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B. H. S. SENIOR CLASS OF 1927 HOLD REUNION BANQUET

The Senior Class of 1927 in Baird High School, met Thursday night, June 18, at 8:15 for their fourth annual reunion banquet.

The banquet was held in the hall of the Chamber of Commerce building. Long tables were laid for the twenty guests present, and the rest of the decorations was done in traditional style.

Using the class colors of pink and lavender as a decoration theme, the hall was hung with festoons and drapes in pastel shades. The motto of the class, "Try, Trust, and Succeed" was placed with an American flag at the head of the table.

Harold Ray, the class president, again presided at the meeting and served as permanent toastmaster along with John Simons, chairman of the promotions committee as temporary chairman.

An informal and semi-impromptu program was given after the dinner, ending in a round table discussion, quips, and reminiscences from each guest.

Honor guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. Clyde White, Mrs. White being the former sponsor of the class, and Morris Eastham, outgoing president from the class of '31. Mr. Eastham '31.

escorted Miss Helen Settle, Class of 1927. Other guests attending were: Burma Warren, Frances Vestal, Jewel Grimes, Garland Morrison, Ila Mae White, W. E. Melton Jr., Mary Darby John Simons, Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Alexander, Roberta Warren Maye and Mr. Maye, Mrs. Irby McIntosh, Ralph Short, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray.

To Mrs. W. C. White fell the duty of again saying "good-bye, and school is out for another year".

Frances Vestal was elected temporary chairman for next year.

COYOTES DEFEATED SUNDAY

The Baird Coyotes were defeated by the Abilene club Sunday by the score of 9 to 2.

This may sound a little bad but the Coyotes have lost only four games so far this season. If they can keep this percentage up they will have a jam up good record at the end of the season.

There was a large crowd out to witness the battle between the two hard fighting teams, and it was a scrap to the last.

Bennett started the hurling for the Coyotes but could not seem to hold the Abilene boys. Strickland relieved Bennett in the 2nd inning and pitched air-tight ball, allowing only 4 runs during the remainder of the game.

The Coyotes will probably play the Albany boys here Sunday. Come out and help the Coyotes keep that good record. A team is as good as its support.

BAIRD	AB	R	H
Young 3B.	3	0	0
Farmer S.S.	4	1	1
H. Ray C.F.	3	1	2
Meadows C.	2	0	0
R. Ray 1B.	4	0	1
G. Hall L.F.	4	0	1
Strickland P.	4	0	0
McQueen	4	0	2
Bennett P.—R.F.	4	0	0
Joe McIntosh	2	0	0
L. Farmer C.	1	0	0

Total	35	2	7
ABILENE	AB	R	H
Johnson 3B.	5	2	4
Hampton S.S.	5	0	1
Pepperett R.F.	5	0	0
Jodges P.	5	1	2
Faulkner 1B.	5	1	1
A. Snitch C.F.	5	1	1
Salyer L.F.	3	2	1
Moore 2B.	4	0	1
G. Snitch C.	4	2	2

Total 41 9 13
Home Runs—H. Ray, Baird; Johnson and Faulkner, Abilene.

An American high school may enroll as many as 9,000 pupils, whereas similar British schools consider 500 pupils a maximum, and educator finds

Lady Hurt In Car Wreck

Mrs. Ab Vestal of DeLeon was painfully hurt Sunday morning near the George ranch on the highway east of Baird, when her car was struck by a passing car going at high speed, turning the Vestal car over into a ditch. Mr. Vestal and the children were not hurt.

The family are now at the home of Mr. Vestal's brother, A. T. Vestal in east Baird, where Mrs. Vestal has been confined to her bed since the accident.

The Vestal family were enroute to California.

District Legion Meeting To Be Held At Llano

The citizens of Llano, especially the members of the Legion, are busily preparing for a huge crowd of delegates and visitors to the meeting of the 17th district American Legion Convention July 4-5.

Some of the best speakers of the state are slated to appear on the program, and plans for the entertainment of the visitors between the sessions of the convention are moving forward.

Cecil Cone, Post Commander, states that everything is in readiness, while Adjutant E. E. Martin states that the indications are that all the posts in the district will be represented. Convention headquarters will be in the new Hotel Llano.

GRIGGS HOSPITAL NEWS

Miss Inez Styles of Baird underwent an operation yesterday morning for acute appendicitis, and is reported doing nicely.

Mrs. Maunie Brumbough, who underwent a major operation on Friday of last week is doing fairly well.

Mrs. Ager Jones of Childress, who was painfully hurt when their car driven by Mr. Jones, turned over on the highway just west of Baird, is doing nicely. Mrs. Jones had a fractured shoulder, in the smash up but Mr. Jones escaped without injury. Mr. and Mrs. Jones were enroute to Corsicana.

J. H. Forbus, who has been a patient for several weeks, was carried to a hospital at Wichita Falls Wednesday. He is improving some.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fortune took their little son, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, home Sunday. The little boy is slowly recovering.

Homer Driskill, who was a patient last week, is improving and was removed to his home Sunday.

Mrs. Claude Connell, who was a patient for a tonsil operation a few days the past week, has returned to her home south of Clyde.

Mrs. McGee, who has been a patient for the past six weeks, following an operation for a ruptured appendix, is convalescing and has been taken to her home.

Missionary Society

The Womans Missionary Society met Monday June 22, 1931 on their regular business meeting. The scripture lesson was given by Mrs. Hines.

Mrs. J. E. Wheeler will have charge of the mission lesson Monday, June 29.

Mesdames H. W. Ross, W. A. Fetterley, Ace Hickman, Bob Norrell, attended the East Zone meeting of the Abilene district at Cross Plains, Friday June 19. They reported on the meeting at the business session Monday. Next Zone meeting will be in Clyde.

All who have used clothing which they can give for the needy are requested to bring them to the church next Monday.

Gen. Pershing's Story Of The World War To Be Published In The Star

The Baird Star has secured the right to publish Gen. John J. Pershing's story of the World War, which will appear serially in The Star, beginning the second week in July.

Gen. Pershing's story, "My Experiences In the World War," is a straight forward story of what the American Army did in the great conflict in Europe.

Gen. Pershing tells the story with amazing frankness. It is in no sense a technical report of military operations but a human narrative of the obstacles which confronted Gen. Pershing, Commander-in-chief of the A. E. F. and which he overcame.

Gen. Pershing in this story tells of the tremendous pressure brought to be on him to brigade the American troops with French, British, and Italian armies. He describes the petty jealousies existing between the European allies and the allied politicians, and proves it with quotations from his official correspondence.

It is the most sensational, and by far the most important account of our participation in the World War, that has been written.

Every World War veteran, his relatives and friends, and every red-blooded American should read it.

More than four hundred of our Callahan county boys had a part in the World War and they will be interested in Gen. Pershing's story.

Look for the opening chapter on July 10th.

Master C. B. Holmes Jr. Undergoes Operation

C. B. Holmes returned Wednesday night from Ft. Worth, where his little son C. B. Jr., underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils and adenoids by Drs. Thompson and Webb, specialists, at eight o'clock Wednesday morning. The little fellow stood the operation nicely and was doing fine yesterday morning. He will remain in the hospital for several days. His mother, Mrs. C. B. Holmes and grandmother, Mrs. Gussie Sures are with him.

MEMORIAL SERVICES I. O. O. F. and REBEKHS

A Memorial Service program will be given by the I. O. O. F. and Rebekahs at the Hall at 8 o'clock, June 30th,—Tuesday evening,—, this being an open meeting, and I. O. O. F. and Rebekah families and their friends are invited to attend.

The program committees of these Lodges urge every member, especially to be present and join in honoring our deceased Brothers and Sisters in a Memorial Service.

The Committee

Funeral For Mrs. Perkins Held Burkett

Mrs. Davie T. Perkins of Oplin passed into that long rest Sunday afternoon, June 14, at four o'clock, at the family home near Oplin. She had patiently borne her afflictions for more than a year. Everything was done for her comfort that human hands could lovingly do but the grip of the grim reaper, death, could not be stayed. Services were held at Burkett tabernacle with M. C. Baum of Cross Plains speaking words of comfort through Holy writ.

The girls of the Glee Club lead the song service. The body was interred at Adams cemetery.

She is survived by her husband, D. T. Perkins, seven children, four boys who are still at home; Luster of Santa Anna and Richie of Rowden; three girls Misses Janie and Ola Bell of Oplin; Mrs. C. G. Burkett of her mother Mrs. Jane Baker, two brothers Galvin and Jim Baker of Burkett; and a sister Mrs. Arizona Colvin of Bellville.

The small pox cases in Baird are all about well and the quarantine will be raised in a few days. All cases were reported to be light.

Miss Judith Mayes Becomes Bride of Vernon McEachern

Miss Judith Mayes, eldest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Joe R. Mayes of Baird, became the bride of Mr. Vernon McEachern of Pasadena, California, Wednesday morning at 6 o'clock of the home of the bride's parents, the bride's father, Rev. Joe R. Mayes, pastor of the Baptist church, performing the marriage ceremony, the ring ceremony being used.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. (Doyle) McEachern, who formerly lived in this county but who now lives in Crosbyton, where Mr. McEachern is a teacher in the Crosbyton public school.

The wedding is the happy culmination of a romance that had its beginning at Simmons University, where both the bride and groom were students the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. McEachern will leave in a few days for Pasadena, Calif., where Mr. McEachern has a position with the Texas Company.

