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News Bits

From Neighboring Towns

Oil Well Progress

After being stalled for almost a month fishing for tools, the Blanco Oil Test south of Floydada reports that most of the trouble has been remedied and that drilling will be resumed soon. According to the Floyd County Hesperian, the tools were lost at 5,014 feet.

Football Field Improved

A WPA project has been approved for the improvement of the Tulsa football field, says the Tulsa Herald. Bleachers, fences and goal posts will be built, and the field sodded. The project was secured through the efforts of Superintendent I. H. Turney, who has spent considerable work on it.

Bike Race

May 12 the Memphis Chamber of Commerce will sponsor an open bike race for boys and girls of public school age. Prizes will be awarded and the winner will be named King of the Wheel. The course will be for ten miles, according to the Memphis Democrat. Boys from all over the country are invited to enter.

Helms For Commissioner

The Quilake Post last week carried the announcement of W. E. Helms for Commissioner of Precinct 2. He is an old timer that has lived at Quilake for 21 years.

On Highway 86

Another step forward on the road surfacing of Highway 86 is reported by the State Line Tribune. The county commissioners of that county have been asked to obtain the right-of-way in order that the state may go a head with its work on the road, between Lovina and the Castro County line.

Killed By Train

Curtis Willis, Littlefield, was instantly killed and J. C. Clover, Littlefield, is in the hospital with a broken hip from a collision with a freight train at Lockney last Wednesday. They were driving a six-wheeled truck when they struck the train, directly between two tank cars, says the Lockney Beacon.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

B. P. Harrison, Pastor
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Teaching Service 11 a. m.
T. U. 7 p. m.
Evening Service 8 p. m.
Mid-week service every Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. McKee and little daughter Lois, of Cameron, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Whittenburg of Canyon, visited in the parental J. B. Porter home over the week end.

Good Progress Being Made On Highway 86

SOFT BALL ORGANIZATION ADOPTS RULES

The directors of the soft ball organization met last Tuesday night and adopted the following rules: (1) Each Club will be limited to 15 players. (2) A \$5.00 entrance fee will be charged for each Club. (3) All balls to be furnished by the league. (4) No player shall argue with the umpire. The penalty shall be elimination from game.

These rules were agreed upon by the managers from the five Clubs who have already joined the league. Other Clubs are expected to join soon.

BANQUET FOR SENIOR CLASS

The ladies of the Calvary Baptist Church complimented the members of the Senior Class and high school faculty with a three course dinner on last Tuesday evening in the home economics cottage.

The Class colors of red and white were carried out in the favors and decorations. Lovely vases of Spring flowers centered the tables.

The entire Senior Class, which is composed of 21 boys and 10 girls were present. Faculty members present were Messrs. Kelsay, Weaver, Wilson and Misses Murphy, Montgomery, and Cross.

The program was as follows:

Invocation, A. L. Kelsay; Welcome by Rev. B. P. Harrison; Response, Arlis White; Address by Dr. G. W. McDonald, president of Wayland College; A quartet composed of Katherine Easter, Polly Fry, Helen Brinker, and Monto Ruth Billberry, all students of Wayland College, gave three musical numbers; G. E. Woods, voice and music director of Wayland College, gave several piano solos. Speakers were introduced by Rev. B. P. Harrison. Intermediate girls of the church served the dinner.

Announcement has been received here of the marriage of Burl Alexander of Waco to Miss Elizabeth Ann Penney of Ft. Worth on December 27th in Denton, Texas. The wedding was kept a secret until last week. Burl is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Alexander, who formerly lived here. The couple are at home in Waco, where Burl is employed.

Mrs. W. A. Sedgwick of San Antonio left Thursday after a ten day visit with her father, W. C. Smith Sr. and other relatives.

Highway Meeting Here Tuesday Shows Highway Progress In Various Counties

Highway '86' Association met here Tuesday with the largest attendance and the most interest displayed for some time. Besides a large home delegation, there were twenty-three representatives from other counties.

Reports from various counties show that steady progress is being made on the highway. Castro reports four miles of hard surfacing under construction and that field notes are ready for all of Castro and Parmer counties.

Swisher county has received assurance from the Highway Department that if the county will provide men for the work, that a WPA project has been set up for paving east from Tulla to the Briscoe County line. The two bridges east of Tulla will be completed some time this summer, according to Judge McCasland.

In Briscoe County a WPA project is in progress at the Cap Rock straightening the highway and building a fine fill. This work will take several months yet. The callie taken from the hill will be spread east to join the Quilake paving, and then west on 86 as far as possible. Work is expected to start in June or July on the eight mile strip of paving east from Silverton which is to be a contract job.

Armstrong County sent several representatives to the meeting and at their request a resolution was introduced and passed to ask the Highway Department to extend Highway 117 south across the Canyon from Claude to intercept our Highway 86. The resolution passed without a dissenting vote. Should it be carried through to completion, it will prove a most valuable highway to this section, and especially to the people living in the north part of this county and the south part of Armstrong. Fully sixty miles would be eliminated from the distance from this section to the Berger oil fields and other points north.

An invitation was accepted to hold the next meeting at Turkey. The meeting will be at 4:30, June 14. The Turkey boys have promised a feed for the out-of-towners which will be after the meeting—at six o'clock. There will no doubt be a large delegation present from Briscoe County.

JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET BIG SUCCESS

The prettiest background ever given a Junior-Senior Banquet was that of the Junior-Senior Banquet held in the High School auditorium Friday evening, May 6.

The theme of the banquet was "Moonlight and Roses". The Juniors and Seniors assembled in a miniature garden that was quite breath taking in its beauty. In the center of the garden was a fish pond illuminated by artificial lights. Against a background of evergreen and on a carpet of green, were scattered rustic sea. An old ruidle well added to the enchantment of the lovely garden.

The garden was separated from the banquet room by a lattice fence entwined with roses. The banquet room itself looked like a dainty tea garden set with small tables rather than a large banquet table.

An interesting program and a well prepared three course dinner made this banquet a most enjoyable occasion and one that will long be remembered by all of those present.

Reporter

SILVERTON TO HAVE AIR MAIL MAY 19th

Postmaster Clay Fowler is urging "every man, woman, and child in this vicinity to cooperate in the National Air Mail Week, May 15 to 21, which is being staged in order to bring home the value of air mail in the United States.

May 19, at 1:55 p. m. a special air mail plane will arrive in Silverton to pick up the air mail and will be taken direct to Amarillo where it will connect with planes for every part of the U. S. An example of the speed of air mail is this. A letter mailed here at noon this. A letter goes direct to Amarillo; leaves there at 3:30 and is in Los Angeles at 10:30 of the same day. A letter to New York will be delivered the next morning.

Air Mail postage costs six cents, only three cents more than ordinary postage. Remember the date of Air Mail in Silverton—May 19.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dickerson and Mr. Herbert Simmons of Lubbock were in town Thursday on business.

Seniors Held To Low Score By Undergrads

After promising big-heartedly to hold the score to four touchdowns, the Silverton Senior football squad, composed mostly of last year's first string players, was lucky to eke out a 8-0 win over the younger boys.

Led by the charging Hank Brown, the undergrads held the heavier Seniors to 2 points for a safety in the first half. The Seniors, with the aid of a questionable pass and a fifteen yard penalty, pushed over a touchdown late in the third quarter. The final score of the game was 8-0.

Silverton's prospects for next fall are not bad, to say the least. Almost all new hands, they showed up exceptionally well Monday afternoon. There were plenty of fumbles which was to be expected. The boys looked especially good in their tackling and blocking.

Plenty of fight and speed are going to be Silverton's greatest assets this fall.

COURT

Court is in session, with the gypsy lady being tried for theft of \$70 from Mr. Jones, caretaker of the gravel pit at the cap rock. The jury was chosen Wednesday and the trial got under way in the afternoon. Jurors were kept under lock and key Wednesday night. As we go to press the case is still under argument and has not been turned to the jury for their decision.

