

### WANING JULY FINDS COUNTY'S CROPS IN ENCOURAGING SHAPE

**COTTON DOING ESPECIALLY WELL; FEED GOOD BUT WILL NEED MORE RAIN IN NEAR FUTURE**

The crucial latter half of July finds Mitchell county with its best general farm prospects in years, according to many leading farmers and farm authorities of the county. One man who keeps in close touch with farm developments in the county said this week that he believes 90% of the county's farmers have the best crop prospects they have had in years, and there were others who seconded his statement.

The cotton crop is particularly good in all parts of the county, according to reports. The crop is late in the Valley View and Spade sections because of June hail, and in some portions of the northwestern area because of delayed moisture. These crops are showing up fine, however, considering their lateness, it is reported.

So far there have been no reports of widespread damage by insects and worms. A few boll weevils have been reported in the southwestern part of the county. Some boll worm damage is showing up, but nothing alarming as yet. Leaf worms have not been reported at all.

Generally speaking, the feed crop over the county is considerably under what it was at this time last year, which was a bumper feed year. For some reason not readily seen, this year's crop has not grown off quite as well as last year's did, reports indicate.

In many sections the feed crops are already needing rain badly and will be lost unless rain comes soon. Some additional rain will also be needed by most of the county's cotton. The Hyman area has suffered from drought this year, having already lost much of its feed crop, reports say. Cotton at Hyman is faring better than feed, but it is not doing as well as that elsewhere in the county.

Although a final check-up has not been made, it is believed that Mitchell county has about the same cotton acreage as was the case last year, a total of around 70,000 acres.

### CITY-WIDE PINGPONG TOURNAMENT SCHEDULED HERE JULY 27-28

A city-wide pingpong tournament is to be held July 28 and 29 in the recreational building at Colorado City under direction of the city recreation department, according to Truett Fulcher, director.

Boys and girls will play off in separate divisions in the following age divisions: Midgets, children up to 12; Juniors, ages 12 to 15; seniors, 12 to 21; men and women over 21.

Bracketing of players will begin at 9:30 Friday morning, July 28, at the recreational building, which was formerly the Coleman school building, Fulcher says.

### PATTERSONS LEAVE FOR WORLD MEETING OF BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. and Mrs. T. A. Patterson of First Baptist church left Monday to attend the Baptist World Alliance which convenes in Atlanta, Ga., the latter part of this week. They planned to visit relatives enroute and to pick up their daughter, Dorris Dawn, in Abilene.

The Baptist World Alliance meets each five years, the last meeting having been held in Berlin in 1934. Dr. George W. Truett of Dallas is retiring president.

### LIBRARY MEETING HELD HERE TUESDAY

An all-day library meeting was held in the Colorado High school library Tuesday with Melba Read of San Angelo, area supervisor of the WPA library project, in charge.

The group studied the different characteristics of the encyclopedia and the different kinds found in local schools.

Present were Mrs. Inez Dearen, Mrs. Grace Everett, and Mrs. Mae Webb, all of Colorado City; Mrs. Bullard and Mrs. Redden of Lorraine; Mrs. Rosa Ruddick of Westbrook.

### TECH PRESIDENT MAIN SPEAKER AT LIONS LUNCHEON

**'AMERICANISM' TO BE PROTECTED, COLLEGE HEAD AVERS**

"Americanism" will be protected against outside "un-American" influences in Texas Technological college, Lubbock, as long as he is head of the college, President Clifford B. Jones told members of the Colorado City Lions club at their luncheon Friday.

President Jones was introduced by Chas. C. Thompson, member of the board of Texas Tech. He outlined the history of the college, having been connected with it since the beginning, first as a board member and then as president.

Scientific research being done at Tech along lines of special interest in West Texas, such as oil, livestock, and farming, was discussed by Mr. Jones.

Introduced as guests in addition to Mr. Jones were Clifford Knott, who will be a transfer member; John Pratt, D. H. Snyder, Sr., James Payne, and W. W. Wadzeck.

### GOODWILL DINNER WILL BE HELD AT MCKENZIE SCHOOL

**CITIZENS OF MCKENZIE AND SILVER WILL BE GUESTS JULY 27**

Citizens of the Silver and McKenzie communities of Mitchell county are to be guests of Colorado City business and professional men for a chamber of commerce goodwill dinner at the McKenzie schoolhouse on Thursday night, July 27, it was announced this week by H. B. Spence, chamber manager.

Around 50 Silver and McKenzie men are expected to attend the dinner, according to Mrs. Ed Snowden, who is chairman of arrangements. The dinner will be served by women of the two communities under direction of the home demonstration clubs. Jake Richardson has been named as toastmaster for the occasion, according to Spence.

### AMBULANCE DRIVER FINDS KINFOLKS IN HIGHWAY ACCIDENT

It was something of a surprise to Eddy Pyland of the Pyland Funeral home when he rushed his ambulance to the scene of a highway accident near Lorraine last Sunday morning and found that the victims were all in a group of relatives and friends who had visited him and Mrs. Pyland less than half an hour before.

In the group were Mrs. Pyland's brother, J. D. Arthur, and his wife and two children of Big Spring; her sister, Mrs. Dovez Buzbee of Big Spring, and Arthur Winslow, also of Big Spring. The car, a DeSoto, belonged to Winslow, who was driving. The group had stopped here enroute to Abilene to visit the Pylands for a few minutes.

The mishap occurred, they said, when they swerved to avoid a truck this side of Lorraine. The car went out of control and overturned several times. Mrs. Arthur sustained a knee injury, as did Mrs. Buzbee. The men received minor cuts. The group was brought to the hospital here for first aid and then returned to Big Spring in a Pyland ambulance while their car remained here for repairs.

### JOHN A. THOMPSON REOPENS STORE HERE

John A. Thompson, who closed his grocery and feed store here several weeks ago to be with his ill wife in Lubbock, announced this week that he is re-open for business in the old stand.

The store has a new and complete stock, Thompson says.

### SMITH TO POSTAL WORKERS' MEETING

Among Mitchell countians attending the meeting of Texas Federal employes in Abilene the latter half of this week are Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Smith.

Smith is president of the Texas Rural Letter Carriers' association. Mrs. Smith is active in the auxiliary of the association.

### FINAL PLANS MAPPED FOR PRELIMINARY PERMIAN BASIN CONCLAVE HERE ON WEDNESDAY NEXT WEEK

Final plans for entertaining a preliminary meeting of the proposed Permiian basin organization on Wednesday evening were mapped by the Permiian basin celebration committee of the Colorado City chamber of commerce Tuesday evening.

The meeting will be held at the Colorado City hotel, beginning at 8 o'clock. Scheduled to attend are three official representatives from each town in the Permiian basin area, one a business man, one a landowner, and one an oil man.

These men are to form the directorate for the Permiian basin organization whose formation will be the main objective of the Permiian basin anniversary celebration in Colorado City on August 24-25. The celebration will mark the 19th anniversary of the discovery of oil in the Permiian basin, that discovery having been made in the Westbrook field of Mitchell county in the summer of 1920.

Dr. W. S. Rhode, president of the Colorado City chamber of commerce, will preside. Frank Kelley, head of the Magnolia Petroleum company, and lease office for the eastern half of the Permiian basin at Colorado City, will make a talk outlining the need for an organization in which the interests of oil men, businessmen, and agriculturists of the area will be combined and coordinated.

J. C. Watson of Abilene, executive secretary of the West Central Texas Oil and Gas association, will give a brief resume of things which can be accomplished through organization in the oil industry. Watson will be accompanied from Abilene by A. J. Frazier, president of the organization of which he is secretary.

### THREE TRIPS TO CONTACT PERMIAN TOWNS ON FRIDAY

Three simultaneous trips are planned for Friday by the Permiian basin celebration committee of the Colorado City chamber of commerce to contact Permiian basin towns in regard to being represented at the meeting here Wednesday evening, July 26, to map plans for the Permiian basin anniversary celebration and organization meeting on August 24-25.

Each town in the Permiian basin has been invited to send three representatives to the preliminary meeting, and these three will serve as the town's directors in the permanent organization. One of the three is to be a land-owner, one a business man, and one an oil man.

Scheduled to make the trips are R. J. Wallace, chairman of the celebration committee; Frank Kelley, Dr. W. S. Rhode, Ben Smith, J. W. Randle, Wm. Brookover, Harry Ratliff, P. K. Mackey, and H. B. Spence.

The group will be divided into three cars, one car going to Sterling City, San Angelo, Mertzon, Big Lake, Rankin, McCamey, Crane, and Odessa; another to Big Spring, Midland, Monahans, Kermit, Wink, and Pecos; the third to Snyder, Post, Slaton, Lubbock, Brownfield, Littlefield, Tahoka, and Lamesa.

A later trip will contact Sweetwater, Rotan, Lorraine, Westbrook, and other towns in this vicinity.

### BRICK WORK WELL UNDERWAY ON MAX BERMAN BUILDING

**NEW OUTSIDE WALLS GO UP RAPIDLY; INSIDE WORK DUE SOON**

Brick work on the new outside walls for the Max Berman Department store is well underway this week and plans are being made to begin interior remodeling next week.

Task of demolishing and hauling away the old walls on the south and east of the building was completed last week. Business is going on as usual within temporary walls constructed several feet inside the permanent walls.

The new walls will feature spacious show-windows on both the south and east side of the store. As soon as the wall is completed to the second story, the temporary walls of the first story can be removed to make way for the extension which is to be built to the ready-to-wear department within the store. The department occupies the balcony, which is to be extended to over twice its present size.

Modern fixtures are being made and will be shipped in for installation as soon as remodeling is finished, according to Berman.

Berman and his wife and daughter, Phyllis, accompanied by Mrs. Harry Ragan of the ladies' ready-to-wear will leave Sunday to attend the Southwest style shows in Dallas and Fort Worth and select new stock for the store's formal opening Sept. 1.

### TWO COLORADO CITY LIONS AMONG THROG ACCLAIMING NEW KING LION IN PITTSBURGH

CHICAGO, July 21.—With two Colorado City Lions, John E. Watson and Thos. Dawes, among those proclaiming him, a new King Lion was crowned today in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, when the international convention of Lions clubs unanimously elected Alexander T. Wells of New York City president of Lions International.

Wells, who is a lawyer, served the past year as first vice president and was United States representative upon the International Council of Lions Clubs. He succeeds retiring president Walter F. Dexter, state superintendent of public instruction in California.

The voting concluded a four-day convention climaxing the association's greatest year of growth. In the past twelve months charters were issued to 57 new Lions clubs, an all-time high, and more than 17,000 net gain in membership was reported to the convention by Secretary General Melvin Jones of Chicago. Lions clubs are now the most numerous service club in the United States and Canada. There are 3,500 in the association, with a membership of 125,000.

The new president is a native of New York city, where he has always lived. He was educated in the public schools and at St. Lawrence Academy, New York; Dwight Preparatory school and the New York Law school. He has been a member of the Bar of the State of New York for the past thirty-three years.

Wells has held many offices both in his own Lions club and in the International association. He is a past district governor of New York state, has served on the board of directors, was chairman of the committee on international relationships for one year, and in 1936 was elected third vice-president. In succeeding years he has been unanimously elected to fill the second and first vice-presidencies.

### IMPROVEMENTS AND REPAIRS UNDERWAY AT BAPTIST CHURCH

**NEARLY \$5,000 WORTH OF WORK AND FURNISHINGS FOR BUILDING**

Improvements and repairs which will cost in the neighborhood of \$5,000 are underway at First Baptist church.

New furniture for the entire auditorium was contracted for several weeks ago and will be installed within the next few days. The furniture includes new pews, choir seats, and pulpit appointments. Contract for carpet was closed this week.

The entire interior of the auditorium is being repainted and the floor is being sanded and refinished before the pews are installed.

Because the pastor, Rev. T. A. Patterson, is attending the Baptist World Alliance in Atlanta, Ga., there will be no church service Sunday. Sunday school will be held at the usual time, however.

All the work on the auditorium, with the possible exception of the carpet laying, will be completed by Sunday, July 3, and the church will be ready for use by that time.

The \$65,000 edifice was cleared of debt in May, eleven years after its construction in 1928.

### COLORADO CITY TO SEND SPONSOR TO MIDLAND'S RODEO

A cowgirl sponsor will be sent from Colorado City to the Midland rodeo Sept. 2, 3, and 4.

The sponsor will be named by the chamber of commerce in the near future.

### PIGGLY WIGGLY MEN HERE FRIDAY

Two main contact men with the Piggly Wigly corporation were visitors at J. W. Randle's Piggly Wigly store last Friday.

They were George Lauridsen of Atlanta, Ga., contact man for the market department, and Clay L. Malancon of San Antonio.

### CITY'S DELINQUENT TAX TOTAL FOR 1938 REACHES \$6,250.13

**NEARLY \$300 ADDED AS DEADLINE PASSES FOR SECOND-HALF PAYMENT**

Colorado City's 1938 delinquent tax total reached \$6,250.13 as the July 1 deadline for payment of the second half of taxes due at that time passed, according to Ford Merritt, city secretary and tax collector.

The delinquent total on February 1 was \$5,960.50 of taxes on which a half-payment had not been made, with \$1,184.34 in second half payments due to be paid before July 1.

Collections on second-half payments amounted to \$3,894.74, leaving \$289.63 in second-half payments delinquent and bringing the total 1938 delinquency to \$6,250.15.

The total amount of taxes due was around \$30,000, making collections amount to around 80%, which is some better than in recent years, according to city records.

### BELTON MAN IS TO BE PASTOR OF PRESBYTERIANS

**REV. JOHN J. MULLER TO ASSUME NEW DUTIES ON JULY 30**

Announcement was made this week that Rev. John J. Muller, pastor of First Presbyterian church at Belton, has accepted a call to become pastor of First Presbyterian church.

Rev. Mr. Muller is to preach his first sermon here on Sunday, July 30. He and his wife and child are to arrive the latter part of next week. The Presbyterian manse east of the church is being remodeled and repainted to receive them.

A graduate of Austin college, Sherman, Rev. Mr. Muller attended the seminary in Austin. He preached here several Sundays ago.

The Colorado City church has been pastorless since Rev. W. M. Elliott, Sr., resigned to go to Saluda, N. C., last October.

### TAX HEARING HELD BY COMMISSIONERS MONDAY, TUESDAY

Tax hearings were held Monday and Tuesday by the county commissioners' court, holding session in the office of the county tax assessor-collector.

Around a dozen tax payers appeared before the group during the two days.

### JUDGE WORKING ON COUNTY'S BUDGET

Mitchell county's 1940 budget is now being prepared by Judge A. F. King.

Date for a public hearing on the budget will be announced by the county commissioners' court in the near future. The hearing is to be held in August. The budget will be put in final form after the hearing.

### FUNDS AUTHORIZED BY REA FOR SURVEY OF COUNTY PROJECT

TEMPORARY OFFICE OPENED BY LONE WOLF ELECTRIC CO-OP ASSOCIATION

Funds for a pre-allotment survey of the rural electrification project being worked up in Mitchell county by the Lone Wolf Cooperative Electric association have been authorized by the Washington office of the Rural Electrification Administration, according to word received in Colorado City this week.

Over 175 miles have been mapped for the project by the field crew which has been working in the county under direction of R. A. Brister. These lines will bring electric service to approximately 550 farm families in Mitchell and adjacent counties.

An office has been opened by the Lone Wolf Cooperative Electric association for the time being in the Thompson & Barber office building.

ARRIVE AT FAIR Word comes from Mr. and Mrs. I. Tucker and son that they have arrived at the San Francisco world's fair after visiting relatives enroute.

### TOWNS NAME MEN TO HELP IN OUTLINING PERMIAN BASIN UNIT

**SET-UP FOR CELEBRATION AND ORGANIZATION IN AUGUST TO BE MAPPED HERE WEDNESDAY**

Towns and cities of the Permiian Basin oil territory are daily announcing appointments of their three representative citizens to attend the gathering which will be held here next Wednesday evening as a preliminary to the Permiian Basin anniversary celebration here on August 24-25.

Organization of the Permiian Basin oil, industrial, and agricultural interests into one unit will be mapped at the preliminary meeting. Towns in the basin have been invited to send three representatives each, one an oil man, one a landowner, and one a business man, to the meeting.

Colorado City's representatives were named this week by Dr. W. S. Rhode, president of the chamber of commerce. They are to be R. J. Wallace, oil man; P. K. Mackey, land-owner; and Chas. C. Thompson, business man.

Bill Collins, manager of the Midland chamber of commerce, has announced that Midland will be represented by Allen Watts, Clarence Scharbauer, and Marion Flynn. Tahoka will send J. K. Applewhite, W. L. Burleson, and Tom Garrard, according to a letter from Garrard, who is manager of the Tahoka chamber of commerce. C. B. Everett of the Post chamber writes that Post is sending Marshall Mason, Dr. A. C. Surman, and E. A. Warren. Snyder will send Paul C. Teas, Maurice Brownfield and G. M. Heinzelman.

Odessa, which has already announced its bid for the 1940 celebration, will send Giles Eastiff, Tom W. Davis, and L. C. English. English is manager of the Odessa chamber of commerce.

Other towns which have sent assurances of their being represented at the meeting include Lubbock and Big Spring. H. B. Spence, manager of the chamber of commerce, is receiving letters naming representatives in each mail.

### IMPROVEMENTS ARE UNDERWAY AT HOTEL; NEW SIGNS BOUGHT

Several outside improvements are underway at the Colorado hotel this week.

The fire escape has received a coat of aluminum paint. All outside work on the first story is being painted. Luther Harrison is in charge of the paint job.

A large neon sign has been ordered to go over the front entrance of the hotel, and another to go on Second street, which is a part of Highway One, to direct tourist attention to the location of the hotel.

These signs will be put up in the near future, according to Ben Smith, hotel manager.

### TWO COLORADO CITY FIREMEN AT SCHOOL IN A&M THIS WEEK

Two Colorado City firemen are attending the firemen's school at Texas A. & M. this week, according to Ed Majors, Colorado City fire chief.

Harve McCorkle and Mark Bynum are registered for the course from the local volunteer fire department. The state fire insurance commission gives a 3% reduction each year for attendance at the school. Colorado City has sent firemen to the school for the past several years.

### WESTERN THEME FOR 'DIFFERENT' AMATEUR PROGRAM FRIDAY NITE

"Night Frolic on the Bar Nothing Ranch" is the general title for the "different" amateur hour program which Dr. Harry Logsdon and Harry Ratliff plan to present at Ruddick park amphitheater Friday night.

Featuring a ranch and western theme throughout, the program will be varied and colorful with several special acts.

The usual band concert will begin at 8 o'clock and last for half an hour preceding the program.

### WPA CUT AFFECTS LOCAL LABORERS

Blanket cuts recently ordered in WPA rolls resulted in laying off between 10 and 12 men in Mitchell county and seven women.

The women were all employed in the Lorraine and Colorado City sewing rooms. The cut left 32 women employed in the two rooms. Most of the men cut from the rolls were listed as "inactive" cases, not being employed at the time the cut was made.



# SOCIETY

## Colorado City Business And Professional Women Pleased Over National Convention

Members of the Colorado City Business and Professional Women's club were pleased last week over the election of a Texas woman, Dr. Minnie L. Maffett of Dallas, as president of the national BPW organization as the annual convention closed in Kansas City.

