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A QUARTER-MILLION of these crepe paper flowers will be made for the forthcoming Dogwood Festival, March 27. These ladies are part of a large group making flowers all over the county for the decoration of the amphitheater. They include Dogwood blossoms, azaleas, wisteria, and other area flowers. Ladies from Spurger, Warren, Hillister, Rockland, Colmesnell and Woodville have assisted so far with other

committees expected to participate later, Mrs. Nannie Feagin, chairman, said. Above are Mrs. Lucille Collier, Mrs. J. E. Wheat, Mrs. M. F. Allford, Mrs. W. Leo Wallace of Rockland, and Miss Loren Rawls of Houston. Standing are Mrs. Feagin, Mrs. Tom McGuire and Mrs. A. G. Thomas. Flowers are being made in the old Farmer Feed building next to Spell Clemens and anyone wishing to help is more than welcome, Mrs. Feagin said.

Queens and Flowers Herald Approach of Dogwood Festival

With the annual Dogwood Festival only a scant four weeks away, committees and workers were moving at a fast pace this week for Tyler county's biggest affair of the year. The Kings' Men will meet Tuesday, Mar. 2 at Community Inn to narrow the field of contestants for Dogwood Queen. Hugh Howard, chairman, said the field of hopefuls will be cut to 10 at that meeting. The following week it will be narrowed to the five finalists, one each from Spurger,

Warren, Colmesnell, Chester and Woodville. Then, on March 23, the 1965 Dogwood Queen will be selected. But her identity will remain secret until the day of the festival parade. Meanwhile, ladies from over the county are busy at their annual task of making paper flowers with which to decorate the amphitheater. Mrs. Nannie Feagin, chairman of the flower committee, said that thousands of flowers have already been completed

and still more are being made. Jostiah Wheat, executive director of the festival, announced the appointment of two new members of the board of operating directors this week. They are B. H. McGuire and Gilbert Wright. Mr. McGuire, superintendent of schools here, succeeds J. H. Kennesson Jr. who resigned. He will direct the activities of all committees having responsibility for staging and presenting the coronation of the 1965 queen and her royal court. Mr. Wright, succeeds Billy S. Mitchell who has moved to Lubbock. Mr. Wright will direct all activities the day of the Dogwood Festival excepting the coronation and pageant. This will include a new event this year, a tour of historical spots in the county on the day before the festival; the festival parade Saturday; the Queen's ball, teenage dance, queen's supper and entertainment of visiting duchesses. The Dogwood Festival will observe its silver anniversary this year. The intervening 25 years have seen the festival grow from a small school sponsored playlet with an audience of 250 to one of the outstanding historical pageants in the nation, annually attracting an audience of 3500.

Eight Man Field Builds Up In City Council Race For Three Positions

Three more candidates have filed for a position on the ballot in the forthcoming city council election, widening the field to eight. Latest to file are Dr. R. E. Swearingen, incumbent; David P. Mann Jr. and Clay Miller. All ready announced are Barclay Dismukes, James Spur-

lock, George Tubb, Dr. Malcolm Radford and Jimmy K. Brown. Deadline to file for a place on the ballot is Friday, March 5. Three seats are to be filled. Emory Mahar, incumbent, will not be a candidate for reelection he said. Mr. Mann is a vice-president of Citizens State Bank and merchant. In asking for support of his candidacy he stated, "I believe in all the citizens of Woodville working together for the welfare of our city."

Woodville is moving forward and I want to be a part of that movement. He is a graduate of Kirby High School, lifelong resident, and a graduate of Southern Methodist University. He is married and is a Methodist. Dr. Swearingen is asking for a third term in office. He said that he is in favor of a vigorous local-level government and not one from Washington. Dr. Swearingen is married and he and his wife have three children and they attend the Baptist Church. He has been in Woodville since 1956. Mr. Miller was not available for comment at press time but all candidates will be given an opportunity to make a short statement prior to the election.

Officers and directors of the festival are J. E. Wheat, president and general manager; F. B. Sullivan, secretary; directors, L. M. Feagin, H. G. Sutton, J. T. Stryker, W. A. Coats, B. M. Minter, F. M. Archer, Jostiah Wheat, S. D. O'Brien, and T. T. Thornton. Operating directors and their committee chairmen are: Frank Robinson, director; Program Committee, Mrs. E. W. Gassiot; Stage and scenery, J. B. Coffman; P.rotechnics, J. T. Watts; Director B. B. McGuire, Decorations, Mrs. Nannie Feagin; Entrance of dukes and duchesses, Mrs. C. E. Wright; Bouquets, Mrs. Robert A. Mann; Children of the court, Mrs. Austin-Sullivan; Train-crowding, Mrs. Glenn Clow; seating and throne area, Mrs. Anna Rock; Director C, Fred Bennett; Electrical Committee, Jack Ogden; Properties and arrangements, George Tubb; Usners, Jim Freeman; Dressing room committee, J. C. Clark Jr.; and Traffic Committee, Grady Bay. Director D, Gilbert Wright, Dogwood dance, Morris Clemmens; Queen's float, Dan Rawls; Queen's ball, Mrs. and B. M. Minter; Hospitality, Mrs. Robert Swearingen; Parade, John Smiley and Bob Belt; Queen's Supper, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Crawford; and Historical Sites, W. H. Risinger. Director E, F. B. Sullivan, Auditing and ticket sales, A. King; Duchess committee, Mrs. A. O. Williams and Mrs. F. B. Sullivan; Advance ticket sales, B. M. Minter; Publicity, Harry Stafford; Town Decoration, J. H. Kennesson Jr.; Concessions, E. W. Gassiot; and Tickets, A. J. Cortez. Director F, F. M. Archer, Kings Men, Hugh Howard; Publication and printing, Vera F. Ogden; Information, R. E. Peterson; and Kings Men dance, Mrs. Howard Carter.

Auditor Kaput!

Tyler county will have no county auditor. A split vote on addition of a necessary amendment to the original Commissioners' court auditor had the effect of killing it. County Judge Jeff R. Mooney informed the court in special session Monday that District

Judge H. A. Coe had informed him that an amendment spelling out the specific need for the auditor should be included in the January order. Commissioner Joe I. Best and Judge Mooney supported the amendment—with Commissioners Leon Fowler and French Hicks voting in the negative. Commissioner H. H. Powell of Chester was absent attending a funeral. However, in the vote to hire an auditor last month, Mr. Powell voted no with Mr. Hicks, Mr. Fowler, Mr. Best and Judge Mooney voted to create the post. Judge Coe had sent word that he would appear before the court Monday to discuss the auditor and his duties and that he would possibly name his selection that day. However, Judge Mooney presented the amendment before the judge showed up and the whole thing became a dead issue, for the time being at least. The court voted to purchase a motion picture for use by the county home demonstration agent and county agricultural agent. The court also listened to discussion relating to insurance for county employees.

Four From County Fat-Stock Show Calf Scramble

Four Tyler county 4-H Club and FFA boys will participate in calf scrambles at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo in Houston which got under way yesterday. The show ends March 7.

Jerry Downing, Colmesnell FFA member, tried for his calf at the 2 p.m. matinee yesterday. Stephen Gardner of the Woodville 4-H Club and Frankie Jack Ogden, Jr. of Colmesnell 4-H Club will be contestants in the 7:45 p.m. performance March 4, and Charles Spurlock of the Hillister 4-H Club will be a calf scramble contestant March 7 at 1:30 p.m. All contestants will be guests at 'America's Wildest and Largest Rodeo' as a result of running in the famed calf scrambles. When the Houston show held its first scramble in 1942, 24 calves were awarded. In 1944, 112 boys scrambled for 56 calves in five contests. Now, 400 boys scramble for 200 calves. A winning contestant is given a cash certificate with which to purchase the best beef for diary calf he can find. He must then care for the calf, furnish monthly records to the Houston Livestock Show and his sponsor and return his animal to the show to be exhibited the next year. Stars for this year's show are Dale Robertson of 'Tales of Wells Fargo', TV fame; and Billy Bee, singing star.

Kirkley Excels

Marie Kirkley, Jr., accounting student at Lamar, was on the fall semester dean's list. To be on the dean's list, you must have at least a 2.6 grade point average out of a possible 3.0 points.



POWERHOUSE OF District 6AA, the Scott High School Panthers of Woodville are in Prairie View this weekend trying to advance in the state basketball playoffs. Left to right, front row, Charles Cade, Ralph Barclay, Richard Gill, Marshall Hadnot, Daniel White, Tommie Jerue, and Oliver Barclay. Back row, Emory Bowen, head coach; Don Beatty, Willie White, Willie Whittle (Whittle was all-state in 1964); John Gilder, Essie Bean and John Coss, assistant coach.

Church Women Urge World Day Of Prayer Here

The World Day of Prayer will be observed in Woodville March 5 beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the First Christian Church. Members of the United Church Women here are heading the event and members of all faiths are invited to participate.

Fred Hillister Move To Install Water Systems

Citizens in Fred and Hillister have taken steps to form a water supply corporation to construct a public water system in each community, according to information received from a Palestine engineering firm. The two systems will be independent of one another and steering committees have been named in each place. A public meeting is planned in Warren Tuesday, Mar. 9, to hear a discussion on construction of such a system there. The meeting is to be at the high school at 7:30 p.m., according to information received here. Farmers Home Administration loans may be made to finance such water systems in communities of less than 2500 people, the firm said. Subscriptions of \$50 are to be collected by the steering committees from persons who wish to become water customers. The steering committee in Hillister is composed of Clinton Collier, chairman; Mrs. Jo DeRamus, Secretary treasurer; Mrs. Velma Sumrall, W. L. Job and Ben Whiteker. In Fred the committee is composed of Bob Jenkins, Titus Easley, Amos Hutto, Jim Chance and Arlon Chance.

Local Seaman

Seaman Recruit C/M. Howell, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. O.C. Howell of Star Route 1, Woodville, has begun basic training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, California. The nine-week training includes naval orientation, Naval history and organization, seamanship, ordnance and gunnery, military drill, first aid and survival.

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C of C Meets Monday

The Chamber of Commerce will have its regular meeting Monday, March 1, at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Inn.

Inter-Church Basketball Tourney Is Saturday

Woodville's third annual inter-church basketball tourney will begin at 5:30 Saturday in the Kirby high gym, Charles Pickett, tournament director, said this week. Four teams are entered in the affair which has been marked in years past by numerous high jinks and much levity—especially concerning some of the aging athletes who require frequent substitutions from their younger teammates, Mr. Pickett said. "Addition of a team from the First Baptist Church of Spurger will give the event as teams from Woodville's First Baptist, First Methodist and Christian Churches will all field bigger (and broader) teams," he said. There will be two divisions, high school and adult men. The event is staged to benefit the emergency relief program of the Tyler County Ministerial Association. Refreshments will be provided by volunteers and served by various church women at modest prices, Mr. Pickett said. Team coaches are, Barclay Dismukes, Christian Church; Kenneth Leslie, Methodist Church; Jackie Crawford, Spurger Baptist; and Charles McGinty, First Baptist, Woodville.

