plaques, historic site markers, and other suitable evidences.

"To obtain suitable recognition for outstanding civic service by the presentation of awards and honors to those whose personal sacrifice and service on the field of battle and in the service of mankind in peace are worthy of highest tribute.

"To reaffirm my belief in the government of a free people—whose inspiration is wisdom, whose greatest cause is justice, and whose noblest objects are peace and liberty; ever remembering our slogan: "Liberty, Intelligence, Our Nation's Safety."

A brief address on George Washington was delivered by Thos. R. Smith.

Jack Penrose, field Boy Scout executive from Big Spring, told the club about the financial campaign now underway for Boy Scouting in the Colorado district. John Watson reported that 11 Lions had gone to Robert Lee for the presentation of the Lions club charter there on Tuesday evening.

Three entertainment numbers were given by a trio composed of Johnnie Walter, and Gilbert Grubbs.

Guests introduced were Adolph Eberle of Sweetwater, W. S. Cooper, Joe Pond of Big Spring, Jack Penrose of Big Spring, Leonard Henderson, Truett Barber, Baron Smith, Judge Chas. Lewis of Sweetwater, Alvin Nemir of Sweetwater.

ENLARGEMENT OF FICTION LIBRARY PLANNED AT FEDERATION MEETING

Enlargement of the fiction library which is sponsored by the Mitchell County Federation of Women's clubs was a major topic when the federation's regular monthly meeting was held Tuesday afternoon in the city hall.

The women voted to add new shelves to the library and to make one of them a rental shelf. Mrs. Boyd Dozier, librarian, reported 27 new books in the library and 39.38 in new memberships for the month.

Mrs. Ray Womack resigned as library chairman and Mrs. J. W. Randle was appointed to take her place.

Plans were made to have the federation history typed. Mrs. Jeff Dobbs and Mrs. M. L. Kirschbaum asked that delegates from each club attend the health meeting in Big

Spring on Friday.

Mrs. Sam Majors reported for the 1921 Study club, Mrs. Clyde Young for the Zetasthian, Mrs. Lee Phenix for the Self Culture, Mrs. John Harvey for the Art club, Mrs. Jeff Dobbs for the Daughters of the King, Frances Marie Cooper for the Junior Self Culture, and Mrs. J. G. Merritt for the Hesperian.

The musical art series concert to be presented at the high school under sponsorship of the federation on Wednesday night was announced by Mrs. L. B. Elliott, president.

On move of the 1921 Study club and second by the Hesperian club, the federation voted to invite the sixth district to hold its 1940 convention here. The invitation will be extended at the April convention in San Angelo.

YOUNG PEOPLE OF FIRST METHODIST CHURCH JOIN YOUTH CRUSADE MOVE

Young people of First Methodist church, led by their president, Walter Grubbs, are joining in the Youth Crusade movement which was launched by the general conference several months ago.

On last Thursday night more than 50 local young people went to Big Spring for a Youth Crusade rally of the Sweetwater Methodist district. A mass choir directed by Mrs. J. I. Payne of Colorado sang anthems. Rev. C. R. Hooten, district presiding elder from Sweetwater, directed other hymns. Dr. Edward Heinsohn of the University, Methodist church in Austin made the main talk.

Accompanying the young people to the rally were Rev. C. M. Epps, Mr. and Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Esther Grubbs, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Glover. Mr. Glover is intermediate counselor and Mrs. Grubbs is senior counselor. Walter Grubbs and Ruth Elliott, who hold district offices, went over early with Rev. Mr. Epps for a special dinner attended by pastors and officers of the young people.

On Sunday local young people

observed Young People's day with a special program at the evening church hour. Inez Rogers played a piano prelude before Mrs. Grubbs issued the call to worship. Scripture was read by Edna Kate Fry and a prayer offered by Ross Glover. Offering was taken by Jack Long and Harold Jones.

Mrs. Grubbs talked on the Youth Crusade, pointing out that it includes six goals, as follows: A vital Christian experience on the part of youth, the enlistment of every young person as a follower, making the life and teachings of Jesus personalized, discovery of nature and purpose of the church, specific preparation for enlarging tasks of church, and participation in Christian religion.

Jack Womack talked on "Faith to Pitch Their Lives High." Freddie and Martha Jane Watson sang a duet and Mary Etta Motley talked on the need of crusaders before there can be a crusade. Tom Glover gave the benediction. Hymns were sung at intervals during the service.

KEEPING UP WITH COLORADO GIRLS AT TSCW

By Nina Laura Smith Ruth Snider, now of Colorado, and Mabel Earnest Cooper, formerly of Colorado have been nominated by the dormitories in which they live for queen of TSCW's red bud festival. This festival, a sort of charm week, is March 20-24 and coincides with the blooming of the famous red bud trees on the campus. The criteria for selection of the queen of the festival includes personality, appearance, friendliness, sincerity, adaptability to varying situations, and other traits which contribute to so-called charm. Next week a run-off will be held to select the final candidates for queen. These finalists will be duchesses in the queen's court, but the identity of the queen will not be revealed until the coronation.

Betty Hodge, now a responsible working-lady since she began work in the Lowry central office of the underclassmen dormitory system. According to Betty, she is making a good errand-girl. Her new job kept her from going home to celebrate her birthday, so she sent roommate M. E. Carter instead. Moncure and Betty visited in Dallas the previous

week-end. Virginia Gurney visited in Ardmore, Oklahoma with school friends last week-end. Although Ardmore is not very far from Denton, one feels quite important to be going out of the state because special permission is required. Her roommate, Doris Wynne, visited friends in Weatherford, her former home.

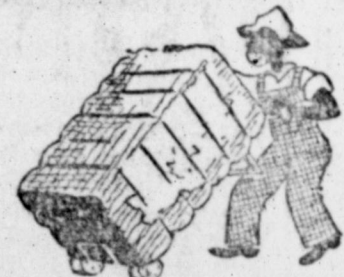
Melba Slaton has also been traveling with the TSCW choir on its many trips. Most recent one was to Dallas where they were guest artists on the WPA Sinfonietta program at the Museum of Fine Arts last Sunday. The TSCW portion of the program was broadcast and the concert was favorably reviewed in Dallas papers. The choir also sang on the TSCW broadcast originating in Denton at 12:30 noon every Sunday.

Edna Earle Cox and Nina Laura Smith went to Dallas last week-end to hear Nelson Eddy. About forty students of TSCW attend the concert, which was heard by 4,500 people. Some even dragged in park benches to the rear of the auditorium. Mr. Eddy saved his expected encores from his motion pictures until the

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FEED AND HATCHERY

last of the concert, making "Ah! Sweet Mystery of Life" his very last number.

Frances Elliott went home from Saturday until Monday because of the death of her grandfather, H. B. Wilson of Loraine.

Erna Lou Merrill and Elizabeth Taylor, business administration majors, were in the audience hearing Stuart Chase lecture on "The Economy of Abundance" recently at the college. Chase's best known book is "Mexico."

The Plainsmen Quartet of radio station WFAA gave their second annual program at TSCW last week. They were followed on Thursday by Arthur Polster, outstanding young organist of Oberlin College.

Frances Elliott, Elizabeth Taylor, Mary Alice Gunn, Mable Earbest Cooper, Melba Slaton, Rebecca Epps, and Nina Laura Smith were among the Coloradans at the daily programs of Religious Emphasis Week presented by Dr. Paul Quillan, pastor of the First Methodist church in Houston. Each year the college clears the calendar of all other activities and invites some outstanding minister to deliver the series of addresses on the campus. Personal conferences are held during the afternoons of this week.

Did you know that: Every month TSCW uses 9000 dozen eggs. That would provide a month's work for more than 36,000 hens. And speaking of chickens, TSCW eats 6000 pounds of chickens per month. The purchasing agent buys 7500 pounds of butter, 16,000 pounds of beef, and 4000 pounds of pork each month. We consume 15,000 pounds of sugar and 25,000 pounds of potatoes per month.

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NEW FSA EMPLOYEES ARE LOCATED HERE

Among recent comers to Colorado are some new employees of the Farm Security Administration, which has expanded until it has 125 clients in Mitchell county.

Yelda Gullede, formerly of Lubbock, is new assistant home supervisor. Willie Locke has been stationed here as home supervisor since last year, and Miss Gullede is to assist her.

Two assistant rural supervisors are now stationed here, although one of them is only temporary. James N. Howell, formerly of Dublin, will probably be here for two or three weeks. His wife will be here part of that time. She is here this week.

Milton Stinson, formerly of Axtell, is to be here indefinitely as assistant rural supervisor. He and his family have moved into a new house on highway one a short distance east of Lone Wolf bridge. The Howells are sharing that house with them while they are here.

Barney Wise, formerly of Snyder, has charge of the Mitchell county FSA office. The FSA was formerly administered here through the Scurry county office.

CHURCHES

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH We invite you to the Assembly of God Church on Fifth and Cypress street. God is still blessing and saving souls. We have had a real revival, 19 souls saved, 14 filled with the Holy Ghost.

Saturday service 7:30 p.m. Sunday school 9:45 a.m. Preaching 11 a.m. Christ Ambassadors Young People's service 6:15 p.m.

Evangelistic service 7:30 p.m. Come every service if you can for we love to meet our friends.

Your friend, **SAM TARTER.**

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Bible school 9:45.

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LORAINÉ NEWS

MRS. H. P. DAY, Editor

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METHODIST CHURCH

J. E. Shewbert, Pastor
"Religion of Remnants" will be the subject of the pastor's sermon for Sunday morning and "Fate or Faith" will be the subject for Sunday night. We will look for good crowds out for both services as usual. Be sure and come out Sunday night. We are giving special attention to our night services with good singing and fine fellowship. Come and be with us.

Last Sunday was a fine day in every way. A large crowd out for S. S.—one of our best—a fine offering and a good crowd out for both worship services. It was "Youth Day" with us and we were so glad to see so many turn out. There must have been 75 young people present Sunday morning. The special music brought by our girls was fine. The pastor preached on "The Youth of Today." A fine number responded to the call for definite reconsecration.

Sunday night the young people were in charge and brought us a fine service of worship. We deeply appreciate our young people and believe in them, and were glad to turn this service over to them. Mrs. Baker's group of singers brought us some special numbers enjoyed by all. We want them to come back and be with us again.

One of the largest number of young people were out for the various leagues that we have had out thus far. There is a place for each young person in the Leagues and they invite you out. A fine group of adults met with the pastor for the Mission Forum. We will look for even a larger number out next Sunday at 6:30 p.m.

As we have entered into the season of Lent, let every member be much in prayer and give definite attention to his spiritual life. As we approach Easter we should give special attention to its meaning. Truly this is a season of penitence and self-denial for our Lord.

Be with us Sunday in all of our services. Come and bring your children, find your place in our church and help in the building of His Kingdom. S. S. at 9:45 a.m. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Leagues at 6:30 p.m.

A. J. HENLEY BURIED

Funeral services for A. J. Henley, 83, were held at the home of his son J. H. Henley near Hermleigh Thursday at 2 o'clock with Elder L. L. Bodine of Buford in charge. Mr. Henley died about 8 o'clock Wednesday night. Interment was in the Colorado cemetery.

Mr. Henley was born Nov. 6, 1855 at Covington county, Alabama. He was married to Mrs. Della Kirkpatrick in 1880. To this union one son was born, Pinkney Henley. Mrs. Henley died in 1883.

He was married to Miss Sarah Vasti Tims June 14, 1888. To this union was born ten children, eight sons and two daughters. One son died in infancy and one daughter died March 15, 1920. Mrs. Henley died May 15, 1921.

Mr. Henley came to Mitchell county in 1907, settling at Colorado where he lived for 16 years and then moved to Hermleigh.

Survivors are eight children: Pinkney Henley of Weches, Texas; M. C. Henley of Lone Oak; George and C. M. of Loraine; J. B. Henley of Snyder; J. H. and T. J. Henley of Hermleigh; and Mrs. E. W. Armstrong of Hermleigh, and E. H. of Lubbock.

CUTHBERT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl House of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hendricks Sunday.

Quite a few people of the community gathered at John Womack's Monday to help build a house for Mr. and Mrs. Toby Womack whose home was completely destroyed by fire the 11th of this month.

