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YOUR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT. TAKE A PART IN COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

Devotional News

Clara Stofor

July news lists a number of town visitors, as trips taken by those who have been staying at home for several months.

W. Davidson of Bowie, Okla., is visiting in the Tommy home; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. of Wichita Falls visit; Earl and Mrs. Palmer week end. Their grand daughter, Linda Joyce Taylor, 4th with Mr. and Mrs. E. McCreary and Mrs. E. McCreary of Iran, Texas, spent the week end in the Frank McCreary home. Mrs. McCreary is the daughter of Mrs. McClendon, who lived at Burkburnett.

Woodley of Scott arrived Monday to spend the week end with his wife and Mrs. Chas. Woodley. The C. O. daughter, the Charles Woodley Craterville Park Mrs. Chas. Woodley daughter, who have been here the past three weeks returned home with Tuesday.

Woodley and Johnny of Arlington, Texas, returned with parents of the 4th with parents of the 4th.

Guests in the Ross home were their daughter, Gayle Rhynes, Mr. and Mrs. Wright's daughter, Miss Opal Dill, and Miss Opal Dill of Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Harold Hutson returned from Los Angeles, Calif., last Wednesday with parents of Harold and Mrs. Guy Hutson. They will spend some time at the home of his sister, Mrs. Moran and Mr. Moran, Okla., before returning home.

B. B. Uthe was called to the City last Friday to attend the funeral of his step-father.

A. Landers, Arlie Do-wn, Nelson families picnic at Jed Johnson's in the Wichita mountains.

Mr. Rodgers attended the funeral of Mrs. Travis Burdett Monday.

H. Stevens and Mrs. H. Stevens returned from the Wichita Falls Tuesday.

W. Davis, reported on last the past week, is about the house.

W. Weaver of Wichita visited Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charbonneau, and her Bobbie Eastman of the 4th.

Dodson of Burkburnett returned from the week end in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stofor.

Mrs. J. W. Jackson, of this community, near Walters, reported being victims of a wreck on the highway last Saturday while on the way to Burkburnett. On the way to the hole in the road, the car struck the bridge, breaking the axle and hanging the car from the bridge. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson were taken to the hospital and are expected to be out of the hospital in a few days.

Mr. Elton M. Ellis was engaged in the Eagleton, Okla., McClellan, the past four weeks returning to this part of the country. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis are expected to return to their positions at Sparrow Lake, Okla., in a few days.

Mr. Ellis taught for a number of years in Devol school. He is the former Miss Stofor.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold and daughter drove to the 4th, Wednesday for the funeral of Mrs. Guy Hutson's.

Received just before time today that the man identified at Wilcox was found on the track near the Elevator at 6:10 A. M. No particulars were learned.

E. Allen, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, family were called to the funeral.

More closely related than to termites.

Charlene Clements Seriously Injured In Kansas Auto Wreck

Miss Charlene Clements, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Clements of Burkburnett, received very painful injuries in an automobile accident near Twin City, Kansas, last Wednesday night.

According to information received by Miss Clements' parents, Charlene, her cousin and another person were in a one-seater car. They met a car with blinding lights and were forced from the highway. The car hit loose gravel on the shoulder and crashed into a concrete culvert. Miss Clements received breaks in one limb; one above the knee and one below. The other limb was broken above the knee and badly crushed. The other two occupants of the car escaped with only slight scratches and bruises. Miss Clements was taken to St. Catherine Hospital, Garden City, Kansas, where it was feared for a time one limb would have to be amputated. Latest information is that the young lady will be confined to the Kansas hospital for at least six months; then she will be able to come home, where she will be confined to the hospital for another six months.

Miss Clements is a Burkburnett High School student and well known here. Her friends will be saddened to learn of her misfortune.

Parking Committee To Meet Friday

A. A. McKinnis, chairman of the Parking Committee for the Boom Town Celebration, has called a meeting of his committeemen for tomorrow night. He asks all of his helpers to meet him in front of the Town Hall, Friday night, July 8, at 7:30 P. M.

Mrs. Vance Home From Hospital

Mrs. W. T. Vance was returned to her home last Wednesday from the Wichita Falls Clinic where she underwent a major operation, June 21. She is doing nicely at this time.

Mrs. Nita Pettyjohn of Wichita Falls is staying with Mrs. Vance during her convalescence. Also here during her illness were Mrs. Edith Goodlett of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McNeil of Fort Worth.

Miss Myra Lee McNeil, grand daughter of Mrs. Vance, leaves the first of the month for New York where she will spend nine months furthering her musical career.

Clubs Are Making Floats for Parade

Floats in this year's parade will undoubtedly surpass any previous presentation. From the amount of work already done, there should be some offerings that would not look out of place in the Pasadena Tournament of Roses parade.

It takes lots of man (and women) hours to produce a float. Some of the clubs have been working for more than a week, assembling material and checking plans and designs.

Literary clubs, Garden clubs, service clubs, and many business concerns are making floats. It is not alone the prize money offered that prompts all the entries. Everyone realizes the important part floats play in any parade. No small detail is being overlooked to make this year's parade the best ever.

Secrecy is the keynote of all float workers. They guard their secrets zealously and are as close-mouthed as clams when an outsider approaches. There will be some exceptional offerings this year. That we can be certain of.

SINGING SET AT NAZARENE CHURCH FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Another of the popular singings will be held at the Nazarene Church next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Several out of town quartets will be present. All of you who enjoy good singing are cordially invited to attend.

Clinton Hill of Canadian, Texas, Gets Off The Hard Way



CLINTON HILL of Canadian, Texas, makes the high dive pictured above from a wild bucking bronco. Clinton is a good bronco buster, but some of those nags they will use at the Burkburnett Boom Town Celebration Rodeo ain't been broke yet. When 1500 pounds of dynamite breaks out of a chute with a man astride, anything can happen—and it usually does. Beutler Bros. don't plow nary one of those nags. All they do is just eat good hay, oats and grass and figger out a way to slam those tough cowboys smack into the ground. And some of those critters have a record they are right proud of—they ain't never been rid yit. See them in action July 19-22 at the Foot Ball Stadium. Plenty of good seats; reserved and general admission too—if you come early. Seats are going fast and first come first served is the policy.

