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Prohibition Repeal Is Now Up To States

Senate and House at Washington Pass Repeal Bill by More Than Two-Thirds Majority.

Repeal of the eighteenth amendment to the federal constitution is now out of the hands of congress and before the legislatures of the 48 states. The Senate last Thursday by a vote of 63 to 23 voted to submit the repeal of the prohibition amendment to conventions in each state for ratification or rejection. The House of Representatives on Monday followed the Senate with a vote of 289 to 121 for repeal. The resolution then went direct to the Secretary of State for submission to the states and did not pass through the hands of President Hoover as would an ordinary bill.

The Dry minority in Congress fought valiantly but in vain against the repeal resolution. Senator Sheppard, author of the eighteenth amendment, voted against repeal, but Senator Connally, also of Texas, voted for repeal. In the House of Representatives Blanton, Patman and Sanders voted dry and the remaining 14 representatives voted for repeal.

Neither the Democratic nor Republican platform planks were followed. The resolution simply repeals the amendment but prohibits the importation of intoxicating liquor from wet into dry states. An amendment to prohibit the return of the saloon was rejected when offered in the Senate.

Antiprohibitionist leaders already are planning an intensive state-by-state ratification campaign. They expect the Eastern seaboard states, always a wet stronghold, to lead the way.

Drys at the same time are preparing a line of last defense in the South and West. They need to hold only thirteen states to retain the eighteenth amendment in the constitution.

Secretary of State Stimson has certified it to the states as a proposed amendment to the constitution.

Forty-one state legislatures now are in session. If they desired they could set up almost immediately the machinery which must ratify the repealer. Congressional authorities believed it probably would be about two years before many of these conventions began to function. They did not think many states would go to the expense of holding special elections to choose convention delegates, but would wait until the next regular elections.

Some enthusiastic wets hold that Congress may constitutionally force the states to summon the special conventions and thus hasten ratification.

Numerous bills are being offered in the Texas state legislature providing for a repeal convention, but the general opinion is that none will be called this year.

CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

The Goldthwaite Cemetery association met in the rest room of the court house Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year. Mrs. S. P. Sullivan was elected president, Mrs. Ell Fairman, secretary-treasurer.

The active members are very enthusiastic over the prospects of securing funds from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to employ a number of unemployed in clearing off the grounds of the Goldthwaite cemetery, as other towns are using that method of giving employment to a number of laborers who have no work at this time.

REPORTER.

Mayor Cermak Is Recovering

The most cheering news since they were shot came from the bedchambers of both Mayor Cermak and Mrs. Gill, Dr. Frederick Tice, Chicago heart specialist, who arrived recently and went immediately into consultation with the attending physicians, said: "I believe we may look forward to the full recovery of the mayor." Mrs. Gill's husband said her recovery "is just as rapid as we could expect. Today's condition is very encouraging."

First reports received here after the shooting were that Mayor Cermak of Chicago had died from his wounds.

Farm Loan Blanks Not Yet Received

County Agent W. P. Weaver said yesterday that an average of 10 farmers a day are calling on him or County Clerk Porter for feed and seed loan information. He has been notified that application blanks are being sent here from Washington, and as soon as they are received, applications will be taken. The chief changes from last year are that landlords are not now required to sign a waiver to their share of the crop, maximum loans are reduced from \$400 to \$300 and 30 per cent acreage reduction may be required of the borrower. The interest rate is 5 1-2 per cent.

SCHUBERT CLUB PROGRAM

Program to be given by the Schubert Club at the Baptist Church Sunday evening, February 26, at 7:30 o'clock. Opening Song: "I Love to Tell the Story," No. 46—Congregation.

Invocation—Rev. S. O. Hammond. Chorus: (a) "Gloria" from "Twelfth Mass"—Mozart; (b) "Voice in the Wilderness"—Scott—Schubert Club. Piano Solo: "Impromptu," Op. 28, No. 3—Hugo Reinhold—Sarah Fairman.

Talk—Judge E. B. Anderson. Trio: "I Shall Not Pass Again" "This Way"—Eiffinger—Mrs. Lester Berry, Misses Mary Bowles and Ruby Lee Dickerson.

Negro Spirituals: (a) "I Want to Be Ready"—Burleigh; (b) "Deep River"—Lucas—Schubert Club.

Piano Duet: "Cradle Song," "Intermezzo," "Waltz and Finale"—C. Bohm—Robert Elizabeth Littlepage and Aileen Martin. Chorus: (a) "Great Is Thy Love"—C. Bohm; (b) "Goin' Home" from "New World Symphony"—Dvorak—Schubert Club. Benediction—Rev. G. C. Ivins.

BANK BURGLAR SIREN BRINGS MANY GUNS

The piercing whine of the burglar alarm at the Trent State Bank Thursday afternoon sent officers armed with shotguns rushing to the scene while unarmed citizens stopped, looked and listened. No bank robbers emerged, however, as the alarm had gone off unintentionally, probably because of a short circuit somewhere in the wire. A good demonstration was given that in the event of a real alarm bandits would receive a hot reception. About 50 armed men were at the bank before bandits could have made a get-away.

Zangara Given 80 Years In Pen

Giuseppe Zangara Monday was sentenced to 80 years in prison for his attack February 15 on President-elect Roosevelt, Miss Margaret Krus of Newark, Russell Caldwell of Coconut Grove, Fla., and William Sinnott, New York policeman.

He was sentenced to 20 years on each of the four charges which were attempts to murder, getting the maximum sentence in each case.

The four 20-year sentences are to run consecutively, giving him a total of 80 years in state's prison.

Zangara may yet be tried for murder. His pleas did not cover the cases of Mayor Anton Cermak of Chicago, and Mrs. Joe H. Gill of Miami, who are in a hospital.

Wants 100 Years

After the sentence was pronounced Zangara said, "Judge, how much you give me?" Zangara held up his fingers—eight of them.

"Yes," said the judge. "Oh, judge, don't be stingy. Four times 20 is 80. Give me 100 years."

He laughed as he was hastily led back to the Dade county jail. Zangara was sentenced after he pleaded guilty to the four charges and after he had reiterated to the judge he was sorry his attempt on the life of President-elect Roosevelt was unsuccessful.

Texas Law Lighter

If Texas had been the scene of the attempted assassination of President-elect Franklin D. Roosevelt, the assassin, Giuseppe Zangara, would have drawn a lighter sentence under the Texas law than under the Florida statutes.

In fact, the maximum prison sentence in Texas would be five years shorter.

In Florida the maximum sentence is 20 years; in Texas it is only 15.

The charge, unless one of the victims of the shooting should die, could be only assault to murder.

The Texas code assesses a minimum term of two years and a maximum term of 15 for assault to murder with malice, which would be the charge in this particular case.

Murder without malice in Texas brings from one to three years.

Sen. Woodward Attacks Lawyer

Senator Walter Woodard of Coleman, who also represents Mills county in the Texas Senate at Austin, was apologizing Wednesday for his attack the day before on J. F. Hair, 55 year old San Antonio attorney, in the senate chamber. Senator Woodward in a heated speech hurled the lie at Hair. The lawyer, who was there to represent Bell county in the investigation of Governor Ferguson's charges of shortage in the highway department, then made a statement and ended by accusing the senator of "a deliberate falsehood." Without warning the Coleman county lawmaker seized a glass pitcher filled with water and hurled it across the table in the face of Hair. The blow knocked the attorney to his knees, and the blood streamed from his face blinding him, but he jumped to the table and only the efforts of a half-dozen other senators kept him away from his younger assailant. Hair's injuries are not dangerous, but if the broken glass had struck only an inch or so lower he would have undoubtedly been blinded. Woodward is a strong supporter of ex-Governor Sterling, while Hair is aligned with the Fergusons. He formerly lived at Belton and has had several cases in district court here. He was at one time a candidate for district attorney of this district and is remembered kindly by many Mills county people.

School Tax Only May Now Be Paid

Tax Collector Bledsoe has been notified by the state comptroller that the recent bill authorizing taxpayers of any school district to pay half or all of their school taxes without having to pay any other taxes assessed against them, has become a law and is now in effect. This allows a taxpayer who cannot pay his taxes in full to pay half or all of his school taxes and so do his part towards keeping the schools open. The usual penalty and interest will apply to the part of the tax he elects not to pay. The law is to be in effect for two years only.

FAMILY REUNION

Last Tuesday Mrs. Jim Faulkner entertained her six sisters, Mrs. R. L. Lewis, Okmulgee, Ok.; Mrs. Jesse Shannon, San Antonio, Texas; Mrs. G. N. Atkinson, Lubbock; Mrs. J. E. Morgan, Denver, Colo.; Mrs. J. E. Matthews, Ranger; and Mrs. O. R. Nelson, Oklahoma City, Ok., with a one o'clock dinner. All with the exception of Mrs. Shannon drove through from Ranger and she came in on the bus and met them here.

Mrs. Faulkner, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Bill Page of Hamilton, served a lovely dinner. Everything that was good, and each and everyone enjoyed themselves immensely, as this was the first time they had been together in many years.

Later in the afternoon, together with Mrs. Faulkner, they drove out to the cemetery and lingered there—just for a moment—then on out to their old home place, where they were reared and then on to Ranger to be the house guests of Mrs. Matthews for the remainder of the week.

Parties were planned and cut flowers were sent in to the "seven sisters" and everything was done to make them enjoy every minute they were there.

On the following Friday one by one began to say goodbye to Mrs. Matthews and assuring her and all the rest again and again that these few days together had been the happiest days of their lives.

Parachute Jumper Thrills Crowds

While hundreds of spectators held their breath yesterday afternoon, Carl Hall, daredevil Kansas aviator, climbed out of the cockpit of a Swallow biplane piloted by Jack Crawford more than half a mile directly over Goldthwaite, and dived off into space. In a moment, his parachute opened in billowy white folds, and Hall, swinging like a pendulum, settled slowly to the earth.

Although his jump was made southwest of the court house the wind carried the aviator and his chute to the north, and he landed safely two blocks north of the square by the ice house of the Texas Louisiana Power Co.

Comparatively little advance notice had been given of the parachute jump, but people from every section of Mills county and many from adjoining counties were on hand in Goldthwaite to witness the daring feat.

The following account was written by the Eagle's special writer, Lawrence Morrison Stokes, 9, who covered the jump, notebook and pencil in hand, and interviewed the aviator as soon as he had reached the ground.

The Parachute Jump

By Lawrence M. Stokes. The airplane is circling over the courthouse square. It is a little southwest of town.

He's jumped. The chute has opened. He's swinging like a pendulum, back and forth—drifting north. He's about 1000 feet up.

Now he's landed on the Texas-Louisiana Power company ice house.

After he landed I asked him how he felt, and he replied: "All right."

Johnson Car Found Stripped

H. B. Johnson's car, that was stolen last week, was found the early part of this week in the Mount Olive community, where the thieves had left it stripped in C. M. Barrington's pasture. Everything detachable was taken from it, even to the door handles and the glass in the back part of the top. While the officers have several clues, nothing has developed that would justify an arrest. It is sincerely hoped that the thieves will be discovered and brought to justice.

KAUFMAN—WALDEN

Mr. Herman H. Kaufman and Miss Opel Walden were united in marriage Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Rev. J. S. Bowles, on west Fifth street, Rev. Bowles officiating. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman left for an automobile trip to Mexico and when they return they will be at home in the Marshall residence on Reynolds street.

Mr. Kaufman is one of the most successful young business men of the city, being the manager and one of the owners of the Goldthwaite cheese factory, which business has been decidedly beneficial to the town and country since its establishment here, as well as profitable to its owners. By his honorable dealings and his courtesy to the public he has made many friends throughout this section. His bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Walden and during her residence here has attracted to her a large circle of admiring friends who join heartily in extending congratulations and good wishes to her and her husband.

New Highway Routes Approved By State

Rapid Progress Is Being Made In Securing Necessary Right of Way by County.

New Cabinet Is Announced

A list of the new cabinet officers was published in Washington Wednesday. One woman, Miss Frances Perkins of New York, will be the first woman cabinet member in the history of the country. The list was not announced by Mr. Roosevelt, but is believed to be correct.

The complete cabinet slate, as it is expected by Democrats in Washington to be announced shortly by Mr. Roosevelt, follows:

State—Cordell Hull of Tennessee.

Treasury—William Woodin of Pennsylvania and New York.

War—George H. Dern of Utah. Justice—Thomas J. Walsh of Montana.

Postoffice—James A. Farley of New York.

Navy—Claude A. Swanson of Virginia.

Interior—Harold Ickes of Illinois.

Agriculture—Henry A. Wallace of Iowa.

Commerce—Daniel C. Roper of South Carolina.

Labor—Miss Frances Perkins of New York.

Of the 10, all but one or two have been regarded as foregone conclusions for several days.

Selection of Hull and Woodin was formally announced yesterday by the president-elect in New York.

