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STATE PINK BOLLWORM COMMI PRESENT REGULATION PLAN ALL RIGHT

Dr. Marlatt, Chairman of Federal Horticultural Board Frowns On Report Of Commission, He Wants a Non-Cotton Zone

following report:

Paso and Pecos Valleys and in the Big Bend districts be continued as at present, except as to Brewster County, whose status will be considered separately at a meeting of the full commission at Austin March 6, when it will the Big Bend infested cotton fields and make its official report to Gov. Dan Moody.

Enforcement of stricter regulations as to sterilization of cotton seed, fumigation of lint and stricter inspection at all road stations of the State Department of Agriculture and along the Texas-Mexican border to prevent carrying of the pest in any form.

The newly infested areas of West

as may be deemed necessary. To Recommend Compensation.

pink bollworm commission and to (Continued On Last Page)

BY VICTOR H. SCHOFFELMAYER, Gov. Moody which he will prepare at Agricultural Editor of the Farm News. | San Antonio Saturday. He left for that MARFA, Presidio Co., Texas, March city Frida yafternoon and from there 2.-Immediately upon its return from will accompany R. E. McDonald, chief a two-day inspection of the Big Bend entomologist of the State Department Areas of infestation, the State Pink of Agriculture, on a visit to the Lower Bollworm Commision Friday made the Rio Grande Valley to check up on the work of eradicating the Morelos orange That all regulated zones in the El worm which attacked the citrus industry, but which is considered stamped

> All the members of the State commission left Marfa late Friday for their homes after a two-day inspection of talking with cotton growers and representative business men. The members of the commission believe that the methods to be recommended in their report are sufficient at this time to cope with the situation and were not in favor of a noncotton zone for 1928 under existing conditions.

Marlatt Frowns on Report.

Dr. Marlatt, however, believes the re-Texas to be considered separately at port of the commission is practically of this week five arrests were made for and a safe weighing several hundred been suggested by the proponents of stock raisers whom he represented did the Austin meeting by the full com- an acknowledgement of defeat in an transportation, possession and sale of rounds taken out, and placed in an the measure. These amendments would not want Federal interference with mission on a basis of the needs of each effort to stamp out the pest unless this intoxicating liquors in violation of the auto, then carried out to the F. A. specifically declare that nothing in the their marketing operations. Any resjudicial district as to such measures report is modified to suit the Federal Government at the Austin meeting. He have been filed before the United appeared that a heavy iron instrument of the Capper-Volstead act legalizing be opposed, he said. "We would like has repeatedly asured the commission States Commissioner at Marfa, and war was used in the breaking, which was co-operatives. Thes modification pro-That Dr. Charles L. Marlatt, chair- that Congress has practically agreed rants delivered for service to the Uni- most complete. Several hundred dol- visions failed in the intended effect, he said. man of the Federal Horticultural Board to vote funds sufficient to stamp out ted States marshal at El Paso. Names lars were taken in money and checks. however, as the opposition to the meawill make a report by letter to the the pest. He considers the West Texas of defendants and copies of complaints commission and to the Governor in conditions to be very favorable to era- at this time, have not been made pub- robbery an attmpt was made to enter was made. which he will recommend eradication dication because of the cold winter lic and hearings have not been set. It Carl's Drug Store, but the party or with adequate compensation to be laid climate of most of this territory, but is understood by the New Era repor- parties were unable to lift the trop Farmers of the West are working there his cattle were sold to a specubefore Congress for an early appropria- realizes that little headway can be ter that other complaints are to be door leading from the cellar to the up- out their problems through co-opera- lator without an opportunity being tion fully adequate to stamp out the made without having the full co-op- filed within the next two or three days. per floor. The burglars entered the tive marketing and the Capper bill given, for bidding by a group of farpink bollworm and for compensation of eration of the cotton growers and busi- Agents Miller and Mellick left Marfa building through an entrance into the would limit co-operative activities. n.ers seeking to purchase stock for growers in all West Texas new and old ness interests of West Texas to back Friday for Fort Stockton. the Federal and State forces. The The commission's report does not stumbling-block is the lack of assur- this week before United States Com- large heavy box filled with bottles of ditions of the country," he added, "and Kansas City market to dispose of his meet with the aproval of Dr. Marlatt ance of adequate compensation for missioner when Juan Dominguez, of patent medicine. The medicine did we will learn to prevent gluts and the cattle. and he will give his views to the State losses incurred by growers in noncotton van Horn, was arraigned upon charge some good especially when used as a resultant depression of the markets



This simple cottage at West Branch, Iowa, is the birthplace of Herbert C. Hoover, secretary of commerce and candidate for the Republican nomina-Mon for the Presidency of the United States.

