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## To Build a Number Of Houses Here

Sam Ribble, of Lubbock was in the city this week, making preparations to start building operations on the Ona Maude Watson block just east of C street in the eastern part of the city. These houses will be built as cheaply as possible consistent with good material and workmanship, and carry a very low rate of interest, according to Mr. Ribble. We understand that they will be built with FHA funds, and may be purchased and paid for by low salaried people like rent, ten per cent down, and ninety per cent over a number of years.

Mr. Ribble will be joined by his son from Odessa in a few days, who will assist in getting these houses underway, and as soon as a few of them can be sold, others will be started, until there are homes on each of the 24 lots if possible. The city has agreed to extend water sewer and light connections to that portion of the city as soon as there are enough homes to demand it. This is a very desirable part of the city, and not too far out, and will be paved on both sides of the block. Those in need of a home like that and are tired of paying rent should get in touch with Mr. Ribble or Judge W. W. Price who is handling the abstract end of the deal.

The owner, as a child, lived in Brownfield, but when about 12 moved to Plainview after her father remarried. She is now Mrs. Ona Maude Nelson of Amarillo. She was orphaned when quite young, and taken by Judge and Mrs. D. J. Broughton and reared until about 12 years of age.

## Office of City Marshal Is No More

When Earl Wilson resigned as City Marshal to take his old position as manager of the Texas Utility Co., ice plant here, the office of City Marshal in Brownfield was dispensed with, and in its place a police force was created somewhat out of the remains of the old night watchmen force. Roy Moreman, who has been a night officer for the past two years was made day policeman.

The night police force will consist of Cliff Fitzgerald and Jim Nelson, who have been with the force for some time, with the addition of Houson Hamilton, who for the past two or three years has been a deputy under Sheriff Ches Gore.

While Earl Wilson made a mighty good officer, it was a bit out of his line and we are sure he will be pleased to get back to making 300 pound blocks of ice.

## Revival Meeting To Go On Over Sunday

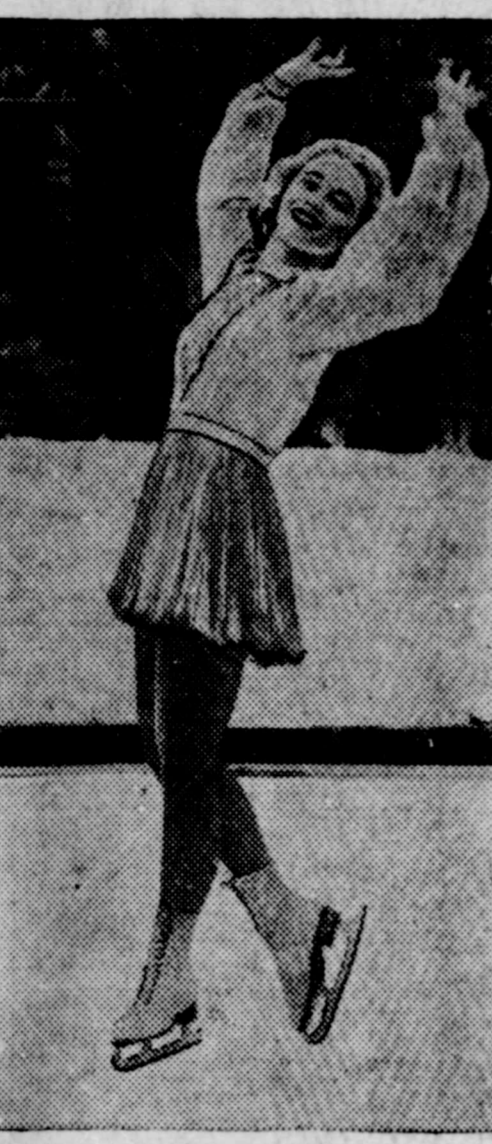
Day crowds at the Church of Christ revival, now going on, with James F. Black of Hallsville doing the preaching, have been consistently increasing each day, and the night crowds have been good from the beginning. Elder Black is giving some good wholesome lessons on the Bible that will be beneficial to anyone.

A number have been baptized, and others moved to almost become a Christian, while the church as a whole has been greatly revived and encouraged to press on. A loud speaker arrangement has been run into the parsonage from the church, so the local minister, Elder Killion, who is confined to his bed can hear the sermons.

Sunday is expected to be a great day with large crowds from town as well as nearby in attendance.

J. E. Shelton and family are entitled to a pass to the—  
**RIALTO THEATRE**  
—to see—  
**"SECOND FIDDLE"**  
Be sure to present this clipping at the box office at the Rialto Theatre.  
Compliment: Rialto and Herald

## Fair Ice Ballerina



NEW YORK (Special)—Ernst Andersen, Norwegian skating champion and star of the ice show at Sun Valley in the Amusement Area of the New York World Fair, illustrates her prowess as a figure skater.

## Lyntegar Extensions Cover Six Counties

Extensions for Lyntegar Rural Electric Co-operative lines are still in the formulative stage, but extensions are practically assured in Borden, Dawson, Lynn, Garza, Terry, and Hockley counties that will increase the distribution system from the approved 330 miles to 500 miles of lines.

Garland Pennington, manager of the co-operatives, states that 100 miles of new lines in Dawson county are already almost assured, a 12 mile extension in Borden county has been signed up and only a few signers lacking to run the lines into Gail, the county seat, where thirty customers have signed for service.

About 15 miles of extensions are expected in Lynn, 10 or 12 in Garza, 6 or 7 in Terry, and at least 25 in Hockley.

The original project called for 330 miles, and workmen are still busy stringing lines on this project. As soon as Project A is completed, work is expected to start on Project B, the extensions.

Power was turned into the lines at Meadow two weeks ago, and about 250 customers are now receiving electric energy over 120 miles of line.—Tahoka News.

## H. E. Aker Killed At Chemical Plant

Herman E. Aker, 31, was killed Sunday morning at the Arizona Chemical Plant, at between ten and eleven o'clock, when he fell a few feet, which an autopsy by local physicians said broke his neck. We understand that Mrs. Akers said that he had been having fainting spells of late, and it is believed he had one, and fell.

Those who knew Mr. Aker here say that he was a fine young man and well liked by people here in town and a trusted employee of the company. He leaves a wife and two or three small children as well as several relatives around O'Donnell, where the body as carried for burial.

Brownfield Funeral Home carried the body to that city Monday and funeral services were held in the Baptist church by the pastor, and the body was laid to rest in the O'Donnell cemetery.

## SANTE FE CARLOADINGS

The Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending August 5, 1939 were 18,357 as compared with 20,012 for the same week in 1938. Received from connections were 5,014 as compared with 4,866 for the same week in 1938. Total cars moved were 23,371 as compared with 24,878 for the same week in 1938. Santa Fe handled a total of 24,319 cars during the preceding week of this year.

## About New Gasoline Refund Law

Farmers and gasoline dealers—as well as others who under the law are entitled to a refund in gasoline taxes—were urged by Comptroller George Sheppard today to study the terms of a new state law making several material changes effective September 1.

Farmers are among the largest users of gasoline upon which tax is paid; and after September 1, Sheppard pointed out, the Comptroller can pay refunds only to those who purchased their fuel from licensed dealers. Hence it is important from the user's standpoint that they make sure the dealer is licensed.

The departmental analysis of the law showed that these changes were made:

1. Beginning September 1, 1939, the Comptroller is prohibited from issuing warrants in payment of a refund claim on any motor fuel not purchased from a licensed dealer.

2. All dealers in motor fuel for refund purposes must obtain license from the Comptroller authorizing such dealers to sell such motor fuel. Failure to obtain license subjects the dealer to criminal prosecution.

3. Licenses and invoices of exemption will be furnished by the dealer, free of cost, by the Comptroller's Department when application is made therefor.

4. All invoices of exemption will be serially numbered, and each supply furnished the dealer by the Comptroller's Department will be charged to such dealer, and an accurate account of all such invoices of exemption must be kept by the dealer. No other form of exemption may be used than that furnished by the Comptroller.

5. The dealer is required to keep accurate record of all motor fuel sold, for a period of two years.

6. Blank invoices of exemption are not transferable or assignable unless authorized by the Comptroller. Dealer is not authorized to lend or give away invoices of exemption, as he must keep accurate books, records and accounts of all invoices of exemption issued to him.

7. Invoices of exemption must be issued at the time of delivery of the motor fuel. Heretofore such invoices have been issued at the time of sale.

8. Unless the users of refund motor fuel and the dealers who sell refund motor fuel are advised of this change in the law a great deal of confusion will result, and a lot of refund claims will not be payable. It is, therefore, important that each user of refund motor oil who expects to file a claim for a refund of the tax acquaint himself with the new provisions of the law.

## Over Half Inch Rain Last Friday

Brownfield and territory received 63-100 inch rain last Friday morning which began falling slowly slightly after midnight, and continued until about eight o'clock Friday morning. Hard showers fell from about five to seven o'clock. This put some much needed moisture in the ground, and with cool and considerably cloudy weather since then, has done a world of good to crops.

Some portions of the county, especially the south part, received much heavier rains than here. Down about the W. B. Benton farm, 12 miles south of town, they reported the heaviest rain in two years. As we write this, low heavy clouds overhang the section, and a heavy mist is falling which may turn into a general rain.

Each and everyone is much more optimistic about crops than a few weeks ago, and some are of the opinion that we still have a chance for a 20,000 bale crop of cotton, and a near normal corn and feed crop.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Knight and two children have been visiting Mr. Knight's father at Graham, Texas.

## A Visit to The Sticks And "Cricks"

You know it enlarges one mentally and rests one physically to get to another kind of country every now and then and see how and where the other fellow lives.

If one were to stay up on these flat ballies all the time, he might get fat and bald. But to get down among the "sticks and cricks" every now and then rounds out the sharp corners, and makes a fellow well rounded if not broad-er. Such a trip was indulged in the past week end by the Old Pilot of this rag, the Mrs. Pilot, Master Jack Taylor Stricklin III., who will one day perhaps run this old Remington, and Mrs. Bill Lyle and son, Donnie of Lubbock. Mrs. Lyle and son visited Bill's folks at Brownwood, while we imposed on our son-in-law's mother, Mrs. Graves and family.

We went via Tahoka, Post, Sweetwater, Abilene and Coleman, and found the crops just about as spotted one place as another. Here for a few miles good, then burned up, but no place will they average with the Plains section, nor are the crops and grass as green off as on the caprock. However the rain which fell the morning we left (Friday) reached from here to where we went, and appeared to be about the same all the way. Much corn from Coleman on was made, however, apparently before being burned up. The rains will benefit the little bumblebee cotton and late feed in all sections.

The Mrs. Pilot is a veteran fisherwoman, and if she can get one "bite" she will fish all day if the others will stay with her. So, the son-in-law Herman Trigg took her and his mother out on the big lake Brownwood in their motor boat for an all day fish. And by the way, she caught the only fish they got that day, a three pound bass that made a fine "mess" for the entire family or families. The rest of us stayed at home to herd the two kids, Jack Taylor and Bob Lockett, grandson of Mrs. Graves.

Sunday morning while the rest stayed at home to cook the fish and chicken, the writer, Mrs. Graves, the Mrs. Pilot and the grandson went out to two mighty fine farm houses in the May section, which belong to Mrs. Graves' sisters, Mesdames Kennedy and Smith. As they had a lot of fine ripe Elbertas out there, Mrs. Pilot had to load on a bushel at the Kennedy place. Saw the place, an old two story residence where Mrs. Graves was born and reared, where as a girl she used to slide down the big posts which held up the second story gallery, and finally married Dr. Trigg, who died several years ago. Her second husband is a Santa Fe passenger conductor, and was out on a run all the time we were down there, and we failed to see that very friendly gentleman.

But we were well entertained and saw all the interesting places thereabouts. Being a college town, it is quiet and easy going. It has two denominational college, Howard Payne, Baptist, and Daniel Baker, Presbyterian, both great schools. The town is dry, but like all large cities, we suppose there is some bootlegging. In fact we noted the court docket in the Daily Bulletin reported many cases of liquor law violations coming up.

About the most interesting development now going on there is miles and miles of concrete irrigation ditches leading from lake Brownwood, and next year thousands of acres of crops and vegetables and fruits under irrigation will greet the eye of the visitor. But we saw places where the careless smoker, or the careless camper played havoc with grass and timber. One place on Pecan Bayou there was about two acres of orchard with perhaps two-year-old pecans, of the papershell variety, where the grass had died, and caught fire. Of course the valuable young orchard was ruined.