Historical Group Will Meet Friday At 2:30 PM

The Historical Survey Committee will meet at 2:30 p.m. Friday in the courthouse to discuss the bus tour over Tyler county on the day preceding the Dogwood Festival.



SPURGER High School basketball squad, winners of District 6AB, were dropped from further competition in playoffs Tuesday night at Silabee when they met a strong Deweyville bunch and lost 62-30. The Pirates wound up with a 25-13 season record, however and enjoyed a straight nine wins in district play. Left to right, front row, Richard Crumpler, Clarence Bell, J. C. Levins, Gary Minter and Rusty Roberts. Back row, Dan Bell, Melvin Grissom, Jerry Minter, W. J. Rawls, Charles Willis, and Coach Jackie Crawford.

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Under shaded cedars and tall pines in Shelbyville Cemetery, forgotten stories of East Texas are etched on century-old tombstones.

Homemaking Hints

BY MAURINE MOONEY

Read the label for clues in finding easy-care pastries. A good label will give the name of the maker, the fiber content and finish of the fabric, and laundry or cleaning instructions.

Buy packaged goods and other packaged foods by weight rather than by the size of the package. Here's how to determine the approximate number of calories used daily by a moderately active, 70-pound man.

Tyler County Teachers Met

February 22. The legislative program relating to the public schools was the theme of the discussion at the mid-winter meeting of the Tyler County Teachers' Association at 7 p.m. Monday, February 22, in the Warren School auditorium.

Frank Robinson Is Speaker At Lufkin Church

Frank Robinson, a layman from First Methodist Church in Woodville, was the speaker at the mid-winter meeting of the Lufkin Church in Lufkin, Texas, on Sunday, February 24.

Truck And Bus Owners Must File Tax Returns

District Director J.L. Phinney of the Austin Internal Revenue District announced a district-wide campaign by February 10 on two counts of attempted income tax evasion.

Former Livingston Indicted For Tax Evasion

Arthur Reed McGill, a former accountant operator at Livingston, was indicted February 10 on two counts of attempted income tax evasion.

Sinclair's Honored

By Cobb Mill. Mr. and Mrs. Huey Marshall, Mrs. Lucille Harris were hosts and hostesses in the Huey Marshall home February 19 at 7:30 p.m.

Spurger Independent Basketball Tournament Set Feb. 25-26-27

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Ag Notes

By CLINTON CURRIE. A good soil fertility program is one of the best methods for lowering the cost of crop and raising the yield.

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Advertisement for 'CLOSED' featuring a large illustration of a car and the text 'CLOSED'.

Advertisement for 'Pelly's TV & Appliance Sales-Service' featuring a large illustration of a car and the text 'Pelly's TV & Appliance Sales-Service'.

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Advertisement for 'Chevy II' featuring a large illustration of a car and the text 'Chevy II'.

Sell, Trade, Hire, Rent, Find THROUGH THE

WANTED ADS

LODGE NOTICES

Colmestell I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 190 meets at 7:30 p.m. every 2nd and 4th Thursday.

REBEKAH LODGE NOTICE

The Rebekah Lodge, No. 325, meets at 7:30 p.m. every second and fourth Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the VFW Hall.

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Warren and Hyatt Newsitems

By KATIE BASS. Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Williams the past week were Mr. and Mrs. David Gully and three children.

Transplanting Trees Is Complicated

Task Says Article. "Transplanting is a term that refers to lifting plants from the soil and replanting them elsewhere.

Spurger FHA Banquet Held

Friday, February 12, the Spurger F.H.A. Chapter held its annual Mother-Daughter Banquet, entitled "You Were Meant For Me".

Increased Moisture Helped Halt Woods Fire Says Forester

Precipitation increased throughout most of East and Central Texas last year, and the number of forest fires reported by the Texas Forest Service dropped 36 per cent, according to D.A. Anderson.

Warren School Trustees Election Set For April 3

On the 19th day of January, the Board of Trustees of the Warren Independent School District convened in regular session for the purpose of setting dates for the election to be held on April 3.

WOODVILLE OLS

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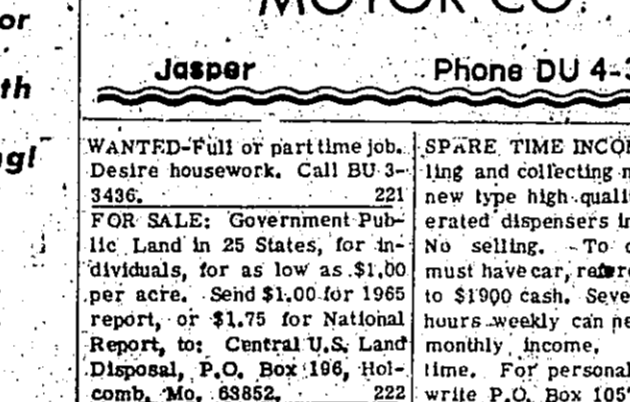
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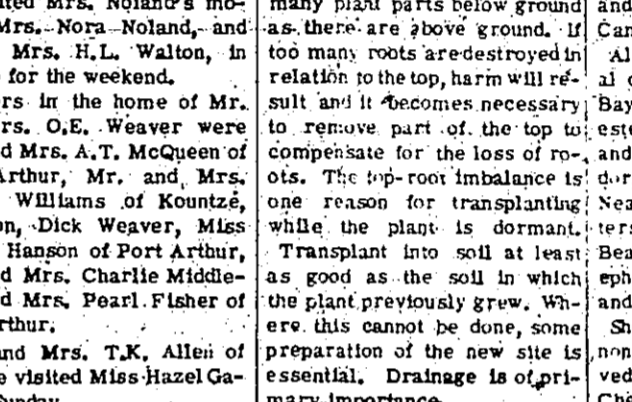
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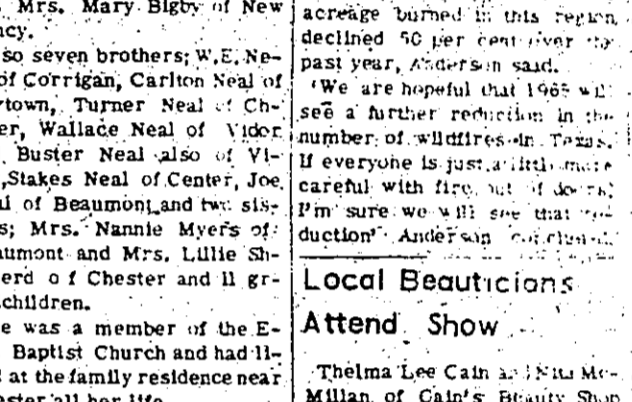
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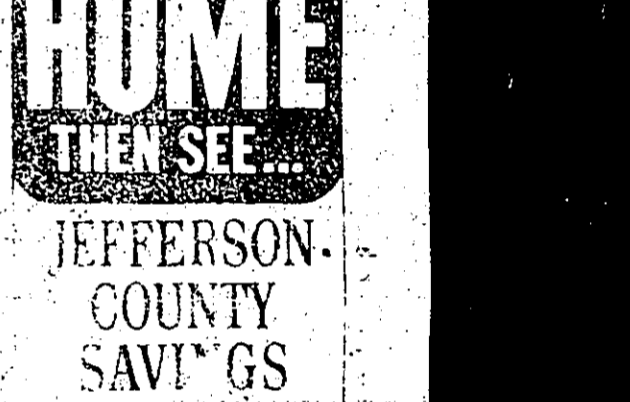
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STRIKES 'N SPARES

The City Association tournament came to a close with Vera Rotan the city woman's champion...

PINSPLITTERS LEAGUE

The team of Al Contreras won one game from Clemmons Insurance, but there was one woman who couldn't have cared less...

EARLY BIRD

McClure's Furniture clinched their first place by winning four games from the Rejects...

Letty Robinson was high for Clemmons Insurance with games of 154, 157, and 155...

Pineywoods Press won three games from Rainey Insurance. Neva Davis was the high bowler...

Mary Lou Beeson was high for Rainey's with a series of 494 and games of 170, 133, and 191...

Jack Lane Ford won three games from Chester State Bank. Harriett Stuts led with games of 197, 192, and 160...

DOGWOOD LEAGUE

The Toss-etts broke all records Thursday night with three team series of 2522. The old record of 2319 held by Woodville Motor Co...

Boech Creek put up a strong battle but their efforts were in vain. Wanda Ogden topped a total of 448 pins with games of 150, 146, and 152...

BY-LINER



Link of the by-liner has been taking a lot of instructions because I noticed that he came on and was pretty well organized for the first half of his talk...

And when they all stood up to give an ovation, I thought that was going to be the end of the show. I've never seen anybody that looked so absolutely plumb fascinatedly happy...

What we've got to have here is a steady stream of water. We've got to have more fresh water. We've got to have more deep water. We've got to have steady employment...

Mr. Brooks looked at Pat Wheat, and he said, 'You've got to aim the Pin Betts. You've got to aim the Pin Betts. You've got to aim the Pin Betts...

That's what I was trying to do. I was trying to do that. I was trying to do that. I was trying to do that. I was trying to do that...

J. T. Watts Named Man Of Month By Water Association

J. T. Watts, director of public works for the City of Woodville was named 'Man of the Month' at the monthly meeting of the Deep East Texas Water and Sewer Association...

Mr. Watts was chosen for his observance of regulations of the state health department, as operator of the local water and sewer plant the last 12 years and for his attendance at association meetings.

The meeting was held in Hemphill Feb. 18.

Woodville HD Club Has Meeting

The Woodville Home Demonstration Club met February 23 in the home of Mrs. Arthur Smith at Foster Hills.

The meeting was called to order with the Pledge to the Flag, led by Mrs. J.J. Gafford. Mrs. E.O. Kelly, president, presided at the business session...

The program was given by Dr. Billy Simmons whose topic was 'The Importance of Family Life.'

Anniversary For Mrs. Sam Houston Set In Huntsville

An open house party will be held at the Sam Houston Shrine and Museum in Huntsville on April 4 from 2 p.m. until 6.

Hostesses will be dressed in 1860 costumes. Thousands of bulbs, roses, azaleas and other blooming plants have been located in the vicinity of the buildings.

Mrs. Ethel Osborn Hill will be the hostess from Woodville.

