

SOME TOWNS IN TEXAS

WE COVER THE STATE LIKE A BLANKET



CORSICANA.

Corsicana, Texas, Sept. 4.—Miss V. M. Hogue and Sister Katy New are visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rogus, Mrs. Nannie V. Thompson and mother, Mrs. Burdette Rogers have returned home from a two weeks' stay in Houston. Miss Lola D. Jones is visiting friends and relatives in Hubbard City, this week. Mr. and Mrs. L. Scott and daughter of Dawson, Texas, spent a few days with their mother, Mrs. Hattie Jones accompanying her. Mrs. Eleanor Ayers of Calvert is visiting her sister-in-law.

Miss Mirnerva Barton visiting in Teague this week. Miss Anna Garath of Taylor left Sunday night for Beaumont and Silsbee, Texas, where she will attend the teachers institute which convenes this week at Beaumont and will take up her school at Silsbee on the 8th. Mrs. M. B. Young of Ft. Worth is visiting her mother, Mrs. D. Elliott. Miss A. Richardson of Tulsa, Okla., is visiting Mrs. W. S. Elliott also Miss Lillian McConnell of Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Mack Elliott, Mrs. M. L. Ingram and Miss Hortense Armstrong are sick listed this week. Miss Y. M. Glass is visiting her uncle in Fort Worth this week. Mr. C. L. Barnett, Miss D. D. Delams, have returned from Denver, Colo., and reports a pleasant stay in the Mountains visiting her aunt.

Miss Maggie Baker Ruth Rubie and Essie Mae Coleman, returned home last week after spending two months with their grand mother at Inio, Texas. Mrs. Carnar of Mexia is visiting Rev. Mrs. Washington this week. Mr. Edward Todd returned home from Indianapolis, last week. Miss R. M. Hicks left for Corpus Christi, Texas, to open her school on last Saturday. Mrs. Mollie Robinson visited friends in East Texas, last week.

Mrs. Ella Wade was called to Woodlawn, last week on the account of the illness of her father.

Mrs. L. Elbert visited in Streetman last week after spending two months with her mother at Inio, Texas. Prof. A. W. Hines was in town Saturday and gave the reporter \$1.50 for one year's subscription to the Dallas Express.

OKMULGEE.

Okmulgee, Okla., Sept. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Burson has returned from their visit at Wichita Falls, Texas. Dr. A. G. Wallace has returned from an extended visit through the west ending at Los Angeles, Calif. Miss Rubye Boulware, who taught in Dunbar school last term has resigned. Rumor has it that Miss Boulware is about to change her name. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harrison are at home in their modern bungalow, just finished. Miss Bernice Jones entertained a number of friends with a one o'clock luncheon in honor of Sergeant James A. Porter.

Mr. M. H. Carr of North Porter avenue, one of our over sea soldiers has been ill for the past month.

The State Baptist Convention will be held in our city in October. Miss Renh Roper, one of the class of 1918 expects to leave Sunday, Sept. 7th to enter school for nurse training in St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. Josephus Carr, one of the class of 1917 expects to leave Sunday to enter school in Howard University.

The colored schools of Okmulgee will open Monday, Sept. 15th. Miss Cordia Lewis will leave soon to re-enter school at Langston University.

Miss Biedie John of Idabel, Okla., is a niece of Mrs. C. E. Glen on N. Choctaw street.

Mrs. Annie Mitchell of Texarkana is visiting Mrs. Glenn and relatives in our city.

Mr. J. W. B. Thompson of E. 1st street departed Sunday evening for points in Texas to see friends and relatives.

Mr. J. B. Key, president of Flippin-Key-Davis University was in Tallahassee, last week, arranging for the opening of school.

ATLANTA.