Federal Prohibition Agents visits Marfa

MANY COMPLAINTS FILED, LARGE QUANTITY OF LIQUOR SEIZED, FEDERAL AGENTS KEPT BUSY.

Federal Prohibition agents A. G. Miller and C. F. Mellick working out of the San Antonio Divisions paid an unex-

(Continued on Last Page.)

Burglars Working

LONGHORN CAFE BROKEN INTO SAFE CARRIED OFF, ATTEMPT TO ENTER CARL'S DRUG STORE

Marfa, it seems is about to join the said. other many victims suffering from the wave of robberies. Sometime during operative shipping associations, Senapected visit to Marfa and vicinity this last Sunday night there was a burglar- tor Capper of Kansas, author of the bill, Brite explained. week. Working at Alpine on Tuesday ious entry made on the Longhorn Cafe bill, offered two amendments that had National Prohibition Act. Complaints Mitchell pasture and broken into. It new bill would modify the provisions strictions to direct marketing would

On the same night of the Longhorn sure was unabated after the change cellar which was broken. It nappened Lasater insisted. Hearing was held on Wednesday of that on the trap door there was a "We are learning the market con-said, he had declind to go to the (Continued On Last Page)

CAPPER BILL FOR FEDERAL SUPERVISION OF STOCKYARDS IS OPPOSED BY CATTLEMEN

Heads of Two of the Biggest Cattlemen's Organizations Make Protests on Grounds That Capper Bill Limits Co-operation

WASHINGTON, March 2.-Unquali- | bilize supply and demand and pull up Federal supervision of public stock- tle." yards was voiced Friday by two representatives of Texas cattlemen's organi- co-operative shipping associations for zations at a hearing on the measure which he spoke feared that if the Capbefore the Senate Agricultural Com-

ed that his organizations feared the pose of the bill, but his assurance did bill would hamper activities of the not convince the Texas witnesses and Activoly In Marfa co-operative marketing associations.

"We are opposed to any measure that would limit our market and if you limit the conditions under which the American Live Stock Association, the packer can purchase you limit the read a resolution expressing the op-

To meet the objections of the co-

"Limits Co-operation."

in the future. This in the end will sta-

fied opposition to the Capper bill for the average prices paid for our cat-

Lasater candidly admitted that the per bill was enacted into law it would give the Secretary of Agriculture Edward C. Lasater of Falfurrias, pre- power to proclaim co-operative stocksident of the American National Gra- yards as public markets and thus imzer's Asociation and an officer of the pose additional burdens on them. Cap-Texas Cattlemen's Association, declar- per insisted that this was not the purother opponents of the bill present.

Marfa Man Protests.

L. C. Brite of Marfa, president of conditions under which we can sell" he position of that organization to the Capper bill in its original form. The association has not had an opportunity to pass on the revised form of the

Brite told the committee the live

feeding. Since that experience, Brite

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Thats cooperation with a punch. Its the spirit on which civilization is founded; and on which the future of our little city rests.

Cooperation is not a new idea the amount loaned thereon -its a true and tried principal dating back to the Cave and Tree man and on up to the present generation.

Without cooperation, we can accomplish little or nothing; but with it. Presidio will rightfully take its place among the chief cities of the State, and all will be benefitted a thousand fold.

As lightly as some may think of it, it is to the interest of every man, woman and child in Marfa that all prosper as the failure of a single individual, naturally affects all the resteither directly or indirectly. On the other hand, the success of one, all are benefitted either directly or indirectly; and the more successes, the more benefits each will receive.

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Mrs. L. C. Brite returned Sunday morning from Dallas, where she attended a Board meeting of the Federated Clubs of Texas. On her return she stopped over in San Antonio and visited friends and relatives and also heard Mary Garden in Grand Opera.

