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# \$5 BOUGHT MANY GROCERIES IN 1904

Remember when \$5 would buy enough staple groceries to run an average family for two weeks?

Here's what \$5 would buy at D. M. Howard's store in Mineral Wells in the summer of 1904, according to his ads in The STAR of that time:

Four pounds of coffee, 20 pounds of sugar, one pound of soda, seven bars of soap, one half pound tea, one half pound black pepper, three pounds starch, 25 oz. can of baking powder, three pounds evaporated peaches, one pound soda crackers, one bottle pickles, one bottle pepper sauce, one bottle catsup, two cans tomatoes, two cans peas, one can peaches, one lamp chimney, one galvanized water bucket, one dozen tumblers.

Try and buy that assortment for \$5 today!

Here's what you would pay for those products today:

Sugar, \$1.90; coffee, \$1 if you bought the cheap peaberry which can be obtained at a few stores for 25 cents a pound, or \$2.12 if you bought a good coffee at 53 cents a pound; soda, .10; soap, the cheapest laundry soap at 10 cents a bar, .70; half pound tea, 68 cents; half pound pepper, 90 cents; starch, 36 cents; baking powder, 28 cents; evaporated peaches, 90 cents; soda crackers, 25 cents; pickles, cheapest quality, 17 cents;

pepper sauce, 10 cents; catsup, 16 cents for lower quality, 20 cents for better quality; tomatoes, two small cans of cheapest quality for 20 cents or two No. 2 1/2 cans, 25 cents; two small cans peas, 24 cents, or two No. 2 1/2 cans peas 42 cents; one can peaches, 35 cents; lamp chimney, 10 cents; water bucket, 50 cents; one dozen tumblers, 60 cents.

That's today's total of \$9.49 at the very cheapest prices, or \$10.91 if you bought the better quality.

Sizes 27 to 45 waist measure \$2.00 Extra Charge for 46 to 56 waist measure

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## LOOKING BACKWARD

News of Palo Pinto County As Recorded in The Star of Long

Ago. 1949

### 64 YEARS AGO

A marriage license has been issued to Robert Hinkson and Miss Mollie Dillahunty of Strawn. The STAR of Aug. 29, 1885, reported. Other items from that issue:

The person who took Baylor Crawford's cigar holder from the Redus & Crawford drug store is requested to return same.

S. C. Goss gets the premium on the largest watermelon brought to The STAR office. His melon weighed 52 3/4 pounds. S. J. S. Abernathy's melon weighed 52 1/2 pounds. The melons were grown on farms in Slaughter Valley.

Frank Speer and Miss Belle Gallathin were married at Coalville, near Gordon. Aug. 25, 1885, with Esq. J. W. Maddox officiating.

J. W. Dyer of Strawn was a business visitor in Palo Pinto one day this week.

### 51 YEARS AGO

From The STAR of Aug. 26, 1898:

Wm. Driver has just received a letter from his son, Will Driver, who belongs to the Oklahoma contingent of the Rough Riders, now at Montauk Point, Long Island, in which he says he is all right and well pleased with the camp.

J. E. Bailey of Pleasant Valley and R. Lemons brought in five samples of corn this week.

B. N. Maddox has let contract for an extensive addition to his residence to Cobb & Knight.

From the March 29, 1912 issue of The Star, it was learned the following had been summoned as jurors in district court:

W. A. Beddo, R. B. Price, W. W. Click, F. B. Watson, J. K. Williams, Chas. Heath, W. W. Christian, K. McBrayer, J. E. Johnson, W. A. Sartain, E. L. Dalton, T. Hawthorne, Ed. Newbrough, R. Abernathy, J. E. Davidson and Robert Hinkson.

Collings & Rix have opened a blacksmith shop on east side of the square, next door to The STAR office.

Sterling Taylor and Walter Beavers left Tuesday for the blow-out at Jacksboro, the occasion being to celebrate arrival of the railroad at that town.

The Santo correspondent reports that "Uncle Bob Newberry died Aug. 19 and was laid to rest in the Santo cemetery." From Santo also came the news that "Ben Davis has sold his farm to a man from Comanche county by the name of Tallie".

### 18 YEARS AGO

The STAR of Aug. 28, 1931, reported that:

J. W. Fitzgerald and Marior Clepper of Brad were Palo Pinto visitors Monday.

Miss Angie Stephens of Older visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mack this week.

Nelson, the little son of O. H. Grimes, had the misfortune to get an arm broke Tuesday from fall at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Walls of Ft. Worth visited their parents. Mr. and Mrs. William Walls of Lone Camp last weekend. The Lone Camp correspondent also report that Mr. Owen Merriman of Gordon spent the weekend with W. F. Jones and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur James of Gordon were weekend guests at the home of Lester Phillips Santo.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shoemaker of Graford is all smiles over new girl in their home.

Sam Lee, Jack Scudder, I Stowe and Ed Fawkes of Graford attended the funeral of the R. Pat Leach at Hillsboro last Friday.

The jury returned a verdict for the defendant in a suit for damages filed against the Strawn Coal Mining Co. by Albert Thompson. District Attorney J. J. Hiner returned to his home at Granbury. S. R. Edmondson, J. A. Marr and Dr. F. R. Bowles were the jury commissioners appointed by Judge Oxford to draw the grand and petit jurors for the September term of district court.

## In The 35 Years

Tickets to the big Fort Worth, June 5, day morning train, \$2 return Wednesday evening. Luke Ballenger and May Gaylor, who live of town, were married in Palo Pinto, Sunday. Es Martin officiated.

Attention is directed of the Fearis Drug Co. to C. E. Turner & Co., of the Star. Read it in the Wells.

Misses Lucy and Susan the Ioni country were the home of Ed L. D. place, Monday, and M. Edgar Graves, of G. united in marriage at the home of the Rev. W. A. Be. formed the ceremony.

R. B. Abernathy has sick list this week. Buster Thompson, was on our streets. Sheriff A. C. Jordan in the Wells, W. C. C. Williams, of prairie, was in town. John Doan of t country, was on our day.

Mrs. W. E. McConr Eades were Mineral V Monday.

The Palo Pinto county normal school Weatherford this week. Mr. Millner, who is well for Lee Sanders came in Wednesday.

Mrs. C. B. McDon David, left last Saturday mail hack for her home Oklahoma. Mrs. Ch Lizzie Hale visited friends in Mineral W day and Saturday.

S. R. Varner and wife Wells, were in our town visiting at the home Fairless.

Olen Wright of C town yesterday, and crops as standing the fairly well in his crop. Judge E. B. Rite George, were on our day. The judge was some legal matters.



## In The Star 35 Years Ago

Tickets to the big anti rally at Fort Worth, June 5, on sale Saturday morning train, \$2.30. Good to return Wednesday evening, June 7.

Luke Ballenger and Miss Bessie May Gaylor, who lives Southeast of town, were married in Palo Pinto, Sunday. Esquire C. C. Martin officiated.

Attention is directed to the ad of the Fearis Drug Co., successor to C. E. Turner & Co., in this issue of the Star. Read it and call when in the Wells.

Misses Lucy and Susie Woods, of the Ioni country were visitors at the home of Ed L. Dalton, of this place, Monday, and Miss Lucy and Edgar Graves, of Gordon, were united in marriage at the residence of the Rev. W. A. Beaty, who performed the ceremony.

R. B. Abernathy has been on the sick list this week.

Buster Thompson, of Gordon, was on our streets Tuesday.

Sheriff A. C. Jordan had business in the Wells, Wednesday.

C. C. Williams, of the Dodson prairie, was in town Tuesday.

John Doan of the Pickwick country, was on our streets Tuesday.

Mrs. W. E. McConnell and I. S. Eades were Mineral Wells visitors, Monday.

The Palo Pinto and Parker county normal school opened at Weatherford this week.

Mr. Millner, who is drilling a well for Lee Sanders south of town, came in Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. B. McDonald and son, David, left last Saturday on the mail hack for her home in Davis, Oklahoma. Mrs. Chick and Mrs. Lizzie Hale visited relatives and friends in Mineral Wells, last Friday and Saturday.

S. R. Varner and wife, of Mineral Wells, were in our town Tuesday, visiting at the home of D. M. Fairless.

Olen Wright of Oran, was in town yesterday, and reports the crops as standing the dry weather fairly well in his community.

Judge E. B. Ritchie and son, George, were on our streets Tuesday. The judge was attending to some legal matters.

Sidney Venable, a student in Austin college at Sherman, will spend the vacation with Littleton Cunningham of this place.

John Harlin of Gordon, had business here Tuesday. The Star has heard Mr. Harlin spoken of as a probable candidate for tax collector.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed, who have been living at this place for several months past, have moved back to Mineral Wells to make their future home.

The Palo Pinto and Indian Creek baseball teams crossed bats at this place Saturday, and played ten innings. The score stood 13 to 14 in favor of Palo Pinto.

About 40 of the Boy Scouts of Dallas passed through town Wednesday night for Lovers Retreat, where they are now encamped. There are two men in the party.

W. W. Price of Lamesa, an old timer of this county, came in Sunday for a visit to old friends. The Star learns that Mr. Price is thinking of again locating in Palo Pinto county.

W. G. Abernathy was up from the Wells, Sunday to see his family, who had been visiting Mrs. M. A. Cooper for several days. They returned home Monday, accompanied by Miss Dora Beth Whatley.

C. B. McDonald, who with his wife and son, had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McDonald, at this place, left Sunday with a bunch of blooded horses for his ranch near Davis, Oklahoma. He will drive his horses through.

Elder Bandy of Fort Worth, was in town yesterday soliciting funds for the purpose of erecting a memorial hall at the Texas Christian University to the memory of Addison and Randolph Clark. He was quite successful at this place.

Those who compose the house party at the residence of J. L. Cunningham, of this place, are Misses Annie Millican and Sadie Cannon and Dr. Morris Badt, of Fort

Dr. R. H. Mitchell left Tuesday for a business trip to Denton, Texas.

Mrs. J. L. Cunningham came in home from Sherman last Friday evening.

S. R. Edmondson and M. M. Gill from near Mineral Wells, were on our streets yesterday.

A. B. (Lon) Smith, of Brad, was in town Wednesday on business. He made the Star office a pleasant call.

Sheriff Jordan delivered three prisoners to the state penitentiary agent at Fort Worth. The three had been convicted and sentenced at this term of district court.

Editor Son made this plea: "The gentleman who has our umbrella will confer a favor by leaving it at The Star office."

The 3-year-old son of W. G. Abernathy passed away in Mineral Wells and was buried at Palo Pinto.

County Clerk J. Pat Corrigan published a notice of estray seeking the return of a lost bay horse and a bay mare mule.

The Texas & Pacific railway was advertising, "Do Your Spring Training at Mineral Wells; Excursion Tickets on Sale all the time; Wonderful Waters and baths that Build Up."

Palo Pinto was preparing for the close of school on April 5, with two months of pay school to follow the free term. A drama, "Down In Dixie," was to be presented in the school auditorium.

