



\$65,142 in Cotton Checks Received

Local Colored Folk Plan Big To-Do in Celebrating June 19

The colored folk of Gatesville will celebrate the anniversary of Emancipation Day when the annual barbecue and picnic is held here on June 18 and 19.

The site north of the old Farmers' Union Warehouse will be the place of the colored celebration, according to L. C. Kelly and Ben McMurray, in charge of arrangements.

A dance on Monday night, June 18, will mark the opening of the Emancipation celebration. The festivities will conclude with a dance on the following evening, June 19.

There will be a ball-game Tuesday afternoon following the picnic in which the local colored team will engage a visiting club, the final arrangement of which has not been finished.

EDITOR TO ATTEND CONVENTION OF TEXAS PRESS

The editor of the News will leave Wednesday for Dallas to attend a three-day meeting of the Texas Press Association. This meeting is the annual convention of the Texas Press.

The News has been a member of the Association since the present editor took over the News a year ago this month.

A buffet-supper and reception will be given Wednesday evening at the Adolphus Hotel, convention headquarters, by the secretary of the T. P. A. and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Sam P. Harbin, of Richardson. The convention proper will open with registration Thursday morning.

ALMANAC



"The devil tempts all other men, but the idle man tempts the devil."

JUNE

- 11—The American army sails for Cuba war-bent, 1898.
- 12—Cook ends famed trip around the world, 1771.
- 13—Simplified spelling urged by Pres. Roosevelt, 1903.
- 14—Alcock and Brown first to fly Atlantic, 1919.
- 15—20-hour trains New York to Chicago start, 1903.
- 16—Kaiser Wilhelm ascends the German throne, 1888.
- 17—That famous Battle of Bunker Hill, 1775.

500 Spectators See Allstars Turn Back Waco Softball Team

An estimated crowd of 500 spectators turned out Saturday night to watch a team of local softball payers turn back the strong Waco Commercial League Fadal Drug club under the floodlights at the Fair Park, 10-4.

Joe Ricketts, who took the mound for the locals, although not pitching at his best, received great support from his teammates.

At the end of the first inning the visitors took the field with a 3 to 0 lead. The locals came back in the second to score five runs only to be overtaken by the visitors with two runs to tie the score, 5-5.

In the third inning Gatesville failed to score but Fadals chalked up three additional runs, which incidently were the last tallies for the Waco crew. The Allstars retaliated with four runs in the fifth and one in the ninth to win the game.

LINEUP

Gatesville—Rogers, rs; K. Jones, ls; Laxson, lf; Rankin, rf; Blackburn, cf; R. Jones, c; Buster Laxson, 2b; Wiggins, 1b; Busby, 3b; Ricketts, p.

Waco—Morris, lf; McDonald, 1b; Bines, ls; Pringle, 3b; L. Fadal, rs; S. George, cf; Pauling, p; J. Fadal, 2b; Ashcraft, c; Mullins, rf.

DELEGATES LEAVE FOR FIREMEN'S MEETING MINERAL WELLS

Three members of the Gatesville Volunteer Fire-Department, Bill Ament, Roland Bone and L. L. Wharton, were elected by the Department as delegates to the annual Firemen's Convention which convenes in Mineral Wells this morning, June 12.

The three delegates left for Mineral Wells Monday morning and will return Thursday.

The Firemen's Convention was held in Corpus Christi about this time last year and was attended by several Gatesville representatives.

PECAN GROWERS TO MEET HERE THURSDAY AT 2 P. M.

Mr. A. C. Easley of the State Department of Agriculture will address the pecan growers of this county at the courthouse here at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon on the subject "New Problems of the Pecan Industry." In the course of his address he will discuss ways of increasing revenue from pecans through the markets.

All landowners who have native pecan groves on their property are urged to attend this meet.

Matthews Will Not Make Race for Publ. Weigher Account of Ill Health

Arthur Matthews has authorized the News to announce that he has withdrawn from the race for the office of Public Weigher.

The withdrawal is because of the ill health of Mr. Matthews, who left Sunday for San Antonio where he will take treatments.

Mr. Matthews asked that the News express his appreciation to his friends for their support and his regrets that his health was such to prevent him from holding the office in the event of his election.

SHOWMAN CLAIMS FOUL AGAINST 'NERO' IN ONE-ROUND BOUT

L. B. Brown, owner and manager of the Regal and Ritz Theaters here, says "A lion is not a bit fair, he hits in the clinches." It is to be supposed that L. B. knows because he had an encounter with one of the species at the Regal here last Saturday night.

Mr. Brown was assisting the lion trainer in placing the stage settings and got a little too close to the cage in which the lion was imprisoned. Nero, the lion, reached out and grabbed Mr. Brown's right arm in a mighty claw. Spectators aver that Mr. Brown lost no time in attempting to get away. While Brown was busily engaged in an attempt to break away the cub gave vent to a lusty roar and smacked his victim a good one in the back of the head. The showman, we are told, almost flew to safety with his tattered shirt streaming behind.

Mr. Brown is up and about although Mrs. Brown is worried about those deep scratches on his back, arm and shoulder. To say the least Mr. Brown won't do much bowing until the soreness from the slap goes out of his neck.

GATESVILLE WOMAN ON WACO DIST W. M. S. PROGRAM

Mrs. W. C. Guggolz, of Gatesville, was one of the outstanding speakers on the program last Wednesday when several hundred women of the district division of the Methodist Women's Missionary Society met in Waco. The meeting was held in the Herring Avenue Methodist Church.

Mrs. Guggolz is Secretary of the Central Texas Conference. Mrs. W. B. Landrum, of Tyler, member at large of the Women's Missionary Society of the Southern Methodist Council, was also a program speaker. Mrs. Landrum has frequently visited in Gatesville.

Forth-Coming 32 Government Checks Will Bring Coryell County's First Part Payment to \$75,000

One thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine cotton checks made payable to the cotton producers of Coryell County who signed the reduction contract arrived in Gatesville at noon Friday in the office of County Agent D. W. Sherrill. The checks at hand total exactly \$65,141.85.

Immediately upon receipt of the government checks the machinery of the local Agricultural Administration office was put to work and through the competent efforts of the County Agent and staff, cards addressed to the farmers payees were in the mail Friday night, advising the producers of the good news.

Out of the 1,961 approved contracts, only thirty-two government pay-off checks concerning that number of contracts have not been received, however it is understood by the local authorities that these will be forthcoming in the near future. These remaining contracts represent approximately \$10,000 which, when received, will bring the total for Coryell County's first payment to above \$75,000.

First Rental Payment

The \$75,000 in federal money represents the first half of the

three-and-a-half cents per pound rental payment. The second half of the rental payment will come in September it is thought, immediately following the acreage measurement, which will take place in July and August.

Besides these two payments of the rental there will be another check for producers in December representing parity payment. This will represent 1 cent per pound or more on the farm allotment. The farm allotment is 40% and is based on the five-year average crop production.

Farmers Come Early

Recipients of the government cotton checks began coming in to the County Agent's office at 7:30 a. m. Saturday. Monroe Blankenship, of Gatesville was the first to receive his check. The agent's office remained crowded until late in the morning Monday until the congested situation made it imperative for Mr. Sherrill and his corps of four or five assistants to move their temporary quarters into the District Courtroom.

Cotton producers received

(Continued on last page)

Allred Will Review Vital Issues Before Local Audience Sat.

An amazing and inspiring spectacle met the eyes of all who were a part of the vast and enthusiastic crowd that gathered at Bowie, Texas on April 9, to hear the Hon. James V. Allred, Attorney General of Texas open his campaign for Governor in his home county.

Mr. Allred, who is conceded to be one of the best platform speakers in the state, frankly and fearlessly discussed the issues that have rankled in the minds of all true Texans for years.

The Attorney General also made clear his views of the present inequality of taxation and offered a plan whereby the tax system may be altered so that taxation will be according to ability to pay.

