

## Keeping Up With Texas

Movement of live stock from Texas ranches to Fort Worth stockyards and to other states for July dropped 20.5 per cent from July, 1939, University of Texas business statisticians report. Only 4,632 cars were shipped.

Newton Robinson, 27, democratic nominee for justice of the peace, precinct 1, in Howard county, died in a Big Spring hospital early Friday afternoon of injuries suffered that morning when his car collided with a truck on the western edge of Big Spring.

L. E. Johnson, elderly farmer of near Cisco, was killed Friday night in a highway crash 12 miles south of Breckenridge. Witnesses said Johnson swerved his truck to avoid hitting a car on a portion of the road known as "dead man's curve" and struck a cement post.

Don Kelso, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Kelso of near Rails, died Friday of an accidental gunshot wound from the discharge of a small calibre rifle by a playmate. The gun had been snapped several times before it was given the children, who were playing "cops and robbers."

Four members of a prominent West Texas family were found shot to death Saturday near Eldorado. They were Henry Calcote, 31; his wife, Mrs. Dardanella Calcote, 20; their two-year-old daughter, Patsy Irene, and his mother, Mrs. R. L. (Emma) Calcote, 69. All had been shot by a rifle. A Mexican ranch hand is charged with the murder of Calcote.

Three lives were claimed in a truck-automobile collision Sunday near Saginaw in northeast Tarrant county. The dead were W. C. Chappelcar, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Chappelcar of Fort Worth; Mrs. Exa Hudson, 27, Fort Worth beautician, and A. L. Harvey, Fort Worth automobile salesman.

J. S. Murchison, of Corsicana, resigned his office Monday and will resume his new duties as state welfare director Sept. 15, succeeding Adam R. Johnson, resigned.

The badly mangled body of William Womack Rodgers, 32, life employee at Corsicana, was taken from under a Southern Pacific lines freight train in the Corsicana railroad yards Sunday.

Marlin Gilchrist, 45, farmer of the New Hope community, near De Leon, drowned Sunday in the Leon river as he attempted to rescue two small children who appeared in danger of drowning. Gene Gilchrist, the farmer's son, rescued the children.

David T. Perdue, 73, contract truck operator, died late Tuesday afternoon beneath the wheels of a Texas & Pacific passenger train. Witnesses to his death said Perdue's body was almost severed by the rear wheels on the last car as it pulled away from the depot.

Brownwood's municipal airport has been approved as headquarters for the air squadron of the 36th division. Barracks, hangars and machine shops will be erected, and upwards of 150 soldiers will be stationed there. Field lighting, water and gas will be installed and paved runways built.

## Old Settlers' Reunion At Moro On Sept. 21

The annual Old Settlers reunion at Moro, which was postponed from the previous date, will be held at the old B. M. Burks' place, 10 miles east of Shep, Saturday night, Sept. 21.

It is said that this is the only gathering of its kind in the state of Texas as there is no organization, no association, no dues and no assessments are connected in any way, form or fashion. All entertainment is free to the public and everybody is invited to attend.

## Record of Births

- Boy, to Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Higgins, Wednesday, September 4, 1940.
- Girl, to Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lucas, Route 2, Saturday, September 7, 1940.
- Girl, to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Camp, Saturday, September 7, 1940.
- Boy, to Mr. and Mrs. Emmett H. Woodward, Hodges, Tuesday, September 10, 1940.
- Girl, to Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jones, residing south of town, Tuesday, September 10, 1940.
- Boy, to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Westbrook, Wednesday, September 11, 1940.

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## HUNDREDS PAY TRIBUTE IN LAST RITES SUNDAY

**J. T. Warren, Pioneer Banker And Stockman, Dies at Home Here; Was First and Only President of F. & M. Bank.**

Merkel paid last tribute to one of her leading citizens when hundreds gathered at the First Baptist church Sunday afternoon for funeral services for J. T. Warren, 71, pioneer banker and stockman and prominent church leader. Friends came from all over West Texas and many more distant points—bankers, old friends, ex-residents.

Five ministers participated in the rites and combined choirs of three churches joined in singing, directed by Yates Brown of Odessa, former choir director of the Merkel church, with Mrs. Comer Haynes as pianist. Mrs. Lytton Howard of Stephenville sang a solo, "Sunrise Tomorrow," accompanied by Mrs. Yates Brown of Odessa.

Rev. Cooper Waters, local pastor, was in charge of the service, and Rev. John H. Crow, pastor of the Methodist church, led the prayer. A brief sketch of the man was given by his family pastor, who also read two passages of Scripture. One of the speakers was Dr. Lee R. Scarborough, a brother-in-law of the deceased and president of Southwestern Baptist Theological seminary of Fort Worth. The funeral sermon was delivered by Rev. Ira L. Parrack of Chillicothe.

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## Child Recovers from Near-Serious Injury

Gerald Woodard, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Woodard of the Sandbur community, who sustained serious injury in an accident last week, was reported as doing nicely Thursday morning.

About 11:30 last Friday morning, as Gerald was returning with his sister, Naomi, 19, from picking cotton about a mile from home, he was struck as he came from the bar pit and stopped at the edge of the road by a beam projecting from a stalk cutter on a trailer hitched to the car driven by his uncle, Nub Stevenson. The blow struck him just back of the left ear.

Gerald was brought to a doctor's office in town, remaining unconscious for about three hours. He stayed at the office until Sunday when he was taken home and he has since improved steadily.

## Gain of 1,343,000 Bales Government Estimates

Washington, Sept. 12.—Unusually favorable cotton-growing weather in August caused the agriculture department to raise its estimate of 1940 production to 12,772,000 bales Monday. This was an increase of 1,343,000 bales over the August 1 forecast. Production last year was 11,817,000 bales and in 1938 it was 11,943,000. The 1929-38 average was 13,547,000.

Austin, Sept. 12.—Supplemental to the national forecast on cotton production, the federal agricultural marketing service here Tuesday issued a breakdown on Texas' estimated yield of 3,479,000 bales, compared with 2,846,000 in 1939.

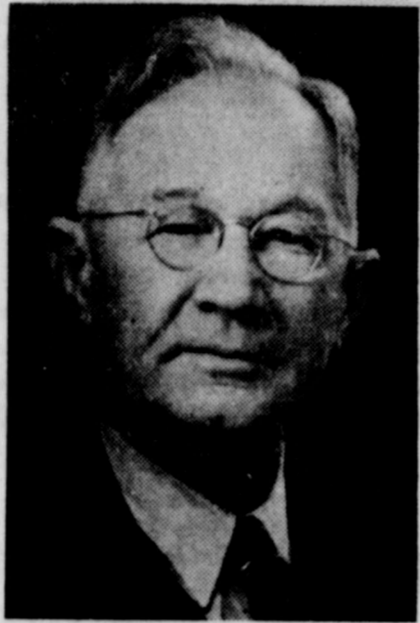
Based upon conditions on Sept. 1, this forecast represents an increase in prospects since Aug. 1 of 586,000 bales, or 20 per cent.