And so to home same route except via Post to Lubbock to carry our fellow passengers home. Reach-

## Chamber of Commerce Items

By J. E. SHELTON

Due to the fact that so many members of the Chamber of Commerce are away on their vacations, several directors being included in the list, it has been decided to postpone the membership banquet which was slated for Friday night of this week, to a later date. No definite time has been decided upon, but when it is, all members will be personally contacted and urged to attend.

The County Fair, which was thought to have been abandoned has come to life and will be staged at some time during the latter part of September. The change of heart was caused for the reason that citizens in general were very much in favor of it and a committee of leading farmers called on the directors of the Chamber of Commerce and requested the organization to sponsor it. More detailed information concerning it will be published in the next issue of this paper. We of course will have a County Exhibit at the Lubbock Fair and are considering an exhibit at the Dallas Fair. The latter however, will depend upon circumstances.

Why don't we all join forces and develop that County Park. The writer has reason to believe that the WPA allotment that was made upon it about three years ago can be re-instated. The plans call for a football field as well as many other recreational facilities, which include a completed County Fair setup and the cost to the county and city is not prohibitive. About the biggest objection that I have heard concerning this project from a football standpoint, is, that it is too far from the school building and yet there are many towns in Texas in which the football field is much farther away from the school buildings than would be the case if it is located on the parksite. However, the development of a football field is not the only "crying need". We should have a county playground and not have to depend upon a windmill and stock tank for a place to hold our picnics and public gatherings. We did have a sandhill in Ray Brownfield's pasture, but I am informed that it has blown away. From all the information that is available, it appears that our football games will be staged in the same old place in the north part of town. That is, provided that it will not be sold in the meantime.

## SULFANILAMIDE VARIANT NOT TUBERCULOSIS CURE

A new variant of sulfanilamide announced recently at a meeting of the American Chemical Society of Baltimore, Md., appears to have an inhibiting effect on the growth of the tubercle bacillus in laboratory tests, but there is no reason at present for believing the substance will cure tuberculosis according to The Bulletin of the National Tuberculosis Association.

"The substance is derived from sulfanilamide plus a fat component, and in theory this combination seems to have power of penetrating the waxy capsule of the tubercle bacilli and other acid-fast bacilli," reported The Bulletin. "The new compound is known as N-1-dodecyl-sulfanilamide. Its discoverers hope at most that, with further experiment, the drug may have some effect in slowing down the tuberculosis process. It will require many months of intensive laboratory work to determine what, if any, treatment value is may possess."—The Chas-er.

Mrs. Roland Ward returned to her home in Enid, Okla., Friday after a visit with Mrs. Ray Christopher.

Buses having supplanted street cars in Dublin, Ireland, the upper decks of the old "trams" are being offered for sale as summer houses for suburban gardens.

ed Brownfield about 10:30 p. m. Sunday, and to work again Monday. Such is life.

## AQUACADE STAR



NEW YORK (Special)—Aqualle Eleanor Holm, star of Billy Rose's Aquacade at the New York World's Fair, pictured as she awaits her cue in the huge marine amphitheatre where the water spectacle is staged.

## Curb and Gutter Setting Moving Fast

As it appeared to the writer that the setting of the street curbs and gutters for the new street paving project was moving so much faster than the old one back in the spring, when several blocks were paved. Noticing so much faster progress, led us to inquire of city officials if it just meant that the workers were learning more about making gutters and curbs, was the reason for the faster progress.

They admitted that was partly responsible for the difference in speed, but at least one official enlarged by saying that the present construction foreman just knew more about how to get the maximum of work out of the laborers. He stated that the other fellow was a fine man and knew his concrete work, but he was one of these fellows who can't tell a man what to do—has to show him. The present boss can get more done by telling the men what he wants done.

At the present rate of speed, and with a full crew of men, and no delays in obtaining materials, the curbing-gutter job should all be finished way before frost flies this fall, and perhaps much of the caliche work finished. Workmen with trucks are coming right along behind the concrete crew as fast as possible with the caliche base.

The people are really proud of the paving job that is going on here. If there are any objectors we have not heard of them. One man was in our office Wednesday who now lives elsewhere, but has two lots 100x140 feet to be paved the long way. He said he would gladly sign up for this paving before he left as it would greatly enhance the value of his property, close in on Tate street.

## DR. O. P. CLARK TO PREACH HERE SUNDAY

Dr. O. P. Clark of Lubbock, district superintendent of the Lubbock district of the Methodist church, until recently called Presiding Elder, will preach here Sunday at the 11 o'clock hour, according to Rev. John W. Hendrix, local pastor.

Dr. Clark is a fluent as well as interesting speaker, and his subjects are always worth hearing. You are cordially invited to be at this service.

Richard Crews phoned in Wednesday from Wellman that things in his town were doing fair.

Miss Margaret Lucky is spending this week in Lubbock visiting Miss Inez Holman.

## Some Peculiarities Of Our State

In bruising and cruising around over the country, one sees and hears a number of things which put him to wondering, and some things that might find lodgement in Ripley's Believe it or Not column. But Texas is so large with such a variety of soil, different altitudes, etc., that it can be very interesting to the nester as well as the visitor.

Take for instance, Brown county, they have in comparatively recent history had two severe storms, one at Zephyr, and earlier at Bangs, that nearly destroyed them. The first name suggests a gentle, lulling breeze. The latter if singular, would suggest a violent explosion.

Then, there is Santa Anna, in Coleman county, but not far from the line of Brown, that a native Texan, and even a native of Tennessee wonder about why on earth any Texas town was ever named for that low-down cut-throat from below the Rio Grande. True, it may be named for another Santa Anna who was a Texas patriot—there were many such who were of Spanish or Mexican blood. Nevertheless, the name will always sound raw to a Texan, even tho it may just mean a saint by the name of Anna in Spanish and have no reference whatever to the "Napoleon of the West."

To us or anyone who has ever been with us in passing Lake Abilene, that body of water appears to be a real optical illusion. In other words, if you are on the highway next to the north side of it, the south side of the lake looks to be from 20 to 30 feet lower than the north side of the lake, or if on the south end, the north end looks 20 feet higher. And the highway which runs on the west side of the lake is up hill going north, and you can't get out of that. Maybe, some engineer has discovered a way to make water stand slanting.

Another thing which seems peculiar is that all the early towns built in Texas tried to get on a running stream of some kind if possible, even though they knew there would never be a possibility of navigation. As a consequence, nearly every such town has its fearsome floods. Witness recently Brady, Colorado, Big Spring and Snyder. And this idea was even carried out in placing the early ranch headquarters even on the plains. Tell us how many of you know of any not on some lake, or the edge of one or at least a low place in the ranch?

In the week days, towns along the Bankhead seem to be just as busy as Sweetwater, but on Sunday they seem like villages in comparison to the Nolan county capital. Why? Well, someone may say that the people from the dry towns around Sweetwater spend their Sundays there to drink beer. Apparently that is the reason, but not all of it. Sweetwater has a number of lakes and parks which are really worth seeing, and they are well patronized and people come there to spend their money for other things than beer on Sundays.

Every town should have a nice park. The people are entitled to them for recreational purposes. Hundreds of people leave Brownfield every Sunday to go to Post, Lubbock, Buffalo Springs, Silver Falls and other nice parks, and don't forget they spend some money while they are in these parks.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is here by given that the City Council of the City of Brownfield will meet on Monday, August 14, 1939, for the purpose of fixing the Budget for the ensuing year for the City. All Citizens interested are invited to attend and make such suggestions as they may see fit.

Roy M. Herod  
City Secretary

Mr. Bill Stell of St. Clair's Variety store spent last week in Dallas making purchases for the store.

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There is very little for us to write about this week in the way of editorials, and we fear we will fudge greatly in our task this week, if it is true that the press is a great stimulant to the formation of public opinion. But, seemingly, there is nothing to form it about. Hitler and Mussolini both seem to be on their vacation; the Japs are not bothering too much. In fact those yellow birds seemed to be a bit bothered themselves just now. The Legislature and Congress are adjourned and partly suited and partly riled us, and we're glad they're gone. The taxing commission (or is it board) has raised our ad valorem taxes to the limit and gone home. Preachers are busy everywhere shelling the woods after Mr. Satan, and we have no particular love for that old fire bug anyway. So, what is there left to write about?

It is not often that one department of our state government takes time out to commend another, but recently the State Liquor Control Commission took occasion to commend Gov. W. Lee O'Daniell for his stand recently taken on drinking and gambling, in which he stated that there were other means of helping the old people other than bringing back selling liquor by the drink, and licensing horse racing. One can readily see the viewpoint of the liquor board, as they are having a hard enough time enforcing the law as it is, without adding other avenues of escape to the dispensers of strong drink. Every loosening of the law, which might make for more violations, will in the end turn public sentiment over the state against sales of liquor in any form. If the liquor people know what is good for them, they had better let well enough alone.

Editor Hale of the Yoakum County Review and another Plainsman gave the Herald warning this week that we were in for a roasting on a statement that the town of Plains was no larger now than 20 or 30 years ago, and we finally made the fellow who has been there that long admit that we were right in our assertion. We made him admit that there used to be more business houses there, excluding filling stations, and at one time they had two hotels, two banks, a movie, a newspaper, and as modern a drug store as some of the railroad towns of that date. We are not trying to disparage Plains. Some of the best friends we have ever had call that home, and if they will just throw their shoulders to the wheel over there, development will start, and in a few years, with a good national highway east and west, and perhaps one north and south, Plains can and should develop into a real good town. We are still pulling for Plains and old Yoakum, the biggest oil county on the south Plains.

Because another automobile driver apparently didn't think it would hurt anything to drive a few miles without a tail light, two young Texas people were crushed and burned to death in their car early Sunday morning, and two others seriously injured. One of the dead were your own son or daughter, brother or sister; what charges would you ask the District Attorney to file against the driver of the light-less car?—Gaines County News.

When John L. Lewis, veteran labor leader, denounced vice president John N. Garner before a House labor committee Thursday by calling him a "labor-baiting, poker playing, whiskey drinking, evil old man," he did the cause of labor no good, and lost



Two eerie experiences in a single morning:
In rummaging through some papers, I found an unopened letter; it was from a dead man. The letter was written last spring; it had trailed me around over the state; had been misplaced and it was months after it was written before I read it.

Then, in turning the pages of a several months old magazine, I came across a picture of the President, surrounded by newspaper correspondents, on a fishing cruise. And there, staring at me from the page, was a close personal friend, who passed away last summer.

Death and hope of immortality have produced the most beautiful and the most profound thought of great writers. Shakespeare has Hamlet saying, "To die, to sleep—but in that sleep, what dreams may come?" In Holy Writ are found rich promises of another life; and, agnostic though he was, Robert Green Ingersoll—when he stood beside the bier of his beloved brother—declared, "In the night of death, Hope sees a star and listening Love can hear the rustle of a wing."

A philosopher exclaimed, "It would be no more miraculous that the dead can live than that the living can die." Life is a miracle that none can understand; only immortality can give meaning to the events of earthly existence.

Mark Twain said that everybody talks about the weather but nobody does anything about it. Well, Jerry Sadler talked about the danger of numerous trucks on the highway Sunday, which is the only day that most of us private citizens get a chance to enjoy motoring, and then Sadler went ahead and did something about it. As a member of the State Railroad Commission, he caused an order to be written keeping trucks (except those handling perishables or doing emergency hauling) from stretches of the five principal highways of Texas. This action will reduce the toll of death and injury and has been applauded by the people generally. Several spokesmen of the truck industry have approved it and, though some modifications may be necessary, those in the trucking business would be well advised to agree to the principle. After all, the roads were built by the people and the people have a right to use them in safety. Particularly on Sunday which is, by religion and law, a day set aside from business pursuits.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dallas and daughter spent the past week end visiting her sister Mrs. Ruth Taylor in Lubbock.

The friendship of many of his supporters throughout the country. There are few men in high public life, so universally respected as John Garner, and the attack came at a time when respect for the labor leader has been sliding in the other direction. We suspicion that 99 per cent of Garner's colleagues in both houses of Congress resented that cowardly attack. We feel sure that 99 per cent of Texans resent it.—Littlefield Leader.

When someone tries to tell you that the big city merchants can sell cheaper than merchants in the smaller towns because the city merchant buys in so much larger quantities, ask him this: How much higher are his taxes? How much greater is the cost of his light and heat? How much more expensive is his clerk hire? How much more costly is his advertising space in the city papers than space in the small-town paper that serves your local merchant? How much more insurance must he carry because he carries a larger stock? And finally, who has to pay all this added cost in the long run? If you've been believing that old stuff about "buying in larger quantities," forget it. Answer the above questions for yourself and you'll understand why the small-town merchant does not have to knock under such sales argument as that, regardless of what section of the country he is doing business in.—Ex.