At the request of local club members, the following story on future plans mapped for business and professional women during the convention is reprinted from a state newspaper:

"America's organized business and professional women mobilized Tuesday for a major fight to save the working rights of married members of their ranks.

"Facts and figures were the ammunition proposed in a two-year program mapped out by Miss Earlene White of Washington, president of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs, in biennial convention here.

"Miss White said the working wives' problem is the organization's most important business. She recommended the federation set aside \$5,500 to establish at New York headquarters

the machinery for carrying out the 1939-1940 program.

"The program would have two phases—the first would set up an agency to collect and correlate facts about married women workers including their purchasing power, their economic contributions in relation to family income and their need of jobs. The second point would revolve around a publicity and educational program to bring to public attention the results of the fact-finding survey and to change public opinion in some of its attitudes on the woman worker.

"Miss Benning said the attack on women workers is threefold, from men who begrudge women their earnings, from those who fear women's work is deleterious to their wives' functions and from capable women and girls who can work but have lost the feeling that they have a social duty as well as a personal one."

### Baptist Women Study 'Great Commission'

"The Great Commission in the 'Homeland' was the home mission topic for the Baptist WMS Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Chas. Farris led the devotional. Mrs. Lee Lavender made introductory remarks, following which Mrs. A. L. Whipkey gave topics under the different divisions of the home mission board's work. Mrs. Thos. Henderson played appropriate music with each topic.

### Fidelis Class Has Chicken Supper At Hammond Lodge

Members of the Fidelis class of First Baptist church and their husbands had a fried chicken supper at the Deep creek lodge of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hammond on Tuesday evening.

The chicken was fried over an open fire by Hammond and other class husbands. Supper was spread on the spacious screened-in porch of the lodge.

Mrs. A. E. McClain had general charge of arrangements.

### Presbyterian Women Hold Circle Meetings

Women of First Presbyterian church held circle meetings Monday. Circle One meeting with Mrs. W. J. Miller at the home of Mrs. Y. D. McMurry and Circle Two with Mrs. Jewell Riordan.

Mrs. A. H. Dolman conducted the devotional and lesson for Circle One. Mrs. P. C. Coleman reviewed the ten commandments. Mrs. C. E. Lytle became a new member.

Mrs. L. Short conducted the devotional and program for Circle Two. Fifteen were present, with Mrs. J. H. Pratt as a new member.

Both circles served refreshments.

### Mrs. Garrett Stitch And Chatter Hostess

Hostess to the Stitch and Chatter club Friday was Mrs. W. H. Garrett. Thirteen members and three guests. Mrs. W. W. Porter, Mrs. D. D. Davis and Mrs. Sid Burrus, were present. Lemonade and cake were served. Mrs. Alfred Cupp will be the next hostess.

### Bullock Family Reunion Is Held

Several Mitchell countians and former Mitchell countians were listed among members of the Bullock family attending the family's first reunion in two years at Abilene Sunday.

Listed among those present were the following: J. H. Bullock and his wife from Fort Worth; A. R. (Pat) Bullock and his wife and daughter and son-in-law from Snyder; Arthur Bullock and wife and children, Earl, Mary Julia, Nell and John Wilson of Westbrook; Mrs. Katie Cash and Mr. Cash and their son, Otis and his wife, from Post; Mrs. Cash's daughter, Mrs. Odette Claxton and Mr. Claxton and their daughter, Patsy of Abilene; Mrs. Minnie May and Mr. May and their two children, Aline and Arthur of Westbrook; Mrs. J. R. Cornelius and Mr. Cornelius and children, James Roy, John Milton, Billy Joe, and Mildred, all from Jefferson; Mrs. Will Clinton and son, Alton and his wife, and another son, Roy from Abilene; and the John Bullock family, Mr. and Mrs. and son Conrad, and daughter, Johnnie Louise.

### Barbara Ann Moore Is Birthday Hostess

Marking her fifth birthday, Barbara Ann Moore was hostess in the yard of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Moore's home last Friday afternoon.

Balloons and individual packages of suckers were favors to each little guest. The pink and white birthday cake was served with ice cream to Ann Randie, Rebecca Ann Coles, Dorothy Jean Lindley, Doris Marie Ellis, Helen Louise Britton, Patricia Morris, Billy Joe Chadwick, Jean Lee Moore, Udell Moore, Jr., Mary Jan Geer, Billie Lee Mooser, Nancy Dorn, Frances Ann Tillar, Jerry Richardson, Melton Willbanks, Bobby Trotter, Ben Kirby Rector, Billie Worrell, Sandra Blackard, Joyce Ann Ballard, Dolores and Charles Burnett, Jimmie Rogers, Billy Boyd, and the hostess. Mrs. Udell Moore assisted the mother, Mrs. Alton Moore, in entertaining.

### Daughters Of The King Have Meeting

Hostess for the July meeting of the Daughters of the King class of First Methodist church was Mrs. E. C. Tunnell last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. L. A. Costin led the devotional, and Mrs. A. D. Kiker read a poem on courage. Mrs. W. H. Garrett led in prayer.

Increased attendance at the McCall mission Sunday school was reported. Members reported help given during the flood. A gift was planned for Minta Jane Dobbs, granddaughter of one of the class members, Mrs. Jeff Dobbs. Forty-five visits were reported.

Plans were made for a picnic in August. Ice cream and cake were served to 16 members and three guests, Mrs. Lon Morgan, Mrs. Homer Key, and Mrs. Green, mother of Mrs. Tunnell.

### Bridgettes Meet With Mrs. Taylor

Including three tables of players, Mrs. Arlie Taylor entertained the Bridgettes last Thursday.

Mrs. Ben Smith made high score. Mrs. Mumpsey Wallace second high. Guests were Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. C. C. Thompson, Mrs. Dick Billingsley, Mrs. Bill Oswalt, and Mrs. Oswalt's guest, Mrs. Carl Hall of Childress.

A salad course was served after the games.

### Randles Entertain The Supper Club

Hosts to the Supper club last Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Randle, who arranged dinner at the Colorado hotel cafe.

In games later at the Randle home Mrs. Joe Mills made high for women. E. L. Latham high for men. Others playing were Mr. Mills, Mrs. Latham, the W. W. Whipkeys, the R. J. Wallaces, the O. B. Prices, and the Randles.

### Five New Members For Girl Scouts

Five new members were present when the Girl Scouts held their most recent meeting.

Three visitors were present, these being Beverly Lovelace, Zos Hughes of San Angelo, Betty Lee Kirkpatrick, and Virginia Gurney.

### Mabel Majors Attends Rotan Party Series

Mabel Ratliff Majors is in Rotan this week attending a series of pre-nuptial parties honoring Mary Taylor, her roommate at TSCW, Denton.

Miss Taylor is to be married August 19 to Elmer W. Atwood of Raton, N. M.

Miss Majors poured at a reception given for Miss Taylor on Tuesday morning.

### Picnic Arranged At Seven Wells Tuesday Night

A picnic was arranged at Seven Wells Tuesday evening by Mary Elizabeth Pidgeon.

Attending were Myra Brown, Rebecca Smoot, Nina Laura Smith, Louise Pinson of Forney, Frances Elliott, Frances Mackey, Mary Elizabeth Pidgeon, Bob Battle, Bob Robertson, John Bell, Burrus Pugsley, Chuck Wadzick, Jack Childress, Jake Holmes, and Monty Crawford.

The group went to the Mackey home after the picnic.

### Mrs. Wilkins Is Honored At Party

Complimenting Mrs. Lucille Wilkins, who was here for a brief visit with friends before returning to Stephenville after attending summer school in Abilene, a back yard party was given at the R. J. Wallace home Wednesday evening.

Supper was served to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Randle, Mrs. Joe Mills, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Latham, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whipkey, Mr. and Mrs. Don Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Mumpsy Wallace, Mrs. Wilkins, Earl Cypert, and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace.

### Don Wallaces Are Hosts For Barbecue

A chicken barbecue was given by Mr. and Mrs. Don Wallace on Saturday night.

The affair was held in the back yard of the R. J. Wallace home with about 35 attending.

### MRS. JENKINS HOME

Mrs. Leon Jenkins has returned home after having been away for several weeks. She spent the first three weeks in San Antonio with Mrs. Don Teel, the former Margaret Jenkins, who was seriously ill for a time. During the latter part of her visit she was with her twin daughters in Dallas and with relatives in Fort Worth.

### CUNNINGHAMS MOVE

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Cunningham, who have been living in the Bill Dorn house, have moved into the house where Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wyatt formerly lived just west of the R. J. Wallace home. The Wyatts have moved out to her mother's place for a few months. Mr. Cunningham is city engineer on the paving project.

Let us put a water softener in your home. You will never be willing to do without one again. Neal Mills. 1tc

### GOING TO RUIDOSO

Mrs. L. G. Mackey of Midland, the former Elsie Lee Majors of Colorado City, and her son, Graham, are due to leave Midland this week-end for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Sam Majors, at Ruidoso. Mrs. Mackey has been ill recently, but is reported somewhat better at this time.

### IN BENSON HOME

Mrs. A. C. Benson has had as guests this week her brother, Rev. W. G. Tankersley of Austin, and his family. The daughters, Frances and Billy Jean, have spent most of the week in the Benson home while Rev. Mr. Tankersley conducts a meeting in the Champion community.

### WHIPKEY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Whipkey had as guests Tuesday night Mrs. Whipkey's niece, Mrs. Pearl Fisher of St. Petersburg, Fla., accompanied by Mrs. J. A. Strickland and Frances Strickland of St. Petersburg and Blowrock, N. C., and Mrs. W. C. Campen of Zebulon, N. C. The party was enroute to Florida after a visit at the World's fair in California.

See our "Koolers." Just the thing for vacationists, salesmen, truckers or anyone who has to make long, hot trips in a car. Neal Mills. 1tc

### OSWALTS TO VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oswalt and children will leave some time next week for a vacation trip to Childress and Chillicothe.

### ON NEW MEXICO TRIP

Mrs. Frank Kelley, Mrs. Dick Billingsley, Mrs. Jim Cantrill, Frank Cantrill of Snyder, and his friend from Illinois left Tuesday morning for a New Mexico trip with Carlsbad caverns as the first stop.

### VISIT FLOYD JAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Jay of Wink and Mrs. Mary Jay of Gorman visited in the Floyd Jay home Sunday. The Buck Jays were enroute home after a vacation trip, and Mrs. Jay was going home with them for a visit.

All summer goods at summer prices. Neal Mills. 1tc

### RATLIFFS HOME

Mrs. T. J. Ratliff and Frances Rose were expected home this week from Shreveport, La.

## WEEK-END SPECIALS

"FOR BABY"

**S M A, \$1.20 size . . . . . 98c**  
**Simil-ac, \$1.25 size . . . . . 98c**  
**KLIM, 85c size . . . . . 69c**  
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"The tragedy is that two-thirds of this butter is of poor quality and serves to curb the consumption of the product on the farm and at the market," W. V. Maddox, dairy manufacturing specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, has commented. "Yet good sweet cream butter can be produced on Texas farms if milk and cream are handled correctly."

Correct handling begins with the production of milk, which should be clean and free from objectionable flavors, he says. Clean, sterilized utensils are essential.

Cream, whether mechanically separated or hand skimmed, must be cooled immediately after separation and held at 50 degrees until churning time. Freshly separated cream must be cooled before adding to cold cream.

Maddox recommends that the different lots of cream be mixed from two to four hours before churning so that the temperature and ripening will be uniform. Use of a thermometer will help insure butter after 30 to 40 minutes of churning, and firm-

not hard-butter granules. The best temperature is between 50 and 60 degrees in summer and 55 to 68 degrees in winter, and the churning should be stopped when the granules are the size of grains of wheat.

The granular butter should be washed twice with water of about the same temperature as the buttermilk. The buttermilk, which produces off-flavors very rapidly, can be washed out, but not worked out. An ounce of butter salt is added for each pound of butter, and if this is dampened, it will be more evenly distributed.

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<b>COFFEE</b>	Folgers 1 pound can	<b>26c</b>
<b>Grapefruit Juice</b>	No. 2 can	<b>5c</b>
<b>Fruit Cocktail</b>	2 tall cans	<b>25c</b>
<b>PEAS</b>	Pure Maid tall can each	<b>5c</b>
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<b>CORN</b> , fresh, home grown, dozen	19c			
<b>LEMONS</b> , Sunkist, large size, dozen	19c			
<b>LIME</b> , for a cool drink, dozen	9c			
<b>SOAP</b>	P. & G. with a \$2 or more purchase	10 bars	<b>29c</b>	
<b>FRYERS</b> , dressed and drawn	35c up			
<b>STEAK</b> , seven cut, pound	17c			
<b>SAUSAGE</b> , veal and pork, pound	15c			
<b>HOT BARBECUE</b> , gravy free, pound	25c			
<b>STEW MEAT</b> , baby beef ribs, 2 pounds	25c			
<b>FLOUR</b>	Mothers Pride in useable print bags	48 pound bag	<b>\$1.39</b>	24 pound bag <b>73c</b>
<b>GRAPE JUICE</b> , Royal Purple, quart	29c	quint	15c	
<b>CORNED BEEF</b> , Target, large can	17c			
<b>COCO COLA</b> , or other drinks, 6 bottles	23c			
Plus 2c bottle deposit				
<b>GRAPEFRUIT JUICE</b> , LaFreia, large No. 2 can	5c			
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### UNEMPLOYMENT ACT BLIND SPOTS EXPLAINED

AUSTIN.—In spite of several "blind spots," workers are generally well-informed on unemployment compensation. Orville S. Carpenter, Texas director of the jobless benefits program, said recently.

Employment service interviewers report that individuals do not confuse jobless benefits with relief. There is no connection, Carpenter affirmed. Workers thoroughly understand that jobless benefits are the right of the eligible unemployed. A man is probably eligible for benefits if he has earned at least \$80 during a prior 12-month period, and has earned in from a tax-paying employer. As a rule, a tax-paying employer is one who customarily employs at least eight workers.

A key point in the jobless benefits program is that the individual must be physically able to work. Some claimants do not understand this, Carpenter asserted. The individual formerly employed by a tax-paying employer, to receive benefits must be able to work and must be available to accept any suitable job offered. Another phase of the program is not understood by some workers. The tax for jobless benefits is paid solely by employers; workers pay no part of it.

Carpenter emphasized that approved claimants should report their part-time earnings when filing claims. Failure to report accurately and completely shortens the time benefits may be drawn and makes the

claimant liable for prosecution under state laws.

The director said that unemployed workers could always obtain an explanatory pamphlet from their employer. Every tax-paying employer in Texas has a supply of these bulletins which tell workers when laid off how to make claims for benefits. They also define the rules of eligibility.

### VISIT MRS. LINDLEY

Mrs. Mary Lindley has had as guests during the past week Mrs. Florence Yates and daughter, Frances Pelfry, of McAllen and a Mrs. Pelfry and son of Breckenridge. Mrs. Yates is the former Mrs. W. A. Pelfry of Colorado City.

### BROTHER VISITS HERE

Mrs. Mary Lindley's brother, J. W. Foster, and his wife, accompanied by Mrs. Myrtle Cash of Pioneer and Mrs. J. W. Day of Abilene, spent one day this week with Mrs. Lindley.

### MRS. DOSS HOME

Mrs. Ola Doss has returned from Ruidoso, where she spent several weeks in the cabin of Mrs. Sam Majors.

### EPDS VACATIONING

Rev. and Mrs. Epps of First Methodist church and children have been vacationing since last week but are expected to be back in time for services this Sunday.



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### HOTEL MANAGER HERE

Harold Miller, manager of the Crawford hotel at Carlsbad, N. M., visited Ben Smith, manager of the Colorado hotel, for a few hours Monday.

Hail seldom falls at night for the same reason that it seldom falls in cool weather. The earth, being cooler at night, does not then furnish enough rising air currents to force raindrops to a sufficient height to freeze them.

Air is a poor conductor of electricity.



Don Ameche and Claudette Colbert starring in 'Midnight'

Featured at the Palace Theatre  
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### HOSPITAL NEWS

Lloyd Harris of Sweetwater, who fell from a scaffold while painting the outside of the new junior high school building Monday morning, is in the hospital for treatment of a fractured back and other injuries. Charley Horn of Cuthbert underwent an appendectomy on Sunday and is doing satisfactorily.

Mrs. Jack Wright was admitted to the hospital Wednesday and will probably undergo major surgery.

Elida Olivas, six-month-old daughter of Angel Olivas, Colorado City Mexican, is critically ill in the hospital.

Bill Thompson was dismissed Saturday after having undergone minor surgery on the tenth. First aid treatment was given to a group of Big Spring people injured in a highway mishap near Loraine Sunday morning. The group included Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Arthur and children, Mrs. Dovie Buzbee, and others. Mr. Arthur is a brother and Mrs. Buzbee a sister of Mrs. Eddy Pyland.

Mrs. Ralph Beal was a medical patient in the hospital from Sunday until Tuesday.

Rosalie Lloyd, 11-year-old daughter of G. V. Lloyd went home Tuesday after having undergone an appendectomy on July 12.

M. C. Dunn of Cuthbert was in the hospital Saturday and Sunday for treatment of leg and arm cuts sustained when struck by an object thrown by the fly wheel of his tractor.

Mrs. J. C. Barkley, Jr., of Route 2 had surgery for appendicitis on July 11 and went home Tuesday.

### TO HILLSBORO

Mrs. P. K. Mackey and Mary Frances left Wednesday morning to visit in Hillsboro for several days.

More than 250 Texas schools have entered the various contests or asked for exhibit space in the Educational building, where the State Fair of Texas will stage its second school show. The educational contests and exhibits are being made in conjunction with the State Department of Education. Superintendent L. A. Wood, and Assistant Superintendent Edgar Ellen Wilson, are actively in charge of this feature of the State Fair of Texas.

Heaviest demand in the history of the State Fair of Texas has been made for premium lists, which carries rules and regulations on the \$10,000 in prizes offered for livestock, agriculture, poultry and other displays. A second printing has already been ordered as the demands for programs increase daily. Roy Rupard, Secretary of the Fair, said this denotes an increasing interest in the State Fair of Texas.

Coconut Grove, Fla., was settled long before Miami, of which it is now a suburb.

### BOGUS CHECK LAW EFFECTIVE SEPT. 20

Fewer of the rubber checks caught by Mitchell county banks annually will bounce after Sept. 20.

On that date, a new hot check law with teeth in it goes into effect. The statute passed by the recent Texas legislature shifts the burden of showing the check was issued in good faith to the giver.

A study of the law will quickly make the check bouncing clan realize that only little more than two months remain before there will be a tightening-down on their activities.

Under the previous law, heavy penalties applied only when the hot check was over \$50. Most hot checks are for sums less than that amount, and usually there wasn't much to do about them. The holder might take one to court, but in most instances the amount would not justify the expenses of that. Unless he could threaten or cajole the writer into making the check good, the receiver was out of luck.

But beginning Sept. 20 things will be different and officers here plan to rigidly enforce the airtight law. Imprisonment will be possible for the first offense and mandatory for subsequent ones under the new law. Either a fine or jail sentence could be assessed the initial offender. The penalty for the second offense would be imprisonment for 30 days to two years and that for the third and subsequent offenses imprisonment from two to 10 years.

Heretofore, the receiver had to prove the issuer's intent to swindle. Under the new law, it will be up to the check writer to show that he thought with good reason that the check was good.