E. M. Fisher has bought the P. G. Fuller store here. He will take charge the first of next week. The Fuller family will move to Colorado to be near P. G.'s work as agent of the Continental Oil Co.

Mrs. H. E. Favor and children of Albuquerque, N. M., are visiting in the B. F. Dunn home.

Mrs. Ada Edwards has been in Ft. Worth the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Payne of County Line spent Sunday with the T. D. Hendricks.

D. M. Womack attended a steak dinner at Earl Hammond's lodge Tuesday.

JOHN DEFFEBACH IS MANAGER AT ABILENE

John A. Deffebach, who was formerly bookkeeper for Burton-Lingo company here, has been transferred from Fort Worth to Abilene as manager of the Abilene Burton-Lingo Lumber company.

Mr. and Mrs. Deffebach and their 4-year-old daughter, Carol, are now at home at 2137 South Eighth in Abilene.

Various games were played by all, especially 42 by Uncle Charlie. The children present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bennett of Loraine, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Thompson of Colorado, Mrs. Cora Hall of Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Taylor of Loraine, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Griffin of Loraine, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson of Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gage of Sweetwater. Grandchildren present were: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cox of Westbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett of Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Long of Roscoe, Miss Wylene Thompson of Colorado, Billie and Delbert Thompson, Charles Lee and Mattie. Great-grandchildren present were: Thomas Bob Long, and Claude Bradford Cox, Mrs. Ada Pierce, a sister-in-law and also Mr. and Mrs. Phillips.

Thursday night, Feb. 23, was one of pleasure for C. M. Thompson. At the ranch home of his son, C. C. Thompson, he spent the night with his three sons, C. C. Thompson of Colorado, Bill Thompson of Colorado, and W. B. Thompson of Stephenville. There was also two grandsons present: Harold Bennett of Colorado and Templeton Thompson of Stephenville. Mr. W. B. Thompson brought with him from Stephenville three guests: Judge Scott, county judge of Erath county, Mr. Earwood, tax assessor, and Mr. Hanover, administrator. The group spent the afternoon riding over the ranch. They had supper which was prepared by Mrs. C. C. Thompson and served by the men. For breakfast the next morning Harold Bennett and Bill Thompson were appointed as cooks by the boss, C. C. Thompson. The next day all attended the Colorado Fat Stock show.

N. S. O. CLASS MEETS
The N. S. O. class of the Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. John Roberts with Mrs. Lucius Comer, Mrs. Odis Hardin and Mrs. Eton Hardin as hostess for their regular monthly meeting.

The devotional was read, after which an interesting program was rendered. Delicious refreshments of chicken salad, sandwiches, jello and whipped cream, shoe string potatoes, cookies and hot tea. Plate favors were little hatches made of cherry wood carrying out the motive of George Washington's birthday.

Those who attended were: Mrs. Britts Hall, Mrs. Woodrow Pratt, Mrs. Stanton Hutchins, Mrs. Galen Hardin, Mrs. Ed Small, Mrs. D. N. Harrelson, Mrs. Tony Schneider, Mrs. Jack Richey, Mrs. Arthur Thurston, Mrs. Paul Stewart, Mrs. Delmer Roberts, Mrs. Lucius Comer, and Mrs. Otis Hardin.

LOTTE MOON CIRCLE MEETS
The Lotte Moon Circle met in the home of Mrs. Tony Schneider, Tuesday, Feb. 28. An interesting program was rendered on Missions as follows: Home Missions, Mrs. Galen Hardin; Mountain Missions, Mrs. Tony Schneider; Mrs. Ed Small and Mrs. D. N. Harrelson. Devotional was by Mrs. Paul Stewart. There were eight present.

ROBINSON-BRYAN
J. D. Robinson and Miss Evia Bryan were united in marriage Sunday, Feb. 26, at the Baptist church by Rev. Godfrey. They were accompanied by Marilyn Gibson and Miss Louisa Hueland.

Evia has lived in our community for the past five years and worked in Dr. Bruce Johnston's office for the past eighteen months. She has a host of friends that join with the editor in wishing her much happiness.

PHILLIPS-CLAXTON
Novis Phillips and Miss Ruby Claxton were married at the Baptist parsonage Tuesday night, Feb. 21, by Rev. Godfrey. These young people have lived around Loraine for a number of years. The editor joins with their host of friends in wishing them happiness and success.

LORAINÉ CO TO HAVE BANQUET
The Loraine chamber of commerce are to entertain their wives and sweethearts with a banquet at the band room Thursday night, March 9. The Home Ec girls are in charge of the serving. Rev. Godfrey, the newly elected president, is in charge and wishes to state that there will be no collections, no fines, and no smoking.

SENIORS ENTERTAIN JUNIORS
The Senior class of the Loraine High school entertained the Junior class with a treasure hunt and party at the home of Miss Doris Meadows Friday night. The treasure was found and consisted of a package of stick candy.

After several games were played, refreshments of punch and cookies were served to 60 pupils.

THEATRE PARTY
The Sophomore and Freshman classes accompanied by Mrs. Soules and Mr. Brown enjoyed a theatre party at the Hub theatre Friday night. They saw Gene Autry play in "Cold Miss in The Sky." All reported a swell time and there were 39 present.

LOCALS
Edd Cheek, who has recently moved to a farm southwest of Westbrook, was seen on the streets Saturday.

Edward Bauman, formerly of Loraine, now of Midland, visited friends and relatives Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Iris Duke, who is attending Brantley Draughons Business College at Abilene, came home Thursday to visit with homefolks and friends.

Miss Blossom Lee Green, Miss Iris Duke and Mrs. Duke are in Sweetwater Saturday afternoon.

Dr. Patterson of Anson was here Tuesday visiting Dr. Johnson.

Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnson were in Crane Sunday visiting his brother, Dr. and Mrs. Homer Johnson.

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Pleasant Ridge News

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Claxton and Mr. and Mrs. Woodroe Freeman visited in the C. W. McAnally home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haggerton visited Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lankford Sunday.

Mr. Clarence Alford visited in the Max Hallman home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Claxton visited his sister, Mrs. Alford Browning and family Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haggerton spent Sunday in the home of his cousin, Paul Beeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnes of Colorado spent Sunday in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Alex Gilbreath.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lankford visited her sister, Mrs. Jim Shelburn of Coahoma Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Penrice Rasco spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Emmett Rasco home near Roscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Leelen Gray of Palava visited in the Troy Lankford home Sunday.

Mrs. Viola Parker is spending a few days in Sweetwater with her cousin, Mrs. Bud Harris, who is on the sick list.

Little Miss Shirlee and Loeta Stewart spent Friday night with Katie Lou McAnally.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Kidd visited in the Maxe Hallman home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lankford visited Mr. S. H. Hart Sunday, who is ill in an Abilene sanitarium.

Aubry Lankford spent Saturday night with Leon Prescott.

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ATTEND MANAGERS MEET
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HOME FROM McKINNEY
Mrs. Neal Pritchard returned Sunday from McKinney, where she had been with Mrs. Jim Cantrill since the latter underwent major surgery on Tuesday of last week.

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LOCAL NOTES

VISITS IN BIG SPRING

Irma Lee Lindsay spent the week-end in Big Spring with her aunt, Mrs. John Lytle, the former Audrey Mae Iglehart. Mrs. Lytle entertained with a Spanish dinner while Miss Lindsay was there.

HOME FROM TEMPLE

Mrs. Arlie Taylor and her mother, Mrs. J. C. Erwin, returned Tuesday after 10 days spent in Temple, Bartlett, and Austin.

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MRS. WRIGHT HERE

Mrs. Cal Wright, whose husband was formerly Methodist pastor here and is now presiding elder at Vernon, was through Colorado Tuesday en route to Stanton to attend her ill mother. She was an overnight guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lowell Schmidt.

IN ANDERSON HOME

D. L. Orme, traffic manager for Coston at Fort Worth, and his wife were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Anderson.

MOVE TO NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Howell and daughter, Theda, moved this week into their modern new home on Chestnut street.

TO HOWELL PLACE

Mrs. W. M. Moseley and son, Weyman Moseley, and Mrs. Moseley's sister, Zella Adamson, have moved into the house formerly occupied by the J. T. Howell's on Hickory street.

HERE FOR SHOW

C. C. Thompson has as his guests for the Mitchell County Fat Stock show the following from Stephenville: W. B. Thompson, relief administrator for Erath county; Judge Wallace Scott, Erath county judge; Boyce Yearwood, Erath county tax assessor-collector; Sam Hanover, AAA administrator for Erath county; Thompson, assisted by his father, C. M. Thompson of Lorraine; his brother, Bill Thompson of the Thompson ranch; and Harold Bennett of Colorado, entertained the group at the Thompson ranch south of town.

FRANK KELLEY RETURNS

Frank Kelley returned last Thursday night after a week spent in Dallas and other points on business.

IN TUNNELL HOME

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Burns, Jr., of Weatherford were here from Friday until Sunday visiting Mrs. Burns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tunnell. Mr. Tunnell has been ill for some time.

HOME ON FURLOUGH

Horace Snider, who is stationed with the U. S. army at San Antonio, arrived Wednesday to spend a 45-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Snider of Route 1.

IN KIKER HOME

Shirley Kiker, student in McMurry college, Abilene, was home for the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kiker, and had as her guest Wilma Wright of Shamrock, also a McMurry student.

RETURN TO PECOS

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith left Monday to return to Pecos. Mrs. Smith had spent two weeks here with her father, Lay Powell, while Mr. Smith took her mother and his father, Dr. N. J. Smith of Anson, to Marlin.

MRS. POWELL HOME

Accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Harold Tippet of Hugo, Okla., Mrs. Lay Powell came home Sunday night from Marlin, where she has been receiving treatment. She had her tonsils removed while there.

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VISIT IN LUBBOCK

Otto Jones, Pauline Jones, Mabel Majors, and Sonny Wilkins spent the week-end in Lubbock. Sonny stayed with his grandmother, Mrs. W. I. Wilkins.

HERE FROM MIDLAND

Mrs. Arthur Niebuhr, librarian in Midland High school, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Pearson.

VISIT IN ROTAN

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. T. Jones and son, Jerry, spent the week-end with Mr. Jones' father, J. B. Jones, near Rotan.

HERE FROM POST

Mrs. Hayes Holman and daughter, Jerry Joan, arrived Sunday to visit Mrs. Holman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Baze, while Mr. Baze is ill.

JOHNSONS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. T. Johnson drove in Wednesday noon from San Antonio and are registered at the Colorado hotel for a four- or five-day visit in Colorado.

LAUDRY SMITH HERE

After a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Smith, Laundry Smith returned to Odessa, Friday night. She is said to be locating in Monahans as traveling representative for a well-known cosmetics line.

TO FORT WORTH

Mrs. John Arnett and her mother, Mrs. H. C. Beal of Fort Worth, left Saturday for Fort Worth, where Mrs. Arnett will be Mrs. Beal's guest for about a week. Mrs. Beal has been here since the death of Mr. Arnett several weeks ago.

KATIE BUCHANAN BETTER

Katie Buchanan, who has been confined to her home for the past two weeks with a bad throat, is slowly improving but is not yet able to be out.

MRS. CANTRILL IMPROVES

Mrs. Jim Cantrill is reported to be making satisfactory progress toward recovery following the major operation which she underwent in a McKinney hospital last week. It is hoped that she can be moved from the hospital this week-end.

VISIT LATHAMS

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Latham had as guests Saturday and Sunday two of Mr. Latham's sisters, Mrs. Banton Moore of New York City and Mrs. L. W. Hill of Albany.

NOTICE

Anyone wishing to settle an account for service rendered by the late Dr. T. J. Ratliff may make a deposit at the City National bank to the account of Mrs. T. J. Ratliff, or see Mrs. Ratliff at her residence, or pay at the office of R. H. Ratliff, attorney, and oblige.

Mrs. T. J. Ratliff, executrix.
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TRUSTEE ELECTIONS DUE ON APRIL 1ST

Trustee elections for all common and independent school districts in Mitchell county are due on April 1. Roy Davis Coles, county superintendent, says that at least one trustee is to be elected in each of the 23 common school districts of the county, and that one county board member-at-large is to be elected. C. C. Thompson is the county board member whose term is expiring.