FRANKENSTEIN

The following editorial is quoted from the Houston Press of April 21, 1939. In it is food for thought for every tax payer in Texas.

"Like Frankenstein, who created a giant and then couldn't control him, the Legislature has created giant departments which has become its masters.

"The Senate Finance Committee made this discovery when it tried to clip \$600,000 a year off the Public Safety Department. The department's 560 employes got busy, and soon the Senate was swamped with messages opposing the cut.

"Some citizens in their zeal to aid the department got their signals mixed. Instead of protesting the cut, they wired Senators to kill the bill. If the Senate had taken them at their word, the department would have had no appropriation at all.

"The Senate bowed to the pressure and restored \$450,000 a year in cuts. It also gave back \$300,000 a year to the powerful Railroad Commission, which has more than 300 employes and can put quite a bit of heat on hostile members of the Legislature.

"The Public Safety Department grew out of the old Ranger force, which back in 1930 was spending only \$130,000 a year. It grew by leaps and bounds. Now it spends about \$1,550,000 a year.

"Some of those who wired the Senate asking that the cuts be restored probably have been kicking about State spending, high taxes, and public extravagance.

"Until the public backs up Legislators who try to economize, there can be no State economy.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire in this manner to endeavor to make known our deep appreciation to all who in any wise were kind and gracious to us in these final hours of deep sorrow. It would be next to impossible to enumerate the different methods employed and those who made use of them in their desire to sympathize with us during our recent bereavement. May God's richest blessings reward each one.

Most sincerely,
Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Hendrix

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pycatt and daughter, Geraldine and Katherine, were in Tatum, N. M., last week at the family reunion of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hall. They report a great time.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF TERRY
TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE IN TERRY COUNTY, TEXAS, GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon Dorthe Freeman, to appear at the next term of District Court of Terry County, Texas, to be at the Court House thereof, in the town of Brownfield, on the Fourth Monday in August, 1939, the same being the 28th day of August, 1939 then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of June, 1939, the file number of which is 2531 in which suit Willis J. Freeman is plaintiff and the hereinbefore named and whom you are hereby commanded to summon, is defendant, the cause of action being as follows: and action for divorce, the Plaintiff alleging that he has been an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas for a period of twelve months and has resided in Terry County Texas, for more than six months prior to the filing of said Petition. That Plaintiff and defendant were married on or about the 4th day of November, 1934 and lived together as man and wife until on or about May 29, 1939, when they separated and have not lived together as man and wife since said date. The plaintiff further alleges Adultery on the part of defendant as grounds for divorce. Plaintiff also asks for the care, custody and control of their minor child Kenneth Freeman age Two years, and the conduct of the defendant generally toward plaintiff and her dependent children to support of said family together as man and wife insupportable, premise considered.

You are commanded to so summon the defendant, and to serve this Citation by making publication once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in a newspaper published in your County, if there be one published therein; but if not then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published.

per is published.
Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.
Witness Eldora A. White, Clerk of the District Court, Terry County, Texas.
Given under my hand and the seal of said Court in the Town of Brownfield, Texas on this the 24th day of July, 1939.
Issued August 24, 1939.
Eldora A. White, District Clerk. (SEAL) 2c

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the sheriff or any constable of Terry County—Greeting:
Affidavit having been made therefor as required by law, you are hereby commanded to summon J. F. Blankenship and his wife, Mrs. H. A. Blankenship, W. C. Saunders, W. C. Sanders and his wife, Mrs. Roxie Sanders, Mrs. Vera Gregory and her husband, D. L. Gregory, E. T. Goodrich and his wife, Mrs. Fannie E. E. Goodrich, G. M. Callaway and his wife, Mrs. G. M. Callaway, A. L. Dickinson and his wife, Mrs. A. L. Dickenson, A. H. Murrie and his wife, Mrs. Mary L. Murrie, Russel Myrick Senior, and his wife, Mrs. Josephine Gertrude Myrick, Russell Myrick, Junior, and his wife, Mrs. Russell Myrick, Junior, M. M. Parks and his wife, Mrs. M. M. Parks, Ross M. Scott and his wife, Mrs. Katherine D. Scott, Norman Sanders and his wife, Mrs. Norman Sanders, N. W. Sanders and his wife, Mrs. Gertie Sanders, W. C. Sanders and his wife, Mrs. R. A. Sanders, A. F. Luse and his wife, Mrs. A. F. Luse, R. E. L. Goddard and his wife, Mrs. R. E. L. Goddard, R. E. L. Goddard and his wife, Mrs. A. H. Goddard, H. Dooley and his wife, Mrs. H. Dooley, J. S. Underwood and his wife, Mrs. Mae Underwood, W. P. Luse and his wife, Mrs. W. P. Luse, Y. O. McAdams and his wife Mrs. Y. O. McAdams, Abbi McIntosh, a female, Matt L. Cobb and his wife, Mrs. Matt L. Cobb, W. A. Myrick and his wife, Mrs. Roberta Myrick, Jack Atkins and his wife, Mrs. Clara Atkins, W. A. Myrick, Senior, and his wife, Mrs. W. A. Myrick, Senior, W. A. Myrick, Junior, and his wife, Mrs. W. A. Myrick, Junior, T. D. Roberts and his wife, Mrs. Ethel E. Roberts, J. N. Lewis, and his wife, Mrs. J. N. Lewis, W. J. Head and his wife, Mrs. W. J. Head, A. F. Cannon and his wife, Mrs. Jennie Cannon, J. W. Carroll and his wife, Mrs. O. W. Carroll, Joe Vineyard and his wife, Mrs. Joe Vineyard, Hayes Sieber, and his wife, Mrs. Hayes Sieber, Fowler Carroll and his wife, Mrs. Fowler Carroll, Que R. Miller and his wife, Mrs. Que R. Miller, R. D. Fox and his wife, Mrs. R. D. Fox, Mrs. Leota C. Potts, individually and as executrix of the will of J. Frank Potts, deceased, O. V. Rose and his wife, Mrs. O. V. Rose, J. L. Shultz and his wife, Mrs. J. L. Shultz, J. Frank Potts, deceased, Mrs. Leota C. Potts and her husband, —Potts, J. M. Hubert and his wife, Mrs. J. M. Hubert, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of all and each of said persons and all persons claiming any title or interest in the North One Half (N. 1/2) of Section No. 80, in Block 4-X, E. L. & R. R. Railway Company Survey in Terry County, Texas, being certificate No. 1274, and all improvements thereon, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Terry County, Texas, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Brownfield, Texas, on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1939, being the 4th Monday in August, A. D. 1939, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 17th day of July, A. D. 1939 in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 2536, wherein Mrs. R. R. White, feme Sole, is Plaintiff, and all of said above named persons together with R. Y. Eckels, W. S. Rowland, Temple Trust Company, H. C. Glenn, as Receiver of Temple Trust Company, and R. C. Glenn, individually, are defendants, and all persons claiming any title or interest in the N. 1/2 of Section 80, in Block 4-X, E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co. Survey in Terry County, Texas, Certificate No. 1274 and all improvements thereon, are also defendants.

Plaintiff sues the defendants alleging that she is seized and possessed of that tract of 320 acres of land, being the N. 1/2 of Section

80, in Block 4-X, Cert. No. 1274, E. L. & R. Ry. Co. Survey in Terry County, Texas, same described in the deed from R. Y. Eckels to W. S. Rowland and by W. S. Rowland conveyed to the plaintiff and by H. C. Glenn, as Receiver of Temple Trust Company, conveyed to the plaintiff, all recorded in the Deed Records of Terry County, Texas.

Plaintiff pleads the statutes of 3, 10 and 25 years limitations as against all of the defendants and avers that all or some of the defendants are claiming title to said lands or some lien or encumbrance thereon, but that she has good and perfect fee simple title thereto as against all the defendants, or either of them.

Plaintiff brings this suit to quiet title to said lands, together with the tenements and improvements thereon, as against all and each of the defendants, and prays that all and every claim and demand of the defendants, all or either of them, upon and against said lands and improvements thereon, be removed as clouds upon the plaintiff's title thereto, and for general relief, etc.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court at its aforesaid next regular term this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT at my office in Brownfield, Texas, on this the 18th day of July, A. D. 1939.

Eldora A. White, Clerk of the District Court of Terry County, Texas.

A true copy I hereby certify: C. D. Gore, Sheriff of Terry County, Texas.
By S. C. White, Deputy. 1c (Seal)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon L. C. Gleaton, Otto Ridgeway, D. P. Pinkard, A. C. Coker, C. W. Lusk, J. B. Weems, C. C. Lytle, C. C. Coker, E. Lytle, C. L. Norsworthy, C. M. Boone and J. A. Walker, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of the said L. C. Gleaton, Otto Ridgeway, D. P. Pinkard, A. C. Coker, C. W. Lusk, J. B. Weems, C. C. Lytle, C. C. Coker, C. E. Lytle, C. L. Norsworthy, C. M. Boone, and J. A. Walker and each of them by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Terry County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Brownfield, on the fourth Monday in August, A. D. 1939, the same being the 28th day of August, A. D. 1939, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1939, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 2547, wherein Bill Collins and W. H. Collins, are Plaintiffs, and L. C. Gleaton, Otto Ridgeway, D. P. Pinkard, A. C. Coker, C. W. Lusk, J. B. Weems, C. C. Lytle, C. C. Coker, C. E. Lytle, C. L. Norsworthy, C. M. Boone and J. A. Walker and each of them are Defendants, and said petition alleging that on or about July 1, 1939 plaintiffs were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Terry County, Texas holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:
All of Section Four (4), Block K, Public School Land, containing 640 acres of land, more or less.

That on the day and year last aforesaid defendants unlawfully entered upon said land and premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully withhold from plaintiffs the possession thereof to their damages \$10,000.00.

That the reasonable annual rental value of said land and premises is \$640.00.

Plaintiffs plead the statute of limitation of three years.

Plaintiffs plead the statute of limitation of five years.

Plaintiffs plead the statute of limitation of ten years.

Plaintiffs plead the statute of limitation of twenty-five years.

Plaintiffs pray for judgment

against the defendants for the title and possession of said land and premises above described, for writ of restitution, for their damages, and costs of suit and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, to which they may be entitled.

Herein Fail Not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND the Seal of said Court, at office in Brownfield this the 27th day of July A. D. 1939.

Eldora A. White Clerk, District Court, Terry County. (Seal) 2c

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF TERRY COUNTY, TEXAS, GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to summon Benjamin H. Wisdom and wife, Belle Wisdom, F. W. Colby, Mrs. F. W. Colby, Henry Frase, Mrs. Henry Frase, Mary Ann Herr and husband, Henry Herr, Mary Ann Heer and husband, Henry Heer, Jacob F. Heer, Mrs. Jacob F. Heer, J. H. Heer, Mrs. J. H. Heer, Susie (sometimes called Susan) Marshall, the husband of the said Susie Marshall, whose name is unknown to plaintiff, Martha Heer Weir, the husband of the said Martha Heer Weir, whose name is unknown to plaintiff Anna Heer Bricker, the husband of the said Anna Heer Bricker, whose name is unknown to plaintiff, Susan Yast and husband, Frank Yast, Harvey C. Frase and wife, Mary C. Frase, Roda Cameron, the husband of the said Roda Cameron, whose name is unknown to plaintiff, Rhoda Cameron, the husband of the said Rhoda Cameron whose name is unknown to plaintiff, Edward Hoey, Mrs. Edward Hoey, W. E. Snyder, Executor of the estate of Levi M. Kauffman (also known as L. M. Kauffman), deceased, the unknown heirs of Levi M. Kauffman (also known as L. M. Kauffman), deceased, the unknown heir and legal representatives of Alice Kauffman, the deceased wife of the said Levi M. Kauffman, deceased, R. M. Kennedy, Mrs. R. M. Kennedy, R. M. Kenney, Mrs. R. M. Kenney, C. C. Akin and wife, Rosa Akin, H. I. Dennis and Mrs. H. I. Dennis, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of all of the foregoing named parties, their heirs and legal representatives, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Terry County, Texas, to be at the courthouse thereof in the town of Brownfield on the fourth Monday in August, 1939, being the 28th day of August, 1939, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 20th day of July, 1939, the file number of which is 2542, in which suit R. H. Gill is Plaintiff and those hereinbefore named and whom you are hereby commanded to summon, are Defendants, and are all of the Defendants, the cause of action being as follows:

Plaintiff sues in trespass to try title to recover the title and possession of all of the Southeast one-fourth (SE 1/4) of Section 21, in Block D-11, S. K. & K. Surtley, situated in Terry County, Texas, and containing 160 acres, more or less, Plaintiff alleging that he is the owner in fee simple of said land and tenements, such allegations of Plaintiff being statutory allegations of trespass to try title; said petition further containing allegations as to One Dollar damages and containing statutory allegations of ownership of said land in Plaintiff by virtue of the three, five, ten and twenty-five year limitation statutes; Plaintiff's petition praying also for costs of suit and for such other and further relief to which Plaintiff may be entitled; Plaintiff's petition being endorsed as an action to try title as well as for damages.