The system was changed by making return of a check marked "no account" or "insufficient funds" presumptive evidence that the check was issued with intent to defraud. Under the old law evil intent had to be proved and proof usually cost more than the amount of the check.

No longer will prosecution against the writer of a hot check on an out-of-county bank be dropped because of the inability of the courts to haul the plaintiff into the courtroom to testify. A banker or merchant in any town in Texas on whom a worthless draft has been passed can be brought into court to testify as though a felony had been committed.

Entries from four states have already been received for the 2nd Annual All Southwestern Newspaper contest which will be a feature of Press Day at the State Fair of Texas. All newspapers in Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana have been invited to participate in the contest. Press Day at the State Fair will be Saturday, Oct. 7.

Thirty-eight 4-H club boys in Iredell county, North Carolina, averaged 508 pounds of lint cotton per acre on 59 acres in 1938.

### SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION HAS FIRST LOST-TIME MISHAP IN MAN'S FALL

With completion in sight, the new junior high school construction job had its first lost-time accident Monday morning when Lloyd Harris, a painter from Sweetwater, fell from his scaffold and sustained a fractured back.

The scaffold slipped to one side, according to witnesses, causing Harris to fall nine feet to the ground. He was painting on the outside of the building. He was employed by Harvey Cupp.

Harris is in the C. L. Root Memorial hospital and is said to be seriously hurt, the back fracture being his major injury.

### RICHARDSONS VACATION

Mrs. Ray Richardson and son Sam are vacationing this week in New Mexico.

### HERE FROM FORNEY

Louise Pinson of Forney, TSCW friend of Nina Laura Smith, is a guest in the Smith home this week.

### TO ABILENE

Mrs. J. W. Randle and Mrs. Bill Coffey and daughters were in Abilene Monday.

### UNDERGOES SURGERY

W. S. Cooper underwent major surgery in the veterans' hospital at Albuquerque, N. M., Monday morning, according to word received by relatives here. At last report he was doing satisfactorily.

### IN OSWALT HOME

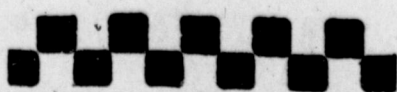
Mrs. Carl Hall of Childress was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oswalt.

### MISS MAJORS HOME

Mary Frances Majors returned Saturday after a vacation spent with Mrs. Sam Majors at Ruidoso.

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Apple, 3 cans . . . 25c
- VEGETABLE JUICE, Kraut Tomato, 3 cans . . . 25c
- Best Juice, Carrot Juice, 2 cans . . . 25c
- CUT WAX BEANS, good and tender, No. 2 can . . . 10c
- TEA, Bright & Early, 1/4 pound with glass . . . 15c
- SALAD DRESSING, Best Maid or Best Yett, quart . . . 25c
- VANILLA WAFERS, cellophane bags . . . 15c
- MARSHMALLOWS, 1 pound cellophane bag . . . 13c
- TOASTS BUTTER CRACKER, large box . . . 19c

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**FOR RENT—Four rooms of my furnished home at 13th and Austin. To couple only. Mrs. Henry Hovis, phone 64. 1tp**

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**LOST—**

**LOST—Yearling red horse mule, strayed from Mrs. Lee Walker farm. See Wiley or Jack Walker at Loraine. 1tc**

**STRAYED—Two Jersey heifers branded XT on left side. Lewis Vowell, Colorado City. 1tc**

**POSTED—**

**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.

**WANTED—**

**QUILT TACKING WANTED—** Fifty cents for small quilts, seventy-five cents for large ones. Mrs. Minnie Evans, Cedar and Seventh, Colorado City. 1tc

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A new filling for Graham bread sandwiches is made by mixing one-fourth of a cup of strained honey with three tablespoons of peanut butter and two tablespoons of chopped raisins. This makes enough for two large sandwiches for the youngster's school lunch box. For afternoon tea use the filling in white bread sandwiches, cut in small squares and toasted.

The Baylor university, Texas, debating teams traveled 108,000 miles in 1938-39 and spoke 1,261,000 words.

**RURAL ELECTRIC LEADERS ANXIOUS FOR EASEMENTS**

**PAYMENT OF MEMBERSHIPS URGED; WIVES MUST BE CO-SIGNERS**

Signing of easements and payment of membership fees by farmers who will be served by the proposed rural electric lines being worked up by the Lone Wolf Electric Cooperative association were urged this week by officials of the association.

Wives of property owners must be co-signers on the easements, it is pointed out, and they must accompany their husbands to the office where signing takes place so that there can be a notary to witness to the signature.

Easements may be signed free of charge at the offices of Bruce Hart, tax collector, and James Herrington, county clerk. If officials of the association have to make farm to farm calls to secure easements, this expense will have to come out of association funds. The board is anxious to get this work done as cheaply as possible. Easements must be signed on all property which the lines will cross before the project can be completed.

A. K. McCarley, president of the board of directors of the association, has received word that E. H. Stone, field representative of the Rural Electrification Administration, has been authorized by the Washington office to make a pre-allocation survey of the project.

**VACCINATIONS FOR TYPHOID ARE URGED**

AUSTIN—If you have not been vaccinated against typhoid fever within the last two to three years, go to your family physician and have him give you the three "shots" that will protect you against that disease.

This advice comes from the Texas State Health department, and is addressed particularly to those persons planning vacations away from home or those who regularly go on camping, fishing or such trips.

Typoid is contracted by way of the mouth. Each case comes directly or indirectly from some previous case. You eat or drink the germs that cause the disease, in food, water or milk contaminated by the discharges from persons who are ill with the disease or who have had it at some time.

Modern medical and public health practices have greatly reduced the occurrence of typhoid, but it is still a menace to those unprotected against the disease. Protection of public water supplies from pollution, pasteurization of milk, inspection and supervision of food supplies, improvement in household sanitation and hygienic habits, better sewage disposal and careful investigation of typhoid outbreaks to determine the source of the disease are measures which have contributed to the diminution of the incidence of typhoid in Texas. But there are still sources of infection to which individuals are exposed, that cannot be reached by public measures, and for which vaccination affords additional protection.

Persons who are apparently well, but who have had the disease at some time, may continue to discharge the typhoid germs. Such persons are known as "carriers" and if they are not careful in their personal habits they are liable to contaminate any food they touch. Flies carry germs from contaminated sources to food, and are another source of typhoid infection.

Health departments, state, city and county, are waging constant warfare against typhoid all the year. Special efforts are made during the vacation period through the sanitary supervision of summer camps, parks, and public eating places to reduce any possible danger of vacation typhoid from such sources. But vaccination and sanitation are the only means to personal safety against the disease. So see your physician today for a vaccination and summer unmarred by typhoid.

Texas livestock breeders have sold more than 6,000 herd sires in the State of Louisiana within the past three years. The Texas Breeder-Feeder movement has thoroughly demonstrated the ability of east Texas and the Southeastern States to breed, feed and finish livestock for the market. Louisiana has taken the lead in replacing cotton acres with livestock and feedstuff.

**It's Tulip Time In Holland**



Wooden shoes, a big armful of tulips, and a pretty Dutch maiden serve to tell the story of Tulip Time at Holland, Michigan, where the annual National Tulip Festival has just been held. The young lady perched on the new Chevrolet is Miss Vera Kirchner, one of the hostesses welcoming motorists who visit this spot where millions of tulips are in bloom.

**U. T.—CHICAGO MAKE HISTORY IN 7-YEAR SCIENCE DRIVE**

AUSTIN—Unique in educational annals is the cooperative plan by which two great universities have pooled resources to operate a giant "sky laboratory," science's newest plant, McDonald Astronomical Observatory, at Mount Locke, in the Davis Mountains of Texas.

Credit for the "co-op" idea goes to youthful President Robert Maynard Hutchins of the University of Chicago, but science owes a debt of gratitude to the late President Harry Yandell Benedict of The University of Texas, who recognized Hutchins' ingenuity and threw the latter institution into line.

Seven years ago two separate astronomical projects had been set in motion. The University of Chicago decided to reorganize its astronomy department and its Yerkes Observatory, and to add to its 40-inch refracting telescope a modern instrument of the reflecting type.

At the same time The University of Texas was pondering how best to utilize an \$800,000 bequest from the late W. J. McDonald, Paris, Texas, banker, which had been earmarked for an astronomical observatory.

One afternoon in April, 1932, President Hutchins picked up his telephone and calling Dr. Benedict, "sounded him out" on combining forces to build a telescope larger and more nearly perfect than either institution could afford by itself.

Himself a mathematician and an amateur astronomer, Dr. Benedict approved the idea, later endorsed by his successor J. W. Calhoun. Within a short time a formal agreement was drawn up between the two institutions, whereby The University of Texas was to build the observatory and to pay for the entire equipment, while the University of Chicago was to supply the entire staff and to pay the larger part of the operating expenses.

After a term of thirty years, funds in the McDonald bequest will have accumulated enough to allow the University to continue operation of the observatory alone—or to add to its scientific equipment and continue with the joint plan of maintenance.

**STODDARD WELL IN SCURRY FIELD TESTS FULL PUMP CAPACITY**

Testing the full pumping capacity of the available equipment, the Stoddard No. 1 R. O. McClure in the Sharon Ridge pool of Scurry county established a potential of 138 barrels Wednesday.

This well continues the series of successful completions in the field since its discovery several months ago. A number of operators and drillers in the field make headquarters in Colorado City.

Hugh W. Stoddard of Dallas, one of the owners of the new well, has been registered at the Colorado hotel for several weeks.

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**NECES HERE**  
Doris and Allen Bryant of Big Spring are spending this week in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Q. D. Shepperd.

**CAFE AIR CONDITIONED AND BUYING NEW SIGNS**

An air-conditioning machine was installed at the hotel coffee shop operated by Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Curry this week.

The Currys have also purchased a neon sign for the front of the cafe and some neon trimming for the interior. These will be installed in the near future.

**WAXING VEGETABLES IS RECOMMENDED**

**COLLEGE STATION.**—Just as waxing floors protects them from deteriorations and blemishes, waxing vegetables produces similar results. Numerous inquiries with regard to this innovation have come recently to Grace I. Neely, specialist in food preservation for the A. and M. College Extension Service.

Even commercial growers and shippers are studying how much longer vegetables will keep when waxed, the approximate cost, and the necessary equipment.

One method developed at Cornell University which is gaining in popularity is the use of a cold wax emulsion, Miss Neely points out. These emulsions can be applied by dipping carrots, beets, squash, cucumbers, tomatoes, egg plants, peppers, and many other vegetables now plentiful in Texas.

On drying, a very thin film, one-thousandth of an inch thick, is left on the vegetable. Despite the thinness of this coating, it is effective in reducing water losses and shriveling. The wax is tasteless and harmless, and it may be removed with warm water.

According to Miss Neely, experiments reveal that waxed vegetables may be kept from two to three times as long as the unwaxed ones before they show signs of deterioration. In addition the cost is nominal for a bushel of root crops can be waxed at an expense of from one to two cents.

The last census showed a population of 560 men and one woman on South Georgia Island, a whaling station in the South Atlantic.

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An egg only 24 hours old that has been kept in a warm place is not as fresh as an older egg which has been kept cool, Miss Camp says. Neither quality nor food value of the egg may be determined by the color of its shell, she adds.

When eggs are brought into the house, the shells should be wiped with a rough, dry cloth and placed in the refrigerator next to the coolest spot, Miss Camp suggests. "Do not wash them," she cautions, "for water removes the 'bloom' of the egg which forms a protective seal for the shell."

Since egg yolks are an outstanding source of iron—a mineral in which many diets are deficient—eggs should be plentiful in the dietary plan, Miss Camp says, and unless the family income is in the upper brackets the intelligent thing is to provide for their production at home.

All of the vitamin A and D value of eggs is in the yolk, and eggs also contain varying amounts of three other vitamins, Miss Camp pointed out. In addition they are rich in calcium and phosphorus.

**SOUTHSIDE MISSION**

Dr. Scott W. Hickey will preach at both hours Sunday. In the morning his subject-text will be, "Ye Are Christ's" and at night he will bring a prophetic and evangelistic message on "The Gospel in Prophecy." The services will likely be protracted through the week.

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**CAR BURNS**

Fire which destroyed the upholstery of a car on the used car lot of the Shropshire Motor company on East Second street called the fire truck to that place Monday morning.

**GOES TO DELEON**

Joe Mills has been at his ranch near DeLeon for several days this week.

**ALBERT HISER HOME**

Albert Hiser, who underwent an appendectomy in the veterans' hospital at Albuquerque, N. M., two weeks ago, returned home Wednesday night.

**TO ABILENE**

Mrs. Ed Majors and Mrs. Frank Lupton went to Sweetwater Monday afternoon.

**HERE FROM ROSCOE**

Marie Whorton of Roscoe visited Shirley Kiker last week-end.

**BERMANS VACATIONING**

Philip Berman and son, Joe, are vacationing this week in Galveston and San Antonio.

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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.

**LOCAL BOY WEDS FANNIN COUNTY GIRL**

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Ford of Windom, Fannin county, Texas, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Rachel, to John Arnold Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall of Loraine. The wedding will take place Thursday, July 20th, at the First Methodist church at Windom.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall will leave early Thursday morning for Windom to attend the wedding. Ruby Jo has been spending the week visiting relatives there.

**MRS. A. B. SMITH TO FAMILY REUNION**

Mrs. Willie Mae Thompson and her mother, Mrs. A. B. Smith left Tuesday for a six weeks trip which will carry them through New Mexico and Colorado.

Enroute to Colorado they will stop at the Carlsbad Caverns, Ruidoso, White Sands, Santa Fe, Taos, then on to Trinidad where they will attend a family reunion. August 14 they will celebrate the 91st birthday of Mr. Messer, the father of Mrs. Smith. It is also the birthday of Mrs. Thompson.

**BAPTIST REVIVAL BEGINS SUNDAY NIGHT**

The Baptist revival will begin Sunday night at the tabernacle at 8:30 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. Godfrey, will do the preaching and Thomas Riden will lead the singing.

Rev. Mr. Godfrey has just returned from Stanton where he held a ten day meeting.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST HOLDING MEETING**

Evangelist T. L. Wallace of Cleburne, Texas, is holding a revival meeting at the Church of Christ this week. The meeting began last Friday night and will continue through Sunday night.

**LORAINNE SECTION HOUSE BURNS**

Fire destroyed the Texas and Pacific section house early Tuesday morning. The city fire department was called to the scene but due to it being outside the city limits no water was available and the fire was to such an extent chemical fighting was useless.

The house was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Parks Bryant, foreman of this section. They saved a few household furnishings.

The fire originated in the roof of the rear of the house, supposedly from a flying spark of a passing locomotive. A new structure will be built at the same site.

**WORK ON CHEESE PLANT BUILDING PROGRESSES**

Construction of the building which is to house the Loraine Cooperative cheese and cold storage locker plant is progressing rapidly. The overhead beams and gas and water lines are being installed this week.

The buildings are to be two separate structures with the cheese plant in the north building and offices and cold storage plants in the other.

C. W. Hook, contractor, is doing the work.

**LORAINNE TO HAVE STOP LIGHT**

Construction of a stop light is underway at the intersection of Main street and Highway No. 1. The contracting engineers from Dallas are doing the work and it will be completed by Friday.

**DR. BRUCE JOHNSON HOSPITAL NOTES**

Edward F. Brown is recovering from a severe attack of the flu. Blossom Lee Green has been suffering an infection over her eye. Ed Williams has been having trouble with an abscess over his right hip.

Elmer Pitts of Roscoe has been confined to his bed lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barnfield are the proud parents of a new boy.

Mrs. Herman Miles was brought home from the Sweetwater hospital recovering from an operation.

Jess Jerome has a severe attack of the flu.

Mrs. Red Reece has been confined to her bed the last few days.

Mrs. John Stiefel of Roscoe underwent minor surgery Monday and is recovering.

Willie Woods of Colorado City is suffering with a right eye infection.

L. M. Miller is receiving treatments for sinus trouble.

Bud Glass is sick from an attack of the flu.

**LOCALS**

Mrs. Jack Bryant and Mrs. Miller of Sweetwater were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. A. J. Richey Friday.

Mrs. Fred Allbright and children and Mrs. King of Dallas and Mrs. Menard of Odessa were week-end guests in the O. E. Allbright home.

A group of vacationists left Tuesday morning for Llano where they will spend the week fishing. Those to go were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Richey and Wanda Fae, Louise Hallmark, Mr. and Mrs. John Horton, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Richey, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richey.

Plez Beaty and Robert Bruce accompanied Mrs. J. G. Bruce to Sid-

ney, Texas, Sunday to get Mrs. Bruce's mother, returning the same day.

Mrs. Willie Mae Thompson arrived home Saturday from Kermit where she completed the first six weeks course in public schools. She was supervisor of the Art Activity department.

Mrs. Clifton Gage of Lawton, Oklahoma, spent Sunday in the T. R. Bennett home, visiting with her father, Mr. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Glass vacationed in El Paso last week. They stopped at Midland for a short visit with his father.

Miss Gladys Spikes arrived home from Alpine where she attended the summer six weeks course.

Miss Louise Spikes of Benjamin, Texas, returned to her home after several days visiting relatives in Loraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Roden Pickens of Sunray stopped in Loraine Monday for a short visit with his cousin, Mrs. Hugh Hallmark. He had been visiting a daughter at Abilene and was enroute to Colorado City to visit his father.

Patsy Larue Spikes and Ford Morris of Big Spring spent Thursday in the home of their grandmother, Mrs. J. E. Spikes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bryan accompanied by Mrs. J. D. Robertson of Colorado City went to Gorman Thursday to see an eye specialist for Mr. Bryan.

Eileen and Dorothy Hallmark are visiting their uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mayes at Austin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Robertson of Colorado City were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bryan.

Mrs. Hugh Hallmark received a letter from Milton this week and he was in Georgia visiting the cotton mills there. Milton is enroute to New York where his company is sending him to take a summer course in a mill there.

Mrs. Henry Neill and Mrs. J. T. Draper motored to Bowie Monday where Mrs. Neill will visit her sister.

Mrs. J. W. Smiley of Lubbock visited here this week with old friends. Mrs. Smiley is an old settler of Loraine.

Mrs. Piquet and daughter Kitty Brenda, Granddad Green, Blossom Lee Green and Joy spent Wednesday visiting friends and relatives in Snyder.

Dr. Bruce Johnson arrived home Thursday from Clarksville, Texas, where he purchased instruments for both major and minor surgery. Dr. Johnson will be prepared in a few days to do any kind of surgery that any hospital in this section of the country can do.

**ROAD MAPS FOR STATE READY FOR PUBLIC**

AUSTIN.—Accurate road maps for every county in the state are now available to the public at cost, according to Julian Montgomery, state highway engineer. These maps show all county roads, as well as state highways, in addition to railroads, cities and towns, streams and lakes, major parks and state and national reservations. They also show all dwellings, oil and gas wells, churches, schools, and other structures visible from state or county roads.

The maps are constructed on a large scale and are easily read. Their value to state and federal agencies has been proved, and they should be useful to the public in general, Montgomery believes. Most of the maps are on a scale of one inch to the mile, but for a few of the larger and less developed counties a scale of one-half inch to the mile has been used. The maps are printed on sheets of uniform size, 36 by 50 inches. Most counties require only one sheet, but a few counties cover two sheets. Supplementary sheets are used to show in detail the highly developed areas around large centers of population.