Professional lobbying was stamped in no uncertain words as a menace to state government and the sovereignty of the people.

Other questions of significance to every voter are the reform of our criminal procedure in order to secure a speedier and surer justice and the elimination of private employment of, and the payment of retainer fees to, our state legislators by private persons or corporations, while these legislators are supposedly acting for the public good.

Hon. James V. Allred will discuss these and other questions when he speaks in Gatesville, on Saturday night, June 16th., at eight o'clock.

FIRST TO RESPOND

Valley Mills, Tex., June 9
Rev. M. M. Chunn,
Gatesville, Texas,
Dear Brother Chunn:

Your invitation to attend your celebration day on June 24th, Sunday; thank you very much and we will be there for the full day, providence smiling.

I guess that I am excited about that invitation and am leaving sentences unfinished and letters out of words. But anybody who can edit the Central Texas Conference minutes, can read into a letter what a fellow intends to say, even if he does not hint at it.

Thanks again for the invitation. We will be there, if well and make as good hands as possible.

With good wishes, I am your brother,

J. W. W. Shuler.

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THE UNIFORM BUDGET LAW

The Texas Legislature recently passed what is known as the Uniform Budget Law. This extremely democratic measure opens the way for the taxpayers of the state to take an active part in planning and controlling the expenditures of all units of local government.

As a means of drawing some deduction as to the monstrosity of state and local taxation, readers might be interested to know that to meet the expenditures of state and local taxation last year it required the value of four million bales of cotton, representing the labor of a third of the citizens of Texas.

The Uniform Budget Law requires planning in advance the expenditure of the taxpayers' money, a thing which has not been observed in many localities in the past. The law paved the way for a cooperation between public officials and taxpayers to secure a more orderly handling of public funds.

Our big trouble heretofore has not been in the type of men we elect to office but the failure of the taxpayer to give organized support to economy in government. With the passage of the Uniform Budget Law the taxpayers have the opportunity to exercise that support.

Some of the predominant features and provisions of the new tax law are as follows:

Sometime in July the budget must be filed with the County Clerk. At sometime between August 15 and the day the Court levies taxes for the county a public hearing must be held, the date to be set by the Commissioners Court.

The taxpayer may contribute his part toward budgeting the local expenditure of tax money by working through organized expenditure committees. Many cities and towns, through Chambers of Commerce have already set up such organized committees. Where such committees are not active they should become active and where they do not exist individual citizens should see that such bodies are organized. Any individual who is called upon by the County Judge to sit with him in forming the budget should immediately respond.

When the public hearing is held individuals should attend with the idea of contributing constructive suggestions that might help in the economical welfare of that particular locality. Above all at this hearing politics should not be allowed to become a part of the program.

It has been said that it is no time to lock the stable door after the horse is gone. If the taxpayers want to control taxes the time to do it is before the money is spent. Taxpayers should be sufficiently interested to aid public officials in making plans before the money is spent.

As a general rule public officials are endeavoring to practice economy, and criticism on the part of the people is unwarranted. The trouble is that many times the County is called upon for the expenditure of a sum of money by certain committees but are never called upon by a committee suggesting means of constructive economy. It might be well to remember that we need more intelligent citizen interest in taxes than new public officials. It is well to believe that the governing body will welcome a group of honest, conscientious men desiring to serve the interest of the taxpayers, to work with them toward local economy.

STUMPIN' THE STATE

WITH THE SPECTATOR

Editor's Note.—This column is published by the News as a news feature because of the interesting comments of this writer upon politics. The views expressed are those of the writer and should not be interpreted as reflecting the editorial opinions of this newspaper.

For the benefit of readers the writer is giving below the official Democratic primary ballot which has been compiled and released by the Associated Press with the permission of the Democratic State Executive Committee:

FOR U. S. SENATOR:
Joseph W. Hailey Jr., Dallas
Tom Connally, Marlin
Guy B. Fisher, San Augustine

FOR GOVERNOR:
James V. Allred, Wichita Falls
Maury Huges, Dallas
Tom F. Hunter, Wichita Falls
C. C. McDonald, Wichita Falls
W. W. Nance Sr., Fort Worth
Edward K. Russell, Annona
Clint C. Small, Amarillo
Edgar E. Witt, Waco

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:
Walter Woodul, Houston
R. M. Johnson, Palestine
Benjamin F. Berkeley, Alpine
John W. Hornsby, Austin
J. P. Rogers, Houston
Joe Moore, Greenville

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL:
Walter Woodward, Coleman
J. F. Hair, San Antonio
Clyde E. Smith, Woodville
William McCraw, Dallas

FOR STATE COMPTROLLER:
Ben J. Witt, Houston
George H. Sheppard, Austin
J. J. Patterson, San Antonio
Dolph B. Tillison, Athens

FOR STATE SCHOOL SUPT.:
L. A. Woods, Waco
Jefferson G. Smith, Austin

FOR STATE TREASURER:
Charley Lockhart, Austin
Kay Griffin, Fort Worth
George B. Terrell, Dallas
John Marable, Dallas
D. B. Waller, Trinity

FOR RAILROAD COM.:
Lon A. Smith, Austin
H. O. Johnson, Houston
John Pundt, Dallas
James L. McNeese, Dallas
W. Gregory Hatcher, Dallas

FOR LAND COMMISSIONER:
Walter E. Jones, Longview
J. H. Walker, Austin

FOR AGRI. COMMISSIONER:
J. E. McDonald, Waxahachie
Fred W. D. Davis, Austin

FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT:
James W. McClendon
John H. Sharp
H. S. Littimore

FOR COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:
W. C. Morrow, Austin

The State Bit Co., Houston, is a new manufacturing concern recently chartered.

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Building activities for August at Greensboro, N. C., were greater than for the same month last year. At Wairoa, New Zealand, a new steel and concrete bridge has replaced the bridge destroyed by earthquake.

Descendants of Coryell Pioneer Families Hold Reunion on Cow House

Approximately ninety descendants of the pioneer families of Coates, Loves, Friends, Perryman and Harmans, who came to Texas before the days of the cattle trails of the '70's and '80's, attended a reunion held at the old tabernacle on Cow House creek at Pidcoke, Sunday, June 3rd.

The reunion meant for some the first home-coming since childhood to the old settlements and the first visit with friends and relatives for many years. Barbecue and dinner were served and the day was spent recounting the stories that cling around those old settlers who made much of the pioneer history of Central Texas.

Originally, the ancestors came from Kentucky, Alabama, Arkansas, and Mississippi. They pushed into Texas in wagons and ox carts and settled in Coryell County. Being public spirited, law-abiding and intelligent people, they soon gained prominence in affairs of the State. At the close of the century, however, many of the families had moved away and their activities in the county had begun to decline. The reunion brought them back—to revive the things that are now little more than memories.

Those from out of the county who attended the reunion were: Mrs. Dixie Friend Davidson, Mrs. Maggie Friend Seaborn, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Friend, all of Ozona, Texas; Mrs. Dollie Love Bartley, Duncan, Oklahoma, and daughter, Mrs. Leslie Chambers, Watonga, Oklahoma; Mrs. Mollie Love Harman, Holland; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Williams, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harman, Mrs. Worth Harman, Nolan Harman, Miss Minnie Crawford, Mrs. Joe R. Gee, Lampasas; Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Parrot, Miss Mary Parrot, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Harman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Morgan, Waco; Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Duncan, Earle Duncan Dallas.

Among others of the families present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Perryman Mr. and Mrs. Bayne Perryman Homer Perryman, M. and Mrs. M. L. Harman, Mr. and Mrs. Gip Waddill, Mrs. Daisy Perryman Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Martin.

HONOR ROLLS GATESVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Following is a list of the students of Gatesville Elementary School who made the honor roll for the second semester of the school term just closed:

First Grade—John William Potts, Elizabeth Ricketts, Billy Yvonne Bartlett, Norma Jeanne Clark, Colleen Benson, Ruth Gilchrest, Birdie Ann Hollingsworth, Janelle Kirby.