You are commanded to so summon the Defendants and to serve this citation by making publication of such citation once in each week for four (4) consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in a newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published in said county; but if not then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness Eldora A. White, Clerk

of the District Court of Terry County, Texas.
Given under my hand and Seal of said Court in the town of Brownfield, Texas, this the 20th day of July, 1939.
Eldora A. White
Clerk of the District Court of Terry County, Texas.
Issued this the 20th day of July, 1939.
Eldora A. White
Clerk of the District Court of Terry County, Texas. (Seal) 3c

BROWNFIELD CHAPTER
No. 309, E. A. M.
Visiting Companions cordially welcomed.
We need you and you need us.
Jesse D. Cox, High Priest. Jay Barret, Sec.

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Meets 2nd Monday night, each month, at Masonic Hall.
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Meets 2nd Friday night each month.
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# Come Here When Hungry

We feel sure that you will enjoy eating at either the Brownfield Hotel Coffee Shop, or the Hancock Cafe. Eat at the one most convenient to you at meal time.

Whatever the hour, you'll always find a large variety of fine foods. You'll always find our service both fast and friendly. And after a visit you'll understand why we have such a fine reputation for low prices for a good menu.

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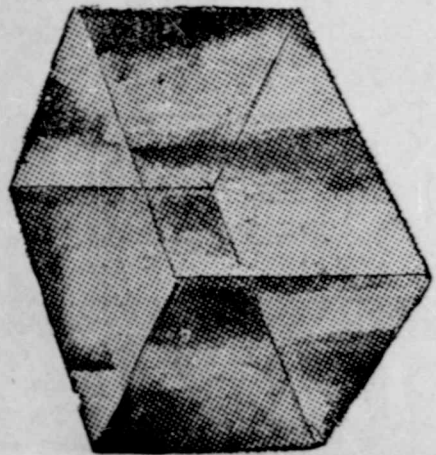
### COTTON QUERY

There's a Cabin in the Cotton,  
But no Cotton in the Cabin;  
Aunt Jemima's gettin' supper  
In a dress of acetate;  
Uncle Peter in a polo shirt  
And pants of rayon yarn,  
Wears a tie of purple silk-spun  
While he's milking in the barn;  
Sara Manth's peelin' 'taters in  
Her brand new celanese;  
Arabella in her berberg  
's on the doorstep shellin' peas;  
Baby Ned and little Eva,  
Crawlin' round the cabin floor,  
Have on little latex rompers  
From the 5 and 10-cent store;  
Oh! the Cabin's in the Cotton still,  
Just like in verse and song,  
But with no Cotton in the Cabin,  
Will it be there very long?  
Chas. E. Fenner

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Bailey and daughter Sandra, left Monday for Corpus Christi on a vacation trip.

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### FHA TRIMS INTEREST RATE ON MORTGAGES

The Federal Housing Administration has announced a reduction in the maximum interest rates which it will permit on some financing mortgages insured by the government.

Officials said that, effective Tuesday, the maximum rate on insured mortgages covering small homes would be reduced from 5 to 4½ per cent, and that the maximum on insured mortgages for large-scale rental projects would be cut from 4½ to 4 per cent.

Stewart McDonald, the FHA administrator, said the new financing terms would be the most favorable ever available to home buyers on a nation-wide basis in the history of the country. They would extend to the public, he added, the benefits of generally lower interest rates now prevailing in the money market.

Under the 4½ per cent interest rate, McDonald said, homes could be purchased on terms as low as 10 per cent down and average monthly payments of \$5.81 per \$1,000 borrowed. Monthly payments averaging \$23.25 would pay off a \$4,000 mortgage in 25 years.

Mrs. Ray Christopher and Mrs. Reba Boyd left Friday for Perryton, Texas to visit their parents.



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### My Country 'Tis of Thee!

From the Portland Oregonian (Pulitzer Prize Editorial for 1938.)

The following editorial written by Roald G. Callvert, associate editor of the Portland Oregonian, and appearing in that paper in October of last year, was awarded the Pulitzer Prize of \$500 for distinguished editorial writing. The tests were clearness and terseness of style, moral purpose, sound reasoning and power to influence public opinion:

In this land of ours, this America, the man we chose as leader at no time dons uniform or insignia to denote his constitutional position as Commander-in-Chief of the armed forces. No member of his Cabinet, no civil subordinate, ever attires himself in garments significant of military power.

tries of peace. We strut na arm. In this land of ours, this America, the average citizen sees so little of the army that he has not learned to distinguish between a Major and a Lieutenant from his shoulder straps. When the chief executive addresses his fellow countrymen, they gather about him within handclasp distance. Goose-stepping regiments are not paraded before him. When he speaks to the civilian population, it is not over rank and rank of helmeted heads.

In this land of ours, this America, there is no tramp of military boots to entertain the visiting statesman. There is no effort to frighten him with display of mobile cannon or facility for mass production of aerial bombers.

In this land of ours, this America, there is no fortification along the several thousand miles of the northern border. In the great fresh water seas that partly separate it from another dominion, no naval craft plies in its waters. Along its southern border there are no forts, no show of material strength.

In this land of ours, this America, no youth is conscripted to labor on devices of defense; military training he may take or leave at option. There is no armed force consistent with a policy of aggression. The navy is built against no menace from the Western Hemisphere, but wholly for defense against that which may threaten from Europe or Asia.

In this land of ours, this America, one-third of the population is foreign-born, or native-born of foreign or mixed parentage. Our from 14 nations. The native-born, whatever his descent, has all political and other rights possessed by him who traces his ancestry to the Founding Fathers. The foreign-born of races that are assimilable are admitted to all these privileges if they want them. We have "minorities" but no minority problem.

In this land of ours, this America, the common citizen may criticize without restraint the policies of his Government or the aims of the chief executive. He may vote as his judgement or his conscience advises and not as a ruler dictates.

In this land of ours, this America, our songs are dedicated to love and romance, the blue of the night, sails in the sunset, and not to might or to a martyrdom to political cause. Our National Anthem has martial words, difficult air. But if you want to hear the organ roll give the people its companion—"America . . . of thee I sing."

In lighter patriotism we are nationally cosmopolitan. Unitedly we sing of Dixie or of Iowa, where the tall corn grows, or springtime in the Rockies, or of California, here I come.

In this land of ours, this America, there is not a bomb-proof shelter, and a gas mask is a curiosity. It is not needed that we teach our children when to run when death-hawks darken the sky.

In this land of ours, this America, our troubles, present or prospective come from within—come from our own mistakes, and injure us alone. Our pledges of peace toward our neighbors are stronger than ruler's promises or written treaty. We guarantee them by devoting our resources, greater than the resources of any other nations, to upbuilding the industries of peace. We strut no armaments that could be ours. We cause no nation in our half of the world to fear us. None does fear us, nor arm against us.

In this land of ours, this America, we have illuminated the true road to permanent peace. But that is not the sole moral sought herein to be drawn. Rather it is

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CORN FLAKES, R. & W. . . . .	8c	FRUIT COCKTAIL, No. 1 Tall . . . . .	13c
VIENNA SAUSAGE, R. & W., 2 for . . . . .	15c	BEANS, Fresh Lima, No. 2 Can . . . . .	9c
CHERRIES, No. 2 Can . . . . .	11c	TOMATO JUICE, Del Monte, 3 for . . . . .	20c

**PINEAPPLE JUICE 12 oz. 8c**

National Shredded Wheat, 2 for . . . . .	25c	Super Suds, Sm. Concent't'd, 2 boxes . . . . .	17c
CORN, R. & W., No. 2 . . . . .	10c	SOAP, P. & G., 5 Bars . . . . .	17c
SOAP, Palmolive, 3 Bars . . . . .	17c	Super Suds, Sm. Red Box, 2 Boxes . . . . .	17c

**Peaches No. 2, 2 Cans 29c**

PINEAPPLE, R. & W., No. 2 . . . . .	15c	MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, 3 Boxes . . . . .	10c
GRAPE FRUIT JUICE, No. 2 . . . . .	5c	Toilet Tissue, Fort Howard, 3 Rolls . . . . .	19c
PEANUT BUTTER, Qt. . . . .	23c	BLACKBERRIES, No. 2, 2 for . . . . .	17c

**HY-PRO, Qt. 14c**

TOMATOES, No. 2 Cans . . . . .	7c	CABBAGE, lb. . . . .	3c
PORK & BEANS . . . . .	5c	CARROTS, Bunch . . . . .	3c
GRAPES, lb. . . . .	5c	BEANS, lb. . . . .	5c
PLUMS, lb. . . . .	5c	SQUASH, lb. . . . .	2½c
ORANGES, 1 Doz. . . . .	10c	OKRA, lb. . . . .	10c

**BACON, Smoked, lb. 13c**

SALT PORK, lb. . . . .	9c	BACON, Sterling Sliced, lb. . . . .	22c
BOLOGNA, lb. . . . .	12½c	PORK ROAST, lb. . . . .	15c
BUTTER, Creamery, lb. . . . .	26c	CHUCK STEAK, lb. . . . .	15c

Hot Bar-B-Cue—Dressed Fryers—Everyday

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that the blessings of liberty and equality and peace that have here-in recounted are possessed nowhere in the same measure in Europe or Asia, and wane to disappear as one nears or enters a land of dictatorship of whatever brand. This liberty, this equality, this peace, are imbedded in the American form of government.

We shall ever retain them if foreign isms that would dig them out and destroy them are barred from our shores. If you cherish this liberty, this equality, this peace that is peace material and peace spiritual—then defend with all your might the American Ideal of government.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roberts and daughter, Letha Nell, of Coahoma, are here visiting Mrs. Roberts' sister, Mrs. Stricklin and family. They also visited their son and brother, E. C. Roberts and wife at Seagraves while in this section.

The last heard of Pat Patterson, he and his wife and Jake Gore and Miss Murphy were in Yellowstone Park. They are expected home this week.

### NOT THAT DUMB

Discovering yet another mistake in his letters the employer summoned his new typist.

"You came here with good testimonials, Miss Brown," he barked, "and do you mean to tell me you don't know the King's English?"

"Of course I know it," she replied indignantly. "D'you suppose I thought he was French?"

### MAHON TO REMAIN IN WASHINGTON UNTIL SEPT. 1

WASHINGTON—Upon the adjournment of Congress Saturday, Congressman George Mahon announced that he would remain in Washington for several days to attend official business before Government departments. His Washington office will remain open until September 1st.

Mahon's office in the Federal Building in Lubbock will be opened about September 1st and he and his family will be in Lubbock during the fall. Lloyd Croslin, secretary to the Congressman, will be in charge of the Lubbock office.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis and daughter El Ray and son Leon attended the rodeo in Tatum, Saturday.

"A preacher prayed the Lord to keep him humble and poor and one of the deacons responded. "Lord, if you will keep him humble, we'll do the rest."

Mrs. Jabber: "When you proposed to me you said you'd rather live in eternal torment with me than in bliss by yourself."  
Jabber: Well, I've had my wish."

### CAUTIOUS

Mr. Smith: "Is this your ball, Johnny?"  
Johnny: "Any windows broken?"  
Mr. Smith: "No."  
Johnny: "Yes, thanks, it's mine."

Mrs. Copeland of Meadow was a caller at the Herald office Monday.

Editor and Mrs. Willard Bright of the Gaines County News, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stricklin, Jr., Sunday. Willard says Seagraves is still growing. They aim to attend the West Texas Press meeting at Pecos. These couples, accompanied by Mrs. Bright's mother, Mrs. Shropshire, took in Silver Falls park near Crosbyton, Sunday afternoon.

### Ward Plays to All Nationalities at His Home

V. B. Ward, owner of the Ward Shoe Service here, as well as one he has opened at Georgetown some six months ago, is up taking charge of his place here while Clifford Jones is attending the Tech cotton classing school. Mr. Ward informed us that he was well pleased with his new location. He left Brownfield on account of his health, seeking a lower altitude.

