

RIISING STAR'S STOP AND GO LIGHT AGAIN BREAKS INTO PRINT

Rising Star's traffic light broke into print of most Texas daily newspapers Tuesday, when the Associated Press syndicated the following item:

Rising Star considers seriously its only traffic light. The Rising Star fire truck dashed to a flame Monday. Just as it reached the intersection of the town's business street, the light switched from green to red. The truck driver ground to a stop. When the light changed it dashed on.

SABANNO

Rev. Ivy filled his appointment at the Baptist church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bowin and son, Junior, of Parks Camp spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Seogins and family. Mrs. Bowin is Mr. Seogins's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill had as guests over the week end Mr. Hill's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Loy Hill and children of Meridian.

Louise and Annette Erwin spent Saturday night with Katharine Hall of Cross Plains.

J. S. Welby visited friends and relatives in Nugent over the week end.

Billie Porter spent Saturday night with Myrtha Westerman.

Mrs. Guy Westerman and children visited Mrs. Ruby Harris and children Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Seogins and children, Juanita, Janell, Ray, Louise, and Yvonne, of Electra visited Mr. and Mrs. Otto Seogins and children Sunday. Mrs. Seogins returned home by Electra, with them, after a two weeks visit with relatives.

Mrs. H. T. Porter and child visited relatives in Coleman Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. M. McCann and Miss McCann visited relatives in Angelo over the week end.

Pauline McCann, Myrtha Westerman and Blasi Lusk were day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Porter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Lawson and family had as their guests Tuesday Mrs. Herbert Henry and baby, Anita, Mrs. Dora Thomson and Mr. Frank Lawson, of Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dill, of Burkett, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sims.

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Without offense to friends or foes we sketch Cross Plains exactly as it goes.

Vol. 28 CROSS PLAINS, TEXAS

MOVE TO HALT PARALYSIS EPIDEMIC

Home Town Gossip

We've often heard of the weathering hot enough to fry an egg. It was just that warm in Cross Plains Wednesday afternoon; that if you like them just a bit soft.

According to Jim Settle's barometer Wednesday was the hottest of 1937.

We have many more days as the past few, this columnists to go on record in favor of the and sleeveless shirts. Few else it would cause a few to see the dimpled knaves of local business men on parade.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hornsby of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ramsey of Putnam; Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Burton, Pioneer, Rev. and Mrs. Ross Respass and daughter of Cottonwood, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brock and family, Eula; Mrs. J. C. Huntington and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Smith and family of Cross Plains; Mrs. Clara Huntington and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hart of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. John Fore, Pioneer; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Coats of Admiral; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson and daughters, Edd Wallace, Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, and A. J. Arvin of Cottonwood. Mr. Arvin is 82 years of age and brought his horse which is about 30 years old to this celebration. There were 74 people at the occasion.

Cottonwood Couple Still In Love And Happy After 42 Years Of Married Life

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With Clean Cemetery And Money In Bank Committee Withdraws; Successors Named

With a thoroughly clean cemetery and money in the bank, management of the Cross Plains Cemetery Association passes into new hands this week. Terms of C. S. Martin, chairman, E. C. Neash, Mrs. Leah Boden and Nat Williams, expired August first. Successors to this group are: Harvey Vestal, chairman, Mrs. S. M. Blatt, treasurer, J. A. Barr, John Baum and O. T. Laws.

ODIS ECHOLS WILL CONDUCT SING-SONG AT BURKETT SUNDAY

Odus Echols, Abilene voice teacher, who led a concert of music at the Baptist Tabernacle in Cross Plains last Sunday afternoon will be at the Tabernacle in Burkett next Sunday, August eighth at 2:30 to lead a similar program of music. Several assistants will accompany him. Mr. Echols is a singer and teacher of music of exceptional ability and popularity. The public is invited to hear him at Burkett next Sunday. Those interested in a school of music are urged especially to be present next Sunday afternoon to consider plans for a singing school at Burkett taught by Mr. Echols.

JIM UNDERWOOD BUYS OUT HELEN LASATER

Helen Lasater sold his interest in the Underwood and Lasater grocery store here this week to Jim Underwood. Mr. and Mrs. Lasater left Tuesday afternoon for Gorman where they will make their home on a farm.

Mr. Underwood is now sole owner of the firm, the Review was told.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerald Smith and children returned to their home in Madera, California, Wednesday after a visit of two weeks with friends and relatives in Cross Plains. Mr. Smith, who formerly operated a wrecking company here, has a tire and auto accessory store in Madera.

Mrs. W. A. Eckelbarger, of Bolivar, New York, is due to arrive here this week end for a visit of several days in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. A. Beavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Williams and family moved last week to Baird, where he has assumed duties as Superintendent of schools.

Mrs. W. A. Williams has as her guest here this week her niece of Big Spring.

Eli Neeb, of Abilene, visited in the home of his mother Mrs. Bill Neeb here Tuesday night.

Gene Adams spent the week end in Dallas.

Billie Mae and B. W. Adams were Fort Worth visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sims were in Fort Worth Sunday afternoon. While there they attended a Texas league baseball game between Fort Worth and Galveston in which the latter was victorious 10 to two.

Ray Westerman, of San Francisco, California, visited his father Sam Westerman and other relatives here this week. Ray left Cross Plains in 1924 and had not been back until he arrived this week.

Mrs. T. M. Mitchell of Hamilton and her sister, Mrs. W. C. Thomas of the Methodist Orphans home at Waco, are visiting Mrs. A. J. Mathis this week.

C. R. Cook left Wednesday to join a party from Putnam enroute to the Devils River for a fishing and camping trip.

F. R. Anderson was in Brady last week.

SEPTEMBER 13 SET AS DATE TO OPEN SCHOOL THIS FALL

Burnt Branch School Transfer Is Satisfactorily Worked Out; Caddo Peak District Released.

September 13 was designated as opening day for the 1937-38 school term in Cross Plains by the board of trustees in regular session Monday night.

A contract was also definitely oked at the meeting creating the transfer of Burnt Branch school to Cross Plains. C. S. Martin, principal of the Burnt Branch school, was elected to the local faculty. 40 scholars will be added to the Cross Plains system as a result of the transfer.