O. B. Colquitt was to be opposed for re-election as governor by Judge Ramsey. (The Star failed to state the place of residence of Judge Ramsey.)

on opposite page.



## News 35 Years Ago

Mrs. Webb Harris and baby are visiting her sister, Mrs. R. H. Smith of Lyra this week.

Frank B. Hill visited relatives in town this week while doing jury service in district court.

Jim Harris and family of Fort Worth are visiting friends and relatives in our town this week.

F. M. Watson of Mineral Wells was in attendance upon district court Tuesday and Wednesday.

P. L. Towns, court reporter, came in Saturday and was at his post Monday morning in District Court.

O. G. Burkhalter of Graford called this week and dropped a dollar in our till while attending district court.

Grandma Bevers from the Graford neighborhood is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Taylor of this place.

H. L. DeFord and wife of Gordon were in town Monday and Tuesday. Horace was doing jury service.

G. W. Eddleman, who was confined to his room for several days last week, is up and at his office this week.

W. Gib Abernathy, a prominent candidate for sheriff, came up from the Wells Monday and made the Star a pleasant call.

W. M. Bell, T. M. Minter, and a number of others from Gordon were in attendance upon district court Monday and Tuesday.

George Kisinger, an old-time citizen of this county, made the Star a pleasant call Wednesday. Mr. Kisinger now resides in Young County.

Dr. W. C. Dickinson, dentist of Mineral Wells, will be here March 15 and will remain several days to do your dental work. You will find him at the Redus Hotel.

Attention is called to the ad of J. E. St Clair, optician of Mineral Wells. He is prepared to test your eyes and fit your glasses. Call and see him when in Mineral Wells.

W. H. Atwell, United States District Attorney for the Northern District of Texas, was up from Dallas this week looking after some naturalization business in district court.

The Sunday School of the Christian Church will give an outing and fishfry Saturday. A general invitation is extended and all are invited to participate in giving the children a pleasant day's outing.

Among the visiting attorneys in attendance upon district court this week we notice F. O. McKinsey, G. A. McCall, H. C. Shropshire of Weatherford, W. P. Gibbs and W. S. Payne, Gordon, W. Percy Smith, W. F. Smith, W. H. Gross, W. E. Allen, W. H. Penix, E. B. Ritchie, A. Stevenson, Mineral Wells, Eli Oxford and J. T. Daniel, Stephenville.

This newspaper was quoting a report that a 16-year-old Fort Worth girl had been married four times. (There was nothing to indicate she was trying to get into the movies.)

Hunt's Lightning Oil was being advertised at 25c and 50c per bottle.

The Semi-Weekly Record of Fort Worth was advertising for new subscribers in the Palo Pinto area.

Roswell Clark of Gordon was visiting Hugh Corrigan in Palo Pinto.

Files in The Star 35 years ago are not complete at all. News for this column last week was gleaned from the Feb. 23, 1912 issue. Next paper in the file is dated March 22 of that year, from which the following information is obtained:

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The Democratic executive committee of the county was composed of J. C. Son, chairman; W. S. Conatser, B. B. Craig, Alev Stringer, J. H. Housley, Don Edwards, O. G. Burkhalter, Tom Cantrell, Walter Duke, J. H. Bradford, Jr., I. B. Durham, J. W. Moyer, W. E. Crew, W. R. Norwood, A. J. Pemberton, and Wade Stamford.

Jury in an assault case against Tom Harrington was composed of W. E. Parks, E. A. Cardwell, J. K. Williams, Jim Scudder, Luna Tipton, Jim Severe, W. W. Christian, A. D. Porter, M. M. Littlefield, J. R. Vandergriff, A. G. Haney and A. W. Perry.

Other jurors for the week were: E. L. Davis, W. C. Chisholm, J. A. Ray, H. S. Bailey, W. P. Butler, J. H. Tate, W. Pratt, S. T. Hobbs, L. C. Link, L. M. Carter, A. L. Brewer, E. I. DeBusk, J. K. Fowler, O. D. Stuart, B. J. Howard, J. H. Bartey, J. R. Lynch, and Ed. Mallory.

J. A. Moore of Gordon had business in the county seat during the week.

Among Mineral Wells people in Palo Pinto were George C. Lewis, H. N. Frost, Jack I. Campbell, W. H. Gross, J. E. Gee, W. Birdwell, W. T. Loveless, E. L. Davis, Ed. C. Baker, R. A. Peak, J. W. Cracken, E. B. Ritchie, W. H. Dix, W. P. Smith and A. Stephenson.

J. W. Birdwell was a candidate for county judge.

J. H. Tate of Santo was a candidate for cotton weigher of Precinct 4.

Announcements were made of the candidacies of E. S. Davis of Graford for county treasurer and J. W. Brock of Mingus for county clerk.

L. T. Barton had contracted to deliver a carload of cedar posts to the Frank Corn ranch near Fort Worth.

The Journal was the name of a newspaper published at Thurber, then a prosperous coal mining town in Erath county just over the line from Palo Pinto county.

(If you enjoy reading the "35 Years Ago" column, let the editor know.)

Mr. Eli Hight had a tooth pulled in Palo Pinto Wednesday.

George McGowan of Palo Pinto was visiting in Cedarville Sunday.

Dr. Clark of Palo Pinto made a professional call to Cedarville Sunday.

The Fourth Annual meeting of the Conference for Education in Texas will be held in Waco, April 21-22, 1910.

Dr. McCrum moved his household goods to Breckenridge this week. His family left in an auto yesterday morning.

John J. Hines of Granbury, candidate for district attorney, made the Star office a pleasant call Tuesday while visiting our town.

The old fashioned wife who parts her hair in the middle may be depended upon to fix the policy with respect to spanking in her household.

In this week's Star will be found H. H. Porter's announcement as a candidate for re-election to the office of tax assessor of Palo Pinto county.

W. R. Norwood, a prominent druggist of Mingus and John Watson who is connected with the Strawn Merchandise Co. were attending district court this week.

Boys and girls who are permitted to continually pad the streets are the ones who very often bring deep sorrow into their homes. Keep the youngsters off the streets.

---Weatherford Herald.

H. S. Pitts was buried at Sherman, Thursday at one o'clock. He was a member in good standing of the K. of P. Lodge and W. O. W. of this place. His many friends in this place will regret to learn of his death.

C. L. Coleman, "The Butter King" of Mineral Wells, and W. C. Bal-  
lew, a prominent jeweler of the same place, made the Star office a pleasant call Monday. Mr. Coleman has a wonderful invention in the butter making line.

The grand jury adjourned Wednesday afternoon after returning 21 bills, five felonies and sixteen misdemeanors. A pretty showing for Palo Pinto county, notwithstanding it is an antiprohibition county. It has not the doc-

Jury for second week of district court: Pink Bailey, A. M. Brown, W. M. Ballenger, G. A. Ready, E. B. Edmondson, George Hess, W. E. O. Neal, A. D. Lewis, S. D. Crawford, Chas. Lee, Brown Harrington, V. S. Sikes, J. W. Birdwell, J. W. Broomfield, Walter Finch, W. G. Abernathy, W. L. Brown, C. B. Couger, C. F. McClure, J. L. McEntire, Elbert Dalton.

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# 35 Years Ago

Miss Irena, daughter of Judge W. J. Oxford, is with her father this week, visiting in our town.

Ed Wristen and wife, of Mineral Wells, visited Mrs. Wristen's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Hale, last Sunday.

Miss Grace Cunningham, who was reported sick the first of the week, is again at her post at the bank.

Alfred Varner, of Bay City, was here this week visiting old friends. He ordered the Star sent to his address.

P. L. Towns, the court reporter, takes them down as the testimony is uttered on the stand. Pack is a crackerjack.

J. T. Daniel, a prominent attorney of Stephenville, was in attendance on district court Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Bessie Jiant, who has been visiting at the home of S. P. Taylor for some time, returned to her home at Graham, Sunday.

Frank Richards, I. B. Durham, E. V. O'Neill and a number of other Mineral Wells citizens were in attendance upon court this week.

Elder Drummond, of Strawn, old school Presbyterian minister, preached at the Christian Church last Sunday to a large congregation.

Miss Lora Corrigan, who has been on an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. J. W. Wadley, of San Benito, Texas, returned Monday afternoon.

Burton Leatherman and Miss Willie Christian, from near Minus, were married in the county

clerk's office Tuesday night, Judge W. J. Oxford, officiating.

B. N. Maddox, Alvin Maddox and J. P. Corrigan attended the funeral of W. R. Maddox, of Abilene, which took place at the Mineral Wells cemetery Sunday.

The visiting attorneys in attendance upon district court this week, up to going to press, were E. B. Ritchie, W. Percy Smith, W. H. Penix, W. H. Gross, F. S. Eberhart, W. F. Smith and Will Gross.

Give us a helping hand on the Palo Pinto County Fair. You live in the county and are interested in its products. We have had about three years of drouth, but let us show what we can do under adversity.

D. M. Fairless has purchased the Bowman barber shop on the South Side of the square and has moved into the same, where he will be pleased to serve his many customers. He is no longer back of the drug store. D. M. is a good barber and deserves the patronage of the trade.

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of V. A. Dow near Oran last Tuesday, when his daughter, Miss Pauline, was given in marriage to Delaney W. Cobb, of this place, Rev. J. Hall Bowman, of Olney, officiating. Both of the contracting parties are prominent young people and members of leading families of this county.

Dr. Robert E. Vinson, president of the Austin Theological Seminary, had business in our town Tuesday.

Mrs. Maria Gaines left Tuesday for a month's visit to relatives and friends in Hot Springs, Ark.

B. T. Whitaker was over from Graford installing more new telephones and otherwise improving the telephone exchange.

A prohibition club was organized at Village Bend last Friday night. J. W. Birdwell and W. W. Prostridge addressed the club.

For sale at a bargain—640 acres of land five miles South of Brazos. For price, apply to W. S. Conatser, Palo Pinto, Texas. (Advertisement in the Star, May, 1911).

Bob Nixon has resigned as telephone operator of the Bowles Line in this place, and Mrs. Will Greacon is at the switch board.

W. H. Fairless, who attended the Postmasters State Convention at Dallas last week, returned home Saturday, and reports a fine time.

D. M. Fairless, who has been working at Palmer for several months, came in Wednesday, and will probably open up the barber shop.

Judge C. C. Martin left last Saturday for Little Rock, Arkansas to attend the reunion of Confederate Veterans, which commenced last Tuesday at that place.

The three-year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Eubank, living on the Brazos River east of town, was bitten on the arm last Saturday by a rattlesnake, and the life of the child is despaired of.

Prof. Edgar Maddox closed a successful term of school at this place last Friday. So far as the Star knows everything ran along smoothly and everyone seems satisfied with the management of the school.

R. B. Abernathy and family, Ed White and family, F. J. White and Miss Corrie Son returned Saturday from a four days fishing to the river at the mouth of Dark Valley, and made quite a good catch. They brought in some nice fish, one weighing about 10 pounds.