A variety of perennial cotton native in Africa grows in tree form to a height of 12 to 20 feet.

The Eagle's Nest

By CHARLES BLANKS

The Tuesday before last, our Eagles played their final basketball game against the district 22-AA champs from Port Acres and were defeated.

The National Honor Society is finishing up its work on filling out and sending in the order blanks for the various credentials and emblems which are made available to the members...

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Bethany News

By MRS. B.W. CREECH

We are sorry that Mr. and Mrs. Craig Marshall's little grandson, Craig Franklin, is in Saint Mary's Hospital in Port Arthur. He is the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Craig Marshall of Nederland.

We are glad F.P. Merryman is improving after being sick with flu through the past week.

Miss Ruby Goode, of Beaumont, visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Craig Marshall over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wigley visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Flowers of Doucette Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B.W. Creech visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Creech, Saturday.

W.T. Blackman's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G.J. Phillips of Groves, visited Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Blackman Saturday.

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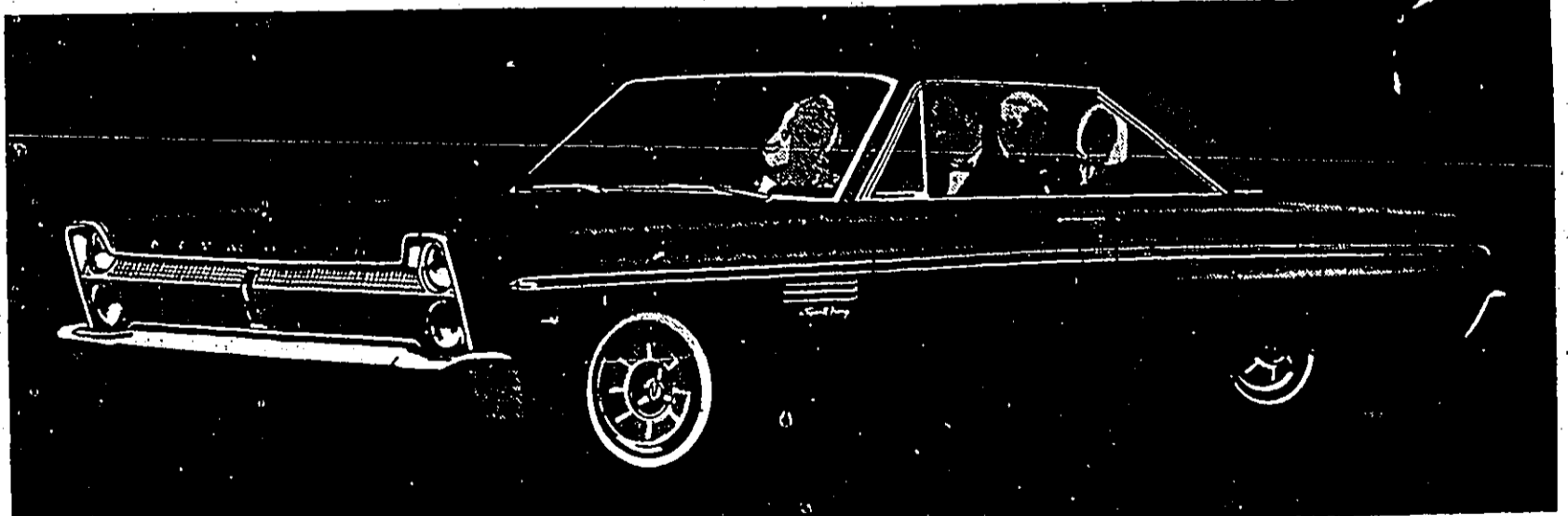
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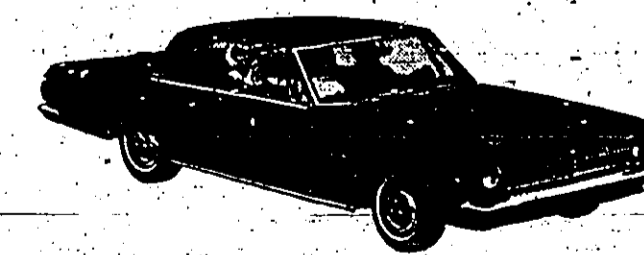
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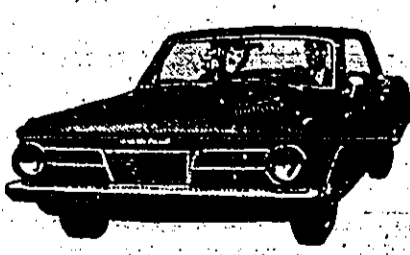
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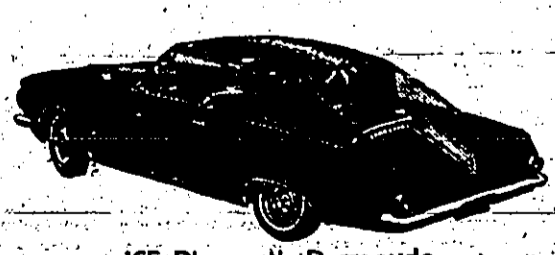
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Church Cage Tourney Is Saturday

The annual Inter-Church Basketball Tournament will be held Saturday night in the Kirby High School gym in Woodville. First game begins at 6:30 p. m. Churches participating will enter one team of adults and one team of high school youth. Separate winners will be named in each class.

A new participant, First Baptist Church of Spurger, will enter a team in both the adult and high school classes. The teams are expected to be strong, since Spurger is at a high crest in basketball each year.

Other teams in each class will be entered by the First Baptist of Woodville, the Woodville Methodist Church, and the First Christian Church of Woodville. The high school teams are expected to be stronger than last year and the adult teams broader, according to Charles N. Pickett, coordinator of information for the tourney.

The two championship games in the student and adult classes will be played last this year, starting at approximately 7:30 p. m.

Refreshments will be furnished and served at the tournament by various women's organizations of the churches at a modest price.

CAGE TOURNAY AT SPURGER SET TO START THURSDAY

The Spurger Independent Basketball Tournament will get under way Thursday afternoon at 5:45 with the Spurger Hogcallers meeting the Jefferson Feed five.

Two games will be played Thursday night. The first at 7:15 will pit Lowery Brothers against the Big Sandy Indians and the second game beginning at 8:30 will be between the Big Sandy Chiefs and the Spring Independents.

Friday's games will have two second round contests at 5:45 and 7:15, and a first-round battle at 8:30 between Spurger Texaco and Waco.

Saturday afternoon, two semifinal games are scheduled at 3:00 and 4:15 p. m. Consolation finals will be at 7 p. m. Saturday night and the championship game at 8 o'clock.

TRI-COUNTY TREK RIDERS TO MEET TO FURTHER PLANS

A meeting of the Tri-County Dogwood Trek will be held Friday night in the home of H. R. Heeler near Spurger. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p. m.

Further arrangements for the Dogwood ride will be discussed. Robert Chanman and Robby

Woodville Chamber of Commerce Banquet Friday

FLOWER MAKING FOR DOGWOOD FESTIVAL IN FULL SWING



Women of Tyler County are in the midst of making the thousands of artificial flowers used to decorate the amphitheatre for the annual Tyler County Dogwood Festival on March 27. This group was working Tuesday afternoon in the

old feed store building in the 100 block of East Bluff, and women who can help are asked to come to the building any time during the day, according to Mrs. Nannie Feagin, chairman of the flowers committee.

In the picture above from left are Mrs. W. Leo Wallace, Mrs. M. F. Alford, Miss Loren Rawls, Mrs. J. E. Wheat, Mrs. Irma Collier, Mrs. Nannie Feagin, Mrs. A. G. Thomas and Mrs. Tom McGuire.

No Auditor For County Is Prospect

Tyler Countians will have to do without a county auditor until after March 8, at least, developments at a special meeting of the commissioners court showed Monday.

The commissioners were supposed to pass a new order for hiring an auditor, since the one passed in the first meeting in January proved to be invalid, but with one commissioner absent the court deadlocked at two for and two against the new order.

The commissioners met to pass the order and then met with Judge H. A. Coe, who was to announce his choice for the position. He has a number of applications when he appeared before the court, but with the deadlock on the new order he could not act.

And when he looked over the new order for hiring an auditor, he informed the commissioners that, even if it had been passed by the court, it did not meet the legal requirements necessary to make it valid.

The new order omitted the words that the "commissioners court deemed it a public necessity for the dispatch of the county's business", a term which must be included in an order by the commissioners court of a county this size.

The commissioners decided to have a new order written and vote on it again at the regular meeting on March 8, when all members can be present. Commissioner Herman Powell of Chester was absent at Monday's special meeting due to a death in the family. With his absence, the court voted on the new order Monday before conferring with Judge Coe but was deadlocked with Judge Jeff Mooney and Joe I. Best voting for and Leon Fowler and F. C. Hicks against.

Some doubt on the passage of the order for hiring an auditor at the March 8 meeting is thrown by the vote Monday, since Commissioner Powell voted against the hiring of an auditor at the January session. Fowler voted for it, but voted against the order Monday.

SCHOOLS TO REOPEN

The Warren Schools, closed since today (Thursday) by Supt. W. W. Malkey Tuesday on account of absenteeism due to illness, will try to re-open this morning.



WINTER HITS COUNTY WEDNESDAY

Winter hit Tyler County and Southeast Texas Wednesday morning with strong winds and ice and sleet. The cold front was preceded by heavy rains Tuesday night. The temperature fell six degrees between dawn and noon Wednesday morning to a low of 22 degrees. The sleet which fell on top of the rains caused trees to ice,

Dr. L. Gayle Burton will be installed as president of the Woodville Chamber of Commerce at the annual membership banquet Friday night in Community Inn. The affair will start at 7:00 p. m. H. G. Sutton will be installed

as vice president. New directors are Dr. John Q. Gilchrist, Thomas L. McClure, George E. Tubbs, Jack Risinger and J. B. Coffman. Speaker at the banquet will be Robert W. Murphey, Nacogdoches attorney and well-known after dinner speaker and humor-

ist. He will be introduced by Mrs. Reba Murphey Reid of Woodville. Mrs. Reid is the mother of Mr. Murphey.

Josiah Wheat, Woodville attorney, will be master of ceremonies at the banquet. Others on the program include the Rev. Wayne Odum, Methodist minister, who will give the invocation, and Dr. Billy Simmons, Baptist minister, who will bring the benediction; Morris C. Clemmons Jr., who will introduce the guests; and Frank J. Robinson, retiring president, who will introduce Dr. Burton.

Dr. Burton will introduce other officers and directors of the organization.

Dinner music for the affair will be played by Miss Paula Allison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Allison.

