

# THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE

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## Fine Showing For County

The county auditors completed their report this week and submitted it to the commissioners court Tuesday. It makes a fine showing for the county and makes a most creditable one for the officers and those in charge of the county's business as well as for the general citizenship.

The official reports and records were all found in good shape and none of them are subject to criticism, while much praise is due for the manner of handling the county's business.

The report shows a net decrease of \$7,525.45 in the receipts of the county for 1933, because of the lower tax renditions and the decrease in values, together with the increase in delinquent taxes, yet the general condition of the county's business is better than 1932. Allowing a credit for the payments for highway rights-of-way during 1933 shows the county to be better off by \$4,126.35, than it was on December 31, 1932.

This report gives every item in detail and is a most favorable and satisfactory showing and proves a most economical administration.

### A NEW POSTMASTER

Goldthwaite now has a new postmaster. R. F. McDermott having resigned the position, which he held for about a year and a half, Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, jr., was named acting postmaster and entered upon her duties Wednesday morning.

Mr. McDermott and his helpers gave the patrons of the office excellent service and were always courteous and accommodating. The announcement of his resignation was a surprise to most of the people of the town and the patrons of the postoffice. It is understood he will hereafter devote his entire time to his private business, which includes two fine farms, one west of town and the other in the Fridley community.

A. M. Hunt, jr., who has been one of the most efficient helpers in the office since Mr. McDermott took charge and was employed for a time with A. J. Harrison, who preceded Mr. McDermott, has been retained in the office and his knowledge of the duties and details of the work will be of much help in keeping the service up to a high standard.

Mr. A. J. Harrison, who served as postmaster here for twenty-five years, with but short intermissions, is assisting Mrs. Stokes in familiarizing herself with the work. His personal business requires too much of his time to allow him to become a regular assistant, but he is giving friendly aid to the new postmaster and at the same time is unselfishly helping to keep the service up to the standard maintained under his administration.

Gaylord Mullan, who was one of Mr. McDermott's assistants and is very popular with all the people, resigned before the change in postmasters took place and left last Saturday night for Wichita Falls, where he has a nice position with a former employer. His resignation is sincerely regretted by the postmaster and the patrons of the office.

### P. T. A.

The Parent-Teachers Association met Tuesday, April 10, for the last time this school term. The first grade room mothers were hostesses.

Mary Margaret Bigham, Ouida Gray and Allen Martin presented an interesting program. In the absence of President Hoover, who is in the hospital, Mrs. Jacob Saylor, conducted the business meeting.

The fifth grade won the prize for having the largest representation. REPORTER

## Methodist Notes

The weather man came to his right understand and gave us some real weather Sunday. After all the moisture, so much needed and appreciated during the week, we were blessed with a bright day. This gave the people a fine chance to look after their spiritual interests. This they did with great enthusiasm.

At both the morning and evening hours, the house was filled with interested worshippers. At the evening hour the house was filled to capacity and many were turned away. Bro. McKay preached two great sermons, and the people were well pleased and greatly benefitted. The Sunday school was well attended.

Our song leader, Mr. Harrison, left us earlier in the week. He was up to the very best in his business, but really we never missed him. The pastor laid violent hand on Mr. Dew, who can always be depended upon to do some other things besides run the best bank in Texas. He is leading the song service, and getting as good results as any professional. If you have any doubts about this you should come to church. You ought to do this anyway, as a tribute to your own intelligence, and for the good of your soul.

Bro. J. E. Lovett, our efficient presiding elder, was with us part of last week. He deserves great credit for coming, but absolutely none for remaining. As a matter of fact, he had his choice in the matter. The sequel of this was in the fact that the Colorado river was discharging an impediment to his leaving in way of a great yellow flood, and even if it had not been for the Colorado the San Saba held some terrors to his departure. It seems that Bro. Lovett rather fell in love with us, with his closer acquaintance. At any rate, he is to return and preach for us next Sunday morning. We may give up a place in the church so that you may hear him, if you will show sufficient interest to come early, otherwise your seat may be taken.

Who would not live in Texas! It may show up a blizzard occasionally. Storms may sweep over the country at rather irregular intervals; a dust storm may sweep out from the west and cause the newcomer to think that the Judgment day is at hand. But with all these, and many other irregularities, Texas is an attractive place in which to live. If you are a newcomer, or for any reason have doubts as to the real joy of living in Texas, go out in some of the pastures and get a good look at the far-famed bluebonnets that are at this time growing in such profusion, and you will be convinced the truth of what I have said, unless you are such a hardened old sinner that you do not have a proper appreciation of the beautiful. I have seen some of the most beautiful parks and flower gardens in the country, but to my mind nothing surpasses in real beauty the indescribable luxury of the wild flowers of Texas.

All that is here said applies in a peculiar way to Mills county. It is not considered among the most fertile of the Texas counties, but there is a beauty among (Continued on Page 4)

### DISTRICT MEET

Supt. A. H. Smith and Mrs. J. S. Bowles, from the Goldthwaite high school, will accompany about fifteen contestants to the district meet of the Interscholastic League at Brownwood today. Mr. Smith will be in charge of the department of extemporaneous speaking for high schools and also the three R contest.

Tomorrow eight or ten representatives of the athletic department of Goldthwaite schools will attend the meet, under the direction of Prof. Cloninger and will likely be accompanied by other representatives of the schools.

## School Trustees Were Elected

Three members of the Goldthwaite school board were elected Saturday, to succeed three members whose terms expired at that time. While there were no candidates, several names were placed on the tickets in response to petitions and the election attracted an unusually heavy vote, 341 having been cast. The three receiving the largest number of votes were declared elected and have already assumed their duties.

The total of votes cast shows: E. A. Obenhaus 219 W. D. Clements 218 J. R. Parker 203 R. V. Littlepage 143 L. A. Soules 126 H. W. Allen 123

### County Board

Members of the county board elected were: W. M. Johnston for Precinct No. 1, Joe Langford for No. 2, E. K. Wood for No. 4, R. C. Duren, the member for precinct 3 and J. M. Geeslin for the county at large hold over to next year, their terms not having expired at this time.

### Rural Trustees

All rural schools were required to hold elections for one or more members of their school boards and it is supposed elections were held in all districts. In cases where elections were not held the boards in such districts will be filled by appointment.

### SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

The school board met in regular session last Monday night. Along with the transaction of the routine business, a report from the trustee election last Saturday was heard, showing W. D. Clements, E. A. Obenhaus, and J. R. Parker to have been elected. These men were immediately inducted into office. The new board perfected its organization for the ensuing year by electing D. O. Simpson, president; J. E. Greathouse, vice president; W. D. Clements, secretary.

The resignation of Mrs. Roy Rowntree was presented and accepted, she having moved away. Jim Long was appointed to fill her unexpired term. Monday evening, April 16, was set as the time for the next meeting. At this time it is probable that a number of teachers will be elected.

### DROWNED NEAR LOMETA

The daily papers yesterday carried a report of the drowning of a Lometa lady in a creek near that place. It said: "A woman's body, tentatively identified as that of Mrs. D. H. Teal of Lometa, Texas, was recovered from the Colorado river 12 miles west of Austin Monday night.

"Mrs. Teal was drowned in Six Mile creek Monday. The creek is tributary of the Colorado, and it was believed the body was carried from the smaller stream into the river."

### GARDEN CLUB

The Garden club will meet next Friday afternoon in the home of its president, Mrs. J. G. Berry, on Fisher street. All ladies interested in flowers and shrubs, as well as all who desire to assist in beautifying the city, are invited to attend the meeting. The membership roll is open to all who wish to join the club and take part in its work for the beautification of the home yards and surroundings.

### SPECIAL EASTER PROGRAM IS GIVEN BY CHOIRS

A special Easter program, entitled "Easter Tide," consisting of singing and descriptive readings from the Bible was given by the Methodist and Presbyterian choirs at the Methodist church Sunday night under the direction of Mrs. Edward Geeslin.—Brady Standard.

## Final Report For Ginning

The department of commerce makes a final report on the ginning in the county, of the 1933 crop, as reported by the ginner of the county to that department and the special agent. It shows that there were 9245 bales ginned, as compared with 5901 from the crop of 1932.

### DAIRY CATTLE PROGRAM

The dairy adjustment program now being prepared provides for an average reduction of 10 per cent below the high average of 1932-33.

Benefit payments of 40 cents a pound on butterfat and \$1.50 a hundred pounds on fluid milk, will be paid.

The processing tax per pound of butterfat content will be from one to five cents.

For purchase and distribution of healthy cows to needy farm families, the sum of \$5,000,000 has been set aside.

Benefit payments for Texas is estimated at \$4,455,000.

Meetings are being held in 48 states this week for the purpose of setting up organization machinery.

### Correction of Hog-Corn

Amendments to paragraph 3 (c) of the hog-corn contract provides that acreage planted to soy beans, cowpeas, field peas, and other annual legumes shall not be construed as feed crops. This means that these crops may be increased without violating the contract.

Another amendment allows the planting of increased acreage to the following sorghums: Black Amber, Kansas Orange, Leoti Red, Sudan grass, Red Amber, Honey, Gooseneck, Sourless, Denton, Red X, Colman, Collier, McLean, Folger, Sapling, Planter and Waconia Amber.

These amendments only permit increased acreages of these crops, but do not permit planting these crops on rented corn acres as was first thought.

Hog-Corn Association Organizer The producers of Commissioned Precinct 2 met at Center City Tuesday and organized a local Hog-Corn Association, with Willis Hill, president; Roy Simpson, vice president; Jim Soules and G. D. Byrd.

Organization meetings will be held at Mullin and Ebony today at 10 o'clock and in the district court room at Goldthwaite Saturday at 10 o'clock.

It is important that every contract signer attend these meetings to vote for officers of their local association and to sign other copies of the contract. These steps are necessary that checks come promptly.

### Cotton Options

Producers are advised that cotton options already called or pooled are done with, so far as control is concerned. The department will sell the pools and remit in due time. However, many certificates are still in the hands of producers and are being called for by May 1. Newspapers are carrying this call, which does not apply to producers who have already pooled or called.

All 1934-35 Mills county cotton tabulations are still in the hands of the district cotton reviewing board at Abilene.

### EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

Subject: The voice of our church Song. Scripture reading—Harold Yarborough. Leader—Ima Lois Bayley. The general conference—John Boland. How the work is done—Mary Ellen Trent. The conference legislates for us—Florine Woody. Have you questions for the general conference—Doyle Wilson. Worship in closing. Song: I Love Thy Kingdom Lord

## Commissioners Monthly Session

Commissioners court was in session Monday and Tuesday, with all members present and Judge Patterson presiding. The business of the county was checked over, accounts and reports audited and the report of the county auditors received.

A good part of the session was required in checking over the tax rolls and the collections for 1933 and everything was found in good shape.

A jury of view, composed of A. J. Cockrum, W. W. Saylor, J. D. Nix, C. M. Bramblett and E. O. Priddy, was appointed to look over the route for a new road running north of Becker mountain to the eastern part of the Washboard community.

The highway money was divided to the precincts from which it was collected. Precinct No. 1 received \$360.60; No. 2 \$191.68; No. 3, \$276.02; No. 4, \$178.28.

### BAPTIST CIRCLE NO. 1

On Monday, April 9, Circle No. 1 of the First Baptist church entertained with a lovely party for Mrs. F. E. Swanner, in the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rudd, on Fisher street.

A delightful program was rendered of music, readings and a lively contest was thoroughly enjoyed by a host of friends, who had gathered for this splendid occasion.

Friendships were renewed and the evening was spent in much gaiety; Circle No. 1 proving themselves honor hostesses.

The lovely home was decorated in cut flowers, with blue and pink the color scheme.

The refreshment plate was dainty and delicious ice cream and cake was served to near 50 guests. REPORTER

### CLUB MEETING

The Art and Civic club met in regular session with Mrs. M. Y. Stokes, jr. as hostess in the home of her mother, Mrs. R. M. Thompson. A very interesting study was led by Mrs. W. P. McCullough, on "Our Country." At the close of the program Mrs. Marvin Hodges and Mrs. Jake Saylor gave interesting reports from the meeting of the Sixth District of Federated Clubs recently held at Sweetwater. During the social hour the hostess served a delicious salad course with coffee and cake. REPORTER

### WHERE CREDIT IS DUE

In a report from the district tournament of one-act plays for the Interscholastic League last week, some of the daily papers credited Goldthwaite with winning first place, when the credit should have gone to Center City. The young people of the cast, as well as their director, Miss Keese, are entitled to much credit for their success. The victory was by no means an easy one and is, therefore, decidedly creditable to all concerned.

### STATE MUSIC MEET

Goldthwaite will be represented by probably eighteen members of the high school glee club, under direction of Mrs. S. P. Sullivan, at Baylor College, Belton, in the State Music Meet, today and tomorrow. There will likely be other friends and music lovers accompany them, as well as their director, and their friends at home are expecting them to sustain the fine record they have already established.

### NO DEVELOPMENTS

E. B. Gilliam, jr., director of relief for this county, reports no new developments or instructions since the last publication of rules and requirements, hence the rules as set forth at that time still obtain.

There have been some changes in the state committee at Austin, but that will probably have no bearing on the local relief situation.

