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Mullin School Gives Banquet

The junior class of Mullin High school entertained the senior class of the same school with a banquet last Saturday night, in accordance with an annual custom in that school.

The auditorium in the school building was beautifully decorated for the occasion and an interesting program had been arranged, over which Supt. John M. Scott presided.

A number of guests attended from Goldthwaite, as well as from Mullin and other communities and the occasion was most enjoyable to all.

The Tattler, the Mullin school paper, gives the following account of the banquet and program.

The Banquet

On Saturday evening, March 11, 1933, the junior class of Mullin High school entertained the seniors, the faculty and a number of other guests with the eighth annual junior-senior banquet. According to custom it was held in the Mullin High school auditorium.

The study hall and stage were beautifully bedecked with pot plants and cut flowers, which served as a background for the Texas motif. The Texas theme was artistically carried out in decorations, program and menu. Looped from the ceiling were red, white and blue streamers with forty-eight twinkling, silver stars suspended individually from the ceiling hangers. Ceiling lights were shaded with red and blue.

Texas Products Grace Tables

The table was arranged in the form of a "T" to represent Texas. The center decoration on each table was made up of a series of tiny rock and cactus gardens connected by Spanish moss. The six flags of Texas were arranged in historical order at intervals upon the table. Red, white and blue candles, added a soft glow to the pleasant scene. Blue bonnet place cards attractively accentuated East Texas pine cone favors and Central Texas acorn nut cups.

Menu Is Appetizing

The following delicious three-course dinner was served:

First Course

Tomato cocktail.

Second Course

Chicken and dressing, celery, rolls, beet pickles, banana salad, (individual); rice croquets, black eyed peas, spinach with eggs, grape juice.

Third Course

Pie with whipped cream and cherries.

The dinner was served by sophomore girls, each of whom wore over a dark frock a red and white apron and a blue cap showing a lone white star. The meal was prepared by mothers of the junior students and by P. T. A. members, and skillfully served by the sophomore girls.

Superintendent Acts As Toast-Master

The following program was given during the evening: Song: Texas, Our Texas—By all. Grace—Rev. Leon D. Brown. Toast: From students to the faculty—Nell Guthrie.

Toast: From faculty to the students—Miss Mabel Smith.

Vocal solos: "Morning," "Love's Way"—Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, Jr., Miss Ruby Lee Dickerson, accompanist.

Musical reading: Bluebonnets of Texas—Miss Pauline Dalton. Toast: To my classmates—Wilba Kemp.

Toast: To my country—Joe F. Ivy.

After dinner speeches: Rev. L. D. Brown, Mr. George Fletcher, Mrs. Walter Kemp, Mr. R. M. Thompson, Miss Pauline Dalton.

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Local Banks Open As Usual

Both Goldthwaite banks opened Wednesday morning with license to transact all banking business as usual with the exception that they were forbidden to pay out large sums of currency for hoarding. Whenever any large amount of cash is withdrawn, the banks are instructed to secure an affidavit from the person drawing it as to the use he has for it, and these affidavits are to be forwarded to the Federal Reserve Bank so that action may be taken by the government if the money is not put back in circulation promptly. There is no limitation on the amounts that may be checked from one account to another or from one bank to another, the restrictions applying only to the withdrawal of cash. These restrictions apply to every bank in the United States, and as soon as they are removed, the banks in Goldthwaite will be among the first to notify their customers of the fact.

T. E. L. CLASS MEETING

Mesdames C. L. Stephens and L. B. Ashley were hostesses to the T. E. L. Class Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mrs. W. B. Jackson, president, requested each member to register as they passed into the living room.

The following program was rendered:

Subject: "Friendship." Leader: Mrs. C. L. Stephens.

Devotional: Subject on "Friendship", conducted by Mrs. E. B. Anderson.

Poem: "Old Friends"—Mrs. Chas. Rudd.

At the close of the program we were conducted into the dining room, where the table was beautifully decorated to represent a miniature lake. On one corner of the table was a "wishing well," artistically arranged with an old oaken bucket. Mrs. Ivins, the honoree of the class, was asked to draw the bucket from the well and it was full of good wishes from the class.

After returning to the living room, Mesdames Ashley and Stephens served a lovely plate, consisting of sandwiches, potato chips, green jelly, whipped cream and white cake.

Plate favors being grape, hyacinth and shamrock leaves, carrying out the St. Patrick's day color scheme.

At the close of the social hour Mrs. W. B. Jackson, as president of the class, presented Mrs. Ivins with an electric waffle iron as an expression of our love and appreciation of her work among us and especially as teacher of our class.

Everyone departed thanking Mesdames Stephens and Ashley for a delightful time and assuring Bro. and Sister Ivins, that they would be followed by the love and prayers of the T. E. L. class.

REPORTER

BLEDSCOE-WALDEN

Raymond Bledsoe, son of Sheriff and Mrs. C. D. Bledsoe, and Miss Ima Bell Walden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Walden, were married Tuesday night, with Rev. G. C. Ivins officiating, and are now at home in the Henry Martin home on Parker street.

Raymond is a deserving young man and has the friendship of everybody, because of his courteous and gentlemanly deportment. He grew to manhood here and his friendship circle extends far beyond the community confines. The bride came here with her parents and family several years ago from Burnet and has the esteem and admiration of many people. She and her husband are graduates of Goldthwaite high school and their former school mates and teachers are among their most admiring friends.

Texas Paintings On Display Here

An art exhibit of paintings by native Texas artists has been secured by the Art and Civic club of Goldthwaite, Mrs. Harry Allen, president, said yesterday. The exhibit will be free to the public and will be held in the office of the Texas-Louisiana Power Co., on Friday and Saturday of this week and Monday and Tuesday of next week. From here the exhibit will go to Brownwood, where it will be shown next week.

Besides the paintings in the exhibit, a number of pictures of local artists have been secured and will be shown at the same time. Goldthwaite has some very talented artists, and it will be interesting to compare their paintings with those by well known artists.

All Markets Soar To Higher Prices

Cotton jumped \$4 a bale, wheat rose 4c a bushel and oats went up 2c a bushel, when the markets reopened yesterday, after being closed for nearly two weeks. The stock exchange opened Wednesday and scored sensational gains in response to the better feeling prevailing thru-out the nation because of the government's successful handling of the banking situation.

Cattle and hogs are also higher.

CHURCH RECEPTION

A farewell reception for Rev. G. C. Ivins and wife, who left yesterday morning for White-wright, was held in the Baptist church Wednesday night and was attended by a large congregation of Baptists and members of other denominations and many of no denominational affiliations, but who were friends of Rev. and Mrs. Ivins.

Judge E. B. Anderson presided over the program and called upon several speakers, while a number of musical numbers were interspersed.

Mr. W. C. Dew spoke on the subject of "Rev. Ivins as a Citizen." Mr. Weaver spoke on "Rev. Ivins as a Christian, and Judge Anderson also made several commendatory suggestions regarding Brother Ivins and his good wife. To many the meeting was a sad one, for all realized that Rev. and Mrs. Ivins were soon to leave the community, which was a cause of universal regret.

Mrs. Fred Martin presided at the piano and a number of songs were sung by the congregation. Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, Jr., sang a solo, "Friend of Mine," and the Shubert Club rendered two selections.

At the close of the meeting, there was an effort by almost the entire congregation to shake hands with Rev. and Mrs. Ivins, and bid them farewell and wish them happiness and good fortune in their new home.

INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET

All schools entering spelling, tennis, playground ball and rural track will meet at Goldthwaite on April 1. The playground ball teams will meet at the Fair grounds, while all other entrants will meet at the junior high auditorium at 9 o'clock.

School are requested to send entries in by March 28 to Supt. E. D. Stringer, director general.

RED CROSS FLOUR

Until further notice, all applications for Red Cross Flour must be made to the committee in the county judge's office, in the court house, on Monday of each week. No applications can be received on any other days.

COMMITTEE

Earthquakes Rock California

With known deaths totalling 119, injured running into the thousands, and property damage amounting to \$33,000,000, Southern California this week has been trying to recover from a series of earthquake shocks that began Friday evening and has continued at irregular intervals through Wednesday, when the forty-third shock was recorded.

Damage centered around Long Beach where nearly half of the dead and injured were found. In Los Angeles four were killed, 300 were injured and damage totalling \$3,000,000 was caused by the quakes.

FAREWELL RECEPTION

On Monday afternoon at 3:30 there was a "get together" meeting of the Missionary Society of the Baptist church, honoring Bro. and Mrs. Ivins. The following program was rendered: Song—We Need Thee Every Hour.

Devotional—Mrs. J. M. Campbell Invocation—Bro. Ivins.

Talk on Friendship by Mrs. Chas. Rudd, presenting a friendship quilt.

Talk by Mrs. Carl Bledsoe, presenting a dinner set, from Circle No. 1, and the president.

Talk by Mrs. W. E. Miller, presenting a linen shower from Circles Nos. 2 and 4.

Talk by Mrs. W. P. McCullough, presenting a radio lamp from Circle No. 3.

We were also honored with a splendid talk from Mrs. J. V. Cockrum and Mrs. O. C. Weatherby of Pecos.

Mrs. Ivins has been one of us for the past five years and it is with the sincerest regret that we see her leave our midst. Each of us feel that it has been a privilege to have come under the influence of her charm, graciousness, intelligence and goodness. We can truthfully say that we love her and shall miss her in all our work.

A GUEST.

OIL RIG MOVED

From the Mullin Enterprise.

J. E. Ellis has removed the oil drilling machinery from the Vaughn well and a new machine is being placed, and as soon as this is finished, work on the well will proceed.

This well is now about 1455 feet and the water has been running over the top of the casing for several weeks, forced out by the pressure of the gas. Every indication at present points to the fact that the well is in the area of a strong gas and possibly oil region. Our citizens are hoping for both.

CASE REVERSED

In the court of criminal appeals at Austin this week the case of Charley Langford, charged with murder, appealed from San Saba county, where the case was tried on a charge of venue, was reversed and sent back for another trial. Langford has been in Mills county jail since the trial, as the case originated here and it is legally a Mills county case.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

School Board met in regular session Monday night of this week, and after transacting regular routine business, took up some new business.

Mr. Sylvan E. Cloninger of Gladewater, Texas, was elected to the place of principal.

Trustee election was ordered for Saturday, April 1, to be held in the court house.

Then we adopted the salary schedule for the coming school term, and I give below the salaries paid for the past two years and the salaries for the coming year, and the amount of reduction.

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Congress Votes Economy - Beer

Congress this week has continued the speedy pace set last week when it passed the banking bill requested by President Roosevelt. The economy bill which gives the president authority to cut government payrolls and payments to veterans a half billion dollars a year has passed both houses by substantial majorities.

The lower house voted Tuesday to legalize 3.2 per cent beer by a vote of 316 to 97. Eleven Texas representatives, led by Congressman Thomas L. Blanton, voted against the measure, while nine Texans joined the majority for it.

Down On the Farm

By O. G. H.

Blackleg is appearing in many herds of cattle at this time. This disease is readily recognized by stockmen, and no successful treatment has been found. However, vaccination renders cattle immune for one year. All animals on infected pastures or lots should be treated at once as the disease spores become active with appearance of green vegetation. Ranchmen should not wait until stock is stricken as nearly all afflicted animals die. Take no risk. Vaccinate at once.

Good poultry management is being practiced by a number of successful farmers as follows: Sell culled hens and buy baby chicks. The cockerels will pay for feed and the pullets will be clear profit.

Secure early hatched chicks and the result will be early laying pullets when egg prices are best.

The best "de-louser" for poultry is to paint the perches with Blackleaf 40, two or three hours before night and again in ten days. The first treatment often makes a 100 per cent kill. Try it. Plant one acre of sudan for every cow on the farm to supplement the native pasture. Remember, Eudaly, the dairy specialist, will be in Mills county the 27th or 28th.

The Center City folks recently held a meeting and appointed committees to handle the big pecan school, April 21. They are going to put this meeting over in a big way and they want you to be there.

AMERICAN LEGION

A drive for new members was launched at the March meeting of the American Legion here Tuesday night at the Legion hall. The commander and adjutant of the Legion post are matched against the other members who have designated themselves the "Rabbit Twisters." Tom Collier of Goldthwaite and G. W. Chancellor of Mullin tied for first honors by turning in three members each. A total of 16 memberships, including both new and former members, have been turned in since the first of the year, but the post is still short of the high mark set last year when a total of 63 was reached.

Awards will soon be made to the best students of the Legion Flag Course, which has been taught in a number of Mills county schools this year, Lewis Porter reported.

A moving picture, "America Goes Over," which was taken by army photographers during the world war, will be shown to the legionnaires and their families at the meeting on April 11. It was announced.