Holdover directors of the chamber are Leroy Davis, Herbert Sutton, Carey Lee Cruse, Emory Mahan and J. I. Allison, two-year terms; Frank Robinson, J. I. Mahan and R. A. Mann, Dr. Burton and Charles Blanks, one year terms.

The outgoing directors are Billy Mitchell, James Best, Joe Wheat, Charles Smith and Dr. R. E. Swearingen.

Tickets to the banquet are still available. The public is invited to attend, and anyone may call the secretary, G. P. Miller, at BU3-2632, and tickets will be delivered. Price is \$3 per person.

HISTORICAL GROUP MAKING TOUR PLANS



Top: Risinger Home Bottom: Indian Ball Yard

The Tyler County Historical Survey Committee will have a special meeting Friday afternoon at 2:30 in the court house to continue plans for the first annual historical tour on March 26.

The tour, which will be made on Friday before the Dogwood Festival, will begin at Allan Shivers Museum, where seven rooms will be open for visitors. From the museum, the tour will go to Heritage Gardens.

The tour will begin at 10 a. m., and W. H. Risinger, chairman of the committee, said that the tour is planned so that the Allan Shivers Museum and Heritage Garden visits can be completed by noon. The buses will return to Community Inn, where those who wish to do so may have lunch.

The afternoon route will take the old Indian trail through the Harmony community to the

W. H. Risinger home. It will include a stop at the old Indian ball yard, where the Alabama-Coushatta Indians played their own brand of ball during the time they lived in the area along Cypress Creek. At the Risinger home, the visitors will see perhaps the oldest house in Tyler County. It was built previous to 1842 by James Barclay, first Indian agent in the area, and grandfather of Mr. Risinger. It has been occupied by a member of the family throughout the years since it was built.

From the Risinger home, the tour will return to Highway 190 and go to the Indian Reservation. The visitors will be shown the new Indian Museum, which will be open by that time, where handicraft articles are on display which are made at the reservation by the Indians. Charge for the tour is \$1.00.

SPURLOCK ATTENDS SEMINAR AT BAYLOR



Jim Spurlock, teacher of science and journalism in the Woodville Independent School, attended the TANE-Baylor Seminar on Alcohol Education held at Baylor University February 19-20.

The trip was sponsored by the WMU of the First Baptist Church in Woodville.

The seminar was designed to provide a background content of information on alcohol and narcotics and its related problems for science and health teachers, coaches, school counselors, school administrators and social and religious workers.

"It is a recognized fact that we are fighting a battle for the minds of the youth of our land," Mr. Spurlock said. "It is a tremendous challenge and opportunity to present scientific truth concerning the effects of alcohol-narcotics. The seminar provided this kind of study."

Some of the well-known speakers on the program were W. E. Hale, inspector, Texas Department of Public Safety and Dr. Kyle Yates, professor of Bible, Baylor University.

FORESTER MOVES TO WOODVILLE

Kenneth R. McKinnon, assistant forester at the Texas Forest Service station in Kirbyville, has been transferred to the forest service station in Woodville. Clyde J. Jeanson has been transferred from the Lufkin district to Kirbyville to replace McKinnon.

KHS Band Concert Set For Monday Night

The Kirby High School Band will present its annual winter concert on Monday, March 1, in the Kirby High School Auditorium, at 7:30 p. m. The program will observe Public School Week, which is March 1-5.

The Band will play the following program:

- "Thundercrest March" by Osterling;
- "Procession and Interlude" by Miller;
- "A Festival Prelude" by Reed;
- "Three Palestine Chorales" by Gardner;
- "Misty" by Gardner;
- "Concerto Theme" by Ployhat;
- "Italian Festival" by Osse;

This year's concert Band is composed of 74 members of the Woodville Band program which now numbers 160 members in grades 6-12.

Also in the remainder of the year the band will participate in the following: Dikeland Band--Lions Club Program, February 25; Solo and Ensemble contest, March 13; Study Club Concert, March 16; Dogwood Festival, March 27; PTA District Convention,

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NETTIE BARNES FUNERAL RITES HELD IN CHESTER J.

Funeral services for Mrs. Nettie Barnes, 69, were held at Mt. Hope Cemetery Wednesday at 2 p. m. Officiating were Rev. J. W. Joiner Jr. and Rev. Leonard Harding.

Pallbearers were W. A. Barnes Jr., J. C. Barnes, Cecil Barnes, Billy Brackin, Morris Neal, Gayle Neal, Donnie Neal, Eugene Neal and Wilbur Neal. Mrs. Barnes died Sunday in the Polk County Hospital in Corning. She was a lifelong resident of Chester, and was the widow of the late Carr Barnes. Survivors include two sons, Arthur Barnes and Preston Barnes, both of Chester; two daughters, Mrs. Maggie Bryan of Chester and Mrs. Mary Rigby of New Caney; seven brothers, W. E. Neal of Corning, Carlton Neal of Baytown, Turner Neal of Chester, Wallace Neal of Vidor, Stokes Neal of Center, Joe Neal of Silsbee, Buster Neal of Vidor; two sisters, Mrs. Nannie Myers of Beaumont and Mrs. Lillie Shepherd of Chester; 11 grandchildren.

NICHOLSON RITES HELD MONDAY

Funeral services for Marvin Lee Nicholson, 45, of Woodville, were held at 11 a. m. Monday in the chapel of the Edwards Funeral Home in Woodville. The Rev. Willis E. Harrod, minister of the United Pentecostal Church of Woodville, officiated. Burial was in the Magnolia Cemetery in Woodville.

Pallbearers were James C. King, Harold Freeman, Johnny Hickman, Earl King, Bill Knight and J. D. Vinson.

Nicholson died at his home at 3 a. m. Sunday after a short illness. He was a native of Doucette but had lived in Woodville for the past 32 years. He was a graduate of Kirby High School

JOHN CREECH, SHELBY COUNTY JUDGE, DIES IN CENTER SATURDAY

John Wilson Creech, 86, county judge of Shelby County, died at 10:30 p. m. Saturday in the Shelby General Hospital in Center after a short illness.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Monday in the Mangum Chapel in Center with Dr. J. Carroll Chadwick, pastor of the Oaklawn Memorial Park Cemetery. A native of Shelby County, Judge Creech was serving a four-year term which began in 1964. He had served a prior term of four years beginning in 1954. He was a former school teacher in Shelby County rural schools for 22 years. He was a member of the Shelbyville Masonic Lodge and was Shelby County chairman of the State of Texas Historical Survey Committee.

His parents were John H. Creech and Marsha Campbell, pioneer residents of Shelby County.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Dora Creech of Shelbyville; five sons, E. Paul Creech of College Station, James R. Creech of Bishop, Billy Creech of Port Neches, Dr. Roy G. Creech of Pine Grove Mills, Pennsylvania, and Jerry Lynn Creech of Center; three daughters, Mrs. Furlon Beasley and Mrs. Eugene Webb, both of Center, and Mrs. Paul Goodner of Denver, Colorado; four sisters, Mrs. Martin Bell of Shelbyville, Mrs. J. T. Cannon of Houston, Mrs. Ernest Meadows of Cotulla, and Mrs. Herman Powell of Chester, and 20 grandchildren.

in Woodville and was a veteran of World War II. He was employed as a service station attendant before he became ill.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Effie Nicholson of Woodville; one brother, J. C. Nicholson of Woodville; two nieces, and a number of aunts and uncles.

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EARLY BIRD LEAGUE

McClure Furniture clinched their first place win in the Early Bird League when they won four games from The Hags Wednesday morning. It looked as though McClures just could not do a thing wrong. Letty Robinson was the high bowler with a score of 567 and games of 179, 175 and 213. Gloria Creech was second, a total of 475 with games of 169 and 159. Odessa Best had a score of 457 with games of 156, 151 and 150. Kathy White followed with 400 pins.

Dorothy Gulley led The Hags with her score of 424 and a high game of 160. Eldene Howard was second with a total of 385 pins, and Peggy Smith bowled a series of 384.

Feagin Lumber Company kept the scorekeeper busy and won four from Colmesneil. Lucille Fortenberry not only led Feagin in the scoring field but came up with her first 500 series, a 501. Lucille had games of 180, 168 and 153. Very good bowling Lucille. Hazel Hinze was second with a score of 370.

Janette Coleman led Colmesneil with a series of 368 followed by Shirley Bailey's series of 331.

The Ding Dongs won four games from the Rejects. Neva had games of 140, 154 and 164. Carolyn McGuire was second with a high game of 162 and a series of 391.

Dorothy Job with a series of 440 led the Rejects. She had games of 154 and 163. Maggie Evans was second with 397.

Splits Converted: Dorothy Job--5-10 Ruth Hinze 4-10

LETTE RAINY RITES SET FOR THURSDAY

Funeral services for Lettie Rainey, 65, will be held today (Thursday) at 2 p. m. at the First Baptist Church in Woodville. Dr. Billy E. Simmons, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in Magnolia cemetery.

Pallbearers will be nephews. Mr. Rainey died at 8:00 a. m. Wednesday in Tyler County Hospital after being ill several weeks. He was a native of Tyler County and lived in Woodville most of his life.

He was in the mercantile business and later worked at shipyard in Orange during the second World War. For the past 8 years he managed the Rainey Hotel in Woodville.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Woodville.

He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Lucy Mae Brown of Woodville; two daughters, Mrs. H. C. Wilkerson of Beaumont and Mrs. Carroll Cole of Kountze; his mother, Mrs. S. L. Rainey of Woodville; two sisters, Mrs. Pat Peyton of Beaumont and Mrs. J. T. Lindsey Jr. of Woodville; two brothers and C. L. Rainey of Woodville and C. P. Rainey, Beaumont; and four grandchildren.

REV. MCCLAIN DIES, RITES ARE PENDING

The Rev. Ellis B. McClain, 77, retired minister, died Wednesday afternoon after suffering a heart attack while enroute from a grocery store to his home. He was pronounced dead on arrival at Tyler County Hospital. Funeral services are pending at Edwards Funeral Home.

ENROLLMENT UP 500 AT SHSTC

Enrollment for the spring semester at Sam Houston State Teachers College hit 5376, an increase of more than 500 over the spring semester of last year when 4860 registered. Of this number, 3159 are men and 2217 are women.

KATHY DIES TO BE LUFKIN DUCHESS

Miss Kathy Dies, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dies, has been selected as the Lufkin duchess to the Tyler County Dogwood Festival on March 27. Her escort will be Charles Murray of Lufkin. He is a student at the University of Texas. Miss Dies is a student at Lufkin High School. She is a member of the student council and is an honor student.

