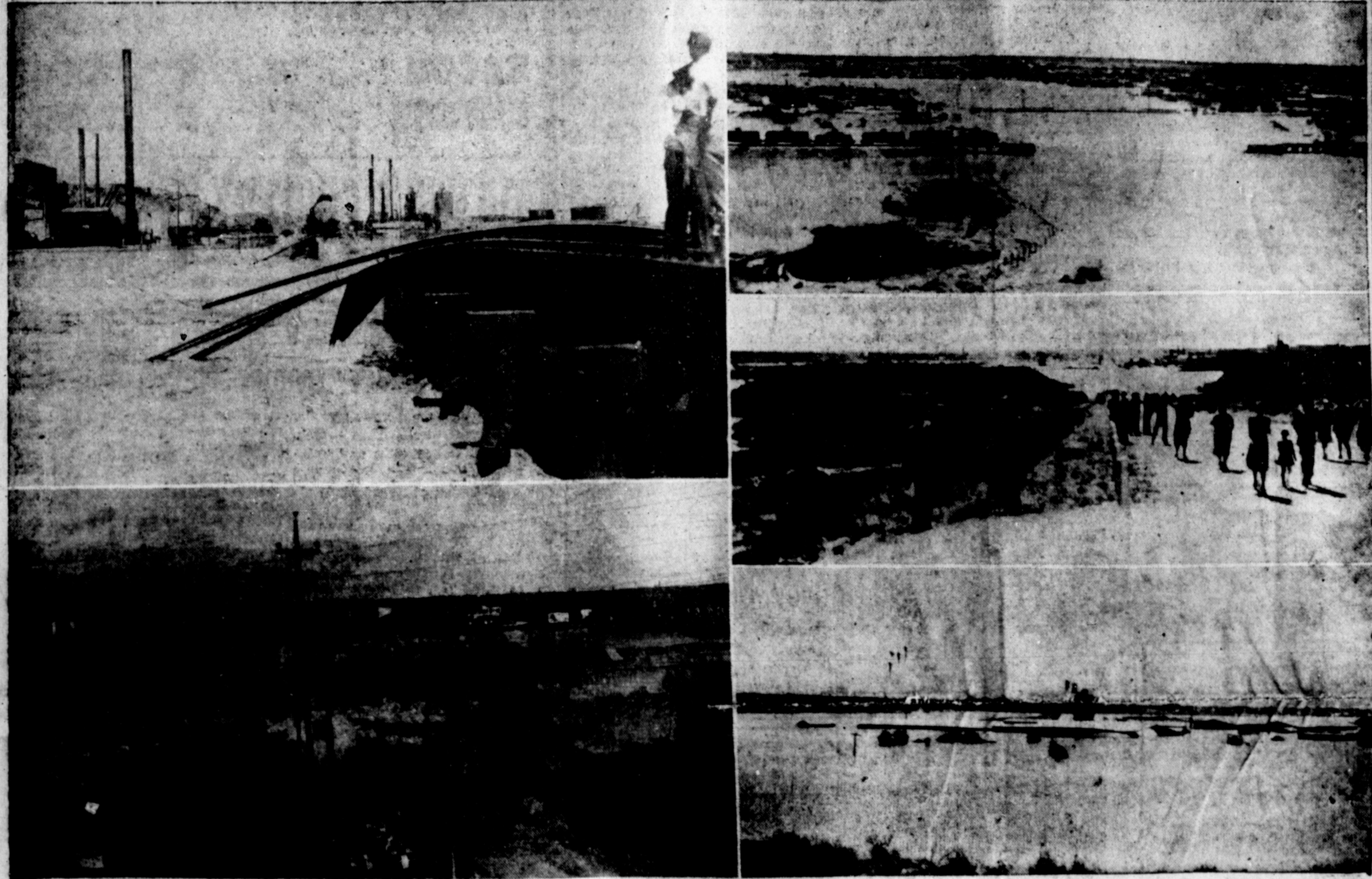


COLORADO RIVER GOES ON WORST RAMPAGE IN HISTORY

HERE'S HOW FLOOD LOOKED AT ITS CREST TUESDAY FLOOD WATERS LEAVE OVER \$400,000 WORTH OF DAMAGES IN WAKE; 300 ARE HOMELESS; BRIDGE AND TRESTLE GONE



As murky waters of the biggest flood ever known on the Colorado river at this point shrank back into the stream's normal channel Wednesday, Colorado City faced the task of repairing more than \$400,000 property damage and rehabilitating some 300 persons left homeless or near homeless by the torrent.

Work of meeting this task was underway on a dozen fronts less than 24 hours after the crest of the flood had passed.

Fed by virtual cloudbursts in upstream counties, the river claimed two large bridge structures within little more than an hour's time Tuesday morning.

The South Colorado City bridge, which also bears San Angelo-bound traffic along Highway 101, went down at shortly before 7 o'clock. At 8:20 the Texas & Pacific trestle in west Colorado toppled into the rushing waters. The steel span took with it seven full oil tank cars which had been run on to steady it. The westbound morning passenger train, arriving a few minutes after the trestle went out, was held up in Colorado City all day.

Hundreds of bales of cotton which were washed downstream from the compress in West Colorado City added to the force of the flood waters as they beat against the trestle and against the steel and concrete Highway One bridge a few hundred yards north of the trestle.

Destruction of the Highway One bridge was feared for a time as waters nearly went over it. Traffic was stopped from early Tuesday morning until 7:30 Tuesday night, when ebbing waters revealed the bridge to be undamaged.

The compress was virtually submerged for hours. Damage and loss there was roughly estimated at around \$50,000. No estimate on the number of bales carried downstream was ventured. Some of the warehouses were badly wrecked.

Water stood 12 feet deep over a portion of Highway One adjacent to the compress for several hours. The backing waters crumpled many adobe houses in the little Mexican settlement west of the Col-Tex refinery. Lone Wolf creek, which empties into the river in South Colorado City, went on a flash flood between midnight and dawn Tuesday from heavy rains in the Valley View and Long-fellow sections. Creek waters took out a small bridge at the country club and did other damage. They swept away flower beds and damaged trees in Ruddick park.

Waters from the swollen river backed into the creek during Tuesday morning, reaching a depth of several feet over the highway bridge. These waters rose into half a dozen business houses and filling stations near the creek on East second street.

Back waters from the river and the creek flooded approximately 60 homes, most of them belonging to negroes and Mexicans. Red Cross and relief surveys showed. Only a few of the houses were washed downstream, but all were badly damaged.

Several white families living along the river banks in West Colorado City were forced to abandon their homes in pre-dawn hours, taking with them what little household goods they could get together.

The river's rise was swift and unexpected. It rose steadily after midnight Monday. Some observers estimated the rise as fast as 15 feet in 30 minutes. Scores of persons were called to posts of duty during the night, but the flood was unsuspected by most Colorado Citizens until dawn revealed it.

Water mains to South Colorado City were washed out early Tuesday, leaving that portion of the town isolated and without city water supply. Telephone wires were down between the main part of town and both the western and southern parts for several hours. Connections between Colorado City and nearby towns were established only after considerable difficulty.

The city disposal plant was thrown out of commission early and damage there was so extensive that Mayor J. A. Sadler said Wednesday it would require 40 men some 15 days to get the plant into complete working order again.

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—Courtesy Abilene Reporter-News

CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL TO OPEN HERE ON SUNDAY

EVANGELIST IS TO BE L. C. BANKHEAD, NEW MINISTER OF LOCAL CHURCH

Announcement that a revival meeting is to open at the Church of Christ Sunday morning and continue through July 2 was made this week.

Preaching will be done by Evangelist Leonard C. Bankhead, who recently moved here from Goose Creek to assume his duties as minister of the local church.

Services will be conducted on Sundays at the usual times and each week-day evening at 8:30.

Subject for the Sunday morning sermon will be "Faith and Sight," and that for Sunday evening will be "The Three Tribunals."

Purpose of this meeting, according to Mr. Bankhead, is to edify the church and lead the lost to Christ. "In addition," he said this week, "I hope to get acquainted with many of our new neighbors in Colorado City and with members of the Church of Christ from all parts of the county. We cordially invite and urge the people to attend these services."

FIRST CLUB NIGHT TO BE OBSERVED AT PARK THIS FRIDAY

The first "club night" of this summer's series of chamber of commerce amateur hour programs at Ruddick park will be observed Friday night.

H. B. Spence, chamber of commerce manager, said this week that a full program of club numbers has been lined up.

One of the featured numbers will be presented by the Oran C. Hooker post, American Legion, under direction of Dr. Harry A. Logsdon, Spence said.

NEW MINISTER



Leonard C. Bankhead, formerly of Goose Creek, who recently moved here to become minister of the Church of Christ. Mr. Bankhead will preach for the Church of Christ revival meeting which opens Sunday.

SNYDER TO PRESENT AMATEUR PROGRAM ON NIGHT OF JUNE 30TH

Snyder talent will be presented on the Ruddick park chamber of commerce amateur hour program on Friday night, June 30, according to H. B. Spence, manager of the chamber of commerce.

Mrs. Elaine Lambert of Snyder will be in charge. This will be the first of the amateur nights to be devoted to neighboring towns this season.

FIRST SICKNESS IN FLOOD WAKE REPORTED

The first case of sickness in the wake of the Colorado river flood here was reported Thursday morning. Illness of a Mexican with diarrhea was attributed to flood conditions.

TASK OF CARING FOR FLOOD NEEDY IS WELL UNDERWAY

RELIEF AND RED CROSS WORKERS SETTING UP PLANS TO RE-HOUSE 300 HOMELESS

Even before flood waters of the Colorado river had begun to subside Tuesday, the task of caring for and rehabilitating some 300 persons rendered homeless or near homeless by the flood was taken up by local Red Cross officials and relief workers.

Emergency meetings were called on Tuesday afternoon and again on Wednesday morning.

Robert T. Bridges of Abilene, area chairman of Red Cross Disaster Relief, was on hand for both meetings, going from here to flood-stricken Snyder after one meeting and from here to the tornado areas around Lubbock after the other.

In the absence of Dr. W. B. May, Red Cross chairman for Mitchell county, C. Chesney, county Red Cross treasurer, was placed in charge of the Red Cross division of work.

Mrs. Bonnie Burt of the Mitchell county welfare and relief office was authorized to take charge of case work with Mrs. Boyd Dozier as her assistant.

Two other relief workers were sent in from outside by the Texas Relief commission to assist Mrs. Burt, these two being Mrs. Merritt of Coleman and Mrs. Margaret Marks of the district relief office in Abilene.

Dr. Harry A. Logsdon, city health officer and W. R. Charters, city sanitarian, are in charge of health work. Charters has also been appointed to check up on re-building needs.

Hoping to care for the situation without seeking donations from other towns, workers named Roy Davis Coles as chairman of a drive for local donations. Coles and his helpers started soliciting at noon Wednesday.

A survey made Tuesday afternoon by TASK OF CARING, Page 6.

DATE FOR PERMIAN BASIN CELEBRATION SUBJECT TO CHANGE

ALTERED PLANS MAY BE NECESSARY TO SECURE DESIRED SPEAKERS

Dates for the Permian basin celebration and organization meeting, originally set for July 14-15 in Colorado City, may be changed in the near future. It has been revealed, in order to make possible the presence of certain desired speakers.

The celebration is designed to mark the 19th birthday of the first successful well in the Permian basin. The well was completed in Mitchell county on July 16, 1920. Dates for the meeting here will not be far from the birthday date.

Judge J. C. Hunter of Abilene, president of the West Central Texas Gas and Oil association, is cooperating with Frank Kelley and other local oil men in making plans for the meeting and securing speakers of note.

'DARK VICTORY' SHOWN IN SPECIAL SCREENING

"Dark Victory," one of the most talked-of pictures of recent months, was shown in a special screening at the Palace theater Wednesday afternoon.

The picture stars Bette Davis and George Brent, and is said to be one of the most powerful stories to come out of Hollywood in some time.

SALE ON GOODYEAR TIRES TO BE HELD

Fifty per cent saving on Goodyear tires is to be offered during a sale now underway at Thomas Bros. on Third and Walnut street.

This sale marks the official opening of the new sales building into which the firm recently expanded on the south of its original location.

MIDNIGHT MATINEE FRIDAY AT PALACE FOR FLOOD BENEFIT

With all proceeds going to a benefit fund for those suffering loss in the Colorado river flood this week, a midnight matinee will be given at the Palace theater Friday beginning at 11:30, according to A. E. McClain, manager.

The show will be Beverly Roberts and Patric Knowles in "Expensive Husbands." Admission will be 10 and 25 cents.

PRODUCE HOUSE FIRE BIGGEST IN MONTHS

The biggest blaze which Colorado City has had in several months occurred at 1:30 a.m. Saturday when fire gutted a small building occupied by Jack Abbott's Colorado Produce house on West Second street.

Several chickens and around a dozen crates of eggs were destroyed in the fire, which was under considerable headway when discovered. It was extinguished quickly after the arrival of the fire truck.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Joe Mills Compliments Mrs. Mumpsy Wallace

Complimenting Mrs. W. J. (Mumpsy) Wallace, who has moved here from Monahan to live, Mrs. Joe B. Mills entertained with a six-table luncheon at her home Saturday.

Foursome tables were covered in white and appointed in crystal. Each was centered with a piece of colored pottery containing summer flowers.

Mrs. Bill Dorn made high score in games after the luncheon. Mrs. Johnnie Prude low. The deuces wild prize went to Mrs. Henry Vaught. The hostess presented Mrs. Wallace with silver.

Mrs. John A. Deffebach of Abilene was an out-of-town guest.

Two Parties Are Courtesies For Coleman Guests

Two parties arranged by Mildred Coleman, one on Saturday evening and the other on Monday evening, were courtesies for Dr. and Mrs. Reaves Coleman of Washington, D.C., guests of Mrs. F. C. Coleman and Mildred Coleman.

Dinner was served at the Colorado hotel preceding contract bridge at the Coleman home. Present on this occasion were Dr. and Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. R. H. Looney, Mr. and Mrs. Cub Wheeler of Midland, Dr. and Mrs. Harry A. Loesdon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsdell, Joe Earnest, Martha Earnest, Mrs. Lois Prude Bennett, and Miss Coleman. Mrs. Loesdon and Joe Earnest made high scores.

The Monday evening guests, who played auction bridge, were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smoot, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. R. Smith, Joe Y. Fraser, Thos. Dawes, Mrs. Cub Wheeler, Dr. and Mrs. Coleman, and Miss Coleman. R. D. Buchanan and Mrs. Wheeler made high scores.

Gifts were presented to Dr. and Mrs. Coleman on both occasions.

VISIT DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mills visited their daughter, Joan, at Camp Waldemar near Kerrville during the week-end.

Willie Lock, FSA Home Supervisor, Married In Snyder

From Scurry County Times

Marriage of Willie Lock of Colorado City, formerly of Snyder, and M. O. (Jack) Patrick, Scurry county farmer, was solemnized Monday (June 12) at high noon at the ranch home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lock of San Angelo. The Locks were celebrating their thirty-eighth wedding anniversary, also, Monday.

Rev. Lawrence Hays, pastor of the Parks Heights Baptist church, San Angelo, who was formerly pastor of the local church, read the double ring ceremony. Wedding guests included only members of the bride's family and a few close friends.

Bouquets of rainbow asters and feverfew formed the background for the service. Accordion music was by Mrs. Roy Clary of San Angelo. Attending the bride as maid of honor was her cousin, Marie Lock of Bangs, and Roy Butts of San Angelo was best man.

The bride's costume was of beige with accessories in beige and japonica, and her attendant wore dusty rose. Pegerian lilies formed shoulder corsages for both.

Formerly serving both Scurry and Mitchell counties as home management supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, Mrs. Patrick serves only Mitchell county now. She will continue working in the Colorado City office for a short time. Mr. Patrick is the son of Mrs. Mattie Patrick of Snyder.

Following a wedding trip to Houston, Galveston and San Antonio, the couple will be at home in Colorado City June 22.

Mrs. Mumpsy Wallace Introduced At Reception and Shares In Party Honors

To introduce Mrs. W. J. (Mumpsy) Wallace to their Colorado City friends and to honor her and Mr. Wallace, two affairs were arranged Thursday by Mrs. R. J. Wallace and Mrs. Don Wallace at the home of the former. One was a reception in the afternoon, the other a 14-table game party in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wallace recently moved to Colorado City from Monahan, where they had lived since their marriage on Feb. 22, Mrs. Wallace is the former Louise Atkinson, daughter of Mrs. J. B. Atkinson of Sterling City. Mr. Wallace is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wallace of Colorado City.

Summer flowers were arranged in the spacious rooms of the Wallace home for both occasions. There were baskets and vases of gladioluses, snapdragons, roses, marigolds, zinnias, peonies, lilies, flags, and other blossoms.

For the afternoon reception Susie Beal Snyder of Fort Worth was at the door. The line included Mrs. R. J. Wallace, Mrs. W. J. Wallace, Mrs. J. B. Atkinson of Sterling City, Mrs. Don Wallace and Mrs. L. E. Eddy of Big Spring, mother of Mrs. Don Wallace.

Mrs. E. L. Latham had charge of the program. She presented Mrs. Charles Mosser in a vocal solo, Nancy and Mary Price and Mary Elizabeth Pidgeon in piano numbers, and Betty Lee Eddy of Big Spring in a vocal solo.

Mrs. Joe B. Mills poured during the first hour, Mrs. Dick Carter during the second. Sparkling white punch was served from a cut crystal bowl which stood on a reflector in the center of the dining table. White Italian cutwork edged with deep filed covered the table. Mint-covered marshmallows in pastel pink and blue were adorned with tiny roses, while the white cake squares bore fall-blown pink roses. A crystal epergne with silver tapers and red roses stood on a reflector on the buffet.

Others in the houseparty were Mrs. Jack Cox, Mrs. J. L. Pidgeon, Mrs. Walter Whipkey, Mrs. Brady

Warren, Mrs. Johnnie Prude, Mrs. J. W. Randle, and Mrs. O. B. Price.

For this occasion the honoree wore a floor-length dress of pale blue chiffon with deep insertion of matching blue and a dusty pink sash. Her slippers and velvet hair bows matched the sash. She wore gold beads which were a wedding gift from Mr. Wallace.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. L. E. Eddy and Betty Lee Eddy of Big Spring, Mrs. J. B. Atkinson of Sterling City, Susie Beal Snyder and Baby Jo Davis of Fort Worth, Mrs. John A. Deffebach of Abilene, Mrs. Reaves Coleman of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Paul Teas and Sue Teas of San Antonio.

Both men and women were entertained at the game party in the evening, there being 12 tables of bridge and two of dominoes. Punch was served between games.

Farris Lipps won both high score and traveling prizes in bridge for men while Mrs. Bill Oswalt was high for women. Randolph McEntire was low for men, Mrs. W. R. Powell low for women. Herb Curry was high in dominoes.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Herb Curry, Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Bridgford, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fee, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph McEntire, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McSpadden, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mosser, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oswalt, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Shropshire, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vaught, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Grantland, Mr. and Mrs. John Shropshire, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nix, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Lipps, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cox, Alice Blanks, Mrs. Ben Smith, Mrs. W. R. Powell, Mrs. Jake Richardson, Loyse Price, Kack Price, Mrs. John Deffebach of Abilene, Mrs. Bill Dorn, Mrs. Dick Carter, Mrs. Johnnie Prude, Mrs. Brady Warren, June Cox, Susie Beal Snyder of Fort Worth, Dr. Oscar Rhode, Dr. Bill Rhode, Carl Shelton, John Morgan Hale, Bunkie Givrin, Ed Morrison, Marvin Jackson, P. J. Burrus, Steve Bodine, and Hubert Moore.