CROWDED OUT

An article by J. V. Cockrum about the school tax election was crowded out of this issue, because of its extreme length and the lateness of the hour at which it was received. It will appear next week, which will be in ample time, as the election is not to be held until April 15.

Commissioners Cut Indigent Pay

Commissioners court has been in regular monthly session this week, with an unusual amount of business before it, including the checking of official reports of county business.

All reports of juries of view on the various designated highways have been received and approved. Notices have been sent to all land owners effected telling them of the amount allowed them. If the allowances are accepted the money will be paid and then the construction work will be ready for the contractors. The highway department has already approved the surveys.

The allowance to indigents in the county was cut by the court from 25 to 50 per cent.

It was expected the court would adjourn for the term yesterday afternoon.

LEGION AUXILIARY

The Auxiliary met Tuesday night, March 14, for a business meeting. As this was the first meeting of the new year, there was plenty of business to look after. We had eight members present, including all of our officers except our sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Sammie Smith, who, we were very sorry to learn, was ill.

We are planning a forty-two party for the near future, so all you players be ready. After the business meeting, the ladies auxiliary served sandwiches and coffee to the Legionnaires.

REPORTER

RED CROSS MEETING

There will be a meeting of the local chapter of the American Red Cross in the commissioners court room at the court house at 2:30 Monday afternoon. A chairman to succeed Rev. G. C. Ivins is to be elected at this meeting, and all members are urged to attend. MRS. NORA BERRY, Sec.

BIG VALLEY

Miss Brown, a former teacher in Big Valley, was in the community Sunday.

Claud W. Lawson and family attended services at South Bennett Sunday night.

Home Weaver has moved to the old Griffin place, which is now a part of the Weaver property.

Mrs. Harben Gillingham is home from a month's visit with her parents in Comanche. Jim Hays filled his appointment in Midway Sunday.

Ben Long and wife are both sick this week.

Sunday is preaching day. Do not fail to be there.

There was a party at W. T. Kerby's Friday night.

Alvin Oglesby and family went to Mount Olive Tuesday.

Mr. Peck, a new resident of Goldthwaite, was in the valley Monday on business.

We are sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Bob Robertson's father, Mr. L. R. Conroy.

Marvin Cook and family, Bill Hyslop and sister, Alvin Oglesby and family ate a fish dinner at Harry Oglesby's Sunday. The lucky fisherman was Don Oglesby.

Mrs. Virgil Terry of Goldthwaite has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Arnold.

Mrs. Hattie Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dennard were visitors at J. J. Cockrell's Sunday.

South Bennett reports their appreciation of the good singing given them Sunday by the Lawsons, Floyd Sykes and Sherrill Robertson. Big Valley knows how.

I. B. Oglesby and wife of Breckenridge have been visiting in the valley.

Bill Allard made a bood bye visit to his cousin, Miss Ruth Featherston, before returning to his home in Ohio.

Hear some old time "darkey fiddling" at Big Valley Friday night. FARMER.

Hundreds Apply For Road Jobs

More than three hundred applications have already been filed with highway engineer O. W. Hunn by Mills county men seeking work on the new highways to be built in Mills county.

All workmen to be employed on highway 81 from Goldthwaite to the San Saba county line must be residents of this county, and most of those who will get jobs on highway 7 from Goldthwaite to the Brown county line will also be from this county, although the contractors who will do this work have some steady employees who handle the more complicated machinery that will be used.

With practically all deeds completed, it is expected that contracts will be let in the near future for the work on highway 7. Authorization for a survey of the new highway from Goldthwaite to the Hamilton county line on highway 7 (the Waco road) is expected within a few days, although no definite plans have been reached as to when this road will be built.

Work on highway 81 will begin as soon as approval has been received from the highway department at Austin. Veterans will be given preference for employment or it, and men with families to support will be given preference over single men.

Ebony Will Vote On School Tax

An election has been called for April 8 at Ebony on the question of reducing the school tax in that district from 75c to 50c on the \$100 valuation.

A FAREWELL SERVICE

Farewell services for Rev. G. C. Ivins and wife were held in the Baptist church Sunday night, an immense congregation attending, attesting the high regard in which Rev. and Mrs. Ivins are held by all the people, as well as their own denomination. The Methodist congregation worshiped with the Baptists on this occasion. Rev. S. O. Hammond, the pastor, having dismissed the services in his church for that hour as a tribute to his brother pastor and wife. The Baptist church was crowded and many were forced to remain on the outside of the building because of the crowd. Rev. Ivins, during his five years stay as pastor of the Baptist church here, has proved himself to be a minister of broad mind and liberal spirit, all of which has been greatly appreciated by the members of other denominations and congregations and they all wish him well in his new field of work at White-wright.

SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION

There will be an election in all of the school districts in the county the first Saturday in April for the selection of members of the county board and the various school boards, where the terms of one or more members have expired.

In Goldthwaite the terms of D. O. Simpson and O. H. Shaw have expired and the voters will be called upon to fill the places by re-electing these gentlemen or others they may choose. T. F. Sansom has resigned from the board and his place will be filled by the board's selection to fill out his term.

Those desiring to place their own names or those of others on the tickets for election should see the secretary of the board in which they are interested. In Goldthwaite W. A. Bayley is the secretary and Judge L. E. Patterson has general supervision in the county board or the schools of the county.

THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller visited in Dallas last week end.

Mrs. Lula Gatlin is able to be up, after two weeks of illness.

Joe Weatherby was a visitor from Brownwood the early part of the week.

Wm. Cobb and wife of Brady visited his parents in this city last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dew spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Temple and Moody.

George Clements and family from Coleman visited his parents the first of the week.

L. C. Atkinson was here from his ranch in the Ridge community the early part of the week.

Miss Greta Little came over from Brady last week end for a short visit to her mother and other relatives.

Mrs. James Robbins of Taylor is visiting in the home of her son, H. J. Robbins, in the southern suburbs of this city.

Miss Mabel Lillian Graves, a teacher in Lake Merritt school, was an appreciated caller at the Eagle office last week end.

Mrs. Ruth Ford Chambers from Abilene brought her father, C. H. Ford, home Tuesday. He had been to see an ear specialist at Abilene.

A number of Goldthwaite ladies attended a reception in the home of Mrs. J. N. Weatherby in Brownwood last Saturday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Joe Weatherby, a recent bride.

It is to every citizen's interest to patronize the home dealers in his community, for they help to pay taxes to support the schools and government, as well as give assistance to those who need any sort of help.

Miss Norma Weatherby has returned to Waco, where she is a student in Baylor University, after a short visit here. She was accompanied by her mother, who will spend the remainder of the school year there.—Brownwood Bulletin.

Reports come from some orchard owners that there will yet be a considerable fruit crop, if late frost does not blight the buds that were missed by the freeze of a few weeks ago. Many buds are now developing, according to these reports.

Judge J. C. Darroch and wife of Brownwood came to Goldthwaite last week end and he went over to Hamilton the first of this week to look after the interests of a client in district court, while Mrs. Darroch remained here with relatives.

G. H. Frizzell received a telegram last Saturday telling him of the death of Mr. Howard Bland of Taylor, a prominent wool buyer who has had large dealings with Mr. Frizzell and was known to a number of the wool growers of this section.

H. J. Robbins and family returned last week end from an automobile trip to Taylor, where they spent several days and during the time James Edgar, the eldest son, underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils. He is much improved in health since the operation.

County Judge Evans J. Adkins, accompanied by W. W. Cox, Edward Geeslin and J. B. Whitman, met with members of the Coleman county commissioners court at the Colorado river Tuesday morning, to endeavor to reach an agreement on the new route in Coleman county from Rockwood to the river, to connect with the new highway 16 in McCulloch county.—Brady Standard.

Burch is prepared to clean and press garments for any member of the family and takes orders for made-to-measure garments. See his samples for spring clothing.

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THE SEED LOAN

The Mills county seed loan office reported 84 applications taken at the close of business Tuesday. The amount asked averages \$70, but the state office has advised local committees to hold applicants to amounts necessary for seed, feed and supplies actually needed for crop production.

Applicants are required to plant a garden and to practice the live-at-home program promulgated by the extension service.

The applications to date show more hogs on the farm than last year, which indicates that borrowers are striving to become self-sustaining. However, the number of milk cows average much too low and the poultry flocks not half large enough. Intentions to plant sufficient garden and to can vegetables and meats for home use is gratifying and makes a better showing than last year.

Farmers intending to make application are urged to come in at once, as those doing the clerical work have other duties needing attention.

A waiver from the landlord is required. Others having a lien on the crop must also sign a waiver to the extent of the lien. After the loan is satisfied, the balance of the crop stands for the rent and other liens. XXX

JOHN M. BAXLEY DIED AT HAMILTON

Just as the Herald-Record goes to press we learn that J.M. Baxley, a widely known business man of Hamilton, and an influential, highly respected citizen of the town and county, passed away at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon, March 9.

Mr. Baxley had been critically ill for several days and his death was not unexpected.—Herald-Record.

Mr. Baxley and family lived in Goldthwaite prior to moving to Hamilton. He was engaged in the grain and feed business here and established bottling works at this place, which did a prosperous business for several years.

MIDWAY

After a few weeks absence I will again try to let you learn a few Midway happenings.

Bro. Nicholson preached for us Saturday night and Sunday and Sunday night.

Mrs. F. M. Anderson has been suffering with pleurisy, but is improving at this writing.

Those who spent Sunday in the Anderson home were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Page, Mr. and Mrs. Will Heath, Mrs. Deward Reynolds and boys, Misses Oleta and Joyce Knight, also Maurice and Wade Knight.

Ollie, Clois and Fred McNeil, also Carl Spinks and Dink Shulson enjoyed music in the Herman McNeil home Saturday night.

You who missed the play at Midway Friday night, entitled "George In a Jam," certainly missed an excellent play, but this is to let you know that George at last got out of the jam.

Carl Spinks of Center Point is working for Joe Anderson. He is farming while Joe is shearing goats.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Anderson spent Friday night with his mother.

Mrs. Jess Petsiek and little daughter, Jessie Frank, also Mrs. Will Knight visited their mother, Mrs. F. M. Anderson, Saturday.

The men of our community are still at work on the new church building.

Alvin Cline is seriously sick at this writing. We hope he will soon recover.

Mrs. Colter Leverett and little son of Houston are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cline.

Mrs. Audry Anderson and children visited Mrs. F. M. Anderson Thursday.

Those who visited in the Cline home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cline from town, Lloyd Reynolds and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cline, also Mr. and Mrs. Jess Petsiek.

We are sorry to learn that Alvin Cline is very ill and sincerely hope for him a speedy recovery. SENORITA DOOLITTLE

CALL BURCH

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

TRAINING CAMPS

For the second time in the life of this Congress the Citizens' Military Training Camps have been restored to an army appropriation bill, despite the opposition of Chairman Collins. Last May, as in this January, that sometimes misguided friend of economy succeeded in eliminating the appropriation, only to fail to carry the House with him. It reversed him by a vote of 202 to 158, thus giving him to understand that it was not in agreement with his view that the purpose of the camps was to teach "the boys to swim, jump, and play 'ring-around-a-rosy' and all those things." Rep. Collins was for turning over to the National Guard an appropriation intended to keep the Citizens' Military Training Camps going. He would have the money applied to drilling the Guard, which was not getting quite enough training in the school of the soldier. It is true that the number of drills had been reduced for economical reasons. Nevertheless, the National Guard, under Federal supervision, has become an admirable reinforcement of the regular army, worthy, indeed, to take its place in emergencies in the first line of defense.

Mr. Collins totally misconceived the value of the Citizens' Military Training Camps to the country. Never was there a time when they were so useful and timely, so much needed as training grounds not only for young men who might have to answer a call to the colors but as builders of character and manhood and good citizenship. Happily, the depression has not impaired this institution of optimism and patriotism. If all that these camps accomplished were the use of arms and evolutions on the drill ground, they might be spared in time of peace. The practical wisdom of Gen. Laubach, far removed from mere idealism, was enlightening in an address he made last summer at Camp Dix, where he commanded: "The central aim of the Citizens' Military Training Camps is to turn out as a finished product young Americans on whom the country can rely in the ever present trials of peace as well as in the remote possibilities of war." Every member of Congress should at some time or other visit a Citizens' Training Camp and see for himself that it is too precious a part of American life to be misunderstood or neglected.—New York Times.

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MARITAL RELATIONS

Two interesting items in the news deal with marital relations.

One concerns a man with a nagging wife. Unable to "take it," he first tried sleeping in his car in the garage to escape her nightly lectures, then left her.