Calvary Baptist Church Revival and Bible School Continues This Week

Good interest is being manifested in the revival and Bible school now in progress at Calvary Baptist Church, College & Avenue B.

Dr. B. F. Dearmore, Fort Worth, E. F. McCurley, Wichita Falls, and George Jackson of Irving, are the regular preachers who are teaching and preaching each morning and night. Other preachers are bringing special messages at different services.

Each morning this week, besides Saturday morning, the services begin at 9:30 and close promptly at eleven A. M. The night services begin at 7:30 with one of the preachers teaching a special Book of the Bible. At 8 P. M. is a good song service, followed by the closing evangelistic message by one of the preachers. There will be one service Saturday, which will be at 8 P. M. Then Sunday services at the regular hours—10 A. M. Sunday School; eleven A. M., preaching service; 7:15 P. M., young people; 8 P. M., preaching service.

Don't fail to get in on what's left of this Bible School and Revival this week. You are bound to be helped and inspired in God's work much if you do. If at all possible, get in on Friday's morning service. The pastor will be preaching Sunday morning on this subject: "Re-opening Jacob's Wells." Say, we would like for you to see some of the trash we are going to drag out of these stopped up wells. You might recognize it as something you have let fall in. At the Sunday School hour we will be studying the 11th chapter of Judges. A warm welcome is extended to all these services to all of you.

Ray C. Morrow, Pastor

Methodist W.S.C.S. Met In Circles At Church Monday

The Women's Society of Christian Service met at the First Methodist Church Monday, June 27 at 9:30 A. M.

An impressive pledge service was given by officers and joined by the membership.

Mrs. S. S. Reger was presented a lovely gift for two and one-half years service as president of the society. Mrs. J. L. Caffee was presented a life membership and a lovely pin for her loyalty to the society while she served as president a few years past. The presentations were made by Mrs. A. R. Bunstine in behalf of the society.

After the program, a meeting of the three Circles was called by their leaders: Mrs. P. A. Wiggins, Circle No. 1; Mrs. D. M. Morris, Circle No. 2; and Mrs. Woody Carter, Circle No. 3. Lovely refreshments were served 16 members by the Circle leaders.

The next meeting will be July 11 at the church.

Mrs. J. B. Grace left last Saturday for a month's vacation to points in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Acel Garland and daughters, Jane and Lynn are visiting relatives here.

Ike Harwell returned home Tuesday from a two weeks trip to Mexico City.

Donald Brookman, who arrived Saturday by plane from New London, Conn., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brookman and his brother John Alan. Donald, a Yeoman in the Navy, is in the second squadron office of the Submarine Division. He has just finished a three months cruise tour on the Submarine "Spikefish". This is Donald's first visit in over a year and he says Burk surely looks good to him. The Brookmans have another son, Jerry, in the Navy who is stationed in Japan on the AOG-11.

Hearing On Added Bus Service for Burk At Vernon July 11

Ray Grimes, owner of the Chisholm Trail Motor Coaches, announces the hearing for his application to extend bus service to include Burkburnett, has been set for Monday, July 11, at the Court House in Vernon.

If the proposed application is granted Burkburnett will receive bus service to Electra and points north and west, as well as an early morning schedule to Wichita Falls.

Those who can possibly do so are asked to go to Vernon during the hearing and testify as to the need for this added service. Transportation to and from Vernon, and a Chuck Wagon feed will be given those from Burk.

Foot Ball Stadium Ready for Rodeo

All preparations have been made at Bulldog Stadium for the Rodeo shows during the Celebration. All seats are numbered in the grandstands, the arena is in perfect shape and Buster Morgan and his helpers have had the chutes and pens ready for some time.

The setting for the rodeo is one of the best to be found anywhere. Every inch of the arena may be seen from any seat in the grandstand, and hundreds of standing room spectators may see the show and not obstruct the view of anyone else.

Burk Pioneer Dies Saturday

Mrs. Louise Measley, an 82-year-old woman who moved to Burkburnett in the boom town days of 1916, died Saturday at the home of her son, John Measley of Wichita Falls. Until recently she made her home at 309 Ellis in Burkburnett, when she moved to Wichita Falls to be with her son after her health began to fail.

She was found on the floor near her bed by her daughter-in-law at 6:45 A. M. Her son had found her asleep at 2 A. M. when he went to her room for the last time.

Funeral services were held from the Owens and Brumley Chapel in Wichita Falls Monday afternoon and interment was made at Riverside.

Mrs. Measley was born in Woodsfield, Ohio, March 4, 1867. She is survived by three other sons, E. F. of Hughes Springs, Texas; Charles of Plymouth, Ill., and George of Borger; two brothers, Fred and John Allaman and one sister, Mrs. Carolina Reef, all of Monroe, Ohio.

Mrs. C. E. Holmes and Mrs. Bertha Wood of Burkburnett attended the services Monday.

Tickets Going Fast For Rodeo Shows

A. C. Reeves, chairman of Rodeo ticket sales reports the tickets are really going fast and those who haven't already purchased their tickets may wait too late for reserved seats.

First come first served is the policy being followed on reserved seats. The same will hold for general admission tickets.

Tickets may be purchased at the Bank, or from any Lion or Rotarian.

Lions and Rotarians are working hard to have their candidate crowned Queen of the Rodeo. Kay Morrison is the Rotary choice, while Wanda Gayle Mills carries the banner for the Lions. Vote for your favorite when you make ticket purchases.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hicks and James spent the week end in Lubbock visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Miller. The Millers are former Burkburnett residents.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Wiggins and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert enjoyed a fishing trip to Post Oak over the holiday week end.