Mrs. Bobby Bandy is chairman of the Dogwood flower making in Colmesneil.

Mrs. Bandy urges all the ladies in the community to come to the Community Center from 1 to 5 p. m. Mondays through Thursday to help make Dogwood flowers to be used in the festival in Woodville March 27.

Visitors were Mrs. Pe Scorbough, Port Arthur, Texas, Mrs. Wanda Pedigo, Mrs. Maurine Mooney, and Mrs. C. A. Wear. Mrs. J. A. Owens will be host at the next meeting.

HURRICANE MIXED LEAGUE

The High Voltage team played the Will Trys and captured four games by a forfeit. Joyce Best was the high bowler with a score of 518 and high games of 191 and 195. Buddy Best followed with a total of 428 pins and a high game of 156.

J & J Upholsters of Jasper showed AC #2 they were not impressed by their high averages and won three games. Jim Tullos was the high bowler for J & J with a series of 461 and high games of 168 and 157. Tom McGuire followed with 395 pins and 140 for a high game. Leroy Tesson and his series of 470 were high for AC #2. Leroy had games of 174 and 163. Billy Martin was second, a series of 456 and a high game of 171. Alma Elliott followed with 415 and a high game of 166.

The Strikers won four games from AC #1 but they really knew they had been in a battle when the games were over. The Strikers had a total of 2461 pins scratch for their series. Oliver Williams led in the scoring with his series of 583 and games of 232, 180 and 171. Letty Robinson was second, a series of 544 and games of 154, 197 and 193. George Smith was next with games of 167, 169 and 170 and 506 total pins. Dorothy Job followed with her series of 435 and a high game of 159. Ralph Job also had a high game of 159.

Jo Ramsey led AC #1 with his total pins of 527 and games of 171, 178 and 178. Charles Blanks was second, a series of 494 and games of 155 and 190. Bill Pafka was third, a series of 487 and a high game of 202. Betty Job followed with her series of 408 and a high game of 187.

The team from Air Control only won one game from Clemmons Insurance but there was one player that it didn't bother

COLMESNEIL HOME DEMO CLUB

Mrs. Maurine Mooney, county home demonstration agent, gave a book review on "Legends of East Texas, at the regular meeting of the Colmesneil H. D. Club, held recently in the home of Mrs. M. R. Harper. Mrs. Wanda Pedigo, of Spurger, told about games that were played in East Texas years ago, and all took parts in some of them.

The Club nominated Mrs. Jack Ibbas as the delegate to the District Texas Home Demonstration Association to be held in Woodville, on April 22, and Mrs. J. A. Owens as the alternate delegate. Mrs. M. R. Harper and Mrs. M. F. Rumery will be the hostess from the Colmesneil Club.

Mrs. Mooney displayed a "Cotton Bag Kit", what can be made from scrap materials; toys, aprons, pot holders, place



Visiting Hours: 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon, 2:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

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Mrs. Ethel Riley
Mrs. Audrey Wilkinson
Alton B. Jones
Mrs. Patsy Grimes and
Baby Girl Cindy Latene
Nova Hardson
Mrs. Rhoda V. Johnson
Bobble S. Pentecost
Mrs. Beverly Rhese
Mrs. Shirley Garrett and
Baby Boy Arnold Lee, Jr.
John D. Lash
Mrs. Willie A. Willis
Mrs. Ethel Rainey
H. L. Rainey
Mrs. Betty Jean Wise
Neal Elliott
Mrs. Spicy Cliburn
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Mrs. Laura Thompson
John B. Smith
Thomas L. Nerren
Luther Langley
Miss Sarah L. Collier
Mrs. Eliza E. Wright
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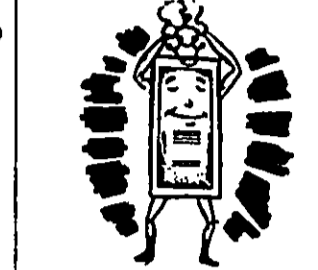
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Mrs. Katherine Stedling
Mrs. Sophronia Laughlin
Mrs. Lexie Conner and
Baby Boy Loren Jeffrey
Mrs. Etta Rosa Barclay
Richard V. Stewart
Mrs. Velma Grimes
Mrs. Minnie Williamson
Mrs. Arde Mitchell
Mrs. Ruby Goode
Mrs. Geneva Abshire and
Baby Boy James F., Jr.
Bill Green
Mrs. Dianna Jordan
Mrs. Mable Jean Rawls
Jay Ratcliff
Mrs. Nellie Jordan
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Mrs. Petronia J. Kelly
Mrs. Virgie Elliott
Ertle Rainey
Mrs. Pearl Boyett
Frank Johnston
Leon Brown

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Mrs. Betty Swearingen
Dinnie Wooten
Rodger Conner
Mrs. Ora Williams and
Baby Boy Quentin Reed
T. B. Brodnax
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Wesley Fortenberry
Melinda Kay Fortenberry
Mrs. Beattie Stephens
Dallas Raigs
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A HISTORICAL SKETCH

Mill Creek and the Tompkins Boys

By Mrs. Ella Moseley

On the highway between Woodville or Colmesneil and Dam B there are many little roads, some rather obscure, that lead to the left or right to old places of interest. Small family cemeteries with leaning stones, tall moss-covered shade trees that mark the sites of old homes long fallen to decay, cleared spots in the forest where once stood one-roomed school houses and other similar scenes come into view and overflow the mind and heart with memories of childhood.

Some distance this side of Dam B one of these winding hardwood trees to a bridge on Mill Creek, a clear sparkling stream greatly diminished in size from what it used to be. From the bottom of the stream a few feet to the left of the bridge, pilings stand in the water as a proud reminder to the old-time native of this vicinity that Lane Tompkins' mill once stood here. This mill was operated by a water wheel which furnished the power transferred to the machinery by pulleys and large belts. Here cotton was ginned; corn was ground into meal, blacksmith work was carried on by which horses were shod and farm machinery repaired, and a woodmill produced furniture, chairs, barrels, casks, coffins, ax handles, etc. Just below the bridge on the opposite side of the creek stood the Tompkins home. Though a successful operator of his industry, Lane Tompkins was no ordinary mill hand. He served for a time as state representative in Austin, having defeated the promising young lawyer of that day, John Henry Kirby of Woodville. The

mill was last operated by Lane's son-in-law, John Wigley.

Just beyond Lane Tompkins' mill, on a knoll to the left of the road, is where Joe Lazenby's store and the adjoining Emilee post-office used to stand. It is said that an ex-slave of this community who wrote a legible hand used to charge ten cents per letter to settlers that wished to communicate with relatives back in the old states. These were among the letters mailed at Emilee. The post office opened its doors in 1885 and closed in 1942. The early postmasters here were Lane Tompkins, Felix Rawls, Bill Holland, Zeb Lazenby, Sam Futch, Oscar Futch and James Fortenberry. The Lazenby store was the usual type of general merchandise business belonging to that day, with syrup barrels, vinegar kegs and coal oil drums mixed with a few groceries, farming needs and wearing apparel available at that time. In front of the store and tied to trees were saddle horses and teams hitched to wagons to be filled with the heavier purchases. This store and post office were later moved two miles to the south on the Woodville and Jasper road and operated by Joe Lazenby's brother, Zeb.

About two miles up Mill Creek from Lane's mill was another mill, very much like the one described, belonging to his brother, Jasper Tompkins. A mile or so above Jasper's mill was a thread and cloth factory, installed and operated by a Mr. Roseman and his workers. After operating the factory for a time, Mr. Roseman became discouraged and moved away, leaving his spools, spindles, looms, pulleys and belts to be carried from the plant and scattered over the community. A colored man, Bunyan Bally, is said to be living on the Roseman place at present.

A retracing of the drive back to the highway, a little farther procedure toward Colmesneil, across the road opposite these three mills and Wolf Creek is in view. On this creek was Henry Baker's all-inclusive mill where lumber, furniture, barrels, tubs, casks, coffins and other articles of wood were made. The pulpit at Ebenezer Church, a massive piece of furniture, with many angles and pointed, grooved scallops adorning it, was made at Baker's mill. Here, too, was a blacksmith shop, a sugar cane or syrup mill, a cotton gin and a grist mill, all operated by power from the old water wheel. Then up Wolf Creek, near where Haralson's lakes now are, was another such mill owned and operated by Dave

Tompkins, Lane's and Jasper's brother.

There, within a radius of two or three miles, were the five mills on the two creeks, installed and operated by men of vision, ingenuity and determination to make a success with small means. They served a large and prosperous community in which lived the Lazenbys, Rawls, Days, Boyette, Runnels, Woods, Weavers, Hank, Tompkins, Wigleys, Bakers, Hollands, Johnstons and other fine families who contributed much to the early history of the county. Scattered over the county were other small mills which served their communities in the same manner until the decrease in the production of cotton and oom and the increase in transportation forced them to cease operation, but to those who have vision and determination, as the Tompkins boys had, these mills could prove a challenge to bring other small industries which could add progress and employment to the county.

HUNTSVILLE SET TO CELEBRATE MRS. HOUSTON'S BIRTH

One of the most outstanding festivals of the many staged in East Texas is the spring is the annual birthday party in observance of the birthdate of Mrs. Sam Houston. The beautiful setting is, of course, at the "Mount Vernon" of Houston State Park, Mrs. Grace Longino, Director of the Shrine and Museum, gives the details, and the date, April 4th, afternoon. The loyal bakers of Huntsville and Walker county are contributing more than 100 cakes for the refreshments. It is a Texas open house, with no charge.

Active hostesses will be the ladies of Huntsville and surrounding towns of East Texas, all dressed in the costumes of the 1860's period. It will practically be an outdoor garden party, and thousands of blooming plants, bulbs, shrubs and trees will delight the many guests. Visitors will be welcomed by Harold G. Pyle, president of the Sam Houston Memorial Museum, and the Rev. W. Y. Pond, pastor of the Huntsville First Baptist Church, will represent Gen. Houston. Mrs. Ethel Osborn Hill will be the hostess from Woodville.

There will be a guided trail of flowers where all plants and flowers will be labeled, and the hostesses will explain points of interest. The Huntsville Garden Club will be taken an active part in this. Music will be furnished by the Sam Houston State College music department.

