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## GAS LINE SURVEY

A few weeks ago a delegation visited Goldthwaite with the avowed purpose of ascertaining the desire of the people here for a gas line to be built to this city. They interviewed Mayor Bodkin and several other citizens, but made no definite announcement. It now develops that a survey is being made of a line running from a west Texas gas field thru the towns of Zephyr, Mullin, Goldthwaite, Lometa and ending at Lampasas. The line as surveyed runs one mile west of Goldthwaite and the statement seeming to be authentic is that a line will be run into town and another tap made a few miles south for a line running to San Saba. No announcement has been made as to the name of the company, when work will begin on the pipe line or what the service will cost the users. In fact, it may not develop into anything interesting, but hopes are entertained that it means we are to get gas by next winter.

## COMMISSIONERS COURT

Commissioners court has been in session this week and, as is always the case with the February term, it has been a busy session and has required several days for the work. A considerable time has been necessary in checking up the tax rolls, preparatory to settling with the collector. It has developed that collections this year are below that of the same period last year. Election officers were appointed and road overseers are being named, but the list was not complete when the Eagle was put to press, but will appear next week. Official reports have been audited and accounts due by the county ordered paid. The highway license money for the month was divided to the various precincts, according to the amount paid in from each precinct: No. 1 received \$3663.23; No. 2, \$1614.43; No. 3, \$2997.00; No. 4, \$1046.75. It was thought the court would conclude the business of the session by today.

## ELECTION OFFICERS

The commissioners court appointed election officers at the present term and the names appear herewith. The first named is the presiding officer, the others judges and clerks:

1. Goldthwaite—W. D. Clements, E. A. Obenhaus, T. F. Toland, W. W. Saylor.
2. Nabors Creek—R. C. Johnson, Jr., Roy Letbetter.
3. Scallorn—Fred Conradt, J. W. Morgan.
4. Center City—A. G. Langford, F. M. Karnes, R. G. Hendry, C. D. Owens.
5. Payne—W. J. Hall, Ned Duncan.
6. Star—T. L. Adams, H. E. Peck, T. E. Hamilton.
7. Caradan—S. M. Bleeker, J. W. McNeil, E. A. Wicker.
8. Mullin—Mrs. C. L. Summy, S. M. Casey, A. A. Reynolds, Mrs. Edith Ratliff, Mrs. W. C. Preston, Mrs. F. E. Leineweber.
9. Fisher—C. R. Dudley, W. M. Smith, W. A. Jenkins.
10. Priddy—Robert Priddy, F. W. Limmer, T. R. Priddy, Z. L. Grayson.
11. Big Valley—George Robertson, Ben Long.
12. Rock Springs—W. A. Daniel, Mrs. Eula Nickols.
13. Ratler—Wm. Wilcox, O. B. Bell.
14. Regency—Ben Egger, E. K. Wood.
15. Ebony—J. W. Tippen, R. M. Haynes.
16. Ridge—W. H. Freeman, L. C. Atkinson.
17. Rye Valley—T. J. Hufstutler, L. B. Burnham, Jr.
18. Mount Olive—I. B. Cody, A. B. Neal.
19. Goldthwaite—Lewis Hudson, Mrs. Walter Fairman, R. F. McDermott, J. V. Cockrum.
20. Pompey—A. A. Moore, W. A. Triplett, Mrs. Mammie Black, Bowden.

## VALENTINE PARTY

On Feb. 5, Meses. Roy Wilkins, Lester Berry and Misses Ellen Archer and Myrna Miller were joint hosts to members of the Tuesday Study Club, their husbands and a few invited guests, at the home of Mrs. Roy Wilkins. After a number of spirited games of forty-two, red and white table covers were laid, carrying out the Valentine scheme. A delicious salad was served, on which were comical valentines, each being true to the individual's pseudo personality, and caused much merriment. At a late hour the hosts were bid good night, each guest expressing their delight of the enjoyable evening. REPORTER.

## N. Y. S. P. PROGRAM

The young people of the Nazarene church are putting on a program Sunday at 6:15 p. m. Everyone is invited to come and listen to the following program: Leader—Lillian Snow. Songs by choir. Prayer—Lula Davis. Scripture—Lillian Snow. Holding forth the word of life—Ellen Phillips. Duet—Kathleen Keese and Ellen Phillips. By all means win some—Effie Laird. Piano solo—Ellen Phillips. Talk on prayer—J. T. McGowan. Reading—Kathleen Keese. The gift of self—Lula Davis. Reading—Anna Harris. Closing prayer—Mrs. Phillips. REPORTER.

## ART AND CIVIC CLUB

The Art and Civic club met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Marvin Hodges. Mrs. Harry Allen was leader. The roll call was responded to by a sketch of "My Ideal Woman". Mrs. F. P. Bowman had a very interesting paper on "The Newer Idealism of Woman." A brief review of Ben Ames Williams latest novel "Honeyflow" was read by Mrs. Homer C. DeWolfe. Mrs. Fred Martin read the poem "If for Girls". A very interesting art sketch "Pot Basil" by Alexander, was given by Mrs. Roy Rowntree. Refreshments were served to the club members and guests. REPORTER.

## HI-LEAGUE PROGRAM

Subject: How does one become an influential person? Leader: Gertrude Johnson. Pianist: Robert Elizabeth Littlepage. Song: Prayer: Mrs. Dickerson. Talk: The problem—Leader. Talk: The development—Elizabeth Dalton. Talk: Sources—Robert Elizabeth Littlepage. Special music—Mary Ellen Trent and Floyce A. Dickerson. Talk: Preparing for the call—Mollie Pitts. Talk: Championing the cause—Charline Brim. Talk: Prayer thoughts for this subject—Mrs. Dare. Song: Offering: Benediction: REPORTER.

## INTERMEDIATE G. A.'s MEET

The Intermediate G. A.'s met Monday afternoon in their regular order, with twelve girls present. We are having some interesting meetings every Monday at 4 p. m. All girls from the ages of 13 to 17 are invited to line up with us. Our next social will be at the home of our leader, on the last Friday night of this month. REPORTER.

## THE MASONIC LODGE

A Washington memorial service will be held at the Masonic lodge No. 694 at Goldthwaite, Texas, February 22, at 7 o'clock p. m. All members of the lodge are earnestly requested to be present, unless they have legal excuse. F. M. STEPHENS, JNO. A. HESTER, F. P. BOWMAN, Program Committee.

## VALENTINE BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. Frank Taylor and Mrs. Haynes Harrison complimented a number of friends with a delightful bridge party featuring the Valentine motif, on Wednesday afternoon. The charming new home of Mrs. Taylor was the scene of the entertainment. Six tables were arranged for the games. The scores and tallies were in attractive Valentine style. At the close of the game Miss Mary Helen Cockrum held high score and was presented with a lovely pottery rose jar and Miss Ellen Archer was awarded the low score trophy, a pottery vase. For the refreshment course table covers ornamented with hearts and cupids were used. A salad course accompanied by novel sandwiches, sweets and coffee was served. A GUEST.

## EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM Center Point

Subject—A problem of loyalties. Leader—Johnnie Taylor. Opening song No. 103. Opening prayer—Mrs. Jenkins. Scripture reading: John 6:15, 64-71 by leader. Should He be a king: Eva Fallon. Many of the multitude desert Him: Mr. Jenkins. Would ye also go away: Hattie Miller. What should be considered?: Mr. Martin. Benediction: Mr. Martin.

## A DUTY TO THE PUBLIC

Before raising taxes, government owes it to a long suffering public to make every effort to reduce waste and inefficiency, and cut costs. It is unquestionably true that the taxpayers could be saved millions of dollars a year without damaging any legitimate functioning to their senators and congressmen to do just that thing.

## ODD FELLOWS MEETING

J. E. Greathouse, Mrs. L. J. Gartman, Mrs. L. C. Pitts, Miss Faye Cortis, Miss Clara Cortis, Lewis Hudson, Mrs. L. P. Huddleston, Mrs. C. O. Sevier, Miss Lavera Oltrogge, Miss Minnie Oltrogge attended the Interstate Odd Fellows' Association at Stephenville last Tuesday night and report a most excellent meeting.

## HERE AND THERE

One dollar was bid for Amarrillo's old four-story court house when it was offered for sale this week. The new court house has been completed.

Today is Abraham Lincoln's birthday and a great holiday in the North. Banks, post offices and markets are closed, and many celebrations are being held. He was born on Feb. 12, 1809.

High winds over Texas Wednesday did no particular damage, but near Monroe, La., they overturned the rowboat of a flood refugee and three were drowned—a man and his two small daughters.

A Brooklyn Democrat has proposed a bonus of \$100 to all couples in New York state, who have passed their 50th wedding anniversary and \$250 when they pass the 75th. Whether for endurance or heroism, he doesn't state.

A new banking bill, which liberalizes the rules by which the Federal Reserve banks can accept notes from member banks is being rushed through congress. It is expected to free over a billion dollars of gold, which is now of no use to the nation.

Four branches of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation will be located in Texas to help distribute this state's share of the two billion dollars, which the corporation is authorized to lend. They will be located at Dallas, Houston, San Antonio and El Paso.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

We wish to express our gratitude to everyone who responded when "me" wife thought the parlor on fire. The old saying is true, where there is so much smoke, must be a little fire. That was true with this incident, but the fire was where it belonged and on account of the flue being stopped up, the smoke had to find a new outlet and that is what caused the excitement. We asked Mr. Edwards today (Monday) to give us the information about the weather for the week. He informed us that Mr. Toland had taken over that job and was issuing bulletins, charging the nominal sum of 50c for that information, also one would find in this bulletin information as to when the highway "cops" would be in town. Mr. Curtis Long does not only run a first class grocery store, but he furnishes car numbers to any that might have had their numbers taken out of their car. Mr. Lee Berry will be glad to give the needed information as to how one may obtain numbers from the Long & Berry grocery. A gentleman met us on the street this morning and asked us if we had excluded Frank Bowman from the Baptist church. That he had been looking for him since Saturday morning. Gentlemen, there is one time that you will always find the city secretary and that is at collecting time. We have never missed him on first of every month. However, he ought to notify the fire chief or the Baptist pastor when he is to be out over Sunday. Moving time seems to be the order of the day. J. D. Lindsey coming in from fur buying expedition moving his family back to ranch, Orville Greathouse moving to the Gartman home on Fisher, Allen Ross moving to the Bledsoe ranch and Dwight Nickols moving into the Weems house next to parlorium. We had a fair understanding with Dwight before he moved, and that was a family had the right to have family quarrels and neighbors say nothing about it. We noticed where one Mr. J. C. Darroch had a birthday. Honorable mention was given him by the scribe that sits around the supper table for the Brownwood Bulletin, telling of his accomplishments and his success as teacher, lawyer and citizen. That scribe, who is a predestinarian by birth, could have well said that it was foreordained and predestined that Mills county was to furnish Brownwood with a number of good citizens, and that she has been loyal to her foreordained task. In fact Brown county is indebted to Mills county for these good citizens, and now is the time for them to reciprocate by bringing that new highway right on into our back yards.

We notice where the Hon. Alfred E. Smith says that if we will elect him president, he will accept it. We know several who are riding in the same boat with Mr. Smith, but to our way of thinking, Japan will have hoisted her flag over every nation in the world before Mr. Smith is elected to the presidency of these United States. No man is qualified to occupy the president's chair, who will use his influence to bring back the legalized liquor traffic. Last Sunday was a beautiful day and splendid congregations attended every service. But some of you did not attend. Possibly you were ill or otherwise hindered, but please remember that we want to grow in numbers; also in spiritual power, and when you miss a service you not only hurt your own spiritual life, but the spiritual life of others. The fact that you come in contact with people who attend church will help you in a wonderful way. You may not enjoy the preaching, singing and prayers that are offered, but you can not help enjoying the good fellowship that is always manifest at every one of our services. If you do not there is something wrong on the inside, and you need to have it righted.

## STAR SCHOOL NEWS

Last Friday ended the first semester amidst many examinations. Though the close of the first term came during the basketball conference of Class A, the student body showed a normal pass. The faculty is hoping to make the last semester even more fruitful than the first. Of course, the school is not doing near the work that it is capable of doing, but we will get back to normal just as soon as the basket ball season is over.

## Highlights Around High School

The freshmen and sophs have resolved to sing "Star Spangle Banner" and "America" until the songs are learned. These two grades have also resolved to learn the American creed. This writer thinks it very patriotic to know these songs above mentioned. At last the seniors have finished "The Tragedy of Macbeth", but to delve into work of other English poets. The seniors are easily recognized at Star on account of the signing over English literature. A motion was made last Friday during chapel exercises that an attempt be made to learn as many songs as possible that are found in "The Golden Book of Favorite Songs." Each Friday the rooms sing different songs. Happenings In the Grades We are happy to announce that most of the pupils in the grades know "America." Let us suggest that the grades learn "The Star Spangled Banner." The German school system compels each student to learn "Der Wacht Am Der Rhine," so why can't we be just as patriotic?

## Cage Tilts

Class A standing, Tuesday, February 9.

Team	W	L	Pct.
Star	2	0	1.000
Goldthwaite	2	1	.666
Mullin	0	3	—

Last Saturday saw Star win over Goldthwaite in her second conference cage tilt 20 to 14. Thursday Mullin dropped a hard fought battle to Star 20 to 21. Star is leading the series with Goldthwaite running a close second. Saturday closes the Class A series with Goldthwaite at Star. Star has her back to the wall. It is necessary to win this game in order to win Class A. The team is young and Goldthwaite has a seasoned quintet. Out of 14 games Star has won 12. The question is can these young inexperienced cagers continue their winning streak? Come out Saturday and see. REPORTER.

## LIVE OAK

I don't mind for the thermometer to get so hot that it breaks in summer time, but it seems a bit out of place in February. Mr. and Mrs. Roach Fox and family, who have been living in Temple for the past year, have returned to their farm in our community to make their home. The people of Live Oak enjoyed a party in the Will Heath home Saturday night. An unusually large crowd of people attended Sunday school at Bethel Sunday morning and enjoyed an unusually fine service. Miss Polly Walker of Fort Worth, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Bud Fields, of Goldthwaite, spent last week end with Miss Ruth Heath and she attended Sunday school at Bethel Sunday morning and singing at that place Sunday night.