To Fly Over Europe



Miss Mildred Johnson of Philadelphia, Pa., aviation lecturer and writer and the only person to have flown completely over the air-mail routes of this country, who has left to fly over the airways of Europe to study and write about them.

Public Funds on Deposit County\$ 1,148.30 3,582.81 City Shcool Total

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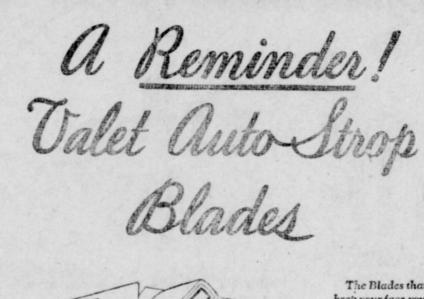
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13.740.00 each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of March, A. D. 1928.

> BLANCHE AVANT Notary Public, Presidio County, Texas. Correct-Attest: C. E. Mead

J. W. Howell, Directors.

Among those who attended the Grand Opera in San Antonio last week i We, T. M. Wilson, as President, and Were Mesdames W. P. Fischer, and W.



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To Keep Silver Bright. A little milk added to the water in which silver is washed will help to keep it bright.

To Keep Iceing From Running. A little flour sprinkled lightly over the top of a cake will aid in preventing the icing from runn-

Bacon Rinds.

Bacon rinds can be used many nounced his condidacy for U. S. Senaways, so do not throw them in tor in contra Earl Mayfield. Tom Conthe garbage can. Wash them nally is one of the most distinguished thoroughly and put in a jar for members of the Texas delegation, and future use. They make an excel- is regarded by both Democrats and lent seasoning for all greens and Republicans in Congress as one of the some soups, and they are often most versatile and influential memused to give a finishing touch to bers of that body. baked fricassed chicken.

Advice For Young Boys. Often boys in their early teens have eruptions on the face which clear up later. However, pay strict attention to your diet-eat plenty of fruits and vegetables, on Friday or Saturday to put on very little meat, and avoid rich the High School play. They will fatty foods, or fried foods and take it first to Valentine, then sweets. Drink lots of water at all Monday or Tuesday in Marfa. times, take outdoor exercise, and Why not bring it to Presidio keep the skin scrupulously clean also? Surely the folks at home by bathing frequently.

Fruit Diet.

Fruits furnish necessary or- of our very own ladies sponsored ganic salts, pleasing flavor and the play. attractive form of food. They contain water, much body-build- ter", remarked a prominent citiing and body-regulating mater- zen a few days ago. "Richard-

To Make Clothes Wash Easily. O'Riley Street improved, and showing, worn by Marceline Day, as Soak them over night in cold when help was not fourthcom-water into which one tablespoon- ing, jumped in and done it himful of amonia to each bucket of self—a spirit that builds cities a three-tiered skirt edged in dark water has been added.

SOME GOOD THINGS TO EAT

A Good Quick Vegetable Soup. 1 lb., hamburger steak. Then take onions, carrots, turnips, a little cabbage, celery and tomatoes, put thru meat grinder or chop fine, add a little rice, put all together and cook about thirty

Club Salad.

minutes-

2 tomatoes, 2 apples, 1 onion, 1/2 head lettuce, chop fine, add to this 1 cup chopped celery, ½
chopped cabbage put all together
and over this, the juice of 2 lemons, salt and pepper and use the following salad dressing:

Club Salad Dressing.

2 eggs, ½ cup vinegar, 1 table-spoon sugar, 2 tablespoons melted butter, salt, pepper, and mustard, cook in double boiler, stir well until thick-

Oat Meal Cookies.

1/4 cup butter, 1/4 cup lard, 1/2 teaspoon soda in 1/2 cup sweet milk, 2 cups flour, 4 cups rolled oats, 1 and 1/4 cups sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt. Roll out and cut the same as any cookies, bake a good brown.