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Bologna	Pound	9c
STEW MEAT	2 Pounds	25c
HOT BARBECUE	Cooked Daily Pound	25c
VEAL AND PORK SAUSAGE	Pound	15c
SUGAR CURED BACON	Cello Wrap Pound	25c
FRESH, DELICIOUS SALAMI	Pound	20c

VEGETABLES AND FRUITS

CORN	2	Ears for	5c
TOMATOES	1	Pound	7 1/2c
GREEN BEANS	2	Pounds	9c
NEW POTATOES	1	Pound	2 1/2c
LEMONS	1	Dozen	19c
LIMES	1	Large Size Each	1c
BANANAS	1	Perfect Golden Fruit Pound	5c
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Dan Martin and Sidney Thomas Are Honored At Monday Night Reception

As a pre-nuptial honor for their niece, Sidney Thomas of Dallas and Colorado City, who became the bride of Dan Martin of Dallas on Wednesday morning, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ethridge received at their home from 7:30 until 10 o'clock Monday evening.

The line included Chester Thomas, father of the bride-elect; Miss Thomas, Dan Martin, Mrs. Bob King, Mrs. Ethel Greenwood Jones and Mrs. Olive Greenwood Preston of Texarkana.

Registrations were in charge of Hettie Adele Hutchinson. In the dining room were Mary Frances Majors, Mabel Majors, Mrs. Johnnie Prude, Mary Elizabeth Pidgeon, and Verna Campbell.

Punch and cookies were served from crystal and silver service on a table covered with a crocheted cloth and centered with novelty bridal groups on a rectangular mirror. Roses were arranged on the buffet, and summer flowers were used elsewhere in the house.

Gifts which had been received by the young couple were displayed in an adjoining room.

During the evening piano numbers were played by Mrs. E. L. Latham, Nancy Price, Mary Price, and Mary Elizabeth Pidgeon. Sara Guitart and Weldon Hunt played violin numbers, accompanied by Harvretta Landers.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding of Dan Martin of Dallas and Sidney Thomas of Dallas and Colorado City on Wednesday were entertained, together with members of the wedding party, at a dinner given by the bride's father, Chester Thomas, at the Colorado hotel Tuesday evening.

Places were marked for Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ethridge, Dan Martin, Sidney Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Bob King, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Latham, Mrs. Lucille Wilkins, Skeet Harkins, H. G. Counts of Burnett, Mrs. Lasco Preston and Mrs. W. W. Jones of Texarkana, and the host.

OES Members To School In Big Spring Friday

Twelve Eastern Stars of Colorado City attended a school of instruction held for section eight of district two in Big Spring Friday.

Registered from the local chapter were Mrs. John Colson, worthy matron; Mrs. John T. Howell, Mrs. Luther Hamrick, Mrs. W. W. Porter, Mrs. M. L. Kirschbaum, Mrs. A. B. Erwin, Mrs. Jim White, Mrs. Dick Gregory, Mrs. Geo. Rinear, Mrs. L. E. Gressett, Mrs. L. B. Elliott, and Mrs. Arlie Taylor.

Mrs. Hamrick served on the examining committee, Mrs. Howell on the invitation committee, and Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Kirschbaum on the registration committee. Mrs. Taylor was Martha, Mrs. Howell acted as treasurer.

All worthy matrons and junior matrons were guests of the Big Spring chapter for a luncheon at the Settles hotel. A banquet featuring a western program was held at the Settles in the evening. Mrs. Gregory and Mrs. White stayed over for the banquet, Mary Jo Gregory being presented on the banquet program in a cowboy number. Inez Rogers was her accompanist.

Eleven took the examination, eight receiving B's and three getting A's.

Martin-Thomas Wedding Party Is Entertained

Women of First Baptist church studied work among the young people when they met in missionary session Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Bruce Hart led the devotional on "The Supreme Responsibility of Parents and Church." Mrs. T. A. Patterson, young people's leader, brought a program on the missionary education of young people.

The women discussed plans for summer camps and house parties to be held for young people of the district early in July.

Waco Visitor Named Honoree

Honoring Juanita Roe of Waco, who left last Friday after a visit with Jimmie Jenkins, a dinner was arranged by Miss Jenkins at the Broadway last Thursday night.

Places were laid for Mary Venable, Erdine Morgan, Mildred Whitaker, Elizabeth Grantland, Miss Roe, and Miss Jenkins.

IN KELLEY HOME

Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Gesell of Salem, Indiana, are vacation guests in the home of Mrs. Gesell's brother, Frank Kelley.

Ceremony Wednesday Morning United Miss Sidney Thomas and Dan Martin

Before an altar of greenery and white candles in First Baptist church, Sidney Thomas of Dallas and Colorado City became the bride of Dan Martin of Dallas at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The single ring ceremony was said by Rev. T. A. Patterson, pastor of First Baptist church.

Mrs. Lucille Wilkins sang the pre-nuptial solo, "I Love You Truly," accompanied by Mrs. E. L. Latham, who also gave the wedding music.

The bridal party came in from entrances back of the altar. Skeet Harkins and Bunkie Givrin, ushers, entered together.

Mrs. Robert King, wearing a jacket dress of chartreuse crepe with matching gloves, white hat and white shoes, was the first of the bride's attendants to enter. Her corsage was of pink stock. Mary Ruth Martin of Fort Worth, sister of the bridegroom, entered next. She wore a dusty pink crepe dress with matching gloves, white hat, shoes, and purse. Her corsage featured blue flowers.

The bride entered with her father. Her dress of powder blue crepe featured a bodice of all-over embroidered organdy, puffed sleeves, and a flared skirt. Her hat, shoes, and purse were

in white, her gloves in pink. Her corsage was of pink stock and lilies of the valley.

Mr. Martin entered with his best man, H. C. Counts of Burnett.

After the ceremony the wedding cake was cut at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. J. C. Ethridge, and served with coffee. Mrs. Ethridge poured. Mrs. Oscar Price and Nancy Price assisted in the dining room.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin left immediately afterward for a wedding trip. They will be at home in Dallas where Mr. Martin is employed by the Federal Reserve bank. He is the son of Mrs. M. W. Martin of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Martin is the daughter of Chester Thomas of Colorado City and the niece of Mrs. J. C. Ethridge, by whom she was reared. She attended business college in Dallas after graduation from Colorado High school, and has been employed for the past three years in Dallas.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding were Mrs. M. W. Martin and Mary Ruth Martin of Fort Worth; Mrs. Z. F. Sneed of Bridgeport; H. G. Counts of Burnett; L. E. Black of Fort Worth; Mrs. Lasco Preston and Mrs. W. W. Jones of Texarkana; Mrs. Ed Dupree of Mount Vernon, maternal grandmother of the bride.

Party Compliments Mrs. Deffebach Of Abilene Tuesday

Complimenting Mrs. John A. Deffebach of Abilene, Alice Blanks entertained four tables of bridge Tuesday afternoon.

A profusion of sweet peas and other spring flowers were used in the playing rooms. Limeade was served during the games.

Mrs. A. L. McSpadden made high score, Mrs. Ben Smith second high. A guest gift was presented to Mrs. Deffebach.

Sweet peas centered the Colorado hotel table where a fruit plate was served after the games to the following: Mesdames Deffebach, W. R. Powell, Farris Lipps, Cub Wheeler of Midland, Bun Pritchett, Don Wallace, A. L. McSpadden, Ben Smith, Bill Oswalt, Lois Prude Bennett, Jimmie Beal of Fort Worth, Ford Merritt, Raymond Gary, H. L. Lockhart, and Emmett Grantland; Loyse Price.

Bridgettes Meet With Mrs. Smith

Hostess to the Bridgettes last Thursday was Mrs. Ben Smith, who entertained at the Colorado hotel.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Lawrence Coulter of Waxahachie, Mrs. Cub Wheeler of Midland, and Mrs. James Beal of Fort Worth.

High score prize went to Mrs. Joe Bowlin, second high to Mrs. Wheeler.

UDC Meeting At Mrs. Merritt's

Final meeting of the UDC, until September was held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. G. Merritt.

Present officers were re-elected by acclamation during a business session in charge of Mrs. C. C. Thompson. Mrs. Merritt led the lesson, which opened with naming of men buried on the battlefields of Alabama and Mississippi.

Mrs. Arlie Martin read Mrs. Hubert Smith's paper on "The First White House of the Confederacy." Mrs. Jack Smith read the story of J. E. B. Stuart.

The hostess served punch and cake. Tea guests were Mrs. Bryan Lawliss of Abilene and Mrs. Jake Merritt.

JAMES LUPTONS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. James Lupton of Midland visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Lacey and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lupton, during the week-end.

IN BURNS HOME

Walter Lewright, Jr., son of Mrs. Dorothy Lewright of Houston, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Burns.

SERIOUSLY ILL

Reports are that Mrs. H. P. Austin, the former Fern Thompson of Colorado City, is in a serious condition in a Lubbock hospital following major surgery on Monday.

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FLOOD LIGHTS

And so we had a flood! Our Colorado river got tired of being forgotten and made itself effectively remembered this week by going on the wildest rampage in Colorado City's history. . . . Old-timers brand as a "fairy story" those tales about the river getting so high one time that it cut right across the business section of town, but Tuesday's rise proved that such a thing could happen, just as easy. . . .

Business came to a standstill Tuesday morning, practically speaking, and breakfast dishes went unwashed while mothers, fathers, children, grandmothers and everybody went to "watch the river." . . . Those who managed to be on hand when the south bridge went out and when the railroad trestle crashed were the envied of the hour. . . . So many, like John Shropshire, watched the bridge for hours, then went home for breakfast and returned to find it gone. . . . The crashing of the trestle had more of an audience. . . . Hundreds watched for hours while the torrent and jamming bales of cotton from the compress threatened the west bridge. . . .

Us folks are funny brags. . . . Not a one of us could help but know the cost, and the inventory which the destruction of the bridge and trestle would mean, but if they had to go, not a one of us wanted to miss it!

It was "field day" for camera fans. . . . Douglas Bibby. . . . Geo. Black. . . . Wiley Holmes. . . . Mary Elizabeth Pidgeon. . . . Ed Morrison. . . . And many others. . . . Some were tourists, and there was a scattering of movie cameras. . . .

Some grand shots of the flood were taken by Ed Newsom of the local studio. . . . He and his brother Fred did a record-breaking job so that some of the pictures could catch the noon mail out of Colorado City. . . . State papers were clamoring for them. . . . But the mails were so uncertain that, even after all the local working and rushing about, some of the pictures failed to get where they were going at the right time. . . .

After it became apparent that the flood was of "big news" proportions, Associated Press sent a plane out to circle about and take aerial shots of the spreading waters. . . . Definitely, Colorado City was "in the news".

But the excitement couldn't make anyone forget for long that the flood had its truly tragic side, too. . . . The waters spelled disaster to those places of business within their reach. . . . They spelled heartbreak and the threat of hunger to those whose homes were totally or partially covered. . . . They spelled danger to those who had work to do—men who made perilous efforts to dislodge cotton bales from the weakening

railroad trestle, men who tried to save that cotton at the compress warehouse, men who were responsible for keeping the curious or hurrying public away from the danger areas. . . .

Nights must always fall, and as Tuesday night approached the welfare-minded citizens of Colorado City were confronted with the task of providing food and shelter for hundreds of negroes and Mexicans and a number of white persons. . . . Even tho they were fed and sheltered, it's safe to bet that the more exciting aspects of the flood didn't register very deeply on the minds of those who had to lie down to sleep Tuesday night and think of muddy waters swirling darkly through their homes.

An out-of-towner was the first person to make a voluntary cash contribution to local Red Cross work Tuesday morning. . . . He was W. A. Nettle of Fredericksburg, representative of the Great American Life Insurance company who has been registered for several days at the Colorado hotel. . . . Nettle had already provided breakfast for a number of Mexicans and other flood losers when he proffered the first \$5 on the rehabilitation list. . . .

Wonder how those railroad workers felt in the middle of their stomachs when they watched the railroad trestle tumble into the angry river with its burden of oil cars? . . . Just about two minutes before the crash they had been out there on those cars, prodding at the jamming cotton bales in a last futile effort to save the structure. . . .

As hundreds of Colorado Citizens rushed excitedly about trying to see the sights at the west bridge Tuesday morning, the tragic side of the flood was portrayed in a quiet little group who stood at the water edge north of the bridge. . . . There were a mother, a father, and some children, including a babe-in-arms. . . . Around them were stacks of household goods, hastily taken from their frame home, which was a few feet out in the river with several feet of water in it. . . . As the water rose, the little family moved back, always seeming to stay just as near their flooded home as they could. . . .

Those who saw the trestle fall described it as being something like a slow-motion movie, and surprisingly quiet. . . . Just one warning crack, then silence, and another, and finally the slow fall, spilling the tank cars one by one. . . . The last car rode the rails into the water. . . .

Rise of the river was swift and steady, not in surges as such rises usually are, according to John Shurtleff of the disposal plant. . . . Shurtleff estimated Tuesday that the river rose some 15 feet in 30 minutes in the pre-dawn hours of Tuesday morning.

Sisters Seeing World From Novel Car



"The Story of Transportation" might be the title of this group of pictures, showing the Misses Constance and Ferone Arntzenius, of The Hague, Holland, and some of the scenes they have photographed in the course of a 21,000-mile tour of the United States and Central America during the past year. Traveling in an American make of car equipped with a special body of their own design, the sisters have taken motion pictures and "stills" in virtually every state of the Union. The roof of their car can be rolled back to afford a view of the scenery, and the roomy rear accommodates the two sets of "chairs" for travelers sleep. Upper left photo shows the car negotiating a dry river bed in Mexico, and the other small views depict various contrasting transportation modes encountered en route. This is the sisters' fifth trip across the Atlantic, and they plan to remain another year.

He was a busy man during that time, managing to get out all the motors but one before water got into the plant. . . .

Even the most hardened of our cloud-scoffing friends say that the Monday night cloud which brought the up-river rains to supply our flood was "terrible." . . . We've been ribbed so much about our cloud-watching tendencies that we deliberately didn't look out the window Monday night—and look what we missed!

Among the folks who won't soon forget this flood is E. S. McCord, superintendent of the compress which supplied all those cotton bales which went floating down the river Tuesday morning. . . . McCord was called out of bed before dawn when the river's rise assumed threatening proportions, and he and his men were still working frantically hours later. . . . The report got about town that he was on top of a boiler at one time, surrounded by flood waters, and it seemed for a time as if we might have a jim-dandy rescue story out of the incident. . . . It developed, however, that he could have gotten away any time. . . . He was just waiting for a boat to bring in two of his workers who'd gotten into a tighter place than he was in. . . .

Rumors of additional rises, varying all the way from six feet to ten feet, due on the already flooded river kept Colorado Citizens suspended between apprehension and excitement all day Tuesday. . . . Old-timers vowed it would take the Borden county flood 24 hours to get here, and that would have made things pretty bad late Tuesday afternoon. . . . But all the time we weren't very scared because we were reared on that river and every time there was a big rise, we remember, there were rumors of bigger rises still to come. . . . To the best of our memory, none of them ever got here. . . . Nobody ever knew what became of them, any more than anybody knows what became of the big flood due here from Borden county Tuesday evening. . . .

The flood took toll of the E. S. McCord car. . . . McCord parked it in what he thought was a safe place when he went to work at the compress that morning. . . . The next time he thought to look the river

was lapping at the top of the car and had soon covered it. . . .

The river may have set a record for high rises here, but down in the Rendenbrook pastures the rise of 1921 was much higher, according to O. F. Jones, ranch manager. . . .

HERE AND THERE: Motor boating was a popular mode of transportation Tuesday afternoon west of town where the river spread out over the highway. . . . Getting something to eat downtown became almost an every-fellow-for-himself affair Tuesday and Wednesday, with all the stranded tourists and train-travelers about. . . . The Ben Smiths practically held "open house" up on the fifth floor of the hotel, what with all the company they were having because of the grand view of the river. . . . Lee Ray Boldridge of Lorraine reported seeing two little kittens riding a box downstream, and then transferring to a more substantial house-top. . . . But we fear that even a house-top didn't postpone the inevitable for long. . . . Pete Ainsworth of the Spade ranch was the first south-of-the-river fellow we saw in town after the bridge went out, and for a time he almost had us believing a tall tale about having "swum" in. . . . The frog-chorus was in full glory Tuesday night as the waters slowly receded. . . .

By-product of the flood is Mrs. E. C. Tunnell's broken arm, which she sustained in a fall while going down near the river Tuesday. . . .

Collapse of the adobe houses in west Mexican town was just a matter of the walls moving out and letting the roofs shift for themselves. . . . Some of them were pretty little homes. . . . In the wreckage of one a flower box

filled with blooming plants was still doing its cheerful best Wednesday morning after the waters had sunk away. . . .

Down at the river Tuesday morning were folks in every kind of array and disarray. . . . That was the earliest rising a lot of folks have done in many, many moons. . . . Unmade beds were the order of the morning—we ought to know, because we left ours that way. . . .

HERE AND THERE: A Mexican occupying one of Oscar Price's adobe houses came to Price after the flood and said, "Mr. Price, it just melted down." . . . Harry Ratliff, who owns what used to be the Conner Murphy farm at the bend of the river below the compress, maintains that he has already "harvested" 20 bales of cotton on his place this year, meaning that this many bales floated downstream from the compress and lodged on his land. . . . One Mexican family fleeing the flood had apparently rescued nothing except a large picture of the Virgin Mary. . . .

Somehow it struck us as funny to drive up to that jump-off where the south bridge washed out and see this sign: "Please detour." It looks to us like you'll detour, or else. . . .

Rumors elsewhere over the state had Colorado City in an even more terrible shape than she was, which is the usual way of rumors. . . . According to some reports, the population was huddled on all the highest hills, awaiting the worst. . . . A Midland newspaper phoned over Tuesday afternoon to check up on the truth of a report that water was running 12 feet over the west bridge. . . .

WRITE-UP OF ROOT-WEAVER NUPTIALS APPEARS IN NEWSPAPER AT CLEBURNE

(From Cleburne Paper)
 Miss Maxie Lee Weaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Weaver of 408 West Chambers Street, became the bride of Mr. Charles L. Root of Colorado City, in a quiet ceremony Sunday at two o'clock in the afternoon at her parent's home, with Dr. H. E. Steele reading the ring marriage service.
 Only immediate relatives and a few close friends were present for before an altar arranged before a

prelude of nuptial music, and the Lohengrin Wedding March for the entrance of the couple. During the ceremony he played "I Love You Truly" softly.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was lovely in her street-length frock of white embossed chiffon and wide-brimmed rough straw white hat. Her accessories were white and she wore a corsage of pink and white gladiolus blossoms with a shower of bridal ribbon.