## LAIRD-BRASWELL

Charles Laird and Miss Ruth Braswell were united in marriage Wednesday evening at the home of G. W. Smith, the bride's brother officiating. After a visit in San Saba they will make their home in this city.

place to be found for that kind of work than the Baptist church. So put in your appearance next Sunday. Begin on time, work while we work and when we have

## BIG VALLEY

J. T. Bledso, Jr., was in the Valley last week seeing old friends. Onaita Knowles has gone to Brownwood to attend school. Ruth Featherston went to Georgetown Sunday to an Epworth League meeting. The B. Y. P. U. went over to Center Point and put on a program Sunday afternoon. The Misses Johnson entertained their friends with a birthday party Friday night. The friends of Evelyn Nelson Weaver gave her a surprise shower Saturday afternoon at Mrs. Hugh Smith's. There were many varied and useful gifts, evidencing the popularity of the recipient. Mrs. Smith, assisted by Helen Thompson and Letrice Smith, served cake, hot chocolate and coffee to the guests. Mrs. J. E. Swim is suffering from a severe cold. Mrs. Walker Yarborough and children visited at the Swim home Sunday afternoon. Ansel Morgan was a visitor at Harbin Gillentine's last week. Mrs. Gillentine and son Geo. Harbin are home from a week's visit to her parents at Comanche. The B. Y. P. U. elected officers for the coming year Sunday night. These young people are a fine group and mean much to our church here. The warm bright days have brought the red birds, blue bonnets are peeping through the ground, farm life is growing more busy. Soon spring will be here and we will wonder what kind of trimming will best brighten up our old Easter bonnet. E. L. Pass was at the Cockrell farm Monday, busy helping mix spray for their fruit crops this season. Mrs. Harry Oglesby reports fifth Sunday meeting at North Bennett a very helpful meeting. Adios. FARMER.

## CHAPPEL HILL

Liss Walker had business in Goldthwaite Friday to meet his daughter, Miss Kathleen, on her return home from Austin, where she has been in school. Mrs. Ernest Eakin and children visited Mrs. Luther Forbes Saturday. Ernest Eakin, Sheldon and Arnold Walker helped Frank Gore saw his summer supply of wood Thursday. Fritz Dinkloger, with his wife and Renard Vanzant, sat with Liss Walker and family until a late hour Saturday night. Wallace Eakin lost one of his good mules Saturday, while hauling feed. It died of lockjaw. Bailey Gore and wife visited his brother, Frank, Thursday. Liss Walker had business in Comanche Saturday. Luther Forbes took a load of household goods to Cottonwood, in Callahan county, for his father, who is moving to that place. Wallace Eakin and Miss Florida Turner visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eakin and family Friday. The forty-two party at the home of Liss Walker was enjoyed by Frank Gore and wife, and Luther Forbes and wife last Wednesday night. Frank Gore making high score. Miss Meadows of Pioneer is visiting her cousin, Luther Forbes. Liss Walker, his wife and two children, visited in the homes of J. W. Aldridge and W. W. Johnson Sunday. Frank Gore and wife attended church at Trigger Mountain Sunday. Sheldon Walker spent Sunday with Fritz Dinkloger Sunday. Norris Crook and family visited with Mrs. Crook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Evans. Dewey Gerald and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Gerald's mother, Mrs. Kirby. Arnold Walker spent Sunday with Luther Forbes. Miss Kathleen Walker spent Monday night with the Misses

## LAKE MERRITT

There were 25 present at Sunday school and 8 new members. Let's have 6 new members next Sunday and watch our Sunday school grow. J. W. Long has been real sick. We hope he is soon able to be up again. Mrs. C. J. Brown called on Mrs. Willie Bishop awhile Thursday afternoon. Mesdames Price and Robert Ryan called on Mr. Long and family awhile Tuesday afternoon. Those who are in the play "Mr. Bob" met in the Walter Stueck home and practiced. Those in the negro minstrel met in the Leverett home and practiced Monday night. Watch for the dates of these plays and everyone is invited. The ladies in this community keep real busy trying to find turkey nests. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Robertson and children spent Sunday with his father at Rock Springs. Tom Fuller and Mrs. J. M. Baker sat until bedtime with the Waddells Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Price, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Price, John C. Price called on the Ryan family Sunday afternoon. John C. Price ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Brown Sunday. Lester, Virgil and R. V. Geeslin from Pottsville spent the week end in our community. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sparkman visited their son, Joe Sparkman, and family in Goldthwaite Sunday. The sunshiney days make us think of gardening. Quite a few have been gardening this week. Mesdames F. D. and N. T. Waddell and C. J. Brown were callers in the Long home Monday afternoon. Several enjoyed a "Storm Party" at Willis Booker's Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Waddell took Sunday dinner with Mrs. J. M. Baker and Tom Fuller. Mr. Fields and daughter called on Charlie Karnes and wife one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Leverett were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Willis Booker and family visited Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Leverett Sunday. Mrs. Charlie Booker visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Long, Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Will Fickle and family attended church at Trigger Mountain Sunday night. J. D. Ryan called on Mr. Waddell awhile Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. R. D. Price called on Miss Cassie Ryan Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. H. B. Leverett and Miss Lois Booker had business in town Monday and Tuesday. MICKY.

## MIDWAY

Remember that next Saturday and Sunday are our regular church days. Everybody remember and come all four services. Raymond Horton and family visited in the Jackson home Sunday. Those who visited Mrs. F. M. Anderson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Anderson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Knight and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Petsick and little daughter, Mrs. Reynolds and children and Mr. and Mrs. Deward Reynolds and small son. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson visited Mr. and Mrs. Page Sunday. Grandmother Denton spent the day Saturday in the Petsick home. In the afternoon Miss Kate Petsick and Mrs. Denton visited Mrs. C. C. Ellis and presented her with a friendship quilt. D. L. Reynolds spent Sunday night with Deward Wright. Inza Wright visited in the Beard home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson and Hubert Denton played forty-two at Herman McNeil's Saturday night. Mrs. H. M. Kirby visited in the Jackson home Sunday afternoon. The Midway school curtains are missing. If anyone knows anything about them, please report to Miss Hazel Beard or

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T. E. Hamilton of Star looked after business in the metropolis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Johnston visited friends in Hamilton county Sunday.

Don't throw your broken spectacles away. L. E. Miller, the Jeweler, can repair them for you at a small cost.

Honey C. DeWolfe and family were visitors to Anson the first of the week.

E. T. Fairman and his wife and son returned Sunday from a visit to relatives in Waco.

The low price of a made-to-measure suit will surprise you. Ask Burch.

Wilbur Fairman and family spent the week end with relatives in Marlin.

Mrs. John Shelton of Star visited her friends in this city last Saturday.

W. A. Knight of the Center City section was a business visitor to the big town Monday.

O. B. Caldwell was here from Temple Saturday, visiting his sister, Mrs. W. H. Trent.

W. H. Hendry of Center City was an appreciated caller at the Eagle office Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Lockett of Mullin were visitors to Goldthwaite Saturday, guests in the J. L. Boland home.

Miss Eloise Cabbler of Zephyr has returned to her home, after a few days visit with Miss Marzelle Boland.

Those who send communications to the Eagle should be sure to let the editor know their identity, else the communication can not be published.

C. E. Stokes and his wife and sons were here from Lampasas Sunday, guests in the R. M. Thompson home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Conroy, Miss Lucile and Mrs. J. C. Mullin were week end visitors to relatives in Fort Worth.

Virgil Priddy and his wife and baby have been here from Morgan this week, visiting in the home of his parents.

Farmers are busy plowing and preparing for another crop, hence business about town has been pretty quiet several days.

Geo. M. Fletcher, deputy sheriff at Mullin and a leading citizen of that community, had business in this city a few days ago.

Those who read the advertisements are always well posted on merchandise and prices and are able to save money on what they buy.

Alvin Priddy and wife of Valley Mills came over Sunday for a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Priddy, and met with some of their friends here.

Your broken spectacles repaired and made good as new by L. E. Miller, the Jeweler, from here. From all accounts special songs.

The Goldthwaite delegation of fur buyers, who spent several weeks in southwest Texas, have returned after a busy season, which closed the first of the month.

Those who favor the Eagle with communications or local items are always appreciated at this office.

J. F. Insoll of Big Valley called at the Eagle office Saturday to have his name added to the paper's list of readers. It is always a pleasure to add the names of such good citizens.

A much appreciated letter has been received from J. F. Crawford of Topeka, Kan., formerly of Scallorn, in which he sends a renewal of his subscription and kindly expressions for the Eagle.

The Eagle can offer inducements in clubbing rates for the next few weeks. The Eagle and Star-Telegram, daily and Sunday, until December for \$5.50; without Sunday \$4.75. This is a short time offer.

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**ROCK SPRINGS**

There were twenty-four present at Sunday school. One teacher absent.

Our B. Y. P. U. crowd is still growing. The program was well rendered Sunday night. Our young folks are hard to beat. We were favored with a reading by little Maxine Spinks. Sunday night will be the close of the "Beef" contest. Now be a sport if you lose. If you win just give them a grin.

Sunday is church day. The church called Bro. Bedford Renfro last Sunday morning as pastor.

Don't forget the singing in the afternoon. We invite you to be present. Especially do we invite Big Valley. Bring us some special songs.

The W.M.U. met Monday afternoon with Mrs. M. R. Circle, with Mrs. J. O. McClary leader. The meeting was opened by singing "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus," and "Jesus Calls Us." Mrs. Nickols read the devotional and Mrs. J. O. McClary and Mrs. J. C. Stark and Miss Ethel McClary read good papers They will meet next time in the Nickols home.

John Roberts and wife enjoyed a 42 game with Claud Smith and wife last Wednesday night.

Ray Davis has been caring for his father, Mr. Ed Davis, this week. We hope Mr. Davis will be well soon.

Almos McGowan and wife prepared a nice birthday dinner for his mother Sunday. Those who partook of these good eats were Mr. and Mrs. Estep, the dinner was for Mrs. Estep, Ocie McGowan and family from town and R. C. Webb and wife.

Mrs. Homer Doggett is spending this week with Mrs. M. C. Morris, while their husbands are in Mississippi looking after business.

Mrs. Lula Gatlin and Miss Love from town called on Alton and Oscar Gatlin Sunday afternoon.

Homer Doggett and wife, Philip and James Nickols and their mother sat until bedtime Friday night with Woody Trayler and family.

There was a little uneasiness among some of the women of this community last week as there were campers not far from here. From all accounts they must have been professional beggars. They left Friday with plenty to live on for a good while. No one felt bad when they had gone. They were traveling in two wagons and a buggy. They also had several head of horses that needed feed.

Sherrell Robertson spent Saturday night and Sunday with the Nickols boys.

Homer Smith visited with his brother and wife Saturday night.

James Nickols' friend, Miss Ethel Tyson, attended B. Y. P. U. Sunday night.

Mrs. Landy Ellis and daughter visited in Loy Long's home in town last Tuesday.

Nellie Dee Cooke and Ethel McClary spent Sunday in the Nickols home.

Wadine Trayler spent Saturday night and Sunday with Fay Ellis.

Philip Nickols helped grind feed for Otis Hutchings and Craig Wesson at Center Point two days last week.

John Roberts bought a dressed hog from Craig Wesson last Thursday.

Mesdames Loudamy and Long from town spent last Friday with Mrs. Nickols.

Will Dennard and wife visited in W. A. Daniel's home Sunday afternoon.

Bedford Renfro from Ratler was electioneering in our community last week.

W. A. Cooke is suffering with a bad arm at this writing.

J. F. Davis and son killed two small hogs last Thursday. Mrs. Sallie Rudd from town and Mrs. Tom Graves from Trigger Mountain and Mrs. Nickols spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Claud Smith.

Douglas Robertson and family from Lake Merritt spent Sunday in J. T. Robertson's home.

Loy Long and wife from town dined in the Ellis home Sunday. Virgil Loudamy and family from town joined them in the afternoon.

Ray Stark and wife spent the week end in Norton, visiting Mrs. Stark's parents.

Herbert and Rudolph Cooke have charge of the gas station

**BIG VALLEY B. Y. P. U.**

Sunday, Feb. 8, our B. Y. P. U. put on an afternoon program at Center Point. Quite a large crowd came out, and we had a very beneficial hour together. Our program on "A Closer Walk With God," had as its object the spiritual awakening and uplift of each person present. About thirty Big Valley folk drove over for the program and returned reporting a great hour.

As a consequence—and for other reasons—a fine audience came out to hear the same program rendered in our home church in Big Valley Sunday evening. One can scarcely realize the worth of a sympathetic Christian audience in inspiration and spiritual help. We only trust that some of the folk who look upon the B. Y. P. U. and organizations of young people as not really worthwhile, because we do not get up there and "preach," like some of our pastors do after years and years in the pulpit, will make some resolutions to get close enough in touch with God and God's work to really feel his spirit.

It takes a little real religion for some to put up with even great effort on the part of young people, if that effort does not point "perfection."

It was rumored this week that there were a couple of jazz parties in the Valley and that some of our folk were able to participate quite freely. We hope that is far from true for "If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him." (1st John 2:15). We can not be Baptists, Methodists, or B. Y. P. U. members in the Christian sense those words imply and love the things of the world.

At the last of B. Y. P. U. Sunday evening the following officers were elected: President, Melvin Doak; vice president, Howard Weaver; secretary, Pauline Long; treasurer, Mrs. Floyd Sykes; choir leader, Floyd Sykes; with Howard Weaver assistant; pianist, Mrs. Haavy Oglesby; quiz leader, Dvo. Jim Hays with Miss Ruth Featherston assistant; group captain No. 1, Vera Mae Hale; No. 2, Cleota Swim; No. 3, Flora Weaver. RED WING.

**LAKE MERRITT**

Everyone seems to be enjoying the pretty spring days.

Farmers are very busy turning the soil.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Daniels and family visited relatives at Lampkin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nix visited in the John Northcut home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Griffin returned home Sunday afternoon from Houston, where she has been visiting her daughter.

W. O. Oden and wife visited in the Edgar McNutt home Sunday afternoon.

We are sorry to report Grandpa McNutt is very poorly at this writing.

Rev. A. A. Brian and wife and baby spent Saturday in the home of R. C. Petty.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Finkle and family attended church at Trigger Mountain Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Griffin visited in the John Kennedy home Sunday.

Our Basket ball boys went to play the Duren boys Friday. The game favored Duren.

Grandma Carver has been on the sick list this week.

Jerry Davis and family visited relatives at Mullin Sunday. Mrs. Daniels and Lucile were shopping in town Monday. XX

at Bozay. We wish them good luck.

Misses Stark and Whitmore from Prairie made a pop call in J. C. Stark's home Friday night.

Rudolph Cooke's girl friend, Miss Wilma Mason, attended B. Y. P. U. Sunday night.

Joe Roberts and wife and John and Janette made a pop call in the Nickols home Tuesday morning.

Bedford Renfro spent Thursday night in J. C. Stark's home. This community is well blessed with barbers—Woody Trayler and James Nickols are kept pretty busy these nights cutting their friends' hair. Mr. Trayler is ahead of Mr. Nickols in one way, he cuts the ladies' hair, too. While the depression is on it is appreciated by all who get hair cuts.

BUSY BEE.

**PROBE SLUMP IN SILVER**

An investigation into the depressed value of silver has been ordered by the lower house of congress.

The study will be made by the house coinage committee, under the direction of Chairman Somers.

The inquiry will be directed into the cause and effect of the depressed value of silver, the monetary policies of all countries and their relation to the value of silver, methods of stabilizing the value of silver, and the advisability of an international conference to consider methods by which, by international co-operation, the value of silver can be stabilized.

The resolution authorizing the study was passed without a record vote.

In explaining the need for the inquiry to the house, Somers said the committee would direct its efforts "toward finding a solution which shall preserve the integrity of the gold standard, because that system seems best suited to the habits and customs of the people of the United States."

**DEPRESSION HITS CHINA**

More rigid policies of financial retrenchment emanated this week from the Chinese government's temporary capital at Honanfu or Loyang as it is henceforth to be called.