Atlanta, Texas, Sept. 4.—The teachers institute opened Monday morning with a number of the teachers absent, but hoping they will be in before it closes. Mrs. Dollie Gray seems to be very much lifted up because she was one of the fortunate ones to secure a six years' state certificate. We are proud of our teachers in Cass county. The reporter and Miss Fannie M. Hale came in Monday morning from Hughes Springs, where they attended the District Board No. 2 of the N. E. T. Baptist Association, they report a nice time both spiritually and financially. The members of the First Baptist together with friends of Deacon S. W. Roberson, who departed this life Tuesday evening August 27, 1919, extends condolence to the bereaved family and relatives brother Roberson.

PALESTINE.

Palestine, Texas, Sept. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. Bramham Smith of Dallas are visiting Mrs. Roney Davis. Miss Cleo Smith has been visiting in Dallas, also returned. Mr. Ruffin Smith of Overton, Texas, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. R. Davis. Mr. Willie Bonner arrived in the city Sunday to the delight of his many friends.

Rev. D. J. Crawford left last Wednesday for the National Convention. Grants Chapel A. M. E. church had a rally Sunday and a mortgage burning and banquet Monday night.

Miss Annie Taylor, who has been sick for some time is getting up again to the delight of her many friends.

Mr. Napollan Swanson and wife went to Galveston, Saturday night. Mrs. J. F. Hunter went to Houston Saturday night.

Lieut. H. G. Neely left for Marshall where he spoke Sunday and went to Houston, Monday to speak.

settlers, that such a co-operation of the races meant a closer and better understanding between the races and better conditions to be expected.

The series of services at First Baptist church closed with success last Sunday. Rev. W. P. Crockett held excellent services at both morning and evening meetings and preaching a most excellent sermon Sunday night. The A. M. E. Sunday school held its morning session arranged to have a good delegation to attend the Sunday School Convention in Fort Worth this week.

Rev. W. J. B. Henderson, pastor of the C. M. E. church reports most excellent services at his church last Sunday. Rev. Roy D. Morrison, Misses Cliffe and Mattie Morrison spent a week with their aunt and cousin, Mrs. Annie Wilson and Mrs. Johnnie Jackson. Mrs. Era Mae Allen spent three weeks in Tyler and returned home last Friday night. Mrs. Amy Jackson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Laura Smith of Dallas. Misses Ertle Mims, Beatrice Griggs and Gladys Smith spent the day Sunday in Pilot Point. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Walls of Wichita Falls, are visiting relatives in Denton. Mrs. Anna Lambert and Misses Laura and Marie Lambert and little niece are visiting in Mineral Wells. Mr. J. W. Burr returns after a very pleasant stay in Hot Springs, Ark. Mrs. Turner and Miss Harriet of Muskogee, Okla., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Woodard, Rev. W. P. Crockett and Mr. Tom Wallace and delegates will leave to attend the Sunday school convention in Fort Worth, Wednesday the 3rd. Mr. Robert Smith, Mr. Willie Clark and Mr. Luther Tankersley left last Monday to attend Prairie View State Normal and Mr. H. C. Smith accompanying the party to Fort Worth. Messrs. Crawford and Crawford toured over to Palestine and brought in their extra fine gray hearse last Friday, making the trip uneventful. Dr. E. E. D. Moten returned last week from Indianapolis, Ind., and Columbus, O., where he spent five weeks attending clinics. Mr. Lee Oliver returned from the army last Sunday night.

Report of First District Allen Christian Endeavor League Encampment

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CLEBURNE.

Cleburne, Texas, Sept. 4.—The barbecue and basket picnic given at the Johnson county fair ground last Friday in honor of the returned soldiers was one of the greatest affairs ever given in Cleburne. Welcome address was made by county attorney Gayle E. Preslar, the speaker of the occasion. Mr. R. H. Johnson, Rev. Joseph A. Brown, Charles Alexander Prof. Slaton. Remarks were made by the city marshal.

Mrs. Polley Brown died Tuesday and was buried Wednesday, funeral was attended at the First Baptist church, Rev. Joseph A. Brown, officiated.

Mrs. A. J. White of Fort Worth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Starks.