A quiet home wedding occurred at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Harris, of this place, last Wednesday evening, in which B. A. Blackman, a prominent young business man of Graford and Miss Sallie Belle Harris, an accomplished and popular young lady of this place were united in wedlock. Rev. W. T. Brittain of Mineral Wells spoke the words that made them one.

J. T. Ranspot visited his children at Santo Tuesday.

H. L. Burton had business at the Wells Tuesday.

C. C. Ryals of Talequah, Oklahoma, had business in our town Tuesday.

Sam Graves and J. H. Hardy of Minus had business here Tuesday.

Add Taylor of the Wells was a visitor to relatives here last Sunday.

J. C. Son in on the South side of the country this week in the interest of the Star.

P. C. Sanders returned Monday from a visit to his wife and baby at Lingleville.

Paul Pirkle of Mineral Wells visited his aunt, Mrs. W. W. Fleming, this week.

E. L. Wristen and family of Mineral Wells visited Mrs. Lizzie Hale last Sunday.

R. D. Choate of Paris, Tennessee is visiting his cousin, sheriff, A. C. Jordon, this week.

Mrs. H. G. Taylor is visiting her two sons, Add and Gary, in Mineral Wells this week.

B. B. McDonald and wife and R. B. Abernathy and wife visited Mineral Wells Wednesday.

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# News 35 Years Ago

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Here's a substantial sort of progress Texas grow: The court of Jefferson to issue \$75,000 for the improvement of roads. Let the home market Telegram.

The French war recently acquired which is capable of changed from a machine. It has kilometers on the meters in the war 4 persons and is horse motor.

The news co Ga. that the failure of passenger trains to run, which is a catastrophe, is due to whiskey carried by men declare that Jacksonville and tries three experiments the roof with points and train delivery of "we

We neglected attention to the J. T. Ranspot county attorney action of the July 23rd. No one at the county office has been able to find the sheet of



## News 35 Years Ago

Elbert Ramsey went to Strawn Tuesday on business.

Ed Dalton of Palo Pinto was in Cedarville Saturday.

Jesse Walls of Lone Camp was visiting here Sunday night.

Here's a substantial pick-up for the sort of progress that is making Texas grow: The commissioners' court of Jefferson county has voted to issue \$75,000 worth of bonds for the improvement of public roads. Let the big red barn and the home market prosper. --- Star Telegram.

The French war office has recently acquired an automobile which is capable of being instantly changed from a land to a water machine. It has a speed of 40 kilometers on land and 12 kilometers in the water. It can carry 4 persons and is actuated by a 14 horse motor.

The news comes from Macon, Ga. that the failure of Georgia passenger trains to make their schedules, which is causing much irritation, is due to the quantity of whiskey carried by express, according to commercial travelers. These men declare that every train out of Jacksonville and Chattanooga carries three express cars loaded to the roof with liquor for Georgia points and trains are delayed by delivery of "wet" packages.

We neglected last week to call attention to the announcement of J. T. Ranspot for re-election as county attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic primary July 23rd. Now everybody knows that J. T. Ranspot has made Palo Pinto county a better county attorney, and that he has ever since the election been a better county attorney. He has used his best efforts in that direction.

Mr. Ranspot needs no recommendation at our hands as his efficient work is too well known and appreciated by our citizens. He asks for re-election as he is only serving his first term.

Judge Oxford opened court at 10 o'clock Monday morning with Ben Palmer, district attorney, J. T. Ranspot, county attorney, H. L. Burton, clerk, and R. A. Peak, sheriff, at their posts. The grand jury, petit jury and bailiffs were empaneled and sworn as given below. The civil docket was taken up.

Grand Jury: T. M. Carter, foreman, E. V. O'Neal, M. W. Smith, Olen Wright, Albert Massie, E. O. Redford, O. McClintock, J. W. Coats, L. P. Strawn, A. S. Johnson, Andrew Reek, Herman Bishop, Ed Jordan, Will Mitchell, Ed Blackburn, T. F. Carey, D. S. Bradford, Frank Henderson, and J. L. Day, door bailiff.

Petit Jury: John M. Oden, Jack H. Bradford, John T. Baker, W. C. Bray, J. D. Ferguson, H. L. Deford, D. B. Teague, Tom Bates, C. C. Johnson, John Berry, T. H. Berry, W. L. Garland, G. W. Cunningham, C. B. Harris, Chas. Heath, Larkin Jones, F. B. Hill, B. F. Grantham, J. T. Hemphill.

Uncle Tom Vance, who is said to have built the first house in Mineral Wells, died Tuesday morning at the Seamster sanitarium. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon under the auspices of the I. O. O. F.

The home of J. R. Allen on the A. L. Howard farm, three miles east of town, was completely destroyed by fire at about 2:30 last Saturday afternoon. The loss included both house and contents. The only thing saved was the barn. — Index.

Among the many prizes given for efficient work at the State University the last year was the Edgar Thompson Company prize for the best thesis upon a law subject. The prize was won by W. O. (Will) Gross, son of Judge and Mrs. W. H. Gross, of this city, his subject being, "A Plea for the Abrogation of the Rule in the Shelly Case." — Index.

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Henry Belding, more than 80 years old, died at Mineral Wells, of a heart attack, Tuesday night. He had been in ill health for several years. He was one of the oldest citizens of Palo Pinto county, having come here from Arkansas in 1858.

Every singing class in Palo Pinto county is requested to prepare something and be present at the County Singing Convention at Lovers Retreat, Friday night, Saturday Night and all-day Sunday. Sam McClure of Oran, J. F. Butler of Gordon, Jess Glover of

Mineral Wells, and J. W. Hudson of Graford are a committee to report Sunday afternoon on the adoption of two books, one sacred and one secular, for the county.

F. J. White is reported to be quite sick this week.

Mrs. O. B. Schoolcraft and family have moved to our town.

Miss Bennett of Lipan is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. H. McClure this week.

A. Y. Pitts of the Lone Camp community had business in town, Monday.

Mrs. C. C. Martin fell one day last week and was quite badly injured, being confined to her room since the accident.

I. C. Taylor was kicked on the head by a yearling last Saturday, and badly injured, but is able to attend to business.

W. E. Fairless and family, of Cisco, and Lillie Skiles and family of Scranton, are guests at the home of W. H. Fairless.

S. S. Greer of Gibbtown, was here this week on a visit to his children, Mesdames Oscar Grimes, Lee Palmer and Miss Posie and Ace.

Mrs. L. E. Mayhew and children, of Thorp Springs, is visiting her mother, Mrs. D. B. Warren, and her sister, Mrs. G. W. McDonald.

Asa Wallis of the Ideal Cafe, and Eugene Hall, Mineral Wells, spent a few days camping at Lovers Retreat, the first of the week.

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Miss Posie Greer of Gibbtown, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. O. M. Grimes and Mrs. Lee Palmer.

Tax Collector Claude Hightower and I. S. Eades were business visitors to Mineral Wells, Monday.

The Star learns that Miss Maria Gaines has again been employed to teach the Village Bend school.

Mr. Bowman has again opened up his barber shop, with a Mr. Winder, of Mineral Wells, in charge.

J. C. Houts and wife and A. S. Beaty and wife left Wednesday for several days outing on the Brazos river.

Miss Mamie Massie, daughter of Albert Massie, of Ioni county, has been visiting in our town for several days past.

Ex-sheriff O. L. York, who now lives at Lamesa, was shaking hands with his many friends in our town last Friday afternoon.

Sheriff Jordon, who came in from Terrell Friday afternoon, says that things are as dry from Abilene to Terrell as they are here.

Another disastrous fire swept the Fort Worth stock yards last Sunday, destroying the pens on 27-acres of land, as well as burning to death 50-head of cattle and 200 hogs.

Prof. Irvin, of Oran, was here last Saturday, looking after the school at this place. The trustees would do well to employ him, as

he is an educated gentleman and an experienced educator.

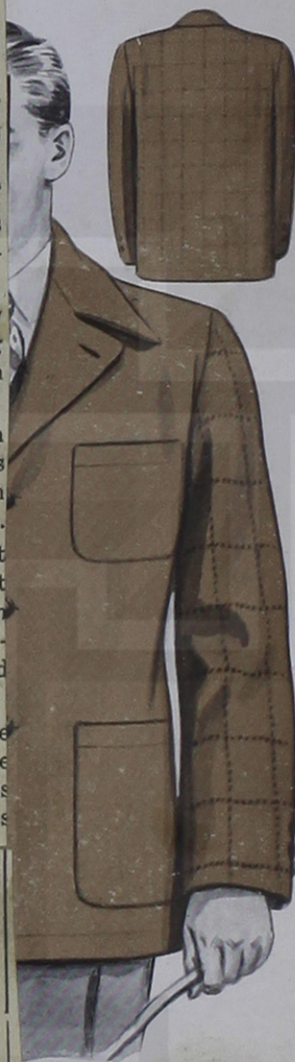
State-wide prohibition is warming up at Graford, the Monogram reported in its issue of last week that they had five different pro speakers holding forth in that thriving little city last week.

It is reported that the Gordon Enterprise will quit on account of the drought, but the enterprising agent who has the sale of the plant, holds out the alluring hope that "next year may be prosperous." — Fort Worth Record.

J. T. Ranspot and daughter, Linnie, H. T. Beckworth and family, and H. L. Burton and family and several others whose names we did not learn, are spending the week on the river at the mouth of Bluff creek, in the Northwest part of the county.

A. C. Varner, of Artesia, N. M., is visiting his brother, Sam Varner, of the Poston Dry Goods Company. Mr. Varner is an old man en route to Markham, on the coast. While in New Mexico he

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Marvin Johnson has just returned from Gunsight, Stephens county, where he attended the wedding of his brother, Lee W. Johnson, to Miss Dollie Turner of that place. After the ceremony the young couple went to Brazos, where Mr. Johnson is manager of the H. L. Mosely farm. — Index.

County Attorney J. T. Ranspot and Jailer Oscar Grimes went to Gordon, Friday and brought back a couple of boys. One is charged with theft from a store, while the other could not or would not give a satisfactory account of himself, was brought along for further developments.

The thermometer stood at 102 in the shade at this place last Saturday.

An advertisement read: See B. H. Lattner for furniture, carpets, wall paper, cots or anything in the furniture line.

John Oaks and family are now domiciled in the Clark residence in the Northeast part of town.

D. C. Harris and family and R. A. Peak and family are camping at the Dark Valley crossing of the Brazos river.

The infant of Will Townsley and wife was laid to rest in the Oran cemetery Friday afternoon.

On last Monday Uncle Joe Abernathy met with quite a serious accident, his horse throwing him and bruising up the left side of his head.

I. S. Eades is holding down the tax collector's office as assistant collector. Sam is on to his job and knows how to straighten out a tangle should any arise.

Olen Wright and family of Oran came in Saturday from Seminole where he has been at work and arrived here today to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf.

The best thing he has done is the hardest. The young man has four years of experience and too much to pay for it. He is badly fooled. Eight years of it are the greatest thing a man can have.