Salaries of cabinet ministers and other officials of similar rank were fixed at \$25 (gold) a month, while lesser officials will receive salaries as low as \$10 a month.

Although thousands of petty civil employes will be hit by the measure, intended to curtail all possible expenditures, the salary list means little to the ministers and higher officials, for all are independently wealthy.

**ROBBER IDENTIFIED**

The cashier of the Pilot Point National Bank, which was robbed of \$8000 in cash and \$11,000 in Liberty bonds early Saturday, has identified the picture of an escaped convict from the Texas penitentiary as one of the men involved in the robbery.

**BIG EXPLOSION**

An explosion that blew to bits the body of a wire-haired terrier and injured Mrs. F. L. Harris of Dayton, Ohio, at the edge of a creek on the new Lake Worth road from Arlington Heights Sunday morning, was felt in homes in many sections of Fort Worth. The assumption is that the dog, which went into the creek to retrieve a stone thrown by Mrs. Harris, picked up a bottle or can of nitroglycerin, cached at the edge of the water.

**FROM SAM SELF**

Feb. 3, Wingate, Texas. Mr. R. M. Thompson: I am sending you a check \$1.50 to renew for the Eagle and the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News.

We just don't feel like we could get along without the Eagle. It gets better all the time and we enjoy the Rock Springs items every week. That is our old home and we love Busy Bee. She was our dear neighbor, when we lived there. Our friends will be glad to know we are still taking the Eagle. We aim to come back some day to dear old Mills county, so we want to keep up with the country and our friends. We hope that we do not miss a copy. We look for Busy Bee the first one, but we read all the paper and it is sure fine. All we dislike, we wish it come every day.

So we wish you success in your business. Yours truly, S. L. T. SELF.

**FIXING PRICES**

Broad supervisory powers would be conferred upon the secretary of agriculture under the bill introduced in congress by Senator Thomas, Oklahoma Democrat, to guarantee to farmers the cost of production.

The measure, which Thomas explained was presented by him on behalf of the Farmers' Union, has been endorsed by the National Grange and the American Farm Bureau federations in hearings just held before the senate agriculture committee.

The bill asks that congress declare as its policy securing to farmers a price not less than the cost of production for that part of the domestic production of the following commodities needed for domestic consumption: Wheat, cotton, wool, beef, pork, dairy and poultry products and any other major agricultural product designated by the secretary of agriculture.

**CIGARETTE STAMPS**

One hundred million cigarette stamps, good for 2,000,000,000, smokes, have been moved into the state treasury at Austin. Cigarette smokers will pay three cents for each one and they will be utilized by July or August, meaning that their sale will realize \$3,000,000 in governmental revenue.

Charley Lockhart, state treasurer, said that \$1,500,000 worth of cigarette stamps had been sold since last Aug. 22, when the state legislature's law levying a tax of 3 cents on each package of 20 cigarette became effective. He estimates the tax will realize about \$4,500,000 annually. Half of the money goes to schools and half to general revenue.

Give the Eagle readers the benefit of any local items you know.

**How One Woman Lost 20 Pounds of Fat**

**Lost Her Prominent Hips—Double Chin—Sluggishness**

**GAINED PHYSICAL VIGOR—A SHAPELY FIGURE**

If you're fat—first remove the cause! Take one half teaspoonful of KRUSCHEN SALTS in a glass of hot water every morning—in 3 weeks get on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished. Notice also that you have gained in energy—your skin is clearer—you feel younger in body—KRUSCHEN will give any fat person a joyous surprise. Get an 85c bottle of KRUSCHEN SALTS from Hudson Bros. or any leading druggist anywhere in America (lasts 4 weeks). If this first bottle doesn't convince you this is the easiest, safest and surest way to lose fat—your money gladly returned.

**SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE**

The State of Texas, County of Mills:

Whereas, by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the district court of Mills county, Texas, on the 26th day of January, A. D. 1932, wherein D. B. Thompson is plaintiff, and W.M. Stewart is defendant, on a judgment rendered in said court against said defendant and in favor of the said plaintiff, for the sum of \$840.70 (eight hundred forty and 70/100) dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 1/2 per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I have levied upon and will on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1932, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. at the court house door of said county, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of W. M. Stewart, in and to the following described property, levied upon, to-wit:

160 acres out of the Harrison Shropshire survey in Mills county, Texas, also 37 1/2 acres out of the J. D. Calaway survey in Sec. No. 13, said land more fully described in original order of sale.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for \$840.70 in favor of plaintiff, together with all costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds to be applied to the satisfaction thereof.

C. D. BLEDSOE, Sheriff, Mills County, Texas.

**TELL THE NEWS**

If you know a local item tell the Eagle. Your friends will appreciate it.

**WHITE ELEPHANTS**

In every household there are numerous articles that have outlived their usefulness, but are still too good to throw away.

Virtual White Elephants.

**WHY NOT SELL THEM FOR CASH?**

Somebody, somewhere, has use for these very articles.

A small classified ad in The Eagle will reach the party who will buy them.

The Eagle is always glad to receive communications from the various communities of the county. However, only one correspondent can be recognized, from any one community for the regular writers often object to having the occasional correspondents invade their field. The Eagle can not take a chance on giving offense to its regular correspondents.

For high class printing of all kinds come to the Eagle office. Our work is guaranteed to be neat, perfect and correct.

**INDIGESTION**

"My work is confining, and often I eat hurriedly, causing me to have indigestion. Gas will form and I will smother and have pains in my chest."

"I had to be careful what I ate, but after someone had recommended Black-Draught and I found a small pinch after meals was so helpful, I soon was eating anything I wanted."

"Now when I feel the least smothering or uncomfortable bloating, I take a pinch of Black-Draught and get relief."

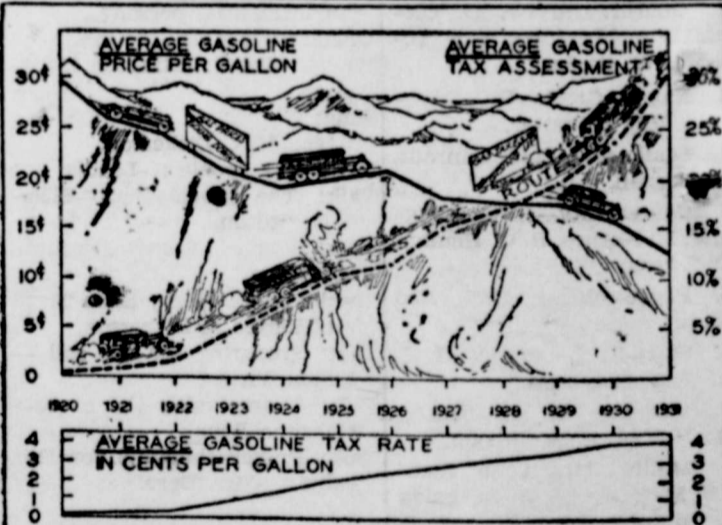
—Clyde Vaughn, 16 Shippy St. Greenville, S. C.

Sold in 25¢ packages.

*The* **Black-Draught**

WOMEN who are run-down, nervous, or suffer every month, should take Cardui. Used for over 50 years.

**GASOLINE TAX RATES SOAR AS PRICE IS CUT IN HALF**



ALTHOUGH in a decade gasoline prices have been halved, motorists are unable to take full advantage of the bargain because state gasoline taxes increase the cost nearly one-third.

Records of the American Petroleum Institute show that in 1920 prices in 50 representative cities, at least one in each state, averaged 23.74c per gallon. State taxes averaged .80c per gallon, an average assessment of 3% on the retail price. At the beginning of 1932 prices averaged only 13c, but tax rates averaged 4c, making the cost to motorists 17c per gallon and the average assessment 13%, or nearly one-third of the retail price.

In 1932 state tax rates were only 1c and 3c per gallon. Now they range from 3c to 7c. Counties and communities impose additional taxes, the pyramid levies running as high as 3 1/2%. Although two-thirds of the states now impose taxes of 4c or more, increases in their rates have been proposed. A federal gasoline tax of at least 1c per gallon has been mentioned. Gasoline tax revenues have soared from around \$4,000,000 in 1920 to an estimated \$132,000,000 in 1931, the counties and communities garnering additional billions.

The tax was levied to finance good roads, but revenue is diverted to schools, test books, fish hatcheries, oyster farms, state buildings and projects, unemployment relief, governmental expenses, pensions, salaries, etc. Revenues, while enormous, never have kept pace with tax rates. Higher rates, invoking the law of diminishing returns, have encouraged the filing of claims for tax refunds, many of them fraudulent and in some states absorbing 40% of income. Rates above 2c per gallon have made tax evasion sufficiently lucrative to support the operations of racketeers who, by gasoline bootlegging, bribery, etc., intimidation and, among other means, sale of inferior and often harmful fuels and lubricants, take as their profits gasoline tax revenues estimated as high as \$100,000,000.

Information reaching the institute from investigators in more than 15 states indicates that unless taxes are reduced to a uniform 2c near 3c, uniform tax laws are passed and fully enforced, and the expenditure of revenue is confined to highways, the "fastest growing tax in history" may become the greatest tax scandal in history.

**BEAUTY in the HOME**



Lovely Table for a Valentine Party

CUPID, the mysterious juggler of hearts, is the god who presides over Valentine's day and hearts are his sign and symbol. So, to create an attractive and harmonious dining table for a Valentine party, hearts are properly the central motif of the decorations. Red hearts of all sizes are arranged across the windows, and hang in a shower from the center light over the table. In the center of the table is a double heart-shaped centerpiece, firmly wired to a base made from a round box covered with crushed gold paper with a preposterous ruff of red cellophane and swags depend-

The two hearts, one red and the other gold, are held together by a gold arrow. The gold heart has a ruff of red cellophane and the red one has a ruff of plain translucent cellophane. Harmonizing favors are red hearts with red cellophane ruffles crossed by gold arrows and with an ice cup in the center. Other red hearts are in the centers of the napkins, under the bonbon dishes, and for place mats. These decorations are appropriate, beautiful and when prepared will give a lively charm to any Valentine party.

NEWS ODDITIES

A hen owned by H. N. Was-tell of Darlington, England, died of old age. It was 14 years old.

That Miss Nora Gvader of Belfast, Ireland, might inherit his estate, Lawrence McRane married her while he lay dying.

Mlle. Bertha Deponnier of Paris, France, had to shoot a pet lion that attacked a guest in her home. The news dispatch didn't reveal what became of the guest.

Music instead of pills for the ailing is suggested by Dr. A. S. Hershfield of Chicago. His suggested remedies include Grieg's songs to relieve nervous exhaustion. Chopin, Beethoven and Dvorak for grief. Bach for a hangover.

Mrs. Gertrude Tyavers of Elizabeth, N. J., paid for three passages to Providence, R. I., on the Colonial liner Lexington, but four of the family made the trip. The five passenger was a baby girl, who was born aboard the ship.

Excavations near the old Roman settlement at Trier, Germany, have brought to light a grave dating from the sixth century, B. C. The finds include bronze bracelets, an urn of dark brown clay and various other articles of pottery.

James Donier of Charleroi, Pa., surveying damages to his barn which were caused by a windstorm, found an eighth of a barrel of Mononghela rye whiskey, vintage of 1911, hidden in an unused section of the structure. Donier is a teetotaler.

For forcibly kissing a blonde in his office, Karl Zechtem of Berlin, Germany, had to pay her fifty marks, while a brunette whom he similarly saluted (as the news dispatch put it) was given only twenty marks' damages. It sounds like favoritism in the courts.

Lemons grown by Mrs. Otto Dersch of Stillwater, Minn., included one which weighed a pound and four ounces and another weighing a pound and two ounces. The tree on which they grew, according to Mrs. Dersch, is a Dwarf Ponderosa, 25 years old.

Six cents was all that Dorothy Knapp, Broadway beauty, could expect as a result of her \$500,000 suit against six persons she charged with forcing her out as star of a musical comedy. Besides, she received a summons in an action for \$150 which a clipping bureau charged she owed it.

A deed which President Andrew Jackson gave her great-grandfather more than 100 years ago is one of the cherished possessions of Mrs. Irene Hagel, 74-year-old Oakland, Cal., school teacher. The document is written on heavy sheepskin and clearly shows the bold signature of Jackson.

The municipality of Tours, France, has bought the steam-heated ruins of the fourteenth century castle of Plessis-Les-Tours, favorite castle of King Louis XI. The purchase price was \$4000. Steam heat was installed several years ago to prevent the castle from crumbling due to heavy rains.

At Knoxville, Tenn., Mrs. G. M. Dale was walking near her home, when she was held up by a youthful robber. He reached into her pocket and took 95 cents. "That's all the money I have for the week," Mrs. Dale told him. Without a word the robber replaced the money and walked away.

It was just like old times, when Thomas Morris and his wife of Sea Cliff, Long Island, found themselves quarreling. Separated for a year, their cars crashed and they got out. Chief of Police George Schuessler ended the argument by taking them to the police station, where each accused the other of reckless driving.

While fishing in a stream in Tasmania, Charles Pearl, a prominent business man, was attacked by a bull, which tossed and gored him almost contin-

PROPER FOODS END DECAY OF TEETH IN TESTS ON ANIMALS

For the first time in history, a way to prevent tooth decay has been found. A method effective on animals need only be applied to human beings to end rotting, decaying and infection of teeth. Drs. E. V. McCollum, Henry Klein and H. G. Kruse, after ten years' work, discovered that the quality of the saliva is the important thing in determining whether teeth will decay and that quality depends upon the chemical composition of the blood.

The proper foods will put into the blood those things necessary to keep teeth in healthy condition.

A certain proportion of phosphorus will keep the saliva at the right state between acid and alkaline, acting as a buffer solution. In addition, calcium and phosphate are necessary to preserve the enamel. Foods, such as milk, eggs, lean beef, beans and peas are rich in phosphorus. Calcium-rich foods are milk, eggs, watery vegetables, especially spinach, lettuce and cabbage, and some fruits. Vitamin D, the third substance for keeping teeth healthy, is present in fish oils, egg yolk, butter fat and whole milk.

SUNLIGHT IS EQUAL TO 9,600 CANDLES

Standing in the sun at noon on a clear day is like standing under a lamp with 9,600 candlepower.

This is the latest exact measurement of the power of sunlight, issued today in the new revised meteorological tables of the Smithsonian Institute.

New measurements of the length of night and twilight and a new "yard-stick" that varies in length without changing its accuracy, for measuring heights in the atmosphere, also are described in the tables. They are used by scientists in many lines of work.

The noonday sun on a clear day gives 465,000 times as much light as the full moon at its zenith and 120,000,000 times more light than all the stars in the sky on a clear night, the tables show.

"Candlepower" of the sun, moon and stars is measured in terms of the light received from a standard candle, a foot away. It is not an actual candle, but a unit of light intensity used for convenience, similar to the candlepower used to show the strength of electric lights.

The noonday sun has an intensity of 9600 foot-candles at the earth's surface. Light from the full moon is two-hundredths Starlight is only eight-hundredths-thousandths of a foot candle.