Second Grade—Maxine Lovejoy, Billy Jack Pollard, Roy Prewitt, Bobbie Ward, Nettie Jane Franks, Helen Marie Johnson, Suzanne Sadler, Sam Powell.

Third Grade—Erma Sue Brooks, Sara Frances Graham, Mary Margaret Holmes, Norma Joy Pollard, Josephine McClellan, Marie Louise Meharg, Betty Kate Murray, Martha Lou Phillips.

Fourth Grade—Mable Marion

Brown, Mary Elizabeth Brooks, John Frank Byrom, Johnnie Belle Coskrey, Julia Ann Melbern, Jimmie McClellan, Frances Reesing, Bessie Lee Roberts, Betty Jo Stewart, Elmer Sparks.

Fifth Grade—Ernestine Shelton, Grace Walker, Marguerite Kelso, Margaret Ann Morton, Joyce Thomas, Lois Thomas.

Sixth Grade—Ernestine Chitwood, Gladys Marie Phillips, Frances Brown, Pearl Deen Coskrey, Martha Moore, Alma Louise Murray, Helen Walley.

Seventh Grade—Roslyen Anderson, Helon Chamlee, Eloise Cook, Wilma Franks, Linda Erle Hayes, Josie Lee, Anita Lowrey, Nettie Jane Thomson, Annie Ruth Witt, Jack Hearne.

Sixth Period Honor Roll
Following is the honor students for the sixth period of the school term:

First Grade—Robert Powell, John William Potts, Jack Lloyd Saunders, Elizabeth Ann Ricketts, Patti Ruth Stewart, Billy Yvonne Bartlett, Norma Jeanne Clark, Colleen Benson, Ruth Gilchrest, Birdie Ann Hollingsworth, Janelle Kirby.

Second Grade—Nettie Jane Franks, Helen Marie Johnson, Suzanne Sadler, Dawson Bradley, Maxine Lovejoy, Billy Jack Pollard, Roy Prewitt, Bobbie Ward.

Third Grade—Josephine McClellan, Marie L. Meharg, Betty Kate Murray, Martha Lou Phillips, Erma Sue Brooks, Sara Frances Graham, Mary Margaret Holmes, Norma Joy Pollard.

Fourth Grade—Dick Anderson, Mable Marion Brown, Mary Elizabeth Brooks, John Frank Byrom, Johnnie Belle Coskrey, Julia Ann Melbern, Jimmie McClellan, Adeline Powell, Frances Reesing, Bessie Lee Roberts, Betty Lee Roberts, Betty Jo Stewart, Elmer Sparks, Hulon Thomson.

Fifth Grade—Grace Walker, Marguerite Kelso, Margaret Ann Morton, Joyce Thomas, Lois Thomas.

Sixth Grade—Ernestine Chitwood, Gladys Marie Phillips, Frances Brown, Pearl Deen Coskrey, Martha Moore, Lula Jean Morgan, Alma Louise Murray, Helen Walley.

Seventh Grade—Roslyen Anderson, Helon Chamlee, Eloise Cook, Wilma Franks, Linda Erle Hayes, Josie Lee, Anita Lowrey, Nettie Jane Thomson, Annie Ruth Witt, Jack Hearne.

Big Day Is Planned in Opening of State Park Lampasas June 12-13

It will be a big day in Lampasas June 12-13, when the Lampasas State Park is formally opened to the public. D. E. Colp, chairman of the state park board has announced that arrangements have been completed and the directors of the Lampasas Chamber of Commerce compose the opening.

The big feature of the day will be a show by Leonard Stroud and his nationally known corps of rodeo entertainers, both cowboys and cowgirls, who will stage shows at 2 p. m. and 8 p. m. n each day of the opening.

Political candidates for state and district offices will be allowed to speak from 10 until 12 each day. Plenty of eats and drinks will be available, the committee has stated.

Central Texas cow-hands will

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Coryell County News is authorized to carry the following political announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held July 28, 1934:

For State Representative, Dis. 94:
EARL HUDDLESTON
(Second Term)
A. G. LIVINGSTON

For Judge 52nd Judicial District:
R. B. CROSS
TOM L. ROBINSON

For District Attorney:
HARRY FLENTGE

For District Clerk:
P. M. POST (Reelection)

For County Judge:
ROBT. W. BROWN

For Sheriff:
J. W. BURLESON
ED McMORDIE
G. B. FLETCHER
JOE WHITE
J. Y. HAMILTON

For County Clerk:
C. P. MOUNCE (Reelection)
MARVIN E. FLETCHER

For Tax Assessor and Collector:
IVY EDMONDSON
DAVE CULBERSON

For County Attorney:
FLOYD ZEIGLER
(Reelection)

For County Treasurer:
J. K. BRAZZIL (Reelection)

For County Superintendent:
J. M. WITCHER
W. D. STOCKBURGER
M. J. (Mike) COLEMAN
W. A. FREEMAN
P. K. HUMES
KIT CARSON
JOHN WALKER

For Commissioner, Beat No. 1:
J. B. SANDERS
H. E. (ED) HUCKABEE
ED PRESTON

For Commissioner, Beat No. 2:
W. E. HOLCOMB
J. R. BATES
(Reelection)

For Commissioner, Beat No. 4:
DICK PAYNE (Reelection)

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1:
A. SHIRLEY
YOUNG W. LEE
W. T. CARUTH

For Constable, Precinct No. 1:
T. J. McKINNEY

For Public Weigher, Precinct 1:
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also be given just consideration at the rodeos for there will be events open to all comers in addition to the professional rodeo performances.

The Stroud rodeo is highly touted as being a collection of the best riders, trick ropers, bull-doggers, and other stunt men of the country. Prizes amounting to hundreds of dollars will be given to entrants in the amateur events.

Amarillo Boy, described as a "bronc that has permitted more sun to shine in his saddle than he has permitted cow hands to shadow it," will be one of the stellar performers of the day.

At Longview last week, Mr.

Stroud offered \$100 to the rider who could ride Amarillo Boy to a standstill, and the money is still in the bank. Music for the gala occasion will be furnished by the Lampasas American Legion band under the direction of Prof. A. B. Ronald. "See Texas Parkes First," is the slogan of D. E. Colp of the state park board, who has been instrumental in the establishment of many Texas parks. It

is for this reason that Mr. Colp and his committee have spared nothing in bringing the best of entertainment to Lampasas for the opening.

Four-fifths of the commercial forest area in the United States, or close to 400 million acres, are in private ownership, says the department of agriculture.

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SOCIETY

Gentry Twins Entertained On Birthday.

Judy and Gene Gentry celebrated their eighth birthday at their home, 310 North 10th St., Saturday afternoon, June the 2, with a gay little party.

The color scheme chosen was pink and yellow. A birthday cake topped with pink candles in yellow rose buds centered the table.

The little guests were served punch, cake and ice cream.

Jack Loyd Saunders Honored On Birthday.

Mrs. Jim R. Saunders entertained with a party at her home last Friday afternoon complimenting her son, Jack Loyd, on his seventh birthday.

Informal games on the beautiful lawn furnished amusement for the guests. The honoree received many useful and beautiful gifts, after which refreshments of punch and all-day suckers were served.

Fifteen children were present for the delightful occasion.

Visitors Complimented With Bridge Party.

Naming Mrs. Jacob Floyd and Miss Willie Lou Glenn as honorees, Dr. and Mrs. Kermit R. Jones entertained with a bridge party at their home last Thursday evening at eight o'clock.

Bath powder was awarded Mrs. Elgin Davidson, high score holder for the women, and Judge Robt. W. Brown won a novelty ash tray for second high.

A refreshment plate of mint ice cream and cake squares were served to the following: Messrs and Mesdames Elgin Davidson, Bythel Cooper, A. W. Gartman, Robt. W. Brown, Francis Caruth, I. F. Johnson Jr., D. R. Boone, Howard Franks, R. W. Ward, Clyde Bailey, Richard More and Miss Mary Routh and Mat Jones.