The court decided the lady was NOT entitled to separate maintenance. That amounts, inferentially at least, to a decision that a man has a right to leave a nagging wife.

However, no man should do that without first finding out WHY his wife nags. Often the reason is physical. Competent medical treatment sometimes can transform an irritable, complaining wife into a gentle, loving one.

The other time tells of a lady, who visited her husband, a steam shovel engineer, on the job to take his lunch to him and, only incidentally, of course, to get his pay check.

The husband cheerfully accepted the lunch, but proved obdurate in the matter of the pay check. Retreating within the cab of the steam shovel, he set its gigantic machinery in motion and excavated the particular portion of the earth's surface on which his wife stood, scooping her up with it.

At least, that's what the wife told the court, demanding a divorce.

The incident illustrates, sorrowfully, the decline of male superiority. In colonial times the average man was able to maintain domestic discipline with the aid of nothing more than a small stick. Laws in most states

REPORTER WITNESSES RUIN QUIET WEDDING

"Let's get married again without letting anyone know about it," said Curtis Howell of Yakima, Wash., to Mrs. Howell.

The Howells were divorced two years ago, after a wedded life of 25 years.

"All right, but not publicly," she replied. They went to the court house for a license, asked the clerk to keep it out of the papers and requested a bystander to act as witness.

They went to justice court and were married, asking another bystander to act as witness.

Their marriage was fully reported in the papers. Both bystanders happened to be reporters on Yakima newspapers.

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ROCK SPRINGS

Sunday was a beautiful day. We had all of our services on time with large crowds from Saturday morning until Sunday night.

We had visitors from Center Point Saturday night and Sunday night. We also had visitors from across the bayou and Rabbit Ridge for Sunday night church.

At this writing our editor is sick again. We hope he will soon be all right.

We are sorry our friend, L. R. Conroy, who lives in town, is sick.

We wish to extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Roberts for the loss of their aunt, Mrs. Secrest, at Hamilton.

The W. M. U. met with Mrs. J. D. Dewbre Monday afternoon with 14 present. They will meet with Mrs. J. R. Davis next month.

The young people took their play "Wild Ginger" to South Bennett last Friday night. Everyone seemed to enjoy it very much. To their surprise the good ladies of South Bennett had a nice feast for the characters, after the play. They all wish to thank you once more for the good eats and music which they enjoyed.

Our school will run another month, so I have been told.

Mrs. Eula Nickols made two pop calls Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Orby Woody and C. H. Ford and wife at Goldthwaite and Mrs. Ruth Ford Chambers of Abilene.

I don't suppose very many know we have a violin teacher in our community. Wick Webb is the teacher. He has one pupil, Miss Waldine Traylor and she is learning fast. She will be one more added to our string orchestra.

Walton Daniel took a load of hogs to Cowtown Tuesday night and his father took cows Wednesday to the same city.

Ask the Barnett at town where he and James Nickols tried to go Monday night.

Saturday night Wick Webb went hunting, so up in the morning while W. A. Daniel was fishing at his tank, the bounds run a fox by him and his dog and the bounds soon killed it. So Monday night a bunch of men went to try their luck.

Loy Long and family from town and Mrs. Homer Doggett and daughter and Richard Sowers and wife dined in the Ellis home.

J. R. Davis and Bedford Renfro dined in J. M. Traylor's home Sunday.

Those who spent Sunday in the Nickols home were Ethel and Hardy McClary, August Kauhs, Miss Waldine Traylor and Mrs. W. A. Daniel.

Billie Ruth Daniel and Greta Marie Traylor spent the day with the Sullivan girls.

Jack Robertson is still on his job breaking horses. He had quite an unruly one to handle Sunday morning.

Alton Gatlin had business in town all day Monday.

Johnnie Belle Circle spent Sunday with Minnie Hill.

James Nickols spent Saturday night with Hardy McClary in the McDermott home.

Mrs. Eula Nickols enjoyed meeting with the ladies at the Baptist church in town Monday afternoon.

I, for one, will miss Bro. Ivins' pieces in our paper every week. I wish for him and his good wife all kinds of good luck in their new work. We will miss them both at our fifth Sunday meeting in April.

Several from here enjoyed the good singing at Center Point Sunday afternoon.

J. O. Stark and family from Center Point visited J. C. Stark Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Eula Nickols accompanied Joe Roberts and wife to Hamilton to Mrs. Secrest's funeral Thursday afternoon.

R. C. Webb and wife motored down to the river Sunday for an outing.

Wick Webb enjoyed a good dinner with Walton Daniel Sunday.

Mrs. Daniel and Nickols visited in the Conroy home in town Monday afternoon.

Jesse Hunt and Herman Ross from town were in our community one night last week.

Mrs. Ray Davis and children from South Bennett attended church Sunday and dined with Joe Davis and family, J. C. Stark

NEW BANK BILL PROTECTS DEPOSITORS

Fulfilling his inaugural promise, President Roosevelt immediately after Congress met in extraordinary session, last week, sent a crisp, hard-hitting 500-word message.

He stripped it of all decoration and struck direct at his two objects:

1. Immediate reopening of sound banks; reopening of others as fast as they get in shape by writing off bad holdings.

2. Immediate expansion of government money backed by sound security.

The legislation enacted by Congress to carry out the purpose of President Roosevelt's plan calls for:

1. Continuation of the gold embargo.

2. Ratification of all power seized by the president in his Sunday midnight holiday proclamation.

3. Full grant of power to prevent hoarding.

4. Full control over all banks as far as necessary to protect depositors and creditors and for prompt reorganization of frozen banks.

5. Amendment of the Federal Reserve act to permit direct loans to corporations and individuals on Government bonds.

6. Broadest powers to the Federal Reserve Banks to loan to member banks on sound collateral. This is the blanket provision under which the vast expansion of currency will be possible. Federal Reserve Banks now accept only collateral maturing within ninety days. Long-time paper, no matter how good intrinsically, is barred.

EX-SLAVE WILL SEEK U. S. LOAN ON BRAZOS FARM

When crop loan officials begin taking applications for loans for Fort Bend county farmers, Warren Hill, sr., 85, ex-slave, a resident of the county for 56 years, will be one of the first in line.

Hill will be asking for a \$60 loan to make a crop on his little 30-acre Brazos bottom farm just because he "can't stand to have that good land grow up."

Born a slave in Rappahannock county, Va., in 1847, Hill treasures good earth with a real affection. The land is clear of all debt, and it represents more than half a century of struggle against river floods, droughts and storms.

"I've got plenty to eat, and I can get along fine," the old negro, his face wrinkled with years and the elements, declared. "I've got my little garden, my chickens, cows, pigs and there's plenty to eat. I can live without farming the 20 acres that's in cultivation, but I can't stand to have that good land grow up."

Hill and his wife have had nine children, seven of whom are alive.

The old negro hasn't much time for the present generation of his race. "They're a shiftless lot," he says. "They'll work all right, but they're too extravagant. Negroes that never had a horse or a wagon have got an old car and they're on the road."

and wife dined in that home also.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kauhs and August Kauhs from Buhs Creek attended church Saturday night.

Vernon McWhorter and sister, Mrs. Collier, and children from town attended church Sunday morning.

George Hammett and wife and Charley Narrey and family from DeLeon called in J. C. Stark's home Sunday afternoon.

A crowd enjoyed croquet at J. C. Stark's Sunday afternoon. I failed to get their names.

A few couples enjoyed a party at Jesse Cockrum's Wednesday night. All reported an awful good time.

W. F. Chadwick and family from across the bayou attended church Sunday night.

J. M. Traylor was at church Sunday night. We hope he can continue to come.

J. Frank Davis and son are having the Ford boys shear goats this week.

My! How proud Mrs. Nickols was when she got home from town Monday afternoon and found Shirley had broken her garden. That is just the beginning of the work for a garden.

So far this has been a pretty week for all who would and could work. **BUSY BEE.**

News of the Week

Great Britain has decided to call off her embargo of arms and ammunition to the Far East.

Senator McAdoo of California has introduced a bill appropriating \$5,000,000 for relief of the California earthquake sufferers.

A Texas co-ed at the University of Oklahoma appeared on the campus wearing long trousers. The dean of women told her to put on a dress. She did.

The ten-payment plan of paying delinquent taxes is to be put in effect in Texas if the senate and governor approve a bill that has passed the house at Austin.

Sixteen American flying instructors had to flee so they flew from Hangchow to Loyang, China, when the Japanese threatened to attack Hangchow Sunday.

Foreign speculators who expected to make fortunes out of the decline of the dollar were paying off Monday. The dollar went up instead of down when the banks began to open.

"I'm goin' to die because I'm weary of livin'," declared 78-year-old Joseph St. Peter, Michigan farmer, last week as he started to starve himself to death. "There ain't nary a man agoin' to force a crumb down my throat."

Giuseppe Zangara, would-be assassin of President Roosevelt, who shot five persons in Miami, has been sentenced to death for the murder of Mayor Cermak of Chicago. He will be electrocuted next week, probably on Tuesday.

Germany has abolished the red, black and gold flag of the republic, and the old imperial colors have been restored. The flag with the swastika, emblem of the now powerful Nazis, has been made official for display with the other flag.

Crime dropped to a new low point in Dallas during the bank holiday. Evidently the bandits figured there wasn't enough money in circulation to make it worth their while to work. Thieves in San Antonio also declared a moratorium.

Gold and gold certificates are too hot to handle now. The new banking laws make it an offense for anyone but the government to own either gold coin or bullion or gold certificates. Those who have not exchanged their gold holdings for greenbacks up to Monday of this week are subject to a \$10,000 fine and a year's imprisonment.

When grocer's scales get out of order, they are most likely to favor the buyer by reading overweight, says the Texas state division of weights and measures. But when gasoline pumps get out of fix, it is nearly always the purchaser who loses. When the pumps are intentionally jimmied, the purchaser always loses the inspectors say.

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Some of the subjects discussed at length in the book are: The child's physical surroundings, preserving health and preventing disease, building and saving the teeth, the food that a child needs, sleep and sleep habits, clothing, playing with other children, Christmas and parties, toys, what to do for the child before the doctor comes, common disorders of childhood, accidents, communicable diseases, caring for a sick child, books on child care and child training. The book is entitled "The Child from One to Six—His Care and Training," and is usually sold. The Texas State Department of Health at Austin has sent the EAGLE a limited supply to be distributed free of charge to mothers of small children who apply for them. If you desire a copy, fill out the coupon and bring or send it to the EAGLE office, as no books will be sent by mail.

The Goldthwaite Eagle, Goldthwaite, Texas.

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NORTH BENNETT SCHOOL NEWS

If you should visit our school this week you would know that examinations are coming, because every person has his or her head in a book, trying to learn all that they didn't learn this last month.

Ruby Nell Head still leads in the third grade in reading; Kenneth Geeslin, spelling; and all four of the third graders, Kenneth, Ruby Nell, Pete Geeslin and Odell Ellis, run side by side in arithmetic.

Elmer Geeslin has the most stars in reading and spelling in the first grade. Wilda Geeslin the most in the second.

Kenneth and Elmer Geeslin are still trying for first place in our health project. Every one realizes that in two more months the final decision will be made in everything, so we're all studying hard.

Darrel Head visited our school last week.

The latest improvement to the school ground is a playhouse. We invite you all to visit our school and taste the delicious mud pies Miss Blackwell and the girls can make. **LUCKY 13**

New Spring Hats American Both In Styles and Fabrics

Models in Woven, Knitted and Braided Materials On Display at Opening

IMPORTANT in the spring millinery showings this year are the displays of chapeaux, which in styling, materials and workmanship are all American, making use of American-made fibers and yarns and designed with an eye to that particular subtlety and chic for



Photos courtesy Millinery Branch Mrs. Research Assn. which American women are noted the world over.

Cellophane, which in particular adapts itself with unusual versatility for use as hat fabrics, is being shown, woven, knitted and braided. In keeping with the vogue for dull or "chaiky" finishes in dress fabrics, the new spring millinery styles feature fine pliable weaves of this material in varying degrees of dullness, such as chafy-finished hat materials being possible for the first time this season.

Also the influence of the spring mode for dull crinkly crepes and rough weaves in various dress fabrics is shown in the crepees and

CHIEF PAT GETS TIRED OF CALLS FROM MIKE

At Albuquerque, N. M., Chief of Police Pat O'Grady has about reached the end of his patience with "Mike," otherwise unidentified, who lives in Baltimore.

Many times recently Chief O'Grady has been called out of bed at 2 a. m. by a shrilling telephone call, only to find "Mike" is calling from Baltimore.

Always, says the chief, his admirer wishes to discuss old times. O'Grady can't recall the incident, but Mike asserts the chief threw him out of a fashionable bar here several years ago.