STRENGTH OF RADIO SIGNALS CUT IN HALF WHEN MOON RISES

Veteran radio operators, who long have held the theory that a full moon weakens distant signals, are right. In thousands of tests it was found the reception invariably was at its best when the moon was below the horizon. As soon as it rose, reception fell off fifty per cent. Little difference was noted whether the moon was beclouded or not, whether new or in the last quarter. According to Orestes H. Caldwell, former member of the Federal Radio commission, the moon apparently has collected a considerable negative electrostatic charge from the electrons poured upon it with the sun's rays. Such a moon, passing over the earth's Heaviside reflecting layer, would induce a charge that would depress and distort the layer, making a sort of bulge. This interferes with the reflection of radio signals.

FEED GRINDING

I will be glad to receive orders for feed grinding any time, any where, any kind. Phone 1618-F3 JOHN CARROLL.

ously for five hours. Mrs. Pearl was only a short distance away, but owing to deafness, failed to hear her husband's cries. Eventually becoming alarmed, she began a search. Pearl had remained conscious and was able to tell the search party what had happened. He died a few minutes later.

AFRICANDER CATTLE FOR KING RANCH

An importation of Africander cattle, a new breed for Texas and the first ever brought into the United States, will arrive at the King ranch at Kingsville this month. The shipment consists of 16 bulls and 13 females. They were selected from three provinces in South Africa by W. H. Black of the United States department of agriculture. They will complete their 60-day quarantine period at New York on Feb. 11 and will be ready for shipment.

They will be used in breeding experiments by the department in co-operation with the King ranch. The purpose is to develop if possible a strain especially adaptable to the Gulf Coast regions, where hardy animals are required.

The Africander is a rich red in color. Much of the foundation stock was doubtless originally of the Indian or Zebu breed, and was taken to Africa many years ago. They are similar in many respects to the Brahma cattle now being raised in South Texas.

Their development as a distinct breed was for work animals. They are hardy, capable of traveling long distances, able to draw sizable loads, can exist on scant pastures and are remarkably free of disease. They are more able to resist the attacks of flies, mosquitoes and ticks than other breeds.

The Union Government of South Africa has conducted experiments in breeding and marketing the Africander and finds the first cross with beef breeds are particularly fine and will develop earlier than the pure Africander. On their natural pastures they will mature without feed into animals of 600 to 800 pounds. Their dressing percentage is unusually large — 60 to 61 per cent of their live weight. In a feeding experiment at the schools of agriculture, Union of South Africa, they made a higher yield than any other breed.

In 1928 Prof. A. M. Bosman, of the Transvaal University College, Pretoria, Union of South Africa, called attention to the rustling qualities, hardiness and stamina of the Africander. He quoted weights of animals in their pure bred farm up to 1800 pounds for a 3-year-old bull; 1315 pounds for a bull 1 year and 10-months-old. When fattened as steers they weighed around 1000 pounds when 19 months old. —Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

HISTORY BY COMMISSION

The assembly of Wisconsin has hit upon an ingenious scheme for deciding who was to blame for starting the world war. It will do so by commission. If the plan goes through, nine educators will be appointed to inquire into the accuracy of text-books on history, having to do with this subject. Books which make inaccurate statements will be stricken from lists approved for use in the schools of Wisconsin. This naturally presupposes infallible power on the part of the commissioners to ascertain which statements are correct, which are in error.

The assembly takes a far higher stand than does its sister legislative body, the senate. Wisconsin senators have sought by legislative enactment to condemn thirteen text-books which are said to put on Germany the blame for the war. The assembly prefers to approach the matter in an unprejudiced way, according to true scientific method. It proclaims itself neither for nor against the theory that Germany is to blame; it merely asks the commission to say who is to blame. If the commissioners are foolish enough to say it is Germany, that will be their lookout. In that event, they probably will be turned over to the tender mercy of the senate.

After all, why should not history be written by commissions? The tendency nowadays is to turn everything else over to them. If by a 5 to 4 vote, for instance, it could be decided that nobody started the world war, that it started itself, that would at least be one thing settled. The commission might then pause to consider whether it was not a British submarine that by mistake sank the Lusitania. —New York Sun.

CONDITIONS IN TEXAS

The agricultural department of the Santa Fe railroad, in its monthly bulletin, says:

"Intermittent rainfall over the entire state of Texas during January further delayed farm activity. Temperature, several degrees above normal, has resulted in improvement to pastures and ranges, and fewer hardships than usual to livestock.

Cold weather is needed to check insects which threaten damage during the growing season. Most insects have remained active during the winter, foregoing the hibernating period.

"The cotton acreage remains uncertain. Interpretation of legislative action toward control of acreage varies greatly, and even an approximate estimate, with any degree of accuracy, is not obtainable at the present time.

"In the face of a large supply of feed on hand, it is assured that the average of feed-stuffs will show a large increase over last season. Pastures are being seeded with clovers and grasses on some of the land in cotton last year.

"Tomatoes in hot beds in East Texas are in excellent condition, and cold frames are ready for transplanting. Acreage in this section will show an increase over last year, when record production was made.

"Other commercial truck crops, chiefly radishes and green beans, will be grown on a larger acreage this year than ever before in East Texas. Acreage in early potatoes will remain about the same as in 1931.

"The early January snow in the Panhandle of Texas measured from 6 to 20 inches deep. The condition of the winter wheat crop is as nearly ideal as it is possible to have it, due to the abundance of moisture coming at the right time. The acreage is around 3,000,000, about the same as that planted for last year's crop. Wheat was pastured heavily up to the time of the snow.

"The state's supply of moisture never was better at this time of year. Rural business conditions continue to improve, despite the slowness with which land is worked, due to wet weather. Growers have started the new year in an optimistic frame of mind and under very favorable conditions."

ROAD BUILDING HELPS EVERYBODY

We have heard much of the value of road building\* as a means of alleviating unemployment. Now it is interesting to see the actual results. During 1931, the building of rural roads and streets kept something like a million men busy in actual construction work — and, in the words of Thomas H. McDonald, Chief of the Bureau of Public Roads, "for each individual so employed the total highway expenditure provides additional indirect employment equivalent to two other persons."

Consequently, the 1931 road and street construction program was of benefit to about 3,000,000 men — which means that it helped some 10 or 12 million persons. Seventy-five to 80 per cent of the money spent went to labor.

The best part of all is that road building even when advocated principally to help the unemployed, is not a "relief" measure of the kind that costs taxpayers millions of dollars which pay no return. Every time a rural or farm-to-market road is built another town or area is given a chance to progress, to develop — and its inhabitants, particularly farmers, have a chance for greater prosperity, for a fuller social life, and for more advantageous marketing of products. It is worth repeating that the road dollar is a genuine, gilt-edge investment, which returns a high rate of interest — not only in actual cash, but in benefits which can not be measured in money.

The Vegetable TONIC HERBINE CORRECTS CONSTIPATION HUDSON BROS. DRUGGISTS

DID YOU KNOW—?

One of the greatest time and money-saving pursuits in the motion picture industry is said to be the practice of constructing models of every "set" in advance of actual production. This permits a thorough study of camera angles, lighting effects, property arrangement, and, in short, corrects many mistakes before they are made. After the models are completed and approved, the full size set is built, incorporating changes, that have been found helpful in the study of the models.

Disappearing stop signs that sink into the pavement as cars pass over them are being used in California. These warnings are made of cast iron and are fitted into a recess in the road surface. They are balanced by weights beneath the pavement, which lift them into view as soon as the wheels have passed.

Capacity of a well drilled in sandy strata can be increased by placing a gravel wall at the bottom of the well casing, according to a report before the American Waterworks association. In one case cited, ten wells had been scattered over as many acres in an attempt to obtain an adequate city water supply, all of them producing a total of only 1200 gallons a minute. With the adoption of gravel walls, one well alone gave twice as much water as all ten had been able to do. By feeding the property type of rough gravel into the space between the inner and outer well casings, a circular wall will be built up around the metal screen, necessary in sandy soils, about three times the diameter of the screen tube. The wall actually becomes a screen itself and stops the fine sand from clogging the screen grating.

A piece cut from a canvas tool kit or rubber mat will serve as a blowout patch if you leave the tire partly inflated.

Then tendency of new fiber phonograph records to warp can be overcome by cementing them together. This will not damage them, as they are played on one side only. After the records have been joined in this way, place them on a smooth surface and put a heavy weight on them until the cement has dried.

If a few small logs or boards are thrown into a small concrete pool, so that they float on top of the water, the freezing of the water will not crack the sides of the pool. The expansion of the ice causes the boards to rise out of the water, thus relieving the pressure against the sides. For small pools, pieces of 2 by 3 inch stock, or even a few lengths of flooring, will do as well as short logs.

Oysters are rich in iron and copper, providing a valuable dietary aid in preventing anemia. The copper is helpful to the fixation of iron in the blood, research workers of the Canadian department of fisheries have found. Some lately found vitamins also are contained in oysters. —Popular Mechanics magazine.

WELL, YEAR OLD, FLOWS 10,000 BARRELS DAILY

One year almost to the day, after its completion, as the first producer in the giant Lathrop oil pool in East Texas, the discovery well showed its ability to still produce 10,300 barrels of high grade oil daily with open casing pressure of 90 pounds. Representatives of the owners of the well tested it in the presence of F. K. Lathrop, father of the Lathrop oil pool.

It was estimated that since its discovery the well has flowed 450,000 barrels of oil.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible School—Each Lord's Day—9:45 A. M. Communion Service—10:45 A. M. Preaching Service—1st and 2nd Lord's Day in each month—11 A. M. and 7:00 P. M. Ladies Bible Class—3:00 P. M. Prayer Meeting Each Wednesday evening—7:00 P. M. Business meeting—1st Lord's Day each month—Time 3:00 P. M. CLEM W. HOOVER, Minister

BEAUTY in the HOME



THERE is no reason why the bath room should not be one of the most attractive rooms in the home. The stern, cold glitter of tiles is very easily relieved by a judicious use of color, and additional comfort is secured at the same time. The modern idea is to have two sets of rugs, lid and stool covers, one for use while the other is in the laundry, and all of them in matching colors. Those shown in the picture are the Spartan design. The old type of cotton bath mats have given place to colorful rugs of cotton chenille, in fast colors which will not fade when they are washed, and soft to either walk or sit upon. Such colors as yellow, orchid, jade green, and other pastel shades are procurable to fit well with the bright shower curtains, painted furniture, or colored fixtures.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Eagle is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic Primary Election in July:

- For County Judge, ROY SIMPSON. For County Clerk, L. B. PORTER. ARTHUR MEYER. W. T. (Thomas) SMITH. For District Clerk, JOHN S. CHESSER. MRS. NETTIE McLEAN. For Sheriff and Tax Collector, C. D. BLEDSOE. J. L. BROOKS. J. H. (Hern) HARRIS. For County Treasurer, MISS LOIS FULLER. For Tax Assessor, W. L. BURKS. For Commissioner Pre. No. 1, L. B. BURNHAM. For Commissioner Pre. No. 2, WM. BIDDLE. For Commissioner Pre. No. 3, I. McCURRY. E. I. OXLEY. R. F. (Bob) SWINDLE. For Commissioner, Pre. No. 4, BEDFORD F. RENFRO. J. H. BURNETT. For Justice of Peace, Pre. No. 1, JAS. RAHL. For Public Weigher, Precinct Nos. 1, 2, and 4, JAKE O. KIRBY.

FIRE PREVENTION YEAR

Each year we observe a Fire Prevention Week during which fire departments and public and private organizations work to instruct and interest the public in the menace of fire and ways of preventing it. During the week the period directly following fire loss customarily goes down, only to rise again when the lessons learned are no longer fresh in the public mind and the first enthusiasm has passed. It would be a good idea for every person to observe a Fire Prevention Year. No proclamations are necessary, no meetings or exhibits need be held. All that is necessary is that each of us learn, from the vast literature on the subject or from talks with fire departments and similar groups, how to go about making sure that our property is as safe as possible from fire. During the year we should, at regular intervals, make inspections to see that no waste has been left lying about in corners, that wiring and chimneys and flues are in good order, that care is taken in the storage and use of inflammable liquids and so on. If we are doing any building during the year, we should take care that it is up to the highest practical standard, as laid down by the National Board of Fire Underwriters. We should join with other citizens in advocating and obtaining, if needed, adequate fire fighting equipment for the community. Let us do this—and then watch the fire loss record dwindle!

SILENT CAL SUED

It seems strange that Silent Cal Coolidge should talk himself into trouble, but this seems to be true, according to a report from Springfield, Mass., which says: "Former President Calvin Coolidge and the New York Life Insurance company of which he is a director, have been named co-defendants in a \$100,000 suit. The suit was instituted by Lewis B. Tebbets, a St. Louis insurance man, who alleges that his reputation as an honest insurance agent has been injured and greatly damaged as a result of a radio talk given by Mr. Coolidge on October 6, 1931, and remarks afterward published in pamphlet form by the insurance company. "Tebbetts alleges that Mr. Coolidge, in his radio talk, indirectly referred to him and his insurance methods and that these remarks were afterward printed in pamphlet form by the insurance company."

Mr. Coolidge's election as a director of the New York Life has been his only connection with the business world since his retirement from the presidency in March, 1929.

POLITICAL PLANNING

A number of candidates are now in the field and they are interviewing the voters and making their plans for the campaign, which is proving quite interesting. Mrs. Nettie McLean In the proper column in this issue the name of Mrs. Nettie McLean appears as a candidate for district clerk. Mrs. McLean, nee Nettie Carter, is a daughter of Mr. J. R. Carter and was reared in Center City community, where she has a great many friends. She is well acquainted in that part of the county and hopes to meet the voters in other parts of the county before the close of the campaign. She has lived in Goldthwaite about ten years and her husband, Mr. Emzy McLean, was employed as a section worker on the Santa Fe railroad until last July, when his health gave away and after a prolonged stay in the hospital in Temple he was told by physicians he would never be well again. Mrs. McLean has been in charge of the cafeteria at the public school here, but the revenue derived therefrom is not sufficient for the support of a family. She is well qualified to discharge the duties of district clerk and has a great many friends who are hopeful of her success in the July primary election.

RIDGE

We are still expecting the state inspector at school and are doing everything we can to keep the school in splendid order. Mrs. A. L. Carroll visited the primary room Monday afternoon. After recess Friday the Literary society composed of students in the higher room, and the primary students enjoyed a program given by members of the club and of the primary room. Ridge school boys are planning to play Ebony school a good baseball game here Friday afternoon. Mrs. Knox Edmondson visited in the Will Kelso home Saturday. "Cotton" Rause has moved to the Newberry house and is enjoying the quiet life of a bachelor. Mrs. Knox Edmondson and Mrs. Will Kelso visited Mrs. R. J. Edmondson in Mullin Tuesday. Charley Ashton and daughter, Mrs. Hern Harris, were in Brownwood Friday. Cotton Rause and R. J. Edmondson bought sixty lambs from Mr. Duren last week. Everett Cummings suffered a painful accident last week when he fell from a wheeler and sprained his foot badly. Miss Flowers Lindsey returned home from Fort Worth Thursday. Miss Katherine Hill, primary teacher here, spent the week end at home. Mr. and Mrs. Linsey and Miss Flowers were called to Santa Anna to see Mrs. C. B. Lindsey, who underwent an operation for appendicitis last week. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Howington and grandson, Wilfred Howington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Kelso Saturday night. They returned to Indian Gap Sunday. Several people from Ridge went to a party at Ebony Saturday night. The people of Ridge enjoyed singing at the school house Sunday night. Our Sunday school is doing nicely and we are proud of the interest shown in it. Ernest Wood sold another bunch of sheep to Fort Worth dealers and Bill Wood, his son, went with them. He is proud of the experience and was glad to tell his English class the story of his trip. Marietta Atkinson, Ruby Lee, O. L. and Sylvester Cummings took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Eric Egger Sunday. REPORTER.