Miss Mayes is a beautiful and accomplished young lady, a graduate of the Baird High School, and has a host of friends here in Baird, where she has grown to young womanhood, who wish her and Mr. McEachern every happiness in life.

Famous Sea Scout To Visit Abilene

Paul A. Siple of Erie Pa., will be the guest of the Chisholm Trail Council, Abilene, July 3.—Rotary Club noon and at a public gathering at Cobb Park at 7:30 p. m. Every Scout and Scout Booster, Mother and Dad in West Texas is invited to be the guest of the Council July 3rd and meet this outstanding Scout.

PAUL A. SIPLE. Paul A. Siple, the Erie, Pa., Sea Scout, who accompanied Admiral Byrd to Antarctica is just twenty-two. Siple celebrated his twenty-first birthday on the Antarctic. He had left New York while still nineteen, youngest member of the Expedition and one of the youngest in any group of explorers.

For two years he had a prominent part in the activities of the Expedition. He was selected after long and arduous tests on the part of officials of the Boy Scouts of America, and the leaders of the Byrd Expedition. He was chosen from thousands of Scouts on account of unusual ability, experience and training.

On the Expedition he served as one of the steersmen of the City of New York at first, and in Antarctica became one of the expert dog team drivers. Later he took over all biological and zoological work for the Expedition and brought back a number of specimens of Antarctic penguins and seals which were mounted for exhibition at the American Museum of Natural History.

Commander Byrd on a recent occasion paid the following tribute to Siple: "Sea Scout Siple took up his work in the Expedition as a man among men. He stood regular dock watches on shipboard and turned him self into an able seaman on a full rigged sailing vessel."

"At the base he was given a dog team to drive and soon learned to handle the dogs like a sourdough and soon went out on the trail. Paul was given the young pups to train and turned out a most useful team that answered many calls for odd jobs around the camp. As zoologist he has worked diligently in getting specimens of Antarctic bird and animal life, spending many hours in cleaning and preserving the skins. He has also done good work in taking depth soundings in the Bay of Whales and has been a keen observer on his many pup team trips on the bay of ice of animal life and of ice conditions. Along with the rest he has taken his turn at menial tasks such as shoveling snow, house duties, kitchen police and standing night-watches."

After a few public appearances and a summer spent in the preparation of the manuscript of his book "A Boy Scout with Byrd", Siple returned to his studies at Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa., where he is in his junior year. He is specializing in biology, a subject in which he is deeply interested, and his practical knowledge of which enabled him to be of particular service to Admiral Byrd and the expedition.

The hottens stars do not give off the most heat.

DEMONSTRATION CLUB ORGANIZED IN WAGLEY COMMUNITY

The ladies of the Wagley community, over near the Callahan-Shackelford county line met at the home of Mrs. Hoyt Rothrock on Tuesday afternoon and organized a Home Demonstration Club with the following officers:

Mrs. Rothrock, President; Mrs. McCrum, Vice-President; Mrs. Hornbeck Sec.-Treas.; Mrs. Virgil Wagley, Reporter; Mrs. Z. C. Wagley, Council Representative.

The following officers were appointed by the president of the club: Membership committee,—Mrs. Royal, Mrs. McClellan, Mrs. Murray. Program committee,—Mrs. Dyer, Mrs. Hayes, Miss Alleen Brown. Finance committee,—Mrs. Clamper, Mrs. Brown.

The club will meet with Mrs. Hornbeck on July 7th.

Miss Halsey, te county demonstration agent of Shackelford county met with the ladies and assisted them with the organization of their club. She will mee with them again on July 21st.

The purpose of the club is to learn the canning of vegetables, fruits, meats, making cheese, cooking and home work of every kind. Mr. Z. C. Wagley and Mrs. Virgil Wagley were pleasant callers at The Star office and it was from them that we learned of the organization of the club and Mrs. Virgil Wagley, who is reporter for the club has agreed to send in the news activities of the club.

These Home Demonstration Clubs are being organized in many localities and are doing much good, and the ladies are very anxious that the county have a demonstration agent.

There is perhaps more vegetables, fruits, etc., being canned now than ever before as the experiences the past year has demonstrated beyond any doubt that this method of preserving foods is very economical and provides fresh vegetables and fruits that otherwise many families would not be able to have.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. R. A. Walker will fill his regular appointment at the Presbyterian Church in Baird, Sunday morning, June 28th, and will also preach at the evening service. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Please come to Sunday School, and remain for the morning service.

Special Music: The Choir of the Merkel Presbyterian Church will render a special music program Sunday night in the Baird Church, and the public is cordially invited to attend and enjoy it with us.

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boatwright

On Tuesday evening, of last week Mrs. Harry Ebert, of Baird, and Mrs. W. B. Dodd and daughter, Mrs. Atla Thomas, of Graham, who are visiting relatives here, entertained many old friends with a picnic supper on Deep Creek, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boatwright, of Mission, who are visiting their old home.

Mr. and Mrs. Boatwright and Mrs. Dodd were among the early settlers of this county and lived for many years on Deep Creek. Many old friends and neighbors were present on this occasion, when friendships of other days were renewed and reminiscences of many happy days were recounted.

On last Saturday night quite a number of old friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Boatwright's home, down on Deep Creek where several hours were spent; at this gathering Mr. Boatwright, Tom Wylie and others entertained the guests with music.

Mrs. Amanda Walraven, a cousin of Mr. Boatwright, accompanied by her son, Sam Walraven and her daughter, Mrs. M. A. Dillard, and Mr. Dillard, of Midlothian, were present on this occasion and remained until Sunday afternoon.

A new method for determining the amount of copper in milk has been devised, and is expected to be valuable in keeping the amount at its proper minimum.

District Court Winding Up Business of Term

District Court is just about through with their work for the term. The petit jury for the week was excused Monday and formally discharged Wednesday as only non-jury cases came up for trial and court recessed Wednesday until Saturday unless something should make it necessary for the court to assemble.

Judge M. S. Long and Harvey Brown, court reporter returned to their home in Abilene yesterday at noon.

We will give a full report of the proceedings of the court next week.

Llano Preparing For Legion Meeting

The quarterly meeting of the 17th District, Department of Texas, American Legion, will meet at Llano on July 4-5. As this is the last district meeting preceding the meeting of the State convention, and as it comes on a holiday, a large crowd of delegates and visitors are expected. Committees from the local post of the American Legion, and from the Auxiliary have been appointed and preparations are well under way.

Among the items of entertainment are a rodeo, a free barbecue and a dance. The Llano country is full of scenic interest; among points of interest to visitors are Enchanted Rock and the new Hamilton Dam being constructed on the Colorado near its junction with the Llano river.

X PLAINS INVITES EXILED SPANISH KING

The citizens of Cross Plains believe in their town and county—so much so that they have invited Alfonso, exiled ruler of the Spanish house of Bourbon, to come and make his home among them. A citizens committee of more than 50 business men framed and cabled a formal invitation to Alfonso at his villa near Paris.

The invitation read, "We have been noting sympathetically press dispatches your difficulties abroad and wish to invite you to this particular section of the United States to make your home. Cross Plains, Callahan County, Texas, offers unmatched opportunities for investors and happiness seekers. Come to this haven of happiness and be one of us. Will appreciate reply."

The cablegram was signed "A Committee of Cross Plains Citizens."

Methodist Church

Last Sunday was another big day at the Methodist Church. Sunday School is running in high. Epworth League well attended and full of enthusiasm and pep. The preaching services were well attended, fine congregation for the morning service and a house nearly full for the night service, everybody happy and enjoying the service, all of which made the pastor feel good and inspired him to do his best.

We are planning another big day next Sunday, will you help us? We just have to have your help to make the thing go but how easy it is when everyone gives a helping hand to the work of the Kingdom. We are looking for you, bring your friends and neighbors with you.

M. S. Leveridge

Colds are most frequent among individuals under five years of age and between twenty-five and thirty, says a professor of public health.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

President Hoover Delivers Addresses in Three Middle West States—Moves Toward Restoration of Economic Prosperity.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD



President Hoover

RESPONSIBILITY for the existing economic depression in the United States should be laid to frozen confidence rather than to frozen assets, according to President Hoover, who addressed the Indiana Republican Editorial association and its guests in Indianapolis. The Chief Executive expressed his hopes and plans for renewed prosperity which shall be wrought out of the nation's great natural resources by a people with renewed courage; and he vigorously defended the course of his administration in the crisis and denounced panaceas for recovery.

After alluding to the Russian five-year plan, Mr. Hoover proposed what he called an American plan. Said he: "We plan to take care of 20,000,000 increase in population in the next 20 years. We plan to build for them 4,000,000 new and better homes, thousands of new and still more beautiful city buildings, thousands of factories; to increase capacity of our railroads; to add thousands of miles to our highways and waterways; to install 25,000,000 electrical horse power. We plan to provide new parks, schools, colleges and churches for this 20,000,000 people. We plan to secure greater diffusion of wealth, a decrease in poverty and a great reduction in crime."