Livestock Owners Warned to Clean Up Property Now

A number of places where Livestock is kept within the city limits have been found to be in poor sanitary condition.

In these places flies breed in great numbers and are a great nuisance to the neighborhood. If you insist on keeping livestock within the city limits, it is necessary that strict sanitary conditions be maintained.

A general inspection throughout the city will be made within a week. If at that time places where livestock are kept are found to be unsanitary, and unless immediate clean-up is made, Livestock will have to be disposed of.

Dr. Philip A. Carpenter, City Health Officer

Important Meeting Demands Presence All Committeemen

A most important meeting of all Celebration committeemen is to be held Friday night, July 8, at Town Hall, 7:30 o'clock. All members, and all interested in helping with the many details of preparing for such a huge undertaking, are urged—yeah, begged to be present.

All committeemen are to report on their progress and any problems yet unsolved will be taken up at this meeting. The first rodeo show opens Tuesday night, July 19, at 8 o'clock, and lots of last minute details will have to be solved. Don't fail to be present. You are NEEDED.

First Concrete Is Poured on Ave. D Paving Project

Tuesday the first concrete on the Avenue D paving project was poured. Dirt moving on the street has been in progress for several days. The work is just now getting to the stage where real haste can be made.

Everyone in town is most concerned about this work. With the Celebration opening July 19, it is very important that this nice wide street be ready for traffic. Contractors on the project are most cooperative and promise they will do everything possible to have the work completed in time for the opening Celebration Rodeo.

Pat's Air Conditioning And Electric Shop Moves To 418 Avenue C Location

Pat's Air Conditioning and Electric Shop is now settled in new quarters in the Teal building, first door south of the Burkburnett Clinic.

The move was started early this week and now is comfortably located. The phone number is 546, with service available on short notice.

Patrick Thomas, owner of the establishment, is one of the newest young business men in Burkburnett and reports he is well satisfied with the reception he has received.

MRS. CLACK WRITES BOOM TOWN ARTICLE

Mrs. Catherine Young Clack has written one of the most interesting articles concerning Boom Town Burkburnett that has yet been compiled. The first part of the article appears in the columns of the Star this week—the remainder will appear next week. This story will be interesting not only to old timers, but will give some of the late comers a better insight on conditions existing at the time of the boom. Read it.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Felty and F. T. Jr., visited Mr. Felty's brother in Lampasas, Texas, the past week end.

Boom Town Celebration Committeemen To Meet Friday Night At Town Hall

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Washington News Letter

By Congressman Ed Gossett

Washington, July 19—The big fight on this week in the House is over the Public Housing Act, R. 4009. The fight on this bill was not over slum clearance or over Federal financing of home build-

ing. I have always supported FHA, i. e., Federal guarantee of loans to promote home building. The big fight on this bill was over public housing. This bill as finally passed, obligates the government to build 810,000 homes. These 810,000 homes will be owned and maintained at government expense and rented to so-called low-income families. The minimum cost of these government owned houses will be 10 billion dollars. Some

have estimated it will cost nearer 20 billion dollars. It is generally conceded that it would be much cheaper to build these homes and give them outright to said low-income individuals than it will be for the government to maintain and operate them as now provided.

This public housing feature sets a most dangerous precedent. It will be followed in years to come by other bills for more homes for more people.

An amendment was offered to the bill to strike out the public housing feature. Time for debate on the amendment was limited, and those of us speaking had only 2 1-2 minutes to present our views. My speech in support of the amendment to strike public housing from the bill was as follows:

"Mr. Chairman, I rise in support of the amendment. The gigantic public housing feature of this bill is, in my judgment, a two-edged sword, one edge of which cuts the heart out of the American economy, and the other the heart out of American character.

"The distinguished majority leader addressed himself to human values, the human equation. That, too, gives me great concern because all other values are relative. You do not have a favor if you fill his stomach and empty his backbone in the same operation. When we build gigantic public housing

projects and subsidize the tenants who live in them, we tend to destroy thrift, initiative, ambition, and many other worthwhile attributes of character and citizenship. Think what would have happened to you as a boy if you had been told when you became a man if through circumstances or otherwise you were unable to build a home, that the government would furnish it to you. I submit that this public housing feature of this bill pushes us many miles farther down the road into national socialism. The chips are down on this, gentlemen. You will have to choose whether or not you want American democracy or choose to embrace some sort of statism. This is simply the first installment on this matter of subsidizing low-income families in the matter of housing. If you subsidize John Doe this year and not Richard Roe the next year, you will make Bolsheviks out of both of them. The time has come when we must call a halt on unrestrained public expenditures, or else we will be called upon in the next session of Congress to raise taxes, and ultimately to devalue the dollar, perhaps to repudiate debts. If carried to its logical conclusion the public housing provisions of this bill mean economic and social chaos."

This amendment was adopted by a vote of 168 to 165. It was

then stricken out by a vote of 209 to 204.

On this vote, 13 of us Texas members voted "yea" with only 6 Texas members voting "nay." It is significant that Thomas of Houston, Wilson of Dallas, and Lucas of Fort Worth, all voted against public housing. Kilday of San Antonio, who is in the hospital with a broken leg, if present, would have also voted against public housing.

The Marshall Heights section of Washington is a Negro settlement. Most of them own their homes. Some of these homes are better than the one in which I was reared. Public housing officials of Washington have repeatedly attempted to take over this area for the slum clearance project. These Negroes have appeared before Committees of Congress in opposition to the project. They do not want the homes which they own condemned and torn down, even if it means they are to be furnished an apartment in a government-owned and controlled project. Under the bill passed, they will probably lose their fight and be forced to abandon their relatively good community.

Mississippi Pastor 20,000th Visitor to Baytown Refinery

June 13 was an exciting day for a Baptist pastor who brought his wife and son to Houston on a vacation from the little town of Bellefontaine, Mississippi — population 250. He had become king for a day as the twenty-thousandth visitor to attend a conducted tour of Humble Oil and Refining Company's Baytown refinery.