BRIDAL PARTY IS NAMED FOR WEDDING THURSDAY

Among interesting society events to take place this week is the marriage of Joe Weatherby son of Mrs. J. N. Weatherby, to Miss Maxine Fletcher of Temple which is to be solemnized Thursday evening. Members of the bridal party have been chosen and were announced last Sunday in Temple, according to a story in the Temple Telegram.

"Miss Maxine Fletcher, whose marriage to Joe Weatherby of Brownwood will be an interesting event of the week, has announced her bridal party as follows:

"Miss Norma Weatherby of Brownwood will be maid of honor; Misses Elizabeth Downs, Adele Burr, Lillian McCelvey and Elizabeth Eastland of Kerrville, bridesmaids, and Frances Lee McDonald, flower girl.

"Dick Thompson of Dallas will be best man, Ernest Fletcher, Preston McCall, Dan Herndon, Jr., and Frank Thomas III, will be junior groomsmen.

"Mrs. G. E. McCelvey, Jr., will sing the bridal songs, and Mrs. John Berry of Goldthwaite will play the piano selections.

"The ceremony will be performed at 8 p. m. Thursday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Fletcher, 1314 North Ninth street, with Rev. C. R. Shirar, pastor of the First Baptist church, reading the service."—Brownwood Bulletin.

A number of the groom's Goldthwaite relatives and friends went over to Temple Wednesday to be present at the nuptials.

M. Y. P. D. PROGRAM

Subject: Does the Right Change? Leader—Marzelle Boland. Song: I Would Be True. Does God Change?—Leader. Jesus' Conception of the Right—Lillian Sammy. Song: Mrs. Bigham's class. More Changes Yet to Come—Ruth Florence Mullin. PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Highway Engineer O. W. Hunn announced yesterday that he had received notice of the state highway department's approval of the new routes surveyed for highway 7 from the mountain east of Goldthwaite to the Brown county line and for highway 81 from Goldthwaite to the Colorado river. He has turned over to the Mills county commissioners' court all of the deeds that are required for the new roads. It is believed that work can start almost immediately after the deeds are completed and turned over to the state.

Still more progress has been made during the past week towards securing paved highways for Mills county. On Friday the Commissioners' Court voted to secure the right of way for state highway number 7 from the mountain east of Goldthwaite to the Brown county line northwest of Mullin with the exception of the part in the city limits of Mullin which will be acted upon later.

As soon as the deeds are ready, the jury of view which was appointed for highways 81 and 74A will hear the claims of the landowners on highway 7 between Goldthwaite and Mullin.

Objections Withdrawn

Last week objections to the present route of highway 81 from San Saba into the city of Goldthwaite caused considerable apprehension. Practically all objections have since been withdrawn, and the present survey will be used. W. P. McCullough, president of the Lion's Club, states that the club has not offered any objections to any of the surveys, and that he believes the members are practically unanimous in favoring construction as soon as possible. Tom Toland, president of the Mills County Fair Association, says that while the proposed route of highway 81 will cut thru the fair grounds and necessitate moving the stables, he believes the advantages will outweigh the disadvantages.

Old Route for 74A

A preliminary survey for highway 74A from Goldthwaite to the Lampasas county line has been completed. It follows the present right of way to a considerable extent after leaving Goldthwaite on a southern extension of Fisher street on the west side of the Santa Fe railway tracks. As it is about two miles longer than the direct route previously recommended by the federal department of roads, it is not altogether certain that it will be approved. Its cost of construction would very probably be less, and the cost to the county for right of way and fences would be materially less than for a new route.

To Employ Local Men

If highway 81 gets under way, it is believed certain that it will be built in the same manner as the state highways now under construction in Lampasas and San Saba counties with a state highway engineer in charge employing only local workmen, including tractor and grader operators. Where private contractors build the highways, preference is given to local laborers, but skilled workers are usually regular employees of the contractor.

Low Cost of Fences

Moving present fences where the highway is simply widened and building new fences where necessary are part of the county's obligation. If present plans go through, this work can be (Continued on page 6)

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Louse Killers—Hudson Bros. Rev. and Mrs. S. O. Hammond made a visit to San Antonio this week.

Attorney F. P. Bowman looked after legal matters in Mullin Monday.

Sheriff C. D. Bledsoe made a business visit to Austin the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Hamilton spent last week end with relatives in Wichita Falls.

Poultry Remedies — Hudson Bros.

F. M. Karnes of Center City was an appreciated caller at the Eagle office last Saturday.

M. Y. Stokes, Jr., and family visited his parents and other relatives in Lampasas last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morris visited their sons and their families in Wichita Falls over the week end.

Be sure and read the advertisements in this issue. Some of them contain statements that will interest you.

Kreso Dip — Hudson Bros. Mrs. John M. Scott was a visitor from Mullin Monday afternoon and made the Eagle office a pleasant call.

Misses Georgia Frizzell and Lucille Conro visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Overstreet in San Antonio Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. M. C. Brooking of Star, one of the leading and most successful physicians of the county, was a pleasant caller at the Eagle office last week end.

Miss Norma Weatherby of Brownwood, a student at Baylor University, was a guest of Miss Maxine Fletcher for the week end.—Temple Telegram.

Lee's Worm Tablets—Hudson Bros. Druggists.

Misses Sybil Guthrie and Laura Nelson, two of the efficient and popular teachers in Mullin school, were visitors to this city last week end and favored the Eagle office with a call.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rowntree and daughters returned Sunday evening from an automobile trip to Dallas and Fort Worth. They also visited Mrs. Rowntree's mother at Forney and had a delightful trip.

Nema Sheep Capsules — Hudson Bros. J. B. Rudd and wife were here from Comanche visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rudd, over the week end. He is now traveling solicitor for the Comanche Chief.

S. C. Finley of Brownwood was a visitor to this city yesterday. Mr. Finley was engaged in the newspaper business in Comanche for a number of years and has the acquaintance of a great many people throughout this section because of his political activities.

J. G. Jones of Center City made the Eagle an appreciated call Saturday. His father, the late Mr. J. F. Jones, was a strong friend of the Eagle editor and it is a matter of pride with us that we are able to retain the friendship of the son of one whom we esteemed so highly. Mr. Jones is a leading citizen of his community and an upright citizen.

C-A Capsules for poultry — Hudson Bros. The Lucky Thirteen who sent in North Bennett school news this week proved unlucky for the Eagle, at least, for their letter had to go to the bean basket because of the absence of the name of the writer. It is sure we will not "slip up" on anybody with this rule, for we must have published it at least one hundred times and still people waste their time, stationery and stamps in sending unsigned letters to this office.

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ROCK SPRINGS

There were twelve at Sunday school Sunday morning. All the teachers were absent. We hope all can be back for next Sunday.

I failed to learn about the E. Y. P. U. program—only they had the program.

We wish to extend our very deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Roberts in the loss of their niece, Mrs. Lorane Gram, of Dallas, who passed away last Saturday morning and was buried in Goldthwaite Monday. She was a very brilliant girl. We also sympathize with her father and other relatives.

Some from here attended the funeral of Mr. Charley Karnes Sunday afternoon. We extend sympathy to Mrs. Karnes and children.

Dr. W. W. Fowler and wife, Mrs. C. C. Brannon and Mrs. Gram from Dallas, spent Sunday night in John W. Roberts' home.

Ernest Strickland, wife and daughters and granddaughters from Brady spent Saturday night and Sunday and Sunday night with John W. Roberts and wife.

Mrs. Dwight Nickols spent last Friday afternoon with Mrs. Homer Doggett in the Nickols home.

Lola and Eula Belle Dewbre, Minnie Hill and Ethel McClary made a pop call in the Nickols home Sunday afternoon.

Homer Doggett spent Sunday with his wife and baby.

Miss Oleta Daniel spent a few days in Fort Worth, but she did not stay a few months as I had it last week. I was misinformed.

Tonight Rock Springs is putting on a play entitled "Wild Ginger", at the Big Valley school house. Now, if you care to laugh or cry, be there at 7:30. Tell those who you think would like to see this play.

Clay Strickland, Mrs. Lillard Graves, Mrs. Bill Smith from Picoke and Ollie Strickland and family, Lee and Maud Secrest and Mrs. Daisy Blackshear from Hamilton ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John W. Roberts Monday. They were here to attend Mrs. Roberts' niece's funeral.

Fred McClary and James Nickols went to Mr. Jernigan's Sunday to get a gentle horse for James to Shirley to plow.

R. C. Webb sold a yearling to Jim Tullios Saturday.

Mrs. Harvey Dunkle spent Monday afternoon in the Roberts home.

Dial Rainey and family and Mrs. J. C. Stark called in the Davis and Nickols homes Thursday afternoon.

Arlie Davis and wife and Lola Richie and son from Brownwood spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Davis home.

Last Thursday night some of the community surprised the J. M. Traylor by sitting until bed time with them. It was Mr. Traylor's birthday. All had a nice time. Wick Webb and Con Sullivan furnished the music on the violin and guitar, which was enjoyed. It was hard for some to keep from patting their foot, so they just patted. Some patted both feet.

John Edlin and wife from Center Point and Joe Roberts and family from town, M. R. Circle and wife and Mmes. Dunkle and Nickols helped with the hog killing at John Roberts' last week.

Mmes. Davis, Orr and son, and Davis spent one evening last week in the McGowan and Davis homes at Rabbit Ridge.

John Earl and Janette Roberts from town visited their Grandma Nickols some last week. Jack Robertson is at home again, after a month's work in Brown county for Arlie Davis.

Hardy McClary from Rabbit Ridge, Glenn Nickols and Miss Eva Cook from town ate dinner Sunday in the Nickols home.

Mrs. Kate Sullivan and children and mother spent Sunday in San Saba county visiting.

Dwight Nickols and wife and Misses Carroll and Tyson visited in the Nickols home late Sunday afternoon.

J. R. Davis and wife dined with J. O. McClary and family Sunday.

Some of the boys and men are planning a baseball team. This bunch of boys and men believe in keeping up with sports.

Mrs. Homer Doggett and babe and Mrs. Eula Nickols visited in Duke Clements home in town on Tuesday.

Some of the children from Rabbit Ridge have been out of school this week on account of sickness.

BUSY BEE

EBONY

(Too late for last week)

According to the report of our general merchant and postmaster, P. R. Reid, the thermometer registered one degree above zero at Ebony Wednesday morning.

There was singing Sunday afternoon at the Baptist church.

There were 19 present for Bible school and church meeting at the Church of Christ Sunday morning. We would be glad to have everybody come.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crowder and children, Willie Dell and Martelle, visited Mrs. Crowder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vollie Meeks, at Ridge Sunday.

Noel Haynes of the Brownwood High school spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts and Miss Odene Russell spent Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dwyer.

In spite of the cold Wednesday Mrs. Charlie Roberts and her sister and nephew, Mrs. Rowlett, and Andy Rowlett, set out for San Antonio to see Mrs. Roberts' son who is in a hospital there. Wednesday night they spent at Llano in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Richard McMullin.

Thursday they went on to San Antonio and returned. Mrs. Roberts found her son not at all improved.

Opussum furs led the shipments, numbering 27,663 of the pieces. Other kinds handled included ringtail, over 23,000; fox, over 9,000; raccoon, over 8,000; skunk, over 5,000; civet cat, coyote, beaver, mink, badger, lynx, and wildcat. The beaver and badger furs were trapped west of the Pecos river, and the most of the lynx pelts were brought from Mexico.

There was a party at the home of Mrs. Irene Reeves Saturday night.

Grandmother Ivy who had to go to Brownwood last week to have a place on her face, thought to be a spider bite, lanced, is much better this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reeves made a trip to Brownwood Friday after school.

Alvin Mashburn, Miss Onetta Mashburn and Bennie Vizeu made a trip to San Angelo last week.

People of this community are glad that Mr. Weaver has been re-appointed as our county agent.

W. M. Clements, who has suffered such serious after effects of the flu, is able to sit up a little now.

J. R. Briley and daughters, Ruth and Grace, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dwyer Monday night.

Mrs. S. H. Reeves was very pleasantly surprised when her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins White, of Brownwood, arrived at her home at 12 o'clock Saturday, on their way to visit relatives in Oklahoma. They stayed until four o'clock in the afternoon and then resumed their journey. Mrs. Reeves went with them. They will visit at Ardmore and Frederick and will return here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. White brought some orange blossoms from Brownwood. Our principal, Mrs. W. H. Reeves, brought some to school and their rare beauty and fragrance have been enjoyed by both teachers and pupils.

MARY ELLA McCULLOUGH GIVES VALENTINE PARTY

The Valentine season lent the motif for the decorations for the party given Tuesday, Valentine Day, by Little Mary Ella McCullough, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh E. McCullough.

Upon arrival of the guests, they indulged in the heart ring toss contest. Ruby Lee Ellington winning first prize in this contest. She was presented with a Valentine. A contest was then held to see who was the most perfect in writing their name in the middle of a heart, blindfolded. Peggy Pirtle received a Valentine for winning in this contest. Many other games were enjoyed, after which they were invited into the dining room where the table was centered with a large red heart from which streamers of bright colors were extended to the place for each guest. Small chocolate hearts were used as favors.