Colorado will vote on two trustees. The terms of Joe B. Mills and R. J. Wallace are expiring.

HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Pete Smith, former Coloradoan who has been employed for some time in the oil fields near Royalty, had a narrow escape on Sunday of last week when struck on the side of his head with a missile blown out of a well which he was helping to swab.

Smith and his co-workers were running from the well when he was hit, sustaining a cut above the ear which went to the bone. He was hospitalized at Monahans for several days. He and Mrs. Smith, the former Laura McKenney, came home the latter part of last week and he entered the hospital at Big Spring on Sunday. They were back in Colorado at the home of Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Smith, Wednesday night.

OFFICERS RETURN MAN

Dick Hickman, chief of police, and Jack DeLaney, constable, returned early Thursday from the Rio Grande valley with a man named Lawhorn, who was indicted on a forgery charge by the Mitchell county grand jury last week. They left here Sunday and attended to other business matters while away.

OIL MAN HERE

Homer Meland, Oklahoma City oil man, left Wednesday night after having been registered at the Colorado hotel all week. He planned to return Sunday.

MISS HOHN STILL AWAY

Miss Lorene Hohn, Colorado hotel employe, did not get to return from Wellington, Kansas, as soon as was expected, but does plan to be here within a few days. She has been in Wellington for three weeks receiving medical treatment.

HERE FROM MONAHANS

Mrs. James Oglesby of Monahans, the former Eloise Cooper of Colorado, was here Saturday and Sunday visiting her father, W. S. Cooper. She also visited in Sweetwater.

INTO CAFFEY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wigley have moved into Miss Melissa Gage's house which was formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Jess Caffey, who have moved near Comanche.

PLASTERS BUILDING HOME

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Plaster are having a modern frame house constructed on their farm eight miles south of town on the Sterling City road. Bill Harpen is in charge of the work.

FISH ON CONCHO

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pickens spent Tuesday, final day of the fishing season, on the Concho. They caught 11 good sized fish. Pickens reported on their return.

HOME FROM CALIFORNIA

J. W. Sheppard, Sr. returned last week from a three-weeks visit in California.

TO GRANBURY

R. D. Wigley and R. L. Wigley made a trip to Granbury during the week-end.

HERE FROM TSCW

Moncure Carter, student in TSCW at Denton, spent last week-end visiting friends here.

Week-end guests of Mrs. B. F. King

were her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Smith, and husband of Bridgeport, and Mr. and Mrs. Olen Joiner and family of Lorenzo.

FERN KELLEY HERE

Enroute to Hobbs after a visit in Sweetwater, Fern Kelley stopped over this week for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Dick Billingsley, and friends.

HERE FROM LUBBOCK

Edna Smith, who is employed at Lubbock, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

MRS. VAUGHAN HOME

Mrs. Belle Vaughan returned recently from Clarendon, where she had been visiting her son, Nelson, since Christmas.

MRS. JONES HOME

Mrs. Chester Jones has returned from her visit in San Antonio. Mrs. John L. Doss, who went with her, has not yet returned.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank every one of our neighbors and friends for every kind thought of us, for the delicious food and the beautiful floral offering, for the beautiful songs, and for every service rendered. May God richly bless every one of you is the prayer of this lonely family.

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Hats, both large and small, practical styles and exaggerated styles. A hat for every woman. Neal Mills. 1tc

WALTER WILSON HERE

Walter Wilson of Big Spring, former Coloradoan, was greeting friends here Thursday after having taken Mrs. Wilson and son to Snyder for a visit.

BOY SCOUTS TO HAVE FIRST AID MEET HERE

Boy Scouts of the Colorado district, which includes all Mitchell county, will gather at the Colorado High school gym Saturday afternoon at 2:30 for first-aid contests sponsored by utilities companies of this area.

Winning teams will go to the Buffalo Trails council contests in Big Spring on March 11. Sweetwater won the regional trophy last year.

The general public is invited to attend the local contests, with a special invitation issued to girl scouts of the county, according to Dr. W. B. May, Colorado scoutmaster.

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GLADYS MILLER PUPILS PRESENTED AT CHURCH

Speech arts pupils of Gladys Miller, member of the Colorado High school faculty, presented a play, "The Forgotten Man," at the First Baptist church Sunday night.

J. T. Williamson played the part of a young minister with LeRoy Thompson as church treasurer, Cora Mae Bodine as his wife, Nancy Price as organist, Wallace Kirby as the janitor, Carolyn Raye Womack as a waif, and Junior Cox as a tramp.

CUSTER CHILD IMPROVES

Word comes from Abilene that Kenneth Custer, little son of Mrs. Sid Custer, is slowly improving from his critical illness of the past several weeks. The child was in an Abilene hospital for a time after becoming ill here, and is now in a private home in Abilene. Reports are that he now has good use of his limbs and is conscious all the time, although still very weak. Mrs. Custer hopes to return home with him some time next week.

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Kraft's Velveta CHEESE 1/2 lb. pkg. 15c
Palmolive SOAP reg. bar 6c

SMACKS small pkg. 10c
Chief OATS 5 lb. bag 19c
Stokely's GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 12 oz. cans 5c
Vigo Dod Food (horse meat) 6 tal cans 25c

MEATS

Morrell's Tender Cured HAMS Half or Whole 20c

Sugar Cured, in the piece Bacon pound 19c

Boneless Steaks Fish pound 19c

Dexter Sliced Bacon pound 25c

Dry Salt Jowls pound 9c

American Loaf Cheese 2 lb. box 45c

-4-H Club Beef STEAK Round, Loin or T-Bone pound 32c

Kitchen Craft Flour, 24 lbs. . . . 65c
48 lbs. . . \$1.19

Great Northern Beans, 2 lbs. . . . 15c

Tendersweet, Whole Grain Corn, 2 No. 2 cans . . 25c

Airway Coffee, 3 lb. bag . . . 42c

Stokely's Finest Kraut, No. 2 1/2 can . . . 10c

Fluffiest, cello Marshmallows, 2 lbs. . . 25c

Cello-Spaghetti or Macaroni, pound . . . 10c

Frenches Mustard, 2-9 oz. jars . . . 25c

Dried Peaches, 2 lbs. - 25c
Pimentos, 4 oz. can . . 5c
Jell-Well, 4 pkgs. . . 15c
Noodles, 16 oz. pkg. . 15c

Spry, 3 lb. can 55c
Rice, 3 lb. bag 15c
Ivory Soap, large pkg. . 10c

| Texas Valencia | | Texas Seedless | |
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| Oranges | Grapefruit | | |
| 176 size dozen 19c | 64 size 3 for 10c | | |
| Cavaloes | each 5c | | |
| New Potatoes | 4 pounds 19c | | |
| Lettuce | 2 large heads 15c | | |
| Tomatoes | pound 10c | | |
| Carrots | 2 bunches 5c | | |
| Strawberries | Florida 2 pints 27c | | |

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Writing Home From Austin

By R. Temple Dickson

In the midst of a heavy calendar of work, house members this week debated the proposed soil conservation program of Rep. Bailey Ragsdale.

This bill would allow nine-tenths of the farmers in any given territory to create a soil conservation district, wherein the state could specify certain soil conservation practices to be followed by everyone in the district. The state would supervise the work with the federal government aiding in both supervision and financing.

Members of the house scrutinized every line of the bill carefully. It presented a complicated problem.

There is no denying that soil conservation should be practiced, and encouraged in every way, so that our land may be saved for coming generations. No doubt state aid should be given in some way. But just how this is to be done is a serious consideration.

It looks like action—good or bad—will be taken in the next few days on some kind of pension-and-tax proposal. Two house committees—Constitutional Amendments, and Revenue and Taxation—have been dragging along for two weeks in hearing publicly proponents and opponents of the transaction tax.

Then quite suddenly, the two committees in joint session decided Monday that something out to be done in a hurry. So they voted to complete all public hearings on proposed tax-pension plans by Wednesday night, even though that necessitated day and night meetings.

Wednesday the chairmen of the committees appointed a sub-committee to work out a compromise tax-pension plan for submission to the joint committee next Monday.

And on Monday, committee members promise, the house will be handed some kind of tax and pension constitutional amendment to work on.

That will mark a major step in the battle. Of course, any kind of tax plan will be fought by some interests in the house. All tax plans will hurt somebody. But at any rate, we will have action.

Off the record hints are to the effect that a constitutional amendment will be proposed to give the legislature power to levy several sorts of taxes—transactions, sales, natural resources or income. Once an amendment like this was adopted, the legislature could then levy whatever part of these taxes deemed necessary.

Powerful Fort Worth and Dallas delegations in the house pushed a bill through providing for the enlarging of two state junior colleges—John Tarleton Agricultural College at Stephenville and North Texas Agricultural College at Arlington—into four-year colleges.

Representatives from other sections of the state tried to point out that that section of Texas now has more schools than any other part, but good politicking by friends of the schools got the bill through.

Governor O'Daniel, who has been stepping on toes here and there and still remaining surprisingly popular, now has the newspapers a little fied. The press is mostly keeping its anger to itself, but capital correspondents are vexed by the fact that the governor has quit his regular press conferences, leaving newspapermen to get the news about his office as best they can.

TRANSFERRED



B. J. Baskin, Mitchell county farm agent for the past five years, will be transferred to Dawson county March 15.

NEW LOCKHART TEST TO BE SPURRED IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS

H. L. Lockhart, Colorado independent oil operator who opened and developed the Lockhart pool between the Snyder and Chalk fields in eastern Howard county, said Monday that equipment for drilling the Lockhart Petroleum Corporation's No. 5 R. C. Scott is being moved on the ground this week.

Location for the new well has been staked 1,650 feet from the north line and 330 feet from the east line of section 86-29, W&NW. Drilling contractor is the Ajax Drilling company of Big Spring. The well will probably be spudded this week.

Lockhart's company now has seven producing wells in that area, three on the Heusinger leases and four on the Scott leases.

TES ISSUES WARNING ON KITE FLYING AS SPRING APPROACHES

With the kite flying season at hand, Texas Electric Service company issues today its annual appeal to parents to warn children flying kites to keep away from electric power lines.

"That the innocent pastime of kite flying can be exceedingly dangerous is brought out forcibly by the fact that many accidents occurred in the year just past because of children getting their metalized kites tangled in power lines," according to A. S. Legg, district manager of Texas Electric Service company.

"Too often children use metal wire in the place of string on their kites and when this wire comes in contact with a power line the result is instantly disastrous. Even plain kite strings sometimes carry current, especially if the string is wet. The best idea, regardless of how the kite is built or what kind of string is being used, is to see that it is flown in open spaces where no power lines are located," Mr. Legg stated.

"If a kite should become entangled in power lines, be sure that children do not climb the poles or use long sticks to try to get the kite down. Call our company office and a trained lineman will be sent to rescue the kite if it is possible to do so."

Employees of the electric company will pay their annual visit to local schools shortly and will make a detailed explanation of the dangers of flying kites near power lines.

LOCAL BUYERS RESPOND WELL AT AUCTION HELD FOR LIVESTOCK IN FAT STOCK SHOW

Local buyers responded well at the auction held as the closing feature of the Mitchell County Fat Stock show Friday afternoon at the new livestock pavilion on the Colorado City Frontier Round-up grounds. Sam Wulfjen was auctioneer.

The grand champion calf, bred by Albert Erwin and fed by Floyd Langley, Westbrook FFA boy, was bought by Erwin for 15 cents. This calf weighed 745 pounds, being in the light division of the dry lot class.

J. W. Randle, owner of Piggly Wiggly at Colorado, bought the reserve champion, a milk fed calf belonging to Oscar D. Roberts, Colorado FFA boy, for 14 cents. This calf weighed 850 pounds.

Berry-Fee Hardware Co. paid 11.25 for the first prize calf in the heavy division of dry lot calves. This animal, weighing 870 pounds, was fed by M. A. Webb, Colorado FFA boy.

The grand champion barrow, fed by Hubert Hall, Colorado FFA boy, sold for 8.40 to Tom Burrus. It weighed 255 pounds. C. L. Grable bought the reserve champion from Jay Hooks, Colorado FFA boy, and also bought two others.