Immediately following the ceremony an informal reception was held with the bride cutting the wedding cake. The table was laid with lace over the polished wood and centered with the three-tiered white cake on a crystal cake stand. The cake was decorated with a pair of pink love birds and pastel colored flowers of spun sugar, and topped with a miniature bride and groom standing under a white wedding arch from which was suspended a silver wedding bell. White china bowls on the table held rainbow asters and daisies. The cake was served by Miss Grace Windham, and Mrs. Hamil Carter served punch from a lace-laid table. They were assisted by Miss Dorothy Webb and Mrs. Ralph Myers. Refreshment plates were covered with

lace doilies and napkins were marked with the names "Maxie Lee and Charles."

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Root will be at home in Colorado City. Mrs. Root traveled in a navy and white printed silk jacket dress. The dress had a yoke and collar of white embroidered organdy and the matching jacket had quilted collar and cuffs. She wore a white felt hat and her accessories were white. Her flowers were a corsage of gladioli.
 The bride graduated from Cleburne High school, and from the Harris Memorial Hospital School of Nursing. For the past few months she has been a member of the staff of the C. L. Root Memorial Hospital at Colorado as obstetrical nurse and anesthetist.
 Mr. Root, the son of the late Dr. C. L. Root, and Mrs. Root of Colorado, graduated from the Colorado High school and the University of Texas. He is superintendent and manager of the C. L. Root Hospital in Colorado City.

VISITS LUPTONS

Mrs. Merl Morgan of Sweetwater spent the latter part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lupton.

JULY 1st COL-TEX DAY

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THE FOLLOWING COL-TEX STATIONS

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ANTI-THEFT BODY PAYS ITS SECOND LIVESTOCK AWARD

PAYMENT IS MADE AFTER CONVICTION OF TWO BIG SPRING MEN; MACKAY IS NEW PRESIDENT.

Payment of its second reward for livestock theft convictions was recently authorized by the Mitchell County Anti-Theft Livestock and Poultry association.

The reward was ordered paid to Sheriff Dick Gregory and others who were instrumental in the arrest and conviction of two Big Spring men on charges of stealing Mitchell county calves.

Standing rewards are maintained by the association for convictions on livestock or poultry theft. Rewards are divided among persons giving information leading to the arrests and officers accomplishing the arrests. Payment is made after conviction. The cattle reward is \$250.

The association paid a reward for hog theft conviction several months ago. An effort is being made to enlist all livestock and poultry owners in the county in the organization. Meetings are held approximately each 90 days.

P. K. Mackay was recently elected president to succeed D. H. Snyder, Sr., who has served since the association was organized. U. D. Wulfjen is the new vice-president. F. L. Terry has been re-elected secretary. New directors are Earl Hammond, A. B. Erwin, Clay Smith, U. D. Wulfjen, and E. Barber.

MRS. BOWEN INJURED

Mrs. J. L. Bowen fell and sustained a fractured pelvis while attempting to open her garage doors Wednesday morning. She received treatment and X-rays in C. L. Root Memorial hospital, and was conveyed in a Kiker & Son ambulance to Dallas Wednesday afternoon for treatment by a bone specialist.

CLASSIFIED

FOR SALE—

FOR SALE—Sell typewriter or trade for auto or electric radio. Box 1125. 1tp

"WE have stored near Colorado City Grand piano, also one Spinnet console, would sell for the balance against them rather than ship." Write Jackson Finance Company, 1101 E. 11th, Dallas, Texas. 6-30-p.

MAIZE HEADS OR BUNDLES Always in the market day or night. Sell your feed to your Home Mill. O. Lambeth & Son, Phone 511. 1tc

FOR RENT—

FOR RENT—3-room furnished apartment, private bath, electric refrigerator, all utilities paid, 723 Locust street. Mrs. J. I. Payne. 1tp

FOR RENT—Two room furnished apartment. Mrs. Sallie Dozier, 722 Oak St. 1tp

FOR RENT—Duplex, 3 rooms and bath. Apply to Mrs. M. E. Lindley, corner 6th and Locust. 1tp

TO RENT—Apartments, large and small, furnished and unfurnished, \$2 to \$5 a week. All gas heated and utilities paid. 50 beds at 25c to \$1 a night. \$1.25 to \$3 a week. Alamo Hotel. Ernest Keathley, owner. Phone 140-W. 6-30-p

WANTED—

HELP WANTED—Middle-aged housekeeper. See Mrs. Q. D. Hall, 605 Walnut St. 1tc

MAN WANTED—For Rawleigh route of 800 families in Scurry, Nolan counties, Sweetwater, Colorado. Sales way up this year. Write today. Rawleigh's Dept., TXP-148-SAR, Memphis, Tenn., or see Thos. A. Rankin, Lorraine, Texas. 6-23p.

POSTED—

All fishing and trespassing permits on the Spade Ranch are hereby cancelled. All offenders will be prosecuted. E. P. ELLWOOD

POSTED NOTICE Notice is hereby given of the posting of my ranch located Northwest of Westbrook in Mitchell county, Texas, and the Handley Ranch located Northwest of Colorado, in Mitchell county, Texas; against hunting, wood hauling and trespassing of all kinds—no dove hunting or fishing allowed. EARL MORRISON.

LOST—

LOST OR STRAYED—White smooth-haired fox terrier. Male. Short black tail. Black and brown head markings. Reward. Johnnie Prude at Palace theater. 1tc

COLORADO CITY SPONSOR



Mrs. Shorty Northcutt of the Renderbrook ranch, shown on the Palomino horse which she will ride as Colorado City's sponsor at the Big Spring rodeo this week-end and at the Texas Cowboy reunion in Stamford on July 3-5.

WATER-HAULING DAYS RETURN TO COLORADO CITY'S SOUTH SIDE

TRUCK BEARING CITY WATER WAS STARTED TUESDAY

Water-hauling days such as the old-timers like to tell about when they recall Colorado City's infancy returned to at least a portion of the town this week after floodwaters of the Colorado river had destroyed the city water main leading to South Colorado City.

To supply South Colorado Citizens with safe water for drinking, a 300-gallon tank was mounted on a truck and driven by detour around the washed-out river bridge to Colorado City Wednesday afternoon.

For all the world like Colorado City housewives of 60 years or so ago, South Colorado City housewives get their buckets, tubs, or other containers and draw their water supply when Bill Chadwick, the truck driver, knocks on their doors. One difference is now the water is free. In olden days it was from 50 cents to \$1 per barrel.

This plan was devised by Mayor J. A. Sadler and other city officials to make sure that residents of the waterless area shall not drink water from old cisterns or other possibly contaminated sources and thereby run the risk of illness.

Laying of a new main across the river is to begin as soon as the river has gone down sufficiently. Mayor Sadler said Wednesday. About 580 feet of pipe will be required.

MEETING OF LOONEY AGRICULTURE BODY SET MONDAY NIGHT

Moves to get rural electrification for Mitchell county and a cheese plant for Loraine will be discussed at a meeting of the Looney agriculture association on Monday night.

An entertainment program will be presented under direction of Mrs. J. H. Carlock, Trudo Webb, and B. D. Smith.

MISCELLANEOUS—

OPPORTUNITY TO GO INTO BUSINESS FOR YOURSELF

Western Auto Associate Store Western Auto Supply Company, largest and most successful in its line, 30 years in business, had a sales volume of 36 million dollars in 1938. We are now offering you an opportunity to own and operate a Western Auto Associate Store, home owned, in towns of 1,500 to 20,000. There are over 1000 such stores in operation. You can become the owner and operator of a "Western Auto Associate Store" for as little as \$2,750 in the smaller towns, which pays for merchandise and fixtures and everything necessary to start business. We train you in our successful merchandising methods. Western Auto Supply Co. Associate Store Division 3216 Main St. Dallas, Texas 7-14-c

TOP PRICES PAID FOR HOGS

Friday and Saturday Lee Billingsley LAMESA, TEXAS Phone 155

FIREBOYS TOO MAD FOR TALKING AFTER TWO FALSE ALARMS

After being called out in Sunday's sweltering heat to make two false alarm runs within less than thirty minutes, Colorado City's volunteer firemen were too mad this week to do much talking, but the general impression was that considerable undercover investigation was going on.

Insult was heaped onto injury by the false alarmers when they sent the truck speeding to the same address in downtown Colorado City on both calls. The speeding in response to the second call was somewhat half-hearted, but the truck conscientiously made the run.

BIG SPRING TRIPPERS HERE ON WEDNESDAY TO ADVERTISE RODEO

Advertising the Big Spring rodeo which will open Friday and continue through Sunday, a caravan of 12 Big Spring cars stopped in Colorado City at 4:30 Wednesday afternoon and presented a program.

Musical numbers were given by the Melody Maids and the Center Point Serenaders. H. B. Spence, manager of the Colorado City chamber of commerce, made Colorado City's welcome talk.

J. E. Greene, Big Spring chamber of commerce manager, formerly manager of the Colorado City chamber, was with the caravan.

FORTY MEN AT WORK TO REPAIR DAMAGE AT DISPOSAL PLANT

Forty men are at work on the city disposal plant which was put out of commission by the river flood Tuesday, according to Mayor J. A. Sadler.

It will take this crew at least 15 days to get the plant into working order, the mayor said.

"As the public to bear with us in the matter of odor until we can get this task finished," Mayor Sadler said. "We're taking care of disposal in the most sanitary ways possible under the circumstances and we'll have the plant functioning again as soon as is humanly possible."

SONG FEST FEATURES LIONS CLUB PROGRAM

An old-time song fest featured the program of the Lions club Friday at the Colorado hotel.

Thos. Dawes led the singing, with Mrs. James Payne as accompanist. Earl Cyper was presented in a hobo number, "Thumbing My Way Back Home." He was dressed in character.

Guests introduced were J. V. Watson, Dr. Reaves Coleman of Washington, D.C.; Leonard Bankhead, new minister of the Church of Christ; Marvin Campbell of Buford; Cecil Byrd of Westbrook; Mrs. Jimmy Payne; T. F. Wylie of San Antonio.

HOTEL CAFE ENTRANCE REMODELED, IMPROVED

Entrance to the Colorado hotel cafe has been remodeled recently as the first step in a series of improvements planned for the establishment. A modern communication system between the kitchen and various parts of the dining room was recently installed. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Curry are managers of the cafe.

This AMAZING AMERICA

GINGERBREAD CASTLE
HANSEL AND GRETEL'S FAIRYBOOK CASTLE ACTUALLY EXISTS IN HAMBURG, NEW JERSEY. BUT YOU CAN'T EAT SANDSTONE "GINGERBREAD" AND SLATE "GINGO!"

LAKE IN A VOLCANO
CRATER LAKE, IN OREGON, LIES IN THE CRATER OF A VOLCANO THAT COLLAPSED CENTURIES AGO. SIX MILES LONG AND FOUR MILES WIDE WITH NO KNOWN INLET OR OUTLET.

FROM HIGHWAYS TO WATERWAYS
GREYHOUND TAKES TO THE WATER—AUGMENTING ITS HUGE EXPOSITION BUSES WITH A FLEET OF SIGHTSEEING BOATS AT THE NEW YORK WORLD'S FAIR!

DONORS TO FLOOD FUND ARE LISTED

Individuals and firms contributing to the Red Cross fund for flood sufferers up to Thursday morning, when only about half of the business district had been solicited, are listed below:

- W. A. Nettle, Great American Life, San Antonio; Robb & Rowley Theaters, Community Natural Gas Company, Howard Rogers, Oswald Drug, J. A. Sadler, Joe Williams, Dick Gregory, Herbert Gunn, Roy Dozier, G. D. Foster, Will Rogers, Bob Fee, H. E. Allmond, Johnny Walker, Dudley Lee, D. S. Boddin, Williams Cafe, Tucker's Grocery, C. L. Wilson, Pantheon Bunkie, Jr., Bert Fry, Just-a-Bite Cafe, Scott's Sheet Metal Works, Hicks Rubber Co., E. P. Edgerton, Jim White, J. F. Merritt, J. Lee Jones, Kiker & Son, Joe Y. Fraser, Lottie Fritchell, W. S. Wimberley, W. E. Smith, W. P. Helos, Jack Sanders, James Herrington, Pond & Merritt, Alfred Cupp, George Blair, Johnnie's Beauty Shop, T. B. Russell, Jewel Barlett, Gus Chesney, M. L. Kirschbaum, O. C. Cox John A. Thompson, Snyder Motor Co., Jeff Curry, J. Riordan & Co., J. P. Majors, Philip Berman, Ben Franklin Store, Kelly Treadaway, Dr. W. B. May, Safeway Store, Joe Earnest, Mrs. C. H. Earnest, Cephas Tidwell, Bill Moerer, Lee Phenix, Help-Ur-Self Laundry, Pete Guerrero, Mrs. Tiner's Beauty Shop, J. Ralph Lee, V. J. Richardson, Farris Lipps, Rex Gilbreath, E. B. Wilbanks, E. C. Scarborough, Grady Beach, R. C. Johnson, C. A. Lange, Hugh Sellier, John Adams, Joe McEwep, J. L. Eckleberry, Ira Williamson, Neal Priehard, Wm. Brookover, Lee Lavender, A. C. Benson.

Roy Davis Coles is chairman of the cash contribution committee. Gus Chesney will also receive contributions. Clothing, bedding, household goods and food should be turned over to Mrs. Bonnie Burt at the Red Cross office.

COLORADO CITIANS TAKE OFF HONORS AT HORSE SHOW

Several honors at the second annual horse show at the Diamond M ranch southwest of Snyder on Sunday were carried off by local owners of registered American saddle horses.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelley took all three places in two-year-old colts shown to halter. Kelley's Astril Marilla took first place, his Lady Diana second place, and Mrs. Kelley's Gypsy Queen third place. Bob May showed Astril Marilla in the two-year-old model class and took first place.

Among those attending the show from here were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Terry and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Billingsley, Mr. and Mrs. Bob May, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Powell, and others. Attendance ran over 600, and approximately \$30,000 worth of horses, representing some of the best stables in Texas, were shown.

RETURN TO LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Dunbar have returned to their home in Lubbock after a visit of several weeks in the home of Mrs. John L. Doss.

APPROPRIATION FOR HIGHWAY UNDERPASS GETS FEDERAL O. K.

Approval of a \$75,000 appropriation for construction of a Highway 101 underpass in Colorado City was announced last week by the Federal Bureau of Public Roads, according to information received by Judge A. F. King.

The next move, according to Judge King, is for the state highway department to submit satisfactory plans and specifications.

The long-sought underpass is planned to go under the T. & P. railroad east of the present South Colorado City crossing at the south end of Chestnut street.

OFFERS OF FLOOD AID COME FROM ALL POINTS

Offers of aid for Colorado City during and after the Colorado river flood Tuesday were forthcoming from many points over the state.

The Big Spring Red Cross chapter sent a motor boat and two men over Tuesday afternoon. The Fort Worth Star-Telegram sent Frank Reeves, special correspondent, out Wednesday afternoon with offers of assistance.

W. L. Pier, president of the Fort Worth chamber of commerce, sent a telegram to Dr. W. S. Rhode, president of the Colorado City chamber, extending sympathy and offering help.

Offers of aid also came from Abilene, Midland, Sweetwater, and other points.

STAR-TELEGRAM SENDS OFFERS OF ASSISTANCE

Frank Reeves, Sr., roaming staff correspondent of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, and Mrs. Reeves drove into town Wednesday afternoon to bring offers of assistance from the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. Reeves was dispatched to Colorado City by James R. Record, managing editor of the Star-Telegram. He was instructed to see if Colorado City needed anything the newspaper might supply.

After spending Wednesday night here, Mr. and Mrs. Reeves continued to Midland and other points west, planning to swing back by the Big Spring rodeo this week-end.

PRICE GIRLS TO ENROLL AT CAMP

Nancy and Mary Price, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Price, are to enroll at Camp Carizzo near Ruidoso, New Mexico, early next week. The camp will last two months. Both girls are to be members of the camp orchestra. Mr. and Mrs. Price and Bobby are taking them to camp Sunday.

GOING TO FAIR

Shell Merrell, daughter of Mrs. Mattie Merrell of Colorado City, is due home the latter part of July from a trip to the New York World's fair with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nippold of Atlanta, Ga. Miss Merrell teaches in San Antonio.

COMPARE OUR EVERYDAY PRICES WITH OTHER WEEK-END SPECIALS

SUGAR 10 POUNDS 25c

WITH PURCHASE OF 10 POUNDS ONIONS

STEAK, Fore quarter, Home Killed, 2 pounds . 25c
BACON, Decker's 100 percent sugar cured, 2 lbs. 35c
LOIN STEAK or ROAST, pound 23c
SEVEN STEAK or ROAST, pound 15c
PORK SAUSAGE, country style, pound . . . 20c
MIXED SAUSAGE, beef and pork only, pound . 15c
BACON, Decker's First Grade, none better, lb. . 30c
HAM, cured, sliced, pound 25c

WEEK-END SPECIALS

BRISKET ROAST, 2 pounds 25c
PEAS, Early June, No. 4 size, 11 oz. can . . 6c
CORN FLAKES, Fresh and Crisp, 3 boxes . . 25c
SALAD DRESSING, Best Maid, quart 25c—pint 15c
PICKLES, Full Quart, Dill or Sour, quart . . 10c
SAUERKRAUT, No. 2 1/2 Size, 3 cans 25c
PEAS, Blackeyes, fresh garden picked, 2 lbs. . 15c
MELONS, cold, red and sweet, pound . . . 2 1/2c
DUKE'S TOBACCO, 7 sacks 25c
SYRUP, Pure Ribbon Cane, gallon 49c

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ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL
Services at Episcopal church Sunday night at 8:00. Rev. H. H. Black will conduct evening prayer.

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HOT WEATHER CEREALS

POST TOASTIES, BRAN AND GRAPE NUT FLAKES 10c
WHEATIES, SHREDDED RALSTON, RAISIN BRAN 2 for 25c

COFFEE

Chase and Sanborn 1 lb. Vacuum packed 29c
1 lb. Dated package 24c

TEA

Tender Leaf 1/4 pound 17c—1/2 pound 33c
No Premium

Peanut Butter

qt. 25c 1/2 gal. 45c

CRACKERS

2 lb. box 15c

Salad Mustard

FRENCH'S 9 oz. 14c
RING CROSS Quarts 15c

Marshmallows

Cellophane Bag pound 13c

New Potatoes

Red or White 10 lbs. 20c

ONIONS

Wagon and 3 lbs. 10c

PICKLES

Sour or Dill qts. 13c

WEINERS . . . lb. 18c

Steak, T-Bone or Loin lb. 25c

Smoked Sausage Country Style lb. 18c

J. T. PRITCHETT GROCERY

Phone 177 Free Delivery

SHORTENING	Bird Brand 4 lb. ctn.	35c
PEACHES	Del Monte Sliced or Halves No. 2 1/2 Can	17c
Grapefruit Juice	No. 2 Can each	05c
CANDY	3 bars	10c
PEAS	Pure Maid Tall Can	05c
PICKLES	Sour or Dill Quarts	15c
POST TOASTIES	Package	.10
PORK AND BEANS	No. 1 can	05c
LIME RICKEY, WHITE SODA, GINGER ALE	24 oz. Bottles—2 For	25c

MEAT Specials

WEINERS	lb.	16c
Oleomargarine	Parkay pound	17c
SNACK—Morrell	12 oz. can	29c
PICKLES	Bulk Sour 2 for	05c

TURNER'S FOOD STORE

CORNER HICKORY AND SECOND STREETS
OPEN TILL 10 O'CLOCK J. C. TURNER

FERMENTED GREEN FEED MAKES GOOD ENSILAGE

The stacking of green bundle feed in outdoor stacks and allowing it to ferment to make ensilage has been tried out by the Blackland Experiment Station at Temple, Texas, and has been found to be a successful and cheap way to make ensilage.