Mrs. Rena Davis and daughter of Fort Worth, attended the funeral of their grand mother, Mrs. Polly Brown, Sunday morning, Viretta Blackmon and Netta Mae Shelton of Hillsboro attended the soldier boys picnic.

Card of Thanks.

We kindly thank our many friends for their kindness shown us during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Polly Brown, who departed this life August 26, your kindness will never be forgotten. May God bless you all. Rev. A. C. Brown, husband, Lulu Lewis, Ada Green, Atlanta Legions, Mary Ann Collops, Daughters. Miss Rebecca Williams of Mineral Wells and Mr. R. S. Johnson of Brown are the guest of Misses Hazel C. and Ernestine L. Phillips. Miss Ethel Oliver of Hillsboro is visiting relatives in the city. Mr. Otan Benton and G. G. Raleigh accompanied by the Misses Raleigh motored down from Ft. Worth, Friday evening while in the city they were the guests of the Misses Phillips.

TYLER.

Tyler, Texas, Sept. 4.—Mrs. Mary Ewens after an illness of several months died at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mariab Payne. The funeral was conducted at the home and entered at West View by Bertha Allen Undertakers.

Card of Thanks.

We take this method in thanking our friends for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our beloved daughter, sister and aunt, Mrs. Mary Payne, mother. Mr. and Mrs. Walker Morgan, brother and sister.

Loda Bell Morgan, Niece.

Mrs. Mattie Sapp has returned from Fort Worth, where she was present at the marriage of her sister's daughter last week. Miss Hamilton was the daughter of the late Prof. L. L. Hamilton, who taught many years in Smith County, Tex.

Mrs. Nancy L. Littlejohn and father, Mr. F. McGlasson has returned from several weeks visit to Washington, D. C. New York, Philadelphia and many other eastern points.

Miss Mattie Smith was married to Mr. Ivory Foster at the home of her father three miles south of the city. Mrs. B. L. Caswell was called to Sherman last week to accompany her mother, Mrs. Celia Evans home of spending three months with her son, Mr. A. H. Evans.

Mr. S. V. Quinly was away from his shop last week on account of illness. Little Louise Williams after spending four weeks in Dallas with her father, has returned home to be with her grand mother.

The contract has been let to install a heating plant at Bethlehem Baptist church of which Dr. A. T. Stewart is the pastor. On his return from National convention, Plan will be to build additional rooms. Mr. Lightfoot orders the Dallas Express sent to his home this week.

Mrs. Sarah Ried and Mrs. Bell Goins of Ft. Worth, are visiting relatives in the city.

KEITYS.

Keity's Texas, Sept. 4.—Sunday school was well attended, officers and teachers present, fine lecture by Rev. Polk of Rusk, who is visiting his son, J. W. Polk. Mrs. L. W. Stewart

has gone to Galveston with her sister, who is to undergo an operation.

Mrs. Matilda Brown spent the day in Wildhurst. Mrs. Ardella Reece has returned from Forest after spending a few days with relatives and friends. Mrs. Minerva Penon has returned from Saclul after spending several weeks with relatives and friends and bringing her mother with her.

Mrs. Mary Steed and children are visiting her father, Mr. Chas. Adam. Mr. Jefferson Stanley spent a few days with relatives in Timpson. Mrs. Emma Penon of Alto is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Helen Washington.

Mrs. Helen Stanley, little Erick Penon is visiting her uncle, Mr. J. V. Penon a few days. Mr. J. E. Pears, who has returned from over sea is visiting his brother, Lum Pears. Mrs. Tassie Lewis and daughter Katherine visited Mrs. Henry Castel a few days. Mrs. Lydia Clayborn spent a week in Groveton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hadnot.

Mrs. Albert Malloy went to the board at Wells and reports an enjoyable week. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Garrett and wife of Chertino spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Archie Bailey.

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Young men don't forget that the Business League meets every Thursday night, John Lazine, president; Joe Hanson, secretary.

Mr. F. J. Jordan, who has been here for several weeks has returned to his home in Oak Cliff, Dallas, Texas.