These maps were prepared by the highway department, co-operating with the U. S. bureau of public roads as a part of a federal aid project known as the state highway department's "Road Planning Survey," and includes a survey of all the public roads of the state including county roads as well as state highways. Highway department field men traversed every mile of road in the state, recording not only the location of the road, but also the position of roadside structures and other items of public interest that are included in the maps. Streets of incorporated cities and towns were not included in the survey. This is the first time in the history of the state that accurate road maps are available for all the 254 counties in the state, and county maps are available to the public at cost of printing and delivery. Before the highway department made its survey there were reliable road maps for only 27 counties, and copies were not readily obtainable by the public.

**IN ELLIOTT HOME**

Doris Massey of Abilene, a guest of Mrs. Ben D. Elliott, has been a sister in the Elliott home during the past few weeks, helping to care for little Jan Corydon Elliott while he wore a cast following surgery in Dallas.

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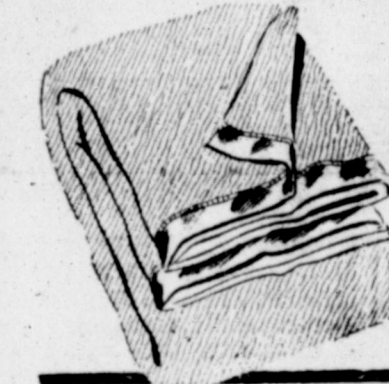
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**BETTER LAND USE CHECKING EROSION**

Better land use practices are checking erosion and reducing loss of water through run off in this area, according to F. A. Vestal, Camp Superintendent of the Soil Conservation Service camp located at Lamesa.

Under average conditions, erosion on crop land is many times greater than on grass land, and the loss of water through run off on cultivated land usually is far greater than on land which has a permanent cover. By changing their land-use program to fit soil conditions on their land, farmers of the Lamesa area are reducing erosion and are increasing crop production by conserving moisture.

On land adapted to crop production, many farmers of the Lamesa area are reducing the acreage in clean-tilled row crops and are growing more close-growing crops which better resist erosion.

"The better land use program of the Soil Conservation Service," Vestal explains, provides for taking out of cultivation all severely eroded land and steep slopes which are subject to erosion, and the planting of this land to a permanent cover of grass or woody vegetation. If such areas cannot be retired they are planted continuously to soil conserving crops, and the residue left on the land to check erosion.

Along with adjustments in land use certain improved land-management practices such as contour tillage, strip cropping, terraces, and the growing of cover crops in combinations designed to fit the needs of each individual field are being used.

The greater use of erosion-resisting

crops, in addition to other soil conserving practices, not only is checking erosion and maintaining soil fertility, but is increasing farm income in many instances.

**NINE GALLONS CREAM ARE EATEN AT BUFORD**

Nine gallons of ice cream, accompanied by generous slices of cake, were consumed at the ice cream supper given last week by the Buford Agriculture association.

Mrs. C. M. Cosper was in charge of arrangements for the supper. About 75 men, women, and children of the Buford area attended. W. W. Porter of Colorado City made a short talk.

**IN WACO SUNDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Price, Bobby Price, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Whipkey met the Rush Moodys of Houston in Waco on Sunday, delivering to the Moodys their daughter, Marilyn, who has been visiting in the Whipkey home for several weeks. Mrs. Moody is the former Lois Whipkey.

**COME FOR DAUGHTER**

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones, Jr. of LaPorte, accompanied by Norman Stashin, also of LaPorte, came Sunday to get little Mary Ellen Jones, who has been here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones, Sr. Ed III, Mary Ellen's brother, remained for a further visit.

**MIZES ON TRIP**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mize and daughter, Melba Lois, left early Monday morning for a two weeks trip through California. They will attend the Golden Gate exposition at San Francisco and will also visit relatives there.

**IN GARRETT HOME**

Guests in the home of Mrs. W. H. Garrett during the week-end were her niece, Mrs. E. D. Kelley, and daughter, Camilla, of Ferrington. Mrs. Kelley is completing work for her degree at Abilene Christian college this summer. She teaches in Ferrington High school.

**VISITS PARENTS**

Etta Mae Padgett, who has been visiting in San Antonio with her sister since she finished Draughton's Business college at Abilene in April, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Padgett.

**MRS. LIPPS VACATIONING**

Mrs. Olive Lipps is spending her vacation with relatives at Springtown. Mrs. Parris Lipps and Bertie Thelma Lipps took her to Springtown the latter part of last week.

**HERE FROM OKLAHOMA**

Katherine June Prude, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Prude of Cyril, Oklahoma, arrived last week to visit her aunt, Mrs. Lois Prude Bennett, and her great-aunt, Miss Margaret McComas.



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**FIRE DESTROYS BARN AT GUITAR LIVESTOCK AUCTION RING FRIDAY**

Barn of the Guitar auction ring in east Colorado City was destroyed by fire Friday morning about 10 o'clock. The building, constructed of lumber and tin, was a total loss, partially covered by insurance.

Don Guitar, one of the owners of the auction plant, said that the fire originated in an explosion which occurred when he struck a match to light a cigarette shortly after having finished cleaning some stoves and scales with gasoline. He was making preparations to reopen the plant this fall, he said. The plant was built last fall.

Present plans are to rebuild the barn in time for reopening the livestock plant this fall. Sales have not been held there during the spring and summer months.

**CUTHBERT NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hendricks of Wichita Falls are visiting the T. D. Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Womack and son of Clovis, N. M., visited relatives here the first of the week.

Muriel Gunn went to Lubbock Sunday to attend the last six weeks of summer school at Tech.

Miss Sylvia Pond of Big Spring is visiting in the H. A. Pond home.

Mrs. R. C. Dishman and children of Marysville, Calif., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Connor.

Miss Margaret Watford of Midland returned home Tuesday after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Womack.

**GO TO WACO**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whipkey and daughters were in Waco the latter part of last week to attend to final details in connection with enrolling their daughter, Virginia, in Baylor university this fall.

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Not a line in the issue of The Record for this date indicated or forecast in any way that black war headlines would gash the next week's front page.

"Is Congressman Smith a Friend to the Farmer?" asked the biggest headline. . . . Others on the front page were: "Oldest Living Thing is Ocala Cypress," "Rupture Expert Here," and "Wilson Endorses Colorado Ball."

Mrs. Van King's sister-in-law, Mrs. Ben Anthony, had died in Dallas. . . . Mrs. F. M. Burns had entertained with a morning bridge party honoring Mrs. Harvey Lindsey of Oakland, Calif.; Mrs. John B. Gray of El Paso, and Mrs. Maggie Figh of Birmingham, Ala. . . . Rev. W. M. Elliott wrote that he and his family were doing well and building a summer home at Neosho, Mo. . . . Mrs. J. L. Shepherd's mother, Mrs. E. T. Josey, had died in Ashville, N. C. . . . Mrs. John Vaughan had chaperoned a group for a picnic "down on the river." . . . Jesse Schroeder had entertained with a bonco party. . . . Boxes of candy were presented to the out-of-town guests, Dimple Gross of Snyder and Iva Bynum of Plainview.

Etta Doss was giving a house party for Miss Tierce of Birmingham, Ala., Laura Adamson of Sherman, and Sarah Murry of Coleman. . . . The Doss families and the honorees together with Martha Earnest, Myrtle Maddin, Hazel McKenzie, Lettwich Shepherd, Chas. Reems Earnest, and Mr. McKenzie, had gone picnicking at Seven Wells. . . . A hat pin was club prize to Ethel Stokes when the G.F.C. met with Mrs. Jim Coughran. . . . Loraine Items: T. R. Bennett and wife had a fine boy. . . . Pearl Templeton had entertained for the Misses Cranfill of Sweetwater. . . . Charley Farris was visiting his brother, Schuyler, in Fort Worth. . . . Judge A. J. Coe, Earl Callaway, Sam Majors, and Jesse Bullock had been in Loraine on Thursday. . . . Joe Smoot and his mother, and Mrs. Crockett and Winnie had been in Loraine visitors on Sunday afternoon. . . . J. D. Wulffjen and D. N. Arnett had left for Dallas with Hirma Snyder to bring home two Case cars which Snyder had sold them. . . . Mrs. G. D. Adams and family, Mrs. Roddy and little son, the little Whipkeys, and Dimple Gross had spent Thursday fishing down on Champion. . . . Iva Bynum of Plainview was the guest of Hazel and Cecil Costin. . . . Mrs. H. C. Beal and Mrs. D. H. Snyder and the children were visiting in Rockport. . . . Byron Byrne and family were home from a motor trip to Walnut Springs, and Byrne had things to say about the roads in Bosque county. . . .

15 YEARS AGO  
From The Record for July 25, 1924.  
Brick work on the Levy building at the corner of Second and Elm streets had been started. . . . B. H. Garey and Willie Bell Bassham of near Loraine were the first ones to be married in the new courthouse. . . . Funeral for Jim Dobbs was to be held on Saturday morning. . . . LORAIN NEWS: Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Riden and daughter, Margaret Bell, and Ona Walker were home from a visit in Oklahoma and Fort Worth. . . . D. K. Nelson and family were at home in a new six-room stucco home. . . . The A. D. Webb family had moved over from Colorado. . . . The J. H. Ballard's of Looney had been in trading. . . . Cotton jumped to 27.65 cents per pound after a cotton report showing the crop to be off. . . . Mrs. Chas. Farris had honored her daughter, Helen, with a party on her second birthday. . . . The Harmony club had met with Mrs. M. Carter. . . . The Little Sisters had met with Susie Richardson, hearing a mission study led by Jewel McDonald. . . . Frances McMurry and Mabel Smith had spent Monday in Sweetwater. . . . Hazel Costin had undergone surgery at Scott & White in Temple. . . . The Tom Stonerods and daughter were home from Cloudercroft, N. M. . . . Lena Smith Mann and Margaret Sandusky had been week-end guests at the Cushing ranch. . . . Lillie Fulkerson was improving after several weeks illness. . . . Thelma Grissett of Mineola was visiting Mrs. Ross Dixon. . . . Mrs. Y. D. McMurry and sons, Douglas and Billie, had spent the week in El Paso. . . .

were to meet in Colorado City. . . . J. C. Penney Co. had bought the Byars stores here and elsewhere, and Earl Bibby of Cleburne had come here to manage the local store. . . . Nearly \$3,000 worth of home products had been sold by Mitchell county farm women through the Mitchell County Home Products association. . . . Bessie Carey and J. C. Elrod had been married and were to live in the Looney community. . . . Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Williams of Westbrook were to manage the sandwell camp at the White Way tourist camp. . . . Homer Hutchinson was taking over the Canteen service station. . . . Walter Whipkey and family and Mary Louise Melton were home from Cloudercroft, N. M. . . . Joe Key was Colorado duchess to the San Angelo fair and exposition. . . . Perry Van Zandt and Geneva Melton were married. . . . Mrs. Mattie Merrill and daughters, Ailie and Shell, were going to Tennessee. . . . Bernice DeMorrow of Brownwood was visiting the Floyd Jays and other friends. . . . Henry Doss and Harry Ragan, who were working at Rankin, were in town that week. . . . Arline Tunnell was home from Denton, where she had been in school. . . . Mrs. J. C. Hall and daughters, Willie Fae and Ruth Ann, were back in Loraine after a trip to Colorado state. . . . Loraine News: B. L. Templeton and wife were home from school in John Tarleton, Stephenville. . . . O. E. Stevenson and wife, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smith,

had been to Austin to visit the Stevenson's daughter, Mrs. Will Rhode. . . . Mr. and Mrs. J. W. West had a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Mahoney a son. . . . Uncle Jeff Thomas, C. H. Thomas, wife and son Glen and Ruth Hock were visiting relatives at Cisco and Moran. . . . Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lasky were home from a 3,000-mile trip to points in the east. . . . J. L. Bowen and Mayor T. J. Coffee were visiting their wives in Ruidoso. . . .

FIVE YEARS AGO  
From The Record for July 20, 1934.  
Nearly 5,000 head of Mitchell county cattle had been listed for sale to the government as a drought relief measure. . . . The Chester Jones family had had a narrow escape when their car overturned near Brownfield as they returned from a trip to New Mexico and other points. . . . The Record was preparing to hold its election "party" with George Mahon's race for congress in the limelight of interest. . . . A Mahon rally had been held in Lubbock. . . . Joe Smoot and family and Myra Brown were home from Chicago and the World's Fair. . . . D. H. Snyder, Sr., was a government inspector in the cattle-buying program. . . . Cliff Baldwin of Abilene was the new manager of the Colorado coffee shop. . . . Lister Ratliff and Bird Almond had married in Midland. . . . The Austin Bushes and the John Summers had given a chicken barbecue. . . . Country club parties had been given by Mrs. Harold Lindley, Mrs. Maxine Root Wulffjen, and Virgie Powell. . . . A Washington, D. C., paper told of the wedding of Samuel Womack. . . . Mrs. J. W. Watson and Mrs. Jack Richardson had given a shower for Mrs. Ernest Stapp. . . . Winners in a treasure hunt had been Jake Merritt, Chicken Merritt,

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Virginia Stonerod, Maxine Wulffjen, and J. E. McClary. . . . Parties honoring Mrs. Sam Geisenberger of Natchez, Miss., had been given by Mrs. Maxine Root Wulffjen. . . . Dr. R. D. Bridgford, Hayes Holman, and J. Ralph Lee were attending Lions International in Grand Rapids, Michigan. . . . Mrs. W. H. Garrett had undergone an appendicitis operation. . . . The George Root family of Sherman was vacationing here. . . . The Bill Dorns were home from a vacation trip to valley and coastal points. . . . Maxine Root Wulffjen, Virginia Stonerod, Mrs. Bennett Scott, and A. J. Woodard were on a trip to Oklahoma City. . . . Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilkins and son were visiting in Stephenville. . . . The Dudley Sniders and sons were here from Marshall. . . . Mrs. J. B. Reese, mother of Mrs. John L. Doss, had died after a long illness. . . . There's big news for you in the advertising columns.

## LOCAL NOTES

**FOSTERS HERE**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Foster and sons of El Paso were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelley Friday night while enroute home after he attended short course at A. & M. Mr. Foster was formerly county agent here.



Try a Delicious  
**CHICKBURGER SANDWICH**  
15c  
AIR CONDITIONED  
**ROUND TOP CAFE**

**MRS. WILKINS HERE**  
Mrs. Lucille Wilkins, who has been attending summer school at McMurry during the first term, spent Tuesday night here with Mrs. E. L. Latham before going to Stephenville to join her son, C. A. Jr., and spend most of the remainder of the summer with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Gray.

**IN PIDGEON HOME**  
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bird and sons, Jerold and Ralph of Bellville, Michigan, were week-end guests in the home of Mr. Bird's cousin, J. L. Pidgeon. They were enroute to the San Francisco World's fair. Bird is music instructor and band director in Bellville High school.

**ON WEEK'S TRIP**  
Mrs. Noble Wortham and sons, Don and Claude Harry, are visiting in Mineral Wells and other points this week, having made the trip with Mrs. Wortham's uncle, J. Arthur Miller, and Mrs. Miller. The Millers live in Phoenix, Arizona, and were week-end guests in the Wortham home.

**HERE FROM SWEETWATER**  
Mrs. Mike Smith and children of Sweetwater are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Richardson, and Mr. Smith's parents, the Burt Smiths, this week.

**VISITS WORLD FAIR**  
Friends have received word from E. H. Crow that he has visited the New York World's fair and has also been in Washington.

**TO ABILENE**  
Mrs. Mumpsy Wallace, Mrs. Jack Cox, and Mrs. Brady Warren were in Abilene Wednesday.

**GREENES HERE**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Greene of Big Spring were visitors here in the home of their son, William Greene, and family on Monday night. The Greenes, who formerly lived here, were winding up their vacation, most of which was spent in Ruidoso. Mr. Greene is manager of the Big Spring chamber of commerce.

**YOUNGS VACATIONING**  
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Young have been vacationing last week and this. They spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Lupton on their Borden county ranch, and then went to Sweetwater this week to visit Mr. Young's parents, Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Young.

**IGLEHARTS HAVE GUESTS**  
Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Iglehart had as guests until Monday morning Mrs. Iglehart's sister, Mrs. Earl Nowell, and her husband and daughter of Paris. They were called home Monday morning by the death of Mr. Nowell's father.

**MERL MORGANS HERE**  
Mr. and Mrs. Merl Morgan arrived Tuesday from Sweetwater to visit Mrs. Morgan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lupton, while Mr. Morgan convalesces from an appendicitis operation which he underwent last week.

**LEE WITTEN ON TRIP**  
Lee Witten, who is employed at the City National bank, is vacationing this week in Fort Worth and Dallas, visiting friends and relatives.

**ATTEND ANSON HOMECOMING**  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson, accompanied by Beulah Frances Robinson, attended the old settlers' homecoming at Anson last Friday.

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10 YEARS AGO  
From The Record for July 26, 1929.  
The new Presbyterian church, the four years old, was clear of debt and was to have dedicatory services on Sunday morning. . . . H. C. Wheeler had sold his interest in the oil firm of Teas & Wheeler to Walter H. Gant, vice-president of the Franklin Petroleum company of Ardmore, Okla. . . . The W. A. Bandys were leaving for their new home in Austin. . . . Excavation had been completed on the Church of Christ basement. . . . The Sarah M. Hyman No. 1 of the Magnolia Petroleum company was pumping 10 barrels of pipeline oil per day. . . . Sheriffs of West Texas



Colorado Carrots, Beets Mustard	2 bunches	9c	Colorado Cabbage	1 pound	3c	Colorado Green Beans	1 pound	5c
			Lettuce	5 doz. size 2 heads	15c	English Peas	2 pounds	15c
Tomatoes	1 pound	5c	Lemons	Sunkist 432 size dozen	19c			
Cantaloupes	2 for	5c	Potatoes	Idaho Reds 5 lbs.	14c			
Milk	Cherub Brand 3 tall or 6 small cans	17c	Spry Soap	All Vegetable Shortening regular bar	3 pound can 49c 5c	Flour	Kitchen Craft 24 lb. bag	69c
			Sugar	Lifebuoy granulated	10 lb. cloth bag 48c		48 lb. bag	\$1.29
			Wafers	Fresh Vanilla pound	10c			

- Graham Crackers, made with honey, lb. 15c
- Cheese, Kraft's, 1/2 lb. pkg. 15c
- Tomatoes, 3 No. 2 cans 19c
- Salmon, tall can 10c
- Black Pepper, Durkee's, 4 oz. 7c
- French Mustard, 6 oz. jar 9c
- Jell-Well Dessert, 3 pkgs. 10c
- Silk Tissue, 3 rolls 10c
- Rosemary Grape Juice, quart 25c
- Toilet Soap, White King, bar 5c
- Granulated Soap, White King, 24 oz. box 19c
- Zec Tissue, roll 5c
- Dalewood Oleomargarine, pound 15c

**Meats**  
No. 1 Full Cream Cheese 17c  
Armour's Star Sliced Bacon 25c  
Beef Rib Roast 2 pounds 25c  
Loin or T-Bone Steak 25c  
Kraft American Cheese 2 lb. box 43c  
Dry Salt Bacon 10c  
Snacks ready to serve can 25c  
All Pork Spiced Luncheon Meat 25c

Cut, Sour or Dill Pickles quart jar 10c

- Marshmallows, Fluffiest, cello bag, lb. 10c
- Robinhood Oleomargarine, pound 10c
- Southern Lady Salad Dressing, qt. 19c
- Crackers, Brown's Sunray, 2 lb. box 13c
- Airway Coffee, 2 pounds 25c
- Tomato Juice, Stokely's Finest, 300 size can 10c
- Vigo Dog Food, Horse Meal, 6 cans 25c

Colored Distilled Vinegar bring your jug gallon 15c

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## AFTER THREE YEARS OF LIVING ON BAHRAIN ISLAND, E. J. DEUPREES ARE ABOUT TO GET 'ACCUSTOMED' TO AMERICAN WAYS AGAIN

After three years of living on barren Bahrain island in the Persian gulf, just off the coast of Arabia, Mrs. E. J. Deupree said in her Colorado City hotel room this week that she is "about to get accustomed to American ways again."

