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Benjamin News

Miss Julia Propps, Wichita Falls, was the weekend visitor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Propps.

Mrs. Clarence Sims and Trudie Ann Mrs. Amelia Sams and A. B., all of Lubbock, visited relatives and friends in Benjamin, Sunday.

Miss Sylvia Hodanek spent the past weekend in Gilliland with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hodanek.

Mrs. H. T. Melton and Mary and Mrs. W. T. Ward and Billy were business visitors in Abilene, Friday.

Bill Crenshaw, Beaumont, is visiting relatives and friends in Benjamin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Atterbury, Knox City, and Miss Dorothy Perry, Washington, D. C., attended the Christian Church in Benjamin Sunday night. Miss Perry is a former resident of Benjamin.

Pvt. Roy Snody, Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio, has been visiting relatives and friends in Benjamin. Pvt. Snody returned to camp Tuesday.

Major Walter W. Rice, Mrs. Rice and Martha Elizabeth were through Benjamin Monday enroute to Fort Sill Oklahoma.

Pvt. E. A. Darwin, Camp Barkeley, visited with his wife and son over the weekend.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Sunday, June 4, a birthday party and luncheon was held in honor of the birthdays of Miss Zola Mae Burnett and Johnnie McNellie, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. McNellie.

Starting in the early afternoon, the party lasted until midnight. Twelve guests attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Lynwood Wilcox, Elvin Mincey, Donald Mincey, Velma Paul, Eugene McNellie, Roger McNellie, Billy Wilcox, Zola Mae Barnett, Johnnie McNellie, Travis Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. McNellie and Louise.

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Locals

Mrs. J. L. Davis recently returned from Alpine where she has been visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Sgt. and Mrs. Thomas Bivins. They returned with her and visited until today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bruce and daughter spent Sunday visiting relatives around Stamford and Anson and attending an all-day meeting at the Swanee Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Armstrong of Fieldton visited the Geo. Stubbs over the weekend and attended the ex-graduates meeting Sunday.

Mrs. Lily Little of Fort Worth, Miss Dorothy Perry of Washington, D. C., and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reeves of Munday, all sisters, attended the Alumni meeting here June 4.

Miss Dorothy Perry of Washington, D. C., is visiting in the J. H. Atterbury home this week.

Mrs. Mary Reeder Vaughn of Fort Worth and Mrs. Willie Shaw of Abilene were guests of Mrs. Mabel Pyeatt and attended the ex-grads meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Evans a n d daughter, Betty Jo, of Electra, spent Sunday here attending the Alumni meeting.

O. A. Roberts of Duncan, Oklahoma spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Park and attending the Alumni meeting. Mrs. Roberts was unable to attend on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Nix of Amarillo, Mrs. Herschel Lyles of Cloco and Mrs. Sam Pfriemmer of Phillips were guests in the G. D. Hardberger home and attended the ex-graduates meeting.

Mrs. R. L. Clinton of Putnam spent several days here with her father, E. L. Park and her sister, Mrs. Neil Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. Irmon Messer of Quannah attended the Alumni Association meeting and visited her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ferguson spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam FAVOR. Mr. and Mrs. Vance FAVOR also visited them and attended the ex-grad meeting.

Mrs. J. H. Culwell of Abilene was here for the Knox City Alumni meeting.

Sam Thomas a n d Bob Edwards, sons of Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Edwards, are attending summer school at Abilene Christian College.

Mrs. T. S. Edwards visited her sister Mrs. Clinton Bailey in Wichita Falls. Mrs. Bailey is showing some improvement in her recent illness.

Mrs. H. K. Paul a n d daughter Eleanor Lee, of Port Lavaca, arrived Wednesday for a visit with the C. M. Pauls and with her parents at Rochester.

Mrs. T. C. Stinson and daughter of Paducah spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McGee.

Mrs. J. W. Tankersley a n d Mrs. C. W. Stephens, Wynelle and Peggy Ruth, attended the District Fellowship meeting at Weibert Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olga Poole and daughter, Flora Mae, of Rochester, visited the J. W. Tankersleys.

Mrs. Russell Boyd and her sister, Miss Carlye Mae Wallace of Canton, left today for a months stay in Santa Fe, N. Mex.

It seems that Leroy Stubbs turned into quite a paper salesman Sunday evening, according to Mrs. Otto Lawson. To date we have no report on how Mondell Mill's sales went.

Mrs. Mabel Pyeatt left this morning for Austin to spend her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Everett Kelly. We are glad to report W. H. Benedict is able to be up after his fall on the postoffice steps Wednesday morning.

Mrs. E. H. Wilson and children of Big Spring spent the past weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George F. Stubbs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Armstrong and son of Fieldton have been visiting the George Stubbs and attended the annual graduates meeting Sunday.

Mrs. Byron Glet, Mrs. Will O'Brien and Mrs. Suzie Durham of Amarillo visited from Mond. to Wednesday with the O. L. Jamisons Mrs. R. B. Stewart of Albuquerque arrived today to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Jamison.

