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INDICATIONS POINT TO RECORD PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Fire Department Has Long Run

Fire, discovered about 9 o'clock Wednesday night, did an estimated \$2,000 damage on the barn and stored feed of Charlie Welch seven miles east of Goldthwaite, near the road to Center City.

The blaze, believed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion from green hay in the left, was discovered by Jack Welch, while the rest of the family was at church. He was unable to telephone Goldthwaite to summon the fire department, so a bucket brigade was started in an attempt to save the house and part of the barn. Harry Welch drove to town for the fire truck, which arrived after 9:30, and firemen worked several hours fighting the blaze. They succeeded in extinguishing most of the flames before the water supply ran low.

Carl and Raymond Casbeer, William Biddle, John L. House, I. Z. Woodard, Hunt, and Jack and Harry Welch worked all night and most of the morning Thursday fighting the fire which was still smoldering at noon Thursday. Eight hogs and a 1000 bales of hay and other feeds were known to have been burned.

New Chief Justice Took Law Lesson From Farmer Father

Waco.—Whenever young lawyers are a bit baffled in appealing a case to the Texas Supreme Court, they'll find James P. Alexander, Democratic nominee for Chief Justice, to be fully understanding.

"Judge Alex," as his students have called him, recalls his graduation from a Texas law school with an LL.B. degree. His was only theoretical knowledge, he admits, and he had no idea how to actually conduct a practice.

He appealed to his father, a farmer near Moody, and watched attentively as the ground tiller explained the way a city lawyer had evaluated some legal papers for him.

That, he says, was his first practical law lesson. Two days later he hung out his shingle and was charging clients for doing that which his father had done him.

When added to the Baylor faculty, which position he has held while also being a practicing attorney, district judge and a member of the Waco court of civil appeals, Judge Alexander wanted none of his students to graduate with a similar lack of practical knowledge. He has sought to prevent it through his "Practice court," in which each student either prosecutes or defends a civil suit through the entire process.

Lions Club Holds First Meeting of Year

Members of the Goldthwaite Lions Club met in their first regular session of the new series Tuesday night in the recreation room of the Methodist church.

The program consisted mainly of informal discussion of various civic projects and problems.

P-T. A. to Meet

The Goldthwaite P-T. A. will meet Sept. 11, at 4:00 o'clock in the Grammar school auditorium for our first meeting. The following program will be rendered:

Leader: Mrs. Pearl Keeton. "America" by group. Invocation: Rev. M. P. Burton. Talk by leader. Talk by M. Y. Stokes, Jr. Solo—Mrs. Marsh Johnson. Reading by Katherine Miller. Everyone is urged to attend. —Reporter

The Goldthwaite Public Schools opened for the 1940-41 session last Monday with enrollment well in line with the past few years and with indications of a record enrollment as the year moves on.

Two new teachers were in place with the opening day: Ward Lowe of Lometa, who will teach social science in the high school, and Miss Juanita Mae Stinnett of Childress, who will have charge of the public school music department in the elementary grades. Both come highly recommended and thoroughly trained for the work they will do.

At the time of going to press two vacancies exist in the elementary grades, while Superintendent Smith states he is expecting a band teacher on the job before the end of the week. He also states that he expects to have the other vacancy filled by the first of next week.

On Friday night of last week a joint meeting of the school board and faculty was held in which each group pledged co-operation to the other.

The faculty as it stands at present is as follows:

High School.
S. E. Cloninger, high school principal, teacher of science and athletic coach; M. B. Coffey, Vocational Agriculture; R. L. Peterson, mathematics; Mrs. Euna V. Barnett, Spanish and speech; Miss Love Gatlin, history; Mrs. Lois Cox Marshall, English; Miss Evelyn Hoting, Home Making; Bill Stephens, mathematics, commerce, and assistant football coach; Miss Leila Mae Sivells, English; and Ward Lowe, social science.

Grammar School.
A. L. Layton, principal and teacher of language; Mrs. Sparks Bigham, geography; Mrs. Bill Stephens, art and writing; Miss Doris Hill, spelling and reading; Miss Margaret Freeland, spelling and reading; Miss Juanita Stinnett, public school music. These together with a band teacher and an arithmetic teacher, will constitute the grammar school faculty.

Primary Department.
Miss Ethleen Adams, principal and first grade; Miss Katherine Sumner, first grade; Miss Lily May Ely, second grade; Miss Allene Sumner, second and third grade; Mrs. Helen Saylor, third grade.

Grand Jury List For September Term

District Clerk Cora Keese today announces the following list of 16 Mills county citizens who have been called to serve as Grand Jury for the September, 1940, term of Judge Few Brewster's 27th Judicial District court:

Delton Barnett, J. D. Fallon, O. C. Schulze, C. T. Wrinkle, F. M. Conradt, Ira Alldredge, W. A. Patterson, W. E. Burleson, C. D. House, Milton Stanley, George Robertson, Adolph Shumann, W. A. Daniels, Francis Kyle, Edgar Jones, and L. B. Burnham.

Postal Receipts Set August Record

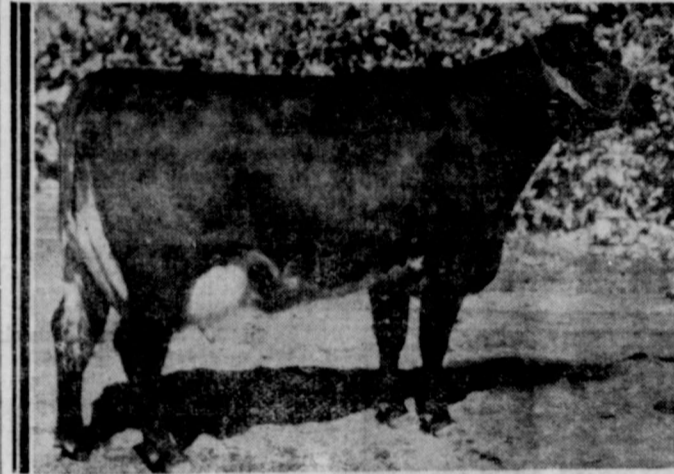
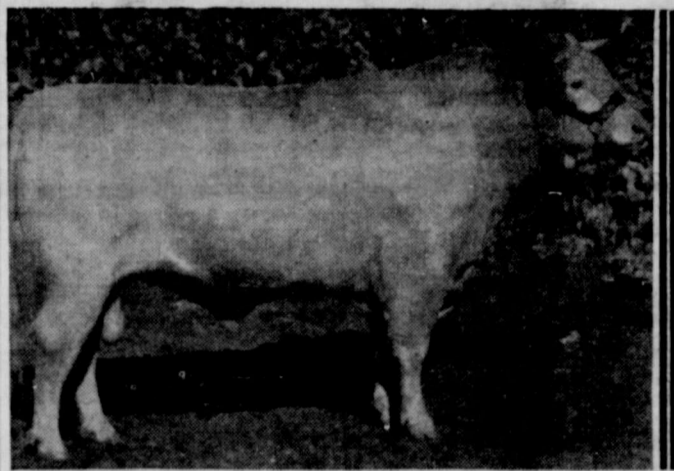
Postal receipts at the Goldthwaite post office for August were the greatest for that month in the history of the local office, Postmaster M. Y. Stokes, Jr. has announced.

Except for the month of April, which also was a record-breaker, the August business was the best since Christmas of last year.

BARGAIN DAYS ON DAILIES ANNOUNCED THIS WEEK

On page five of this issue of The Eagle will be found an announcement reminding subscribers to the leading daily newspapers that now is the best time to renew their papers for the next year. Come in and let The Eagle handle the details.

Champions from the Midwest



Two of the nation's greatest Milking Shorthorns which have been entered in the Milking Shorthorn Show at the 1940 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 5 to 20.

Top is Kingsdale Pride, grand champion of the 1939 International Livestock Exposition at Chicago, and the United States All-American bull, bred, owned and will be exhibited by Keith

King of Victoria, Illinois. Botton is Duallyn Juniper, All-American three-year-old and the grand champion at the National Dairy Show held at the Golden Gate Exposition at San Francisco. She has a record of 10,004 pounds of milk, and 437 pounds of butter fat as a two-year-old. She is owned by John B. Gage, Mayor of Kansas City.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SQUAD TRAINS FOR GAME WITH KILLEEN

1940 Football Schedule.

Sept. 13 Killeen here.
Sept. 20 Winters here.
Sept. 27 Open.
Oct. 4 Open.
Oct. 11 Fredericksburg there.
Oct. 18 Rochelle here.
Oct. 27 Lampasas here.
Nov. 1 Open.
Nov. 8 Richland Springs there.
Nov. 16 Llano here.
Nov. 22 San Saba here.
Sept. 27, or Oct. 4 date will be scheduled soon.

First Bale Cotton Ginned Wednesday

G. A. Tischler of Priddy received a total of \$64.01 Wednesday for the bale of cotton for the 1940 season from Mills county. The cotton was ginned by Great-house Gin and weighed 514 pounds. It was bought by Great-house for 9 cents a pound.

The following subscriptions brought the total, proceeds to \$64.01:

J. D. Hodges, 50c; Randolph Lumber Company, \$1; Allen and Denson, 50c; Earl Fairman, \$2; Kelly Saylor, 25c; Miss Annie Coleman, 50c; Little's, \$1; Hudson Bros., \$1; Curtis Lng, 50c; Piggly Wiggly, \$1; Walter Weatherby, 50c; R. L. Steen, \$1; Farmer & Ranchers Supply House, \$1; Gerald-Worley, 50c; Marsh Johnson, \$1; Claude Dickerson, 50c; Marvin Hodges, 50c; Judge Gerald, 50c; Raymond Bledsoe, 25c; R. E. Clements, 50c; Rufus McKinney, 25c; Brim Grocery, 50c; O. H. Yarborough, \$1; L. J. Gartman, 50c and Barnes & McCullough, \$1.

Pecan Prospects Are Discouraging

The smallest pecan crop in recent years is being predicted for Mills county this year by men who have surveyed the situation. The severe freeze in April is blamed for the major part of the loss. The crop will not be a total failure, however, and the quality of the nuts produced is expected to be better than average.