Any Texan with a spark of patriotism must thrill with pride to view the priceless relics of early Texas days, and of the Houston's family life gathered in Steamboat House, and other buildings, as the log kitchen and the Law office, with their original furnishings. Some of the beautiful pieces of furniture were hand made by General Houston himself. On the home grounds stands the Sam Houston Pecan tree, grown from a pecan which Gen. Houston planted the day his first daughter was born. It is now about one hundred and twenty years old, and never fails to bear a crop of nuts. The Woodville Garden Club feels an especial interest in this historic tree, as a few years ago they distributed a quantity of the nuts to plant to all interested persons, in or out of the club at their Arbor Day program. Also, on a pilgrimage to the shrine, enough nuts were picked, up from the grass to make a lovely and unusual corsage, which was presented to the Governor of District three, Federated Garden Clubs, at a state convention. This corsage was later presented to the shrine

SINCLAIRS GIVEN FAREWELL PARTY BY COBB MILL CHURCH

Mr. and Mrs. Huey Marshall and Mrs. Lucille Harris were host and hostess in the Huey Marshall home February 19 at 7:30 p. m. in a call meeting of the Cobb Mill Road Church, and the Dorcas Class in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sinclair. Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair will leave in the near future to make their home in Palestine, where Mr. Sinclair will be in business.

Rev. Charles Haynes, pastor of the church, gave the devotional on "Friendship With God and Each Other." Prayer was given by Rev. Hubert Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair were given love gifts from the church and the Dorcas Class. Those present were Rev. and

Mrs. Charles Haynes, Rev. Hubert Bush, Mrs. N. H. Page, Mrs. H. H. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Blohm, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cartwright, Mrs. Lorraine Lee, Mrs. Ota Reynolds, and Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair.

TWO MORE FILE FOR CITY COUNCIL IN WOODVILLE

Two more candidates entered the race for the Woodville City Council this week.

They are Dr. R. E. Swearingen, incumbent, and D. P. Mann, Jr., Woodville, businessman and banker.

Five had filed last week. They are James K. Brown, Barclay Dismukes, Dr. James M. Radford, George E. Tubb and James Spurlock.

RETE WATTS NAMED "MAN OF MONTH" BY WATER GROUP

J. T. (Pete) Watts, manager of the water and sewerage department of the City of Woodville, has been named "Man of the Month" by the Deep East Texas Water and Sewer Association.

A committee appointed by A. H. Cole of Jasper, president of the group, chose Watts for the honor. The committee members were E. R. Smith, O. Weaver and V. V. Peters. Various district associations have been urged to select a man of the month by Ross Hennon, president of the Texas Water and Sewer Association. Watts has been operating the Woodville water and sewer department for the past 12 years. He served two terms as president of the Deep East Texas Water and Sewer Association. He holds a "C" license for operators of water and sewerage departments.

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26-A ALL STARS ARE NAMED

Five teams are represented on the first team of District 26-A's all-star squad selection for 1965.

The East Chambers Buccaneers and Hull-Daisetta Bobcats finished in a two-way tie for the 26-A title, both sporting 11-1 records.

Orangefield and Tarkington were next in line with 6-6 marks, followed by Warren, 4-8; West Hardin, 4-8; and Hardin, 0-12.

The all-star teams are as follows:

First team--R. B. Ruston, East Chambers, and Ronnie Gilley, Tarkington, forwards; Clyde Reid, Hull-Daisetta, center; Billy Ruckert, Orangefield, and George Pate, Warren, guards.

Second team--Larry Huddleston, East Chambers, and Alan

SPURGER PTA SUPPER

The Spurger Parent-Teachers Association will have a covered dish supper and open house at the Spurger school March 4 in connection with Public School Week, which is observed Monday through Friday.

Open house will be held from 5:30 to 6:30 p. m. and the covered dish supper will begin at 6:30. The PTA meeting will begin at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Strickland of Fairbanks, Alaska, arrived in Woodville Monday for a visit with his father, O. E. Strickland. The couple have been in Hawaii the past month, and will be here

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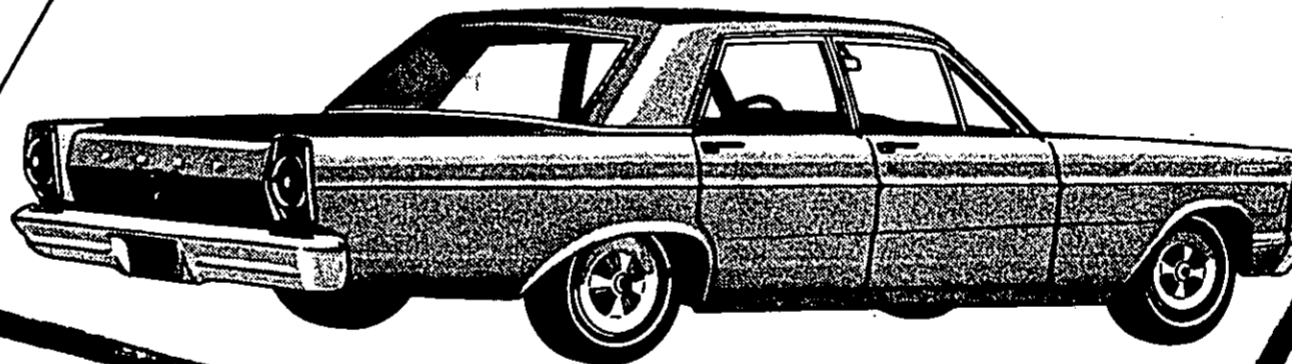
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Colmesneil News Events

Mrs. Margaret Owens had as her guest during the past week her daughter, Mrs. Eddie Crumpler of Lufkin. Mrs. Iva Brown spent the weekend in Nacogdoches with her cousin, Mrs. Cora Fuller. Jerry Jordan returned to his home in Spurger Saturday after spending several days with his daughter, Mrs. Clyde Surrock. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Polindexter visited in Beaumont with their daughter, Mrs. Prentice Ward, during the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Oates and children recently moved to Lufkin where he is employed as a police officer. Mrs. B. A. Woods of Kirbyville visited her sisters, Miss Betty Enloe and Mrs. H. A. Crews, over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. John Surrock attended the cattle auction and the barbecue served by the Charolais Cattle Association in Corsicana Saturday and Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Davis and little daughters, Karen and Ginny, visited in the homes of their parents, Mrs. Ida Davis and Rev. and Mrs. D. J. Sanders, over the weekend. Also visiting in the Sanders home was another daughter, Mrs. Genda Cammack of Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hebert of Port Arthur spent the weekend with their aunt, Mrs. Lula Owens, and other relatives in Colmesneil. Mrs. Eloise Madden and two

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Little daughters of Dallas returned home Sunday after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bower Durham. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Finley and daughter, Mrs. Joan L. Peet, and Mrs. Lou Alice Hoffman, of Warren visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cobb Sunday. Bobby Bendy, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Kathleen Poindexter, made a business trip to Shreveport Tuesday. A number of local OES members attended the school of instructions in Crockett Monday. These included Mrs. Ella Boyett, Mrs. Oda Ogden, Mrs. Macel Freeman, Mrs. Norene Bendy, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Owens and Mr. and Mrs. James Almond. They were joined in the evening program by other members of the local chapter. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Owens and daughter, Lavene, visited in the home of their son, Royce Owens of Silsbee, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Howell spent the past week with their daughters, Mrs. Tyler Kirkland of Nederland, Mrs. Wilma Barkley of Beaumont and Mrs. Billy Saunders of Vidor. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Taylor spent a few days during the past week in Wichita Falls with their son, Roy Lee, and family.

DR. SIMMONS TO BE SPEAKER AT WOMAN'S HD CLUB

Dr. Billy E. Simmons, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Woodville, will be the speaker at the regular meeting of the Woodville Home Demonstration Club at the home of Mrs. James A. Smith in Foster Hills on March 3. Dr. Simmons will speak on family life. Mrs. C. B. Cruise will be co-hostess with Mrs. Smith. Devotional will be given by Mrs. M. S. Sigler. A demonstration on cotton bags will be made. Meeting time is 1:30 p. m.

Hillister Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Spurlock, Charles, Phyllis and Rebecca enjoyed a weekend visit in Dallas with Mrs. Spurlock's sister Mrs. Ben Operton and family. Mr. and Mrs. David Read and son of Houston were here for the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Read. J. W. DeRamus visited his mother in Pitkin, Louisiana, Saturday. Mrs. Monroe Tolar, Mrs. John Ralmer and Mrs. Gladys Black of Warren visited Mrs. Mary Tolar last week. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Holt, Marla and Eliza of Port Arthur and Mrs. D. C. Satterwhite of Center were here for the weekend with relatives. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Will Holt of Kountze were here. Weekend visitors in the J. P. Tolar home were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jewel and son of Beaumont and Misses Donie and Kate Lacinia with their mother, Mrs. Margie Lacinia of Brenham. Mrs. J. W. DeRamus and Marieanne were Beaumont visitors on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Hankins of Lufkin visited Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Currie and Mrs. Alma Hankins Sunday. Miss Nancy Norton of Eunice, Louisiana, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Norton. Mrs. Ann Fischer, Jo Ann and Harold Jr. of Orange spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Collier. On Saturday she with Mr. Collier drove to Gladewater for the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dean. Lee Norton was in Beaumont Sunday to see his mother, Mrs. O. A. Norton.

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CAMPGROUND NEWS

Visitors in Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fortenberry home last week were her parents Mr. and Mrs. Martell from Beaumont. Her mother spent week on Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. L. G. McClain from Vidor had supper in Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fortenberry home. Last Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Carl Andrews went to Beaumont with Mrs. W. H. Pope to meet Mr. Pope come in on his vacation. They came by and spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Andrews. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Johnson spent Sunday in Mr. and Mrs. Wyles Hales home. Visitors in Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Fortenberry home, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Adams and children from Silsbee. Their grandson Thomas Fortenberry and his girl friend, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Fortenberry and family from Woodville on Friday last week. Mrs. Bill Childress from Port Arthur and her sister, Mrs. Willie Bell Lockhart from Beaumont visited Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Fortenberry home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. C. P. Fortenberry went home with her daughter, Mrs. Nolan Adams to go to Beaumont Monday to see her eye doctor. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Rabuck from Port Arthur spent weekend up at their camp Sunday. Their friends from Port Arthur visited them. Visitors in Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Fortenberry home, weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Bertis Best and baby from Port Arthur Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Foy Swinney and boys from Port Arthur. Visitors in Mr. and Mrs. Mark Fortenberry home last Friday were Mrs. O. C. Fortenberry and Mrs. Frank Pope from Woodville. On Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Rabuck on Monday Boss Week and L. H. Rainey from Woodville. Visitors Mrs. Gussie Bush and

Campground News

Clifton Weeks home was Mr. and Mrs. Percy Nelson from Beaumont and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Andrews on Monday afternoon in Mrs. Gussie Bush and Clifton home. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pope from Doucette and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Andrews. Those with the flu in the community are Rev. C. P. Fortenberry, who was taken to the Jasper hospital on Tuesday, February 23; O. B. Fortenberry and Mrs. R. E. Fortenberry. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Fortenberry and son Jerry from Beaumont is doing some work with telephone company in Woodville. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Andrews, visitors Sunday afternoon some their friends from Port Arthur Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Carl Andrews spent night with Mr. W. H. Pope at Doucette. Mrs. Hugh Johnson, Mrs. Gussie Bush went to Marvin Nicholson Funeral. We all extend our sympathy to Mrs. Nicholson and J. C. in Marvin's death.