Rev. J. V. Wilson, his wife and son, Joe Hood Wilson, were visiting San Jacinto Battleground and the Battleship Texas as when they and other visitors were invited to attend the afternoon tour of the refinery.

As the tour guide began the regular orientation lecture in the Community House at Baytown, he thumbed through the 29 guest registration cards for the day and announced that Reverend Wilson was the twenty-thousandth visitor to the refinery since conducted tours were inaugurated July 15, 1948. Among the 20,000 visitors were 8,000 students from 145 Texas schools who toured Baytown refinery as a special school activity. These student tours are discontinued for the summer, but the regular public tours are conducted daily, including Saturday and Sunday at 2:00 P. M.

Immediately following the 70-minute bus tour of principal refining units and the synthetic rubber plants, Reverend Wilson and the entire group were guests at a party held in the pastor's honor. As a memento of the occasion, he was presented a hand-tooled silver belt buckle; his son received a calfskin wallet; and Mrs. Wilson received a corsage.

"This has certainly been a wonderful day," the jovial pastor exclaimed. "Sure wish I had known all this was going to happen, though. I would have dressed up and put on a coat and tie."

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Miss Helen Lassiter, who is nursing in a Tipton Hospital at Tipton, Oklahoma, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Lassiter. Her sister, Veta Mae, returned home with her for a visit.

Mrs. James C. Walling and daughter, Carol, left by plane Thursday for their home in LeMoore, California, after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Walling. Also visiting in the Walling home recently were Lewis Walling, wife and daughters, Mickey Sue and Barbara of Kermit, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Alexander of Crane, Texas.

What Does The Donkey Tell the Clown?



No one seems to know what the pitcher and the catcher talk about when they meet between home plate and the pitcher's mound. And up until now, no one has learned what Buddy Reger's educated mule talks to him about at the rodeo. The secret will be revealed during the Boom Town Celebration Rodeo in Burkburnett July 19-22. Buddy Reger has promised to tell rodeo fans word for word what he and his donkey have been whispering about. Buddy is the intelligent one in the above picture—the one with the hat on.

Miss Patsy Wallace spent the week end visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Reagan in Seymour.

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ONCE UPON A BOOM TIME

By Catherine Young Clark

BURKBURNETT — a magic name! Magic name if you can conjure up pictures of the spread run by old Burke Burnett on the Red River, the same Burke Burnett who bought the first town lots sold at public auction in June of 1907, he who gave the new town its name. (Burke Burnett it was, too, until the red tape boys in Washington got through with it; they whittled it down to Burkburnett and it has so remained.)

It was this Burke Burnett who threw his 6666 brand on thousands of beeves from the time the Chisholm Trail was a rumor till the dinky little trains chuffed across the prairies; Burke Burnett who was as good and as bad as the hard-bitten, rough-riding cowmen of his day—hospitable and kind when needed be, and tough as an old boot heel when occasion arose; Burke Burnett who is still remembered by the poor he befriended and who is recorded in the court files at Paducah as one tried and acquitted for murder. (It was in the Texas Paducah and NOT in Irvin S. Cobb's Kentucky bailiwick.)

And at the last, when death came to him as it does to all men, it was this Burke Burnett despair to his Fort Worth friend, Mose Littleton, that he was worth a million dollars, yet he couldn't hire a nigger for a slick quarter to die for him.

O Burke Burnett and all you cattle kings of yesterday, look down from your round-up in the sky and see the games men now play! You and your hands caught the calves and slapped the hot burning irons on their hides; you tamed the wild, the wiry little mustangs to add to your horse cavvy; you saddle-broke the tricky Indian ponies that jarred the marrow in your bones, for how else could a man run cows without a good horse or two? And the savage longhorn bulls you wrestled with—these were defenseless critters compared with the heathenish humped bulls that explode across our arenas nowadays.

All these things you did in line of a day's work; it was both a necessity and a way of life. Yours was "the blood and

toil, sweat and tears"; now, it is just a lot of fun and excitement and hullabaloo at the rodeo.

BURKBURNETT— magic and miracles in your name! You were a quiet country town, drowsing along between wheat harvests or cattle shipping time, arguing still about the sinking of the Lusitania, stumbling and faltering over those foreign names—that litany of World War I—names like Ypres, Verdun, St. Miheil and the Argonne, and you were trying to learn some of the dirty verses of that litting song, "Mademoiselle from Armentiers."

Then it happened: The Fowler Discovery Well blew in and who murmured in chagrin and all hell broke loose. The Boom was on! The whisper rose to a roar, and still the news flashed. You were the hottest thing on this earth; you were the world's biggest little oilfield. The 1918 Armistice followed next month, but still you grew like a monstrous nightmare. Henry Ford's Tin Lizzies and Model T's were to change the economy of the nation, and you had all the answers in your great big little oilfield.

Men came as though bewitched by the spell of your black gold. They fought the mud and the mobs (they say that 50,000 people were here at the peak, packed and shoving and wild and crazy-mad.) They fought the cold and the hunger, for how could the three original cafes feed that surging, mad-dened mass of humanity? (In one day, some three hundred people sickened with ptomaine poisoning and nearly died, and they hauled the fresh meat from the depot down Main Street in open wagons with black swarms of flies guarding its progress.)

It was the Klondike and the Kimberley and the Comstock all rolled into one, and still they came. It was chaos worse confounded. The derricks pushed against each other as thick as bristles on a hog's back; at night, they loomed darkly against a brilliant sky mirroring a thousand camp fires.

Families lived in tents, in wagons or bedded down on bare ground, hoping for a break, a fortune or a room. (Water was

the worst, for weren't the wells all contaminated, and wasn't there a typhoid epidemic, and didn't you have to haul water in barrels from springs on Old Red, and wagons all bogged down?)