Trustees voted unanimously to release Caddo Peak from a recent transfer to Cross Plains, in order to permit the institution to merge with Cottonwood school.

With the opening of school here only five weeks in the offing, trustees are ironing out details for opening of the term. Two teachers are yet to be named, however, this is expected to be done within the next few days, the Review was told yesterday by Lewis C. Norman, Superintendent.

Contracts of two bus drivers were approved at the meeting of the Board Monday night. They were that of O. T. Laws and W. E. Lusk. That of M. E. Howell is yet to be arranged, due to the fact that arrangements must be made to transport Burnt Branch students in addition to the already capacity load which Howell hauled from that vicinity.

"Slim McNeel" Is Burned When Plane Bursts Into Flame

Ralph (Slim) McNeel, Cross Plains oil man, is in a Ranger hospital suffering with burns about the face and hands sustained in an airplane mishap Wednesday afternoon.

McNeel and Ralph Carnes, former Cross Plains grocerman, were taking off in the latter's ship and were about 50 feet off the ground when the craft burst into flames. Carnes was able to land the machine safely, however, not until McNeel had received painful burns. The ship was demolished by flames.

Reports from Ranger at present time Thursday were that McNeel is not dangerously burned, however, his injuries are said to be extremely painful.

11 POUND BABY GIRL BORN HERE TUESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fore, who live one mile East of town, are parents of a 11 pound baby girl born Tuesday morning. The child has been named Robbie Nell. The attending physician reports both mother and child doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Stone, and daughters, of Talpa, visited in the home of Mrs. C. D. Stone in Cross Plains this week.

Rev. V. W. Tatum, pastor of the local Baptist church, leaves this week end to conduct a 10 day revival meeting at Pueblo.

Mrs. W. A. McGowan and Mrs. Eula Homer returned Sunday from West Texas, where they visited several days.

Mrs. H. A. Young visited Mrs. D. C. Pratt in Brownwood Tuesday. Mrs. Pratt is convalescing after undergoing a major operation.

Mrs. M. E. Wakefield and sister, of Brownwood, visited friends in Cross Plains Friday afternoon.

Deaths From Disease At Scranton Cause Officials To Issue Sanitation Edict

FOUR DEATHS FROM INFANTILE PARALYSIS AT SCRANTON CAUSED CALLAHAN AND EASTLAND COUNTY HEALTH OFFICERS THIS WEEK TO ISSUE SANITATION EDICTS AND WARN PARENTS AGAINST PERMITTING CHILDREN TO CONGREGATE.

DISINFECTED AIR BEING USED HERE TO PREVENT POLIO

To safeguard children against the possibility of contracting infantile paralysis, W. A. Beavers, manager of the Liberty theatre here, told the Review yesterday that disinfected air is now being circulated at the local theatre during each performance.

"The building has a capacity of 30,000 cubic feet of air and 90,000 cubic feet of disinfected air is being forced through the building each minute, insuring a change every 20 seconds," Mr. Beavers said.

The air is forced into the building by large fans, coming across a tank of water into which has been poured oil of pine as a disinfectant.

SPECIAL NURSE IS SENT TO SCRANTON

A special nurse will be hired to aid in the campaign to prevent further spread of infantile paralysis at Scranton, health officers said yesterday.

The disease, which has claimed four lives within two weeks, is believed under control, however, with three patients apparently recovering and no new cases reported.

Duty of the nurse will be to see that the three families under quarantine are supplied with food and their mail and to direct nursing under quarantine are the Robert Cozarts, who have three children.

In addition to the cases of infantile paralysis at Scranton, one is reported by Dr. F. T. Isbell, Eastland county health officer, six miles from Eastland and another isolated case near Ranger.

Golf Match Ends In Tie; 28 More Enter Play-Off Clash

A golf match between members of Philpeco country club in which sides were drawn by Rising Star and Cross Plains newspapers, ended in a five all tie Tuesday afternoon. A play-off was readily agreed upon and 28 new entries were included in the revised pairings.

Play is in the form of Scotch forewoms, with a man and a woman for each side playing a single ball. Matches must have been played by Tuesday afternoon, August 10. The losing side is to face the victors with an ice cream party at the clubhouse lawn sometime this month.

Pairings for the play-off are as follows, with first named couples being members of the Review team and second named couples being members of the Record's:

- J. T. Hammett and Mrs. Claude Hammett vs Alva Harrell and Mrs. W. A. Tunnell. W. A. Tunnell and Mrs. Floyd Joyce vs Fred Tunnell and Miss Vivian Johnson. Jay Koonce and Mrs. W. E. Tyler vs J. W. Thornton and Mrs. Dan Johnson. W. S. Ramsey and Mrs. J. W. Thornton vs Claude Hammett and Mrs. Edwin Baum. W. E. Tyler and Mrs. Jake Dupree vs Jake Dupree and Mrs. Cody Thomas. Floyd Joyce and Mrs. Alva Harrell vs Cody Thomas and Mrs. Bernal Hickman. Edwin Baum and Mrs. Jack Scott vs Russle Guest and Miss Jimmie Barton. Jack Scott and Mrs. C. R. Cook vs V. A. Underwood and Mrs. Russle Guest. Dan Johnson and Miss Beatrice Morgan vs Bernal Hickman and Mrs. W. S. Ramsey. T. S. Holden and Miss Chambers vs Tom Koonce and Miss Long. Sam Milwice and daughter vs W. A. Wright and daughter. R. Elliott Bryant and Miss Rosalie Cutbirth vs Loery Horton and partner. Fred Cook and Mrs. Curt Smith vs Curt Smith and Mrs. Fred Cook. Mr. and Mrs. Forler J. Davis vs Dr. J. H. McGowan and Mrs. Fred Cutbirth. L. C. Cash and Mrs. W. A. Beavers vs W. A. Beavers and Mrs. L. C. Cash. Bill Barton and partner vs Jack Gibson and partner. C. W. Kemper and Mrs. V. A. Underwood vs Lane Wells and partner. The match was originally scheduled to have been completed this week but a five all tie necessitated the play off. Results of those played in the first encounter appear hereunder. J. T. Hammett and Mrs. Claude Hammett beat Alva Harrell and Mrs. W. A. Tunnell one up. W. A. Tunnell and Mrs. J. W. Thornton lost to Fred Tunnell and Miss Vivian Johnson four and two. Jay Koonce and Mrs. W. E. Tyler were defeated by J. W. Thornton and Mrs. Dan Johnson, three and two. W. S. Ramsey and Mrs. Floyd Joyce lost to Claude Hammett and Mrs. Edwin Baum, three and one. W. E. Tyler and Mrs. Jake Dupree (Continued on page 6)

USED TANKS FOR SALE

1-8 hbl corrugated tank for \$20.00
1-8 hbl plain tank for 6.50
1-12 hbl Stock tank for 7.50
all reconditioned.