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CENTER POINT

There were only 29 present at Sunday school Sunday. We hope to see a larger crowd out next Sunday morning.

Singing Sunday afternoon was well attended. However, there was not as large a crowd out as was expected.

Everyone seems to be enjoying these pretty, warm days. Quite a bit of gardening and corn planting is being done.

Miss Merlene Stark dined with Misses Aslie and Lucille Taylos Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Bates and their daughter, Rebecca, of Goldthwaite visited awhile Monday night in the L. W. French home. Miss Ola Belle Williams spent Saturday night and Sunday with Wilma and Iylene Sherfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Edlin helped Mr. and Mrs. Sparkman can a beef Saturday.

Mrs. Ida Smith and Miss Lillie Conner visited in the Calvert Hallford home awhile Sunday.

Miss Wilma Sherfield visited relatives at Mullin Thursday and Friday nights.

Misses Vera Conner and Ola Belle Williams, also Johnnie Taylor and Lois Williams dined in the Sherfield home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Leverett of Lake Merritt visited in the Will Spinks home Sunday.

Friends and relatives here and in the Lake Merritt community honored Mrs. M. D. Queen with a birthday dinner and celebration Sunday in the Waddell home. Mrs. Queen was 91 years old. A large crowd was present and a complete feast was spread.

The following people from our community enjoyed the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fallon and family, Gus Meyer and family, Misses Mildred Mills, Loraine Ducey, Georgia, Geneva, Reta Mae and Martha Eunice Sparkman and Sam Head of Center City. All present reported a great time and we wish for Mrs. Queen the very best of health and many more happy birthdays.

Woodrow Spinks took supper Sunday night with Clyde and Curtis Taylor.

Miss Myrtle Lee Pyburn of the Duren community spent the week end with Edna Williams.

Rumors are that work is soon to be started for some good plays for the closing of school.

Otis and Besse Hutchings had relatives visiting them Sunday afternoon, but I failed to get their names.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spinks and little son, Lindy, were Wednesday visitors in the Earl Davis home at Mullin.

Mrs. Julia Taylor visited Mrs. Kate Shelton Tuesday.

Miss Ola Belle Williams spent Thursday with her mother at Mullin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Leverett of Lake Merritt spent last Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Spinks.

Miss Alva Spinks visited Miss Ola Belle Williams Wednesday.

Miss Loraine Ducey and Mrs. Neely spent the week end in our community.

Mrs. R. A. Martin spent Tuesday with Mrs. Aubrey French.

Miss Vera Conner spent Tuesday night with Miss Ola Belle Williams.

Ed Davis is greatly improved at this writing. We hope he is entirely recovered from his illness at a very early date.

Misses Eva and Julia Dee Fallon called on Miss Vera Conner last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Steinhmann and little daughter, Mattie Jane, visited in the Davis home Sunday afternoon.

The Methodist's have secured Bro. Hammond as a pastor here. However, I haven't found out definitely when his appointment will be. BO-PEEP.

SAFETY FIRST

A play entitled "Safety First," will be presented at the Priddy High school auditorium Saturday night, March 18, at 8 o'clock p. m. This is presented by the sons of rest and sponsored by the P. T. A. of Priddy. Everybody should try to see this. There will be excitement and you will always wonder, "what next?" We will have plenty of fine music by one of the best orchestras in this part of the state. Everybody come. Admission price will be very small. Come one, come all and see for yourself.

OWLS

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The Koala

By Mary Hapgood

A small, pouched animal of Australia, resembling the bear in appearance and the sloth in its lethargic disposition. It is about 24 inches long and 12 inches high at the shoulder, and has no tail. Its fur is very thick, soft and woolly, reddish-gray above and yellowish-white below. The head is thick, the snout short and the mouth provided with deep pouches. Its long toes make it easy to grasp the limbs of trees from which, like the sloth, it often hangs with its back downward. It sleeps in the day time in the top of eucalyptus trees, on the leaves which it feeds, also it roams around on the ground digging up roots.

The mother carries her cub in her pouch when very young, but when old enough it rides her back. The natives of Australia eat the flesh of the koala, and often climb the highest of trees to find them.

The koala is an inoffensive, lovable and easily tamed and thoroughly charming, and is one of the most delightful of the Australian animals.

Four Seasons

By June Knowles

Spring is the best
That's when you get rest,
And the flowers peep through
Just to get a look at you.
Summer is just fine
With its watermelon vines,
Each trying to do the most
Just so on him you'll boast.
Autumn is a beautiful crown
With its leaves of golden brown.
Shifting from tree to ground
And then scattering all 'round
Winter brings the ground a
white sheet
And it makes poor animals bleat
The ice just freezes their feet,
And do you call that very neat.

Announcement

Be sure to see "Mammy's Lil' Wild Rose" Friday night, March 17, at our school house. This is being presented by the outsiders of our community.

LAKE MERRITT

These days are busy ones for the farmers. Plowing, planting, feeding and making ready for the rest of the year's work.

There was a large crowd gathered at Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Waddell's for the dinner. It was Grandma Queen's 91st birthday, so it was given to her. There were 79 present for lunch. Her children present were Mrs. N. T. Waddell, Mrs. R. W. Geeslin, Mrs. J. D. Fallon and Mrs. J. W. Ma-

Clubs
The seventh grade Reading club recited poems in its meeting Friday and Dona Roberds won first place.

The sixth grade Better English club voted that Mary Hapgood told the best story.

The Longfellow club held its regular meeting Friday and told stories. Loyd Davee won first place.

The Story Hour club met and recited poems and Gerald Peck won first place.

Locals

The students are getting ready for the county meet. We expect to be well represented in the meet.

Faye Leitbetter spent the week end with Vallie Faye Kirby.

Jokes

"Oh Lord," prayer Mary Leigh, "I'm not asking a thing for myself, but please send my mother a son-in-law."

G. A.: People living together get to look alike.

Vallie Faye: Here's your ring. I won't take the chance.

Mr. Long: What do you mean—I'll teach you to kiss my daughter.

Louis: You're too late. I've learned how, already.

Beryl, why do you yell and scream so? Play quietly like Cartwright. See, he doesn't make a sound.

Of course he doesn't. That is our game. He is daddy coming home late, and I am you.

Eliminations

The eliminations in declamation will be Monday night, the 20th.

Ball Games

The Goldthwaite girls played an interesting game of basketball last Wednesday. This was our third game to play this year and we were very proud that we won. The scores were 12 and 6 in Big Valley's favor.

The junior boys indoor baseball team is showing promise of being a real team this year. Although they are mostly small boys they sure can play ball.

The Goldthwaite team came down Wednesday and were defeated 13 to 11. The Big Valley boys had to substitute three senior boys because all the juniors were not present. Those Goldthwaite boys sure can play and we had a hard time winning.

Mrs. M. R. Ballard and son visited Mrs. C. Ballard on the river Wednesday night.

A message from Mrs. Cecil Haney of Atwood, Calif., to her mother, Mrs. C. L. Featherston, stated her family was safe, but really shaken up from the earthquake Saturday afternoon.

son. Nineteen grandchildren and four great grandchildren were there also. All of the rest were neighbors and friends. It was an enjoyable day with her. ONE PRESENT

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Intermediates

We are doing steady practice on our declamations this week. We have Loraine Hodges, Raymond Long, Ruby Ballentine, Ruby Brown, Flora Barrington, Myrl McCarty and Melvin Wilcox entering for declamations, and for spelling we have Loraine Hodges, Myrl McCarty, Flora Barrington, and Hershel Montgomery. We will have our try-outs for declamation Friday night.

Myrl McCarty and Ruby Brown were absent Monday, also James Koen was absent.

Several of these pupils were at the play at Midway last Friday night. They reported a good play.

We have good order in our room these warm spring days. The teacher says he thinks it is because we are all asleep.

Nonsense

Mr. Poer was hearing his geography class.

"What is the largest river in the world?" he asked.

"I don't know," answered David.

"Well, then," asked Mr. Poer, "what is the longest river in the world?"

"I don't know," answered David.

"Well, what do you know about any river?" he asked.

"I don't know," answered David.

"Well, what do you know?" asked Mr. Poer.

"I don't know," answered David.

And such is the life of a teacher.

This reporter says that if he ever does get his money out of the bank he will put it into a sock, if he can find one, and then bury it.

A pessimist is a fellow who wears a belt and suspenders. The modern version: People who live in glass houses should not take baths in day time.

Mr. Poer says that this column is getting worse: As Ponzl would have expressed it: "Day by day in every way, it gets worse and worse. This reporter is not sure that Ponzl is the author of the quotation, but the reporter expects to get by with it anyway.

Kittens

The Kittens had a little taste of disappointment last Friday afternoon, when they were defeated by the Priddy sextette. P. Feda Lubke of Priddy won high scoring honors with a total of 22 points. They outplayed us Friday but we hope for a more even score next time.

It is doubtful if we can play a match game this week, but we want to get some good home practice.

Primary Room

We believe spring is here, at least, to the extent that we are putting up tulips for window decorations and some are getting sleepy, during school hours.

Whooping cough is taking its toll of students from school. Several are sick now and we are afraid more will be soon.

We are to begin practicing soon for a program Friday night. We will have a play and several readings from our room.

Mrs. Marsh Johnson was reported to be critically ill yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moreland and children have been real sick with the measles.

Mrs. Lee Roberts of Mullin was an appreciated caller at the Eagle office Wednesday.

Rev. S. O. Hammond and Rev. Hugh Moreland visited in the Center Point community this week.

The Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet in that church Monday afternoon at 2:30, when the Voice program will be carried out.

Floyd Mullin and his wife and son came in from Dallas Wednesday for a visit to relatives. They expected to return home yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Mollie Simpson was the guest of Mrs. H. E. Moreland Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Elam Berry from Pleasant Grove, visited her sister, Mrs. H. E. Moreland, Tuesday.

High School News

Last week we used our new song books for chapel services. Afterwards we let our declaimers practice again. From the interest our declamation contestants are showing this year, we are certain of a few first prizes, and a few second prizes.

We had several visitors chapel day, and welcome all of our patrons and friends to be with us every chapel day.

Last Wednesday five or six wagons hauled dirt and built the an excellent drain. We could use east entrance high enough for a few more loads of dirt, but this is too good farming weather to haul any more dirt for the present. Several of our pupils are having to help with the planting this week, but they will be back soon.

We are going to have a program at the school house Friday night for the purpose of determining who will represent our school as declaimers this year. We are expecting Judge Patterson out to help judge the speeches.

Sam: Well, Lewis, how are you getting along in school?

Lewis: Oh, just fine. I'm trying to get a-head.

Sam: Well, you need one.

Cecil: Clinton, I made faces at you during books and at recess you were afraid to fight me.

Clinton: I didn't know you were making faces at me. I thought they were natural.

Community News

Singing was a success Sunday having quite a few visitors.

Man Roberts and Red Barrington drug the road Friday and we certainly do appreciate it, for they are much better now.

Church was well attended Friday night by this community.

Charles Roberts made a business trip to Goldthwaite Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Woods and Mr. Heck and daughter of Colorado, spent Friday night in the home of S. O. Koen.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poer made a business trip to Brownwood Saturday.

Some of the people of this community attended the play at Midway last Friday night and reported that they enjoyed the play very much.

The farmers in this community are behind with their work, so naturally they are enjoying this pretty sunshine.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poer went to Regency Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Kelley visited relatives and friends in this community over the week end.

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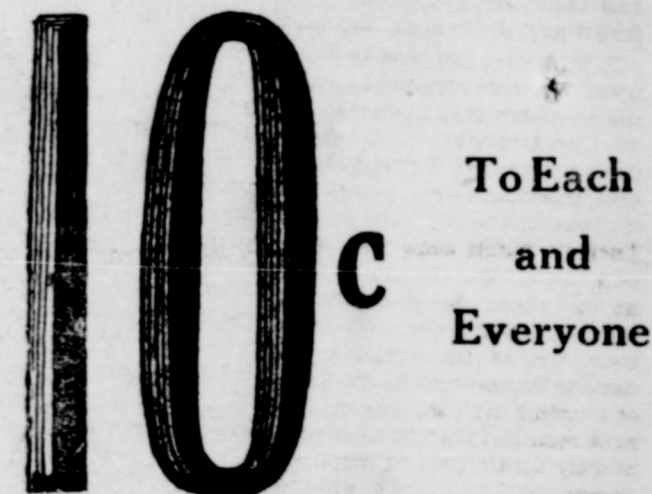
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LONG & BERRY

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
(Continued from page 1)

tion in each case, also the total reduction.
The length of the school term will depend on the funds available for school purposes.
If the state cuts the appor-

tionment as some think it will, and the school tax is reduced, the school term will have to close with a less than nine month's term.
The schedule follows: (Schedule for 1931-32 and that of 1932-33, was the same.)