The Star is requested to announce that Rev. J. M. Bond will preach at the Methodist Church Christmas day at 11 a.m. and at night. Mr. Bond has been assigned to this circuit and is well known to our people, having held a protracted meeting here a year or two ago.

County teacher's examination was held here Friday and Saturday with Prof. A. F. Jones of Santo and Prof. C. E. Maxwell of Gordon in charge. The following were granted certificates: Miss Kathleen Colvard, Mrs. L. A. Wadsworth, Mrs. C. V. Whatley, Miss Duma McDonald, Miss Ethel Baker and Gordon Clark.

Thursday of last week was the 80th birthday of Grandma Redus and Mrs. W. P. Redus of the Redus Hotel gave her an excellent dinner, which was partaken of by quite a number of friends of the family. Grandma Redus is one of the pioneers of this section of Texas, and the Star hopes that she may live to enjoy many more pleasant birthday dinners.

Collector Hightower's report for October and November shows taxes collected as follows: State revenue \$1,098.13, state school \$4,559.54, state poll \$1,425.00, state penalty \$6.36, state occupation \$487.50, county occupation \$243.50, county ad valorem \$3,420.40, county special \$6,840.29, county poll \$246.00, county penalty \$10.03, district school \$1,300.14.

If Governor Colquitt keeps up his pace in putting men of prominence into office like those already selected, he will have a board of regents for the university Mr. Colquitt has had an equal in wealth and no one need be afraid of them. In his selection of board there that has posed as an equal in wealth and no one need be afraid of them. Men like Alex S. Kirby, W. H. Burges, Brackenridge and Geo. field don't accept appointments every day.

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H. L. Burton had business at the Wells, Tuesday.

H. L. Burton went to see air ships last week.

Messrs. Hassie and Puckett, bridge contractors, were in town Wednesday.

Have you paid your poll tax? If not, why not?

Miss Maria Gaines visited home folks Saturday.

Two children were buried at Santo last Saturday.

Sheriff Jordon had business at Mineral Wells, Wednesday.

Constable Lit Perry, of Pickwick, had business in our town yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff Oscar Grimes transacted business in Gordon Wednesday.

J. L. Cunningham was called to the Wells last Monday night by phone.

W. Percy Smith and W. H. Penix were over from the Wells one day this week.

Mrs. W. R. Eaves, of El Paso, visited relatives and friends in our town this week.

Arch Marr, of the Strawn Merchandise Company, came over on business Wednesday.

R. A. Peak has moved to the Wells and Mart Newman will occupy the residence vacated.

Ben Fairless came in from Palmer, Texas Tuesday evening, where

he has been working for several months.

J. L. Byron, of south of Mineral Wells, was in town yesterday to pay his dues to the state and county, as he put it.

Strawn has a lodge of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, which was organized at that place Tuesday night of last week.

W. K. Bell, a former old settler of this county, died in Fort Worth last Sunday and was buried at Mineral Wells, Monday.

H. H. Porter left Monday morning to attend the funeral of his sister, who died at her home near Benbrook last Sunday night.

J. T. Elmore and Mrs. Jennie Daves, both of Thurber, were married at this place last Monday, Justice C. C. Martin officiating.

Mrs. Amos Vaden, who died at her home in Hill county last week, was buried in the Blue Flat Cemetery near Gordon Saturday.

Boyd Perry died at his home in Gordon on Tuesday night of last week from meningitis, it is thought. He was sick but a few hours.

Otis Burgess Sears, a teacher in the T. C. U. at Fort Worth, will preach at the Christian Church in this place on the fourth Sunday in this month.

Boys, Collector Hightower and Deputy Sam Eades are waiting to receive your state and county taxes. After January 31, 10 per cent will be added by law as a penalty.

It is reported that the firm of Hance-Howard, which formerly ran a store in Mineral Wells, and which had several stores throughout the state, has gone into bankruptcy. It is stated that the firm dropped \$60,000 the past year.

The records of the county clerk's office shows that during the year 1910 there were 1,782 instruments recorded, a decrease of 600; 1,549 chattel mortgages, an increase of 150.

The commissioners court convened in extra session yesterday to look after some bridge and other matters. A full court was present.

Prof. Edgar Maddox has rented the R. A. Peak residence.

G. P. Barber of Mineral Wells was in attendance upon district court Tuesday.

Mrs. W. W. Fleming visited Fort Worth this week to purchase some spring goods.

W. W. Fleming left Wednesday morning to attend the fat stock show at Fort Worth.

Latest reports from Sheriff R. A. Peak is to the effect that he is slowly improving.

J. H. Hill of Oran had business here Monday.

Jim Jones was a Santo visitor to our town Monday.

Mrs. H. H. Porter has been quite sick for several days past.

J. P. Corrigan and Alvin Maddox visited Gordon last Saturday.

W. J. Lynch of Lyra was a visitor here the first of the week.

Dr. Boles of Graford had business here Tuesday.

Bob Loflin and W. R. Norwood of Mingus were here Monday and Tuesday.

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## News 35 Years Ago

J. L. Cunningham visited Santo Tuesday.

W. H. Gaines was on the sick list this week.

B. N. Maddox moved back to town Tuesday.

Miss Myrtle Redus visited the Wells Tuesday.

Judge and Mrs. Houts visited Dallas last week.

G. W. McDonald visited the Dallas fair this week.

Elder Webb filled his regular appointment last Sunday.

W. W. Fleming and wife attended the fair this week.

Uncle Cad Jones of Oran had business in town yesterday.

Don't fail to call on Dr. W. C. Dickinson at the Redus Hotel.

The norther Wednesday night called into requisition overcoats and good fires.

The Palo Pinto County Teachers Institute is in session at Mineral Wells this week.

John Simms of the Simms Dry Goods Co. had business in Palo Pinto yesterday.

Claude Hightower has made his rounds and will now be at home to the taxpayers.

A number of our people attended the Dallas Fair whose names we did not catch.

D. S. Bradford, deputy sheriff, of Strawn was in attendance on county court this week.

A state-wide prohibition convention is scheduled to meet in Fort Worth December 8th.

Mrs. W. G. Abernathy and children from the Wells, are visiting Mrs. M. A. Cooper in our town.

County Court has ground out a big lot of business this week. Judge Houts has kept things moving.

It is important that every democratic voter attend the election Tuesday week, October 8th, and vote.

W. B. Blackman, the genial manager of the Graford Hardware Co. was a visitor to our town Monday.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist Church realized \$30 from their dinner and supper Monday.

Misses Grace Cunningham and Lora Corrigan returned from Sherman and the Dallas fair Wednesday.

Mrs. H. G. Taylor and daughter, Miss Louie, went to Mineral Wells Tuesday where they will remain a month or so.

The editor of the Star was absent the first of the week and did not catch the visitors to our town Monday and Tuesday.

The postal banks will begin business Jan. 1st. But what good will they do those who spend all their money for Christmas tricks?

Dr. Hawley Crippen, convicted of the murder of his wife, Belle Elmore, the actress, in London, England, will be hanged Nov. 8th.

Miss Lora Corrigan is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wadley, at San Benito, Cameron County.

W. A. Pope, wife and baby, of Strawn, visited at the home of Mrs. H. C. McClure, this week.

R. H. Beetham, C. E. Turner and Mr. Fearis, of the Fearis Drug Co., had business in town Wednesday.

Marion Watson, of Mineral Wells, was a visitor at the home of Wm. Reagan, his brother-in-law, this week.

J. A. Marr, W. N. Mitchell and Esq. Fayette Ames, of Gordon, were in attendance upon county court Tuesday.

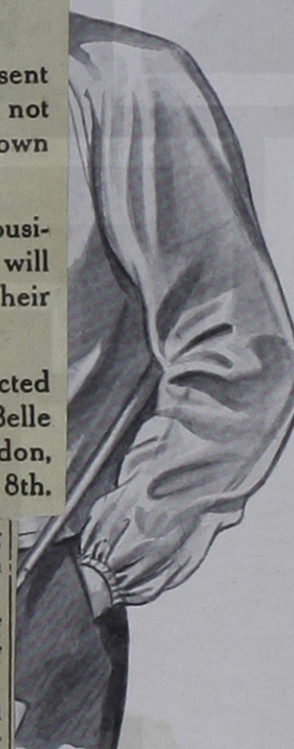
C. H. Linebach, W. G. Chapman, wife and daughter, and Miss Pearl Durick were visitors to our town Tuesday.

Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gaines had been married 38 years, in honor of which he purchased the largest watermelon he could find, and they had a family feast.

H. A. Wade, Jr., of Irion county, was a visitor to our town the past

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week, looking after his property interests North of town on Eagle Creek. Harry was practically raised in our town and has a host of friends hereabouts.

Among the visiting attorneys in attendance upon county court this week we noticed W. Percy Smith, J. W. Moyers, J. W. Creighton, W. H. Penix, W. J. Gross, of Mineral Wells, and H. C. Shropshire, of Weatherford.

Now that the county prohibition election has been ordered for the 26th, the next election will be to bond the county in the sum of \$300,000 for the purpose of building roads. This petition will be presented at the August term of the commissioners court.

C. W. Leird has just returned from Oklahoma and reports crops fair in the county which he visited. According to his statement, near Loco the apple crop is bumper, corn very fair and cotton good. He also states that he saw eight saloons in the town of Maude wide open, and have been for four years, the age of the town, and they look prosperous and healthy.

A two-days barbecue will take place at Lovers Retreat under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist Church of this place, Friday and Saturday, August 11 and 12, 1911. Plenty of barbecued beef, mutton and pork will be found on the ground free. If you want a good time, come. Lovers Retreat is an ideal place to spend two days outing. Come and bring your family.

Pat Corrigan came in Sunday from a visit to Graford and Mineral Wells.

Jim Tom Story, Ed C. Baker and Max Gugenheimer, of the Wells, were in town yesterday.

Mesdames D. C. Harris and W. H. Fairless went to the Wells Monday in the interest of the barbecue at Lovers Retreat, August 11 and 12.

Mrs. J. Cunningham, Miss Grace and David Wynn, went to Strawn, Wednesday, where they met Mrs. Williams of Cisco, sister of Mrs. Cunningham and her son, J. D., who are on a visit to relatives in our town.

Mrs. D. M. Fairless is reported very sick this week.

S. J. S. Abernathy was a visitor to the Wells, Monday.

Miss Corrie Son has been on the sick list the past week.

Claude Hightower and family visited the Wells, Monday.

## 35 Years Ago

Mrs. Wadley of San Benito and Miss Lora Corrigan are visiting their sister, Mrs. George Watson, at Strawn.

Grant said that W. P. Herrin was pumping water on his garden Monday, but Tuesday morning was pumping it off. (Heavy rain fell Monday night.)

Ross Mayhew came in Wednesday afternoon from Fort Worth on a visit to relatives and friends in our town.