J. E. HENKEL
Second Hand Furniture Store
and Tin Shop.
Cross Plains, -:- Texas

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of Baird visited here Monday.

Your friends dare not say so but
your sore gums and foul breath
ter. LETO'S PYORRHEA REMEDY
heals worst cases if used as
directed. It is sold on a money
back guarantee. City Drug Store

I WANT TO TRADE:
1 good pony disc.
1 4 wheel trailer.
1 walking lister.
1 turning plow.
I need a good harrow or what
have you?

Alvah Allen, (21p)
1 Mile East of Cross Pl.

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A PRODUCTION YOU WILL NEVER FORGET.



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AUGUST 18-19-20
MATINEE and NIGHT

Used Car & Truck
BARGAINS

Table listing various cars and trucks with prices, including Chevrolet Coupe, Ford Tudor, Buick Sedan, etc.

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We have secured a government permit to dispense beer.
THE OLD OAKEN BUCKET Tom Minton Station
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'THE REST OF THE RECORD'

BY JAMES V. ALLRED
Governor of Texas
AUSTIN—There are times when
every public official wishes he
could lay before the people all the
facts in a current controversy, so
that the people themselves might
judge whether his acts were just-
ified.

Several editor friends to whom
I made this comment have replied,
"Well, Jimmie, why don't you write
out those facts as you see them?"
So I have decided to do just that,
and take advantage of the gener-
osity of these editors by laying be-
fore their readers what I call "the
rest of the record." This is my
first try at it.

SCHOOL CRITICISM UNFAIR
It's a strange thing when public
officials are criticized for reducing
taxes—for reducing taxes without
detracting one iota from public
service. Yet, believe it or not, that
is exactly what is happening in the
current controversy over the state's
public school apportionment.

Every informed school official
knows that since I have been gov-
ernor, the schools have received
far more aid from the state than
ever before in the state's history.
I tell you flatly, that is not true.
At their best, these statements give
you but a part of the record. And
a very distorted part, at that.

RECORD FRIENDLY
For parents in general, who are
not apprised of the mechanics of
state aid, this explanation is in
order: The state helps support
schools through two means. First,
there is the available school fund,
which is divided among the dis-
tricts on the basis of registered
children of school age.

TAX REDUCTION STAND
Upon what are the critics basing
their charges? Well, here's how
it all happened:
The law says the per capita
shall be fixed by the State Board
of Education, on or before August
1st. At this time, the Comptroller
shall furnish the Board of Educa-
tion with an estimate of available
funds. The Board is then re-
quired to do a simple problem in
arithmetic—divide the total antici-
pated revenues by the total num-
ber of pupils—and the answer is
the per capita.

Now another law says that the
Automatic Tax Board, of which
Mr. Sheppard and I are members,
shall meet by July 20th and set a
property tax which will insure
enough anticipated revenues to pay
\$17.50 per capita.

But this year, for some mys-
terious reason, the Board of Educa-
tion met first, and presumed that
we would continue the 20 cent tax
regardless of need. Why they so
presumed is as deep a mystery as
why they met before they possibly

News of the People! Where They're Going and What They're Doing
Little Items About Local Celebrities At Work and Play, Pastimes and Fun

MRS. LLOYD BAUM IS HONORED AT SHOWER

Mmes. Arliss Webb, Lloyd Hend-
erson, and Curtis Strickland were
joint hostesses Saturday afternoon
when they complimented Mrs. Lloyd
Baum with a gift party at the
home of the latter.

Refreshments of angel food cake,
lemonade and blow gum were serv-
ed to the following: Betty Jean
Browning, Teddy McDermott, Emily
Gray McDermott, Maudie C. Edin-
gton, Katherine Anderson, Francis
Pierce, Jessie Ruth McAdams, Jerry
Angely, R. D. Coulter, Cecil Rud-
loff, Billy Wagner and Paul Smith.

TACKY PARTY SCENE OF E. E. THATE HOME

Miss Wynola Thate entertained
friends with a tacky party at her
home last Friday night.

SALLY QUILTERS MEET IN MRS. WRIGHT'S HOME
Members of the Sally quilt club
held their regular weekly meeting
at the home of Mrs. Everett Wright
on Thursday afternoon of last
week.

CLUB IS ENTERTAINED BY GENEVA ATKINSON

Miss Geneva Atkinson was host-
ess to the Delta Kappa club when
she entertained with two tables of
bridge at the home of Mrs. L. W.
Westerman Wednesday afternoon
of last week.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Some
registered White Leghorns. Also
Gray Games. Used harness and
guns. Try cash for used shoes.
Gautney's Shoe Shop. (11p)

SHOWER COMPLIMENTS MRS. FORTUNE THURM

Mrs. Paula Worthy, and
Russell Dennis were co-hostesses
Thursday afternoon of last week
when they honored Mrs. O. R.
Thurm with a miscellaneous shower
at the home of Mrs. John Barr.

At refreshment time a plate
punch and cookies was passed
the following: Mrs. Davis Mc-
gomery, Mrs. Tom Harris, Mrs.
Frank Taylor, Mrs. C. D. West-
erman, Mrs. Jack Atkins, Mrs.
Ernest Richardson, Mrs. Sam Barr,
Mrs. Pink Barr, Mrs. Alton Barr,
Mrs. Oren Barr, Mrs. S. P. Collins,
Mrs. Lloyd Montgomery, and Mrs.
Mrs. J. C. Garrett, Mrs. M.
Garrett, Mrs. Will Fortune, Mrs.
Nolan Duncan, Mrs. J. P. Mc-
Call, Mrs. Clara McCall, Mrs.
John Barr, the honoree and the
hostesses.