The oil kept a'coming and a'coming, and then the buzzards moved in, the carrion crows of the human kind; lease sharks and smart operators and con men; daring robbers and the dirty little thieves and pickpockets; the children of the darkness that disappear with the dawn and the honky tonks. You could paper the walls of your house with worthless oil stock all done up fancy with gold printing and red seals. Human life was cheap and murder was commonplace. None there is today who can say how many men were killed and where are buried the bones of the nameless ones. Decent women and children dared not leave the safe, the protecting walls of home.

Still the fabulous fortunes came and went by the minute, punctuated with greed, malice, and murder. Then, as in the last reel of a horse opera, then came the Texas Rangers. Captain Gonzales brought them in, and Frank Smith, former Ranger, was with them. They can tell you how they moved in and how they cleaned up. The scum "folded their tents like Arabs and silently stole away." New fields opened up: Borger—Ranger—Eastland. Those towns boomed too, but the wise guys say they were but imitations of the Burk Boom.

Meanwhile, the seemingly inexhaustible flow of oil eased off; the glitter of discovery had dimmed; the companies, the major companies, settled down on their haunches for the long pull and the steady grind of getting what was left. From a peak daily production value estimated in those days at a million and a quarter dollars, the value of the present output in the Burk area has shrunk to a paltry ten thousand dollars per day.

By and by, even the "filthy rich" moved away, most of them to Wichita Falls which bragged that Wichita was the City that Faith Built, when all the time everybody knew that Burkburnett oil had done it.

The mad orgy has long since ended; the nightmare is over.

Mesquite and range grass have reclaimed the rolling hills and valleys, hiding most of the scars left by the boom. Here and there, a protesting pumper well, Skreeking and straining against the sucker rods, stands like a forlorn monument to the once glorious and glamorous, the once sinful and sordid days of the Boom.

Now Burkburnett has tightened down to size and is once more a nice, average American town that bears acquaintance. From one end of town to the other, one can now walk secure in the knowledge that no one will cut his throat for a thin dime. On the contrary, the people of Burkburnett pride themselves on their uncommon friendliness. There are none too rich and few too poor to mar the over-all atmosphere of content and well-being.

Once a year, the citizens of Burkburnett break the traces to stage their justly famous Boom Town Celebration. The old magic shines again, and from all corners of the land the old-timers gather. They take their Boom Days' memories out of mothballs, meet and visit with friends and former neighbors, and turn out for the Celebration.

(Continued Next Week)

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the many friends, neighbors, Bro. Sam Reed of Electra, Loye C. Ruckman and friends and ladies of the Church of Christ, and the Owens and Brumley Funeral Home for the flowers, kindness and thoughtful acts at the reburial services of our loved one, Stanford McPherson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McPherson and Family. 50-1tp

James Thomas of Houston spent Saturday and Sunday with old friends here. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thomas, former Funeral Home owners here. His parents also live in Houston.

Mrs. Jack Harris of Los Angeles, California, arrived by plane Thursday night for a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Browning.

Dr. and Mrs. Carl Swisher and daughter Carolyn of Baltimore, Maryland, spent the 4th of July holiday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Reger. Dr. Swisher, a nephew of Mr. Reger, is associated with the Political Science department at Johns Hopkins University.

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Filters to Help Your Pictures

Of mine who has been taking pictures several years ago the other day with a camera. It seems he had read about long before and wanted to use a box camera. In fact, as some picture takers are using only box cameras as a choice of filters. A filter will make a picture good and one will make a picture better. Pictures taken on bright days in summer when the sky is decked with white clouds. It helps to darken the sky and get more contrast between sky and subject when taking landscapes and scenes. I have never tried a filter, but surely good days to try while there are numerous filters such as the Kodak K2 Filter is widely recommended for various types of pictures of various types. It's a good choice for a purpose filter.

And it's easy to use since it simply slips over the lens of your camera. Then you're ready to shoot. The only thing you need to remember is to increase your exposure because the filter cuts down on the blue light entering the camera, which builds up contrast between sky and clouds. So you must have a longer exposure to compensate for the fact that some light is blocked. With a medium yellow filter like the K2 Filter this simply means doubling your exposure, either by using a larger lens opening or a somewhat slower shutter speed. And, if you have a box camera with fixed speed and lens opening, you can still use the filter. It's simply a matter of loading a box camera with extra-fast film... your dealer can tell you about it... and shooting as usual. The speed of the film will balance the loss of light through the filter, to give a good negative. So don't, as my friend did, fail to discover the sparkle which filters can put in your pictures, simply because you feel that there isn't a filter of the right type for your camera. They come for all types of cameras. And you'll find that they can help improve almost all outdoor shots these fine summer days.

—John van Guilder

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: J. J. Holleman and the unknown wife of J. J. Holleman, if any, and the unknown heirs of J. J. Holleman, if any; Mrs. M. M. Taylor and the unknown husband of Mrs. M. M. Taylor and the unknown heirs and devisees of Mrs. M. M. Taylor, if any; of W. C. Miller and the unknown wife of W. C. Miller, if any, and the unknown heirs and devisees of W. C. Miller, if any; and of E. E. Strickland and the unknown wife, if any, of E. E. Strickland and the unknown heirs and devisees if any of E. E. Strickland; and of T. H. Williams and the unknown wife of T. H. Williams, if any, and the unknown heirs and devisees of T. H. Williams, if any; and of Loraine Walker and the unknown husband of Loraine Walker and the unknown heirs and devisees of Loraine Walker; and of Helen Caldwell Leach and husband J. D. Leach and any unknown husband, if any, of Helen Caldwell Leach and the unknown heirs and devisees, if any, of Helen Caldwell Leach; and of the unknown heirs and devisees, if any, of the spouses of the said J. J. Holleman, Mrs. M. M. Taylor, W. C. Miller, E. E. Strickland, T. H. Williams, Loraine Walker and Helen Caldwell Leach if any, Defendants;

W. BOLIN OIL & GAS SUB-DIVISION was ever filed of record in Wichita County, Texas. Plaintiffs further allege that a deed was made to A. H. BEVERING as Trustee covering an undivided 26 1/2 acre interest in the above described 65.72 acres; that A. H. Bevering has since died and it is alleged that the Third Group of Plaintiffs are now owners of this undivided interest; and that Fourth Group of Plaintiffs purchased certain lots in the G. W. Bolin Oil & Gas Subdivision, from G. W. Bolin and wife, Ella Bowlin, but do not have knowledge of the location of the respective lots.