Skillet Cake. 2 eggs, 1 cup sugar, 11/2 cups flour, 1/2 cup boiling water, 1 teaspoon baking powder, pinch of

1 can sliced pineapple, 1/4 lb., butter, 1 cup brown sugar, 1 cup nuts. Cream eggs and sugar, add flour, and baking powder and boiling water last. For filling, put brown sugar in skillet and butter, stir until mixed well and like syrup. Then put in sliced pineand let cook about five minutes Lastly pour cake dough on top and let cook about 5 minutes longer over burner. Then put in moderate oven and bake until brown or about 30 minutes.

on plate, and serve when cold } with whipped cream or just plain-by Mrs. Melton Smith.

50,000 ONION PLANTS

Capt. Jerry Gray who has broken several records in the production of several crops in the Presidio Valley, has 50,000 Crystal Wax Onion plants which he will transplant in the near fu-

Capt. Gray in 1926, grew 60 of these onions which tipped the scales at 68 lbs. Can you beat it;

NOTICE-Typwriting done at home after 5:00 p. m. Nola Waguespack.

PEARL JACKSON BUYS 1,000 HEAD OF CATTLE

Pearl Jackson, one of Presidio County's prominent cattlemen, was in Presidio several days this week closing a deal for 1,000 head of Mexican cattle which will be crossed at Presidio in the near future. Since the completion of the International Bridge at this point, Presidio has made, rapid strides as a port of importation for Mexican cattle.

-The Presidio Journal.

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son", said this citizen, "wanted The modern homespun frock we are and empires", said the citizen. brown with collar and cuffs of white linen edged with brown.

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COTTON GOSSIP QUOTES E. D. ANTHONY

"Cotton Gossip", published at Galveston, Texas, in its February 24th, issue, prominently quotes Mr. E. D. Anthony of our city in his interview with the Journal editor on the Pink Boll Worm question of some weeks ago. The whole bugaboo, as the editor and Mr. Anthony pointed out, proved a hoax on investigation, and now, the Presidio Val-1 trunk. Phone 103.

ley and the Big Bend section of the Rio Grande are making rapid preparations to plant an increased acreage of cotton--The Presidio Journal.

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"C. W. Richardson is a go-get-

-The Presidio Journal.

Tom Connally of Milan, Texas, a pro-

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Qualifications-Trustees and vo- the local board of trustees. the district six months.

to the public school system.

Terms Of Office of Trustees ap- school trustees. pointed to fill vacancies: In Com- In independent districts hot appointees shall serve only un-board of trustees. til the next trustee election.

board of trustees of an indepen- out delay to the county judge. dent district the remaining mem | The returns of the election for bers of the board shall fill the county school trustees shall be vacany by electing a person to made to the county clerk within fill the office for the unexpired five days after the election has portion of the term of the prior been held. incumbent.

County School Trustees shall be returns of the election shall be filled by election by the remain- made without delay to the board m. ing county trustees and mem-jof trustees after such election bers so elected shall serve for is held. the .. unexpired portion of the Tie Vote-In case of a tie vote term of the prior incumbent. for two ore more persons to fill nesday, 7:45 p. m.

Ordering Trustee Elections—In one position on the board of trus common school districts the election shall be 7:45 p. m. tion is ordered by the local trus- held to elect a person to fill this tees and notice thereof must be position. posted at 3 public places in the Declaring Election Resultsdistrict at least twenty days In common school districts and on the second of March to celebrated prior to the date of election.

election is ordered by the local 500, the commissioner's court ner. trustees and notice thereof shall shall canvass the returns of the Judge K. C. Miller was toast master, be posted at three different pub- election and declare the results. lic places in the district ten days In the electio nof county prior to the date of election.

days prior to the date of said el- the results as in other elections. ection, and notice thereof shall In independent districts the locounty if electing a county school sults of such election. trustee at large, or in the news- Issuing Commissions-In Com county judge should include the the persons so elected their com following language: "The elec- missions as school trustees and will be held in each common ty superintendent. school district at the same place In the election of county school and by the same election officers trustees the county clerk, on beappointed to hold the election of half of the commissioner's court trustees in each common dis- shall issue to the county school

mon consolidated district trus- local board of trustees will issue tee elections are governed by the certificates of election to trusgeneral law srelating to common tees.

school districts.

for all district trustees, both com directly to the courts and not the mon and independent, except State Superintendent and the those incorporated by special State Board of Education. acts of the Legislature and providing a different date, and for all county school trustees is the First Saturday in April of each year.