Pineapple ice cream, heart cookies and a fruit drink were served. —Hico News-Review.

KERRVILLE FUR CO. HAS BIG YEAR

Kerrville has been established as the leading fur shipping center in the state by the export of 77,000 pelts during the trapping season which recently closed, says a Kerrville dispatch to the San Antonio Express. The Kerrville Fur Co., operating branch houses at Roop Springs, Sonora, Ozona, Del Rio, Fredericksburg, Uvalde, Hondo and Goldthwaite, concentrates its purchases in Kerrville for grading and shipping. The firm also has a branch in Mexico at Villa Frontera, Coahuila. Pelts are brought here by motor truck each week during the buying season, and after being graded are shipped by express to Eastern and Midwestern markets. The last of the purchases for the 1932-33 season were to be shipped from there Friday. An average of 8,000 furs per week have been handled since December 1, when the trapping season opened.

Sam Frizzell and C. C. Bledsoe of Goldthwaite, managers of the headquarters office, said that fur prices were down 20 per cent this season. Hence the firm paid out \$46,500 for furs this season as compared to \$55,000 last season when the number of pelts handled was nearly the same.

After showing a steady increase from 1921 to a record high in 1929, total tobacco consumption in the United States declined during the last three years to the lowest figure since 1922. Per capita consumption reached a new low for the post-war period.

Warning was sounded Sunday from the temporary Democratic headquarters at Miami, Fla., against campaigns by ambitious officeholders for high places in the new Roosevelt administration.

The cause for irritation was not revealed, but it was made emphatic by the party political chieftains who conferred Saturday with President-elect Roosevelt just before he sailed to sea, that the men to help run the next government would be selected on merit and past party service rather than in response to any pressure from inspired campaigns.

WOMEN SMALL FACTOR IN TOBACCO CONSUMPTION

Contrary to popular belief, women played only a small part in the steady rise in the consumption of tobacco during the eight-year period prior to the depression, according to an analysis made by the Alexander Hamilton Institute. The Institute says:

"The per capita consumption of tobacco in 1929 was 6.56 pounds as compared with 6.17 pounds in 1919, an increase of only 6.3 per cent. This is indicative of the small part which women played in the increase in tobacco consumption, especially since part of this increase was unquestionably due to a gain in the per capita consumption by men. If the women had become addicted to the tobacco habit to the same extent as the men, the per capita consumption of tobacco would have increased more than 100 per cent instead of 6.3 per cent."

"After showing a steady increase from 1921 to a record high in 1929, total tobacco consumption in the United States declined during the last three years to the lowest figure since 1922. Per capita consumption reached a new low for the post-war period."

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The Vegetable TONIC HERBINE
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WOMAN LOST 20 POUNDS IN 4 WEEKS

Mrs. Mae West of St. Louis, Mo., writes: "I'm only 28 yrs. old and weighed 170 lbs. until taking one box of your Kruschen Salts just 4 weeks ago. I now weigh 150 lbs. I also have more energy and further more I've never had a hungry moment."

Fat folks should take one half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water in the morning before breakfast — it's the SAFE, harmless way to reduce as tens of thousands of men and women know.

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Party Service Basis for Jobs

Warning was sounded Sunday from the temporary Democratic headquarters at Miami, Fla., against campaigns by ambitious officeholders for high places in the new Roosevelt administration.

The cause for irritation was not revealed, but it was made emphatic by the party political chieftains who conferred Saturday with President-elect Roosevelt just before he sailed to sea, that the men to help run the next government would be selected on merit and past party service rather than in response to any pressure from inspired campaigns.

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The Kangaroos

By Mary Hapgood

If you like to be surprised, just stand by the park fence at the zoo. If you are lucky you will see many things done by the kangaroos. You are sure to wonder why there is a strong, tall iron fence around so small an animal. They are about three feet tall and sit upright as neatly as if on a three legged stool. Kangaroos rest on two hind legs and a long fat stoop. From this broad base their bodies taper up in an odd way to a narrow, sloping shoulder and a deer-like head. Their full, bright eyes glance about and their rabbit ears stand erect, listening.

Sometimes the kangaroo drops on all-fours and eats like a rabbit, but it seems for him to hold a carrot in his front paws and eat like a rabbit is easy. The keeper knows what he is about when he scatters the food, putting some choice bits in the farthest corner of the pen. He does that so you can watch him jump. When a kangaroo wants to go across the pen he does not waste any time in walking. He just stretches upon his hind legs and leaps. He has the strongest hind legs of any animal in the world. His hind feet are so long it looks as if he was sitting on his hind elbows. At the end of the foot is the long sharp dagger-like claw on one side of this big toe is a smaller one.

The most surprising thing about its mother is the way she carries her babies. They are carried in a curious pouch on the under side of the mother's body. It is a deep, flat fur-lined pocket and the mother kangaroo can shut it as your mother can shut her purse. When kangaroo babies are born they are less than two inches long, blind, naked and helpless.

These queer-looking animals are found only in one place in the world, the big island continent of Australia. They live on grass, small plants and roots of small herbs.

Clubs

The seventh grade reading

BULLS CREEK

Most everyone has thawed out and able to work a little since the cold spell we had recently.

Some of the farmers are kept busy sowing over their grain and breaking land. The women folks are gardening and watching after turkeys.

Carlton and Lore Renfro visited Morris and Vesevus Sellers Sunday evening.

James and Garland McConal are spending this week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McConal.

Mr. Cline from town was in this community Saturday buying cows.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Arrowood and little daughter, Wilba Dean, also J. S. Elliott, all of Moline, spent Sunday with Frank Insall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Oneal spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nowell.

Elton Jarrett was visiting friends in Big Valley this week end.

Hugh Dennard has been real busy lately. He hauled three loads of feed from Frank Insall's place Monday.

Frank Insall went to town Monday and purchased a work horse.

EX-REPORTER.

THANKS FOR CO-OPERATION

I am indeed thankful to all those who have co-operated with me in putting the right-of-way required for the highway thru my precinct a mile elsewhere in the county. I have found the people liberal and ready to assist in meeting the requirements of the highway department and I hope the result will be that we get some hard-surfaced roads through our county. But whether we succeed in our efforts for the roads or not, I want all who have given assistance in the matter to know that I personally appreciate and thank them.

J. H. BURNETT.

club held its regular meeting February 17, with its president, Virginia Dennard, presiding. The program committee was Virginia Dennard and Paul Warlick. The program was as follows: Theme: My Prince of Charms—Dona Roberts
The Life of An Old Pioneer—Adell Bynum
Rip Van Winkle Dramatized by Ruth Hale.
My Trip On a Cannon Ball—Alberta Windham.
Poem—Lore Renfro.
What If?—June Knowles.
An Original Story—Floyd Morgan.

New officers were elected as follows: President, June Knowles; vice president, Dona Roberts; secretary, Lore Renfro; reporter, Adell Bynum.

The sixth grade Good English club met Friday and recited poems. Ogle Kirby won first place by reciting "It Could Not Be Done."

The Waterfall

Lore Renfro

If we could see in the distance The gay, life-like waterfall Bouncing off the very top Like a dancing Christmas ball. If I could live in the woods, Where? You could not guess. Not by the pines so tall Not in the weary west But by a waterfall. Whispering to me as I sleep, Down the river it goes, Off of the very top it shall leap The same as the north wind blows, That jolly waterfall. The sun each morning makes it gold;

But on it is falling so deep. It seems in its custom so bold And I don't think it ever does sleep

That gay, sweet waterfall! Down the river comes a ship of foam, Like a large white snowball. It makes us think we'd like to roam

On down across that waterfall. And I wish that I soon could live Not by the mountain walls, But where to me its sweet music rolls

From those great waterfalls.

Announcement

The outsiders of Rock Springs are presenting a play "Wild Ginger" in our school building Friday night, Feb. 24. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

RABBIT RIDGE

It looks like it is going to be warm enough for us to garden again this week.

Mrs. J. R. Davis and her son, Elbert, also her daughter, Mrs. Noah Orr, spent Wednesday afternoon in A. F. McGowan's home.

Marvin Spinks and family and Howard Duey and wife went to Big Valley to play Friday night.

Mrs. D. V. Westerman and Gwendolyn, also Joe Davis ate turkey dinner with A. F. McGowan Saturday.

Those who went to the Christian meeting at town Sunday were Abijah Stark and family, Dorman Westerman and family and Anton Whit and family.

Mrs. A. F. McGowan has been suffering with an abscessed tooth this week.

Ollie Brown from Center Point spent Wednesday afternoon with his sister, Mrs. D. V. Westerman.

Hugh Nelson and wife from town called on Howard Duey and wife Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lowe and Louie Ponder went to Mullin Sunday to a funeral, but I didn't learn whose.

James Nickols and Fred McClary played 42 at Marvin Spinks Sunday night.

Ben Davis went to Coleman one day last week.

Mrs. Howard Duey has been real sick with the flu this week but is better at this writing.

Mrs. D. V. Westerman and Mrs. M. L. Spinks spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Duey.

Hugh Nelson, the Dewbre boy, Shirley Nickols, Hardy McClary, J. T. Stark, and Howard Duey spent Sunday afternoon with M. L. Spinks.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Starks went to church Sunday.

Dorman Westerman and Marvin Spinks are very busy men. They went to town Monday and again that afternoon.

CROSS EYES.

NORTH BENNETT

We had three good sermons preached by Bro. Nicholson this week end and there were good attendances at each service. The sermon that was preached Sunday night was mostly to the young folks. The subject was "Let No Man Despise Thy Youth."

Raymond Booker was in Goldthwaite Saturday afternoon. Mr. Skyles went to May on business one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Geeslin and family were in Goldthwaite while Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ellis and children took dinner with Mrs. Bachelor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan McNeil and little daughter, Nada Ruth, were at the Sunday services.

There are several of our farmers sowing grain this week, as most of the oats were killed during the cold spell.

Mrs. Baird and her two daughters of Midway were at our Sunday night services. We were glad to have them and hope they will come again.

Judge E. B. Anderson of Goldthwaite gave a very interesting talk at the Sunday school hour. There have been several nice compliments on the good talk that he made.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner and children made a business trip to Goldthwaite Saturday afternoon.

Grace McCasland and Mr. Chatman of Center City attended our services at North Bennett.

Mr. House of Center community was in our section on business last Friday.

The Sunday school officers and teachers were elected Sunday night. The teachers are as follows: Bro. Kemper, teacher of adult class; Lee Stewart, teacher of the young people's class; Mrs. Jesse Geeslin, junior teacher, and Mrs. Ethel Ellis, primary teacher; Mrs. Lee Stewart, for the card class; Miss Lula Bachelor, treasurer; Ben Nix, superintendent of the Sunday school; and he cordially invites all that will, to come and listen to our teachers whether young or old. There is always something good to learn at Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson were at church Sunday night. We were glad they were there and hope they will come again.

Mr. Turner also Joe Haines were in Lake Merritt community while Sunday.

Everyone remember that first and third Sundays are preaching days at North Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haines and little son, J. W. were in Goldthwaite Saturday afternoon.

BLUEJAY.

RHODIUM FROM IRIDIUM
The separation of rhodium from iridium has long remained one of the most difficult of the analytical problems of the platinum group of metals. A study of this problem at the bureau of standards has resulted in development of a method by which these two metals can be quantitatively separated and determined.—The Pathfinder.

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With a war-beaten, debt-ridden nation at his back, Adolf Hitler elected to address the victors at Versailles, daringly, defiantly. Will he defy them from Germany's chancellery?

Before we discuss Hitler with this question in view, let's try to get a picture of him in our minds, writes Wm. P. Reed in the San Antonio Light.

He is about the size of former Mayor Walker of New York. The resemblance ends there. Slightly stockier than Walker, Hitler is natty in personal appearance only when in the coatless brown military uniform of his Nazis. Then he is something of a dashing figure. Otherwise, he wears severe, black "store-suits."

Hitler affects a dab of a black mustache. Hitler never takes a drink. He is a strict vegetarian.

He refrains from smoking himself and objects to anyone smoking in his presence. His young adjutants find all manner of excuses to leave a conference room to "sneak" a cigarette.

At a first meeting, Hitler appears anything save a ruthless dictator. Rather, he is shy, sometimes a bit confused. It is only when he gets to expounding his political theories that his somewhat throaty voice—hoarse from outdoor speaking—becomes interesting.

It is only when you see him "on parade" that you obtain some notion of the man's real charm, his power, his eloquence. Before the masses of his followers, his metamorphosis is magical, astonishing, compelling. There he appears Napoleonic to his fanatical followers; there, swayed by the mob or fascinated by the melody of his own voice, he says the things which have startled Europe, inflamed the youth of Germany.

Demagogue? Perhaps, yet by laborious stages he brought every political party to adopting his "no more reparations" slogan, and the settlement at Lausanne followed.