John Colson bought two, Bronson Gregory two, and the following one each: Bob May, Lon Fry, W. O. Ken-

nison Trucking company, and Howard Rogers.

Dr. R. D. Bridgford paid 12.75 for the grand champion lamb fed by J. F. McCabe, Jr., the lamb weighing 110 pounds. Bunkie Girvin bought the only other lamb sold.

Out of 41 calves sold, six brought 11.25 or over, 27 brought 10 or over, and only 6 were under 10 cents.

Bronson Gregory and Howard Rogers were the heaviest individual buyers of calves, Gregory buying eight and Rogers buying six. D. H. Snyder, Sr., bought three head.

Those buying two calves were John Colson and Pick & Pay. Buyers of one calf were Bob May, Lon Fry, W. O. Kennison of Sweetwater, Joe Wetzel, Colorado Drug store, Daggett-Keen Commission company of Fort Worth, Snyder Motor company, Rhode clinic, Texas Electric Service company, Joe Mills, G. D. Foster, Hicks Rubber company, City National bank, Jake Richardson, J. A. Pickens, O. F. Jones, C. D. Hornberger, Pike's Peak club, Aikins Commission company of Fort Worth, Pace Packing company of Sweetwater, Oswalt pharmacy, I. Tucker, Randerbrook ranch, Wimberley Motor company, Safeway store, and Berry-Fee Lumber Co.

COL-TEX IS AGAIN WINNER OF TROPHY FOR SAFETY WORK

TROPHY RETAINED FOR THE SECOND YEAR WITH ONLY ONE LOST-TIME MISHAP.

For the second consecutive year the Col-Tex refinery at Colorado has won the President's trophy offered by Anderson-Prichard Oil corporation of Oklahoma City for the Anderson-Prichard refinery having the most perfect safety record for the year.

During both 1937 and 1938 the plant had only one lost time accident per year. The 1938 record showed one lost-time accident in a total man-hour exposure of 281,936 hours, or a lost time accident rate of 0.35 per 100,000 man-hours exposure.

The entire personnel of the Col-Tex refinery, along with employees' families, will be treated to a free barbecue and picnic by the corporation.

BASKETBALL BOYS AND GIRLS OF WESTBROOK HONORED AT BANQUET

A number of Westbrook citizens honored the Westbrook High school basketball boys and girls and their sponsors with a banquet Thursday evening at the Oasis cafe with Mr. and Mrs. Truman Henderson in charge.

Flags and the national colors decorated the dining room. A bowl of red tulips flanked with red tapers in silver candelabra centered the table. Place cards were small hatchets and favors were George Washington hats with removable crowns which were filled with mints.

L. E. Gressett was toastmaster. He entertained with "impertinent questions," and those who did not answer truthfully were fined. Bonnie and Joan Conner, mascots for the two teams, collected the fines. Patriotic talks were made by Gressett and the two sponsors, these being Supt. Ira D. Lauderdale for the girls and R. G. Crouch for the boys. Guests went to the show after the banquet.

COUNTY'S FIRST SWINE PRODUCTION CONTEST LAUNCHED BY WESTBROOK FFA

A swine production contest, the first thing of its kind ever held in Mitchell county and one of the first ever held by any vocational agriculture class in Texas, is to be sponsored for vocational agriculture students and 4-H club boys of Mitchell county by the Future Farmer chapter of Westbrook High school, according to an announcement made this week by C. V. Cox, head of the Westbrook vocational agriculture department.

Designed to encourage FFA and 4-H swine production work and to give recognition to its importance, the contest will include this year's school work and an essay on "How I Would Manage and Care for a Swine Production Project."

Contest winners will be announced October 15. Eight registered gilts will be given as prizes. Money to buy the gilts is now being raised by Cox and his FFA boys through public subscription.

Essays must be turned in by Sept. 15 to the vocational agriculture teacher at Westbrook, and each essay must be accompanied by the writer's semester grades certified by the superintendent of his school.

Prize winners will be determined by the following guide: Grammar in the essay, 33 1/3; essay subject matter, 33 1/3; average of past year's semester grades in all subjects, 33 1/3.

The boy winning highest place will be given his choice of the eight registered gilts, and so on until eight gilts are placed among the winners. Boys winning gilts must sign contracts to feed them for a year under either FFA or 4-H direction and to show the animal in a county-wide breeding stock show to be held the following spring, according to Cox. Boys not fulfilling the contract in any respect must forfeit their gilts or pay \$10.00.

Each essay is to contain approximately 1,500 words. Essay subjects will change from year to year. Any FFA or 4-H boy in Mitchell county is eligible to enter provided he is in

good standing with his chapter or club and is doing satisfactory school work. Cox says. Judges will include all vocational agriculture teachers in the county and one English instructor from each school.

No formal entry in the contest is necessary, Cox says.

FUNERAL HELD FOR A. J. HENLEY LAST THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Funeral was held last Thursday afternoon for A. J. Henley, 83, resident of Mitchell county since 1907, who died at the home of a son, J. H. Henley, near Hermleigh on Wednesday evening, February 22.

Mr. Henley was buried in the Colorado cemetery beside his wife, who died October 13, 1921, at the home of a son, G. H. Henley, then of Colorado and now of Loraine. Elder L. L. Bodine of Colorado, assisted by Rev. Cecil Rhodes of Snyder, conducted the funeral service.

A. J. Henley was born Nov. 6, 1855,

in Covington county, Ala., and came to Texas in 1879, living at Palestine. He was first married in 1880 to Della Kilpatrick at Augusta, Texas. She died in 1883. He married a second time in 1888, his second wife being Sarah Vashti Tims of Augusta. They moved to Mitchell county in September, 1907. Since the death of his wife in 1921 Mr. Henley had made his home with children in Mitchell and adjoining counties.

Eight sons and one daughter survive, these being Pinkney Henley of Weches, Tex.; M. C. Henley, Lone Oak; G. H. Henley, Loraine; J. B. Henley, Snyder; J. H. Henley, Hermleigh; C. M. Henley, Loraine; E. F. Henley, Lubbock; Mrs. E. W. Armstrong, Loop, Texas. Forty-one grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren also survive.

INVESTURE CEREMONY FOR SPADE GIRL SCOUTS

An investiture ceremony was held for Spade girl scouts recently following a hike and picnic. Hilma Joyce is scoutmistress.

Those receiving pins were Florence McCullough as patrol leader, Jo Bolin, Sara Bolin, Billie Bob Waggoner, Margaret Waggoner, Nellie Wilson, and Capt. Hilma Joyce.

HERE FROM LUBBOCK

Mrs. J. E. McCleary, who moved to Lubbock about three months ago, was here visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Esther Grubbs, and other relatives and friends during the week-end and early part of the week.

DEL MONTE

MOTHER HUBBARD SALE

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| Tomato Juice 2 cans15 | Peaches No. 2 1/2 can . . .15 | Pineapple Juice 3 cans23 |
| Early Garden PEAS No. 2 can15 | Salmon No. 1 tall can . . .23 | CORN Whole Kernel . . .12 |
| FRUIT Cocktail No. 1 tall can . . .13 | Pineapple Crushed or sliced 3 flat cans . . .25 | PEARS No. 2 1/2 can . . .19 |
| CRISCO 3 lb.57 6 lb.1.12 | P-G SOAP Puts 25 times more soap right on dirty spots 6 bars25 | PLYMOUTH COFFEE , lb. . .15 |
| Preserves Del Monte, ass't flavors, 5 lb. tin .52 | Catsup Del Monte bottle .14 | BANANAS , dozen15c |
| CARROTS , 3 bunches10 | LETTUCE , head05 | SPUDS— 10 lb. mesh bag . . .25 |
| GRAPEFRUIT— 2 for05 | <h3>NOW ON SALE</h3> <h2>Reserve Grand Champion Milk Fed Baby Beef Calf</h2> | |
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Zetagathian

Final plans for observing their anniversary party Friday night were made by members of the Zetagathian club when they met with Mrs. A. E. McClain on Friday.

The party will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sefton Pickens and will be a kid party. Mexican food will be served.

Thirteen members, including Mrs. T. J. Goss, Jr., as a new member, were present, as well as a visitor, Mrs. Wylie Kinard. Mrs. Hunt Gultar led the Texas Day program.

A synopsis of Karle Wilson Baker's "Family Style" was given by Mrs. John Shropshire. Mrs. Jack Cox read a poem, "The Pioneer."

The club will not meet this Friday afternoon because of the party on Friday night.

WOMEN IN THE STUDY CLUBS

1921 Study

"Around the World with Recent Writers" was chosen by the 1921 Study club as its study course for next year during the business part of its meeting with Mrs. C. L. Root Friday. This course is offered by the University of Texas extension department.

The club voted \$5 to the special fund for Headquarters Permanent in Austin. Mrs. Ray Womack, education chairman, reported 284 magazines delivered to the club's adopted schools. Several women reported plans to attend the club institute in San Saba this week. Mrs. Sam Majors, Mrs. Ray Womack, and Mrs. Harry Ratliff were named to attend the county federation meeting on Tuesday.

"Enchanter's Nightshade" by Ann Bridges was the lesson subject. Mrs. J. T. Pritchett being leader. Mrs. Ed Jones, Sr., told of Miss Bridges' life and work, and Mrs. Ratliff gave the theme of the story. Mrs. E. G. Harrison compared La Vecchia Contessa with the matriarch in "White Oaks of Jalna." Mrs. Sam Majors had the topic, "Changes in Italian Life." Mrs. Ratliff is hostess this week.

Self Culture

Making plans for their banquet March 9 at the Colorado hotel, members of the Self Culture club met Friday at the home of Mrs. W. D. McClure.

Guests were Mrs. Carl Remele and Mrs. W. H. Shelley. During the business session the club granted a six-weeks leave of absence to Mrs. A. P. King. Mrs. C. B. Shell, president for next year, appointed Mrs. McClure as historian in the place of Mrs. Roy Dozier, who has become a visiting member.

Arizona was the lesson topic. Mrs. John Brown told of "Beauty and Resources." Mrs. C. P. Gary discussed the Grand canyon, and Mrs. Jim White read a paper on Boulder dam. The next meeting is with Mrs. Lee Phenix at the Shell home.

Hesperian

International Good Will day was observed when the Hesperian club met with Mrs. Bill Coffey Friday with Mrs. S. H. Millwee as leader.

Roll call answers were on "My Cure For War." Discussions were as follows: "Responsibilities of the United States as a World Power," Mrs. Bill Cravy; "Responsibilities of England as a World Power," Mrs. Bob Trotter; "War and Religion," Mrs. Willis Shropshire; "The Map of Europe Today and in 1918," Mrs. Bennett Scott.

Mrs. Millwee conducted a review of outstanding events affecting world peace during the past two years as a questionnaire.

A parliamentary law report was given by Mrs. Nat Thomas. The club donated \$1 to the Frances B. Plisk loan fund, and voted to pass on \$2.50 given by Mrs. J. A. Sadler to the club's student loan fund. Mrs. Millwee discussed the year book.

The club endorsed inviting the 1940 sixth district federated club convention to Colorado. Plans were made to meet at 3 o'clock each Friday afternoon for the remainder of the year. Mrs. Bill Cravy is hostess this Friday.

Standard

Entertaining at Mrs. E. A. Barcroft's hotel, Mrs. Lee Carter was hostess to the Standard club Friday.

Discussions on "Concentration" were led by Mrs. R. D. Buchanan. The Shakespeare lesson was on King Henry IV, Part Two, Act Two, Scenes Two and Three.

Mrs. J. Lee Jones is to be hostess this week.

Shakespeare

With Mrs. Frank Lupton leading, the Shakespeare club met with Mrs. Jack Smith Friday.

A review of Clifford Goldsmith's "What a Life!" was given by Mrs. R. O. Pearson. The study of Shakespeare's "Timon of Athens" was begun.

Guests at the social hour were Mrs. B. R. Russell and Mrs. J. T. Leavell. Mrs. Thos. R. Smith is hostess this week.

Junior Self Culture

Social diseases were studied by the Junior Self Culture club when it met Tuesday night with Memphis Porter as hostess and Mary Venable as leader.