## Pep Squad to Cheer in New Uniforms Friday

Purple and gold satin will be worn by Merkel High Pep Squad girls here Friday night at the first game of the season. The contest between the Merkel Badgers and the Clyde Bulldogs will give the girls the first opportunity to wear their new suits and to demonstrate marching and formations practiced during the first two weeks of school.

Thirty girls have been fitted for new uniforms. Miss Mary Lou Ashburn, physical education teacher, is sponsor of the group.

## BANKER DIES



J. T. WARREN

## REA Construction Work to Start Soon; Apartments Needed

"Construction work is expected to be under way the last of next week or the first of the following week," it was stated Thursday morning by Johnny Cox, superintendent of the Taylor Electric Co-operative, Inc. Some two weeks delay, he said, has been caused by right-of-way troubles, due to conflicts with Western Union, Postal Telegraph and American Telephone and Telegraph.

"Between 12 and 15 furnished apartments will be needed at the time construction starts, together with quite a few single rooms," Mr. Cox said, "and any one having an apartment or rooms to rent is asked to contact the REA office, Phone 66, or list same at the office of the Merkel Mail. Unless sufficient rooms and apartments are available, it is possible that headquarters for the construction company may have to be moved."

Mr. Cox also announced that new rates have been received from the operation division of REA, as follows: 35 kilowatts 9.5, next 35 kilowatts 5.5, next 130 kilowatts 2.5, all in excess of 200 kilowatts 1.75; water heaters peak demand switch 1.2.

## Rites Held Tuesday For John Pence, 45

John W. Pence, 45, died at 2:45 Monday afternoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pence, here. Totally blind since 1930, he had frequently visited in Merkel from his home in Sweetwater, where he had been engaged in the barber business until he lost his eyesight, following brain surgery. On his last visit, he came here Aug. 30 and was taken ill about a week before he died.

The body was carried to Sweetwater Monday in a Yates funeral car and funeral services were held from the Yates chapel at 3 p. m. Tuesday. Rev. T. J. Sparkman, pastor of the Lamar Street Baptist church, officiated, and burial followed in the city cemetery there.

Among those named as pallbearers were three friends from Merkel: Harry Woodrum, W. C. Black and Claude Perry.

Born in San Augustine county Sept. 27, 1894, he moved to Sweetwater in 1919 and was married there on Sept. 11, 1921, to Willie Hope.

Surviving are his wife, one daughter, Pauline, age 17; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pence, Merkel; five brothers, S. A. Pence, Snyder; Dewey Pence, Corpus Christi; Will Pence, Anson; Thomas A. Pence, Monahans, and Luther Pence, Sweetwater, and two sisters, Mrs. Henry Farr, Route 2, Merkel, and Mrs. Fred Jinkens, Merkel.

## Houston Business Booms.

Houston, Sept. 12.—Postal receipts in Houston have shown 78 consecutive monthly increases. Postmaster John Dunlap reported, July receipts were \$246,618.89.

## Texas Gains 10 Per Cent.

Washington, Sept. 12.—The 1940 population of Texas is 6,418,321, an increase of 593,606 or 10.2 per cent over the 5,824,715 counted in 1930.

## FIRST MEETING OF P.-T. A. UNIT TUESDAY NIGHT

"Get-Together and Social Hour" Planned, Naming Faculty Members as Guests of Honor; Badger Band to Play.

The first meeting for the year of the Merkel Parent-Teacher association will be held Tuesday night, Sept. 17, in the High School gymnasium at 8 o'clock in the form of a "get-together and social hour," naming faculty members as guests of honor.

A short business meeting will be held and the Merkel High School band will play. Mrs. Owen Robertson, as program leader, will introduce Nathan Wood, president of the school board, who will bring greetings. The constitution and by-laws will be read by Mrs. W. T. Sadler; faculty and P.-T. A. officers will be introduced, and a social hour will close the meeting. All friends and patrons of the school are cordially invited to attend.

The following are officers of the local unit: Mrs. Norman T. Hodge, president; Mrs. Grover Gilbert, vice-president; Mrs. John Leonard, secretary; Mrs. H. C. Reid, treasurer; Mrs. W. T. Sadler, parliamentarian; Mrs. Holt Vaughn, historian.

The complete list of committees follows:

Program—Mrs. Ray Wilson, chairman, Mrs. Carroll Benson, Mrs. Dee Grimes, Mr. John Grable.

Music—Miss Billye Gardner, chairman, Mrs. Richard Young.

Publicity—Mrs. Connor Robinson.

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## P.-T. A. Executives Set Goals for Year

The executive committee of the Merkel Parent-Teacher association met Tuesday afternoon in the Grammar School auditorium with the president, Mrs. Norman Hodge, presiding. This committee is composed of the six officers of the local association and the chairman of the eleven different committees which carry on specific phases of local P.-T. A. work.

Various committee plans were discussed as printed programs were distributed, giving dates and program outlines for the coming school year. The treasurer, Mrs. H. C. Reid, reported a balance of \$53.29; however, \$25.00 of this amount goes toward membership in a district film library, giving our local students access to educational and instructional motion pictures to be used in school work this year.

Supt. Robinson, goals chairman, named these specific works for this year: use of district film library, Halloween carnival, bands' concert, play night, promotion of a school cafeteria if at all possible.

Mrs. Clyde Sears, membership chairman, announced a membership drive to start at once urging payment of 25c as dues. This 25c must be sent to P.-T. A. headquarters for each member enrolled in the local unit, funds to carry on local work being raised by the local organization.

Mrs. L. A. Dudley, room mothers' chairman, emphasized choice of as many new room mothers, as possible, using four to each room. Other committee work was discussed by the following who were present: Supt. Robinson, Mesdames Elsie Nash, Ellen Duncan, Holt Vaughn, N. T. Hodge, John Leonard, Connor Robinson, Owen Robertson, Grover Gilbert, Clyde Bartlett, Clyde Sears, L. A. Dudley, John L. Jones and H. C. Reid and Miss Billie Gardner.

## Merkel Gins Turn Out 373 Bales This Week

Tabulations by The Mail Wednesday night showed that the six gins in town and those at Stith, Blair and Noodle had turned out 873 bales so far this season, as compared with 1,236 from the same plants at this date last year.

Reports were not available from the Noodle and Stith gins last week, but a breakdown of this week's tabulation accounts for 373 bales ginned at the Merkel plants in the six days since last published report.

## TRENT PLAYERS ANNEX SOFTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Defeating Hodges, who held first place at the close of the regular schedule of the Merkel softball league, by an 8-3 score Monday night, Trent made it two straights to win the 1940 championship in the Shaughnessy finals. In the first encounter Friday night the Trent boys had bested Hodges, 3 to 2.

N. Tittle and McElmurry, Trent moundsmen in the two games, each held their opponents to three hits.

In the first series of the Shaughnessy, Hodges copped two straight from the F. & M. softballers, winning Thursday night's game, 10-6, but it took best two out of three for Trent to eliminate Noodle.