## Baptist Reminder

There was a good audience at the morning service yesterday. We had 172 actually present in Sunday school.

Haynes Harrison insists that the Athens class is picking up in interest, in view of the fact that he is taking a vacation this month. I am not saying whether this is true or not. For fear that some of the Athens crowd don't know who this substitute teacher is, I suggest that you come to the door next Sunday morning at 10:00 and Jim Rudd, who is general substitute director of our church activities, will tell you.

I will preach Sunday morning on the subject "Sabbath Observance." I will try to tell you how to keep the ox out of the ditch on Saturday. Sunday night I will speak on the subject "Goldthwaite's Meanest Man," and call him by name. Come and be with us.

FRANKLIN E. SWANNER

### TALENT APPRECIATED

The friends here of Mrs. Norma Stolzenbach of Cleveland, Ohio, nee Miss Norma Frizzell of Goldthwaite, are delighted to know her talent is appreciated by the people of the city where she now makes her home. A reporter club in one of the papers of that city says in part:

Sorosis presented Monday afternoon, for the first time on any stage, the dramatic poem, "Jephthah," written by Mrs. Joseph A. Dupuis, a member of the club. The production was beautiful. It was one of the loveliest things Sorosis ever has presented and there have been many outstanding Sorosis programs in its years of existence. . . . The cast was composed of Sorosis members and was exceptional. Mrs. Norma Stolzenbach as narrator completely captivated the audience. . . . Outstanding in Mrs. Stolzenbach's narration was her exquisite voice and diction.

### DETAILS OF ACCIDENT

A full account of the accident that cost the life of Dr. Ray Hamilton Skaggs of the Army flying field, San Antonio, was given in the San Antonio papers and has been furnished the Eagle by friends of the family here.

Capt. R. H. Skaggs, a student in the school of aviation medicine at Randolph Field, fell to his death from a plane piloted by Lieut. Samuel W. Van Meter, in one of the air corp's strangest fatalities, it was revealed this morning.

When Lieut. Van Meter landed his plane at Randolph Field last night at 10 o'clock, after a training flight to Laredo, he was dumfounded to find that Capt. Skaggs, his passenger, was missing.

Mexican Farmer Finds Body Capt. Skaggs' body was found early this morning by a Mexican farmer named Castro. He notified R. A. Pfeil, a Kirby merchant, who reported to Randolph Field.

The body had fallen in a plowed field, and barely missed striking a cultivator, the farmer said. It was badly mangled.

The officer's parachute was attached to his body, but the rip cord had not been pulled, according to Randolph Field officers. A parachute is opened by pulling the rip cord.

Capt. Skaggs' disappearance was reported to headquarters immediately by Lieut. Van Meter, but officers at the field were against a blank wall so far as conducting a search at that time was concerned.

Early this morning headquarters at Randolph Field received a telephone call from Pfeil that (Continued on page 8)

## Fifth Sunday Program

Mills County Missionary Baptist Fifth Sunday meeting program, to be held with Big Valley Baptist church, beginning Friday night, April 27, lasting thru Sunday.

The music for all the meeting will be in charge of the committee composed of the following: Mrs. Lawson, Mrs. Oglesby and Miss Flora Weaver.

Friday night song service at 8 o'clock and sermon immediately following by Bro. Homer Starnes.

### Saturday Morning

10:00 a. m.—Song service. 10:15 a. m.—A Closer Walk With God—By Bro. Bedford Renfro. 10:45 a. m.—Special music by committee.

10:50 a. m.—God Directing Our Temporal Affairs to Work His Spiritual Purpose In Our Lives—By W. P. Weaver.

11:20 a. m.—Recent Developments In District Mission Work Throughout Our States—By Rev. Asa Franklin, Avanti pastor First Baptist church, Lampasas.

12:00-1:00—Lunch by local church.

1:00-1:30—Board meeting. 1:30-1:45—Song service. 1:45-2:15—Financing a Rural Church—By Rev. Gage, Lampasas.

2:15-3:00—Loyalty to the Purpose of the Local Church and Denomination—By Rev. Jim Nicholson.

8:00—Song service. 8:30—Is the Baptist Church a New Testament Church—By Bro. Franklin E. Swanner.

### Sunday Morning

10:00-11:00—Sunday school. 11:00-12:00—Sermon, Rev. Jas. L. Smart.

1:30-2:00—Song praise service. 2:00-2:30—Christian Fellowship—Bro. J. R. Davis.

2:30—Program by women of the county.

### Sunday Night

8:00—Song Service. 8:30—Sermon by Bro. Jim Hays.

### PLANNING FOR GAS

While in Fort Worth this week City Attorney F. P. Bowman called on Hawley, Freeze & Nickols, engineers representing Moore & Son in the gas project for this city. He was informed they are awaiting approval of the project at Washington, which is expected in the near future. The project has been approved in all particulars by the PWA office in Fort Worth and the Washington approval is the next step in completion of the plans.

### THE POLITICAL POT

There is not much doing in a political way in Mills county, although there is some interest in the state campaign. No new county candidates have appeared this week and the probabilities are that the candidate crop for the county has been harvested. There are a few more district candidates to make their announcements and the state campaign has scarcely gotten under way. There will be a lot doing in politics before July 28 and the voters will likely get all the information they need as to platforms and policies.

### CHAS. L. SOUTH

Judge Chas. L. South of Coleman, candidate for congress from this district, was meeting friends in this city yesterday. He placed his announcement in the Eagle and a more extended notice will appear next week.

### TRADES DAY

Monday will be Trades Day in Goldthwaite and preparations will be completed for making a success of the occasion. People will be here with trading stock and other property, some will have stock to sell and the merchants will offer special bargains.

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W. D. Clements made a visit to Lometa Monday, to look after business matters.

Investigation will prove Goldthwaite to be one of the best wool and mohair markets to be found.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hicks of Brownwood were here Tuesday visiting relatives and looking after business matters.

Supt. A. H. Smith and family visited friends in Lampasas Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Skaggs of Winters met them there and spent some time with them.

Howard Trent of Beverly Hills, Cal., came in last week end for a visit to his daughters and other relatives. He was reared here and has a great many friends hereabouts who are always glad to meet with him.

Mrs. William K. Cobb entertained members and guests of her bridge club with a delightful party on Friday evening, the Easter motif being carried out in decorations and tallies. — Brady Standard.

The Houston Chronicle 52 Sundays for \$2.50, which is just half the price you pay when you buy one issue at a time. Subscribe at the Eagle office.

Rev. and Mrs. Franklin E. Swanner left Monday for Fort Worth, to attend the state Baptist Sunday school convention of which he is a vice president. He expects to return to Goldthwaite Friday evening and will be here for his Sunday services.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Soules of Star, Mills county, were transferred Wednesday afternoon from the Sealy hospital, where Mr. Soules has been undergoing treatment to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCaughan. \* \* \* Mrs. C.W. Hoover of Goldthwaite is a surgical patient. — Santa Anna News.

The Eagle and all other newspapers, as far as we are informed, charges for the publication of cards of thanks, obituaries, resolutions of respect and articles of a similar character.

Will Yarborough came in from Austin last Saturday to visit his parents and other relatives. Jas. Marberry, who practiced law here until recently and is now engaged in the practice in the capital city, came with him to meet with his friends and view the sights of the city. They returned to Austin Sunday.

The special 10 weeks Daily Chronicle subscription offer should interest all who do not now subscribe for a daily. The Eagle will be glad to receive the order.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McCullough and son, Paul, of Goldthwaite, spent the week end in Hico, guests of their son and brother, H. E. McCullough, and family. \* \* \* The Hico Review Club met last Saturday afternoon in the library building and rendered the program that was postponed from the Saturday previous. Mrs. H. E. McCullough was hostess.—Hico News-Review

If your paper stops when the subscription has not been paid, don't take it as an affront, but send in the subscription and all will be well.

Judge and Mrs. J. C. Darroch returned to their home in Brownwood Monday after spending a few days here with relatives, while he looked after some legal matters. Judge Darroch is a candidate for district attorney in the Brownwood district and is meeting with a great deal of encouragement, especially from those who know his splendid ability as a lawyer.

Search 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 Fall Clothing.

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**W. C. DEW**

**ROCK SPRINGS**

There was some visiting done since last week's letter if it was not a pretty week. I've heard of April showers. Can any one tell me if the downpour last Thursday could be called an April shower?

There were more goats that died during the flood last Thursday afternoon.

I guess there were lots of people who got wet Thursday afternoon. If they all had as good a time as Phillip and James Nickols did, it was all right. Any way they saved all the goats by taking a soaking.

It was my error in last week's letter about Claud Holley's trip to San Angelo in his Chevrolet car. I'm sure he had something to say about the error, but I was too far away to hear him, but I heard plenty from Barton Smith and Dwight Nickols at Goldthwaite. Mr. Smith sells the kind of car Mr. Holley owns, a Plymouth. I really can tell a model T car from other cars and I am proud I can.

The creeks were too high for the singers to go to Center Point Sunday afternoon to singing.

Rock Springs was well represented in town Monday. As Saturday was such a rainy day, very few went to town.

J. R. Davis, James Nickols and Mrs. Harvey Dunkle held the trustee election Saturday.

Marvin Spinks of Rabbit Ridge was elected trustee. There was only one trustee to elect.

There has been a number of teachers out here applying for the school.

E. L. Pass had business in town Monday.

Several didn't let Monday slip by for it was a beautiful wash day.

Rex Clements and wife from Belton, Earl Clements and wife from town sat until bedtime with Mrs. Eula Nickols and boys Friday night.

Gus Roush and family, Woody Traylor and family visited in the J. T. Robertson home Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Davis and son visited with Miss Nellie Dee Cooke Monday afternoon.

Home Doggett and family from town spent Saturday night and until after noon Sunday in the Nickols home.

Mrs. Marvin Spinks from Rabbit Ridge visited school Monday afternoon.

Duke Clements and wife and little daughter from town sat until bedtime in the Nickols home Sunday night.

Louie Ponder from Rabbit Ridge, Alton Gatlin and James Nickols played 42 Sunday night at R.C. Webb's. Seems like Wick Webb and James Nickols are still the winners.

Marion Robertson and family and Mrs. Harvey Dunkle visited in the Nickols home Saturday night.

Mrs. Eula Nickols went to Lometa Tuesday morning with Mrs. W. A. Richards to Mr. McMahan's funeral.

The big rains last week ruined John Roberts' big tank he had made last summer.

Last week James Nickols went to Williams Ranch, where he has some of his sheep and there were four sheep with their throats cut and the wool taken. Then he found another one dead and it was still warm, that looked like it had been choked with a wire. Next morning he went back and the sheep that had died the afternoon before, had half of the wool pulled off and was laying by the other sheep, so he got there in time to get some of that wool. It is terrible to think that thieves are doing such dirty work. Look out, you might get caught.

Rudolph Cooke from Lampasas visited at home last week end. The CCC camp he is in, is being moved to Chosos mountains. They will be a long way from home and a long way from any town.

Mmes. Roberts, McClary and Nickols attended the W. M. U. program in Mrs. Luther Rudd's home Monday afternoon in town.

Mrs. Harvey Dunkle visited with Mrs. Eula Nickols late Saturday afternoon.

Mmes. Dunkle, Traylor and Roush made a pop call in the Roberts home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Stark spent Sunday afternoon in Joe Davis' home.

Marvin Spinks from Rabbit Ridge and Wick Webb and Phillip Nickols went on a hunt Mon-

**HIT DEPRESSION ON THE CHIN**

One reason why revival of the construction industry is regarded as being so vitally important to recovery by most authorities is that the bulk of the employment it would provide is where it is most needed—among skilled and unskilled laborers.

In 1930, 2,500,000 persons were employed by the building industry. About 1,000,000 more were employed in construction work in other industries, bringing the total to 3,600,000. Managerial, professional and office workers constituted less than 12 per cent of these. The ratio was 7 or 8 wage earners to 1 "white-collar" employe.

Again, it is reliably estimated that for every worker actually employed on a building job, another worker is employed behind the line in industries supplying necessary supplies. The upshot is that, in normal times, more than ten per cent of all the workers of the country are directly or indirectly dependent for their livelihood upon the building industry. The terrific drop in construction work that came with the depression was as a result, very possibly the largest single factor in causing unemployment.

Today American industry is expanding as rapidly as it can. And the individual should follow that lead, by building and repairing his own property now, while prices are still down. A national movement among home owners to renovate their property would be a blow directly to the chin of depression.

**STOP THAT ITCHING**

If you suffer from a skin trouble, such as Itch, Eczema, Athletes Foot, Ringworm, Tetter or Pimples, we will sell you a jar of Black Hawk Ointment on a guarantee. Price fifty cents.—Hudson Bros., Druggists.

day night, but the wind was too high to have any luck.

J. C. Stark and son had quite a time on their milk route last week during the rain. They finally got to going, prepared for sticking. They carried a shovel, which came in handy.

Haskell Gatlin from Rabbit Ridge and Joe and Clark Davis exchanged visits during last week end. They also visited the Nickols boys Sunday.

Oscar Gatlin had a number of goats to drown last week by getting under a cliff out of the wind.

Miss Nellie Dee Cooke spent Sunday with Mrs. Nickols.

