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Mid-Summer Nights Dream
One of Shakespeare's Dramas
"Mid-Summer Night's Dream," was presented for the entertainment of the grades on Wednesday morning in the auditorium. The play was directed by Miss Marion Wigen- craft, and the cast included Bud and Lou Marlette, Fitzgerald, John Adams, Edmond Thomas, Mildred Larson, Wyatt Graves, Pansy Poole, Que Adams, Lucille Brubaker, Bobby Wilcox, Leola Clark and Dolores Gene Key.

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And then there are "Jimmy" Thomas and "Tom" Hester who are really both, too dignified to be called anything but James Ray and Thomas Preston, respectively. But who could blame it for having "Freddie" instead of "Frederick" Alexander?

And we can't forget "Kookee" for Jack Key or "Dick" for Richard. They seem to go for nicknames, don't they?

Our list would hardly be complete without mentioning "Shen" Sheridan, and we'll leave it to you to guess why he was dubbed that. Oh! I almost forgot "Johnnie" our head pep leader. The reason she's called "Johnnie" is because she doesn't like her name.

Oh, me! There's still "Cannon" Cannon. How could I have for-

When you get started it seems as though you could rattle on forever, doesn't it?

Of course we've said nothing about our pet names for the teachers, but, then, perhaps that's just as well.

Dramatic Club
On last Wednesday afternoon a dramatic club was organized, and the following officers were elected: Daphne McElhinney, president; Lena Gus Wink, vice-president; Betty Ney, secretary-treasurer; and Parley Ross, reporter. Louise Seaborn, Gladys Jacobson and Luana Sundman were selected to write the by-laws and constitution for the club. It was decided that meetings are to be held on the first Monday of each month at the schoolhouse, the first meeting being on Monday October 7, 1935. Dues of ten cents a month were agreed upon by the members to pay for the refreshments at each meeting and the books they buy.

Class Meeting
The Juniors, having held a class meeting to elect their speaker, Mrs. Parker had another meeting last Thursday morning to elect their officers for the school term. The officers were elected as follows: president, Leonard Seahorn; secretary, treasurer, Parley Ross; reporter, Madeline Campbell.

In the Ray of the Spotlight
She's a Sophomore; wears glasses, has straight, sandy hair, likes to be in the pep squad, and ever turns around when she goes to the desk in the Study Hall. Know her? Her too is small, but not a Sophomore; wears glasses; just loves school; and also causes a commotion when he talks to the teachers in the study hall. Recognize him?

Society
Coach Hinton was present at the football game in San Antonio Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheatham attended the football game at Yokum Friday night.

Mrs. Parker spent Saturday in Houston.

Mr. W. C. Reed, motored to Columbus to a school meeting Saturday night.

Thursday night Coaches Cheatham and Hinton, Mr. Reed, and Mr. Ehrhart were present at a football meeting in Wharton.

Pep Squad
The pep squad had a rally in the park on Thursday night. Most of the football boys attended the rally. After the girls had yelled, Joe Luns gave all of them cream cones, which were greatly appreciated. The drums and bugles for the pep squad are here and the girls have started practicing on them.

Books
The library has received twenty-five books that have been loaned. They have been put back on the shelves and are ready for use as good as new.

The Band
Mr. Reed and Mr. Lundgren have gotten a good many instruments and are ready for the band that will be playing at the homecoming. It will be arranged so that the band will practice an hour a day, and at this rate the band is expected to be ready for different occasions before very long.

The Bellville Brahmas swamped the Eagles with a 24 to 0 victory last Friday night. The Eagles were unable to run up a score against the Brahmas during the whole game. The Brahmas advantage was heavier and more experienced men against the Eagles lighter and less experienced men. The Eagles' passing attack showed up fine, but they used a little more practice to be able to score by passing. Captain Hinkle, "Tiny" Schumacher, J. C. Smith and Earl Braden were given the same old fight that they gave last year, and it showed up fine. Some of the new boys were playing good football, but the boys will need more practice before tackling Yokum tonight.

Coaches Hinton and Cheatham have changed the placement of the boys a little and we hope that it will be a benefit to the team.

The Eagles play Yokum at Yokum tonight at eight o'clock. Yokum has a strong team but if the boys get out on the field and give the old fight, they may be able to overcome Yokum's team.

Fighting Percy
If Jane and Rudy don't sign a peace treaty soon, one of them is going to be killed.

It seems that everybody had a swell time Friday night, even tho' we did get beat.

Was I seeing Red Monday morning, or was it just Madeline and Louise?

And, who did I see Betty with Friday night?