Topics were given by Johnnie Lou Callison, Martha Henderson, Elizabeth Grantland, and Billie Wyatt.

Angel food cake was served with lime jello, coffee, and peanut butter cookies. The next meeting is with Mary Venable.

Go window shopping in your easy chair. Read the advertisements.

'LIFTED' FROM THE COL-TEX SAFETYGRAM

Included in the February issue of The Safetygram, monthly publication of the Col-Tex refinery with N. H. White, Jr., as editor and L. H. Winnett as associate editor, were the following items:

For the second consecutive year the Col-Tex plant has won the President's Safety Trophy by virtue of its splendid record for Safety-First. The fact that we have won the cup in competition with all the other departments of the company speaks well for us.

For the past two years we have had only one lost time accident per year, which has been good enough to win the trophy but still is short of that perfect score we are constantly striving for. The past year's score reveals one lost time accident as against a total man-hour exposure of 281,936 hours, or a lost time accident rate of 0.36 per 100,000 man-hours exposure.

This splendid record entitles us to keep the cup for another year and also gives us another free company barbecue and picnic; all of which fills us with pride in our accomplishment. However, a new year is before us. So far, we have kept the slate clean and it is our hope that we shall each of us make a daily resolution that so far as we are concerned, we will have a day free from accident every day. Let's double-up on our efforts to make 1939 the perfect year. Let's keep ourselves free from trouble and help the other fellow do the same. We have a fine record behind us and there is no reason why we cannot profit from the mistakes of the past and do better as time marches on.

Our compliments to our entire personnel. Keep the good work going. Let's keep the Col-Tex name engraved on the cup until there is no longer room for any other. We can do it.

kind, and those who shared his confidence and friendship were fortunate indeed, as there is no virtue greater than a sacrificing friendship such as characterized the life of this great man.

Dr. Ratliff lives today because his works live. He lives because he helped to defend his community and to preserve the rights of all people. He lives because of the priceless principles he nurtured with a tender and fearless affection. He lives because he helped the poor to live, and never die, and in the ever widening circles the influence of this man will be felt and deeper and yet deeper the tender love of the people with whom he lived and whom he knew will sink into their hearts.

He went to his grave followed by the homage of his profession, the deferential esteem of his countrymen, and as one in whom the elements of nobility and simplicity were mingled alike in equal degree and even in the dread moment of death, this writer rejoices that Dr. Ratliff lived among us and gave to all people the example of high character.

OBITUARY

We pay tribute to a lifelong, devoted friend in the passing of Dr. T. J. Ratliff.

"A friend in need is a friend indeed."

The river of life is a wonderful stream. A slender thread emerging from the mysterious realm of birth, it laughs and dances through the wonder world of childhood, and broadens its currents as it sweeps the plains of youth between the banks of romance and of hope. It becomes a mighty torrent as it rushes over the rapids of manhood, then glides away across the barren, sterile fields of age until it is lost within the waters of the eternal sea.

The robes of royalty, the beggar's rags, the rich man's hoard, the pauper's copper penny, the diamonds of princes and the crowns of martyrs alike are swept by the same ceaseless tide.

The part that was assigned to Dr. Ratliff in the human drama was played to the end with such fine meaning and distinction that he is mourned by all who knew him.

Fame marked him out in his modesty and crowned his life complete at an age when most men are still seeking attainment. His course in life never swerved from the steep path of integrity and his thoughts gave character and purity to his deeds.

Dr. Ratliff as a man and a citizen, his mind was always notable for just and candid conceptions, profound knowledge of the currents of history and a gift of penetration to the last fathom of hidden meaning, and he held nothing but scorn for the trumpery of little things and nothing but contempt for the petty arts that sought to triumph trickery and chicane.

His charm was matchless and lasting whether in public or in the atmosphere of intimate companionship, and yet he was modest and shrank from noisy acclaim and rarely ever suffered himself to appear in public and his refinement, his philosophy and the convincing logic of his hospitable mind was free from animosities and lifted him high above the common place.

He was a laborer in the common weal, courageous with his convictions, and was possessed of an aristocratic mind through a democratic soul, and his sympathies were the same to all mankind regardless of the sphere in which they might walk. He was a patriot by instinct and was a great man in whom hypocrisy had no abode or hiding place.

His long life was devoted to the public weal and he placed on the country's altar his wonderful natural talent, the zeal of his youth, the energy of middle life and the wisdom of matured age.

With tireless brain he worked to promote general good and labored to lift the burdens of sorrow from the shoulders of the oppressed. His heart cried out for all who trod adversity's road.

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The miracle of birth and the mystery of death remain unsolved problems of all time and we can only contemplate the decrees of fate today as did the wisest of three thousand years ago. We only know that standing here upon the bank of the stream of life, and with straining eyes, we cannot even glimpse the shadowy outline of the other shore, and with tear dimmed eyes we behold the ships that sail out but never return and that at the grave's dread mouth all men must cast aside the burden of their honors and their griefs.

Man takes with him only that which he has freely given away, and even death may not despoil him of the riches of services and self sacrifice and, measured by that standard, Dr. Ratliff who sleeps today, bears with him to the tomb a legacy so rare that even envy is compelled to pay the tribute of admiration. Dr. Ratliff did as much charity work as he did that for pay.

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FINDS WRECK VICTIM

Charles Jarnagan of Colorado was mentioned as one of the men who rushed J. B. Asbury, 31, Water Valley ranch employe, to a San Angelo hospital about 10 o'clock Saturday night after Asbury's car had crashed into the concrete railing of a bridge a short distance north of Carlsbad. Asbury, a former resident of Dallas, died enroute to the hospital. His funeral was held in Dallas. Jarnagan and a Charles Rose of San Angelo found Asbury.

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THE NATIONAL ORANGE says: "Therefore, be it resolved, that the National Orange urges immediate repeal of the Miller-Tydings Act and its amendments to STATE TRADE ACTS."

THE AMERICAN HOME ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION says: "...opposing legislation for resale price maintenance and other forms of price-fixing."

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ROBERT YOUNG, GEORGE BURNS AND GRACIE ALLEN ALSO IN NEW MUSICAL COMEDY

Eleanor Powell, Robert Young, George Burns and Gracie Allen join hands to bring screen audiences an entertainment-packed festival of song, dancing, music and laughs in the new M-G-M star-studded musical, "Honolulu," showing at the Palace Saturday midnight, Sunday and Monday, March 4, 5, and 6.

COLORADO TEACHERS PLAN FOR CONVENTION

Several Colorado teachers are making plans to be among the more than 2,000 delegates from 24 West Texas counties attending the Texas Teachers' convention in Lubbock on March 10 and 11, according to Supt. John E. Watson.

Hayes Holman, former principal of Colorado Junior High school and now superintendent at Post, is president of the association.

Holman says that school teachers, trustees, superintendents, principals, and PTA officials and members are urged to attend the two Friday afternoon sessions, beginning at 3 p.m. at the Lubbock high school auditorium there will be discussed the relationship of school trustees to superintendents, by Dr. Harris Cook of Canyon. At the same meeting, J. Slaughter of Post will discuss school finance and school legislation. Following these discussions there will be a general round table discussion for all attending the meeting.

The second meeting to be held that afternoon will also begin promptly at 3 p.m. at the high school. This will be a Safety Meeting. Every school superintendent and principal has been asked to appoint one or more representatives from their schools to attend this meeting. Also each PTA council has been requested to have representatives attend this group meeting. Carl J. Rutland, of the State Safety association, will be the principal speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Joyce have been transferred from Colorado to Morrison camp near Westbrook by the Standard Oil company of Texas.

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THEIR NAMES IN THE PAPERS

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

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nesbitt and daughter, Felice, of Colorado spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. L. Faber, and sister, Mrs. Raymond Jolly, and Mr. Jolly.—Sweetwater Daily Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Hall, Jr., of Colorado spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Chief and Mrs. N. B. Hall, Sr.—Sweetwater Daily Reporter.

J. H. Green, Dan Hudson, Bob Whipkey, and Nat Shick attended the chamber of commerce banquet at Abilene Thursday night.—Big Spring Weekly News.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Powell and little daughter, Earle, have returned from a visit with Mrs. Powell's mother, Mrs. E. W. Bounds, in Fort Worth.—Stanton Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Son Powell were ushered into Colorado on the wings of one of the most severe sand and freezing cold storms of Thursday of last week, causing them to remain overnight at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lay Powell, when

'Girls on Probation' Inspired By 'Marked Woman' Film

"Girls on Probation," the Warner Bros. picture showing Sunday and Monday, March 5 and 6, at the Ritz theatre, was born—or at least conceived—on the set of Bette Davis' starring picture "Marked Woman."

Jane Bryan had just stolen a scene from Bette Davis. Crane Wilbur, famous playwright and scenarist, visited the set. Bette told him the incident.

"That's funny," Wilbur said. "I was just trying to visualize a heroine for a story inspired by this one, and come to think of it, Jane is ideal. That is, if she can really carry a highly dramatic piece."

"Jane," said Bette, "is one of the greatest dramatic actresses in pictures today. She can carry anything you write!"

In that event, Wilbur told her, his plans were made. He'd write a story called "Girls on Probation." The real title as it occurred in his mind, he told her, was "Girls on probation are the marked women of tomorrow."

LAMOUR-NOLAN TEAM TOPS BIG-NAME CAST

Dorothy Lamour's many local fans will see their favorite star with a new leading man and a highly original screen story, when the Paramount romance with music, "St. Louis Blues," shows Friday and Saturday at the Palace theatre. Teamed with rugged Lloyd Nolan, Miss Lamour plays a dazzling theatrical celebrity who runs away from fame and glamour and finds love on a Mississippi river showboat.

The story, by John C. Moffitt and Malcolm Stuart Boylan, two writers who know the Mississippi region from first-hand experience, plots Miss Lamour's exciting experiences from the dramatic moment when she rebels against her manager's insistence that she always appear in public in a sarong, palming herself off as a South Sea native, and decides to make her getaway once and for all.

From this point on, most of the action of "St. Louis Blues" takes place aboard Nolan's rather down-at-the-heels showboat, one of the few such crafts remaining on the river in 1939. Not knowing who Miss Lamour is when she arrives in a much-battered state, the hardboiled Nolan gives her a job as singer.

The showboat sequences offer Miss Lamour and other members of the cast ample opportunities to sing Hollywood's newest and most popular song hits, written especially for the film by such outstanding tunesmiths as Leo Robin, Sam Coslow, Hoagy Carmichael, Frank Loesser, Matty Malneck and Burton Lane. The five new numbers are "Kind a Lonesome," "I Go For That," "Blue Nightfall," "Junior" and "Let's Dream In The Moonlight."

"St. Louis Blues" boasts one of the year's most talented casts of supporting players. Tito Guizar, the charming young Mexican who won feminine hearts everywhere in "Tropic Holiday," plays a Mississippi planter in love with one of the showboat troupe, Mary "Punkin" Parker. Maxine Sullivan, the dusky songstress who has made swinging the classics a national pastime, renders her versions of "Loch Lomond" and the famous Russian folk song, "Dark Eyes."

PALACE THEATRE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, March 3 and 4

COME ONE - COME ALL... here comes that showboat loaded to the gunwales with Mississippi rhythm and romance! "St. Louis Blues" DOROTHY LAMOUR - LLOYD NOLAN

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SAN FRANCISCO.—Strolling down Bubbling Well Walk, you turn into Nanking Road via Eastward Passage and the Towers of the East, and soon you will find yourself at Temple Compound.

You won't be in China, either, though you may travel part of the way by rickshaw. You'll be at the Golden Gate International Exposition!

These are the names of some of the paths, walks, towers and enclosures on Treasure Island—names that breathe the glamour of the East.

The flavor of South America will be introduced by such names as Andes Walk, Inca Place, Darien Place and Pacific Promenade—the latter leading past the Lakes of the Nations.

And just so Exposition visitors won't forget they are still in California, there is California Avenue, Farallon Avenue, Sunset Bridge, Avenue of Olives, Avenue of Palms, and Western Way.

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Mr. T. J. Goss, Jr., of Colorado was the guest Wednesday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Allgedge, and family.—Sweetwater Reporter.