Commissioners Court Closes Sewing Room

Commissioners' Court met Monday and attended to various business. The court made a trip out to look over a proposed road. No action was taken on it.

The court took under consideration the question of discontinuance of the sewing room project which has been operated under the sponsorship of the county for the past several years. In view of the fact that the WPA has constantly increased the expense on the county and also in view of the fact that the system has not kept to its original purpose, relief, and further that the project would cost the county approximately \$150 per worker during the next year, the court reluctantly decided to discontinue operation of the project.

Mrs. Myrtle Forehand, Welfare Administrator, is trying to find employment for all women who are turned off the sewing room project. Those wishing employment are asked to see Mrs. Forehand at her office in the court house.

Several schools: Midway, Big Valley, Chappell Hill, Kelly, Ridge and Center Point opened this week. Others will open next Monday.

Post Office Offers Finger Print Service

An offer originally made to Goldthwaite Boy Scouts to have their finger prints made at the Goldthwaite post office is being extended to any resident of Mills county, according to Postmaster M. Y. Stokes, Jr. There is no charge for the service, and the person may keep his finger print card or send it in to the Department of Public Safety to be registered in the non-criminal file.

The offer is made primarily to afford employees of the post office practice in taking finger prints. For this reason it is restricted to the hours of 10 to 11:30 a. m. when it will interfere least with post office business. No records will be kept by the post office.

Finger printing is no longer restricted to the criminal class. Every civil service employee of the U. S. and state governments as well as all soldiers, sailors and marines have their finger prints on file in Washington. Most prominent Americans have voluntarily registered their finger prints. If everyone were finger printed, many distress cases of unidentified dead and amnesia victims would have been cleared up without delay. Missing boys and girls could be more easily located, and disputes over mistaken identities would be prevented.

Meat for America

Galveston.—In recognition of the American meat industry and its years of service to the nation, an attractive little booklet, "Meat for America's Millions," has recently been published by the Santa Fe Railway.

With more than 1,200 packing plants in the United States, meat production now approaches three billion dollars annually, according to the booklet. To supply these plants are engaged a majority of the nation's farms and half its farmlands. Their products are the largest source of farm income with the sale of cattle, hogs and sheep accounting for 24 cents out of every dollar.

The booklet traces the rise of meat-packing from a humble beginning to its present position as one of the nation's leading industries. Also described is a brief history of meat from the time of Adam, the various steps necessary to bring meat from farm to table, the part played by railroads in the transportation of meat and a chapter on its many uses in a well-rounded diet.

The booklet is profusely illustrated and contains an introduction by Edward J. Engel, president of the Santa Fe System Lines.

CONGRESSMAN SOUTH SAYS NATIONAL GUARD CAMPSITE TO BE LOCATED NEAR HERE

Washington, Sept. 4.—A statement released by the office of Rep. Charles L. South, D., Texas, said today that a site south of Brownwood, Texas, has been selected for a National Guard training center.

South's office had a letter from the War Department reporting the selection. The site would be used by the 36th Division, Texas National Guard, according to the Brownwood Bulletin.

Up to 18,000 Men.

From 9,000 to 18,000 troops will train there for at least a year, under terms of the National Guard mobilization act. The contingent of regular Guardsmen from all over Texas would be supplemented by draftees to bring the camp strength to 18,000 men in event of passage of the Selective Draft bill, now nearing congressional completion.

As soon as the Texas Guard is mobilized, probably within two months, the men will pour into Brownwood.

They will be placed on a 2,000 acre campsite leased by Brownwood for the U. S. Army and given to the Army for a rental of \$1 a year.

Leasing is progressing rapidly on maneuver, infantry range and artillery range located southeast to Brownwood and extending in to Mills county. The maneuver grounds and infantry range are virtually completed.

61,000 Acre Minimum.

The campsite contains about 2,000 acres, the infantry range about 8,000 acres, the maneuver grounds around 28,000 acres, and the artillery range approximately 23,000 acres—making a total of about 61,000 acres minimum requirement. Of this total, the Government will pay rental on all but the campsite acreage.

Two-story wooden barracks will be erected on the campsite to house the troops. These cantonments will be after the fashion of World War buildings at Camp Bowie and Camp Travis.

Ten trunk telephone lines from

the Southwestern States Telephone exchange here will be run to the campsite, which will have its own private exchange.

Up to 185,000,000 gallons of water per day will be taken from the city's water system by the camp through mains to be laid by the city from Round Mountain to the campsite.

The Texas Power & Light Co. will supply electricity.

Natural gas lines of the Community Natural Gas company will be run to the campsite.

Brownwood's offer of the campsite and training grounds was first approved by Army officers sent here to inspect the site, and later was recommended to the War Department by General H. J. Brees, Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, commanding the Eighth Corps area, U. S. Army.

An artillery range seven miles long and three miles wide will be required for use in training Guardsmen and draftees attached to field artillery units of the division in the use of cannon.

The maneuver grounds will be used for marching and maneuvers and not for firing.

Terms of Lease.

Brownwood has agreed to furnish a 2,000-acre campsite on a year's rental basis with four years renewal privilege, at the sum of \$1 a year for the entire 2,000-acre tract. If the title should be required in fee, the same offer would obtain, with a proviso that should the land be abandoned, title would revert to grantors.

The City of Brownwood and the Chamber of Commerce also agreed to make all utilities available to the campsite proper, the Government to take care of all installations on the campsite and pay for their use.

Brownwood agreed to lease the land wanted—around 50,000 acres—for maneuver, infantry range and artillery range, at the sum of \$1 per acre per year for a one year lease, with four year renewal privilege. The Government pays for this lease.

Philathea Class Elects Officers

Mrs. J. C. Evans was hostess to the members of the Philathea Class on Monday evening, Sept. 2.

Mrs. Frazier gave the Scripture reading and Mrs. Lewis Hudson led in prayer.

A short business session followed and the following officers and teachers were elected for the coming year:

Teacher, Mrs. J. C. Evans; assistant teacher, Mrs. W. H. Linkerhoger; class president, Mrs. Dan Westerman; vice-president, Mrs. Orby Woody; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Mamie Winsor.

This class is sponsoring the church library and reports show a nice start has been made but more books are needed.

After the business session a social hour was enjoyed.

The hostess assisted by Mrs. Westerman, served delicious punch and wafers to members of the class and the following guests: Mrs. J. E. Brooking, Mrs. Marsh Johnson and Mrs. Lewis Hudson.

All ladies of Goldthwaite who do not attend some other class are cordially invited to come to Sunday school and join the Philathea class.

NOTICE METHODIST LADIES

All of the ladies of the town and surrounding communities who are members of the Methodist Church are urged to attend the reorganization of the Woman's Missionary Society Monday, September 9, at 3:00 o'clock, at the Methodist Church.

—Publicity Committee

Explorers League Names W. P. Weaver

The appointment of W. P. Weaver, of Goldthwaite, as a Deputy Supervisor of the Explorers' League, has just been announced by the headquarters of the organization in Denver, Colorado. Mr. Weaver's keen interest in the natural sciences has long been known to many of his friends who will be glad to hear of the honor conferred on him.

The purpose of The Explorers' League is to encourage ordinary men and women, in every walk of life, to be on the lookout for unusual stones, fossil shells and bones, rare plants and insects, and many other specimens which the average person is likely to ignore, but which may be of much interest to science. A monthly bulletin is published which describes and pictures these specimens so that any person may be able to identify them, and numerous prizes are offered for worthwhile discoveries. These prizes are paid entirely in addition to any profits that the finders, or owners, may make thru the sale of their specimens.

Started early in June, The Explorers' League is already a national organization with clubs forming in nearly every state in the Union. Canada and Alaska are also represented in it.

Any readers of The Eagle who would like to learn more about the League, or about the prizes offered for relics and specimens, are asked either to communicate with Mr. Weaver, or to write directly to the headquarters of The Explorers' League, Denver, Colo.

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By Mrs. Ora Black

Rev. D. K. Smith filled his regular appointment Sunday.

Jim Hunt is visiting relatives in Amarillo this week.

Mrs. Frank Eckert returned to San Antonio Tuesday for treatment.

Miss Greta Hines accompanied her brother Fields and wife, to Dallas one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kuykendall were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Bowden at Lometa Wednesday evening.

Mmes. Terrell Casbeer and Dutch Smith were week end visitors in San Saba.

Mrs. Cora Ford visited with Mrs. Tom Hale Wednesday. Willa Deen Hale is visiting in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Huffstutler attended the Huffstutler reunion in San Saba Sunday.

Ladelle Casbeer spent last week with her uncle Hugh of Hamilton. Her cousin, Hazel, accompanied her for a visit.

Tom Ford and wife went over to Adamsville to spend the week

end with her mother, Mrs. Straley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kuykendall and daughter and Billy Eckert visited till bed time with Mrs. Cora Ford Thursday night and ate ice cream.

Miss Jo Kuykendall returned home Wednesday after visiting several weeks with her sister in Mullin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Black and children of Goldthwaite visited with his mother Sunday.

Mrs. Mamie Walker of Ballinger arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mrs. Dee Jones.

Miss Cecil Jo Kuykendall and friend, Boyce Simms of Brownwood visited Sunday with relatives in Lometa.

Those who had Sunday dinner with Mrs. Cora Ford were Rev. D. K. Smith and family and Mrs. Owen Smith of May, Mr. and Mrs. Winter Stevenson and Alva Ford, J. D. Ford and family of Richland Springs, Mrs. Fairy Laughlin and son, Orwell of Lometa. Afternoon callers were Mrs. Pruitt and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Elliot and son of Lampasas and Mrs. Dutch Smith and daughter, Billy Helen.

Center City

By Mrs. J. M. Oglesby

The Baptist revival closed Wednesday night. Bro. Quinn, a former pastor, did the preaching. He preached many fine sermons. Large crowds attended and seemed to be much interested. Prof. Huggins led the singing. All appreciated the specials he and his wife sang each night. We are very fortunate to have these gifted singers in our midst and should encourage our young folk to sing with them at every opportunity. Next Sunday afternoon there will be singing and everyone is invited to come and help. We are expecting a large crowd and lots of singing.