Mr. Ward says he has one competitor, an old Swede who does hand work all together, who did not want to sell to Mr. Ward but did not mind having competition. Just needed something to do the rest of his life, although pretty wealthy.

Mr. Ward said that evidently the Swede and German population down there took him for a member of their own race, on account of his cotton-headed children, and would try to sell him Swede and German print papers. Ward says he just tells them his people have been over a long time and that he can't read anything but English, and just lets it go at that.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Loyd, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Langford have as their guests this week, Mr. Loyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Loyd, and children, and aunt, Mrs. Leita Stanley of Mt. Vernon, Texas.

Mr. F. T. Loyd and children and Mrs. Leita Stanley, accompanied by Mrs. Linnie Loyd and Mr. L. V. Langford went to the Carlsbad Caverns Wednesday. All reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Randall of Seymour, Texas spent the week end in the home of Mrs. John Randall.

Misses Mary Smith, Juanita Tankersly and Isabelle Claunch returned Sunday night from a few days spent in Ruidoso, N. M.

Ted White spent last week visiting with friends at Shallowater, Texas.

### ANTE-DATED

Polotician: Don't forget the Constitution was written way back in the horse and buggy days."  
Voter: "Yes, and don't forget the Ten Commandments aren't yet out of date, even though they were written back in the horse and chariot days."

Air mail and passenger service has been inaugurated between Chinking, China, and Hami, Chinese Turkestan, where it connects with Soviet Russia's air service, making it possible to travel between Chinking and Moscow in five days.

### YOUR BUSINESS APPRECIATED

See me for your magazines, newspapers and periodicals of all kinds. Also a nice line of cigars, cigarettes, candies, etc. I will certainly appreciate your business, large or small.

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# Revival

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Bible Preaching — Gospel Singing

## Economic Highlights

At this writing, it looks as if the WPA strikes are about over. Several thousand workers have been dismissed for failing to return to work within five days, by order of Colonel Harrington, WPA head. Many thousands of strikers returned to work in time and are back on the job. But the issue from which this remarkable and unprecedented strike resulted is far from settled. And, in order to thoroughly understand it in all its ramifications, it is necessary to go back down the years to 1935.

When the WPA was first constituted by Congress, and the principle of work-relief for the able-bodied instead of direct relief, was decided upon, the idea was that WPA workers would be paid salaries sufficient to maintain them at minimum comfort levels in return for useful labor. Little trouble resulted so long as the workers were put on jobs requiring no skill—leaf-raking, lawn cutting, pick-and-shovel labor, etc. But when the "made" work projects began requiring the aid of skilled workmen, such as electricians, carpenters and steamfitters, the craft labor unions let out a tremendous howl.

Basis of the howl was that the comparatively low pay received by the skilled men on WPA—most of whom were out-of-work union members—would inevitably force down wage rates of workers in private industry and commerce. Whether or not this was true, Congress listened and thought it over carefully. At the time, union political influence was just about at its apex. The consequence was that Congress passed a law under which skilled WPA craftsmen would receive hourly rates of pay in accord with union standards in the locality involved—but that these well-paid men would be allowed to work only enough hours

to bring their total monthly compensation to a maximum of \$92.39. (This is the maximum in the big Eastern cities where cost of living is high; maximum is lower in the South, West and elsewhere where the cost of living tends lower.)

The law went into effect, and a considerable confusion resulted. A two-dollar-an-hour electrician had to work but 46 hours a month for his salary, while a 60-cents-an-hour shovel pusher had to put in some 150 hours for the same money. Much criticism came from within the WPA as well as without. WPA jobs were delayed because of the difficulties coordinating work when some men worked only a third as much time as others. And this year Congress has passed a new Relief Bill making a number of changes in the principle of WPA administration.

Biggest changes are abolishment of the wage differential, and the requirement of all WPA beneficiaries to work 130 hours a month, without increasing wages. And the A. F. of L. craft unions, led by William Green, howled again. The WPA "union," the Workers Alliance, howled louder yet, and called the strike. No one knows exactly how many men walked out—in some sections a majority did, and in others a few did. WPA executives took a firm line and the dismissal hour followed, apparently with Presidential approval.

There is a considerable group in Congress which favors restoration of the wage differential. But, at last reports, this group was decided against pushing a bill to that end now—it looks as if the strike found small public favor, and as if Congress at large is solidly committed to the principle that WPA jobs are relief jobs and that workers have no right to complain. As Newsweek phrases it, "The WPA strikers find themselves on the dubious ground of conducting a

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walkout against an employer who would be money ahead if they would close down every job." Very high government officials have said that there can be no such thing as a successful strike against the Federal government, and that it cannot be recognized or arbitrated.

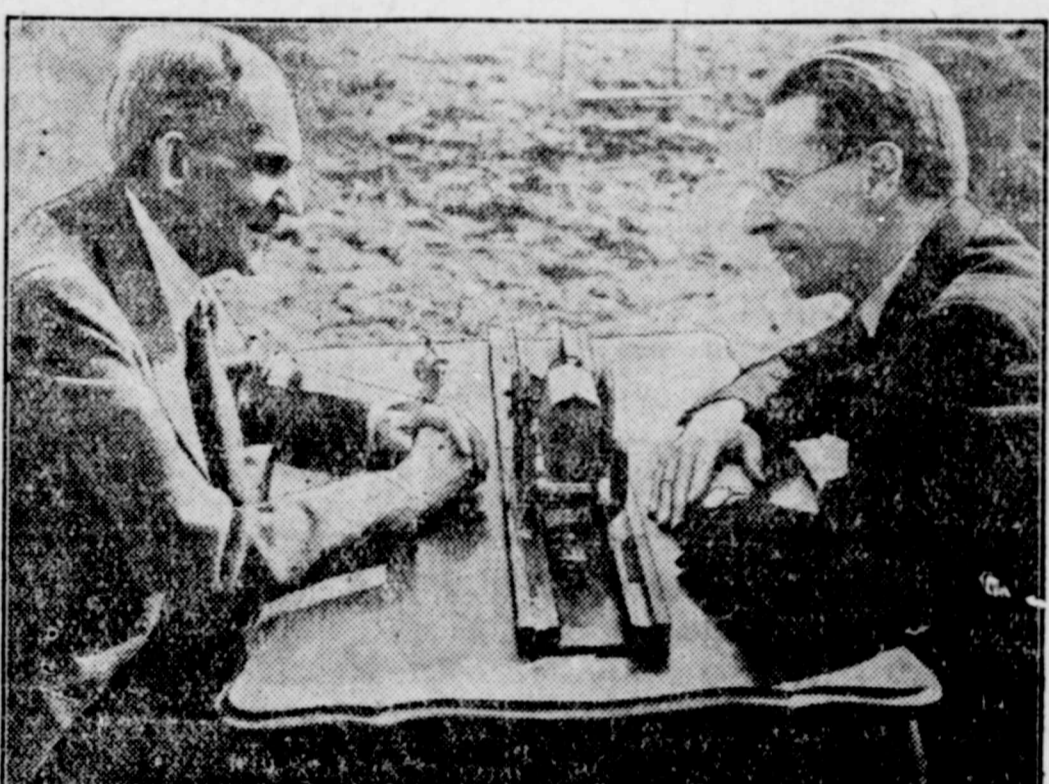
Outlook now is that little or nothing will be done this session to change the 1940 law—Congress is watching the calendar, is sick of Washington, and is eager to get home to the vital work of political fence building. But adjournment won't settle the issues, and

the unions seem prepared to fight it out if it takes years. You'll be hearing much more of it, though the possibility of additional widespread WPA strikes in the near future isn't likely.

Mrs. J. A. King of McPherson, Kansas is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Pete Tiernan.

The First National Bank is installing a large and latest model air conditioner in their building, which we understand will also cool the office part of the building in the rear.

## Must Increase Farm Income, Says Ford



WITH Edsel Ford in the driver's seat to turn the first furrow, the new and vastly-discussed Ford-Ferguson tractor made its world's first public appearance at the New York World's Fair in late July. Shown above are Henry Ford and Harry Ferguson, Irish inventor who developed the principles embodied in the new tractor and its unit implements, with a small model of the tractor between them.

Said Henry Ford: "I look for this tractor to accomplish two things—turn the farm deficit into a profit and reduce the expense of going on the land!" Enthusiastically seconding his father, Edsel Ford added: "The farm is one of the most vital problems now before the country. No political solution yet offered has been able to solve it. To increase farm income by increasing the cost of food in the cities is a policy no one, not even the farmer, approves. And yet every one agrees the farmer's income must be increased."

"My father and I believe that if the farmer can do what industry has done—make his profit out of economy of production and distribution—he will increase his real income without curtailing his market. We built this tractor primarily to cut the farmer's first cost and his operating cost."

"This tractor is the only one we ever made that completely takes the place of horses and mules, thus eliminating draught animals which constitute one of the farmer's heaviest costs. Four cows or six young cattle, which mean income, can be raised on the same land required to feed two farm horses that only mean expense."

Harry Ferguson said that among outstanding new features of the Ford tractor are light weight, simplicity of operation, maneuverability, fuel and oil economy, absolute safety on hillsides or difficult ground, and ability to strike any sort of obstruction without damage to implements. The new machine will do the work of eight horses and four men, he said.

The Ford-Ferguson tractor is now in production, and will be available to the public through Ford and other dealers about September 1. It is being demonstrated daily at the Ford Exposition, New York World's Fair.

## SUMMARIZES RECENT OUTSTANDING DEVELOPMENTS BY U. S. INDUSTRY

"What is new? What is ahead along the industrial road?" Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., Chairman of General Motors, recently put those questions to many leaders of American industry. Replies from 107 companies offer a preview of approximately 250 products and processes in a multitude of fields. Below are some of the highlights of that preview as just reported to General Motors' stockholders in a message entitled "The Creation of Job Opportunities."

**AIR TRANSPORT**—symbol of opportunity for youth—improved two-way radio, safety aids, new engine efficiency, trans-oceanic air service a reality through progress in engineering and design.

**LIGHT** in new and attractive forms bids well to establish a different concept of daylight and dark in the world of tomorrow.

**HEALTH**—research in the fields of medicine and hygiene wages war against disease—adds to our lengthening life span.

**AUTOMOTIVE** progress—such recent features as automatic transmission, hypoid gears, steel safety tops, coil spring suspension and fluid drive point the way to further advancement in performance, economy, appearance, safety.

**RUBBER**—for mattresses, seat cushions and in combination with fabrics. New applications, new economies, expanded industrial activity through research.

**FOOD**—research looking toward improved health, better utilization of resources, the creation of new job opportunities. Quick frozen foods, new types of containers, advances in food preservation—all promote appetite and health.

**FARMING** reaps results of research. Hybrid plant strains, better husbandry, low-cost equipment, all spell higher living standards on farms and prosperity for farm communities.

**CHEMICAL RESEARCH**: Another key to ever better tomorrows. From our abundant resources new products and job opportunities.

**Nitroparaffins**—now being developed for commercial use and stemming

from abundantly available natural gas—open possibilities for a new series of chemical compounds.

**Derivatives of milk, new phosphates from low-grade deposits, bromine from sea water, pectin from citrus fruits**—from many sources come reports of new products and new uses.

**TELEVISION** a new art and a new industry offering new avenues of service, entertainment and employment.

**METALS** are the mainstay of our modern industrial development. The science of metallurgy strides ahead into unlimited new fields of usefulness for tomorrow.

Steel in dozens of new forms and new qualities permits special adaptations which pave the way for a multitude of new products in industry everywhere.