Public school will open here Monday, Sept. 8th with Mrs. Rucker, principle and Miss Myrtle Stennett, assistant teacher. Send your children to school so they can learn to read and write some day they may be great men and women. Remember when you send your children to school you are helping yourself.

Mrs. T. S. Pedron left Tuesday with her daughter, who is to enter Tuskegee Institute this year. Miss Pearson who has been here visiting left for her home in Dallas. Prof. Dawkins of Austin, Texas, lectured here Tuesday night at the A. M. E. church on the behalf of bettering your condition. Mrs. L. T. Lambert and Misses Mary and Laura are pleasant visitors in the city. Miss Ethel Austin, who has been here visiting her aunt, Mrs. Cole left for her home in Tyler, Texas.

Departures: Mrs. Fay, Dallas; Mrs. Neal and Mrs. Dalley, Palestine; Mrs. A. W. Briggs and son, Dallas; Mrs. O. M. Wesley, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Howell and Miss Rebecca Williams and Mrs. Laura Kemp went to Cleburne, Texas, last week to be present at a birthday dinner in honor of Mrs. Ermelee Thomas. Quite a number of Mineral Well people over to Thurber, Texas last Monday. Their names are as follows: Mrs.

improved.

Geo. Williams left Wednesday for Ben Arnold, Texas, but before leaving he subscribed for the Express for three months.

Mrs. Mattie Jones of Fort Worth is in the city the guest of Mrs. Ella Perkin and her brother, Mrs. C. J. Miller.

Mrs. Eva Mae (Jimison) Williams of Shreveport, La., is in the city to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Jimison.

Mr. Dock Reese received a letter from his brother-in-law, Mr. G. E. Mead at McGee, Ark., announcing his serious illness.

Mrs. Carrie Luster is in Galveston and Houston visiting relatives.

Mrs. Martha Watson came home Sunday from Bryan, where she spent three weeks. She is much improved.

Mr. Retta Avery of Cameron is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Avery.

Prof. T. H. Brawley spent the week end out of the city.

Mr. J. E. Williams, Jim Williams and the Bailey's reporter, Mrs. F. A. Williams motored to Calvert Monday.

Rev. B. Williams of Galveston passed through the city Monday en route to Mt. Moriah church.

Mrs. Janie Kelley and daughter of the Mt. Moriah Community was in the city Monday.

Mr. John Henry, a member of Texas Central Lodge No. 2001 left for Abilene, Texas, Wednesday where he will spend the fall. Mr. J. A. Henry is one of Calvert's young men.

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Nora Beal, Mr. Walter Tennon, Mr. Frank Allman, Mr. Luther Patterson, Miss Bertha Cassley and Ida Mae Brown.

Mrs. R. E. Hawkins of Forney, who has been here visiting her sister, Mrs. D. J. Jordan, Mrs. E. L. Scott of Forney, spent several weeks with friends and has returned.

WOLFE CITY.

Wolfe City, Texas, Sept. 4.—Mrs. Maggie Jones has just returned from Cleburne, Texas, from the bedside of her daughter.

Delegates from the District Board meeting at Klondike report an excellent session.

Mrs. Ella Bell and Mrs. Cora Johnson attended the Board meeting at Ben Franklin, Texas.

Mr. Ernest Wilson and Miss Ruby Payne were married Sunday, Aug. 31 at home of the bride. Rev. Newton officiating.

ALTO.

Alto, Texas, Sept. 4.—Quite a number of our people attended the board meeting at New Hope, Jacksonville, Sunday.

Mr. Henry Shaw and Miss Emma McKnight were married Sunday, afternoon at the home of the brides in the presence of a few relatives and friends. Rev. S. L. Harps, officiating.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Baxter died Sunday afternoon after an ill ness of some two weeks.

Prof. J. J. Bradley has returned from Marlin, where he spent a pleasant vacation of three weeks.

There was a great re-union meeting at Neches, Texas, given by Ben Watson and children and grand children. There were 12 girls, 4 boys, 20 grand children.