A GOOD OUTLOOK

The condition of the farm lands, the way in which stock have passed through the winter and the fine fields of small grain all make an encouraging outlook. Business authorities say conditions are steadily growing better, which means good prospects for an improvement in prices of farm products. Everything considered, the outlook is good.

TELL THE NEWS

If you know a local item for the Eagle, your friends will appreciate it.

CENTER POINT

A large crowd attended church and Sunday school Sunday morning. Bro. Benningfield filled his regular appointment. There was also a good crowd out Sunday afternoon and enjoyed the splendid program rendered by the Big Valley B. Y. P. U. We had church and a fine League program Sunday night. The time as a whole was certainly well spent. Several in the community attended the pecan topping Friday afternoon conducted by Mr. Weaver. School turned out at 2:30 in order that the pupils would get the full advantage of the instruction. Mrs. Walter Conner and children are spending a few days with her parents in the Trigger Mountain community. A number of the pupils are absent from school this week because of sickness. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Saylor and son visited in the Fallon home Sunday afternoon. Miss Ola Belle Williams dined with Mrs. Jim Tullos Sunday. Haynie and Melba Raye Conner spent Saturday afternoon playing with LaVonne and Verne Joy Hallford. Bro. Benningfield ate dinner Sunday with Jim Fallon. Rube Henry of San Angelo is visiting Henry Simpson and family this week. It seems as tho the scribe is going to have to change the community news items to hospital notes, judging by the number of cases of serious illness in our community. Those included on the sick list this week are Ed Davis, Mrs. Cleve Parry, C. H. Teferteller, Mrs. Adams and Clyde Taylor besides several minor cases. Miss Elizabeth Mills spent Saturday night with the Fallon girls. Herman Cox came in Wednesday morning and he and Mrs. Cox returned to their home, after an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Taylor. Miss Faye French spent Saturday night with Ola Belle Williams.

The following people called on Mr. Teferteller awhile Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Jess Tullos, Tom Graves, W. J. Conner, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harmon, Walter Conner and Bro. Benningfield. Marion Mills and Misses Elizabeth and Mildred, also Miss Mary Fallon had business in Austin Monday. Miss Vera Conner taught in Miss Elizabeth's place here during her absence. Pete Philip and Johnnie Taylor ate supper with J. N. Smith Sunday night. Louie Ponder was in our community and attended church Sunday night. Misses Faye French and Thelma Conner visited Clyde Taylor Monday. Miss Ethel Hill spent the week end with home folks. Miss Dona Mae Shugart ate supper with Mrs. L. B. Woods Sunday night. Mrs. Arthur Neely spent the past week end at her home near San Saba. Little Joe Taylor visited school Monday. Mrs. J. N. Newman visited Mrs. Cleve Perry Friday morning. Misses Vera Conner and Hattie Miller visited school Friday afternoon. Misses Miriam and Leona Newman visited awhile in the Adam's home Tuesday night. Walter Conner and Dallas Newman have been working the past few days for J. D. Long. Lenvil Calder spent Saturday night with Lois Williams. Mrs. Ida Smith visited Mrs. Conner Tuesday.

We have some more new neighbors in our community. Nathaniel King and family of Mullin have moved into the Webb lease. We welcome them into our community. Marion Williams and Miss Ola Belle visited relatives at town Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin helped Oscar Kelcy kill a beef Monday afternoon. Misses Ola Belle Williams, Thelma and Vera Conner visited Mrs. Calvert Hallford Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Bob Martin called in the Taylor home awhile Monday morning. I will ring off for this time. BO-PEEP.

Oh my watch! Too bad it's broken... but it's never too badly broken that it can not be repaired by L. E. Miller, the Jeweler.

TRAFFIC SAFETY CONTEST

The National Safety Council has announced that on Jan. 1, the number of cities to enter its Traffic Safety Contest had passed the 125 mark. Six of the 13 major cities—those with more than 500,000 population—have enrolled, as have 17 of the 24 cities of between 250,000 and 500,000. Chicago, Detroit, Los Angeles, Baltimore and Pittsburgh are among the competing metropolises, and at the last report local parties were working to obtain the entries of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, San Francisco and Cleveland. When all entries are in about one-fourth of the entire population will be directly affected by the safety drive. The contest is of inestimable benefit to the communities participating. It demands an accurate check of fatal accidents and stresses the importance of adequate traffic law enforcement. It does an immense amount of good by making the public generally conscious of the responsibility every motorist should feel and live up to. Last year 35,000 people lost their lives because of carelessness, incompetence or recklessness at the wheels of automobiles. This mounting record of death and accident has just forced an increase of automobile liability insurance rates in 14 states, based on the average loss cost per car from 1927 to 1930, inclusive. Now responsible motorists are promising themselves to do their part to lower the rate in 1932—and the National Traffic Safety Contest will do much to keep this pledge fresh in their minds.

WILD HORSE ROUNDUP

Romantic days of the dime novel, when they said it with pistols instead of flowers, will be recalled next month as picked riders start a round-up of wild horses in southeast Arkansas. It will be a roundup for practical purposes instead of romance this time, however, under direction of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, in cooperation with the state veterinary department, as a part of a tick eradication program. Hundreds of wild horses, fleet as deer and just as wary, range the swamplands along the Mississippi river in Arkansas. Their number is estimated upwards of 1500 and the inspector for the bureau of animal industry says they present one of the greatest problems in tick eradication as carriers of the southern cattle fever tick. He will direct the roundup. Nobody knows just where the ranging bands got their start. Some say they were carried into this territory by floods. Others may have wandered in from distant farms. They retreat from the swamps to the higher ground during high water periods and then return to the wilder territory. The range riders will include regular cowboys, temporarily unemployed rodeo performers, sportsmen, farmers and cattlemen. "Finders are keepers" in the roundup unless the finder is in government pay. Horses captured by the regularly employed range riders will be given to farmers or sold to aid in defraying expenses.

MRS. JUDD TO HANG

Death on the gallows has been decreed for Mrs. Winnie Ruth Judd, 27-year-old daughter of a retired minister. An all-man jury at Phoenix, Arizona, Monday night found her guilty of the murder of Mrs. Agnes Anne LeRoi, her friend, and specified the death penalty. The jury deliberated three hours and forty minutes. Six ballots were taken. Mrs. Judd heard the verdict without show of emotion. She was immediately taken to her cell, where she walked in front of her mirror and viewed herself several seconds. The sheriff ordered a day and night guard maintained in the cell, fearing Mrs. Judd might attempt to end her life. Before the state may hang Mrs. Judd an appeal is mandatory under Arizona law. The defense counsel said the appeal would be made soon after sentence is pronounced Feb. 23. Mrs. Judd is the second woman condemned to the gallows by a jury in Arizona. Mrs. Eva Dugan was hanged in 1927 for the murder of an aged statesman of Tucson.

RULES LIBERALIZED

Liberalization of the proposed regulations governing relief loans to farmers from the \$200,000,000 fund allotted to agriculture in the reconstruction finance corporation act appears certain, following a vigorous protest of Texas, Louisiana and other Southern senators and congressmen. Under the proposed regulations submitted members of congress use of the loans would be restricted to farmers who "are found by the secretary of agriculture to have acreage fit for seeding and do not have seed, fertilizer, feed for work stock and fuel and oil for tractors used in crop production and spraying materials and who are without means to purchase these supplies." Definite limits on loans for each of these purposes on a per acreage basis are also established. It was Secretary Hyde's further explanation that under these regulations the money received by the farmers would not be used for clothing, food or any other personal benefit that brought on the attack of members of congress. Senator Tom Connally of Texas insisted that what use the farmers made of the money is not the important thing, but rather if he needs it to carry on his work. A farmer without clothes or food for himself and family would be just as handicapped in producing a crop this year as the farmer without seed or livestock food," he declared. Others agreed with him. Though Secretary Hyde explained that the department would be liberal with the borrowers and would not police the farms to see that they were using the money as they had promised when applying for loans, members of congress declared that the federal government should not act in such a manner as to require its citizens to resort to subterfuge in an effort to gain relief. They insisted that the regulations be altered to permit a liberal use of the money without misrepresentation.

PAYING THE FIDDLER

Agriculture is being hailed as showing some of the most definite signs of returning health displayed by any industry in a long while. Perhaps agriculture is recovering sooner from the depression because it has had it longer. Agriculture is literally the business bread and butter of our country. If the farmer isn't getting enough for his products to pay for the feed he must use, the machinery he must buy, to have anything left over to replace those things and a surplus to provide comforts and clothing for his family, who is going to support the local merchant—to say nothing of the banker, the baker and candlestick maker? A newer and more dangerous development of the economic situation in which we find ourselves is evidenced by such outbreaks as milk wars which have been raging around large city markets. The lower drops the price of a commodity like milk—the more imperative quality control methods, as practiced by organized dairymen, become. No one benefits, in the long run, from profitless prices for farm products.

SOME DOWN-AND-OUTERS

Andrew Carnegie, a Scotch emigrant boy, slaving in a Pittsburgh factory at \$2.50 a week, at work hours that no boy of today would endure; John Mackay, an Irish "pick and shovel" man at starvation pay; John D. Rockefeller, who lost his grubbing job in a Cleveland store, because his employers wanted to give \$700 a year instead of the \$800 he thought he was worth; Julius Rosenwald, street peddler at 11 who gradually worked out his seemingly fantastic idea that people would prefer to do their marketing by mail; James J. Hill, the down-and-out, Canadian lad who became the "commercial" discoverer of the great northwest (and whose cynical advice "always keep in debt," has found so many thousand followers)—all these and innumerable others were spurred by the hatred of dead-broke-ness into affluence. Exchange.

My incubator is now running Settings every Monday. Hen egg 2 1/2c and turkey eggs 4c each. Baby chicks for sale on and after Monday, Feb. 22.—Mrs. C. M. Burch, Phone 57.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Helm have bought an automobile and expect to try it out on a trip Weatherford this week end.

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ANNOUNCEMENT. We are pleased to tell you that Mr. Kelly has moved his Market in our Store and will conduct his Business, as he has in the past. We hope that this will be a convenience to you. Order Your Groceries and Meat Together! OUR SPECIALS FOR Friday and Saturday. Peanut Butter, qt. 27c. Macaroni, 4 boxes 19c. Sugar—Pure Cane—10 lbs. 49c. Oats, Crystal Wedding 20c. Pinto Beans, 10 lbs. 49c. Grape Fruit, doz. 25c. Oranges (Texas), doz 15c. Steak 15c. Beef Ribs 10c. Mixed Sausage, 3 lbs. 25c. Long & Berry

**LAKE MERRITT**

There was a good crowd at Sunday school Sunday morning. A large crowd attended a ball game at the school house Thursday evening.

The outside girls played the school girls Friday. Those who played on the outside team were Misses Cassie Ryan, Eva Mae Price, Bernice Fickel, Lucille Daniel, Marie Stuck and M. L. Graves. The outside girls won.

J. W. Long has been very sick the last few days.

A few enjoyed a party in the W. Booker home Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Daniel and family went to Lampkin Sunday to be at the bedside of Mr. Daniel's brother, who is very sick.

Weldon Hill visited T. J. Booker Sunday. These boys called in the Sanderson home Sunday night.

Jewel Townsend went home with Opal Petty from school Monday night.

Mrs. Griffin returned home Sunday night from a two weeks visit with her daughter in Houston.

Misses Florence and Margaret Oden spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. Daniel and Lucille called in the John Northcutt home a few minutes Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Fickel and family attended church at Trigg Mountain Sunday night.

Those who called in the J. M. Baker home Monday night were

**WHERE GOOD ROADS ARE NEEDED**

Good roads are as essential to farm prosperity as good facilities for transport are to industrial prosperity. They are agriculture's arteries of progress.

The farmer who is able to take his goods to market, at any time of year and over weatherproof surfaced highways, will always be far ahead of the farmer who is cut off from communication with the outside world by unimproved, often-impassable roads. Modern use of asphalt and road oil has made the low cost farm-to-market road dream possible. The lack of roads, of course, is not alone responsible for bad farm condition. But it is an important contributory cause, as is demonstrated by increasing agitation for good farm-to-market roads in all parts of the country since economical construction methods have been developed.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson and Wilson Griffin, Bernice and Cecil Fickel and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Leverett.

Mrs. W. R. Fickel called on Mrs. D. D. Kemper of Goldthwaite Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Daniel and Lucille visited in the Dellis home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Otto Simpson visited her mother at Santa Anna Sunday.

Lester, Virgil and R. V. Geeslin visited in our community over the week end. PINKY.

**MULLIN NEWS**

From The Enterprise

**W. A. JORDAN DEAD**

W. A. Jordan of Pompey Creek died at his home Wednesday morning, after suffering for some time with heart trouble. Mr. Jordan was 77-years-old and had lived in this section for the past 23 years. He was a native of Texas, having been born at Lufkin. He and Mrs. Jordan had been married for 55 years. To this union were born eight children, of whom only two survive, Mrs. Rosa Lee Hansford and Robert Jordan, both of Zephyr.

To the bereaved wife and children the Enterprise extends sympathy in their bereavement.

**YOUNG PEOPLES' REVIVAL**

The Baptist young peoples' union is sponsoring a young peoples' revival, to begin sometime in March. The purpose of this revival is to create a deeper interest in the young peoples' work in the community and to organize groups for the study of church membership.

Two weeks are to be devoted to this work. During the first week there are to be lectures each night, delivered by some of the most prominent ministers and laymen of this section of Texas, and the second week will be devoted to B. Y. P. U. study courses to be led by the volunteer band of Howard Payne college.

This revival will be for the community as a whole, but the young people are especially urged to take an interest and help put it over.

No definite time has been set for the beginning of the revival but present plans are for some time in March. A definite date will be announced later, as will other plans that have not yet been formulated.

Mrs. J. P. Lockeridge was a Mullin visitor Tuesday.

T. W. Cryer made a business trip to Goldthwaite Tuesday.

Mrs. J. D. Ramsey is one of the influenza victims this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hull are here visiting Rev. L. J. Vann and family.

V. D. Dunlop of Prairie was a business visitor in Mullin Tuesday morning.

Tom Roe and Ivan Woolsey were in from the Young farm on the Bayou Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Reynolds visited relatives in Goldthwaite Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Hancock and son have gone to Glen Rose to visit her brother.

Miss Leta Mae Hancock, teacher of Trickham, spent the week end at home.