Evangelist? Of the Williams Jennings Bryan type—he had an idea and determined to peddle it.

Prophet? More likely. When all the old leaders were scattered,

There is a streak of devil-may-care in his make-up. He drives a beige, stream-lined touring car, plentifully adorned with nickel. He cannot escape the conviction that the Communists would like to "bump him off." Yet he exposes himself constantly to any overt attack. Although accompanied by one or two adjutants, he walks along pretty much as he pleases without giving the slightest impression of using his young aides as a bodyguard or shield.

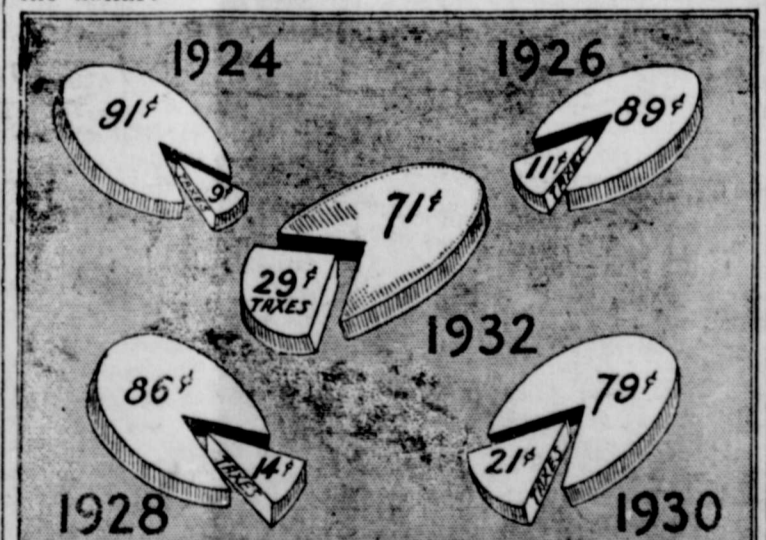
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Mark Alexander of Lampasas was a business visitor to this city the early part of the week.

Taxes Consume Nearly One-Third of Average Dollar Spent for Gasoline

Twenty-nine cents of every dollar the average motorist spent for gasoline in 1932 went to pay State and Federal taxes! These levies reduced approximately by one-third the gasoline purchasing power of the dollar. Money which the motorist could have bought a fourth gallon went to pay taxes on the first three. A car travelling 10, miles per gallon, went only 75 miles instead of 100 to the dollar!



Showing how gasoline taxes took 9c from every \$1 spent for gasoline in 1924, 11c in 1926, 14c in 1928, 21c in 1930 and 29c in 1932. At this rate, about 35c of the 1933 gasoline dollar will be tax!

Although tax reduction has been promised, government appears determined to make the motorist the "Forgotten Man." States are contemplating increases in gasoline tax rates this year. Congress appears to be inclined to continue, if not to increase, the 1c Federal gasoline tax supposed to expire July 1 next.

The gasoline tax first was imposed by Oregon on February 25, 1929, at 1c per gallon to finance roads. Cumulative federal, state, county, and community gasoline tax rates now range from 3c to 12c per gallon. Gasoline tax revenues for 1932 are estimated at \$600,000,000. At least \$100,000,000 was diverted from roads, and further diversions this year, combined with rate increases, further will load the tax burden upon the motorist unless he protests. Additional tax money paid by motorists was lost to tax evaders and gasoline bootleggers. Government finding it impossible to collect such taxes at high rates. This year the motorist will be asked to pay for a subterfuge for tax reduction, tax shifting—to the motorist!

STOP PATCHING!

The Graves Committee, which was appointed by the last legislature to study the question of government re-organization and economy, has spent a good part of the past two years in making such a study. And it sets forth in its report that it has found, among other things, that "the state government cannot be said to be organized according to any plan." The framers of the constitution, the report points out, "recognized only a few agencies of the executive and fiscal type in describing the administrative organization, and legislatures, in exercising the large freedom thus left to them, in determining how services subsequently needed should be rendered, had no plan to guide them. The result has been a growth without system, by chance, haphazard, reflecting the individual ideas of different people at different times." The present jumbled-up monstrosity of disorganized, uncoordinated, and highly expensive inefficiency is the fruit of this. Is it not about time that we stopped this patch-work method of dealing with the state governmental structure? Is it not about time for real reorganization? It is for crystallized public sentiment can bring action by the legislature.—Texas Weekly.

Of the 5,500,000 long tons of sugar used, about 3,655,000 tons are devoted to household use.

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PIONEER CITIZEN DEAD

Mr. C. T. Karnes passed away after a prolonged illness at his home in Goldthwaite February 19, at 7:30 a. m.

Mr. Karnes, having been born and reared in Corvell county, was 78 years of age. He was married to Miss Jane Oglesby July 4, 1878. To this union five children were born. One son has preceded him in death.

Mr. Karnes was one of the outstanding pioneers in the development of this country. In 1900, he with his family moved to Rye Valley, Mills county, where he continued to reside until three years ago, when his health broke and he moved to Goldthwaite.

Mr. Karnes has been one of our most progressive citizens, always working for the good of his community and family.

Those that survive him are his wife, three daughters—Mrs. Myrtle Forehand, Mrs. Wellie Saylor, Mrs. Jack Reid, of Goldthwaite; one son, Clevie Karnes of San Saba, seventeen grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

A FRIEND.

MRS. MABEL GRAM BURIED HERE MONDAY

The remains of Mrs. Mabel Fowler Gram, who died in Dallas last Saturday morning, were brought here and interred in the cemetery, after religious services conducted by Elder E. P. McNeill of Mullin, which were attended by a large assembly of the friends of the bereaved family.

Mrs. Gram, nee Mabel Fowler, was a daughter of Dr. W. W. Fowler of Dallas, who practiced his profession in this city some years ago. Her mother, who preceded her in death by several years, was reared here and prior to her marriage to Dr. Fowler was Miss Dacre Strickland, a daughter of the late Capt. M. J. Strickland and a sister of Mrs. John W. Roberts of Rock Springs. Mrs. Fowler was one of the originators of the plan to organize the Goldthwaite cemetery society and took a leading part in the work of that organization. Mrs. Gram, before her marriage, frequently visited her aunt and family at Rock Springs and formed many warm friendships among Mills county people and the announcement of her passing called forth many expressions of sorrow from those who knew her or her relatives.

One of the Dallas papers carried a picture of Mrs. Gram in its Saturday issue and the following announcement:

Mrs. Mabel F. Gram

Funeral services will be conducted at 10 a. m. Sunday at the Welland Funeral church, 2909 Live Oak, for Mrs. Mabel Frances Gram, 23, wife of L. I. Gram and only daughter of Dr. W. W. Fowler, who died Saturday at a local hospital. The body will be sent to Goldthwaite where she will be buried at 10 a. m. Monday.

Mrs. Gram was an honor graduate of Southern Methodist University, where she received the degree of bachelor of arts and master of arts. She majored in philosophy and psychology, and had almost a straight A record. She was a charter member of Gamma Phi Beta sorority and its first president and also was a member of Alpha Theta Phi, scholastic sorority; Alpha Zeta Phi, honorary language sorority; Zeta Phi Eta, honorary dramatic sorority; the Arden Club and the college branch of the Young Women's Christian Association. She was a graduate of North Dallas High School and attended Rusk and Fannin grade schools.

She was born at Hamilton and had lived in Dallas twenty-two years. Her home was at 4530 Munger. Besides her husband and father she is survived by her infant daughter, Gloria Ann.

ART AND CIVIC CLUB

Mrs. Jake Saylor entertained the members of the Art and Civic club and a number of guests at her home on last Thursday afternoon.

The program on "Education" was led by Mrs. Rowntree. Mrs. Harry Allen had a paper on the "value of Art in Education," and Mrs. Carl Keese, "Women As Educationalists."

Two very fitting poems were read by Mrs. Gartman and Mrs. Eacott.

Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, jr., assisted

THE MOUNTAINEER

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Primary Room

The other folks have their days to celebrate, but Valentine was a gala day for us. The three rooms met together for the box in Mr. Roberts' room. Everyone in here was somebody's Valentine.

The third grade is making a "Bird Book." They are writing the stories of the birds now and later will make a cover for the book.

We are getting lots of new books. The second grade has a new one and the third grade has new Health and Geography books. The first grade is reading in their fourth book this year.

Another improvement we are to get is for our blackboards. The boys are painting them for us this afternoon.

High School

We have decided that with every sweet there is a bitter, and with every rose a thorn. Mid-term examinations come but once a year, and that is once too often.

Anyway, these are over now, but we still feel their effects.

We are glad to have Travis McCarty back in school this week and to report his fast recovery from the injury received last week.

Misses Mary Lou and Oneita Kerby were visitors in this room last week. We are always glad to have our old friends and pupils with us. Mary Lou and Oneita were very active leaders in our community and we miss them very much. They are now living in San Saba county in the Flat Rock community.

Mr. Jesse Roberts substituted for our teacher during his illness last week. We certainly enjoyed his classes, but we are glad to have our teacher back in these soul-trying times.

We are sorry to report the absence of Eva and Elmer Koen the first of the week.

Bobcats

The Bobcats began training for track this week. Although we did not win the basketball tournament, we have a chance to do something in track. Some of our athletes are having to drop out of school to begin their crops for the following year. We are sorry to lose any member from school, as any Cat will really be missed.

Kittens

The Kittens met with their coach and Mr. Roberts last week to discuss the possibilities of our team. Mr. Roberts pledged his support to the team at any time we needed his assistance. We are jealous and proud of the record the Bobcats made and we intend at least to equal their success and if possible beat them.

The Kittens played Washboard last Friday and defeated them by a score of 29 to 15, on our court. We intend to repay the game as soon as possible.

Junior Baseball

Say! You ought to see our junior boys play baseball. They have a new ball and bat, and they are making use of it in this good weather. This team would like to show another team how to play ball. We showed our ability as players last year at the track meeting, but just watch our smoke this time.

Intermediates

Well, we come to the end of another review and test week. We have been reviewing and taking tests most of this week. Our teacher says he is sure we will all show improvement in our grades this month.

We have been practicing on our declamations this week. We have some real good declaimers in these grades.

We have the blackboards in our room treated to a new coat of paint. The boards are now black in reality, as well as name.

The teacher and pupils of this room extend a special invitation to the parents to visit us. We would be glad if you would visit us any time.

It is said of Washington and his men at Valley Forge that they spent a winter there that "fried men's souls." But what about the fellow who starts

by Mrs. Rowntree, showed some very interesting slides of George Washington. The hostess served a salad course with coffee.

REPORTER.

across the room at night to light a lamp and steps on a toy train? Surely his soul is sorely tried.

We are enjoying a new playground ball and bat this week. We are trying to learn all the ball rules, too.

Wisecrack

Eva: A penny for your thoughts, dear?
Alvin: I was thinking I had better go home.

Mr. Koen (calling from above): It's a bargain. Give him a dollar.
Cents, Sense, Scents, Nonsense
Mr. Poer: Mr. Roberts, if I were to put a nickel here on the floor and a dime beside it, and you were to put a foot on each and stand on them, why would that be like a Woolworth store?

Mr. Roberts: I am sure I do not know, Mr. Poer. Can you tell me?

Mr. Poer: Yes. It would be nothing over five and ten.

And we must tell you of the Scotchman who cut down his honeysuckle vines to keep the scents (cents) from going to waste.

Mr. Roberts: Say, Mr. Poer, as I was walking across a bridge the other day, I dropped a nickel and a dime. The nickel rolled off into the water and the dime did not. Now can you tell me why the nickel rolled in, and the dime did not?

Mr. Poer: Yes, the dime had more cents (sense).

And what is the difference between a thin dime and a Lincoln penny? Just nine cents. And probably by now you see there is no sense to my writing. But you should have stopped me if you had heard these before. But I must write something to keep "The Mountaineer" in operation. So this will end my "Cents, Sense, Scents and Nonsense Sketch" this time.

Next week this column will tell you about Diogenes finding an honest man. Full details in next issue.

Community News

The farmers of this community are very busy, as the cold spell killed their grain, and are completing their sowing this week. We are all very hopeful for our future grain crop.

The Mount Olive second and fourth Sunday singing class will meet Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. We wish to advise punctuality for all who attend, as we will prepare our quartettes for the Mills county singing convention next Sunday week.

We will have two school quartettes, and one or two outside quartettes. Johnny Deckert of Priddy has threatened to attend our singing next Sunday afternoon and bring his Stamps and Baxter "Harbor Bells No. 2" song books. We heartily invite singers from every community. Our former singing teacher, Prof. Doss Richardson of Indian Gap, will be present, and here is our pre-arranged program:

President—Chas. F. Roberts.
Leader 1—Lee Stewart.
Leader 2—Raymond Lawson.
Leader 3—Travis McCarty.
Leader 4—Doss Richardson.
Leader 5—Jesse Roberts.
Leader 6—Mrs. Annie Robert's.
Leader 7—Miss Mildred Wilcox.
Invocation—Bro. R. P. Lawson.

