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Public Nurse Will Be In Tyler County Three, Four Weeks

County School Supt. S. B. Owens reports that Miss Sue Nickerson, public health nurse with the State Department of Health, is working in the county this week, and will probably be here for three or four weeks. Her services are free to the schools so any school desiring her visits can arrange for them by writing the County Superintendent and getting him to arrange a date with her. She is inspecting Woodville and Chester schools this week, and will probably inspect the Warren, Hillister and Spurger schools next week. Owens states that there are several schools in the county that will ask her services before she leaves the county that have not asked for them now.

Matter of Regret

It is a matter of regret that Mrs. Miriam Ferguson again gets into the face for the office of governor of Texas. She cannot be elected. It would seem to Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, or rather should be apparent to them that the people of Texas are tired of seeing their names printed in the papers of thousands of good men and women in Texas who have always followed the cause and the Fergusons, who will turn their support in other directions. There is no earthly chance for Mrs. Ferguson to be elected, and her candidacy will only serve to bring on further political wranglings in Texas.—Nacogdoches Sentinel.

Marrs Says \$2 Will Be Paid on School Quota

Austin, Feb. 7.—S. M. U. Marrs, state superintendent of public instruction, announced Saturday a payment of \$2 on the per capita school apportionment will be made February 18. The payment will aggregate \$3,000,000, and there will remain a balance due on the \$17.50 per capita apportionment of \$12.50.

Saturday's Meeting Tomatoes Mostly

There will be another meeting of the Truck Growers Association at the court house Saturday, Feb. 20. At this meeting the tomato growing industry will be discussed and the subject of planting the tomato plant in the cold frames will be delivered.

"Private Lives" at Crescent Theatre Sun, Mon, Tues.

The screen version of "Private Lives," Noel Coward's smart comedy which delighted Manhattan audiences during the past theatrical season, will open at the Crescent Theatre for three days. Norma Shearer and Robert Montgomery are co-stars in the production in the roles played by the Broadway version by Noel Coward and Gertrude Lawrence. Prominent supporting roles are filled by Reginald Denny, Una Merkel, Jean Harlow and George Davis.

"Stop Smith" Movement Causes a Deal of Merriment and Consternation

Washington, Feb. 13.—A "stop" Al Smith movement developed today in congress. It caused concern to the more serious-minded democratic politicians. It was pleasing to anti-Smith democrats. Republicans viewed it from the sidelines and chuckled.

Warren Wins Co. B. B. Championship

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Notice to Teachers and Trustees

All census supplies for consolidated and common school districts are now in the county Superintendent's office and if they do not reach each district by the first day of March it would be a good idea for some one to make an inquiry.

Boy Scouts in the 22nd Anniversary Meet Exemplify Boy Scout Activities

As announced in last week's Booster the Doucette and Woodville boy scouts gave a program at the Christian church edifice which was well attended by a most attentive and appreciative audience made up of Woodville and Doucette people and from other nearby communities who are interested in the boy scout movement.

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To Enlarge Woodville Packing Sheds

B. B. Martin was in Houston conferring with the Southern Pacific officers in regard to enlarging the buyers sheds at Woodville. Colmesnell, railroad commission-er of the S. P. Ry. Co., wishes to be informed as soon as the tomato plants are set in the field, so that he can come up and make an inspection of the probable output of this year's crop to the end he can estimate the needs of the field as to the buyers and "packing shed" requirements.

A Surprise Wedding

A wedding which was a surprise to the many friends of Miss Mary Kimball of Woodville to Owen Pittman of Livingston. The wedding was solemnized at 9 a. m. on Monday.

Spray Fruit Trees With Oil Emulsion

For the control of San Jose scale spray with oil emulsion. For every fourteen gallons of water to one gallon of Emulsion.

Gets Reversal in First Appealed Case

The case of Sam Riley vs. State of Texas, a case originating at Palestine, Anderson county, and tried by Judge Ben F. Dent and defendant represented by Sturrock & Sandlin, and in which case Riley was assessed two years in the penitentiary was appealed to the Criminal Court of Appeals at Austin.

Supt. Owens Helps Warren to Obtain State Aid at Austin

W. B. Burre, Supt. Warren schools, County Supt. S. B. Owens and State Senator W. E. Thomson of Nacogdoches made a business trip to Austin last Monday in the interest of the Warren school and they report that they had a successful trip and that the State Board of Education agreed to release the State Aid for the Warren school immediately. This is a mighty good news for the people of the Warren school as it will probably enable them to have a 9-month term instead of only a 7-month term. The State Department of Education also informed Mr. Owens that the transportation aid for the county would be allowed in all districts that submitted transcripts showing that they were consolidated school districts.

Highway Engineers Here Today

Judge Sturrock informs the Booster Federal Engineer, Mervin of Fort Worth will be here today, Thursday, to go over No. 40 to the end the approximate 10 miles from Rockland bridge to Colmesnell may be let at the February meeting. Division Engineer Huffman of Lubbock, Maddox's successor, will also be here to go over the work of No. 106 and other projects now under way. Mr. Huffman will be in charge of the work of the new division under which this territory was recently placed, and the actual change will be effective March 1. It is a generally conceded fact Tyler county will be greatly benefited by this change as Beaumont and other points south of Woodville will be more interested in this section than when we were hooked up with Lubbock, which was generally considered to be Houston territory. The change was extremely gratifying to this part of East Texas.