Convictions were obtained last week by District Attorney Hamilton in four felony cases.

W. J. Dickson 27, charged with forgery in two cases, was convicted and given two years in the penitentiary in each case. He is being turned over to Floyd County where he was under suspended sentence. The sentence will be added to the sentence given him here this week.

R. B. Alexander, 25, charged with burglary of the Dan Montague farm, was given a sentence of two years. He was also given a 10-day sentence for driving while drunk.

John Norris, charged also with burglary of the Montague farm, received the same sentence, plus five days and \$50.00 fine for driving while drunk.

FLOOD CONTROL MEETING AT CHILDRESS MONDAY

Flood control, waterflow retardation and soil erosion prevention in the upper Red River drainage basin will be topics for discussion at a joint public hearing sponsored by the War and Agriculture Departments which will be held at Childress on May 16. The hearing will be held in the county courthouse starting at 1:30 p. m.

Work on the preliminary examination for flood control has been assigned to the War Department, while the duty of making the study for runoff and water retardation and soil erosion prevention on the watershed has been delegated to the Department of Agriculture.

That part of the hearing for which the Department of Agriculture is responsible is to cover the following counties: Cottle, Childress, Collingsworth, Wheeler, Gray, Donley, Hall, Motley, Briscoe, Armstrong, Swisher and parts of Hemphill, Carson, Randall, Castro and Floyd.

A hearing on that part of the Red River drainage basin above Palo Duro State Park was held at Hereford, Texas, last December. Views of all persons interested in these problems in this part of the Red River basin will be heard. Oral reports will be received, but officials in charge of the hearing suggest that important data be offered in writing.

Reports on waterflow retardation and soil erosion prevention will be received by H. H. Fennell, representing the Department of Agriculture.

SCOUTS ATTEND CIRCUS
Fifteen Boy Scouts and twenty-seven Cubs with Scout Masters, Woodrow Wilson and Charles Cowart and directors Barney Wilson, Rev. Peacock, and Will Dunn attended the 2nd. Annual Boy Scout Circus of South Plains District held in Lubbock on Friday and Friday night of last week.

Mrs. Bruce Gerdes of Tulla spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives here.

Baking Contest To Be Held Saturday

COUNTY RATES ANNOUNCED FOR CROP INSURANCE

Crop insurance which will guarantee insured wheat growers three fourths of an average wheat crop in 1939 will cost farmers of Briscoe county an average of 1.1 bushels per acre, according to figures announced at the state wheat meeting recently held at Amarillo.

For insurance that guarantees one-half of an average crop, the rate will average .5 bushels per acre in Briscoe County.

The county rates reflect the average per acre loss in this county during the 10 years, 1926-36. The premium that an individual wheat grower will have to pay for insurance will depend half on this county rate and half upon the crop losses on his own farm. The rates for each farm will be computed in the branch office of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

The cost of insurance is not based on the average amount of yield, but on the year to year variations in yield. "Two farmers with the same average yield for the 10 year period would not necessarily pay the same premium for the same percentage," E. N. Holmgren, administrative officer of the Texas AAA office at Texas A. and M. College, who attended the meeting, pointed out. The farmer who suffered but little crop loss would pay less than the farmer who suffered frequent and heavy losses, even though their average yields were the same.

The figures farmers need for calculating their insurance will be available for farms which took part in wheat adjustment programs in the office of the county agricultural agent and the county committee, about which the county crop insurance program will center. Farms on which figures are not available will be appraised.

The premium a farmer pays covers only the actual cost of the insurance. Administration costs and costs for storage of insurance reserved will be paid by the Corporation.

FLEXIBLE FARM LEASE TO BE INTRODUCED

Seeking to establish a greater mutual trust and confidence between landowners and tenants to their mutual advantage, the Farm Security Administration will soon introduce a new written farm lease, according to Bernie E. Rushing, county rural rehabilitation supervisor in Swisher and Briscoe counties.

The tenure improvement leases will be made available to all landlords and tenants in this county, Mr. Rushing said, and will supplement the FSA's tenant purchase program.

Mr. Rushing said the new lease forms are designed to improve relationships between tenants and landowners generally; to advance tenants more rapidly up the ladder toward farm ownership; to strengthen the regular rehabilitation loans and supervision to low-income tenants; to increase the security and the long tenure and reduce the economic loss involved in the annual transfer of approximately a million tenant families from farm to farm.

One of the major possibilities offered in the new lease form, he said, is that of providing an incentive for greater interest on the part of the tenant and his family in the care and preservation of the property of the landowner and thus promoting the preservation and improvement of that half of the nation's agricultural land which is operated by renters.

Calling attention to the recent study of the nation's soil and human resources conducted by D. P. Trent, chief of the Farm Security Administration's tenure improvement section, Mr. Rushing said the problem for unproductive land is serious, but the problem of unproductive lives people must live upon unproductive land is incomparably more serious.

"Worn-out, eroded, gullied, lifeless and barren farms," he continued, "are important from the standpoint of the national welfare, and the dilapidated houses on many farms are a matter of serious public concern, but the hopeless and fruitless lives of the people who occupy these dilapidated houses and who struggle for existence upon these impoverished lands assume the appearance of a national tragedy hence the problem demands consideration from the standpoint of conserving the nation's human resources." Mr. Rushing said these new flexible farm lease forms which will soon be on file in his office will be made available to every landowner and tenant farmer in this county.

AGGIE BRIEFS

By Finley R. White

Time drags on and still those rains haven't come. If Briscoe county produces very much wheat this year its going to have to rain in the next thirty or forty minutes.

In order to hurry up that rain we suggest that school close immediately and commencement exercises be started. It always rains commencement week.

Our wheat withstood the blizzard and finally outlived the green bugs, but it looks now like the dry weather is rapidly getting the best of it. I don't think its hardly fair for the drought to take advantage of poor little frozen greenbug eaten wheat like this, but there doesn't seem to be much I can do about it. With 1939 crop it will be different though. Uncle Sam is instituting an insurance program for wheat in 1939. This insurance will guarantee up to 75% of a normal crop regardless of hail, freeze, green bugs, dry weather or anything. More detailed information will be given on this Insurance Program in the near future. Briscoe County's premium rate is 1.1 bushel per acre to insure 75% of a normal crop.

Pay Day At Last

Uncle Sam held our money just as long as he possibly could I guess. He finally released about \$104,000.00 and the farmers are being made happy again—that is some of them are. Some of the farmers tho are not getting as big a check as they think they should and naturally they are blaming it all on the county agent or the office force. That just goes to prove tho that all of "those things" aren't gone from Briscoe County,—yet—and may never all get out.

The release of 100 thousand dollars in a green bug eaten, drought ridden country like this will really help—if you don't believe it just ask the merchants. Usually you can look at the expression on the merchants faces and tell whether any new checks have come in or not—We're looking for 50 or 60 thousand more in a few days fellows! Beware—The Gypsies are still here—and I hear they're on the increase too.—Jake Honea can tell you more about that tho.

Last Call

May 15th is closing date for accepting worksheets for 1938. If you signed a 1937 worksheet it is not necessary for you to sign a 1938 work sheet, but if you didn't sign up for '37 you'd better get in before May 15th. This same story is true for Ranchers who expect to participate in the 1938 range program too. Don't be caught napping—Sign up before its too late. (May 15th.)

If you are working a farm in 1938 that is combined with or split from a farm different from what you farmed in 1937 you had better make the combination or split before May 15th or it will be too bad.

Are you a regular subscriber of the Briscoe County News?

ROY'S CASH MARKET INTO NEW HANDS NOW

Jack Martin, formerly of Clairton, Penn., has purchased Roy's Cash Market, and is already in charge. He has changed the name to Martin's Cash Market. He is being assisted by Earl Martin in the store.

Mr. Martin came here about a month ago from Pennsylvania and has decided to make Silverton his home. He is an experienced hand at the grocery trade and promises to give you a good place to buy. He invites your patronage. Mr. Bomar has announced no plans for the future.