Place Of Election-In common school districts the place of election is determined by the local board.

The law provided that the county judge shall order the election for county school trustees to be held at the same place ordered by the local board for holding elections for district trustees. In independent districts the

place for holding trustee election is determined by the local board. Election Managers-In Com-

mon school districts election managers are appointed by the local board of trustees. In independent districts the el-

ection managers are appointed by the local board of trustees. In the election of county school trustees the county judge will name the same election managers as are named by the local board to hold the election for district trustee.

Election Supplies—The Terrell Election Law, prescribes the manner in which election supplies shall be provided and distributed for the holding of coun-

ty elections. In common school district elections the supplies are furnished

by the county judge. In the election of county school trustees the supplies are furnished by the county election

In independent districts with

500, or more, scholastics the election supplies are provided for by

ed voters in the county. Legally In accordance with the provi- in the window of the Elite Tailor ander Fredrick Clair were renewed. appointments. Place cards were fields and the loyal little Mascot, Henry qualfied voters may vote in dis- sions of Art. 2746a and Art. Shop. trict trustee elections, although 2996, R. S., 1925, the county they may not have resided in commissioner's court will pay for paign for the highest attendance all election supplies prescribed Who is going to win the Bible? Trustees must be able to for use in the election of trusread and write the English lan- tees in common school districts Sunday is Family Day. How guage intelligently and to com- and in independent school dis- many 100 percent families will prehend and interpret the laws tricts with a scholastic popula- be present at any one or at all of the State of Texas relating tion of less than five hundred services? Next Sunday is one of and in the election of county Marfa's RED LETTER days in

mon School Districts vacancies subject to the provisions of Art. are filled by appointment by the 2746a the expenses of the elec- ing. County Board of Education and tion will be paid by the local

Making Returns-Returns of When a vacancy occurs in the the election shall be made with-

In independent districts hav-Vacancies in the office of ing 500, or more, scholastics the

in independent school district, with a reception and then a feast in In independent districts the with a population of less than the form of a splendid Southern din-

school trustees the commission-The order for the election of er's court at its first meeting county school trustees is made after the date of election will by the county judge at least 30 convass the returns and declare

be posted in three public places cal board of trustees at its first in each commissioner's precinct meeting after the date of elecelecting a county school trustee tion, if not sooner, will canvass and in three public places in the the returns and declare the re-

papers of the county. In formu- mon school districts the local lating the election order the board of trustees will issue to tion for county school trustees report their action to the coun-

trustees their commissions.

Common county line and com- In independent districts the

**Election Contests—In contest-**Date Of Election—The election ed trustee elections the case goes

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Remember also our local cam-And don't forget that next the Pentacostal campaign. Come! let Marfa Christians show the world what she is capable of do-

The two sermons for Sunday should prove of special interest to every Christian not only, but also to every non-Christian. They are of special significance when viewed in the light of present day movements.

Notice the change of time for the evening service.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Honly Communion, 10:45 a. m. Sermon (Unconsious Enemies of Christ) 11:00 a. m. Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p.

Sermon (Essentials of Christianity), 7:45 p. m. Church Night Program, Wed-

Choir Rehearsal, Thursday,

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at Washington uses it as authority. WRITE for a sample page of the New



### CHRISTIAN CHURCH

and the spirit of the University pre- letters that had been found in the The contest with Alpine grows by one who had been a leader in all of that were, to say the least, most inter- Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fletcher, Mr. and ters: In common and indepen- Inasmuch as the returns of more interesting each week. T. U.'s activities. Even president bene- esting reports of te hitherto untold his- Mrs. H. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. dent school districts persons the elections are made to dif- With Alpine in the lead last Sun- dict was present in the person of Chap- ory of some of our respected graduates. McCracken, Chaplain and Mrs. John must have resided in the district ferent bodies, it will be neces- day and Marfa's growing convic- lain John MacWilliams. Besides the six months immediately prior to sary to provide three separate tion that she will win give pro- usual toasts, songs, reminiscent and dent for the ensuing year, Chaplain Lolla Bunton, Helen Robinson, Aline the election in order to qualify sets of election supplies to be mise of some interesting develop- yells, the program extended itself in MacWilliams, vice-president and Miss for the office of trustee. They used as occasion may demand. ments in the local situation in unexpected hilarious proportions. Once Lolla Bunton, Cecretary. must also be othewise qualifi- Paying For Election Supplies the near future. Watch the score more the battles of Perigonus and Alex

vailed such as only can be conjured up dean's office, and here came revelations Judge K. C. Miler was elected presi-

Chaplain MacWilliams read shocking of blue bonnests and cacti.