Mrs. Deupree and her husband, an engineer with the Standard Oil company of Texas, returned from Bahrain island last November, but arrived only recently in Colorado City, which was one of their last headquarters before sailing for the East in 1936. They have been in Dallas, Houston, and Midland since their return, and will probably be returning to Midland as soon as Mr. Deupree has finished some duties in the vicinity of Colorado City.

"We both liked living over there very much," Mrs. Deupree said when questioned about her stay abroad. She added, laughing, "If we were to go back for another three years we might come to like it so well we'd want to stay for good, so we probably won't go back."

Mr. Deupree went to the island in January, 1936, and Mrs. Deupree joined him in May. It was the first trip abroad for both of them. Mr. Deupree went via Europe, but Mrs. Deupree went by boat through the Mediterranean and flew from Alexandria, Egypt.

Bahrain island is about 10 miles wide by 27 miles long. It is barren except for a few date trees. All the inhabitants live in a "village" of some 100,000 population near the coast. Formerly they lived entirely by pearling, this being one of the richest

pearl centers in the world. Now hundreds of natives are employed at the oil wells on the island, but pearling is still a major industry.

The entire island belongs to Sheikh Hamad and is a protectorate of Great Britain. Sheikh Hamad is one of the richest men in the world. He has four legal wives, one of them being his "favorite" and therefore his official hostess.

There were about 19 white families, both English and American, living in the "camp" of the Bahrain Petroleum company when the Deuprees went there. When they left there were 100 families, not counting scores of single men.

The camp is now called Awail (Arabic for "hill"). It is located in the highest portion of the island. Homes are constructed of a stucco-like substance called "gutch," which is obtained from the bottom of the Persian gulf. They are modern in every respect, built with many windows to insure coolness in the summer's tropical heat. All the newer, smaller homes in the camp are air-conditioned. Mrs. Deupree says, "Their home was one of the older houses, so large that only two bedrooms could be air-conditioned."

Summertime temperatures hover around 115. Houses must be kept closed against the heat from before dawn until dark. Winters are mild, being seldom colder than 45.

In spite of the heat, English and American men seem to go on about their work with surprisingly little ill effects or discomfort. Mrs. Deupree says, "There was very little illness while they were there, and only one death. The camp is equipped with a modern hospital, two doctors and five nurses."

Shortly after arriving at the camp, Mrs. Deupree and 16 other women were guests at a luncheon given by Sheikh Hamad's favorite wife. They removed their shoes at the door, sat on the floor to eat, and addressed their hosts through an interpreter. The "luncheon" was a whole roasted sheep which was carried in on a large rice-filled platter.

The favorite wife was richly dressed, wearing gold-embroidered cloth. She didn't smoke, but she does use a famous brand of American cosmetics. Mrs. Deupree learned. She asked to look at Mrs. Deupree's lipstick when she took it out for use at the close of the meal.

Sheikh Hamad himself is very picturesque, tall, rather heavy, and bearded. Mrs. Deupree says, "His friendship is valuable to the companies which do business with him. His business 'go-between' is an intelligent Arabian who was educated in England."

Natives are Arabic, Indian, or Bahrain. Mohammedanism is the prevailing religion—a religion, incidentally, which kept the Deuprees from having pork but twice during their three years on the island. "And even then it was more or less smuggled," Mrs. Deupree says.

Mrs. Deupree went to the island with a high ambition to visit among the natives and learn as much as she could of native life, but she soon learned that such a procedure would require a harder constitution than hers. So gradually she was absorbed by the camp life with its bridge, dinner parties, dances, golf, tennis, squash, gymnastics, and tea—a cross

between average American and average English living, in other words.

The camp is becoming more English all the time. Mrs. Deupree says, and soon will be as English as it was American in the beginning. She came to have many good friends among the English women. She was particularly impressed by the way in which the British can so readily adapt themselves to living in strange places. "You've heard the saying that the British can live all over the world," she said, "and I found it true."

One motion picture is shown at the camp three days each week. Mail comes twice a week by plane. Everybody subscribes to stacks of papers and magazines from "back home." A commissary supplies groceries for the camp, but many purchases have to be made at the bazaars in the native village 16 miles away. Mrs. Deupree bought her facial creams, tooth powders, and some other supplies at the two native bazaars offering such things, but she had her lipstick and powder sent from the states.

No American money is used, the rupee being the only medium of exchange. A rupee is worth about 39 cents in American money. Costs of living are high, comparatively speaking. Oranges are dearly bought at \$1.28 a dozen when they can be secured at all. Fresh vegetables may be obtained occasionally, and only when in season at the native bazaars. The Deuprees did not have a stalk of celery or a leaf of lettuce during their entire stay.

The native islanders have lived for 2,000 years on a diet of fish, rice, and dates. Mrs. Deupree says, and they still live that way. The rice is shipped in, since the island receives little rainfall. A half-inch of rain fell during the whole first year that the Deuprees lived there.

Keeping house is something of a problem for an American in the Bahrain island. The Deuprees had three house servants—an Indian cook who would only cook, a Bahrain butler who would only "buttle," and an Arabian sweeper who had to do the tasks the other servants wouldn't touch.

For a year after the Deuprees went to the island the camp did not have a laundry or dry-cleaning plant. Clothes were dipped in a company fluid, Ormox, and pressed by hand. Laundry was taken by natives to a rock-banked creek and there dipped and then beaten clean, without benefit of soap. Garments were spread on the rocks to dry. It was a pleasant surprise to Mrs. Deupree that her clothes and linens came home with no trace of wear or tear from the beating and that fewer buttons were missing than was the case after the laundry went into operation.

There were Indian tailors who would come to one's home and sew for \$2 a day, sitting cross-legged on the floor and using a hand-turned machine. Sometimes they required as much as two days to make a simple garment, however, which made their not-so-excellent services rather expensive.

Hair styles and dress patterns had to be largely gleaned by close study of Harper's Bazaar and Vogue, and the results were often laughable. Mrs. Deupree recalls, "Most of her dresses were sent to her by relatives in the states. As for hair dressing, she went 17 months after her arrival on the island without a permanent, and had only one permanent in her whole three years there."

That one was obtained when she and her husband took their one vacation trip to Bombay, India. The first thing Mrs. Deupree did was to go to the Taj Mahal beauty shop. And one of the first things she did after her arrival in New York last December was to get another curl.

There was native trouble only once while the Deuprees were on the island and that was shortly before they left when a small Arab uprising upset the native village so that none of the domestic help showed up in the camp that day. Native girls are used in the company telephone office, and to keep the service going some of the wives who had had telephone exchange experience had to pinch-hit for the day.

In spite of all minor inconveniences, however, the Deuprees thoroughly liked living on Bahrain island, they declare. There was homesickness at first, of course, but gradually all the rest of the world became dream-like and far-away. All of the outer world which they could see from the island was the light of two oil flares burning at night on the coast of Arabia, 25 miles away.

Even so, when they were sailing into New York harbor last fall, Mrs. Deupree pointed at the Statue of Liberty and exclaimed to her husband, "Isn't it the prettiest thing you ever saw in your life?"

### FOSTERS RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Foster and Maedell returned Saturday after a visit with Mr. Foster's people in Canyon.

## COFFEY KINDERGARTEN RHYTHM BAND WINS FIRST PLACE ON RUDDICK PARK PROGRAM

Fourteen pre-school age tots composing Mrs. Bill Coffey's kindergarten rhythm band took first place at the chamber of commerce amateur hour in Ruddick park amphitheater Friday night.

Second prize went to Carolyn Rave Womack and Vivian Giddens for a song-and-dance number in which they were accompanied by their teacher, Mrs. W. R. Martin. Grover Buchanan's bass solo, with Mrs. James Payne as accompanist, took third money.

Guest conductor for several numbers during the band concert preceding the program was R. L. Bird, director of music in the high school of Bellville, Michigan. Bird and his family were week-end guests in the home of Bird's cousin, J. L. Pidgeon. R. P. Rose directed the other band numbers, which were announced by Harold Bennett.

Personnel of the kindergarten rhythm band which won first place is as follows: Ann Randle, Rebecca Ann Coles, Bobby Trotter, James Moody Dickerson, Ben Kirby, Robert Melton Willbanks, Billie Lee Moerer, Nancy Jane Dorn, Jan Lee, Dorothy Jean Lindley, Frances Ann Tillar, Barbara Ann Moore, Bill Worrell, and Jerry Richardson. Bobby Trotter was director.

Numbers in addition to the prize winners were: Song by 4-year-old Nita Mae Cochran of Horn's Chapel; magic skit by Rev. A. L. Haley and W. C. Davis, Jr.; vocal solos by Sarah Carter accompanied by Mrs. I. J.

### L. B. ELLIOTT TO ATTEND SAVINGS AND LOAN SCHOOL

L. B. Elliott of the Colorado Federal Savings and Loan association will attend the Southwest Graduate School for Savings and Loan executives at the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville, July 24-28.

The school, which is sponsored by the Southwestern Building and Loan Conference and the Federal Home Loan banks of Little Rock and Topeka in cooperation with the College of Business Administration and the General Extension Service of the University of Arkansas, will draw its students from the states of Arkansas, Colorado, Kansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas.

Judging from advance registrations this will probably be one of the largest extension schools held on the Arkansas campus in recent years, according to Dr. A. M. Harding, director of the General Extension Service.

An attractive program has been arranged by Dean C. C. Fichtner of the College of Business Administration.

### BIG SPRING MAN IS NEW MANAGER OF ROCKWELL YARD

J. B. Wright, recently of Big Spring, has been made manager of Rockwell Bros. lumber yard here, having assumed his new duties Monday morning.

Wright has been connected with the Rockwell yard in Big Spring for several years. H. C. Spencer of Houston, who has been acting manager of the Colorado City yard for the past several weeks, will remain here until August 1.

Wright is moving his family to Colorado City as soon as he locates a home. He has a wife and two children, a 6-year-old son and a 9-month-old daughter. The Wrights are members of the Baptist church.

### FLOOD CONTRIBUTIONS FROM COL-TEX LISTED

A complete list of Col-Tex refinery employees donating to the Red Cross flood relief fund has been submitted as follows:

V. J. Richardson, Farris Lipps, Rex Gilbreath, E. B. Willbanks, L. C. Scarborough, Grady Beach, R. C. Johnson, C. A. Lange, Hugh Sellier, John Adams, Joe McEwen, J. L. Eckleberry, Ira Williamson, Neal Prichard, Wm. Brookover, Lee LaRichard, Wm. C. Benson, N. H. White, venders, A. C. Benson, N. H. White, Jr., Jack Alexander, Maberry Willbanks, A. B. Brooks III, Luciano Mendoza, R. A. Moore, G. O. Hudson, S. Sellier, Udell Moore, L. H. Brown, Henry Doss, L. K. Schmidt, James E. Payne, Robert Aycock, Richard Lange, "Pappy," P. Dillard, Otto Van Zandt, Sam Sanders, Wayland Webb, J. W. Greene, W. E. Seward, Clarence Gross, John T. Merritt, Walter Henderson, E. J. James, Warren Goode.

The total contribution was \$23.00.

### GUITARS RETURN

Mrs. J. H. Guitar, Don Guitar, and Sara Guitar returned last Thursday night after having been away since Mrs. Guitar's sister-in-law died suddenly in Arizona several weeks ago.

### HOME FROM CAMP

Phyllis Berman came home Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Berman, after having been in Camp Waldemar, near Kerrville, for the first six-weeks term.

### REMAINING IN CAMP

Joan Mills, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mills, is remaining at Camp Waldemar, near Kerrville, for the second six-weeks term. Mr. and Mrs. Mills visited her during the week-end.

### SCHOOLMATE HERE

Natalie Hairrell of Hearne, Texas, is the guest this week of Blanche McCarley. The two were friends in John Tarleton college, Stephenville.

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<b>Peaches</b>	Elbertas picked fresh	bu. \$1
		doz. .10
<b>CANTALOUPE</b>	Texas nice size	3 for .10
<b>LETTUCE</b>	crisp and crunchy head	.05
<b>BANANAS</b>	Golden Ripe dozen	.01
<b>LEMONS</b>	Extra Nice dozen	.20
<b>CALIFORNIA: FRESH SEEDNESS GRAPES</b>	PLUMS, APRICOTS, NECTARINES	doz. .10
<b>Sugar</b>	Pure Cane cloth bag	10 lbs. .49 25 lbs. \$1.22
<b>BEVERAGES</b>	Root Beer, Lemon, Strawberry, Orange and Grape Sodas, Ginger Ale and Lime Rickey	24 oz. bottle .10
<b>TEA</b>	Piggy Wiggly Ice Tea Blend	1/2 pound .23
<b>COFFEE</b>	Piggy Wiggly makes a good ice drink	1 pound .22
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Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Church service at 11 a.m. B. T. U. at 7:15 p.m. Church service at 8 p.m. We wish to extend a welcome invitation to everyone to attend these services.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 10 a.m. There will not be church services Sunday at the Methodist church due to Bro. Walden attending a homecoming at Plainview.

BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The W. M. S. met Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. A. Eastman with seven members present. After the devotional Mrs. Huffman taught the study for the afternoon.

LOCALS

Mrs. Elmo Browning of Ft. Worth visited Mrs. A. J. Leach last week. Mr. and Mrs. Maek Bell and sons Raymond and Steven of Burbank, California, and Mrs. Ridge Bell of Rugby, Texas, visited Mrs. E. V. Bell and family Thursday morning. They were enroute from Rugby, Texas, to their home in Burbank, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Anderson and family left Wednesday for a vacation trip in Arkansas. Miss Mary Kent and Mrs. J. T. Lasseter and son are visiting in Plainview this week. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Armstrong and daughter Mrs. Mattie Spears of Coahoma visited Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Armstrong last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Phil Gingerich and children are visiting in Grandfalls this week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oglesby and son are spending two weeks vacation in New Mexico. Supt. G. M. Boswell and Mr. Cavin

of Coahoma visited Mr. C. V. Cox last week. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Craft of Throckmorton visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira D. Lauderdale last week. Mrs. Craft is Mrs. Lauderdale's sister. Miss Dorothy Mullins and Mr. Hezy Read of Coahoma visited Miss Emilee Ramsey Sunday afternoon. Mrs. J. W. Clawson and daughter Rose Marie of Fluvanna visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. A. J. Leach. Miss Clawson leaves from Dallas on Saturday for New York World's Fair by way of Washington, D. C. and other points of interest. Leon Cavaness of Brownfield was a visitor in the I. W. Ramsey home Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lambert and son visited friends here last week. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gressett and son Donald returned home Tuesday from a week's vacation trip to South Texas. Miss Robbie Hudson left last Wednesday for Austin where she will attend summer school. Vernon Peters visited friends here last Monday. Miss Margaret Lasseter and Mrs. R. E. Bassham were in Big Spring last Monday. Miss Wilma Jean Berry is visiting Miss Sue Haynes of Chalk this week. Miss Dorothy Taylor of Sweetwater spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Taylor. Mr. Zack Lasseter and Mr. Carl Oliver were visitors in San Angelo Sunday. Mr. Oliver visited Mrs. Oliver at the sanatorium and she is reported to be doing satisfactorily. Miss Frances Taylor returned home Monday from East Texas where she had been visiting. R. U. Bean and Truman Henderson are fishing this week. Mrs. A. A. Brown and Miss Birdie Gassaway of Ardmore, Okla., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brown this week. Miss Bessie Mae Taylor left Tuesday for East Texas to visit his grandparents.

NEW 'CULTI-VISION' TRACTOR DESCRIBED BY FARMALL DEALER

"I couldn't believe it until I saw it," said R. P. Price who has just attended a preview of the new Farmall-A tractor, held at Sweetwater by the International Harvester company. "This latest rubber-tired addition to the Farmall line," continued Mr. Price, "which sells for a new low Farmall price, brings the grower of row crops something he has never had before—full vision of the work that is being done directly under the tractor. Just as television brings the radio listener something he has never been able to see, so the Farmall-A enables the man who is cultivating corn or other row crops to see what he is doing without having to crane his neck or twist his body. "It's all in the design of the tractor," said Mr. Price. "The engine is cleverly placed so it does not obstruct the view of the rows. The driver rides easily in a comfortable rubber-upholstered seat and watches the cultivator shovels at the same close range that is possible on a horse-drawn riding cultivator. "It's surprising," Mr. Price said further, "how much more power and low-cost service have been built into the new Farmall-A. It will bring power farming to the man who farms small acreage, with 40 to 60 acres under cultivation. It will also be welcomed by the big grower who needs a second or a third tractor to supplement the power of his larger tractor. "A complete line of quick-attachable field machines has been designed to fit the Farmall-A. The owner will be independent of horse power and freed from the tiresome chores and expensive upkeep of horses. "At its interesting low price this new Farmall-A will be in big demand immediately. Production at the factory is in full swing and samples should arrive soon. Nothing of such importance has happened in the agricultural implement field for a long time. Growers in this vicinity will look forward with interest to seeing and trying out the new Farmall-A as soon as the first shipment arrives."

Workers in Mitchell county this week were advised not to walk off a job and expect to draw all their unemployment benefits. H. H. Rumph, supervising examiner for this district, said, "Quitting without good cause may result in a claimant's being assessed one of the stiffest penalties of the unemployment compensation law. He explained that the penalty for quitting without good cause ranges from the loss of one benefit check to the loss of all benefit checks. "The intent of the law is to help the worker who is unemployed through no fault of his own," Rumph declared, "and it is not to be confused with old age benefits or relief."

Prize list for Scurry Rodeo totals over \$800. SNYDER.—A prize list totaling more than \$800 for Scurry county's third annual rodeo here August 18 and 19 was announced Tuesday by directors of the Scurry County Rodeo association. Two hand-made saddles costing \$100 each will be given as first prizes for best riding average on two steers and two horses for both days, and for best average on two wild cow milking and two calf roping events both days. Allen Stevens has been elected arena director, and will be in active charge during the two thrill-packed days of the annual event. Two top flight performances will be given daily—2:00 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. An added and unique attraction this year is the sponsor's event, which will include young cowboys from the communities of Snyder's trade territory. Several community sponsors have already been announced by Henry Rosenberg, chairman of this event. Scurry County Rodeo association directors are: J. M. Stewart, president; J. J. Koonsman, vice president; Allen Stevens, arena director; George Parks, Ollie Stinson and Henry Rosenberg.

LACEYS ARE HOME Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Lacey, accompanied by Joyce Lacey and Jimmie James of Austin, returned home last week after their vacation trip to Denver, Colorado Springs, and other points in Colorado. Mrs. Lacey has a sister in Denver. The Lacey children, Warren Neal and Joyce, stayed in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. James Lupton and the Houston Hills while the Laceys were gone. Mr. and Mrs. Lupton brought them home Sunday, returning to Midland Monday, at which time Joyce Lacey and Jimmie James also returned to Austin. Mrs. Lupton is the former Annetta Lacey.