There were four son-in-laws present. L. C. Roach, Grapeland, Texas; Willis Land, Neches, Texas; Paul Alexander, Neches, Texas; M. Tillman, Alto, Texas; W. Simmons, Ben. Texas; Daughter-in-law, one, Madella Selman-Watson, Rusk, Texas. There are four brothers. They have six children and grand children. The re-union will meet once every year on the 29th of August.

Rev. Kemp from Galveston was conductor. The dinner was carried out well and all enjoyed it. We all were glad to meet.

We thank God that we all could meet at his residence; he is 78 years old.

MILANO.

Milano, Texas, Sept. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Nedford has purchased a house and lot here in Milano and will move in this week.

Mr. Nedford is one of the soldier boys who recently returned from France.

A 10 pound boy has come to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miles. Mother and baby doing fine. Mrs. Hattie G. Pleasant is visiting her sisters, Mrs. B. A. Osborne and Mrs. Priscilla Even in Oklahoma City and friends in Kansas city this week.

Rev. J. H. White of Taylor is now the pastor of Sand Grove Baptist church.

Mrs. Maggie Chance has been quite ill for several days this week.

Miss L. McDowell is in the city this week the guest of Mrs. Reddie A. Jones.

Mr. Vance Price of Bryan, is spending a few days here with his family.

Rev. T. W. Dayley of Palestine stopped over a few hours between trains last Tuesday on his way to Brenham.

Rev. J. Gordon McPherson, "Billy Sunday" delivered a strong sermon Thursday night to a very great crowd of both colored and white people.

Messrs. Dock Price and Arman McGrew were visitors in Cameron last Sunday.

Rev. Green of Lyons, Texas, preached at the A. M. E. church, Friday night.

Miss Holmes near Cameron is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Annie Jane Severs this week.

Mrs. Effie Walden, Mrs. M. Nedford, Mrs. Eva Johnson, Mrs. M. E. Ellis, Mrs. Leatha Price and Mrs. Dollie Wright, attended the re-union of the Colored discharged soldiers at Cameron last Sunday.

Mr. A. F. Abram of Hearne was in our city two days last week on business.

Little A. K. Jones, will deliver the Express each Saturday. Ring phone 35 for your paper.

WHITEWRIGHT.

Whitewright, Texas, Sept. 4.—Sunday school was postponed Sunday on account of the death of Bro. Lynch.

Miss Willie Coach has returned from Sweetwater, Texas, all delegates have returned from Greenville and reported good meeting. Mr. B. H. Henderson, C. Gatewood and Mrs. E. Halley, B. Hall, Millie Lewis were in Greenville last week.

All delegates have returned from Sherman, C. M. E. convention. Shick list: Eaver Hampton, I. J. Shackford, Mrs. Feud Calhoun have gone to Bonham to visit relatives. Mrs. R. V. Dehonney and son were in Greenville last week. Mr. R. G. Gatewood was in Wolfe City Monday. Mrs. Dicy Allen has been out of town.

Mrs. Lucile Mennen has returned home at Wolfe City after visiting Mrs. Jackson her sister.

The citizens donated \$24.95 to bury Mr. Lynch, the white men of this town donated liberally to the cause.

Mr. Jordan Hall and Mrs. Leola Sweeney newly married at Fort Worth, Texas, have moved to the farm Miss Geneva Dehonney is in Dallas and Ft. Worth this week. Mrs. Laura Tatt was in town visiting the sick Monday.

SHILLADY CASE PUT BEFORE PRESIDENT.

Petition Inquires How Long Anarchy is to be Tolerated by Government.

Washington, Aug. 30.—The appointment of a Federal commission, or passage of the Emerson bill pending in the House of Representatives, for an investigation of the failure of States to protect United States citizens, is urged in a petition today sent to the White House by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. Particular attention is called to the assault upon the secretary of the association in Austin, Texas, recently. The petition says:

To the President: In the name of 12,000,000 Negroes of the United States," says the telegram, "the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People respectfully

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