W. E. Reid and wife of Star attended church and visited their children here last week.

Mrs. Lawton McBeth and children of Pidcote attended church Sunday and visited her sister, Mrs. Thos. Atchison.

Mrs. Minnie Hutchison and little granddaughter of Abilene are visiting her brother, Will Taylor and wife and other relatives.

Lester Collier, Avery Lee, Billie Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blackwell of Abilene visited home folks last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Whitlock and little son of Arizona are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Collier and other relatives.

Uncle Clint Head is improving slowly from his serious illness. His children and many other relatives were called to his bedside last week. We are very glad to hear of his improvement as Mr. Head is highly honored for his Christian character and the work he has done for this community.

Miss Clara Blackwell began her school work at Kelly Monday. She has taught there a number of years and is proving to be quite a successful teacher.

Jas. Rahl, Mrs. Winsor, Mrs. Beulah Sauters and Mrs. Will Burks of Goldthwaite attended church services one night last week. It was said to be the first time Mr. Rahl had been here in 25 years for church.

Farrar Head and family visited relatives here the first of the week. They are preparing to move to Austin, where their son, Elvin, will enter the University.

Mrs. Elles, sister of Mrs. C. M. Head, died at O'Donnell and the remains were brought here for burial. Funeral services were held at North Bennett church with a large attendance of relatives and friends Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Elles lived near North Bennett for a number of years and was a fine neighbor and friend. She had been in failing health for some time. Our deepest sympathy to her children and other loved ones.

Texas Boy Champ Arrives for Final Meet



HERE'S Clark Douglas, of Cleburn, Texas' state champion automobile driver. He's shown as he arrived at the Ford Motor pavilion at the New York World's Fair, ready to compete in the finals to determine the national boy driving champion. Douglas' expenses, and those of an adult sponsor chosen by himself, were paid by the Ford Good Drivers League. At the first annual Champions' Banquet at the Ford pavilion on Aug. 29, Edsel Ford, president of the League, was scheduled to award the prizes—48 university scholarships with an aggregate value of \$30,000. The object of the League is to promote safety on the highways by teaching every boy in America to drive expertly. It has a membership of scores of thousands of boys in all parts of the country.

PLEASANT GROVE H. D. CLUB

The Pleasant Grove Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. R. C. Miller, August 20, with 16 members and five visitors present. After a short business meeting, Mrs. David Watters ably discussed and demonstrated different kinds of table service. She emphasized the fact that careful attention to details in serving and small courtesies tend to become fixed habits, and we are then able to be more at ease when in other surroundings than our own.

Syble Miller played several enjoyable piano numbers for the guests.—Assistant Reporter.

In an average year, Forest Service officers fight about 12,800 fires in National Forests.

Center Point

By Miss Ovella Wesson

There were thirty-three present at Sunday school and church Sunday, and a large attendance at church Sunday night. Rev. McCarty from Brownwood filled Rev. Elton Hinze's place, as Rev. Hinze was unable to be present. We were glad to have Rev. McCarty with us. Conference was held and the association letter was filled out and a pastor was called. Bro. Hinze was called again as our pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Scrivner visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spinks and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Wesson and children visited relatives at Mullin Sunday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Goodwin, returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fallon and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Jarrett and daughter, dined with Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins Sunday.

There will be an ice cream supper at the school house Friday (tonight). Bring your cream already mixed and those who have freezers bring them. Everyone invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Shelton and daughter were Sunday visitors in the Carl Perry home.

Miss Pansy Perry spent Friday night with Miss Dorothy Lee Huffman of Nabors Creek.

The storm last Tuesday night came through part of this community. Quite a bit of damage was done, but nothing serious.

Mr. and Mrs. Levertt Henry called on her father, E. P. Shelton Monday afternoon.

Melvin Murphy and Mr. Snead called on J. C. Wesson Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Hamilton, who has been visiting her sister at Winters, is expected home this week. We will be glad to have Dorothy home again.

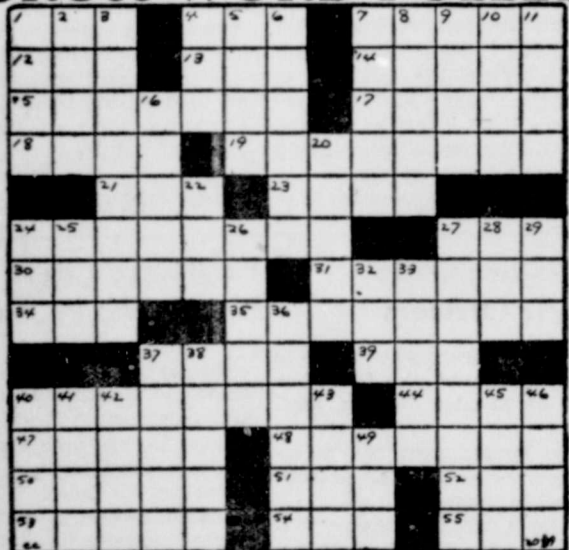
Barbara June Wesson and Dorothy Nell Tyson spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. D. Fallon.

After what seems a brief vacation, the schools have again opened. Some of the pupils were eager for it to start, while others were not through vacationing. Some pupils from here are attending school at Goldthwaite.

Elmo Fallon returned home Monday after spending several weeks at Winters.

Rev. McCarty dined in the

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



Across

1. Prohibit
2. A ferry boat
7. A country in S. Arabia
12. Beverage
13. The "I"
14. Horse of certain gait
15. Collects
17. An arrest or seizure
18. Father
19. Tyros
21. Literary collection
23. Paragraph
24. Terse
47. The marsh crocodile
80. Blood vessel
81. Wait upon
84. Those in office
86. Put ashore and abandoned
87. Licks up
89. Open, poetic
90. Pleases
94. Times
97. Having resemblance
98. Cut or carve upon some surface
99. Carried off
99. Female ruff
99. An evergreen Chinese or Japanese shrub
99. Concerning
99. Profit
99. Sin

7. A fresnet (Scot.)
8. Seraglio
9. Unbleached
10. An alcoholic liquor
11. Branches of learning
12. Therefore
20. Rose perfume
22. Ventilate
24. Capuchin monkey
25. Vase
26. A lovely girl
27. To produce
28. Single
29. Join on
32. Also
33. A sot
36. At any point behind vessel
37. Represent as similar
38. Deputy
40. Facts
41. Ardor (Fr.)
42. Enjoy
43. A large knife
45. State positively
46. To cauterize
49. Receive

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Chappell Hill

By Mrs. J. N. Keese

The revival meeting at the school house closed Sunday night. Bro. Morgan from Zephyr did the preaching.

The Tischler thresher is threshing maize in our community this week.

Pauline Eakin is visiting her sister, Mrs. Claude Colvin for a few days.

Mutt Ivy from Fort Worth visited home folks and friends last week end.

The Crook and Evans families had relatives visit them from Dallas for a few days.

Margie Bratton went to Dallas with Marie Hall for a week's visit.

Catherine Crook is in Austin for a weeks visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Coates and family from Knox City visited her aunt, Mrs. J. E. Evans last week.

Mrs. Riley Burdett from Alice visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bramblett last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Casper visited in the Crook home for a while Saturday night.

School started Monday at Chappell Hill. Miss Russe Faye Oden is the teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bufe visited in the R. Bufe home Sunday night.

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SETTINGS FOR PICTURES



Maybe boys shouldn't climb trees—but here, the tree makes a nice snapshot setting. Choose good locations for your subjects.

WHEN you're taking pictures of a person, there are two "most important" elements in each shot—the first, the subject, and second, the setting or location. Many snapshotshooters give all their attention to the subject, neglecting the background and surroundings—and as a result, the picture is often not as pleasing as it might have been. The proper setting greatly helps a picture. For example, a shot of your small daughter just standing by the house may be all right, but a shot of her by the flower bed, plucking a bouquet for the table, or a picture of her wading in a pretty brook, will generally be much better. Here, the settings give a reason for the pictures—and at the same time provide attractive surroundings for the subject.

You can imagine a theater without scenery—just characters acting their parts on a bare stage! Think how much would be lost. Proper surroundings are essential for fine pictures—still or movie—and if you take care to select them, your pictures will be far more effective.

Choose a setting that is familiar, and in harmony with the subject's daily activities. Get a shot of Grandpa tending his garden, snap Dad at the basement workbench where he works on his ship models. If Johnny insists on climbing the tree by the back porch—which he shouldn't—at any rate get a snapshot of him there before you order him down. In brief, picture people in surroundings they like, and you'll get natural, true-to-life snapshots.

Before taking a picture, look beyond the subject and study the background. Make sure that spots or objects in the background don't interfere with the subject—for example, don't let a prominent tree appear to be growing out of the subject's head. Often, a shift of a few inches to right or left will solve such problems.

Form the habit of putting your picture subjects into appropriate settings—see that backgrounds don't interfere—and you'll get clearer, more interesting pictures.

John van Gulder

TEXAS OUT-DOORS

Don't for Dove Hunters.

Austin.—With dove hunting under way pertinent DON'TS which, if followed, will save sportsmen considerable trouble with state and federal game wardens have been formulated by the Texas Game Department's executive secretary. They include:

Don't shoot doves before sunrise nor after official sunset.

Don't shoot from a car or from along a public road.

Don't shoot doves with any gun except a shotgun larger than ten gauge.

Don't forget to plug your gun to three-shell capacity.

Don't forget your hunting license if you leave the county of your residence.

Don't kill more than 12 doves per day and do not have more than 12 in your possession, white wings and mourning doves.

Don't forget to clean your gun well before taking that first hunting trip of the season.

Don't shoot when you cannot see; there might be another hunter behind those trees.

Don't leave gates open and always get permission to hunt on private land; the trespass law is rather severe.

Don't forget that the quail season does not open until Dec. 1.

Observe Changes in Law.