Misses Oneita and Mary Lou Kerby have been visiting relatives the past week.

Ira Kerby and family spent Sunday afternoon in the Bob Harris home.

Vernon Griffin's barn burned Monday afternoon, destroying his harness and quite a bit of feed.

The young folks enjoyed a dance at Orville Harris' home Saturday night.

Quite a few of the mountain folks enjoyed the Valentine party at Mr. Beard's home Friday night.

Roy Qualls, Elton Koen, Jesse Roberts, Raymond Lawson and Miss Alma McArthur attended the singing at Lake Merritt Sunday afternoon.

Lindley Palmer was very ill Sunday night, but is improving at this writing.

Mrs. Jasper Brown was taken to a Brownwood hospital Saturday and we wish for her a speedy recovery.

Charles Roberts and his mother visited her son, George, who is attending the Mullin high school, last Sunday.

CENTER CITY

After an absence I will send a few items to let you know Center City is a live community.

School is progressing nicely. The boys did their best in the ball games, but always they were handicapped in one way or another. Congratulations to Star and Big Valley. Here is hoping they win in the District also. Our boys and girls are rejoicing that they won both games with the Goldthwaite boys and girls last Friday.

Miss Luckie, our primary teacher, visited homefolks at Indian Gap last week end.

The play "Squaring With the Boss", was presented at the school house Friday night. It was certainly good. Each player did well and they, with Miss Keese deserve much credit for their interest and we thank them for the good entertainment. Prof. Richardson, with a number of his pupils, furnished several musical numbers. The orchestra work is progressing nicely. They are practicing together now and we expect real entertainment in the near future.

Prof. Kirby visited in Lometa last week end.

We were pleased to have Bro Brown and his wife of Mullin in our midst from Friday until Sunday night. They visited in a number of homes and became more acquainted with the members of his church. They attended the play Friday night. Sunday he preached at the Methodist church. While here he received a message from Mullin saying Miss Shelton had passed away and was asked to go there for the funeral at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved. Sunday night he preached an interesting sermon. The Glee Club girls sang at this service, which was much appreciated.

Sunday was regular singing afternoon and we had a full house and lots of singing. There were a number of visitors and we wish to thank them for their presence and ask them to come again.

Messrs. Swinney, Kirby, McLean, Misses Lutz and Smith, Prof. Jimmie Heat and two daughters of Lometa attended singing and added much to the program. They are real singers, and we enjoyed listening to them. Mrs. Joe Anderson and Miss Lula Bachelor of North Bennett also helped in singing and we hope these will come again and be with us.

Grandma Nickols and Mrs. Chappell are on the sick list with severe colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairman and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Fletcher attended singing Sunday afternoon.

Prof. Neighbors was sick Wednesday and Mrs. Neighbors taught in the school in his stead.

Miss Gladys Evans has been sick again. We always regret to hear of Gladys' illness. Seems she has had her share here of late, and we hope she will be feeling better soon.

Miss Pearl Casbeer made a short visit with her mother Sunday.

A large number enjoyed the party at Mr. and Mrs. Ira Alldredge's Saturday night. It was given in honor of Johnnie Mason's birthday, and many reports are that everybody had the best time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wild and Ralph visited here Sunday.

We are glad to see prosperity come our way any time. Our mail carrier, Mr. Stephens, now drives a new Chevrolet—so we are all proud.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stuart and children of Caradan helped in the singing Sunday.

Mrs. Juanita Reeves and little daughter, Lucy Lee, visited Mrs. Venable Sunday.

Thos. Atchison and family left Saturday for Pldcote to help Lawton McBeth in his work. Mrs. Atchison is helping to care

SOUTH BENNETT

There was a large crowd at Sunday school Sunday morning and also a good crowd at Singing Sunday afternoon.

Miss Evelyn Covington spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Featherston.

Jim Elder made a trip to Star and Mrs. Elder and baby visited her mother, Mrs. Dick Griffin, and family.

Those that visited Mrs. M. L. Casbeer and baby daughter during the past were Mmes. J. M. Stacy, Walter Simpson, Jesse Moore, Dixie Webb, Willis Hill, S. J. Kuykendall, Anna Jones, Claud Smith, Jim Elder, Sparks Bigham, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Morris, Clyde Featherston and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hammond Bodkin, Ben Casbeer, Misses Evelyn Covington and Pauline Piper, J. M. Casbeer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blackburn and baby, Little Sybil received many nice gifts.

Mrs. Bina Oquin returned home Friday afternoon, after staying with her daughter and new granddaughter, last week. Mrs. Moore accompanied her as far as Dublin for a week's visit with her mother.

Mrs. Sparks Bigham and Mary Margaret and Constance Trent were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Smith.

Miss Charline Warren spent one night last week with Mrs. M. C. Morris.

Bill Allard is visiting again in the Clyde Featherston home.

Mrs. Walter Summy visited her cousin, Mrs. M. L. Casbeer, last week.

Herman Warren has moved off the Featherston place to Live Oak and M. C. Morris and wife have moved into the Featherston house.

Otto Simpson and family were visitors in the Walter Simpson home Sunday.

Floyd Benningfield and wife, Evelyn Covington, Frank Benningfield and Charline Warren visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Featherston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Casbeer went to town Wednesday for a visit with J. T. Morris and wife. Mrs. Casbeer was also under the care of the doctor.

Dixie Webb and family visited Sunday with Albert Hawkins and family at Lake Merritt. They also visited in the Northcutt home in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hill and baby visited Doc Laughlin and family Saturday night.

Miss Evelyn Covington spent the first of the week with Mrs. M. L. Casbeer.

Jim Elder and wife had visitors Monday morning.

Mrs. Clyde Featherston visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. Stacy, Saturday.

CARD OF THANKS

We want all who helped us at the time of the destruction of our home by fire to know we thank them. People were so good to us and so liberal with their help that we can scarcely find words to express our appreciation. Not only did our near neighbors and personal friends help, but the people of Goldthwaite and other communities were liberal with their assistance and we sincerely thank them all.

Mr. and Mrs. GEO. BYRD, Center City, Texas.

Attorney James Marberry visited in Austin and San Antonio this week.

Mrs. H. G. Forehand returned Monday from Dallas, where she was called on account of the death of her son on Feb. 5. She and other members of her family have the sympathy of all their friends in their bereavement.

for her sister, Mrs. McBeth, who is not gaining strength as it seems she should.

Mr. and Mrs. Bird are now living in their new home. Their home was destroyed by fire a short time ago.

BOZAR

Since the freeze the farmers are busy sowing grain again.

The young people enjoyed the party at Mr. and Mrs. Will Harmon's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stark visited awhile Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Garner and family spent Sunday with J. D. Calaway and family.

Mrs. J. W. Randalls has been on the sick list.

Mrs. C. H. Tefferteller spent Wednesday with Mrs. Cora Tullos.

Miss Mable Lillian Graves and Amber Florence visited in Goldthwaite Sunday.

Earl Tullos spent Sunday evening with his grandfather, Mr. S. J. Tullos.

Little Miss Wanda Dean and Johnnie Herbert Garner and Jackie Walker spent Monday with Inez Calaway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sanderson spent the first of the week in Moline.

Mrs. Roy Walker and Jackie spent Sunday in Goldthwaite with Mrs. Vida Laird.

Lorraine Calaway and Lee Ruth Graves attended singing at Lake Merritt Sunday.

BIG VALLEY

Sunday was our regular preaching day. We had three good services, some additions to the church.

Jim Hays and wife visited at his father's Sunday.

I hear a noise like a "Little Theatre." Maybe we will have a good play soon.

"Uncle Billie" Oglesby is real sick at his son's, Alvin's home.

There was a hog killing at Walter Nelson's Monday.

Elsie Morgan spent Sunday in Comanche.

Dr. C. L. Smith, associate physiologist of the United States Division of Horticulture, was a visitor at the Cockrell pean orchard last week.

Fruit looks more promising than a few days back. If no further freeze comes we may have a fairly good crop in places.

J. J. Cockrell told his family when his birthday came. Ask him if they took the hint. These hard times.

We wonder why those folks at Bulls Creek don't come to Sunday school.

The play at Big Valley school house Friday night was well attended and enjoyed.

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No. 1 tall Peaches or Apricots 10c

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Qt. jar Apple Butter 19c

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Mullin News

News Notes Clipped From the Mullin Enterprise

CENTER POINT

About the usual number attended Sunday school Sunday morning. We also had League Sunday night. Quite a large crowd was out. This was the first program to be rendered for several weeks, but we expect to continue our League work now. You are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davis of Brady spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis.

Miss Ola Belle Williams spent Saturday night with Faye French Bro. and Mrs. W. T. Sparkman and little daughters, Reta Mae and Martha Eunice, spent Sunday at Big Valley, where he filled his regular appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Harmon and children visited in the Joe Spinks' home Thursday.

Miss Julia Dee Fallon visited Mrs. Luther Soules Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Woods and daughters, Evelyn and Charline, spent Saturday with Joe Ford and family.

Mrs. R. J. Hallford had her children from Bangs with her Saturday night and Sunday.

Misses Faye French, Lillie Conner, and Ola Belle Williams called on Mrs. Will Barnes Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edlin visited in the Ira Hutchings home Sunday.

Messrs. Ed and Bert Davis were business visitors in Brownwood, Cisco and other points last week securing parts for Mr. Davis' car that burst during the recent freeze.

Mrs. Miriam Brady and son, Junior, called on Mrs. Omer Hill Tuesday afternoon.

Iylene Sheffield, Lois Williams and Johnnie Taylor dined with Vera Conner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fallon and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Soules.

Bro. Renfro helped Walter Conner terrace last week.

Faye French and Ola Belle Williams called on the Hallfords awhile Saturday night.

Mrs. Kate Shelton visited Mesdames Ed Davis and George Sheffield Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Aubrey French and little daughter, Wynne Lee, were Saturday visitors in the home of Mrs. Florence Conner.

Several from here attended singing at Lake Merritt Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ida Smith is visiting relatives at Bangs this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey French visited in the Willard Mosier home Sunday afternoon.

There was a party at Will Harmon's Saturday night.

Charley Stark and family visited at Mullin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bryant of Rock Springs visited in the E. T. Davis home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Emil Steinmann has been on the sick list for a few days.

Misses Georgia and Geneva Sparkman dined with Rosa and Evie Spinks Sunday.

Miss Lillie Conner visited Faye and Ruby French Sunday.

Some from here attended the funerals at Mullin and Goldthwaite Sunday afternoon.

The Center Point outside boys met the outside boys of Rock Springs last Tuesday night at the gymnasium at Goldthwaite for a game of basketball. They

CHAPPELL HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Forbes visited in the Fickle home last Friday.

Will Fickle, Bernice, Cecil and Dorothy Nell, all sat with Mr. and Mrs. Liss Walker Saturday night.

All of the following visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Sunday: Paul Weiderbusch and family, John Wuistanger and Elvin Caraway.

Liss Walker, wife and children, Kathleen and M. C. Hazel and Marvin Eakin, Mrs. Jim Evans and Orville visited in the Crook home Sunday.

Jim Hopper, his wife and children, Oma Hill and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Crawford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fickle and family, D. Greathouse, Arnold Walker, Orville Evans and Clayton Crook, all attended singing at Lake Merritt Sunday.

Virgil Geeslin, Pete Ryan, D. Greathouse and Renard Vanzant visited Arnold Walker Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Karnes and children, Charline and Vada Allibe, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eakin Saturday evening.

Liss Walker and family spent a few hours in the Fickle home Thursday night.

J. W. and Benton Aldredge transacted business in Goldthwaite Saturday evening.

Jim Hopper and family made a flying visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norris Crook Sunday evening.

We are glad to report that little Charles Norris Crook, who has been very sick, is improving.

Mrs. J. W. Aldredge is quite sick at this writing.

Virgil Geeslin spent Saturday night with Arnold Walker.

Pete Ryan spent Saturday night with D. Greathouse in the Fickle home.

Well, as the county has quit paying the bounty on cat scalps, it looks like us mountain folks will have to do something to protect the sheep and goats.

The cold spell did not hurt the wheat very much, but killed some of the barley and most if not all of the oats.

played two games, but I failed to learn the exact score, but our boys were not defeated.

Lester and Joe Adams visited awhile Saturday afternoon in the Marion Williams home.

Miss Alva Spinks visited Wilma and Iylene Sheffield Saturday.

There will be church Saturday morning and night and also Sunday morning and night.

Jim Nicholson of Goldthwaite will preach Sunday at both services, while Bro. Renfro will fill the pulpit Saturday. Everyone come, as we are sure of four good sermons.

Remember that Sunday afternoon will be singing at Rock Springs. Let's all go and help make them a large crowd and some good singing.

This writer is certainly glad to receive the information that our good editor is on the road to recovery. May he soon be well and once more back at his faithful and never-failing job.

BO-PEEP.