BURKETT BRIDGE SCENE OF CALHOUN REUNION

A reunion of the Calhoun family
was held beneath the shady grove
of the Burkett bridge in Burkett
Sunday.

At noon dinner was spread and
served to the following: Mr. and
Mrs. E. A. Calhoun and family, Mr
and Mrs. A. D. Calhoun, and fam-
ily of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs.
Owen Calhoun and family of Val-
dosta, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hedding and
family of Glen Cove, Mr. and Mrs.
Ernest Haney of Coleman, Mr. and
Mrs. Sam Duggins of Santa Anna
and Mrs. Carter Duggins and fam-
ily of Santa Anna; Mr. and Mrs.
Ira DuBois and family of Cole-
man, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Calhoun, of
Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall
Duggins of Santa Anna; Mrs.
Jannie Addison and children of
Jewwood, Mr. and Mrs. S. E.
Trubbs of Coleman; Mrs. Lara Mil-
ler of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest
Keller of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs.
Chester Fields of Coleman; Mr.
and Mrs. John Wagner of Burkett;
John Kille of Coleman, Jim
Feard of Goldsright, Mr. and Mrs.
Grady Holman of Valera; and
Andrews, Bud Grisham, O. C.
Grisham, Yon Grisham, and Wil-
ford Cokerin all of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lunsford, of
Weslaco, were visitors in the H. H.
Nash home, Tuesday.

could know what the revenues
would be—for they couldn't know
until after the tax board met. With
the 20 cent tax rate, they could
make a per capita apportionment
of \$22, or expressed another way,
an increase of \$4,680,000 over last
year.

I firmly believe that certain
people thought they saw a way to
tip the hands of the Tax Board and
win. Mr. Sheppard and me in-
yield to political expediency at the
expense of the taxpayers—who cer-
tainly ought to be entitled to some
consideration. Everybody knows
how burdensome real estate taxes
have become.

The Government of Mexico has
invited Mrs. Allred and me to visit
that country. We are leaving Sun-
day, August 1, by train, and next
week I hope to have something in-
teresting to tell you about our
neighbors. This will be our first
real vacation and we are looking
forward to a lot of sightseeing.



THE BEDSTEAD IS THE OLDEST
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KNOWN TO
MAN

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now on sale. Beautiful patterns. Buy now, for
later. All new patterns, also whites, only.

\$1.65
\$2.00 Pajamas, reduced to \$1.65



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Sale of Mansco shorts
and shirts. Regular \$5c
values, now
45c
Men's
Straw
HATS
FINAL CLEARANCE
Every Hat in Stock Has
Been Reduced—Take
Your Choice at
\$1.00

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CROSS PLAINS, -:- TEXAS

It may be "strange but
true" that the bed is the
oldest piece of furniture, but it
is a common and accepted
fact that Manhattan Shirts
and Pajamas are the best-
and are the best known. It
is true that they will not
stretch, they have a fast color
and are long wearing.

Mansco shirts and shorts
will please you, too. If you
are not already a Mansco
wearer, change today. You
will like these long-lasting
under-garments. Made by
Manhattan.



MANSO
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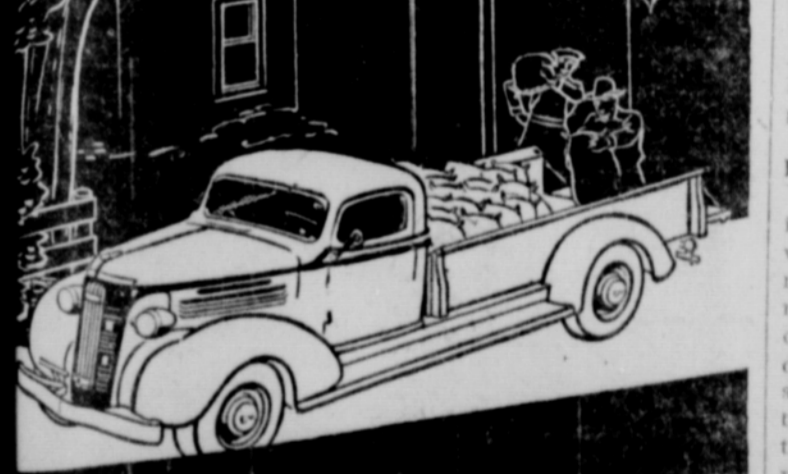
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Local Happenings
A. C. Boud, Mrs. Lein Blount and
Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Merkel are
guests the past week end of Mr.
and Mrs. L. M. Bond.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox and daugh-
ter attended a family reunion in
Comanche Tuesday and Wednes-
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Mrs. Marie Sindorf returned to
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a weeks visit here with Mrs. Walter
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Rev. and Mrs. O. L. Dennis and
family of New Mexico, are visiting
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Adams, here this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Glover, of
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FRIDAY, AUGUST 6, 1937

What They're Doing
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SHOWER COMPLIMENTS
MRS. FORTUNE THURMAN

Mrs. Ponia Worthy, and Mrs. Russell Dennis were co-hostesses Thursday afternoon of last week when they honored Mrs. O. B. Fortune with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. John Barr.

As guests entered the living room they were asked to register in a book, which had been prepared for the honoree.

At refreshment time a plate punch and cookies was passed the following: Mrs. Davis Montgomery, Mrs. Tom Harris, Frank Taylor, Mrs. C. D. Westman, Mrs. Jack Atkins, Mrs. Richard Richardson, Mrs. Sam Barr, Pink Barr, Mrs. Alton Barr, Mrs. Oren Barr, Mrs. S. P. Collins, Lloyd Montgomery, and Mrs. J. C. Garrett, Mrs. M. Garrett, Mrs. Will Fortune, Nolan Duncan, Mrs. J. P. McNeil, Mrs. Charlie Barr, Mrs. Doris Barr, Mrs. Drew Hill, Mrs. Bob Ougham, Mrs. Olan Montgomery, Mrs. Bill Wagner, Mrs. Don Call, Mrs. Carl McCall, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Payton Smith, John Barr, the honoree and the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Bo Roberts of Dallas New Mexico visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Atwood over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brooks and family of Breckenridge were visiting in the home of his father here past week.

Miss S. V. Webb left Saturday for a week's visit with relatives in Dallas, New Mexico.