Because it is necessary to print the blanks for state hunting licenses weeks before federal regulations, to which Texas laws conform, on migratory waterfowl are announced, hunters are warned that some information on the back to their license is in error. Hunters can now shoot only 12 doves a day and have 12 in possession. The duck limit remains at 10 per day and 20 in possession, but note that a hunter can now legally shoot only three geese and have six in possession.

Another Fish Catches Bird.

Persons reading in this column recently of a bass leaping high into the air to snatch a bird just as it left a tree limb extending over the water may have been convinced it was a rare occurrence. However, Cecil Meador of Blooming Grove saw practically the same thing. While fishing for bass last spring he watched a flock of starling skim over the water. Suddenly a large bass leaped from the water, caught one of the birds on the wing and disappeared with it.

Cars Continue to Take Toll.

Reports of the heavy toll taken by motor cars on Texas highways continue to pour into the executive secretary of the Game Department. The latest is from the Game Warden of Colorado county who, in 100 miles of driving recently saw the following dead on the highway: a doe deer, nine cottontail rabbits, one swamp rabbit, one skunk, one armadillo, two bullfrogs and a dog.

Shooting Doves, Plover Costly.

W. J. Spear of Kilgore, Texas, recently found it does not pay to kill doves and plovers out of season. He was caught killing birds on his fathers place recently and Judge C. C. Van Wagner of Fort Worth fined him \$200 and costs for one plover and the same for one dove. The State Game Warden could have filed 16 charges, for Spear had that many birds in his possession. There is no open season on plover and the dove season was not open.

"Shooting on your own property is no defense," Judge Van Wagner said in fining Spear a total of \$422.

The creed of real sportsmen is: "Take a boy hunting or fishing."

TO THE VOTERS OF MILLS COUNTY

I wish to take this opportunity to thank you for your vote and influence in the August run-off election.

I should also like to express my appreciation for your courtesy and co-operation during the past years in which I have held the office of county clerk.

Sincerely,
L. B. PORTER.

Paid Pol. Adv.

Industry Ready to "Keep 'em Rolling" for Defense



Graphic illustration of the way in which one of America's greatest industries gears its activities with the United States Army for national defense is found at Little Falls, Minn., where the greatest peacetime maneuvers in the history of the country are being held Aug. 3—Aug. 24. To "keep them rolling," Chevrolet, one of the largest suppliers of motor transport equipment to the nation's armed forces, has set up through one of its dealers, the Bert Baston Motor Co., of Minneapolis, a complete parts and service headquarters in the military reservation at Little Falls. More than \$10,000 worth of parts is maintained at this depot, where three service representatives are on duty 24 hours daily to service Chevrolet equip-

ment in use. The 85,000 troops in actual combat maneuvers will use 1,180 Chevrolet transport units, including officers' cars, reconnaissance cars, hundreds of trucks adapted to special uses, and military ambulances. Upper left in the photo shows army transport crewmen servicing an ambulance. Upper right is the Chevrolet parts and service headquarters tent, where service experts are always on duty. Lower left is Lieut.-Col. R. F. Rossberg, of the Minnesota National Guard Quartermaster Corps. At lower center, an officers' car used by the major-general in command of the Little Falls encampment is being serviced. Lower right is an interior view of the Chevrolet parts tent, showing completeness of stock.

How to Cook A Husband

A good many husbands are utterly spoiled by mismanagement in cooking, and so are not tender and good. Some women go about it as if their husbands were bladders and blow them up—others keep them constantly in hot water—and others let them freeze by their carelessness and indifference. Some keep them in a stew by irritating ways and words—others waste them. Some keep them in pickle all their lives.

It is not supposed that any husband will be tender and good if managed in this way, but they are really extremely delicious when properly managed.

In selecting your husband you should not be guided by the silvery appearance as in buying mackerel, or by the golden tint as if you wanted salmon. Be sure to select him yourself as tastes differ. Do not go to the market for him, as the best are always brought to the door. It is far better to have none unless you will patiently learn how to cook him. A preserving kettle of finest porcelain is the best, but if you have nothing better than an earthenware pipkin, it will do, with care.

See that the linen in which you wrap him is nicely washed and mended and has the required number of buttons and strings neatly sewed on. Tie him into the kettle by a strong silken cord called comfort, as the one called duty is apt to be weak.

They sometimes fly out of the kettle and become burned and crusty on the edges, since like crabs and lobsters, you have to cook them while alive.

Make a clear, steady fire out of love, neatness and cheerfulness. Set him as near this as seems to agree with him; if he sputters do not be anxious; some husbands do this until they are quite done. Add a little sugar in the form of what confectioners call kisses, but no vinegar or pepper on any account. A little spice improves them, but it must be used with great judgment.

Do not stick any sharp instrument into him to see if he is becoming tender. Stir him gently, lest he lie too flat and close to the kettle and so become useless. You cannot fail to know when he is done.

If thus heated you will find him very digestible, agreeing perfectly with you, and he will keep as long as you want, unless you become careless and set him in too cold a place.—Author Unknown.

NOTICE

If you have eyesight trouble, see the popular optometrist, Dr. FRED R. BAKER. 30 years service to local citizens. At the Saylor Hotel, Thursday, Sept. 12 only. Largest display of spectacleware in Southwest at new low prices. 40 years experience and the doctor's expert knowledge guarantees satisfaction, so SEE BAKER AND SEE BETTER.

The first use anywhere of oil on streets or roads was at Corsicana.

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HUDSON BROS., DRUGGISTS

FROM THE BRADY STANDARD

Miss Stella Cobb, who has been attending Gregg College in Chicago, Illinois, returned to Brady Sunday. She will again teach in the commercial department of Brady High School this term.

Lee Gaddis Geeslin, who has been attending the summer session at Texas University, arrived Saturday to spend a few days visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Geeslin.

A 22-foot four-section tractor harrow now on the market is so built that it will go through a farm gate 11 feet wide. The two outside sections may be folded in on top of the two center sections.

DO YOU KNOW TEXAS?

Q. What is the American Mastodon?

A. The American Mastodon was a close relative of the modern elephant. It was present in America until relatively late geologic time, and ranged over most of North America. Its fossilized remains have been found in several places in Texas and are exhibited in the Texas Memorial Museum, Austin, Texas.

Q. Who was the first settler on purchased school land west of the Pecos River?

A. This is indefinite, but is reported to Land Commissioner Bascom Giles that his friend Tom Riggs of Fort Stockton claims the distinction. Mr. Riggs is reported as saying that when he settled in the Barrilla Mountains the full moon was no larger than a lemon and there were no stars at all. (Commissioner Giles states he would like to hear from any other claimants.)

MEMORABLE PASSAGE: "Let us remind ourselves that the horrors of war that threaten the world today are brought upon the nations that have turned away from God."—Ben H. Powell, past president Texas Bar Association.

Q. What is the largest land grant in Texas?

A. It is the San Juan de Carrizcos grant, issued to Jose Narcisco Cavazos in 1792, containing 601,657 acres. It is located in Cameron, Hidalgo, Willacy, and Kennedy counties.

Q. What is the definition as given in the statute of a crippled child?

A. "A crippled child is defined as any person of normal mentality, under 21 years of age, whose physical functions or movements are impaired by reason of a joint, bone, or muscle defect or deformity to the extent that the child is or may be expected to be totally or partially incapacitated for education or remunerative occupation. To be eligible for the service under this Act, the child's disability must be such that it is reasonable to expect that such child can be improved through hospitalization, medical or surgical care, artificial appliance, or through combination of these

services."

EDITORIAL: "Notwithstanding the present interest in Latin-American culture, we shall never lose sight of the fact that the University of Texas is after all a state institution. Whatever we acquire on other countries and on other states, Texas must always come first and its own history and its own culture cannot be neglected without peril to those who are actively or passively responsible for that neglect."—Walter Prescott Webb.

Q. How did Honey Grove get its name?

A. Harry L. Thompson, editor of The Honey Grove Signal-Citizen, answers this question as follows: "It has been handed down from mouth to ear for generations that Davy Crockett and his men were on their way to the Alamo and camped in a grove where they found an abundance of honey in the grass—thus the name Honey Grove. It has also been handed down that the name 'Davy Crockett' was carved on the trees. The citizenry of this town are very proud of the name given and more modern generations have given it a subtitle, 'The Sweetest Town in Texas'."

FACTUAL: The Texas Memorial Museum is proving quite popular with the schools of the state. Classes and other groups have registered from Jacksonville, Flatt, Hutto, Thrall, Waelder, Killen, San Marcos, Lamesa, Beaumont, Smithville, Buckholts, Salty, Thorndale, Briggs, Kyle, and from many other schools.

Q. For whom was the city of Bryan named?

A. For William Joel Bryan, whose grandson is present president of the First National Bank at Bryan, Travis B. Bryan. The city was founded in 1890.—The Bryan News.

British scientists have recommended 12 slices of bread a day as the foundation for a minimum ration to maintain the health of British people during the war. Britain recently bought 100,000,000 bushels of Canadian wheat.

Clubwoman: Wagewoman: Homewoman—

SHE'S THE SAME PERSON, when she goes to a store.

At her club meeting, it's kind of fun to hear some radical lecturer "prove" that most manufacturers are slickers, most store cheese is chalk, and most advertising is ballyhoo.

But watch the clubwoman when she starts buying. She wants her money's worth and she gets it. How? By first consulting the advertisements. Then by choosing the products she knows—the trade-marked, nationally advertised products that have been on the market for years.

Those trade-marked, advertised articles are the ARISTOCRATS among all the things she buys—or that any of us can buy.

Courtesy Nation's Business

NOTICE to Cotton Producers:

1940-1941 LOAN COTTON

THE TEXAS COMPRESS COMPANY, Brownwood, has been approved by the Commodity Credit Corporation and Reconstruction Finance Corporation to receive loan cotton and issue under its insured receipts the "Warehousemen Certificate and Waiver," an essential part of the loan papers. Every consideration and assistance will be given the producers who bring their cotton to the plant of this Company.

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Per E. J. ROBERTSON, Supt.