	1931-32	1933-34	Reduction for year
E. D. Stringer, superintendent... (Monthly salary 12 mo.'s)	\$ 175	\$ 140	\$ 420
Sylvan E. Cloninger, principal	150	105	405
Mrs. Flora Bowles	125	95	270
Euna V. Brim	100	90	90
Love Gatlin	100	90	90
Vivian Campbell	100	90	90
Virginia Kedfoot	100	90	90
Mrs. J. A. Palmer	115	85	270
Ellen Archer	100	75	225
Myrna Miller	100	75	225
Mrs. E. D. Stringer	80	75	45
Mrs. Helen Saylor	80	75	45
Mrs. Mary Bigham	80	75	45
Mrs. Ruth Helm	80	75	45
Lou Ella Patterson	80	75	45
Erma Harrison	100	75	225
Salaries for school, per month	1665	1385	
Total for teachers, 9 months	\$14,985	\$12,465	\$2,625
Wm. Bird, janitor	85	65	180
Reduction in Teachers and Janitor's salaries for year			\$2,805

W. A. BAYLEY, Secretary School Board.

CENTER CITY

We are having real March weather. The wind certainly can blow.

Sunday morning was rainy, and no doubt many stayed at home thinking it might rain. Many were absent from the Sunday schools. It seems when there is no church only a few attend the Sunday schools here. Next Sunday is church day for the Methodist. The second Sunday in each month is Bro. Sparkman's time for holding services at the Baptist church. The time has been changed. Some of us forgot and did not go last time.

P. T. A. met last Friday afternoon. We were surprised to hear the orchestra play together. They are progressing much faster than we thought they could. Several selections were played and it was certainly fine. Miss Luckie's pupils sang two songs with little Miss Glenda Oglesby at the piano. Much interest is taken in music also. The business part of this meeting was naming committees to see about entertainment on peccan day next month. This will be a community affair and we hope everyone will take part whether you have peccans or not. Much interest is shown. A number who could not attend the meeting Friday sent word that they would help anyway they could. A committee was named to secure judges for next Friday night. Elimination of declaimers will take place. There are about 17 in the different divisions and we think all of them are winners.

Grandma Nickols is still quite sick, but is slowly improving. Her daughter, Mrs. Henry Venable, and little daughters visited her the first of the week.

Calvin Scrivner and Mr. Wiley of Mullin were visitors here on Tuesday.

Jack Moore of Lampasas was in our midst buying mohair Tuesday.

J. J. Cockrell of Big Valley did

some grafting for E. M. Geeslin Monday.

Harry Oglesby of Big Valley spent a few hours with his father and brother Monday.

Mrs. Teck Miles of McGirk was a business visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John House of House, N. M., are visiting relatives in this community.

Mrs. John Favors and Miss Velma Shaw of Abilene, visited their mother and sister, Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Brock McCasland, last week.

Barton Head went to Vista Mountain on business last Saturday.

Miss Luckie visited home folks at Indian Gap last week end. Miss Keese spent the time in Goldthwaite and Prof. Kirby was with his sick grandmother in Lometa. She has been quite ill for some time. We are hoping she will soon be well again.

The board of trustees met the first of last week and played safe by electing all the teachers for another term.

EBONY

Jim Hinesley and children of Big Spring have moved in with Mr. Hinesley's daughter, Mrs. Clemmie Estep, on the Homer Reeves place. This will be an addition to our school, as there are four children in school age. However, the children are sick with measles at present.

Little Martell Crowder was taken to the Central Texas hospital at Brownwood last Thursday, where he is still very low with pneumonia. Martell started to school this year and has made one of the brightest and best pupils in school. His teachers and schoolmates hope that he may soon recover and be back at school again.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dwyer and their niece, Miss Ruth Briley, went to Mercury Sunday, where Mr. and Mrs. Dwyer met their children, Mr. and Mrs. J. Austin Cawyer, and their wee daughter, Edna Beth, at a reunion of the Cawyer family.

Miss Anita White of Gorman has returned to our community and is visiting at the home of her uncle, S.H. Reeves. Anita has often visited here before and she

has many friends who are glad of her return.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Singleton and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Griffin and children, Gladys and Chas. Henry, visited at the Dick Singleton home Sunday afternoon.

There was Bible school and church meeting at the Church of Christ Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Guthrie of Mullin visited their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Reeves, Thursday evening.

Alton Russell went to Indian Creek to Sunday school with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jones, Sunday.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts was the scene of a pleasant family gathering Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNurlan and children, Norvell and Odene, and Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid and children, Dale and Verla Rae, were present.

Mrs. Stanley Reeves spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday in Mullin, visiting her daughter, Miss Evelyn Reeves. Evelyn returned home with her mother Sunday afternoon to spend a few days at home while recovering from a severe cold.

Miss Pauline Haynes spent three days in a Brownwood hospital last week. She came home Friday, but is not yet able to be up.

Swan Roberts of Mullin and his brother, Dan, visited at the Charlie Roberts home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reeves spent Saturday night and Sunday at Mullin visiting Mrs. Reeves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Guthrie.

Mrs. Allen Lovelace and little daughter, Joyce, together with Miss Dollie Reynolds and Miss Lily Bell went to Owen Friday afternoon, where they spent the night with Mrs. Lovelace's sister, Mrs. Bert Briley. Saturday morning they went on to Clio, where they visited another sister of Mrs. Lovelace, Mrs. Paul Mashburn. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

SOUTH BENNETT

Thirty-seven were present at Sunday school Sunday. Sunday night Mr. Lawson and wife from Big Valley and several others from that community sang with us and furnished some good special songs. We enjoyed having them with us and invite them to come back again soon.

The play, Wild Ginger, put on by Rock Springs Friday night, was certainly fine and everybody surely did enjoy it. We want these folks to come back and be with us again.

Next Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night Bro. Cockner from Brownwood will preach for us. Let's all be there. Singing Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

Mrs. Clyde Featherston and George Wayne visited her mother, Mrs. Stacy, one day last week, while Clyde went to town.

Mrs. Jim Elder and little son and Miss Ruth Griffin visited Mrs. M. L. Casbeer Friday.

Dan Covington and wife visited Mrs. Riddle Sunday.

George Wayne Featherston spent Saturday and Sunday night with his Grandma Stacy.

Ernest Wade and family visited in the Jim Elder home Friday evening.

Willis Hill and family spent Sunday with her mother at Star.

Claud Smith and wife went visiting Sunday, although I failed to learn where they went.

Morgan Stacy and family visited Clyde Featherston and family Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Covington and Frank Benningfield visited Miss Piper Sunday.

Dick Griffin has been cutting wood in the Simpson pasture lately.

Mrs. M. L. Casbeer and children and Will Horton visited in the Clyde Featherston home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Casbeer and Odell Casbeer, Mr. Anna Jones and children visited Willis Hill and family Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Casbeer spent the night in that home and Odell visited Miss Pauline Piper spent Saturday night in the Stacy home.

Mrs. Anna Jones visited in the Head home at Center City Monday.

Hammond Bodkin and wife visited in the Willie Smith home Sunday.

Mmes. Walter Simpson and Clyde Featherston and Miss Evelyn Covington went to town Tuesday morning.

Mary Martha Jones. Clyde Featherston visited in the Doc Laughlin home Tuesday night.

Mrs. Anna Jones and children sat until bedtime in the Casbeer home Monday night.

Evelyn Covington visited in the Clyde Featherston home Saturday.

MULLIN NEWS
From The Enterprise

H. R. McDonald is reported on the sick list this week.

S. S. Farmer is looking after business in Brownwood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz of Priddy visited Miss Sybil Guthrie Sunday.

J. A. Holland left Monday with

two cars of cattle to the Kansas City market.

Mrs. W. C. Hancock and Miss Tootsie visited L. R. Conro in Goldthwaite.

Mrs. S. E. Penland has returned home, after a long visit with relatives at Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reeves and Mrs. S. H. Reeves spent Sunday with John Guthrie and family.

Mrs. Clarence Mason of Lake Merritt made a recent visit to her daughter, Mrs. Woody Carlisle.

Miss Reba Tillman returned home with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shelton for a short visit in Fort Worth.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rhinehart of Blanket Springs community a fine girl on March 9, 1933.

Ham Gardner of Duren had business in Mullin Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fox of Goldthwaite were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hays.
Lee Hodges and family of Pear

Valley are guests of Charley Hodges and family.

Taz Renfro has moved to the Renfro residence recently vacated by J. P. Lockridge.

G. N. Burkett and Word Coleman returned from a business visit to Lubbock.

A number of Mullin Masons attended Mr. Conro's funeral in Goldthwaite Wednesday.

G. W. Absher was in from his farm Monday. He seems to be getting along fine and as jolly as ever.

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- 14-oz. bottle Catsup 11c
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- Large box Gold Medal Oats 15c
- Sockeye Salmon 22c
- Good sack Crest Flour 75c
- 10 pounds Potatoes 19c

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SOUND BANKING

Sound banking is having its inning now. All over the United States those banks which have been honestly and conservatively managed are being opened again after a ten day "holiday."

For banks, as for individuals, there are two courses open. One is to invest their money safely, wisely and conservatively. The other is to speculate—or in plain language—gamble with it.

The people have sensed the difference, and in every city and hamlet long lines of people have been standing before the bank windows to deposit the cash they have been hoarding through fear and distrust.

As the cartoon on this page indicates, sound investment is a substantial bridge over which the average man and woman may safely pass. Speculation on the other hand, is a dangerously insecure boat which the current of the stream may dash at any moment upon the rocks of bankruptcy.

Mills county citizens are fortunate in being served by banks which have been expertly and honestly managed in good times as in bad times. At no time have their depositors had occasion to become apprehensive.

REAL PATRIOTISM

Money provides the acid test of character. The way some hundreds of thousands of American veterans accept President Roosevelt's reduction of their compensation and disability allowances will show in each case the quality of the man's patriotism.

One of the first steps the president is expected to take is to rule that the World War ended with the Armistice on November 11, 1918 and not when Congress finished wrangling over the treaty of peace in July, 1921, nearly three years later.

There is today an employee of the University of Texas whose army career began in Austin and ended in San Antonio. While taking flying instruction he had an accident. He was given good surgical attention and discharged fully recovered.

We are equally certain that the vast majority of men who have been drawing money from the government because of injuries received since their discharge are going to accept adjustments to be made in their compensation allotments with the same patriotism and good nature with which they first shouldered arms.

GOVERNMENT BY RADIO

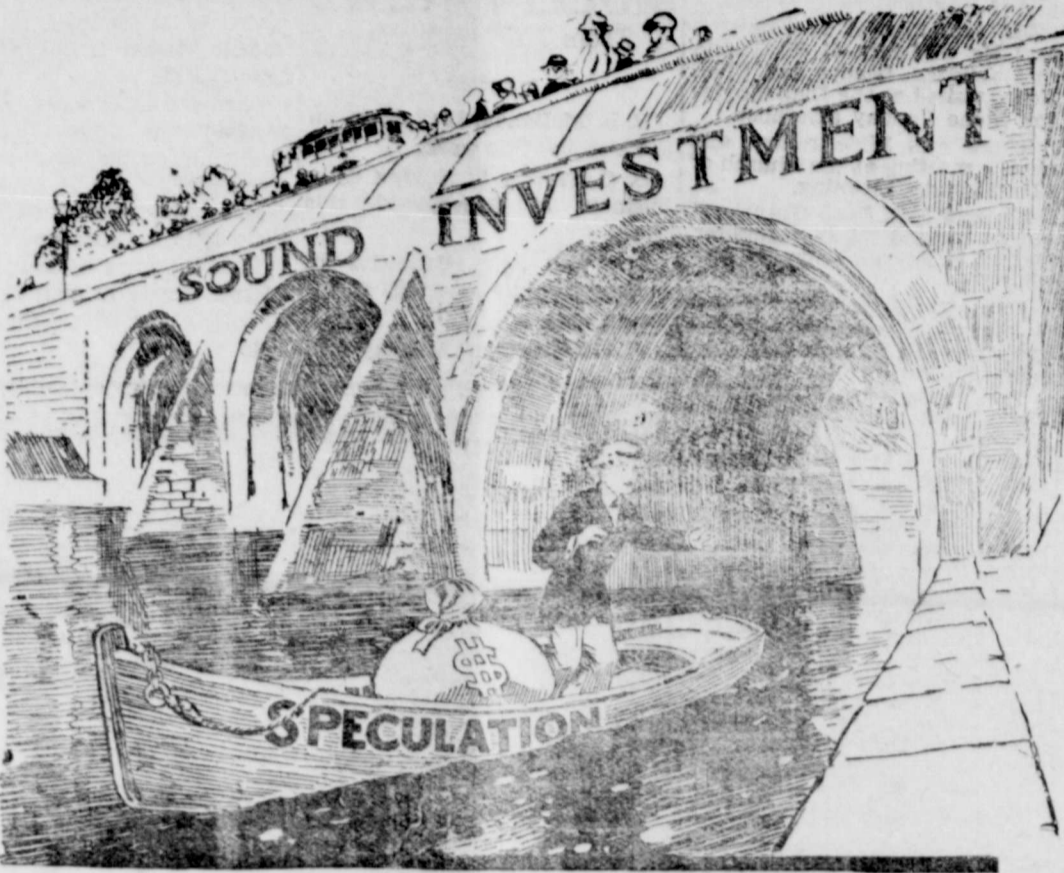
Radio had its great opportunity last week. Not since war days has there been so much interest in public affairs as has existed up and down the land since the bank moratorium was declared.

