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Every one of these men started out in life with high hopes. Every one envisioned a self-sustaining, self-respecting old age, in which he could retire on the savings he had made during his productive years, and enjoy himself, without dependence on any person or institution.

Five of the hundred men achieved that goal. Ninety-five failed to reach it.

These are facts—unpleasant as they are, they will be faced by every person of foresight and courage who is not yet too old to make the most of the lesson they teach. There is no royal road to old age independence for most of us—it can be reached only by a plan which uses some of the dollars we earn with comparative ease now to care for our needs and ambitions when dollars come hard. — Woodsboro News.

Gifts that MOTHER will appreciate at JOE LUNA'S.

GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCES FOUR YEAR RICE CONTRACT

Secretary Wallace, last Friday, approved a new four-year adjustment program for California, Southern and Hawaiian rice producers.

The new 1936-39 rice programs were described as similar to the 1935 adjustment plan, calling for benefit payments to contracting producers for adjustment of their acreage to individual allotments.

This was the third long-term adjustment program approved within a week before the supreme court was scheduled to hear arguments in the Hoosac case contesting constitutionality of the adjustments act. A four-year cotton program and a two-year corn-hog program were announced earlier in the week.

The new rice program extends production adjustment of rice to Hawaii for the first time.

The Southern program covers classes of rice produced in Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas and Missouri and this, with the California program, followed adjustment plans which have been in effect for the 1935 crops.

The AAA said provision was made for correcting any existing inequalities and for making producers who did not participate in rice reductions during the base period eligible to sign a contract.

The state base figures, acreage and production, assigned Friday included:

Arkansas, acreage 152,569, production, 2,856,558 barrels (162 lbs.). Louisiana, acreage 415, 569, production 4,363,920 barrels; Texas, acreage, 161,452, production 2,256,153 barrels.

Contracts are now being prepared, the AAA said, and will be ready for submission to growers before the 1936 planting season.

Gifts that FATHER will like at JOE LUNA'S.

MISS HINTON ENTERTAINS THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Miss Ruby Hinton was the hostess to the regular meeting of the Thursday bridge club. High score, a handmade tea apron, was presented to Mrs. J. D. Luna. Mrs. E. E. Turner received a decorated vase for consolation.

Tempting refreshments of vanilla wafer chocolate pie and ginger ale were served to the members and three guests, Mrs. C. D. Stephens, Mrs. E. E. Turner and Mrs. Frank Cheatham.

Christmas Gifts for HER at JOE LUNA'S.

Mrs. Mary McDow left Tuesday for a week's visit in Houston.

SAFEGUARD YOUR DRIVING

Many motorists believe the necessary safety precautions consist of keeping brakes, light and steering gear in good condition. However, there are other parts of the car which are important safety aids as well and should also be kept in proper condition. In view of modern traffic congestion an adequate horn is essential. Twenty out of every 100 windshield wipers need repairs and one which turns out to be useless on a stormy day is a nuisance. A view of the road to the rear by means of a mirror is not only necessary but is required by law in most states—see that the mirror is not dirty, cracked, etc. A stoplight operated by the brake should be examined frequently since drivers of cars so equipped usually rely on the light to the extent of dispensing with hand signals when stopping.—Pathfinder.

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SAD DEATH OF FORMER POPULAR COLUMBUS GIRL

(From Weimar Mercury)

News was received here the past week-end of the death, at Kilgore, Texas, of Mrs. Gladys Papenberg Glass, beloved wife of Mr. Douglas ("Red") V. Glass, former Schulenburg citizen, and only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Papenberg of Columbus.

The funeral took place at Columbus Sunday afternoon and was attended by a very large crowd of relatives and sympathizing friends. The floral tributes were many and profuse. It is said that fully 250 floral tributes were counted at the grave, attesting the high esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and admirers everywhere.

The pall bearers were Dr. H. C. Moeller, Messrs. Jack Leyendecker, Joe Stafford, P. O. Brown, E. A. Bosl and Chas. Klein.

Mrs. Glass was born in Columbus July 18, 1906; was confirmed, July 16, 1922; graduated in 1926 from the Columbus High School; took a course in music and typewriting at the Seguin Lutheran College in 1926-27; was married April 6, 1932 and died at her home in Kilgore Nov. 28, 1935. She is survived by her heart-broken husband, a little baby boy only a few days old, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Papenberg of Columbus.