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FOR SALE—50 good grade Billies for sale, \$10.00 each. W. A. Daniel, 7 miles west of Goldthwaite. 8-23-4tp

FOR SALE—registered Delaine rams and ewes priced reasonably. S. H. Rahl. 8-23-4tc

FOR LEASE—250 acre pasture suitable for mutton goats, with goat-proof fence. Located 1½ miles west of North Bennett. See me at Goldthwaite. J. W. Kelly. 8-30-4tp

FOR SALE—Registered Rambouillet bucks, raised by me. The big bone, heavy shearing kind. V. D. Tyson. 8-30-2tp

FOR RENT—A very comfortable two-room apartment with bath. 8-30-4tf

WANTED—stove and heater wood in payment for subscription to Eagle.

REGISTERED Rambouillet Bucks for sale or trade for young Angora Nannies. J. C. Darroch, First National Bank Bldg., Brownwood, Texas. 9-6-3tc

NOTICE—to all students and teachers who are interested in having a nice hot lunch at the noon hour, see Mrs. W. C. Fox by Sept. 12th. 9-6-1tp

APPLES—Golden Delicious, culls good for cooking, \$1.00 per bushel. No. 1's, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 per bushel. Cockrell's Riverside Fruit Farm and Nursery. Phone 1643F12. 2-6-1tp

FOR RENT—or For Sale: New roomy, five-room house near high school; has Butane gas. Write C. T. Wilson, 531 N. Browning, San Angelo, Texas. 9-6-1tf

AUCTION — AUCTION
 Fine stock auctions held every Monday at the Fair Park Auction ring. Plenty of stock and plenty of buyers. Attend Monday and see for yourself. Graham Wall.

50 Thousand Years To Grow Grass

College Sta.—It took 50,000 years of natural selection to produce the drought-resistant and nutritious perennials—the buffalo grass, grama grasses, big and little bluestems—on the Southern Great Plains.

Where they have been plowed under, man is beginning to realize the gigantic task nature had in growing them.

That, according to R. R. Lancaster, pasture specialist of the Texas A&M Extension Service, will be the theme of the Grassland Conference scheduled for Amarillo September 5 and 6.

In the scant span of a decade scientists already are showing improvements on grasses nature took so long to produce, the specialist said before he left here to attend the meeting of technicians and ranchmen.

In its native state, buffalo produces both male and female species. Only female plants bear seed, and these will grow only when pollinized by a male plant. Scientists have already produced plants of a bisexual nature. Much progress has been made toward producing buffalo with upright seed stems—which will aid greatly in harvesting of seed.

Obtaining seed, however, is only one phase of the revegetation problem. Getting the grass started and keeping it protected while it gets the start are also problems.

One year subscription to The Eagle and Semi-Weekly Farm News for \$2.00.

CHAPTER No. 87.

AN ORDINANCE TO BE A PART OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS, LEVYING TAXES FOR THE SAID CITY OF GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS, UPON ALL REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY SITUATED IN SAID CITY OF GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS, ON JANUARY 1, 1940; AND ON CERTAIN OCCUPATIONS FOR THE YEARS 1940 AND 1941; PROVIDING FOR THE COLLECTION OF SUCH TAXES, AND ASSESSING A PENALTY AND INTEREST WHEN DELINQUENT; AND FIXING DATES WHEN SUCH SHALL BECOME DELINQUENT; AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF THE OCCUPATION TAX ORDINANCES, LAWS AND STATUTES.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOLDTHWAITE, TEXAS:

ARTICLE I.

Section 1.
 That there shall be and there is hereby levied a city tax for the year 1940 on all real estate situated, lying and being in the said City of Goldthwaite, Texas, and on all personal property that was in said City on the first day of January A. D. 1940, not exempt from taxation by the laws and constitution of the State of Texas, for the purposes hereinafter stated.

1st. FOR GENERAL REVENUE PURPOSES, and also for the purpose of paying Time Warrants incurred in connection with drilling and furnishing well, and to be known as the General Fund, the sum of Ninety Cents (\$.90) on the One Hundred Dollars valuation, the proceeds of which are to be used for General purposes and for the purposes herein named.

2nd. FOR A ROAD, STREET AND BRIDGE FUND, Twenty Five Cents (\$.25) on the One Hundred Dollars Valuation, the same to be used for street purposes.

3rd. TO PROVIDE INTEREST AND CREATE A SINKING FUND to pay unpaid water works bonds, and interest thereon, Twenty Five Cents (\$.25) on the One Hundred Dollars valuation.

4th. TO PROVIDE INTEREST AND CREATE A SINKING FUND to pay an issue of \$6000.00 General Obligation Sewer Bonds, the sum of Ten Cents (\$.10) on the One Hundred Dollars valuation.

Section 2.
 That there shall be and there is hereby levied an occupation tax on all such occupations as are set out and taxed by the provisions of Article 7047, and all sections thereunder of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, and any and all other provisions of said Statutes, providing for the levy and collection of an occupation tax. The taxes hereby levied being the same as that allowed and provided by law for the counties of the State of Texas, and particularly providing for the collection of the statutory tax on circuses and medicine shows.

Section 3.
 That Sections No. 3, 4 and 5 of Chapter No. 81, of the ordinances of the City of Goldthwaite, Texas, as the same appear on pages 231, 232 and 233 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Goldthwaite, Texas, are not hereby repealed, but remain in full force and effect.

Section 4.
 Any person or persons, firm or corporation, pursuing any of the above and foregoing taxable occupations as set out by the Statutes of the State of Texas and as further designated in this Ordinance and said Chapter 81, within the corporate limits of the City of Goldthwaite, Texas, without first having applied for and obtained a license from the City Secretary of Goldthwaite, Texas, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction, shall be fined in any sum not less than the amount of the occupation tax assessed, and not more than double the same; provided that no greater fine than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) shall be assessed in any event.

Section 5.
 All taxes hereby levied and assessed, except the occupation tax shall be due and payable on the first day of October, A. D. 1940, and on and after that date, the City Tax Collector is hereby authorized and empowered to collect and receipt for the same before and until the first day of

February, A. D. 1941; and if said taxes are not paid before the last named date there shall be taxed against the owners of said real and personal property, and the same shall be a lien on the property so taxed, a penalty which shall be the same as that provided by the Statutes of the State of Texas, for delinquent State and County, taxes, and to conform in all respects to said statutes, this ordinance hereby assessing such penalty and interest as the Civil Statutes provide for delinquent State and County taxes.

All taxes not paid on or before the 31st day of January, A. D. 1941, shall be deemed delinquent, and the same, when collected, shall be apportioned among the several different funds, and the penalty and interest thereon shall be placed in the General Fund.

After said taxes have become delinquent, the City Tax Collector, shall by virtue of his office, levy upon, seize and sell said property, real and-or personal, for the payment of delinquent taxes, as provided by the laws of the State of Texas.

The fact that no ordinance has been passed levying taxes for the year 1940, and that assessments have been made and that the tax roll should be made, creates an emergency and a public necessity exists and renders it imperative and necessary that the rule requiring ordinances to be read at three several meetings be suspended, and the same is by unanimous consent suspended, and this ordinance is passed to its third and last reading, and passed and adopted by unanimous vote of the City Council of the City of Goldthwaite, Texas, on this the 2nd day of September A. D. 1940.

(Signed)
 H. G. BODKIN,
 Mayor of the City of Goldthwaite, Texas.

(Seal)
 F. P. BOWMAN,
 City Secretary, Goldthwaite, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
 (Delinquent Tax Suit)
 County of Mills

To:—
 J. V. VINES, MRS. ELVA LOCKETT AND A. R. LOCKETT, Defendants, and all other proper persons, including all record lien holders, owning or claiming, or both, any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, same being delinquent for taxes to:—
 THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Mills and Common School District Number Six (6) in said County and State, said land being described as 150 acres of land out of the Coleman Runnels survey in Mills County, Texas Patent No. 151, Volume 11, Abstract No. 564 and WEST the WEST one-half of a 300 acre tract of land conveyed and described in a deed from W. W. Watkins and wife to T. G. Vines dated February 23, 1905, and recorded in Volume 31, page 168 of the deed records of Mills County, Texas.

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to be and appear before the Honorable 27th District Court of Mills County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof to be held at the Courthouse of

said Mills County, Texas, in the city of Goldthwaite on the 4th Monday in September, A. D. 1940 the same being the Twenty-third day of September A. D. 1940, to plead and answer Plaintiff's petition, filed in the said court in a certain suit No. 2597 and then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you, and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of lien to satisfy the following taxes, being delinquent on the said property, to-wit:—

TAXING UNIT, DESCRIPTION, YEAR, AMOUNT:

- Mills County, Texas 150 acres out of C. Runnels Survey 1930 \$19.35.
- Mills County, Texas 150 acres out of C. Runnels Survey 1931 \$20.10.
- Mills County, Texas 150 acres out of C. Runnels Survey 1932 \$16.45.
- Mills County, Texas 150 acres out of C. Runnels Survey 1933 \$18.75.
- Mills County, Texas 150 acres out of C. Runnels Survey 1934 \$18.74.
- Mills County, Texas 150 acres out of C. Runnels Survey 1935 \$16.83.
- Mills County, Texas 150 acres out of C. Runnels Survey 1936 \$16.84.
- Mills County, Texas 150 acres out of C. Runnels Survey 1937 \$15.18.
- Common School District No. 6 150 acres out of C. Runnels Survey 1930 \$13.00.
- Common School District No. 6 150 acres out of C. Runnels Survey 1931 15.00.
- Common School District No. 6 150 acres out of C. Runnels Survey 1932 \$12.75.
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- Common School District No. 6 150 acres out of C. Runnels Survey 1937 \$12.75.

aggregating Two Hundred Forty Six and 74-100 Dollars together with all interest, penalties and cost allowed by law.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Goldthwaite, Texas in the County of Mills, this 5th day of September, A. D. 1940.

MRS. B. J. KEESE,
 Clerk of the District Court of Mills County, Texas. 9-6-2tc

YOU THINK BETTER IN RED LIGHT

People think faster in red or yellow light than they do in blue or violet illumination, experiments of an European physiologist, Apopenko, indicate. He found that students doing arithmetic under illumination from the red end of the spectrum worked faster and more accurately than when the room was lighted with colors from the blue end of the spectrum. He also found that red illumination raised the spirit, while blue was depressing.