Congress, too, has been heard conducting its mysterious legislative proceedings, and the listener could not help feeling that Congress was not keeping pace with modern progress.

Useful as radio has proved in the present crisis in bringing instantly to men and women in every part of the country a word picture of what was taking place in Washington, there are several considerations not altogether favorable.

Thus, while as a dramatic means of bringing the individual listener into close touch with the workings of our federal government, the radio has no rival, it is still far behind the newspaper when it comes to giving the average citizen information as to what has taken place.

Sound Banking Follows the Safe Road.



THE REALM OF SCIENCE

Possible explanations of the worldwide myth of the Lost Pleiades, a star of the group of the Pleiades supposed once to have been visible to the naked eye but to have vanished, are reviewed by Prof. William H. Pickering of Mandeville, Jamaica, in a recent note to the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada.

thousand years ago there must have occurred in or near the Pleiades some real astronomical event striking enough to have been noticed and remembered by primitive astronomers everywhere.

KEEPING UP WITH TEXAS

While workmen excavated at the site of Mission San Jose, in San Antonio, while plans for the restoration of the mission continue, relics which the earth has hidden for hundreds of years are piling up in a collection guarded by Mrs. Rena Maverick Green.

Old bits of copper, brass and silver, with china and more delicate materials interspersed, tell a tale of the life of the Franciscan monks and of their Indian charges.

The excavation, which is being done by the San Antonio Conservation society with labor supplied by the Central Relief committee, has netted a huge quantity of fragmentary evidence of an earlier civilization, but some of the relics are whole.

HEALTH HINT

PNEUMONIA

As "winter lingers in the lap of spring," chest infections have the right of way with pneumonia, the principal aggressor, writes Dr. Eoline Dubois. Though we have been blessed during the past two years by a lower pneumonia rate than is usual with the disease in a milder form, it is still one against which our best weapons are all too futile.

of it can be understood. In the modern hospitals there are rooms fitted with continuous oxygen administration for such patients so that they are constantly getting the pure oxygen with a minimum of effort.

The patient should be dressed in a flannelette nightdress surrounded by hot water bottles or heating pads in order to protect the body against heat loss. Pain from coughing can be considerably relieved by a flannel binder around the chest held in place by shoulder straps and made snug by taking it up at the sides with safety pins.

and peruse it carefully at his leisure. If anything is not immediately clear, he may turn back and read it over again, or even pick it up the following day or week to refresh his memory.

There may come a time when radio programs will be recorded on phonograph records so that we may listen at night to what took place in Washington at noon, but it is hardly likely that such a development will take place in our generation.

In this connection it is pertinent to ask whether an instrument as potent for good or ill as the radio, should be left, as it is in America, entirely in private hands.

The Voice of the Press

EUROPE'S BALANCE OF POWER

The theory of the "balance of power" as a means of keeping peace in Europe was supposed to have been discredited by the World War. The European nations appear to be returning to it again as fast as possible, although the alignment of nations is somewhat different than in 1914.

Since the Treaty of Versailles was signed France has dominated Europe; giving in a little on diplomatic questions, it is true, but only granting concessions to gain larger ones and doing as she pleased in cases where that seemed the best policy.

France obtained the dominance of Europe by becoming an angel to the new or reborn states of Poland, Czechoslovakia and Yugoslavia, and the enlarged kingdom of Rumania. The Central powers, defeated in the war, were forbidden to arm or make alliances. Russia was disorganized by revolution, and while she had to be watched she was plainly in no position to challenge France's supremacy.

Germany has rapidly regained much of her national spirit, and now seems in no mood to put up with French domination indefinitely. Austria and Hungary also are showing signs of alarming (to France) independence. It becomes increasingly evident that Germany, Austria, Hungary, and Bulgaria have lined up against French superiority and have restored the balance of power, with England sitting tight and taking the side that suits her policy, while Russia still remains the unknown factor.

Census figures show that power is now about as evenly balanced between the two factions as is possible. Those countries under the Italian sphere of influence have a combined population of 125,000,000, while France and her allies number 117,000,000. To offset the slight margin in favor of Italy, France and her allies are more heavily armed and possess more wealth.

Before 1914 the lineup was Austria-Hungary, Italy, Turkey, and Bulgaria, dominated by Germany; while the Entente consisted of France, England, Russia and Serbia. Had Italy remained with the Central powers the Allies would no doubt have lost the war. — The Pathfinder.

CHARACTER EDUCATION

The present emphasis on character education is an attempt to help America grow up morally. Needed changes in modern society will be brought about not by bigger and better prisons, nor by more legislation, but by a supreme effort for greater individual integrity. This may well be our major responsibility.

It takes educated brains to produce wealth. The illiterate is economically inefficient and unproductive both for himself and for society. Compare the most illiterate states with respect to the production of wealth and note how the balance tips in favor of literacy. — Charles McKenney, Ypsilanti.

PETITION SIGNERS

The Texas newspaper reporter who found it an easy job to sign a petition urging President Roosevelt to appoint his would-be assassin, Giuseppe Zangara to a job in the cabinet, seems to have proved once more that an ordinary man doesn't bother to read things very closely before he signs his name to them. — Longview News.

The average citizen loose in the street will sign just about any sort of petition poked in his hand, if he is told that it is a petition. In general, he thinks it doesn't amount to anything. He chooses to attach his name rather than risk offending the bearer of the document, even if he doesn't know the bearer and read the document. This is so, those to whom petitions addressed view them about cursorily as do those who sign them. Of course, such a citizen should be as chary of signing a petition without reading and due deliberation as he would be about signing a bill at the jail or a note at the bank. If it were so, however, our going manner of life would be changed. We should become serious and dubious and meticulous. We would be strangers to ourselves. A light-minded way of living is not wholly bad, but individual whose nature is to feel that every step he takes leads him toward the abyss should not enjoy a walk. He comes regard alluring landscapes temptations designed to draw him to the precipice, and precipice designed to destroy him. There is no sense in being very serious about little things too awfully serious over things.—State Press in the Dallas News.

PROGRESSIVE EDUCATORS CITE SOME OLD FRILLS

In the rather general discussion of the need for reorganization in our educational system and for reform of the curriculum of the old familiar tale getting rid of some of the more fringed things in the more course of instruction has indulged. The popular description is "fads and frills." There must be dispensed with in interest of economy and teaching must get back to the old fundamentals, urge the proponents of reform.

The recent convention of Progressive Education Association in Chicago brought some rather challenging observations on this subject. The executive secretary of the association said that the real frills in curriculum are some of the fundamentals with which older generation struggled, not some of the new things having meaning for modern youth. Such observations should be weighed by all citizens who are loosely about curricular reform. When they talk of ridding instruction courses of a lot of flubdub, they might take trouble to determine just the essentials and nonessentials in this new day. — Dallas Journal.

The Children's Corner

Little Boy Blue, come blow your horn

Boys and Girls

Here is another

Mother Goose

drawing for you

cut out and color

Look for another

next week.



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NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

Lampasas

The local Lions club was invited to be in Georgetown Wednesday and present a program at the regular luncheon of the Georgetown club.

Gerald Coker underwent an operation in a Temple hospital Friday. Wanne Casbeer, who was with him returned Friday night. Miss Christine Davis received severe cuts on her head Saturday night about 8:00 o'clock in a car accident a few miles from Lampasas on the Georgetown road. Voncell Greeson and Miss Davis were driving on the road when their car collided with a car driven by J. E. Harris. Miss Davis received the most severe injuries by the broken glass when the cars collided. Both cars were badly damaged in the impact.

Lampasas has been notified that the R. F. C. has allotted Lampasas county \$2200 for the month of March and the April allotment has been held up for the time being. The amount sent here for January and February was \$1500 and that was allowed the city of Lampasas while this March allotment is for the county.

Friday, a man giving his name as J. M. Lackey sold a quantity of fish to two local ladies. They each gave him a dollar bill and with the pretext that he would have to go get some change left them and failed to return. The sheriff's department was notified and picked the man up near Burnet, bringing him back and placing him in jail. The man stated that his home was near Marble Falls and denied that he had anything to do with the above transaction. — Leader.

Lometa

Mrs. Lawrence Carothers was a week end visitor of Miss Nelda Faye King. On Tuesday of this week Dr. Hicks of Moline was host to the Lampasas County Medical Society. Dinner was served to all members.

The club held its regular meeting March 2, at the home of Mrs. Weatherby, Mrs. J. L. Pickens assisting as hostess. We noticed that W. F. Moore of Bend was in Lometa Tuesday with another truckload of the bean buds, which were to be shipped to Hamilton.

Mrs. John Porter and little daughter, Anna Lee, returned home Wednesday, after a few days visit with Mrs. Porter's father, Mr. Benningfield.

Miss Pearl Camblin and J. K. Reid of Austin were married in a quiet ceremony solemnized at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reid, with only relatives and a few close friends attending. After a short wedding trip, the couple will be at home in Austin. — Reporter.

San Saba

Charley Murray fattened out 11 head of hogs which made him \$44.73 on a 100 bushels of corn.

The vocational agricultural class of the high school will have their second annual Father and Son banquet in the grammar school auditorium on the night of March 30.

The Live Oak community has a unique Sunday school and community service. This Sunday school meets at 7:30 each Sunday night. After the Sunday school closes then the people enjoy community singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilkerson have moved into the Mrs. Dr. H. H. Taylor residence in West End. Mr. Wilkerson is the resident highway engineer located here for the proposed highway work in this county.

Acting upon request of some of the farmers of the Harkeyville community, the services of a representative of the bureau of rodent control service of the U.S. department of agriculture, has been secured to rid their premises of rats.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Harkey, Jr., was shrouded in gloom for the second time within a month when their little son, William Kellas, died Tuesday night at 10:30 p. m. Their little six months and four days old baby died February 7, exactly one month ago. — News

Comanche

Of the 5353 prisoners in the Texas penitentiary on January 1, 1933, Comanche county provided six, according to the report of the Texas prison board.

Luther Metcalf, said to be under a sentence for highway robbery in Oklahoma and wanted as an escaped convict, was captured in Comanche county in the vicinity of May Thursday morning.

Mercer Gap was the first Comanche school to close this year when it ended a five months session Friday. Shortage of funds caused the term to be cut from the expected six months session.

Although the fire insurance penalty of 15 per cent for Comanche remains unchanged from last year, Comanche property owners are now paying an eight per cent higher rate on insurance on their dwellings than they were a year ago.

J. W. Littlejohn former county clerk, suffered painful injuries about the face and head last Thursday night when an automobile ran into a wagon in which Mr. Littlejohn was returning from work on his farm about 8 o'clock in front of the Dan Roberson residence, 2 miles out of Comanche on the Hasse road.

The Hasse oil test, which is about to get under way in one of the sections which has met with favor of the geologists and oil men who have visited Comanche county within the last 20 years. Not only has the location met with favor, but numerous tests made since the original oil boom in Comanche county.

The case of Oris Norwood of Comanche county, given 9 years for rape, was reversed and remanded by the court of criminal appeals at Austin Wednesday. This is the second time the case has been reversed. In the first trial Norwood was given five years. The last conviction was in the spring term of district court.

Miss Cleo Dunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dunn, was seriously burned Sunday morning when her clothes caught on fire while she was standing in front of a fire place at the family residence in northeast Comanche, while her parents and other members of the family were attending church services. Miss Dunn telephoned for help after she had smothered the flames with bed clothing. — Chief

Hamilton

As a result of grand jury investigations twelve bills of indictment, ten felonies and two misdemeanors were reported to the court.

The Willing Workers Sunday school class of the Methodist church will conduct an Apron, Bonnet and Food sale on Saturday, March 11, in the Shockley building.