After Trent had run away with the opening game of the series with Noodle, shutting them out 17 to 0, Noodle came back Thursday night to even the set with a 12-6 win. On Friday night Trent cinched the series, defeating Noodle, 10 to 2, and in this game McElmurry, Trent moundsman, is credited with pitching the only no-hit game of the season.

Box scores of the Shaughnessy finals and of the concluding three games of the first series of the playoff are printed elsewhere in this issue of the Mail.

## Colleges Number Large For Class of 1941

John T. Deaver, principal of the local high school, reported that 100 girls in the class of 1941 have been accepted by 15 colleges. The girls are: Clyde Deaver, Glenn Robert, and Anna. The colleges are: Texas Tech at Lubbock, Abilene Christian college, and Anne Blake will enroll at North Texas Agriculture college at Arlington.

A number of the MHS Seniors of the '40 class are taking post-graduate work here and at least one, Helen Heeter, has enrolled for a business course in Draughton's at Abilene. Among college students of former years, Willard Paine, Mary Love Tipton, Edgar Tipton, Faye Varner, Billie Wood and Ce Vene Daniels will return to Abilene Christian college; Mary Jo Russell, Ben Robert Hicks and J. M. Bickley, to McMurry, and La Verne Harwell, to Hardin-Simmons university.

Students returning to Texas Tech are Comora Hughes, Sarah Malone, Lucy Moore, Harrison Malone, Rachel Patterson, Dorma Lee Shelton, La Verne Hughes, M. C. Church and (Continued on Page Five)

## MERKEL MEETS CLYDE BULLDOGS FRIDAY NIGHT

Street Parade by Badger Band and Pep Squad to Usher in Events of Opening Game; Whistle Blows 8 P. M.

With a street parade downtown at 3 p. m. Friday by the Badger band and the Pep Squad, enthusiasm will be touched off for the first game of the season to be played Friday night at 8 o'clock on the lighted field.

The Clyde Bulldogs will be Badgers' opponents and roll Benson has given plenty of hard practice for the opening encounter.

As acting captain for the Badgers Friday night, Red Benson named by the Merkel starting line-up will be unknown until just before the game, Benson said. The lights were tested out Wednesday night and first practice on Thursday night was set for Thursday night.

Three sections capable of 300 have been moved to the ball field and additional seating arranged to provide a total capacity of 400 for the game.

Tickets for the game have been placed in stores downtown at 35 cents, 50 cents and 75 cents.

## Future Home-Making Class

The Future Home-Making class completed its first week of work on Friday night. The class is made up of 35 girls who have spent 100 hours in making activities.

The Future Home-Making class will meet Thursday night at 7:30 in the home-making room for a combined social and business meeting. Dora Gaither, president of the group, will preside at the meeting. A nominating committee of Dora Gaither, Tommy Grimes, Louise Patterson, Lou Jape Land and Mary Jo Hutchins chosen nominees for new officers will be elected at the meeting. The social will be in charge of the third year home-making class.

The home-making department has acquired this year an additional room to be used as a combined living and dining room. Furnishings for the room have been selected by Supt. Connor Robinson, Frances Cleveland, home-making teacher, and members of the school board. The room combines red maple and walnut. Pictures, drapes and other accessories are to be chosen by girls now enrolled in home-making classes.

## MERKEL 20 YEARS AGO

(From the Files of Merkel Mail, September 17, 1920.)

Miss Stacy Adkisson of San Antonio is here for a visit at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Miller.

Ed Teaff returned first of the week from an extended trip to Temple and other East Texas points.

Claude Riney, Clifford Rose and Doyle Garrett left this week for Austin where they will attend the State University the coming term. This will be young Riney's second year at the university. All the boys are quite popular and have a host of friends, who will miss them during their stay there.

Jack Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Anderson, left first of the week for Abilene, where he will attend Abilene Christian college this year.

We are informed that on Sept. 11, Cecil W. Jobe, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jobe, and Miss Nean Jackson

of Roscoe were happily united in marriage at the home of the bride in the latter city and are now happily residing at Colorado City. The bride was teacher in expression in the Merkel High school last year and with the groom, who is well known here, has a host of friends who extend congratulations and good wishes for a long, happy and useful married career.

Mrs. Edna Petty, sister of Mrs. J. W. Moore and daughter of J. Blackburn, was bitten by a big rattlesnake at her home near Vera in Knox county recently, and died the following night from the effect of same. Mrs. Petty was reared in the Canyon and has many friends who regret the sad occurrence.

George Sharp suffered a broken arm as the result of attempting to crank his father's delivery (Ford) car. He is getting along nicely at the present writing.



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**J. T. Warren**

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licothe, whose tenure as pastor here was the longest during Mr. Warren's membership in the church.

Pallbearers were W. J. Largent, Byers Petty, Forrest Gaither, George T. Moore, W. S. J. Brown, Clark Mundy, Comer Haynes and Lytton Howard of Stephenville.

During the hours that the body lay state at the church, from 1 to 3 p. m., friends passed before the casket a continuous stream and scores could not be seated in the auditorium in the church yard during service.

Trum and pulpit rail were with a profusion of beautiful flowers, entered with an archway of floral offerings over the

grave in Rose Hill cemetery, where the mound and flowers were literally covered with tributes of wreaths, sprays and flowers, Rev. J. W. Saffel, of view, retired minister and a pastor of the Merkel church, he closing prayer. Burial in a funeral home was in charge. Warren had suffered from a kidney trouble over a period of years, but it was not until he retired from active condition had been several weeks, during which he had been in the hospital at El Paso, with her here to other.

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on Jan. 1, 1892, and Merkel had been their home for almost the half century intervening. Mr. Warren continued in the general mercantile business until 1904 when the Farmers & Merchants National bank was organized here. He was the first and only president the institution has had. The doors of the bank remained closed all day Saturday out of respect to the passing of its president.

Of the five men, who signed the application for the bank's charter, he is the third to pass away. G. F. West and Ed S. Hughes have both gone on. The other two signers were Henry James of Abilene and T. A. Johnson of McKinney.

As a citizen, business man, banker, neighbor, friend, Christian, husband, father and brother, Tom Warren is too well known in this entire section for comment in this sketch. During his long residence here, he was one of the most earnest and active workers and leaders in the Baptist church and took a prominent part in all community and civic affairs.

Surviving are his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Henry C. Coit of Dallas and Mrs. Kirby Beckett of El Paso, and one son, Booth Warren, cashier of the bank of which his father was president. Eleven grandchildren and four sisters also survive. The sisters are Mrs. George L. Paxton, Abilene; Mrs. E. E. Andrews, Abilene; Mrs. L. R. Scarborough, Fort Worth, and Mrs. Eugene Wood, Abilene.

**Trent Slugger Leads In Play-Off Games**

In the seven games of the Shaughnessy play-off, twelve hitters who participated in two or more games averaged better than .300, with Bishop of Trent leading the lot at an .800 clip. Out of five times at bat, he hit safely four times.

The Trent club furnished six of the heavy sluggers. Hodges three, F. & M. two and the one.

The leading with the number of games and their averages, as by Pete West.