Willie Hardcastle of Turkey was in town Tuesday of this week.

Palace Theatre

Silverton, Texas

Friday and Saturday

May 13

May 14

The Old Wyoming Trail

starring,
Charles Starrett and Barbara Weeks
Comedy Saturday Matinee

Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday

May 15, 16, 17

"Wells Fargo"

Starring
JOEL McCREA,
FRANCES DEE,
C. C. Garrison,
And many others

Comedy News

Starting time of shows:

Sunday Matinee 2:00

Sunday Night 8:00

Monday & Tuesday night 7:45

Admission 10c and 25

Wednesday and Thursday

May 18 May 19

Walter Winchell in —

"Love and Hisses"

Also starring Ben Bernie

BAKING CONTEST --- Saturday, May 14



Angel Food Cake
Pies
Hot Rolls
Biscuits

We want to invite you and your friends to take part in a BAKING CONTEST in the old Fort Grocery. We want you to use our flour at OUR EXPENSE. We will give you free, enough flour for the contest—we want to prove to you that Master of the Plains equals any flour you ever used.

See us now and get your flour for the contest. We are offering some prizes for the best baking. Tell your friends about it.

Bake your pies and cakes at home, but they must be on display by three o'clock. The H T gill biscuits and hot rolls will be baked in the store Saturday afternoon.

All entries will be auctioned off and the proceeds given to the Garden Club for the upkeep of Silverton's Cemetery.

COME AND ENJOY THE AFTERNOON WITH YOUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS

Plains Mill & Elevator Co., Inc.

News Review of Current Events

DON'T FIGHT BUSINESS

Administration Asked to "Reform" Its Attitude Toward Industry and Trade



At a meeting in Chicago the Association of American Railroads voted to reduce wages of employees 15 per cent, or \$250,000,000 a year. Three of the members shown above, left to right, are: F. E. Williamson, president of the New York Central; Fred W. Sargent, president of the Northwestern, and J. J. Pelley, president of the association.

Edward W. Pickard SUMMARIZES THE WORLD'S WEEK

Commerce Chamber's Plea

BUSINESS men from all parts of the country, gathered in Washington for the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, told the government, politely but firmly, that its attitude toward trade and industry must be "reformed" if the nation is to recover from its economic ailments.

Chester Davis

President Roosevelt, who was on a fishing trip on a cruiser in South Atlantic waters, was heard from only indirectly in addresses by Jesse Jones of RFC, Secretary of War Woodring and Chester C. Davis of the federal reserve board.

Resolutions were temperately worded but insistent. Summarized, they were substantially as follows:

Demand for relief from present tax burdens, the fight transferring itself from the undistributed corporate profits tax and the capital gains tax to the broader field of an annual tax bill which has jumped 30 per cent in the last two years to a total federal-state-local levy of \$13,500,000,000 a year.

Urgent request for drastic revision or repeal of the national labor relations act.

Caution and warning on the renewed government spending program, apart from relief expenditures.

Insistence that White House sentiments favoring private enterprise be put into practice through peace with the utilities, abstention from further innovations in government control, and encouragement of private industrial expansion.

Manufacturers' Program

THE National Association of Manufacturers, meeting in New York, declared that federal priming to stimulate business would be futile "unless it is accompanied by governmental policies that will permit business to accept the priming and go forward."

The association's board proposed a seven-point program for revival of business activity. It included: "Declaration by the federal government that it will not proceed in competition with private utilities."

"Revision of the Wagner act so to make it a workable instrument for curtailing labor disputes."

"Prompt solution of the underlying railroad problem."

"Avoidance of new federal reform legislation that will result in a fresh period of uncertainty at a time when business should be concentrating on making jobs."

Wage Vote Pay Cut

SEVEN per cent reduction in wages of 925,000 union workers, July 1, was voted by the Association of American Railroads, attended by the executive committee of more than a hundred railroads.

The President asked congress for action at this session only on legislation calling for federal control of bank holding companies.

Plane Crash in Italy

NINETEEN persons were killed when a hydroplane from Tirana, Albania, crashed in Italy. Most of the victims were returning from King Zog's wedding. Among them was Helen Lindheim of New York.

An assortment of jewels valued at \$1,052,000 belonging to Paris and Vienna firms, from which King Zog had selected several pieces for his bride, was destroyed.

Wage-Hour Bill Stopped

REPRESENTATIVE O'Connor's house rules committee probably killed the new "escalator" wage-hour bill for this session by voting 8 to 6, against reporting it. This despite the fact that Chairman Mary Norton of the labor committee said it was approved by the President. She said she would try to have the measure brought to the floor by petition. Mr. Roosevelt supported this plan. Before the vote the members of the rules committee were warned by both the American Federation of Labor and the C. I. O. that if they refused to report the bill they would face retaliation at the polls.

N. L. R. B. Backs Down

THE national labor relations board took steps to reopen its inquiry into the labor practices of the Ford Motor company, acting after counsel for the company had sought to take testimony from members and aides of the board to sustain its charge that the company had not had a full, fair and open hearing.

The board asked the United States circuit court of appeals at Covington for leave to withdraw its petition to enforce its order made against the Ford concern in December. In that order the board directed the company to cease practices which it asserted were in violation of the Wagner act and to re-employ certain former employees.

Co-operate for Recovery

CO-OPERATION with President Roosevelt in his efforts to bring about economic recovery was offered by 16 leaders of business and industry, prominent among whom were Owen D. Young, General Electric board chairman, and Winthrop W. Aldrich, chairman of the Chase National bank of New York. Their statement, made as individuals, was given out by John W. Hanes of the securities exchange commission. It was laid before the President, who pronounced it excellent.

The joint statement said in part: "It is the responsibility of government to protect and to encourage the proper function of business. . . . Wide but honest differences of opinion exist as to ways and means."

"The President has clearly indicated that he believes that American continued prosperity requires closer co-operation between business and the government."

"We pledge ourselves to aid to the full extent of our ability in such efforts of consultation and co-operation."

F.D.R. Hits at Monopolies

JUST before leaving for his short vacation at sea, President Roosevelt called on congress to authorize a \$500,000 federal inquiry into concentration of industrial economic power, preparatory to a thorough revision at a later date of the nation's anti-trust laws.

He recommended study of existing conditions rather than immediate legislation.

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By LEMUEL F. PARTON

WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

NEW YORK—Two or three years ago, I was one of a group of newspaper men arguing about who was the best reporter who ever worked a round here. One old-timer was holding out for Roy Burton, whom he had known on the Brooklyn Eagle in the nineties. Burton, he said, was the best leg-man and digger, the most fearless, and the most gifted in fanning up a story out of nothing at all. He knew make-up, too, said the oldster.

The diligent reporter has been duly rewarded. He is the Sir Pomeroy Burton whose magnificent French chateau the duke and duchess of Windsor were looking over recently.

With the Northcliffe papers in London, he became a multi-millionaire, as he transformed British journalism with daring American techniques. He became a British citizen in 1914 and was knighted in 1923. In addition to his vast newspaper interests, he is a magnate of electric power and utilities.

He was a printer's devil on his father's newspaper in Youngstown, Ohio, and, at the age of twelve, was knocking about country printshops in Ohio on the same job. He became a compositor on the Brooklyn Eagle. Hearing of a vacancy on the news staff, he persuaded the city editor to give him a try at reporting.

He hired evening clothes to cover a society function. There, Colonel Hester, owner of the Eagle, was tremendously impressed with the personable young man with whom he was talking, and thought he had met him somewhere. Young Burton did not remind the colonel that he had seen the young man in a printer's apron a few days before.

He became city editor and managing editor of the Eagle, held important executive positions with the World and the New York Journal and was taken to England by Lord Northcliffe in 1904. Ten years later, he owned all but a few of the Daily Mail shares not owned by Lord Northcliffe.

In the World war, he virtually headed the organization of British propaganda, and many of the most damaging anti-German stories were attributed to him. His enemies charged that he had "debauched British journalism with degrading American sensationalism."