Mrs. Glass was a lady of exceptionally fine traits of character. She was a sunbeam in every gathering where she was present; a ray of love and hope and inspiration to husband and parents, and one whose every thought was of the comfort and happiness of others. She gave up her life for the sake of that beloved babe, but died with a smile of hope and cheer to the heart-broken ones surrounding her bedside, as if beckoning them to meet her in the Great Beyond. Truly a lovely, inspirational character, one who we can ill afford to spare. May God comfort her bereaved ones in the greatest loss they have ever sustained is the sincere wish of the Mercury.

Gifts that FATHER will like at JOE LUNA'S.

Miss Virginia Walker has been confined to her home by illness all week.

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MANY EXPECTED TO SEE PAGEANT AT AUDITORIUM

More Than Seventy Characters To Take Part In Christmas Pageant Given Tonight By Study Club With No Admission Charge.

An event of community wide interest is the "Christmas Pageant" to be presented tonight by the Eagle Lake Study Club in the auditorium of the High School. This affair will be one of spectacular beauty, and appealing charm, and will inculcate upon the audience the warm and glowing spirit of the Christmas season.

There will be no admission charge.

Mrs. L. C. Wozencraft and Mrs. O. G. Kolberg have worked most diligently for some time on this program, and for the past several weeks have been training the cast, composed mostly of children for parts in the pageant.

The light bearers, a group of children directed by Mrs. John Kearney, include Nan Carolyn Fussell, Geth Linke, Kay Kearney, Ernest Mae Seaholm, Dolores Gene Key and Sue Colly. The characters of the cast are as follows: Mary, Miss Ophelia Johnson; Joseph, Robert Campbell; Angel, Mrs. Noel Parker; Herald, Gracie Marie Spanihel and Mary Ethel Hight; Progress, Mrs. Finley Durbin; Civilization, Miss Marie Jones; Love, Joe Ann Thomas; Generosity, Wanda Ann Westmoreland; Literature, Gloria Tilbon; Music, Betty Julia Terrell; Art, Norma Gene Duty; Sculpture, Erline Austin; Architecture, Grace Reed; Norma with the Alabaster Box, Evelyn Mae Frnka; Widow Offering Her Mite to the Lord, Arnette Lesco. Children, Pansy Poole and Betty Jean Dupree; Shepherds, Farley Roos, Freddie Hoeninghaus, Elmer Struss, Earl Rodgers, Claude Brewer and J. C. Willis; Wise Men, John Westmoreland, Hugh Sheridan and Jimmy Cash; Three Kings, Bobby Colly, Evelyn Waddell and Rosalie Hayden; Loyalty to the Christian Standard, group of children directed by Mrs. J. D. Luna, including Bud Fitzgerald, Wyatt Graves, Lexie Lou Clarke, Audice Reiger, Raymond Thomas, Jeanne Hartwell, Charlene Stephens, Draper Stephens, Geneiva Bunge and Lucille Brisbois. Peace. Among the Foreign Nations, group of children directed by Miss Daphene McElhinney, including Luie Minette Fitzgerald, Frazer Wallace, Clifton Taylor, Charles Tarver, Jo Ann Dupree, Alyne Wink, Dorothy Reese, Bobby Waggener, Dorothy Elkins, Gussie Lee Krinkie, Lillian Ruth Isenhower, and L. J. Spanihel. Women Serving Mankind through the Ages: Alice Mae Brisbois, Betty Jane Smith, Barbara Reese, Louise Fussell, Doris Fussell, Mrs. Fussell and Mrs. T. C. Roberts, Standard Bearers, Ray Arnold, Harrison Walker and Franklin Reese. Boy Scouts directed by R. B. Davis and Marion Carter.

The following boy scouts will take part in the pageant: Arnold Klockmann, James Cash, George Ney, Burns Waggoner, Jr., Fred Frnka, Jr., Frank Davidson, James Ray Thomas, Franklin Reese, Dwaine Sheridan and R. E. Beane, Jr.

A chorus of high school girls will sing Christmas hymns throughout the pageant.

Mrs. Wozencraft and Mrs. Kolberg are being assisted by Mesdames Thomas, A. J. Struss, Natt Holman, Bruce McCarty, E. Ross, Griff S. S. White, A. F. Harbert, I. V. Duncan, H. C. Fitzgerald, Miss Kathryn McRee, Roy Towell and Mr. Erhardt.

It is hoped the auditorium will be filled to capacity for this brilliant event. The Study Club hopes to make this an annual affair in the community.