Bishop	.800
Jenkins	.555
Higgins	.500
Justice	.500
McElmurry	.500
Henry	.490
Pete St.	.375
Hollis	.357
Hammer	.353
Bristow	.333
Arnwine	.333
Hutcheson	.333

**SHOWS FREE MONDAY 2:30 P. M.**



One of the highly dramatic moments in "Blame It On Love," when Terry Arden (Joan Marsh) offers her husband, Jeff Wadsworth, (John King) a sad looking cake to celebrate their three month wedding anniversary. "Blame It On Love," the romantic and exciting story of a young couple who struggle to make a hasty marriage successful, comes to the Queen theatre Monday at 2:30 p. m. and is sponsored by the West Texas Utilities company. Admission is free.

**Play-Off Scores**

FIRST GAME.	
TRENT	ABHPOAE
L. D. Jones, 1b	3 0 7 1 0
O. Jones, 3b	3 0 1 1 0
Boone, 2b	3 1 1 1 0
Hammer, m	3 1 2 0 0
N. Tittle, p	3 0 1 2 0
Bill Jones, rf	2 0 0 0 1
Hutcheson, c	2 1 2 0 1
H. L. Tittle, sf	3 0 5 0 1
H. Jones, ss	2 0 2 2 2
McElmurry, lf	2 2 0 0 0
Totals	26 5 21 7 5

HODGES	
ABHPOAE	
Q. Garner, ss	2 1 2 0 0
Ernest Hartline, m	3 1 0 0 0
Arnwine, 3b	2 1 3 1 0
Roberts, c	3 0 0 2 0
Watts, lf	3 0 0 0 1
Berry, 2b	2 0 3 1 0
McCoy, 1b	3 0 5 0 1
Pete Stevenson, sf	3 0 1 0 1
Earl Hartline, rf	1 0 0 0 1
Leverett, p	3 0 7 2 0
Totals	25 3 21 6 4

SECOND GAME	
TRENT	ABHPOAE
L. D. Jones, 1b	1 0 7 0 0
O. Jones, 3b	2 0 1 1 0
Boone, 2b	4 0 1 1 0
McElmurry, p	2 0 5 1 1
Hammer, m	4 2 1 0 0
Bishop, rf	4 3 1 0 1
D. H. Jones, lf	2 0 0 0 0
H. L. Tittle, sf	3 1 3 0 0
Hutcheson, c	3 0 1 0 0
H. Jones, ss	3 2 1 2 0
Totals	28 8 21 5 2

HODGES	
ABHPOAE	
Q. Garner, ss	3 0 1 0 3
Arnwine, 3b	2 0 2 2 1
Roberts, c	3 0 0 0 0
Watts, lf	3 1 3 0 0
McCoy, 1b, rf, 1b	1 0 5 0 0
Berry, 2b	3 0 2 0 4
Ernest Hartline, m	3 1 0 0 0
Earl Hartline, rf	1 0 0 0 1
Pete Stevenson, sf	1 1 1 0 0
Leverett, p	3 0 4 4 0
Cook, 1b	1 0 2 0 1
Bristow, rf	1 0 1 0 0
Totals	26 3 21 6 10

Score by innings—  
Trent 101 300 3 —8  
Hodges 100 200 0 —3

Summary—Two-base hits, Ernest Hartline. Home run, Hammer, 7th, one on. Struck out, by McElmurry 5, Leverett 3. Base on balls, off McElmurry 5, Leverett 4. Earned runs, Trent 3, Hodges 2. Left on base, Trent 10, Hodges 6. Umpires, Stevens, Laney, Breaux and Perry.

**FIRST PLAY-OFF SERIES.**  
The line scores of the last three games of the first series in the Shaughnessy play-off follow:  
F. & M. 204 000 0 6 8 5  
Hodges 510 004 x 10 6 2  
Copeland, Floyd and Walker; Earl Hartline and Bristow, Roberts.  
Trent 012 021 0 6 7 6  
Noodle 103 026 x 12 9 6  
Barnes, Bill Jones and Hutcheson; Presley and Payne.  
Trent 021 020 5 10 9 0  
Noodle 001 001 0 2 0 9  
McElmurry and Hutcheson; Presley and Payne.

Milk, claret and whiskey were more common beverages than water in early Texas, University of Texas historical records show.

**P.-T. A.**

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chairman, Mrs. Gordon Greene, Mrs. Sam Swann.

Publications—Mrs. Clyde Bartlett, chairman, Mrs. F. Y. Gaither, Mrs. Clyde Shouse, Mrs. Ed Sandusky.

Hospitality—Mrs. Owen Robertson, chairman, Mesdames Bob Fowler, Billy Cobb, John L. Jones, A. A. McGehee, Rex Myers, Earl Baze, Sam Allen, Raymond Ferguson, Byers Petty, Comer Haynes, R. J. Miller.

Budget and finance—Mrs. Clesby Patterson, chairman, Mesdames Carl Bacus, Leon Toombs, Joe Bailey Toombs.

Membership—Mrs. Clyde Sears, chairman, Mesdames Bob McDonald, Denzel Cox, Jenks Winter.

Health—Mrs. Elsie Nash, chairman, Mesdames Ellen Duncan, Joe Douglas, Leon Scott.

Room representatives—Mrs. Lem Dudley, chairman, all room mothers.

Goals—Supt. Connor Robinson, chairman.

Parent education and study group—Mrs. C. B. Gardner, chairman, Mrs. Spencer Bird.

**Weather Puts Dampener On Open House Night Of Merkel Fireboys**

The number who would have attended the open house at the fire station Tuesday night was not so large as might have been expected, because of the snappy cold wave that struck this section.

Fire Chief John Mansfield, Truck Driver Roy Mathews and a number of the active fireboys were present to extend greetings and keep entertain-

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**DRAMATIC ENTERTAINING MOVIE FREE!**



**QUEEN THEATRE**

Monday, Sept. 16  
2:30 p. m.

WEST TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY

**BACK TO WORK WE GO!**

• THE months ahead will see increased activity and more employment for labor of all kinds. Much skilled labor will be required in connection with national defense measures. Military training will bring about employment adjustments in almost every line of business.

• HERE in the Merkel trade area, crops are good, farm hands are in demand, prices should hold steady on maize, feedstuffs, and livestock. The Government Loan probably offers the best outlet for cotton.

• BANKING requirements of ALL lines of business will be promptly served through the complete facilities available at the Farmers & Merchants National.

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ment going. Visitors included many ladies as well as business men and friends of the volunteer fire-fighters.

A string band, including Homer Tye, Homer Tye, Jr., and Floyd McCoy, provided music with several impromptu song numbers. Coffee and urn were furnished by the Radford

Grocery, Abilene, and Fay Ernest of the Merchants Biscuit company was on hand to serve an assortment of cakes.

The merchants who advertise in this paper will give you the best values for your money.