W. A. Moore, who lives in Pleasant Valley, has rented the Dr. Warren residence and will soon move to town.

F. M. Watson of Mineral Wells was in town Tuesday. He was up to see his son, Walter, who has been quite ill.

Miss Easley Hill, of Oran, who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Clinch, for two weeks past, has returned to her home.

Judge E. B. Ritchie, wife and son, George, who had been in camp at Lovers Retreat, returned to Mineral Wells, Monday.

Charles H. Wakefield has bought the Cafe Royal fixtures and has opened up under the name of Wakefield's Cafe, at Mineral Wells.

During the rain Monday, lightning struck the resident of B. N. Maddox at this place, doing little damage except to give the inmates a severe shock.

There is one consolation to the people of Palo Pinto County—if they did fail on a corn crop they will make a bumper cotton crop, with plenty of feed stuff.

The heavy rain Monday drowned a number of chickens and came very near drowning H. L. Burton's hogs. The water got so high that it nearly ran around his house.

Forest Hamilton, wife and little girl, of Dalhart, came in Tuesday on the mail hack for a visit to his grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Chick, and other relatives in this place.

Mrs. S. M. Vincent, mother of Mrs. W. S. Conatser, Mrs. Abney, sister, and Charles Vincent, a brother, of Brady, came in Tuesday afternoon for a visit at the home of W. S. Conatser.

Miss Lora Corrigan returned from a visit to her sister at Strawn, Wednesday.

Dick Fitzhugh has trimmed the trees and cleaned off the cemetery, which greatly improves its appearance.

Hon. C. K. Bell, who was to have spoken at the court house Wednesday night, could not come, and J. W. Moyer, of Mineral Wells, filled the date.

S. L. Irwin, who taught the Oran school last year, has been employed as principal of the Palo Pinto school for the ensuing term. This is a wise selection and insures us a first class school.

After a two-weeks visit to home folks, the McConnell children returned to the K. of P. home at Weatherford yesterday morning. Mrs. McConnell accompanied them as far as Weatherford.

James K. Taylor, the U. S. supervising architect at Washington, D. C., has advertised for bids for the erection of the new federal building at Mineral Wells, known as the postoffice building. Bids will be received up to August 17, 1911.

There is but three lines on the official ballot to be voted tomorrow, namely:

"Official Ballot"

"For Prohibition"

"Against Prohibition"

Scratch the middle line.

A number of Mineral Wells citizens came up Wednesday night to hear the joint discussion, among whom we noticed S. P. Moyer, L. N. and Lit Brewster, D. L. Gallaher, J. H. Maxey and wife, and several others whose names we did not get.

George Metcalf had business at the Wells, Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Gaines visited the Wells last Friday.

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## News 35 Years Ago

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A fine rain fell at Mineral Wells Tuesday night.

J. T. Ranspot had business in Santo Saturday.

Mrs. G. W. Eddleman visited the Wells this week.

Miss Emma Maxwell is reported seriously ill with appendicitis.

Pat, one of J. T. Ranspot's little boys, is down with pneumonia.

M. M. Littlefield was an agreeable caller at the Star office Monday.

Wm. Reagan and family have been suffering from la grippe this week.

Andrew Reed and Geo. Metcalf had business at Mineral Wells last Monday.

Mrs. E. A. Corbin, who is seriously ill, is reported some better as we go to press.

The tax collector gathered in something over \$50,000 during the month of January.

Lee Sanders, who was confined to his room two or three days this week is out again.

Mrs. Anna Corrigan and daughter, Mayme George, are visiting in Mineral Wells this week.

W. S. Payne, a prominent attorney of Gordon, had business in county court Wednesday.

Tax Collector Claude Hightower kept his office open until 12 o'clock Monday night to receive taxes.

Mrs. Ranspot of Brock, Texas, mother of County Attorney Ranspot, is visiting her son this week.

J. C. Savage, a prominent grocery merchant of Mineral Wells, had business in county court Tuesday.

J. M. Lynn, of Breckenridge, was in town a couple of hours Wednesday, and called at the Star office.

Mrs. Anna Corrigan returned to the Wells, Monday. She is thinking of spending the Winter in Palo Pinto.

Judge E. B. Ritchie and two or three others whose names we did not get, were up from the Wells, Tuesday.

J. B. York, a former citizen of this county, but now county treasurer of Stephens county, was in town yesterday.

Ray Abernathy cleaned up the platter at the fair on game chickens. He got first, second, and third prizes on everything he had there.

We met F. B. Watson, of near Santo, at the fair last week, and he informed us that he would be in the race for tax assessor next year.

W. H. Gaines' old horse "Pet," won another sweepstakes purse in the first races at Arlington last Monday. Eight horses were entered.

Nearly everybody in town, including the editor, attended the fair at Mineral Wells last week. Too many to make a special mention of each.

J. W. Lynch, an old settler a few miles South of Mineral Wells, expects to enter the race for tax assessor in the next campaign. Joe did not forget to subscribe for the Star.

Mrs. D. M. Fairless, who was quite sick at her mother's near Mineral Wells last week, is reported to be up and around. Her baby is quite sick yet, but somewhat improved.

The collector's department is getting ready for the collection of taxes. I. S. Eades and W. L. Cleveland are busy making up the receipts. So, boys, get ready. Claude will be around next month.

Paul Williams and wife, of Weatherford, came in Monday. Mr. Williams is looking through the records of our county with a view of ascertaining the amount of unrendered property, if any, and back tax due the county.

Judge J. B. Keith, of Stephenville, attended the fair at Mineral Wells last week and had the pleasure of meeting and shaking hands with many friends. He announced the fact that he would enter the race for judge of this district at the proper time.

Prof. Ely expects to be in Palo Pinto next Friday and Saturday for the purpose of tuning your

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T. F. Carey is having a handsome addition erected to his residence in town.

Sheriff Peak made a flying trip to Strawn Tuesday with John Moore in his auto.

We noticed Webb Dalton, who is now located in Fort Worth, on our streets Tuesday.

Bert T. Whitaker was over from Graford the fore part of this week, looking after his phone system in this place.

Miss Bermingham of Canadian City and Miss Lock of Mineral Wells, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Crossland southwest of town.

The commissioners court upon petition, ordered a local option election to take place in Justice Precinct No. 4, for Saturday, Dec. 4th, 1909.

Fred Chandler of Stephenville called in to see the Star and read our daily exchanges on his return from a deer hunt to the Eades and Redus ranch last Friday.

Being alone, we are forced to play editor, printer, and devil this week. This will account for the short coming of the Star today. We have no apology to make as country publishers cannot get printers at all times. It is highly probable that our printer will be back for next week.

The Thomas Flyer crew which passed through here Wednesday consisted of Sailing Master W. S. Bourne, Navigating Officer B. M. Lindsey, Flag Officer Carl Crow, who writes pieces for the Ft Worth Star Telegram, and "Bosun" J. H. Record, another newspaper man. This car was the self same car that made the successful trip from New York to Paris, France. The car came into Palo Pinto from Mineral Wells and was en route to

Albany on its pathfinding tour in the big Fort Worth Star Telegram endurance run, which will begin from Pantherville on the 22nd of November.

We regret to note this week the death of Everett White, son of F. J. White of this place, which occurred at the home of his father at 2 o'clock this morning of tuberculosis of the lungs, and had been bedfast for seven or eight weeks. He made a desperate fight against this much dreaded disease and up to Wednesday, it looked like he might come out victorious, but a throat trouble set up Tuesday night which in his weakened condition he could not overcome, and he passed away as above stated. Deceased was a young man some 23 or 24 years old, highly esteemed by all who knew him. He was 21 years old.

El Paso, Texas is to have a whole week of prayer. There are those who will say that it needs it.

P. C. Sanders who took the bar examination in Ft Worth last week returned Sunday a full fledged lawyer.

B. N. Maddox's road force went to the west end of the county on the Breckenridge road to finish some road work already started. They are working on the Loni canyon.

Texas strawberries are quoted at a dollar a quart. There are some things we might be induced to pay a dollar a quart for, but it isn't strawberries. --- Columbus Enquirer-Sun.

The Chattanooga Times says: "Mr. Bryan would be a happier man and accomplish much more good for his race if he would go to work." Does the Times intend to compel us to read it out of the party?

The Star regrets to note the death of H. S. Whatley which occurred at his home near Mineral Wells Monday at 2 o'clock of pneumonia. He was an old and respected citizen of Palo Pinto county.

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# In The Star 35 Years Ago

Miss Maggie Dalton, of Pickwick, visited relatives and friends in our town the past week.

Mrs. Blackman, of Graford, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Harris, and attended the barbecue last week, returned to her home Monday.

F. B. Watson, of the Santo country, attended the barbecue at Lovers Retreat last Saturday, meeting his many friends from all parts of the county.

Miss Diva Dalton, of the Northwest part of the county, visited Miss Bessie Dalton last week. She left Monday for a visit to a sister at Weatherford.

J. H. Hamilton, wife and granddaughter, who have been visiting Mrs. Hamilton's mother, Mrs. Chick, returned to their home in Callahan county last Monday.

A. D. Lewis and family, after a ten days visit to relatives and friends in Parker and Hood counties, returned home Wednesday. He reports a pleasant visit.

Mrs. Lee Sanders and children were visiting in our town, Wednesday.

Doll Bowen and W. L. Piper, of Ioni Country were in town Tuesday.

County Superintendent Beckworth was up from Mineral Wells Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed White, who has been on the sick list this week, is reported much improved.

Mrs. H. L. Burton, has returned from a visit to Mrs. H. T. Beckworth at Mineral Wells.

G. W. McDonald and W. P. Redus made a trip to Fortune and Chick Bends, Wednesday.

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D. C. Harris has rented his residence to Prof. S. L. Irwin, and will move his family to Mineral Wells for a few months.

Webb Harris, who has been down on the coast for nearly a month driving a car for Jas. Blewett and others, returned home Tuesday.

W. W. Fleming went to the Wells, Wednesday, accompanied by his mother, who has been visiting him here for the past week.

The Palo Pinto High School will open Monday, September 14, with Prof. S. L. Irwin as principal and Miss Mary Littlefield as assistant.

P. C. Sanders parted with his Bailey hair cut this week. It was not necessary to note the fact, but he looks odd with his hair shingled.

A total of 2,778 voted in the prohibition election last Saturday, with 1,354 voting "For," and 1424 "Against," the Anti majority being 70. The Antis gained in every precinct in the county over the vote polled July 22. In the July election there were 1,467 "Pro" votes and 1,140 "Anti" votes.

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The school examiners for this county will meet here today to examine teachers for certificates.

Mrs. Janie Polk and family are moving to the Doll Bowen Ranch in the Cedar Springs country, where they will reside the coming year.

Weaver K. Eubank, of the Weatherford College Training School, was in town Tuesday and made the Star office a pleasant visit. He is a neat ad, and has been seen on our first page. This school is up-to-date and a place to send your girl or boy.

The commissioners court met in special session yesterday for the purpose of setting the tax rate for Palo Pinto county. The rate is as follows: general ad valorem, 14c on the \$100 valuation. General and special road and bridge, 25c; county poll, 25c.