His friends insisted he had enlivened and regenerated it. He makes an occasional trip to America with a staff of valets and secretaries, suave, dandy and still fit and impressive at seventy-two, with more than a touch of British accent.

Over here, he always hated the name Pomeroy and shortened it to Roy, but picked it up again in England. He had been named for "Briek" Pomeroy, the cyclonic journalistic disturber of the latter half of the last century, and he held Mr. Pomeroy in low esteem. Pomeroy was almost, but not quite, a winner.

From a Wisconsin crossroads, he rammed around the country in newspaper and financial brawls, and, in his old age, just through sheer animal spirits, started plugging a tunnel through the Rocky mountains, at Georgetown, Colo.

He was flattened by the '93 depression and died soon after, with nothing to show for his life's work but a hole in the ground. Then it was discovered that the tunnel had gouged into fabulous mineral wealth in Kelson mountain. Eight years ago, the tunnel went on through the mountain, as the Moffatt tunnel.

REPORTING the return of Pomeroy Bigelow from a visit to his friend, the former kaiser, and his fervent approval of dictators, has become a matter of annual routine. It is an old story, but the freshness and vehemence of Mr. Bigelow's disgust with democracy and enthusiasm for fuhrers always makes it interesting.

He is the patriarch of Malden-on-the-Hudson, with relatives and descendants, down to great-grandchildren, all up and down the river. He will be eighty-three years old on September 10. His father, John Bigelow, was American minister to France under Abraham Lincoln.

He hunted birds eggs with the kaiser, forming a lifetime friendship, broken only by the war, which he charged the kaiser with having started. He recanted afterward and the two old men meet annually to salute "Der Tag" when only the all-wise and all-just shall rule again.

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Floyd Gibbons' ADVENTURERS' CLUB

HEADLINES FROM THE LIVES OF PEOPLE LIKE YOURSELF!

"Tropic Hurricane" By FLOYD GIBBONS Famous Headline Hunter

HELLO EVERYBODY: We have had a lot of stories, boys and girls, about people who have had close shaves and gotten out of them by some fast action, or some quick thinking, or by some herculean feat of strength. They were great stories, every doggone one of them. But sometimes I think that men in action don't get half the scare that people do who have to sit quietly and watch death creep up on them while they are powerless to do anything about it.

That is the sort of yarn we have today, fellow adventurers—the story of Tom Brady of New York city—the story of how he sat, helpless, in a strange land, among strange people, while chaos gripped the world and threatened to tumble it in ruins upon his head.

The story, in short, of a tropical hurricane. Tom Had Never Seen a Hurricane.

For years, in his role as traveling man, Tom Brady had been journeying through the tropical islands of the Caribbean sea, selling goods and looking over the country. He had heard plenty about the hurricanes they have down there. He had seen wrecked houses, uprooted trees—plenty of the evidences a tropical tornado leaves in its destructive wake. He had seen the natives kneeling in the churches, praying for divine protection against the dread wind storms they had learned to fear. But up to the time this story opens—September 11, 1926—Tom had never been caught in a hurricane.

Tom was in the city of Roseau, on the little British island of Dominica on September 11, 1926. He had been there for about ten days, and was just about ready to move on. He had his sample trunks all packed and in the Custom house, and was waiting for a steamer due that day which was to take him to St. Lucia, another small island in the Windward group. Then, what happened?

Storm warnings! Barometer falling! No steamer that day—nor for a few days to come. Tom was going to see that hurricane now. He couldn't get out of it.

The hotel Tom was stopping at was a frame structure. They said it was safe—said it had stood up under other storms—but Tom had his doubts. Nevertheless, it was the safest place to be found in Roseau, so it as Hobson's choice for Tom.

Along about sundown, rain and wind began coming in short, fitful gusts. At 8 o'clock, the cannon at the fort—the only means the police had of advising the natives that the storm was headed their way—boomed out its ominous warning! Get ready. Board up your windows. Take shelter. Then the wind began rising slowly—steadily—relentlessly.

Havoc Wreaked by the Fierce Storm. All through the night lightning flashes ripped the black skies while the wind rose and the rain increased. The colored natives were screaming now, and chanting prayers in the streets. Everywhere people were scrambling about, boarding up their houses as best they could. No one slept that night. No one wanted to.

At 5 a. m. the cannon on the fort boomed again, this time with a message of far more evil portent than the first. "It's upon us!" And on its heels, the fury of the storm, lashing and tearing—carving its path of havoc and destruction from the seawall to the farthest limits of the town.

The seawall was the first to go. Its solid concrete bulk, running the length of the town, crumbled like ashes under the force of the sea that battered against it. The Custom house jetty—the Belle jetty—the Fish market by the seawall were wrecked by the fury of the wind and carried away on the reefing, lashing tide that was momentarily getting higher and higher. Roofs went flying off houses. Sheets of tin went sailing through the air—went scraping and clattering down the streets. The tops of palm trees snapped off as if they had been match stems. Coconuts went winging and bounding in all directions, like a barrage of cannon balls.

In his hotel, a block and a half from the seawall, Tom Brady watched the waterfront "coming up the street." The gallery on the side of the hotel he was in was ripped off and carried away. Shutters were torn from their fastenings. The rain was coming in. The wind blew all the furniture against the opposite wall.

He Found Out What Fear Was. Downstairs, they were lifting a huge wooden trap door and putting the women and the servants in the cellar. They were expecting the roof to go next. And in those moments, Tom Brady found out what it was to be afraid.

They say a drowning man sees his whole life pass before him before he dies. Tom saw just that. There, all alone, a thousand miles away from home, on a strange island, among strange people, he thought out his own obituary. He prayed, and he isn't ashamed of it. He promised the Lord he'd be a better man if he was spared this time—and he meant it—every doggone word of it—at the time.

Still the tempest raged. A church steeple came crashing down. Death, ruin, destruction were all about him. Tom himself was literally thrown about the room by the sickening impact of the blow. From time to time the wind would shift—strike the hotel from another angle. Then the men in that room would board up the windows again and be safe—for a time. In all, Tom was boarded up for 23 hours—the worst 23 hours he ever spent in his life. And it wasn't the danger that bothered him so much as the inactivity—the uncertainty. The terrible nerve-racking sensation of waiting—waiting to be washed away by the ocean, or buried alive under a falling roof.

It was the next morning—at 4 a. m., when the storm finally passed over. The town was a shambles—the streets full of debris—the houses in ruins. Tom took some pictures and thanked God he was alive. He says: "I went to church religiously for about four or five Sundays after that, and then, like a good many more of us, not being scared any more, I started to miss again."

Like a good many more of us is right! Copyright.—WNU Service.

Mystery in Plant Life Evidence that living plants contain a mysterious substance which plays a major role in harnessing the energy of sunlight for the creation of living plant substances out of carbon dioxide and water was presented recently.

Largest of Bear Family Kodiak bears have brown fur, and sometimes are called "Alaska brown bears." They are the largest members of the bear family.

Railway "Birdman" Having spent 52 years of his life in mid-air, a driver of New York's elevated trains recently retired. In that period he covered a distance equal to four trips to the moon and back. And, as an additional record, he was not once late for duty.

Inscription on Liberty Bell The inscription on the Liberty bell is "Proclaim liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants thereof." It is from Leviticus, 25:10.

SEEN and HEARD around the NATIONAL CAPITAL

By Carter Field FAMOUS WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENT

Washington.—In addition to the reorganization bill, generally regarded as the major rebuff that President Roosevelt has received from congress, there have been the Supreme court enlargement, the St. Lawrence seaway, and the World court. It is interesting that Roosevelt's three predecessors, Harding, Coolidge and Hoover, all favored three of these four proposals—all except that regarding the Supreme court.

Gradually, sentiment for the United States joining the World court has become feebler and feebler as the League of Nations has declined in prestige. The St. Lawrence seaway has lost rather than gained in sentiment for reasons having nothing to do with politics.