GENERAL HIGHWAY 200 ASSOCIATION FORMED AT HALLETTSVILLE TUESDAY

Meeting Is Well Attended By Delegates From Towns On Route From Eagle Lake To San Antonio.

A general organization meeting called at Hallettsville at noon Tuesday by H. J. Heye was well attended by invited delegates from towns along the route of the Highway 200.

The host organization was the Hallettsville Rotary Club, presided over by Dr. Harvey Ranger. After the conclusion of the luncheon and routine Rotary program, the chair was turned over to Mr. Heye, who was elected temporary chairman of the highway meeting program.

Mr. Heye introduced D. R. Thomas, manager of the highway and public works department of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Thomas made a splendid talk, saying in part, "Any worthy project such as this, if it will benefit you, it will benefit us, and we are for it and want to assist you in getting it. We can be of tremendous assistance to each other by working together for our mutual good, and I am glad to say to you that I have put the project for a new road from Eagle Lake to Gonzales on our program."

The chairman then introduced State Senator Hopkins of Gonzales, who delivered an enthusiastic and inspiring speech on some of the general aspects of highway improvement in Texas, emphasizing the vast amount of work and responsibility which is carried by the State Highway Commission. He then described the signal honor conferred upon not only Mr. Gibb Gilchrist, Texas Highway Engineer, but the general standing and reputation of the Texas Highway Engineering Department, by the National Association of Highway Engineers, in their recent convention in Florida, by electing Mr. Gilchrist president of the National body.

Senator Hopkins made a motion which was carried unanimously, that the chairman of this meeting be instructed to appoint a committee to draft and send a suitable letter of felicitation to Mr. Gilchrist. He told of Mr. Gilchrist's particular interest in Highway 200, on account of its being the only safe route, which is not cut off by flood water for traffic between Houston and San Antonio.

The highway bridge on this route over the Colorado river, having been proved by last summer's flood to be safe and amply above that flood mark. Its location, just below the Southern Pacific railroad bridge, gives it an important, additional security. Senator Hopkins also quoted Mr. Gilchrist as of the opinion that Highway 200 would undoubtedly be given a Federal designation in the time because of its importance and strategic military and airplane route from San Antonio to Houston.

This right of way, being 120 feet wide, would prove ah avenue of

(See HIGHWAY, last page)

NEW YEAR'S DAY FOOTBALL GAME PLAYED IN COLUMBUS

Twenty-Two Players Named From This District, To Train In Wharton, For Game With Neighbor District New Year's Day.

Guests of Supt. W. C. Reed at an oyster supper in the local high school building, superintendents and coaches of Districts 30 and 37, Friday night selected Columbus as the playing grounds for the bi-district all-star game on New Year's day and named twenty-two players from District 37B.

A previous meeting had been held in LaGrange when all-star players from that district were named and that district voted solidly to play the game in Columbus. So, with S. DeBord of Schulenburg voting the proxies from District 30, and two of the schools in District 37 voting to play the game in the neighbor district, there was but little contest in that line. Though the meeting here Friday night was apparently for the purpose of arranging for the game, the arrangements had previously been taken care of at the LaGrange meeting.

Less interest was shown at this meeting of superintendents and coaches than at any of the former meetings, and it was with difficulty that coaches could be obtained to train the players from this district. The various coaches named had planned other things for the holidays. Apparently enthusiasm in the all-star bi-district game is on the wane.

While Coach W. B. Hinton of Eagle Lake expects to attend the Sugar Bowl game in Louisiana, he will lend his assistance in training as far as possible. He will be assisted by Coach Floyd Bullard of Wharton, A. J. Novasad of East Bernard, Tom Driscoll of Bay City and Frank Cheatham of Eagle Lake.

District 37 boys will train in Wharton, though the boys will not remain at that place during the training season. They will make daily trips to Wharton, spending the nights at their homes. This arrangement, too, is considered not altogether satisfactory, but since there was not sufficient interest manifested for any one town in the district taking the aggregation of gridsters for the training period, it was the best arrangement that could be made under the circumstances.

Only a few of the coaches and superintendents were here from the upper district, the previous LaGrange meeting having arranged all details for that district.

The all-district players named from District 37B follow: First team, ends, Young, Bay City and Novasad, East Bernard; tackles, Hager, Bay City and Frnka, El Campo; guards, Wynn, Boling and Zvadony, Rosenberg; center, Allison, Rosenberg; backs, R. Slavacek, El Campo, Heckendorn, Bay City, E. Braden, Eagle Lake and Brandes, East Bernard.