Silas Moberly, of Cleburne, deputy grand chancellor, was here Monday and Tuesday for the purpose of resuscitating the K. of P. lodge of this place. New officers were elected as follows: J. I. Cunningham, Chancellor Commander; M. V. Smith, Vice Chancellor; J. T. Ranspot, Prelate; George Metcalf, Keeper of Records and Seal; Will G. Abernathy, Master of Arms; J. C. Son, Master of Work; H. L. Burton, Master of Finance; Wm. Reagan, Master of Exchequer; P. C. Sanders, D. G. C., Inside Guard; W. L. Cleveland, Outside uGuard.

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Casper Keller came in Tuesday from Carlsbad, N. M., to see his mother, Mrs. Corbin.

S. S. Greer and wife of Mineral Wells were visiting in our town the first of the week.

M. M. Littlefield of Santo was tax paying Monday. He brought in several poll tax orders.

H. C. Herndon and that prince of goodfellows, Jim Goodwin, were over from the Wells yesterday.

Frank Richards of Mineral Wells called to see us while in town Tuesday and subscribed for the Star.

Mrs. J. A. Knight of Andrews county came in Monday on a visit to her father, J. C. McQuerry and other relatives.

Warren D. Hindman contemplates soon to leave for Deming, N. M. where he expects to make his future home.

C. C. Warren has purchased and moved to the residence formerly owned by A. S. Beaty south of the academy in this place.

Mrs. W. H. Gaines left last Friday for Hot Springs, Ark. to attend at the bedside of her mother who was reported at the point of death.

The Pythian Sisters entertained at Castle Hall Tuesday night with an interesting program and refreshments. A pleasant time is reported.

James Keller came in Monday from West Texas to attend at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. E. A. Corbin, who is dangerously ill with pneumonia.

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M. F. Maurice and daughter, Miss Bertha, visited the Wells Tuesday.

It is said that some people's idea of ruling the roost is to do all the crowing.

Dr. Clark who was reported on the sick list this week is up and around again we are pleased to note.

Remember young man, in the days of your youth that the key to success was never found in a cigarette package.

Bryan's refusal to meet Bailey in joint debate need not be construed to mean that he is afraid of the Texas Senator.

M. V. Smith returned Tuesday from his old home in Mississippi, where he had been to attend the funeral of his brother.

"You cannot get along without bread and meat," Mr. Taft said to the people of Natches. And he, for one, shows that he has not tried it.

R. C. Sanderson of Big Springs and Frank Waldron of Mineral Wells, passed through town this morning enroute to Abilene and Big Springs in a brand new Stevens and Duryea motor car. She was a beaut.

Cashier John W. Conway stole a march on his friends yesterday by quietly hieing himself to Fort Worth and there at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, with Rev. H. A. Roaz of the Polytechnic College officiating at the bride's home, he was joined in wedlock to Mrs. Carrie Withers. --- Mineral Wells Index.

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District Clerk H. L. Burton and family visited in Gordon Friday and Saturday.

Lloyd Byron and family of the Brazos country have been visiting in our town this week.

Mrs. James Conatser returned last week from Cisco and will take a music class in our town.

Everett White, we are pleased to learn, is slowly improving. We also learn that he has a fighting chance of recovery.

County Court practically adjourned Tuesday evening. The criminal docket having been disposed of and the jury discharged.

Collector Hightower and his deputy, I. S. Eades, were on the north side of the county collecting state and county taxes this week.

A full attendance is expected at the Odd Fellows lodge Saturday night. Important degree work is to be done and all are expected to attend.

Look out boys, we are alone this week and can't get out to get items. We would not have time to set them up anyhow. No criticism please.

M. V. Smith and Alvin Maddox last Wednesday closed a trade with W. H. S. Pitts for his drug stock at this place. The consideration was \$1450 cash.

The hunting party composed of W. P. Redus, R. A. Peak, I. S. Eades, Claude Hightower, Fred Chandler and Sterling and Irving Taylor, came in Friday evening and report a good time and one buck. They went to the Eades Redus ranch.

Deputy Sheriff A. C. Jordan held down County Court this week while his chief, R. A. Peak was away deer hunting. Mr. Jordan is an efficient officer and a prominent candidate for sheriff at the next election. Aaron is quite popular and will make a good race and says that he is in the race to the finish.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Dalton made the Star office a pleasant call Saturday.

The fine weather this week has started our citizens to prepare for gardening.

M. F. Maurice, wife, Neil, and Miss Bertha have all had a tussel with the gripe this week.

There has been considerable sickness in our town the past week, occasioned from la gripe.

Jim Barrett, the genial and good natured policeman of Mineral Wells was a witness in county court Monday.

The children of Mrs. Johnson, a widow, living in one of Bill Cleveland's houses, have all been down with the gripe this week.

The Star has engaged a printer in the person of C. A. Magee of Crawford, Texas, who will be in today. The Star will come out on time in the future.

Sheriff Peak is off this week for a trip to the West Texas country. He will look over the Toyah Valley and other portions of the west and northwest and will be absent till about the first. He has no notion of locating out there but simply wants to see the country.

Lampasas Leader --- The Leader has received a copy of the Texas Almanac for 1910 issued by A. H. Delo and Co., Dallas, Texas, price 50c. It is filled with useful information about Texas, having a descriptive write up of every county in the state, showing something in the improvement of the agricultural, stockraising and manufacturing interests. The Owl Book Store in Mineral Wells will take your order.

It is with sorrow and regret that the Star is called on this week to announce the death of D. M. Howard, which occurred at his home in Mineral Wells last Saturday,

Jan. 23rd, following an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Howard was long identified with the business interests of Mineral Wells and Palo Pinto county, and one of our best and most enterprising business men. He was a man of liberal ideas and sound discretion, generous, kind and considerate of others, and a factor in all enterprises looking to the advancement of his town and the interest of the whole people. He was a consistent member of the Methodist church, and an earnest and faithful worker therein. He was a personal friend to the writer hereof, and one in whom we reposed implicit confidence. We know of no man's death we regret more to chronicle than that of D. M. Howard. Among those who attended the funeral from this place were J. L. Cunningham and wife, D. C. Harris and wife, J. C. Houts, J. T. Ranspot, H. L. Burton, Claude Hightower, W. S. Conatser, R. A. Peak, H. H. Porter, H. T. Beckworth and Geo. Metcalf.

John Moore, Rev. J. W. Downs, Judge E. B. Ritchie, John Simms and a young man they called "Red," passed through town Tuesday morning enroute to Strawn in Mr. Moore's motor car. Rev. Downs was on his way to Stamford to attend the annual meet of the Northwest Texas Conference of the M. E. church, South.

The commissioners court convened last Monday with Judge J. C. Houts presiding, and J. B. Johnson, E. P. Costello, J. L. Hayins and J. B. Talley, commissioners, present. Pat Corrigan, our genial county clerk of course was on hand and so was Robert the Peak there with both feet. The orders had not all been entered when we went to press and will have to give full report next week.

P. C. Sanders has opened up a law office first door west of the Star. He will practice in all courts of the county and state. P. C. says if you are in trouble come and he'll help you if you are happy come help you share it, for there be no case too large for him to undertake, and none so small.

Tax Collector Claude Hightower and District Clerk H. L. Burton had business this week in the Gordon country.

Rev. Ray of the Baptist church, is conducting a meeting under the big tent recently vacated by the Methodists.

The fourth quarterly meeting of the Palo Pinto County Farmers Union will be held with Blue Flat, Texas, on a visit to Albert C. Gaines. Local Union, six miles east of Gordon, Thursday, Oct. 13, 1910.

Ben Palmer, the only real district attorney of this 29th district, was in town Wednesday night. Ben is a "boss" when it comes to enforcing the law.



# LOOKING BACKWARD

News of Palo Pinto County As  
Recorded in The Star of Long

July 28, 1949  
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(Editor's Note: The following items from early issues of The STAR were crowded out of the Souvenir Edition issued for the Old Settlers Reunion. So here they are.)

## 45 YEARS AGO

Judge W. E. McConnell was in Austin this week to argue a case in the Court of Appeals. Miss Millie Denton and J. L. Tompkins will be married at the residence of W. C. Cobb in Strawn June 19 (Issue of June 10, 1904.)

The Santo correspondent reports the marriage on July 2 of John Russell and Miss Mollie Chestnut. Col. J. A. Stephens of Santo has returned from Big Spring and says he is much pleased with the West. (July 8, 1904.)

The primaries are over and Sam Webb was nominated for representative, 84th dist.; W. J. Oxford, district judge; F. H. Chandler, district attorney; R. A. Peak, district clerk; E. B. Ritchie, county judge; J. C. Houts, county attorney; George Metcalf, county clerk; J. A. Casleman, tax assessor; John W. Birdwell, tax collector; G. W. Whatley, county treasurer; James Owen, sheriff; M. V. Smith, surveyor; S. J. S. Abernathy, comm., pct. 1; C. C. Martin, J. P., pct. 1, and W. G. Abernathy, constable, pct. 1. A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Herrin Tuesday, and a boy to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Owen the same day. (July 22, 1904.)

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitzgerald, a baby girl, last Tuesday. J. S. Stuart, J. W. Craddock, Wm. Allen, M. G. Vernon, Scott Warren and John Gibson of Strawn had business with the Commissioners Court Tuesday. (Aug. 12, 1904.)

W. F. Martin, former county attorney, and Miss Willie McCrery

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Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McDonald and Miss Marie Gaines have been attending the World's Fair at St. Louis (Sept. 23, 1904.)

Uncle Henry Belding was down from his ranch Monday. E. P. Costello and R. Lee Dalton of Pickwick were here Monday. Garve Taylor, Ray Abernathy, Misses Auda Son and Lora Corrigan took in the show at Weatherford yesterday. C. V. Whatley and Miss Addie Abernathy, Misses Mace and Sallie Belle Harris, Stella and Pitts Mayhew and Master D. C. Harris attend the big show at Weatherford Thursday. W. O. Porter of Mineral Wells and Miss Josie Tennison of Palo Pinto were married Wednesday at the residence of Ed L. Dalton. (Oct. 14, 1904.)

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Wright, Misses May Metcalf and Maude Crossland and George Metcalf are attending the World's Fair in St. Louis this week. George W. Bevers, an old and respected resident of Palo Pinto county, died suddenly at his home at Graford Saturday. He was county commissioner when J. C. Son came to this county in 1876. (Oct. 21, 1904.)

A card has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Anson Hazlewood dated Scotland, which they are enjoying their European trip. July 14, 1911.

## 64 YEARS AGO 1949

The STAR of Aug. 22, 1885, said: Judge E. K. Taylor is transacting business in Jacksboro this week.

Mrs. Laura Hazlewood is reported some better after being quite sick at her home.

M. O. Lynn and family returned from his western cattle ranch Thursday.

J. H. Corbin and Miss Frankie Shackelford were married at home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shackelford of this place, Aug. 19 1885, Judge E. K. Taylor officiating.