Eighth Birthday Honored Wednesday.

Mrs. G. E. Strickland complimented her daughter, Peggy Ruth, with a delightful birthday party at her home on Saunders Street Wednesday afternoon of last week.

After playing games, ice cream, cake and candy was served to Ray Virginia McCreary, Billie Burns Powell, Patty Cummings, Nettie Jane Franks, Annie Ruth Franks, Janelle Richardson, Lupe Nayola, Gene Gentry, Eloise Thomas, Jerry Davis, Betty Jane Jones, Patsy Ruth Lovejoy, Maxine Lovejoy, Bobby Gene Stout, Nelda June Man, Mildred Kirpatrick, Poppy Edwards, James Reed Powell, Robert Routh, Charles Frances Caruth and the honoree.

Book Club Members and Guests Entertained at Brown Home.

Mrs. C. L. Thompson received a breakfast set and Mrs. A. W. Gartman was given a baking dish for their efforts in bridge at the party given last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robt. W. Brown.

Others players were Mesdames J. O. Brown, Tom L. Robinson, D. R. Boone, R. W. Ward, Paul Martin, Frank Battle, George

Painter, Andrew Kendrick, Pat Potts, Mabry Prewitt, M. W. Lowrey, D. I. Glass, Chas. Powell, B. B. Garrett, James Moss, Kermit R. Jones, Bythel Cooper, J. F. Mitchell, Clifford Adams, Will Powell, Frank Williams and Miss Mary Routh.

Apricot ice cream and cake were served at the conclusion of the games.

Guests Honored With Picnic Sat. Night.

Messrs Magus Smith and Twiford Smith of Pearsall, and Miss Robbie D. Simpson and J. M. Simpson of Amarillo, were complimented with a picnic at the Rifle Club last Saturday evening.

Others participating were Misses Margaret Gandy, Lois Scott, Pearl Brown, Lorraine Alexander, Mary Routh, Louise Hall, Penelope Hardin, Messrs Floyd Zeigler, Eugene Alvis, Henry Yongue, Tallie Yongue, Ned Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kendrick.

Wicker Family Enjoys Annual Reunion.

On last Sunday morning the children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wicker, pioneers of Coryell county, according to a set custom each first Sunday in June, began arriving at selected place in Cameron Park at Waco to spend the day together.

After a delicious lunch had been spread, the guests were entertained by Misses Wanda, Margaret and Ramona Wicker with selected readings. Sacred singing was enjoyed, which was led by Mr. J. S. Torbett.

The day was indeed a happy one, and all too soon the hour came to separate and return to their homes to resume his or her usual vocation in life. Each one left tenderly loving each other better for the coming together again, and praising God who makes it possible to honor their father and mother, who have since departed this life.

One Present.

Dinner Party For Wedding Group.

Miss Eloise Baldrige and Mr. John L. Stover, whose marriage took place Sunday morning, were the honored guests at a dinner Saturday evening in the home of the bride's parents.

Those of the wedding party who attended the affair were: Miss Eloise Baldrige of Gatesville, Mr. John L. Stover, Miss Birdie D. Walker, and Mr. Sterling Proctor of Teague, Miss Miss Elsie Scott Latimer and Mrs. Ruth Akers Creed of Fort Worth, Doyle Baldrige, Rev. and Mrs. M. M. Chunn of Gatesville.

Contract Enjoyed With Mrs. Hallman.

Mrs. J. A. Hallman received members of the Contract Club at her home on East Main Street last Thursday afternoon.

Prizes were won by Mrs. Dan McClellan and Mrs. Theo. Copeland of Dallas. Mrs. McClellan was awarded hose, and oven ware dishes went to Mrs. Copeland.

The list included Mesdames Cecil Gardner, L. S. Holmes, J. D. Brown Jr., Irvin McCreary, Byron Leaird Jr., Chess Sadler, Laura Rayford, James Moss, T. R. Mears, Newell Hix and the prize winners.

Mrs. Robt. W. Brown Hostess to Party.

Pastel shades of orchid and green were chosen for the color scheme carried out in floral decorations, bridge accessories and refreshments at the party given at the home of Mrs. Robt. W. Brown last Saturday afternoon.

Mesdames Rufe Brown and C. E. Gandy were awarded trophies for making high scores in the games.

A refreshment plate of grape sherbet and cake was served to Mesdames Francis Caruth, B. K. Cooper, R. B. Cross, H. R. Saunders, Bob Saunders, A. W. Gartman, C. L. Thompson, Clifford Adams, D. R. Boone, T. R. Mears, E. L. Stewart, Newell Hix, H. K. Jackson, Andrew Kendrick and the prize winners.

Baldrige-Stover

Miss Eloise Baldrige, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Baldrige, and Mr. John L. Stover of Teague were married at 8:30 Sunday morning, June 10th at the home of her parents at 308 South Lutterloh.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Elsie Scott Latimer of Fort Worth accompanied Mrs. Ruth Creed of Fort Worth as she sang "I Love You Truly." Miss Latimer played Lohengrin's Wedding March as the party assembled and during the impressive ceremony she played "To A Wild Rose."

Rev. J. H. Baldrige, presiding elder of the Gatesville District and father of the bride, read the ceremony in a setting of ferns and pink gladioli.

Mr. Sterling Proctor of Teague attended the groom as best man and Miss Birdie D. Walker of Teague was the bride's only attendant. Miss Walker was attired in a blue organdy frock and carried an arm bouquet of pink roses.

The bride was given away by her brother, Doyle Baldrige.

Chronology of Coryell County

Current readers of the Coryell County News might be interested to learn just what constituted news in 1900, as pertains to this locality.

Through the courtesy of a News reader the following reprint is being made from old clippings of a local newspaper printed in 1900, representing local happenings that took place in June and July of that year:

June

"The body of an unknown white man discovered floating down the river near Eagle Springs.

Grain being harvested. Melvin Hall takes charge of the steam laundry.

McCandlass case reversed by court of appeals.

Lightning struck the home of F. F. Collins near the German Church doing considerable damage.

John Rounsavell left to make Kerens his future home.

C. P. Mounce marketed the first 100 bushels of wheat of the season and received therefor 75 cents per bushel.

Charlie Kessler left to make his home at Amarillo.

Charlie McCandlass granted

ball in the sum of \$2,500 after being in jail 16 months.

July

Corn crop reported cut off by drouth.

Inmate of reformatory shot by guard in self-defense.

Death of Mrs. M. S. Mounce chronicled.

Dissolution of partnership between Hale & Amis.

Bud Fauntleroy moved to Rusk.

Death of little Willena Woodward.

Small fire at the home of J. A. Dickie.

Heavy rains reported. Henry DeWald of Copperas Cove appointed to a three years course in Basel, Switzerland, University.

Scarlet fever scare reported subsided.

Arrest of W. B. Bruton and released upon \$100 bond on a charge of incest.

Fred Foote, Ed Tenney, Hugh Burkett and A. T. Hume sold in Gatesville July 18th 22,500 pounds of wool at 16 cents. A comment thereon gives the fact that other parties has large quantities stored here."

points and after ten days will be at home in Teague.

Guests, other than the wedding party and the family, were Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Lewis and Mr. Carmen Simms of Teague and Rev. and Mrs. Marcus M. Chunn of this city.

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CORYELL COUNTY NEWS

PERSONAL

Mrs. Roy Chamlee and Mrs. Floyd Murray were visitors in Waco last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barkley from Evant visited in Gatesville Saturday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Bennett from Waco is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jim R. Saunders.

H. N. Sasse left recently for Flynn where he will enter the services of the Magnolia Pipe Line Company.

Mrs. J. F. Mitchell from Sour Lake, Texas is the guest of her mother, Mrs. S. Tucker, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Horne.

Mrs. Arthur McMordie and daughter, Margaret, and Miss Waldine Dollins were visitors in Waco Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Boe Wright are visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. K. Lydia in Artesia, New Mexico. Mrs. Lydia will be remembered as Miss Maurine Wright.