When the seaway was first proposed, the most enthusiastic advocates were from the Middle and Northwestern states. They wanted to make it possible for ocean steamships to get into the Great Lakes, their object being to cut the freight rate on wheat from St. Paul and Minneapolis and other centers in the wheat country, to Liverpool, as for generations the world price of wheat has been the price at Liverpool, less the freight rate from the point of origin to Liverpool.

But since the proposal was first advocated the United States has been almost a total loss so far as wheat exports are concerned. For several years now we have exported little or no wheat, sometimes actually importing a little more—hard wheat from Canada—than we exported.

Other farm exports have declined as well, and there has never been any necessity for cutting the freight rate on the one line of exports that has really held firm, manufactured goods such as machinery, automobiles, etc. The real difficulty in the path of increased exports here has to do with quotas rather than costs, hence has to be left to negotiations rather than to maneuvering to cut the freight cost.

Opposition Continues Which explains why Secretary of State Cordell Hull's reciprocal trade treaty policy has made such a hit with automobile and other manufacturers who believe they can compete with the whole world if artificial limitations and barriers are removed.

President Roosevelt's interest in the St. Lawrence seaway has always been because of the electric power possibilities rather than the idea of bringing ocean steamships to the door of the Middle West. But the political motive power back of this project has always been the cheapening of the freight rate on grain to Liverpool, the real value of which has now practically disappeared.

Meanwhile the economic objections to the St. Lawrence project have remained unchanged. There may not be much grain moving overseas, but the shipping interests of Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Wilmington, Baltimore, Norfolk, Savannah, and even Jacksonville and New Orleans, have not relaxed in their opposition to it.

Record Rather Good Saving his face on the tax on undistributed corporation earnings was an achievement for President Roosevelt which will probably never be accurately measured. But the fact is that there were plenty of votes in both houses of congress, before the conference committee reached its compromise, to approve total repeal of this tax. It is perfectly true that the bill will provide the end of this tax after 1939, but the retention of any part of shadow of it is actually flying in the face of the will of a considerable majority of congress.

On the whole, it makes the record of the President, so far as his relations with congress are concerned, rather a good one—much better than the actual feeling in Capitol Hill justifies, and much better than the country has come to think in the last month, especially since the house rejected the reorganization bill.

But while there was an unusual amount of publicity for this White House rebuff on the reorganization bill, actually the President had failed to get something which every President for a good many years has wanted, and more than a few tried to get, with little or no success.

Everyone familiar with Washington knows that government bureau chiefs gradually acquire power with the house and senate. It is natural and human, however bad it may be from time to time in its results. But there is not only patronage to be considered—the placing of friends of senators and representatives in good jobs on the federal pay roll, and the looking out for them after they are placed, to be sure they get promotions and pay boosts when it is legally possible. That would be enough to establish personal bonds between the bureau chiefs and the national legislators. But there is also a constant line of communications between the offices on Capitol Hill and the various offices.

For example, when Congressman Blank of Kansas wants to know how much money has been paid out in wheat benefits to the counties in his congressional district, he does not ask the secretary of agriculture for the information. It would take too long. His secretary calls up the particular office down at what used to be Triple A which would have exact figures on tap, gets the information, and fires it back at the inquiring constituent, writes it up in the proposed radio talk, or whatever the inquirer had in mind.

How does Blank's secretary know which office to call? His secretary is he or she is half as good as the average congressional secretary. He knows a lot more than that. The name of the clerks who do the work of the ones who know their stuff and those who are just dumb, and a lot of other pieces of data which would be enormously valuable if they really were a merit system in the government.

But the point is that this building a friendly feeling between the offices of the government, many of them so insignificant that they are almost unknown, and the men who do the voting of appropriations to maintain them. When a representative no matter whether he is a Democrat in good standing at the White House or a Republican the President loathes, wants something to do with the government, he is in a position to get it. And quickly, he when a senator asks for any favor there is just no length which the downtown folk will not go to.

So it naturally follows that these bureaucrats are terribly worried about something—like a change of their functions to some other department—they get a sympathetic hearing on Capitol Hill.

Beaten by Butter! Argentine butter beat President Roosevelt on the reorganization according to the latest story around the Capitol corridors. Of course the majority by which the bill was defeated was only eight, a change of five members would have reversed the result. Virginia could have done it. Tammany could have done it. Any one of a lot of little groups could have done it.

And so could the five Progressives from Wisconsin who surprised Sen. Robert M. La Follette and anybody else when they voted against the President on this special test.

The story goes that a group of five Wisconsin dairymen were in Washington with their families to see the cherry blossoms. At a hotel where they were stopping, one of the party spoke up at breakfast about the butter.

"Where do you suppose they get it?" he demanded. "It's not any butter I know."

"I don't know," said a second "but I do know that I don't think it is as good as our butter at home."

"I think it's terrible," said one of the wives, "and I'm going to the waiter about it. They ought to buy our good Wisconsin butter. I am spending plenty down here."

"That's reciprocity for you," laughed her husband. Which was recalled by all of them later the day.

So they sent for the head waiter. He sent for the manager. Finally it came out. It was Argentine butter.

The party had intended to stay for home that afternoon, but the news about butter changed their minds. With one accord they agreed to turn their little vacation into a lobbying expedition.

Big Butter Men Busy A couple of hours later all the of the men were in the house of the building, seeking out the congressmen from Wisconsin.

"Why is it," they demanded, "the best hotels in this town use Argentine butter? We thought there was a tariff on butter high enough to keep foreign competition out. We had trouble with Danish butter years ago, but we thought we had fixed that with a tariff so high it couldn't climb over. Now what?"

One after another the congressmen patiently explained that the tariff had been high, but that the secretary of State Cordell Hull, in negotiating his reciprocal trade treaties, had marked down the rates on butter, and under the most favorable nation clause, if he marked it down in one treaty, this reduction applied to every other nation unless it could be demonstrated that the nation was discriminating in its trade against the United States.

"The theory is," explained one of the congressmen, "that we have to buy something from them, if we are going to sell other goods to them. It helps trade. It helps break down economic barriers. It makes peace."

"Make it something else than butter," retorted the dairymen, "it's one accord. They must have been threatening, but anyway the five Wisconsin Progressives voted against the bill. It is from Leviticus, 25:10. Gray read feature. He decided

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Though a man without money is poor, a man with nothing but money is poorer.

THE LADIES LEGS are getting a break. A few moments spent at the loafing benches will convince you. It's no longer necessary for a girl with spindly shanks to hang her head in shame as she passes

the male gossip quarters—for the chances are that they weren't even noticed—politics have taken the lead over the men's usual topic of conversation.

THEY'RE UNEXPERIENCED, but what they lack in experience, they make up by having the old fighting spirit—which is the football squad of next term.

NOMINATION—that Hank Brown's official title be changed from "Racehorse" to "Warhorse". He earned the title Monday. He'll be plenty tough next fall.

I HEARD MILTON Perry doing some electioneering the other day. He said he wasn't for anyone or against anyone, but if he was, he would sure be hunting up votes for—the guy he was talking to. How many other candidates have you sprung that line on Mr. Perry?

ACCORDING TO a lady who has recently acquired the title of grass widow, Silverton has about 48 widows in town, most of them by divorce. Nice going boys and girls.

THE LATEST TYPE of street curvity has been installed by the city east of Crass Motor. This type is laid on the top of the ground and dirt piled over it, in-

stead of sinking the culvert in the ground as was formerly the custom. What we need now on that street is an underpass so that the cars can get through.

JOHN HAMILTON is a Matorador product, but when he's in Silverton he's a Silverton man even to the extent of "trading at home". The reason I know that? Because he ordered candidate cards here. And no doubt in other towns too—and that costs considerable more money than if they were gotten in a bunch at one place. I thank you John.

MEET JACK MARTIN folks. He's the man behind the counter at Roy's Cash Market—only it isn't Roy's any more. Mr. Martin has bought the store. Note to the women: He's young, single, and looks like he'd do. Drop in and look him over, but don't let him catch you staring, for he's kinda bashful.