Second team—Ends, Horak, Rosenberg and McDonald, Wharton; tackles, Ellerman, Rosenberg and Smith, Eagle Lake; guards, Bace, Bay City and Steffin, Rosenberg; center, Hodde, Eagle Lake; backs, Schaebel, Boling, Turrichi, Rosenberg, Sewell, Bay City and Tippens, Rosenberg.

Special mention was given to the following team, named as alternates: End, Richardson, Bay City; tackle, Estlinbaum, Eagle Lake; guard, Gerdes, El Campo; center, Brown, El Campo; backs, Reeves, Boling and Shannon, Richmond.

The all-district players named for District 30 at the meeting previously held in LaGrange are:

First team, ends, Schindler, Columbus and Reeves of Hallettsville; tackles, Tourens, Columbus and Richter, Giddings; guards, Hajovsky, LaGrange and Petroisch, Schulenburg; center, Henry, Smithville; backs, Schiller, Columbus, Kunkel, Smithville, Roitsch, LaGrange, Currington, Schulenburg.

Second team — Ends, Stockton, Schulenburg, and Albers, Giddings; tackles, Berry, Smithville and Heinrich, Schulenburg; guards, Ash, Bastrop, and A. Hahn, Columbus; center, Bohuslavsky, Columbus, Waugh, Bastrop, Mahon, Smithville, Wood, Flatonia and Byles, Schulenburg.

Special mention was given the following men: Hoelscher, Columbus; Crawford, LaGrange and Shatto, Weimar.

The following superintendents and coaches were present at the oyster banquet here:

Supt. S. DeBord, Schulenburg; O. Livells, teacher, Wharton; Supt. P. J. Dodson, Bastrop; M. Giddens, assistant coach, Schulenburg; C. Allen, coach, LaGrange; Supt. F. C. Herndon, Rosenberg; R. C. Guzman, Bay City; E. C. Powers, coach, Schulenburg; Lee H. Mitchell, coach, Columbus; Tom Henderson, principal, Round Mott, Louise; J. D. Morse, coach, El Campo; Supt. J. E. Carrico, El Campo; T. A. Rosch, principal, Wharton; Tom Driscoll, coach, Bay City; Charlie Burris, coach, Rosenberg; Floyd Bullard, coach, Wharton; John Janes, coach, Rosenberg; H. E. Connor, coach, Boling; C. P. Brown, athletic manage, Boling; Jim L. Bridges, principal, Richmond; Dewey Small, coach, Wharton; Supt. W. E. Gatlin, East Bernard, Supt. W. C. Reed and coaches W. B. Hinton and Frank Cheatham, Eagle Lake.

WORKS OF ARTIST, FORMER LOCAL GIRL, CHARM AUSTIN FOLK

Paintings Of Mrs. Clara Northington Meet With Acclaim By Lovers Of Art When Placed On Exhibition In Austin.

(From Austin American)

Austin art lovers are to be given a special treat for the next two weeks, in the exhibition of water colors by Clara Beard (Mrs. Mentor Northington), of Egypt, Texas, which is opening Sunday, at the Ney museum.

Mrs. Northington is perhaps the only artist in the world who has become one entirely without intention or effort. It is said a "mornings" play with a child's box of watercolors, three or four years ago, started her on her career. She paints for expression, not for effect, not what she sees, so much as what she imagines. She has never had a lesson, and discloses any knowledge of drawing and all acquaintance with the technique of art.

From the first, painting fascinated her and exhibitions of her paintings in the art galleries of Houston, Dallas, and other cities have been greeted by the acclaim of connoisseurs and critics and the admiration of the hangers on of art.

Mrs. Northington's art is art with a difference, and it is this very difference, this delicate, almost ethereal quality, which catches the eye, then takes hold of the imagination and sets the beholder reaching out for something, almost but not quite, shown in the picture, something just over the horizon which the painter has subtly suggested to lead fancy on and on.

Most of her pictures are landscapes. She likes trees and paints them in all their moods. One critic has said "Dryads might live in her trees"—"her tumbling cabins are haunted."

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FUNERAL SERVICES FOR BARTT SMITH AT 3 P.M. SATURDAY

Well Known And Esteemed Citizen Of Lissie Passed Away At His Home Early Today Following A Long Illness.

Funeral services for Albert Bartlett Smith, 44, will be held from the family home in Lissie at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Burial will be made in the Lissie cemetery.

Mr. Smith passed away at his home at 5:25 o'clock this, Friday, morning, following a long illness. He had been confined to his bed for twenty-one months.