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For FRIDAY and SATURDAY — Sept. 13-14

Extra Fancy, Fresh Tomatoes	Lb. 4c	<b>PURE LARD</b>	
Fresh Squash	Lb. 4c	4 lbs.	35c
Cabbage	Lb. 3c	8 lbs.	69c
Lettuce	Head 4c	New Crop California Sorghum	Gal. 65c
Onions	Lb. 5c	No. 1 Tomatoes	5c
Potatoes 10 lbs.	19c	Large Can Phillip's Pork & Beans	6c
Spuds	10 lbs. 25c	Ginger Snaps	2 lbs. 25c
Tokay Grapes	Lb. 5c	Graham Crackers	2 lbs. 20c
Large Bell Pepper	Lb. 5c	A-1 Crackers	2 lbs. 20c
Red Ball Pepper	Lb. 5c	Raisins	4 lbs. 35c
Oranges	Doz. 25c	Fresh Dried Prunes	Lb. 7c
Lemons	Doz. 25c	Fresh Ground Peaberry Coffee	2 lbs. 25c
Apples	Doz. 30c		
Bananas	Doz. 10c		

<b>MARKET</b>	
Liver	Lb. 15c
Bologna	Lb. 10c
Pork Chops	Lb. 19c
Pork Sausage	Lb. 18c
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<b>Carrots</b>	Beh. 5c	<b>Jello</b>	Pkg. 5c
<b>Lettuce</b>	3 hds. 10c	<b>Crackers</b>	2 lb. bx 15c
<b>New Mexico Apples</b>	Pk. 35c	<b>Peanut Butter</b>	Qt. 25c Bkt. 45c
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## QUEEN THEATRE CALENDAR

Friday-Saturday — George O'Brien in "Stage to China;" also Popeye cartoon, two-reel comedy and serial.

Saturday preview, Sunday matinee, Monday night—Shirley Temple, Jack Oakie in "Young People;" added, "Happy Tots Expedition" in color; "Information Please," featuring Wendell Willkie.

Tuesday only—"Manhattan Heartbeats," with Robert Sterling, Virginia Gilmore, Joan Davis; added, selected short subjects.

Wednesday-Thursday—James Oliver Curwood's "River's End," with Dennis Morgan, George Tobias; added, "March of Time" and cartoon.

### "Young People"

Bubbling-over with mirth and melody, and with Jack Oakie and Charlotte Greenwood shaking the fun, "Young People," new 20th Century-Fox hit coming to the Queen theatre Saturday preview, Sunday matinee and Monday night, has been heralded as the most enjoyable of all Shirley Temple's twenty-two pictures.

"Young People" is Shirley's first musical picture in two years. There are five top-notch songs cleverly blended with the plot in "Young People." The unusual story deals with troupers Jack, Charlotte and Shirley who decide to retire from the stage in a small New England town.

A star of the stage for many years, Charlotte Greenwood, who plays foster mother in the film, sets off her famous elongated legs to good advantage. Opposite her is funster Jack Oakie in a role that provides ample scope for his well-known antics.

Sharing the romantic lead in "Young People" are beautiful Arleen Whelan and rugged George Montgomery. Kathleen Howard is also featured.

### "River's End"

The Northwest Mounted's most exciting man-hunt begins on Wednesday at the Queen theatre when James Oliver Curwood's "River's End" crosses the screen. Starring Dennis Morgan, George Tobias and Elizabeth Earl, the Warner Bros.' thriller tells a dramatic tale of civilization's last outpost and the scarlet-coated Mounties who rule it!

Sergeant Conniston didn't know it, but he was starting out on the strangest case in the history of the Mounted when he set out for River's End, the Dodge City of the North. He was searching for John Keith, an escaped murderer, fighting his way through the silent snows to freedom. And waiting at the end of the trail was a girl fearfully awaiting the winner... her sweetheart or her brother.

Dennis Morgan, whose most recent screen appearance was in "Flight Angels," is given the best part in his career. He plays the dual role of Sergeant Conniston and John Keith, the man wanted for murder. Elizabeth Earl, beautiful, young English actress, makes her motion picture debut as the girl who is torn between love for her brother and for her sweetheart. Advance reports credit her with turning in a scintillating performance that is certain to bring stardom at Warner's to the gifted actress. George Tobias, noted character actor, is to be seen in the role of a French-Canadian who remains Sergeant Conniston's devoted servant in spite of Steffi Duna's attempts at marrying him.

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## Children of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner Here for Reunion

On Sunday, Sept. 1, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner and children, with a few friends, gathered at the Akens place on Mulberry creek for a reunion. The morning was spent in a good swimming pool, with lots of enjoyment, to get ready for that good old picnic lunch of chicken, ice cream and "everything."

The lunch was spread at 12:30 under the large elm trees and a happy get-together was enjoyed until 2:30 when swimming climaxed a well spent day.

All of Mr. and Mrs. Turner's children were present except one son-in-law, Howard Masserang. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Frazier and sons, Deverl and Clifford, Clint; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Turner and daughter, Shirley Ann, Abilene; Mrs. Howard Masserang and son, Weldon, Clint; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Coats and children, Peggy, Harold, Patsy Randall and Oma, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Frazier and family, Aileen, Elby, Wallace, Billie Faye, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ensminger and son, Wade Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Patterson and children, Elmer, Jr., and Lula Belle, Mrs. Sam Butman, Jr., and daughters, Edith and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. John Blackburn.

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## List of Petit Jurors Called for Next Week

The petit jury for next week in 42nd district court includes the following names:

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An old Gothic name meaning "Father Wolf" is the source of the name "Adolph."

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## State Bank Roll at 46 Millions Aug. 1

Austin, Sept. 12.—The state ended the last fiscal year on Aug. 31 with a \$46,425,022 bankroll.

That sum represented total cash in state funds on deposit with banks but did not tell the whole story of state finances.

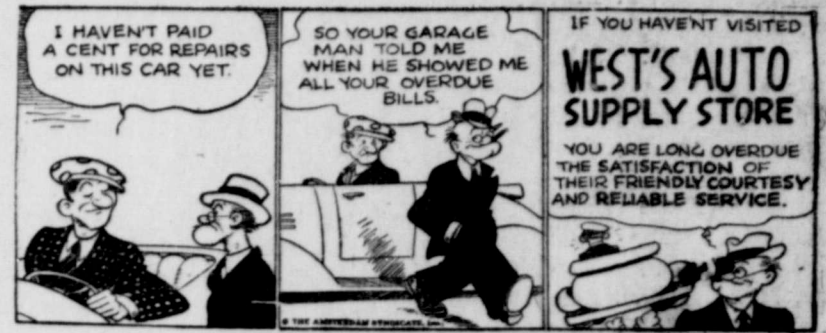
Three funds were in the red \$25,463,925. They were general rev-

enue \$23,296,519, Confederate pension \$1,987,405 and old age assistance \$180,000. The latter debt will be retired Sept. 10.

Other funds had big balances including highway \$7,801,388, permanent school \$7,182,494, county and road district \$9,126,333 and highway motor fuel tax \$3,873,741.

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**TRENT NEWS AND PERSONALS**

Mrs. J. B. Winn and Mrs. Joe Boone and children visited a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. "Boots" Brown at Goose Creek. Returning home they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. J. English who had spent the past two or three weeks there.