THE LATEST suggestion I've heard on the dam proposition at Tullia is that they move their golf course out there. The lake would make a plenty keen water hazard.

COUNTY OFFICERS are working hard on a WPA project to have a maternity ward added to the county jail.

IMAGINATION

There is a story told of a young high school graduate who was sent to Charles A. Dana, the great editor, then in the days of his power, with the suggestion that he "make a reporter out of him". Dana found him next evening sitting in an outer office smoking contentedly, and angered by his indolence gave him an assignment, saying: "Go to Sixth Avenue and write up this wedding." Two hours later Dana looked out and saw the young fellow loafing about. "Where is that copy?" he demanded. "The story I told you to get about that wedding?" There was no story, replied the youngster, "the groom didn't show up. 'No story', an ordinary high-school boy of imagination could have made a column and a half of that; he could have painted the weeping bride, the foolish-looking best-man, the indignant parents, the unused wedding cake—my, what a whale of a story? 'Imagination' will be the thought at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday Morning. 'The New Birth and the New Life' will be the subject at the Vesper hour.

Miss Hummel, a Sunday School expert, connected with the Presbyterian Board of Education, Philadelphia; spoke to an appreciative audience Monday night, in the Presbyterian Church. Miss Hum-

mel spoke of the need of those who are seeking to lead children and young people having a full vision of their opportunity. Young people are not fully educated, even though they may have a good knowledge of the Bible, unless that knowledge is put into life.

FLORAL CLUB MEETING

The Floral Club met in the home of Mrs. B. R. Ezzell with Mrs. C. M. Strickland as joint hostess on Friday, May 6th.

Fifteen members were present and the following new members were voted into the Club: Mesdames Harrison, Jackson and Webb. Mrs. Thorns gave an interesting lesson on "living room" and Mrs. Thomas gave the lesson on "slip covers" that was to have been given in April.

Enough blocks were handed in for our new quilt top. Our club is taking on new interest and we are very happy to have all of our pastor's wives as members of our club. The by-laws were read by Mrs. Bob Dickerson and will be read once each quarter.

At the close of the meeting delicious refreshments were served to the following ladies: Mesdames Hill, Bob Dickerson, Thorns, Dunagan, Danic, Perry, Anderson, Crawford, Peacock, Campbell, Stephenson, Thomas, Sanders, and the hostesses Strickland and Ezzell.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Florene Grimland was honored with a birthday party, Saturday night, May 7 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grimland. Various games were played and refreshments were served to the following: Othell and Colene Bomar, Pauline and Maxine Boling, Thelma Jackson, Willene Bomar, Daphne Ferne Blackwell, Edna Mae Grimland, Anna Bell McJimpsey, Blanche Thompson, Vera Davis, Alice Vaughan, Margaret Francis, Jackie Bomar, Clay-nell Fowler, A. J. Rowell, Alton Strickland, Taylor Williamson, Olin Yoakum, Gordon Durham, Martin Mosley, Edward Edwards, Raymond Bean, Edwin Davis, Emery and Orlee Mills, J. D. and Leonard McGavock, Wylie Bomar, Steve Morgan, Wilbur Chappell, Bob Grimland, Burl Fisch, and Arthur McJimpsey.

GAYNELLE ELECTED

Gaynelle Douglas, a W.T. student, has been elected "Y" president, and president of the Gamma Phi, a social organization. She will attend an international "Y" conference at Hollister, Mo., from June 3rd to 12th.

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A REUNION

A Mercer reunion was held in the home of W. A. Poole and family six miles northeast of Silverton, May 8.

Present were Mrs. W. S. Mercer and son J. B., Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nance and family; Mr. and Mrs. Clay Mercer and son; Mr. and Mrs. Dock Jones and family of Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mercer and children; a cousin Richard Mercer and a friend Mr. Gaskin; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poole and two children.

There were thirty people for dinner which was made from covered dishes brought by the ladies.

It was the first time the mother, six children and all the grandchildren were together in seven years.

Mrs. W. E. Sherman and Lanette left here Tuesday with Mrs. Sherman's father Rev. J. W. Hem-bree for Dallas where she will go through a clinic and visit with her parents in Grapevine.

MAKES TEAM AT TSCW

Baseball season at Texas State College for Women finds Miss Freda Elliston of Silverton a member of the Champion campus team.

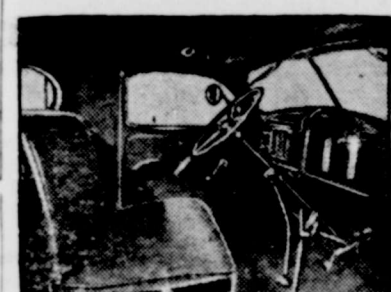
Competitive spirit in sports is aroused as girls follow the seasons by participating in hockey, basketball, baseball and other active sports tournaments.

A major in public school music, Miss Elliston is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliston and a freshman at the college.

W. M. S. HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

The Woman's Missionary Society held a regular meeting in the church last Monday with 14 members present. Mrs. Homer Sanders, chairman of Social Service Relations, was in charge of the program which was on social service work. Mrs. Coffee gave interesting facts about the Social side of the District Conference at Snyder.

At the close of the meeting the hostess, who was Mrs. Sanders, served refreshments to Mesdames Dickerson, Peacock, Simpson, Landers, Thomas, Summers, Douglas, Coffee, Blackwell, Kelsay and Ezzell.



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Quitaque News

Miss Rose Lee of Lubbock spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Lee.

Misses Rena and Mary Ollie Persons of Amarillo spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Amos Persons, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Fowler of Silverton were local visitors of Quitaque Sunday.

Mrs. Homer Sanders, Aurelia Sanders, and Mrs. B. R. Ezzell visited in the E. G. Rice home Tuesday. Keltz Garrison of Silverton was doing some campaigning in Quitaque Monday.

Mrs. Winnie Jo Keen of the Works Progress Administration of Amarillo was a visitor of Quitaque Friday.

Mrs. Ruby Hardwick of Turkey visited Mrs. Ben Smylie Thursday. Ernest Tunnell and A. L. Patterson left for Houston Monday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ewing, Anabelle and Carlene Gregg visited

relativs in Loveington, N. M. over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Havran, Miss Rose Lee and Mrs. Elizabeth Parnell, were visitors of Turkey Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mattie Smith, Mrs. Ruth Watson and daughter Patsy, and Bob Garrison of Oran, Texas, and Mrs. Aubrey Jones of Wink, Texas spent the week end in the Hall home. Mrs. Bob Garrison, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Hall, for several weeks, returned home with them.

Bernice and Edward Grundy, students of Tech, spent the week end with home folks.

Miss Marjorie Williams of Amarillo visited with Miss Rena Persons over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tunnell and boys returned home Saturday from a business and pleasure trip to Austin.

Rev. and Mrs. Keever left Wednesday for Almqordia, N. M., to bring home their daughters who have been attending and teaching school there.

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Happenings

nicely, but will be under the care of the doctor for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sherman and children went to Wellington last Sunday to hear Mrs. Sherman's father deliver a home coming sermon at the First Baptist Church there. Rev. Hembree, the speaker, was pastor of the church there twenty-five years ago.

Miss Sadie Summers, who is teaching in the Amarillo Schools, was home with her parents last week end.

Anis Fowler, of Texas Tech, was home with her parents last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Ely and daughter Francis Ann visited relatives in Tulia last Sunday.

Mrs. Carrol Gunter of Tulia was visiting relatives here last week end.

Mrs. Bland Burson attended the Boy Scout Circus in Lubbock last Friday. She visited with Mr. and Mrs. Smithee at Ropesville over night.

Mesdames Walling and Alvin

Redin and Miss Anna Lee Anderson made a business trip to Canyon and Amarillo last Saturday.

Miss Lettie Wakeland, who has been visiting several weeks with her sister, Mrs. A. L. Kelsay, returned to her home in Waxahachie last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Crawford left last Sunday for a few days vacation. They expect to visit relatives in Goree and other places. They also expect to spend a few days at Lake Camp before returning.