Mrs. D. L. Smith, Mrs. M. F. Maurice, Mrs. Charles Mapes and Miss Lela Roberts were reported ill this week.

## 51 YEARS AGO

"There will be a race at the track north of town tomorrow for a purse of \$1,000 between W. J. Gilbert and a horse man from Stephenville," said The STAR of Aug. 19, 1898. "This will be an ex-

## 38 YEARS AGO

From The STAR of Aug. 25, 1911:

P. C. Sanders parted with his Bailey haircut this week. It was not necessary to note the fact, but he looks odd with his hair shingled.

E. P. Costello, W. L. Costello and Will Logsden, cattlemen of Pickwick, drove over to Mineral Wells last night. They say stock is looking fine on account of excellent grass, due to the rains in July.

D. C. Harris has rented his residence to Prof. S. L. Irwin and will move his family to Mineral Wells for a few months.

## 18 YEARS AGO

Remember Pat Caraway? He was a left-handed pitcher with the Chicago White Sox some years ago. The STAR of Aug. 21 1931, reports his marriage to Miss Harriet Christensen of Oregon, Ill. Cecil "Pat" Caraway was the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Caraway of Gordon, and went into professional baseball after graduating from Gordon high school.

The STAR of that date also reports that:

Mrs. Kate Pitts, daughter and son, returned to Amarillo Sunday after an extended visit at the home of Mrs. Pitts' sister, Mrs. G. W. McDonald of this place.

The Santo correspondent reports that Maurine Burkes of Anson has been visiting his uncles, R. and L. D. McClish; that M. and Mrs. Frank Croddock and daughter, Billie, are visiting relatives in Virginia; and that Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robbins have returned from west Texas where he has been in the service of the T&P railroad.

Dr. R. H. Smith, W. L. Cleveland, Frank Eades and John H. Smith, with their wives, met Claude Hightower, Gracey Hightower and wives, Mrs. Joe P. Self of Mineral Wells and Mrs. Delmo Johnson of Marshall at the Dark Valley bridge Monday evening for a picnic on the Brazos.

John McKee brought in some samples of corn this week that are hard to beat.

John Fleming returned from Galveston last week and reports a good time and a pleasant trip.

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Mrs. E. A. Corbin has been quite ill but is some better.

Lee Dalton of Pickwick had business here Tuesday.

Uncle Joe Abernathy is down with the grippe this week.

Miss Posey Greer of the Wells was visiting in our town Sunday.

Mrs. R. F. Fleming is visiting her son, W. W. Fleming of this place.

Miss Alva Polk entertained Tuesday night in honor of Miss Mamie Massie.

J. L. Cunningham returned one day this week from a business trip to the east.

Mrs. D. M. Fairless is visiting her mother, Mrs. F. M. Watson of Mineral Wells this week.

Don't blame anybody but your self if you have no poll tax receipt. Don't be a Chinaman.

Dr. Clark visited his brother, Elder Addison Clark, Tuesday. His brother is quite sick at Mineral Wells.

J. B. Hart and wife of the Caddo country were visitors in town this week, guests of Mrs. Hart's brother, H. G. Taylor.

Dr. Spratt, a prominent physician of Mingus, came in Wednesday to pay his taxes, in order that he might be a citizen for another year.

B. N. Maddox and M. V. Smith have moved their families to the Maddox ranch west of town and Alvin Maddox will occupy the Smith home in town.

W. E. Smart and Miss Verna Wallace drove over from Santo last Sunday and were married in their buggy in front of I. C. Taylor's store. Rev. R. H. Ray officiated.

The Commissioners' court held a special session last Saturday and contracted for two bridges. One across Barton's Creek near Gordon for \$2,250. One across Turkey Creek for \$1,435.

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County Clerk J. P. Corrigan is of a construction that confined to his room this week quite sick with tonsilitis, and J. M. Cleveland, chief deputy, also being bed fast, Misses Lora Corrigan and Addie Abernathy are holding down the clerk's office.

Doll Bowen and Orace McClure have purchased the M. V. Smith meat market and moved it to the Watson stone building. They are making preparation to run a nice clean and up-to-date market, keeping in addition to beef and pork, fish, oysters and vegetables. Success to them as they are both nice, courteous and deserving young men.

Ace Greer is now running the phone office.

Miss Bessie Dalton visited in the Wells Monday.

D. M. Fairless has moved to the F. M. Watson residence.

Misses Myrtle Redus and Pauline Eades visited the fair Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Peak visited the fair at Mineral Wells Wednesday.

Little Miss Dot Peak made the Star office a pleasant call Wednesday.

W. H. Gaines and daughter, Miss Maria, visited the fair yesterday.

Prof. Maddox visited home folks at Gordon last Saturday, returning Sunday.

Dick Choate of Santo was here Wednesday shacking hands with his friends.

Judge J. C. Houts and A. C. Jordan made a business trip to Mingus last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Belding left Monday morning for a short stay at Mineral Wells.

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## News 35 Years Ago

Miss Sallie Dalton was up from the Wells Tuesday.

Remember the County Fair near Mineral Wells October 4-5-6.

Deputy Sheriff D. S. Bradford of Strawn was in town Tuesday.

Prof. J. E. Maddox visited home folks at Gordon Saturday and Sunday.

G. W. and Walter Whatley had some civil business in district court this week.

District court has been grinding on some tedious and dry civil cases this week.

C. H. Ray resigned the care as pastor of the Baptist Church at this place last Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Gallagher of Beaumont is visiting her brother, R. F. Carey and family this week.

W. A. Pope, a prominent insurance man of Strawn, had business in town Tuesday.

Dr. W. G. Hart of Gordon made the Star a pleasant call Monday while a witness in court.

Judge Oxford and Lee Dalton went to Stephenville Friday and returned Monday morning.

Mrs. J. L. Byron and baby are visiting in our town this week while Lloyd is doing jury service.

Miss Jessie Massie of Brad is attending school at this place and stopping at the Dalton Hotel.

Ray Abernathy, Webb Dalton, Webb Harris and others are out on the river fishing this week.

Mr. Tucker, depot agent at Gordon, was a witness in the Boyd damage suit in court this week.

Tom Thomas came in Wednesday evening and after a few days rest will take up his place in the Star office.

Miss Mollie Turner of Mineral Wells spent the past week here with her sister, Mrs. H. T. Beckworth.

Frank Corn of Tarrant County was in attendance upon district court this week as a witness in the Dalton-Whatley case.

W. S. Conatser and son, Charley, spent last week visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. L. Byron who lives south of Mineral Wells.

J. L. Cunningham returned last Saturday from Sherman where he had been to place his boys in the Austin College at that place.

The ladies of the Methodist church gave an ice cream spread on the courthouse lawn Friday evening which netted them about \$12.00.

R. S. and M. L. Dalton of Mineral Wells and Webb Dalton of Fort Worth were attending court this week looking after a pending suit in which R. S. Dalton is plaintiff.

B. T. Whitaker was here Monday and Tuesday looking after his telephone business.

Mrs. D. C. Harris and daughter, Miss Sallie Belle, visited the fair at Mineral Wells this week.

F. S. Eberhart, E. B. Ritchie, W. H. Penix and C. E. Turner were here Monday on legal business.

A large number of our citizens whose names we did not get were in attendance upon the fair at Mineral Wells this week.

The wind mill has been moved over the new well in the courthouse yard and is now furnishing plenty of water for all purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Palmer of the Eades and Redus ranch in the northwest part of the county, are in town this week visiting relatives. Mr. Palmer reports fair crops in that vicinity.

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at the start has been made and sincerely hopes that all will join in and make it one of the best county fairs in this portion of Texas.

S. S. Greer of Gibtown is a visitor in our town this week.

Hon. W. P. Gibbs and C. O. Owens of Gordon were up Monday.

Gus Genz came in from Santa Anna this week for a visit to his family.

George S. Brierton of Santo was looking after some civil cases in district court Tuesday.

A large number of Graford citizens were in to court Monday. He did not get their names.

H. N. Frost, president of the First State Bank of Mineral Wells had business in district court Tuesday.

Miss Mildred Eaton of Fort Worth is visiting in town this week.

Rev. C. H. Ray will occupy the Baptist pulpit at this place Saturday.

W. H. Penix, F. S. Eberhart, E. B. Ritchie and John Moyers were in attendance upon court here Monday.

J. B. Munns, the popular music dealer of Mineral Wells, made the Star a call yesterday.

J. W. Birdwell, Frank Richards, E. V. O'Neill and Judge Gross were up from Mineral Wells yesterday looking after some legal matters.

Mat Bell, a former citizen of this place was shaking hands with his old friends in our town Wednesday. He now resides in Buffalo Gap, Taylor County.

Joseph Teichman and Adolph Popp, two prosperous farmers of Dodson Prairie were in town Wednesday.

Found—Between the court house and W. W. Fleming's store, a K of P. gold pin, which the owner can have by calling at this office and describing same and paying for this notice.

W. C. Dickinson, resident dentist of Mineral Wells will be in Palo Pinto a day or two next week.

R. C. Hinkson, I. B. Davidson, Joe Dalton, J. N. Delavan and Jack Martin came over from Strawn Monday in Mr. Davidson's auto as witnesses in court.

School will open here soon with Prof. J. E. Maddox as principal and Miss Mary Littlefield as assistant in charge.

Alvin Maddox is back in the drug store.

Uncle Ham Taylor does not show much improvement.

The cool wave as predicted arrived yesterday morning about 8 o'clock.

Mr. Martin of the Burton-Lingo Company was up from the Wells Tuesday.

Mrs. J. C. Houts is attending at the bedside of her sick mother in Mangum, Okla.

Mr. Miller received his well casing Monday and started the drill Tuesday morning.

Lee Sanders and family returned from the camp meeting near Gordon Sunday night.

Lee Dalton was in town Saturday. He has moved back to his ranch near Pickwick.

Mrs. Malissi Ryley came in from Parsons, Kansas, Tuesday, for a visit to her sister, Mrs. W. H. Gaines.

Wm. Reagan, wife and little son, returned Friday from an extended visit to Mr. Reagan's old home in South Carolina.

Mrs. G. W. Eddleman and little daughter, Jewel, and Miss Addie Abernathy left Wednesday for Deming, New Mexico.

Mrs. J. C. Son was bitten by a venomous spider Monday which made her quite sick, but is much improved at this writing.

George Maxwell and family with his brother-in-law, Mr. Hutchins and family from near Strawn were out on the river fishing last week.

W. S. Conatser and family returned Friday from a weeks visit to their daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Byron who lives south of Mineral Wells.

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W. E. Fort of the Wells was over Monday.

Prof. Maddox of Gordon was on our streets Monday.

This dry weather is knocking the gardens and the corn crop silly.

Judge Houts returned from a week's visit to Marlin for his health.

W. W. Fleming, Oscar Grimes and others were fishing this week.

Miss Ethel Yow of Mineral Wells is visiting Miss Myrtle Porter this week.

James Gaines and wife of Crawford are visiting relatives at this place.