MISS VADA E. SHELTON

Miss Vada Elizabeth Shelton, age 26, died Saturday evening in a Brownwood hospital, where she had spent months the past year trying to regain her health. She contracted influenza the first of the year and it was evident to her friends and loved ones that her days were numbered.

Miss Shelton was young and joyous and loved life, yet she said she was prepared and ready to answer the Master's call. "Come home where there are no frail bodies or pain and sorrow." She was blessed with a most cheerful and joyous nature and had a merry word and a jolly laugh for her wide circle of loved ones and friends. She leaves her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Shelton, and the following brothers and sisters—Arthur, John, Dew, Homer and Miss Minnie Shelton and Mrs. Emma Hancock and a grandmother, Mrs. Coffey, besides a large number of other relatives and a wide circle of friends.

The funeral services were held at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Rev. T. D. Brown and Rev. Bradley Allison officiating, and Mrs. W. S. Kemp was leader of the song service.

The large crowd of friends attending the last sad rites was so great that the aisles of the church were filled.

Interment was at Oak View Cemetery. The pallbearers were Bradley Guthrie, Burgess Fisher, John Williams, Hoyt Williams, Grady Hancock, Hilton Burleson, John Holland, Tyson Summy.

SWINNEY—BURKETT

Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock Mr. Raymond Swinney and Miss Chloilde Burkett were united in wedlock, Rev. L. J. Vann officiating.

Mr. Swinney is unknown here, having been reared in the southwestern part of the state, from which point he comes well recommended.

Mrs. Swinney is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Burkett and a former student of Mullin High school, where she made a host of friends.

The Enterprise extends to this happy couple good wishes for a successful journey down life's

BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED

Miss Sybil Guthrie entertained the Cinderella Bridge club on the afternoon of February 21 with a Martha Washington social. The house was effectively decorated and the tallies and plate favors carried out the spirit of the occasion.

Miss Ola Mae Dellis won high score, and was presented with a lovely plaque.

Mrs. Happy Shelton of Fort Worth was guest of the club at this time.

Plates consisting of chicken salad, cheese biscuit, stuffed celery, apple tarts and tea were passed to Miss Laura Nelson, Mrs. Happy Shelton, Mrs. R. W. Hull, Mrs. Barney McCurry, Miss Ola Mae Dellis, Miss Reba Tillman, Miss Holly Guthrie and Miss Sybil Guthrie.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Mrs. W. C. Preston honored her daughter, Wilma, with a birthday social at her home Saturday afternoon.

The merry group of schoolmates came with love tokens and best wishes in their hearts for the honoree. It was a beautiful evening and they had a fine time playing on the pretty lawn.

They were served delicious doughnuts and cream chocolate. There were 25 little folks present to enjoy this memorable occasion.

MULLIN BOY HONORED

Henry Ford Summy, one of the basketball players of Mullin high school, won the distinction of being voted by the coaches of all the games of the season, as being the best all-around player of Mills county.

We are all proud of you, Henry Ford, and wish you success in the coming year.

Willard Mosier and M. R. Wylie were visitors in Goldthwaite Tuesday.

Little Edna Stebbins is in Goldthwaite sick and receiving treatment from a doctor.

Tom Graves, John Calloway and Ben Shields of Lake Merritt were in Mullin Monday in attendance at court.

A group of young people enjoyed a recent party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Eaton in the Duren community.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wasserman and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Crockett were guests of W. L. Wigley and family Sunday.

E. L. Young and wife and F. A. Cobb of Chesser Valley were in town Wednesday and paid the Enterprise editor a call while here.

A. L. Carroll returned from Navarro county Tuesday, where he had been called on account of illness and the death of his mother.

Mrs. W. S. Kemp is convalescing from a severe throat trouble that has caused her to make several trips to Brownwood for treatment.

Mrs. D. A. Hamilton, Mrs. Pat Henry and children and Mrs. Chas. Hodges were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Young in the Duren community.

Mrs. L. J. Smith and Buster Kittle went to Cleburne Tuesday and met Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. W. H. Nanny, who will spend a few days visiting here.

Mrs. W. C. Hancock and Miss Leta Hancock accompanied Mrs. Eva Hancock to a Temple sanitarium the first of the week and Miss Eva is going through the clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Little and Mr. and Mrs. Alcorn of Comanche came down Wednesday to look after their interests on the Little farms here and visit with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Burkett and son, James, accompanied Mrs. J. L. Burkett and Miss Birdie Burkett to Locker, where the latter two will spend a week or more visiting in the home of Supt. and Mrs. Lee Burkett.

Mrs. E. P. McNeill is visiting in Goldthwaite this week.

Elmer Davee of Lampasas was a recent guest of Moody Perkins.

Mrs. Mary Absher and son, Tom, are on the sick list this week.

Carroll Henry has returned from an extended visit at Lamasa.

Wilbur and Carroll Henry spent the week end at Fort Worth.

Mrs. Addie Pyburn visited Mrs. Katie Pyburn and daughter here Sunday.

Boland Tyson attended the funeral of an old friend at Goldthwaite Monday.

E. A. Kemp, K. F. Kemp and Joe Ratliff made a business trip to Laredo Tuesday.

W. P. Weaver, county agent, was in Mullin Tuesday meeting some of our farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts of Ebony spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Roberts.

Jess Crockett of Lampasas was a recent guest in the home of his brother, J. N. Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cryer of Goldthwaite spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ila Mosier.

Mrs. E. J. King is among the number in our city, whom we have to report on the list of ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gardner were Mullin visitors Monday from Lake Merritt community.

Mmes. Ellis Smith, W. L. Smith, and M. R. Wylie carried dental troubles to Brownwood Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Henry of Guyedoin, La., are visiting Mr. Henry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilely Henry.

Mary Nell Ratliff is ill with an attack of pneumonia. She is the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ratliff and her grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Ratliff, is helping nurse her back to health.

The following were among the out-of-town visitors who attended the funeral of Miss Vada Shelton here Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clark and Kyle Nesmith and family of Brownwood, Brooks Coffey and family and Word Coleman and family, Mrs. Matt McCutcheon and I. L. McCown and family of Zephyr.

EBONY

S. L. Singleton received a message Thursday that his brother, Henry Singleton, was very sick at San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. Singleton, together with Grandfather Singleton, Dick Singleton and Mrs. C. H. Griffin left immediately to be at his bedside. They returned home Sunday, leaving the brother much improved.

There was a good crowd at singing at the Baptist church Sunday night.

Miss Merle Haynes, who teaches at Bowser, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth made a trip into San Saba county Saturday. They visited at Bowser, Richland Springs, Algerita and other places.

Mrs. Walter Minica was called to Big Spring Saturday on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Hinesly.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts visited the Swan Roberts family near Mullin Sunday.

Miss Ilene Martin of San Angelo spent most of the week visiting Miss Erma Egger.

Indian Creek school came over to play ball with our school Friday. A game each of basketball

and indoor ball was played. The scores stood 6 to 16 for basketball and 9 to 11 for basketball, both in favor of Indian Creek.

Herman Boyd and Jack Atkinson and Misses Zeldia Kelso and Beatrice Curas of ridge attended singing here Sunday night.

Mrs. Hawkins White, sister of Mrs. Stanley Reeves, and her husband from Brownsville stopped over for a few hours visit with Mrs. Reeves last week on their way to visit relatives in Oklahoma. Mrs. Reeves accompanied them on the rest of their journey. They returned here Sunday evening, leaving for home about 9 o'clock that night. Mrs. Loyt Roberts and little son, Charles Stanley, accompanied them home for an extended visit.

Mrs. Myrtle Lee Walker, adopted daughter of W. M. Clements, who had been visiting for several days at the Clements home returned to her home at Houston Thursday morning.

Alvin Mashburn and his friend Bennie Vizee, who have been visiting Alvin's mother, Mrs. W. M. Clements, returned to Port Arthur Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clements and daughters, Ruth and Etta, spent Sunday with the Allen Lovelace family.

GEESLIN'S Friday and Saturday SPECIALS

- 9 bars Crystal White Soap 25c
- Baking Soda, 1-lb pkg. 7c
- Peanut Butter, qt. jar 21c
- Tomato Catsup, bottle 11c
- 3 lbs. Crackers 28c
- No. 1 tall Apricots 10c
- 2 No. 2 cans crushed or sliced Pineapple 25c

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SPECIALS

for Friday and Saturday

- 14-oz. bottle Catsup 11c
- 1 quart Sour Pickles 16c
- 1-lb can Hershey's Cocoa 19c
- 48-lb sack Crest Flour 67c
- 2-lb pkg. Raisins 16c
- 1 quart Mustard 14c
- 1 quart Apple Butter 18c
- 1 large box Gold Medal Oats 16c

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ROOSEVELT ON THE FIRING LINE

Once more the nation has been shocked profoundly by an attempt on the life of a man high in public station.

It is tragic that our chief executives should be forced to live under the shadow of threatened assassination.

It is manifestly impossible, as it would be unfair, to sweep every man of foreign birth out of America.

We are thankful that Franklin Roosevelt escaped. We are proud that he has proved his courage under fire.

SHAMEFUL

"Hell an' Maria" Dawes has lived up to his reputation for frankness in his testimony last week before a Senate investigating committee.

General Dawes has been honored by his country in both war and peace. He has served as Vice President and as Ambassador to the court of St. James.

Now General Dawes has admitted that his bank with a capital and surplus of \$24,000,000 loaned the Insull interests \$11,000,000.

But Mr. Dawes does not admit that he broke the law. Instead he said his bank had "violated the principle of the law."

Next week a change in administration takes place. If Franklin D. Roosevelt can bring back common honesty in Washington,

GEORGE WASHINGTON, FARMER

"Agriculture has ever been amongst the most favorite amusements of my life, though I never possessed much skill in the art.

Two years later he wrote: "The more I am acquainted with agricultural affairs, the better I am pleased with them; inasmuch that I can no where find so great satisfaction in those innocent and useful pursuits.

Washington established at Mount Vernon the first agricultural experiment station in America. On its 8,000 fertile acres divided into five farms and woodlands, he abandoned the almost universal custom of one-crop planting.

In his Diaries are to be found painstaking accounts of his many experiments such as tests of plowing and ditching, varieties of seeds, fertilizers, tests of grafting, of tools and of labor.

In comparing white and black labor, he decided that slave labor was more economical despite the high cost of slaves.

It is well to keep in mind that these utterances are not from a man whose whole time was spent in agriculture.

THE FATHER OF HIS COUNTRY



Washington's Four Points for Peace and Prosperity

There are four things which, I humbly conceive, are essential to the well-being, I may even venture to say, to the existence of the United States, as an independent power.

FIRST. An indissoluble union of States under one federal head. SECONDLY. A sacred regard to public justice.

THIRDLY. The adoption of a proper peace establishment; and FOURTHLY. The prevalence of that pacific and friendly disposition among the people of the United States.

THE REALM OF SCIENCE

Mysterious lights in the sky seen during or just before an earthquake have been traced for our additional earthquakes by a Japanese expert, K. Musya.

Seven states, a part of a foreign country and the world's largest gulf are required to bound Texas. This commonwealth of the Lone Star has 254 counties with a total of 265,896 square miles.

French farmers are using sulphuric acid on a large scale to destroy weeds and prevent smut in wheat fields.

HEALTH HINT

Making the bones grow longer in children's legs which are too short because of infantile paralysis or some similar condition.

a great soldier, a remarkable statesman, a competent engineer, and a successful business man in the 67 years that he lived.

What Other Editors Have to Say

PUNY PRORATION

Proration is a failure. It is nothing more than a fictitious term, when applied to the oil industry and a highly prized plan originated, instigated and manipulated by the major oil companies.

Thousands of dollars are spent annually to sell this highly perfected, genuinely cherished thing called proration to the citizens of oil producing communities.

The independent is not the only man who is suffering. The merchants of Tyler, Kilgore, Longview, Gladewater, and many other prominently located oil centers are gradually fading from the scene.

Under the "gag" of proration, people have left Tyler, Henderson, Longview and other East Texas points in such proportions that a traveler would not recognize the great East Texas oil field.

With remarkable speed mankind has conquered the problem of production. Plant after plant has become a marvel of virtually automatic, mechanical efficiency.

PROGRESS OR DOOM?

Take exports away from Texas and we would suffer greatly. The products we sell abroad are the ones which will have been primarily responsible for our economic progress.

AMERICA'S FOREIGN TRADE

Men prominent in American industry have voiced their protest against the widespread drive which is being launched to encourage all citizens of the nation to "buy American."

Foreign trade is of vital importance to Texas and the nation, even though it has declined in volume of recent years.

Those who advocate a policy of exchanging goods within the boundaries of the United States alone forget the fact that the traditional basic products of American agriculture, notably wheat and cotton, are without effective tariff protection.

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FOR FREEDOM OF CONSCIENCE

In permitting Professor John P. Klason of Bluffton College to take the oath of citizenship with a reservation on bearing arms, Judge E. E. Everett of Lima holds for the American ideal of freedom of conscience.