Those present were: Judge and Mrs. K. C. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mead, McWilliams, Misses, Bessie Jacobs, Duty, Willie Harper, Katherine Schutze Frances Mitchell, Messrs G. Smith, J. White and Gold prevailed in all the C. Fuller, G. Hinard and Joe Mitchell, Cherry Miller.

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## **Locals** and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rawls spent sev-| Mrs. C. E. Mead returned last week eral days in El Paso this week combin- from Dallas where she attended ing pleasure with business. While away board meeting of the Federated Clubs the close of the regular routine of bustheir sister Mrs. Oscar Wells and son of Texas. Tommie Wells came in from Brite, Tex as, and kept house for them, caring for Jack Jr., and Nancy Jane Rawls.

perienced nurse with several years prac Miss Nell Wilson. tice. She is a cousin of Mrs. Darrocotts The evening was rare treat and well and a neice of Mrs. W. H. Cleveland.

New Mexico, were here this week, driv- pertoire and glorius personality. ing over from Valentine where they Miss Jean's skill at the cello is suwho accompanied them here.

was called to her old home in Mississ- tional quality. ippi on acount of the death of her Towards gifted artists and creative annually visited his daughter here.

Wednesday.

DESIRES POSITION-Middle aged- Little Turney Fletcher has been quite sition as companion to elderly lady. this writing he is much improved. Address, CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Mrs. A. S. Carver left this morning for Marlin, Texas. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bishop.

T. C. Mitchell left Monday for the Marlin Springs. He expects to be there several weeks testing the virtue of its healing waters.

P. D. Anderson of Presidio was a visitor to Marfa Friday.

ors to Marfa this week from their ranch.

O. L. Niccolls of Marathon spent Wednesday in Marfa visiting his child-

C. A. Patterson, realtor from Presidio was in Marfa Friday. He is an old newspaper man, and says he still like

Judge H. Barnett and Assessor Chas. Jones of Fort Davis were visitors to Marfa first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Slack were up from Presidio several days this week.

Little Virginia Ridout has been on the sick list this week. She was taken down the first of the week with pneumonia. At this writing she is doing nicely.

Mr. Rotan spent Wednesday in Presidio on business for the Marfa Motor Company. Last week Mr. Rotan was also in Presidio but was there for the interest of the Presidio County farmers, having gone there with the Pink Boll Worm Commission. Mr. Rotan is a personal friend of D. S. Beeman and Judge Blaydes, of Fort Stockton, who were representatives from Pecos County to the Pink Bollworm meeting at Marfa.

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### DAISY JEAN GIVES CONCERT

Daisy Jean, eminent artist on cells Miss Evelyn Lockwood of Bay City, and harp, and finished singer, was arrived here this week and will be asso- heard in recital the evening of March ciated in the office of Dr. J. C.Darro- 2, in the auditorium of the Christian cott as nurse. Miss Lockwood is an ex- church, under the local sponsorship of

deserved the warm applause bestowed upon the artist by the audience that Mr. and Mrs. Van Neill of Silver City was charmed with her delightful re-

were visiting their sister Mrs. Hunter perb and her command of the harp altogether admirable. Her songs to harp accompaniment, are exquisitely beau-First of the week Mrs. J. E. Wilson tiful in their warmth, color and emo-

father, P. A. McAllister. Mr. McAllis- talent, in a class with the noted cellter at the time of his death was 30 ist and soprano, Daisy Jean, the Club years of age, and for several years has women of Marfa are now directing their attention in an effort to bring several of them to the town through-Dr. Monroe Slack made his regular out the year. No greater movement for professional trip to Pecos Tuesday and educational and artistic uplift, could be fostered for any community.