Ebony

By Clementine Wilmeth Briley

Bro. E. L. Green of Brownwood will fill his regular appointment here Sunday. Everyone cordially invited to be present.

P. R. Reid returned Sunday evening from the bedside of his brother, Jude Reid, who has been very ill in a San Angelo hospital. He is some better, but is still in the hospital.

Mrs. Gene Egger visited Mrs. S. L. Singleton Monday afternoon and found her able to be jolly again in spite of her recent bad siege. Her children have all returned to their homes except Mrs. Ruth Jones who is still with her.

The Perkins families and Ed Jones and family went to China Creek in San Saba county to attend the funeral of Dock Jones who died suddenly Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bolinger of Knickerbocker attended the Doc Jones funeral Sunday then returned with relatives to Regency, and also called on the Ross White family at Oakland Monday.

Little Jimmie Tippen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Tippen had his tonsils removed Saturday at Brownwood. He was brought home that day and is doing well.

Mrs. Tip Roberts of Crawford's Mills, Mrs. Ab Singleton of Goldthwaite, and Mrs. Linon Lane of Voca called on Mrs. S. L. Singleton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Egger.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Egger had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Egger Sunday then called on Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Beeman in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Egger of Regency visited with Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth, Gene, and Miss Bernice attended church at Brookesmith Sunday and spent the rest of the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilmeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Egger of Goldthwaite arrived Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Egger, and will visit awhile with relatives here.

Wood Roberts and his daughter, Mrs. P. R. Reid, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNurlen.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cawyer and Ednabeth, who have spent the summer at the Dwyer home, left Thursday for their home in San Angelo where Mr. Cawyer will again teach in the junior high school.

Clayton Egger left Sunday to be ready for the opening of his

school at Doole Monday. Miss Bernice Wilmeth left Sunday night for her school at Port Arthur.

Mrs. O. R. Mitchell and children, Marilyn and Carol Jean, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Hubert Reeves.

Mrs. Wood Roberts, who is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. Ben Huron, in San Antonio, writes that she is doing well and is having a good time.

SHEPPARD-HARRIS

Miss Aileen Sheppard, daughter of Mrs. Kate Sheppard was married to Melvin Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Harris Sunday evening.

The ceremony was performed by the Baptist pastor in San Saba.

After a short wedding trip the couple will make their home in Goldthwaite.

Send Us Your Printing

Cattle Shipments Drop in July

Austin.—Movement of livestock from Texas ranches to Fort Worth stockyard, and to other states for July dropped 20.5 per cent from 1,599, University of Texas business statisticians report.

Only 4,632 cars were shipped, were down nine per cent, calves 43.8 per cent, hogs 12.5 per cent and sheep 27.8 per cent.

During the seven-month period from January 1 to August 1, 40,951 carloads of livestock were shipped, 16.8 per cent less than during the corresponding period last year, University Bureau of Business Research figures show.

Cattle movement has dropped 22.4 per cent, calves 12.5 per cent, hogs 10.1 per cent. Sheep shipments alone show a gain—3.1 per cent—over the first seven months of 1939.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

The farmers near Center City combined their labor and equipment Thursday morning to harvest a crop and work the farm of Forest Venable, who is in the hospital at Lampasas.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Goosby and family have moved one block south on Fisher street to the home recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Smith, who are now living in their new home on Parker street.

Gordon Miller, teacher in Midway school, received his B. S. degree in Social Science and English from Daniel Baker college, Brownwood, Monday, August 26.

Dr. S. A. Lowrie, Miss Kate Lowrie, and Mrs. J. B. Jones of Post arrived in Goldthwaite Sunday morning for a brief visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen. They returned to their home in Post Monday morning.

John Boland, Jr. visited his parents during the week end while he was home on leave from the Army at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scheeler and Lewis Hudson took Clyde Hudson to Brownwood Friday morning to catch the bus for Gary, Indiana.

Miss Emaline Smith and Misses Jessie and Ethel Keeton, all of Dallas, brought Mrs. Frank Smith home Saturday from a two weeks visit with her daughter, Miss Emaline. Brian Smith who has been visiting in Goldthwaite for several weeks returned to Dallas with them Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Stephens and son Bobbie left Saturday for Wichita Falls after spending several days visiting his mother, C. L. Stephens and his Bill Stephens and wife.

Kate Forehand of Big Lake and her daughter, Mrs. B. Duncan of Knickerbocker spent a few hours Saturday in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Will Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Urquhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Riley and daughters Misses Leona and Charline of Pottsville were guests of Mrs. L. J. Gartman and family Friday of last week.

Lewis Hudson accompanied Miss Bertha Puckett of Brownwood to Georgetown Saturday. On Sunday Mr. Hudson and his brother John D. Hudson went to Leander to visit the uncle, Chas. Bomar, who is 91 years old.

Mrs. J. J. Paxton of Houston and her daughter, Mrs. G. L. Patterson and Mrs. Patterson's grandson, Scott Walker of Mansfield, La., left Tuesday after a 10-day visit in the L. J. Gartman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fairman Marshall and son Billy Kay of Houston arrived Saturday to spend a week with his mother, Mrs. Kate Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moon enjoyed a visit from her brother, A. L. Floyd and son Lee Roy of Galveston Monday. They were on their way home from Midland where they had visited. A nephew Marion Albert Floyd of Midland returned to Houston with them to re-enter Rice Institute for his senior year.

Miss Norma Gene Hill will spend the winter with the L. A. Moon family and attend school her senior year.

Blaylock Strickland and wife from Waco and Mrs. Earnest Strickland of Gustine spent Thursday, August 29, with their cousin, Mrs. John Roberts.

Mrs. Paul Gillim of Hamilton spent the week end with her aunt Mrs. John Roberts.

Max Harrison of Austin spent the week end visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. J. D. McKenzie returned Sunday night after a few days visit in Houston with her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Pope.

Mrs. H. B. Johnson received a message Monday from her

daughter, Mrs. C. H. Evans of Fort Worth, stating that her little granddaughter, Jean Ann, had been rushed to the hospital for an appendix operation. Mrs. Johnson left immediately to be with her for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Moreland of Brownwood spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Moreland.

Week end guests in Mrs. A. M. Crews' home were her nieces Mrs. Mae Gammill and Mrs. Lois Schott of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Yarborough and son spent the week end with O. H. Yarborough and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sparks and daughter of Anson, Ariz. and Miss Jewell Yarborough of Coppertown spent Tuesday with the O. H. Yarborough family.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Morris of Wichita Falls spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morris. On Monday they made a business trip to San Antonio. Mrs. Morris accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. David Clements left Thursday for Kingsville where they will attend the wedding of her brother, Jack Mathis, Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Corley and children came Wednesday of last week to visit her grandmother, Mrs. A. M. Crews and Miss Bess Crews. Mrs. Corley's mother, Mrs. H. D. Brown who spent a month in the Ozark Mountains, accompanied them to Goldthwaite. Mr. Corley spent Saturday and Sunday here and his family and Mrs. Brown accompanied him back to Galveston.

Mrs. R. E. Worley who is in a Temple hospital is still improving and is expected to be able to be brought home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Trent and Howard Trent left Tuesday for Beverly Hills, California, after spending a while with her mother, Mrs. L. H. Little and other relatives. They will stop for a short visit with her sister, Mrs. Arie Walton at Lubbock.

Misses Sarah and Catherine Fairman left Wednesday for a few days visit in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ford and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ford spent Friday afternoon in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kenzie of Midland and Mrs. J. C. Martin and son of Brownwood spent the week end with Mrs. Bart Potter.

Mrs. Leo Page of San Antonio came Tuesday for a few days visit with her daughter, Mrs. Omar Harvey and husband.

Miss Jackie Gregg had as guests Sunday, Misses Ruth Carlton and Myrtle Henry of Gatesville.

Mary Nell Epperson, who underwent an appendix operation at a Brownwood hospital was brought home Sunday and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Frazier and daughter, Barbara June of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Horton of this city spent the week end at Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Williams of Brownwood spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Henry Ezzell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weatherby were visitors to the Long Horn Cavern Sunday.

Charles Ford left Friday for Memphis, Tenn., after securing a leave of absence from the Community Public Service Co., to attend Hemphill Diesel School for several months training in electrical engineering. Mrs. Ford will remain here for the present but may join Mr. Ford later.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Frazier returned Sunday from a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wilba Kemp at Arlington.

Mrs. Lewis Gartman and daughter, Miss Louise left Wed-

nesday for Austin, San Antonio and Seguin where they will visit before Miss Louise enters Texas University at Austin.

Mrs. Eunis Roberts of San Angelo spent one day this week with Mrs. J. E. Greathouse.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Barnett and daughter, Miss Pauline of Savoy, Texas, are visiting with his brother, D. G. Barnett and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hicks of Cameron are visiting at Lake Merritt with the Joe Palmer family.

Miss Joy Sanderson of Dallas and Miss Julia Barnes of Brownwood are visiting this week with Miss Virginia Ruth Rudd.

Mrs. Walters Hester and son, Richard of Cameron, arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Hester.

Mrs. S. P. McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tannahill and daughters, Misses Louise and Bonnie Sue all of Fort Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Littlepage.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hendry, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Eady of Coleman transacted business in Goldthwaite Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boyd and family of Abilene spent the week end with her, J. J. Virden and other relatives.

Jessie Glover of Big Lake spent Saturday and Sunday with his cousins, Misses Abbie and Ruth Ervin.

Mrs. Ed Stangl and daughter, Martha Alice and Mrs. Stangl's sister, Mrs. Alice Wilsford all of Fort Worth were week end guests of Mrs. L. R. Conro and Miss Lucille Conro.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blackwell and Avery Lee all of Abilene spent the week end with relatives in Center City.