Everybody will be gardening again this week, when the soil is dry enough. **BUSY BEE**

**NEWS FLASHES**

The Sherman Post of Veterans of Foreign Wars had inaugurated a drive to obtain funds with which to purchase a machine gun for the city police department.

Democratic leaders conceded that a house vote will be forced soon—probably April 23—on a farm mortgage refinancing bill calling for the issuance of at least \$2,500,000,000 in new currency.

Conferees on the Bankhead cotton control bill before congress said Monday they had agreed to eliminate the provision which would exempt all farmers who raised six bales or less from the operations of the measure.

By a margin of eleven votes, the senate has retained in the revenue bill the more moderate income and sur-tax schedules proposed by its finance committee, instead of a proposal that would have restored war-time levies to help pay for economic recovery.

The chief administrator of the oil and gas division of the Texas railroad commission, announced Monday that "28 or 30" small oil refineries in the Kilgore and Gladewater sectors of the East Texas oil field had been closed because of violations of the commission's latest orders.

The Midas touch which Uncle Sam seems to have acquired since devaluation of the dollar, has brought well over \$600,000,000 in monetary gold to the United States. The amount of metal imported since the dollar was devalued to 15 5-21 grains January 31, is continuing, and rapidly approaching the \$700,000,000, which would be more yellow metal than the entire monetary gold reserve of any single country save the United States, France, England or Spain.

The supreme court has decided to hear arguments in the appeal of the Texas railroad commission in which constitutionality of the Texas law requiring railroad companies to maintain general offices in Texas is questioned. The case arose when the Kansas City Southern Railroad sought to lease the Texarkana and Fort Smith Railway and discontinue general offices of the latter in Texarkana. The Interstate Commerce Commission held that the railroad had this authority despite the Texas law.

**How One Man Lost 22 Pounds**

Mr. Herman Runkis of Detroit writes: "A few lines of thanks from a rheumatism sufferer—My first bottle of Kruschen Salts took all of the aches and swellings out of my joints—with my first bottle I went on a diet and lost 22 pounds and now feel like a new man."

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**LOOKS AND TALENT**

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. DeWolfe managers of the Palace theatre, are leaving Sunday for Hollywood, Cal., where they will attend a motion picture convention and all of the studios in Hollywood will be open for inspection by the theatre managers at the convention. Being light of ballast and having a big automobile in which to make the trip, Mr. and Mrs. DeWolfe are putting Jake Harrison in the back seat and when they get to Hollywood, Richard Dix had better hunt cover or another contract. With San Saba Little Theatre experience and other stage performances to his credit, Harrison is going to make it tough going for Dix in his "he-man" role and Clark Gable, when it comes to looking after the ladies. If the directors do not give Jake a break and if the actresses don't start throwing rocks at Clark Gable, after they see Jake, San Saba is going to declare an open boycott on everything that comes from Hollywood, because they do not recognize talent when they see it. — San Saba Star.

**NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS**

To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of Mrs. Amanda T. Kelly Edwards, Deceased:

The undersigned having been duly appointed executor of the estate of Mrs. Amanda T. Kelly Edwards, deceased, late of Mills county, Texas, by the County Judge of Mills county on the 20th day of March, 1934, during a regular term of the county court of said county, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against the said estate to present the same to him within the time prescribed by law at Goldthwaite, Texas, where he receives his mail. This the 20th day of March, A. D. 1934.

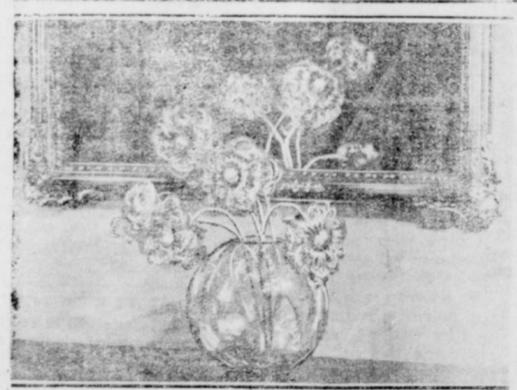
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ONCE again artificial flowers are important in home decoration. Now, however, whether manufactured or handcraft, they are of modern materials, striking a smart note in the decorative scheme. The above grouping of African Daisies are handcraft flowers, easily made, yet professional looking. To copy these flowers all that is needed is pool wire, Cellophane in the natural transparent shade, and a little paint.  
Take a piece of pool wire about 10 inches long and at the center point wrap it with a piece of the crushed transparent material (of light weight) to make a center for the flower, about 1/2 inch in diameter. Then bend the wire in half, and twist the ends together to make a stem, which is wrapped two or three times with the transparent material, until it is smooth and tight.  
Two pieces of heavy weight Cellophane, 12 by 3 1/2 inches, will make two flowers. Wet one piece with water, cover it with the second piece, and place beneath a weight. When dry, paint a 1/4 inch band in red or orange along one of the 12 inch sides of each piece, about one inch from the top. Fringe crosswise in as narrow strips as possible, cut from the bottom edge to within 1/4 of an inch of the top edge. Then separate the two pieces, each of which is now ready to wrap on separate stems. Wrap the fringed band around the flower center. The fringed strips, having been dampened, will curl under of their own accord, forming a flower of the shape illustrated above. After making two flowers in this manner, join them by binding the lower half of their stems with an additional wrapping of the transparent material.

**SPECIAL RATES**  
The Eagle is still able to offer a special rate on a combination with the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News.  
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## STYLES IN NEW YORK

### New York Flower Show—White Accents in Garden Furniture—Dinner Table Decoration

In a charming setting of acres of fragrant flowers in delightful arrangements shown at the recent International Flower Show in Grand Central Palace, New York, white played an important role in garden furniture, and table decorations shown in outdoor living rooms, rock gardens, beflowered sun porches, cozy nooks by lily ponds, and where not. Accenting huge displays of roses, rhododendrons, gladioli, azaleas, tulips, hyacinths, nasturtiums, sweet peas, and dozens of others shown in unusual variety of arrangements, including English gardens and formal massed effects, were white sculpture pieces and white-painted furniture groupings. For porches, there were chairs painted white or upholstered in white fabric—these often trimmed with pipings in vivid colors, and matching other items such as vases, and lamps. White tableware was noted in several interesting displays, these including not only tables for porches, gardens and outdoor living rooms, but those for more formal indoor dining—all with flowers shown in latest decorative treatment—the white tableware contrasting most charmingly the various flower colors. One noted throughout the show these white accents in various objects d'art. One attractive exhibit featured articles particularly adaptable to glazing, and which may be easily decorated with one's favorite flower.

### Coat Dress and Jacket Frock Important in Spring Mode

Practical and decidedly to the fore in style is the coat dress for the spring wardrobe. New York shops are showing these ensembles in a variety of interesting combinations. Just now the softly colored monotone wool coat over a silk or rayon print is important. The new monk sleeve and draped collar held in place by jeweled or composition clip feature some of the smartest models. Vying in interest with these coat ensembles and charming for afternoon is the sheer wool or crepe jacket suit worn with polka-dot repe or taffeta blouse in silk or rayon versions. Very chic are those with gay bow tied under the chin and long sleeves that reveal themselves below the slightly shorter kimono-like sleeve of the coat. Among the new and more original tailors, one notes the light jacket worn with darker skirt.

### Quiet Distinction Marks Spring Showing

A quiet distinction—the mark of the really chic—characterized the recent spring style showing of Bonwit Teller, which included more than a hundred models of daytime, evening and sports clothes—presented in a smartly informal manner. There was no fussiness, very little trimming and less "lingerie touches" in this collection than in many. Instead it was the cut of the gown, interesting detail, smart fabrics and simple handwork—such as fagoting or self fabric trims—that distinguished the ensembles. Jacket frocks in crepes and prints were important, the jackets, in most cases, being in little hip-length stylings—and skirts decidedly slim and straight. There were evening gowns in the various new nets, tulle and laces—some with the new square neckline—these shown in black, white and pastel shades—and in some of the large flowered chiffons and soft taffetas.

### Buttons Have New Style Importance

Buttons were never more important in the mode than this season. In smart new designs, colors and materials, they accent spring coats, suits and frocks as well as shoes, hats, handbags, belts and other accessories. One notes them not only in the favored composition, in which they are seen in no end of colors, sizes, shapes and combinations, but in wood, leather, metal and glass. Many a frock this season depends solely upon buttons for color accent—these often large round saucer-like buttons. Wood and composition are combined interestingly in some of the new designs—also composition and metal. There are new rectangular and square stylings, as well as some in architectural effects, including those resembling organ pipes, in these various materials and combinations. There is the marble-ball button in metal and composition, much to the fore in spring fashions—the latter in all the new spring colors.

### White With Contrast In Costume Jewelry

Sleeves including the new just below the elbow stylings have given a new style interest to bracelets, which, along with clips and necklaces are being featured in New York shops now for almost every occasion. White composition with color contrast in the same material characterizes many of the newer models. There are wide band bracelets also in metal—light in weight, yet barbaric in feeling. Multi-strands of pearls are featured among new bracelet numbers, and a wistful Victorian line—both bracelets and necklaces of white composition beads—four and five strands with flower clasps. Another model is carried out in

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strands of little seashells—an idea so old that it is charmingly new again.

### Style Flashes

A youthful jacket dress in a smart Fifth Avenue shop is made of a diamond check Acelle crepe. The slim, straight dress is in white and the hip-length polka dot jacket in dark brown.

Old fashioned frocks for little girls are in vogue since the revival of Alice in Wonderland and Little Women. Fast dye cotton prints in checks, stripes and tiny floral patterns are smart.

One New York shop features dimity frocks with quaint puffed sleeves, smocked shoulders and crocheted lace collar and cuffs—a truly fairyland fashion.

Skirts for both day time and evening are getting shorter—one reason for the unusual style interest in shoes this season. These, for the most part, have lower heels—many featuring the scuffless heel.

The tailored lace evening dress promises to be a spring and summer fashion favorite. Among new summer laces is one in a cord version of rayon and cotton, seen in both white and pastels for sports as well as evening. There is a crisp tailor-made lace for dressy suits and a sequin-patterned lace in black and dark shades—also an embroidered lace in bright colors for summer sports dresses. These are all new as well as the spiderwebby patterns for evening.

Gay and Neapolitan in mood are the large detachable linen collars woven with bright thread—noted in some of the smartest jacket suits.

Many of the smartest new jackets stop at the waistline, giving a bolero effect.

Shirtwaists in various versions of silk and rayon crepes are featured with spring suits—these along with taffetas. Very chic are those with the tucked fronts—also those with drapy or bow necklines.

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## THINGS WORTH KNOWING

### How many centenarians are there in the United States?

There were more than 3900 persons who claimed to be 100 years or more at the time of the 1930 census. Lack of accurate birth records for the first part of the 19th century led the census officials to doubt the accuracy of this number. However, this is about the average for the past 50 years.

### Was Thomas Jefferson a church member?

Thomas Jefferson was not affiliated with any church. Abraham Lincoln never formally joined or held membership in any church, but was a regular attendant of the Presbyterian church. Rutherford B. Hayes was the third president who did not profess any particular faith. He attended the Methodist church.

### How did the term "pin money" originate?

This expression was originally applied to the allowance a husband gave his wife for the purchase of pins. At one time pins were so expensive that only the rich could buy them and even then they were offered for sale only on the first and second days of January. Pins were known as long ago as 1347 A. D. and did not become cheap until after an American named Might invented a machine for manufacturing them in 1824.

### What is the meaning of "mahatma"?

It is a Sanskrit word meaning "great soul." It was defined by Max Muller as "a well known Sanskrit word applied to men who have retired from the world, who by means of long ascetic discipline, have subdued the passions of the flesh, and gained a reputation for sanctity and knowledge." It is used mostly in referring to one who has reached perfection spiritually, intellectually and physically.

### What is the difference between a civil war and a revolution?

No really clear distinction is drawn between these two types of war. Webster, however, defines a civil war as one between different parts or sections of the same nation or country and a revolution as the overthrow or renunciation of one government and the substitution of another.—Pathfinder.

## HERE AND THERE

Farmer co-operatives handling petroleum products did a total business of \$35,000,000 in 1933, and there are now nearly 600 such co-operatives or associations.

The world carryover of wheat, August 1, 1934, will be 1,100,000,000 bushels, the same as last year, but estimates for the 1934-45 agricultural year are optimistic regarding the reduction of wheat stocks and acreage. This information was contained in a communique issued Thursday by the world wheat advisory committee after a long session devoted to reports and plans for bettering the international wheat situation by lowering supplies and encouraging consumption.

The propensity of gypsies to hoard gold, ingrained in their nature through centuries of wandering and the fact that the yellow metal has been legal tender all over the world, caused the detention of an entire tribe in Burnet Friday and departure of agents of the federal bureau of investigation for the scene. Burnet county officers released the nineteen gypsies, after finding \$1800 of which \$450 was in gold coin, hidden under the floor boards of a large sedan. Federal agents from San Antonio seized the gold pending an investigation.

Stern and efficient control of the nation's message and word-sending systems by a new commission whose first duty would be a thorough study of the American Telephone and Telegraph and other big companies and their subsidiaries was recommended Friday by Walter M. W. Splawn, Texan, and former president of the University of Texas. Splawn, recently appointed to the Interstate Commerce Commission, made the recommendations to the house commerce committee, for which he just has completed a three-year study of holding companies.