Mr. Wade Sadler, who has been superintendent of the Florence Schools, returned to his home the past week end to be with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Sadler.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ford went to Hillsboro the latter part of last week where they attended the bedside of Mr. Ford's mother, who is seriously ill.

Miss Willie Lou Glenn returned to her home in Waco the past week end after spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Kermit R. Jones.

George Gilmore Jr., who has been attending school in the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gilmore of this city.

Miss Mildred Patillo, student nurse in Scott & White Hospital at Temple is enjoying a ten day vacation with her mother, Mrs. Milton Patillo, and other friends and relatives here.

Mr. Jacob Floyd visited in Gatesville Sunday and returned home to Alice with his wife and two children, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis M. Jones.

Howard Fox from Hearne was a pleasant visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ayres Compton the past week end. Mr. Fox and Mr. Compton were school mates in Southwestern University.

W. H. Palmer Jr. of Breckenridge brought his mother to spend the summer with Lane. Mrs. Palmer is one of the old settlers of this county and is glad to come home for the summer. W. H. Palmer Jr. returned to Breckenridge Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Prewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Ayres Compton, Messrs Howard Fox, Marion Burlison and Misses Mary Lou Carlton and Frances Austin enjoyed an outing and vacation in the State Park at Lampasas the past week end.

Clarence Busby, Fred Mayberry and Ted Harris were visitors in Waco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bustin and small son from Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. Miller Stinnett the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay McClellan and son of Waco visited friends and relatives here during the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Burchett, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Burchett and Mrs. J. L. Lackey were visitors in Waco Monday.

Miss Winola Sasse returned one day last week from an extended visit with her aunt, Mrs. Thurman Warren, at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thompson, Mrs. A. M. Davis and Miss Verona Franks were visitors in Waco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Powell and Miss Ethel Routh and Crawford Scott were Waco visitors Sunday.

Miss Ineeta Busby of Waco visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Busby, over the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Griffin and daughter of Oglesby, and Mrs. Locky Mann and Mr. Pat Boyd of Waco, were guests in the homes of Mrs. L. A. Pennington and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Pennington Sunday.

Mrs. Charlie Smith and small son, David Addison, of Houston and Mrs. Wheeler Schley and daughter, Jerrylyn of South Bend, Texas are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Culberson.

Misses Beulah Gamblin and Pauline Haney visited friends in Copperas Cove last Friday.

Mrs. R. E. Pancake visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson, in Jonesboro Monday.

Mrs. L. D. Martin and children have returned to her home after spending several weeks with relatives in Waxahchie.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lengefeld of Hamilton visited their parents and friends in this city and county over the past week end.

Miss Robbie D. Simpson and Mr. J. M. Simpson of Amarillo are visiting their sister, Mrs. Miller Stinnett.

Mrs. D. H. Culberson and daughters, Dorothy, Mrs. Joe Whigham and Mrs. Charlie Smith, visited in Waco last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Melbern of Texarkana were guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Melbern, over the week end.

Mrs. T. W. Jenkins and two children, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hale, returned to their home in Hubbard the past week end.

Visitors in D. H. Culberson home Sunday were Mr. Charlie Smith, Miss Maggie Ann Smith and Mrs. J. I. Cunningham of Honey Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cockrell and sons, James and Kirk, of Lampasas visited their daughter, Mrs. Glayds Westerman, last Sunday. Little Rebecca Jane Westerman returned home with them for several days visit.

Hon. Harry Plentge was a business visitor to Waco Monday.

Mrs. D. D. McCoy and daughter, Frances are visiting her mother in Waxahachie this week.

Mr. Jouet Allin, who resides in Copperas Cove, was a visitor in this office and city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Painter and family of Osage visited his mother, Mrs. George Painter, Sunday.

Miss Lillian Hale of Waco was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hale, the past week end.

Mrs. E. W. Hallonquist and little Marianna Forrest of Houston are visiting friends and relatives in Gatesville.

Mrs. Kenneth Shelton of Beaumont is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Voss. Mrs. Shelton, who will be remembered better as Miss Della Voss, plans to visit in this city and county about two weeks.

Miss Dorothy Norton and Mr. Carroll Ratliff were married at her home in Greenville last Sunday. Miss Norton has visited in Gatesville several times during the past few years, and her many friends here will be interested to learn the news.

Mrs. Walter Stewart had as her guests over the week end and the first of this week her father, Mr. W. M. Lemmons, and her sister, Miss Bertha Lemmons, of Hamilton. Mrs. Walter Stewart and daughter, Bertha Lillian, and Mr. Lemmons and Miss Bertha visited in Waco Monday.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on November 14, 1933, at a stockholders' meeting of the Planters State Bank located at The Grove, Texas, the proposition was duly submitted to the stockholders to close the business of the corporation and that at said meeting the following resolution was adopted, to-wit:

"Whereas the stockholders of the Planters State Bank of The Grove, Texas, have been called and are now in meeting assembled to consider the liquidation of this bank; now therefore, be it

"RESOLVED, That the business of this bank be closed; that all depositors, and all creditors of every nature, be paid in full; that after paying all depositors and creditors, and discharging all remaining liabilities, the remaining assets of said bank be distributed proportionately among the stockholders; and that this bank surrender and have cancelled its corporate franchise. Be it further

"RESOLVED, That the officers and directors of this bank be hereby authorized and directed to take all necessary steps, and execute all necessary papers, to carry into effect this resolution."

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the undersigned directors, certify that the foregoing proceedings were had at such meeting and that the resolution hereinabove quoted was duly adopted.

W. J. DUBE
H. A. WINKLER
ANDREW WINKLER
A. A. HOLCOMB
Nov. 11-34 Directors

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ALLRED TO SPEAK



"His attack on present lobbying practices is a recognition of undue and unfair influence exerted on Legislators by the special interest Lobbyists."—Cleburne Messenger

"I have reached the definite conclusion that Jimmy Allred should be the next Governor and I am for him." Robert Lee Bobbitt said.—Cuero Record.

"I, too, am for a 'New Deal' in Texas politics---but from a new deck and with some new dealers in the game!"

Hear the Hon. James V. Allred When He Speaks in Gatesville Saturday Night, June 16 at 8 o'clock

Flame of the Border

By VINGIE E. ROE

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CHAPTER IX.—With Blake is an easterner, Marston, who announces himself as a secret service operator, on the trail of Mexican opium smugglers who are believed to be working in the vicinity of the Savarin ranch. Serge, remembering an incident at a dance they had all attended, connects Stone with the smugglers whom Marston is seeking. Sonya is forced to admit to herself that the man she loves is involved in the nefarious traffic. At the general store in the desert village Sonya inadvertently acquires knowledge of the store keeper's possession of opium. On her way home she is seized and carried away in an airplane.

CHAPTER X.—Sonya realizes she is in the power of El Capitan Diablo. In his stronghold she is committed to the care of an elderly Spanish woman, to await the arrival of the chief. A younger woman, Concha, views with apprehension the arrival of Stone, whom she loves, evidently a prisoner, with El Capitan Diablo.

CHAPTER XI

The Empty Desert.

BACK at the adobe house of Serge Savarin stark tragedy held sway. The sheep man himself was hardly accountable, raging with fear and anger, bewildered entirely, at a loss to understand his sister's disappearance.

No one had seen her. No one but Hosteen Nez, and a youth from Bad canyon, who had stopped to talk with her about the sickness. That had been in the morning, before midday. And Parks at the store, Miss Savarin had been in—pretty late—for some small purchases.

He watched Serge narrowly as he told him that. Didn't they find the things in her saddlebags? Some thread and two rolls of adhesive tape. They would be there. Yes, Serge remembered, they were.