Miss Virginia Williamson, of Santa Falls is the guest of Miss Taylor this week.

Miss Sam Windham, of near by visited Mrs. Volly Joe Williams this week.

Miss Webb of West Texas visited relatives and friends here this week.

A Montgomery of West Texas visited his family here past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lunsford, of Dallas, were visitors in the H. H. home, Tuesday.

It may be "strange but true" that the bed is the oldest piece of furniture, but it is a common and accepted fact that Manhattan Shirts and Pajamas are the best—and are the best known. It is true that they will not shrink, they have a fast color and are long wearing.

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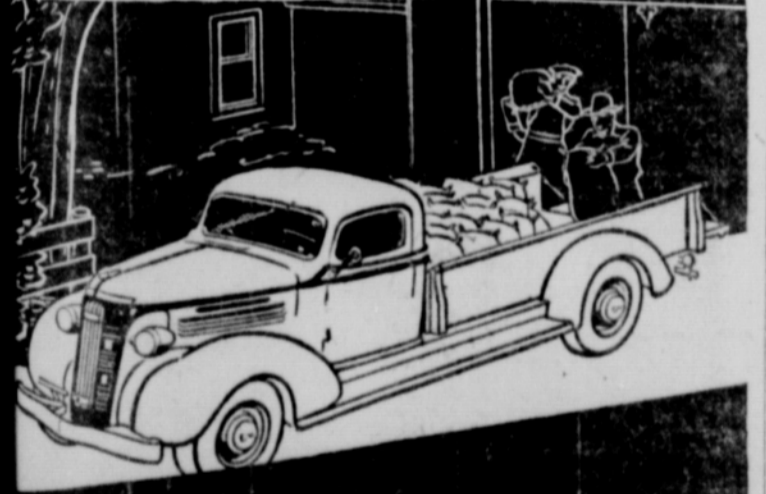
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WASHINGTON NEWS

FROM CONGRESSMAN
CLYDE L. GARRETT

NEW AGRICULTURAL BILL:
Chairman Jones of the Agricultural Committee has introduced a new bill in the House but it is not going to be brought out of committee at this session according to reports in the papers in which Mr. Jones is quoted as saying that hearings will be held between sessions and the bill prepared for early action in the next session of Congress. If this is done the bill will be ready for the farmers of Texas in ample time.

VISITORS:
Our office has been visited the past week by Judge Frank Roberts of Breckenridge, who was on his way home from the Rotary trip to Europe. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Kenney and son Billy of Eastland and Miss Roberta Moss of Denton were in also on their way home from a tour of the East. Miss Lena Adams of Abilene has also been in to see us.

MANY THANKS:
That big basket of peaches from the Scotts of DeLeon was highly appreciated and they did not hurt the reputation of Texas among those from the more benighted section who had never seen a Texas peach. Those who received one were astounded at the size, coloring and flavor and aroma.

EMERGENCY INTEREST RATE ON FARM LOANS:
The Land Bank Commissioner announced the continuation of 3 1/2% interest rate on Federal Land Bank Loans and the reduced rate of 4% on Land Bank Commissioner Loans. Land Bank Commissioner reduction on July 22. This is in accordance with Act passed by the Congress and which has now become a law.

NEUTRALITY:
The State Department and the White House are still stumped as to how to apply the neutrality law to the China-Japanese situation in the event of an outbreak. Japan can come over and get supplies, but China cannot, according to the law. Not only is this dangerous, but it will interfere with the new currency agreement with China.

MEDICAL RESEARCH:
The Federal Government has been put into a field of medical research in a large way by the bill adopted by both houses of Congress. A cancer institute is to be founded, if approved by President Roosevelt, at a cost of three-quarters of a million dollars with an authorized annual expenditure of \$700,000 for its operation. This would be expected to do much toward finding a cure for the dreaded disease. It was estimated that 25,000 lives might be saved yearly from deaths due to cancer if the patients could be given modern treatment.

HOUSING:
Inability to get together various agencies interested in housing on a central program still continues to hold back Administration forces in their efforts to do something worthwhile to provide low-cost housing. A new plan is being worked out, however, for a public housing program.

PENSIONS:
The House approved a 50 per cent increase in Spanish-American War veterans' pensions, granting \$90 a month to those with 90 days or more service upon reaching the age of 65, and \$100 a month to those disabled veterans who required an attendant. 28,885 pensioners will be affected by the increase, and entail a cost of \$5,749,000 the first year, is estimated by the Veterans' Bureau.

ALIENS ELIMINATED:
The House unanimously voted to remove the alien civilians from Government pay rolls, including WPA. The Government compensation for thousands of aliens would be done away with and the way opened for United States citizens who will replace the aliens.

The House passed a \$24,877,000 bill authorizing construction of levees, flood walls and drainage structures along the lower valley of the Ohio River. The "priority and emergency" projects to be carried out would be selected by Army engineers.

OL' SUPER-SALESMAN AT FIESTA



Clyde Hager is here shown in the middle of his comic act which is presented every night as part of Billy Rose's Pioneer Palace revue at the Fort Worth Frontier Fiesta. As a fast-talking seller of "aromatic, acrobatic, itching Arabian soap," Hager convulses his audience with his high-powered sales talk.

JENKINS SAYS TRENCH SILO GOOD FOR PRICKLY PEAR

Silage May Be Fed At Once; Prickly Pear Makes Good Silage

From time to time the county agent has received inquiries as to how soon silage might be fed and has always recommended that from 3 to 6 weeks be allowed for proper fermentation.

A few have inquired about the value of prickly pear as silage. Since very little information has been printed on that subject the county agent wrote E. R. Eudaley, extension specialist in Dairying, and a trench silo specialist, at College Station relative to the two matters stated above. His answer is as follows which is self-explanatory: "Dear Mr. Jenkins: I have your letter of the 19th stating that you have a rancher who wants to start feeding the silage ten days after filling the trench. This will be all right, however, it will be a little better if it allowed to ferment for three or four weeks." We have had farmers to fill their trenches and start feeding the next day. Prickly pear can be put in a trench silo if it is mixed with some other feed such as sudan grass, Johnson grass, grain sorghums, etc. Mix in the proportion of two parts prickly pear to one of the other feeds by weight. The stickers will soften in the process of fermentation and, therefore, you will not need to burn the pear. Very truly yours, E. R. Eudaley, Extension Dairyman."