From Indianapolis the President and his party, which included Mrs. Hoover and their son Allan, went to Marion, Ohio, and took part in the dedication of the magnificent memorial to Warren G. Harding. Mr. Hoover delivered the chief address in which he severely condemned the "friends" who betrayed Harding's trust. Former Senator Freylinghuysen, president of the memorial association, presented the memorial to the association, and Calvin Coolidge, who succeeded Harding in the presidency, replied in acceptance. Gov. George White accepted the structure on behalf of the state. Immediately after the ceremonies Mr. Hoover went to Columbus and reviewed a parade of Civil War veterans attending the Ohio G. A. R. encampment.

Next day the presidential party journeyed to Springfield, Ill., for the dedication of the remodeled tomb of Abraham Lincoln. Mr. Hoover was the guest of Governor Emmerson and again delivered the main speech at the imposing ceremonies.

The political implications of President Hoover's trip to the Middle West were evident and not denied. The three states he visited have all caused alarm among the Republican leaders by their votes in recent elections. Only last November Illinois replaced a Republican senator with a Democrat and sent five more Democrats to the house in place of Republicans; Ohio elected a Democratic governor and sent six Democrats to congress in place of Republicans and Indiana replaced six Republican congressmen with Democrats. The Republican managers hoped the presidential tour would have effect in bringing these states back into the fold, and there was also the expectation that it would help in promoting Mr. Hoover's prospects for renomination and re-election. That he is a candidate is no longer in doubt, if it ever was. The recent conference of young Republicans in Washington, under the guidance of Senator Fess, national Republican chairman, made that certain.

IN A letter to leaders of American industry and organized labor the National Civic federation takes the first step in setting up a ten year plan of systemizing production, eliminating unemployment and integrating the industrial and economic structure of the nation. The letter was signed by James W. Gerard, former ambassador to Germany and now the chairman of the federation's commission on industrial inquiry. It is based on a proposal made by Matthew Woll, vice president of the American Federation of Labor, and urges the calling of a national congress to discuss and formulate a program of industrial readjustment and create permanent machinery for this purpose.



J. W. Gerard

Mr. Gerard's letter was addressed to all leading manufacturers in the country, officials of the American Federation of Labor and heads of all international unions. The letter declares that Mr. Woll's proposal for a great congress of industry has received the indorsement of the national civic federation and expresses the readiness of the federation to summon such a congress "if it can have reasonable assurance that the response will be such as to make success probable." Manufacturers and labor leaders were asked to state their opinion and that of their organ-

izations on the proposal and to advise whether they would participate in a preliminary meeting that might be held before the formal calling of the congress.

"What is desired is to draw together a great conclave of delegates, not a mere collection of individuals without representative character," Mr. Gerard's letter declared.

FOR the purpose of encouraging other nations to help in the disarmament movement by telling all about their military strength, the United States, through Secretary Stimson, has made public its report on that matter to the League of Nations. The document shows the land, naval and air armaments of the country, giving the exact number of men, warships and aircraft maintained for military and naval purposes. The total number of army reserves is also given, though this information was not asked by the league.

The data gave America's total land effectives as 139,957, including 13,080 officers. The National Guard was listed at "10,774 average daily effectives" and was not included in the total forces because it was reported "not available to the federal government without measures of mobilization."

The total strength of the naval force was fixed at 109,886, including 10,429 officers and 17,500 enlisted personnel of the marine corps. The total armed air forces, including effectives in the army and navy, were placed at 27,324 officers and men, of which 13,165 were credited to the army air corps and 14,169 to the naval air force. The total number of airplanes in the armed forces was listed as 1,752 including 965 army craft and 787 naval planes. Three army and two navy dirigibles, including the Los Angeles, were added.

Japan promptly followed the example set by the United States.



W. A. Castle

EUROPE rather expects that when Secretary of State Stimson gets over there for his visits to various capital cities it will be revealed that the United States government will consent under certain conditions, to alter its stand on reparations and war debts. And in this count, there are indications that this may be true. Undersecretary of State William A. Castle gave out a statement the other day to the effect that the government does not consider its position as signifying an inflexible thesis, and there have been strong hints at the White House that Hoover would not oppose the scaling down of war debts if he were assured this would be followed by ample reductions in European armaments.

Mr. Castle said the government is and always has been open minded on the war debt question and has been watching the situation abroad very carefully; he added that no crisis has yet arisen of a nature that would call for any action by this country on the war debts. If such a crisis should arise, he said, it was obvious this government would have to consider whether a temporary change was necessary. Official opinion in Washington was that Mr. Castle's statement was designed to help Chancellor Bruening of Germany in the troubles that beset him.

MISS ANNA ADAMS GORDON, former president of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union and of the World W. C. T. U., died in Castle, N. Y., at the age of seventy-eight years. She was a close friend of the late Frances E. Willard, helped her organize the W. C. T. U. and for many years was her secretary. She was one of the best known of temperance leaders of this generation.

FRANKLIN D. Roosevelt's presidential boom was given a decided boost in Massachusetts by the luncheon given by Col. Edward M. House at his summer cottage near Manchester-by-the-Sea. The governor of New York was the guest of honor and among those present were the most influential Democratic leaders of the Bay state. Little was said about politics during the luncheon, but the feeling was general that the affair was of considerable political significance, and friends of Mr. Roosevelt are of the opinion that the Massachusetts delegation in next year's national convention will be in line for his nomination. Just before the party rose from the table Colonel House offered a toast to the governor as the man on whom the eyes of the nation are focused.

It will be remembered that Colonel House recently announced that he was

corresponding with leading Democrats with a view to promoting Roosevelt's presidential prospects. Among the guests at the luncheon was Henry Morgenthau, like House a close friend of Woodrow Wilson, and it is believed he has associated himself with House in this movement with the sanction of Roosevelt, although the governor has not yet declared himself a candidate for the presidential nomination.

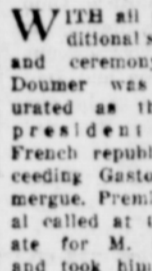
AL CAPONE, the world's most notorious gangster, will have to spend some years in Leavenworth penitentiary. Before Federal Judge Wilkerson in Chicago he pleaded guilty to indictments for evasions of income tax payments and for conspiracy to violate the prohibition law. He will be sentenced on June 30, probably to from two to four years in prison. Sixty-eight members of Capone's gang also are under indictment for the liquor law conspiracy. Capone's rule as king of gangland is ended.



Juan Vicente Gomez

JUAN BAUTISTA Perez, obeying a demand made by the congress of Venezuela, resigned from the presidency of that republic, after evading for some time the oral and written suggestions of members of congress that he step out of office. The drive against him was managed by supporters of Juan Vicente Gomez who were determined that the veteran should resume the place he held for 20 years from the time of Castro's downfall until May, 1929. He retired then on his own motion and when Perez was elected to succeed him the constitution was amended to permit Gomez to become commander-in-chief of the army and to be responsible only to congress. An academic, rather than active type, President Perez left the task of putting down insurrections—three of which have occurred since he took office—to General Gomez and his army of 12,000 men.

Gomez, in fact, has been almost as much the ruler of the country since retiring as he was before, and his return to the presidency in the election set for June 19 was considered certain. He is getting to be an old man but retains his youthful vigor and picturesque appearance, and probably is the man Venezuela needs.



Paul Doumer

WITH all the traditional splendor and ceremony Paul Doumer was inaugurated as the new president of the French republic, succeeding Gaston Doumergue, Premier Laval called at the senate for M. Doumer and took him to the presidential palace, their automobile being escorted by cavalry through throngs of cheering citizens, as the artillery fired the 21 gun salute. At the palace the retiring president transferred his office to his successor, and M. Doumer received the insignia of grand master of the Legion of Honor from the hands of General Dubail, head of the organization.

President Doumer's first official act was to go to the city hall and be received by the council, after which he proceeded to the Arc de Triomphe and there, in a solemn ceremony, relighted the eternal flame at the tomb of the unknown soldier. This rite was especially moving for M. Doumer lost four of his five sons in the war.

President Doumer received the resignation of Premier Pierre Laval and his cabinet and urgently requested Laval to retain his office. The latter consented and offered for the president's acceptance an unchanged ministry, including Foreign Minister Briand.

NEARLY 500 persons, most of them women and children, perished when a French excursion steamer capsized near St. Nazaire during a storm. Only eight of those aboard the vessel, were saved.

The submarine Nautilus, carrying Sir Hubert Wilkins' under-ice polar expedition, was disabled in mid-Atlantic by the breaking down of her engines, and was taken in tow by the American warship Wyoming.

CARDINAL SEGURA, the exiled primate, slipped back into Spain the other day but was promptly apprehended and ushered out again across the French border. His presence in Spain threatened a recurrence of the attacks on church institutions, for the radicals were enraged by the news of his return. The Vatican protested his expulsion.

ONE more member of the federal farm board—the third within a few months—has resigned from that body. He is Samuel R. McKelvie, the wheat member of the board, and he said that as his term had just ended presidential acceptance of his resignation was not necessary. His successor has not yet been announced. Mr. McKelvie, who took part in the recent grain conference in London, will retire to his large live stock ranch in Nebraska.

NETTA DUCHATEAU of Belgium was selected as "Miss Universe" at the international beauty pageant in Galveston, Texas. She is seventeen years old and has long, dark hair.

For the
Woman Reader
by
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Entertaining

In England it is the custom to give guests a great deal of freedom to do as they please. As much liberty in America might be regarded as neglect. It is a wise hostess who can draw the line between wearing out her guests and herself by being over-solicitous for their comfort and entertainment, and being careless as to their welfare.