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DAM B NEWS

Mrs. Bertha Hranicky made a trip to Port Arthur Saturday to see her son Clyde Hranicky who flew in from Topeka, Kansas on business also to see his mother. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hranicky another son of the L.O. Hranicky spent this weekend at their cabin here. Glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Hutto of Nederland in church here Sunday, as we are glad to welcome all visitors. You who were not in Fairview Church Friday night sure missed out on a grand trip over most of the places in Alaska. It's such a beautiful country, so different from other places. Mrs. Head being the orthology she is, we all left feeling we really had made a trip to Alaska. She also had many objects she had collected from different places, many newspaper clippings, all bringing out the state, its people and its products. We thank you again Mrs. Head for your time and trouble in carrying us in story and pictures

through Alaska. Grandma Hamm ask this reporter to thank you through this column, Mable Barlow teacher and her class of little primary for the sweet visit they made to her home on St. Valentine's Day, for the sweet little songs, the prayer and the basket of fruit made in a valentine shape. All of it made her so happy but she could never forget those sweet little heads bowed so humbly in prayer. May God bless you is her prayer. One is never so happy as when making others happy. Try it. Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Cole of Baytown spent the weekend at their cabin here. Took a nice catch of bass from the west log jam Saturday. Attending church and Sunday school at Fairview Sunday. These folks are very busy with church work in their home church, Cody First. We are happy to have them with us. Master Rory Price of Port Arthur is spending a while with his grandparents the Henry Clay Pedigoes and having a big time. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hicks a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan and son all of Silsbee visited with their Uncle Oscar

Hicks and daughter Jewel Sunday afternoon. They all took off to go see Rayburn Dam. Drove to within about two miles of it. Were turned back. Road construction, Sorry to miss seeing the dam, but glad to have a good road next time. Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Lloyds made a visit to see their son and family Friday and Saturday. The Son Lloyds of Sour Lake. Frank is still in Tyler County Hospital. His mother, Mrs. Evie Johnston is home but not well. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Barclay both going through a case of flu. We hope all are better. Grandma Hamm is feeling better. Mrs. B. B. Read was called to Beaumont to her elder daughter who is very ill, expects surgery this week. Mr. and Mrs. Tortoris had Mrs. Tortoris brother and family of Kirbyville with them Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Bice were made happy having Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Russell in their home Sunday. Our church, our community all are very grateful to have these good folks among us.

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Tyler County Church Directory

Table listing various churches in Tyler County, Texas, including Woodville Methodist, Doucette First Baptist, First Baptist Church Spurger, First Christian Church Woodville, Bethany Baptist Church, Church of Christ Woodville, Hillister Baptist Church, Hopewell Congregational Methodist Church, First Baptist Church Colmesneil, United Pentecostal Church Woodville, and others. Each entry includes the pastor's name and church service times.

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We are sorry Mr. and Mrs. Craig Marshall's little grandson Craig Franklin is in Saint Marys Hospital in Port Arthur very ill. He is the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Marshall of Nederland. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

We are glad Mr. F. P. Merryman is improving after being sick with flu through the last week. Mrs. W. T. Black's mother was home for the week end. She is employed as a teacher in the South Park School in Beaumont.

Mrs. Bell Keen was called to the bedside of her father, Mr. I. D. Fraizler of Timpon, Mr. Fraizler has pneumonia and is in the hospital in Carthage.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Walker in the death of Mr. Walker's mother, Mrs. F. R. Walker of Sabine Louisiana who passed away February 17 at 3:30 a. m. at the age of 83 years.

Miss Ruby Good of Beaumont visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Flowers of Doucette Saturday. Among those that will attend the OES school of instructions at Crockett February 22 is Mrs. Thelma Flowers and Mrs. Mary Marshall.

Mr. W. T. Blackman sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Phillips of Groves visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blackman Saturday. Mrs. G. R. Downing, Mr. and Mrs. George Downing and Mr. E. F. Boyd visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Downing of Call Sunday. Hugh is still under the Doctors' care. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Little Kim and Kyle Downing, children of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Downing is spending this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Downing. Mrs. Maggie Cruse, Mrs. Elma Walker and Mrs. Ella Boyert went to Huntington Saturday to visit Mrs. Ophelia Barnes. Mrs. Cruse sister, Mrs. Barnes is seriously ill. We wish her a speedy recovery.

We extend our deepest sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Powell of Chester in the death of Mrs. Powell's brother, Mr. John Creech. County Judge of Center was also a cousin of Mr. B. W. Creech. Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wigley attended church at Katy Baptist church Sunday. Rev. Cooper held a revival there last week which closed Sunday. Mrs. Maggie Cruse and Mrs. A. G. Walker visited Mrs. Cruse sister, Mrs. Nanette Bingham of Chester. Mrs. Bingham is very ill. Jerry, Willie, Charles and D. Le Wigley, also Joe and Jimmie Flowers visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Flowers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Marshall and Joe Goode went to Port Arthur Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Marshall's little Craig Franklin in Saint Mary's hospital. He is very sick. Harold Sturrock was home for a week end visit. He is employed as Guard at the prison farms at Richmond. There was good attendance at Bethany Baptist Church Sunday for Sunday school and church. After so much sickness and our pastor Bro. Leroy Smith brought a wonderful message Sunday and Sunday night. We also have prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7 p. m. Visitors are always welcome to come and receive a blessing.

Community singing will be held at Oak Grove Baptist Church Sunday night beginning at 7 o'clock. Refreshments will be served following the singing. Everyone is invited.

OES honored the Masons with a Washington supper Saturday night, the speakers were Rev. H. A. Springfield, Rev. Richard Steel and Mr. Billy Wiggins. There was a large attendance for the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. J. Carrel Die have as their guest Mr. Die's mother from Beaumont. Mrs. Minta Freeman and Paul of Silsbee stopped by her parents home Mr. and Mrs. E. Allison, they had attended a band concert in Commerce. Visitors in the Hiram Williams home are their son Judson of Beaumont and Arthur Stanton of Vidler. Mrs. Williams was in Beaumont Thursday where she visited Mrs. Knox Miller and Mrs. Irene Keeman. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hather and children of Silsbee were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Gardes, they also attended the singing at Bethel Church Saturday night.

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Warren News

Mrs. Vyre Lea LaFittie of Bridge City visited her mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bumstead. She also spent some time in Woodville in the home of her brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bumstead. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrell along with me and Mrs. J. V. Harris, Suz Ann and Mark all spent the week end in Carthage to see Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Oates. Mr. and Mrs. George Lamar are visiting their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson in Houston. Visitors in the Dan Jones home this week are Mr. and Mrs. James Deyland Griffin of San Angelo. Mrs. Anna Lou Segrest of Jasper also came to see them while they were here. Making a trip to Houston to see their brother Hardy Busselle who is ill was Mrs. J. W. R. Miller, Mrs. W. J. Hatchell, George, Ann and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tolar, while they were there they spent some time with George Tolar and family. We are sorry we have so many sick people, the flu has really been on rampage the past week. Folks in the hospital are Mrs. George Laughlin, Mrs. M. W. Sterling and Mrs. John Higgins and Mrs. Virgie Elliott. The Community singing at Bethel Church Saturday night attended. Everyone enjoyed good singing. Wonderful fellowship and delicious refreshments. Mrs. Lennie Davis and Virginia were in Beaumont on business Friday. Mrs. Ruth Matthews was a Beaumont shopper one day this week. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Addison and family of Pasadena have been week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Smart. OES honored the Masons with a Washington supper Saturday night, the speakers were Rev. H. A. Springfield, Rev. Richard Steel and Mr. Billy Wiggins. There was a large attendance for the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. J. Carrel Die have as their guest Mr. Die's mother from Beaumont. Mrs. Minta Freeman and Paul of Silsbee stopped by her parents home Mr. and Mrs. E. Allison, they had attended a band concert in Commerce. Visitors in the Hiram Williams home are their son Judson of Beaumont and Arthur Stanton of Vidler. Mrs. Williams was in Beaumont Thursday where she visited Mrs. Knox Miller and Mrs. Irene Keeman. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hather and children of Silsbee were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Gardes, they also attended the singing at Bethel Church Saturday night.

Kirby Kapers

Six - weeks testing is again upon the students of Kirby High and of course, this means extra house of studying for each of us as we attempt to prepare for those all-important examinations. A 11 of the students and especially the seniors are aware of the fact that after this week there will be only twelve more to go until school ends for the summer months. The Tuesday before last at Port Acres the Eagles played their final basketball game of the season. The season ended on a melancholy note as both the A and B teams were beaten by the boys from that town. However, three of the senior players scored in double figures in the A game. The high point honors go to George Jarrott who hit the basket for a total of twenty-five points. Both Bill Weatherford and Charles Blanks managed to get out of the single-figures column. The other seniors who played their final game that night were Ronnie Weeks and Larry Melvin. The rest of the A squad is composed of Juniors, these being Doug Bennett, Chris King, David Comte, Odis Ray Fortenberry, and Kenneth Weaver, who was a regular starter. The National Honor Society is completing its ordering of enshignas which are made available to the members upon request from and payment to the headquarters in the nation's capital. The Society is also beginning its planning for the National Honor Society Banquet which will be coming up in early March. Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Walcott of Kountze spent the weekend at their cabin on Silk Stocking Row. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Holby, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Shepherd all had coffee with the VanWinkles after church Sunday night. Remember that what you possess in the world will be found at the day of your death to belong to another, but what you are will be yours forever.