Mrs. Jimmie Long returned to her home in Plainview last Saturday after a few days visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Burleson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis had the pleasure of having all their children except one, home over last week end. Those present were: Mrs. Jack Coffee and children, Mrs. Verne Bearden and children of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Davis of Ropes. The home

coming was in commemoration of their 34th wedding anniversary and also Mother's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dickerson visited Mr. and Mrs. Buster Dickerson in Floydada last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Landers of Floydada visited here last Sunday with his brother, Mr. Noel Landers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alge Turner and father, Mr. Ben Turner of Turkey, were visiting here last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sylvain Turner and other relatives.

Mrs. A. L. McMurtry with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Burleson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Will Price, who have recently moved to Plainview, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley White and children met some friends from Clovis, N. M. last Sunday at Ceta Canyon and enjoyed a day together.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Cowart visited relatives in Amarillo last Sunday.

Misses Alma Ruth Thompson and Mildred Bean were visiting home folks over the week end.

Those who celebrated Mothers Day together in the F. M. Autry home were Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bean and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson and Blanch, J. M. Lemons and Alma Ruth Thompson and Mildred Bean who are students of W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Crawford and Mrs. Lee Bomar left Sunday for an extended visit in Goree Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack had as their guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Womack and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Alexander and two children from Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Simmons and Mrs. Sallie Taylor and daughter Peggy, all of Lubbock, visited here last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowart and Leo and Derwood Gresham visited relatives in Amarillo last Sunday. They with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pindley enjoyed a day in the Canyons.

Mrs. Jim Bomar has been quite sick since last Saturday, but at present is much improved.

Mrs. P. E. C. Cowart with Marinez Cowart left last Sunday for Chicago for several weeks; visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cowart.

Miss Stella Bean left last Friday for a business trip to Chicago.

Blanton Garrison was home with his parents last week end.

June West and Vera Davis were visiting here with their parents last week end.

Mr. Charlie Garrison and Mr. R. E. Stephens made a business trip to Lubbock Monday of this week.

Mrs. W. Hembree of Plainview visited here Sunday and Monday of this week with her sister-in-law Mrs. W. E. Sherman.

Mrs. Shelton Murrah of Amarillo is visiting this week here with her sister, Mrs. Marvin Tull, Mrs. Murrah will be remembered here as Miss Dorothy Duncan.

H. C. and Arthur Howard, who own a ranch in the north part of the county, were in town on business Tuesday of this week.

Come in now girls for that

— COMMENCEMENT —

— PERMANENT —

— WAVE —

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— mrs. edwin crass —

San Jacinto News

Mrs. Mart Hyatt visited her mother and sister in Tulia Saturday and Sunday.

Those enjoying a fishing trip on the Tule Canyon Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Preston and sons Ted, Monard, and Wayne; Mr. Mart Hyatt, Wright and Bernice May and Woodrow Bice.

Mrs. W. M. Rogers and daughters of Canyon and Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Clay Wesley and family of Hot Springs, N. M. visited in the Jim Derr home the past week.

The school boys played ball with the Union Hill team Friday. Union Hill won.

There will be a program at the school house Friday night the 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simpson and sons visited in the W. J. Heim home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Buck Wesley underwent an operation at the Plainview hospital May 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bice and son visited in the parentel, J. M. Keemper home west of Tulia Sunday.

The people of this community were shocked to learn of the death of Mr. Stem. Mr. Stem taught school at San Jacinto last school term.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Franklin will be our teachers next year. They come to us well recommended, and have taught in rural schools in Swisher County the past six years.

"Leto's" for the Gums

Are your gums irritated? Do they itch? Do they burn? Do your gums cause you annoyance? Druggists return money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy.

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- CORN, No. 2 cans, 3 for 25c
- PEAS, No. 2 cans, 2 for 15c
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Pattern 1709

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Lesson for May 15 TESTING DISCIPLESHIP BY SERVICE

LESSON TEXT—Mark 10:17-31. GOLDEN TEXT—Come . . . and follow me—Mark 10:21.

PRIMARY TOPIC—A Young Man Jesus Loved. JUNIOR TOPIC—What a Rich Man Needed.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Proving Our Loyalty to Christ by Service. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Marks of Discipleship.

"The almighty dollar"—how triumphantly it rules in the affairs of nations and of the men who make up nations. The world's measure of success is how much one can "make," and "no questions asked" as to how one made it, if he but avoid the legal pitfalls that may land him in jail. Even that is no longer a disgrace, for men who have defrauded others serve a term in jail to "pay their debt to society," and then return without shame to enjoy the use of their ill-gotten gains. Skill in the arts and sciences is rated according to its financial value. Brains and beauty are commodities of the market place. Liquor is permitted to destroy our people because it provides a profitable "business."

The minds of men and women of decency and intelligence revolt at the whole situation. Let us encourage them as we improve the opportunity today to present God's moral and spiritual standards.

I. Self Before God (vv. 17-22).

The rich young ruler had many advantages and virtues. He was young, life was before him, vivid was his imagination, strong was his body. He was educated, and developed intelligence is an honor to any man. He had position, which can always be used for good. He had money, which when rightly gained and used, is a powerful and honorable possession. Above all, he had the priceless jewel of good character. Notice that he had kept the commandments, that he came before the Lord in humility seeking truth, and that Jesus "loved him" (v. 21).

Almost any father would be proud to own this young man as a son. Many churches would welcome him to membership and even to leadership. Jesus dealt with him honestly, however, and went to the root of his difficulty which was that he loved himself and his possessions more than he loved God. Therefore he must give them up before he could really follow Jesus. Sad indeed was his refusal. He came running (v. 17), but he went away sorrowful (v. 22).

What stands between you and a full surrender to Christ? Face it honestly. Be thankful if your pastor or a friend frankly points it out. Then those who would "pat you on the back" and assure you that all is well. A cancer will kill unless it is cut out. The surgeon's knife may hurt, but it is an instrument of good.

Note that the statement of Jesus in verse 18 is not a denial of His deity, but a definite claim that He is God. He says in effect, "If you call me good you must recognize that I am God."

II. God Before Self (vv. 21-27).

The disciples, who evidently shared the common opinion that money could do almost anything, were surprised to hear that riches were really a hindrance to spirituality, because (v. 24) of the tendency of men to trust in their wealth and forget their need of God.

Jesus does not leave the rich man without hope, for he goes on to say that what is impossible for men and even for the rich man himself is entirely possible with God. He is able so to move on the heart of even a rich man that he will yield himself in humble obedience to Christ and will put God and his cause above self and his possessions.

Two things need emphasis in this connection. First, let those of us who have little of this world's goods be thankful that we have, at least, been delivered from this temptation. It may well be an expression of God's love and grace toward us. Second, let us thank God for every man of wealth who has given himself and what he has into God's hands. Inestimable is the good that has been done by faithful stewards who have not trusted in their riches and denied God, but who have trusted God and consecrated their riches to His service. May their number increase.

III. The Last Before the First (vv. 28-31).

The ways of God are confusing and humbling to the flesh. The way up in spiritual things is to go down (Mark 9:35). Those who are first in the eyes of men are often last in God's sight. Others whom men count as least stand highest in God's sight because they are faithful and true to Him. The world looks at the missionary of the cross and says, "He has sacrificed everything," and knows nothing of the "hundredfold" reward even in this life, "and in the world to come, eternal life" (v. 30).

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Wallace Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Maston and Bobby of near South Plains spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bob White.

Mr. W. N. Edwards spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisch and Berle.

Mrs. Mary Edwards spent Sun-

day with her father and mother of near Kress, Mr. and Mrs. Will Autry and family.

Mrs. M. M. Edwards and son Edward visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob White Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. West and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. White and

son O. C. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Maston.

Mr. Jake Spencer called at the M. M. Edwards home Monday evening.