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To the Tax Collector:

You will recall that from time to time since 1930, the Legislature has been suspending interest and penalties on Delinquent Taxes. Last May, the last measure of this kind was enacted, which provided a 2% penalty on all ad valorem taxes delinquent on February 1, 1933, (later they included the split tax payments, which became delinquent on July 1, 1933), if paid by December 30, 1933, and 4% penalty, if paid by March 31, 1934; and 6% if paid by June 30, 1934. After this June 30, 1934, expiration date, the old law prescribing 10% penalties and 6% interest per year, will again be in force.

This means that on and after July 1, 1934, this year, the penalty and interest you will be required to charge will not be 6%, but will include 6% interest per annum from the date it was first delinquent, plus 10% penalty. For example:—

30% will be added to 1930 Delinquent Taxes.  
24% will be added to 1931 Delinquent Taxes.  
18% will be added to 1932 Delinquent Taxes.

(A delinquent cost will also accrue in addition to the above).  
In as much as the tax paying public may not understand the law, I suggest that you give this matter as much publicity as possible, in order to bring to the attention of the tax payer the great saving, if they taken advantage of the remaining period, which expires June 30, 1934.

Yours very truly,  
GEORGE H. SHEPPARD,  
Comptroller of Public Accounts.

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For Congressman 21st District, E. E. (Pat) MURPHY  
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For State Senator, 25th District, PENROSE B. METCALFE  
For Representative GEORGE W. ROLLINS.  
For District Attorney, 27th Dist. JIM K. EVETTS.  
HENRY TAYLOR  
For County Judge, L. E. PATTERSON.  
ROY SIMPSON  
For District Clerk, JOHN S. CHESSER.  
HERMAN RICHARDS  
For County Clerk, L. B. PORTER.  
For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector, J. HERN HARRIS  
JOE A. PALMER  
GEO. M. FLETCHER  
For County Treasurer, MISS GEORGIA FRIZZELL.  
MRS. LOIS FULLER STEPHENS  
W. L. BURKS  
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1, L. B. BURNHAM.  
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2, J. A. HAMILTON.  
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3, I. McCURRY  
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4, J. G. (Jess) EGGER  
J. H. BURNETT.  
For Public Weigher, Pre. 1, 2, 4, W. T. KIRBY

### TRIGGER MOUNTAIN

Rebuilding fence is the order of the day in this community. We really had a rain, hail and windstorm out here last Thursday afternoon. There was great damage done to crops, gardens and orchards. Several farmers report heavy losses of livestock. Mostly sheep and goats.

There were several school children who could not get home Thursday evening on account of high water and bridges being washed out.

Miss Ruby Cave spent Thursday night in the W. O. Oden home.

H. G. Kennedy had business in Goldthwaite Thursday he could not get home on account of high water, so he spent the night with H. T. Vaughan near town.

Mattie Lou Davis spent the night Thursday with Russie Fay Oden.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carter and Henry Long visited Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Nix Friday.

Mrs. J. D. Robertson and children visited Mrs. J. H. Long and children Friday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Long spent last week with her sister, Mrs. L. B. Bramblett, who was quite ill with the flu.

Beatrice and Johnnie Belle Long, Evelyn and Buddy Robertson and Mattie Lou Davis called in the Lynn Nix home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. R. F. Daniel and sons, Odie, Lloyd and Floyd, visited her sister, Mrs. J. J. Northcutt, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Nix and Earlene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Daniel and family. Others who called in the Daniel home Sunday were W. E. Garner and family, Clint Petty, R. C. Petty, Mrs. J. J. Northcutt, Willie Marie Bynum, Gladys Long, James Bradley of Locker and Key Bradley of Zephyr.

Nelson Griffin spent the week end at Cameron visiting his wife, who is teaching school at that place.

Miss Erma Dellis visited Miss Murrell Byler in the J. W. Dellis home Friday night.

Sam Randles of Pritchett, Colorado, spent Friday night in the J. H. Vaughan home.

Mrs. J. H. Long and children spent Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Randles. All of the children of Mr. and Mrs. Randles have been at home this last week! The first time they have all been together in 20 years. They were called here on the sad mission of attending the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Myrtle Robinson.

John Cunningham and J. D. Mix returned home Friday, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cunningham came home with them, after spending the winter in Houston, visiting their daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Roberts, and family.

### SOUTH BENNETT

Thirty-four were present at Sunday school Sunday. Next Sunday is Rev. Cochran's Sunday to preach and our singing day, also. Let us all who possibly can, be there.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Leroy, J. M. and Valeria Stacy, Evelyn Covington and James Adams visited Clyde Featherston and family until bedtime one night the first of last week.

Mrs. James Hill, Misses Minnie and Ruby D. Kuykendall and Evelyn Covington visited Mrs. Bedford Kuykendall at Goldthwaite Saturday afternoon.

Willis Hill and wife, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Casbeer and children, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Jones and Gordon and Florence, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cox and baby.

Mmes. Claud Smith, Walter Simpson and Dan Covington visited Miss Myrtle Russell Tuesday.

Herman Cox and B. R. Casbeer went to Center City with Willis Hill Tuesday to attend a meeting that was held at that place. Mrs. Hill went with them and visited Mrs. Ellis Head.

Henry Simpson took Mr. Featherston and Mrs. Allard to San Saba last week to visit Mrs. Langley, Mrs. Clyde Featherston and George Wayne went and visited a short while.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Hill of Star visited Willis Hill and family awhile Monday afternoon.

Mrs. B. R. Casbeer and Mrs. Madge Brister and boys visited in Goldthwaite the first of the week. B. R. Casbeer spent Monday night with M. L. Casbeer and family.

There were visitors in the R. G. Blackburn home Sunday, but I failed to learn who they were. M. L. Casbeer and family spent Sunday night in the B. R. Casbeer home.

Frank Benningfield visited in the Clyde Featherston home on Sunday.

Don't forget the fifth Sunday singing that is to be held here.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Mrs. J. M. Stacy and Valeria visited M. L. Casbeer and family, awhile on Tuesday night of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Moore left Wednesday for a visit with their parents at Dublin. They plan to return here before leaving for Lubbock.

The trustee election was held Saturday. Claud Smith, Walter Simpson and R. G. Blackburn held the election. Travis Griffin was elected trustee in the place of Dan Covington, whose term expired.

Mr. Willis Hill visited her little nephew, who just arrived in the Jake Long home at Goldthwaite Wednesday afternoon. She also visited in that home again Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Featherston and George Wayne and Frank Benningfield visited in the J. M. Stacy home awhile on Friday night.

Mrs. Huffman and Loulee Mae visited Mrs. B. R. Casbeer and family Saturday afternoon.

### LAKE MERRITT

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hutchings entertained with a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of Miss Millie Frances and W. L. Stuck. Those who enjoyed this delicious dinner were Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sanderson and Juanita, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stuck and family, Miss Mae Dell Crawford, Jesse and John C. Price, Donis Fuller, Price Griffin and Edward Dean Dickerson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Leverett are the proud parents of a baby boy born last Thursday.

Mrs. C. J. Brown, Mrs. H. E. Jones, Mrs. F. D. Waddell and Frances spent Sunday with Mrs. J. M. Baker.

Misses Marie and Faye Stuck called in the R. F. Daniel home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Price spent Saturday night with V. T. Stevens and family.

Miss Mae Dell Crawford spent Saturday night with Millie Frances Hutchings.

Those who dined in the Stuck home Sunday evening were Misses Mae Dell Crawford, Millie Frances Hutchings and Juanita Sanderson, Messrs. John C. and Jess Price, Donis Fuller and Price Griffin.

Don't forget the Happy Hour club will meet with Mrs. F. D. Waddell Tuesday afternoon.

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## High School Herald

### STAFF:

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Geraldine Hester—Program Reporter.

Evelyn Faye Gartman — Press Club Reporter.

Geneva Sparkman—Girls' Volley Ball Reporter.

Lawrence Bledsoe — Dramatic Club Reporter.

### March Honor Roll

First grade: Ouida Gray, Azo Fields, Loyd Hiller, Billie Long, Jack Oatis, Ila Gene Ervin, Macalee Long, Mary Ann Miller, Patricia Stevens, Oma Dempsey, Tom Womack, Hauie Bryan Jernigan, Allan Horton and DeWayne Head.

Second grade: Bobbie Joe Long, Bobbie Obenhaus, Adelaide Holland, Velma Fox, Georgia Porter, Mary Nell Epperson, Archie Dean Kauhs, Dorothy Nell Rudd, Nova Mae Pearce, Hassell Kauhs and Mary Henry.

Third grade: Walter Bryant, Lyman Saylor, Bobbie Fairman, Adella Ruth Gray, Robbie Moreland, Nelma Rhea Perry, Louise Skipper, Dortha Marie Wolf, Madeline Porter, Sam Smith and Pat Bohannon.

Fourth grade: Barbara Walden, Mary Allah Bryant, Floyd Sansom, jr., L. B. Porter, jr., Blondell Berry, Joe Bradley, Joe Boland, Gloria Shaw, Doris Rhea Shaw, Lollie Obenhaus, Doris Johnson, Imahea Henry, Wanda Faulkner, Catherine Epperson, Bill Pence.

Fifth grade: Aubrey Smith, Orville Huffman, Glenn Collier, Pat Chandler, Evelyn Sheppard, Allene Mahan, Wanda Bledsoe, Harriet Allen and Mary Louise McGirk.

Sixth grade: Thelma Henry, Virginia Ruth Rudd, Laura Helen Saylor, Joyce Mae Weaver, Mamie Lou Womack, Katherine Hodges, Ina Bea Hale, Roselyn Berry, Gloria Armstrong, Ellen Allen, Pat Obenhaus and John Bowman.

Seventh grade: Joyce Johnson, Oleta Henry, Catherine Fairman, Nina Summy, Earline Faulkner, Dorothy Hartman, Ila Mae Scrivner, Jeanette Martin, Gladys Kirby, Snow Johnson, Marvin Hodges, Billie Evans and Omar Harvey.

The following students made straight "A" cards for the month of March:

First grade: Ouida Gray.

Fourth grade: Floyd Sansom, jr., Gloria Shaw, Lollie Obenhaus and Catherine Epperson.

Fifth grade: Harriet Allen and Mary Louise McGirk.

Sixth grade: Thelma Henry.

Seventh grade: Joyce Johnson, Oleta Henry and Catherine Fairman.

Let's give the girls a cheer and urge them to continue their study. They are both already scholarly pupils, so let's help them to be real scholars and deep thinkers!

**Cappella Club**

Our club is again making preparations to attend the statewide music meet, which is to be held in Belton next Saturday April 14. This event marks our third visit to the Belton music meet, and we are looking forward to it with pleasant anticipation. We hope our efforts in choral work will be worthy of recognition in the contest between the class B schools of Texas. Mrs. Sullivan has labored faithfully toward this end and we are anxious to repay her for the interest which she and others, who are interested in our success, have extended to us.

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### Duke and Duchess Elected For May Fest

Catherine Epperson and Floyd Sansom were elected duke and duchess from the fourth grade for the Goldthwaite May Fest.

Tuesday the seventh grade elected for the duke and duchess for the May Fest, George Ballard and Jeanette Martin. The election was held in the government class. The mode of election was as follows: Each pupil wrote on a slip of paper the name of the boy and girl that they thought would make the best couple. The votes were then counted.

### Volley Ball Girls Have Picnic

Last Wednesday afternoon, April 4, the volley ball girls enjoyed a picnic near Miss Mary Clements' home.

It looked as if the fun was going to be spoiled by the rain, but fortunately it did not rain until after the picnic.

On arriving, we built a camp fire and fried bacon and toast marshmallows. Then we enjoyed a very appetizing picnic lunch.

After eating many games were played and enjoyed by all.

About 5:30 we bade each farewell and departed for home. Those present were as follows: Misses Vivian Campbell, Marjorie Clements, Mary Horton, Alice Doggett, Barbee Jernigan, Juanita Sanderson, Flora Evelyn Gatlin, Margaret Oden, Genevieve Sparkman, Bernice Traylor, Naomi and Annabel Langford, Grace Saylor and Lorain Bledsoe.

### Latin Contest

Despite the weather conditions, the two girls representing the second year Latin class, went to Brownwood Saturday, April 7, to compete with the other schools of this district in a statewide Latin contest. The first year class representative, Fores Hill, was unable to go. The contest lasted three and one-half hours, after which the contestants and their chaperons were given passes to the Lyric Theatre, where they saw "Alice in Wonderland." Then at 7 o'clock all contestants and their guests assembled in the dining room of Hotel Brownwood, where they were entertained with a Roman Banquet and a very interesting program. At the end of the program the winners of the different contests were announced and the trophies were awarded.

Sarah Fairman placed second in the second year contest, which Brownwood placed first. Miss Fairman is to be highly complimented for winning this honor, for her grade was ranked in the nineties, and only a Latin scholar could make a grade that high on the test that was given. Clara Bowman, the other second year contestant, made a high grade also, but did not win a place.