"Bart" Smith, as he was known to his friends, was an ex-service man, and in every way a splendid citizen. He was of a genial, pleasant disposition and during his long illness was always cheerful and pleasant. He was of a friendly nature, which won him a wide circle of friends, who sympathize with the bereaved relatives in the passing of this most excellent young man.

He is survived by his wife, who was formerly Miss Helen Lott of this city; two daughters, Harriet Ellen and Nettie Marie; his father, Geo. B. Smith, one of the old and honored citizens of Lissie; four brothers, Fred Smith of Spokane, Washington; William Smith, Lissie; Justin A. Smith, Eagle Lake, and Chas. Smith of Houston; four sisters, Mrs. C. C. Coulter, Houston; Mrs. Serene, this delicate, almost perfect quality, which catches the eye, then takes hold of the imagination and sets the beholder reaching out for something, almost but not quite, shown in the picture, something just over the horizon which the painter has subtly suggested to lead fancy on and on.

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COLUMBUS AND LOCKHART IN REGIONAL TIE

District Champion Teams Battle To 7-7 Deadlock In Spectacular Game Before Large Crowd At Lockhart Friday.

The Columbus Cardinals and Lockhart Lions played a 7-7 tie in their regional championship game at Lockhart Friday afternoon. The following detailed account of the game is reprinted from Saturday's Houston Post:

In a smashing gridiron battle that ended with Lockhart only six inches from the Columbus goal the Lockhart Lions and the Columbus Cardinals battled to a deadlock at Lockhart, Friday afternoon in a regional class "B" championship game.

The Cards started off in spectacular fashion, pushed the light during the first quarter and rushed over a score late in the chapter by capitalizing on a bad pass from center. It was Lockhart's ball on its 45-yard line and fourth down when a bad pass eluded O. Etheredge and rolled to the 20.

From this point Columbus was touchdown bound with Schindler, 180-pound end, leading the way. He drove to the Lockhart four-yard line on an end-around play, and after Lockhart refused to give an inch on three plays at the line, the brilliant Schindler again was called upon and again he delivered for a touchdown. Schiller kicked goal, giving Columbus a 7-0 lead, and Cardinal boosters went wild.

The teams played on even terms in the second chapter, but in the final half Lockhart pushed the fight and was very hot in the last chapter.

The Lions had the ball on Columbus' 43-yard stripe as the final period began. On a quick opening at center Zaleski dashed to the 33-yard line. Pulps picked up 13 yards on a reverse.

Pulps gained seven on a spinner and then Pulps raced to the nine for another first down. Richter picked up a yard at the Cards' right guard.

Then came an unusual play. Pulps tore through a wide opening at the left side of the Columbus line but fumbled the ball on the two-yard stripe. James Moore, Lockhart end, scooped up the ball and crossed the goal for a touch down. Pulps had fumbled while in motion, and as his knee had not touched the ground, the ball was still very much in play. Pulps placekicked goal and the score was 7-7.

Shortly after Lockhart drove from its 20-yard line to the Columbus 22, and after three line plays had failed, elected to try for a field goal. Etheridge, holding the ball for Pulps, fumbled, however, and the ball went over.

Two plays later, D. Moore, Lockhart center, intercepted Schiller's pass on the Columbus 35-yard

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Large Crowd Enjoys Rotary Club's Annual Christmas Party Wednesday

A delightful evening was spent, Wednesday, when the local Rotary Club entertained with its Christmas banquet, an annual event when the wives and "girl friends" of the members are guests.

A wonderful menu, a tempting turkey dinner, was served by the City Grill. It was a real, honest-to-goodness meal and was enjoyed by everyone present, being held in the Rotary Club Hall adjoining the City Grill.

Supt. W. C. Reed was master of ceremonies, and on such stated occasions always does himself proud.

Immediately following the menu, Assistant Scout Master Marion Carter and five Boy Scouts, in scout regalia, carrying the United States flag and flag of the troop, entered the hall, and presented to the Rotary Club a piece of statuary—"The Boy Scout." Presentation speech was made by Mr. Carter, who stated that the gift is in appreciation of the co-operation and friendship always shown to the scouts by the local club.

Miss Lucille Marmion, sister of the club's president, Gresham Marmion, and Miss Doris Dissen, both of Houston, furnished a delightful vocal program. With Miss Marmion at the piano, the talented young ladies gave two groups of selections, and the hangsters wanted more. The soft, sweet voices of these two charming girls captivated the banqueters.