One of the nicest ways to entertain your guest is to show him the feature characteristics of your neighborhood, and which are not a part of his accustomed environment. If you live in the country and he comes from the city, emphasize the rural features. Do not drive into town to take him to a picture show, but have a meal in the woods, cooked over a camp fire. Let him enjoy the sunsets, the hillside, the quiet walks.

If you live in the city and your guest comes from the country, he will be all eyes and ears for the sights of the city streets, its skyscrapers, its bright lights, its museums and entertainments.

Kindness and native tact and a real desire to show your guest a good time will make you a successful hostess. Be careful of your conversation. Do not talk about money troubles, the cost of things, the hard times or domestic troubles.

Keep in a good humor. Do not show annoyance about anything which happens. Make your guest feel that in your house happiness abides. If aught else is there, do not parade it before your guest or he will never want to come again.

Overweight

Up to thirty years of age, it is better to be slightly overweight; but beyond thirty, it is dangerous to be very heavy. The extra fat slows up body processes and weakens the organs; and body poisons are not so thoroughly thrown off. All this invites disease and lessens one's resistance to disease when it comes, making a double danger.

This morning I overheard one say of an old lady, "She is a little thing and nimble as a cricket, yet she is healthier than any of her children and will probably out-live all of them." The speaker did not realize that her freedom from overweight and her very activity were the cause of her good health and her long life prospects. If we would keep well and live long, we must not let our organs become clogged with fat.

What then? We must avoid sweets, starches and fats, for these are the foods which make fat. It is a mistake to refrain from eating. Instead we should fill up on fruits, vegetables, bran and skim milk. We need the bulk to encourage elimination. The second part of our program is exercise, lots of it, and preferably in the outdoors.

Soap

About six thousand years ago, soap was used in the island of Crete, and a bath-tub has been found amid the ruins of its ancient capital. Cleanliness may be next to godliness in antiquity.

Our grandmothers used to save fat by refuse and combine it with lye made from wood ashes; and make soap in great kettles. It was almost a social rite, for neighbors assembled for this purpose. Many a juicy bit of gossip has been banded back and forth over the soap kettle.

The modern housewife can make soap from the scraps of fat she saves, by buying a box of concentrated lye and following the directions on the can. Such soap is too strong for use on delicate fabrics or surfaces, but has its uses where a rigorous cleanser is needed.

For laundering, avoid soaps with resin or free alkali in them. Floating soap is made by pumping air into it before it is put into molds. Mild soaps, with fine oils in them, are better for toilet use, as they are not so hard on the skin.

The Summer Hat

Usually one hat a season is plenty, but this season is different. We have been wearing small hats and the exceedingly popular beret, and they are not to go down one jot in our favor, but there is another which is to claim our affections for dress.

The return to femininity in styles stirs the ladylike yearning for "a hat to match every gown", or something like that. At least, we crave a dress hat to go with those dainty, frilly creations of lace and embroidery.

If you are tall and willowy, all to the good; but, my dear, if you are short and stout and have almost no neck, beware the broad brimmed hat. It will make you look like a cartoon.

But you may choose something on that order, carefully adapted to your size and figure. It is wise to stand in front of a tall glass, to see the effect the hat has on your complete person, before you pick out your mid-summer hat.

Crowns are shallow and the forehead still shows, even in large hats. Materials are of rough weave and shiny, often lacy. A thin veil-like cap is taking the popular fancy for evening wear.

Cleaning Hints

To remove the dust from the crevices of a reed or wicker chair, use the blower of your vacuum cleaner or scrub it with a stiff brush and lukewarm soap suds, made from a mild soap.

Grease spots may be removed from upholstered furniture by sponging the stain and a large area around it with carbon tetrachloride. Use a criss-cross motion, not a circular one, to prevent the formation of a ring.

Wash in haste and you will not have to repent at leisure, is the rule for washing blankets. Quick and careful handling will help to keep them soft and fluffy. Make a warm suds, immerse the blankets in it, squeeze but do not twist nor rub them. If badly soiled, repeat the sudsy bath. Rinse in clear warm water and dry as quickly as possible, outdoors preferred, in a brisk wind.

Cold Drinks

The home soda fountain is likely to be more sanitary than some, where they are careless about washing glasses and spoons. Also the drinks are not the sweet, rich mixtures which are not good for anybody and, incidentally, it may be less expensive.

Use almost any fruit juices and combine them in an endless variety of ways. A little lemon juice brings out the flavor of other fruits. Tea makes a good base for many punches. Ginger ale adds pep to mild drinks.

Some of the ingredients of your cold drinks may be: the juice of oranges, lemons, grapefruit, cherries, grapes, pineapple and berries. For variety in flavor use cloves, nutmeg, allspice, dried cocoanut, marachino cherries, strained honey, or rose water. Sugar, water and cracked ice are essentials in all cold drinks.

Sandwich Fillings

What to put inside the sandwich is an ever recurring problem for the woman who packs a lunch or who has a family which clamors for picnic food. Some favorite fillings are jelly and chopped nuts; marmalade; honey and chopped nuts; chopped dates or figs with lemon juice; chopped raisins, dates, walnuts and cocoanut; apricot; apricot butter and lemon juice; honey and lemon juice; grated cheese, chopped peppers, and dash of grated onion; mints and horse-radish, or mustard, or lemon juice; chopped hard boiled eggs and chopped olives and almost any salad.

Mrs. Solomon Says:

To a busy woman, it may look tempting to "just sit"; but it soon gets to feel like "waiting for a train". The really happy people are those who are hard at work.

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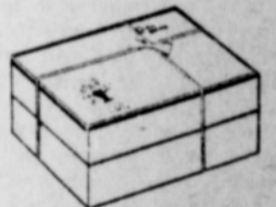
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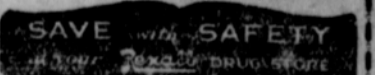
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yond the State, and so, it should and doubtless will give all possible aid to the Nation-wide George Washington Tercentenary of 1932 and to the Chicago "Century of Progress" celebration of 1933. In fact Texas has reached that point in its own development where it should concern itself in all constructive movements of the entire Nation. This State can not live to itself any more than a newspaper or an individual can hold aloof from surrounding activities and succeed. Progress is now achieved by getting together and sticking together

All Can Help

Every newspaper in Texas, every individual in the State, can help in the great forward-looking movements looking to the State's greatest development. Sometimes we get the idea that because we can not accomplish great things, we need not try anything—that our small efforts are hardly worth while. I may not be able to do much individually. I could not build a city alone or even a small village industry. What I write may make little impression upon the six million people of Texas, but what the six million people of Texas working together toward the same ends can accomplish would be beyond the estimation or even the dream of the

people themselves. All that is needed to "Build Texas" is this spirit of working together which the Texas press has determined to try to build up.

Production and Prices

Retail prices of products need to be brought to conform more closely to prices obtained at places of production. Woolen and cotton manufactured goods are admittedly too high at the prices now being paid for wool and cotton to the producers. Manufacturers and dealers agree that costs of production and distribution are such that they can not sell at less prices and continue in business. Many farm products are now so low as the farms that they are allowed to rot in the fields, while multiplied thousands throughout the world are suffering for food, and retail store prices remain high. Again the reason for this anomalous condition is given as high cost of distribution, brought about by transportation charges, expense and profits of middle-men, sales wages, rents, delivery and many other items. Something needs to be done to eliminate the immense waste between producers and consumers, and it is an economic problem that will require the best thought of the country.

A "flaming" courtship came to a close recently at Iiwa City Ia., when Margaret Smoke was married to David Ash.



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Don Dickerman, artist of New York was awarded a \$100 prize for defining love as "a season pass on the shuttle between heaven and hell."

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Texas and Texans
by WILL H. MAYES
Austin, Texas
"All Texans for all Texas"

Build Texas Spirit

If every Texan could catch the spirit of the recent meeting of the Texas Press Association there would be no more "hard times" wails heard in the state. It was announced as a "Build Texas inspirational meeting," and practically every talk was around that theme. Speakers represented most of the industries and enterprises of the State, leaders in which spoke from personal study and observation of present conditions and immediate prospects of every phase of business life in Texas. All admitted that conditions have not been all that could have been desired, all agreed that such conditions have existed in worse degree time and again, all showed how they have been met heretofore and overcome by a courageous people, and all predicted that the country will fast return to the highest peaks of prosperity.

Figures presented showed beyond question that the present financial scare, if it may be called that, is not justified by business conditions, that it is largely the result of too much speculative investment, too much marginal buying, too much credit, too high standards of living, too great a disposition to postpone settlement of financial obligations, and especially too much idle and unjustified talk about "hard times". We have magnified the evils and minimized the blessings until we have surrounded ourselves with imaginary scarecrow.

It is the purpose of the Texas press to use its utmost influence to counteract this state of mind that has grown about us and by a strenuous campaign to "Build Texas," to stop talk of depression by talking Texas, past, present and future.

Looking Ahead
It seems appropriate that during the closing five year period of the first century of Texas history Texans should review in every possible way the glorious history and achievements of the past one hundred years, should note the progress that has been made and should make broad plans for an even greater development. To all this the Texas Press Association pledged itself anew. There are a number of movements now organized and under way looking to these ends, with which the press of the State can co-operate. Perhaps the greatest of all these is the proposed Texas Centennial celebration to be held in 1936, a movement which not only the press but every Texas citizen can render a

great aid. The celebration, if held on the proper scale, should create a greater love on the part of Texans for their own state, a greater confidence in its undertakings, a greater hope for its future. To know Texas is to love Texas, and every Texan should be brought to an intimate knowledge of his State through this Centennial. It will also show to the people outside of Texas the real, worth-while achievements of this section and something of its future possibilities.