We sincerely hope that interest in the tournament will help to create interest in the subject in our own home town. Surely one cannot help being impressed by the value of Latin, when he reads his history of past, as well as present, and finds that the world's greatest scholars and the deepest thinkers of the ages have been scholars in Latin or Greek, or both. All foreign language students can not place enough stress on the value of Latin as a basis for the other modern languages.

Let's give the girls a cheer and urge them to continue their study. They are both already scholarly pupils, so let's help them to be real scholars and deep thinkers!

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### METHODIST NOTES

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its hills and valleys that is unsurpassed in any part of the state so far as I know, and I have seen most every section of it. Just here I am prompted to say another thing, lest I be misunderstood: While Mills county may not be classed as a rich agricultural section, yet I doubt if any section of the state possess a greater variety of interests which makes for the well-being of a people. Aside from the fact that we have a fine citizenship, we have a variety of soil where we can raise almost anything in way of grain, fruit, vegetables and things to eat. Mills county can raise about anything that any other county can raise. Then besides the fine crops, we have one of the finest stock county in the state. Thousands of sheep, goats and cattle are to be found upon our pastures. Millions of fish are in our streams, and our pecans can cope with anything in the country. Good old Mills county is a veritable part of God's country. J. S. BOWLES

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**RABBIT RIDGE**

This community was blessed with a shower last Thursday afternoon and about six inches of rain fell in less than an hour. We are all glad it didn't hail.

Mrs. Edith Whitt spent Wednesday with Mrs. Jesse Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie Knowles spent Sunday with Harvey Hale and family at South Bennett.

Mrs. Marvin Spinks visited the Rock Springs school Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McClary called on Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lowe Sunday afternoon.

M. L. Spinks and wife sat until bedtime in the Knowles home Friday night.

Austin Whitt and family spent Sunday afternoon in the Hagan and Stark homes.

Some of the ladies have turkeys setting. Mrs. Lowe is lucky enough to have 24 baby turks.

M. L. Spinks and wife sat until bed time in the J. C. Stark home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Duesy Bohannon sat until bedtime with Connie Knowles and wife Tuesday night.

Delton Barnett and Marvin Spinks went hunting Tuesday night, and caught a bad cold—I think.

Austin Whitt and Ernest Hagan have been working in town for several weeks.

Mrs. Knowles spent Monday with Mrs. Duesy.

A. F. McGowan preferred walking to town Saturday, instead of riding. He said the roads were a little damp, where he lived.

CROSS EYES

**-Mullin News-**

From the Enterprise

R. C. Duren reports plenty of fence repairing on his farms in the Duren section.

Miss Katherine Kemp spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Kemp.

Saturday's trustee election results shows a plurality for A. L. Carroll and D. A. Hamilton.

E. A. Kemp, one of the leading business men of this city, looked after business in Fort Worth on Tuesday.

George Roberts, student at Tech, Lubbock, spent the week end here with Wilba Kemp and other friends.

Francis Leineweber was carried to Temple Tuesday afternoon, suffering from an attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Patterson visited in the home of his brother, Judge L. E. Patterson, in Goldthwaite Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wilson were among the ones from here who attended the American Legion meeting in Goldthwaite Tuesday night.

Mrs. Joe Stubblefield and Mrs. Ellis Stubblefield of Runnels county, are here, guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keating.

Mrs. L. M. Anderson of Priddy spent the first of the week in Duren visiting her daughters, Mmes. Pafford, Green, Spinks and Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Carlisle, Mr. and Mrs. Will Carlisle and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Couch were dinner guests at the John Carlisle home Sunday.

E. O. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Koen of Hamilton came over on Sunday and Mrs. E. O. Patterson, who had been visiting for the last week, returned home with them.

Mrs. G. B. Wallace and grandson, Ted Pyburn, accompanied her son, Hollis, to his home at Jola, where they will visit with her two daughters and their families.

Bend school expected to present their play, "Wild Ginger" Wednesday night. This was scheduled for last Saturday night, but the inclement weather prevented.

Mrs. W. S. Kemp and Miss Rosa Meek Fletcher spent the first of the week in Lubbock and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Casey and other former Mullin people.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wasserman and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Green are among the ones who report plenty of hail to freeze ice cream for several days, after he hail storm on Friday.

Mrs. E. V. Bolten is reported wife ill and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Leineweber and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Leineweber of Scallorn were called to the bedside of their mother and grandmother.

Elder Joel Aldridge, a former Mills county citizen, preached at the Primitive Baptist church Sunday. He is now a citizen of Lubbock section of the great plains. His many friends here always give him a hearty welcome.

The city council met Monday night and the official count of election ballots shows the following results: Dr. R. H. Jones, mayor; W. C. Hancock, city marshal; L. L. Wilson, R. H. Patterson and G. W. Chancellor, aldermen.

**TEACHERS' MEETING**

The meeting of the teachers of Mills county, called to meet here Monday night by Deputy State Superintendent O. L. Davis, was attended by a number of Mills county teachers and a majority of the schools were represented.

A splendid program was rendered. The Mullin orchestra and the glee club added to the entertainment of the occasion.

The Mullin P. T. A. ladies added to the pleasure of the occasion by serving the guests with refreshments.

**TOWN FLOODED**

Since the last issue of this paper Mullin and vicinity have had about ten inches of rainfall, which has damaged the farms, destroyed crops and washed away many miles of fence.

Wednesday afternoon about 2 inches fell and gave Mother Earth a thorough soaking. On Thursday afternoon about six inches fell, flooding all that part of town adjacent to Buckwater branch. The water ran over the new highway, the old highway and the railroad dump.

The John Carlisle lots and the lower part of the farm were covered with water. He had to move his cattle, horses and sheep out of his lots and many of his chickens were drowned. The water ran into the home of J. P. Goodwin. The major portion of the water fell in a period of about 30 minutes. Showers continued to fall through Friday and Saturday.

Many farms have been so badly wash that planting will be delayed for several days.

**BIG VALLEY**

Farmers are busy these bright days. However, hard they work, the glory of the annual resurrection of the earth's gifts to man acts as a tonic.

The B. T. S. was well attended Sunday night. Both senior and junior B. T. S. had good programs.

Clell Reed spent the week end with his parents. Clell is making good in his work. He has been promoted to a responsible position with the Humble Oil Co.

Hoyt Cockrell is home from San Saba county, where he has been helping to plant a big pecan orchard.

W. P. Weaver and Herman Rudd were in the valley last week.

Delton Barnett and Euna Lee Brim were in the valley Sunday. During the high water last week the neighborhood boys had a lot of fun watching the river, and closed the rain and muddy days with a 42 party at the I. M. Weaver home. No girls, in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Hapgood took their little girl, Elizabeth Ann, to Temple Tuesday.

Mrs. M. T. Cook and Mrs. Hyslop went to Clovis, N. M., to visit a sick brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Simpson and family and Noma Black of Center City, Miss Lora Newton and Mrs. Gerald of Goldthwaite, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Newton of Eant were guests in the C. W. Stark home Sunday.

News was received of the death of Mrs. Ramsey at McGregor. Mrs. Ramsey is an aunt of Mrs. W. M. Dennard and Mrs. I. M. Weaver, and has visited in Big Valley.

Mrs. Ben Long has been sick the past week.

In the trustee election Saturday Mr. Wood was elected for the county board member of precinct No. 4, and Lem Sellers local trustee.

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**CHAPPEL HILL**

How things do move. Since our last writing we have lost lots of goats and had one of as large rains as we ever saw fall. Ruined most the terraces that had been holding through other rains, and did considerable damage to the land in other ways. It also washed down quite a lot of fence.

In the election Saturday for school trustee Charley Karnes was elected.

We want to congratulate the board on their wise decision of re-employing Mrs. Lula Brown for another term. This will make her fourth term, as she is now teaching her third term, and the board says, "She just can't be beat for a good teacher."

Orville Evans and mother went to Brownwood Tuesday.

Arnold Walker spent the week end at home before leaving with the CCC boys for their new camp site in the Big Bend country in Brewster county.

D. Greathouse of Goldthwaite visited his sister, Mrs. Will Fickle, Sunday. Liss Walker also visited in the Fickle home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Crook and their families all spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Evans.

Jess Ivy says the hail storm gave him a very good reception—ruined all of his corn and all of his garden, and that he still has plenty laying around to make ice cream.

Miss Bernice and Dorothy Nell Fickle spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Kathleen Walker.

Mrs. Gayson is having some much needed repairs made on her buildings on her farm.

R. Bufe and Will Fickle transacted business in Goldthwaite Tuesday.

Quite a lot of cattle are being vaccinated to prevent blood fever.

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**Absent**

Because of the extreme rainy weather many of our students have been absent. The rain has ceased, but the large river is a serious obstacle for many who cross it.

**A Teacher Lost**

We are grieved because Mr. Cooke is no longer with us. We truly miss his pleasant face and ready companionship, and know that Miss Featherston misses his needed aid with her numerous classes. Our best wishes go with Mr. Cooke.

**Examination Week**

This is six weeks' examination week. We are all very busy and, therefore, we do not have much news for the paper this week.

This is our last six weeks' examination, as our next examination is final and we are all working on this one.

**Library News**

Our librarian is very busy re-numbering and distributing the books to the lockers of separate rooms.

**Sport News**

We have put up our tennis net and Mr. Hale and Miss Piper have played several games. They are the only ones who have tennis rackets at the present or there might be a race to see which two could get to the court first.

**Humor**

Alene: Are you sure Mr. Cooke loved you?

Jennie D.: Sure! He always did put kiss marks on my Spanish paper.

Reba: What is the meaning of the word sophomore?

Clemmie Mae: It is something you cut grain with.

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**GEN. HOWLAND AND WAR PENSIONS**

Regardless of how one feels about the recent increases in Veterans' pensions by Congress, the plain common sense of General C. R. Howland's recent address in Dallas on Army Day strikes home.

"The genius of the American people is to live in peace and to be good neighbors with other countries," he said. "However we can not live to ourselves alone; and in the past, in spite of our peaceful attitude, we have been forced into many wars.

"Due to our policy of non-aggression we were not adequately prepared for any of those wars. Each of those wars was unduly prolonged, cost an unnecessary amount of money, sacrificed too many lives and left too many sick, wounded and dependents on the bounty of the Nation, with the result that there never has been a time in our history when we were not paying for our crime of sending unprepared men into one or more past wars.

"If before one of those wars we had spent on preparedness only a portion of the pension debt after that war, we would have saved much money and many lives, and by preparedness might even have been spared the awful experience of war itself. We should never make that mistake again."

And General Howland knows whereof he speaks. Not only has this distinguished general participated in all the campaigns of the American army from 1898 onward, but he is a student of military history as well. He has had the sad experience of leading men, hastily recruited and practically untrained troops into battle. He has seen them sacrifice their lives and their health on the altar of America's fetish for unpreparedness. He has seen the tax rolls of this country mount higher and higher each year as a result of our niggardly policy of economy before our wars and wanton waste during them.

General Howland's remarks carry added weight because he is himself an historian. His history of the World War is acknowledged as without a peer. He has a penchant for facts, irrespective of predilections, and a talent for expressing his opinions impressively. What he said in Dallas is conditioned also by the fact that he has been named to command the famous Second Division, now stationed at Fort Sam Houston. His will be the responsibility of establishing our first line of defense in case of war. And yet in the name of economy our handful of regular soldiers, brave and expert though they undoubtedly are, are being denied ammunition for target practice, are being deprived of adequate modern weapons, and are still dependent upon the same horse and mule wagon transport that was in use in our army one hundred years ago. General Howland did not complain of these deficiencies. Even with the limited means at his disposal there is no doubt but that, as he has always done before, he would lead his troops to victory. But like every truly great soldier, he counts the cost, the needless, useless cost in lives and treasure that must follow our usual policy of stinting the army in time of peace and preparation.

To those who bewail the stupendous cost of soldier pensions as well as to those who regret the niggardly sums this great country allows the individuals who have lost their arms, their legs or eyes in its defence, General Howland points out a gleaming truth: Let us spend only a small fraction of our present cost of past wars for adequate preparedness and thereby insure our nation against the tremendous loss in lives and limbs, as well as money which our present false economy will once more bring.

"An ounce of preparedness," General Howland might have said, "will save many pounds of pensions."

**DELINQUENT TAX PENALTIES**

The comptroller of the state has made public an exhibition of the way in which tax penalties will accumulate and have accumulated. This exhibition appears in this paper, by authority of our commissioners court, and should be a warning to all who have not paid their taxes. There is a proverb which says that two things are absolutely sure and unavoidable. One is death and the other is the payment of taxes. Many have apparently brought themselves to believe that this last named obligation can be avoided or ignored, but they will very likely realize at considerable cost to themselves that they have been mistaken in their ideas. Certainly, it has been possible in some cases to avoid taxes on personal property by removing it from the jurisdiction of the tax collecting authorities, but these cases have not been numerous, as compared with the total of assessments, and it appears to be absolutely impossible to avoid the payment of taxes on real property, sooner or later. The accumulation of penalties and costs will be burdensome, but this burden can be charged to neglect more than to inability to pay. One case in point may be cited and there are doubtless many others: A lot that sold originally for \$50 was allowed forfeited for taxes until \$375 was required to redeem the property and clear the title. If there is in reality a way to avoid the final payment of taxes many of the best minds and largest property owners have not yet found it.