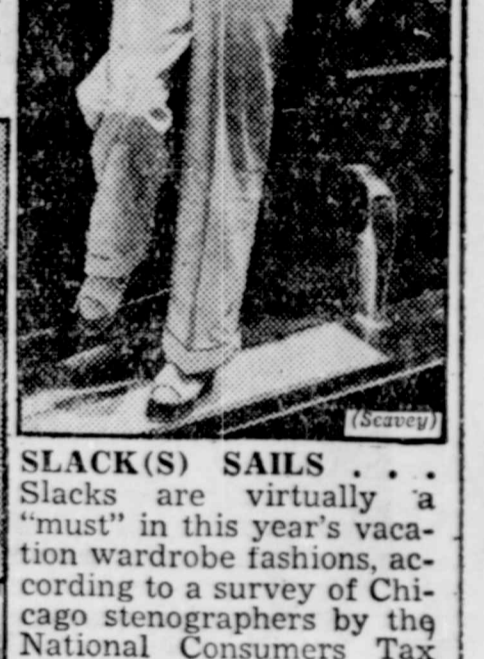
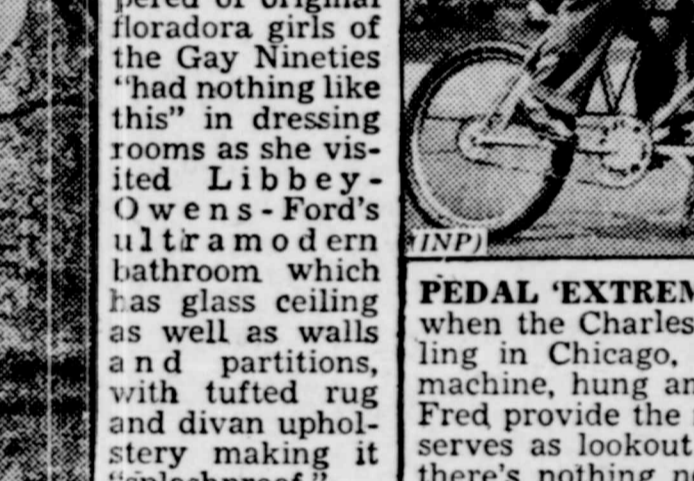
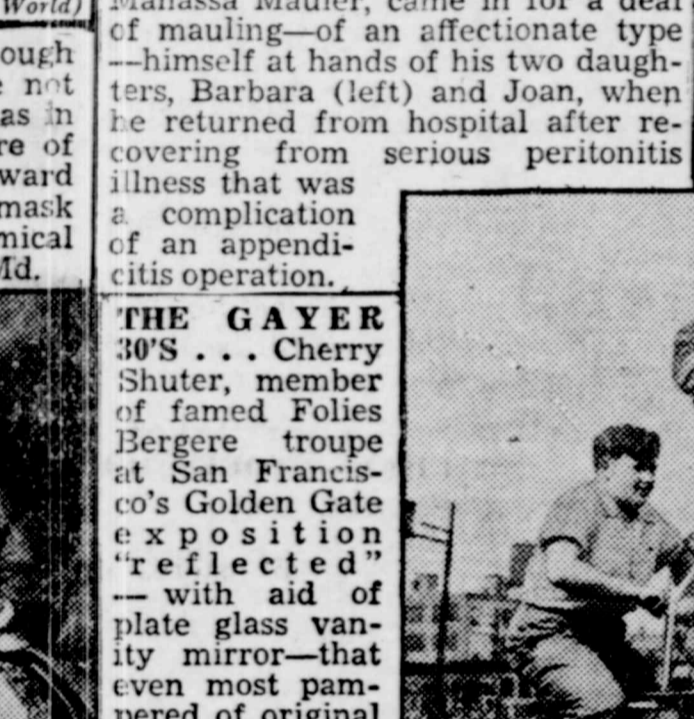
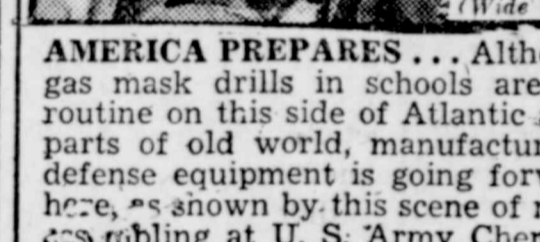
**Alloy metals, performing tasks formerly thought impossible; powder metallurgy, opening new avenues of manufacturing technique; new methods in mining and manufacturing**—all serve to expand markets, attract customers, make more jobs.

**MACHINES** for doing work, machine tools for expanding industrial efficiencies, tools to make work easier, to make more and better products for wider distribution—to make more jobs.

Continuous strip mills lower costs, improve quality; gauges of superhuman accuracy—powerful hoists, pumps—new office machines—new tools of every description are the results of research to help industry serve the nation better.

**FACSIMILE REPRODUCTION** by means of radio—a new form of communication still in its infancy.

## People and Spots in the Late News



**MASS MARRIAGE** . . . Setting new high for collective connubiality in western-hemisphere, Montreal, Canada, held group wedding ceremonies for 105 couples, staging event in International League baseball park. The Rev. Henry Roy, founder of the idea, was celebrant of marriage mass.

**SLACK(S) SAILS** . . . Slacks are virtually a "must" in this year's vacation wardrobe fashions, according to a survey of Chicago stenographers by the National Consumers Tax commission, which showed also that stenos are spending an average of \$48.90 for summer togger, with hidden taxes accounting for \$5.28 of the amount.

**MAULER MAULED** . . . Jack Dempsey, in his fighting days known as Manassa Mauler, came in for a deal of mauling—of an affectionate type—himself at hands of his two daughters, Barbara (left) and Joan, when he returned from hospital after recovering from serious peritonitis illness that was a complication of an appendicitis operation.

**THE GAYER 30'S** . . . Cherry Shuter, member of famed Follies Bergere troupe at San Francisco's Golden Gate exposition "reflected" —with aid of plate glass vanity mirror—that even most pampered of original floradora girls of the Gay Nineties "had nothing like this" in dressing rooms as she visited Libbey-Owens-Ford's ultra-modern bathroom which has glass ceiling as well as walls and partitions, with tufted rug and divan upholstery making it "splashproof."

**PEDAL 'EXTREMITY'** . . . Even Mama pedals when the Charles Steinlauf family goes bicycling in Chicago, treading her trusty sewing machine, hung amidstships, while Dad and Son Fred provide the motive power and little Ruth serves as lookout on the foredeck. Who said there's nothing new under the sun?

### LABOR SAVING DEVICE

College Station, July 24.—Drinking a cup of orange or tomato juice is a labor saving device in securing the daily quota of vitamin C in the average person's diet, since an orange contains the equivalent in this vitamin of three good-sized potatoes, according to Nora Ellen Elliot, Extension Service food preparation specialist of Texas A. and M. College.

Miss Elliot points out that too

many Americans depend upon cooked vegetables for the vitamin C element in their diet, and this is unwise since vegetables lose much of their vitamin content with cooking.

Especially in the summertime, the intelligent homemaker will let a cup of orange juice, half of a grapefruit, a bowl of fresh green raw cabbage and preen pepper salad furnish the vitamin C for one day's diet. These are not only more refreshing than cooked foods

with a similar vitamin equivalent, but Miss Elliot adds, they also help keep the diet from being overloaded with various other food-types.

While drinking orange or tomato juice may be the lazy man's way of obtaining vitamin C, it is not only easy but scientific, she says.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Primm are vacationing in Ruidoso and other New Mexico points.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

COMFORTABLE south rooms for rent. Bernice Weldon. 1tc

IF YOUR CHICKS could tell they'd say, "Put PHEN-O-SAL Tablets in our drinking water." Get some today. Chisholm Hatchery, Brownfield, Texas. 24tc

WANTED—Worn-out horses or mules weighing 900 or more. Pay 50c per hundred delivered to Brownfield auction lots, Saturdays. Lamesa auction, Mondays. Redwine's barn, Lubbock, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, Stokes. Phone 4788, Lubbock. 3p

APARTMENTS and ROOMS—Modern, innerspring mattress, refrigerator. Phone. A clean place. Reasonable. Only 2 blks. west of square. WHITE WAY COURTS. 1tc

MARTIN'S HELP-YOUR-SELF STEAM LAUNDRY  
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FOR SALE, one 4-gallon cow, fresh with heifer calf. Terms if desired. A. M. Crews, Wellman, Texas. 25tc

FOR SALE, \$500.00 cash. 4 room house, two lots, well and windmill. Located one block from school, Meadow, Texas. Write O. W. Watkins, P. O. box 1039, Roswell, N. M. 24tc

GOOD planting seed, will trade for your gin run seed. West Texas Gin Co. 36tc

FOR RENT, S. E. Bedroom, 2 blks N. 1/2 E. of Post office. Ed Mayfield at Snappy Serv. Sta. 2t

TOP PRICES paid for hogs every Saturday—Crede Gore. 51c.

MR. FARMER: I am offering my Farm-all and equipment for \$250.00. It's had fewer miles. Write J. A. Forrester, Midland, Texas or see Arthur Erwin. 3c

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2 late model cars; one, a 1937 Dodge; the other, a 1937 Oldsmobile; also, 100 bushels select cotton seed. Dr. E. C. Davis. 36tc

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### SEE ABOUT CHILD'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE

AUSTIN, Texas, August, 11.—Parents of children starting school for the first time this fall are urged by the State Department of Health to make sure they have a birth registration certificate regarding their child and if not, to take proper legal steps as soon as possible to obtain this record.

Parents who do not have registration notification of the birth of their child are advised to contact their local registrar of vital statistics with whom the certificate was originally filed.

In many Texas school districts, a notification of birth certificate is required to prove the child is old enough to enter school. As the Vital Statistics Department will be called upon to answer numerous requests for school certificates, securing this record early will speed up the process of securing the needed forms before school opens.

Acquiring a record of birth is not only an important part of the task of getting the child ready for school but it is an essential item of preparing the child for the future. The time will come when he will need a record of his birth. Proper registration now will prevent difficulty later on in his life.

In addition to its importance at the time of admission to school, birth registration may be necessary for obtaining a work permit, an automobile driver's permit, the right to vote and the right to

marry; for proof of parentage, inheritance of property, settlement of insurance and in establishing identity.

### MYSTERY OF THE SAHARA

Explorers have a new mystery of the Sahara Desert to unravel. Bones of a whale have been found in the sandy wilderness. This supports a theory that once the Sahara was part of the sea. And, say geologists, the great desert, though it is 3,000 miles long and averages 600 miles wide, might eventually again be part of the ocean! The sand is blowing away so constantly that some day the desert floor perhaps will be low enough to let in the sea.

### CHAIN STORES DOING FAIRLY WELL

The chain stores sales records indicate they are enjoying a larger volume of business than they did five years ago. Here's how much a few did in 1938 in round numbers: Sears Roebuck, \$503,000,000; Montgomery Ward Co., \$408,000,000; Safeway Stores, \$368,000,000; Woolworth, \$304,000,000; J. C. Penney Co., \$257,000,000; S. S. Kresge Co., \$147,000,000; Kroger Grocery, \$231,000,000; Walgreen Drug, \$68,000,000.

Good progress is being made on the 50x40 addition to the Cobb Dept. Store building, as well as the two brick and tile grocery buildings on the highway.

Try a Want Ad for Results

### GOOD NEWS FOR AUTO OWNERS

Good news for auto owners comes from Charles F. Kettering, famed inventor. He says the future will bring carburetors permitting a car to go 80 miles on one gallon of gas. Mr. Kettering generally knows what he is talking about. He invented the self-starter, many other auto devices one called "impossible." He's so curious about so many things that he once gave more than half a million dollars to a college to find out why grass is green. He found out.

### Keep The Mower Busy

Late summer weeds — gum weed, sunflower, ragweed, broomweed, croton weed, and various other tribes of worthless plants which shade the grass and rob it of needed moisture—are now in the prime of blooming and seed-bearing over a large part of the Southwest. Look down under this rank growth and we find grass struggling to survive—when if it had the ground to itself it would furnish several times as much grazing for the rest of the summer, and would be thickening up for next year's growth.

Just as weeds come into full flower is the best time to mow the pasture, but since there may be several species, which do not all mature at the same time, the practical thing to do is to mow whenever time can be spared for it rather than not mow at all, even if some weeds are not far enough advanced and others have already made seed. There is still time for the grass to derive a great deal of benefit this fall from the destruction of its weed competitors at this time of the year.

I wish every farm operator in the Southwest could see the results of pasture mowing, as it is practiced by their fellow-farmers under all conditions. It is not as easy to count the returns from a good pasture as from a cotton patch, but thousands who have had a few years experience know by their general economic improvement that good pastures pay, without keeping 'books' on it.

The weed crop is not tolerated in the cotton field, and we spend hours and days of sweaty labor plowing and hoeing to give the cotton all the soil fertility and available moisture. A farmer who permits the weeds to "take" his cotton is looked upon as shiftless, and gets little sympathy from his

neighbors for his low cotton yields. But grass is also a "crop," and a paying crop with the help of livestock. What kind of cross-eyed reasoning, or lack of reasoning is it, that allows the weeds to rob the pastures while fighting them to the last ditch in the fields?

As a matter of fact the same amount of labor and time devoted to improving the pastures and the care of the livestock to graze them is paying many farmers more than time in the fields.

A mower will kill a million weeds while the hoe is killing hundreds, and a man and team can cover several acres with a mower in the time necessary to hoe an acre of row crops. If we Southerners were as lazy as some of our northern critics think us, we would be using more mowers and fewer hoes!