Misses Vada and Maurine Shelton are convalescing, after a recent attack of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Green of Duren were in town Saturday shopping and meeting their friends.

Mrs. L. J. Smith and children spent the week end in Dallas and Rio Vista visiting relatives.

Arthur Meyer of Goldthwaite and Gus Meyer of Lake Merritt were looking after business here Saturday.

Rev. L. A. Clark of Zephyr, one time pastor of the Methodist church here, was a visitor Sunday in our city.

C. C. Hancock of Gatesville visited his family in this city Sunday. They expect to move about the first of March to Gatesville.

Wade and Mike Ivy are both reported seriously ill in a Brownwood hospital, with but little hope for the recovery of Wade.

County Clerk Porter has been a visitor in our city during the past week reminding the voters that he is a candidate for reelection.

Bro. E. O. Stewart of Sweetwater will preach at the Primitive Baptist church Saturday night and Sunday. All are invited to attend each service.

Surveyors of the highway department have been busy during the past week working a survey of the highway into Mullin. This time intersecting the highway as it now runs just south of Mrs. E. V. Bolton's residence on Sherman street, running through the town with the old highway.

Mrs. Harry Hendersdorf of Brownwood formerly Miss Rusk Oden, visited Mrs. M. C. Kirkpatrick Saturday.

Mert Oxley spent a few days here on his way from Arizona to South Texas, to spend the balance of the winter enjoying the gulf breezes.

Mrs. John Neill has returned home from Santa Anna, where she was called to her sick daughter, Mrs. C. B. Lindsey. Mrs. Neill is looking after her little grandson during the illness of her daughter.

The correspondents to the Enterprise are asked again to sign their communications, letters and all articles, not for publication, but for information of the editor. Remember if its worth writing, it's worth signing.

The following people were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Starnes Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Mid Perry and son, and Mrs. Wood of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Starnes and Mrs. Selman and children of San Saba.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Toliver took in the home of S. H. Davis of San Saba were Sunday visitors. Mrs. Toliver remained over for a few days visit with old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Davis, Mrs. M. A. Tobin and J. B. Green went to Brownwood Monday, where Mr. Davis has been receiving medical treatment for several weeks with eye trouble. However, the doctor told him he was doing so well it would not be necessary to return.

Miss Arlene Herrington has been entertained by the influenza for several days. Her sister, Miss Imogene Herrington, of Brownwood is here helping nurse her back to health.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Lindsey and daughter, Miss Flowers, went to Santa Anna Sunday to see Mrs. Lindsey of Brownwood, who was operated on Saturday at Santa Anna for appendicitis. Mrs. C. B. Lindsey was resting as well as could be expected and it is to be hoped she will soon be fully restored to health.

**THE POINTER**

Published Every Friday by Pupils of Center Point School

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**Sick Notes**

Many from our school are absent on account of illness. The influenza and pneumonia seem to be the prevailing diseases in our community.

**Brief Notes of School**

Friday afternoon Mr. Weaver, the Mills county demonstration agent, gave a pecan topping demonstration for the welfare of the community and interested visitors in Mr. Joe Spinks' pecan grove.

Those who visited school the past week were Miss Hattie Miller, Vera Conner, Mrs. J. N. Newman, James Allen Doggett, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Will Harmon and little daughter, Gene.

Miss Mills went to Austin Monday. Miss Vera Conner taught the primary room during her absence.

Mrs. Neely visited with her parents at Mount Olive the past week end.

E. L. Curb and family spent the week end at Gorman.

**Honor Roll**

The honor roll will be prepared for next week's paper.

**Can You Imagine**

The seventh grade being prepared for their arithmetic class in school.

Some of the girls not primping Don Dyches smiling out loud. Ellen Perry forgetting to giggle, and Miriam forgetting or failing to sigh.

Being left in the schoolroom without a teacher.

**What If?**

Johnnie Fallon's name was fall off instead of on.

Alva Spinks' name being Spanks. Would that mean spank? A six-foot pupil being called shorty.

**Notice**

Found in the library room a pair of men's shoes about 10 1/2 in size. One heel off and the other run down. A cross on the little toe on the left shoe. Owner please call for them.

Found on Feb. 9, a pair of green and white checked, chewed off pants. Owner please call for them.

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THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

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Calendar table for February 1932 with days of the week and dates.

A large hen egg on display in Llano measures eight and a half inches in length and is five and a half inches around. It was laid by a Black Jersey Giant hen.

Although the depression has been as severe in Canada as in the United States, not a single bank there has failed as compared with 3500 that have closed in the United States.

According to Mrs. Aimee Temple McPherson-Hutton, Jess Willard, ex-prizefighter, has named her Angelus Temple in Los Angeles and will have charge of Boy Scout work there.

After kidnaping five persons and cutting all telephone wires, three masked bandits early Saturday raided Pilot Point, Texas, robbed the First National bank of between \$7000 and \$8,000 and escaped.

Germany has joined the gold-producing countries of the world. Their country always in need of the precious metal, German scientists remembered that old documents told of rich gold mines on the Eder river in South Germany. They investigated and reported, to their own surprise, that there is still enough gold to warrant extensive mining.

Early Saturday morning, Daniel Weller, 60, who retired on Jan. 1, as president of the Standard Oil Co. of Louisiana, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head in the basement of his brother's home at New Rochelle, New Jersey. For seven years, Weller, whose home was in Baton Rouge, La., had been a director of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey and president of the Standard Oil company of Louisiana.

The smaller town of Texas are still holding their own in spite of encroachment by chain stores, direct selling over the radio and shortening of distances to larger cities by development of good roads and rapid means of transportation. Retail stores in Lone Star cities and towns of less than 10,000 inhabitants are doing about 47 per cent of the state's total business, it is estimated by the census bureau, after an exhaustive analysis of data collected in the trade distribution census of 1929. More than 4,000,000 residents of Texas live in small towns and cities.

The lack of watches in Soviet Russia pockets is partially blamed by the Transport Union for recent railroad disasters. No wonder, officials declare, that serious wrecks occur, that trains often are late and the transportation system as a whole suffers from lack of co-ordination, when conductors, switchmen, dispatchers and even engineers can not determine whether they are operating their trains according to schedule. Only a few weeks ago the first watches of Soviet manufacture appeared in the streets of Moscow. They were of approximately the same size and precision of the dollar variety in the United States and were priced at between 60 and 75 rubles (about \$30 and \$37.50). They are available only in limited quantities.

Bladder

Weakness Kills Energy. If you feel old and run-down from... Bladder Weakness, caused by Kidney Acidity, I want you to quit suffering right now. Come in and get what I think is the greatest medicine I have ever found. It often gives big improvement in 24 hours. Ask me for Cystex (Ciss-tex). It's only 75c and I guarantee it to quickly combat these conditions and satisfy completely, or return empty package and get your money back.

AL SMITH WILL RUN

A New York report says: Alfred E. Smith, former governor of New York and Democratic candidate for president in 1928, quieted speculation about his attitude toward becoming the party's candidate in the 1932 campaign by issuing a statement setting forth his views on the subject. He says:

"So many inquiries have come to me from friends throughout the country who worked for me and believe in me, as to my attitude in the present political situation, that I feel that I owe it to my friends and to the millions of men and women who supported me so loyally in 1928 to make my position clear.

"If the Democratic national convention, after careful consideration, should decide that it wants me to lead, I will make the fight; but I will not make a pre-convention campaign to secure the support of delegates.

"By action of the Democratic national convention of 1928 I am leader of my party in the nation. With a full sense of the responsibility thereby imposed, I shall not, in advance of the convention, either support or oppose the candidacy of any aspirant for the nomination."

GENEVA CONFERENCE

Unofficial humanity told the government representatives of 30 nations at Geneva Saturday the world insistently demands disarmament.

Backed by petitions signed by more than 8,300,000 plain folks, and delegated by world-wide organizations of women, churches, workers, students and pacifists, authorized spokesmen of various ages, creeds and economic beliefs addressed the disarmament conference in extraordinary session.

Some pleaded, others demanded. Still others threatened. Some enunciated only general humanitarian principles, others offered concrete constructive proposals.

But, whatever method for impressing the governmental delegates was chosen, and in whatever terms the wishes, hopes or demands were couched, the fundamental thought underlying all of Saturday's oratory was this: The sorely distressed world looks hopefully and expectantly to Geneva to avoid a new race for armaments and to prevent a world cataclysm which the failure might entail.

SEVEN FOLLIES

The Rev. Walter A. Maier, editor of the Waltham League Messenger, in an address to a congregation at Milwaukee, set forth what he considers the seven fatal follies of church life in our time. Listing them, we find:

The political church, which tries to mold the influences of American legislators by professional lobbyists.

The sensational church with children in the pulpits, jazz bands instead of choirs and picked beauties as ushers.

The financial church, which makes the end justify the means.

The epileptic church, which institutes Bible reading marathons or applauds the preacher who wins the endurance prize for preaching the longest sermon in history.

The social church, which maintains that its first duty is to solve race relations, fight industrialism and capitalism, and investigates coal miners.

The inactive church, snugly self-sufficient.

The modernistic church, with a passion for creating Christianity "up to the minute."

We have churches to represent each of the seven follies here in Texas, but they do not represent, taking everything into consideration, the highest and best that churches can stand for. Probably there lies the folly that the Rev. Maier would call to their attention.—Dallas News.

READ THE ADS

There are a number of advertisements in this issue that should interest every reader. It is a mighty good habit to form to read all the advertisements each

UNDERSTANDING

Isn't it true that you expect your friends to overlook your disagreeable traits?

As friends you expect them to ignore your shortcomings and love and respect you in spite of them.

About the only person so minded is your mother.

She can and will make excuses for you, whether you deserve it or not.

She will stand a lot; but even she suffers as a result of your thoughtless rudeness or lack of consideration.

True friendship will stand much, but subjected to continual strain the best of friends are going to break with you.

The friends you have were attracted to you by your winning qualities, by the pleasure they experienced in your society.

If you had shown your disagreeable side at first they would not have classed themselves as among your intimates.

It is better to keep friends than to make them.

Do not wonder at times why you have so few close friends.

The answer should be easy.—Houston Chronicle.

WOLF BOOTLEGGING

A wolf bootlegging racket that brought the alleged trafficker \$2400 before it got him into trouble and a penitentiary sentence of two years was revealed at Austin this week.

According to testimony, arrangements were made to purchase wolves on the Mexican border and have them transported to the sheep and goat country around Rock Springs, where ranchmen were paying \$200 for each sealp of a fully developed wolf and \$100 for the puppies.

A man named Anderson was able to trap a wolf with such regularity that suspicions of the ranchmen were aroused, according to Representative Coke Stevenson of Junction, special prosecutor. They persuaded the man who was trucking the wolves from the border to permit them to tattoo the ears of several of the wolves he brought in, and later these specimens were found in Anderson's traps.

Stevenson said it was testified that the wolves were being staked out after they had been imported from the Rio Grande section, and that later they turned up in Anderson's traps.

RELIEF BILL REJECTED

A senate bill to release government wheat for relief purposes was rejected Monday by the house agriculture committee. The vote was 14 to 9, the ballot splitting party lines.

The bill before the committee was that of Senator Capper, Republican, Kansas, and was passed by the senate Jan. 4. It would release 40,000,000 bushels of farm board wheat for relief distribution by the Red Cross and other charitable organizations.

Senator Jones said rejection of the bill seemed to come from a feeling among members that "if anything were done, the government should go out in the open market and purchase the wheat." Other members, he said, seemed influenced by the fact that the farm board had large loans against some of the wheat.

"I favored the bill, Jones said, "because the Stabilization Corporation has the wheat, it is costing money to carry, is deteriorating, and, in my judgment, adversely affecting the market."

SHANGHAI CLOCKS ARE 13 HOURS AHEAD OF GOLDTHWAITE

While Americans rubbed their eyes Saturday morning and read of way activities in the Orient, it was near bedtime for citizens of China and Japan, at least for those not in range of any bullets that might be flying.

Shanghai clocks are 13 hours ahead of those in New York, while Tokio operates 14 hours ahead.

The following time table shows the relation of time at various cities around the world:

- Noon in New York (eastern standard time) is:
11 a. m. in Chicago and Goldthwaite, (central standard time.)
10 a. m. in Denver and El Paso (mountain standard time)
9 a. m. in San Francisco (Pacific standard time.)
6:30 a. m. in Honolulu.
2 a. m. (next day) in Tokio, Japan.
1:05 a. m. (next day) in Shanghai.
1 a. m. (next day) in Manila.
12:30 a. m. (next day) in Hoiping.
6 p. m. (same day) in Rome.
5 p. m. (same day) in London.

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When you have visitors, go for a trip or know any other item in which your friends would be interested phone write or tell the Eagle.

CLOCK FACE SIX STORIES TALL COVERS FRONT OF BUILDING

One of the world's largest clocks has been erected on the front of a Tokyo department store, its face being six stories high and covering most of one side of the building. The minute hand is twenty-eight feet long and turns about a central axle, which contains the mechanism.

CALL BURCH

When you want a suit, dress or single garment cleaned or pressed, call Burch and he will please you.

BEAUTY in the HOME
WOMEN who are critical of the look of their floors are turning to the small washable cotton chenille rug as solving many of their difficulties, particularly for such rooms as nurseries, rooms with brightly finished floors, and where a rug is necessary to throw down between large pieces of furniture. The one of Spartan design shown above is heavy black and white chenille with a modern pattern that fits well with the simplicities of the two early American tables. It is reversible, the black being white, and vice versa, on the other side, giving it the decorative appeal of two rugs. Other color combinations in the same design are also attractive. These rugs are dyed with fast colors which make them substantial and washable and ought to have a life of at least ten years with any sort of care. One charm of chenille rugs is that repeated washings give them the appearance of fluffy silk.

BEAUTY in the HOME
Putting Color Into the Bathroom
WHEN the first of the modern bathrooms began to make their appearance, all white and glistening and spotless they, somehow, impressed everyone with the idea that nothing but white is clean. And then for years there came along the endless vista of white bathrooms, white walls, white bath curtains, white towels, and white toilet seats. If it went into the bathroom it must be white. We have learned somewhat better meantime and the modern bathroom, in a home where taste and discretion are used in decoration, is now quite different. It is a place of colors now, though, because of the materials, it is just as easy to keep clean. Delightful wall paper is to be had with a water resistant finish in many soft tones, just the proper contrast or the proper match for the rest of the color scheme. The towels are not necessarily all white any more, either. They now come in sets with pretty colored decorative motifs on the border, the towel, face cloth, and bath mat matching in design. The toilet seat is in a rich pearly tone of the room. These seats are easily cleaned and the mother of pearl effect in color is really delightful. Window curtains, bath curtain, the latter in water repellent fabric of gay coloring, give the necessary finish to the modern bathroom, which no longer makes the morning tub seem like a surgical operation but helps to start the day amid cheery and artistic surroundings.

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**NEIGHBORING NEWS**  
Items From Local Papers of  
Towns Mentioned

**LOMETA**  
W. M. Sonnermann is having some substantial improvements made upon his residence east of Lometa. New floors and sleeping porch are among the improvements.