The feed is cut and hauled in the green bundles direct from the field and is stacked close to a supply of water. The bundles are laid close and carefully by hand, after which the binds are cut and the feed is pressed down to exclude all air pockets. Between the loads, water is pumped onto the feed in the process of stacking for the purpose of giving weight so that the green feed will settle rapidly. Water also serves to start early fermentation. In green and succulent feed only a barrel or two of water is required for each ton of green feed; however, if the feed is dry and fired, due to drought conditions, more water is required to start fermentation and to give proper settling. In stacking the feed, the bundles are placed with the butts out and in consecutive layers. The walls must be kept even and straight and the top must be level at all times during the process of construction.

The stack should be not less than 20 feet wide and 8 feet high and as long as necessary to accommodate the crop harvested. These dimensions are given for the completed stack; however, after several months of settling, the stack will probably be no more than 6 feet high. In order to reduce loss from spoilage, it has been found desirable to place a layer of dirt from 6 to 10 inches thick over the entire top of the stack. With a height of only 8 feet, the dirt is easily shoveled onto the stack from a wagon. A layer of straw placed on the stack and wet down with water before the dirt is placed will prevent the sifting of dirt down through the feed. After settling, the dirt does not give any trouble when removed during the process of feeding.

The stack silo has its place on the farm where trench or above-ground silos are not available or practical. They can be used where soil conditions will not permit the construction of trench silos on account of seepy, stony, and rocky soils, or on account of loose sand, which has a tendency to cave. Another advantage is that ensilage can be removed from the stack silo much more conveniently than from the trench or above-ground silos. All that is necessary to remove ensilage from the stack is a good sharp ax or a hay knife. The ensilage is cut off in layers or blocks

so that only a portion of the surface is fed daily. A 6-inch layer fed from the surface of the stack daily will prevent spoilage.

Very little additional labor is needed for the construction of this kind of silo except that involved in supplying the water. The stack silo is a cheap way of storing succulent feeds for consumption on the farm during winter months and through drought periods. Such a silo requires no additional cost for materials, and the only implements needed for this method of storing feed are a row binder, a shovel, and an ax or hay knife, together with a good supply of water to put on the feed during the stack process. After the stack silo is fed up, the land which it occupies can be used for other purposes and the location of the stack silo does not become unsightly.

The quality of feed is equal to that in the trench or above-ground silos, and feed stored in this manner is readily eaten by all classes of livestock. The Station has fed this kind of ensilage to mules, dairy cows, hogs, beef cattle, and sheep with equal success. The color of the ensilage from the stack silo is considerably darker than that from the trench or above-ground silo, and it varies from a dark brown tobacco color to almost black. The palatability of the black ensilage seems to be as good as that of the brown ensilage, and all of it is readily eaten by all classes of livestock.

The spoilage in the stack silo consists of practically 18 inches on the butts of the outer layer of bundles. This spoilage is on each side of the silo and across each end. In one case where no dirt was used in covering the finished silo, there was a spoiled layer of fully 8 to 10 inches on the top; however, where an 8 to 10 inch layer of dirt was placed on top of the stack, there was practically no loss of ensilage under the dirt.

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LORAINNE NEWS

MRS. H. P. DAY, Editor

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

JUNE BRIDE HONORED

Mrs. Willard Groom, nee Maxine Land was guest for an elaborate miscellaneous shower given in the home of Mrs. John Mahon Wednesday afternoon from 4 until 6 with Wrenna Martin and Loyce Beaty as assistant hostesses.

In the receiving line were Mrs. K. L. Taylor, Mrs. Bill Martin, Mrs. Bruce Johnson, Misses Doris Glass, Wrenna Martin, Lonice Land, Maxine Land, Loyce Beaty, Ruby Jo Marshall, Loeta Martin, Melba Mahon and Blossom Lee Green, who were all attired in evening dresses. Mrs. K. L. Taylor played during the registration of the bride's book.

Punch was served to over 80 guests in the dining room.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Sipes of Kermit are spending this week with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylin Hardin.

Miss Pauline, Vonnle Cill and Hester Faulkenberry spent the week-end in Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowers of Vernon spent the week-end in Loraine visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Neel and family.

Mrs. C. E. Elliott returned home from Detroit, Texas, where she was called to the bedside of her sick mother a few weeks ago. Mrs. Elliott reports her mother recovering.

Miss Gypsy Ted McCollum is visiting the H. C. Spikes family in Benjamin, Texas. She plans to be away for two weeks.

Mrs. R. Q. Spence and two children of Roscoe spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Paris Yarborough.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Worth Bruce a son in the Roscoe hospital Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gunn and Mr. and Mrs. Chancill Gunn and daughter spent Monday in Midland.

Mrs. Ruby Robertson of Stanton returned to her home after several days visiting in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall.

Mrs. W. D. Jones and daughters Florene and Marcella of Royalty, Texas, are visiting her mother, Mrs. D. E. Morrison.

Calvin Manning of Albuquerque, New Mexico, is visiting his grandmother Mrs. J. E. Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rowland of Tahoka accompanied by Miss Vivian Cowell was in Loraine Monday night.

Most of the people of Loraine went to Colorado City Tuesday to view the damage of the flood.

B. C. Day, father of H. P. Day, is on the sick list. He is visiting in Loraine and Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bennett were Sunday dinner guests in the C. P. Gary home of Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson and C. C. Thompson of Colorado City were Sunday dinner guests in the Floyd Griffin home.

Miss Ruth Johnson spent the week-end in Denton visiting her sister, Miss Bessie Nell Johnson.

Mrs. Ada Pierce spent Sunday with her son, I. J. Pierce and family, of Colorado City.

Mrs. L. J. Taylor of Colorado City spent Tuesday visiting in Loraine.

Miss Annie Jarrett spent the week-end in the Gathe home at Roscoe.

Rev. and Mrs. Godfrey returned home from Houston Friday where she has been visiting her daughter for sometime.

LUCILLE REAGAN CIRCLE MEETS

The Lucille Reagan circle met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Godfrey with seven present. The meeting was called to order after the song "Blessed Be The Tie" was sung. New business was attended then the circle presented Mrs. Godfrey with a new quilt that the circle had pieced and quilted. The quilt was presented as a love gift. The circle cut out napkins, dresser scarfs, and dish cloths to be embroidered before the next meeting to be sent to the Southwestern Home at Abilene.

The scripture was read by Mrs. Hazel Pratt. The theme was "Serving the Lord With Joy and Gladness." Mrs. Pratt was elected as new benevolent chairman and has charge of the canned stuff that each member donates for the Mexican Mission conference to be held in July.

The meeting next Tuesday will be in the home of Mrs. Paige. We were dismissed by prayer.

LOCALS

Mrs. S. E. Brown is vacationing with her son Fred in Mineral Wells this week.

Garland and Sam Faulkenberry, Marion Rhodes, Charles Glass, and Burton Sown were Gruber visitors Sunday, returning Sunday night.

Freeman Cope of Annahans, California, is visiting his brother Russell Cope and family.

Miss Francis Rhodes is spending the week with her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Black of Sweetwater this week.

Mrs. Norman Autry and sons, Leon and Weldon Wayne of Snyder, were Sunday afternoon visitors in the T. J. Green home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Glass and family spent Sunday in Midland visiting with relatives.

WHEW! A MILLIONTH INCH IS ALL U. T. MIRROR ERRS

AUSTIN.—From a huge block of pyrex—near-pure glass—has come the "eye" for the world's second largest astronomical telescope, the 82-inch mirror for McDonald Observatory at Mount Locke, in the Davis Mountains.

On December 31, 1933, began the exacting process that has produced this two and one-half ton reflector which will permit University of Texas-University of Chicago astronomers to see a wider range of the universe than any other telescope has ever made possible.

Cast in the Corning Glass Works furnaces, at Corning, N. Y., the block, with a hole in its center, was then shipped to the Warner and Swasey Company plant in Cleveland, Ohio.

There optical experts ground it with carborundum, starting with grains one-sixteenth of an inch in diameter. For forty weeks the grain size was progressively reduced to a fine grit of 220 grains to the square inch. Then came two and one-half weeks of emery work.

Finally the disc was "rouged," or polished with chemically pure oxide

of iron, or rust.

When the desired curvature was attained, varying less than one-millionth of an inch from absolute perfection, the mirror was blasted with an atomic bombardment of aluminum—which possesses a higher degree of reflecting power than the traditional silver.

Finally, after five years and almost two months in the furnace and the polishing laboratory, the saucer-like disc, 82-inches in diameter, one foot in thickness, was ready for installation in the giant telescope at McDonald Observatory.

One hundred thousand times more powerful than the naked eye, this mirror permits the astronomer to concentrate in one spot an enormous quantity of star light. So powerful is it that a star 2,400,000,000,000,000,000 miles from the earth may be photographed by its aid.

McDonald Observatory, jointly operated by the Universities of Texas and Chicago, was dedicated May 4 and 5, in the presence of leading astronomers and other scientists of the world.

BIG CAMPUS, HANDCUFFED CASH U. T. EDUCATION'S PUZZLER

AUSTIN.—With the dedication of its great observatory marking a major bid for international recognition as a center for research in all the sciences, The University of Texas today stands as the nation's number one educational paradox.

The paradox? It has money it can't use. It has a reputation for possessing fabulous wealth from oil; yet it is able to spend less per student than nearly every state university in the nation.

Today, the physical plant in Austin is valued at \$27,000,000—a 46-building campus replacing a cluster of wooden "shacks" of less than two decades ago. It was built through that same oil money (for that's all state law would permit the money to be used for).

University fathers found themselves with a student enrollment booming at a rate of 1,000 students per year, with a depression market in which building materials could be bought cheaply. They built the 46-building campus. And to do it, they

will also tell you they had to mortgage the income from their oil lands for almost 10 more years.

Nobody understands about the oil money, either, they complain. The University's "untouchable" permanent fund today stands in the neighborhood of another \$27,000,000. That money represents the royalties from oil discovered on University land—but it has to be invested in full and only the interest may be tapped.

So the old "ramshackle" university now stands at an educational crossroads, they will tell you. There is a splendid physical campus grouped about such monuments to education and research as the 27-story Administration Building, the newly-opened Texas Memorial Museum, the newly-organized Texas Industrial and Commercial Research Council, and the second largest astronomical observatory in the world—McDonald.

On the other hand there is a near-11,000 student enrollment jamming the corridors and classrooms to capacity. There is a \$27,000,000

fund, untouchable by law with its future interest already tapped for 10 years. There is an outlay to teach each student of less than \$200 yearly, less than half that of many institutions of equal size, less than the average expenditure of almost every other state university.

On one side of the cross roads, University fathers will point with pride at: number one ranking in the South as a graduate institution; possession on its faculty of three of the South's five National Academy of Science members; number one library in the South (565,000 volumes); membership as one of the South's four members of the Association of American Universities; ownership of the world's second largest astronomical observatory.

Their immediate objectives on the other side of the cross roads are: an outstanding Latin-American Institute to take the lead in the educational phase of this country's relations with its southern neighbors; expanded research in both industrial, commercial and medical fields; a larger staff (teaching staff is now one-fourth heavier than the average for all forty-two state universities); and means of attracting more distinguished scholars and teachers.

The answer is more money, they maintain. The problem is that of overcoming the nation-wide notion that they already have it.

AAA PLANNING BIGGER PAY FOR SMALL FARMER

COLLEGE STATION.—The AAA expects to use more than \$5,000,000 in Texas this year to increase payments to small farmers who, according to the regular schedule of grants, would not earn more than \$200 by taking part in the Agricultural Conservation Program.

The ACP feature of the AAA program provides for conservation payments to reward soil and water conservation accomplished through confinement of soil-depleting crops to acreage allotments and adaptation of soil-building and adaptation of practices. When total payments to a farm or ranch are less than \$200, the checks are increased on a graduating scale. For example, a payment of \$50 calculated under regular terms of the program would be hiked by \$13, and a payment of \$186 would have \$14 added to it.

"This is another reason why our program has been called a 'small farmer's program,'" Donald Cothran of Caviness, Lamar county, farmer and member of the Texas Agricultural Conservation Committee, observed. "In adopting the provision for increase of small payments, Congress intended to make the program as profitable as could be for the many families trying to make a go of it on small plots of land."

TEXAS HOMES MODERNIZED WITH FHA INSURED LOANS

DALLAS.—A total of 60,483 Texas families have repaired and modernized their homes with FHA insured loans totaling \$21,833,176. These home improvements, according to P. S. Luttrell, state production manager, Federal Housing Administration, have been made since the government's better housing program was begun in 1934.

The old human urge for a better looking and more comfortable home seems to have hit Texas families pretty forcibly this spring, Luttrell believes, and he bases his conclusion on the fact that leading institutions which have contracts of insurance with the FHA to make modernization loans have been swamped with inquiries and applications during the past few weeks.

"The FHA plan is really very simple to understand," Luttrell explained. "If the house needs a new roof, or some repairs to safeguard its value, or if the inside needs new plumbing, heating, paint and wallpaper to make it more comfortable and attractive, these improvements can be made at once and paid for by the month out of income."

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ernment money, it was pointed out, but are made by private lending institutions and insured by FHA.

"These loans," said Luttrell, "may be used for almost any type of outside or inside modernization job; as an example of extensive alterations, such as a new wing, or repairs such as the replacement of worn floors. Living comfort may also be increased by installing up-to-date wiring, or built-in shelves."

The FHA official advises home owners who want to fix up their property under the FHA plan to first get an estimate from a local contractor. As soon as the estimate is in hand, application for an insured modernization loan may be made to any local lending institution making FHA insured loans.

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LOCAL NOTES

IN RICHARDSON HOME

Mrs. Callie Beard of Throckmorton, grandmother of Mrs. Jake Richardson, is a visitor in the Richardson home this week.

Yesterday was the first day of summer. You will need a good wide brim hat for protection. We have them, Neal Mills. ltc

IN BENNETT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Everts, Jr., and son Edwin of Portland, Oregon, arrived Wednesday night to spend two days with Mrs. Everts' aunt, Mrs. Lois Prude Bennett, and her great aunt, Miss Margaret McComas. Mr. Everts, who was city sanitarian here several years ago, has just finished work for his M.A. degree at Harvard and is returning to Portland to resume his work for the state health department in the elimination of stream pollution. Mrs. Everts will be remembered here as Lady Bird Fowlkes.

BRING BACK FORGER

Dick Hickman, chief of police, accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Harvey Cook and "Little Dick" Gregory, went to El Paso this week to return Will Haines, a negro. Haines was arrested in El Paso on June 12 after he had been indicted on three counts of forgery by the Mitchell county grand jury. Hickman and party returned here Wednesday morning.

OCCUPY DOSS HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Lovelace, formerly of the Magnolia camp at Jatan, have moved into the home of Mrs. John L. Doss. Their daughter, Beverly, is to teach home economics here in junior high school this year. Mrs. Doss is retaining an apartment at the home.

MAX MARTINS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Max Martin and infant daughter, Judith, of Corpus Christi arrived Wednesday afternoon to spend their vacation with Mr. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Martin.

BACK TO TEXARKANA

Mrs. Lasco Preston and Mrs. W. W. Jones left Wednesday to return to their home in Texarkana after having been here for the wedding of Sidney Thomas and Dan Martin. The two women are remembered here as the Greenwood daughters.

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UNDERGOES SURGERY

Family and friends of Katie Buchanan, who has been visiting in Baltimore, Md., received word last week that she had undergone throat surgery while in Baltimore and was recovering satisfactorily. She plans to visit the New York World's fair before coming home.

FREE EXAMINATION

—Radiocast complete health examination to one in a family, free June 26, 27, 28. Call Dr. Hickey, 140-W. for appointment. ltp

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. W. J. Coleman of Midland is to preach at First Presbyterian church Sunday night at 7:30.

VISITING MRS. MERRELL

Mrs. J. D. Shipman of Galveston and San Angelo is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Mattie Merrell.

GUESTS AT LEWIS RANCH

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Thornton and two sons, Dan and Bill, of Meridian, Miss., will arrive Monday for a brief visit with Mrs. Thornton's mother and sisters, Mrs. W. K. Lewis, Mabel Groves, and Ruth Aihart.

RETURN TO FT. WORTH

Susie Beal Snyder and Baby Jo Davis returned to Fort Worth Wednesday after several days' visit here.

THERE IS HOPE YET

Please, patients say: "If other methods have failed, try Dr. Scott W. Hickey's combination Radiocast, Massage and Spinal Adjusting." In your home or at the office. Phone 140-W. ltp

TREATED IN ABILENE

Mrs. Earl Morrison was due to be brought home Thursday from Abilene, where she had been under treatment since Sunday. She was given a blood transfusion early in the week. George Shelton being the donor.

FIRE NEAR CABIN

Recent forest fires in New Mexico got so near the Sam Majors cabin at Ruidoso that water had to be sprayed on the building by the firefighters, according to a letter received by Mr. Majors from Mrs. Majors.

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MRS. PHENIX HOME

Mrs. N. J. Phenix returned home from Houston Sunday night, accompanied by the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Vance Phenix of Houston.

LEAVE FOR LAPORTE

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Jones and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones, Sr., left Wednesday for a vacation trip to Houston, LaPorte, and other points.

TASK OF CARING

(Continued from Page One)

noon by H. B. Spence, J. V. Glover, and Roy Davis. It was indicated that 69 families had been driven from their homes by the flood waters. Not many of the homes were washed away, but several crumpled or were otherwise too badly damaged for occupation even after completely dry.

Most of the homeless are negroes and Mexicans. Lee Carter and Clarence Cook were in charge of finding places for them to sleep Tuesday night. Negro and Mexican schools and church houses were used as temporary shelter. Only one homeless white family had been reported.

Working headquarters have been maintained in the county welfare and relief office on South Second street. Clothing is to be supplied through the commodities department of the Texas Relief commission.

LARGE DELEGATION TO BE SENT TO BIG SPRING ON FRIDAY

COLORADO CITIANS WILL BE ON HAND AS RODEO OPENS

A large delegation of Colorado Citians will be on hand for the opening of the Big Spring rodeo Friday afternoon, according to H. B. Spence, chamber of commerce manager.

Prepared to advertise the Colorado City Frontier Round-up as well as to boost the Big Spring celebration, the delegation will leave Colorado City at 11 o'clock Friday morning.

At least 20 cars should be included in the caravan from here. The Colorado City school band, directed by R. P. Rose, is to attend. More than a dozen cars have already signed up to transport the band and more are needed, Spence says.

MR. SHORTY NORTHCUTT OF THE RENDERSBROOK RANCH WILL ATTEND AS COLORADO CITY'S SPONSOR.

Officers and directors of the Frontier Round-up plan to form a mounted unit in the parade. Mary Jo Gregory, daughter of Sheriff and Mrs. Dick Gregory, and Patsy Reese, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenzie Reese, will also ride. Huse Shurtliff has agreed to furnish the "clown" unit, wearing his well-known spurs and other regalia. He has been searching for a mule to ride.