PLAINTIFFS further allege that all Defendants have been nonresidents of the State for more than five years, have not paid any taxes on the undivided mineral interest; that said tract of land is owned by more than ten people; and that plaintiffs have made unsuccessful efforts to locate said defendants; and that their residences are unknown.

PLAINTIFFS further allege that the Second, Third and Fourth Groups of Plaintiffs own more than 90% of the total minerals under said tract.

Wherefore all plaintiffs pray that all defendants be cited in terms of law and that on final

hearing they have judgment decreeing Fourth Group of Plaintiffs and all Defendants be decreed undivided mineral ownership under the 65.72 acre tract described herein; and such interest determined; that a trustee be named, without bond, for the A. H. Bevering Trust covering 26 1/2 acres undivided interest in said herein described mineral tract; that in the alternative the undivided interest of each member of the Third Group of Plaintiffs herein be decreed in and to the 26 1/2 acre undivided mineral ownership in the 65.72 acre tract herein set out; that a Receiver be appointed by this court for all the undivided interests of the defendants in and to said minerals under the 65.72 acre tract herein set out; and that an oil and gas lease be made, upon terms fixed by the Court, Receiver be discharged and any future payments under such mineral lease for said Defendants be paid into the registry of this Court and impounded for the use and benefit of such Defendants; and for such other and further relief to which they may show themselves entitled.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The Officer executing this

process shall promptly execute the same according to law and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wichita Falls, Texas, this 1st day of July, A. D. 1949.

(SEAL)
GLENN HAYNES, Clerk,
30th District Court,
Wichita County, Texas
By Edna Criswell, Deputy
50-4tc

Visiting over the week end with Mrs. Linda Key and Elsie were Mrs. Key's nephew, Ky Hudgens, Mrs. Hudgens and Miss Jeanette Mabry from Anderson, S. C. Having never seen any horned toads, they gathered up quite a few to take back to South Carolina with them.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hageman and children of Pampa are visiting in the Jess Hageman home this week.

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Thursday Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, 8 P. M.
Friday Ladies' Missionary Council at 2 P. M.
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Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Landrum and Rickey and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Riddle and daughter spent the week end in El Paso, Juarez, Artesia and Cloud Cross New Mexico.



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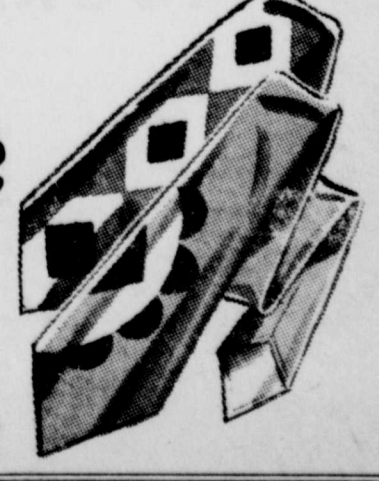


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Rev. spent the 4th of
July in the home of
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Falls.

ATTEND WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Riddle were in Fort Worth Monday to attend the wedding of Miss Flora Cummings of Fort Worth to Rev. Jess Moody of Waco. The ceremony was held at the South Side Baptist Church in Fort Worth. Rev. Moody is a nephew of Mrs. Riddle.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Counter, Jr., and Charles Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry McDonnell and Gary enjoyed a week end outing to Red River, New Mexico, and Canon City and other points in Colorado.

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Mrs. J. L. Smith Circle Hostess

Members of the Bagby Circle of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon, July 5 in the home of Mrs. J. L. Smith.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson brought the devotional from the 11th Chapter of Hebrew on "Faith." Mrs. Polson followed with prayer. Mrs. Jim Ady, circle chairman, conducted a brief business session at which time it was agreed to buy a Bible for the colored church.

Mrs. McMurtry gave the last portion of the book, "Pray Ye". Eight members were dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Ed Stevenson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rigby have returned from a two weeks vacation trip through the Ozarks and Great Smokies. They visited in nine states, including Arkansas, Tenn., and N. Carolina. They visited the Shiloh Battlefield near Jackson, Tenn. On their return trip they stopped in Grandview for a visit with Mrs. Rigby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Williams, and Mr. Rigby's brothers.

THE Church of Christ

Loye C. Ruckman, Minister
First and Ave. C.

SUNDAY—
Bible classes, 9:45 A. M.
Worship, 10:45 A. M.
Young People's classes, 7:00 P. M.

Worship, 8:00 P. M.
TUESDAY—Men's class, 8:00 P. M.

WEDNESDAY—Bible classes, 8:00 P. M.

THURSDAY—Ladies' Bible class, 9:30 A. M.
We cordially invite you to each of these services as we study the word of God. Our aim in every service is to do all the good we can. We know this can be accomplished only as a result of teaching the word of God without addition or subtraction.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Woods of Marietta, Georgia, Mrs. Louise Fletcher and son, also of Marietta, and Mrs. Ray Woods of Jacksboro, visited Mrs. J. B. Grace and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Reviver last Tuesday.

Rotary Meeting Well Attended

Approximately one hundred and fifty Rotarians and their wives attended the inter-city meeting of the Walters, Oklahoma and Burkburnett Clubs at the Town Hall here last Thursday evening.