Cpl. and Mrs. Thos. Adrain West of Port Reno, Oklahoma, are in Benjamin at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. R. West. Cpl. West returned home to attend the funeral of his grandfather, John W. West.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our neighbors and friends for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our dear beloved wife and mother, May God's richest blessings rest on each of you.

D. J. Smith and children,
A. J. Smith and family,
Mrs. J. W. Sherrill

Period furniture is considered very fine, and we also need more period speakers, who come to a full stop at the proper time.

Needmore-Hutto

The Hutto ball team played Rochester again last Sunday at Rochester. Hutto was victorious again, 10 to 4.

The Hutto team is going to think they are good if someone doesn't step n and give them some more competition.

Mr. and Mrs. David Cummings and family moved to town last week. We will miss them from our community.

Some of the farmers went in and gave Gentry Day a days work Monday as he is still not able to work since his operation.

The ladies quilting met last week with Mrs. S. S. Dozier. Four quilts were finished.

S. S. Dozier and son Bud spent last Thursday night with Lonzo Poe and son on Lake Kemp fishing Mrs. Dozier and Mrs. Poe and daughters and Jean Oliver went there Friday and spent the day. They reported a nice time and the girls got a fine sun tan.

Miss Leona Rabie and Misses Mary Lou and Edith Poe are visiting in Amarillo.

OUTLOOK BRIGHTER FOR FARM MACHINERY

Farm machinery production schedules for 1944 will be realized, with the exception of certain items - notably some harvesting and haying equipment - members of the Farm Machinery and Equipment Industry Advisory Committee have assured the War Production Board.

The current scheduled production period ending June 30, is expected to see the industry producing a total dollar volume of new machinery and repair parts substantially equal to the best pre-war year's business of \$624,000,000 (wholesale), reached in 1941, industry representatives said. The 1945 schedule calls for a total quantity of controlled materials about the same as in the current production year, according to WFB officials.

WFB officials told the industry representatives that materials in short supply, including lumber, chain, automotive, components and malleables, may have some influence on the next years production program. Manpower also is expected to have a direct bearing on the final amount of farm machinery produced for 1945 farming season.

The words "martial" and "marital" are often confused. As "martial" means something relating to war, a few cynics say they are about the same thing.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their kind words, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings sent during the illness and death of our husband and father, John W. West.

Mrs. John W. West,
Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hamilton,
Mr. and Mrs. Tom West,
Mr. and Mrs. Jessie West,
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tucker,
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Mr. and Mrs. George West,
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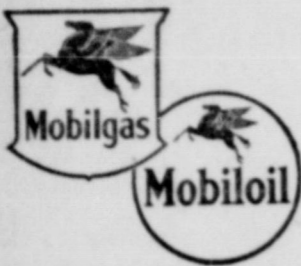
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Emphasizing the urgent wartime need for maximum production of vegetable oils, C. D. Walker, Director of the Southern Region, Agricultural Adjustment Agency, recently announced the results of a survey which indicated greater production of oil per acre from peanuts than from cotton on Texas farms producing both crops in 1942.

"The results of the survey back up the judgment of the State groups who set a 1944 goal of 1,315,000 acres in peanuts grown alone for Texas. This goal is 10 per cent more than the 1942 acreage for this crop," Mr. Walker said.

He explained that total requirements for fats and oils from the U. S. have increased tremendously to meet the needs of American armed forces, civilians, and lend-lease. These needs are sure to grow greater when our armies invade the continent of Europe and liberate undernourished people from Axis tyranny.

The study of Texas farms was made by the War Food Administration to determine which of the two crops will produce more oil per acre under Texas conditions. The survey covered 4,196 Texas farms in representative areas of the State growing both crops in 1942.

Peanuts led in the production of oil per acre on 92 percent of the survey farms, and on the average, produced nearly six times as much oil per acre as did cottonseed. The average oil yield of cottonseed ranged from a high of 70 pounds per acre for Wilbarger County to a low of 14 pounds for each of the three counties studied in the Rio Grande Plain. Oil yields of peanuts ranged from a high average of 258 pounds per acre in Lamb County to a low of 47 pounds in Starr County.

In the High Plains, where the average oil yield per acre from cottonseed was the highest in the survey, peanuts produced 1.8 times as much oil per acre. However, in Lamb County, within this area, 98 percent of the survey farms produced more oil per acre from peanuts, and peanuts yielded six times as much oil per acre as did cottonseed.

Peanuts showed up best on a percentage basis in the Rio Grande Plain in the production of oil per acre, outstripping cottonseed 10 to 1. In Atascosa County, the peanut oil yield per acre was 11 times that for cottonseed, peanuts outproducing cottonseed in oil yields per acre on every survey farm.