Noel and Norman Wade Deavenport visited Edward Edwards Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bood Myers made a business trip to Plainview Thur-

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Wallace visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie West Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Kitchens visited Mr. and Mrs. Jake Spencer Sunday.

Mr. Jake Spencer and Edward Edwards went to Haylake Sunday evening.

SHERIFF'S SALE NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BRISCOE.

By virtue of an Order of Sale, issued out of the Honorable 44th Judicial District Court of Dallas County, on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1938, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Southwestern Life Insurance company, a corporation, versus M. E. Bell, Charles M. Bell, Irene Gentry and husband, W. P. Gentry, Walter (Oots, Ute) Bell, Houston (Buster) Bell, Jack Bell, Richard Bell, William Cameron & Company, Inc., a corporation, and Henry Tombs, No. 32847-B, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the first Tuesday in June A. D. 1938, it being the 7th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Briscoe County, in the city of Silverton the following described property, to-wit:

In Briscoe County, Texas, to-wit: 5537 acres of land, more or less, situated about twenty miles south of the town of Clarendon, and described in eight tracts as follows: FIRST TRACT: Beginning at a stone mound, the N. W. corner of Section No. 16, Blk. No. 3, J. Poitevent Survey, also the N. E. corner of Section No. 43, Blk. G-8, Adair and Goodnight Survey; THENCE N. crossing a survey in the name of C. L. Benson, at 368 vrs. the N. line of same, also the S. line of Survey No. 67, Blk. G-6, A. & G. at 1572 vrs. the N. line of said Survey No. 67, also the S. line of Survey No. 65, A. & G.;

THENCE East 727 vrs. to a mound in the E. line of said Survey No. 65, from which another mound vrs. S. 314 vrs. the S. E. corner of Survey No. 23, Blk. A, Gunter & Munson; THENCE N. 1111 vrs. to a stone mound, for the S. W. corner of a 40 acre tract in the N. W. corner of Survey No. 23, Blk. A. G. & M.;

THENCE E. 475 vrs. on S. line of said 40 acre tract to its S. E. corner; THENCE N. 475 vrs. on E. line of said 40 acre tract to a stone mound in the N. line of said Survey No. 23, for the N. E. corner of said 40 acre tract;

THENCE East on N. line of said Section No. 23, 1425 vrs. to a stone mound, the N. E. corner of said Survey No. 23, in the W. line of Survey No. 21, Blk. A, in the name of Jno. G. Adair;

THENCE North on the W. line of Section No. 21 also the E. line of Section No. 22, Blk. A, G & M, 394 vrs. to a stone mound; THENCE East at 1400 vrs. pass S. W. corner of Section No. 20, Blk. A, Jno. G. Adair, also the west N. W. corner of Survey No. 7, Blk. X, in the name of W. H. Martin, at 3300 vrs. pass a stone mound on hillside for the S. E. corner of said Section 20, also the inside S. E. corner of said Survey No. 7, at 3348 vrs. a stone mound set under fence, said fence being the W. line of the so-called W. E. Davis inclosure;

THENCE with the meanderings of said fence line, S. 309 vrs. S. 54 deg. W. 3529 vrs. S. 54-21' W. 848 S. 66-51' W. 799 vrs. to a stake, on W. side of mulberry creek;

THENCE S. 209 vrs. to a stone mound, the N. E. corner of Section No. 16, also the N. W. corner of Section No. 15, Blk. 2, J. Poitevent Survey;

THENCE West 1900 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing in all 2134.5 acres of land out of seven surveys as follows:

Survey No. 124, Blk. A-1900, Patent No. 331, Vol. 26, C. L. Benson, 120.56 ac. Out of Survey No. 67, Blk. G-6, A. & G. Sale Script 305.91 ac. Out of Survey No. 23, Blk. G & M. Sale Script 600.00 ac. Out of Survey No. 21, Blk. A, Jno. G. Adair Sale Script 342.32 ac. Out of Survey No. 7, Blk. X, W. H. Martin Sale Script 276.25 ac. Out of Survey No. 6, Blk. X, W. H. Martin Sale Script 69.39 ac. Out of Survey No. 24, Blk. A, Jno. G. Adair Sale Script 420.17 ac.

Said land having been surveyed Feb. 3, 1915, by C. E. Killough, County Surveyor, of Donley County, Texas.

SECOND TRACT: 135.15 acres out of Southwestern part of Section No. 15, in Blk. No. 2, Certificate No. 2-861, issued to J. Poitevent, patented to W. H. Davis, Patent No. 445, Vol. 33, described as follows: Beginning at a point on the S. line of said Section No. 15, 695 vrs. West of its S. E. corner; THENCE N. 36 1/2 W. 706 vrs; THENCE N. 59 1/2 W. 108 vrs; THENCE N. 67 1/2 W. 112 vrs; THENCE N. 53 1/2 W. 152 vrs; THENCE North 32 1/2 W. 184 vrs; THENCE N. 79 W. 329 vrs; THENCE N. 7 deg. W. 325 vrs; to a point on

the W. base line of said Section No. 15, 600 vrs. South of a stone mound; THENCE S. 1300 vrs. to the S. W. corner of the same;

THENCE E. 1205 vrs. to the place of beginning.

THIRD TRACT: Being all of Section No. 16, in Block No. 2, Certificate No. 2-205, J. Poitevent, containing 640 acres of land.

FOURTH TRACT: 525 acres out of the N. part of Section No. 94 in Block No. 2, Certificate No. 2-847, issued to T & P Ry. Co. sold by the State to G. T. Mosby, patent No. 188, Vol. 22 and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a stone mound, the N. W. corner of said Survey No. 94;

THENCE South 1560 vrs. to a stone mound set in an old road, for S. W. corner of this tract;

THENCE East 1900 vrs. to a point on the E. line of said Survey;

THENCE North 1560 vrs. to a stone mound in a mesquite flat; THENCE West 1900 vrs. to the place of beginning.

FIFTH TRACT: Being all of Section No. 123, in Block No. 2, T & P Ry. Co. land Land Scrip No. 2-862, Patent No. 401, Vol. 33, dated Sept. 21, 1876, containing 640 acres of land.

SIXTH TRACT: 555 acres out of the North part of Section No. 95, in Block No. 2, Certificate No. 2-847, issued to T & P Ry. Co., Patent No. 396, Vol. 93, dated Sept. 21, 1876, particularly described as follows:

Beginning at stone mound, the N. W. corner of said Section No. 95,

THENCE South 1649 1/2 vrs. to a point in the W. line of same; THENCE East 1900 vrs. to a stake on the E. line of said Section; THENCE North 1649 1/2 vrs. to a stone mound, the N. E. corner of said Section; THENCE West 1900 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 555 acres of land.

SEVENTH TRACT: All of Section No. 124, in Block No. 2, Certificate No. 2-862, T & P Ry. Co., Patent No. 445, Vol. 12A, containing 640 acres of land, more or less.

EIGHTH TRACT: 267.35 acres of land out of Section No. 122, in Block No. 2, Certificate No. 2-861, T & P Ry. Co., being more particularly described as all of said Section No. 122, save and except 372.85 acres heretofore sold by M. E. Bell and wife, to Cornelia Adair, on Feb. 17, 1913, as described in deed of conveyance of that date, recorded in Vol. 9, page 214, Deed Records of Briscoe County, Texas.

Said lands above described, aggregating 5537 acres. Levied on the 11th day of May, 1938 as the property of said defendants to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$68,584.83 in favor of plaintiff, together with interest thereon from April 14th, 1938, at the rate of 10% and costs of suit.

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FOR DISTRICT JUDGE

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE AND EX-OFFICIO SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

W. COFFEE, JR. (Re-election) J. W. LYON, JR.

FOR SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR

N. R. (Jake) HONEA (Re-election) BEN O. KING

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R. E. DOUGLAS (Re-election) KELTZ GARRISON

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

MISS LIZZIE GREGG (Re-election) MRS. AGNES (Donnell) TURNER

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FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 3

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