lady, Christian character, dsires a po- ill this week with pneumonia but at

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### WOODMAN CIRCLE ENTERTAINED TO THE VOTERS OF PRE-

Monday evenin gthe Woodman Circle met at the W. O. W. Hall and held their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. ance of the membership present. At held on July 28, 1928. iness the members were invited down port. to the Busy Bee, where Mrs. Bertha Schutze delightfully entertained. A booth was set aside for the occasion and a beautiful St. Patrick's scheme of green and white was most artistically carried out in all the appointments also in the delicious ice menue that

Judge C. E. Mead returned from Ft. Stockton Tuesday. The Judge was there on legal business in the District Court now in session there. He says there are about 75 lawyers attending court there.

Peasant Frocks Latest Fad With "Movie" Stars



Hollywood. One of the smartest as well as most colorful of these frocks is worn by Renee Adoree, the motion picture player, in her production, "The Cossacks." It is of ruby red flat crepe with the Chinese motif on the blouse embroidered in white.

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## MOVIES

MONDAY

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TUESDAY HIGH SCHOOL PLAY

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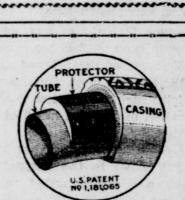
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"Why the United States should pay the SOLDIERS BONUS Bill in Cash

"Why Each State should pay a Special Bonus to World War Veterans." "Why the Soldiers should have their present pay raised."

"Why A Law Should be Passed that would prevent repetition of the conditions following the World War, Whereby our soldiers were compelled to beg and racronize bread and Sou,

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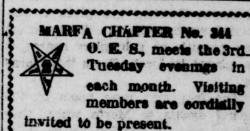
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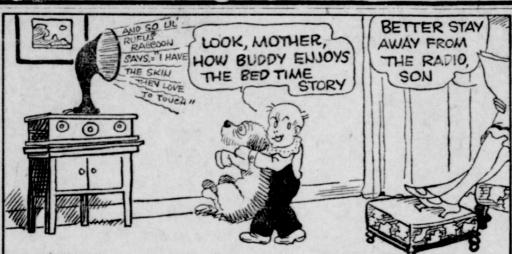
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STATE PINK BOLLWORM COM-MISION O.K.'s REGULATIONS

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zones and this matter will receive prompt attention in the near future. Dr. Marlatt expects to be back in Washington Wednesday and will at once take up this phase of the pro-

On the Mexican border the State Commission and State and Federal scientists accompanying the party found an apathetic attitude toward the pink bollworm. Many growers do not view the matter in the same light as does the Federal Government since they are growing cotton in rich irrigated soils and can make comparatively large yields in spite of the pest. They have had to for ten years, they say, and have not been greatly damaged

All but two members of the State commission have had no experience with the pink bollworm until the present trip and know it only from reading and hearsay.

### One of Main Troubles.

One of the greatest troubles in the situation is the absence of any profitable cash substitute crop which can be raised in the West Texas areas. Corn and feed can not be grown profitably in the Big Bend areas, nor are farmers prepared to switch from cotton to grain sorghums and milch cows and beef cattle without adequate financing. Land is being broken for the new cotton crop and it is high time, the memfarmers to know what they may expect this season.

The entomologists say it is too late BOLL WORM FIGHT PLANS to do much more scouting to delimit the area of infestation in West Texas this season, as most of the cotton fields

FEDERAL PROHIBITION AGENTS

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quarts of intoxicating liquors in vio- America. lation of the National Prohibition act and with concealing and receiving the tion still exists in the original seven liquors knowing same to have been counties and recommended that exbrought into the U.S. in defraud of isting regulations be continued in four the revenue thereof. The defendnt en- of them. These include sterilization of tered a plea of guilty and was released seed and fumigation of lint. on \$500.00 bond to await the action of the grand jury at El Paso. Deputy U. S. Marshal N. F. Work of El Paso was in attendance and served the warrant. The arrest was made by Custom Inspectors Wilson Bourland and J. L. Shoemaker, at Van Horn, and complaint was signed by T. C. Taylor, Custom Inspector in charge.

