

The Box Scores

WEDNESDAY'S GAME.

Table with columns: DIVIDE, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: McLean, cf; Jones, c; Hammonds, lf; J. Seymore, ss; D. Seymore, p; Latimer, 1b; T. Seymore, rf; Carpenter, 2b; Neill, 3b.

Table with columns: NOODLE, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: N. Palmer, 3b; C. Vick, 2b; E. Palmer, 1b; Sharp, c; H. Vick, rf; Williams, ss; Ashford, cf; Justice, lf; Payne, p.

Score by innings: Divide 000 210 000-3, Noodle 500 000 01x-4. Summary—Runs batted in, Latimer 2, J. Seymore, H. Vick, Sharp, Williams 2, Doubles, Hammonds, Latimer, Triples, Williams, Justice, Sacrifice, Jones, Stolen bases, C. Vick, Sharp 3.

FRIDAY'S GAME.

Table with columns: HAW-TRU, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Grimes lf; H. Bradford, c; Bartlett, 2b; Williamson, cf; Justice, ss; Hollis, p, 1b; Baxter, 1b; Price, p; Stephens, rf; J. Grogan, rf; B. Bradford, 3b.

Table with columns: TRENT, AB, R, H, PO, A, E. Rows: Payne, 1b; D. H. Jones, 3b; Cooley, lf; Boone, 2b; Hamner, cf; H. Tittle, rf; C. Tittle, ss; Othell Jones, c; Oscar Jones, p.

Score by innings: HawTru 200 000 000-2, Trent 400 010 00x-5. Summary—Runs batted in, Justice, Hollis, Cooley, Boone, Hamner 2, H. Tittle, Doubles, H. Bradford, Hamner, C. Tittle, Sacrifices, D. H. Jones, B. Bradford, Stolen base, Payne, Double plays, D. H. Jones to Othell Jones to Payne; C. Tittle to Boone to Payne; Bartlett to Baxter; Justice to Bartlett to Hollis, Hit by pitcher, Williams by Oscar Jones. Base on balls, Hollis 2, Wild pitch, Hollis. Strike-outs, Oscar Jones 3, Hollis 2, Price 3, no runs, 1 hit. Losing pitcher, Hollis. Time of game 1:37. Umpires Bryant, Renfro and Myers.

More Work Assigned to Local R. A. Staffs. County representatives of the Re-settlement Administration will have larger responsibilities in the future, it was announced by Clarence Symes, county farm supervisor, upon his return from a week's conference at College Station.

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TRENT NEWS AND PERSONALS

Rev. and Mrs. Alsie Carleton had as their guests for dinner last Tuesday Rev. and Mrs. Billy J. Morgan. The couple were returning from their honeymoon trip in the Davis mountains to their home in Corpus Christi where Rev. Mr. Morgan is associate pastor of the Methodist church.

Ima Ruth Shouse of Merkel spent last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Shouse, also her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Shouse.

J. R. Gafford and A. C. Terry, Sr., secretary and council commander, respectively, of Trent Camp No. 2060, Woodmen of the World, attended a meeting of the Abilene camp, Thursday evening of last week when the new district manager, E. A. Ray, was introduced.

Mrs. Earl Norwood and Miss Winnie Brown, both of whom received tonsillectomies last week, are reported doing very well.

Messrs. Joe Reneau and Gene Cade were among those from Trent who attended the rodeo at the Double Heart ranch last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Hale of Ropesville are announcing the birth of a daughter, named Meleta Ann, weight 7 3-4 pounds, at their home Aug. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Stribling announce the birth of a daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stribling, maternal grandparents, Friday, Sept. 3. The young lady is named Barbara Dean.

Birth of a baby girl on Aug. 31 has been announced by Mr and Mrs. Hallie Allyn of Fort Worth. She has been named Wanda Faye. Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Reeves visited with their daughter a few days, Mrs. Reeves remaining over this week for a longer visit.

Mrs. W. E. Shouse spent last week visiting her daughters, Mrs. C. T. McCormick of Stith and Mrs. J. A. McWilliams of Union Ridge.

Miss Virgie Strawn was a week-end guest of relatives and friends here. She will resume her duties as teacher in the Sylvester public schools next week.

Elery Smith, employed at Odessa, spent the week-end here with home folks.

Miss Elsie Bishop is spending this week in Lamesa as guest of her cousin, Tia Juana Smith.