Mrs. Orville Cage visited here Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Inez Reynolds. She lives in Colorado.—Sweetwater Reporter.

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ROGERS RAMBLINGS SCHOOL NEWS

Did you miss something last Friday night by not being at our carnival? Well we are here to say that you certainly did. We had a good crowd, good cooperation and everything.

We think that our "chorus girls" or "ballet girls" (consisting of married men) are just about the best out.

We wish to thank each of you for everything you did in way of helping our carnival to be a success. We wish that you people who do any trading in Colorado would remember the following merchants and let them help you to be satisfied: Tucker's grocery, Tidwell's Auto Parts, Reliable Dry Goods store, Pritchett's grocery, Tiner's Beauty shoppe, Berry-

Fee, Pick and Pay grocery, Riordan's Hardware store, W. L. Doss Drug store, Thomas Dry Goods store, City Meat Market, Ben Franklin Variety store, Herrington's Saddle shop, Lion Auto store, Colorado Auto Supply, Safeway, Mrs. Mills, Max Berman Dept. Store, Oswalt Pharmacy.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to these merchants for each donation made by them and we feel that through this help our carnival was a success.

Miss LaVerne Carpenter and Bonnie Mundell spent Friday night in the home of Mrs. Cecil Byrd.

Mrs. Cecil Byrd and LaVerne Carpenter spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Byrd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Moore of Westbrook.

Miss Bonnie Mundell spent Sunday night with Mrs. C. S. Byrd.

How About 1939? Will you have 12 receipts for house rent at the end of the year and just help your landlord pay for the house you live in? Or will you take advantage of buying yourself a home without any cash payment whatsoever? Why not rent from yourself and have your home given to you. SEE J. J. BILLINGSLEY FOR FURTHER INFORMATION Business Phone 336—Residence 557

W.O.W. PLEASE READ Regular meeting 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 7th. You are urged to be present. Officers who have not been installed are especially urged to come. We want to discuss the election of a Camp physician in view of Dr. T. J. Ratliff deceased, and make plans for the drive for new members. ERNEST KEATHLEY, F. S.

HOME FROM RANCH Juanita Barton, who is secretary at the White Hat ranch in Nolan county, was home for the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Trixie Barton.

TELEVISION DISPLAY SIGNED FOR S. F. FAIR SAN FRANCISCO.—Television, that visual radio phenomenon which has been hardly more than an experiment so far as the public is concerned, will be shown in complete detail at the 1939 California World's Fair opening Feb. 18.

This was announced by David Sarnoff, president of the Radio Corporation of America, upon signing a contract calling for 15,000 square feet of floor space in the Palace of Electricity and Communications on Treasure Island.

"Our exhibit will provide the first West Coast showing of RCA experimental television," said M. P. Burns of Hollywood, West Coast manager of RCA photophone. "We also will show radio facsimile and other new developments in the field of ultra-short wave transmission and reception."

Various services of RCA, including radiomarine equipment manufacture, RCA communications and National Broadcasting company activities will be revealed. The automatic SOS alarm will be demonstrated along with the improved direction finder which is widely used at sea. Home radio receivers, too, will be shown.

The television feature will present several reception sets of three-dimensional animated pictures, made life-like by sound. Television transmission also will be shown.

NBC, in cooperation with the Exposition radio division, will feature scores of Treasure Island programs during the 288 days of the Fair. Don E. Gilman, vice president in charge of Western operations, and Lloyd Yoder, manager of NBC stations in San Francisco, will direct the radio activities.

Burns is in San Francisco to supervise construction and the placing of the exhibit.

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EDITORIAL

SALES TAX — TRANSACTION TAX MORE TAXES

Taxes seem to be the main subject at Austin. We give here matter on this subject as gleaned from a few of our exchanges:

ECONOMY

Judging from the numerous economy measures that have been introduced in the Texas Legislature, the abolishment of several offices, and the retrenchment under way in the Railroad Commission, taxpayers may find that their protests over the high cost of government are bearing fruit.

Governor O'Daniel said before his election that he was going to prune unnecessary expenses "like we do in business", and though the manner in which the job is being done can hardly be called business-like, after all it is results that count. He may count on us in any economy move. We know there is room for much pruning.—Howe Messenger.

OLD AGE PENSIONS

The matter of old age pensions looms as the most important legislation that should come before the Legislature. According to the campaign promises of a majority of the legislators old age pensions should receive precedence over all other needed legislation. According to the wishes of the masses of Texas voters in the 1938 elections old age pensions should receive first consideration.

We profess to be democratic. To abide by the wishes of the masses of the people as expressed in legal elections; and there is no reason to sidestep the meaning of the last year elections.

How will the State provide the money? I don't know; but we, as a mass, are democratic people, and by our ballots in 1938, promised to pay the old age pensions, and to get the required revenue from some source. Now it is up to the Legislature to crack down, and furnish the plan, and let the people foot the bill. You promised it. Now make good, or take back water and let the old folks do the best they can a while longer.—Oglesby Outlook.

"BEAUTIFUL TEXAS"

United Press has reported that a parody on "Beautiful Texas" is being circulated in Austin since Governor W. Lee O'Daniel proposed his transactions tax.

This parody is as follows:

"Oh, Beautiful, Beautiful Texas,
The cause of our misery and woe;
Our dear forefathers were lucky
To die in the Alamo."

The little bit of humor is rather funny, and we all too thoughtlessly make other derogatory remarks all the time. But our government does a lot for us; it gives us services which we could not otherwise get.

We agree that the transactions tax is not the proper medium for raising the money; but the fact still remains, despite all derogatory remarks, that the government must have money in huge sums to give us the services we demand. Whether we can get along without some services we demand is another question.—Corpus Christi Caller.

GOING PLACES INDUSTRIALLY

No doubt there is room for improvement, but Texas isn't doing so badly in the matter of industrial development.

According to the latest Federal census of manufacturers, Texas has advanced from 13th to 11th among the States in value of manufactures. Since the last previous report, our State has gone ahead of North Carolina and Missouri.

The current census, taken by the department of commerce, includes business records through 1937. It is not planned to take another one until the decennial general census in 1940.

By that time perhaps Texas will have still further improved its ranks if Governor O'Daniel's plans for industrial development materialize. Texas' industrial rank is still below its population rank, but the former should overtake the latter in a few years if the pace maintained through 1937 is continued. The commerce department report shows that Texas increased the value of its manufactures by 49 per cent while the Nation as a whole gained only 35 per cent.

Texas is going places industrially. The only thing likely to retard its progress would be the imposition of burdensome and discriminatory taxation, or too much State duplication of Federal regulatory laws.—Galveston News.

SELF-SUPPORTING PRISON

A penitentiary is, primarily, a penal institution, where a criminal offender is punished by being deprived of his liberty. Sometimes, protection is thereby afforded society. A third purpose is to reclaim or redeem the convict so that he will be a useful citizen when he regains his freedom. If every convict emerged from the penitentiary a good citizen, the sum of \$1,500,000 would be a cheap price to pay for maintaining the State prison system.

These are all major considerations to be weighed by the Governor and Legislature before they go too far on the road to prison industrialization. Practical business men, labor unions and others stand as sentinels of opposition on that road.

Moreover, in a time when additional millions are demanded from the taxpayer for old age pensions, economy must not be a catchword to impede essential governmental undertakings. One angle of prison inquiry, which the Governor did not mention, was to determine whether the State system does not need modernizing further in accordance with findings of science on the care and cure of the criminal element.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

NOT A MARTIAL LAW CASE

The Governor of Texas may invoke martial law to enforce laws passed by the Legislature, but not to suspend the operations of such laws.

That is the gist of an opinion Attorney General Mann gave O'Daniel at the latter's request. The Governor requested the opinion upon the solicitation of State Agriculture Commissioner McDonald and Rio Grande Valley legislators who wanted him to declare martial law to permit truckers hauling the Valley citrus crop to disregard the 7,000-pound load limit law. Governor O'Daniel did not indicate whether he intended to suspend the load limit law if the opinion were favorable.

Attorney General Mann quoted the constitutional provision that "no power of suspending the laws of this State shall be exercised except by the Legislature." The authors of the constitution were wise in thus guarding against executive usurpation of legislative power. It is obvious that executive power to suspend laws, under pretext of an emergency, could be used virtually to nullify representative government. Governors should be sparing in the use of martial law, even when their authority to invoke it is unquestionable.

If movement of the Valley fruit crop creates an emergency which justifies extraordinary measures, the Legislature can act with sufficient dispatch. The load limit law could be amended to exempt seasonal movements of perishable products, leaving discussion of

general amendment to a later date. Although several bills for general amendment are pending, the fact that the Legislature has not acted to give Valley fruit shippers immediate relief indicates that no emergency exists.—Galveston News.

PYRAMIDED SALES TAX

A paradox of the debate over the advisability of levying a transaction tax for raising revenue with which to pay old-age pensions is that some citizens who say they are strongly opposed to a sales tax urgently favor a transaction tax.

It is clear that those who take this position are not familiar with the transaction tax, or else have allowed themselves to be deluded into assuming that the various payers of the transaction tax will not pass the tax along until it ultimately is paid by the consumer.

The transaction tax, it is said, has a broad base. Everybody practically will have to pay the proposed 1.6 per cent tax on every transaction. That is true. It is also true that every time someone pays the transaction tax the price of the article sold will go up another 1.6 per cent.

An ordinary necessity of life may pass through half a dozen hands before it reaches the ultimate consumer. Every time the article changes hands the buyer will pay the tax, not the seller. Thus, a pyramided or multiple sales tax is achieved.

The last man, the consumer, who gets the article, can't pass it on, and he gets the hot end of the poker.

"We are unalterably opposed to a sales tax," say some of our Texas people, most of whom, it seems, are devotees of the Townsends theory, "but we want a transaction tax."

Well, to put it simply, which would you rather pay, a simple sales tax of perhaps two or three per cent, or a transaction tax that by the time it reached you has multiplied until it amounts to four, six or maybe eight per cent?

Always remember: "Jones, he pays the freight."—Houston Post.

I DON'T PAY ANY TAXES

"I've got no property; I don't pay any taxes."

The men who make that statement constitute the great army of uninformed who, on election day, decide the fate of the Nation. They listen to the promises of cheap political crooks and swallow the "Thirty-Dollars-Every-Thursday," or other clap-trap bait, placing the country in control of those who pile tax upon tax to further their own political fortunes.

If these same men were informed, if they realized that every tax must be passed on to the consumer, they, being consumers, would study each proposal to be voted on, and would consider past records, not promises, when the time came to choose men to make, administer and interpret our laws.

The time has come to impress upon the uninformed citizen the truth about taxes—any taxes.

No normal man will object to paying for running an established government, for relieving distress where actual need exists. The question of the hard-pressed professional politician, "What would you do, let them starve?" has a very hollow ring. No one in America ever has starved.

But the man who thinks he pays no taxes should be told that today political agencies, Federal, State and local, are spending or squandering 30 cents of every dollar of the Nation's income.—Kingsville Recorder.

POLITICAL EXPLANATIONS

Socialism, if you own two cows, you give one to your neighbor; communism, you give both cows to the government and the government gives you back some of the milk; Fascism, you keep the cows but give the milk to the government, which sells some of it back to you; new dealism, you shoot one cow, milk the other and then pour the milk down the sink; anti-new dealism, you sell both cows and hide the money (except what you have to spend for canned milk).

The teacher of the grammar class up at the high school asked one of the pupils to give her a sentence with the pronoun "I" as the subject of the sentence. One of the pupils started to give the sentence starting out by saying, "I is." The teacher stopped him and said, "Don't say 'I is' always say 'I am'." Alright said the pupil, "I am the ninth letter in the alphabet."

Whatever you are by nature keep it, never desert your line of talent. Be what nature intended you for, and you will succeed, be anything else, you will be a thousand times worse than nothing.—Sydney Smith.

If we have not peace within ourselves, it is in vain to seek it from outward sources.—Rochefoucauld.

Exra 7:18: And whatsoever shall seem good to thee, and to thy brethren, to do with the rest of the silver and gold, that do after the will of your God.