A baby silo has been built on the picnic grounds at Deep Creek and will be filled by farmers cooperating with the county agent's office as a demonstration on the proper way to fill a trench.

Mr. Everett H. Williams is planning to store prickly pear in with feed on a portion of the trench as an experiment. The trench filling demonstration will be given at 5:00 o'clock, August 6th. Mr. A. L. Cook will be in charge since the county agent will be away on his vacation.

2nd Annual 4-H Encampment Held At Brownwood

"I'll see you next year," were many of the farewells exchanged between boys and club leaders as they left the second annual 4-H encampment held on Brownwood Lake Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of last week.

4-H boys, county agents, and county club leaders met on the banks of Brownwood Lake in the Stat Park 181 boys strong for one of the happiest and most entertaining encampments ever held in Texas.

A system was worked out by the county agents whereby each person attending paid \$1.00 for six meals beginning Monday at supper and ending Wednesday at noon. An experienced chef was employed who really fed the boys a very fine course of six meals.

Three swims a day were enjoyed by the group and playground baseball, both morning and afternoons. The first night there was wrestling (two kinds of Indian holds), and Soak-the nigger, held after supper. Swimming started at 6:00 in the morning, breakfast was at 7:00, baseball, horseshoe pitching, egg

throwing, etc. from 8:00 to 11:00 when swimming was again enjoyed. From 12:00 to 1:30 dinner was served, from 1:30 to 2:30 were group meetings, educational and inspirational talks, and from 3:30 to 5:30 baseball. There were 15 base ball teams entered and a prize of a paid motor boat trip over the great Brownwood Lake was provided for the team which won over all district competition. Llano County won this trip. Many swimming matches between the large boys, medium sized, and feather weights were carried on and various winners were awarded prizes.

Since Callahan County failed to send any boys to this meeting they failed to enjoy a great outing. The county agent believes that when the boys learn what a good time was had at this annual get-together that many boys will be present in 1938.

The second night was stent night and all the funny capers, speeches, dialogues, stunts of all kinds were put on by the various clubs from the 18 counties. Wednesday morning an all county agent team played the champion all boys team to determine whether the county agents were as good as they thought they were. The score was 13 to 2 in favor of the agents.

The agents hit the ball too hard for the boys.

Senator Davis of Brownwood in a very good address told the boys that no organization had ever been attempted before that started with the foundations as they are building them as most organizations heretofore had either been planned all for recreation or had been started with adult groups which, he emphasized, is hard to develop. He pointed out that farm organization have been slow to develop because the men were started in an organization after they reached their majority and were, therefore, more or less biased in their individual opinions. With 4-H boys their organization has started when they are 10 years of age and keeps them until they are 21, therefore, as they enter manhood they have already learned the most scientific advancements in agriculture as well as having learned the great value of co-operation. Yes, they have co-operated in organization, in group projects, in singing together, in meeting together, in playing together, and in encamping together on a large district scale. Such training means a new era shortly to come to agriculture. These boys are learning the value of trench silos, terracing, feeding dairy calves, beef calves, growing garden crops, game management, and the various crops that they grow and in addition they are taught throughout openness, honesty, loyalty, courtesy, and how to be a regular fellow.

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Notice!

Due to the fact that there are some cases of Infantile Paralysis in the County, and that there has been three deaths due to said disease, and in order that such malady may be checked and the public safeguarded from a spread of said disease, I, W. S. Hamlett, health officer, Callahan County, Texas, after consultation with Dr. A. M. Clarkson, Director, Division of Epidemiology, of the State Health Department, deem it advisable to Request parents not to permit their children to attend any gathering where people congregate and see that their children avoid all assemblies until further notice.

W. S. Hamlett
Callahan County, Texas,
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By SOPHIE KERR



Just before she leaves to spend a vacation in France, Anne Vincent tells her adopted daughter, Rachel, that Rachel's mother was beautiful. Elinor Malloy, before her marriage to Rachel's father, who was killed in the World War.

Rachel goes to New York, where she is to stay while Anne is in France. After Anne leaves for France, Rachel, bent on seeing her real mother, looks up her number.

Rachel learns the Cynos are not yet in town. Pink takes Rachel to dinner at Tom and Rhoda Steele's where she meets Oliver Land, a shabby genteel young man out of work who suggests that she apply for a job as a photographer's model for advertising illustrations. He agrees to introduce her to the head of an agency.

"That would be awfully kind," said Rachel, "but I don't want to be a bother."

"Not a bit. I'll come for you tomorrow afternoon—morning would be better."

Rachel, looking up, saw an odd glance pass between Rhoda and Tom disturbed, questioning, but they said nothing and she made an appointment with Oliver Land for eleven the next day. But when the evening was over, she and Pink were ready to leave. Rhoda came close to Rachel and whispered quickly, "Listen, darling. Listen. Don't you lead Oliver any money, ever."

CHAPTER V.

It was high time, Rachel felt, to arrange and settle her thoughts. She had been with Pink for nearly six weeks, but except for knowing the streets of the city and how to get about in it, and its parks and big stores and theaters, she might have been in a foreign country. Her life with Anne had run in an entirely different pattern, the quiet uptown apartment, Anne's friends, settled people who all lived in the same general locality or in prosperous suburbs, the days at school, the evenings with Anne to concerts or movies or an occasional play. Looking back at it, Rachel admitted gratefully that Anne had made efforts to bring more young people around her, but she hadn't Rachel though—still with that resentment which had possessed her since the last day in Rockboro—no, Anne hadn't tried very hard. Anne hadn't liked anyone except safe, dull stupid people who lived safe, dull stupid lives. She's avoided the lively irresponsible fringe of New York's social fabric, made up of the lesser figures in the arts and professions, people like Tom and Rhoda Steele and Oliver Land. Anne had liked Pink only because Pink was a good house-keeper, Rachel silently accused her.

She worked up her case against Anne, stressing the things Anne hadn't done, overlooking the years of tireless care and affection, overlooking Anne's own quiet nature, own nature with equal blindness and limited means, overlooking her own nature with equal blindness.