Jane and Rudy have decided to leave in the study hall from now on.

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It is a picture in which interest never slackens, and action never lags. It takes its place among the finest entertainment vehicles of the new screen season. Part of the story is played in the howling fury of a tropical hurricane on the last frontier, the wild southwestern coast of Asia. It is spectacular "China Seas" deals with the odd love story of the hard-bitten young skipper of a coastwise liner, played by Gable, and "China Seas" a lovely wanderer in the Asiatic port, played by Jean Harlow. Involved with them is the mysterious trader, Wallace Beery, who is suspected of being the master mind of a piracy plot.

Tuesday and Wednesday shows "The Flame Within," which brings Ann Harding and Herbert Marshall to the screen as co-stars for the first time. In this picture Ann is given a powerful role—the majority of her pictures have been roles of the comedy side. "The Flame Within" is the most stirring characterization the screen has yet offered her. It will be remembered her scorching hit on Broadway were such tense emotional dramas as "Tarnish," "Stolen Fruit" and "The Trial of Mary Dugan."

BOB SLEDGE, AUTO RACER, FORMER LOCAL BOY MARRIED

The following is reprinted from the Topeka, Kansas, Daily News: "If anything happens today at the Kansas Free Fair to Robert E. L. Sledge, Houston, Texas, motor racer, he can blame it on a Friday, the 13th, hoodoo."

Last night he and Miss Ruth Paxon, of Topeka, showed their utter disregard for superstitions by getting married at the courthouse. Judge Roy McKee, presiding judge, officiated. The ceremony was witnessed by two police officers, Frank Stone, chief, and Jim Shockey, clerk sergeant. Despite the wedding, Sledge announced the intention of taking part in today's races.

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When Business of the Texas Government, From 1727 To 1835, Was Centered in San Antonio.

Note: The following is one of a series of weekly articles taken from the Bexar Archives at The University of Texas. This collection, considered the greatest single historical treasure in the North American continent, has been catalogued and is now being translated by The University of Texas. It consists of 400,000 pages of original Spanish-handwritten documents comprising the official archives of the Mexican government for the Department of Bexar, which covered "almost the whole of what is now the State of Texas, for the period from 1831, soon after Texas became a separate province of Mexico, to 1836, in the Battle of San Jacinto. This series of documents, which will consist principally of quotations from the documents, many of which have heretofore been unpublished, and will reveal for the first time what actually transpired during the century in which Texas was transformed from a wilderness, inhabited only by savage Indian tribes, to an independent American republic."

In 1810, the adage that troubles never come singly was fulfilled in the case of Spain, especially in the American dominions, and the frontier provinces of Texas shared in the disturbance.

On September 16 of this year Miguel Hidalgo y Costilla, curate of the little town of Dolores, near Mexico City, started an armed rebellion against the crown. From the outset this movement, though prematurely started, met with singular success. With comparative ease the insurgents captured Guanajuato and Valladolid, and decisively defeated the royalist army at Monte de las Cruces, in the vicinity of the capital.

However, lack of discipline and of definite plans for attack, as well as the presence of dissension among the insurgents, soon proved fatal to the cause. Early in November, Felix Calleja, royalist leader, defeated Hidalgo at Acapulco and a series of crushing defeats followed the curate's fleeing forces.

In an attempt to strengthen his failing cause, Hidalgo had sent agents throughout New Spain to foster the revolution. In the Rio Grande region, he sent various agents who were as active that by the latter part of 1810, all the settlements near the river were in open revolt.

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"They want to bring happiness to a kingdom that has no other happiness than having them on its soil. They will be its ruin if the Almighty, through one of His inscrutable plans, unfortunately allows them to overcome virtue. I mean vice, the scandalous life led by the leaders of the revolution, especially by the sacrilegious priests, who are being led by the most vicious and depraved of men. I mean vice, the scandalous life led by the leaders of the revolution, especially by the sacrilegious priests, who are being led by the most vicious and depraved of men. I mean vice, the scandalous life led by the leaders of the revolution, especially by the sacrilegious priests, who are being led by the most vicious and depraved of men."

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Rev. E. W. Thompson, local pastor of the Christian Church, has been appointed sub-agent here for the Austin Mutual Life Insurance Company. Mr. Thompson, in the insurance business, will work in connection with James E. Pisk, who has been stationed here as agent for the Austin Mutual, and who has his headquarters at the Dallas Hotel.

Norman Davidson of Huntsville spent the week-end in Eagle Lake.

Mrs. James Jacobson spent Saturday visiting in Houston.

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