**INTEREST IN THE CENTENNIAL**

There is a growing interest in the celebration of the state's one-hundredth birthday in 1936. The people voted an amendment last year allowing the legislature the authority to make an appropriation to defray the expenses of preparing for and holding the exhibition. The legislature responded to the public demand and put in operation plans for carrying out the purpose of the authorizing amendment. The necessary executive authority was bestowed and all plans are moving out. Every representative was empowered to appoint persons for his district to see that every section was properly represented in the exhibitions and other programs. It is important that the entire citizenship of this great state give hearty co-operation to the program and this appears to be the purpose of all. The various ladies' clubs and other organizations are giving aid to the plans of displaying the state's scenery and highways to best advantage, by beautifying the highways with trees, shrubs and flowers. Other organizations are giving support to this and other plans, so when the people come to Texas to see what advancement the state has made they will be attracted by the co-operation and patriotism of the people, as much as by the beauty of the scenery and the exhibitions of the products and resources of the Lone Star State.

**Health Hint**

**SNAKE BITES**

Austin, Texas, April 12. — Dr. John W. Brown, state health officer, urges everyone to be careful when in the country to prevent snake bite. In Texas the chief offender is the rattlesnake, and, contrary to common belief, it does not always rattle before it strikes.

About 75 per cent of all bites occur on the lower extremities and could be prevented, to a large extent, by wearing high top boots or leggings. About 20 per cent occur on the hands and arms. Care should be exercised in not putting the hands in invisible places when climbing rocks, and to look before picking up anything that may be obscured by vegetation, brush or rocks.

If one is bitten, prompt action is necessary and a physician should be obtained as soon as possible. No time should be lost in removing the poison by suction; this can be done by mouth or a suction cup. First a tourniquet should be applied above the wound, so as to increase congestion and assist in washing out the poison. A cross cut incision with a sharp, clean knife or razor blade should be made over each fang mark, or preferably to connect the two fang punctures. These cuts should be at least a quarter of an inch deep and at least that long. Suction should be applied for at least a half hour. The tourniquet should be released every ten or fifteen minutes for a minute at a time.

If bitten by a snake—do not run or get overheated; do not take alcoholic stimulants; do not use potash permanganate (which is now known to be of no value as an antidote) to cauterize the wound; and do not depend on home remedies.

**NOW THAT SPRING IS HERE**

Now that spring is here and summer is just around the corner, the minds of millions are occupied with plans for vacationing.

This is an unusual year for the traveler. The mysterious exigencies of international exchange have made tremendous changes so far as paying for one's wanderlust is concerned. The current rate of exchange with most European currencies, for example, is much less favorable than it was a year ago. That American dollar which used to be so potent has literally shrunk in size. A hundred and fifty or two hundred of them are needed to do the work that a hundred used to do.

The result is that where travelers used to first think of Europe, they are now looking elsewhere. They're going either to countries where the money rate is favorable—or they are going to follow the old adage and really see America.

Seeing America is an especially excellent idea. It's a big country—and very few of its citizens have more than a cursory acquaintance with it. Take, for instance, Alaska, which is attracting a steadily increasing number of people who want a real vacation at a moderate cost. Most of us think of it in terms of ice—not knowing that certain sections produce giant strawberries and flowers. We think of the Arctic circle as being as far away as the north pole—yet a little way south of it, at Fairbanks there is a first class mines school and an agricultural college. We think of the seas bordering it as being perpetually torn with storms—and the fact is that sailing to Alaska is almost always calm—with dancing on deck in warm evenings.

Yes, it's a fine year to look over your home—the United States. And you'll find a satisfaction in knowing that the money you spend will go to American workmen and industries—and help us toward recovery.

**A LIBERAL CUT**

The state received \$66,186.37 in taxes from \$2,647,453 wagered in 20 days of horse racing at Epsom Downs near Houston, the Texas Racing Commission announced Friday. The meet ended March 31.

**PLANS OUT FARM SYSTEM**

Ever since last January when John Doe, west Texas cotton farmer, signed a contract with the government to reduce his cotton acreage he has been figuring on how to best shift his farm system to meet the new conditions.

John has a 120-acre farm on which he has been growing 60 acres of cotton the past few years. In addition he has had 35 acres of grain sorghums, 10 acres of sorghum hay, 10 acres of native pasture, and 5 acres in the farmstead for house, barn, lots and garden.

He has contracted with the secretary of agriculture to take 24 acres out of cotton production, leaving him 36 acres for this crop this year. How shall he use the remaining 84 acres?

With the help of the county agent he has worked out a farming plan which he thinks will help him a lot this year. The new plan will give him a better living at home than he has had before, and let him terrace his entire farm without interference with the crops.

He has found that the 45 acres in feed crops is enough for a home living, if he works it right. He does not need any of the 24 acres rented to the government to make this living at home. He cannot, therefore, plant feed on that land if he complies with his contract. He doesn't want to plant crops that he can't harvest. He knows he ought to sow some clover or other cover crop and plow it under, but hesitates to go to that expense.

His farm needs terracing and the county agent has shown him a neat way of doing it at his leisure this year through a proper use of contracted acres. The plan is to lay out the entire terrace system and to plant all the land except strips 30 feet wide or more along the terraces. This is a form of strip cropping. The contracted acres will be along the terrace tops and will be left bare, but the crops on either side will prevent blowing. The lines have been run this spring, but the terraces may be built anytime during the season.

The way John gets his 24 contracted acres on terrace tops is this: 24 acres times 42,560 square feet per acre gives 1,043,440 square feet to take out of production. Dividing by 30 feet, the average width of bare strip along each terrace top, gives a total of 34,850 feet or 11,616 linear yards of terraces that will be required to occupy a total of 24 acres. John simply measures the total length of his terrace lines. If he has more than 11,616 yards he can plant on part of them; if he has less than 11,616 yards he will probably widen the bare strips enough to get his 24 acres.

His cropping system this year will be 36 acres of cotton; 23 acres of grain sorghums; 10 acres of sorghum hay; 10 acres of temporary pasture (sudan grass this summer, small grains next fall and winter); two acres of potatoes, beans, melons and cane for syrup; 10 acres in pasture; a large garden and a home fruit plot in the 5-acre farmstead; and 24 acres along bare terrace tops. Earl next fall he will probably seed small grains on the bare strips to prevent winter blowing.

This live at home system John got from studying Extension Service plans, and is convinced that with the help of his wife in following it the five members of the Doe family can just about produce their own home needs for food. It would cost them about \$600 to buy this food in the stores.

**AID FOR SCHOOLS**

Over 500 rural schools in Texas have been approved to receive \$600,000 of federal funds to extend current school terms to equal the normal term of 1930-31, George H. Fern, director of the federal emergency educational program for Texas, told reporters. The state relief director has paid approximately \$200,000 to approved rural schools, in which teachers have been on federal pay rolls since March, he said. Fern estimated \$725,000 in grants would be sought by 700 Texas rural schools.

**—EDITORIAL COMMENT—**

VIEWES OF THE NATION'S PRESS ON TOPICS OF INTEREST AND IMPORTANCE

**IDLE TALK**

Talk of revolution, such as seems to be disturbing gentlemen in some other sections of the country just now, and which is to occupy a congressional investigating committee, finds no echo in Texas. This does not mean that thoughtful Texans are not disturbed by some of the tendencies of recent governmental policies. But it does mean that anything resembling a fundamental economic revolution, such as many thoughtful people in the East seriously regard as a possibility, sounds so incredible to the average man in Texas as to be nothing short of preposterous. This is due primarily to the economic environment in which the average Texan lives. There is too much room for continued development of capitalism in Texas for anyone to imagine seriously that it is to be abandoned or very materially modified in the immediate future. We think this is true of a very large percentage of the area of the United States. But it is certain true of Texas. Nor are the measures which the government has adopted in dealing with the depression regarded as anything more than emergency measures. The cotton plow-up and the Bankhead bill are instances in point in this connection. Nobody thinks that the curtailment of cotton acreage or the limiting of cotton ginning is to be a permanent condition. On the contrary, recovery itself is envisaged as the return of conditions which will permit the production of a normal crop again on a profitable basis. And it is not doubted that such conditions will be restored in due course. Indeed, competent opinion that they could have been restored without the extraordinary methods which have been adopted is not wanting in Texas. But the point is that there is no considerable public opinion supporting the idea that our economic system is in need of any fundamental or radical revision.—Texas Weekly.

**BLANTON DENIES REVOLT AGAINST PRESIDENT**

To the Dallas News:

On behalf of the Texas delegation, won't you please permit me to say through your columns in answer to your editorials of last Thursday and Friday that overruling a veto was not a revolt against the president, but saved him from the unsound, uneconomic, inhuman, bad advice given him by General Hines and certain cabinet leaders who, regardless of responsibilities and loyalty to our administration, still think in thoughts of Republican high finance. Our entire Texas delegation is solidly backing President Roosevelt and are daily making fights for his program. He frankly stated he didn't expect to be right more than 75 per cent. Had we not passed this bill all government salaries ranging up to \$25,000 per annum would have been automatically restored freed of all cuts on July 1, to over 800,000 government employees. Also before passage we had forced the senate to eliminate \$150,000,000 it had added to amendments and we also killed the senate amendment that attempted to restore to the pay rolls over 4800 emergency retired officers on high monthly pay for life when numerous appeal boards have held they are not afflicted with any service connected disability. Passing this bill grants humane justice to 29,000 tubercular and psychiatric veterans whose situations were pitiful in the extreme and who otherwise would have become charity cases dependent upon their friends and the public. Both Speaker Rainey and our Democratic floor leader Joe Byrns, now admit that it will not be necessary to levy any additional taxes because of such veto overriding during this session.

When presidents veto and congress overrides they are each performing their constitutional functions with no break whatever in the continuity of their friendly relations and co-operation, each with the other.

THOMAS L. BLANTON, Congressman, Seventeenth Texas District. . . . Washington, D. C.

**SOME THINGS WE'VE FOUND OUT ABOUT TAXES**

One of the strange whims of public psychology in this country is the fallacious belief that taxes are paid by the other fellow!

We read with interest in our newspaper that some millionaire had paid \$500,000 in income taxes, and congratulate ourselves that our own income tax bill is only a few dollars. If we would stop and figure it out, we might discover that \$500,000 was only a small amount compared to that millionaire's income, while the amount we paid proportionately was much larger.

We read of high taxes in other states, and again extend congratulations to ourselves that we are getting off so cheaply. But that high tax may have represented the total, or a large part of the taxes paid, while we pay a number of taxes, each small in amount, but actually totalling more than those of our neighbors.

Then there are special levies, like the federal gasoline tax. Some of us think this is paid by the gasoline companies. It isn't; it is paid by each of us every time we buy gasoline. Perhaps we think it is small because the tax rate is only one cent a gallon. But that means \$6 a year to the average motorist, and while \$6 in itself isn't so much, it is really \$6 added to an average of \$24 in state gasoline taxes, plus state registration fees, drivers' licenses, property taxes, lubricating oil taxes, wheel taxes and others.

All in one we buy our car over again in taxes about every four years. Some demon statistician has figured that in the life of the average car, seven years, taxes upon it amount to 186.9 per cent of its value. In fact, the total tax rate on the average car today is estimated at 26.7 per cent of value!

If the average taxpayer fully was aware of these facts and realized how much taxes really cost him, it is probable he would be in sympathy with this current movement to eliminate federal taxes upon gasoline. Of course, it isn't what anyone would call substantial tax reduction, but it represents a saving and it probably is the only kind of tax reduction the federal government can afford to give the people this year.

This movement is interesting in another way. It is based largely on an effort to encourage tax payers to take enough interest in the affairs of government, and in tax reduction, to write a letter to their senators and representatives urging them to vote for the elimination of this duplicating federal tax upon gasoline. Most of the time, congressmen at Washington say, they have to guess what their constituents want. Here's a chance to tell them!—Courier, Harvard, Neb.

**PUNISHING ARSONIST**

The Winter issue of "Safeguarding America Against Fire" contrasts American sentences for the crime of arson with those imposed in Europe, citing as examples of European severity the beheading of Van der Lubbe for the Reichstag fire and the hanging of the tramp in Austria for spitefully firing a farm. Now, however, the people of our own country may begin to feel more secure against firebugs if such convictions as were handed down in Scranton, Pa., the other day, continue, to be obtained. Arrested for setting fire to a dwelling in which a little girl was burned to death, the defendant was brought to trial and speedily convicted on the charge of murder by arson and sentenced to death.

One man found guilty in Cleveland of starting a fire which caused the death of 13 people is serving a life sentence, and another remains to be tried. In a case in Chicago, the fire burned two young children to death and seriously injured the mother. The assured confessed and he and an accomplice received 40-year sentences, and a third was given thirty years.

An arson hotel fire in St. Louis took seven lives and resulted in sentences of 70 years for one criminal, life imprisonment for

**DUST FROM THE DEEP**

And now chemists propose to squeeze the gold dust out of the ocean. The process of extracting bromine from sea waters has revealed a method by which liquefied gold may be "ionized" and captured. It is declared to be a "simple process." The only difficulty lies in the handling of the vast amounts of sea water necessary to get the acquirement of "paying dirt."