But here Mr. Marston had stepped forward, and Parks had looked at him sidewise with guarded eyes. Was Miss Savarin alone? Had Parks noticed which way she rode when she left? Alone, yes. Young Doctor Sonya was always alone. Parks had never seen her riding with anyone. Since this was the last place she had been seen, would he, Mr. Parks, mind if they looked about the store a bit?

Looked about his store? Just what did they mean?

A tide of red had come flowing up along the usually pasty cheeks of the storekeeper.

They meant nothing, only to look about the last place a missing girl had been, admittedly, seen alive.

If they meant to insinuate—Parks was deadly cold.

They insinuated nothing. Was he averse to their looking?

No! Parks exploded. Look all they pleased.

But he followed closely at their heels while Marston, Serge, and Rodney Blake walked about the scantily stored front room, looked under counters, in tipping bins and behind doors. They entered the storeroom behind with its stacks of packing cases, barrels, the usual jumble of merchandise and its containers which litter such a place. And here the red left Parks' face. It became waxen, like a moon in fog.

But none of the three men noticed it.

As the three men explored among the disorder of the place the proprietor kept close to them, and once when Marston raised the lid of a bin of dry beans the muscles of his right hand rose along the back, exactly as the body of a cat tenses before it leaps. Marston dropped the lid, and the hand relaxed.

"There is nothing here," Serge said in despair.

"I went to find the sheriff and many men he had sent out,

in which directions.

And back at the ranch Lila, who had held her tongue, looked in the face of Myra Little and poured out in a flood all she knew of Sonya and Starr Stone. Myra, who had come as fast as her two good horses and a bouncing buckboard could bring her when she heard the news from a Navajo runner who had passed her place.

"My Lord!" she said aghast. "You think—that maybe she's gone with him? Run off?"

"What else?" said Lila miserably. "She loves him. And Rod Blake has said he'll never give her up to anyone."

"H'm—yes, maybe you're right. She told me of this man—what kind of eyes he had. Blue eyes, wild an' excitable—with pupils that spread easily. I've seen their like—once in a preacher who never should have been one, an' in an outlaw at Laredo. Strange eyes they are, an' strange men who own 'em, an' women can't forget them, ever. Maybe you're right, Lila. He'd take her—an' she'd go—if she loved him."

"She does," said Lila with conviction.

And all among the Bad Lands, in the scattered canyons, along the sage-brush levels, a peculiar thing was happening. From every crevasse of the lonely land where she had worked for, loved, and befriended them, the Navajos were coming: tall brown men on sorry horses, their long hair bound on their heads beneath their wide-brimmed hats, their turquoise necklaces swinging on their breasts.

They met and spoke in soft clipped voices, parted, and went appointed ways, their dark eyes on the desert's floor, scanning the open book of the world around, a moving network of detection.

It was Hosteen T'so who traced her shod horse to the town, who knew that she had sat some hours in a dry wash over to the east before she went to town, and who followed her step by step back along the circling way which had taken her at that certain spot where Sonya Savarin had looked last upon the desert's familiar face from the security of her saddle. And there Two Fingers stood with Hosteen Nez, holding her lost hat.

The three men looked at each other, nodded, spoke a few low words.

They all saw, too, three long strange marks in the sand—wheel marks soft and wide with indentations in them, a sharply defined mark running between them, beginning a bit before their start, ending a bit before they did.

None of the three had ever seen an airplane closer than the high blue sky above, but they spoke of one now, considering. And they took the sombrero with them, jogging back to their hogans.

Tomorrow they would meet again, these three, and circle wider, asking all others of their tribe they met what they knew of sky ships, telling this which they knew. And only these—the humble ones whom Rodney Blake despised—knew anything of Sonya Savarin and what had become of her.

CHAPTER XII

The Leopard Changes Spots.

DAWN came slowly to the deep-walled room where Sonya sat by the window. The girl was weary from her sleepless vigil. There were dark circles under her eyes, lines in her young face.

But her lips were steady and courageous, her heart the same. Today was to be big with portent: that she knew.

Perhaps it meant death. Perhaps she would never again behold the sunrise, or see the stars wheel in the heavens.

Well, one had but one time to die, though she could have wished a more gentle end than would likely come to anyone who fell under El Diablo's displeasure. And that she was there she knew full well; also why. Starr Stone had risked his life each time he saw her when he overstayed his time. Starr Stone who was, who must be, that Number Fifteen, Kenthal—how soft the

numeral was in Spanish—who was El Diablo's ablest lieutenant. The man whom he could neither spare nor wholly trust, now, since he had disobeyed him for a woman.

And those who disobeyed Diablo—Sonya jerked her shoulders up, wet her lips that were dry as ashes.

Twice, they said, had the bandit leader "spread him up," only to take him down again. Starr Stone of the laughing courage who had dared all things in the old days, whose clever brain had been invaluable to El Capitan, who was too valuable to kill, yet who knew too much to live if he did not live for him.

And Sonya Savarin, who knew too much also, who loved Starr Stone and had listened to him in the dusk of many moons; who had stooped and picked up a five-ael can of first-grade opium when a bungling hand had dropped it.

Parks—Quatro, Number Four—the bland keeper of a store on the cross-continent railroad. He had blundered, but he had retrieved his blunder instantly by sending El Diablo's henchman to destroy the evidence by taking it away—herself that evidence.

Well, once again one could finish up but once, and she was no one's quitter. If only she might see Starr Stone again, look deep in his blue eyes, renew that soul's covenant which they had made one starlit dusk.

But the senora was here with food on a tray and she was kind and gentle with that tenderness we show to those about to go on long and perilous journeys.

"Eef eet please the Senorita," she said apologetically, "there ees one who would speak weeth you today. Eef ees one whose word ees the law, the master."

"I know," said Sonya, nodding her black head. "I shall be ready, senora. At what hour?"

"I do not know—only that when eet arrives one must be ready."

"Very well," said Sonya, and the woman went away.

Deliberately she drank the coffee, ate the spiced omelette, the little round bits of some hot sweet bread. And a little later the senora came—her.

(To be continued next Friday)

COURTHOUSE NEWS

Deeds Recorded

J. A. Young et us to Erine M. Carroll.

Arlys T. Hale et al to Troy H. Jones.

Pearl Methodist Church to S. E. Comer.

W. S. Mullin to Mrs. Nettie Alsbrooks.

Mrs. Annie Maxwell et al to

W. R. Foust.

Mrs. Fannie Cantrell et al to D. L. Brazier et al.

Planters State Bank to W. J. Dube.

Mrs. Mary Crawford et al to C. J. Shook.

J. A. Thomason to B. L. Kit-ley.

Mrs. Florence Konz to Land Bank Com'r.

J. A. Young et ux to Erine M. Carroll.

Marriage Licenses

Mr. Loyce Davis and Miss Louise Jolley.

Mr. L. Powell Seward and Miss Velva Wittie.

Mr. Travis Hestilow and Miss Vonna Rogers.

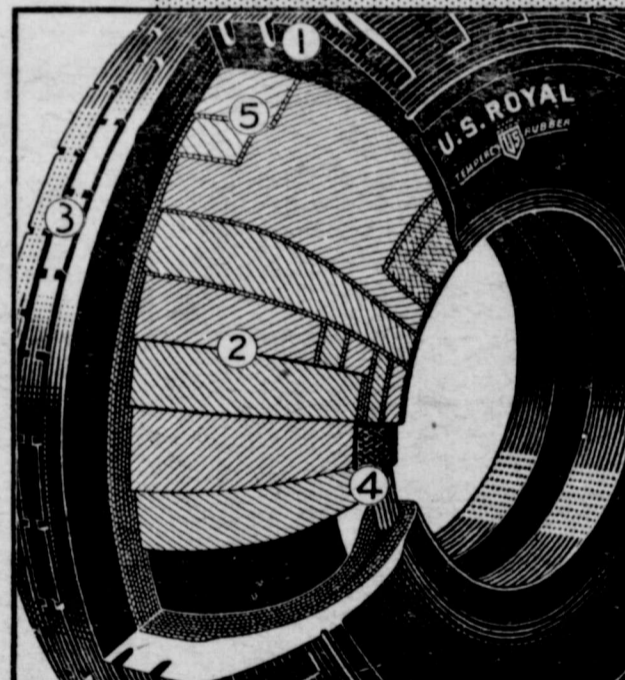
Mr. Travis Meharg and Miss Nela Scott.