The Alpine Avalanch of March 9th

"Headed by Jay G. Reeder of San Antonio, deputy commissioner, prohibition officers assisted by Border Patrolmen G. C. Dennis and A. N. Ogden took into custody four Alpine men yesterday afternoon on charges of violating the liquor laws.

"The men arrested were M. B. Causey, T. H. Collins, Manuel Rodriguez, and Daniel Ramirez, the two latter Mexicans. Ramirez was given a suspended sentence in the district court here recently on a burglary charge, it was stated by local officers this morn-

"The four men were taken by the federal agents to Marfa where they will be given a hearing before U. S. Commissioner Hunter Metcaste, officers here said. It is said that prohibition officers acting as 'under cover' men have been in Alpine for several days ga thering evidence in liquor cases.

### BEAUTIFUL OIL PAINTINGS

The Bailey Novelty Shop have had on display several beautiful oil paintings, the work of Mr. Charles Bailey. The scenes were Western made near El Paso. Mr. Bailey surprised most of his Marfa friends with these beautiful paintings only a few of his most intimate friends knew that he was an artist. All last week the pictures were in the show windows and they attracted a great deal of attention. Several orders were placed for these pictures and

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Historic Bell Is Now a Landmark



After having served as a pioneer in the transportation service of southern California, the bronze bell from old Southern Pacific locomotive No. 77 has just been placed atop Mt. Rubidoux at Riverside and dedicated bers of the State commission said, for as a landmark. Each morning I. S. Logan, wealthy Riverside pioneer, climbs the mountain and tolls the bell.

## GIVEN GOVERNOR MOODY

AUSTIN, Tex., March 7 (AP).-Eswil have been plowed up in a short tablishment of a noncotton zone in time. The situation therefore does not Erewster County, known to have been offer a favorable outlook, when view- infested by the pink bollworm for seved from the standpoint of the Texas eral years, and imposition of semi- Mr. and Mrs. Ray Norman, Mr. Clemand Southern cotton industry as a quarantine regulations on seven counwhole instead of a merely local West ties, newly infested were recommended C. R. Wease and Mrs. J. J. O'Leary, to Governor Dan Moody by the State bollworm commission today.

Governor Moody also was asked by VISIT MARFA AND VICINITY the commission, which has just concluded a tour of the infested area, to Rotarians at the new Holland Hotel at urge the creation of an American-Mex- Alpine Thursday night. ican joint high commission to attempt of transporting and possessing about 30 eradication of the pest in all of North CRIME WAVE STARTS HERE-

The commission found that infesta-

### MARFA PEOPLE ATTEND ROTARY MEETING IN ALPINE

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Petross, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Soroker, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Metcalfe, Mr and Mrs. Monroe Slack, mie Davis, Miss Francis Mitchell, Mr Mr. Ben S. Avant and Miss Lucile Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Casner were among the Marfa people who attended a night meeting of the Alpine

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The officers are in possession of val uable clues, which in a few days it is believed, will lead to several arrests.

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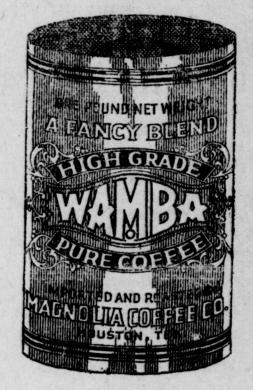
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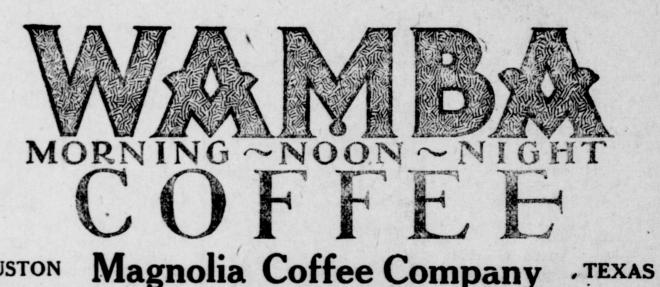
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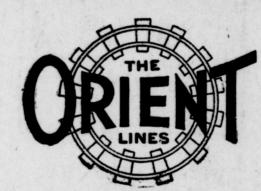
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