The two letters that had come from Anne added to Rachel's fire against her. Anne had written that against the ship and that her first impressions of the villa near Bordaux and Madame de Leonard were better than she had hoped. The letters were loving and solicitous. Rachel, but Rachel chose to forget that and to stress that Anne had been having a beautiful trip. She was likely to have a diverting winter. Her real mother, Rachel accused Anne, would never have left her alone merely to amuse herself.

All the time Rachel knew it was childish refusing the truth, but she was in the mood when she needed a grievance. It wasn't nearly so much fun as she'd expected, being with Pink Matthews. Pink became a fanatic about her work. It had a hard day before her she would drop out of the dizziness party at half past ten, or she would linger guests out of the apartment inexorably. "Nobody gets on these days by playing round it," Pink said, when Rachel rebelled.

"But what do you want to get to?" Rachel asked. "You'll only be getting into another job where you'll have to work harder still. It doesn't make sense."

"Look here, Rachel," Pink replied, "it may not make sense to you, but it does to me. I may be funny that way, but I've got something in me that wants to go ahead. I like to use my brains and see if they aren't a little better than the brains of the people around me. You can call it ambition or vanity, or greed or rank individualism, if you want, but this longing about, like a tame rabbit with a lot of other tame rabbits is nothing to me. I want to be the rabbit that's a yard or so ahead and setting the pace. It's my way of enjoying life."

"You weren't like that at school?"

"I'm like that now. This work's my form of self-expression, much as I hate that misused word. I like it and I can do it well and I get better at it all the time, and that's a mighty agreeable feeling. And another thing about it, it's stable. You see, your new dress may turn out a bust, your best friend may desert you, your new dress may turn out a bust, your best friend may desert you, your new dress may turn out a bust, your best friend may desert you, your new dress may turn out a bust, your best friend may desert you."

"I don't feel so enthusiastic about it," said Rachel.

"Pink was sympathetic. 'I know, Rachel, but I don't want to do as to meet and know Elinor Cayne. She hadn't told Pink, she hadn't told anyone. But there it was, this longing urgency to discover her real mother, for in so doing Rachel assumed she would discover herself, her real self. This dissatisfaction lay at the root of all the others."

For the moment she felt nothing but those innumerable dissatisfactions. The first day when she had gone to the agency for models she had felt excited. Oliver Land had called for her, looking just as he had looked the night before, shabby smart, but quite sure of himself. He had taken a couple of cigarettes from the box on the table. "I'm down to carfare and couldn't buy any," he explained, as if it were the most natural thing in the world. "I'll save one of these for later in the day."

Rachel had been embarrassed, sorry for him. "Take them all," she offered, "we have heaps more."

"I'll fill my case, then, if you don't mind."

Then when they were outside, he said: "Shan't we walk. It's a grand day."

It was a grand day, but the distance was over 30 blocks. Rachel wondered whether she might offer to pay his fare. She had never met anyone so frankly penniless, and she remembered what Rhoda had whispered in her ear about not lending money to Oliver. They had walked along and she was uncomfortably silent, but Oliver was quite at ease. He had talked amusingly about shows and parties and night clubs, apparently he went every where, did everything. Finally he had glanced round at her quizzical. "I believe you're worried about this job. But you mustn't be, you'll find like a house afire, you'll handle the whole outfit. You're very beautiful, you know, keep so thinking about that and don't be nervous."

"I'm not nervous," said Rachel, "but I was wondering if you oughtn't to be looking for a job for yourself instead of taking so much time out for me?"

"Oh, that! I'll run across something sometime. One of my friends is arranging a radio audition for me and I've got a couple of other plans. And there are so many nice people in the world, Rhoda gave me so much dinner last night that I didn't want my breakfast, and you've given me cigarettes and I've an invitation to lunch—you see?"

"But haven't you any home, or any people?"

"Oh, I've parents and a couple of brothers, but they live over in Jersey. I can't depend on them—I mean, I can't—live on them."

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"My dear girl, I believe you're worrying about me! That's flattery, more than I deserve. But you mustn't. I'm one of the many bright lads about this town who've discovered how to live very well in dress without any money."

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LOCALS TO ATTEND BRADY GOLF EVENT SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Brady Country Club is holding open house for members of country clubs in the Heart of Texas on Sunday, August eighth, with a special exhibition match scheduled to draw a large gallery.

Several members of the Philpico Country Club here are planning to attend.

On this day, as well as Friday, August 13, those who desire to enter Brady Country Club's Second Invitation Golf Tournament may qualify. Should qualifying scores be posted August eighth, it will not be necessary to reach Brady before 9 p.m. August 13. At this time the barbuque and Calcutta Pool will be held.

The added attraction for Sunday will be an exhibition match between a team of eight to twelve well known golfers of West Texas, headed by Bob Scott of Colorado, and a team representing Brady Country Club. Scott will choose his team from the following players: Charles Boes, Lampana; Ed J. Wiseman, Stephen Hill; J. T. Hammett, Plowever; Richard Snider, Dublin; J. W. Neville and Art McKinney, Coleman; Bob Sikes, Eastland; Houston Cole, Ranger; Charles Thorp, Ballinger; J. Dixon White, J. N. Arvin, Herbert Arvin, Clyde Boyd, Ned Snider, Ernest Morris, Jack Carlson and Ray Garrett, Brownwood.

The Brady aggregation will be chosen from the following players: D. A. Harkrider, F. S. Newman, R. A. Hailton, Jr., Gray Morrow, Posing Jones, A. V. Mickliff, Y. Cullham, Gordon Sammelson, H. K. Adkins, L. B. Smith, Fred Bedford, Ira Q. Mayhew, Jr., Ed Campbell, Clyde Hall, Jr., Bert Hawthorne, V. R. Jones, B. L. Malone, W. H. Bailon, D. W. Jordan and H. L. Wood.

The exhibition match will open at 1:30 o'clock according to Ira Mayhew, Sr., president of the Brady Country Club and general manager of the Invitation Tournament, who is expecting many visitors to post qualifying scores for the tourney.