Various attempts to sift the gold out of sea water have been made in the past, but they all went the way of scores of other zealous projects designed for the acquisition of easy riches. The chemists who discovered the present formula while extracting bromide for use largely in knocking the knock from gasoline declare that "the chemical problem in gold recovery would be comparatively simple."

If one desire to test the new discovery, all he needs to do is to go to the nearest ocean and dip out a cubic mile of the most desirable water. This "excavation" completed, he applies the chemical formula. The chemists give assurance that there is one-hundredth of an inch of gold to every cubic mile of the Atlantic ocean. Some oceans are said to be richer in gold than others, but for ordinary practice the Atlantic will do. After the experimenter has extracted the gold from ten or twelve cubic miles of near by sea waters he may try out a few other oceans and compare the results.

There is plenty of ocean for every ambitious "gold digger." To be sure, he can not "stake out a claim," but he can arrange to dip out plenty of water to put through his "squeezer." Of course, the ocean must be returned after the gold has been extracted. It would be "just too bad" if the steamship lines were to be deprived of water enough to do business on.—Christian Science Monitor.

**THE PEOPLE DISPOSE**

The predictors predict and the war mongers monger, but the people do not go to war.

They told us Russia and Japan would fight in Siberia when spring came; they told us that Hitler had set the stage for war in Europe. But weeks pass and the promised wars are not forthcoming.

Seemingly there is something more than national differences, warlike leaders, or upset balances of power, needed to launch wars, and that something, obviously, is the temper of the people. Even under the most complete autocracy this temper controls the nation and clearly the people of all the world just now are set on peace. Perhaps we can not say how soon this will be changed, but apparently memories of the world war are yet too fresh, and prospects of the possible next war are too terrible. Thus while the people insist on peace, leaders must tone their swashbuckling and adjust their policies to the real ruling power in ever nation, the popular will.

Ludwig Lore writes in Harpers of the fearful designs of the new Germany; Frank Simonds practically bids Europe to strike at the new German regime; Scribners and Colliers are not far behind; Hearst propagandizes violently for war with Japan, joined by strange allies, a host of late pacifists who are so fearful of the defeat of Soviet Russia that they are now seeing all sorts of reasons why the United States must defend herself against Japan.

Sensible leaders everywhere, it is true, are combating this sort of madness, but their chief support—and hope for success—comes from the masses of the people who simply refuse to be excited by the importunities of the extremists.

The current easy talk of war, in fact, is serving to harden them against all war propaganda, and to brand for years to come the persons now engaging in it.—Houston Chronicle.

another and hanging for a third. Times are getting more dangerous every day for the arsonist!—Industrial News.

# NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

## Lampasas

Approximately 2500 bottles of confiscated homebrew were emptied by the sheriff's department Wednesday morning. This beer was an accumulation of confiscations over a period of two years.

In the city election held Tuesday, J. P. Field was elected city marshal and Ross W. Bailey, C. C. Abney and W. W. Wilson were elected as aldermen for the city of Lampasas. There were 747 votes polled and it was near midnight before the count was completed.

The scholastic census for the Lampasas city schools is just about completed. To date, the figures show that there are 735 white children and 67 colored. This makes a total of 802 as compared with a total of 743 for last year. The total six years ago was 591.

W. W. Brown, 54 years of age, died early Sunday morning, April 1, at a Temple hospital, where he was taken after being injured Friday in an automobile accident in Temple. Mr. Brown was riding with J. A. LaBounty, who travels out of Fort Worth, when the accident occurred. Mr. LaBounty escaped without injury and was only bruised. Mr. Brown was born near Sulphur Springs, but came to Lampasas county as a child and for a number of years had been operating a gin and buying cotton at Kempner and had a wide acquaintance throughout this part of the state.—Leader.

## Lometa

Miss Josephine Swain, who is attending Baylor University at Waco, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mont Swain.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rahl of Goldthwaite visited Mr. and Mrs. C. McAnelly here Saturday. Mr. Rahl formerly lived in Lometa.

A deal was consummated this week, and took effect Tuesday morning, whereby Mrs. Edgar Ross became the owner of the J. A. Fulton grocery store.

Uncle Joe Morgan was in town Saturday greeting his many friends. He states that he is feeling fine and gaining strength right along, which will be good news to his many friends.

An unsuccessful attempt was made Tuesday night to burn the store owned by Ernest O'Neal at Moline. A sack of ashes, saturated with kerosene, had been put through one of the windows and lighted. The fire was discovered before much damage was done.

W. C. Dew, the courteous and accommodating president of the Trent State bank, Goldthwaite, Texas, was a business visitor in Lometa Friday afternoon and while here favored the Reporter with a nice ad, a financial statement of their bank at the close of business March 5, 1934. When Lometa's last bank closed Mr. Dew came down and offered every accommodation in his power to the Lometa folks, and they have not forgotten it. To show our appreciation we will be willing to let him open a bank here, and furnish him building and equipment, rent free.—Reporter.

## San Saba

Andy Weston of Mullin was a visitor here last week.

T. A. Garrett of Richland Springs sold E. L. Brown 1000 chicks this week.

H. F. Moore of Chappel is having a six room frame dwelling built on his farm and ranch. The house will be modern throughout.

More than 300 children and many grown people attended the Lions club Easter egg hunt and band concert at the Mill Pond Sunday afternoon in charge of W. T. Little, president of the Lions club.

Lieut. Thurman A. Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Wood of Lakeview, and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Darnell of Hall, was killed near DeWitt, Iowa, Friday night when the single-seated pursuit plane he was flying crashed in a rain-storm, while he flew west from Chicago with the mail.—News.

## Hamilton

Rev. Vernon Shaw came in from Dallas for the Sunday services at First Baptist church and returned to the city Monday to be with Mrs. Shaw, who is still a patient in Baylor hospital.

An indication of wide interest of people in the test oil well near Ireland was the immense crowd, numbering some 2000 men, women and children who witnessed the spudding of the well on Sunday afternoon.

In the city election held in Hamilton Tuesday, April 3, the people put the stamp of approval on the official record of Mayor William Lemmons by voting unanimously to continue him in office another two years.

Many friends in Hamilton and the county of Master Leroy Hall, grandson of Mrs. Axie Wesley Guest, will be happy to learn that he successfully underwent a very delicate brain operation for the removal of a tumor, and is slowly recovering.

Rev. Sam Steele, 81, pioneer Baptist minister of this section, died suddenly at his home in May shortly after noon Friday. He had not been in ill health previously and ate a hearty lunch a short time before his death.

A message received on Monday, April 2, by Wheeler Pig of this city, from his brother, Mack Pig, at Bowie, conveying the distressing news that as a result of a recent automobile accident amputation of the left arm of Dewey Pig, was necessitated. Detailed information concerning the unfortunate accident are lacking.

Early last week a large hen house, which sheltered two brooders and 400 3-weeks-old chicks, the property of C. E. Edmiston in the Tonkawa community, burned to the ground about 10:30 o'clock. Besides the destruction of the hen house, brooder and chicks, there was quite a quantity of high priced chicken feed in the house, and the canvas equipment of Mr. Edmiston's reaper. — Record-Herald.

## Brownwood

From 6 to 7 per cent of the sheep in Brown county were lost during the past few weeks thru diseases brought about by improper feeding, County Agent C. W. Lehmberg estimated this week.

Announcement was made this week that the CCC camp of 200 men for the park at Lake Brownwood would be moved here July 1. The camp is being moved from Meridian, when it completes the work at that place.

The Brownwood Business and Professional Women's club will sponsor in Brownwood the sale of White Cross seals to help cure and educate crippled children in Texas. It was decided at the meeting of the club this week.

W. H. Thompson was elected mayor of Brownwood, Bert Hise, re-elected chief of police; Marvin J. Flowers alderman from ward 2, in the city election held Tuesday. Edward B. Henley, jr., unopposed, was re-elected alderman from ward 4.

Reinvestigation of the entire county by case workers from the Brown county board of welfare, show that there are 1175 families in the county eligible for relief under the new plan being worked out by the relief commission. These families represent 4654 individuals. In addition to the families, 99 single persons have been placed on the rolls. — Banner.

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## Comanche

Mrs. Jennie Sadler of Gustine was recently appointed justice of the peace, precinct No. 2, by the commissioners court to take the place of R. D. Everett, resigned.

Joe Baker was recently employed by the commissioners court as county trapper for a period of two months and longer if necessary. His salary is to be \$50 per month.

A major business deal was closed in Comanche the latter part of last week when Oran M. Clark of Coleman bought the Comanche Motor company and the Hart Shoemaker residence from Mr. Shoemaker.

Jim C. Cunningham, city night watchman for the past five years, was elected city marshal of Comanche Tuesday by a majority of 207 votes to fill the unexpired term of the late A. G. Miller, which has a year to run.

Fourteen men of Comanche had filed their names Wednesday with Armstrong Cox, secretary of the night watchman committee, for the position of night watchman to take the place of Jim Cunningham, who Tuesday, was elected city marshal.—Chief.

## CHANGE IN RELIEF SYSTEM

State Director Adam Johnson, was removed Monday by the Texas Relief Commission, after a contested change in commissioners, gave those opposed to Johnson a majority vote.

Miss Marie Dresden, former social worker in Milwaukee and Chicago, was elected to succeed Johnson. She has been social service consultant of the relief commission since its beginning.

The commission also abolished the commissary system of distributing relief, which has been in force in eight counties. Large commissaries in Dallas, Houston and San Antonio are among those closed.

Instead, orders for groceries will be given on merchants who agree to fill them at cost plus 12 per cent.

The commission before adjourning voted to expend \$110,000 for hospitalization of tuberculars.

Court action already is planned as a result of the shake-up in membership. A member from El Paso, who arrived Monday and took his place at the relief commission table, learned upon roll call that he had been removed.

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FROM THE FAMOUS RADIO PROGRAM

## CARADAN

We had a big rainfall and some hail. Don't think the hail damaged the crops much. We are very thankful for the rain, as it will put plenty of moisture in the ground to bring our crops up.

We did not have any services Saturday night or Sunday, as it was so rainy and muddy, but we will have our all day services soon and I will let you know next week, as our pastor has not been over to decide just what day, but let us keep this in mind and all be sure to come. We did not have Sunday school Sunday morning, but we did have B. Y. P. U. Sunday evening.

Let us all remember that we do have a wonderful Sunday school. Miss Kate Petsick is the teacher of Bible class; Mrs. Coley Sevier, teacher of young people's class; Lee Stewart is superintendent of our Sunday school. In our senior B. Y. P. U., Jesse Roberts is president and our group captains are Mrs. Lee Stewart and Jess Stewart. Coley Sevier is our Bible quiz leader. Our juniors have Mrs. Coley Sevier for leader and Babe Reynolds and Maxine Stewart for group captains. Miss Dephane Reynolds has the Sunbeam band class. Every one remember that every one is welcome to come and worship with us.

Those who visited in the Lee Stewart home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Stewart and family, Mrs. Ellis and daughter and Veona Denton.

The visitors in the Jackson home Sunday were Mrs. Dues Geares and boys, Mrs. Frank Kerby and boys and Mrs. Jack Kerby and the Reynolds children.

Mrs. Will Leverett came to town Monday of this week.

Mrs. Cline is somewhat improved at this writing. Mrs. Loyd Reynolds spent Tuesday evening with her.

Mr. Beard spent a few minutes in the Reynolds home Sunday morning.

Lora Jackson visited while in the Reed home Sunday evening. Walter Reynolds killed two big rattlesnakes on the mountain near his home. Now is the time to kill them.

Our school is progressing nicely under the supervision of the Misses Beard. The election of one new trustee and trustee at large, was held here Saturday. Jess Stewart is our new trustee for the school in with Walter Reynolds and William Koen. Mr. Horton has several votes for trustee at large. Frank Kerby, Lloyd Reynolds, Eldred Caraway held the election.

Misses Hazel and Floy Beard attended the teachers meeting in Mullin Monday night. The teachers and one or two of our trustees will attend trustee meeting in Brownwood Saturday.

The teachers are working on their program for the end of school. The eighth grade is preparing a play entitled "One Minute of Twelve," a three act play and lots of fun, so let's not forget and find just what date it will be. There are about five or six more weeks of school. So let us all watch the paper and all come, as it will be a program worthwhile. BROWN EYES

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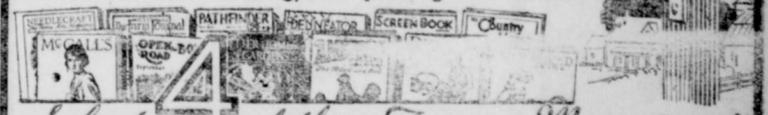
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**THE GOLDTHWAITE EAGLE**

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Attorney F. P. Bowman looked after legal business in Fort Worth the early part of the week.

Paul McCullough and Neal Dickerson attended the Lumbermen's convention in Mineral Wells this week.

Homer C. DeWolfe and family visited relatives in this city last week and returned to their home in Austin Sunday.

Permanent Wave Specials—Guaranteed oil steam wave, \$1.00 Friday and Saturday, Goldthwaite Inn.

O. H. Yarborough and family have moved into their new home, recently purchased from Roy Rowntree, located on Fifth and Hutchings streets.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller are attending the Baptist Sunday school convention in Fort Worth and expect to visit relatives in Dallas before returning home.