By doing good with his money, a man, as it were, stamps the image of God upon it, and makes it pass current for the merchandises of heaven.—J. Rutledge.

A boy here in Colorado asked his grandmother if she played football. No said the grandmother, why do you ask? The boy said he heard his daddy say he would be well fixed when you kicked off.

Psalms 19:1: The heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament sheweth his handiwork.

Nature is too thin a screen, the glory of the omnipresent God bursts through everywhere.—Emerson.

The church bell rings for the sinners as well as for the saints.

THE MULE

A few weeks ago writing about the town of Muleshoe we had something to say about the mule. This week Pastor A. W. Bain of Benjamin sends in the following:

A poor old mule by the wayside stood
Cropping the thorny bush for daily food,
Wandering if he once more
Would find water as he did the day before;
Anxiously he watched each passer-by
In hopes he might his master spy,
Coming to lead him back to food and stall
Where he could forget hunger and snow fall
His foolish mind could not understand
Why his master calmly gave the command
"Turn him out and let him roam
For he is no longer of service at home,
When young and strong he served me well
For how many years I can not tell
But now he is old and it's against my rule
To keep on caring for a useless mule."

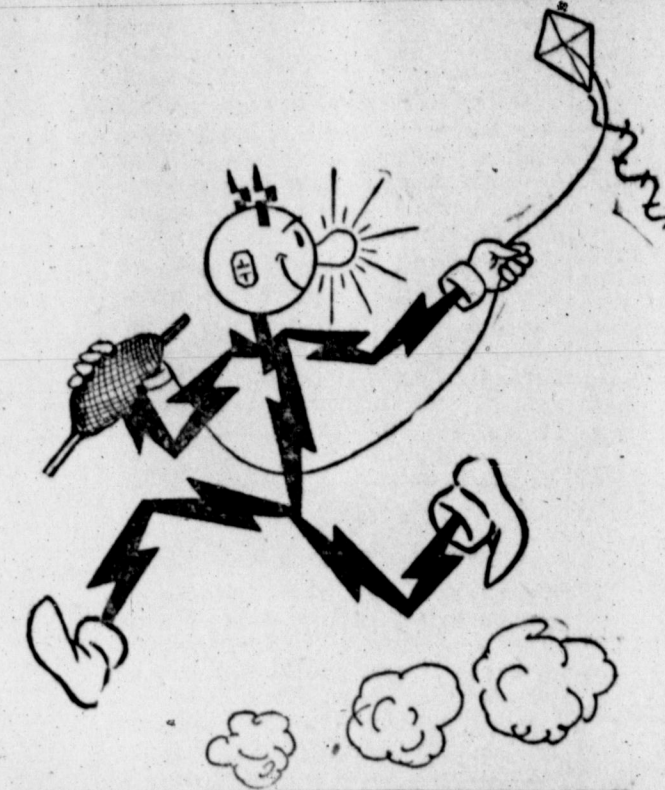
I pondered deeply as I watched this scene
Till memories woke my conscience keen
Then I knew that churches as a rule
Treat their pastors as this man did his mule.

As the Governor's understanding of the Bible and the Ten Commandments, the people of the world have had disputes over the Bible since the birth of Christ, and probably never will agree until He comes the second time, and it seems the Governor has as good right to his views as anyone else.

During Halloween night some one stole the gate from a Coloradoan which provoked this verse:

Hallow'en has come and went
And so has our back gate,
We can't but help to take of fence,
For suffering such a fate.

BOYS and GIRLS



YOUR FRIEND REDDY KILOWATT HAS A MESSAGE FOR YOU ABOUT FLYING KITES

"Now that kite flying time is here, I want to give you a few tips . . . and ask you to remember them.

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"I certainly don't want any of my little friends to be injured while playing."

Your friend,

Reddy Kilowatt

SHIRLEY KIKER IS HONOR ROLL STUDENT

ABILENE.—Shirley Kiker of Colorado is among the thirty-seven students who made the first semester honor roll at McMurry college.

The honor roll is composed of the upper ten per cent of the student body and reports are released four times during the school year. After averaging grades this semester, it was found that the average is higher than at mid-semester, therefore, students who attain this honor roll must have higher grades.

Miss Kiker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kiker, is a freshman speech student. She is a member of the Theatians, the Chanters, and the Wah Waitresses. Recently she was pledged to T. I. P., girls' social organization. In 1938 she graduated from Colorado High where she was in the choral club, pep squad, dramatics and an officer of her class.

TWO COLORADO GIRLS INVITED TO TSCW MEET

DENTON.—A special invitation has been extended to Misses Moncure Carter and Frances L. Elliott of Colorado to attend all sessions of the Writer's Conference being held at Texas State College for Women Feb. 27 through March 4. A limited number of students at the college who are interested in the technique of writing will take part in the meeting, which has been called "the outstanding literary event in the Southwest this spring."

Six famous Texas writers and one British novelist, Phyllis Bentley, will give lectures and readings on the campus each afternoon and evening. J. Frank Dobie, noted author and collector of southwestern folklore, began the series Monday. Following him successively will be John William Rogers, playwright and dramatic critic of the Dallas Times-Herald; Walter Prescott Webb, historian and University of Texas professor; Mrs. Grace Noll Crowell, poet-laureate of

Texas; Patrick D. Moreland of the Texas Institute of Letters; and Miss Bentley, author of the "A Modern Tragedy" and "Freedom, Farewell." John McGinnis, literary editor of the Dallas News book section, will speak at a dinner Thursday night honoring members of the Texas Institute of Letters.

Miss Carter, daughter of R. J. Carter of Odessa, is doing her major work in journalism. She is a fresh-

man student at the college. Miss Elliott, a sophomore student majoring in library science, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Elliott of Colorado.

RECENT GIFT

AUSTIN.—Recent gift of \$500 from Dallas masonry has boosted the York Rite Masonic Scholarship fund at The University of Texas to \$10,000. It was announced recently.

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EDITORIAL—COAT SLEEVES

Coat sleeves have so many uses! They may be used as ornaments; children have been known to use them as handkerchiefs; a support for ones feelings that they may easily be injured; a place for the attachment of a chip to defy any one to knock it off; or they may be used to serve the purpose for which they were aimed, to help keep one warm.

Why must we be such timid souls? Why do we have to be so easily offended? Is it to have a lack of social adjustment that we are so touchy?

BUFORD NEWS

Sixth and Seventh Grades. Sixth Grade Editor—Gladys Roberts, Seventh Grade—Dorris Marie Webb. Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kivkendall of Longfellow Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hooks and son of Buford and Mr. and Mrs. Oral Lucas and little daughter of Lorraine. Lottie and Wanda Harris, Virginia and Charles Smith, and Bobbie Rae and Winifred Derryberry spent Sunday with Wanda, Reginald, and Harley Bolding. Mrs. E. Blasingame and family and Mary Blanche Hooks spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Blasingame. Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Brookshire and sons of Lorraine and Mr. Frank Bassinger and Mr. Ben Baylor of Westbrook visited Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Prescott Sunday afternoon. Billie Louise Smith spent Saturday night with Betty Glover. Mr. and Mrs. Odie Walker of Big Spring visited Mr. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Walker Sunday afternoon. Miss Geraldine Walker returned home with them to spend the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Rogers and family attended a birthday dinner for her father, G. A. Hoover, in the Merle Hoover home at Colorado Sunday. Mr. Robert L. Moore of Abilene spent part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Prescott and family. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Feaster and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Hammond and family. Madrine and Doris Hammond, students in Hardin-Simmons, visited friends and relatives in Buford during the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Coles and daughter, Elsie Jane, and Miss Ruby Hines spent Saturday and Sunday in Abilene visiting Mrs. Coles' father, Mr. S. H. Hart. Mr. Hart underwent a major operation Friday. His condition has improved since he entered Hendrick Memorial hospital as a patient. Van Meador spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Cox.

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CHRISTMAS TIME There is a time of all the year That comes to make us glad and gay. The hour is drawing very near, Oh! happy, happy Christmas time.

We hear again the Christmas bells That send good cheer to all the earth. Bright holly wreaths, and music that swells— Bring peace on earth, good will to men.

We see the trinkets on the tree, And hear the noisy shouts so loud, That make our hearts so glad and free, Oh! happy, happy Christmas time.

THE CITY AT SUNRISE The prodigious steeples against the azure skies Seem to approach as we drift away, But the city still in slumbers lies As we welcome the coming new day.

The butcher is hurrying to open the door, While the roosters are greeting the morn, The faithful milkman drives past the door As the farmer is feeding the corn.

The newsboy walks along the street Calling the news of the day gone by, And the children all run out to greet Smith, Johnnie Clay, Trulock, O. E.

AGGIE LIVESTOCK TEAM WINS Thursday afternoon, livestock teams representing the three F. F. A. chapters in Mitchell County, Colorado, Lorraine and Westbrook, had a judging contest at the Frontier Round-up grounds where the Mitchell County Fat Stock show was in progress.

TRIP AROUND THE WORLD The Home Economics girls sponsored a trip around the world, Friday night. They visited five countries, United States, Holland, Mexico, Hawaii, and Japan.

CAMPUS CAMERA In the limelight this week was the Fat Stock show. The Aggies snazered through with Grand champs and class blue ribbons—the reward for hard work.

ADVENTURES IN READING There are certain authors for whom an audience is always waiting. One of these authors is Will James. He pleases his readers with the excitement he creates through his characters. So it would be expected that a welcome would be ready for Flint Spears, his new book. This book is somewhat different but it's some-

CARR NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Huffman and children of Westbrook visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Claxton and family Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Manning and daughters Mary Frances and Viana Lou, Mrs. O. B. Nichols and granddaughter, Jessie Lloyd Goodwin, of Knott visited the Paige, Steward, and Wagner homes over the week-end.

Nell Grace Hart of Conway spent Friday night with Melba Ruth Adams.

We had a large crowd, an interesting program and a good time at P-T-A. last Friday night. Mrs. Homer Gregory was responsible for a talk on desirable magazines and books for children, and she secured a guest speaker, Mr. James Herrington, to discuss the subject for us. Taft Morris was in charge of the effort been enough? Slime V. F. seems to want to play. Ann Ax-tell and her "unknown man". Well, well, well. Wonder who squired Slime Campbell around the World Tour, Chas. Nuckolls and Betty King got on board finally on the last lap. Better late than never unless it's a criminal offense. Pome of the week:

When you Started this You thought it Was a poem, By now You were mistaken. Isn't it funny How people will Continue to read Something even When they know They're being fooled.

HONOR ROLL FIRST SIX WEEKS SECOND SEMESTER SENIOR "A"

- Burgess, Marjorie 96 Campbell, Geneva 97 Chesney, Duff 97 Dockrey, Louise 95 Doss, Willie Grace 93 Elliott, Ruth 93 Feaster, Mildred 95 Jones, Barbara Lynn 95 Rogers, Paul 92 Smith, John J. 90 Smith, Johnnie Clay 91 Trulock, O. E. 92 Watson, Truman 95 Welch, Willard 92 Womack, Jack 95 Wallace, Marie 97

SENIOR "B"

- Beal, John 87 Bodine, Aileen 82 Cherry, Martha 85 Goodwin, Marion 86 Howell, Theda 87 Rogers, Corley 87 Shoemaker, Annie Louise 89 Virginia, Virginia 89 Williamson, J. T. 92

JUNIOR "A"

- Brown, Doris 91 Cook, Harvey 95 Dockrey, Lucille 94 Hicks, Harvey 92 Laster, Hazel 93 McQuerry, Bazelle 90 Montgomery, Doris 94 Moseley, Weyman 97 Price, Nancy 95 Simons, Suzanne 95 Simpson, Pauline 95 Walding, Jo 93 Watson, Freddie 92 Webber, Myrtle Pearl 91

JUNIOR "B"

- Bobby, Douglas 90 Brown, Aleene 88 Doss, Doris 87 Grant, Doris Mae 89 Hines, Elina 88 Machia, Jane 88 Porter, Earnest 90 Smith, Jack 90 Womack, Alice 91

SOPHOMORE "A"

- Berman, Phyllis 92 Britton, Marion 91 Cook, Betty 92 Grant, Tommy Ruth 92 Henderson, Clayton 96 Machia, Tom 93 Mannering, Lila 92 McQuerry, Ruth 96 Price, Mary 95 Rhode, Alfred 93 Venable, William 95

SOPHOMORE "B"

- DeGarmo, John 86 Lowe, Glenda 88 Low, Marjorie Dale 89 Morgan, Peggy 91

FRESHMAN "A"

- Berman, Harold 90 Brown, Thelma 91 Coffey, Bill 95 Dockrey, Mary Ethel 91 Gaylor, Lonella 94 Lee, Jan 94 London, Frank 90 Munn, Erlene 95 Nuckolls, Bruce 95 Porter, Craig 95 Pritchett, Ronald 98 Tandy, Jo Bill 91 Womack, Dorothy 95

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Robert Dolman has been substituting for E. C. Tunnell in carrying the mail on Route 3 out of Colorado since Tunnell became ill on Jan. 21 with rheumatism.