NEW POTATOES NOW ON THE COUNTY MARKET

Many things are learned seemingly by accident. Early last fall Mr. Goeber, 12 miles east of Warren planted Irish potatoes. It has been so wet all winter he could not care for them and the vines seemed dead. Yesterday at the C. M. Davis store the reporter viewed a sack of these potatoes, average size, the kind the house wife likes to buy, smooth and perfect in form, no scab or rot. It would seem a lesson could be learned from this instance and prove that Tyler County is the ideal truck growing country.

RIDING TO A FALL

The Democratic party this early in the national campaign has started the ride to a fall by boosting the nomination of A. Smith. It would seem that any person with a grain of reason who knows anything whatever about the campaign four years ago, would know that Al Smith cannot be elected president of the United States. There is no use in going into these details to show why he cannot be elected. He cannot be elected because of his inability to nominate him again is to ride to a fall and it seems that certain democratic leaders are preparing to do that very thing.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY FOR FIRST QUARTER OF CONFERENCE YEAR

The Woman's Missionary Society meets on Tuesday afternoon of each week in the different homes of their members and are deriving much good and pleasure from these meetings.

Personalities and Politics

Congratulations Mr. Mellon. Congratulations Mr. Mills. President Hoover's appointment of "the greatest secretary of the Treasury since Hamilton" as Ambassador to Great Britain gets that gentleman out of an embarrassing proposed impeachment proceedings in Congress and gives Ogden L. Mills the goal of which he had dreamed. Of course, the legislative boys "on the hill," who had a good case against Mr. Mellon, must now take off their fighting tugs and the country misses a good show.

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financial complexity between the United States and European nations may be gained from Poland. In America we play ostrich, shut our eyes to European importance and say "no European entanglements." Yet little Poland's debt to us alone amounts to approximately \$207,000,000, on which she must pay interest, in American dollars, on June 15, 1932, of some \$3,070,980. When our debtors cannot lay hands on American dollars by exchanging goods with us, they must borrow our dollars to pay us.

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Trony cloaks a recent suggestion in a London newspaper that Uncle Sam collect his war debts in the same coin in which they were disbursed. "If America consents to recover the war debts in the same form in which she made advances, Europe would be very pleased to sell her gold, powder, motor cars, even fully beef and mutton." Our debts and war debts would not be repaid, quality

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Editorial Notes

STOP SMITH move is creating excitement and at the same time consternation, but, Oh! How much truth there is in the latter word!

MINERAL WATERS, Tex., has been selected as the meeting place for the G. O. P. conference, March 20-21, 1932.

THE LITERARY DIGEST has been world wide in its popularity. It has a 200,000 circulation and is the only publication of its kind to be published in America.

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of the Post today is an account, under Washington date line, of the activities of international bankers of the United States in selling foreign securities in this country since the war. The information presented was taken from testimony before a congressional committee during recent weeks by representatives of the international banking houses themselves.

THE ACTION OF the County Commissioners of Tyler County at their meeting of last Tuesday, when the motion prevailed to discontinue the County Agent's work in the county, evidently has created a very considerable amount of interest all over the county.

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that they appear before the commissioner and tell them what to use for money on B. B. Martin's pay day.

Good News, If True

"Absolute knowledge, I have none; But my aunt's washerwoman's son Heard a policeman on the beat That he had a letter just last week, Written in the finest Greek By a Chinese coolie from Timbuctoo Who said that the Negroes in Cuba knew Of a colored man in a Texas town Who got it straight from a circus clown That a man in the Klondike heard the news From a gang of South American Jews About somebody in Bambooo Who saw a man who claimed he knew Of a swell society female rake Whose mother-in-law would undertake To prove that her seventh husband's sister's niece Had stated in a printed piece That she had a son who had a friend Who knew when the depression was going to end."

Most of Us Have Heard Them

A good large drink of liquor. Sometimes called "nose paint." Can make a public speaker Of one that ain't.

Voice of the Press

"Alfalfa Bill" nails this plank into his platform: "The ultimate object of our laws should be to get one man in love with one woman." There's something for Democrats to consider in picking their Presidential nominee Sequim (Wash.) Press.

A pretty racket has grown to be a serious drain on the United States treasury. It is the payback of a year's salary and unlimited funeral expenses for members of congress who die in office. Years ago congress voted the widow of some indigent member a \$7,500 donation out of the tax money of the people.

Fun From the Press Anybody that isn't broke has been getting breaks—Arizona Producer. The nearer we approach the horseless age, the greater is our horsepower.—Christian Science Monitor.

Another thing this world needs is a form of prohibition that will stop money from getting tight.—Vancouver Journal.

carriers is sad. There is no question, but what the railroads might be preserved for the good of the country. In normal times railroads spend about \$225,000,000 for materials and supplies, and a billion dollars for maintenance. More than 1,500,000 employees receive \$2,366,000,000 a year in wages and salaries.

In this issue of the Sun is published an article from Texas Farm and Ranch. The article is headed "Provident Relief for Taxpayers." This item gives an idea of the purpose of the commission appointed to study the problem in Texas and report ways and means of reducing the tax burden on the people who are suffering from an overload in their contributions to governmental overhead.

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chances of a paragraph appearing in the Literary Digest is one in 21,000,000. Well, here's another chance for you. They hold their breath before the election in 1932.

Having taken Manchuria away from China, Japan is now hammering away at Shanghai to demand that China cease resenting it.—Wichita Eagle. The best depression joke will be the last.—Weston Leader.

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