CUTBIRTHS RETURN FROM VACATION IN NORTHWEST

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cutbirth and daughter Rosalee returned to their home here Saturday night after a two weeks vacation in the Northwest, during which they visited the Frontier Days celebration at Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Cutbirth joined Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Farmer, of Baird, Tuesday for a few days in Dallas and Fort Worth visiting the Pan-American Exposition and Frontier Fiesta.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Rev. and Mrs. H. T. Dennis and son, of near Corpus Christi, visited in the home of Mrs. Dennis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Mitchell the first of the week. The Rev. Mr. Dennis is leading the singing in a revival meeting now in progress at Okm.

Mrs. A. G. Crabb, of San Angelo, visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Boase here this week.

Tom Bryant left Friday for Oklahoma City, where he will join Frank Russell enroute to Gulf coast for a visit of some days.

Emel Wood, of California, formerly of this place and Cheyenne, is visiting relatives here this week.

Louis Helms of West Texas, visited his family here, the past week.

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A. From the Blanco river, so named by the Aguiayo Expedition of 1721, because of the chalky country through which the river flowed, giving it a white color, the name meaning "white."

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Q. How many prisoners are confined in the Texas Penitentiary system?
A. The all-time high mark was in July, this year, with 6168 prisoners.

Q. How large do watermelons grow in Texas?
A. One was recently marketed in Jefferson county weighing 183 pounds. There may be larger.

Q. How many dams are under construction on the Colorado river above Austin?
A. Two; Buchanan Dam, formerly called Hamilton Dam, and Roy Licks Dam, three miles down the river from Buchanan Dam. A third, to be known as the Marshall Ford Dam, will soon be under construction 24 miles up the river from Austin.

Q. To what extent is popcorn grown in the Lower Rio Grande Valley?
A. Newspapers report 5,000 acres in cultivation this year, producing a \$100,000 crop with the corn bringing two to three cents a pound.

Q. Why wasn't the city of Mexia's name changed? As I remember Gen. Mexia was a member of Santa Anna's army and an enemy of Texas.
A. Mexia was not named for Gen. Jose Antonio Mexia, but for Gen. Enrique Mexia, who owned a large body of land upon which the city was built.

Q. For what is "tune old used" where and from what is it produced?
A. Most of it is used in the paint and varnish industry and in the manufacture of printing inks. The supply coming largely from China. There is now an experimental tung-tree orchard in Angelina county.

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Instead of on August 29, as announced last week the pastor will preach at the usual hours morning and evening at Echo on Sunday, August 15.

The current series of evangelistic services at the Burkett Tabernacle under the auspices of the local Methodist Church will continue through Sunday evening August eighth. Your cooperation and presence is earnestly solicited.

"Judas Iscariot" will be the pastor's subject in preaching at Cottonwood Community House at 3:30 August 8.

Quite a number of friends from Cross Cut worshipped with us at Burkett last Sunday.

M. P. Ray visited in Fort Worth Monday and Tuesday.

BURKETT

L. D. Evans and family and M. A. Newton and family spent two nights and one day of last week on the river fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Simons and children returned home Saturday night after spending a few weeks in Wingate.

Ralph and Leon Byens and Curtis Smith of Ranger, and Essee, Daisy, and Ruth Gray attended this and who succeeded him?

Mrs. Wayne Gilliana was injured in a car wreck while returning home from Abilene, Thursday night.

David Henkel of Cross Plains visited Miss Theda Evans Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Raymond Smith of Abilene is spending a few days with her mother Mrs. Fred Holburg.

Miss Edna Earl Gray returned

The Vacationland palace at the 1939 Golden Gate International Exposition will dramatize the urge to travel.

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COUNTY GETS R...

Home Town Gossip

Child Dies After

LOOSE GRAVEL IS BLAMED IN MISHAP TUESDAY MORNING

One child is dead and two more are injured as a result of an automobile mishap between here and Cross Cut Tuesday morning.

Funeral services for Miss Billie Bess Jackson, about 11, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson, were held Thursday morning.

Wayne Leland Shannon, 13 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Shannon is at his home at Cross Cut doing nicely.

The tragic accident occurred about 10 Tuesday morning, when the Brown sedan struck a concrete culvert at the bottom of the Harrell hill.

Funeral for the popular young Cross Cut girl was held at nine o'clock Thursday morning and interment was made in the Cross Cut cemetery.

W. A. "Red" Hucksay aka Cross Plains softball team right nicely. They have several formidable opponents in the past few days.

Miss Burdette Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Williams of Cross Plains, will receive her Bachelor of Science degree with a Smith-Hughes certificate from Texas State College for Women (C.S.A.) at Denton in the August 21 commencement exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gray, who live in the Southwest part of town, are parents of twin babies born Thursday of last week.

Mr. Mitchell, a long time resident of Cross Plains, became seriously ill Sunday night and was rushed to a Brownwood hospital where he died two days later.

Thomas Edmon Mitchell was born in Ralston, Arkansas, August 22, 1869. On January seventh, 1894 he was united in marriage to Miss Jessie Neoma Kinningham.

Mr. Mitchell was united with the church early in life and remained a devout Christian for more than 40 years.

Jimmy Walker returned to his home here Tuesday morning from a Santa Anna hospital where he was confined a month with a leg injury.

Golf Match (Continue from page 1) ree were victorious over Jack Durree and Mrs. Cody Thomas (two and one).

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COTTONWOOD (Continue from page 1) children still ill and who have lost a son and a daughter; the Ben Cozarts, whose 19-year-old son, L. B. died Monday morning; and the family of Mrs. Pete Thompson, whose four-year-old daughter died Sunday.

Many industries of national rank are planning to erect their own buildings for the 1939 World's Fair at San Francisco.

James Strahan of South Texas is spending his vacation with home folks, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Strahan and family.

John Ivy is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Morris Ivy of Pinwell, and Hot Springs and other points in New Mexico.

Mrs. Floyd Coffey attended the Primitive Baptist Association Saturday.

Elder Jack West and wife left Friday for a visit in East Texas. Miss Missouri Strahan is visiting relatives at Fort Worth and Arlington this week.

JOE E. BROWN IS COMING TO STRAND IN "SONS O' GUNS"

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Mrs. Kathryn Tipton and baby girl of Tennessee are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore.

JOE E. BROWN'S "SONS O' GUNS" JOAN BLONDELL

Walker Reppens and sister, Miss Belle, visited relatives near Lamesa last week, their sister Mrs. Allen Whitel and daughter Roselle came back with them for a visit.

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