At the same time the Judge lays himself open to a reversal by the United States Supreme court, which in the Schwimmer case of a dozen years ago and the McIntosh-Bland cases of 1931 seemingly closed the door of citizenship to those who will not admit the obligation to bear arms.

Yet for a century or more before the World War religious objection to arms bearing had been legally recognized.

We see no incompatibility between such a policy and the recognition that arms bearing is a fundamental obligation at the most solemn pleading of conscience.

Professor Klason is a Mennonite; he served in the World War as a Red Cross worker. He is 46 years old, beyond military age, and obviously a respected and useful member of the community.

ADDING TO THE FAME OF THE MOLLISSONS

Capt. James A. Mollison, British Royal Air Force, again has shown great skill and courage as an aviator.

Mr. Chapin estimates that 2,000,000 workmen in this country last year depended for their living upon wages received from manufacturers who export their products abroad.

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Mollison (a Scotsman) first became widely known in 1931, by a record flight from Australia to England in a De Havilland Moth plane.

manufacturing concerns, whose trade field is the world. The "buy American" move, like the "buy British" drive, ignores the economic realities of the world.

The Children's Corner

Ride a cock-horse to Banbury-Cross. Boys and Girls. Here is another Mother Goose drawing for you to cut out and color. Look for another next week.

NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

Comanche

E. H. Boulter, superintendent of DeLeon public schools for the past two years, was re-elected last week at a meeting of the DeLeon school board.

Four trustees of the local city schools will be elected at the election to be held in Comanche Saturday, April 1.

Approximately all the Comanche city teachers and many of the county teachers will attend the two days session of the Mid-Texas Teachers Association which meets at Stephenville on March 3 and 4.

The smallest number of poll taxes had been paid in Comanche county up to February 1 of any year since women began voting fourteen years ago, according to information obtained at the tax collector's office. A total of 2281 poll taxes were paid according to a complete check made this week. More than seven thousand were assessed. Last year the payment up to February 1 was approximately 3500.

Loss totalling \$10,000 was suffered in a fire Thursday morning at 10 o'clock by A. L. Piper of Downing when two potato curing plants including 7000 bushels of potatoes were burned and a home canning plant. The fire of undetermined origin spread rapidly with a strong south wind blowing and the curing plants were a complete loss. The Comanche fire department answered a call for aid to the Piper farm, but the flames were beyond control before the scene was reached.

Three Comanche youths escaped with slight injuries Sunday night when a car in which they were riding overturned twice and started again and landed on its top about 8:30 on North Main street, two blocks east of the Methodist church. T. A. Barnes, driver of the car, suffered slight cuts about the head and face, with three stitches being taken in a cut on his face. Boyd Anthony came out almost without a scratch and Bob Sullivan was painfully cut about the head by broken glass. Sixteen stitches were taken on Sullivan's head.

W. P. Weaver, county agent for Mills county for 12 years and a former school superintendent at Sidney, was in Comanche Monday from Goldthwaite. Mr. Weaver was county agent of Mills county from 1920 up to Jan. 1 of this year when the office was discontinued by the commissioners court. At a special meeting of the Mills county commissioners court at Goldthwaite on February 7, Mr. Weaver was re-appointed agent on the new salary schedule proposed by the A. & M. College in which the state and federal government assume payment for all of the annual salary with the exception of \$600 paid by the county. In addition to his regular duties as county agent, Mr. Weaver has been a leader in the Mills county fair association and has done much work in connection with the federal farm and crop loans made in that county. — Chief.

Lampasas

The city election will be held in April and among the officers to be elected at that time are a mayor and two aldermen.

The fire department was called Saturday evening to the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Geddes in the northwestern part of the city. It is not known how the fire started as Mr. and Mrs. Geddes had been away from home since early in the afternoon. The entire house was damaged from fire and water, and all of the furniture as well. Some insurance was carried.

Monday morning Ed Allard happened to a car accident four miles west of Nolanville while en route to Temple. Information furnished this office stated that Mr. Allard started to make a turn and something went wrong with the steering gear, causing the car to turn over. Mr. Allard received several cuts and was bruised up considerably. He entered a Temple hospital for treatment of injuries. The car was very much damaged. — Leader.

Hamilton

Miss Mattie Hickerson, head of the millinery and ready-to-wear department of the Garner-Alvis Co. store, suffered a broken hip in a fall on the icy sidewalk when she started to town Friday morning.

At the close of the cooking demonstration, conducted this week at the office of the Texas-Louisiana Power Co., in this city, S. A. Clark, local agent of the company, made an announcement of further reductions in electric power for home consumption.

Hamilton county's voting strength this year is 2329, plus whatever exemptions are issued by Tax Collector Robert J. Riley during the year to those over age, under age or totally disabled. This is less than half of the voting strength of Hamilton county in 1932, the poll tax payments having reached a total of 3456. Poll taxes paid in 1931 were 3551. The number of poll tax receipts issued this year is probably the smallest in some twenty years.

J. B. Holloway, 21 years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Holloway, who live on their farm about eight miles north of Hamilton, lost his left hand when he fell, in jumping, from a freight train last Monday at about noon. Young Holloway was riding a freight train into town. He jumped from the car as it slowed down on coming into the city. He lost his balance and fell. A train wheel passed over his left hand crushing it almost to a pulp. — Record-Herald.

Lometa

Bro. A. C. Nance began a meeting at the Church of Christ at Goldthwaite last Sunday evening.

Mrs. W. E. Everett and Miss Mattie Kirby honored their mother, Mrs. M. F. Kirby, with a surprise party on her birthday, Tuesday, Feb. 6, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Swain, Mrs. Pat Everett and small son drove to Temple Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Swain remained for a few days to go through the clinic. Mr. Swain, Mrs. Everett and son returned Monday.

The home that was built some fifteen years ago on the highway to San Saba by Ernest Fletcher was destroyed by fire Tuesday morning. G. W. Lynch who had recently purchased the home from Mr. Underwood, was making his home there at the time of the fire. The flames started in a bedroom, while the family were all in another part of the house. Only a few pieces of household goods were saved, as when the fireboys arrived on the scene, the fire was too well under way for them to accomplish very much. — Reporter.

San Saba

Supt. W. M. Campbell was unanimously re-elected to head the San Saba schools at the regular board meeting Monday night.

The Workers Meeting of the San Saba Baptist association at Hall Tuesday of this week was attended by a good delegation from the San Saba Baptist church.

Little James Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Warren, was brought home from the Temple hospital Monday. He is getting along nicely. It will be recalled that James was hurt in an automobile accident several weeks ago. One leg was amputated in the hospital, the other one being broken in the accident. For days his little life was despaired of.

That was a great sight out in the field of O. J. Melton in the valley near San Saba Monday. Mr. Melton has been sick for a month and a half and unable to work his field. The friendly neighbors, in the good old fashioned way, came in Monday and put in a day's work. At one time during the day there were counted 57 mules in the harness and plowing in the field.

While she was at lunch during the noon hour Saturday the building occupied by Mrs. J. J. Spence, ladies ready-to-wear, was discovered to be on fire. The fire alarm summoned the department and soon the blaze

Culinary Curiosities

Continued from last week

In Egypt, pistachio nuts are a great favorite, and the vendors walk the rocky streets with large straw trays and measuring cups to tempt you with the chewy morsels. Your pistachio vendor, with a bright-colored skull cap and long robe, reminds us of the styles of American women in the gay 90s. Probably no more bizarre looking vendors are seen than those who sell you lemonade on the highways of Alexandria, Egypt. They wear headgear we have come to associate with the Shriners, striped pantaloons, which are undoubtedly the original pattern of the present flapper's vogue, and jackets topped by a white vest. The lemonade is contained in a huge metal jug shaped at the top like a pagoda or mosque, held against the chest by a great strap.

In South Africa the grinding of wheat is done by human mills, in almost identical fashion with the methods in vogue at Beni Tassan, Egypt, in the first Theban period, about 2000 B. C. It is a common enough sight there, although remarkable to us, to see the negro mother rolling the grain into dust with a large stone while her baby gurgles up

on her back, where he is strapped very much like the American Indian papoose of pioneer days. Sometimes he amuses himself by playing with his mammoth, kinky hair, standing straight up on her head like a leaning tower, kept in place by a bright ribbon. Sometimes he toys with the large links of brass metal, making a jeweled chain around his mother's neck. In South Africa wheat is transported to the mills on a sledge so primitive it reminds one of prehistoric man. The oxen are yoked together with a chain connecting the yoke to the log sledge. The sacks of grain provide the driver with a seat.

In Sudan, the food market, principally of dates and milk, is an open-air affair, with canvas-top shanties making the bazaar and milk bottles hanging out like wash on a line.

Food-vending in Morocco provides many strange sights for the tourists. At Casablanca the markets are sometimes spread in the great open spaces near the mosques and shacks. The hot sun is warded off by the merchant by second-hand umbrellas, with which a poor American would be ashamed to go on the streets.

THEIR INCOMES ARE SACRED

The national house took a dip toward the senate level when it refused to cut its own pay. The significance of its failure to take its medicine along with the rest of the country lies not so much in the refusal to accept a cut as in the practical unanimity of the action—only two votes against the slash to \$5,000, and a mere handful against the reduction to \$7,500, which was the base pay when living expenses were no higher than they are now. This is the same body which would cheerfully tax all the people for the doubtful benefit of the few, as in the parity or domestic allotment bill; pass out a billion or two more of the people's money to another group to whom it is not due and if it follows the hand of its committee of the whole, break faith with the retired officers of the United States army by cutting away their retirement pay if they have outside incomes exceeding \$3000 a year. — Boston Transcript.

CALL BURCH

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

was extinguished, but not until the entire stock was on fire and badly damaged. The stock was covered by insurance. The smoke came out of the building in great clouds and for a time it was feared other buildings were on fire. The building belongs to Jake Williams of Baird.

L. W. Yarborough, manager for the Barnes ranch, was in town the first of the week. This ranch is building up one of the finest game preserves in the state. Recently a bunch of new wild turkey gobblers was received from Kimble county preserves and added to the beautiful flock placed on the ranch last year. This ranch has its own special game warden protection and the wild life placed there within the last five years is developing wonderfully. Plans are developing to secure a stock of antelope, black tail deer and javelina hogs from Mexico and the border counties of Texas. — News

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Relieves Women's Pains

Here is an example of how Cardul has helped thousands of women: "I was very thin and pale," writes Mrs. F. H. Scott, of Roanoke, Va. "I suffered from weakness and a severe pain in my back. This pain unnerved me, and I did not feel like doing my work. I did not care to go places, and felt worn, tired, day after day. "My mother had taken Cardul, and on seeing my condition she advised me to try it. I have never regretted doing so. I took three bottles and it built me up. I gained in weight, my color was better and the pain left my back. I am stronger than I had been in some time." — Cardul, the purely vegetable medicine which so many women take and recommend, is sold by local druggists.

SENATE MAKES CHANGES IN RADIO LOTTERY BILL

A house bill to prevent the use of radio for advertising lotteries and revising procedure of the Radio Commission has passed the senate at Washington.

The bill was approved by the Senate without a record vote and with little debate, and now goes back to the House for consideration of amendments.

The senate struck out a provision limiting the number of aliens who could serve as directors of companies operating under American licenses, in order to send this matter to conference for further study.

Every citizen can help to make prosperity by patronizing the local business men, who pay taxes in the county and help to maintain the schools and churches.

cap from W. L. Altmiller's gasoline tank. Altmiller substituted a potato for the missing cap. The tuber shrank, dropped into the tank and a few days later was removed petrified into a stony mass.

Joe Ivey of Montpellier, Ind., swung his wheel as his automobile started to skid. His coat sleeve caught, opening the throttle. The car crashed through a window in a doctor's office and the doctor set Ivey's broken arm.

Gerald Morriss and Amy Soward brought a minister along when they applied for a marriage license at the Visalia, Cal., court house. They were wed before the ink was dry on the license.

Cape Cod, Mass., fishermen are finding it difficult to set their nets without hauling up bottles of liquor with the fish. Two flounder draggers were seized by coast guards recently while heading shoreward with contraband "fished up" from the seabottom. Wary rum runners had discarded it.

For ACHES and PAINS
BALLARD'S
SNOW EXTRACT
Pain Relief
HUDSON BROS. DRUGGISTS

NEWS ODDITIES

To save the English coast from eroding, rice grass is being planted in the mud flats of Essex.

Horace C. Frantz is one of the leading trout farmers of Colorado. He supplies trout for the White House.

John Leitchy of Emmett, Idaho, awoke one morning to find his pet ducks frozen in a pond. A blow torch freed them.

Radio, telephones, a library and a special car for culture and rest are some of the features of a luxury train running between Moscow and Tiflis, Russia.

A campaign for the return of overdue books at the Birmingham, Ala., public library recently brought back a volume missing since 1917.

Nine hundred blind men and women attended a concert in Berlin recently at which blind musicians played only the work of blind composers.