It is with profoundest sorrow that the loss through death of Mrs. William Secrest is recorded. She was a friend to all people in her small world and her great heart reached out in solicitude and pity universal.

A happy thought came to fruition on last Friday evening when the women of the Liberty P. T. A. entertained with a forty-two party in compliment to the men of their community and the Lions and other business men of Hamilton.

Application had been made for an additional fund of \$6000 from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for Hamilton county for the months of March and April. Hamilton county gets \$2,000 for the month of March.

Miss Daphne Evans of Goldthwaite was in Hamilton Saturday and Sunday with her cousin, Miss Anemone Stiles. She is a beautiful young girl and is popular in a large circle of young friends, who vie with each other in complimenting her with social honors.

The most magnificent specimen of the cat species known as the bobcat ever seen by Hamilton people was exhibited at the Herald-Record office last Friday afternoon. The bobcat had been committing depredations in the McGirk community for some time and hunters had made many efforts to kill or capture the marauding animal, but with-

WE PAY HEAVILY FOR ARSON

"How does the crime of arson take money from my pocket?" is a question that citizens of Texas will find worth investigating. Among the facts which their search will reveal is that incendiary fires headed the list of fire destruction in the state during 1931, causing property damage of \$1,409,870.

"Set" fires are unusually destructive of both life and property, and it is not difficult to see how they affect the individual's pocketbook. They swell the total of fire losses, which is the main basis used by state rating bureaus in determining the cost of fire insurance. Thus every policyholder pays the price of dishonest fires in the cost of his own insurance protection. Again, the property destroyed in arson fires yields no further tax revenue. This decrease must be made up by taxing other property more heavily. Once more the arson thief has his hand in your pocket!

Incendiary fires take a heavy toll of human life because they spread so rapidly, often involving other structures and trapping innocent victims. Firemen lose their lives because of unexpected explosions and collapse of floors and walls.

If a sufficient number of people interest themselves in the problem, the activities of fire bugs can be curtailed sharply. One of the most potent weapons for use in the fight is the Model Arson Law, now in force in numerous states. It should be enacted in all states, as it provides a sure means of bringing fire criminals to justice quickly. Citizens should encourage their local police and fire departments, as well as prosecuting attorneys, to be active in combating dishonest fires.

The American people have paid a heavy penalty for permitting lack of interest in arson fires to give the criminals a freer hand. One year's incendiary costs the nation \$20,000,000 in property damage. Let's stop the fire criminal!

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but success until a party of hunters with the Newton pack of dogs got on the trail of the cat last Thursday night. The dogs caught and killed the fierce fighter. The feline weighed 28 pounds but was not in good flesh. The frame of the animal was unusually large, and in color and grace of line he was a beautiful animal. — Record-Herald.

NEWS ODDITIES

France governs 366 of every 1000 square miles in Africa.

Experiments indicate that oil actually may penetrate metal.

Pound for pound the banana has as much food value as the potato.

More than half of the diamonds produced each year are for industrial use.

Tea grown in India last year was 20,000,000 pounds greater than in the 1931 season.

National forests have been named in honor of Washington, Lincoln, Roosevelt and Cleveland.

Canaries and parrots are the only birds that may be kept in confinement in Missouri with a permit.

Czechoslovakia's largest wheat crop has reduced its present import requirements to about 550,000 tons.

Japanese ex-service men who will be settled in Manchuria will raise wheat, cotton, soya beans and sheep.

One of the world's largest stadia is to be built in Rome for the inter-national soccer football matches in 1934. It will seat 150,000.

The difficult journey across the Sahara Desert, a distance of 1700 miles from north to south, has been achieved by two young Englishmen in a little over four months.

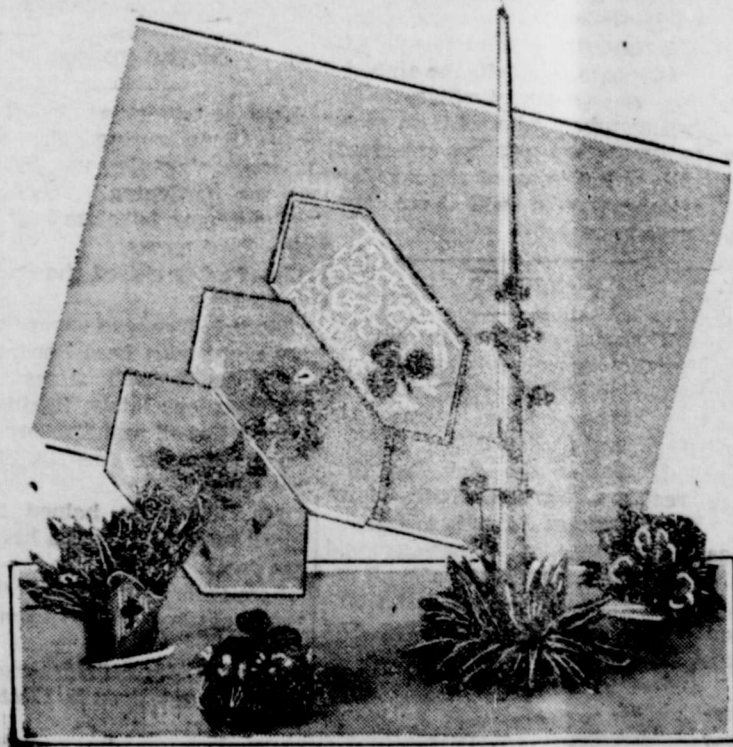
Dr. Robert C. Cook, in charge of the United States Veterans' hospital, Excelsior Springs, Mo., possesses a Red Cross flag flown over Berlin a few days after the world war ended.

Old Dobbin went back in harness recently at Tracy, Minn., when a meat market abandoned its automobile delivery service. The butcher said it was cheaper to buy oats than gasoline.

Thirty years ago, when college sport numerals were awarded freshmen, Ed Hamilton was a sixteenletter player for Vanderbilt University. He played football, baseball, basket ball and competed in track events.

Europe's oldest woman barber, Frau Zosel, who lives in a little town near Reichenberg, Germany, celebrated her 90th birthday.

BEAUTY in the HOME



Modern Home Decoration Service

Gay Decorations For The St. Patrick's Day Table

ST. Patrick's Day is nearly here, bringing to mind the little green isle where the shamrocks grow and, as usual, being the occasion for dinner parties, luncheons, bridge parties and even the newest of social gatherings, the jig saw luncheon. The picture above gives an idea of how very lovely and yet simple hand craft table decorations may be made in honor of the day. Cellophane is cut from a green roll into a nine-inch strip. Fold lengthwise through the center and refold several times. Cut into petal divisions, 1 inch long by 2 1/4 wide. Open and crush together over a knitting needle. Then crush the petals together and tie around the base of the candle. The spiral

shamrock vine is made from wire wrapped in green crepe paper, to which shorter wires have been twisted bearing on their ends shamrock seeds.

The favors are green of the same material, seven inches in diameter cut into petals, pleated by rolling the semi-circle into a small tube and pulling it through the fingers opened fan-shaped, pasted on the front of a cigarette package and bearing a St. Patrick's place card. A small nut cup is covered with crepe paper streamers pasted neatly and a shamrock cut-out pasted at the top. Shamrock, harp and other green cut-outs may be pasted on the paper napkins in keeping with the other decorations. ©

day and was honored by the mayor and others who refuse to be shamed by anyone else.

A bullet that lodged in the leg of Elmer Pingree during a Mexican skirmish, while he was in the regular army, recently worked itself out. At the time he was wounded, Pingree, was told by an army surgeon to leave the bullet alone.

Cherry Valley, N. Y., voters will decide whether to pay salaries to the mayor and trustees or have the officials donate their services after March 21. A petition recently acquired the necessary signatures to put the proposal to a vote. If approved, it will become effective April 1.

Assemblyman Luke O'Reilly of New York, Democrat, has the distinction of being the only legislator this year who has not introduced a single bill. "It costs the state \$300 for every bill put in," he said. "Let it go down in the record that Luke O'Reilly wasted none of the state's money in the year 1933."

The Westchester, N. Y., County Treasurer's office sent out 1090 checks dated Feb. 24, 1935. Recipients, all working for the emergency work bureau, telephoned Treasurer Charles H. Miller, to ask if they had to wait two years. Mr. Miller called every bank in the county and asked them to honor the checks. He explained they had been set up and printed on a machine and the mistake was not discovered until 1000 had been run off.

How Doctors Treat Colds and Coughs

To break up a cold overnight and relieve the congestion that makes you cough, thousands of physicians are now recommending Calotabs, the nameless calomel compound tablets that give you the effects of calomel and salts without the unpleasant effects of either.

One or two Calotabs at bedtime with a glass of sweet milk or water. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you wish, — no danger.

Calotabs are sold in 10c and 35c packages at drug stores. (Adv)

The society of Independent Artists, New York City, has received a dozen paintings from Clinton prison. Dannemora, an institution better known for riots than artistic production. The paintings are the work of convict students in the prison's art class.

Man's Heart Stopped Stomach Gas Cause

W. L. Adams was bloated with gas that his heart often missed beats after eating. Adversity rid him of his gas and he eats anything and feels fine. — Hudson Bros., Druggists.

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. . . pennies would pay your electric bill

THE penny is Uncle Sam's smallest coin but it does a big job when it is spent for electric service. There is scarcely a household task that electricity will not perform for pennies or fractions of pennies. One cent, for example, will keep a refrigerator cold three hours. It will furnish an hour and fifteen minutes of

radio entertainment. It will percolate seven cups of coffee. It will provide two hours of cooling breezes. It will make toast for four people. It will light a lamp for several hours. It will clean two rugs or wash a tubful of clothes. In fact, if you paid for your electricity as you used it, pennies would pay your electric bill.

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THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

Mrs. Flora Jackson went to Valley Mills Monday to the funeral of her aunt.

Mrs. Joe A. Palmer and Mrs. Sparks Bigham were visitors to San Saba Tuesday night, having been invited there to serve as judges in a declamation contest in the High school.

PRODUCE MARKET

We are paying the following prices today:

- Eggs, per doz. 6c
- Heavy Hens per pound 7c
- Light Hens, per pound 5c
- Roosters per lb. 3c
- Spring Chicks, per pound 10c
- Turkey Hens, per pound 7c
- Turkey Toms, per pound 5c
- Turkeys, No. 2 per pound 3c

MILLS COUNTY COLD STORAGE & PRODUCE CO.

Mrs. C. L. Featherston is visiting her children in the Kelly community.

Mrs. McGary of Cross Plains visited her aunt, Mrs. Rube, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Featherston visited his sister, Mrs. Patridge, in Kelly community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oma Weatherby of Pecos spent part of this week with their relatives here and at Lometa.

O. O. Lester, merchant of Caradan, was a business visitor to this city Wednesday and made the Eagle an appreciated call.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Steen, Jr., last Thursday. Mrs. Steen's condition has been quite serious this week, but she is reported improved this morning.

Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Ivins left yesterday for Whitewright, their future home, he having accepted a call to the pastorate of the Baptist church at that place.

Before leaving for Whitewright Rev. G. C. Ivins purchased a new automobile, his other car having been stolen last week. The officers are still following clues in search for the stolen car, but so far have not recovered it.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Killeffer of Ohio, who have been spending the winter in California, came by way of Goldthwaite on their return trip home and stopped for a short visit with the Moreland family. They, with Mrs. Virginia McGirk and Mary Louise McGirk and Mr. and Mrs. Will Moreland visited Tuesday night in the C. G. Featherston home.

MR. CONRO PASSED AWAY

Mr. L. R. Conro died at his home in this city Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock, after an illness that kept him confined to his bed less than two weeks, but was recognized as critical from the first. Early last week he was carried to a sanitarium in Temple, where specialists examined him and, concurring in the diagnosis of his local physician, recommended he be brought home and given X-ray treatment, but his condition was such that his life could not be saved.

Mr. Conro was a pioneer citizen of this county and city. He located in the Priddy community fifty-five years ago and lived there until 1890, when he moved to Goldthwaite, where he continued to reside until his passing away. He was identified with the business interests of the town from the beginning of his residence here and acquired some valuable business and residence property, which is still owned by his estate. He built the first telephone exchange that ever served Goldthwaite and after operating it for a few years sold it to the West Texas Telephone Co., a predecessor of the company, now in charge of that business.

Mr. Conro was an outstanding member of the Masonic fraternity and was doubtless one of the best informed men in Mills county on Masonry. He was grand treasurer of the Texas Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, and had held other positions under the Grand Lodge of the state and enjoyed an unusually extensive acquaintance among members of that fraternity. He had not missed attending a meeting of the Grand Lodge of Texas for more than forty years and was a Knight Templar and a Shriner.