TO ATTEND TARLETON Ruth Hardison has received notice that she has been accepted by John Tarleton College, Stephenville, Texas, as a student for the coming year, 1939-40. This announcement was made by Charlie S. Wilkins, Registrar, after receiving a transcript of the high school credits of Miss Hardison, who has indicated that she intends to major in the field of elementary teaching.

GO TO FORT DAVIS Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Machia and children, Tom and Jane, accompanied by Jane's friend, Connie Wallace of Chicago, and Martha Earbest, made a trip to Fort Davis, the McDonald observatory, and other points from Friday until Sunday.

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TYRONE POWER



Tyrone Power in two short years rose from a bit player in "Girls Dormitory" to "King of the Movies." Above are scenes from some of his recent triumphs. Left to right (top), they are: "In Old Chicago," Irving Berlin's "Alexander's Ragtime Band" and "Jesse James." Inset (left) is Tyrone with his Movie Crown; (right) with Alice Faye in a scene from "Rose of Washington Square," his latest smash hit. Al Jolson co-stars in the film.

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SANCO CAMP MEETING TO BEGIN THURSDAY SANCO.—One of the very few widely attended camp meetings in West Texas, the Sanco Camp meeting will begin its sixteenth annual 10-day series of evangelistic preaching, singing, grove meetings, and Bible study here Thursday night, July 20. It will continue through July 30. For some reason not known, the mountains and high hills of northern Coke county have never been put on the map of Texas, but in Yellow Wolf valley here in the mountains, the farmers, ranchmen, and people from towns and cities of this section meet each year in July. Tuesday, the 25th and Friday the 28th there will be early in the mornings beef and mutton sizzling on the barbecue pit, to be served flanked with bread and pickles and then moistened with ice tea from full barrels at noon. Rev. T. Perry Brannon of Chattanooga, Tennessee, will do the preaching. Well known as an evangelist over the South, he conducts regular services over Radio Station WDDO, Chattanooga, and is pastor of a congregation there. For five days, beginning Monday, July 25, a vacation Bible school will be conducted each morning, beginning at 9:50 for children, intermediates, young people, and adults. A large kitchen, special dining hall and kitchen, shower bath and well, and two church buildings are on or near the grounds, where Highway 208 crosses Yellow Wolf creek. Sanco is about forty-five miles southeast of Colorado City on the Robert Lee road.

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RED CROSS YEAST LIMITS PELLAGRA

Twelve years ago the American Red Cross instituted an experimental program of yeast distribution in Arkansas in the first concerted attempt to control pellagra. The experiment resulted when the Mississippi flood of 1927 drove hordes of pellagrins from sharecropper shacks to Red Cross emergency camps patrolled by doctors and nurses. "Today 54 Red Cross chapters in Arkansas are continuing this work through distribution of 100 pounds of yeast daily to persons who have developed pellagra because of wrong eating," Dr. William DeKleine, medical director of the Red Cross, said. "Chapters in 12 other southern states are following similar long-term programs to cut deaths caused by the die-deficiency plague." Since the initial cure-by-yeast was proven feasible near Marked Tree, Arkansas, in 1927, the Red Cross has distributed 600,000 pounds of pure yeast. The organization has also distributed 750,000 packages of garden seed as preventive, since lack of green vegetables is primary cause of the disease. Other agencies, health departments and physicians cooperate with the Red Cross in promoting gardening and canning so that preventive foods can be available to the individual family the year round. In 1937 the disease was killing 7,000 persons each year and disabling 35 times as many, but the humanitarian program begun by the Red Cross has brought about a sixty-five per cent reduction in deaths. Caused by lack of proper foods, it is inevitable that indigent families are pellagra's chief victims. When country health officers, nurses and private physicians come in contact with a pellagrins, the Red Cross chapter in the territory is notified and immediately supplies the simple curative. Children, mothers and old people are pellagra's chief victims. To illustrate, the Red Cross chapter in Garland county, Arkansas, reports the recent case of a mother who contracted pellagra after denying herself food to feed her children. This mother was immediately furnished yeast, and completely recovered by the time the new baby was born.

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TO GATESVILLE Mrs. Charles DeLaney and her mother, Mrs. J. P. Mohler, accompanied by Martha Jeanette DeLaney and Billie Marie Seward left last week to visit in Gatesville. Chas. Neal DeLaney has been there for the past few weeks and will return home with them, while Billie Marie will stay until her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Seward, take their vacation.

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### COLBERT AND AMECHE CO-STAR IN COMEDY

Claudette Colbert, as an American fortune hunter stalking her prey in international society, Don Ameche, as a taxi-driver who unexpectedly changes her grandiose plans, and Francis Lederer, as a handsome and gold-dripping Paris playboy—these are the romantic leads in "Midnight," Paramount's gay new comedy, which will be on view at the Palace theatre on Friday and Saturday.

Miss Colbert, who is the screen's

chief expert in the field of sophisticated and brittle comedy, has a role tailored especially for her measurements. She plays "Eve Peabody," a third-rate dancer with first-rate ambitions, who in one dazzling evening meets and falls in love with a hard-boiled taxi-driver, crashes an exclusive party with a pawn ticket as her admission card, sweeps the town's A-1 playboy off his feet and turns into a "countess" to get along better in a snobbish world!

"Eve's" campaign to win herself a wealthy husband takes a hopeful turn when a Paris businessman, John Barrymore, whom she meets at the party, enlists her aid in restoring domestic happiness to his badly-shaken home. His wife, Mary Astor, is engaged in a flirtation with a handsome playboy, Lederer. If Miss Colbert will make a play for Lederer, Barrymore will foot the bills. The arrangement promises to work out well for both sides, for Miss Colbert stands to win the sort of husband she wants, while Barrymore hopes to get back his wife's affections.

But the greater Miss Colbert's success the more she wonders why she ran away from the cab-driver, Ameche, who made such a dent in her heart. Although her daring and cleverness enable her to outwit the "doubting Thomases" who challenge her "title" and her motives, she realizes she has been too successful when Lederer proposes to her. It's now up to Ameche, who arrives as the "countess's" "count" at a Versailles house party to straighten things out in an uproarious climax.

Barrymore, who shows his versatility by dividing his time between comedy, character and dramatic roles, plays the first-named in "Midnight," as the shrewd man-of-the-world who makes use of the French proverb, "cherchez la femme," to solve his own marital difficulties. In his new picture, he introduces to filmgoers his bride, the vivacious Elaine Barrie.

#### PALACE THEATRE

Admission 10c and 30c  
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THURSDAY, JULY 20

#### "FOR LOVE OR MONEY"

June Lang, Robert Kent  
Paramount News, Will Osborn  
and his Orchestra and an MGM  
Miniature Short

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY  
July 21 and 22

#### "MIDNIGHT"

Don Ameche, Claudette Colbert,  
John Barrymore, Francis Lederer  
Fox News and Comedy

SATURDAY MIDNIGHT  
SUNDAY AND MONDAY  
July 22, 23 and 24

#### "ROSE OF WASHINGTON SQUARE"

Tyrone Power, Alice Faye,  
Al Jolson  
Fox News, Walt Disney Cartoon

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY  
July 25 and 26

#### "TELL NO TALES"

Melvyn Douglas, Louise Platt  
Lee Stevens and His Orchestra  
And a Color Parade

THURSDAY, July 27

#### "THEY ASKED FOR IT"

Michael Whalen, Joy Hodges  
Paramount News and Musical  
Short

COMING NEXT WEEK

#### "TARZAN FINDS A SON"

Night Show Opens 6:45 P. M.  
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FOX NEWS AND  
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#### TRIANGLE HD CLUB WITH MRS. THOMPSON

By Mrs. Cora Favor, Reporter  
The Triangle Home Demonstration  
club met July 11 with Mrs. Bill  
Thompson.

Discussions were held on parent  
education and child development.  
Lunch punch was served to 12 mem-  
bers, three of whom were new.  
The next meeting will be with  
Mrs. W. W. Hester. All members are  
urged to be present.

#### VISIT IN SANTONE

Freddie and Martha Jane Watson  
left Monday morning to visit  
LaVerne Vowell, their cousin, in San  
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Statesmen, philosophers and scientists have generally received the lion's share of credit for noble works. But the world seldom stops to drape the laurel wreath upon the brows of the members of one of the noblest professions of all. We refer to the humble (if sometimes prosperous) writer of popular songs.

For, with few exceptions, it will be discovered that every truly successful popular song appeals to the finest instincts of man—mother love, romantic love, love of parents for their children and the love of home. Then, too, of course, the comedy or novelty song plays a vital part in our lives because it makes us laugh and forget our cares for a little while. So does the inspirational song which gives us the courage to face our troubles and look ahead to a sunnier day.

Colorful proof of this theory is the great new 20th Century-Fox motion picture, "Rose of Washington Square," the story of a woman who loved the way some women can—who clung to "her man" no matter what he did, while a "right guy" hopelessly adored her—told in the heart songs and hit songs of today and yesterday.

The film boasts the romantic stars of Irving Berlin's "Alexander's Ragtime Band"—Tyrone Power and Alice Faye—plus Al Jolson, the star who sings back the past everyone wants to remember. It was produced under the supervision of Darryl F. Zanuck, who has given the screen many of its most memorable hits.

"Rose of Washington Square" will show at the Palace theater Saturday midnight, Sunday and Monday.

#### CARR NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Hightower and family of Midland visited Mr. and Mrs. B. Hightower over the week-end.

Dewey, John, and Myrtle Turner visited relatives in Clyde and Cisco over the week-end. Mrs. Turner, who has been visiting her son, H. L. Turner of Clyde the past three weeks returned home with them. John Turner stayed for a visit with H. L. Turner.

The Baptist revival will not meet again until the second Wednesday night in August, due to the revivals which are scheduled up until that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hopper of Big Spring visited in the W. M. Turner home Sunday.

#### HYMAN CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. JACKSON

By Mrs. Edgar Andrews, Reporter  
The Hyman Home Demonstration club met July 7th at the home of Mrs. W. E. Jackson.

Roll call was answered with a child's song. Mrs. Frank Andrews gave the council report.

Plans were made for the club picnic to be Friday night, July 21st, at the Hyman school.

Those present were Mrs. Volly Johnson, Mrs. Frank Stewart, Mrs. Carl Lowery, Mrs. Edgar Andrews, Mrs. Otto Schuster, Mrs. Walter Averitt, Mrs. Martin Jackson, Mrs. Frank Andrews, Mrs. Bill Fowler, and Mrs. W. E. Jackson.

The club adjourned to meet next with Mrs. Carl Lowery on July 21st.

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#### VACATIONING

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# Columnist by "UNCLE FRED"

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### BLISS NEVER COMES OF IGNORANCE

Notwithstanding the poet Gray said that "where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise," it is plain enough to all who think, that bliss is never the fruit of ignorance.

The oft-heard expression to the effect that the more ignorant a person is the happier he is, is the acme of absurdity. There can be happiness only to the extent that a person is able to appreciate it. The more ignorant he is the less capacity he has for such appreciation.

He who best understands what constitutes happiness is most able to endure those things which make against it.

The hummingbird has no appreciation of the beauty of the flowers around which it buzzes.

The bee doesn't notice the delicate tints of the blossoms, or the tenderness of the petals, the sweetness of their fragrance, or even the nectar with which it supplies itself with food or manufactures honey of which it is robbed by man.

The deep sea monsters know nothing of the vastness, grandeur and awfulness of the mighty waters in which they disport themselves.

The little fishes in the waters of Niagara are utterly unconscious of the majesty and power of the falls. Of the thunder of the rushing waters, making the earth to tremble for miles around, they know nothing.

The Rocky Mountain goat, standing upon a crag miles above the peaceful green valley below, sees no more beauty in it than he does in a mud fence.

The eagle soaring in the spaces of blue, skimming the tops of snow-covered peaks, avoiding the storms that may be playing havoc thousands of feet beneath him, flashing through space like a meteor, darting without fear through sun-gilded clouds, hasn't the remotest sense of the greatness or sublimity of the scene beneath and about him.

The barbarous savage in the bush of Australia, or the Hottentot in the jungles of Africa, has very little appreciation of the beauty and glory of the sun, or the soft rays of the moon at night, when the heavens are spread out to his view and the stars twinkle merrily above him.

Certainly his appreciation is not comparable to that of his intelligent white brother across the seas, who is looking upon the same scene, feasting his eyes upon its beauty and thanking God for his realization of the vastness and wonder of it all.

"Surely God will not hear vanity, neither will the Almighty regard it."

### THIS COLUMNATOR OBSERVES

The wife tells me how dumb I am,  
And smart I may not be;  
But if she is so wise herself,  
Would she have married me?

A man, whose family consists only of a wife and daughter, has little chance of running anything but a poor third in a conversational race.

When I put in an occasional inane remark or query edgewise in a two-way conversation, they look pityingly at each other and say: "Oh well, your being a man, you naturally would not understand anyway."

Now this makes me fit to be tied. Why does being a man blunt my understanding? After all, I do have enough understanding not to be standing under a tree during an electrical storm, and I try to keep up with current events, and the standings of the major league teams in my juvenile sort of way.

The other day I came in home and found the little woman and daughter still discussing King George and Queen Elizabeth's visit to our country, although the king and queen are safely back home, and the queen fourteen pounds lighter.

Daughter was saying:  
"And did you notice, Mother, that when Mrs. Roosevelt met the queen at the railway station Mrs. R. was wearing a street length dress while the queen's was full length?"

"There was no faux pas there," I hastily put in. "You see, we Americans sent the queen the material for her dress made from wool raised in 34 states, and she sent her a hundred American full yards. England sent Mrs. R. the material for hers, and the wool was raised in only 4 places, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, and Canada, and the queen, having been born and raised in Scotland, might have suggested sending Scotland Yards, Ha, Ha, do you get it, Scotland Yards?"

"No, we don't get it, but you will if the queen should happen to be taking the Colorado Record and reads your column, and you will probably wind up afool of Scotland Yard," said the little woman.

"And, Mother, did you see the menus served while the king and queen were guests at the White House?" continued daughter. "It was positively fine champagne. Cal's head soup, cress salad, corn bread sticks, sweet potato croquettes, and ginky bread, and the king and queen so, what you'd say, le beau monde. And at Hyde Park they were served hot dogs, can you imagine serving—"

"But," I said, "Serving them English pheasant would have been like taking coals to Newcastle, and besides, ward trickled down from the British Embassy; le roi le vent, the king wills it. Ever since the Prince of Wales returned to England and told George, about our famous hot dogs, he had had a hankering to bite into one. As for me, I thought that the entertainment our English cousins received while visiting the Roosevelts was magnificent in its simplicity. Nobody else on earth are so adept at entertaining as are the Roosevelts, and if there was a mercenary motive behind the visit, Mrs. Roosevelt succeeded in putting over the coup d'etat to end all coup d'etats in serving what she did, and will go down in history as the shrewdest diplomat of her time."

### A SMALL TOWN

Folks who live in Dallas and Ft. Worth and some of our exchanges refer to Colorado City as a small town. We acknowledge we are a small town and like to live here because a small town is a place where we don't brag about our faiths, hopes or our charities, where reputation and character mean the same thing, where concrete backing is more esteemed than front, where we stand up for our rights rather than sit down for them, where a neighborhood is 100 miles long and neighborliness 100 miles deep, where a friend indeed doesn't wait for your need, where we like Judge Billy's boy who went to the city... not because he made a million dollars... but because he came back still Judge Billy's boy; where the telephone directory is "Who's Who," the U. S. Census the Social Register, a man's financial rating is based upon not what he takes in but what he puts out and we have a four hundred because the population is just that; where the mayor and the town dum know each other by their first name; where they don't carve anything on your tombstone that they wouldn't say to your face; where we go out with our own wives and like it; where a stranger's a stranger only because he wants to be; where a ham is something you serve with chicken and Broadway is where the high school play came

from 20 years ago; where the Sheriff inquires about your wife's scintilla as he takes you to jail, the judge will loan you 20 dollars to pay your fine and the neighbors are glad to see you back when you've served your time; where you don't tip the barber because he's a member of your bridge club, and you don't cheat your opponent at poker because he attends your Sunday school class; and where a newspaper man can make a living writing what everyone already knows.

### OLD TIME SOCIABILITY

The more I peruse the columns of the daily press the more I am convinced that this is a pretty good old world even if a whole lot of folks are full of argument.

Misunderstandings lead to arguments and arguments lead to more misunderstandings. The what-we-need is more old-fashioned taking my folks and going over to your house and staying all night Saturday night and all day Sunday and you doing the same to me next week. There is nothing promotes understanding and dispenses misunderstandings like folks staying all night with each other.

Look what the King and Queen did. They stayed all night with the Roosevelts. Although they didn't spread pallets for the children by the fire and talk about crops and the measles like we used to do, no doubt Mrs. Roosevelt showed the Queen her latest piece quilt designs and the Queen perhaps showed her some fancy crochet work, while the King and F. D. R. no doubt got down to first names like George and Frank. I say there is nothing like staying all night for families. They learn more of each other's likes and sleep over any dislikes, and have a clearer firsthand sympathy for each other's problems when seen more from the family background. Then there is most generally that chicken dinner for Sunday in the offing which is not to be reckoned with lightly itself.

It is almost impossible to dislike anybody who spreads a chicken dinner for you on a Sunday.

No doubt it's true that the President and the King talked politics at Hyde Park, but nobody knows what they said about John Garner.

### THINGS HAPPENED

A man rocked a boat to see if it would dip. It did.  
A laborer stepped on a nail to see if it would go through his shoe. It did.

A man looked into the gun to see if it was loaded. It was.  
Last June a helper smelled escaping gas and lit a piece of oily waste to find the leak. He found it.

A young lady kept late hours to see if it would really injure her office work. And it did.

A young man tried drinking to see if it would make him behave like a fool. It did.

That is what I say. Now, the only thing left for the governor to do is to go ahead and pay old age pensions without raising taxes. He promised everybody he could and would do this if he were elected then why doesn't he go ahead and do it like he said he would?

Now is the time for the governor to get out and do his stuff. What is he waiting on? If he could pay pensions without raising taxes why does he not do it?—Uncle Bill.

### THREE DEGREES OF LAUGHTER

There are three degrees of laughter. The lowest is that of a man who laughs at his own jokes; the next is that of one who laughs at the jokes of others; the third and finest of all is the fellow who laughs at himself.

Ben Smith, manager of the Colorado hotel has a problem. Three men came in and registered for a room. He charged them \$30, ten dollars each. After they went up to the room he decided he had charged them too much and gave the porter \$5.00 to give back to them. The porter gave back each man a one dollar bill, making the room cost them \$9.00 each. Three nines is \$27, the porter kept \$2.00 out of the \$30, \$27 and \$2 makes \$29.00. Now what became of the other dollar out of the \$30.00.

### ALMANAC JOKES

"The man who has no other goal than his own happiness is a bad man. He whose goal is the good opinion of others is a weak man. He whose goal is the happiness of others is a virtuous man. He whose goal is God is a great man!"—Count Leo Tolstoi.

"Henry," said Mrs. Jones, "I must give you credit for one thing. In all our married life you have never spoken an unkind word to me."  
"No, Henrietta," agreed the gratified husband.