President Walter Riley presided at the meeting. Virgil Brookshear welcomed the Walters Rotarians, after which Geo. Byerly introduced the Burkburnett and Wichita Falls visitors. Visiting Rotarians and their Anns from Walters were introduced by Sherb Fish of Walters. Rev. Herb Minga gave the invocation.

A general sing-song was directed by Carl Morrison, accompanied by the Club's Sweetheart, Bonnie Lahm at the piano. Miss Lahm also accompanied little Irma Ned Riley and Jimmy Holly in a song and dance routine. Dr. Philip Walker, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Denton, guest speaker for the evening, gave his famed talk on "Hound Dogs and Men."

Bill Todd, District Rotary Governor from Fort Worth was introduced.

THE NEW BIRTH

The clearest way by which to show what a person must do to be born of water and of the Spirit is undoubtedly to find a case in the New Testament of some who had been born again and then find out what they did to be born again. Now then, turn to I Cor. 4:15. Paul says to these Corinthians, "I have BEGOTTEN you through the gospel." The gospel Paul preached in Corinth and somewhere, somehow that caused them to be born again. What did they do? What was the process? Before trying to find out, let's see what Paul says about these Corinthians elsewhere. In I Cor. 1:2 the apostle calls them "the CHURCH OF GOD, to them that are SANCTIFIED IN CHRIST JESUS, CALLED TO BE SAINTS." Surely these people were converted or born again persons. Paul says that they were the "church of God." But, according to I Tim. 3:15 the church is the house or family of God. That being true, these in Corinth who were the Church of God were the family of God in that city. Since they were in the family of God, they were or had been born again.

Acts 18:1-18 give the record of Paul's trip to Corinth when he established the church in that city. Verse 11 says he preached the word of God to them. Now verse 8: "And many of the Corinthians HEARING, BELIEVED, AND WERE BAPTIZED." They heard the gospel; they believed the gospel, and were baptized in obedience to that gospel. This process Paul himself later referred to as the new birth. In this way he with the gospel had begotten them. If today you hear and believe that same gospel and obey it being baptized as were they, you are born again.

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Burkburnett, Texas



First Baptist Church

Lions Club

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Attendance was off slightly due to some members being away on vacation.

Pat Patterson and John Page had charge of the program. Patterson introduced Curtis Cook, editor of the Wichita Falls Record News, who brought a very interesting and informative talk on world conditions and what might be expected in the next year. He also touched briefly on Texas politics, local and state. Mr. Cook is one of the best informed men in this section of the South and his talks are always appreciated by Lions in Burkburnett.

Next week, J. L. Caffee, D. C. Dodson and C. O. Smith will install officers for the coming year.

The players' bench in baseball is called the dugout.

Nice Work - And Jimmy Gets It

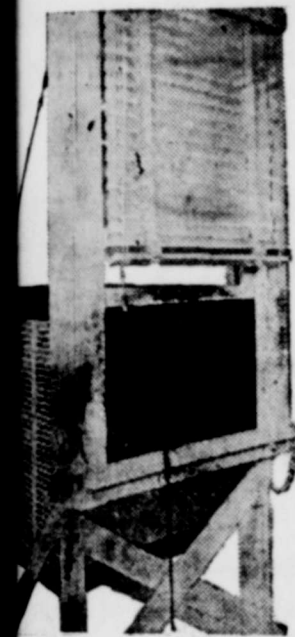
Joan Fontaine established a new record for screen osculation one day during the making of "You Gotta Be Happy." By actual count the blonde star was kissed 66 times, with Hollywood's most eligible bachelor, James Stewart, doing the kissing.

H. C. Potter, director of the new comedy which opens next Wednesday at the Palace Theatre, decided to combine all of the film's principal love scenes into a single day's shooting. Consequently the two stars spent almost the entire time kissing—hanging up the record number of 66 kisses by night fall.

"You Gotta Be Happy" is a Rampart Production presented by Universal-International. It was written and produced by Karl Tunberg.

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10:50 A. M. Morning Worship. Sermon: "I Will Arise and Go to My Father." A message straight from the Bible. Observance of Lord's Supper at this service.

7:00 P. M. Training Unions for all ages. Our church in training.

8:00 P. M. Evening Worship. Sermon: "Hearsay or Experience." A message that will bless the hearts of those who hear. Put the church in your plans for Sunday night and let's have a great crowd of people in this evangelistic service. The Young People's Choir will sing.

Wednesday 7:25 P. M. Officers and Teachers of Sunday School meet to study next Sunday's lesson. 8:00 P. M. Hour of Power Service; a time of prayer, praise and Bible study.

If you do not have a way to attend our services the church bus will furnish you free transportation. The bus makes a regular route for all regular services of the church. Our nursery is open for all regular services of the church. A capable attendant is in charge. This nursery is strictly sanitary and safe for the babies and small children.

Nicks' Convention

"Nick's Joint" is the center arena for all the happy goings-on in "The Time of Your Life," which comes to the Palace Theatre next Tuesday, Darto nite.

Nick, himself played by William Bendix, should therefore be a bartender's idol. And that could call for a convention of all local Nicks, be they cafe owners or restaurateurs, to elect Bill Bendix "The Nick Who Could Best Assure You The Time of Your Life."

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SAND FOR SALE--Sand Pit, 11 miles N. and 1 1-2 E. of Randlett, Okla. Good West Cache Creek Sand, on Jess Gillum place. Phone 449-M at Walters, Oklahoma. 50-1tp

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Martin went to College Station last week end. Mrs. Pug Robinson and baby who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Brookshear, returned with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hill visited Mr. and Mrs. Bolander in Wynnewood, Oklahoma, over the week end.

W. C. Vann spent Thursday in Chickasha, Oklahoma visiting with old time friends.

Martha Gail Parr spent the week end in Bryan, Texas, with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Winston Gilbert.

Kent Reger of Dallas spent the past week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Reger.