A. D. Lewis has purchased and moved to the John Lynn residence in this place.

Mrs. Anna Corrigan and daughters are stopping in Mineral Wells for the present.

J. A. Caudill and T. M. Clay of the Pickwick neighborhood were in town Monday.

Mrs. Roy Hittson, little Bonnie and Lou Moore visited at the Dalton Hotel Tuesday.

Mrs. W. P. Redus and family went over to the Wells Tuesday morning in their new auto.

Little Johnnie Pirkle came up from the Wells on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. W. W. Fleming this week.

Add Taylor's baby which has been quite sick, is much improved and on the road to recovery.

Floyd Watson's baby which was reported quite sick, is much improved and on the road to recovery.

News reached here Friday morning that Courtney Hood of Weatherford, niece of W. P. Redus of this place was run down by an auto at that place and seriously but not fatally injured.

Last Saturday night the editor of the Star attended an entertainment at the Sons of Herman hall on

Dodson Prairie. This is a German settlement and one among the best in the county as they are courteous, with profound respect for law and order. They are thrifty farmers and make the desert places bloom. They had fine music, dancing, singing and refreshments.

Mrs. Anna Corrigan's residence at this place was destroyed by fire last Friday afternoon about four o'clock. It is supposed to have caught from a defective flue in the kitchen. Some of the household goods were saved but most of the wearing apparel was destroyed. We learn that Pat had about \$700 insurance on the house and \$300 on the furniture. The estimate loss is \$2,000.

P. C. Sanders, who is acting as county attorney went out to Brad Saturday and caught two victims for simple assault. He got back that day.

We learn that our school will open on September 12th, with two months pay school. Free school will commence about the 1st of November.

Irvin Taylor brought in from the river near the mouth of Eagle three large catfish that he caught Tuesday night. The three weighed near 90 pounds.

F. M. Watson and family of the Wells, accompanied by some friends from Weatherford, passed through town Friday enroute to the mouth of Ioni on a fishing expedition. Wm. Reagan and family and D. M. Fairless and family joined them Saturday.

Attorney W. P. Gibbs of Gordon was in town Monday on business.

J. S. Wilson's barn in Oran was blown up Friday last but no one was hurt.

Bob Hale of Palo Pinto was in Oran last week and ate dinner with Mrs. Fannie Hill.

J. M. Watson of the Ward Mountain neighborhood was in town Monday on business.

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District court convenes next Monday week and Sheriff Peak and Deputy Jordan are quite busy getting ready for same.

Matt Maurice has a very fine well in his pasture east of town and with his windmill furnishes all the stock water needed.

The Commissioners Court was in session the fore part of this week finishing the checking up of the assessor's rolls. They completed the work, charged the collector up with the amount of taxes to be collected and adjourned Tuesday.

Mineral Wells organized a county fair association recently. What has become of the Young Men's Corn Club. The Star advocated a County Fair ten years ago, but it did not seem to take. Now let us have a fair and corn club, and get some agricultural interest in our county.

Last Saturday afternoon in Mineral Wells a number of those interested in the County Fair affected a permanent organization with W. I. Smith, president, J. W. Birdwell, secretary, and Ed C. Baker, treasurer. W. B. Newman was put in charge of the publicity end of the organization. Many country people are taking part in the undertaking and if the right start is made it will be a great success as well as a great benefit to the county. October fourth, fifth and sixth have been set as the dates for the event.

Following is the petit jury drawn for the first week: W. R. Norwood, J. W. Jones, J. L. Grant, S. S. Ripley, W. A. Gibbs, R. M. Vaughan, W. Beddo, J. L. Waters, D. C. Ried, S. J. Steward, Chas. Beyers, W. A. Simmons, W. L. Hart, F. H. Lamm, W. D. Tyson, A. D. Porter, J. M. Miller, K. D. Rahlins, J. F. Bratton, H. B. Osburn, Ben Yeager, C. Boles, J. W. Conway, R. M. Hotchpeach, Wad Stuart, Mont McEadden, R. M. Loftin, C. L. Ladd, S. Couger, Frank Schnidder, T. W. Chambers, S. A. Howard, D. C. Jones, S. P. Taylor, J. M. Bevers, and C. V. Mitchell.

Floyd Watson and wife are visiting in town this week.

Robert Suggs, the wire chief on the Whitaker phone line, was in town Monday.

M. E. Bockmon, genial editor of the Graford Monogram, was in town Monday.

Dick Cook and E. B. Massie of Mineral Wells, will read the Star the coming year.

We regret to note that W. A. Moore's little 8-year-old boy is dangerously sick.

Wad Stuart and Alex Newberry of Pleasant Valley had business in town Wednesday.

J. L. Cunningham left Wednesday morning for a visit to his family at Sherman.

F. J. White has just completed an addition to his residence on his farm in Village Bend.

We had a light shower here Tuesday and a heavy rain from Dodson Prairie back west.

Mrs. Mary Maphis of Mineral Wells is visiting in the home of her brother, J. L. Cunningham.

Mrs. Roy Hittson passed through town Wednesday on her way to W. A. Moore's in Pleasant Valley.

Grandma Warren left yesterday for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Nannie Mayhew at Thorp Springs.

Jesse Lewis and wife of Weatherford came in Saturday for a short visit with his brother, A. D. Lewis.

Andrew Reed has accepted a position at Weatherford and will move his family to that city this week.

Judge Houts left Monday morning for Dallas with two orphan children for the Buckner's Orphan Home.

Ed Huddleston of Van Zandt county, brother of Mrs. A. Sanders of this place, came in on a visit Saturday night.

J. B. Hart and wife of the Ioni country were attending at the bedside of Mrs. Hart's brother, H. G. Taylor of this place.

Dr. W. C. Dickinson, resident dentist, Mineral Wells, will be at the Redus Hotel shortly and will remain several days.

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Jo Frank Clark left last Saturday for Dallas to finish a course in a medical college at that place.

J. P. Corrigan and sister, Miss Lora, visited their mother in Mineral Wells this week and took in the fair.

Mrs. Cora Gallagher, who has been visiting her brother, Tom Carey, left for her home last Saturday.

Last Saturday was trades day in Gordon and the largest crowd ever in town was reported as the result of their efforts.

On last Sunday night at 2 a. m. Commissioner J. B. Johnson killed a rattlesnake with nine rattles on his front porch.

A miniature cyclone came by the home of John Wilson near Oran Thursday of last week and blew the roof of his barn off.

The last prisoner in our county jail was discharged Saturday and the county bastile is now vacant the first time in many moons.

Chas. Reed and family, formerly of Mineral Wells have moved to our town. Mr. Reed has accepted a position with the Cunningham Bank.

Seth (Shorty) Montgomery, recently employed in the Star office, was married early last Sunday morning to a Mrs. Otto, of Fort Worth.

Frank Corn was here this week receiving and shipping a large number of cattle recently bought from the stock raisers in this vicinity.

Help! The newest feminine fashion in skirts is called the "early christian." Eden styles will be next. Help! --- The Cleveland Leader.

Judge Oxford has appointed B. T. Whiteaker, John Christian and Alex Moore as the commission to select jurors for the next term of district court.

## News 35 Years Ago

M. W. Huddleston and Sidney Webb of Mineral Wells were up yesterday. Mr. Webb was looking after some cattle to buy.

R. M. Loflin, W. R. Norwood, John Gobel and A. S. Anderson of Mingus were in town Tuesday looking after some business pertaining to an old judgment against the Mingus Brewing Co.

Mr. Bryan may think that he bolted the Democratic party in Nebraska, says the Fort Worth Record, but to us it looks very much like the Nebraska Democrats bolted first.

W. P. Gibbs of Gordon, John W. Ray of Fort Worth, W. H. Gross, Penix and Eberhart of Mineral Wells, also H. C. Shropshire of Weatherford, were attorneys in attendance upon district court this week.

Sheriff Peak brought in J. T. Lanham Monday night and lodged him in jail under charge of disposing of mortgaged property in two cases. The indictments were returned by the last grand jury and the defendant was apprehended in the neighborhood of Olney.

Court convened at 9:30 Monday morning with Judge Oxford on the bench, P. L. Town, court reporter, H. L. Burton and C. V. Whatley, clerks, and Deputy Sheriff A. C. Jordan in their places. The following named gentleman were empaneled as the petit jury for the third week: L. O. McKee, W. J. Mallory, W. J. Day, J. M. Ott, J. L. Brown, W. D. Hightower, Elmo Parsons, J. W. Bozzell, S. F. Horton, R. M. Ford, I. B. Durham, A. J. Higgs, J. J. Ensey, W. C. Brewer, O. W. Pollard, J. E. Evans, W. O. Porter, N. C. Dickson and J. L. Ringo.

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John Glidewell of Mineral Wells was a witness in court Tuesday.

W. C. Chisolm of the Strawn neighborhood was in town Tuesday.

Frank Richards of Mineral Wells was up Wednesday courting in a civil way.

A. J. Thomas, cashier of the Bank of Mineral Wells, was up on business.

Mrs. W. H. Gaines and sister attended church at Mineral Wells last Sunday.

F. J. Berger of Dodson Prairie was doing jury service in district court this week.

Elder R. H. Webb occupied the pulpit at the Christian Church last Saturday and Sunday.

J. W. Smith and J. H. Coleman of Mineral Wells were witnesses in district court Tuesday.

S. J. S. Abernathy and wife attended the Primitive Baptist meeting at Mineral Wells Sunday.

O. G. Burkhalter of Graford made the Star a pleasant call this week while doing jury service.

A fire broke out in the cotton yard at Mineral Wells last Saturday afternoon and destroyed six bales of cotton.

Eli Oxford, a brother of Judge Oxford, had business in district court Tuesday. He is an attorney from Snyder, Okla.

## News 35 Years Ago

Little Jewel Eddleman is much improved.

County court convenes next Monday.

Miss Addie Abernathy is visiting friends in Weatherford this week.

D. M. Fairless has been confined to his room several days this week.

The sick of our town are all improving and nobody is dangerously ill.

County Clerk Pat Corrigan had business at Mineral Wells Wednesday.

Misses Anice Ramsey and Lika Clark visited Miss Stella Oakes last week.

Miss Stella Oaks of Minearl Wells is visiting the Misses Ramsey of this place.

Next Thursday week the big Baptist camp meeting will begin at Lovers Retreat.

We will announce O. B. Colquitt's nomination for Governor in this space next week.

E. L. Dalton has contracted to purchase the residence of J. C. McQuerry of this place.

Hon. Sam Canty of Fort Worth visited his ranch northwest of Palo Pinto Monday.

P. C. Sanders and wife, Seth Montgomery and Miss Corrie Son, were out fishing this week.

N. Allen died at his home two miles south of Mineral Wells last week. He was 91 years old.

Charles McFarland of Weatherford accompanied by his wife and daughter, visited Lovers Retreat Sunday.

Lud Massie of Fort Worth and Geo. W. Hazlewood of Mineral Wells were out on the river fishing this week.

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