Miss Joyce Johnson of Abilene spent several days this week with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Parker of San Angelo spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kirby. They also visited in San Saba with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Parker. Mr. and Mrs. Kirby accompanied them to Dallas for a visit with their son Ogle Kirby and wife and Mrs. Virginia McGirk and daughter at Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fairman had as week end guests at their cottage at Lake Merritt her sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Youngblood of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Allen, Sr. of Brady and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sloan and daughter Betty of Brenham.

Roy Wilkins spent Sunday with relatives in Austin and was accompanied home by Mrs. Wilkins and children who had spent several days in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. O'Quin of Dallas were week end guests at the Walter Weatherby cottage at Lake Merritt.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Stephen and children are spending this week at Corpus Christi.

Mrs. McDuffy Reil of Stephenville spent Monday with her great-niece, Mrs. Jim Weatherby and husband.

J. J. Saegert of Seguin spent last Thursday in the L. J. Gartman home.

R. M. Wooley of San Angelo spent a few hours Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frazier.

Jimmie Frizzell left Saturday for Shreveport, La., after spending his vacation with home folks.

Mrs. J. S. Kelly returned Sunday from Houston where she has been visiting her daughters, Misses Esther and Lorraine Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Bradford had as guests at the lake for the week end, her mother, Mrs. J. L. Farmer and Mr. Bradford's brother, Johnnie Bradford and wife all of Gatesville.

W. H. Thompson and son, T. Thompson, Mrs. J. M. Hicks and Mrs. J. C. Darroch, all of Brown-

RECEIVED DEGREE



MISS FLORINE WOODY

Miss Florine Woody, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Woody, received her B. S. degree Wednesday night, August 21, from Southwest State Teachers College at San Marcos, where she was a popular member of both college and campus activities. She has accepted a position as teacher in the Nixon public school.

wood, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Palmer.

Forest Frazier and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hoover spent several days last week in Houston and Galveston and Mrs. Forest Frazier who has been visiting her sisters in the two cities accompanied them home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Henry and little daughter, Rebecca Lou of Tuscola, visited friends here Sunday.

Miss Jerry Hester left Friday for Seguin where she will teach in the public school.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bayley and Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCarty spent the week end in Fort Worth visiting friends and relatives. They were met in Fort Worth by J. N. Bayley who has returned from Racine, Wisconsin where he has been attending a trainee course in the J. I. Case Company. He will be located in the Dallas office of J. I. Case Co.

The Editor received a nice letter from Mrs. Virginia McGirk at Arlington, stating that she and her daughter were enjoying their new home, and look forward each week to receiving The Eagle.

Raymond Lee, little son of Mrs.

Mamie Price of Star, underwent a tonsil operation Monday at the hospital in Lampasas. He is now at home, and doing nicely.

Mrs. Mamie Price and son spent Thursday in San Angelo on business.

Mrs. R. G. Huffman, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Booker, and Edward Elder spent last week end in Brownwood visiting Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Frazier and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson and little son Tommie Joe of Dallas, were guests of Lacy Thompson and wife Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Father Edward J. Murray of San Antonio, and Rev. Father Edward Harrison of Brownwood spent a few days this week in the Rich and Woody home.

Mrs. A. F. Taylor of Eastland left last Friday after spending a few days with her brothers, Jim and Walter Weatherby and their wives.

Word has been received here that Eugene Thompson has been seriously ill the past week in a Dallas hospital. At last report he was some improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Horton and Mrs. M. A. Horton went to Dallas Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Horton's brother-in-law, A. J. Strum.

Miss Fay Featherston of Austin is spending a three week vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Featherston and other relatives.

Miss Ruth Featherston will leave today for Pflugerville where she is a member of the school faculty.

Carlton Renfro left Monday for Pike Peak where he will be employed in the clerical department of the NYA.

B. F. (Pooch) Renfro, who was run over by a tractor Tuesday, was carried to a Brownwood hospital and after several X-rays were made it was reported he was not injured as seriously as was first reported.

Lawrence Stokes returned to his home here Sunday night from Hot Springs, Arkansas. As a member of a Methodist Youth Caravan, he has spent the past seven weeks in young people's work with Methodist churches in

Arkansas. His address at the 11 o'clock service on Sunday, August 25, was broadcast by KWFC a Hot Springs radio station. His father, M. Y. Stokes, Jr. and brother, Buddy, drove to Hot Springs Saturday to bring him home.

Pay for Fires

Austin.—Interesting changes in the public's attitude toward fire were pointed out today by Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner.

In the United States a man who has a fire in his home, store or factory is regarded as unfortunate, but during pre-war days in Europe he was assumed to be a public offender, the Commissioner said.

In France, if a fire spread beyond a man's property and damaged that belonging to his neighbor, he had to pay his neighbor's loss. In Germany, if a man had a fire the police ordered an investigation.

Carelessness was assumed from the fact that the fire occurred. If he could not prove in court the next day that he had taken every reasonable precaution, he was fined, and for his negligence he had to pay the city for the unnecessary use of the fire department.

Cotton Loans On 1940 Crop

College Station.—All Texas farmers cooperating with the AAA will be eligible to obtain Commodity Credit Corporation loans at the full loan rates of their 1940 cotton crops.

No definite time has yet been set when all the necessary forms and instructions will be available so that loan applications can be accepted, Geo. Slaughter, chairman of the state AAA committee, said, but the material is now being printed and will be shipped to the loan agencies as soon as possible.

The full loan rate will be available only to co-operating cotton producers who have not on any farm knowingly planted or permitted the planting of cotton in 1940 in excess of the cotton acreage allotment established for the farm for the 1940-41 marketing year. As required by law, non-cooperators will be eligible to receive a loan at 60 per cent of the rate applicable to cooperating producers, and only on that part of their production in excess of their farm marketing quotas. Non-cooperators must have their loan documents approved by the AAA

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—PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT In his defense speech to Congress May 16, 1940.

AN ACUTE CRISIS EVIDENT

EDITOR'S NOTE: The Eagle is glad to reprint as a guest editorial the following scholarly presentation of the current international situation. The author, Mrs. J. S. Bowles of Fort Worth, is a member of a prominent Goldthwaite family and a former teacher in the Goldthwaite school. Her article appeared in the "Letters from the People" department of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram last Sunday.

Senator Wheeler said in Congress a few days ago that to pass the Compulsory Military Training Bill "would slit the throat of the last democracy."

Yes, the throat of democratic United States is about to be slit, but not by the passage of the bill, but by Senators Wheeler, Holt, and all indifferent Americans who ask: "What's the use?"

We have examples in the defeated democracies of Europe where their political leaders kept their ears to the ground selfishly fearing losing in the next election. The selfish groups which they represented preferred their individual ease and comforts to the general welfare of the masses. Where are their ease and comforts now?

President Coolidge in his message (Dec. 6, 1923) to Congress said: "We want no more war. But we want no weakness that invites opposition. A people who neglect their national defense are putting in jeopardy their national honor."

I believe that I can conscientiously voice the opinions of a great majority of the American mothers (being one myself) and of the women active in church and club organizations, etc., as favoring an adequate preparedness program for the defense of the Western Hemisphere.

We realize that it is the only means by which we can preserve the American way of life in peace and security while we are surrounded on all sides by totalitarian countries. We know that the day the last stronghold of democracy is destroyed that there will be no place for women in business, church, club organizations in a totalitarian government. We will cease to exist as a power for good in our world.

That the emancipation of our position in our national fate is the birth of a democracy whose birth

Do It Now!

HOW MANY TIMES we have heard the admonition of the professional burr-placers... "Do It Now!" Maybe it is all right, as far it goes; however, we heard about one young executive who got all "hipped-up" over the "Do It Now" psychology... it seems he had been reading one of those pep books.

So, he dashed to his printer and had 100 posters struck off in big, boldface type... "Do It Now." The next morning he came down to the office, an hour early, and posted them all over the place.

The effect was electrical — almost magic! The shipping clerk took one look and eloped with the president's daughter. The treasurer immediately "eloped" with the firm's cash. The purchasing agent pulled out a 45 and dropped the first salesman of the day in his tracks.

And Jim, the office boy... that was just what he'd been waiting for! With a shout of glee, he pulled the stopper out of the red ink bottle and fired bottle and contents full-force into the whirling blades of the electric fan.

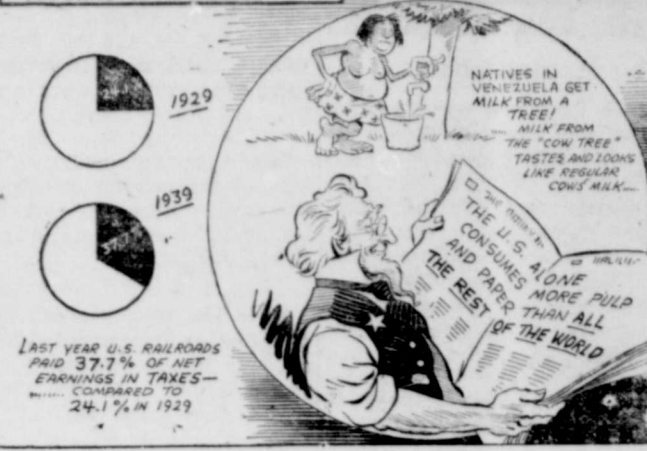
"Do It Now"? Hm-m, we wonder!

—THE SILVER LINING.

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Lesson for September 8

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INVITING OTHERS TO WORSHIP GOD

LESSON TEXT—Psalm 96. GOLDEN TEXT—O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together.—Psalm 34:3.

Worship is not only fitting, but altogether natural to the soul aglow with the love of God. Yet it is a sacred privilege to which we may call ourselves and others and in the doing of which we may be helped by an intelligent understanding of its nature and preparation for its practice.

What is worship? How does it differ from prayer, or from praise (which we studied last week)? While prayer, praise and worship blend together and often merge in one blessed art of devotion, we may possibly distinguish between them by saying that in prayer we are concerned with our needs; in praise, with our blessings; and in worship, with God Himself.

I. The Call to Worship (vv. 1-3). This psalm has to do with collective rather than individual worship. It is not enough that man should worship God in his own soul, there is an added blessing which comes to us only as we worship with others. So we need to be called together for worship.