It takes a good mower in good condition to cut hay, especially of finer grasses. A good mower is desirable of course, for any kind of a mowing job, but that old machine with broken guards and dull sickle will do to cut weeds with, if a better one is not available. A good many farmers are buying second-hand mowers to use in pasture work, and I have not yet seen one who kept his mower busy from one to three times a year who doesn't think it a good investment.

There is hardly a community in which one or more farmers are not demonstrating the value of mowing as a means of increasing pasture profits. If it isn't being done on the farms, the same sort of demonstration may be seen on the right of way, where the highway departments mow the roadsides once or twice in the season. There are miles of highways in the Southwest which have better grass than the pastures across the fence for no other reason than the occasional mowing which gives the grass a chance to do its best. What the highway authorities can do in as a means of encouraging grass in order to check erosion, land owners can also do, for that purpose and for increased forage.

### Urges Forming Local Taxation Committee

ABILENE, August 11.—Organization of permanent local expenditure committees in every city and town in West Texas is urged by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in a report issued today by the Public Expenditures and Taxation Committee. James D. Hamlin of Farwell is chairman of the committee and signed the report.

For several years the regional organization has advocated abolition of the ad valorem tax for state purposes. This long advocacy bore fruit with the recent approval of S. B. 224 by the Governor, officials pointed out.

The new law will, beginning in 1941, remit to the counties half of the ad valorem taxes collected for state revenue purposes.

In the 132 counties of West Texas, this will amount to a saving of more than \$2,000,000 annually. For Terry county it will amount to approximately \$ 7,298.

The tax remission law, together with the new road bond assumption law which allots back to the counties one cent of the gasoline tax, and which will mean several million dollars more to the counties, offers a real opportunity for reduction in local taxes, Mr. Hamlin declares.

Principal function in the local committees will be to work co-operatively with local officials in an effort to bring about economies in government and in passing on the savings of the tax payers. The report points out that 87 per cent of all public expenditures falling upon property taxes is for local government.

### TOUGH ON THE ARSONIST

Times are getting tougher for that most despicable of criminals, the arsonist—due to the splendid work of fire insurance organizations, of police departments, of prosecuting authorities and of courts.

As a report of the Committee on Incendiarism and Arson of the National Board of Fire Underwriters observes, "The past year has been one of continued activity and success as shown by the number of investigations made and the activity of public authorities in making arrests and prosecutions." After many years of constant work, a system finally has been developed which makes the professional fire bug's chance of escape from detection extremely low.

The records of the National Board, covering cases in which their agents participated, show a steady increase in the percentage of convictions following arrests and, generally speaking, a decline in the percentage of acquittals. This means that greater care is being taken in gathering evidence, and greater zeal is being shown by prosecutors—to the end that the arsonist finds few legal loop holes which once made it relatively easy for him to escape the just punishment of his crime.

Of tremendous importance is the success achieved in breaking up the "arson rings" which periodically operate about the country. Under the ring system, arson is a business. Some rings have operated for years, and have defrauded insurance companies and others out of fortunes. The arson fighters have paid special attention to these criminals, and the result is that scores of them are now behind bars, serving long sentences.

The war against arson should have unanimous public support. The "torch" deserves no sympathy. He does deserve the severest possible punishment.

Misses Ima George Warren and Elizabeth Travis spent the past week end in Meadow visiting Miss Ceba White.

Mrs. O. E. Adams of Washington is visiting her son, Raymond Adams near Wellman and also relatives in Brownfield.

### "Behind The Scenes In American Business"

By John Craddock

NEW YORK, Aug. 7.—BUSINESS—Merchants who have correctly judged the trend in style changes and have the right merchandise to sell stand to sell 10 per cent more in the second half of 1939 than they did a year ago. That is how government and private economists feel about the business outlook for the next six months. Women's dress shops should keep an eye on the trend toward bustle effects, which will make last year's styles definitely old-fashioned. The women are favoring short fur coats over full length models this year, a fact which will tend to increase total sales but cut the dollar volume.

Retailers of electrical appliances, furniture, jewelry and other "hard" consumer goods are justified in looking for even greater sales increases than clothing, food, and rug and curtain merchants.

WASHINGTON—One fact of vital importance to business men in agricultural communities that has been obscured by the headlines on the spending-lending bill is that the Government this year has another \$40,000,000 to help competent farm tenants, sharecroppers and farm laborers to purchase their own farms. This appropriation makes a total of \$75,000,000 in the last two years earmarked for the drive to stem

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**Tomato Juice**, Del Mte, No. 1, 3 cans **19c**

**Peaches**, Del Monte, No. 2, 2 Cans **29c**

**Crackers**, Graham's, 2 lb. Box **17c**

**TEA**, Lipton's, ¼ lb., Free Glass **19c**

**Candy Bars**, 3 for 10c **Cigarettes**, pkg. 15c  
**Catsup**, 14 oz. 10c **P. A., Can** 10c

**Lard** Bulk 8 lbs **69c**

**SYRUP**, Ribbon Cane, Gal. **53c**

**Mayonaise**, Challenger, Qt. Jar **19c**

**MATCHES** 6 box Carton **15c**

**PLUMS**, Gallon **27c**

**SOAP**, Camay, 3 Bars **18c**

**GRAPES**, Seedless, lb. **5c**

### MEATS

**Bacon** Armour's Star 1 lb Roll **25c**

**STEAK**, Tender, lb. **17½c**

**PORK ROAST**, lb **15c**

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the impoverishment of landlords, tenants and land. Thus far more than 6,000 farms have been bought under the plan at an average cost of \$5,000 each, with the loans running for a 40 year period. The new life given to these farmers has brought needed strength to the purchasing power of their communities. That there is still along distance to go in the program is indicated by the fact that two out of every five farmers are tenants, farming land they do not own.

Mrs. Vera Nobles of Hamlin was the guest of her sister Mrs. W. H. Collins Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Carter is visiting her sisters in Amarillo this week.

Mrs. Queenelle King, Mrs. J. A. King, and Mrs. Leo Porter are spending this week end in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Kendrick and children spent Sunday in Tahoka visiting relatives.

County Attorney P. G. Stamford and Editor Hale, of the Yoakum County Review, Plains, were in our city, Wednesday.

Foreman: Your noon hour's over. Didn't you hear the whistle to go back to work?"

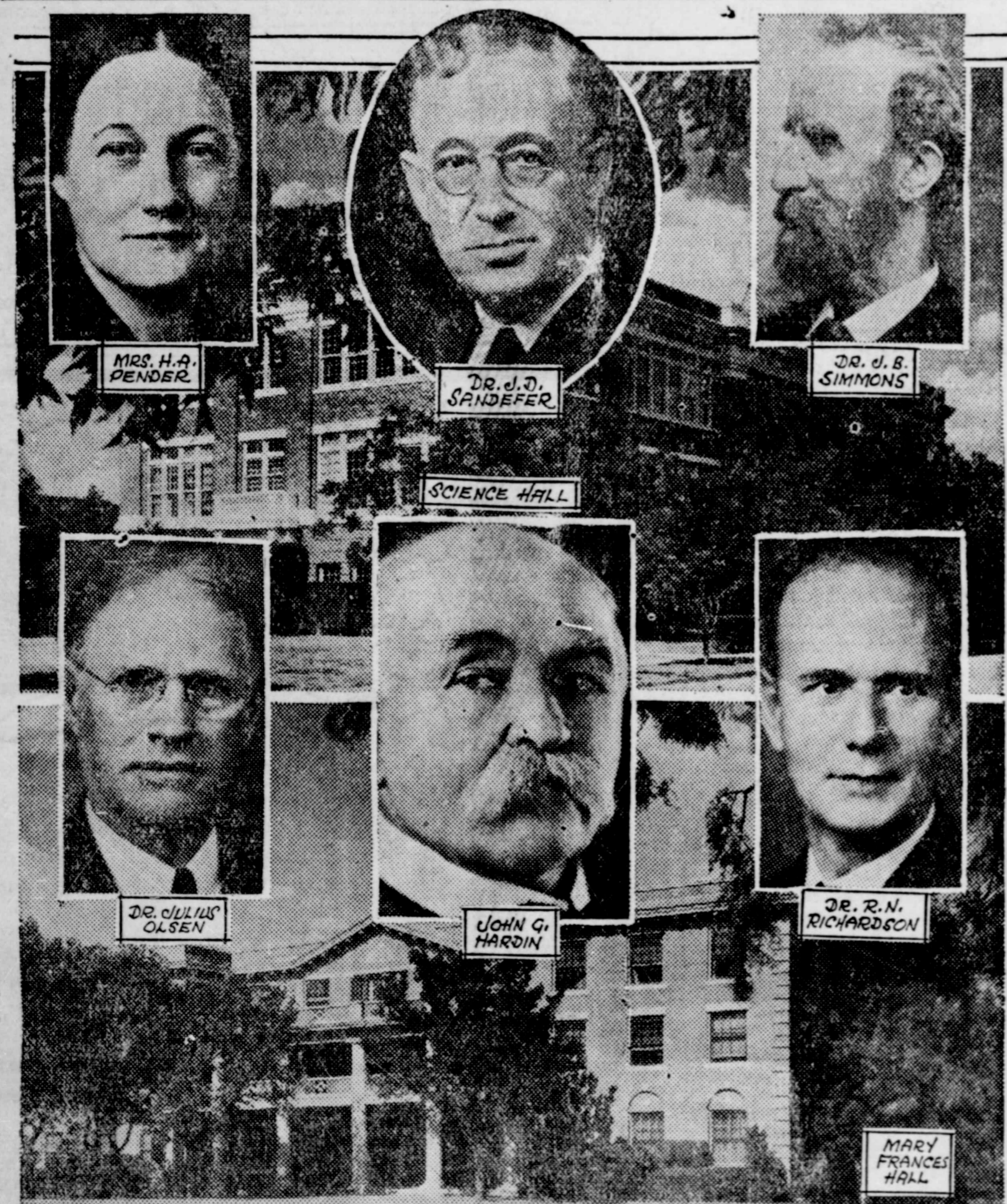
Worker: "Yes, but I was waiting for the echo."

Youth (to fair companion): "Have you ever tried listening to a movie with your eyes shut?"

Voice (from row behind): "Have you ever tried listening to one with your mouth shut?"

"Dat's to keep 'em honest, suh."

## Hardin-Simmons University Plans for Golden Jubilee



Dr. J. D. Sandefer, dean of senior college and university presidents in Texas, completes thirty years as president of Hardin-Simmons University, in Abilene, as Hardin-Simmons makes plans to celebrate its semi-centennial or golden jubilee, in 1941-42. Erection of a new \$150,000 library building to house the university's general library and

numerous outstanding collections, has been designated the first definite jubilee objective. Dr. Julius Olsen, dean of liberal arts, and senior H-SU faculty member with 38 years of service; Dr. R. N. Richardson, H-SU executive vice president and widely known author and historian of the Southwest, and Mrs. H. A. Pender, '11, Abilene, president of the H-SU alumni association, are directing semi-centennial plans. Dr.

Sandefer, president of Hardin-Simmons since 1909, begins his thirty-first year as its head, in the fall. Insets show Dr. J. B. Simmons, late New York educator and Baptist pastor, and John G. Hardin, late Burk Burnett, Tex., philanthropist, for whom Hardin-Simmons University, established in 1891, is named. Buildings are Science Hall, top, and Mary Frances Hall, memorial girls dormitory, below.

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# Society Church Activities Club News

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## MRS. JAMES PARKER DAVIS ENTERTAINS PLEASURE CLUB

Mrs. James P. Davis was hostess to members of the Pleasure Club Wednesday afternoon, when Mrs. R. L. Bandy scored high and was presented with a gift of book ends. A salad course was served to Mesdames Guthrie Allen, R. L. Bandy, John L. Cruce, Dell Smith, Crawford Burris, Ed Stewart, Mrs. Gus Shi and Miss Virginia May.

Maryonna, Gloria and Sonny Nelson of Childress, are here visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nelson.

## JONES-MOORE NUPTIALS

Mr. Otis Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moore of this city and Miss Dorothy Jones, daughter of Mrs. E. W. Camp of Rising Star were married Sunday, August 6 at the Methodist parsonage in Roswell. Mr. and Mrs. Moore are graduates from Brownfield High School. Mr. Moore is employed at the Kyle Grocery.

Miss Kathleen Hardin, taking training with the Lubbock Sanitarium, is home this week taking her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hardin. Miss Hardin will graduate next June.

Saw Dr. Davis this week for the first time since he returned from the old home in Pennsylvania. Ask him what he saw, and said he saw a lot of damrepublicans.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hilyard, of San Antonio, and of course young Ben Jr., about a year old, were up this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williamson. Ben was formerly connected with the Brownfield State Bank, as assistant cashier, and Mrs. Williamson was for some ten years an employe of the Herald. Ben is now an auditor connected with the State Liquor Control Board.