Mr and Mrs. Roy Spivey and family; Mr. and Mrs. Loy Teal and family; Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Maxwell and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shaffer and family, enjoyed a fishing trip to Graceland, Texas, over the 4th of July holiday. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nunn and Mrs. Tempie Arrington and Billie joined the party Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Stofor of Devol, Oklahoma, was a visitor in Burkburnett Wednesday.

Business Women Met With Mrs. Harris Tuesday

The Business Women's Circle met in the home of Mrs. A. C. Harris Tuesday evening for a Royal Service program and Bible study. The meeting was opened by all singing "Count Your Blessings" and was followed by prayer by Mrs. G. H. Cheny. The circle chairman, Mrs. Harry Mayes, conducted a short business meeting. It was voted to buy six large Bibles and give to the colored people's Baptist church. A report was made from a circle committee that \$5.00 had been sent to an old minister's widow at Graham.

Mrs. I. C. Evans gave the devotional after which Mesdames Frields and White presented interesting discussions on China and Japan.

Mrs. Thaxton led a Bible drill in the books of Job and Psalms. The meeting was dismissed in prayer by Mrs. A. C. Harris.

Those attending the meeting and enjoying refreshments were Mesdames Ralph White, W. A. Minick, C. B. Beldon, A. H. Lohoefer, R. P. Thaxton, A. C. Harris, Avon Frields, Harry Mayes, G. H. Cheny, B. L. Turner and I. C. Evans.

W. M. U. NOTICE

There will be an all day W. M. U. meeting at the First Baptist Church beginning at 10:30 A. M. Monday, July 11. This will also be a Royal Service program.

All ladies are urged to attend the all day meeting to be held at the Northside Church in Wichita Falls Tuesday. The guest speaker will be Mrs. Y. K. "Cherry" Chang, president of the China W. M. U.

Summer Home-Making Class Is Closed June 30th

The summer home-making class came to a close Thursday, June 30th. The girls met together once a week for the past month. For their group project they made improvements in the Home-making Department, such as making new curtains, painting canisters, and recovering the screen in the clothing lab. Each girl also carried on a project in her home. Some made clothing, some prepared foods, some helped with the family canning and many other useful things.

The girls closed their work with a picnic-swimming party at Medicine Park and Craterville, Oklahoma. They were accompanied by their sponsors, Mrs. Hendley and Mrs. Bruce. Those enrolled in the class were: Beverly Bruce, Charlene Clements, Anna Lois Giles, Betty Woods, Jackie Greenlee, Nathalie Foster, Bonnie Lahm, Patsy Lundberg, Mary Lou Rush, Elwanda Maxwell, and Elwanda Pruett. On the completion of their projects they will receive one-half credit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Horr attended funeral services for Mr. Horr's father in Joplin, Mo., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Archer spent the 4th of July week end in Kansas visiting Mrs. Archer's sister and family.

Central Christian Church

Dale M. Harter, Minister

Sunday, July 10, Bible school at 9:45 A. M. The material for this quarter's lessons is taken from the Psalms. Very helpful and constructive lessons are brought to all age groups. Come prepared this Sunday by studying Psalms 122 and 134.

Morning worship and communion service at 10:50 A. M. Sermon: "Experiencing Christian Love."

Evening service at 7:30 P. M. Last Sunday we were inspired by the lessons taught in the 23rd Psalm. Again this Sunday we will turn to the Psalms to learn from them the great wonders of God. The evening service will be from the 19th Psalm. The sermon will be entitled: "The Silent Testimonies of God."

Wednesday, July 13, a picnic will be held at the park for young married couples. The time, about 6:45. Friends and guests are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Poodle Hudson and Randall and Mrs. Williams visited Mrs. Hudson's sister, Mrs. Geo. Truett and family in Oklahoma City last week end.

MRS. BROOKOVER ENTERTAINS RIDDLE CIRCLE TUESDAY

The Riddle Circle of M. U. met in the home of C. F. Brookover Tuesday noon.

Mrs. Lee Willis, circle man, opened the meeting with prayer and conducted business meeting. She brought an inspiring Psalm, Mrs. B. L. Truett followed with prayer.

Mrs. Byron Presley, the second chapter of "Agree," later dismissed with prayer. Attending were Mrs. Minnie Todd, Lee Willis, Presley, B. L. Truett, Wood, J. M. Robinson, F. Brookover.

W. E. Andrews of Devol a Burk visitor Wednesday in town he dropped by to renew his subscription to the Star.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. and son Buster of Devol in the home of Mrs. field's sister, Mrs. Wiley ing last week.

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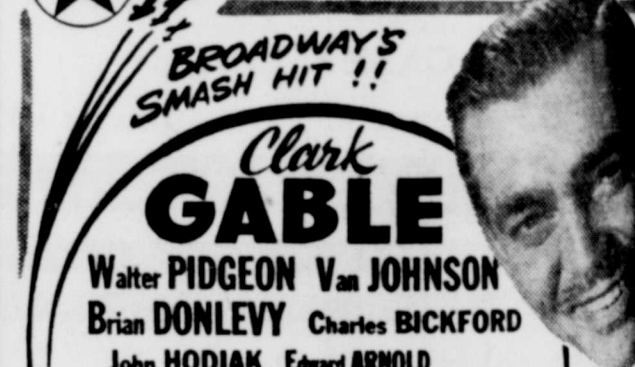
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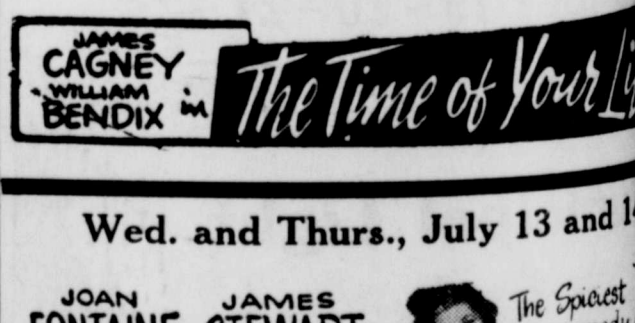
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