

The Giddings News

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LEDBETTER

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Blume left last week Wednesday for different points in Texas such as Galveston, Anton and San Antonio for a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Ruby Lee Stephan celebrated her birthday last Wednesday night with a host of relatives and friends present. The occasion was a happy one for all.

Miss Mary Bob Bennet and brother Thomas Clyde Bennet of Houston visited with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sanders this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hannes and daughter spent Sunday afternoon in the Oswald Hannes home at Waldeck.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rethke Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rethke and son of near Giddings, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Rust and Fritz Schmiedekamp of here.

Miss Norma Schubert spent Sunday visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schubert and sister Miss Florance of Walhalla.

E. P. Stuermer and son Ernst and daughters Misses Evelyn and Lillian motored over to Ennis to spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Stork.

Almost Ton of Rubber.

We have been informed that the government has been considering gasoline rationing as a wartime measure, not wholly to save oil and gasoline but to save rubber. The importance of rubber is clearly shown by the fact that, simply to save it, our government may ration a product of which we have more than all of the rest of world put together — gasoline and oil. Our community has been searching every little corner for all the scrap rubber there is to be found. Up until this writing we have 1,543 pounds of scrap rubber collected together and more is expected in the next few days.