Co-operative Movements

It is fortunate that just at this time the manufacturing industries of the State are at work on a five years plan to stimulate patronage of Texas made products, to build up more and greater industries, to quicken Texas trade. The Centennial movement will go hand in hand with this worthy effort. If Texas would attract the outside business world it must show a Texas interest in enterprises be-

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THE SECRET

"Sunbeam fell across the way I trod
"Whence do you come?" I asked. It
said "From God."
"Where do you go; what is your mis-
sion here?"
With radiant head the sunbeam bright
er shone.
"I am the love of life," it said.

Thrashing of the golden grain is
now in full swing in Callahan county
where we have one of the largest and
best grain crops we have had for
years. To bad that the price is so low.

**Special Session Of The
Legislature**

Governor Sterling will not submit
the subject of revenue and taxation
at a special session of the Legislature
is called. He so stated in an inter-
view last week with Byron C. Utecht,
Staff Correspondent of the Ft. Worth
Star-Telegram. Passage of an oil
and gas conservation act, he said,
was the only excuse he knew of for
calling the Legislature and he expres-
sed the opinion that a special session
on this subject should not last longer
than one or two weeks.

Orderly production of oil, bringing
higher prices, probably would solve
the problem presented by an expected
deficit in the state revenue, the
governor said, and this opinion is
shared by Senator J. W. E. H. Beck,
chairman of the finance committee,
according to the Utecht interview.

As evidence that no new revenue
measure is necessary, the governor
referred to his action in striking
nearly \$4,000,000 from appropriation
bills passed by the regular session,
which reduced to not more than \$2,-
000,000 the probable deficit of 1933.
"As to the \$2,000,000 more needed,
I have several cards up my sleeve,"
he declared, "and I believe we can
overcome this supposed deficit."

After pointing out that better
oil prices far oil might increase state
revenues in an amount even larger
than the purported deficit, Governor
Sterling said:

"The oil and gas conservation law
is a very wise I know of for call-
ing the Legislature. If the members
are pretty well agreed on this legis-
lation and the needs of the industry,
the Legislature could get through in
one week and at the most, two. There
would be no use calling them back,
engage in a lot of wrangling and ac-
complishing nothing. But it begins
to appear that members are satisfied
a good conservation law is the only
hope of the oil industry in Texas.
The few subjects submitted, the
better."

According to the Star-Telegram
staff correspondent, the estimate
furnished the Governor recently that
a deficit of nearly \$6,000,000 would
be in 1933 was based on the most
conservative revenue figures, many
members of the Legislature, including
Lieut. Governor Witt, declaring it is
\$2,000,000 too much. The natural gas
tax was estimated at one-half in this
report compared to data supplied the
Legislature. The oil production tax
was figured at no more than \$1,500,-
000 a year, one fourth of what it gave
the State last year. While prices
have been reduced, the total produc-
tion has been greatly increased.

"The Governor, from the day of
his inauguration, has taken the atti-
tude that taxes would not be justi-
fied except to meet economical govern-
ment needs, not expanded govern-

ment requirements," said the Star-
Telegram.

**Texas Losing Money
Through Price of Oil**

Texas is losing enough money
through low oil prices resulting from
wasteful production to relieve de-
pression so far as this state is con-
cerned, according to Chairman C. V.
Terrell of the Railroad Commission.
If something is not done at once to
stop the waste in East Texas oil fields
they will go like others in which or-
derly production was not observed,
Mr. Terrell said in an interview given
out at San Angelo. The loss to the
state through present wasteful produc-
tion, he added, "is so enormous it
staggeres our imagination."

The purpose of the interview, as
explained by Mr. Terrell was to clear
up any misunderstanding as to his
views which may have been created
by inaccurate quotations in the press.
After pointing out that the Rail-
road Commission is a quasi-judicial
sworn testimony and argument of
counsel, Chairman Terrell recalled
that hearing lasting an entire week
preceded an order for statewide pro-
duction of oil, including the East Tex-
as field. The order had barely been
issued when the Commission was en-
joined from doing anything to enforce
it. "Since that time," said Mr. Ter-
rell, "some 15 different suits have
been filed in state and federal courts
and we are informed by the only law-
yer we have, the Attorney General,
selected by the people of Texas to
advise and represent us in all courts,
that we must wait until cases are
finally settled in the highest courts
before anything further can be done
to conserve the oil and gas in that
field."

He said is operators can get to-
gether and help conservation in East
Texas "my idea is that we will finally
find a solution of the problem to
operators who do not wish to follow
the law or our decrees may be forced
to do so."

Speaking of the low price of oil
Mr. Terrell said that under orderly
production, the price should be about
\$1.25 per barrel. At present it is
about 25 cents. "The difference,"
said the Railroad Commission chair-
man, "is \$250,000,000 annually or \$40
per capita or \$200 for each family in
Texas. That much money coming
into the state each year or one year
would easily relieve the depressed
financial condition and give us good
times."

**State Fair Tickets To
Be Reduced**

Mr. T. R. Tyler, ticket agent for
T. & P. Ry. at Putnam, announces
that he has been named distributor
in Putnam for the "five-for-one" ad-
mission ticket to the 1931 State Fair
of Texas at Dallas.

"For a limited time only," Mr.
Tyler said, "people of this city and
surrounding territory can buy five
admission tickets to the State Fair
for one dollar. This is less than half
the regular admission price, which
for five tickets would be two dollars
and fifty cents."

"This is the first time in the his-
tory of the State Fair that the price
of admission tickets has been reduced
Mr. Tyler explained. It was author-
ized for a short time by the State
Fair directors at Dallas, because dur-
ing the last few years so many new
features and exhibits have been ad-
ded that it is difficult for a person
to see everything he is interested in
in one day or evening. People from
out of Dallas have had to go away
before they had seen all of the many
wonderful things to be seen, because
there was too much to be crowded
into one day.

"The special price of five tickets
for one dollar gives everyone a chance
to go five different times, or take
other people along for less than half
price."

Mr. Tyler said that the tickets were
now on sale at the ticket office. He
urges everyone who wants to save
money on State Fair tickets to get
them at once so as not to be dissa-
pointed, as the special price was for
a limited time only.

The far east remains the chief
source of the camphor crop; as at-
tempts to raise camphor trees for
commerce have proved unprofitable
in Egypt, Italy, France, Brazil, and
the United States.

NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO
ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN
the issuance of bonds of ROAD DIS-
TRICT NUMBER ONE OF CALLA-
HAN COUNTY, TEXAS, hereinafter
described by metes and bounds, and
the levying of an ad valorem tax for
the purpose of paying the interest on
said bonds and to provide a sinking
fund sufficient for the redemption

thereof at maturity:

That on the 11th day of June,
1931, at a regular meeting of the
Commissioners' Court of Callahan
County, Texas, was presented to
said Court a petition signed by
more than fifty property taxpaying
voters or Road District No. One of
Callahan County, Texas, praying that
an election be held, at the earliest date
practicable permitted by law, in Cal-
lahan County Road District No. One,
to determine whether or not the
bonds of said Callahan County Road
District No. One shall be issued to
the amount of Fifteen Thousand
Dollars (\$15,000.00), (which said a-
mount does not exceed one-fourth of
the assessed valuation of the real
property of Callahan County Road
District No. One), said bonds to bear
interest at the rate of not exceeding
five and one-half per cent (5 1/2%) per
annum, and to mature at such time
or times as may be deemed expedient
by the Commissioners' Court of Cal-
lahan County, Texas, but not exceed-
ing thirty years from their date, for
the purpose of the construction, main-
tenance and operation of macadam-
ized, graveled or paved roads and
turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and
whether or not ad valorem taxes
shall be annually levied on all taxable
property of said Callahan County
Road District No. One, subject to tax-
ation, for the purpose of paying the
interest on said bonds and to provide
a sinking fund sufficient for the re-
demption thereof at maturity, said
petition setting out the metes and
bounds of said District as follows:

BEGINNING on the W. bound-
ary lines of Callahan County, at the
S. W. corner of the Anthony Bates
Sur. No. 9, (Abstract No. 12) for the
N. W. corner of this District.
Thence E. with the S. boundary
line of said Anthony Bates Sur. to the
most Northerly N. E. corner
of Sec. No. 29, S. P. Ry.
Co., lands in block No. 8, at
the point on the W. boundary line of
Sur. No. 80, B. B. & C. Ry. Co.
lands, (Abst. No. 1182). Thence S. to
the S. W. corner of said Sec. No. 80,
Thence E. with the S. boundary
line of said Secs. No. 80 (Abst. No.
1182) and Secs. Nos. 57, (Abst. No.
61), 56, (Abst. No. 1241), B. B. &
C. Ry. Co., Surs. to the S. E. corner
of said Sec. No. 56.

Thence N. with the E. boundary
line of said Sec. No. 56, (Abst. No.
944) to the N. W. corner of Sec. No.
56 (Abst. No. 944) B. B. & C. Ry.
Co. lands.