Two robins have made an appearance near Canaan Valley, Conn. Pussy willows are budding but—ice fourteen inches thick was cut on a local pond.

Dethel W. Elserman, Branson, Mo., postmaster, has a zoo filled with raccoons, fox, wolves, opossums, squirrels and ground hogs, all of which he captured with the aid of his two hound dogs.

Wabash, Ind., officials feel that since the city hall houses the fire department, the building is proof against flames and have decided to ask city council to cancel \$11,000 fire insurance, thereby saving the \$216 annual premium.

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Lions are so plentiful in the United States you can't even give them away, said Dr. William M. Mann, director of the National Zoo, Washington. More cubs are raised in captivity than circuses and zoos need, he pointed out.

Floyd Sommerfelt was pinned beneath his ten-ton truck, face down in mud, when the machine overturned on the highway near Coalinga, Cal. Realizing he faced suffocation, he held his breath. Finally a crew from an oil well near by extricated him.

A problem for chemistry students was evolved at Taft, Cal., recently when someone stole the

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THE NEWS IN PICTURES

MEETING'S BIRTH
PRESIDENT-ELECT blows out the candles. Mr. Roosevelt sharing his fifty-first birthday celebration with young patients of Warm Springs Foundation. Their present to him was a luscious-looking 100-pound chocolate birthday cake.

ROCK-A-BY-BABY: Albie Booth's athletic prowess which won him gridiron fame at Yale will face severe test when he walks floor with his new daughter.

CLIFFORD SUTTER, below: New Orleans. Jumps high to tennis title he won from George Lott, Jr., recently.

SIR ROBERT LINDSAY, right: Britain's Ambassador, confers abroad on war debt.

STOP eating big luncheons. Madame Sylvia of Hollywood, famous beauty expert, warns American women. Tomato juice, toasted whole wheat wafers with lettuce salad and tea make the right noon meal, she says.

ALLES-OOP! Harriet Caperton, 48, Vernon Biddle, Broadway dancer, keeping fit in Florida.

Mrs. John Ross from Longview is here visiting relatives. Visit the West Side Bargain Store and notice the changes. Chester Frazier is recovering from a severe case of influenza. Kreso Dip — Hudson Bros.

Mrs. A. J. Gatlin is reported among the sick of the community. She has a bronchial trouble. Roasted and delivered fresh to your grocer every day—that's why Taylor's F & L and bulk coffees are so much better.

Lee's Worm Tablets—Hudson Bros., Druggists. Mrs. Henry Ezzell made a visit to Temple Tuesday. Mrs. Sallie McGowan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Grumbles, near San Saba.

ART AND CIVIC CLUB
Our club dealing with community beautifying and gardening projects have these suggestions that are given here with additional topics, which have been used with success by some clubs:

The keynote of such suggestions might well be, "Our village as it looks to strangers." The thought could be developed that strangers passing thru a town usually judge it by its general appearance of neatness. In these days of automobile travel the small towns and rural districts have become important parts of a great highway linking city with country and bringing about a better understanding on the part of both as to the desires and contribution of each.

The village that looks out at the stranger from well-kept houses and yards, that greets the entering guest with a lovely little park or flower plot, that has a clean, attractive railroad station and fine old shade trees, does not need to erect a sign asking him to return. His own desire will bring him back again, perhaps to make a contribution to some community betterment project, possibly to make his home.

There are many small clubs all over the country that have been instrumental in bringing about community improvements. In one case it was a flower plot at the end of the bridge leading into the town. In another it took the form of improving conditions around the depot or court house, etc., and arousing interest in maintaining a bed of flowers about it.

By writing to General Federation Headquarters, 1734 N. street, N. W. Washington, D. C., and enclosing stamps, pamphlets on gardens, highways, billboards, restrictions and other allied subjects may be procured.

Seed catalogues have a great deal of important information in them. Your state agricultural college will test samples of the soil in your vicinity and tell you what it needs for growing the plants you want. They will send you lists of hardy flowers for the vicinity, lists of flowers for all-summer bloom, flower combinations for color and height. Plan for improving some spot that needs beautifying might be offered.

The projects in which a club interested in such subjects may take part are innumerable. A few are conducting a seed and bulb exchange, co-operating with the schools in essay contests for the pupils on "Beautifying Our Town," conducting flower and vegetable exhibits.

Often a betterment project which spreads to the whole community is begun in one small garden, thus proving the value of this advice.

"Go make thy garden fair as thou canst. Thou workest never alone; perchance he whose plot is next to thine will see it and mend his own."

MRS. C. A. EACOTT,
Chm. Civic Committee.

CIRCLE NUMBER TWO

Mrs. Floyd Jackson was hostess to the Circle No. 2 of the Baptist Missionary Society on Monday at 2:00 p. m.

The lesson was taught by Mrs. Lewis Gartman, which covered I Kings. Each member having been previously assigned parts, the book was covered in a thorough, as well as interesting manner. These lessons in the Old Testament are so full of romance, history, love and protection, as well as swift punishment to the erring, that once a person gets started, it is hard to miss a single lesson.

There were seventeen present including visitors. These visitors were given a hearty welcome and an invitation to become regular members.

Mrs. Jackson, assisted by Mesdames Littlepage and Faulkner passed a refreshment plate of punch and homemade cake.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. F. P. Bowman. The lesson will be II Kings and the teacher, Mrs. Elmo Littlepage.

Everyone come and bring Bibles.

Better because it's fresher. Taylor's coffees are roasted daily in Goldthwaite. Ask your grocer for F & L or Taylor's bulk coffee.

Miss Adeline Little and Mrs. Grover Swalm spent Sunday with relatives in Lampasas.

Lee's Worm Tablets—Hudson Bros., Druggists.

Mrs. Henry Martin spent the first of the week in San Antonio visiting friends and relatives.

Nema Sheep Capsules — Hudson Bros.

Mrs. H. E. Moreland has recovered from a severe attack of the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Austin of Dallas was here last week visiting Mrs. C. L. Featherston.

Plenty of new merchandise at Bargain prices at the Bargain Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Long of Richland Springs visited Mrs. J. B. Karnes here Wednesday.

Lee's Worm Tablets—Hudson Bros., Druggists.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Brooks visited their daughter in Abilene over the week end.

Mr. Starnes of Grosvenor is visiting his son, Homer Starnes, and family.

Louse Killers—Hudson Bros.

Washington's birthday was observed in a public way in Goldthwaite by the postoffice and banks.

Poultry Remedies — Hudson Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Patridge of Kelly came in last week end to visit her mother and to be with her sister, Mrs. Austin of Dallas.

Nema Sheep Capsules — Hudson Bros.

Mrs. Travis Long of Lake Merritt was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Henry Featherston, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Kemper of Caradan visited their daughter, Mrs. Starnes, the first of the week.

Poultry Remedies — Hudson Bros.

The Bargain Store has been remodeled and restocked. Come by to see us.

Mrs. W. M. Johnston has been in Waco this week, visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robt. Weaver.

Louse Killers—Hudson Bros.

Miss Ernestine Schweining of Junction is visiting in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Henry Martin, in this city.

C-A Capsules for poultry — Hudson Bros.

BABY CHICKS — 5c and 6c each. White Leghorns, Barred Rocks and R. I. Reds. Hatch comes off Tuesday morning. Hatching rates, \$2 per tray of 115 eggs.—Mrs. C. M. Burch.

Mrs. Nesbit and her sister, Mrs. Letris Berry, of Pleasant Grove were guests of Mrs. Hugh Moreland Saturday, who has been quite sick.

C-A Capsules for poultry — Hudson Bros.

Mrs. C. H. Leverett and baby son of Houston arrived Sunday to visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cline, and other relatives.

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You'll enjoy the rich aroma of Taylor's fresh roasted coffee. Ask your grocer for Taylor's F & L or in bulk. You'll like Taylor's pure mayonnaise, too.

Kreso Dip — Hudson Bros.

Sam W. Smith, manager of the Texas-Louisiana Power Co., at Goldthwaite, spent Wednesday in Clifton attending a conference of managers.

C-A Capsules for poultry — Hudson Bros.

O. H. Yarborough left for Martin Saturday morning to spend a few days for the benefit of the hot baths in the treatment of a severe case of rheumatism.

Nema Sheep Capsules — Hudson Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dew attended the meeting of the Bankers association in Brownwood Monday and visited relatives in Temple Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning.

T. M. Bartley, exalted grand commander of the Texas grand council, and one of the highest ranking members of the Masonic fraternity in the state, visited E. R. Conro Wednesday.

Kreso Dip — Hudson Bros.

Rev. J. L. Bates, pastor of the Nazarene church at Goldthwaite is assisting in the revival at the Church of the Nazarene in Brownwood this week, and will deliver the sermon in the revival tomorrow night. Rev. B. A. Fox, local pastor, will preach tonight. The revival will continue all this week and possibly thru next week. The pastor states that there is a good interest in the services.—Brownwood Bulletin.

HIGHWAY ROUTES APPROVED
(Continued from page 1)

done at remarkably low cost. Application has been made by the Chamber of Commerce to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for unemployment relief funds to be spent for labor in fencing, and the Fairman Co. has offered to deliver all the wire required at cost and to assist the county in buying posts at the lowest possible prices. This will save the county at least half of the cost of the same material a short time ago, Earl Fairman estimates.

A letter from one of the inmates of the Waco Orphanage to the Moreland family states that Mr. Barnett has been very sick. The many friends of Mr. Barnett wish him a speedy recovery, for the home certainly needs him.

CLASSIFIED

MAN WITH CAR WANTED — For local tea and coffee route. No experience needed. Must be satisfied to make \$32.50 a week at start. Write Albert Mills, Route Mgr., 2297 Monmouth, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Pasturage—Would like to have a few sheep or cows on my place. Convenient to town. Reference: Clabe Locklear.—W. M. Guynes.

Now Ready—Onion and cabbage plants, home grown, at Kemper place, Goldthwaite. Fresh quality plants guaranteed.—Kemper & Starnes.

For Sale—Baled oats and hay. Will deliver in Goldthwaite.—T. F. Sansom, Route 3 or phone 1621F2.

Lost—Ladies' gold-link bracelet with lock, between postoffice and school. Finder please return to Azilee Berry or to Long & Berry store.

The next month and a half is the best time to put out fruit trees. Anything you need in that line see J. J. Cockrell or phone 1643F12.

Will Trade—Fresh Jersey cow and calf and a Brunswick phonograph in good condition, for a second-hand piano. Write or phone J. B. Wilcox, Caradan.

BABY CHICKS — 5c and 6c each. White Leghorns, Barred Rocks and R. I. Reds. Hatch comes off Tuesday morning. Hatching rates, \$2 per tray of 115 eggs.—Mrs. C. M. Burch.

WANTED—Reliable men age 25 to 50 to supply established demand for Raleigh Products in west Hamilton county. Other good localities available. Company furnishes everything but the car. Good profits for hustlers. Write the W. T. Raleigh Company, Memphis, Tenn., or see me, Jess Hall, Goldthwaite, Texas. (1-27-5t)

CARD OF THANKS

We are indeed grateful for the kindness and sympathy of our friends at the time of our over-shadowing bereavement. No people ever had better or more thoughtful neighbors and friends than ours proved to be and certainly none were ever more appreciated. Everything was done that could be done by kind hearts and helpful hands and we thank them all. Especially we thank those of the Baptist Methodist and Church of Christ Sunday schools and churches also the Rebecca Idora, American Legion and all others who in any way contributed to our help or comfort. We would also gratefully mention the beautiful flowers provided for the home and the funeral.

MRS. C. T. KARNES and Family

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- New Flannel Skirts
- New Spring Sweaters
- New Coat Suits

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- Embroidered Organdie
- Plaid Prints
- Seersucker
- Brocaded Draperies



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MAINE SEED POTATOES

TOMATOES 3 cans No. 2 22c	SPECIALS YES! We Have BANANAS	Armour's White Flyer SOAP 7 bars 25c
Woman's Club COFFEE 3-lb can 85c	Also a Fresh Truckload of ORANGES and GRAPE FRUIT from the Valley	BORAX 10 boxes 25c
MOPS Each 15c		COCOA 2-lb can 25c
LAMP CHIMNEYS 2 for 15c		MATCHES 6 boxes 20c
GARRETT'S SNUFF Bottle 30c		CANDY — Woods' Pure Sugar Stick, lb. 10c

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Friday and Saturday

- 5-lb pkg. Oatmeal 17c
- 3-lb can Maxwell House Coffee 73c
- 2 large cans Tomatoes 15c
- 1-lb pkg. F & L Coffee 20c
- 1 lb. Sliced Breakfast Bacon, 1 doz. Eggs, 1 loaf Bread, All for 25c
- 8-lb carton Lard 46c
- 2 cans Salmon 18c
- 2 lbs. Goldthwaite Cheese 25c
- 2 lbs. pure Pork Sausage 15c
- 48-lbsack good Flour 67c

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