Mr. Henry Wiegand and Mrs. Mae F. Hardin.

Lespedeza sericica, a rather new legume, is being tried by Stonewall county farmers in their effort to start pastures on rented acres. The county agent says the new lespedeza promises well in the sandy river bottom soils.

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Community News Letters

JONESBORO NEWS

Misses Hazel Loveless and Nell Cook spent Sunday with Miss Ruth Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Lemmons spent the past week end with relatives in Tolar.

Mrs. James Conley and son, Bill Whitthorn, left Monday for Tennessee for a six weeks vacation.

Miss Laura Lawrence spent Sunday with Miss Mollie Bell Brasher.

James Rutherford spent Saturday night and Sunday with Harry Carpenter Voss.

Menlo Holloway left Monday for Denton where he will attend summer school.

Miss Margaret Rutherford is on our sick list.

Rev. B. F. Bell filled his appointment here Sunday morning and night.

Walker Cook left Monday for Stephenville wher he will enter summer school in John Tarleton Junior College.

Harry Carpenter Voss returned home Saturday morning to spend his summer vacation, he has been attending school in Dallas.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McBride Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. James Conley and Mrs. Vada Loveless.

Mrs. Thelma Watson and daughter, Emily, spent Tuesday afternoon in Gatesville.

SPRING HILL

(Intended for Friday)

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Rainer and children of Gatesville, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stovall of King, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Holt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Wittle.

The sermon preached by Rev. Ben Reynolds Sunday was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mrs. S. E. Morrow has returned home after spending the past week with her daughter, Mrs. Brack Scott, of Schley.

Mr. Knox Pruitt of Gatesville is spending this week with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dyer.

Misses Grace and Lois Walker of Plainview were dinner guests of Miss Mary Pope Sunday.

Miss Iris Morse, Mrs. H. T. Leonard, Mrs. John Morse and little Belva Gene went to Coleman Friday. Mrs. J. J. Morse returned with them to spend the summer.

Mrs. Owen Dyer has gone to Stephenville where she entered John Tarleton College for this term.

Miss Iris Morse has returned home from school to spend the summer.

Misses Annie Trammel and Gladys Dyer attended the meeting at Gatesville with the Home Demonstration agent Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Young visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Diddy Tuesday.

Mrs. H. T. Leonard of Corpus Christi, Mrs. John Morse and Belya Gene, and Mrs. Fred Dyer and Ethel Dean visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs.

O. L. Bates, at Stephenville Thursday.

Horace Dyer and Bobbie Melbern visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dyer Friday night.

MOUNTAIN NEWS

(Intended for Friday)

Everybody is very busy thrashing grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence spent Thursday night with his folks. His mother went home with them to spend the day.

Miss Lola Chambers has come to stay with her sister, Mrs. Floyd Cooper, while Floyd works at the thresher.

Mr. and Mrs. Adel Chrouch has come home to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Barnett.

ON TEXAS FARMS

By W. H. Darrow
Extension Service Editor
A. & M. College

From sales of black walnuts and cakes sold in the home demonstration market in Sulphur Springs Mrs. D. B. Kirk, home industry demonstrator for Arbala Club, has bought a pressure cooker and a new oil stove. She says her market experiences have revolutionized her cake making.

Yard improvement means, according to Mrs. M. L. Bell, yard demonstrator for Farmers' Valley Home Demonstration Club in Wilbarger county: trees for shade and background at side and back of house; smooth unbroken grass lawn; foundation plantings of permanent shrubs; screen and border plantings; roses and flowers in separate beds in side and back yard; walks for back and front yard; and convenient yard service including well-equipped wash house and concrete cellar and sanitary toilet.

Decatur—Plans for the establishment of a home demonstration library were made by the home demonstration council of Wise county at its April meeting, according to report of Miss Ora Slone, Wise county home demonstration agent. Each home demonstration club in the county was asked to secure contributions of books for the library. The members of home demonstration clubs will have the privilege of taking selections of the books from the library into local communities.

Roby—According to the reports of 12 wardrobe demonstrators made to Miss Velma Heald, Fisher county home demonstration agent, 114 individual patterns have been completed by home demonstration club members in the county this year. Many other patterns have been started which are not yet completed and so were not counted in the total. Miss Heald states that these patterns save the expense of buying a special pattern for each garment made and because these are individual

patterns they solve the problem of fitting dresses, slips, pajamas, coats and skirts.

Tyler—The home demonstration market report for Smith county shows an increase of \$42.15 over the same period last year. In April 1933 the returns from the market were \$133.87. This year \$176.02 worth of products were sold in the market.

Mrs. G. D. Sitton, a marketing member from Hopewell, sold \$63.22 of this amount. This was for chickens and eggs One week she sold chickens to ten groups for a chicken barbecue.

Crockett—A feed tax of \$400,000 last year in Houston county, representing the amount sent out of the county by farmers for feed, was more than double the amount spent on all rural schools and colored, in the county, according to C. E. Bowles, county agent. The feed bill exceeded total state and county advalorem taxes paid in the county in 1933 by \$231,000. Rented cotton acres in the agricultural adjustment program are expected to wipe out a large part of this feed tax this year, Mr. Bowles says.

Galveston — To encourage housewives and grocery stores to use homegrown vegetables when in season, the Galveston County Truck Growers' Association has been conducting an educational campaign this spring. The aim is also to develop premiums for quality vegetables over the culls and unclassified stuff. "It is a program of cooperation on the part of producer, distributor and consumer," explains J. C. Yeary, county agent. "The aim is to see that each one gets a fair deal, a living wage, and No. 1 vegetables at all times. The campaign has met with good support on every hand."

Odessa—Serious death losses among lambs from ravens which picked out the eyes of those newly weaned resulted in a spring drive against these pests in Ector and Andrews counties with about 10,00 ravens killed the first month. It is reported by H. L. Atkins Jr., county agent. Corn poisoned with thallium was distributed in safe spots, pre-baited with rabbits.

A 5c jack rabbit bounty in Andrews county posted the last week in December resulted in county authorities paying off for 7,359 rabbits up to May 1st. In addition wide-range poison warfare was adopted in May. It is estimated by ranchers that rabbits destroy more than 100 sections of grass in the county every year.

Completion of the huge plant of the Southern Alkali Co. at Corpus Christi is announced. It converts seashells into soda, used in refining all kinds of oils, and is expected to take care of most of all of the consumption in southwestern territory that ranges annually from 50,000 to 75,000 tons. The plant is one of the most important of recent developments toward the industrial growth of the state and the southwest and will represent an investment of around \$10,000,000 when the project is finally completed as new planned.

Michigan ranks third among the states in number of gliders, with 65.

SOFTBALL LEAGUE

TEAM STANDING

Team	Won	Lost	P.ct
Arnolds	13	3	.812
Fire Boys	12	4	.750
Wards	11	5	.688
Baptists	10	6	.625
Highway	6	10	.375
Roundtable	4½	11½	.281
State	4½	11½	.281
Methodists	3½	12½	.218

THURSDAY RESULTS

Arnold 12 vs. Methodists 3.
Batteries: Arnold, Summers and Culherson; Methodists, Powell and Walker.

Baptists 8 vs. Highway 2.
Batteries: Baptists, Blanton and Wilson; Highway, Tutor and Forrest.

FRIDAY RESULTS

State 7 vs. Roundtable 5.
Batteries: State, Bradford and Buckner; Roundtable, Ricketts and Jones.

Fire Boys 12 vs. Ward 6.
Batteries: Fire Boys, Ray and Miller; Ward, Ricketts and Rutherford.