Thence E. with the N. boundary
line of Sur. 56, (Abst. No. 944). The
N. boundary lines of Sec. No. 57,
(Abst. No. 32) Sec. 70, 71, 84, 85, 98,
99, 114, and 115, of the B. B. &
C. Ry. Co., lands to the N. E. corner
of said Sur. No. 115, B. B. & C.
Ry. Co., land.

Thence S. with the E. boundary
lines of said Sur. No. 115, and 116, B.
B. & C. Ry. Co., lands to the S. E.
corner of said Sur. No. 116.

Thence E. with the N. boundary
lines of Sur. No. 138, 143, of said B.
B. & C. Ry. Co., surveys to the
N. E. corner of said Survey 143.

Thence E. across the J. Point-
event Sur. and Sur. No. 1 T. & N. O.
Ry. Co., land, to the center of the W.
B. lines, of Sur. No. 63, B. O. H. lands
Thence E. with the center line of

said Sur. Nos. 63, 64, 65, B. O. H.
lands and the center lines of Secs.
Nos. 7 and 8, D. & D. Asy. lands,
Thence E. with the S. lines of
Sur. No. 133, University lands, to the
S. W. corner T. E. & L. Co., Sur. No.
2041.

Thence E. with S. B. lines, Sur.
No. 2041, to the S. E. corner of same,
Thence S. to the S. W. corner
Sur. No. 2972, T. E. & L. Co., lands,
Thence E. with the S. B. line of
said Surs. Nos. 2972 and 2299, T. E.
& L. Co., lands to the S. E. corner of
Sur. No. 2299.

Thence S. with the E. B. lines of
T. E. & L. Co., Sur. No. 2298, to the
S. E. corner of same.

Thence E. with the S. B. lines of
Surveys Nos. 2272, 2280, 2288, 3151,
T. E. & L. Co., lands to the S. E.
corner of said Sur. No. 3151.

Thence S. with the E. B. lines of
Sur. No. 3152, T. E. & L. Co., lands to
the S. E. corner of same.

Thence E. with the N. B. lines of
Surveys Nos. 3158, 3166, and 3171, T.
E. & L. Co., lands to a point on the
E. boundary line of Callahan County.

Thence S. with E. boundary line
of Callahan County, to the S. E. cor-
ner of Sur. No. 129, H. & T. C. Ry.,
Co., lands.

Thence W. with the N. B. lines of
Sur. No. 128, H. & T. Ry. Co., lands
to the N. W. corner of the M. Cherry
Sur. (Abst. No. 110).

Thence W. with the N. B. lines
of Surs. Nos. 21, 19, and 18, B. O. H.
lands and N. B. lines of Sur. Nos. 315,
316, 317, S. P. Ry. Co., lands and N.
B. lines of Surveys Nos. 36, 37, 38
and 39, of the D. & D. Asylum land,
to the N. W. corner of said Sur. No.
39.

Thence North to the N. E. corner
of Sur. 40 D. & D. Asylum land,
Thence W. with the N. B. lines
of Sur. No. 40 to the N. W. corner of
same.

Thence West to the N. E. corner
of Sur. No. 148, B. B. & C. Ry. Co.,
Thence W. with the N. B. lines
of surveys Nos. 148, 150, and 125, to
the N. W. corner of said survey No.
125, B. B. & C. Ry. Co., lands.

Thence S. with the W. B. lines
of said Sur. No. 125, to the S. E. cor-
ner of the Thomas Ashur, Sur.,
Thence W. with S. B. lines of
said Ashur Sur., to the S. W. corner
of the W. Gattlin Sur.

Thence N. to the N. E. corner of
the J. D. Gibbs sur.

Thence W. with the N. B. line of
the said Gibbs Survey, to the N. E.
corner of surveys Nos. 1, B. B. &
C. Ry. Co., lands, continuing West
with the N. B. lines of said surveys
Nos. 1, 4, 9, 14, and 19, to the N. W.
corner of said Survey No. 19, B. B.
& C. Ry. Co. lands.

Thence N. with the W. B. lines
of Survey No. 20, to the center of
the W. B. lines of Sur. No. 21, B. B.
& C. Ry. Co., lands,

Thence W. with the center lines
of surveys Nos. 22, and 31, to the W.
B. lines of Surveys Nos. 31, B. B. &
C. Ry. Co., lands,

Thence N. to the N. W. corner of
said survey No. 31.

Thence W. across Sur. No. 35, S.
P. Ry. Co., land to the N. E. corner
of Survey No. 13, S. P. Ry. Co., lands
(block 8).

Thence W. with the N. B. lines

of said Section No. 13, and the N. B.
lines of surveys Nos. 32 and 31,
Lunatic Asylum lands, to the inter-
section of the W. B. lines of Calla-
han County.

Thence N. with the W. boundary
line of Callahan County, to the place
of beginning.

That said Commissioners' Court
has set said petition for hearing on
the 7th day of July, 1931, to be held
in the County Commissioners' Court
room in the City of Baird, Texas, be-
tween the hours of 10:00 A. M. and
4:00 P. M., at which hearing any per-
son interested may appear before
said Court in person or by attorney
and contend for, or protest, the or-
dering of said bond election, the is-
surance of said proposed bonds, or the
levying of the ad valorem tax for the
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PERSONALS

Mrs. Bernice White of Ft. Worth is spending a few days here visiting friends and relatives.

Dr. Henry McGowen, of Cross Plains, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McGowen

Miss May Eastham, of Admiral, is spending the week with her brother, O. E. Eastham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Windham and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Windham, of Opalin, were in Baird Wednesday.

Miss Jocile Russell of Knox City, has returned home from a four weeks visit with her aunt and uncle, Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Atchison and son, Judson, left Tuesday for Rusk, where Mr. Atchison has a position with a construction company.

Misses Winneford Camp and Ellen Osborn, of Abilene, were the guests of Mrs. Sophia Hill one day the past week.

M. Franklin, who is recovering from a long illness, is now able to walk down town.

Miss Maiz Louise Thaxton, who taught in the Marlin schools last year, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. McGowen and family.

Misses Avonelle and Elaine and Master Jimmie Pratt of Abilene, spent last week-end with their grand mother, Mrs. J. L. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff McManis, of Breckenridge, came in Monday and went down on the Bayou for a few days outing.

"Aunt" Mary Slaughter is ill at her home at Tecumseh. Dr. R. L. Griggs was called to see her Wednesday.

Mrs. J. L. White left Thursday to attend the Cowboys reunion at Stamford. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. I. C. Pratt and daughters, Misses Avonelle and Elaine Pratt

Mrs. Author Johnson and daughter, Gollie Charline, and Mrs. Sam Smith and children, Sufie Lee and Irby, spent the week-end in Ft. Worth last week.

Mrs. Carlile and daughter, Midlaine, of Midland, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Judge J. H. Carpenter.

Miss Marjorie Carpenter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Judge Carpenter, who taught in the Midland schools last year is at home with her parents for the summer.

Miss Donna McGowen and Miss Midge Holmes, who are attending the summer term of Simmons University, spent the week-end in Baird with their parents.

Miss Agnes Eastham, of Paris, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Eastham. In company with her mother and brother, Morris she spent last week-end with her sister, Mrs. B. G. Johnson and family, at Snyder Her grand-mother, Mrs. J. J. Price who has been visiting there for several weeks, returned home with them

Mrs. John Blakley and daughter, Miss Evalynee, of Belle Plaine, and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Blakley, of the Bayou, were called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buford Taylor, south of Putnam Sunday by the seriousness illness of their little son, R. B. The little boy is reported improving.

Dr. R. L. Griggs was called to the homes of Chas Coffee and E. W. Bowen, below Admiral Wednesday where members of each family are ill with scarlet fever.

Miss Ella Moore Seale had the bad luck last Saturday to have one of her favorite saddle horses, Cheyanne, die at the Seale Ranch, at Belle Plaine.

Homer Driskill, manager for the A. & P. Store, who has been quite ill for the past two weeks, is improving and is now able to set up a good part of the time (and will be back on the job in a few days.

J. H. Hill left a few days ago for Dallas where he will spend a few day and then go on to Shreveport, La., where he has a position as relief agent with the Magnolia Refining Co.

Mrs. J. B. Harmon, of Fort Worth, spent last Thursday here on business Mrs. Harmon and her daughter, Miss Lide Spragins, both of the Texas Christian University, at Fort Worth, left Monday for New York City where they will attend Columbia University.

Little Miss Dollie Wilbanks, who has been visiting her brothers, Jess and Ray Wilbanks for some weeks, returned to her home at Cleburne Monday, accompanied by her brother and Fred Estes, Jr., who will spend a few days visiting.

Little Miss Charity Gilliland is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Noah Cook, at San Angelo this week. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilliland, her parents, took her to Ballinger last Sunday where they were met by Mr. and Mrs. Cook who will bring her home the end of the present week.

Mrs. Nora Percy is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alice Bascom, in Jacksonville, Florida, this being the first visit between the two sisters in the past fifteen years. They are spending a few weeks on the beach and Mrs. Percy says "she is having a most delightful visit with her sister and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Greer, and Mrs. E. C. Rush, of Globe, Arizona, arrived on Thursday of last week on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Holmes. Mr. and Mrs. Greer went down to Dallas for a few days before going to Kopperl, where a reunion of the Greer family will be held on July 4th. Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Holmes will also attend the reunion. Greer Holmes, their son, is at Kopperl now.