"What I am wondering," added his wife, "is whether to give you credit for a lovely disposition or mere lack of courage."

Investigator: "How is the telephone service around here? Are they always prompt."  
Native: "They're prompt in part; they never miss sending my bills on time."

A great deal is being said and arguments made that the church should take care of relief.

For a good many years now I have thought it the duty of the church to devote more of its time, energy and money to the poor, the needy, at home.

Missions are all right normally. As things are today, here in our own land, I think to high pressure the raising of great sums of money to be sent to foreign countries while under our very noses thousands all but starve is not right but sinful, and I, for one, have been and will continue to aid my brother man and woman at home.

Right idea churches are the salt of the earth; I mean Christian-like churches. I disapprove this matter of expending \$20,000, \$30,000 or \$50,000 for overhead and gauging such a church by its fine edifice, membership and money collection to meet some while just over the railroad tracks, dwelling in tin shacks and sleeping on the ground men, women and children eat what they can garner from garbage cans or beg, and suffer untold agonies from various diseases.

A good example is right here in Colorado. The Baptist folks have a \$60,000 building and are now busy adding about \$4,000 improvement.

A man who kept up with the procession in the "horse and buggy days," fifty or seventy-five years ago, would be left far behind in the automobile travel of today. A man to keep up with the times, must adapt himself to changed conditions brought about by discoveries and improvements. But he must have sense enough not to be a speeder.

A few weeks ago we published the definition of the several isms. This week a reader hands in the following:

**SOCIALISM:** If you own two cows, you give one to your neighbor.

**COMMUNISM:** You give both cows to the government, and the government gives you back some of the milk.

**FACISM:** You keep the cows; but give the milk to the government which sells some of it back to you.

**NEW DEALISM:** You shoot one cow, milk the other and then pour the milk down the sink.

### MARSHES HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marsh and children, Billy Wayne and Sara Beth, returned Saturday night from their vacation trip to Albuquerque and other New Mexico points. Mrs. Marsh's sister, Mrs. Mary Conlee of Snowwood, accompanied them and stayed in the Marsh home here until Monday night.

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### THEIR NAMES IN THE PAPERS

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

Rev. Edward Sifford, pastor of the Clyde circuit, will begin a revival meeting July 23 at Bethlehem Methodist church, 4 miles southwest of Baird. He will be assisted by a student from McMurry college, he stated.—Baird Star.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nash, Jr. of Kaufman, came in Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Son Powell on their ranch in Glasscock county. While here Mr. Nash bought 276 ewes from Mr. Powell for his firm Nash & Wynne and sent them by truck Tuesday night to Kaufman county. They left for home Wednesday morning and stopped to have breakfast with Editor and Mrs. Kelly. Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Earl Powell, Edgar Lay, Earl and Bill Hamilton of Midland, Mrs. J. W. Moore and son Jimmy went out to the "69" ranch to see the loading of the sheep and have dinner with the Powells and their guests.—Stanton Reporter.

Mrs. Paul Holden and son, Paul, Jr., and Maurine Word visited Mrs. R. F. Hargrove in Colorado City this week.—Big Spring Daily Herald.

Dr. and Mrs. Y. D. McMurry and son, Freddie, returned Sunday from a most interesting eastern trip to New York and other principal cities in the East and a visit in eastern Canada. Dr. McMurry was in school in New York and Mrs. McMurry and Freddie and Dr. McMurry's sister, Mrs. J. H. McGregor of Houston, made extensive motor trips to points of interest. They were gone for more than a month.—Monahans News.

### STATE TAX RATE MAY GO TO LEGAL LIMIT

AUSTIN.—Indications the state ad valorem tax rate probably will be boosted this year to its constitutional maximum of 77 cents on the 100 valuation are growing as time for determination of the rate approaches. The automatic tax board, which fixes the rate, will meet by this Thursday but probably will postpone action until the following week. Thanks to a low state school tax, the rate in 1937 and again last year

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was only 49 cents per \$100 valuation. The charge consisted of the constitutional limits of 35 and seven cents respectively for the general fund and confederate pensions, and another seven cents for schools.

It is becoming increasingly evident the deficit in the available school fund will be so large on September 1, end of the current fiscal year, that a big boost in the school tax rate will be required. The state board of education won't decide until July 24 whether the per capita scholastic aid figure for 1939-40 will be \$22 or \$22.50 but regardless of that decision the tax probably will have to be raised to its maximum of 35 cents in order to restore the fund to a cash basis by the end of the next fiscal year.

The tax board, which will determine the state tax to be paid by

property owners this fall and winter, is composed of Governor W. Lee O'Daniel, Comptroller George H. Sheppard and Treasurer Charley Lockhart. O'Daniel is the only new member. Lockhart and Sheppard being veterans in their respective offices.

O'Daniel favors abolition of the state property tax and last week signed a general remission bill which may lead eventually to such abolition but as a member of the tax board apparently will have to vote to boost the rate to its maximum. The general fund has an \$18,000,000 deficit and the school fund a prospective one of around \$5,000,000. The confederate pension fund is getting in better shape as veterans and widows die but still is considerably "in the red."

### TO CARLSBAD CAVERNS

Mrs. Bennett Scott and her cousin, Wilma Pogue of Tulsa, Oklahoma, accompanied by Mrs. Logan Spalding, returned Tuesday night from a trip to Carlsbad caverns, Miss Pogue has been visiting in the Scott home. Mr. Scott's niece, Sara Dell Scott of Goldthwaite, who has been in the Scott home for the past two weeks, accompanied the group to the caverns and then was left in Denver City, Texas, to visit an aunt.

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Year—	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
1920	2.11	.49	.16	7.04	5.66	.27	7.67	3.31	2.04	2.00	.27		32.01
1921	.26	.89	1.48	.42	.87	4.98	.48	1.09	2.27				12.81
1922	.73	.17	1.27	12.28	4.98	2.65	.74	.21	.81	1.61	.22		25.00
1923	.75	3.35	1.79	3.78	3.04	3.13	1.70	2.15	5.32	1.62	1.05		28.61
1924	.09	.10	.60	.64	5.11	.74	1.26	3.25	4.52	2.63	.03	.54	19.51
1925	.24	.02		3.47	8.66	.81	1.78	1.79	3.66	2.49	.21		18.31
1926	1.06	.08	2.69	3.36	2.77	4.10	2.79	2.89	8.96	3.31	.67		36.05
1927	.54	1.23	.48	.79	.24	1.85	2.66	2.00	3.06	1.40		.75	15.00
1928	.78	1.12	.57	.62	5.94	2.00	6.20	1.68	.77	1.58	.75	.17	21.96
1929	.54	.95	3.05	.60	3.98	.72	.58		4.52	3.76			18.70
1930	.10			1.95	1.96	3.76			1.38	1.63	1.78		16.43
1931	4.10	3.29	2.15	3.44	1.10	.51	.94	.54	6.70	1.34	1.74		25.31
1932	1.56	4.28		3.42	7.13	2.93	.88	8.98	4.61				38.69
1933				2.20				4.90	1.45	.30	.90		11.00
1934	.75		2.20	1.71				1.75	1.10				9.23
1935	1.97	.37	1.12	6.10	4.21	6.41	.91	3.96	1.00	1.18	1.15		28.38
1936				3.11	1.00	2.78	.50	1.72	8.92	2.05			18.28
1937	2.25	.90	2.10	1.51	3.38	.80	.57	.75	2.55	.87	1.35		16.73
1938	2.25	3.26	2.20	1.03	1.23	3.29	3.54	.18	.75	1.46	1.86		21.13
1939	2.50		1.60	.51	2.09	2.98							9.68

COTTON GINNED IN MITCHELL COUNTY PAST TEN YEARS

Year	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
No. of Bales	35462	15208	29734	50221	23500	12674	22634	16233	29665	22308

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HUGE LIVESTOCK SHOW PLANNED

**Increased Premiums Attract Many of the Finest Herds**  
 DALLAS.—Plans are being made to have one of the largest livestock shows ever held in the entire South at the 1939 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 7 to 22. It has been announced here by Frank P. Holland, director in charge of livestock.  
 Premiums have been increased in practically every classification of livestock. Beef cattle alone has been increased to more than \$20,000, and one of the features of the livestock show will be the Hereford classification for which \$10,000 in awards will be made.  
 Due to the increased herds of dairy cattle in Texas premiums for this classification has been increased to \$7,500, as have the awards offered in the various swine classifications.  
 Texas has rapidly forged ahead during the past few years as the outstanding beef cattle state in the entire union, and are selling many animals of registered stock to farmers of the South and the Southeast for breeding purposes.  
 State Fair officials plan to invite many officials and visitors from Southwestern states to visit the Hereford and other livestock shows at the Texas Fair. The governmental program of the past few years has necessitated the change of cotton acres to feed stuffs and farmers in former cotton belts are turning to livestock to dispose of these crops.  
 The Breeder-Freder movement has thoroughly demonstrated the fact that beef cattle can be bred, fed and finished in Texas or any other cotton state," Mr. Holland said. "The government program has helped in this and Texas and other cotton states will be finishing more livestock each year."  
 A full 16-day livestock show will be held at the 1939 State Fair of Texas, as will every other department have full 16-day shows. This insures the visitor to the State Fair on either opening day or closing day the same opportunity of seeing the fair as the visitor during the middle of the celebration.  
 The State Fair of Texas will entertain 700 or more members of 4-H Clubs during the 51st Celebration, Oct. 7 to 22. Four-Club girls will be entertained one week and the boys the other week. Both groups are entertained at three-day encampments on the grounds.  
 Baldy Peak or Mt. Livermore in Jeff Davis county is the highest point in Texas, reaching 8,382 feet, while Texline in Dallam county is the city having the highest altitude in Texas of 4,694 feet.  
 More than 75 towns are listed in Texas which only have a population of 10 persons. Pleasant Mound in Dallas county is given a count of five.  
 Read the ads and grow wise in the ways of purchasing.

FRAME GARDEN AND BETTER POULTRY FLOCKS ARE MITCHELL COUNTY WEAPONS IN DRIVE FOR 'MORE FEED AND FOOD' ON TEXAS FARMS

Armed with frame gardens and improved poultry flocks, Mitchell county farm women are entering wholeheartedly into the campaign to get "more feed and food" on Texas farms in 1939, according to records of Vera Crippen, county home demonstration agent.  
 They are learning that frame gardens take the hit-or-miss out of growing vegetables in West Texas, and that full-blooded chickens can be counted on for eggs and meat as mixed breeds never could.  
 Miss Crippen started her campaign to increase interest in home-raised foods by helping her women to become familiar with the basic food needs for their families and then showing them how to supply these needs in a live-at-home program. They have been learning about the alarming low food standard for Texas farm and ranch families in 1937, and at the same time they have been learning the remedies for this condition.  
 From their club meetings Mitchell county farm women have learned that the yearly diet for each person should include 91 gallons of milk, 30 dozen eggs, 175 pounds of meat, 200 pounds of potatoes, 200 pounds of green or yellow vegetables, 200 pounds of other vegetables, 100 pounds of citrus fruit or tomatoes, 200 pounds of other fruit, 170 pounds of grain products, 20 pounds of butter, 70 pounds of sweets, and 15 pounds of dried peas and beans.  
 Experience had taught the women that open gardening in West Texas is too often a hit-or-miss affair, because the climate features late freezes, high winds, sand, and unpredictable drought periods. The custom had been to plant a garden in the spring, Miss Crippen points out, and hope for the best. Too often the garden would fail, and then the only vegetables which the family would have would be the ones they could afford to buy. The amount bought nearly always was far below the basic needs of the family, as statistics clearly reveal.  
 As a result of the home food and feed campaign as carried out in Mitchell county, 53 families now have adequate, full-blood breeds of chickens to replace former mixed breeds, while 25 have frame gardens and 41 have open gardens supplemented by field plantings.  
 Thirty-five of the fifty-three families having full-blood poultry flocks sell eggs regularly, paying part of their grocery bill in this way.  
 All have added new chickens to their flocks this year, thereby increasing productivity and supplying new stock to replace that which must be culled out. A number have added new equipment, including ten brooder houses, two laying houses, two poultry yards, coops, pens, feeders, waterers, and other items.  
 Mrs. H. A. Pond of the Fairview community has started a new flock of White Leghorns this year and now has 500 chickens in her flock. She has sold about 150 fryers besides supplying her family with eggs and chickens. She has a new poultry yard, a new brooder house, and two reconditioned laying houses. She plans to have fryers on the fall market.  
 Those families having frame gardens are raising such vegetables as lettuce, carrots, beets, parsley, greens, radishes, and other quick-maturing plants. A frame garden containing such vegetables can be replanted as many as five times during the year, supplying the family with year-around green vegetables.  
 Open gardens contain lettuce, English peas, snap beans, okra, onions, radishes, squash, peppers, tomatoes, carrots, beets, and cabbage, while field plantings include corn, peas, beans, potatoes, cucumbers, melons, pumpkins, okra, and sweet potatoes. This happens to have been a favorable year for open gardens so far, Miss Crippen reports.  
 Some of the gardeners are trying vegetables that they have never grown before, such as asparagus, Swiss chard, Chinese cabbage, and parsley.  
 All the women expect to raise during the summer a sufficient amount for considerable canning, especially of those vegetables which cannot be produced fresh in the frame garden.  
 Mrs. Chas. Williams of the Payne community has a frame garden 5x75 feet in which she has planted carrots, beets, tomatoes, radishes, lettuce, kohlrabi, tender greens and spinach. In the field she has onions, beans, peas, corn, and cucumbers. The frame garden has been supplying the family with fresh vegetables for some time now, and Mrs. Williams says that her family has decided on the frame garden as the best and surest way of growing vegetables in this part of the country. Her field crops will be sufficient to can corn, peas, beans, and cucumbers for winter use.  
 Some 40 Mitchell county families not represented among the home demonstration club membership of the county have joined in the move to improve poultry flocks and establish frame gardens, Miss Crippen says. Most of these families have hogs and calves which they will kill for their meat supply, and the animals are being fattened on home-raised feed. Nearly all have cows to supply milk and butter sufficient for family needs.  
 The education and expansion committee of the Mitchell County Home Demonstration Club has taken the initiative in publicizing the "more food and feed" movement. They have distributed pamphlets, posted educational placards, and otherwise promoted the move.  
 The food most lacking in this county, Miss Crippen finds, is fruit. The aim now is to start each family growing such fruits as cherry plums, berries, grapes, rhubarb, tomatoes, melons, and cantaloupes, along with a few varieties of peaches.

FIRST ELLWOOD OWNER OF RENDERBROOK GIVEN CREDIT IN WIRE STORY

Because the man who started the Ellwood ownership of Mitchell county's Renderbrook ranch is the same Ellwood who made possible the first barbed wire in Texas, this Associated Press story by C. A. Price on the history of barbed wire will be of special interest to Mitchell countians:  
 A few strands of the first barbed wire fence to hum the knell of the open range in Texas still hang to posts on the famous Frying Pan ranch west of Amarillo. Decaying beside Highway 82, 10 miles west of Sherman, is the house the first distributor of barbed wire built. The two relics—the rusted wire and the crumbling two-story house—are richly historic, for they played a part in the changing of the old order in the cattle country.  
 They stand today because J. F. Glidden of DeKalb, Ill., became angry one morning back in 1874. His cattle had broken down his fence of smooth wire around a pasture. While repairing it Glidden noticed hanging to the wire some of the staples used in fastening the strands to the post. The staples were sharp.  
 Glidden had an idea, one that was to revolutionize the West. His idea, was to place barbs on the wire, but not until he had obtained a patent in November, 1874, did he realize the possibilities of his invention. He and I. L. Ellwood patented a machine for making barbed wire and built a factory at DeKalb. Five tons were made the first year but little of it was sold. Glidden decided he needed a man to sell the wire and hired Henry B. Sanborn. Sanborn was sent to Texas where he was thoroughly disliked, but today there is a Texas village named Sanborn and a city park in Amarillo by the same name.  
 Sanborn tried to convince big-scale stockmen the wire was practical. They snorted at the idea, but Sanborn had a carload shipped to Texas. To prove to skeptical stockmen that cattle and horses "would get used to barbed wire," Sanborn bought a ranch 10 miles west of Sherman and fenced it.  
 Gradually the stockmen, more especially the small ranchers and settlers, came to favor barbed wire. Sanborn made a fortune. He invested most of that fortune in the 125,000-acre Frying Pan ranch, where he put under fence, the first major ranch on the plains to be encircled by humming barbed wire. Later Sanborn helped found Amarillo and won the title, "Father of Amarillo."  
 The old house at Sherman is in need of repair. Most of the "Glidden wire" on the old Frying Pan is gone, but so is the Old West barbed wire changed. Barbed wire stretches endlessly in every state.  
 Even Texas' famous boothill graveyard—the one at Old Tascosa not far from the Frying Pan—is fenced with barbed wire, although many of the men sleeping there carried wire-cutting instruments in their saddle bags.  
 Barbed wire didn't come without a fight. Many a trigger was pulled over fence building and barbed wire cutting, and today in Coleman county—near Jim Ned creek—is a fence with each wire tied between it between the posts. It was tied back together.  
 Perhaps the greatest amount of barbed wire ever used on a single acreage was strung around the 3,000,000-acre XIT ranch the State of Texas swapped for the capitol building at Austin. Within two years after the ranch was established it had 800 miles of barbed wire. Later cross fences increased the amount to 1,500 miles. The King ranch in South Texas is larger than any other ranch under fence today, but the Kings use smooth wire, enough of it to reach from Brownsville to Chicago.  
 Although barbed wire was hated and cursed by ranchers and cowhands who were changed from line riders to fence riders, the product of Mr. Glidden's fit of anger back in 1874 finally became a weapon that led to far greater changes in the cow country.  
 Natural developments in the cow business had brought competition, mainly between the large operators and the small independents. Ten years after barbed wire was introduced a group of small operators organized and built a 40-mile barbed wire fence north of the Canadian river. It was a drift fence designed to keep back the cattle of the big companies to the north. The cattle usually drifted southward into the well-watered river breaks during the winter. Although intended solely as a protection, the fence proved to be a thing of revenge.  
 The winter it was built came the great blizzard of 1885-86. When the blizzard struck the cattle turned tail and headed south. Against the drift fence thousands and thousands died. As long as a cow could stay on her feet and keep moving she had a chance to survive the blizzard, but once she stopped she was doomed. The next spring the drift fence was lined on the north with decaying carcasses.  
 The loss was great, but it won a point for the small operators. Barbed wire had come to stay. The open range was done. The nester's most effective weapon was barbed wire and he used it. The cow country became a settlement.

"Here's What I Expect an Advertisement To Tell Me!"



"Where Can I Buy It? Naturally, one of the first things I want to know about something I see in an ad is—where can I buy it? It isn't simply a matter of convenience and of saving time in planning my shopping, either! No, the name of the merchant, itself decides whether I buy or not. Invariably, you see, I give preference to stores whose ads I see regularly and often—I know those stores must have good value or they couldn't go advertising year after year!

"What Will It Do For Me? I find it so much easier to make up my mind when the ad tells me facts about the merchandise! What is it? What will it do? How will it help me? Why do I need it? I want to know about color, weight, texture, material, style—I enjoy those things and I usually buy from the merchant who tells them to me.