Rev. C. D. Wright and family, O. Ridenour and family and Misses Mary and Annie May Sanford of Red Bluff went to the fifth Sunday meeting at Cow Creek in McCulloch county Sunday.

At a meeting of the board of trustees Tuesday night, Miss Jonnie Ross was elected to fill the vacancy as teacher of the sixth grade of the Lometa school, the position being resigned last week by Miss Lena Barnett.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jones, who left here a few months ago and moved to Montana. They are doing fine and Mr. Jones has had two good positions offered to him, the work to start in the spring, since changes are not being made in that country at this time of year.—Reporter

**LAMPASAS**

Lewis H. Jones went to Temple Monday morning to enter the clinic of a hospital in that city. He was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Ernest Jones, and his sister, Miss Daphney Jones.

The total number of poll taxes paid in Lampasas county was 2,337 and there was an increase in the amount of property tax paid here the past year. The tax collector states that there is probably an increase of twenty per cent this year.

The Lampasas city schools are now feeding several children each day and this work is sponsored by the Parent-Teachers association. There are many children who come to school hungry each day and if they are not properly nourished they will make no progress in the school work. Many of the children have nothing to eat except what they get at the school.

The Leader is in receipt of a paper from Biloxi, Miss., which contains a mention of the death of Rev. A. B. Perry, which occurred in that city on Feb. 1. The paper is sent us by Mrs. G. W. Tinkle, Rev. Perry was rector of the Episcopal church here for seven years.

D. M. Lively returned Monday evening from Temple, where he spent about ten days in a hospital. Mr. Lively accidentally shot himself in the leg, while handling a target and was taken to the hospital for an examination. The bullet was located but was not removed. He is getting along nicely now.—Leader

**SAN SABA**

Miss Nell Skaggs left Sunday for Denton, where she entered C. I. A. for the spring term.

A deal was closed Saturday by which W. T. Little, hardware and furniture dealer, bought the entire stock of J. M. Gunter.

The revival campaign at the Full Gospel tabernacle is attracting large crowds nightly. Conversions almost every service are reported and the interest is growing.

J. R. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown of San Saba, was taken to a Temple hospital Friday and submitted to an emergency operation for appendicitis.

B. F., better known as Frank Williams died near San Angelo Monday of last week. Bodkin & Little undertakers sent a hearse for the body, which was brought home and buried in the Regency cemetery.

E. A. Martin, principal of the school at Chappel, has inaugurated a night school weekly for the benefit of the people of the community. These schools are held each Wednesday night and community problems are taken up and freely discussed.

The opening of the new year finds the directors of the local Chamber of Commerce taking an optimistic view for 1932. They have called for a general get-together of the citizenship at the city hall Friday, Feb. 12, at 9:30 a. m. for the purpose of talking over plans for the year and getting a slant on the thing. The membership would foster for this year.—News

**COMANCHE**

County and state tax collections are almost normal in spite of the depression, according to information obtainable at the office of the county tax collector.

T. R. Holmsley has accepted a position with the First State bank, assuming his duties Thursday, Feb. 4. Mr. Holmsley has been with this institution before. For the past three years he has resided at Colorado, Texas.

With about 250 letters unopened, most of which are thought to contain poll tax payments mailed before Feb. 1, there had been paid at the collector's office up to Feb. 1, a total of 3262 polls, as compared to 3146 last year up to Feb. 1, 1930, 4661 polls were paid.

A shipment of 2473 pounds of shelled pecans was made by Durham Bros. Monday over the Cotton Belt to Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, via San Francisco. This is the first shipment on record at the local Cotton Belt station, where Comanche products have ever been shipped to the islands, according to Carroll Black, local agent.—Chief

**HAMILTON**

Wednesday night of last week thieves entered the garage of A. O. Arnold at Evans and appropriated about two hundred dollars worth of tires, tubes and accessories.

Dr. J. P. Kidd, evangelist for the Presbyterian church, with headquarters at Austin, was here Sunday and held services at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

An approximate poll tax record shows that about 3650 voters received their receipts, which will entitle them to participate in the elections this year, according to Shade Register, tax collector.

C. E. Williams, former assistant manager of the Higginbotham hardware and building material store at Hamilton, arrived Tuesday to take charge of the local Higginbotham interests, taking the place of Wm. Koonce, who has had charge of the business here for some 19 years. Mr. Williams will move his wife and two children to Rising Star, just as soon as suitable living quarters can be arranged for.

James Monroe Sanderford, a highly respected citizen of Hamilton, passed away in Hamilton, Monday night, Feb. 1, at the age of nearly 63 years. He had been in ill health since last fall, and his death was not unexpected. Mr. Sanderford was born in Bell county, Texas, and there he spent his youth. Being crippled in his foot from childhood, he educated himself so that he might overcome the physical handicap, and at the Sam Houston Normal in East Texas, he qualified himself for teaching, and taught for several years. It was while teaching in the Priddy neighborhood in Mills county that he met and married Mrs. Elizabeth Schuster. They moved to Hamilton about ten years ago to spend the evening of their days. After a short service at the family home, his body was borne to the Lutheran church at Priddy, where services were conducted by Rev. Zabel of Pottsville and Rev. Moerbe of Aleman, and afterwards laid to rest in the cemetery about two miles west of Priddy.—News

**BROWNWOOD**

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. McKinley of Hamilton recently visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jones.

All automobiles used in 1932 and for which license were not paid before Feb. 1, are subject to a 20 per cent penalty. Affidavits must be made that the machine has not been used this year in order to avoid payment of the penalty.

There are approximately 500 less automobiles on the streets and highways in Brownwood and Brown county this year. But you had better be careful about the trucks, for there are 24 more of them than last year, registrations in County Tax Collector Lee Meek's office show.

Postal clerks and other employees of the local postoffice will be able to join employees of wholesale concerns and other institutions each Saturday afternoon for a round of golf in the future. The clerks and carriers are to be given Saturday afternoon's off in the future, according to J. D. Stewart, postmaster. This action was made effective Saturday, following several months of experimentation in the local office. A recently passed law gives the employees a half holiday each week, but it was found the situation could be handled better by giving them Saturday afternoon.—Record

**AGRICULTURE**

We know that the farmer resents this book farming. He is fed up on farming by various writers and book farming, because every farm presents a different method and has to be handled different to the fellow's farm across the road, and what will make one man money will lose money for another man.

Most people say that we have an over production of cotton, wheat, oats, corn, cattle, hogs, and poultry and that it is the reason that everything is so cheap, but I say we have an under consumption. People are going nude and starving in a land of plenty, but no money or jobs by which they can get this stuff.

The district court at Franklin, Texas, has just ruled the cotton acreage reduction law is unconstitutional and same will be carried to the higher courts and in my opinion, they will rule same as the district court.

I think it is a good law, but will not stand up. Now what are we going to plant, as there is a surplus of all the major crops. Some say plant feedstuff and market it through livestock, but show me one man who has made anything by buying livestock and feeding it to the livestock bought and I will show you a dozen who have lost their time and feed.

So I think the best way is to plant plenty and then some to do you in the way of feed and plant all the food crops that will grow in this country, then plant the balance in cotton, because it is about all the money crop the average farmer can plant. To be sure the farmer has to have some money to pay his taxes, debts and buy the things that he cannot raise.

However, you had better not plant any more cotton than you can work and gather with your own force. We have now some 14,000,000 bales on hand and that is about a normal crop, therefore, do not look for cotton to bring much of a price for several years to come. Have a few hogs, yearlings, butter, eggs, chickens and enough wheat for your bread at home and it will not take but very little money. If you cannot buy things that you want and pay for them, do without. Then you may have the money to pay some of your back debts.

**T. E. HAMILTON.**

**NO CAUSE FOR PRIDE**

The National Board of Fire Underwriters estimates that fire loss during 1931 totaled \$452,017,026, as compared with \$463,612,762 in 1930.

This is a saving of more than \$11,000,000 over the previous year, and it is a welcome one. But there is no cause as yet for a feeling of pride. We need not swell our chests and say that the war against fire is coming to an end. There is something sadly wrong with the habits of a people when carelessness with fire can cause the destruction of property worth almost half a billion—to say nothing of the indirect loss, which totals as much or more in a single year. More important than the monetary loss is the destruction of thousands of lives.

We have become used to establishing records in many lines, and we have done so with fire. No other civilized nation even approaches us in the amount of destruction. We stand alone, surrounded by barren and charred wastes—the product of our carelessness and ignorance. And we have no excuse to offer.

If we can, in 1932, really reduce fire waste, we shall have done something of permanent benefit. If we can adopt habits of mind that make for carefulness, and take the small trouble necessary to learn the lessons of fire prevention, we shall have benefited ourselves and our neighbors. There is nothing difficult about preventing fire—and that fact makes such continued waste even more tragic.

**A MIRROR OF THE PAST**

Did you ever watch a greedy person who has grown old?

It can sometimes be covered up when the person is younger, but after the lines begin to show and the back begins to bend, then it is going to show up.

There is something about the turn of the wrist and hand that looks so ready to scoop things in—toward themselves—these greedy people.

There is something about the grasp, even in shaking hands that tells.

There is more in watching them in a "self-reserve" restaurant.

There is much expressed in the eye as others receive favors or gifts.

Envy and greed leave their marks on human beings.

If you are young, think it over, just what you want your personality to express when you are old.

Because, whether you like it or not, your old age will be a mirror of your past thoughts and inclinations and no amount of makeup can cover it.

If you are older and you really want to change your character, it will be harder, but it is possible, and if you want friends by all means control your avareicious spirit.—Houston Chronicle

**SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE**

The State of Texas, County of Mills:

Whereas, by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the district court of Mills county, Texas, on the 26th day of January, A. D. 1932, wherein James W. Stewart is plaintiff, and T. J. Fleming is defendant on a judgment rendered in said court against said defendant and in favor of the said plaintiff, for the sum of \$4764.53 dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit; I have levied upon and will on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1932, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. at the court house door of said county, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of T. J. Fleming in and to the following described property, levied upon, to-wit:

419.1 acres of the James Dabney survey, Ab. No. 192, Certificate No. 1627, in Mills county, Texas, also 59 acres of the R. A. Porter survey in Mills county, Texas, situated about 12 miles S.E. of Goldthwaite, Texas, and more fully described in original order of sale by metes and bounds.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for \$4764.53 in favor of plaintiff, together with all costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds to be applied to the satisfaction thereof.

C. D. BLEDSOE, Sheriff,  
Mills County, Texas.

**HINTS FOR HOMEMAKERS**

Linoleum can be handled much more easily if it is exposed to the sun or artificially warmed to make it pliable before it is put down. In order to prevent bucking, which is caused by expansion when the edge of the linoleum is tacked to the floor, remove the molding along the baseboard, and let the linoleum extend to within 3-8 in. of the wall. Then replace the molding and nail it to the baseboard instead of the floor, which allows the edges to be held down without binding. The floor should be surfaced before the linoleum is laid, as a rough floor greatly shortens its life.

Gold or silver articles, such as watches and rings, that have become coated with mercury amalgam are easily cleaned by using an ordinary typewriter eraser. This will leave a dull finish which may be left as it is or polished on a buffing wheel.

A fireproof container for valuable papers can be made as follows: Thread both ends of a 15-inch length of 2-inch pipe to take caps. Put a 3-8 inch layer of asbestos inside each cap and seal it with a snug fitting disk of sheet brass. Then place an equal length of 1-inch brass pipe inside of the iron pipe, concentrically, which is done by inserting three strips of wood between the two pipes. Pack the space between the pipes with asbestos, remove the wooden strips and pack the space left with asbestos. Papers rolled in the inner pipe will be safe from fire when caps are fitted on tightly.

In order to avoid soiling the paper around a switch on a wall remove the plate, cut a piece of clear celluloid large enough to extend about 1-2 inches beyond the edges of the plate and replace the latter with the celluloid underneath. Celluloid is easily washed and will not hide the design of the paper.

To prevent a window shade from being torn from its roller cut the end of the shade at two points, forming three equal sections. Fasten the center section to one side of the roller and the two end sections to the other side, tacking the edge down in the usual manner.

Wet clothes hung outside in cold weather often freeze to the line, especially if it is of the woven cable type, which may result in some of the more delicate garments being torn when removing them. To avoid this, draw a piece of softened paraffin wax back and forth on the line so that it becomes covered with a waterproof film, which will last indefinitely.

To offset the risk of breaking dishes when washing them in the sink, it is a good idea to cover the bottom of the sink with a rubber pad or mat. Old auto mats, which are worn out in spots may be cut to shape and used for this purpose, or corrugated rubber can be purchased in any desired size. A hole is cut through the rubber to fit over the sink drain.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

**BABY'S BRAIN CAN'T BE SAVED**

Doctors of the New York Neurological Institute have determined that medical science is helpless to save 13-months-old Diane Moore from a life of idocy. The institute, has informed the infant's mother, Mrs. Lillian Moore, 19, it will not consent to an operation, which it had been hoped would relieve a condition which made development of the baby's brain impossible.

X-ray photographs have shown that the child has a "general lack of brain tissues" and that the maximum mental age it can attain is that of a 2-year-old. Diane, the doctors say, probably never will walk or talk.

A further examination of the child was to have been made Tuesday, but the institute's decision is said to be final and the examination will not be held.

**CALL BURCH**

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**CIRCUS ELEPHANTS HELP BUILD ROAD IN TEXAS WHEN TRAIN STOPS WORK**

When modern equipment bogged in soft spots after several weeks of rain, circus elephants were given the job of helping build a highway between Houston and the coast. For the first twelve weeks after the road was started, rain retarded the contractors. Trucks could not be moved through soft places in the right of way, cats on a short railroad spur track could not be switched and other heavy work was handicapped. Then the contractors made arrangements with a circus near by, and the elephants were put on the job, enabling the work to proceed at a rapid rate.

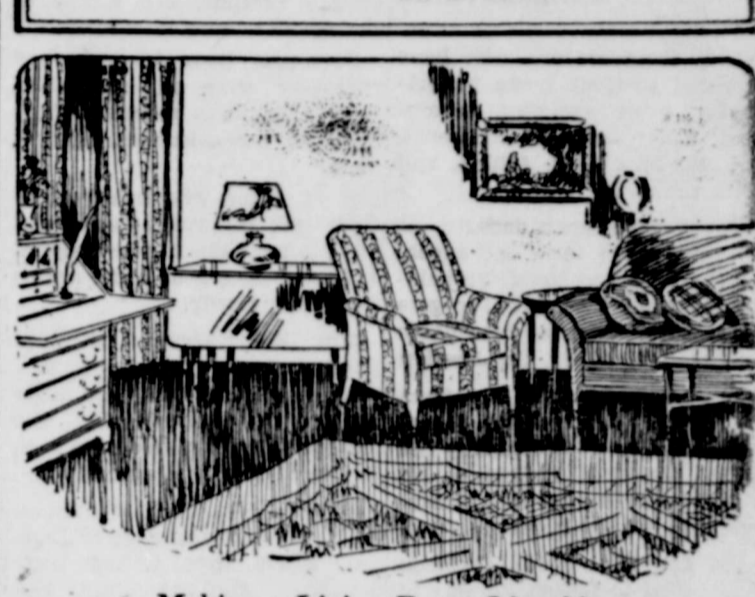
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**BEAUTY in the HOME**



Making a Living Room Liveable

By KATHARINE CRUMBAUGH  
THERE are a lot of living rooms in this world that only need one thing. They need something to make them liveable. They have good furniture, and carpets or rugs; good tables and lamps; everything is good. But the room is terrible. Nearly always the trouble is color. With repainting of the woodwork and walls, most of these rooms become really "living" rooms.