The parade is to begin at 1 p.m.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Holman of Route 3 on Wednesday at 12:25 a.m.—a daughter, Donna Lee, weighing six pounds and 15 ounces.

Mrs. C. E. Halcomb of Route 3 had minor surgery Thursday morning.

Howard Lindley was in the hospital Monday and Tuesday for minor surgery.

Mrs. J. L. Bowen was brought to the hospital Wednesday morning for treatment of a fractured pelvis sustained in a fall at her home. After X-rays were made, she was taken to Dallas to a bone specialist in a Kiker & Son ambulance.

Burrus Pugsley was dismissed Thursday after an appendectomy on June 13.

Josephine Chesney underwent surgery for appendicitis last Friday and is given an o.k. report.

Mrs. Earl Burgoon was admitted for minor surgery last Saturday and was taken Thursday morning to a specialist in Wichita Falls.

Carey Edwards, a medical patient in the hospital since Feb. 23, is planning on going home Sunday.

Mrs. C. M. Wynne of the Magnolia camp had major surgery Friday. There were some complications, but she is much improved now.

Betty Ruth Glover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Glover of Route 1, had surgery for appendicitis on Tuesday.

Mrs. Ralph Rankin, who underwent surgery on June 13, went home Monday. Mrs. C. G. Harkins and infant son were moved home Friday. Swede McGill, appendectomy patient, went home Sunday.

A girl, Karen Lea, weighing 8 pounds 1/2 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Bassham at 2 p.m. Saturday.

SMELL SUPERVISORS HOLD AREA MEETING HERE ON WEDNESDAY

Supervisors of the West Texas-New Mexico area of the Shell Pipe Line company gathered at area headquarters in Colorado City for a banquet and meeting Wednesday evening at the Colorado hotel.

Fifty-six were present. D. H. Lewis of St. Louis, formerly superintendent of the area office, and Ted Grueb of the West-Tex Oil company at Big Spring were visitors. W. H. Shetley is present superintendent of the area.

INTEREST IN OSWALT PHARMACY BOUGHT BY FORMER ABILENIAN

Sale of a half-interest in the Oswalt pharmacy to John Pratt of Abilene, formerly of Rotan, was announced this week.

Pratt arrived Monday to assist W. R. Oswalt in operating the business, which is continued under its same name for the time being.

Mr. and Mrs. Pratt and their 2-year-old daughter are living at 937 Chestnut.

Arnett-Wulfjen Circle Meeting

Meeting of the Arnett-Wulfjen circle of the Methodist W.M.S. was held Monday at the home of Mrs. L. A. Costin.

Mrs. L. B. Elliott led the devotional and told of the vacation bible school in Big Spring. The school to be held here was discussed.

Ruth Elliott and Inez Rogers reported on the young people's assembly at McMurry.

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RAIN RECEIVED IN MOST SECTIONS OF MITCHELL COUNTY

DESTRUCTIVE HAIL AND DELUGE OF RAIN IN VALLEY VIEW AREA

While Colorado Citians were occupied with recovering from the Colorado river flood, the rest of Mitchell county has been divided between rain-born optimism and hail-born disappointment this week.

Some eight square miles of the prettiest crops in the county were destroyed by hail and deluge of rain Monday night. Both cotton and feed in that area will have to be replanted. Reliable estimates were that eight inches of rain fell in some portions of the hail strip.

Farmers living in a narrow strip in the Spade area reported damage by hail Sunday evening, although they were not so completely wiped out as was the case at Valley View.

Adding rains of Sunday, Monday and the early hours of Tuesday together, most of the county seems to have received an appreciable amount of moisture. Considerable rain was reported south of both Colorado City and Westbrook on Sunday evening. South of Lorraine there was a heavy rain Sunday, according to reports.

A big rain was reported at Lone Star, but practically no rain fell at Silver, Cuthbert, which has been unusually dry this year, has had over an inch of rain in the past week. Generous rains were reported between Colorado City and Westbrook and south of Colorado City, although the Rendersbrook ranch had received only three quarters of an inch by Wednesday. Byron Byrne had an inch and a half on his ranch.

Until the big rain Monday night, Colorado City had received only .69 inches. The Monday night fall boosted the total to 2.24.

CC GOODWILLERS TO DINE FAIRVIEW CITIZENS TONIGHT

CHAS. C. THOMPSON IS NAMED AS MASTER OF CEREMONIES

Another in the series of goodwill dinners being sponsored over Mitchell county by the Colorado City chamber of commerce will be held at Fairview tonight (Thursday).

The dinner will be served by the Fairview Home Demonstration club with Mrs. Will Berry as general chairman of arrangements, according to H. B. Spence, chamber of commerce manager. Around 75 Fairview citizens have signed up to attend.

Music will be furnished by the Colorado City Cowhand band. Chas. C. Thompson has been named as master of ceremonies.

THE POPULATION OF PERSIA IS UNKNOWN, OWING TO THE FACT THAT NO CENSUS HAS BEEN TAKEN IN MODERN TIMES.

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FEES RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fee, who left here last Friday for a vacation trip to Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Arkansas points, were called home Wednesday by news of the river flood. They picked up their son, Bobby, who had been staying in Cisco during their absence, on the way home. Ronny was staying here.

ARRIVING BY PLANE

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lockhart received word Wednesday that Herman Lockhart, Jr., of New Kingston, Pa., will fly down Sunday to spend his vacation with them.

VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bryant of Big Spring, parents of Mrs. Q. D. Sheppard were visitors in the Shepherd home the first of the week. They were accompanied by their grandson, Neal Bryant.

Costly damage may result unless a stop is made when an overheated automobile engine begins to knock heavily.

A treaty of friendship and non-aggression exists among the western Asiatic powers of Turkey, Persia, Iraq and Afghanistan.

Barring cloud and fog, the constellations of the Big and Little Dippers and of Draco the Dragon are visible at any hour of night throughout the year.

Softball officials estimate attendance at games during 1938 at 100,000,000.

In South America, giant snails lay eggs larger than those of a robin.

ILL IN ODESSA

Lillian Pond, cashier for the Community Natural Gas company, became ill in Odessa on her way home from a vacation trip to South-Texas and is still there with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pond.

ATTENDS MEETING

D. H. Snyder, Sr., went to Amarillo during the week-end to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the Texas and Southwest Cattle Raisers association.

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We are deeply grateful to all those who extended sympathy and help in the death of our son and brother, Wm. A. Hill.

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'STANDING ROOM ONLY' CROWD FOR THIRD AMATEUR HOUR FRIDAY NIGHT; J. H. GREENE AND BIG SPRING RODEO GROUP PRESENTED

Another "standing room only" crowd gathered in Ruddick park amphitheater Friday night for the third program in the fourth summer series of chamber of commerce amateur hours.

Guest artists were a group of Big Spring entertainers advertised in the Big Spring rodeo June 23-25. J. H. Greene, Big Spring chamber of commerce manager who originated the Ruddick park amateur hours while manager of the Colorado City chamber, presented the Big Spring numbers by the Melody Maids and the Center Point Screamers. Greene and his group were in colorful western regalia.

The Colorado City portion of the program was arranged by Harry Ratliff and Dr. Harry A. Logsdon. Ratliff was master of ceremonies, being introduced by Eddie Pylant, regular master of ceremonies, as the concert by R. P. Rose's municipal band came to a close.

First prize was awarded to Eugene Haley for his comic "ABC" sermon. Second prize went to 9-year-old LaRue West of Lorraine, acrobatic dancer. Mrs. W. R. Martin was her accompanist. The "Chicago Nightingales," a "harber shop" quartet composed of Everett Stagner, Elmer Pickens, Paul Knieff, and Harry Ratliff, won third place. Other numbers on the program were an accordion solo by Loralee Sellers, a monologue with gestures by Ruth and Frances Elliott, a vocal

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CONVERTED JEW WILL PREACH AT SWEETWATER

The Rev. Hyman Appelman, a converted Jew, will preach twice daily at the First Baptist church, Sweetwater, June 25th-July 9th. He is employed as an evangelist by the Baptist General Convention of Texas but conducts meetings all over the United States. He has recently been in meetings in California, Tennessee and Arkansas.

He is considered one of the greatest evangelists of this generation, seldom having less than one hundred additions and has had three hundred eighty-seven additions in one church. The people of Sweetwater and vicinity are urged to hear this outstanding preacher.

FSA TO RECEIVE APPLICATIONS FOR PURCHASE OF FARMS

In accordance with provisions of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act, the Farm Security Administration will receive applications from farm tenants, farm laborers and sharecroppers for a limited number of loans in Mitchell county for the purchase of farms. It was announced by M. A. Stinson, County Rural Supervisor.

However, it was pointed out by Stinson that unless satisfactory farms can be obtained at reasonable agricultural prices, no loans will be made in this county during this fiscal year, but the funds will be made available to other counties where land can be purchased at a reasonable price that meets the requirements of the Tenant Purchase program.

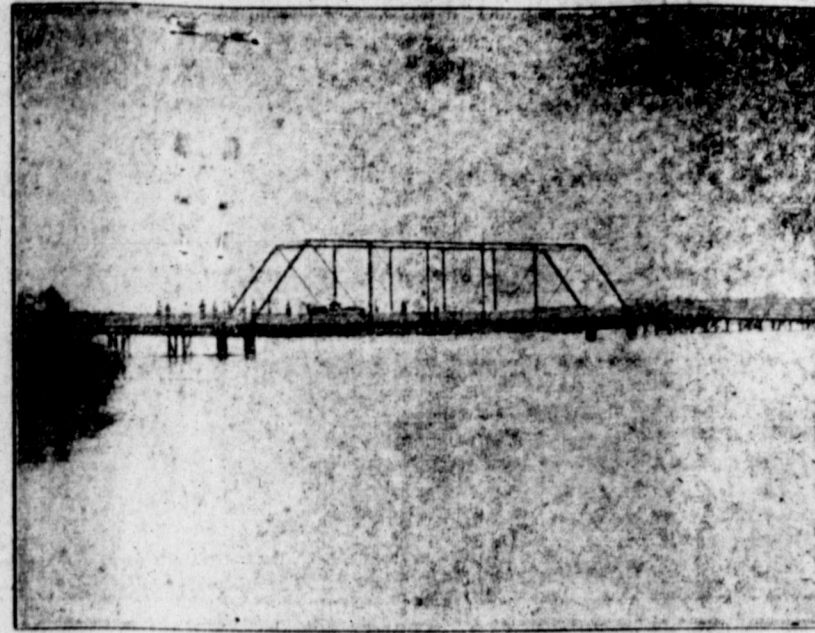
Applications will be received at the County Rural Supervisor's office which is located at the Courthouse in Colorado City, Texas, beginning June 20, 1939 and ending July 20, 1939. It is suggested that all farm tenants, farm laborers, and sharecroppers who are interested in submitting an application for consideration under the above farm tenant act, secure an application blank and fill it out and submit it to the county rural supervisor not later than July 20.

No assurance can be given at this time of any loans being made under the provision of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act for the reason that the appropriation for this program has not been made.

TRIBUTE TO WORKER

Fellow employees of Wm. Arthur Hill, 46, former Mitchell countian who was killed in an accident in the Odessa oil field last week, have requested publication of the following statement: "We fellow workmen of Wm. Arthur Hill thought him worthy of our best efforts. He deserves all we might be able to do. We deeply regret his death, both as friends and fellow employees."

SWEPT AWAY



This bridge, known to be more than 30 years old, was swept away by Colorado river floodwaters early Tuesday morning. Connecting South Colorado and the main portion of town, the bridge withstood the flood shown

in the above picture back in 1913. The Tuesday flood was much higher, however, and the bridge was much older. It went out about 7 o'clock leaving South Colorado isolated and without city water.

REMOVAL OF AREA SOIL CONSERVATION OFFICE FROM VERNON TO ABILENE AFFECTS LOCAL WATER FACILITIES OPERATIONS

Establishment of the Rolling Plains Area office of the Soil Conservation service in Abilene affects soil conservation work being carried on under the water facilities program in Mitchell county, according to A. B. Kyle, who has charge of the Colorado City office, since Mitchell county is included in the area affected.

Removal of the office from Vernon to Abilene was announced last week by Louis P. Merrill of Fort Worth, conservator of Region 4 of the Soil Conservation service. The new office in Abilene opened Wednesday. Earle H. Varnell, a frequent visitor in the local office, will continue to have charge as acting area conservator.

"Economy and efficiency in operation prompted this move to a more central part of the area," Merrill said in announcing the change.

"Last year when Region 4 was divided into administrative areas on the basis of soils, erosion, topography, rainfall, and types of farming last year, the Adams Creek Project of the Service at Vernon was the only project in the Rolling Plains Area," he continued. "Since that time water facilities projects have been established at Spur, Stamford, Abilene and Colorado City."

Merrill explained there will be a

considerable annual saving in per diem, communications, and transportation costs as a result of the location of the office in Abilene. He said the average distance from Abilene to the present work units in the area is 85 miles, compared with an average distance from Vernon to the existing work units of 156 miles.

"The Adams Creek Project at Vernon has been placed on a maintenance basis as a satisfactory demonstration of soil and water conservation and is rapidly nearing completion," the regional conservator said. "A maintenance project staff will be retained at Vernon, probably until the termination of the five-year agreements which are now in effect on this watershed."

The Rolling Plains Area covers approximately 12,500,000 acres in all or parts of 37 North and Central West Texas counties. It is bounded on the north by the Red River, on the east by the West Cross Timbers, on the south by the Colorado River, and by South Plains counties on the west.

"These counties lie wholly or in part, in the area: Hardeman, Foard, Wilbarger, Wichita, Clay, Dickens, King, Knox, Baylor, Archer, Garza, Kent, Stonewall, Haskell, Throckmorton, Young, Scurry, Fisher, Jones, Shackelford, Mitchell, Nolan, Taylor, Callahan, Coke, Runnels, and Coleman."

FUNERAL HERE FOR VICTIM OF ODESSA OIL FIELD MISHAP

FORMER RESIDENT OF COUNTY KILLED IN FALL WEDNESDAY

Funeral services were held from Kiker & Son chapel Saturday morning at 10 o'clock for Wm. Arthur Hill, 46, former Mitchell countian and World War veteran who was killed in a fall from a derrick in the Odessa oil field Wednesday afternoon.

Hill, a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hill of Colorado City, had been employed in the Odessa oil field about a year. Prior to that time he worked in the Chalk, Westbrook, and Jatan fields. He came to Mitchell county from Snyder.

He was killed instantly when a cable struck him and knocked him from a derrick where he was working. He fell between 55 and 60 feet. The body was brought to Colorado City in a Kiker & Son ambulance Thursday morning and kept at the funeral parlor until the services were held Saturday morning.

Hill's mother was visiting a daughter in Nashville, Tenn., at the time of his death. They left for Texas immediately after receiving word of the tragedy.

Hill was born in Hickman county, Tenn. During and after the World War he saw service overseas for nearly three years. Members of the Oran C. Hooker post, American Legion had charge of the graveside service. Rev. A. L. Haley of First Christian church officiated during the service at the chapel.

Survivors in addition to the parents are his wife and the following brothers and sisters: Ross, Guy, and W. D. Hill of Colorado City; Jim Hill of Fort Clark, Texas; Mrs. T. N. Flippen of Odessa, Mrs. Walter Stub-

BROTHERS AND SISTERS REUNITED HERE SUNDAY AFTER 25 YEARS APART

Two brothers were reunited with two sisters whom they hadn't seen in 25 years at the home of Mrs. Q. D. Hall on Sunday.

Mrs. Hall, who recently experienced the miraculous return of her vision after over 20 years of virtual blindness, was one of the sisters, and Mrs. J. H. Harper of El Paso, a guest for the week in the Hall home, was the other. The brothers with whom they were reunited after 25 years were L. E. Adamson and E. Clint Adamson, both of San Antonio. A third brother, Judge W. S. Adamson of Eastland, was present. There is a third sister, Mrs. P. E. Denton of McKinney, but invalidism prevented her attending the gathering.

Judge Adamson was accompanied by his wife and E. Clint Adamson by his family. Other visitors at the Hall home Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Harry Hall of Carlsbad, N. M., daughter-in-law of Mrs. Hall, and her people, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cox, Sr., and Mrs. J. R. Cox, Jr., of Sweetwater; Mrs. Claude Wescott and family of Seminole, and Mrs. Riggs Shepherd of Texas Tech, Lubbock. Mrs. Wescott is the widow of the late Mr. Hall's nephew.

SAFeway TRUCK OVERTURNS

One of the Safeway company's large grocery trucks overturned between Colorado City and Lorraine at 4 a.m. last Wednesday morning and the wreckage, with tomatoes, canned goods, pineapples, fruits, and other groceries scattered about, attracted considerable attention. The truck was bound from Abilene to Midland.

biefield of Burkburnett, and Mrs. J. D. Betty of Nashville. Kiker & Son had charge of arrangements.

THOMPSON IS CLOSING BUSINESS FOR MONTH

John A. Thompson announced this week that he will close his grocery, feed and fuel business on July 1, with the intention of reopening on August 1.

He plans to spend July in Lubbock with Mrs. Thompson, who is ill in a hospital there.

JAMES CLEPPER FAMILY REUNION

Relatives of Mr. and Mrs. James Clepper held a reunion at the Clepper home last week-end. It marked the first reunion of Mr. Clepper with his three sisters in 25 years.

The occasion was dimmed by the suicide death of Mr. Clepper's brother, Ernest Clepper, last Friday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. W. C.

Mauzey and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Scarborough of Long Beach, Calif.; Mrs. Mary Gordon of Fort Worth; Mrs. Ernest Clepper and her mother, Mrs. G. P. Stewart, Sr., and her brother, G. P. Stewart, Jr. of Cuthbert; Hattie Mae Crabb of San Francisco, Calif.; Mrs. J. M. Scarborough of Hawthorne, Calif.

VISITS IN PHARR

Dorothy Durham is visiting an aunt in Pharr, Texas, and attending summer school there.

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INDIA—Spices	Shilling's Asst.—Can	.08
SPAIN—Olive Oil	Pints	.49
CEYLON—Tea	Piggy Wiggly Ice Tea Blend—1/2 lb.	.23
HAWAII PINEAPPLE	No. 1 Flat Cans Crushed or Sliced 3 for	.25
CUBA—Sugar	Pure Cane 10 lbs.	.49
RUSSIA—Caviar	can	.18
VERMONT—Maple Syrup		
VERMONT MAID	Small Bottle .22 Large Bottle .44	
CALIFORNIA—Peaches	DEL MONTE No. 2 1/2 Cans 2 for	.35
TEXAS—Beef Roast	Home Killed pound	.18
Loin Steak	Feed Beef pound	.25
Seven Steak	Choice Cuts pound	.20
Veal Loaf Meat	Fresh Ground pound	.15
Lamb Chops	Spring Lambs pound	.28
Bacon	Sliced pound	.20
Pork Shoulder Roast	lb.	.15
Bananas	Golden Ripe Dozen	.15
Seedless Grapes	pound	.15
Corn	Well Filled Ears 2 for	.05
Cantaloupes	Tasty each	.06
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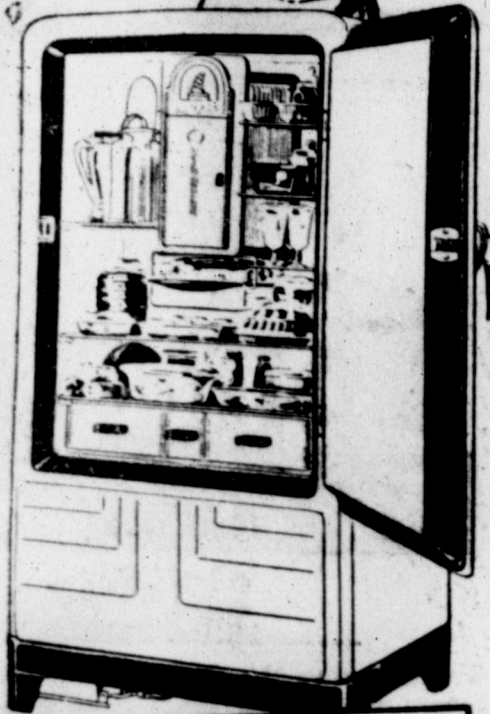


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HUMPHREY BOGART, SCREEN'S ACE VILLAIN STARS IN GRIM FILM

Humphrey Bogart marks his career by tombstones rather than milestones. Thirty-eight years old last Christmas, the sinister screen villain recently celebrated his thirty-eighth stage and cinema slaying. Eighteen of his killings have been on the screen, the rest on the stage.