Mrs. Wayne Bolt and son of Abilene were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Bishop Monday.

Mildred Young is visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. C. C. Denton of Trinidad visited her brother, J. B. Winn, Sr., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Friend and Mrs. J. B. Friend, who spent the summer in Brownsville, are here for the school term and have an apartment with Mrs. Ed Burks.

Hazel and Katie Bob Swinney, operators of a beauty shop in Albany, spent the past week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swinney.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Owens had as their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palmer and son, Owen Edward, of Noodle.

**STEAK FRY.**

Mrs. Alex Williamson, assisted by Mrs. E. B. Strawn and Mrs. C. C. Stribling, were hostesses for a back-to-school party at the home of Mrs. Williamson Wednesday, commencing at 6:30, after which all attended the revival at the Baptist church, then returned to Mrs. Williamson's for dessert of ice cream and angel food cake. Those present were Hazel Williamson, C. H. Foley of Wichita Falls, Nadine Childers, James Strawn, Dorothy J. Strawn, Billy Joe Bowler, pastor, A. Mark Williamson, the closing, Charlene James, Wil-

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**TRENT SCHOOL OPENS.**

Official opening of the Trent public school was held Monday morning with a convocation assembly in the school auditorium. More than 200 students enrolled for the fall semester and approximately 75 more are expected to register the next few weeks.

Principal speaker of the assembly was Bryan Bradbury of Abilene. Rev. Fred Porter, Trent Baptist pastor, was in charge of the devotional. Other speakers were Rev. A. L. Anderson, Methodist pastor, and Mrs. Bud Winter, president of the Trent P. T. A.

Christine Collins led the assembly in singing "God Bless America" and also gave a solo. C. H. Foley, Jr., also sang.

**FOOTBALL PRACTICE.**

Approximately 16 boys came out for football practice Monday. Trent will have a six-man football team and will take a part in the Taylor county six-man interscholastic loop. T. C. Blankenship is the coach this year. All the games to be played here will be played on a lighted field at night.

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LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Robert Grimes, Jr., arrived home Friday evening on furlough until Sept. 18 to visit his mother, Mrs. Harriet Grimes, and other relatives. He has been taking a preliminary aviation course at San Diego, Calif., and on his return will enter the aviation machinists' school. Bob accompanied his uncle, Luther Grimes, from Brawley, Calif., who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Grimes, and other relatives.

Ed's cafe will re-open Saturday, it is announced by Mrs. Ed Turner, proprietor. The interior has been completely renovated and redecorated and, in addition to lunches and short orders, hamburgers, sandwiches and cold drinks will be served.

Assigned to the USS Tennessee, Louis Carson has been in Honolulu, Hawaii, the past several weeks, he writes his parents. He will be there until after Christmas, when the ship will return to the states. Later he expects the ship to be ordered to China or Japan.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. Bob Fowler's condition was so improved that she could be moved to her home Monday afternoon from the Hendrick Memorial hospital, Abilene, where she was taken after sustaining critical injuries in an automobile accident on Monday night, Sept. 2.

Joe Garland has moved his furniture store to the garage building, corner Elm and Lamar streets, which he bought last year and on which he made considerable repairs.

The U. S. Army Recruiting office at Abilene reports the enlistment of Ray F. Hardin, son of J. D. Hardin, Route 4. He has been assigned to the infantry, Fort Sam - Houston, San Antonio, Texas.

Attends Funeral of Father at Handley Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cobb and three children attended the funeral at Handley last Friday of Mrs. Cobb's father, H. C. Gilbert, who was 66 years of age. Mr. Gilbert was formerly engaged in the cafe business here.

Surviving are his wife, four daughters, Mrs. Cobb, Mrs. C. M. Durham and Mrs. Doyle Grider, Handley, and Mrs. Lotus Smith, Fort Worth, and seven grandchildren.

CARD OF THANKS. We take this method of expressing our heartfelt thanks to each and every one who in any manner aided us during our recent bereavement. For each word of sympathy, every act of kindness and for the beautiful floral offerings we can but say "God bless each of you." Mrs. C. H. Miller and Children.

PERSONALS

After visiting several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Bragg, Mrs. Paul Marr was joined this week by her husband. They left Wednesday for their home at Stephenville.

Floyd Hutcheson arrived Wednesday from Houston for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hutcheson. Condition of his father, who remains seriously ill, was slightly improved Wednesday.

Mrs. W. L. Barger and son, Louis Wayne, of Wichita Falls, are guests in the home of her sister, Mrs. D. H. Vaughn.

Miss Betty Grimes has returned from a visit last week with school friends in Lubbock and Amarillo. In Lubbock she visited Miss Arnette Halsey, whose approaching wedding to David Krister of Amarillo was announced at a luncheon for forty-two guests at the Lubbock hotel. In Amarillo she was the house guest of Miss Ruth Campbell, where other bethrotal parties were held for Miss Halsey.

After an extended vacation visit in Venice, Calif., Mrs. Pearl Hollingsworth returned home last week.

Mrs. W. A. McSpadden, who has been making her home in Abilene for the past year or more, has returned again to her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bragg and son, Granville, of Chillicothe, visited over the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Bragg. They were accompanied by Mrs. Wallace Bragg's mother, Mrs. Della Campbell, who visited her sisters, Misses Mossy and Eula Sears.

Miss Fay Pinckley left last Thursday for Perryton to resume her teaching duties for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Pinckley and daughters, Ruth, Marie and Sue, spent Sunday with Mrs. Pinckley's sister, Mrs. A. A. Abbott, of Cisco.

Mrs. Horace Browning has returned to her home in Pampa after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Fulton.

Mrs. Duncan Frame of Abilene was a Merkel visitor Thursday, Friday and Saturday in the Connor Robinson home and in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Grant. Mrs. E. B. Surface of Abilene was also a visitor in the Robinson home Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Frazier and sons, Deverl and Clifford, and Mrs. Howard Masserang and son, Weldon, all of Clint, returned home Sunday night after a few days' visit with Messdames Frazier and Masserang's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Turner, and other relatives. They also visited Mr. Frazier's parents at Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell Miller and daughter of Jal, N. M., are visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hughes.

Miss Joyce Turner of Roscoe is

visiting in the home of her brothers, Hubert and Cecil Turner.

Robert Grimes Seago of the United States navy, stationed at San Diego, Calif., returned Wednesday of last week after a ten-days' visit home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Seago.

Mrs. J. H. Grayson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Grayson, Mrs. Tom Greene and Mrs. C. W. Seago left last Thursday for points in Alabama and Georgia, the old home of Mrs. Grayson. It had been sixty years since she visited there. The party will be away three or four weeks.

J. T. Murdock of Fort Sill, Okla., visited his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Murdock, of Noodle, Sunday, Sept. 1. Other friends visiting in the Murdock home over the week-end were Oleah Muston and sister, Louise, from Goree, and guests for Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. Roundtree, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. John Horton and family, J. A. Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Carter.