"Baron Slavosky" of somewhere, who happened to be passing through Eagle Lake, gave the banquet a brief visit and entertained the assembly with his magic bottle. He also had another stunt—something about a cigarette. Though his makeup was superb, some few at the banquet tables intimated that the "Baron" and Oscar Wintermann have a similiarity, and have asked the Headlight to find out if the "Baron" was really Oscar, and ask him to repeat that cigarette stunt. Apparently, they didn't get it!

A Christmas tree carried out the spirit of the festive occasion, and there was a present for everyone. Supt. Reed acted as Santa Claus and distributed the presents from the tree. Many of them brought forth laughter—while some were genuinely acceptable presents.

The first present on the tree went to little Miss Jo Ann Davis. The sweet little lady stood up in her chair and acknowledged the gift in a real speech. "Mr. President, members of the Rotary Club and ladies," she said in beginning and closed her sweet little speech with, "I am glad I am a Rotary Ann."

Mrs. Frank Hightower of the City Grill was highly complimented by the Rotary Club members and their ladies on the excellent menu so tempting ly served. The service was splendid, there being three trained colored waiters, and the City Grill deserves credit for the rapid manner in which the menu was served to so large a gathering.

Fifty Live Oak Trees For Masonic Cemetery To Be Planted On Grounds

Mr. G. E. Thomas, who has always taken a great interest in the beautification of the Masonic Cemetery, has completed arrangements for the planting of fifty live oak trees in the cemetery grounds.

Nothing so helps the looks of a cemetery as pretty trees, Mr. Thomas said. These trees, he said, will be ordered from a nursery and will not be the native liveoaks from the nearby bottoms. The improved nursery liveoaks grow faster and are better trees in every way, he continued.

Mr. Thomas' tree planting program is a row of liveoaks on three sides of the cemetery grounds. The fifty trees will be planted forty feet apart, and on the inside drive-way will be set out in zig-zag form fifty feet apart.

"I am going to plant these trees so they will grow," Mr. Thomas said, "I am going to dig down into the clay, resolving the clay and refilling with top soil." Mr. Thomas says this method of tree planting will practically insure the growth.

That the cemetery grounds may be made more beautiful by trees, Mr. Thomas is urging the co-operation of all persons who own burial lots in the cemetery. He wants the lot owners to join him in this move by planting a liveoak on every second or third lot.

"If the lot owners will join in this move," Mr. Thomas said, "I will personally look after and take care of the trees for the first two years."

Be it said to Mr. Thomas' credit, he is doing this work without pay whatever. "When these trees have grown into beautiful shade trees in after years, that will be reward enough for me," Mr. Thomas said. "Of course, he said, "I don't expect to see them, for I can't hope to be here that long, but those who are here, will enjoy the beauty of the cemetery grounds, and it will be a comfort to me, even in my sleep in that cemetery, that I had some part in helping about the beautiful shaded cemetery grounds."

FORMER EAGLE LAKE BOY DIED OF SEVERE BURNS IN EXPLOSION

Carey Neblett Smith

The people of Eagle Lake, who know them so well and so favorably, sympathize deeply with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Smith, Jr., of Houston in the death of their son, Carey Neblett Smith, 24 years of age, who died Sunday at the Hermann Hospital in Houston from severe burns he received in an explosion at Gulf on Thanksgiving day.

Carey, a handsome and manly young gentleman, was employed by the Humble Oil and Refining Company at the time of the accident. He was a graduate of the petroleum engineering school of the Texas A. & M. College and was a member of the Trinity Episcopal Church of Houston.

He is survived by his parents and three brothers, Sidney N. Smith, T. L. Smith III, and J. Douglas Smith, all of Houston.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon in the Morse Funeral Church at Houston, with Rev. Thomas B. Carruthers officiating. Burial was made in Forest Park Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, with their family, formerly lived in Eagle Lake, having moved from this city to Houston a number of years ago.

The above cut was furnished the Headlight through the courtesy of The Houston Chronicle.

J. Y. Davidson returned home this week after several weeks in Canado, where he has been on duty as prescription clerk at a drug store.

DUCK SEASON CLOSED YESTERDAY AT 4 P. M.

The duck hunting season came to a close at 4 p. m. Thursday afternoon, after the shortest open season on record, thirty days.

Due to the rainy season and so much water for a wide scattering for the ducks since the season opened, there have been fewer ducks killed this year than in any of the past hunting seasons.

This, it is believed, will have considerable bearing on an increase in the duck family next spring.