Alta Mae Claxton spent Friday night with Bertie Ruth Morris and the two girls visited Louise Howard Saturday. Imogene and Geraldine Eikenberg spent Sunday afternoon with Sybil and Alta Mae Claxton. The Morris family visited in the Morrow home Saturday night. Myrtle and Dewey Turner entertained a group of young people Saturday night with a weiner roast they sponsored at Dick Gregory's lake. Those attending were Velma Howell, Irene Barber, Hazel Barber, Nita Bess, Daniels, Valerie Milken, Joyce Rees, Melba Ruth Adams, Sybil Jo Claxton, Viola Turner, Myrtle Turner, Verlyn Milken, Merrell Adams, Buck Hightower, Clarence Lightfoot, Leroy Hightower, Ansel and Kenneth York, Louis Rees, J. T. Rannels, Walter, John, and Dewey Turner. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bearden and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hopper and children were visitors in the W. M. Turner home Sunday. Little Shirley Anne Rees is recovering from her recent attack of the flu.

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SHERROD SMITHS MOVE Mr. and Mrs. Sherrod Smith have moved into the Jim Joyce house east of the high school. The house was formerly occupied by the C. L. Joyces, who have been moved to Morrison camp near Westbrook.

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Well here we come again to thank all who went to church on last Sunday. We were so glad that we had so many with us for both services. I believe if our people knew just what it meant to him who has to stand before an audience and try to help them into the better way, and as he looks out to see a very small crowd, and a great number of empty seats, they would go to church every opportunity they have.

I would like to say that the preacher is not there from his own choosing altogether for if he is a gospel preacher he is there because one greater than he called him to this great task, and I will say that there is no greater calling comes to man than this. Now I want you to remember that he is there to help you and yours into a better way. He is there to warn you of the dangers that might be approaching. He is to fight sin, and to warn his own people that it is wrong for them to go the way of the world, for we are told to shun the very appearance of evil.

So when your preacher, whoever he might be, or whoever you might be, or wherever you might be, don't say hard things about him for he is only doing it to help you see the better way. He wants to help save you and your children, your friends, and to make your community a better place for them to live. Don't you see that the attitude you take toward him will mean that you are willing to help him or that you will in a large way block his way to do the good he might?

So come on now be good sports for the Master who has said, "Come unto me all ye that are weary, and I will give you rest." If you would be his disciple take up your crosses daily and follow Him. Your friend and pastor, R. B. WALDEN.

BAILEYS CHAPEL

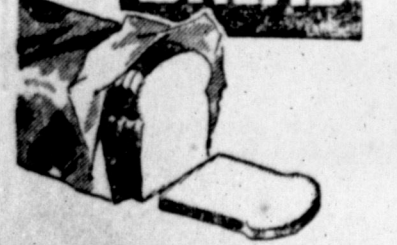
I will be with the people of that place on next Sunday if it is the Lord's will. This is to ask you and you and you to come be with us. I will preach there Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Please do not disappoint me by your non-presence, but come help us to preach the old gospel as I know you will. Your friend and pastor, R. B. WALDEN.

JOY CLASS

The Joy class will meet with Mrs. J. A. McNew March 7. Every member is urged to be present.

METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Methodist ladies met with Mrs. Ira D. Lauderdale Monday with four present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. B. Lovelace in a business meeting.



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PICKED UP ALONG THE NEWS PATH

Brownings at the fat stock show: Everybody talking about the niceness of the new exhibit barn—it is a "barn," properly speaking, in spite of H. B. Spence's insistence that it's a "hall." Harry Holt of the Abilene Reporter-News solved this little matter by calling it a "pavilion." Such nice weather—mild enough to have doors wide open, soft sunshine and a sky of little blocked and streamered clouds, no sand. The steers very contented looking and utterly without self-consciousness in their hay-padded places. Who and what—besides a Hereford steer could be nonchalant while getting a public bath and wave set? Among those present: Mrs. Herb Curry of Iran and her husband. As Dorothy Morrison she was Colorado FFA sweetheart last year, and therefore had a special interest in the stock show. Those pigs—funny how you can get steers and lambs to stand "on parade" with some show of dignity, but pigs just will be pigs, squealing and grunting and scuffling about. Lambs with quivery noses. Lay Powell opining: "I just don't see how they can make an April lamb grow that big." Incidentally, the "secretary" insisted on our guessing at the weight of those lambs and was kind enough to call our guess, which was "fairly wild," "pretty good." Later we confided to him that we wouldn't have guessed that those were "lambs," really, for we thought you could carry lambs in the crook of an arm. Mrs. Sam Majors, Mrs. H. B. Broadus, and Mrs. U. G. Hardison an interested after-the-club-meeting trio on Friday afternoon, Mrs. Majors lamenting that all those "pretty calves" have to be killed. Mrs. R. J. Wallace,

keeping company with Mrs. B. J. Baskin, wife of the county agent, and declaring fat stock shows to be "more fun!" Mamma and papa proudly pointing out "son's" calf. Frank Reeves, Sr., of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, unobtrusively taking notes, missing nothing, greeting old friends. Harry Holt of the Abilene Reporter-News had already been and gone when we got there, but there'd been picture-taking a-plenty while he and Reeves were both on the ground. P. K. Mackey, guiding hand of the show, conferring quietly here and there with first one and then another. County Agent Baskin, C. V. Cox of Westbrook, and F. C. Shillingburg of Colorado, each trailed by his "boys." Sam Wulfjen being just Sam Wulfjen—which means being, in our opinion, a pretty swell guy. He is said to have auctioned every club calf ever sold publicly in Mitchell county. Sober-faced boys helping to load their calves into trucks when the sale was over. Every calf was a pet—anybody could see that. We had a calf ourselves one time, a little yellow calf named "Tackhammer." "She" wasn't a steer, but she had to "go to market," just the same. We kept thinking about Tackhammer as those boys helped get their calves to the trucks which would roll them away to markets, far and near. Maybe we'd better change the subject right here, before this devolves into a sob story on the sad fate of the prize steers and champion hogs who had to go off and become just beef and pork, respectively. The sheep have at least got a chance—they can grow wool without becoming mutton.

The "official family" of Erath county must have been largely missing from Stephenville last Thursday and Friday, what with the county judge, the county tax assessor-collector, the county AAA administrator, and the county relief administrator all guests of Charley Thompson for the Mitchell County Fat Stock show. Thompson entertained the group in the comfortable, south-of-town ranch home which is his particular hobby these days. Bill Thompson, who lives on the ranch, and Harold Bennett helped Thompson arrange entertainment for the "stag" house-party Thursday night. The Stephenville group came with W. B. Thompson, brother of Bill and Charley, W. B. being Erath county relief administrator. An interested guest was C. M. Thompson, father of Charley, Bill, and W. B.

The Gladys Swope whose marriage you probably read about in Sunday's Dallas News is a cousin of Lea Swope of the Colorado High school faculty. Both are from Killen.

Gladys Swope visited Lea Swope here about four years ago and several Coloradans met her then. She taught in Dallas. Her husband is Jack Charles Cason of Dallas.

Sandstorm glimpses Monday: Willie Turner chasing his hat. John Prude ditto. Mrs. N. H. White out helping Mr. White chase news for The Challenge, her eyes hidden behind goggles and a handkerchief over her mouth, but still maintaining she "didn't mind it." Mrs. A. E. McClain in slacks with goggles over her eyes and a bandana snugly around her head—come to think of it, that's the only sensible garb for such a day. Farm folks going to the free tractor show at the Palace and not having to worry about what they might be accomplishing if they were home, because they couldn't be accomplishing anything. Papers and trash swirling in doorways. "And to think," remarked one of the office while staring out in the saggy, obscured street, "folks live here."

There are those who maintain that the Monday storm was the worst we've had in years. Whether that's right or not, we're willing to take it as a fair sample of what the worst might be like, aren't you?

We hear from usually reliable sources that Colorado will lose one of its prominent feminine residents within the next few months.

A wedding predicted in this column so long ago that you've probably forgotten about it—if you ever knew—is sure enough going to take place within the next two months. Unless, of course, we're getting the runaround again.

Oil-man-talk is that there may be some real development in this territory within the next few months if certain tests now underway turn out as well as they give promise of doing. And it is believed that this new development will be nearer Colorado than has been the case in the past few years.

J. E. Stowe, former Coloradoan who has been in real estate and rentals in Abilene, has been announced as a candidate for the Abilene city commission. Stowe served four years as county treasurer of Mitchell county and was in his second two-year term as city secretary-collector when he resigned to move to Abilene.

"Wanna see my operation?" That was the way J. Ralph Lee greeted all his friends when he got "loose" from the hospital last week after having been in there nearly six weeks for treatment of leg burns

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Valley View Visits

The P-T.A. meets Friday night and we hope everyone will attend. G. H. Hoover was given a surprise birthday dinner at the home of W. M. Hoover in Colorado Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Smith visited the G. H. Hoovers Sunday night. W. A. Dulin, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dulin were dinner guests of the Jim Nunn Sunday. Mrs. J. T. Davis is quite sick at this writing. We wish her a speedy recovery. Clista Hoover visited in Sweetwater Tuesday.

G. H. Hoover and Howard Ringer were in Big Spring Wednesday. W. M. Ringer is visiting his son Walter Ringer in Big Spring. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Newby had as their guests Sunday Mrs. Newby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seale of China Grove. Mr. and Mrs. Velmer Hamilton visited Mr. and Mrs. Preston Morrison of Ackerly Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pope visited Mrs. Pope's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Davin Sunday. The Malon Comptons visited Ted Lafaver and family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown visited in Ailene and Cisco Sunday. Mrs. Macon Allmond and children of Colorado visited Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hamilton Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dulin spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Oren Carpenter of Seven Wells. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hart, Mr. Fate Hart of Midland and Mrs. Kenneth Butler visited Mr. S. H. Hart in Abilene hospital Sunday. The last report from Mr. Hart is that he is doing nicely. The 4-H club girls had a pie supper at Valley View schoolhouse last Friday night. A large crowd attended

and they took in a nice sum of money. Mr. and Mrs. N. Z. Caswell and Max visited Wiley Walker Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Leonard Hallman has been on the sick list this week. Mrs. Walter Robertson and Leonard Hallman made a business trip to East Texas last week-end. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Heights and family visited relatives in South Texas last week. Helen Nunn and W. A. Dulin visited Mrs. Briggs Owen Sunday morning.

JAVA NATIVES IN CALIFORNIA FOR THE 1939 WORLD'S FAIR

SAN FRANCISCO—Seven brown-skinned craftsmen whose nimble fingers will demonstrate the native arts of Java to visitors of the Golden Gate International Exposition have arrived in San Francisco. They are the advance guard of 50 native craftsmen to be sent to the World's Fair by the government of the Netherlands East Indies. In the advance party are two "payong" or umbrella makers, two silversmiths, and two "batik" or printed cloth workers—all masters in their lines, according to Dr. H. A. van Coenen Torchiana, Netherlands Consul General who is chairman of the Exposition committee for his country. Before the eyes of Exposition visitors, they will perform every step of umbrella-making, batik weaving and silver work—just as it is done in their homeland. The seventh member of the party is a native fisherman who will have in his care a rare assortment of tropical fish. Another group of men and women dancers and musicians, from the enchanted island of Bali, will arrive in San Francisco early in February.

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