On his return from a visit with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McCollum, at Dimmitt, John Wheeler was accompanied by Mrs. McCollum, who will visit with her father for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Jones had as their house guests over the week-end, their children, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones, of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Clark and daughter, Patsy Ruth, of Abilene. H. W. Higgins of Merkel was also a dinner guest Sunday in the Jones home.

Miss Effiebel Pannell returned to Dallas Saturday morning after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pannell. She will enter Draughon's Business college.

Guests last week of Mrs. Lucy Ford were her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lyles, and three children, A. C., Jr., Luther and Charlie, of Savoy. While here they also visited a brother, H. S. Bridges, of Rotan, and a sister, Mrs. O. S. Campbell, of Roby, going on to Lamesa to spend Saturday, Sunday and Monday with a sister, Mrs. J. A. Collum, and a brother, J. H. Bridges. Mr. and Mrs. Lyles are former residents of Merkel.

A caller at The Mail office Tuesday was W. A. McCormick, an old-time resident here, now living at Buffalo Gap. Mr. McCormick, who was here to haul some feed back, was accompanied by his wife and they dropped by the Mail office to renew their subscription.

Temporarily added to the force of the Taylor Electric Co-Operative, Inc., Miss Elna Tucker is assisting with the secretarial work of the home office here.

Merchants Sales Books 5c, six for 25c or 25 for \$1.00, at Merkel Mail office.

College Students

(Continued from Page One) Truett Patterson. Also going to Tech this year will be Mabel Murray and Marvin Hunter.

Jannell Black returns to Southwest Texas State Teachers college at San Marcos, which Mary Jo Garland will also attend this year. Edith Butman returns to John Tarleton, and Mattie Reynolds will re-enter Sul Ross Teachers college at Alpine at mid-term.

Betty Grimes, who attended Texas Tech last year, will return to the Texas State College for Women for her senior year. Wilma McAninch continues her work in the Dallas Methodist hospital.

Two students at the University of Texas are Sylvan Melling and Hugh Leonard. Dick West, who has been working this summer on the Corpus Christi Caller-Times, is on the undecided list at present, but may attend Trinity university at Waxahachie again.

Humble Completes One, Spuds Another During Week in Noodle Area

Completion of one well and spudding of another in the eastern Noodle Creek area of southwestern Jones county is reported for Humble Oil & Refining company.

Humble No. 8 I. N. Irwin rated a potential gauge of 210 barrels daily from the Noodle Creek section at 2,370-82 feet, after treatment with 3,000 gallons of acid. It is located 330 feet from the east and 1,624 feet from

the south lines of the lease in section 48-18-T & P survey.

Humble No. 5 Mrs. Rozilla Graves et al, the starter, is located 1,290 feet from the north and 2,166 feet from the west lines of section 41-18-T & P survey.

Teachers Leave for Coming Year's Work

Included in Merkel's quota of teachers, located in other towns, most of whom have already gone to their respective duties, are the following:

Miss Marie Pinckley, Irene; Miss

Minnie Lee Coats, Coleman; Miss Berdelle Adcock, Texas City; Miss Mary Kate Campbell, Amarillo; Miss Irene Swann, Roswell, N. M.; Miss Maurine Tipton, Ballinger; Miss Jess Sutphen, Wichita Falls; Miss Bess Church, Corpus Christi; Miss Faye Pinckley, Perryton; Miss Imogene Hayes, Odessa; Miss Aline McAninch, Shamrock; Mrs. J. B. Davidson, Millsap; Miss Iris Garrett, Hamilton; Miss Jane Ferguson, Cross Plains; Miss Himalya Swafford, Odessa; Miss Frances Castles, Casa Grande, Ariz.

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**WEBB-MASSER.**  
(Abilene Reporter-News.)

The marriage of Opal Masser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Masser, and Charlie Webb of Clyde, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Webb of Merkel, took place Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, 418 Jeanette street.

Canard Hays, minister of the Clyde Church of Christ, and longtime friend of the bridegroom, read the ring service.

The bride wore a navy blue dress with accessories of white.

Attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Will Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Douglass of Merkel and a few Abilene relatives and friends of the couple.

Mrs. Webb was graduated from the Abilene high school in 1938, and Mr. Webb was graduated from the Clyde high school in 1933. He is employed by a Clyde dairy.

**WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.**

The Woman's Missionary society of the Grace Presbyterian church met Monday, Sept. 9, with Mrs. Henry West as leader of the program on "Challenging Facts and The Younger Generation."

"The Christian's Compass" was the theme of the devotional, led by Mrs. Robinson, who used Matt. 29; Luke 9:59 and Mark 16:15 Scripture reading. "Boys Do"

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Elliott will be leader regular meeting, Oct. 7, on Alaska."

**M. U. CIRCLES.**  
Juanche Rose Walker Circle of First Baptist church met with J. S. Swann on Monday after-

Mrs. J. O. Castles led the opening prayer and Mrs. Lum Gilbreath brought an interesting Bible lesson. Mrs. E. O. Carson dismissed with prayer.

Those present were Mesdames J. O. Castles, A. D. Fulton, E. O. Carson, Sam Swann, Owen Robertson, Clyde Bartlett, Lum Gilbreath, J. S. Swann and W. L. Johnson.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. E. O. Carson on Sept. 23.

The Elkin Lockett Circle met in the home of Mrs. W. F. Patterson on Monday afternoon. In the absence of the leader, Mrs. Chas. West, Mrs. J. M. Williamson was in charge. Mrs. J. J. McNiece led the opening prayer and Mrs. J. L. Winter taught a

wonderful Bible lesson to the following:

Mesdames F. A. Polley, J. J. McNiece, J. M. Williamson, J. M. Meeks, O. B. Tatum, G. M. Sharp, A. H. Zollinger, L. D. Chapman, Oda Clark, W. F. Patterson and Pomroy. The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Clark.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. G. M. Sharp.

**WILLING WORKERS CLASS.**

The Willing Workers class of the Presbyterian church met on Tuesday afternoon at the church. In the absence of the class president, Mrs. J. E. Tucker presided.

The meeting was opened with a song, "Saviour More Than Life to Me," with Mrs. W. T. Curb at the piano. Devotional was led by Mrs. J. E. Tucker, taken from the 146th Psalm. Scripture readings and poems were given by members of the class and roll call was answered by Scripture quotations. The devotional was closed with the song, "Blest Be the Tie that Binds," and prayer by Mrs. R. A. Walker.

**UNION RIDGE CLUB.**

Mrs. Frank Cary was hostess to the Union Ridge Demonstration club last Friday. Discussion of the club's book, "The West Texas Fair was the main Expend the afternoon.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames O. J. Clark, W. C. Lee, Burly Hass, Lee Ponder, Miss Hattie Tacker, Mrs. S. O. Patton's on o'clock, with Molder entertaining.

**BLUEBONNET CLUB.**

Mrs. Roy Hunter was hostess to the Bluebonnet club on Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 10. The county agent, Miss Hattie Tacker, gave an interesting discussion on "Care of Kitchen and Cleaning Equipment in the Home."