"Of course," Bogart explains, "I'm counting as one the hundreds of times I knocked off Leslie Howard in the play, 'Petriefied Forest,' but I'm giving myself another black mark for killing Mr. Howard again in the screen version of the same play."

Bogart's latest victim was Billy (Dead End) Halop, and like so many of "Bogey's" targets, young Mr. Halop lives just long enough to have the last word.

It seems to be a habit of Bogart's never to finish his victims off promptly. They invariably live long enough to steal the certain speech or to make a last-minute statement

to the police. "Perhaps," muses Bogart, "I should spend a little more time at target practice."

His latest Warner Bros. picture, "You Can't Get Away With Murder," which comes Sunday and Monday to the Ritz theatre, is a splendid example of Bogart's poor marksmanship. He and Billy Halop are sent to Sing Sing for a minor robbery. Because Billy knows about a murder he has committed, he decides to kill Billy. He shoots the youngster during an attempted break, blaming it on the prison guards. But Billy lives to talk.

When Bogart and Edward G. Robinson get together, Bogey's aim is always bad. Twice they've shot it out at close range in a picture, and both times Robinson survived his assault. In "Bullets or Ballots" Bogart shot Robinson. Robinson fired back. Bogart died instantly, but Robinson lived.

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

25 YEARS AGO

From The Record for June 26, 1914. The "disgraceful" condition of the county courthouse, jail, and park were subjects of heated editorial attacks in The Record. Rebuilding of the salt works and "the old St. James corner" were also sought.

Congressman W. R. Smith and Tom Blanton, opposing candidates, had met in heated debate at Roscoe. Colorado's Shorthorn baseball team had gone to Big Spring for a series of games, winning two out of three.

The team was met at the station on their return Saturday night and treated to a dinner at Broadus cafe. Lois Prude entertained with 42, whist, and 500 to honor Mrs. Lindsay. Mrs. Gray, Miss Figh and Miss Weary. Mrs. Harry Shipman invited mothers to attend the "story hour" with the children on the Annis lawn.

Laura Altizer had entertained in honor of a cousin, Uline Altizer of Sweetwater. A poem was dedicated to the memory of Bonnie Logan, little daughter of the D. M. Logans.

The four visitors honored at the Prude home had been honored again at the home of Mrs. Smoot, who held a reception. Serving was in charge of Lois Prude, Annie Beal, Mrs. Edwin Faulks, Eleanor Van Tuyl, Martha Earnest, Eleanor Coleman, and Juanita Shropshire.

Isla Smith, soon to be married, had been honored with a dinner at the Barcroft, personified of the party being Miss Smith, Eleanor Coleman, Mildred Coleman, Etta Doss, Myrtle Madden, Louise Moor, Ina Wulfjen, Eleanor Van Tuyl, Neil Arnett, Juanita Shropshire, Martha Earnest, and Mrs. Barcroft. Mrs. Abe Dolman had honored her sister, Anna Humphrey with a 42 party. Ethel Greenwood and Ethel Stokes won prizes.

Berta Hunter and Ralph Mann had been married at 8:30 on Tuesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hunter. Mrs. John Vaughan had entertained with a neighborhood party to honor Mrs. Geo. Wilkes of Post City.

Fannie Farmer had visited in Hillsboro enroute home from T. C. U. Wooten Jeffress was going in the poultry brokerage business here. J. M. Kirby, cashier of a bank at Westminster, had visited J. P. Hunter. Mrs. J. G. Merritt had visited Mrs. Geo. C. Wolffarth at Lubbock as she returned home from conference in Plainview.

Pete Avery was carrying the mail temporarily between Colorado and Ira via Dunn. Mr. and Mrs. Seph Gray had a new daughter. A new daughter had been born to the Logan Spaldings. A protracted meeting was underway at the Methodist church, with Rev. R. A. Clements preaching and with Lula Merrell and Mrs. Cooksey furnishing the music. Annie and Margaret Beal were visiting in Georgetown. Hazel McKenzie had returned to the ranch after a visit with Irene Whipkey.

15 YEARS AGO

From The Record for June 27, 1924. The Palace theater had opened for business in a new location after having been destroyed by fire. The opening picture was Lillian Gish in "The White Sister." The newly opened Col-Tex refinery had shipped out its first load of fuel oil to the T & P railroad for use in locomotives.

C. E. Hammond of Buford and Annis Nessmith of Colorado City had been married here by Rev. M. C. Bishop on Sunday night. The Sewing club had met with Neida Garrett, electing officers as follows: President, Marie Maulie; vice-president, Floy Simpson; secretary-treasurer, Irene Dorn. Juniors of First Methodist church had been entertained with a lawn picnic at the home of Mrs. W. P. Leslie. Guests for a week-end houseparty

at the McEntire ranch were Marie Ferguson, Hazel Costin, Ruth Lowe, Lillian Dorn, Clippie Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Goldman and Jimmie Lou, Joe Pond, McCall Merritt, Jack Helton, Grady Newman, Ed Holt, Robert Brennan, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dorn. Mrs. M. E. McGuire and Mrs. Elsie Blackard and little son were visiting in Alabama. Mabel Smith was home after a visit with the Royal Smith family in El Paso. Mrs. Harry Landers had gone to Cloudercroft, N. M., for the health of her little daughter, Harryetta. Mary Lawlis was visiting Frances Payne in Justiceburg. Frances Lupton was recovering from a broken arm and a needle in her foot. R. O. Pearson and family were fishing on the Concho. The new Dodge coupe of T. W. Stonerod had been considerably damaged by fire. Frank Smith, Jr., had sustained a broken leg in a fall from a windmill tower. Evelyn Adcock was staying with her father, C. H. Lasky, while her mother visited in Paris.

10 YEARS AGO

From The Record for June 28, 1929. Gift of 20 acres for a Ruddick park site had been accepted by the city from J. H. Greene, representative of the Ruddick heirs. Dam for a Boy Scout swimming pool at Seven Wells had been completed. The Lions club was deploring delay in securing appropriation for the new postoffice. An all-day celebration was to be held at the H. S. ranch on July 4. E. Barber had charge of arrangements. Lytle Price of Denison was holding a revival for the Church of Christ. Judge C. H. Earnest was named president of the 32nd district bar association. A. L. Whipkey had suffered a slight stroke in the lobby of the bank. Mrs. Dewey Tidwell had entertained twice on Thursday at her home. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thomas and Eleanor Thomas had entertained with an "old time" party honoring Mrs. D. H. Snyder, Jr. It was predicted that the census count would give West Texas a new congressman. The yo-yo fad was still growing, and Elwood Beal had just established a record of 3,500 times. J. Lee Jones was in Ruidoso having a cabin erected. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Haney and Mr. and Mrs. Cug Thompson had spent Sunday in Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. J. Ralph Lee and daughter were home from Cloudercroft and Roswell. Myra Brown and Rebecca Smoot were home from a trip to San Antonio, Corpus Christi, and other points with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smoot. Joe Y. Fraser was home from his vacation trip to Palestine, Mexia, Marshall, and other points. Ann Ware of Honey Grove had been visiting Mrs. J. E. McCleary. Mrs. T. J. Coffee and Mrs. J. L. Bowen were to spend July and August at Ruidoso. Mrs. Ernest Keathley was home from Charlotte, N. C. Mr. and Mrs. Millard Smith and baby, R. U. Bean, and J. K. P. McCloud had been fishing on the South Llano. Mrs. N. J. Phenix was spending the summer in Wyoming. Mrs. R. B. Lovejoy had been seriously ill. The C. H. Earnest home was being modernized. C. B. Reeder, father of Mrs. J. A. Pickens, Mrs. Byron Dorn, and Mrs. Hall DeGarmo had died in Loraine. Lola Murl Johnson and Max Brown Adams of Littlefield had been married here. The wedding of Dale Hall and A. L. Geer had taken place on Friday evening on the lawn of the Hall home in Loraine. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson of the California company were leaving to live in Midland. Bob Scott had bought a number of registered bulls for the ranch at Hyman.

5 YEARS AGO

From The Record for June 22, 1934. G. C. Shultz, aged Loraine citizen,

had been found shot to death. Over 800 rental checks had been received by Mitchell county farmers from the government. Mrs. E. Boatright, mother of C. D. Boatright of the Spade ranch, had died in Abilene. Construction equipment for grading and drainage work on Highway 101 was being shipped in. Gillian Eudora McEntire had entertained friends on her third birthday. A shower for Lucille Rose, bride of Luke Thomas, had been given at the Lewis Pond home. A bridge party had been given by Mrs. James Logan and Mrs. M. O. Chapman. Howard Hanson, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Alex B. Hanson, had honored Katherine June and Diane Prude of Oklahoma City with a party. The T. W. Stonerods were home from the World's fair at Chicago. Doyle Kiker had been a Sunday visitor in Loraine. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moesser were home from their wedding trip to Monterey and other points. Mrs. Mary Jay of Gorman had been visiting in the Floyd Jay home. Mrs. Adolph May was in Temple for treatment. Mrs. H. C. Beal was visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Arnett, in Littlefield. Pete Smith and Ditty Hughes had attended the Sweetwater lake opening. A son, Victor, Jr., had been born to Mrs. Vic Terry. The John E. Watsons were home from a vacation trip to North Texas, Arkansas, and Oklahoma. Mrs. W. L. Ray and daughter, Mary Sue, were here from Fort Worth visiting Mabel Smith. Mrs. Bufa Pritchett and daughter, Mary Jo, of Alpine were visiting Mrs. C. C. Thompson and other friends. Mr. and Mrs. Q. D. Sheppard were home from a vacation trip to Dallas, Austin, San Antonio, and Corpus Christi.

HENDERSONS RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henderson, Jr., and Mrs. Tom Henderson, Sr., returned home last week after a visit with the former Nellie Mae Henderson and her husband in Waco and with relatives and friends in other parts of the state.

RETURN TO WASHINGTON

Dr. and Mrs. Reaves Coleman left this week to return to their home in Washington, D. C., after a visit with Dr. Coleman's mother, Mrs. P. C. Coleman, and Mildred Coleman.

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ELECTROLUX CONTEST GROWS IN POPULARITY

The nation-wide contest in which sixty refrigerators are being awarded every week grows in popularity with the women of this vicinity as the competition proceeds according to an announcement from Bill Oswalt of Oswalt's Pharmacy, pointing out that approximately three more weeks remain for entering the contest. "As we are now just about in the middle of the P&G-Servel Electrolux contest, in the neighborhood of 180 refrigerators have already been won by contestants in all parts of the United States and Canada in addition, to the fifteen or more \$500 bills that have gone to the cash prize winners in the competition," Oswalt stated. "Among the factors that account for the popularity of the contest are: first, the high standards of Procter & Gamble products, which are featured in the competition; second, the growing public acceptance of the Servel Electrolux refrigerator and the desire of women for that type of household refrigeration; third, the simplicity of the terms of the contest and the task of writing the testimonials being so easy. "No one should hesitate to enter the contest as no great literary abil-

M. B. NALL DENTIST

X-Ray Walnut Street Phone 48 Colorado, Texas

ity is needed, nor does the contestant have to have any special aptitude in writing. Just a concise, spontaneous expression of thought in the simplest language is all that is required. "Entrants are invited to submit a statement of 25 words or less to complete the sentence: 'I like P&G White Naphtha Soap because...' The sentences are judged for their originality, sincerity, and conciseness of thought. The awards go to those who are considered the best writers of the sentence. "The contest is part of Procter & Gamble's 'Guiding Light' program which is broadcast over a coast-to-coast NBC network every afternoon, except Saturdays and Sundays. Twelve refrigerators a day are awarded to winning contestants. The contest began May 22, and will end July 2. "Our company invites all those who have not already done so to call at our store for contest entry blanks and for information regarding the contest."

ATTENDS CONVENTION

Beverly Lovelace, who is to teach home-making in Colorado Junior High school next year, left Saturday for San Antonio to attend the national convention of the American Home Economics association this week. Miss Lovelace graduated from TSCW, Denton, this spring.

RETURN FROM MISSISSIPPI

Mrs. Bob Trotter and children and Mrs. Bill Moesser and daughter, Billie Lee, returned Saturday after a visit with relatives in Mississippi. Mrs. Trotter's sister came with her for a summer visit.

RETURNS TO SCHOOL

J. C. Angel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Admon Angel of Valley View, has returned to Texas Tech for the summer session. He is a student in the engineering school and is making a good record.

HERE FROM DALLAS

Mary Figh of Dallas is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smoot and family, having arrived last week.

BACK TO PECOS

Mrs. A. L. McSpadden's mother, Mrs. Grizzell McSpadden, left last Friday morning to return to Pecos after a visit in the McSpadden home.

PAUL MUNI, BETTE DAVIS HEAD ALL-STAR CAST IN "JUAREZ"—A MEMORABLE FILM

Pursuant with their course of presenting entertainment of the highest calibre, the Palace theatre will have as their feature attraction Saturday midnight, Sunday and Monday, June 24, 25 and 26, Warner Bros.' magnificent new historical drama, "Juarez", starring Paul Muni and Bette Davis, and a supporting cast which truly deserves the much-abused term "all-star".

After two months of careful planning and selection, another month during which some seventy camera tests were made, director William Dieterle finally chose the forty-three players to support Paul Muni and Bette Davis.

That preliminary search for names and talent in itself was unusual. Ordinarily the casting office handles such details in work-a-day stride, seldom taking more than three or four days for the job. But neither Muni, nor Dieterle, would have it that way. When planning a picture of such tremendous scope you must count on competent workmen.

It is for this reason that, on the cast sheet for "Juarez", are listed such famous names as Brian Aherne.



PAUL MUNI



BETTE DAVIS

John Garfield, Claude Rains, Gale Sondergaard, Joseph Calleia, Donald Crisp, Gilbert Roland, Henry O'Neill, Louis Calhern, Montagu Love, and Vladimir Sokoloff heading a cast of 1188 people.

Aberne, reversing matters with the star in that he wears a beard while Muni goes clean-shaven, portrays the ill-fated "golden prince," Maximilian von Habsburg, who wore the phantom crown of Mexico. Bette Davis is his Empress, the lovely and fragile Carlota. Rains plays Napoleon III, his consort is Miss Sondergaard as the Empress Eugenie. Filmmakers readily will recall their work together in "Anthony Adverse" and this is the first time they have been reunited since.

John Garfield, John Miljan and Gilbert Roland are included in the list, Miljan and Garfield as generals on Juarez's staff, one the shrewd Mariano Escobedo and Garfield as the fiery young Porfirio Diaz in later years to become the president of his country. A Juarez-ian general also is Pedro de Cordoba as Riva Palacio and with him, on the staff, is Charles Middleton as Carbajal.

Donald Crisp, Louis Calhern, Irving Pichel and Monte Blue are other famous names in the cast. The veteran Montagu Love has an important supporting part, with other such roles going to Hugh Sothern, Harry Dav-erport, Alexander Leftwich, Gilbert Emory, Vladimir Sokoloff and Henry O'Neil.



Carole Lombard and James Stewart in "Made For Each Other"

The 187 presses in the U. S. government printing office produce approximately 4,000,000,000 impressions annually.

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Gloria Stuart and Stuart Erwin
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**FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
June 23 and 24
'MADE FOR EACH OTHER'**

Carole Lombard, James Stewart
FOX NEWS, MECHANIX ILLUSTRATED
and Artie Shaw and Orchestra

**SATURDAY MIDNIGHT
SUNDAY AND MONDAY
June 24, 25 and 26
'JUAREZ'**

Bette Davis, Paul Muni John Garfield and Donald Crisp
FOX NEWS AND MERRIE
MELODY CARTOON

**TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY
June 27 and 28
'SOME LIKE IT HOT'**

Shirley Ross and Bob Hope
PASSING PARADE AND
MUSICAL COMEDY

**THURSDAY, JUNE 29
'CODE OF THE STREETS'**

Frankie Thomas, Harry Carey and Little Tough Guys
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Night Show Opens 6:45 P. M.
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**THURSDAY, JUNE 22
'SAINT STRIKES BACK'**

George Sanders, Wendie Barrie
Also Selected Short Subjects

**FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
June 23 and 24
'WESTERN CARAVAN'**

Charles Starrett and Iris Meredith
"HAWK OF THE WILDERNESS"
Number 12 and
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**SUNDAY AND MONDAY
June 25 and 26
'YOU CAN'T GET AWAY WITH MURDER'**

Humphrey Bogart and Gale Paige
Also Selected Short Subjects

**TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY
June 27 and 28
'OKLAHOMA KID'**

James Cagney, Rosemary Lane and Humphrey Bogart
Cartoon and Musical Short

**THURSDAY, JUNE 29
'SUBMARINE PATROL'**

Richard Greene, Nancy Kelley and Preston Foster
Also Selected Short Subjects

**FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
June 30 and 1
'THE GREAT ESCAPE'**

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**LOMBARD AND STEWART
NEW ROMANTIC TEAM IN
MODERN COMEDY-DRAMA**

The tense and thrilling story of Jane and John Mason, an average, modern-day couple, deeply in love but hounded by opposing economic conditions, is unfolded in the new film drama, "Made For Each Other," a David O. Selznick production which has its premiere showing at the Palace theatre on Friday and Saturday.

Co-starred for the first time, and as a romantic team, Carole Lombard and James Stewart play principal roles, while prominently featured in an unusual supporting cast are the screen notables Charles Coburn, Lucille Watson, Ruth Weston, Donald Briggs, Eddie Quillan, Harry Daverport, Esther Dale, Alma Kruger and Tully Marshall. Among the other members of the cast, which reads like a "who's who" of Hollywood's supporting players, is Julia Faye, one-time star of silent films, who played in the last silent picture ever made, "The Godless Girl," and

now is making a comeback on the screen. Also present is Jack Muhlhall, one of the few silent stars to continue successfully through the sound era.

"Made For Each Other," an original story by Jo Swerling, noted film author, draws its characters and plot from the wealth of material in life's everyday parade. Thousands have faced the problems entertainingly and dramatically presented in this film. "Made For Each Other," while it is first and last an exciting and suspenseful story, brings many questions into the open, and discusses them frankly and honestly by means of motion picture drama—an answer to the demand of people all over for pictures with a meaning.

forsaking her chair-breaking, somewhat mad cycle of characterizations. Miss Lombard plays a contemporary young modern who marries for love and dedicates her life to helping her lawyer-husband over the rough spots of their married life.