Mr. V. Z. Perriman writes from his new home at 1001 Pine St, Sweetwater, that they have not received a copy of The Star since Mr. Perriman says they are all well pleased with their new home, although they regret leaving Baird, where they have lived for the past twenty-three years. Mr. Perriman is now holding a first trick switch engine, in the T. & P. Ry yards at Sweetwater. The Perrimans have traded their home in Baird in on a home in Sweetwater, where they expect to make their home and where their many old friends wish them every happiness.

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MASONIC NOTICE

Baird Lodge, No. 522, A. F. & A. M. will meet in regular session Saturday night, June 27th, at which time officers for the ensuing year will be installed. All members are requested to be present and all sojourning brothers are welcome.
 J. B. Jones, W. M.

B. F. Russell, who with Mrs. Russell and their little daughter, Renee, are spending the summer on the San Saba River, near Menard, was here this week looking after some cases in District Court. He will return to his summer camp to-day accompanied by his father, Hon. Frank Russell, of Cottonwood, who will spend several weeks with his there.

With Baird Baptist

Last Sunday was fine with us; three splendid services, two at the church and one at Union School house Brother Royce Gilliland was with the Deep Creek people in the afternoon and preached at the Presbyterian at night; making five services for us thru the day. Well, the more we can do, the better we like it.

Next Sunday we hope to make a good day for us. I will speak at the morning hour from the text "Have Faith in God." At night my subject will be "What the Man Said From the Other Side." Come worship with us, we will be delighted to have you. paper and read NNNy

I will preach at Dudley in the afternoon. All who get this paper and read this will please pray for us over there in that section; for beginning next Monday night, we are planning to have four weeks of evangelistic

service over in that part of the county.

Next Monday night I will begin a meeting at Tecumseh, and will preach there every night thru the week, and beginning the First Sunday in July, I will hold a weeks meeting at Dudley. I will not give any further dates. Let's work now, hard for the success of these two weeks service. Let every one pray for the blessing of God upon us.

Sincerely,
 Joe R. Mayes.

Heroine of "Strangers May Kiss" Perfect Role for Norma Sherer

(Review)

Ursula Parrott must have Norma Sherer in mind when she creates heroines for her novels.

For in "Strangers May Kiss," as in "The Divorcee," Miss Sherer steps gracefully into the leading role and wraps it about her with a certain assurance of possession. Indeed, this reviewer can imagine the role in no other hands.

In the new Sherer picture which opens July 3-4 at the Sigal Theatre, the star essays an even more daring and dramatic role than in her previous Parrott story, this time playing the part of Lisbeth, the modern young woman who starts blithely out on a globe-trotting honeymoon without pausing for a wedding ring or any other ceremony than a burning kiss from her lover, in this instance, the capable Neil Hamilton. Waiting for herto tire of the escapade is the devoted Robert Montgomery, again cast in a role similar to that of "The Divorcee," but greatly enlarged and

filled with a characterization of strength and whimsical drama.

Both Hamilton and Montgomery acquit themselves in highly commendable manner and it well may be said they share leading man honors. Although Hamilton's part is perhaps less sympathetic, it is the romantic role and, after all, that is what supplies motivation. Montgomery, on the other hand, scores the lion's share of laughs.

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So many are now saying the world is reeling like a drunken man. They tell us that the whole earth is out of gear and gone to the bad. On the other hand, there never was an age that has as little room for the grouchy pessimist. One has declared that even the most confirmed pessimist would hardly vote to restore the conditions of fifty or a hundred years ago.

The world is always young. Happily, the world will move right along. Iron is in the blood of youth. History will repeat itself in its adjustments. It always has - it always will. Stake everything on a generation born for a momentous hour.

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PATIENCE

How slow we are to learn that patience will achieve more than force! We all need the grace of patience. All things come to those who wait. Franklin said: "He who has patience can have what he will." Patience is a thing of intellect as well as temper. It is easier to commend patience than to command it. There is always safety in patience. The person who has no patience is a pauper. All creation speaks to us—work and wait. Paul in enumerating the graces of character says: "Add to your faith virtue, and to virtue knowledge, and to knowledge temperance, and to temperance patience."—William Barnes Lower.

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NOTICE OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN the issuance of bonds of ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER ONE OF CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS, hereinafter described by metes and bounds, and the levying of an ad valorem tax for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient for the redemption thereof at maturity:

That on the 11th day of June, 1931, at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court of Callahan County, Texas, there was presented to said Court a petition signed by more than fifty property taxpaying voters of Road District No. One of Callahan County, Texas, praying that an election be held, at the earliest date practicable permitted by law, in Callahan County Road District No. One, to determine whether or not the bonds of said Callahan County Road District No. One shall be issued to the amount of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00), (which said amount does not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of Callahan County Road District No. One), said bonds to bear interest at the rate of not exceeding five and one-half per cent (5½%) per annum, and to mature at such time or times as may be deemed expedient by the Commissioners' Court of Callahan County, Texas, but not exceeding thirty years from their date, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be annually levied on all taxable property of said Callahan County Road District No. One, subject to taxation, for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient for the redemption thereof at maturity, said petition setting out the metes and bounds of said District as follows:

BEGINNING on the W. boundary lines of Callahan County, at the S. W. corner of the Anthony Bates Sur. No. 9, (Abstract No. 12) for the N. W. corner of this District.

Thence E. with the S. boundary line of said Anthony Bates Sur. to the most Northerly N. E. corner of Sec. No. 29, S. P. Ry. Co., lands in block No. 8, at the point on the W. boundary line of Sur. No. 80, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. lands, (Abst. No. 1182). Thence S. to the S. W. corner of said Sec. No. 80.

Thence E. with the S. boundary line of said Secs. No. 80 (Abst. No. 1182) and Secs. Nos. 57, (Abst. No. 61), 56, (Abst. No. 1241), B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co., Surs. to the S. E. corner of said Sec. No. 56.

Thence N. with the E. boundary line of said Sec. No. 56, (Abst. No. 944) to the N. W. corner of Sec. No. 56 (Abst. No. 944) B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. lands.

Thence E. with the N. boundary line of Sur. 56, (Abst. No. 944). The N. boundary lines of Sec. No. 57, (Abst. No. 32) Sec. 70, 71, 84, 85, 98, 99, 114, and 115, of the B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co., lands to the N. E. corner of said Sur. No. 115, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co., land.

Thence S. with the E. boundary lines of said Sur. No. 115, and 116, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co., lands to the S. E. corner of said Sur. No. 116.

Thence E. with the N. boundary lines of Sur. No. 138, 143, of said B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co., surveys to the N. E. corner of said Survey 143.

Thence E. across the J. Point-event Sur. and Sur. No. 1 T. & N. O. Ry. Co., land, to the center of the W. B. lines, of Sur. No. 63, B. O. H. lands

Thence E. with the center line of said Sur. Nos. 63, 64, 65, B. O. H. lands and the center lines of Secs. Nos. 7 and 8, D. & D. Asy. lands,

Thence E. with the S. lines of Sur. No. 133, University lands, to the S. W. corner T. E. & L. Co., Sur. No. 2041.

Thence E. with S. B. lines, Sur. No. 2041, to the S. E. corner of same.

Thence S. to the S. W. corner Sur. No. 2972, T. E. & L. Co., lands,

Thence E. with the S. B. line of said Surs. Nos. 2972 and 2299, T. E. & L. Co., lands to the S. E. corner of Sur. No. 2299.

Thence S. with the E. B. lines of T. E. & L. Co., Sur. No. 2298, to the S. E. corner of same.

Thence E. with the S. B. lines of Surveys Nos. 2272, 2280, 2288, 3151, T. E. & L. Co., lands to the S. E. corner of said Sur. No. 3151.

Thence S. with the E. B. lines of Sur. No. 3152, T. E. & L. Co., lands to the S. E. corner of same.

Thence E. with the N. B. lines of Surveys Nos. 3158, 3166, and 3171, T. E. & L. Co., lands to a point on the E. boundary line of Callahan County.

Thence S. with E. boundary line of Callahan County, to the S. E. corner of Sur. No. 129, H. & T. C. Ry., Co., lands.

Thence W. with the N. B. lines of Sur. No. 128, H. & T. Ry. Co., lands to the N. W. corner of the M. Cherry Sur. (Abst. No. 110).

Thence W. with the N. B. lines of Surs. Nos. 21, 19, and 18, B. O. H. lands and N. B. lines of Sur. Nos. 315, 316, 317, S. P. Ry. Co., lands and N. B. lines of Surveys Nos. 36, 37, 38 and 39, of the D. & D. Asylum land, to the N. W. corner of said Sur. No. 39.

Thence North to the N. E. corner of Sur. 40 D. & D. Asylum land.

Thence W. with the N. B. lines of Sur. No. 40 to the N. W. corner of same.

Thence West to the N. E. corner of Sur. No. 148, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co.,

Thence W. with the N. B. lines of surveys Nos. 148, 130, and 125, to the N. W. corner of said survey No. 125, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co., lands, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co., lands.

Thence S. with the W. B. lines of said Sur. No. 125, to the S. E. corner of the Thomas Ashur, Sur.,

Thence W. with S. B. lines of said Ashur Sur., to the S. W. corner

of the W. Gattlin Sur.; Thence N. to the N. E. corner of the J. D. Gibbs sur.