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Joe Seymore, Joe Swinney, A. L. Farmer, Ben Butman, Tom Russon, Will Butman, A. R. Toombs, W. C. Perkins, R. D. Hunter and Dewel McLean, Miss Hattie Tacker, Loueen Butman and the hostess.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. A. L. Farmer on Oct. 1.

**MERKEL BRIDE HONORED AT GIFT PARTY.**

Complimenting Mrs. Clyde Rushing, the former Annie Fern Jones, Mrs. Norman Winter and Mrs. Truett Jones entertained at a gift shower Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. M. E. West.

Games were played before the pres-

**Dr. Surface New Head Of Abilene Presbytery**

Twenty-six ministers and elders from the area of the Abilene presbytery of the Presbyterian church, U. S. A., closed a two-day session at Stamford Thursday of last week, selecting Breckenridge as the site for the next meeting, which will be held in the spring. Attending as elder-delegate from Grace Presbyterian church was W. A. Campbell, who returned home Thursday afternoon.

Dr. E. B. Surface, pastor of Central Presbyterian church, Abilene, was elected new moderator, succeeding Rev. Charles Ward, formerly of Snyder, who has been transferred to Tishmingo, Okla.

Delegates named to the synod which meets in Paris, Texas, Oct. 15, were Rev. Wm. F. Rogan, pastor delegate, H. H. Pennington, elder delegate, from Stamford; alternates, Rev. J. A. Owen of Albany and Elmo Jones, elder-delegate, Tuscola.

Patients dismissed during the past week from the Sadler Clinic include: Leonard Camp, dismissed Sept. 6; Gwendolyn Vaughn, Sept. 7; Paul West, Sept. 8, and Mrs. J. H. Ensminger, Sept. 9.

Nancy Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Allen of Abilene, who entered the hospital last Friday for an appendectomy, was dismissed Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Mayfield, Route 4, was received Wednesday for major surgery. A tonsillectomy was had on Sept. 5 by Calvin Wade of Trent.

Miss Ruth Roberts of the REA office entered the hospital Wednesday night for a tonsillectomy. She was able to return Monday to her duties.

**HOSPITAL NOTES.**

One thousand two hundred and ninety-two courses were offered last year in the University of Texas at Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Cantrell and children of Abilene were visitors recently in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sosebee.

Miss Jodie Bicknell was a weekend guest of Clara Deutschman.

Master Ronny Whitehurst of Corpus Christi is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Callaway. Mrs. Callaway has recently returned from Corpus.

Miss Pearl Collins has returned to Brownwood to enroll in Howard Payne college. She will be a junior.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reece were guests Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Chaney, Sr.

Mrs. Claude Derrick and Alla Ruth are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Monta J. Moore, of Woodsboro.

Leta Faye and Dorothy Barbee are visiting Mrs. Roy Whitehurst of Corpus Christi.

Geraldine Sloan spent the weekend with Juanee Jones of Stith.

Miss Fannie Boaz entertained her nephew, Jackie Smith, Bobbie Nell Bicknell and Peggy Anne Bicknell on a picnic at Abilene State park Friday afternoon. Others present were Mrs. Jim Boaz, Mrs. Otto Bicknell and daughter, Jodie, and Mrs. Warren Smith of Abilene. Luncheon was served at 7:20 and many interesting games were played afterwards.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Phillips of Goodman visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Cox.

Mrs. E. L. Eason visited Saturday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Otto Bicknell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bicknell and children of Lubbock visited his father, W. J. Bicknell, Sunday.

**NOODLE NEWS**

Cotton picking is well on its way and every one is very busy. It has been announced that school will start here Sept. 30, unless further notice is given.

Miss Billie Jean Sosebee has been visiting her brother and his wife in Rawlins, Wyo. While there she visited Yellowstone National park.

Little Miss Ray Belle Causey is visiting her aunt in Stamford.

Misses Wance Tarpley, Yvonne Howard and Mary O'Leta Dixon visited Sunday in the home of Iris Eoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sloan were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Satterwhite Sunday.

Betty Lou Cade had as guest in her home this week-end, Bonnie Lou White, of Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Justice and son, Woody, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sloan.

Mrs. Otto Bicknell was a guest of Miss Fannie Boaz Sunday. Imagean Bird has entered beauty

**In The Churches**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.**

There were 579 present at the six reporting Sunday Schools here last Sunday, as compared with 545 the previous week. On the same Sunday a year ago the attendance was 656.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST.**

Brother Harold Collard of Olton, Texas, will preach for us Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Every one cordially invited to hear him and worship with us at those hours. Especially do we urge that all members of the local congregation be present for these services.

Young people have a program for Sunday 7 p. m. Brother R. T. Gray will assist them in their work.

Wednesday evening a service of song, prayer and Bible study. Come, everybody.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Every one is urged to attend each Sunday.

Following the regular Sunday School hour, the Woman's Missionary society will lead a special prayer service. This prayer session is being observed by all Texas Presbyterian Missionary societies in their local churches during the month of September. All church members and friends are invited to have a part in this prayer-worship service.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.**

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Morning sermon at 11. Training Union 7:00. Evening sermon at 8:00.

Teachers' and officers' meeting and prayer meeting 8:00 Wednesday evening.

**BAPTIST W. M. U.**

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist church will meet Monday at the church for the Royal Service program. Topic for the month is "To the Jew First."

With Mrs. G. M. Sharp in charge, the Elkin Lockett Circle will put on the following program: "A Called People," Mrs. Oda Clark; "Israel's Gift to the World," Mrs. O. B. Tatum; "The Jew Today," Mrs. J. M. Williamson; "That Israel Might Be Saved," Mrs. Lum Gilbreath; "The Jew Next Door," Mrs. J. J. McNiece.

**METHODIST CHURCH.**

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Morning sermon at 11 a. m. Young people's meeting at 7:30 p. m. Evening worship at 8:00. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8.

**NAZARENE CHURCH.**

Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:15 o'clock.

**FUNDAMENTALIST BAPTIST CHURCH.**

Preaching Saturday night at 8 o'clock. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Young people's Bible study 3 p. m. All young people invited to attend these studies. Preaching service 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

**NUBIA M. S.**

The Nubia Missionary society is presenting a program Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The topic is "Our Challenge Today." Mrs. Dewel McLean will speak on "Our Position in a Changing World;" Mrs. Joe Seymore, "The Greatest Job of a Christian Individual," and Mrs. Tom Russon will close with a talk on "Am I Doing My Part as a Worker in God's Kingdom?"

**Farewell Party for E. W. Key Family at Stanley King Home**

The congregation of the Church of Christ tendered a farewell party on Tuesday evening to their minister, E. W. Key, who left Thursday for Electra, to which church he has accepted a call. His family will follow later.

Approximately 75 were present at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley King, where a lawn party had been planned, but the unexpected cool spell forced most of the entertainment indoors.

String music was furnished by the Allen sisters and the evening was spent informally. Sandwiches and punch were served at the refreshment hour.

During the evening the minister, whose work here has been markedly successful, and his wife were presented with a lovely chenille bedspread by the congregation.

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