WORLD PRAYER DAY SET FOR MARCH 5 The United Church Women, of Woodville will hold the annual World Day of Prayer observance in the First Christian Church beginning at 9:30 a. m. Women from all churches are urged to attend. SANDRA COCKRELL INITIATED IN GAMMA PHI BETA Gamma Phi Beta International Collegiate Sorority announce the initiation of Sandra Cockrell, of Corigan, as a charter member of the Gamma Nu Chapter of G. P. G., in Lamar State College of Technology in Beaumont. In traditional, elaborate rites in Adlersgate Methodist Church in Port Arthur on Saturday, Feb. 20, Mrs. Graeme Reid, Grand President of the sorority, pinned the new initiates. Thirty members were initiated. About 200 area Gamma Phi Betas, including the initiating team of 19 from S. M. U., attended the Pink Carnation Banquet held in Ramada Inn on Saturday night. The eight visiting dignitaries representing Grand Council, State and Province officers, the initiates, parents of the initiates, faculty of the college, and husbands of the alumnae, were entertained with a formal reception held in the Beaumont Country Club on Sunday afternoon. During the 1:00 church hour, the group of initiates attended the St. Andrews Presbyterian in Beaumont. Those attending the revival at Katy Church in Colmesneil were Mr. and Mrs. Elur Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Langham and Mrs. Lindsey Evans, Rev. Clarence Cooper was preaching. Mrs. Clara Flowers of Call is visiting Mrs. Johnnie Sprinklo for a few days. Visitors in the H. N. Williams home were Mr. and Mrs. Will Glenn of Buna.

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Deweyville Defeats Spurger In Bi-District

Basketball teams in the Piney Woods Area went through their bi-district exercises Monday and Tuesday night, and those which will enter the regional tournaments have been determined.

At Silsbee Tuesday night Deweyville advanced to the regional at Kilgore by defeating Spurger 82 to 33. Deweyville was a champion of 81-B and Spurger is 82-B champion.

Both teams got off to a slow start, although Deweyville began to warm up as the first quarter was ending and led 11 to 2 at the end of the first stanza.

Deweyville scored 18 points in both the second and third quarters while Spurger could manage only 10 and 6. In the final quarter, both teams scored 16 points.

Dick Davis, a guard, led Deweyville with 17 points in the game. Billy Walton had 16 and Sammy Dryden 12.

High point man for Spurger was Charles Willis with 13.

The Port Acres Eagles, champions of 22-A, defeated the Rusk Eagles Tuesday night at Huntsville to advance to the regional tournament at College Station Saturday.

Rusk, which squeaked by Livingston by one point in both games of a playoff, were only 3 points behind at the half, but Port Acres scored 32 points to the loser's 19 in the second half to win 56 to 40.

Other games Tuesday night saw Broadus advance to the B regional at Kilgore by defeating Wells, 53 to 22, and East Chambers of District 26-A lose to Scholtenberg by 64 to 51.

In a game at Houston Monday night, the Sour Lake Rebels advanced to the regionals when they defeated Needville 46 to 48 with a last-second basket by Teddy Hayes.

KIRKLEY ON DEAN'S LIST AT LAMAR

Maxey Kirkley, junior accounting student at Lamar Tech, was on the fall semester Dean's List.

To be on the Dean's List, a student must have at least a 2.5 average out of a possible 3 points.

AMERICA WHICH WAY? By Mrs. J.P. Owens

The disciples of Jesus came to Him on one occasion and said, "Did You know the Pharisees were offended, after they heard what You said?" Matthew 15:12 (Owens free translation.) Jesus implied in His answer that God did not plant the Pharisees and they would be uprooted.

There is a lot of downright humor in the Bible if we can see it. It's all beneficial. Here is a great lesson for us. Don't pay any attention to what people in a sinking ship may say about how we are sailing our Boat!

The Pharisees were on their way out as Jesus was coming in. They did not like anything He ever said. They denied His Sonship. They denied His message, then they turned on Him personally. Denial gets worse as it progresses. If you can't destroy the doctrine, destroy the teacher.

They missed very little He said. They even stooped to enter the house of a publican, uninvited, to hear what He said so they could trap Him. They struck like a leech. He was gaining in popularity and envy grew.

Something had gone wrong somewhere. God instituted the synagogue in the beginning. Its system of worship pointed to the "Lamb of God that would take away the sin of the world."

In the end they were better than God, they forgot whether they made God or He made them. They wanted to control God, to dictate to Jesus.

Nobody can dictate to God. Nobody can conjecture God. Nobody can corner God. He does not belong to one church only, to one group only; He belongs to the world. He belongs to the press as well as the pulpit, to the byways and hedges as well as the church house. He will bypass the self-righteous and be a sinner's prayer. He may be as near by the wayside as the church altar. He is not untouchable. His feet were wiped by the tears and hair of a sinful woman. He is to be

proclaimed by the pew as well as preacher on the street as in church. He is for the sinner as well as the saint. He belongs wherever there is a need and will go wherever there is a cry for help.

The preacher has well said, "Those who can't forgive have never been forgiven." Never! Once one sees himself as a sinner saved by grace He will never exclude another from God's table. They tried to control Jesus in their day. We would like to control the Holy Spirit today. Like the Pharisees--if we can't--some of us will reject Him altogether. God has never acted like man thinks He should. He never will. pray God He never will! Jesus played havoc with their ceremonies, practices, everything, but they were destitute without Him. Their formal, empty worship went on for a time, without the head. God cut them off and set up a new thing altogether--without them. He said He rejected the chosen and He could do so with the gentle who has been grafted in. Somewhere in all this there is a serious, not so humorous lesson for us today. We could be sinking and not yet be aware that our ship is going down!

eral Senators have indicated they will join in support of the measure, and my mail indicates that Texans prefer this approach to that offered by the Administration in its medicare proposal.

"The bill introduced (S. 820) was drawn up by physicians who care for the elderly and know their health problems and medical needs. It is not the product of political maneuver, nor mises. It offers more benefits for people 65 and over--who need care and cannot pay for it--than any other legislation now before Congress.

"It provides a wide range of benefits--physicians' care, surgical and drug costs, hospital and nursing home charges. Eligibility for benefits would be determined quickly--before illness strikes--and without a welfare department type of investigation.

"Citizens 65 and over would obtain a policy for medical care. Some would pay nothing for it. Others would contribute a part of the cost of their policy the elderly would submit a simple statement of income. That is all.

"This program would offer a free choice of physicians and hospitals--without federal bureaucratic interference.

"On the other hand, the Administration's medicare proposal would cover only hospitalization and some nursing home care, which, of course, is only a small part of the cost of illness. And to pay for this, the medicare plan calls for higher payroll taxes, where a worker making \$5,600 a year would pay as much tax toward medicare as executive making \$66,000 a year. The medicare plan would permit the Federal Government to exercise an undesirable degree of direct control over hospitals and doctors.

"The medical care now available to Americans is the envy of all the world. Doctors from all over the world, and that includes doctors from the socialist countries, come here to learn from our doctors. The techniques and knowledge of our physicians was gained in an atmosphere of freedom from government interference. It is inconceivable to me that we, having gained the benefits of a free society, should now point our medical profession on the road to socialization.

"It would be my hope that, if government action is needed to provide the benefits of modern health services to a wider range of our citizens, the action be as prudent as possible, and that it be placed where the need is, not where the need is not.

Last week I introduced a bill granting cost-of-living increases for those receiving benefits under the Social Security act.

"This bill, S. 940, is essentially the same as the measure we were supporting last session, but which became inoperative in debate over the Administration's medicare program.

"As you may remember, during the last session Congress debated both these proposals. The medicare proposal and a proposal to increase social security benefits to keep up with the cost-of-living increases.

The Administration insisted that the two measures be tied together. As a result, neither was passed. I hope they will be considered separately this session and considered on the merits of each.

"My bill grants a \$7 per month across the board increase in benefits for primary beneficiaries, and proportionate increases for other beneficiaries. It increased the amount a person on Social Security could earn with penalty from \$1200 to \$1600 a year.

It increases matching aid for the needy aged, blind and disabled, and increases the earning exemptions for old age assistance programs. It proportionately increases those railroad

retirement benefits which are tied to Social Security rates and liberalizes the definition of "dependent child" and the disability insurance definition of blindness. I think this is a very meritorious bill which was favorably considered by the Congress last year, and it is my fervent hope that it will be seriously deliberated on and passed this year.

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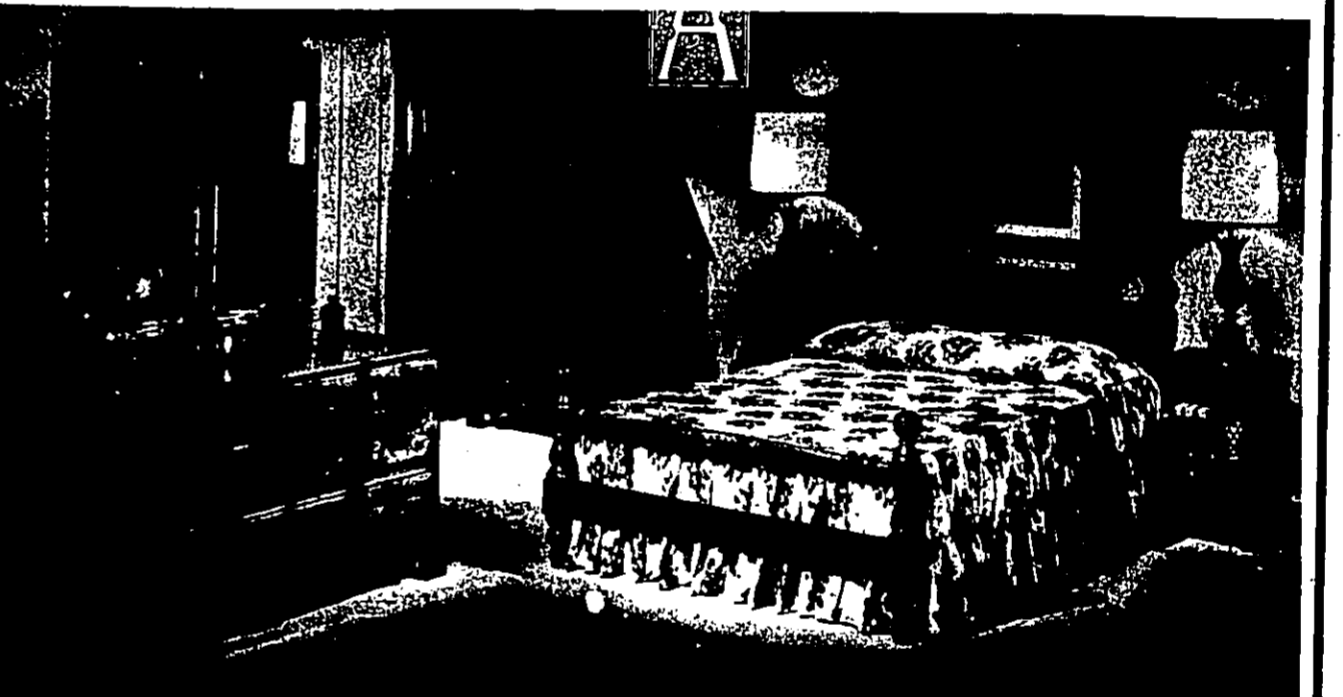
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