On the Edwards Plateau, where cottonseed oil yields were relatively low, peanuts produced over 7 times as much oil per acre as did cottonseed, and peanut oil yields were seven percent above the State average for the



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survey farms. In Gillespie County, the peanut oil yields per acre averaged 7.4 times the cottonseed yields. Ninety-eight percent of the survey farms in this area produced more oil per acre from peanuts.

In the Rolling Plains, 92 percent of the survey farms produced more oil per acre from peanuts. On the average for this area, peanuts produced 3.8 times as much oil per acre as did cottonseed. In Wilbarger County, cottonseed oil yields per acre were the highest for that crop in any of the counties studied. However, peanuts produced 2.2 times as much oil per acre even here.

In the Cross Timbers area, oil yield per acre from peanuts was 7 times that from cottonseed. Oil yields per acre from cottonseed were relatively low in this area, while the oil yields per acre for peanuts were 8.5 percent above the State average of the survey farms. In Comanche County, peanuts produced more oil per acre on every survey farm.

In Bosque County, the only Grand Prairie county included in the survey, peanuts produced 4.2 times as much oil per acre as did cottonseed. Ninety-two percent of the survey farms produced more oil per acre from peanuts than from cottonseed.

In the Coastal Plains, cottonseed made its best showing with 11 percent of the survey farms producing more oil per acre from this crop. But even here, peanuts produced 4.4 times as much oil per acre on the average as did cottonseed.

In Grayson County the oil yield per acre from peanuts was 5.7 times that from cottonseed and all of the survey farms in this county produced more oil per acre from peanuts.

In only 8 of the 29 counties studied did the peanut oil yield fall below 100 pounds per acre: the average for all counties included in the survey was 141 pounds. The average oil yield from cottonseed was 24 pounds per acre.

Prayer Meeting Death Notice

"Mrs. Prayer Meeting died recently at the First Neglected Church, on Worldly Avenue. Born many years ago in the midst of great revivals, she was a strong, healthy child, fed largely on testimony and scriptural holiness, soon growing into world-wide prominence, and was one of the most influential members of the famous church family.

"For the past several years Sister Prayer Meeting has been in failing health, gradually wasting away until rendered helpless by stiffness of knees, coldness of heart, inactivity, and weakness of purpose and will-power. At the last she was but a shadow of her former happy life. Her last whispered words were inquiries concerning the strange absence of her loved ones, now absent from her presence, busy in the marts of trade and places of worldly amusement. Her older brother, Brother Classmeeting, has been dead for many years.

Experts, including Dr. Works, Dr. Bleform, and Dr. Joiner, disagreed as to the cause of her fatal illness, administering large doses of organization, socials, contests and drives, but to no avail. A post-mortem showed that a deficiency of spiritual food, coupled with lack of fasting, faith, heartfelt religion, shameless desertion, and non-support, were contributing factors.

Only a few were present at her death, sobbing over memories of her past beauty and power. Carefully selected pallbearers were urged to tenderly bear her remains away but failed to appear. There were no flowers. Her favorite hymns, 'Amazing Grace' and 'Rock of Ages', were not sung. Miss Ina Modern rendered 'Beautiful Isle of Somewhere', but none had any idea where this fancied isle might be. The body rests in the beautiful cemetery of Bygone Glories, awaiting the summons from above.

"In honor of her going, the church doors will be closed on Wednesday nights save on the third Wednesday of each month, when the Ladies' Pink Lemonade Society serves refreshments to the members of the men's handball team."—From Southern Presbyterian Journal.

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WANT ADS

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FOR SALE—An International Cream Separator and two cream cans. Slightly used. See J. W. Tankersley.

FOR SALE—One 4-wheel trailer with a good grain bed. See T. A. Stogner.

WANT TO BUY—Good used piano. See Mrs. O. W. Causey or Mrs. J. T. May.

WANT TO BUY—One-third hp motor. See J. H. McGee.

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8:30 p. m.—Evening Worship

Monday:
3:00 P. M.—Woman's Society of Christian Service.

Wednesday:
7:00 P. M.—Westyan Service Guild.

First Christian Church

Sunday School—10:00 A. M.
J. H. Atterbury, Supt.
Communion—11:00 A. M.
Church—11:15 A. M., first Sunday every month.
Vesper Service—5:00 P. M., first Sunday every month.
Rev. J. T. McKiasiek of Abilene conducts services first Sunday of month.

First Baptist Church
Rev. J. S. Tierce, Pastor

Phone 2821

Sunday:
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
8:15 p. m.—Training Union
8:45 p. m.—Evening Worship

Wednesday:
8:45 p. m.—Prayer Service and Bible Study.

Church of Christ

J. Cleo Scott, Minister
Sunday Morning Bible Study, 10:30 o'clock
Preaching and Communion, 11:30 o'clock
Sunday Evening Service—5:00 P. M.
Ladies Bible Class, Monday, 3 p. m.

Foursquare Church

Rev. Joseph T. Hall, Pastor
Sunday School, 10:30 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11:15 A. M.
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Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 8:00 P. M.
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