A typical one came to my attention recently. It was a northeastern room, which meant that it received very little sun. The furniture chiefly consisted of a taupe couch and two large overstuffed chairs of the same brown. There was a secretary-bookcase, radio and gateleg table, all of brown, a small end table and coffee table in black lacquer. The wall paint was tan and the woodwork the same. The rug was large and brown. It gave the visitor an acute feeling of sin and remorse.

Now, what that room needed, as most rooms need, was a little judicious color. The predominating brown should lead to repainting the walls in a light buff, with plenty of sunniness in it, or even a cream which sheds a lighter glow over the place. The ceiling should, of course, be a couple of shades lighter than the walls. The woodwork should depend in color on several things. If the room is small, stick to the wall color. If the trim is ordinary or common looking, don't emphasize with contrast. And if the ceiling is low, contrasting color on the woodwork will make it seem lower. In this room a deep ivory would do very well.

The brown overstuffing, of course, cannot be painted but some gray flowered chintz for the chairs, leaving the couch as it was, and the same flowered chintz for draperies would make the place alive and inviting. Pick up the red in the flower of this chintz and use it as a guide to paint the end table and the coffee table. Put the coffee table with its bright note right in front of the couch where it will be useful as well as ornamental. Delete the dark green cushions in a gay cherry red. Put a good coat of floor varnish or maybe only a coat of wax on the floor. Then the depressing monotony of the room is gone and a new charm appears.

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Mrs. W. W. Taylor is expected home Sunday from a visit to her son, Horace, at Wichita Falls.

If your watch, clock or jewelry is broken don't neglect it. Bring it in now to L. E. Miller, the Jeweler, and he will put it in perfect order at a small cost and satisfaction guaranteed.

Misses Loraine and Dena Mae Calaway of the Bozar community were in the city shopping yesterday.

There is quite an epidemic of flu and gripe in the town and surrounding country. No serious results have so far been suffered.

J. S. Kelly has moved his meat market into Long & Berry's grocery store, which gives him a nice location convenient for his customers.

J. T. Saunders and wife have returned to their home in Arlington, after spending several weeks here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Ashley, and other relatives.

Our modern repair department is equipped to turn out expert watch, clock and jewelry repairing. All work guaranteed to give entire satisfaction at reasonable prices.—L. E. Miller, the Jeweler.

Mrs. W. T. Little of San Saba visited relatives here last Saturday. She came to accompany her father, Mr. C. L. Bodkin, to his home here, after his visit of several days in her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Dickerson were called to Belton Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Cook, an aunt of Mrs. Dickerson, who died at the age of seventy-five years. She was born and reared in Belton and had never lived anywhere else during her entire life.

My incubator is now running. Settings every Monday. Hen eggs 2 1/2c and turkey eggs 4c each. Baby chicks for sale on and after Monday, Feb. 22.—Mrs. C. M. Burch, Phone 97.

Mrs. C. Ballard was visiting relatives and friends in this city Saturday.

J. M. Dalton of Center City transacted business in the big town Tuesday.

Rev. J. S. Bowles was confined to his home several days this week by sickness.

M. Y. Stokes, Jr., and family returned Wednesday from a visit to relatives in Lampasas.

Mrs. Roy McKinley has been visiting relatives in Pleasant Grove community this week.

Louie Karnes of Star was a business visitor at the Eagle office the early part of the week.

Tax Assessor W. L. Burks has been confined to his home a part of the week, suffering with flu.

Miss Dera Humphries is having some improvements made on her premises on West Fifth street.

F. P. Bowman and family returned Monday from a visit to George Templin and family in Austin.

Dickerson Bros. have opened a grocery store in connection with their meat market. They have an advertisement in this issue.

H. M. Cryer, who was dangerously sick for several days and spent some time in the hospital in Brownwood, is at home and is recovering slowly.

Mrs. Eula Nickols of Rock Springs was in the city visiting and shopping Tuesday and made the Eagle a pleasant call. She reported farming operations in full force in her community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whiteman spent the past few days in Denton, where they visited their daughter, Miss Bernadine, who is a student at the College of Industrial Arts.—Brady Standard

Judge R. P. Conner of Lubbock has been in the county several days, visiting relatives in the Mullin section and friends in this city. Judge Conner lived in the Duren community in the pioneer days and taught the first school in that community, afterward locating in Brownwood and serving that county as county judge.

PRIDDY

The high school seniors will present their play "George in a Jam" Saturday evening, Feb. 20, in the high school auditorium. Everyone is invited to be present. The proceeds will be used to defray the expenses of the speaker at their graduation program.

There were English services in the Zions' Lutheran church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stankhe gave a party for the young folks Sunday night.

Brupe Schrank was a Goldthwaite visitor last Friday.

There was an all-afternoon singing in the Priddy high school building Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lipke visited Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Lipke Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixie Webb visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bessent Sunday.

The residence on Mr. Brooks' farm burned Saturday between eight or nine o'clock. There was no one at home, when the fire was discovered.

The seventh grade is working on arithmetic.

Louis Steinmann visited Clayton Crook Sunday.

William Ivy visited Alvin Caraway in Goldthwaite Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Steinmann visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Niemman recently.

Margaret Bryan from Brownwood entered school at Priddy Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Schwartz and family visited Edmund Rieve of Pottsville Sunday.

Will Schwartz and family of Comanche visited Albert Schumann and family Sunday evening.

George Tiemann visited in Goldthwaite Monday.

Alice Sommerfield visited Herbert Sommerfield and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Janner entertained the young folks with a dance Saturday night.

F. W. Hein was a Hamilton visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Hulda Schuster of San Angelo has been a Priddy visitor the past week.

There was a dance in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Deckard Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lubke visited Mr. and Mrs. Otto Stankhe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Deckard visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schrank Sunday evening.

A group of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lubke to celebrate Mrs. Lubke's birthday one evening last week.

Miss Erna Wiederbusch has returned home from a two weeks visit with J. R. Kauchs and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kerush of Coleman visited relatives at Priddy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Rooke and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bufe Saturday evening.

Miss Esta Lubke is suffering from an attack of diphtheria.

A dinner was enjoyed by a group of relatives, who gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hohertz Sunday.

Mrs. Dr. Miller and Mrs. J. L. Barker visited in Comanche Monday.

Oiga Schwartz, who is attending school at Priddy, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Schwartz of Comanche.

Mrs. Henry Bufe, who has been visiting her mother at Marlin, returned home Sunday.

REPORTER.

MIKE IVY DEAD

Mike Ivy of Mullin died in a local hospital at 11 o'clock this (Thursday) morning. He had been receiving treatment for several days.—Brownwood Bulletin.

CALL BURCH

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CENTER CITY

We are having spring weather here. Vegetation is beginning to grow and all are in hopes the fruit trees will not bloom so early that the fruit will be killed by late frosts. We have had very little cold weather so far.

Many in our community have been on the sick list. About half of the pupils and two of the teachers were ill last week. Most of them were able to return to school Monday.

P. T. A. met last Friday night with a few in attendance on account of so much sickness. We have had good crowds and interesting programs at our meetings. We have for our subject "Helping the Child to Succeed in School." Good advice to parents is given along this line.

Mrs. D. R. Mauldin and little son of Westlaco visited her brother, J. M. Oglesby, and family last week end.

Mrs. Harvey Morris returned Tuesday from Brownwood, where she attended the bedside of her nephew, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holland. She reports he is still in a serious condition, yet slowly improving.

Mrs. J. W. Patterson and little daughter visited Prof. Patterson last week end. Patsy Ann Patterson spent Saturday with Virginia and Glenda Oglesby, while her father and mother attended the ball games in Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Langford made a business trip to Evant Monday.

Granddad Carter is visiting relatives here. He is recovering from an attack of the flu.

Eugene Lucas and family and Maurice Hulen and family have moved into this community. Mr. Hulen lived in Big Valley when a boy and is remembered by the older ones. XX

MOUNT OLIVE

At present, this reporter has not been flooded with proposals from the fairer sex, however, this fact does not keep him from talking on all the important happenings around Mount Olive.

Tom Graves took his ball team to Goldthwaite Saturday. The team had no hopes of capturing first prize, but every other rural school seems to be envying our team for 1932. Our team will be a hard one to beat next year.

Saturday and Sunday are our regular church days and at each service an excellent membership was present. Bro. Chambers delivered messages at the services.

He wants members from all neighboring churches to attend his services. His regular preaching time is the first Sunday of each month. Everyone is cordially invited.

W. E. Caulder of Priddy attended church here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cruise of McGirk attended church both Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ferguson of Center Point attended church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harris.

Jake Burke and family spent Sunday afternoon with S. F. Roberts, Sr.

Miss Zella B. Conway and mother have been visiting Eldred Conway at Caradan.

Another splendid singing was held at Sammie Koen's Sunday night. These singings are held every time opportunity permits. The songs sung are from "The Good Old Songs," compiled and edited by Elder C. H. Cayce. These songs are old time favorites, and children, please tell your parents to attend the next singing held in Mount Olive. They will hear their favorite old songs.

Otto Alcorn made a business trip to town Saturday.

Raymond Lawson was a visitor over at Priddy for the week end.

Mr. Dempsey of Center Point visited in R. P. Lawson's home Sunday afternoon.

Jesse Roberts, Oran Conway, Otto Alcorn and Alton Koen are trimming shrubbery for Proc McCullough this week.

Messrs. J. H. Roberts, Jesse Roberts and George Palmer went rabbit hunting Monday night.

J. A. Roberts worked for J. H. Roberts last week.

Mrs. J. H. Roberts made a business trip to Priddy Saturday.

Clifford Doggett and wife of Cisco spent Saturday morning with J. H. Roberts and family.

Our teacher, Tom C. Graves, spent Tuesday night with one of his pupils, Sammie Roberts, Jr.

WANT-ADS

Big returns for a little money. A small ad here does a big job.

RATES: 1c per word. Minimum charge: 25c.

I have plenty of cabbage and onion plants now ready. Tomatoes, pepper and sweet potatoes in season.—D. D. Kemper.

Incubator settings every Monday. Bring your eggs any Saturday or Monday. Hen eggs 2 1/2c and turkey eggs 4c each.—Mrs. C. M. Burch, Phone 97.

For Sale—Mountain Cedar Posts. Never cheaper than now. Postal will bring delivered prices.—Aylor Cedar Post Co., San Saba, Texas. 2-27p.

For Sale—Black Giant roosters at \$1.50 each, also Black Minorca roosters at \$1.00 each.—Mrs. George Hill, Goldthwaite, Rt. 1.

Lost—Gray German Police dog, about 3-years-old. Answers to name of "Wooper". Will pay reward for his return or information as to his whereabouts.—Raymond Howard, Lometa, Tex.

Our repair department prides itself on being able to repair as new almost any piece of broken jewelry. Bring your broken jewelry to L. E. Miller, the Jeweler.

Lost—A disk wheel for a Chevrolet truck, somewhere in the Caradan community. Will pay \$1 reward for its return to my store.—Joe A. Palmer.

GYPSIES ROB BANK

Several arrests have been made and every available clue is being followed by officers to apprehend the band of Gypsy travelers, who "lifted" the San Saba National bank for a cold thousand dollars last Saturday morning.

Riding in a fine Lincoln automobiles a band of some six to eight Gypsy clad men, women and children blew into town last Thursday night. Friday morning the streets were seemingly filled with them. The so-called Indian women, gaudily dressed, were busy telling the good fortune of everyone who would stop and listen. One of them appeared at the cashier's window of the bank to get some currency changed. At the same time one slyly entered the inner room of the bank and chattered away at the good fortune of one or another of the employees. After a short period of telling fortunes they were told to "get out" and they did.

Shortly after this W.C. Dofflemeyer, cashier, had occasion to reach for a \$20 bill, a stack of which he had laid out at the opening of the bank. The stack of twenties was gone. Inquiry was made and it was soon discovered that the bank had been "lifted." Chase was made for the Gypsy band, but it had left town hurriedly a few minutes after the bank episode.—San Saba News

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NEWS FLASHES

A truce of four hours between 8 a. m. and noon Friday between Chinese and Japanese troops at Shanghai was announced Thursday. Thirty neutral representatives bearing white flags were to be allowed to enter the battle torn Chapel district and rescue civilian residents there. Some of the women and children caught between the fire of the opposing troops have been wounded for days. A fire renewal of hostilities is expected at the end of the truce.

Edgar Wallace, English author and playwright, worked in a rush and died the same way. He wrote 150 books, which sold five million copies a year. Last year he produced the six most successful plays in London. The movies paid him hundreds of thousands of dollars. He would work constantly for 16 hours a day, consuming four packs of cigarettes a day and keeping two secretaries busy. He recently moved to Hollywood to write for the movies. Last Sunday he took cold. Monday he developed double pneumonia, and Wednesday he died.

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Twelve Months guaranteed batteries. New \$6.15, Used batteries \$2.50. You get a recharge free, when your battery is repaired at O. K. Battery. It would make you sick to see how much you have lost on your generator by not trying us first. Generators? Yes. Battery Recharge 50c.—Batteries to use? Yes! Phone 14B.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our appreciation for every good deed done during the sickness and death of our darling baby, Alton Dale. May God bless each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. CONNER and Family. Mrs. FLORENCE CONNER and Girls.

Check your watch with the correct time in our store. A little fast, a little slow or right on the minute. Whatever the time, a thorough cleaning and oiling once a year is required to keep your watch in perfect condition. L. E. Miller, the Jeweler, will put your watch in perfect order at a small cost and guarantees you perfect satisfaction.

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- 2 lb box Saxset Crackers 22c
Crushed Pineapple, per can 11c
Sour Pickles, per qt. 23c
Catsup, 14 oz. bottle, 15c
Cabinet Brand Coffee, 5 lb can 85c
1 pt. Peanut Butter 18c
Grape Nut Flakes, per pkg. 12c
Matches, per carton 17c
6 lbs. Peaberry Coffee \$1.00

Plenty Seed Potatoes and Onion Plants

FRUITS and VEGETABLES

- Grapefruit, per doz. 25c
Oranges, per doz. 15c
Vegetables, per bunch 5 and 10c

Silk Stocking Sale



In order to reduce Stock we offer for Friday, Saturday and All Next Week: 1 Lot Regular \$1 and \$1.50 Allen A Hose @ 79c Pair

NEW ARRIVALS THIS WEEK

A Beautiful line of Marcy Lee Wash Frocks to retail at \$1.95 Love-Lee Wash Frocks to retail for \$1.00 Big line Wash Dresses to retail for 49c

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SPECIAL:—Men's Dress Shirts 49c Men's Work Shirts 39c Buck Brand and Kangaroo Overalls Very Best Grade 98c Good Grade Full Cut Overalls 69c

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