Thence W. with the N. B. line of the said Gibbs Survey, to the N. E. corner of surveys Nos. 1, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co., lands, continuing West with the N. B. lines of said surveys Nos. 1, 4, 9, 14, and 19, to the N. W. corner of said Survey No. 19, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co. lands.

Thence N. with the W. B. lines of Survey No. 20, to the center of the W. B. lines of Sur. No. 21, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co., lands.

Thence W. with the center lines of surveys Nos. 22, and 31, to the W. B. lines of Surveys Nos. 31, B. B. B. & C. Ry. Co., lands,

Thence N. to the N. W. corner of said survey No. 31.

Thence W. across Sur. No. 35, S. P. Ry. Co., land to the N. E. corner of Survey No. 13, S. P. Ry. Co., lands, (block 8).

Thence W. with the W. B. lines of said Section No. 13, and the N. B. lines of surveys Nos. 32 and 31, Lunatic Asylum lands, to the intersection of the W. B. lines of Callahan County.

Thence N. with the W. boundary line of Callahan County, to the place of beginning.

That said Commissioners' Court has set said petition for hearing on the 7th day of July, 1931, to be held in the County Commissioners' Court room in the City of Baird, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M., at which hearing any person interested may appear before said Court in person or by attorney and contend for, or protest, the ordering of said bond election, the issuance of said proposed bonds, or the levying of the ad valorem tax for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient for the redemption thereof at maturity.

S. E. SETTLE
Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Callahan County, Texas.

Did You Ever Stop To Think?
(by Edson R. Waite)
Shawnee, Okla.

THAT the only way to justify a community's worthy enterprises is to put more money, more energy and more zeal into those enterprises and to keep everlastingly at them until the things desired are attained. The proposal to make slight increases in the tax rate for community upbuilding is absolutely sound and should

receive unanimous community support.

The Chamber of Commerce is the agency to express community sentiment and desire, and the body which should do the planning and devising of a constructive program, which other organizations—the service clubs and the community in general—should follow, unless the program is without merit and the chamber of commerce is lacking in efficiency, in which event the chamber should be reorganized and a new program presented.

But there must be a program—intelligent, well directed leadership and unity of action.

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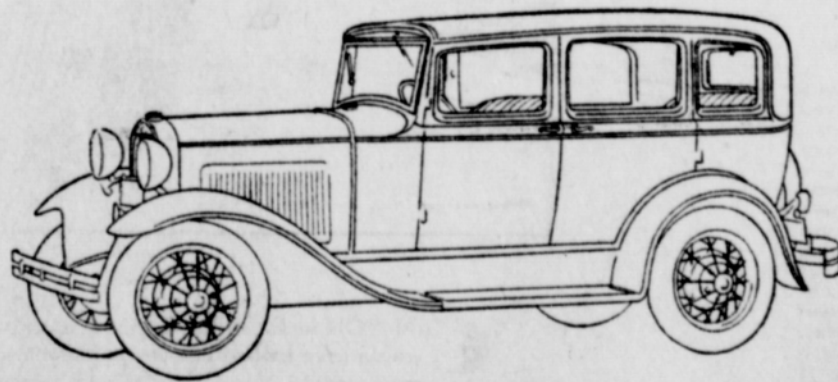
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PUTNAM NEWS

by Miss Thelma Everett

Emery Halmark, of Dan Horn community was a business visitor in Putnam Saturday.

Lester Kennedy and family of San Antonio, arrived Saturday for a few days visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Cherry, of Dallas, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mills this week.

C. C. Elzey made a business trip to Cisco Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Speegle, of Dan Horn community, visited her brother D. M. Weed and family, Sunday.

Mrs. G. P. Gaskin has organized a Junior B. Y. P. U., ages 9 to 13 years. They will meet every Sunday evening at 5 o'clock and every boy and girl of that age are invited.

Tom Hamlin is reported on the sick list this week.

Miss Elsie Kelly entertained the young folks of the town with a party in her home Saturday night. Several from neighboring towns and communities were present and all report a very enjoyable time.

Miss Willie Morris King spent last week visiting in the Hart Community.

J. S. Yeager was transacting business in the Pueblo Community Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ascue Dodd and sons were Baird visitors Tuesday.

Mesdames R. D. Williams and Euna Lovelady were Cisco visitors Monday.

Mrs. Owen Cook of Longview, visited friends and relatives in Putnam last week.

Rev. John Price and daughter, of Petersburg, were Putnam visitors Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett spent several days last week visiting relatives in Cottonwood.

Mesdames Overton and Butler were Cisco visitors Thursday afternoon.

Several members of the Missionary society of the Methodist Church attended a zone meeting held at Cross

Plains Friday. Alvin Heslep left Friday for a visit with relatives in Stanton.

Mrs. Patrick, of Brownwood, spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Farmer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Crayton Sandlin and family, of Brownwood, visited relatives in Putnam several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Brel Sutton, of Cisco, were Putnam visitors last week.

Mrs. Wiley Clinton returned Friday from Arlington, where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Willis the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Mayes and sons have returned from a visit with relatives in Cotulla.

Mrs. J. P. Wingo, of Abilene, was a Putnam visitor Friday.

F. L. Armstrong and son, Clarence Armstrong were Dallas visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Lee Collins is visiting her husband in Longview this week.

John Patterson, of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Scott last week.

George Biggerstaff and Max Doran were Cross Plains visitors Friday.

Pauline Cathey, of Stanton, is visiting friends and relatives in Putnam this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mayes left Friday for Rankin where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Rosa Ryan and daughter, of Baird, visited Mrs. Jim Heslep Sunday and Monday.

Willis Hodges, of Weetwater, spent the week-end visiting friends in Putnam.

Mrs. F. H. Schubert and children; Mrs. George Conner and children and Mrs. T. A. Drake left Saturday for their home in Fort Worth after spending several days with Dr. and Mrs. Brittain.

Y. A. Orr, Mrs. Claude Cunningham and Mrs. Hale visited relatives in Merkel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bosworth spent the week-end with her parents, in pringtown and was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Delia Hayes.

Mrs. Dr. Brittain and Miss Betty Mobley were Abilene visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Francisco returned to her home in Brownwood Sunday afternoon.

Among those attending singing at

Seranton Sunday afternoon were: Misses Jessie Tatom, Melba Bray, Alwilda Shackelford, Opal Heslep, Messers Millis Hodges and Truett Little.

Hap Wagley, of Olney, visited friends in Putnam Saturday.

Jim Heslep is visiting in the Hart Community this week.

Mrs. Wesley Wagley and Miss Nola Wagley, of Hart Community, were Putnam visitors Monday.

Miss Gladys Patrick, of Brownwood, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer.

George Biggerstaff was a Dallas visitor Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Fox left Monday morning for Waco, to be at the bedside of their nephew, who isn't expected to live.

Carolyn Elzey spent the week-end visiting relatives in Cisco.

Mrs. Tom Hamlin spent the week end in Cross Plains, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Young and family.

Mrs. Jim Cribbs left Friday for Carlsbad, N. M.

Mrs. W. E. Pruet, Misses Vella Sandlin and Mary Lou Eubank, left Tuesday for Brownwood for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McCaskel, of San Saba, enroute to Mineral Wells, stopped over for a few days visit with Dr. and Mrs. Brittain last week.

Miss Opal Heslep visited relatives in the Hart Community last week.

ADMIRAL

Romeo

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones and children spent Sunday afternoon in Baird at the Griggs Hospital with Mrs. J. C. Jones. We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Jones is not doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Higgins and children, of the Bayou, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Higgins Sunday.

Mrs. Irene Hansen, of Abilene, has returned to her home, after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coffey.

Mrs. O. E. Higgins and daughter, Mrs. Perma Emmerson, of Okla.,

spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Birchfield at Turkey Creek. Miss Jimmie H.

Miss Jennie Harris had as her guest Saturday and Sunday Mrs. Pery, of Handley.

Mrs. Alice Powell, of Baird spent last week with her brother and sister T. W. and Miss Mae Eastham.

Albert Higgins and Perma Emmerson, of Oklahoma, spent last Friday night on the Bayou fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McGee, of Los Vagus, Nevada, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Higgins Fraday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Black and children, of Baird, and Mrs. Sam McClelland, of Fort Worth, were here Sunday afternoon.

ROWDEN

(By MIKE and IKE)

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mauldin were the Sunday dinner guests of Grandpa and Grandmother Smedley.

Bro. Royce Gilliland, our Baptist pastor, will preach here Saturday night, Sunday morning, and Sunday night. We enjoy the messages that Bro. Gilliland brings to us very much.

Mr. J. H. Forbus we were informed Sunday is slowly improving. Mr. Forbus is still in the Griggs Hospital.

We have been informed that on Sunday afternoon of June 28, that the class of singers of Dudley will come and spend the afternoon here singing. We (Mike and Ike) had the privilege of hearing this class sing in their own community about two years ago, and the singing was splendid. We certainly enjoy good singing and we gladly welcome them here. We also welcome singers from any other place to come and be with us at this time for we are always glad to have singers from any place to come and be with us.

WANT ADS

POSTED—My pastures are posted and no hunting, fishing, camping or trespassing in anyway will be allowed. All permits are revoked. E. L. Finley 26-4tp

FOR SALE—Star-Telegram route for sale. See S. C. Dickey, Baird, Tex.

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