SCHEDULE

Tuesday, June 12—
State School vs. Fire Boys, Round Table vs. Ward.

Thursday, June 14—
Fire Boys vs. Arnold, Ward vs. Methodist.

SOFTBALL SYMPTOMS

By TEDDY

Arnold's team seems to keep improving, defeating the Methodists crew Thursday night 12 to 3. Arnold's bunch was not up to form, but had no trouble licking the churchmen.

The Baptists are going to give the leading teams of the league trouble before the season is over. With seven men they defeated the Road-Gang Thursday

night 8 to 2 with ease.

The State is still in their winning streak, nosing out the Bachelors Friday night 7 to 5.

When Sasse is at the show, the Highwaymen play like Ward's crew, when Ricketts is at home asleep.

The Firemen's club turned the trick to up-set the dope again Friday night in a big way. Ward's crew, with their infield filled with errors, looked sick.

—MY—DOPE—

Today—The Firemen will end the State's winning streak.

Ward's crew will defeat the Bachelors "if" the entire team doesn't go "haywire."

Thursday—The Firemen will defeat Arnold's crew "if" they play as well as they do when the play Ward's bunch, otherwise the Firemen will have a break in their winning streak.

Ward will defeat the Methodist, "maybe."

Cesar M. Mirasol of Manila, Philippine Islands, is in the Visayan Islands of the Philippines to gather folk songs in dialect of the Visayans.

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COTTON CHECKS—

(Continued from page one)

cards mailed from the local headquarters requesting them to come in person to the County Agent's office at their earliest convenience and sign up for their checks. This precaution was done in order to avoid delay in delivery and the possibility of losing the checks.

"These payments together with brighter prospect for a better price of cotton is proving very helpful to the farmers, and which I think is true," stated D. W. Sherrill, county agent.

Out of possibly 210 cotton counties in Texas, Coryell was the thirty-fifth to receive cotton-payment checks.

Wheat Control

Measurement of fields under wheat contracts in Coryell county has been completed by the wheat inspectors and certification of compliance has been made for the second payment to farmers who are regulating wheat production.

Corn-Hog Contracts

Corn-Hog contracts are still being reviewed by the State Board of Reviews. These were held up at first because all counties must be in before any one county can be approved. The contracts will be prepared as soon as the Board passes approval.

COURT AFFIRMS LIFE SENTENCE GIVEN R. C. TIPTON

According to daily papers, the life sentence given R. C. Tipton of Menard, for the slaying of Pink Milton here last January, was affirmed by the Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin Wednesday.

Tipton was convicted by a Comanche County jury last November for slaying Milton in front of his (Milton's) home in a hold-up.

A. M. (Ab) White, former Comanche road machinery salesman was given a thirty year term in the penitentiary for the slaying of Milton, by a Coryell county jury on a change of venue, after White was tried here and the jury failed to agree.

White filed motion for appeal and is now in jail at Gatesville awaiting a hearing.—Comanche Chief



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HIGHWAY NO. 36 ASSN. TO HOLD MEETING AT GUSTINE

The annual meeting of Highway No. 36 Association will be held at Gustine Wednesday, June 20th according to an announcement from Judge P. M. Rice of Hamilton, President of the group.

The program will begin at ten o'clock and is expected to be attended by citizens from the various towns along the route. Details of the program and entertainment features have not been announced.

The last meeting was held at Lake Earnes about a year ago when a free barbecue was tendered by the Comanche business men.—Comanche Chief

Mr. and Mrs. E. Routh were guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Young in Moody last Sunday.

Mrs. Everett Taylor and daughter, Martha Joe, of Tyler are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Post. Mr. Kirby Post and children of Tyler came last Friday and spent the week end in the Post home.

Miss Charlotte Rivers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rivers, left Monday to visit her grandparents in Houston. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Travis Franks of Hamilton.

BUY AT HOME

SON OF LATE REV. MONK TO WED GIRL AT FORT WORTH

Many friends of James Alonzo Monk, of Fort Worth, son of the late Rev. Alonzo Monk, received word Monday announcing the approaching marriage of the former Gatesville boy to Miss Helen Julia Veath, also of Fort Worth.

The marriage takes place at eight o'clock this evening, June 12. The ceremony will be held in the First Methodist Church of Fort Worth.

The News joins the friends of James in extending hearty congratulations to this young couple.

OSAGE ITEMS

Miss Edna Earl Barnard of Houston is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hill Tubbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gatlin and Mrs. W. E. Gatlin were Gatesville visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Olaf Peterson and son of Temple visited friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Ralph and Glen Sheffield of Houston are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sheffield.

Mr. and Mrs. Hillie Etchison and daughter, Peggy Jean, spent Sunday in Valley Mills with Bland Kirby and wife.

Miss Millie Jack Jayroe visited the Craddock's Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Tubbs and daughters returned to their home in San Angelo Sunday.

Mesdames Hill Martin, J. T. and W. D. Craddock visited Mrs. Willie Hoppe Jr. Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Author Painter and son visited in Oglesby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peck Kirby and children of Gatesville were Osage

visitors Sunday.

The Jolly Workers met with Mrs. Linn Martin and Jack last Wednesday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in quilting. It was decided to postpone the meetings until after threshing season is over. Ice cream cones were served to about thirty members and several visitors.

REVIVAL MEETINGS

The annual summer revivals of the Pearl Circuit M. E. Church will be held on the following dates.

Pearl—Friday night, July 6 to Sunday night, July 15.

Pidcoke—Friday night, July 13 to Sunday night, July 22.

Slater—Saturday night, July 21 to Sunday night, July 29.

Topsey—Saturday night, July 28 to Sunday night, August 5.

Let us keep these dates in mind and work and pray that these revivals will be a great ingathering of lost souls, and a blessing to the entire communities.

George Siler, Pastor.

Rev. George Siler will preach at Slater next Sunday morning at 11 a. m. and at 8:15 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m.

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MARKET REPORT

(As of June 11)

Poultry

Turkeys	5c to 9c
Roosters	3c
Hens	5c to 7c
Fryers	12c to 14c
Eggs	10c

General

Wool	22c
Beef, on foot	1c to 2 1/2c
Pork, on foot	2 1/2c to 3c
Cotton, Str. Mid. Basis	12c
Corn	45c
Oats, loose	33c
Wheat	77c
Mohair	30c
Cream No. 1	16c
Cream No. 2	14c

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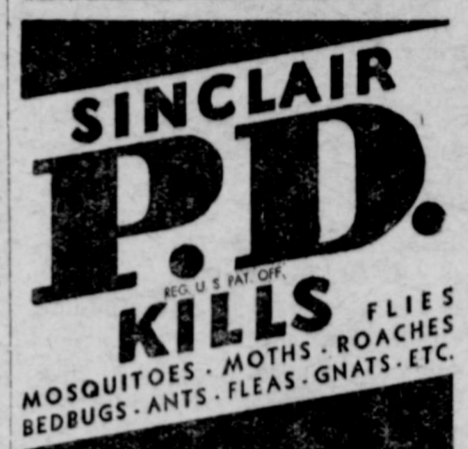
Theodore Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Robertson of this city, who will graduate with the Senior class of the Copperas Cove high school this year, will have completed 11 years of school work without having been absent nor tardy a day in 11 years. Theodore started to school with the class of 1923, with Miss Jewel Yarborough as teacher, and will graduate with that class Friday night at the Baptist Church. Theodore is to be commended for this splendid record as we believe no other school boy in this immediate vicinity has completed 11 years of school work without being absent nor tardy. Good work Theodore.—Copperas Cove Crony

Of the 483 oil refineries in operation in the United States, Texas has 165; of the U. S. total of 628, the Texas contribution is 209. Growth of the refining industry is indicated in

the fact that, in 1933, the Texas refineries totaled only 157, of which only 120 were in operation. Sixty-four of the new plants are in the East Texas field. Texas is the first of the States to pass a daily refining capacity of 1,000,000 barrels, present capacity being 1,120,605 barrels a day.

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