Art and Civic club are having their annual plant and flower sale Friday and Saturday, April 13 and 14, in Mrs. Bodkin's hat shop.

Marion Stephens and his wife and daughter came in from Amarillo Wednesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stephens, and other relatives.

Miss Mildred Woodard has returned to her home in Anson. She spent a short while with her mother, Mrs. Pauline Woodard, and Wesley Woodard, her brother, and family.

Mrs. T. F. Elliott of Scallorn, together with Rev. Wesley Elliott, a traveling evangelist, and his sister from Belin, N. M., were appreciated callers at the Eagle office Wednesday.

Fathers and mothers of John Tarleton college students will be honor guests on the campus on Sunday and Monday, April 29 and 30, according to announcement from the office of the dean.

Joe Doggett of Valera was here the early part of the week visiting relatives and looking after business matters. He bought a bunch of sheep which he shipped to Coleman county on Wednesday's local.

**PLEASANT GROVE**

Mr. Walker Berry has been sick the past week and was taken to the doctor Thursday and Sunday. She was some better at last report.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Berry and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Crawford spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaw and family.

Miss Florence Harbor of Garrett community attended singing here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Moreland and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Berry and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Walker Berry.

Miss Gladys Casbeer spent the week end at her home in Center City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jeffery visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Berry, and family Sunday.

Seaborn Benningfield attended the singing here Sunday night and helped us sing. We are always glad to have visitors from all communities to come and help us sing.

The choir is going to meet every Friday night and practice.

Mrs. W. W. Berry and daughter and two sons, sat until bedtime visiting in the Walker Berry home Monday night.

We were certainly sorry to hear of Mrs. George Brown being so sick. She was taken to the doctor Monday. We are hoping for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Covington and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Irwin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch McKinzie of Goldthwaite were visiting in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hurdle visited awhile with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Irwin Monday evening.

Mrs. Flora Hodges has built a new cement storage tank.

Mrs. Charlie Miller and Mrs. Alvis Irwin spent Tuesday evening visiting with Mrs. Walker Berry and daughter.

Mrs. Hoover Hodges spent Tuesday evening visiting with Mrs. J. D. Hodges.

Tommie Irwin has been sick for the past week. We hope he will be better soon.

Leonard Warren helped Charlie Berry with his windmill Wednesday.

Charlie Bayley of Goldthwaite was in our community transacting business Wednesday morning.

SMILES

**EBONY**

At the election here Saturday, Mrs. P. R. Reid and C. L. Mashburn were elected trustees.

We had heavy rains last week. Some gardens were washed up, some turkey nests washed away, and some fields badly damaged. Thursday evening one of the teachers and several of the pupils were unable to reach home on account of the high water in the creek. The river also got over the bottom.

A good crowd attended Sunday school Sunday morning. Let every one remember that next Sunday is Bro. Green's day. Unless it is raining he expects to be here Saturday night.

The 4-H club had its third meeting Friday afternoon. Several have started on their projects. Everett Philen's name was added to the membership list.

Mrs. M. J. Purcell, "Aunt T.", is much better. She is now able to be up some. Her foster daughter, Mrs. Ed Snell, and little daughter, Shirley Jean, returned to their home at Giddings Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McNurien and Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNurien were called to Locker Monday to attend the funeral of their nephew, Dwight Hendrix.

Gladys Griffin spent Sunday night with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Singleton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clements and children visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Philen Sunday.

Avis McDearman spent Sunday with Ruby Ketchum.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dwyer and Mrs. Nellie Malone took dinner at the Wilmett home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Reynolds and little daughter, Miria Nell, visited at the home of Mrs. Lydia Tippen and Mrs. Effie Egger Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Reeves, principal of our school, went to Mullin Monday to attend a teachers' meeting, called by O. L. Davis, deputy state superintendent for this district.

On account of the rain, we did not get to work our cemetery Saturday as announced. But just now it is a thing of beauty anyhow—all abloom with purple and white irises.

Anita McDearman spent Sunday with Joyce Lovelace.

W. M. Clements was called to Tyler Sunday night as a witness in a federal court case.

On account of the rain J. B. Jones did not come to preach Sunday as announced. He now expects to be here the fourth Sunday.

On Friday night, April 13, (tonight), the Literary Society will present the play "Fingerprints," at the school house. The public is invited. Admission will be 10c.

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Chapel exercises were enjoyed again this week.

The senior class play, "Melvina's Courtship," will be presented here Thursday night, May 3. The admission will be 10 and 15c.

The Mullin P. T. A. will present a play here Thursday night, April 19. The admission will be 10 and 15c, and all of the proceeds will go to the senior class.

Brownwood will feature a musical program here in the near future.

Mr. Grimland and Mr. Cunningham attended the teachers' meeting at Mullin Monday night and derived a great benefit from the speeches given there.

The tennis and track winners will go to the district meet at Brownwood Friday and Saturday. We hope to see them win.

Those who made one hundred in spelling every day since beginning of school are Ruth Hein, third grade; Myrtle Schrank, fourth grade; Clarence Rost, fifth grade; Waldo Hohertz, also fifth grade.

Clayton Crook, a former Priddy student, visited this school Monday. All of the students in high school were glad to see him.

Miss Ethel Hohertz entertained a group of young folk at her home Tuesday night with a party. Everyone enjoyed it very much.

**Pretty Good Idea!**

Mr. Grimland: Isn't it about time baby called me daddy?

Mrs. Grimland: I've decided not to let him know who you are until the little darling gets a little stronger.

**Community News**

The Priddy baseball team is practicing for play during the baseball season.

The outsiders are getting up a play, "Small Town Romeo." It is for the benefit of the ball players.

The Priddy Luther League is working on a program for Mothers Day in the Zion Lutheran church at Priddy.

The rain was welcomed by everyone and was very beneficial to the crops.

The Priddy Luther League spent a very enjoyable evening at the home of Mrs. Olga Nele last Sunday.

The League will sponsor a program in the Zion Lutheran church Sunday night at Priddy. A number of young folk from Priddy attended a party given by Bud Farrar of Newburg, after the singing there April 1.

**SCALLORN**

We had two big rains last week. Everything is growing fast with these warm sunny days.

Will Fox and son, Hodge, of Lampasas spent Sunday in the R. D. Evans home.

J. D. Ford and family of Lampasas spent Sunday with his mother.

Two of Henry Crawford's girls have been real sick, but are now some better.

Dutch Smith and family and Miss Verner Harris spent Sunday with Mrs. W. J. Ford.

Mrs. Corine Hiller of Albuquerque, N. M., is visiting her father, Mr. T. F. Elliott.

Mrs. Fred Laughlin and son spent Tuesday in the home of Elza Laughlin.

Miss Verner Harris is staying with her sister, Mrs. Dutch Smith.

Mrs. Bud Wilsford of Fort Worth spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morgan. Mr. Wilsford came Saturday evening and they returned home Sunday afternoon.

Webb Laughlin has bought 500 acres of land off the Huffstutler tract on Elliott creek. He and several hands are putting up the fence.

Mrs. Cora Ford and Mrs. T. J. Webb and Barney Laughlin took the men's dinner to them Monday. We had a regular fish fry, as some of the men went to the river Sunday night and brought back several large fish.

Miss Dorothy Laughlin spent Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. T. J. Laughlin, and aunt, Mrs. Barney Laughlin.

Joe Whittenburg and wife spent Monday in Joe Morgan's home. Joe helped mark up some lambs and calves.

Mrs. T. J. Laughlin spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Jane Johnson, near Nix.

Ed Evans, wife and son spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Evans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bradberry, at the Bend.

J. V. Alley of Sonora, Mrs. Dunbar and baby of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kay and two children of Post, and Mrs. W. F. Luckie of San Saba spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. W. J. Ford.

Mrs. T. J. Laughlin spent Tuesday with Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. Corine Hiller.

Mrs. Jake Brown and baby of Novice and Wayne Cornelius of San Antonio spent a few days with their sister, Mrs. Carlos Patterson, and their parents at Ridge this week.

**ARMY DOCTOR PLUNGES TO DEATH FROM PLANE AS PILOT SOARS**

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the body of an aviator had been found in a field near the Kirby school house.

Several officers rushed to the scene and identified the body as that of Capt. Skaggs.

Lieut. Van Meter, a flying instructor at the primary flying school, was flying the plane from the front seat. He said that from time to time he permitted Capt. Skaggs to fly the plane for short periods of time while he readjusted himself in the seat.

The spot where the body of Capt. Skaggs was found is near a student training landing field, formerly used by Randolph Field flyers. This field is within gliding distance of Randolph Field.

Theories Advanced as to Cause

Several theories have been advanced relative to the probable reason for the medical officer's plunge to death. One of these is that Capt. Skaggs' safety belt became unbuckled and he was thrown out when the plane might have struck a "bump" — up or down current of air which causes a ship to lunge.

Capt. Skaggs fell at least 2000 feet to his death, Lieut. Van Meter said today he was flying at that altitude when he passed over Kirby.

The only other similar incident in the air corps took place several years ago, when Lieut. Claude Duncan landed at Kelly Field late one evening, after a flight from Dallas and found his passenger, Capt. John I. Moore, was missing.

Capt. Moore, however, landed safely with his parachute in a field near Kyle.

He had gone to sleep in the rear cockpit. His safety belt had become unhooked, and when the plane hit a "bump" he was pitched out. He had the strange experience of waking up in mid-air but he pulled the rip cord of his parachute and came down safely.

Skaggs Born at Lampasas

Capt. Skaggs was 37 years old. He was born February 15, 1897, at Lampasas, Texas. He graduated with an A. B. degree at Texas Christian University at Fort Worth in 1918, and received his degree in medicine from the Baylor Medical College at Dallas in 1921. He graduated from the Army Medical school in 1926. His father's home is now in Winters, Texas.

Capt. Skaggs reported to Randolph Field, August 7, 1933, from the Walter Reed hospital in Washington, D. C. He had formerly been on duty with the tree army at Tahihima, Okla., from October until December, 1933.

Capt. Skaggs is survived by his widow, Catherine Mickley Skaggs; two sons, 5 and 11 years old, and his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Skaggs.

A board of officers was appointed at Randolph Field to investigate the accident.

Death Great Shock to Friends

The news of Capt. Skaggs' death spread rapidly among the army today and was received as a great shock. Medical officers, especially, shook their heads slowly at the loss to the service of such a capable medical officer as Capt. Skaggs.

"Capt. Skaggs was an extremely competent officer," it was stated by Maj. W. W. Southard, adjutant of the Fort Sam Houston station hospital. "He was a ward officer at this hospital five years ago and then was transferred to Puerto Rico, where he distinguished himself before being sent to the Walter Reed hospital at Washington. While on duty at the hospital here," Maj. Southard said, "Captain Skaggs was outstanding as a brilliant officer both in medicine and surgery."

The coroner's verdict was that Capt. Skaggs' death was accidental.

Miss Gladys Casbeer of Center City spent the week end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Patterson took his brother back to school at Stephenville Sunday.

Mrs. Chester Frazier and Mrs. Forrest Frazier visited relatives and friends in Brownwood Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Taff of Cleburne returned home Tuesday, after a few days' visit here with her mother and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Long and Mrs. Miller of Shaw Bend visited their mother, Mrs. Ezzell, in Brownwood Tuesday.

**THE VALUE OF HOME ECONOMICS AND MANUAL TRAINING**

By NaVerne Lee

Every boy and girl should know and should have a course in home economics and manual training.

Do we want the boys and girls of our county to grow up in absolute ignorance to the need of the real tasks in our lives? It is true they can be taught in the home, but that is not like being under a teacher's watchful eye.

At school they can learn things on a much larger and better scale.

For instance, the teacher knows the latest methods in the way of doing things. In cooking she knows all the latest dishes there are to make. In sewing she knows the latest styles and latest methods of making clothing. Another thing in a home economics course, the pupils are taught the latest laws of etiquette. I'm not saying that manners at the table are not instructed to a child at home. They should be at least, but most of our parents are not so well read up on the latest laws of etiquette. They know better than to put a knife in their mouth and to eat soup with a fork; but when it comes to the "sure enough" polished manners, our parents are lost to these.

It's pitiful to see a home where the lady of the house is such a poor cook that she doesn't know to cook more than bread, which is usually pretty sorry in a case like this, and meat, which she almost always burns to a crisp.

A woman who can not sew is in a bad shape. One might say: "Things are just as cheap and lots more beautiful, to get them ready-made now." That may be so, but every woman needs to know how to sew. It is nature for women to sew. If they are deprived of this, they are cheated out of their birthright. One of the first things a little girl remembers is how an aunt of her's, who was teaching her to sew, would look at her over her steel-rimmed spectacles and say, "You know, my dear, a stitch in time saves nine."

"Yes, ma'am," she would answer politely, and then wonder and wonder, "Nine what?" It wasn't until she was almost grown that she knew it meant that one stitch sewed when a tear was little, it would save sewing nine or more if she let it go.

People should start in young to learn how to sew.

If children know how to sew and cook when they are young, it is to their advantage. The best recipe for making a mother get well is to have a daughter or son who can go into the kitchen and prepare a pretty tray with well cooked food on it and carry it to her, without asking one single question about how to do

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things or what she would like to eat.

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