Briefly, the story concerns the joys and sorrows, the comedies and tragedies of John and Jane Mason, who marry on slim economic ice, support a mother-in-law, have a baby and cling desperately to their love and romance. When the child becomes ill with a serious case of pneumonia, the picture rises to a smashingly poignant climax.

"Made For Each Other," which is being released through United Artists, was directed by John Cromwell, one of Hollywood's leading megaphonists.

NOTICE TO: THE TAX PAYERS OF THE CITY OF COLORADO CITY, TEXAS

You are hereby notified that a public hearing will be given and held by and before the City Council of the City of Colorado City, Texas on the 10th day of July, A. D. 1939 at 7:30 o'clock P. M. in the City Hall of the City of Colorado City, Texas for the purpose of adopting a budget

ATTENDS SEALY FUNERAL

Pearl Traylor returned Sunday night from Santa Anna, where she had been to attend the funeral of her uncle, Dr. T. Richard Sealy, half-brother of her father. Dr. Sealy was the founder of Sealy hospital at Santa Anna and was one of the most widely-known physicians in West Texas. Miss Traylor's father remains critically ill in the Sealy hospital.

GO TO MARLIN, WAXAHACHIE

Mrs. Lay Powell and Mrs. Ben Smith left Tuesday to take Mrs. Laurence Coulter, the former Winnie Powell, home to Waxahachie after a visit in the Powell home. Mrs. Powell is returning via Marlin for a check-up, and she and Mrs. Smith will be home the latter part of the week.

covering the proposed expenditures for said city for the fiscal year ending the 30th day of April, A. D. 1940. Done by order of the City Council of Colorado City, Texas the 12th day of June A. D. 1939.
J. F. MERRITT,
City Secretary.



Columnist by "UNCLE FRED"

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Fred B. Whipkey

EDITORIAL

This column has been criticised and censured for writing so much about the Bible. Seventy-five per cent of the people do not read the Bible at all. If we can write something here that will cause them to stop and think and read we will have accomplished our aim. As we get older we think more about life and realize more

That life beyond the grave
Shall this life far transcend
Death is the beginning not the end.

Yes, we are getting older but we find that the sun rises just as bright and early as it did of yore, that civilization is no nearer the bowwows than it was in the time of McKinley and that the girls are as beautiful today in a convertible sports roadster as those who rode behind a spanking pair of bays. There just happens to be more color in the world today.

This writer is a student of ancient history and from our recent readings we submit the Armageddon battle:

THE MOST FAMOUS BATTLEFIELD IN THE WORLD

Sold; the site of Armageddon, in Palestine, to American archeologists, for \$3,500.

"Armageddon is the world's most famous battle field. In the Book of Revelations St. John the Divine predicts 'the Kings of the earth and of the whole world' are to be gathered here in the last great conflict. Armageddon has made its way in to our language as a synonym for 'the fight to end fighting'."

"Many battles have been fought at Armageddon, and in turn the dust of marching hordes of Assyrians, Egyptians, Greeks, Romans, Arabs, Crusaders, French, Turks, and English has risen from its sun-parched plain. But the Battle of the Centuries must still be ahead. Today groups of Jewish colonists, by settling these fertile fields, wage a silent but constant economic warfare with the local Arabs."

"It was at Armageddon, that the army of Necho, King of Egypt, overwhelmed Josiah, King of Judah, about 609 B. C. Napoleon followed the Crusaders' trail by way of Armageddon, and lost the only battle of his Syrian campaign at Acre, nearby. Lord Allenby, commander of the British forces in the Near East, fought one of the final battles of the World War (appropriately enough, it was thought at the time) at Armageddon, when he vanquished a Turkish army gathered on the plain."

The plain of Megiddo, as Armageddon is called in Palestine today, is a wedge-shaped triangle a few miles south of Nazareth, and is perched in a mountain saddle about midway between the sunken valley of the Jordan and the Mediterranean Sea. It is the plain over which Jesus gazed when the people of Nazareth took him up on the hill to east him down. The dazzling white walls of the little town rise from one of the little valleys which run northward into the Galilean Hills.

The main road between Haifa and Jerusalem crosses the Kishon River at the point where the field of Armageddon widens toward the interior. The railroad line from Haifa to Damascus bisects the plain.

"The land is both fertile and muddy. The blackish soil consists of decomposed volcanic rock, which, in rainy weather, attains the sticky consistency of gumbo soup, making travel off the main roads impossible. Frequent references have been made by military leaders and historians to the muddy character of the field. Defeat or victory has often been balanced on a rain cloud. At other times the plain is swept by the choking clouds of dust."

"Although the plain is lower than the surrounding barren hills there are low ridges across it, and these ridges are used by the modern highway. All the rock for this road had to be brought from the nearby limestone hills, while basalt for the surface had to be transported from the Jordan Valley. As the site of the ancient fortified town of the Armageddon, from which the battlefield took its name, is not on the main road and was isolated during the rainy season, an American financier recently built a branch road from Tell el Kasis to the tell, or mound on which the archeologists are at work."

"The site of the town or Armageddon is about midway along the southern side of the triangle. In Biblical days it was a place of considerable strategic importance, but the modern Arab settlement El-Lejjun, is a rather sorry remnant of an illustrious past."

"The place lay at or near the crossing of two great trade routes; that from Egypt to the East via Damascus and the caravan routes from the desert to Acre on the Mediterranean. A castle dating from the twentieth century B. C. with walls 28 feet thick, attests the importance of the place."

In the reading of modern history we glean the following:

STEPHEN AUSTIN LEFT NEW ORLEANS FOR LONE STAR STATE 118 YEARS AGO ON JUNE 18; HIS FAMILY TRADITION WAS TO PUSH TO FRONTIER

June 18, 118 years ago, Stephen Austin left New Orleans for Texas. In his mind there were doubts regarding the province of Texas, but in his heart were the ringing words of his father that he push forward the colonization plans.

Unknowningly Stephen Austin was launching again into a brilliant career. His first efforts had been successful, for he was a member of the legislature in Missouri Territory before he was 23 and operator of his father's huge mining interests until he was 27. Collapse of banks ruined the family fortunes and for three years Stephen Austin floundered in efforts to recoup. His journey led him to Arkansas, then a wild territory, and finally to New Orleans where he was associate editor of "Advertiser."

While at New Orleans he received word of his father's expedition to Texas. This was not a new thing to the Austin family. Moses Austin had migrated from Connecticut to Virginia to survey lands, thence to Missouri territory while it was still Spanish owned. Each new journey brought greater wealth and strength to the Austin name.

Duty to his mother might have influenced Stephen's reluctance to support his father's newest venture. Poverty was hard to bear, having once tasted wealth. In New Orleans he wrote: "I have offered myself as a clerk, an overseer, or anything else, but business is too dull to get into business."

When a comparatively new acquaintance, Joseph H. Hawkins, offered to support Stephen with room and board and tutoring in law courses until he could support himself, Stephen Austin wrote his mother: "There are two obstacles in the way. One is that I shall earn nothing to help you with for at least 18 months, another is that those I owe in Missouri may prosecute here . . ."

It is likely he felt an obligation to "earn" money rather than enter into a long time adventure that promised no immediate returns. Whatever doubts he may have had, however, were dispelled by his father's prayers which were related to him by his mother's letters. "He called me to his bedside and with much distress and difficulty,

of speech begged me to tell you to take his place, and if God in His wisdom thought best to disappoint him in the accomplishment of his wishes and plans for the benefit of his family, he prayed Him to extend His goodness to you and enable you to go on with the business in the same way he would have done."

June 26th, Stephen Austin's party of eight had arrived at Natchitoches, Louisiana; on July 3 he had departed for San Antonio. By the 18th he had presented his plan to Governor Martinez and had received favorable comment which later developed to be full authority to settle 300 families in Texas.

After an exploration of his lands he returned to Louisiana to make definite plans. Everything seemed perfect, but he was to return to Texas to find that Mexico had won her independence from Spain and that all agreements must be remade in the Mexican capital. Thus began his first close study of the Mexican peoples and governments which aided him in keeping his colonists in control for 15 years.

SUPERSTITIONS

Jewett Messenger: The Rev. William Ketter, a handsome young preacher from Palestine, filled Brother Plowden's appointment at the Presbyterian church Sunday, while Brother Plowden preached to the sinners in Crockett. Brother Ketter had with him a good-looking young friend, Joe Brown, who seemed to be a very fine young man and very fond of chicken fried and chicken pie.

To which S. P. in the Dallas News adds:

State Press is glad to use this bit of testimony from the Messenger to allay the ghost of an old superstition; to wit, that fried chicken is best appreciated only by Methodists in good standing. Back in the days when presiding elders were called presiding elders, the followers of John Wesley in Texas were among the pioneer discoverers of the supremacy of fried chicken over all other dishes. Even now that they are called district superintendents, officialdom and laity of the Methodist church know how to appreciate a young frier done to a crisp brown, with plenty of gravy and hot biscuits in the offing. But even so fine a group as the Methodists can't have a complete monopoly on the finer things of this life, and here is proof that Presbyterians, whether preacher or singer or more humble subscriber to the Westminster Confession, are joyful participants around the platter of chicken. Brother Plowden, it is said, was away preaching to the sinners at Crockett. If the Houston county congregation was true to its faith in Predestination, they saw to it that their visitor sat down to an equally fine dinner.

It is a case of hawk and buzzard between the legislature and governor Lee O'. When Lee O' was running for governor last year, he narrated it around that if he were elected, he would give every one over 65 years of age 30 pieces each month of long green back without raising taxes. Evidently, the legislature thinks he could do this if he wanted to, so thus far the House and the Senate boys refused to raise taxes. The chances are that Tobitha Ann Snuff-stick who put four bits of Snuff money into Lee O's little flour barrel will have to wait quite awhile before she draws that thirty dollars a month. This is where governor Lee O' "bit off more than he could chew." If he can do what he said he would do, why in Sam Hill don't he get busy and do it and quit trying to make a goat of the legislature. He said he could do it without raising taxes, then why don't he do it. Tobitha Ann is needing some snuff, which Levi, the son of Garrett made.—Uncle Bill.

The following was handed in by one of our readers:

SAY SOMETHING GOOD

Pick out the folks you like the least, and watch 'em for a while; They never waste a kindly word, they never waste a smile; They criticize their fellow men at every chance they get. They never found a human just to suit their fancy yet. From them I guess you'd learn some things, if they were pointed out—Some things what everyone of us should know a lot about. When someone "knocks" a brother, pass around the loving cup—Say something good about him if you have to make it up.

It's safe to say that every man God made holds trace of good That he would fain exhibit to his fellows if he could; The kindly deeds in many a soul are hibernating there. Awaiting the encouragement of other souls that dare To show the best that's in them; and a universal move Would start the whole world running in a hopeful, helpful groove. Say something sweet to paralyze the "knocker" on the spot—Speak kindly of his victim if you know the man or not.

The eyes that peek and peer to find the worst a brother holds, The tongue that speaks in bitterness, that frets and fumes and scolds; The hands that bruise the fallen, though their strength was made to raise The weaklings who have stumbled at the parting of the ways—All these should be forgiven, for "they know not what they do;" Their hindrance makes a wretched one who's drained the bitter cup. So, when they scourge a wretched one who's drained the bitter cup, Say something good about him if you have to make it up.

WISECRACKS FROM THE ALMANAC

BULL'S EYE

"It says the man was shot by his wife at close range."
"Then there must have been powder marks on the body."
"Yes, that's why she shot him."

LOUDER STILL

"Dad, is there any difference between a gun and a machine gun?"
"Yes, my son—it is just about the same as if I spoke and then your mother spoke."—Pathfinder.

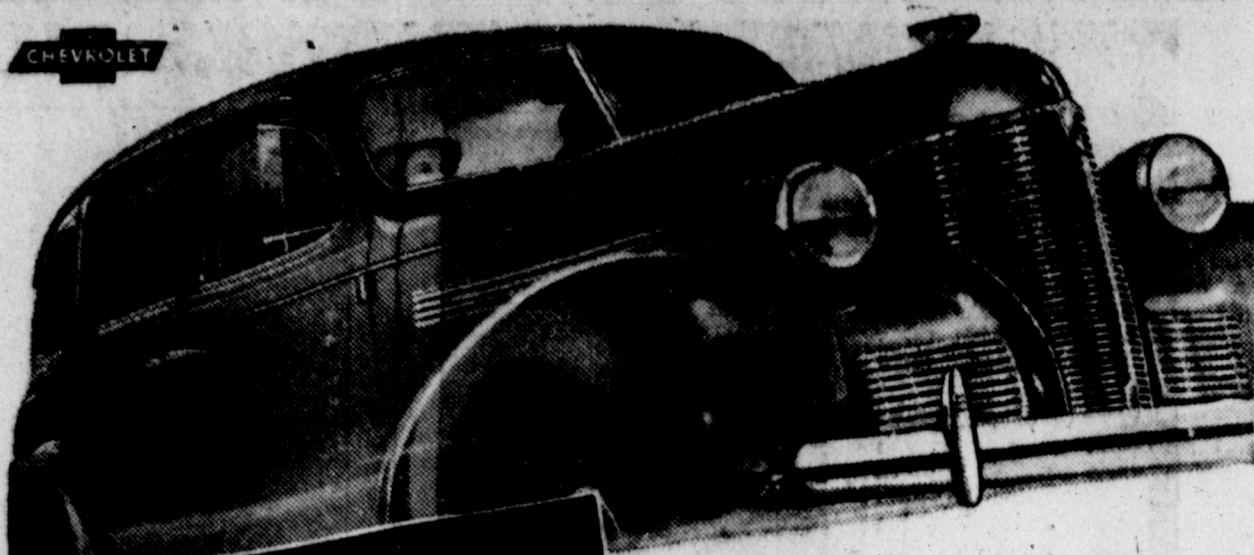
NOT FRIGHTENING ENOUGH

Farmer Hawkins was complaining to his wife that he could find no old clothes to put on the scarecrow.
"Well," said she, helpfully, "there's that flashy suit son wore at college last year."
"Yeah, but I want to scare the crows, not make 'em laugh."
—Lazor.

Mrs. Henpecked (sarcastically): "I suppose you've been to see a sick friend, holding his hand all evening."
Husband (absently): "If I'd been holding his hand I'd have made money."

"I can't stand the sound of an auto horn."
"Why not?"
"A fellow eloped with my wife in an auto and every time I hear a horn I think he's bringing her back."

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CHEVROLET SURVEY SHOWS BUYING IS UP

DETROIT. — Public purchasing power in urban centers throughout the country stands at a far higher level today than at this time in 1938. Latest available data on new car registrations, received from 47 states for the year to date through April, show that Chevrolet's unit gains have ranged as high as 254 per cent in one city, over the corresponding period last year. Gains in some half-hundred cities exceeded 50 per cent, and in 14 cities, all but one of which are industrial centers, they were more than 100 per cent. Highest percentage of gain in the country was shown in Pontiac, Mich., where the 254 per cent figure was achieved. Miami, Fla., with a gain of 156.6 per cent, was second, and was the only city not primarily industrial in character to more than double last year's figures. The other hundred-percent-plus cities, according to the record, are Youngstown, Toledo, Quincy, Flint, Lowell, New Haven, Lynn, Detroit, Dayton, Canton, Pawtucket and Akron, in that order. Jackson, Mich., Chattanooga, and Fall River each gained more than 90 per cent. "Several of the cities showing sharpest gains are primarily automotive centers, and the majority of

the 14 are closely connected with the automotive industry, either as car producing cities or as sources of materials or parts." Mr. Hoiler pointed out.

Gratifying gains have also been made, Mr. Hoiler added, in many of the largest centers. New York is well above the average, with an increase of more than 38 per cent, and so are Brooklyn and Queens, with 36.2 per cent. Philadelphia shows an advance of 44.6 per cent, and Cleveland 35.4 per cent.

"Combined with the striking improvement being shown in the smaller towns and throughout rural areas,

these gains in industrial centers—reflecting, as they do, the influence of automotive prosperity on cities' buying power—are especially pleasing," Mr. Hoiler said. "Sales through May are approximately \$5,000 ahead of the same period last year."

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An "in honor" affair was held last Friday afternoon at Lake DeLafosse when members of the Dorcas class of the Baptist church entertained with a surprise shower, naming Mrs. J. L. Hart, Jr., as honoree. Mrs. Hart and son, Mike, will leave in the near future to join Mr. Hart, who is working in the Avoca oil field.—Shackelford County Leader, Albany.

Several oil men and a few farmers of the Sharon community enjoyed a picnic on Bull creek Wednesday evening. . . . Paul Teas, oil operator, was chief host, with Mrs. Teas as his able assistant. . . . Among picnickers were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Teas and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Jordan and children, all of Colorado City.—Scurry County Times.

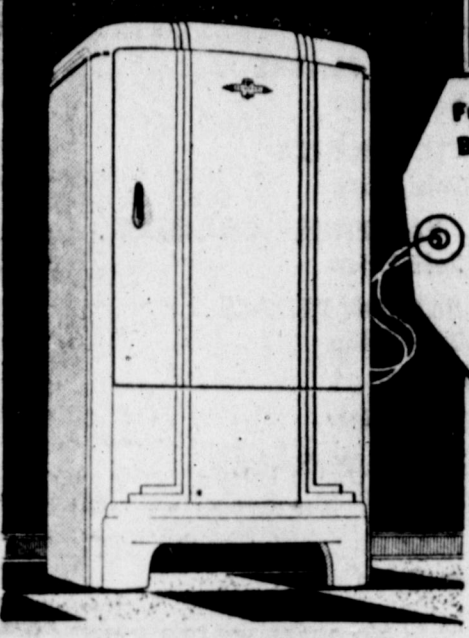
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WESTBROOK SCHOOL LIBRARY

The Westbrook school library will remain open to the public through the summer months. We appreciate very much the donation of \$10 made by the senior class for the purchase of new books for the library. I am holding a story hour class each week for a period of two hours each Tuesday evening from 2 to 4 o'clock. I urge the parents to let the children from 4 to 10 years of age attend each meeting.

MRS. ROSA RUDDICK, Librarian.

LOCALS

Mrs. A. L. Young and Alberta returned home Sunday after a weeks visit in Ft. Worth. Mrs. N. R. Wait and daughter returned to Kansas City, Mo., Thursday after a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. W. W. Knox and family. Mrs. Charles McMillen and Charles, Jr., of Abilene are visiting Mr. R. U. Bean and Mrs. Mary Henderson this week. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gilliam visited Mrs. Gilliam's parents in Eaird Sunday. Mrs. Jewel Brewer spent Sunday visiting in Merkel. Mrs. W. L. Smith and Ruth left Monday for a two months visit in Longview with Mrs. Smith's children. Mr. Bill Cline was operated on for appendicitis Sunday at the Root hospital. He is reported to be doing satisfactory. Mrs. J. R. Lindsey and children, Mrs. M. G. Hall and Miss Margaret Lasseter were in Big Spring Tuesday. Mrs. H. C. Guthrie returned home Friday from Mentone after a weeks visit with her daughter. Miss Mary Kent left Thursday for Boulder, Colorado, where she will attend summer school. Mrs. Herbert Wildman and sons of Sterling, Illinois, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Van Boston this week.