His funeral was conducted by the Masonic fraternity Wednesday afternoon and burial was made in the cemetery at this place. A representative of the Grand High Priest of Texas Royal Arch Masons conducted the Masonic ceremony and representatives of other branches of the fraternity also attended the funeral. The religious services at the home were conducted by Rev. S. O. Hammond, pastor of the Methodist church of this city, in which church he had held membership for a number of years. Rev. G. C. Ivins, pastor of the Baptist church, also assisted in conducting the services in the home, before the body was carried to the cemetery.

Mr. Conro is survived by his wife, one son, two daughters, three grandchildren and many friends throughout the county and elsewhere.

BOZAR

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walker entertained the young people with a party Monday night.

Mrs. Sparks Bigham and Mary Margaret of Goldthwaite, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Graves and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sanderson sat until bedtime Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Davis.

Mrs. Roy Walker and Inez Calaway spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Faulkner in Goldthwaite.

Mrs. Dan Calaway of Goldthwaite, Mrs. Lily Smith and Katy Evelyn visited Tuesday evening with Mrs. Shields and daughter.

Miss Jackie Walker spent Sunday with Amber Florence Graves.

Miss Odessa Davis visited Lee Ruth Graves Sunday.

Miss Millie Frances Hutchings entertained her friends with a party Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sanderson visited awhile Monday with Mrs. Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Davis visited relatives Sunday at Sleepy Hollow.

Mrs. C. H. Sanderson and Juanita visited awhile in the Graves home Monday evening.

Miss Marie Stuck spent Saturday night with Milly Frances Hutchings.

Johnnie Graves spent Sunday with Arvid Calaway.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Garner and family and Misses Mable Lillian and Lee Ruth Graves went to Brownwood Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Huffman spent Monday with her grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Randles.

Mrs. Edith McWhorter and Mrs. M. C. Collier of Goldthwaite visited awhile Thursday evening with Mrs. Roy Walker.

JUNK —OR— JEWELRY?

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During the past few years the markets have been flooded with cheap imitations of fine merchandise—false bargains that betray the buyer!

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As a professional jeweler of long standing in the community, it's part of our service to keep you from throwing your money away on Junk, when you intend to buy Jewelry.

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TENNIS CLUB IS ORGANIZED

In response to many suggestions, Dr. R. A. Swanger has constructed a first class tennis court on his property fronting on highway 81, and the Delta Tennis club, open to the public, has been formed with Frank McDermott acting secretary. Charter members are now being enrolled at the reduced rate of \$2 dues per year. As soon as the minimum membership has been attained, the dues will be increased to \$5 per year.

Full information about the club may be obtained from Mr. McDermott, and applications for membership will be received by him.

The court is one of the fastest in this section, is absolutely level and smooth, is full regulation size and has backstops and sidelines high enough to keep the balls in easy reach.

Rules are now being drawn up for submission to the members, which provide for all players being insured an equal amount of playing time and which will prevent any of the players from monopolizing the court. As soon as the membership increases sufficiently, additional courts will be built.

Visitors are invited to inspect the court and to join the club. A small charge per set will be made non-members who wish to play at times that will not interfere with the playing of the regular members, who will have the preference.

RATLER

There were nineteen out at Sunday school Sunday. Let us try to do better next Sunday.

Odorie Renfro spent the week end in Big Valley.

Those on the sick list this week are Jimmie Griffith, Clarie Langford and Patsy Sue Wallace.

We were sorry to lose our good neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Taz Renfro. They moved to Mullin.

Mr. and Mrs. Spradling and little daughter went visiting last Sunday. We failed to learn where.

Mrs. Spradling visited in the Woods' home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. May Partridge and Mrs. Edna Curtis visited in the Griffith home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Edna Curtis visited Mrs. Raymond Stewart Saturday morning.

Charley Griffith took his little son to the doctor Sunday morning.

Those that visited in the Wallace home Sunday were Mrs. Renfro and children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stewart, Jewel and Elsie Collier.

Omar Bell has been batching the last week.

Raymond Stewart has been hauling feed for John Smith.

BANQUET AT MULLIN

(Continued from page 1)
ton, Miss Sybil Guthrie, Miss Laura Nelson.
Piano solo: Stars and Stripes Forever—Mrs. Walter Kemp.
Address: Four Hundred Years of Texas—Mr. M. Y. Stokes, Jr.
Song: The Eyes of Texas Are Upon You—By all.
Toastmaster—Supt. J. M. Scott.

The entire program was enjoyable, but Mr. Thompson's earnest appreciation of the school and the Tattler, and Mr. Stokes' inspiring address on "Texas" were especially well received. Mrs. Stokes held her audience spell-bound with her marvelous vocal renditions.

Credit is due to the junior sponsor, Miss Nelson, and to the members of the junior class for their originality and untiring effort in successfully staging such an entertainment.

Guests, other than juniors, seniors and faculty members, were Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, Jr., and Miss Ruby Lee Dickerson of Goldthwaite; Mr. Jack Kilgore of Brownwood, Mrs. F.M. Tillman, Mrs. S. V. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. George Fletcher and Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Brown of Mullin. **Apparel of Students and Guests Colorful**

The junior and senior girls were resplendent in crisp, new frocks with close-fitting waists and bouffant skirts and sleeves, and the boys looked no less handsome in their well-cut, dark suits and their hair set in waves suited to the contour of their manly faces.

The faculty members were so well-dressed that the students scarcely recognized them as their every-day, dignified instructors. Miss Nelson wore a natty tailored black frock, Miss Guthrie a tan, flat crepe sports frock, Miss Hancock a dainty pink crepe with shoulder bouquet of green and pink, Miss Mabel Smith a creation of lace, Miss Dalton, soft flowered chiffon, Miss Mills gorgeous blue crepe and Mrs. Scott, a black, transparent velvet, princess frock. Mrs. Stokes wore a handsome, heavy grey crepe creation, Mrs. Thompson, rich brown velvet, Mrs. Fletcher, soft green flat crepe, Mrs. Tillman a dark brown frock, Mrs. Brown a stunning blue embroidered crepe, Miss Dickerson pink chiffon, edged with white fur, Mrs. Walter Kemp, black and white knitted sports frock.

Banquet Marks Milepost in Students' Lives

The annual junior-senior banquet becomes each year a marking stone in the life of every junior and senior who participates. Those who are fortunate enough to receive invitations to this affair come to do honor to these inspiring young men and women, and they, too, receive benefits from such associations.

BULLS CREEK

Most everyone seems to be busy these spring like days. Some are planting corn and others are gardening.

The women folks are kept busy with the turkeys.

Joe Parker visited the McConeals Monday.

Virginia Dennard spent Saturday night with Lore Renfro.

Charlie Boswell seems to be the lucky one lately, fishing.

Fred Nowell and Barkley Renfro fixed fence for Mr. Nowell last week.

Mr. Wilkerson helped Frank Insall build a bridge on his place one day last week.

Lem Sellers and daughter, Ve-sevus, made a trip to town Saturday.

Mrs. Jenkins left last week for a visit to relatives in West Texas.

An agent for Singer Sewing machine was in the community Monday.

Will Wingfield hauled a load of higeria from Frank Insall's for Mr. Nowell one day last week.

Odorie Renfro from Ratler was visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Nowell Sunday.

Mrs. Opal Oneal visited her parents Sunday, the Renfro family.

Mrs. J. T. Ambrick spent several days last week with her brother, Charlie Boswell. She lives in the China creek community.

While this is being written, a cool norther is blowing.

SCALLORN

We are having some pretty sunshine these days and everything is growing fast.

Everyone is busy planting corn now.

Walter Ford and wife and girl, spent last week end in Austin with their children who are in school there.

Mrs. C. H. Black spent last week in Brownwood visiting relatives.

Charles Wright and family spent last week end in Mrs. Ora Black's home.

Mrs. Kate Johnson and daughter, her husband and children from San Saba spent Friday and Saturday in R. D. Evans' home.

Mrs. Chadwick and daughters, Miss Ima Chadwick of Brownwood, and Mrs. Ora Bristow of Chadwick, spent one evening last week in Mr. and Mrs. Morgan's home.

Mrs. T. J. Laughlin spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. McClain, in Goldthwaite.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Goodboy of Austin ate dinner with Mrs. Goodboy's aunt, Mrs. Morgan, Sunday.

Fleming Ford is helping Sherwood shear muttons this week.

Mrs. Lula Morrison returned home after spending several months at Miles with her sisters and brothers and other relatives.

W. E. Stevenson, wife and Mr. Hunt and Dee Jones and wife attended the show at Lometa Saturday night.

Mrs. Dutch Smith spent one day last week in Frank Eckert's home.

Bro. J.R. Davis of Rock Springs will preach at Scallorn church Saturday night before the fourth Sunday, also at eleven o'clock Sunday, the 26th. He was a pastor here several years ago and he wants to come back and see his old friends. So let's have a full house for him to preach to. There will also be dinner on the grounds.

CARD OF THANKS

To the many friends whose acts of kindness and whose words of sympathy aided and comforted us during our overshadowing bereavement, we wish to express our heartfelt thanks. We appreciate the beautiful floral offerings and your other expressions of sympathy more than we can say.

Dr. and Mrs. BROOKING, MRS. A. L. JONES, CHARLES WEEMS, JAMES WEEMS.

NOTICE!

We will grind and season your meat for chili or sausage. Very reasonable charges.—Bill's Caf and Market.

CITY ELECTION ORDERED

An election is hereby ordered held in the City of Goldthwaite, Texas, on Saturday, April within the hours prescribed by law, for the purpose of electing three aldermen, the terms Aldermen Neal Dickerson, Joe Palmer and W. J. Weatherby expiring at this time. The election will be open to all qualified voters and will be conducted in accordance with the Texas election law. H. G. BODKIN, Mayor.

PRICES SLASHED!

I am reducing my laundry prices to 25c a dozen, where materials are furnished and 30c a dozen, when materials are furnished. Work suits 25c finished.—Mrs. Pearl Hollis.

CLASSIFIED

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

Beginning March 1 these prices on Clean, Fresh, Jersey Milk: 1 pint, 2 cents; 1 quart, 4 cents; 1 gallon, 15 cents. Cream 1/2-pint, 8 cents; 1 pint, 15 cents. That same rich Milk and Cream you have been getting. Picked 1617F21.—Corts' Dairy.

For Rent—Nice four-room house, water, cow pasture, garden spot included. See R. Armstrong.

FOR SALE CHEAP CHEVROLET COUPE J. R. FULTON GOLDTHWAITE

Stray Pig—Duroc sow, well about 60 pounds. Owner learn her whereabouts by paying for this notice.

For Sale—Jersey cow—S. Smith, Tex.-La. Power Co. off.

Country Lard—Fine quality pure country lard for sale in quantity.—Mrs. H. J. Robb, route 4.

Melba Theatre

FRIDAY—SATURDAY

"Rackety Rax"

with VICTOR McLAGLEN and GRETA NISSEN

NO SHOW SUNDAY OR MONDAY OF THIS WEEK

SPECIALS At ARCHER'S Friday and Saturday

- 5 lbs. bulk Rice 18c
- 3 cans Lye 20c
- 2 lb. pkg. choice Prunes 17c
- 3 cans Vienna Sausage 16c
- K. C. Baking Powder, can 21c
- 5 lb. package Oats 17c

1 lb. sliced Breakfast Bacon, 1 dozen Eggs and 1 loaf Bread all for 25c

- 10 lbs. Irish Potatoes 18c
- Medium size Broom 23c
- 48 lb. sack good Flour 71c

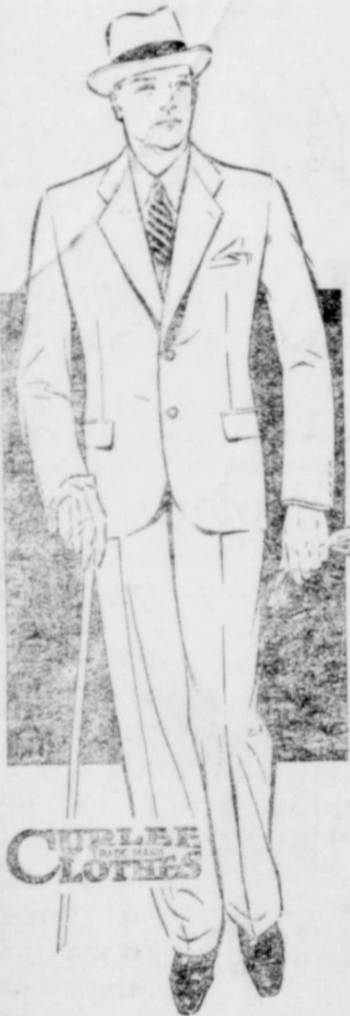
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