True worship centers in "a new song" that is the song of a regenerated heart. Worship is only a formality without life until there is a new song in the heart, and then it becomes life's greatest joy and satisfaction.

Real worship is a "day to day" matter (v. 2), not just something we put on like our "Sunday-go-to-meeting" clothes. Every day we are to worship, and as we do, we shall "declare his glory among the heathen"; among those nearest to us, but ultimately to all the nations of the earth. Worship leads out in a desire that its blessing may be shared with all the people of the earth.

II. The Reason for Worship (vv. 4-6).

Why should we worship God? He is "great" and is a God so good and gracious that He is "greatly to be praised." He made the heavens. "Honor and majesty" stand before Him like sentinels; "strength and beauty" fill the holy place which is "his sanctuary." The very words bespeak that glorious majesty and gracious loving-kindness which impel the heart to worship. They encourage us who need and seek strength and beauty of life to seek communion with Him who dwells eternally in such an atmosphere.

III. The Manner of Worship (vv. 7-10).

We have suggested that fellowship with God prompts us to worship. Some would feel that nothing more is needed, but experience tells us that, while we may worship anywhere, we are helped to do so by proper surroundings and circumstances. We are told to "come into his courts" (v. 8) and to worship "in the beauty of holiness" (v. 9), or, as the Revised Version puts it, "in holy array."

John Ruskin wisely said: "It cannot be questioned at all, that, if once familiarized with a beautiful form and color, we shall desire to see this also in the house of prayer; its absence will disturb instead of assisting devotion; and we shall feel it as vain to ask whether, with our own house full of good craftsmanship, we shall worship God in a house destitute of it, as to ask whether a pilgrim, whose day's journey led him through fair woods and by sweet waters, must at evening turn aside into some barren place to pray."

We are to give or ascribe unto the Lord praise and glory among our "kindred" (v. 7); that is, our own family, as well as in "his courts." His sanctuary. Note that one of the outstanding ways of worshiping is to "bring an offering" (v. 8), which means more than casually slipping a small coin in the "collection." If our "offerings" are liberal and regular the church will be able to send the news that "the Lord reigneth" to the whole world (v. 10).

IV. The Universality of Worship (vv. 11-13).

A world which has felt the blow of man's sin (Rom. 8:22) and has suffered from his wickedness and destructive violence will so rejoice in the righteousness of God's judgment that even the realm of nature will break into joyous worship. What a beautiful picture we see in these verses, how God's creation will lift itself up in praise, the sea in tumultuous joy, when "the hills shall break forth before you into singing, and all the trees shall clap their hands" (Isa. 55:12).

Can man then hold his peace? Must not "mortal tongues awake" and "all that breathe partake" in wholehearted worship of God? Who then will want to stand among "them that know not God, and that obey not the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ" (II Thess. 1:7, 8), and with whom God can deal only in judgment of flaming fire?

NEIGHBORING NEWS

ITEMS FROM LOCAL PAPERS OF TOWNS MENTIONED

Comanche

In a candlelight ceremony, attended only by a few close relatives and close friends, Miss Verne Livingston and Walter Norretta were married at 7:00 p. m. Saturday, August 17, at the Baptist parsonage.

Funeral services for Matty Fernina, wife of David P. Breedlove of Comanche, who died early Friday morning in Brownwood, were held Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock at the White Point Church with Rev. S. W. Short officiating.

Fire from undetermined origin did little damage to the Evridge building occupied by the Freeman Store on the east side of the square late Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. H. Croker was called by death in the hospital Thursday, August 15, at 9:00 p. m., following a long illness. At the time of her death she was 59.

A widespread investigation is underway in the death of Jim Couch, whose bound and beaten body was found Sunday, August 18, in his dug-out home near Gustine. Sheriff Wid Spivey and District Attorney Bill Allen are in charge of questioning residents of the area near Couch's home and acquaintances with the slain man.

Important and attractive improvements have been made in the dry goods and ready-to-wear section of Higginbotham Bros. & Co. here and these departments now have all the appearances of a big city store.

The Texas Telephone Company will offer Comanche improved service, Sam H. Shutt, District Manager of the company whose headquarters is at Sherman, told members of the City Council and the directors of the Chamber of Commerce Monday night.—Chief.

Hamilton

Money has been allotted to complete Highway 281 from Hamilton to Evant, Brady Gentry, chairman of the Texas Highway Commission, told J. B. Pool, Hamilton county judge, over the telephone Wednesday morning.

Carson Horner, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Horner, who was injured in a car wreck on Highway 281 north of Hamilton Tuesday night, August 20, died in a Temple hospital Tuesday afternoon of this week.

Oran Columbus of Hico visited Monday with O. O. O. Newton and family.

Miss Ruth and Cleo Koen attended the wedding of Miss Clara Mae Huckabee of Goldthwaite to Mr. Elgin Oahler of Austin, in Priddy at the Lutheran Church, Saturday.

In a ceremony witnessed only by members of the families and a few close friends, Miss Bertha Lillian Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stewart of Gatesville became the bride of Quentin Altamont (Pete) McIver at the Central Methodist Church in Fort Worth at 12 o'clock noon Saturday.

Hiller Newton and Miss Minnie Rea McPherson were married at the home of the bride in the McGirk community Sunday, August 18, with Rev. J. Y. Robinson of Energy, Baptist, conducting the ceremony.—County News.

San Saba

Topping will be placed on the new road from the Cherokee Creek bridge to the Llano county line starting Friday, Aug. 30, W. W. Wilkerson, resident engineer, announced Wednesday.

Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon at the Locker Baptist church for Mrs. Mollie Duncan Taylor, 65, of Richland Springs, who died of a heart attack at Scott and White hospital at Temple Wednesday, Aug. 21.

C. E. Whitman, whose farm is located four miles northwest of town, arrived at Ponton's Gin early Tuesday morning with San Saba's first bale of 1940 cotton which hit the scales at 508 pounds.

Funeral services for 21-year-old Reba Wheat were held Sunday afternoon from the Goldthwaite Methodist church with the Rev. George J. Steinman officiating.

Eight thousand minnows and fingerlings were placed in public

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streams of San Saba county Monday afternoon.

BEND.—Mrs. Gordon McCann of Lometa used late afternoon flowers in low cut bows as her decorations, when she entertained with bridge at her attractive new home Friday afternoon.

Irene Hamrick, dental assistant in Dr. C. M. Oliver's office, is back at the office after a week's vacation during which she stayed at Goldthwaite, Lampasas and Llano.

Mrs. C. H. Steele of Blanco, mother of Mrs. George J. Steinman, is visiting this week in the Methodist parsonage, becoming acquainted with her new grandson.

Mrs. H. M. Hunt of Goldthwaite was a visitor of her daughter, Miss LaVerne Hunt, last week.

Mrs. Stoy D. Roberts, Mrs. Vera Donald and Miss Orpha Taylor of Hotel San Saba, attended the funeral of Miss Rhea Wheat at Goldthwaite Sunday.—News.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harwell of Richland Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Holland of Goldthwaite have bought the fixtures of the Oasis from Mrs. Artie Williams and will open the restaurant at the same stand.—Star.

Lometa

Uncle Bill Page informs us that work of painting and completely renovating the Rural telephone building has been completed, and the stockholders, who are the subscribers, are invited to come in and inspect the building.

Lake Buchanan, 32 miles long and eight miles in width, will become a seaplane landing under federal, state and local cooperative plans which were carried forward last week.

Leonard Wittenburg has purchased the L. D. Eason place occupied by Ed Howard. Consideration was not made.

Lampasas, Aug. 27.—The pasas football schedule for this year has been announced. Five of the games will be played here. The games with Burnet, Evant, and Belton will be practice games. The schedule:

Lampasas at Burnet, Sept. 13; Evant at Lampasas, Sept. 22; Belton at Lampasas, Sept. 27; Richland Springs at Lampasas, Oct. 4; Llano at Llano, Oct. 11; Fredericksburg at Lampasas, Oct. 18; Goldthwaite at Goldthwaite, Oct. 25; San Saba at San Saba, Nov. 8; Rochelle at Lampasas, Nov. 15.

Miss Naomi Langford spent the week end in Goldthwaite with her parents.

Robert Anderson, brother of Mrs. John B. Sampley joined the Marines this week and is being sent to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McCann have had a new garage built onto their home. Charley Green did the building.

O. L. Davis, Jr spent Thursday in Goldthwaite visiting Carroll Burton and working on his Cub Scout work.—Reporter.

Lampasas

The Rev. J. H. Estes, pastor of the Lampasas Methodist church, closed a revival meeting at Star Sunday night. The meeting had been in progress ten days and there were ten additions to the church during the meeting.

The Rev. G. W. Jones, 72 years of age, and pastor of the Presbyterian church at Adamsville for three years, died at the family home there Monday, August 26.

Ben F. Shaw, died in the local hospital Thursday, August 29, at 6:56 o'clock. He had been in poor health for a long time and was brought to the hospital Friday, August 16.

V. C. Minton, 75, and a resident of this section for many years, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Roby Bruster, in the Littlefield community, Monday, August 26, at 8:30 a. m.

—Record. Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Stokes and son, Franklin, spent Sunday in Abilene, where they attended the Lawlis family reunion. They were accompanied home by their son, Charles, Jr., who has been spending the past week with friends in Lubbock and Leveland.—Leader.

WASHINGTON'S OFFER—\$60 A YEAR—IN GOLD

BAKER, Ore.—Lee Wright discovered a yellowed placard in an old barn inviting young men to join the army—the army of General George Washington. It read:

"To all brave, healthy, able-bodied and well-disposed young men in this neighborhood who have an inclination to join the troops now raising under General Washington for the defense of the United States against the hostile designs of foreign ene-

mies."

It offered \$60 a year in gold and closed with the words "God Save the United States."—Temple Daily Telegram.

The much-publicized Pan-American "trusteeship" for the duration of the war of European possessions in the Western Hemisphere was proposed at a University of Texas Latin-American Institute one month before the U. S. State Department officials advocated it at the recent Havana Conference.

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