Lester Tittle spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tittle.

Alma Jean Payne visited last week with her cousin, Susie Bill McWilliams.

J. D. Spinks received major surgery at the Hendrick Memorial hospital, Abilene, Saturday morning. Attending his bedside was his daughter, Mrs. Isom Burks. He is reported doing fine.

Elton Nicholas visited with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harris and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Scott and daughters and Mrs. Bessie Billings of Abilene visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nalley of Fort Worth are vacationing with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nalley and Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bright had as their house guests for three days last week Mrs. Bright's daughter, Mrs. Louise Duren and her daughter, Louise Duren, of Kilgore. They were accompanied here by a guest, Miss Murphy, of Marshall. They returned home by way of Mineral Wells.

Milton Trefhel of Shreveport, La., is visiting a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. Cal Hamner. He is a nephew of Pike Hall, owner of the Hall ranch, located northwest of town.

BASEBALL RESULTS.

Trent citizens turned out en masse to see the local baseball team return victorious Friday afternoon. Cigar passing took the hour and between puffs, soda water was "inhaled," due to the ball enthusiasts lined "up" to be in on the treats. Those players who don't smoke were "forced out" and "benched." One player placed a paper

bag in a conspicuous place to hold all the smokes presented him.

Money donations also interspersed the small ones as business firms contributed. The Star Hardware company gave a cash contribution of \$5, added to this \$5 by L. E. Adrian of the Home State bank. W. E. Hamner also gave \$5 cash to further show his patriotism. Other than being a baseball fan himself, he furnished two sons, John, Trent centerfielder, and T. G., secretary of the club, also a good automobile to transport others to the games.

All gifts were greatly appreciated by all players and every one expressed the desire of each citizen of this community to extend praise to the Merkel Trade Extension association for their hospitality and generosity, also for their loyalty and ability to organize a group of business men into such co-operation as exists in our neighbor town.

To save a treat, "the best is last," came when Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brewer served hamburgers and iced soda water to the players (16) submitted on the list by Manager John Payne.

"To Gus and Mary—thanks again and again." (Signed) D. H. Jones, Oscar Jones, Harvey Jones, Othell Jones, L. D. Jones, Hollis Jones, Henry Lee Tittle, Cullen Tittle, John Payne, John Hamner, Wilson Bright, C. H. Hutcheson, Jr., Harold Terry, Joe Boone, Hughie Cooley, Percy Scott.

Secretary T. G. Hamner reported a balance of \$155.22 deposited to the ball club at a meeting held Saturday night. The money will be used to defray expenses for another season.

Plans are now under way to honor the club with a party to be held Monday night, Joe Nalley, John Strawn, A. C. Terry, Sr., are committeemen working out the details for the affair.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S PROGRAM.

Charles Andy Shouse was leader for the program presented before 29 young people present Sunday evening at the Methodist church. The subject was "Furnished for Every Good Work," preceded by a hymn.

Speakers on the topics under the heading were Alvis Cooley and Mrs. Alsie Carleton. Henry Bright read the scripture lesson.

The young people also held a council meeting, when reports were made by each member of the council on work accomplished the past month.

Plans were made for the present month and for work to be done during September. A special worship pro-

gram will be presented during the month also.

BLAIR ITEMS

Cotton picking is in full swing here and there is a great demand for cotton pickers. There has been some threatening weather for the past several days, with a few showers and sprinkles, but not enough to do any good nor harm.

Mr. Arnold of East Texas is the supply agent for the Santa Fe here for the fall months.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Addison and two daughters, Misses Maimie and Charlene, of San Angelo, Mrs. Isham Jones of Valera and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Abilene visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Addison.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Myers and sons, Don Myers and Mrs. Dovie Burnett of Anson visited their aunt, Mrs. Susie Doan Saturday. They were accompanied back by Mrs. Doan for a few days stay there.

A. L. Farmer and children and Mrs. Jessie Russom and children of Butman visited Mrs. Hugh Campbell Saturday.

Sam Provine has returned home from Clint after a month's stay at that place.

Odell Latimer left last week-end for Douglas, Ariz., where he has accepted employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gosdin are visiting with relatives at Ireddell this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moore motored over and spent the week-end with their sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Horton and family, of Big Spring. Mr.

and Mrs. Jim Moore, parents of the latter, were guests also in this home Thursday.

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