Miss Emilee Ramsey is spending the week in Abilene visiting.

Robert Earl Bassham returned home last Tuesday after a visit in Forsan with relatives.

Mrs. Ralph Ramsey spent the week-end in Austin visiting relatives.

Mrs. Walter Barham left Wednesday for a two weeks visit in Stephenville with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Walden and children of Lubbock spent the week-end visiting Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Walden.

Billie Walden of Lubbock is spending the week with his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Walden.

Mrs. Hugo Zetman and baby of Roscoe spent last week with her sister, Mrs. R. P. Ware.

SEVEN OLDTIMERS OF COLORADO CITY ARE ON STAMFORD LIST

Veteran Texas cowhands who rode range and trail 35 or more years ago will gather in Stamford for the tenth annual meeting of their association during the Texas Cowboy Reunion July 3, 4 and 5.

Seven old timers of Colorado City are listed as members of the association: J. E. Badgett, H. C. Landers, J. P. Maddox, Mrs. Dan L. Phillips, Mrs. Maude Davidson, Sam W. Jordan, D. H. Snyder.

All members who have paid their annual dues of \$1 have been issued badges which will admit them free at the Reunion rodeo and also to the chuck wagon dinner given in their honor at noon each day of the Cowboy Reunion.

The oldtime cowboys have as their permanent headquarters the cowboy bunkhouse at the Reunion grounds. A new building, "The Roundup", where oldtime dances will be held, is now being completed and will be the property of the association when paid for.

MACKEYS RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Mackey and Mary Frances, accompanied by Mrs. O. F. Jones, returned Friday after a visit in Washington, D. C., New York City, and other points. The Mackeys got a close look at King George and Queen Mary while in Washington.

Three hundred and five bills affecting motorists were introduced in the current session of the California legislature.

PROGRAMS MAPPED FOR THREE MEETINGS OF BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE OF DISTRICT

Programs for three meetings of Baptist young people in District 8 during the early part of July have been announced by Mrs. T. A. Patterson of Colorado City, district young people's leader.

The meetings will be the district Y.W.A. houseparty at Colorado City July 4-6, the district G.A. houseparty at Lamesa July 6-8, and the district R.A. at Colorado City July 10-12.

The G.A.'s and the R.A.'s have never held district meetings before. The women's missionary society of First Baptist church is to entertain the district Y.W.A. houseparty. Mrs. Chas. Farris is chairman of the arrangements committee and she is to be assisted by Mrs. Dell Barber, local Y.W.A. leader, and Mrs. Paul Cooper. Mrs. Lee Lavendera, W.M.S. president, will assist the committee.

Adele Watkins of Snyder is district Y.W.A. president.

Arrangements for the G.A. houseparty at Lamesa are in charge of Mrs. H. P. St. Claire, director of young people for the Lamesa Baptist association.

The R.A. meeting will be held in the form of an encampment at the Earl Hammond ranch near Colorado City, with Mrs. Patterson as camp leader, Truett Fulcher of Colorado City as recreational director, and Rev. Aubrey Short of Rochester as camp chaplain.

District 8 takes in a territory extending roughly from Roscoe to Odessa and from Snyder and Lamesa to Garden City. It includes three Baptist associations, the Mitchell-Scurry, the Lamesa, and the Big Spring.

NO OLD AGE PENSION INVESTIGATIONS UNTIL RULING IS MADE ON LAW

AUSTIN—W. A. Little, Director of the Texas Old Age Assistance Commission, has stated that no investigations would be made of applicants for Old Age Assistance under the new law until a ruling had been secured from the Attorney General's department, which opinion would serve in formulating policies and procedure of investigation under the liberalized act. Even after the opinion has been secured, it will be necessary for investigational instructions to be perfected and workers advised as to their use. This will likely require another week or ten days after the Attorney General's department has officially acted.

Little further stated that registrations had reached about 30,000 for the State as a whole, and it was an admitted fact that under the most favorable circumstances, several months would be required to complete records of investigation and to certify recipients for whatever prorata share of available money might be at hand from month to month. In the meantime, a new plan will be submitted to the Social Security Board at Washington, and their final decision as to the approval or disapproval of the plan awaited.

BIG DAY SUNDAY FOR METHODISTS OF HYMAN

Sunday was a big day for members of the Hyman Methodist church. Rev. Carradine Hooten of Sweetwater, district superintendent, preached the morning sermon and, with the assistance of Mrs. Hooten, gave special song numbers. Dinner was served at the Hyman schoolhouse, following which the church's quarterly conference was held at 2 o'clock. Stewards are Frank Andrews, W. E. Jackson, and Mrs. Harry Hyman. Andrews was elected delegate to the district meeting. Rev. D. A. Ross of Coahoma, pastor of the Hyman Methodist church, was present at all the services and preached at the evening hour.

By reading the ads you know what the stores have to offer.

LUCILLE BODINE GOES TO MEETING OF ALPHA CHI OMEGA SORORITY

Lucille Bodine, vice-president of Alpha Chi Omega at the University of Texas, left Wednesday morning from Colorado City to attend the sorority's national convention in the Log Chateau of the Seignior club in Canada.

Miss Bodine, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bodine of Buford, will board a special train with other delegates from all over the nation in Chicago on Friday. Stops will be made in Detroit, Toronto, Ottawa, and Montebello, which is the Seignior club station.

The convention will begin Sunday and last four days. Luncheons, dinners, receptions, a broadcast, business meetings, a hayrack ride, picnics, and sports will be included on the program. Delegates will leave Thursday for stops at the New York World's Fair, Washington, D. C., Richmond, Va., and then home through the "old south."

TRIANGLE HD CLUB AT THE ERWIN HOME

By Mrs. R. D. Favor, Reporter

The Triangle Home Demonstration club met Tuesday, June 13th, with Mrs. Cecil Erwin with eight regular members, one new member and two visitors present.

Miss Crippen gave a demonstration on personal appearance and posture, efficiency methods, other uses of kitchens.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Guy Floyd on June 27th. Our program will be round table discussion. All members are urged to be present.

HERE FOR FUNERAL

Among those who came from out of town for the recent funeral of Mr. Buck Latty were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Rushie, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robjohn, Oscar Enkis, Jack Evans, Albert Johnson, Mat Scowell, and Mr. Phillips, all of Jal. N. M. Mrs. Jewel Smith of Big Spring; Mrs. Johnnie Airhart and Mrs. Edgar Airhart of Knott; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ellett of Big Spring.

LOCAL BOY SCOUTS HONOR LISTS FROM RECENT ENCAMPMENT

Several local Boy Scouts won honors at Camp Pawcett, which is maintained by the Buffalo Trails council near Barksdale, during the first encampment period two weeks ago, a report from the camp shows. Earnest Porter was one of the scouts inducted into the Order of the Arrow as the camping period closed. This is the highest honor awarded at the camp and Porter was one of the six boys elected out of 101 in the camp.

Joel Wood and Tom Machia, both of Colorado City, received first-class rating, while Irwin Terry rated in the second-class group. Star awards went to Dudley Bush and M. C. Fry. Armor Allen Porter took a life award. Tom Machia a junior life-saving award.

Merit badges were won by Joel Wood in swimming, pathfinding, bird study, cooking, and public health; armor Allen Porter in public health, personal health, and athletics; M. C. Fry in swimming, safety, camping, personal health, and first aid; Tom Machia in swimming; John Doss in aviation, public health, reading, hiking, handcraft, firemanship, personal health, farm home and planning, first aid, safety, bird study, cooking, pathfinding, and physical development; Louis Latham in civics; Dudley Bush in safety, poultry keeping, pathfinding, public health, personal health, aviation, handcraft, firemanship, bird study, swimming, automobile, textiles, first aid, and cooking; Stuart Cooper in pathfinding and safety.

John Latham and Craig Porter won marksmanship medals from the National rifle association.

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HERE FOR SUMMER

Cleo Pritchett, who teaches in the Dallas school system, arrived Saturday to spend the summer in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pritchett.

WORKING AT LEVELLAN

Reynolds Brown, son of Mr. Mrs. John Brown, went to work week of the producing department of the Texas company at Levelan. Brown is taking a five course in petroleum chemical engineering at the California Institute of Technology at Los Angeles, and has been working for the company there for two years. A request for a transfer to Texas during the summer months was granted.

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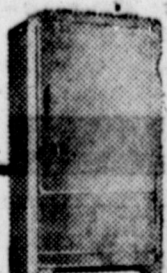
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CUTHBERT NEWS

Mr. C. E. Lundy and daughter, Mrs. Nora Clark and granddaughter, Margaret Clark of Ponca City, Okla., visited his sister Mrs. W. R. Burrus last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Fisher and children visited at Austin and Beaumont last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Drue Cawthron and son are visiting at Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Rhodes of Lamona visited the W. R. Burrus Thursday.

Our community was not so badly damaged by the wind and rain storm Monday as surrounding communities north and east of us.

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PICKED UP ALONG THE NEWS PATH

Though our youthful travels were extremely limited, as our adult travels have been, we did go about enough in our more tender years to be able to remember the deliciousness of cold fried chicken and soggy cake out of a twine-tied shoe box, back in the days when "fixing up a lunch" was one of the prime items in preparing for a train trip of any duration.

You are not supposed to be remembering that last week's paper sent the Williams off on the Sunday train rather than the Monday. They'll pick up a new car in Flint, Mich., and motor from there to Ontario, Canada, the New York World's fair, and other points.

A fellow Colorado citizen, Paul E. Harkins, was written up in the "Odds and Ends" column of the Lynn County News at Tahoka last week. The column is just now a-borning and if we are not mistaken, Mr. Harkins made the "first edition."

Said column, which graces the sheet's front page, is credited to "Eve Eye the Elder," and this "Eve Eye the Elder" has the following to say about Harkins:

"By the way, what is more pleasant than the unexpected visit of an old-time friend? We had such an experience last Saturday. It was like a burst of sunshine on a wintry day, like the springing-up of cool breezes at the close of a blistering afternoon. Unseen until the door opened, Paul Harkins of Colorado City quietly stepped into the office and greeted us with a friendly smile and a warm handshake that made us glow from the raven locks that adorn our crown to the blasted old corns that have moved in and taken possession of our toes. We first knew Paul in Bell county, where both of us were reared. Then we came west and located at Roscoe, and lo and behold Paul was there. For several years we lived as neighbors. For two or three terms he served his people as county commissioner of Nolan county, and he served them faithfully and well. Personally, we never asked him a favor but that he granted it. In fact, he granted many favors that we never asked for. And then we moved to Tahoka and Paul moved to Colorado City. Don't think we had seen him for fifteen years. So, when he walked into our office Saturday afternoon looking hale and hearty, though the snows of many winters have lodged in his thinning locks, we felt just like kin-folks had

come to see us. What a wonderful thing it is to have real friends."

AMATEUR HOUR SIDELIGHTS: In our opinion, Friday night's program was one of the most unusual and most entertaining ever presented in the amphitheater. Credit goes to Dr. Harry A. Loedson, Harry Ratliff, Roy Davis Coles, and everybody who took part. We've seldom seen the house (don't remind us that there wasn't a "house" or of this will come out all wrong) more completely brought down by an amateur hour number than Friday night's was by the natural and perfectly timed comedy displayed by Eugene Haley in putting on his "A-B-C" sermon in an "old toper" characterization. Earl Cybert was such a perfect bum that most anybody would give him a hasty hand-out just to get him away from the back door. And there was art in the stance that derbied, mustached, tight-trousered Everett Stagner took in the barbershop quartet numbers—he must have been looking at pictures, because he was our idea of a typical gay-ninety quartet end man.

SMATTERINGS: Naming of Mrs. Shorty Northcutt of the Rendenbrook ranch as Colorado City's sponsor for the Big Spring and Stamford rodeos has our hearty approval, because we've yet to see anything prettier on a horse than this Mrs. Northcutt is. They tell on Ed Newson, who scorns fishing for anything but bass, caught two catfish on artificial bait not long ago and was thoroughly disgusted with both himself and the catfish, who didn't seem to know that they aren't supposed to care for artificial bait—and that Mr. Newsom doesn't care for catfish at all, be they artificially baited or otherwise. Harry Ratliff says that L. B. Elliott, father of five daughters, is Colorado City's Eddie Cantor. Which reminds us that Mrs. Elliott quipped on the birth of their fifth daughter that the Elliotts had their quintuplets, even if it did take them considerably longer to get the five than it did the DeMones. Frankie Snyder, son of Dudley Snyder and grandson of D. H. Snyder, Sr., was pictured in Sunday's photo section of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. There hasn't been any privacy at all around the W. J. Pritchett home since Lottie Pritchett's century plant began blooming. But don't worry if you've been one of the peekers, because the Pritchetts are rightfully proud of that plant and therefore don't mind the gazings of the curious and interested citizenry.

Speaking of splashes (we weren't, but ignore that) we venture that there was splashing aplenty at Sweetwater lake on a certain morning last week when T. B. Russell and Dale Warren made the mistake of getting on the same side of a boat at the same time, with nobody at all on the other side. They'd just finished staking a five-pound cat and a six-pounder and had gone forth exuberantly in the hope of bringing in some more good staking when the mishap occurred. Luckily the water was just neck deep—and didn't our amateur five than it fans miss a grand picture when they came wading out of the lake!

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Howard Brown and Miss Jukaleta Perry, Roscoe.
Sam Lacey and Juanita Smith (ne-grees), Colorado.

Transfers in Real Estate:
H. B. Derryberry et ux to J. T. Hock; Lots 11 and 12, Block 24, T. & P. Div. to Loraine; \$400.00.
William L. Miller to Mrs. Emma M. Hance; Lot 4, Block 71, Colorado; \$250.00.

F. F. Kelley et ux to G. H. Cowan; 60 acres out of Sec. 27, Blk. 25, T. & P. Ry. Co.; \$1.00.
Lucy I. Way to E. Barber; 32 1/2 acres out of S.E. 1/4 Sec. 47, and \$72.41 acres out of Sec. 48, Blk. 25, Twp 1 South, T. & P. Ry. Co.; \$71.62.50.
Lucy I. Way to E. Barber; 4 acre tract from North part Sec. 48, Blk. 28, South, T. & P. Ry. Co.; \$410.00.
A. C. Williams, Trustee to Federal Farm Mortgage Corp. SW 1/4 and S 1/2 of SE 1/4 Sec. 169, Blk. 26, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys; \$1700.00.

Tillar Fidelity Co. et al to R. C. Johnson; Lots 2 and 3, Block 19, W. & M. Ad. to Colorado; \$25.00.
Champ Carter et al, Exrs. to R. H. Ratliff and John M. Worrell, Sr.; 8 1/2 Lot 16, Blk. 40, Colorado City; \$10.00.
H. E. Green to City of Colorado City; W 1/2 Lots 7 and 8, Blk. 25, Colorado City; \$1.00.
M. A. Giddens et ux to A. L. Whirley; 107.36 acres from Sec. 21, Blk. 26, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys; \$10.00 and other considerations.
Anchor Bldg. & Loan Assn. to E. A. Durham; Part Lots 7 and 8, Blk. 119, Colorado; \$1,000.00.
J. D. McCreless et al to J. Marvin Dorn; NE 1/4 Sec. 67, Blk. 27, T. & P. Ry. Co. surveys; \$605.29 and assumption of notes.

New Cars Registered:
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John L. Clark, Colorado, Dodge Coupe.
Jerald Riordan, Colorado, Mercury Sedan.
Snyder Motor Co., Colorado, Ford Coupe.
L. M. Ancell, Colorado, Plymouth Coupe.
Russell B. Matthews, El Paso, Chrysler Sedan.
Alvin Byrd, Colorado, Plymouth Coach.
Spade Ranch, Colorado, Ford Coach.
K. L. Taylor, Loraine, Plymouth Sedan.

Texas Cement & Plaster Co., Colorado, Plymouth Coach.
D. H. Snyder, Colorado, Lincoln Zephyr.
Dr. J. D. Williams, Colorado, Chevrolet Coupe.
H. C. Beal, Colorado, Ford Coach.
T. E. Burrus, Colorado, Plymouth Sedan.
A. D. Compere, Colorado, Chevrolet Sedan.
G. C. Bonner, Colorado, Oldsmobile Sedan.
M. A. Dunnahoo, Roscoe, Ford Coach.
A. E. Maddin, Colorado, Chevrolet Pickup.

ADVICE GIVEN ON SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICTS

COLLEGE STATION, Texas.—Any group of farmers who contemplate organizing under the soil conservation district act recently passed by the Texas Legislature should appoint a committee to visit and observe similar districts in other states.

This is the observation made here by C. (Dutch) Hohn, soil and water conservation specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, who has just returned from a tour of soil conservation districts in Louisiana, Arkansas, and Oklahoma.

Included in the party that made the tour were the members of the recently selected state soil conservation board, V. C. Marshall, chairman, of Heidenheimer; Horace Fawcett, Del Rio; W. G. Kennedy, Muleshoe; J. P. Martin, Martinsville and Walter Cardwell, Luling; Paul Walser, state coordinator of the Soil Conservation Service with headquarters at Texas A. and M.; and Geo. E. Adams, assistant state agent of the Texas Extension Service.

The group visited with supervisors and observed the work being done in districts at Minden, Louisiana; Conway and Russellville, Arkansas; and Broken Arrow and Konawa, Oklahoma. A meeting was held with the Oklahoma state board.

Hohn, in a letter to Texas county agents, warned that the Texas law was an enabling act rather than a set-up designed to secure federal aid for direct conservation work. He urged that agents bring this fact to the attention of farmers.

"Many of our Texas people apparently have the idea that all they have to do to receive machinery, materials, and labor from federal sources is to organize a district," he pointed out. "On the contrary, nothing in the Texas act can be so interpreted. We found that some people in other states had the same idea, and that they were disappointed."

He added that technical aid would be available to districts to the extent permitted by the present set-up of state and federal agencies.

"The real value of the soil conservation district act is that it makes

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Other schools offering such courses are:

- Southwest Texas State Teachers College at San Marcos; Sam Houston State Teachers at Huntsville; East Texas State Teachers at Commerce; Southern Methodist University; Texas at Canyon; Texas A. & M.; North Texas State Teachers at Denton and Stephen F. Austin State Teachers at Nacogdoches.

TEN SCHOOLS TEACHING TRAFFIC SAFETY NOW

AUSTIN.—Ten Texas colleges and universities—more than ever before—are including traffic safety courses in their curriculum this summer, a state police survey showed today.

Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr., state police head, commended the schools for an important contribution to traffic education.

"Most of those taking these courses are teachers themselves—a happy fact that solves one of the problems of getting safety education into more schools. In the past it has been hard to find teachers already trained in safety work," he said.

Most of the safety education courses offered this summer embrace first aid, general safety, including safety in the home, and traffic safety. At the University of Texas,

BAZE FAMILY PICNIC

Members of the family of Mrs. W. T. Baze of Snyder met at Ruddick park for a picnic Thursday evening.

Those present were: Mrs. W. T. Baze, Mrs. Inez Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Baze, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Baze, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Baze, Grandmother Faulkner, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Baze, Roy Baze, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnston and children, Mrs. LaRuth Leatherwood, Mrs. John Portes, and Herbert Portes, all of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. John R. Baze of Colorado City.

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