"How Much Is The Price? Of course nearly every ad mentions the price, but if an item has been marked down I want to know from how much. So many sale ads was 'Was Higher' . . . how much higher? I want to know how much I am saving and I want the chance of deciding for myself if the item is a real value or not. I have more confidence in the store that is consistently truthful and buy from such a store regularly—and my husband says an old customer is worth three new ones because new ones cost additional money to get!"

READ THE ADS IN THE COLORADO RECORD—ALL OF THEM HELP YOU TO WISE SPENDING—MOST OF THEM HELP YOU TO MAKE WISE SAVINGS, TOO!

IATAN-CARR CLUB AT COLEMAN HOME

BY Mrs. Witt Hines, Reporter  
 The second program on "Untying Apron Strings" was given by the Iatan-Carr Home Demonstration club in a meeting July 6 with Mrs. Lee Coleman as hostess. The meeting on June 21 was held with Mrs. Van Boston at which time the roll call was answered by the name of "A Good New Book Suitable for a Child." Mrs. Boston led the round table discussion on the subject.  
 At the meeting with Mrs. Coleman a continuation of the topic "Untying Apron Strings" was led by Mrs. Witt Hines. The roll call was answered by "A Child's Song." A very interesting discussion on the problems of adolescent youth was held.  
 The following members were present: Mmes. Van Boston, J. E. Skelton, F. L. Eikenberg, T. L. McKenney, Witt Hines, Frank Miller, C. E. Cox, and the hostess, Mrs. Coleman. Delicious homemade ice cream and cake were served.  
 The next meeting is to be held with Mrs. J. E. Skelton on July 19. Miss Crippen will be present to lead the lesson on "Kitchen Cleaning Made Easier."

TO KERRVILLE

Joe Earnest and Ernest Porter accompanied Mrs. Don Sivalis of Cisco to Camp Waldemar, near Kerrville, Friday and Saturday to bring Mary Martha Sivalis home from camp at the close of the first term.

VACATIONING

Clifford Farmer, who is employed at the Farmer candy kitchen, is vacationing at Lamesa this week.

PRITCHETTS RETURN

Mr. and Mrs. Compton Pritchett and children returned Saturday after a vacation visit in Ruidoso.

MRS. JULIAN HOME

Mrs. R. M. Julian returned recently after a visit of several weeks at her former home in Tusculum, Ala.

TO EAST TEXAS

Mrs. G. W. Whitaker and daughter, Mildred, left last Friday to visit in several East Texas points this week.



**WE WANT TO CLEAR THEM OUT QUICK!**



**USED CAR LOT**  
Corner Third and  
Hickory Streets

EASY  
TERMS

Here's the situation . . .  
The used cars we have been  
taking in trade have piled  
up . . . There's only one  
thing to be done—and  
we've done it! Every car is  
priced to clear at once . . .  
You are bound to find the  
car you want.

**SHROPSHIRE MOTOR COMPANY**  
Dodge and Plymouth Sales and Service  
Phone 330

HERE FROM PECOS  
Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Wood of Pecos  
were week-end guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Ben Smith.

**SURE,  
you need a  
VACATION**



. . . and don't let anybody  
tell you different! There was  
a time when the world was  
such a slow-pokey sort of  
place that you didn't need to  
get away from your business  
and rest up. But those days,  
as the saying goes, are gone  
forever . . . Whatever you  
do, whether you're a farmer,  
a merchant, a housewife, a  
banker, a publisher—you  
name it!—the doctors say  
you need to get away at  
least once in a while and  
rest your mind with a change  
of scenery, revitalize your  
body with a change of activ-  
ity . . . Well, it's easy enough  
to do in this day and age;  
there's your car waiting in  
the garage, and in Houston,  
there's Humble Touring Service  
all set up to help you  
plan a vacation trip . . . And  
that part of it—Humble Tour-  
ing Service's part of it—  
doesn't cost you a dime; the  
Touring Service is operated  
to give you, without cost or  
obligation, every assistance  
in planning a trip to and from  
any part of North America.  
. . . Stop at your Humble  
Service Station and ask for a  
Touring Service card (it re-  
quires no postage); use it to  
tell the Touring Service where  
you want to go—they do the  
rest . . . And while you're in  
the station, why not leave  
your car to be checked over  
for the trip—you'll want it  
looking good and running  
right while you're away!

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**COURT HOUSE NEWS**

Born to Mrs. James G. McCarley  
on 23, a boy.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs.  
William Fieldon Haley, April 27, a  
boy.  
Milton B. Huling, April 8, a boy.  
E. N. Nolan, April 14, a girl.  
J. D. Blackerby, April 13, a girl.  
J. W. Padgett, April 20, a girl.  
Russay David Dockery, April 9, a  
girl.  
W. W. Sellers, April 13, a boy.  
Ailjandro Rocha, April 13, a girl.  
C. A. Izlehart, a girl.  
Charles Victor Moeser, April 3, a  
boy.  
Preston Cambell Wynne, April 7, a  
boy.  
August George Spievers, April 3, a  
girl.  
O. R. Brown, April 2, a girl.  
John C. Houston, March 28, a boy.  
Alfonso Galenda, Feb. 20, a boy.  
Oscar Hanny Callaway, April 1, a  
girl.  
Juan Sosa, April 6, a girl.  
Eugene Thomas Smith, April 17, a  
girl.  
Robert Franklin Horton, April 19,  
a girl.  
Carl Bryan Morrill, on April 9, a  
girl.  
Pedro Gomez, on May 29, a boy.  
Carl Golden, May 28, a girl.  
James Walker Cook, May 28, a boy.  
Eibert Olsen Scarbrough, May 3, a  
girl.  
Paul Garrett Carpenter, May 20, a  
boy.  
Jose Herrenda, May 8, a girl.  
Esequiel Davila, May 19, a boy.  
Nicholas Lalla, May 19, a girl.  
Unbana Herandes, May 31, a boy.

**Women Agree 93%!**

If 93 out of 100 users picked at  
random declare they were helped  
by a medicine, would you believe  
in its merit? That happened among  
women of 12 Southern states who  
were questioned about CARDUI.  
As a good stimulator of appetite  
and aid to digestion, CARDUI  
assists women to build up resist-  
ance and so helps them avoid pe-  
riodic pain of functional dysmen-  
orrhea due to malnutrition.



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Are you planning to Build? Repair? If you  
are, we offer you a 3-point advantage that  
will enable you to make your building dollars  
do double duty! Our knowledge of local re-  
quirements and experience in the building  
field is available to you without charge. Be-  
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time and money saving short cuts

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kind, simply call us. We're glad to help!



**Berry-Fee Lumber Co**  
THE YARD THAT SERVICE IS BUILDING

**PICKED UP ALONG THE NEWS PATH**

Every time we attempt to go  
even slightly educational in this  
sheet, we wind up by getting  
educated in what is often a most  
humiliating manner. . . . For  
instance, last week we tried to  
tell our public all about the city  
disposal plant, which has been  
somewhat in the public eye—and  
nose—since the recent river flood  
put it out of commission for  
several days. . . . To tell about  
the sewage disposal system, we  
had to make mention of a device  
which, we blush to recall, we  
referred to as an "embhawk" tank.  
. . . Now, we were leery of that  
"embhawk" all the time, because  
the man who showed us the  
plant warned us that he didn't  
know the spelling of the word  
and didn't know who could give  
it to us. . . We tried dictionaries  
and encyclopedias to no avail—  
which isn't surprising in view of  
the fact that we had no idea of  
what we were looking for. . . .  
It's sad but true that you've  
nearly got to know the first three  
letters of a word before you can  
find it in such books. . . . We  
tried inquiries, but they also  
availed naught. . . . Well, we took  
a chance on "embhawk" and  
what a chance! . . . We still  
squirm to remember how many  
folks turned out to know that the  
thing is an "imbhoff" tank, not  
an "embhawk" tank. . . . It's a  
pity we couldn't find any of these  
folks before we undertook this  
latest venture in word-coinage.  
. . . Anyway, we'll be wary of the  
educational theme for a time—  
we're that embarrassed!

One of the most charming little  
boys we've met in some time is  
Corvdon Elliott, 3½-year-old son of  
Mr. and Mrs. Ben D. Elliott. . . .  
Jon has been wearing a cast on his  
right leg for the past six weeks, ever  
since he underwent surgery at the  
Hammond lodge in Dallas in an effort  
to correct an injury which he sus-  
tained at birth. . . . He's been a  
patient little fellow and has never  
lost his smile, although there must  
have been times during this hot  
weather when wearing the cast was  
anything but fun. . . . He and his  
attractive mother are due to go to  
Dallas in the next few days to have  
the cast removed. . . . Some day when  
he's old enough to know what the  
word "courage" means, someone  
ought to tell Jon that he had plenty  
of it long before he knew there was  
such a thing.

**FORMER RESIDENT  
HONORED AT REUNION**

Central figure at a family reunion  
held in Hamlin Sunday was Mrs.  
A. G. Griffin of Hamlin, a former  
Colorado Citian.  
Sixty-two attended the reunion,  
including three daughters, three sons,  
twenty-five grandchildren and ten  
great-grandchildren. Mrs. Griffin is  
84 years old.  
Listed among those attending were:  
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Weatherly and  
family of Rotan, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff  
Rountree and family of Hamlin,  
Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Griffin and fam-  
ily of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. J. O.  
Shurtleff and family of Colorado  
City, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Griffin, Jr.,  
of Okemah, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. L. E.  
Griffin and family of Hamlin, Mr.  
and Mrs. A. C. Odum of Abilene,  
Mr. and Mrs. Truman Hamilton of  
Abilene.

Advertising brings a new world to  
your home.

They got to the point last week of  
using Texas rangers in an effort to  
serve a court summons on Winfield  
Scott, Jr., wealthy Fort Worth cat-  
tleman whose father was one of  
Colorado City's early-day cattle  
barons. . . . Scott is wanted in a  
Dallas court to show why he should  
not be held in contempt in connec-  
tion with some of his much-head-  
lined alimony troubles. . . . He has  
failed to show up at nearly a dozen  
hearings because papers could not  
be served on him. . . .  
One of our matrimonial predic-  
tions of several months ago went  
wrong Saturday when blonde Ger-  
aldine Robinson, Centennial queen  
at Dallas in 1936, married at Sea-  
graves—but didn't marry the for-  
mer Colorado City man with whom  
our cockeyed prediction had her  
linked. . . . She was sponsored as  
Lamesa's representative in the Cen-  
tennial queen contest by Dud Ar-  
nett, a Colorado City product, son  
of the late Mr. and Mrs. D. N.  
Arnett. . . . She has been doing  
Little Theater work in Dallas since  
she reigned as queen. . . . Her  
family moved from Lamesa to  
Seagraves some time ago. . . .  
SMATTERINGS: Local employees  
of the Texas & Pacific railroad were  
taking note Tuesday of the second  
sudden death among high railroad  
officials within the past few weeks.  
. . . D. W. Beddo, auditor of freight  
receipts for the railroad, died in a  
Mingus cafe while plugging a nickel  
into a phonograph. . . . He was using  
the lodge of Mrs. A. C. Anderson's  
brother while on a fishing trip and  
outing near Mingus. . . . Lay Powell  
and son Jenks brought a bottled  
vigoroso in from the ranch the  
other afternoon and then tried to  
tell everybody the things won't bite.  
. . . Consensus of opinion seemed to

garden's beginning and its suc-  
cess, and Judge A. F. King has  
consented to let them have the  
credit. . . . One of the three  
claims that the sinias grow  
ranked around the spot where  
Willie Porter used to stand while  
presiding over and leading the  
annual singing convention. . . .  
Now which of the three do you  
suppose said a thing like that?  
Your first guess is right—twas  
Ford!

Rumor ran around town soon after  
Friday morning's fire alarm that the  
livestock barn at the Frontier Round-  
up grounds was burning, and there  
were many visions of Mitchell coun-  
ty's finest horses coming to a fiery  
death. . . . The Cattle and Horses  
barn is properly known as the  
Texas Frontier Livestock Commission  
barn, so it can be readily seen why  
folks thought of the Round-up barn  
when they heard that the "Frontier  
barn" was afire. . . .

After writing all these months  
about the "Earl Hammond lodge on  
Deep creek," we at last viewed this  
fast-becoming-famous spot this week,  
finding it just as beautiful and as  
enjoyable as we'd heard and imagined  
it to be. . . . For many years now  
we've nurtured an ambition not a  
"secret" one because our talkative  
and very open nature precludes  
lines banks and trees where katydids  
could sing in the summer nights. . . .  
The Hammond lodge has all these  
things, and more. . . . All of which  
puts us in the position of having  
designs on the place—and sure  
enough we have. . . . But we would  
square off for one just like it because  
the Hammonds themselves are such  
nice folks and so generous with the  
pleasures afforded by their beauty  
spot. . . . Both say that they get  
most out of it when their friends are  
helping to enjoy it. . . . Take a place  
like the Hammond lodge, add to it  
the chicken-and-fish-frying ability  
of Earl Hammond, the artistic touch  
of Annis Hammond, the cute charm  
of little Patsy Marlene Hammond,  
and the open-handed hospitality of  
the whole Hammond family, and  
you've got something—something  
plus!

The sheep which graze so placidly  
in a field north of the highway as  
one travels a short distance west of  
Colorado City belong to Gaston Brock,  
who has the land leased from Mon-  
cure Carter. . . . Brock, who is one  
of the guiding hands behind our  
Frontier Round-up rodeo each year,  
lives on the J. J. Handley place  
which he has leased from Earl Mor-  
rison. . . . Mrs. Brock and their  
attractive daughter live there what  
time school isn't going on, and then  
they live where Mrs. Brock teaches  
near Snyder. . . . A standing joke  
with Mrs. Brock is that every time  
she comes to town, somebody thinks  
there's going to be a rodeo. . . . She  
was main bookkeeper on the first  
few rodeos Colorado City had, and  
the men admit they haven't found  
one yet that knows the business any  
better.

**Pleasant Ridge News**

The revival meeting is going on  
at our church. Everyone has a special  
invitation to come and be with us.  
Mrs. C. W. McNally is home from  
the sanitarium and is able to be up  
part of the time.

Bro. and Sister Leslie were dinner  
guests in the Roy Haggerton home  
Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Otha Curry of Har-  
lingen visited their daughter, Mrs.  
Cecil Darden and friends and rela-  
tives here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Prentice Rasco spent  
Saturday night in the home of his  
brother, Emmett Rasco near Roscoe.  
Mr. and Mrs. Allen Chammess of  
Lisbon, La., spent last week here  
visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Freeman  
visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ep-

be that it doesn't really matter  
whether they'll bite or not—their  
looks are poisonous enough. . . .  
After announcing in The Record last  
week that he had free dirt for all  
comers, J. N. Jordan of the city pay-  
ing program got so many calls that  
he thinks The Record has nothing  
to worry about in the matter of  
circulation, although he did have a  
few worries of his own in the matter  
of dirt delivery. . . .

When Mrs. J. Ralph Lee returned  
recently after a visit in Childress,  
she brought with her several issues  
of the Halifax Herald published dur-  
ing the visit of the King and Queen  
in Canada. . . . Her sister, Ethel Big-  
gerstaff of Childress, subscribed for  
the paper during the royal visit. . . .

That page of Byron Nelson pictures  
in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram  
rotogravure section Sunday was of  
particular interest to Colorado Citians  
because Mrs. Nelson is related to  
several local people and the Nelsons  
have frequently visited here while  
following golf tournaments to and  
fro across the continent. . . . In case  
you haven't been reading the sport  
headlines lately, Nelson is one of the  
nation's two best professional golfers,  
and he missed being the best by less  
than an inch in finals of the national  
PGA golf championship tourney at  
New York last Saturday. . . . Nelson  
lost the final match to Henry Picard,  
one up on the 37th hole, with Nel-  
son's ball stopping less than an inch  
short of the hole which Picard took  
to win the match. . . . Mrs. Nelson  
is a cousin of Mrs. Clay Smith, Ken-  
nie Reese, Mrs. Brady Warren, and  
other Mitchell countians and is a  
piece of W. L. Reese of Colorado  
City. . . . Her maiden name was  
Louise Shofner, and her home was  
Texarkana, Ark. . . . She visited here  
frequently before she married. . . .  
Nelson was reared at Handley and  
got his golfing start as a caddy at the  
Glen Garden country club at Fort  
Worth, and won many Texas tourna-  
ments before turning pro in 1932. . . .  
He was in charge of golfing at the  
Texarkana club for a time, then  
moved east. . . . He's to be pro at  
Toledo, Ohio, in the near future. . . .

Hear tell that a Colorado  
Citian who hasn't been here too  
long will take unto himself a  
wife, come August. . . . The girl  
lives in a large-like city to the  
east of us—considerably to the  
east. . . .

Colorado  
Auto Supply  
Across from Post Office  
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STOMACH COMFORT  
Why suffer with indigestion, Gas,  
Gall Bladder Pains or High Blood  
Pressure? Restore your Potassium  
balance with Alkalosine-A and these  
troubles will disappear. A month's  
treatment for \$1.50. Sold on money-  
back guarantee by W. L. Doss Drug  
Store.

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Mrs. Joe Wheeler of Sweetwater  
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end.  
Mrs. Edd Claxton is slowly im-  
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Mrs. Bellora Griffith went Sun-  
day to visit her son Emmett Grif-  
fith of near Roscoe after spending  
two weeks here with her daughter,  
Mrs. Sam Haggerton.

Texas population has increased  
from 7,000 (estimated) in 1806 to  
more than 8,000,000 persons (esti-  
mated) in 1939.



"I SEE YOU'VE GOT NEW  
TIRES, JIM. I NEED SOME,  
TOO—WISH I COULD  
AFFORD THEM"



I ALWAYS KEEP MY CAR  
EQUIPPED WITH SAFE  
TIRES, BILL. IF I CAN'T  
PAY CASH, I BUY ON  
FIRESTONE'S BUDGET PLAN



Try this  
easy-to-buy  
plan today.  
Equip your  
car with  
Firestone  
Champions  
—built with  
the new  
Safety-Lock  
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and Gear-  
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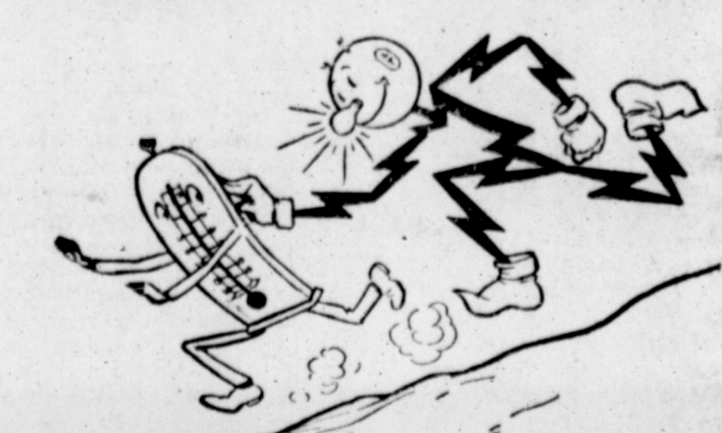
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**MUCH COOLER  
THIS SUMMER**



Thanks to  
**Cheap Electric Service**

"Much Cooler This Summer" is the weather fore-  
cast if you use your cheap electric service to add to  
summer comfort. Whether to run fans, a cooling  
system or an air conditioning unit, your electric  
service does its part to increase your comfort in  
hot weather.

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for four hours. Less than two pennies an hour is all  
it costs to run a residential cooling system. That is  
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