W. C. Smith attended the Texaco representatives meeting in Lubbock, Tuesday. He was accompanied by his son, Mumford of Glendale, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Story and son from Abilene are spending their vacation with Mrs. Story's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Verner of Meadow, Texas.

Mrs. H. G. Verner and daughters are visiting in the J. T. Verner home while Rev. H. G. Verner is in a meeting with the Tokio Baptist church.

## HUSBANDS ENTERTAINED

The Fidelis Matron's Sunday School class of the First Baptist church entertained their husbands with a social hour in the lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Forbus, with Mesdames Forbus, Verner and Clyde Cava hostesses.

The living room was smartly decorated with gorgeous red, white and pink roses from Mrs. Forbus' flower garden.

As soon as the guests arrived, a delicious picnic supper was served on the spacious lawn, lighted by a large flood light. The menu consisted of chicken and pimiento cheese sandwiches, deviled eggs, potato salad, pickles, cookies and iced tea. After supper we enjoyed a lovely social hour.

Those enjoying this occasion were Messers and Mesdames Wayne Daniels, T. G. Sexton, Tom Cobb, Graham Smith, W. M. Verner, Bill Van Winkle, Dube Pyeatt, Shorty Forbus and Mrs. Clyde Cava.

## SPRING WEDDING IS BEING ANNOUNCED

A surprise announcement was made recently of the marriage of Miss Bon Hardy Chambers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Chambers of Wichita Falls, to Floyd (Pete) Owens, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Owens of Littlefield, which took place March 25 in Crosbyton with Rev. R. S. Tension officiating.

The bride attended Texas State college for women and is a June graduate of Texas Technological college.

Mr. Owens attended Tech and was a member of the football team and Double T association. He has played professional football with the New Jersey Giants.

The couple will be at home in Littlefield until fall.—Lubbock Avalanche.

## BREEDLOVES TO CELEBRATE SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Rev. R. T. Breedlove wrote us this week requesting that we state that he and his wife were celebrating their Silver or 25th wedding anniversary next Friday, August 18th. This former pastor of the Methodist church at this place, and Mrs. Breedlove will be pleased to receive visitors from Brownfield at the parsonage, Levelland, in the afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Breedlove were very popular here not only with his membership, but with the people in general, and of course if you cannot go, we are sure they will appreciate a greeting card from you.

## WOODMAN CIRCLE MEMBERS TAKE TRIP

Ten members of the Woodman Circle spent the past week end in Ruidoso and also made a side trip to Almagordo to see the white sands. While in Ruidoso Mesdames Faye Mullins, Thelma Blair, Rose Mayfield, and Cordelia Moore made the Moon Light ride trip, which is made on horse back and is sponsored by the Weldon stables. Others in the party were Mesdames Effie Smith, May Howell, Serena Warren, Viola Mullins, Mary Ruth and May Cook.

## LAFF-A-LOT CLUB

Mrs. Spencer Kendrick entertained the Laff a Lot club Thursday of last week when Mrs. I. M. Bailey scored high and Mrs. Jim Graves second high and were presented with a linen lunch cloth and linen guest towels.

Refreshments were served to the following guests at the close of the games.

Mesdames I. M. Bailey, Jack Bailey, Jim Graves, Jack Stricklin, Jr., Guthrie Allen, Earl Anthony, Orb Stice, Wilson Collins, R. L. Bandy, John L. Cruce, Pete Tiernan and Vance Glover.

## ACE HI CLUB

Mrs. R. B. Parish entertained Thursday morning with a breakfast when her guests were members of the Ace Hi club. Mrs. Mon Telford scored high and Mrs. Christopher second high and were presented with gifts of bath powder and a Revelon nail polish kit. Other guests were Mesdames W. H. Collins, J. R. Turner, Garrett Daugherty, Jim Graves, R. M. Kendrick, Howard Swan, J. H. Dallas, Roy Herod, and J. M. Hill of San Antonio.

## DELTA DEK CLUB

Mrs. J. G. McGowan was hostess to members of the Delta Dek club Thursday evening when a covered dish dinner was served to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Latham, G. L. Daugherty, L. Nicholson, Jim Graves, Raymond Taylor, and Ray Christopher. Mrs. McGowan scored high for the ladies and Ray Christopher for the men.

Mrs. Ray Schmidt and daughter Chloe Marion of Lone Wolf, Okla., are here as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McSpadden.

## VISITOR HONORED

Mrs. Clarence Lewis entertained with a party Tuesday afternoon honoring her niece, Elizabeth Stitt of Seattle, Washington, whose fourth birthday fell on that date. Japanese lanterns and balloons were used to decorate the back lawn where the party was given, and toy China Clippers filled with candy and dolls were given as favors. Refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream were served to the following guests: Raymond Barrier, Jr., Rhoda Ann Barrier, Margaret Lee Barrier, Margie Graham, Ronnie Graham, Cynthia Tankersly, Don Tankersly, Murphaden Ballard, Jonelda Benson, Leon Lewis, Munroe Bill Sawyer, Mumford Austin Smith and Christova Akers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stitt and daughter left Friday for their home in Seattle, Washington after a visit with Mrs. Stitt's parents Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Sawyer. Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer will make the return trip with them for an indefinite visit.

Mrs. W. A. Bell and sister Mrs. Vernon Jenkins of Marshall, visited in El Paso and the Carlsbad Caverns the past week.

## PICNIC FOR OUT OF TOWN GUEST

Mrs. C. J. Smith and Mrs. Dell Smith entertained Saturday evening with a picnic at the home of the former when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gus Shi, Mrs. A. H. Shi, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jackson of Stratford, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Smith of Glendale, Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer Graham, and Miss Edna Rowe.

## MRS. RAYMOND TAYLOR ENTERTAINS I-DEAL CLUB

Mrs. Raymond Taylor was hostess to the I-Deal club Wednesday morning with a breakfast. Mrs. Clovis Kendrick and Mrs. Jim Graves scored high and were given gifts of make up kits. Cut prizes were given to Mesdames Lee O. Allen, E. G. Akers, G. L. Daugherty, J. G. McGowan, L. M. Wingerd, T. L. Treadaway, and Roy Herod.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burnett, Miss Wynona and Walter D. Burnett have returned from Calif. They report a wonderful trip.

## MRS. W. B. DOWNING ENTERTAINS M. S.

Mrs. W. B. Downing, assisted by Mrs. Andrew Loyd entertained Circle no. 1 of the Methodist Missionary Society Tuesday afternoon at the Downing home. Mrs. J. H. Carpenter presided at a business meeting after which a social hour was enjoyed. Refreshments of ice cream and cake and punch were served to the following guests: Mesdames Fred Seale, J. H. Carpenter, J. T. Gainer, G. S. Weber, Glen Harris, Jessie D. Cox, H. O. Longbrake, Mother Cox and Mrs. Singletary.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hudgens left Tuesday for their new home in Glendale, California after a week's visit here. They were accompanied home by their niece, Miss Charleen Graves who will remain with them for an indefinite visit.

## SONJA QUILTS ICE FOR WATER SPORTS

Sonja Henie kicked off her skating shoes and donned a streamlined bathing suit for a sequence in Irving Berlin's "Second Fiddle," 20th Century-Fox hit which co-stars her with Tyrone Power at the Rialto Theatre, Sunday and Monday.

This marks the first time Sonja has worn a bathing suit on the screen, but she proves herself as much at home in the water as on the ice.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

The Bible School attendance again passed the three hundred mark last Sunday and as the weather is cooler and many are returning from vacations it is hoped that the attendance will be better right along. It is regrettable that the teachers and officers of the school have failed to meet the requirements of a standard school and are alone responsible for such failure. Many of them are unable to attend and appreciate the importance of this requirement.

The Brotherhood organization of the church which met Monday evening had 32 present which was their smallest attendance. They would urge upon all members of the Brotherhood who were not present to give their active support in the church revival which will begin next Sunday. The men of the church often fail to meet their responsibilities and it is hoped for this once our men will take an active part in the meeting.

The pastor will be assisted in the meeting by Earl W. Rogers and wife from Fort Worth who are evangelistic singers and will put on a music program throughout the meeting that will interest the people and greatly assist the meeting. They are extending a special invitation to all lovers of church music to come to the meeting and take a worthy part in the song service.

The pastor will bring the simple Word of God, which is the sword of the Spirit, and if you are an honest inquirer of the way of life, attend these services.

All Christian people will earnestly pray that Christ may be honored in these services and that many who are strangers to him may come to love Him supremely.

## FOUR SQUARE CHURCH

Revival continues with great interest and success. Crowds are good and many souls have already been saved. We wish to see all of you out next week of our revival.

Soul-stirring messages are being brought each evening at 8:15 by the pastor Rev. Irene Lee. Special music and singing are enjoyed by one and all and is brought by Miss Katy Lynn Humphries, a college student of Lubbock, and a very talented girl.

Sat., 8:15—Sub. "Prisoners at the Bar."

Sun., 8:15—"Excuses."

Mon., 8:15—"Arrested for Speeding."

Children's service 7:30 each evening. Morning service at 10 a. m. Evangelistic service 8:15. Welcome one and all.

## Milk Is Food—Not A Beverage

Fallacies continue to come, and will to the end of time, but each one is disproved by science. Milk remains our nearly perfect food.

Few people, comparatively speaking, do not like the taste of milk. A cool or cold glass of milk is more of a "pick-me-up" in the mid-morning or mid-afternoon than any other drink. As milk is more completely digested is taken with other foods, it is a good plan to eat a slice or so of buttered bread or graham crackers along with the milk. This snack will not only refresh but "stick-to-your-ribs" longer.

This same reasoning holds for drinking milk with meals. If the food is mixed in with the other foods of the meal, it stays in the system longer and is more completely digested, enhancing the nutritive value of all.

There are few people who cannot take milk. If they do not like milk, the problem is usually psychic and they often imagine that it does not agree with them. The problem is to overcome this phobia so that milk can become the vital part of their diet. Invariably this type of individual needs to be built up to help correct this phobia, milk has to be disguised.

To the few who by necessity or choice prefer to have their milk disguised, the milk shakes offer endless variety. They are easy to shake up at home and are liked equally by all ages—from baby to grandfather. These suggestions are for hiding that extra milk in the diet.

**VANILLA MILK SHAKE**  
½ pint milk Ice cream (any flavor)  
2 teaspoons sugar  
½ teaspoon vanilla 2 tablespoons 4 tablespoons whipped cream  
chipped ice

A sprinkling of nutmeg  
Place the milk, sugar, flavoring and ice in a fruit jar or shaker and shake for two or three minutes until foamy. Pour into tall glass, add ice cream if desired, top with whipped cream and a dash of nutmeg.

The variations are endless—use brown sugar, molasses, honey, various syrups or fruit juices as the sweetening, and accentuate the flavor with any of the flavoring extracts or a blend of the extracts such as rose, raspberry, almond, peppermint, lemon, spice.

**Orange—Add 2 tablespoons of fresh orange juice and a grating of ½ teaspoon orange extract and a few drops of orange coloring.**

**Strawberry—Add ½ teaspoon strawberry extract and a few drops of red coloring.**

**Grape—Add two or more tablespoons of grape juice.**

**Chocolate—Add two or more tablespoons chocolate syrup.**

**Coffee—Add two or more tablespoons of strong coffee. This with the chocolate syrup makes a delightful flavor.**

**Orange Milk Shake**  
1 cup orange juice ½ cup ice  
1 cup milk 2 tablespoons sugar  
Combine ingredients in a fruit jar or shaker and shake for two or three minutes. Serve immediately.

**EGG NOG**  
2 egg yolks 2 tablespoons  
1 cup milk whipped cream  
2 tsp. sugar Few grains salt  
½ teaspoon of vanilla

A sprinkling of nutmeg  
Beat egg yolks, add sugar, salt, milk and flavoring. Mix well, pour into glass, top with whipped cream and a sprinkling of nutmeg. Serve well chilled.

Herald Ads Get Results

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Chaney and children went through the Carlsbad Caverns Sunday.

## Hospital Notes

Reported Wednesday at the Tradaway-Daniell Hospital. Master Mays Lane Jenkins, of this county, 11 years of age, was admitted the 2nd, and operated the 3rd for appendicitis. He is recovering nicely.

Mrs. Kenneth Furr, of Gomez community underwent major surgery the 8th. Doing fair.

Mrs. H. L. Vaughn of Plains had major surgery August 1. Doing good.

Miss Thelma Ticer of Meadow was operated the 6th. Doing fine.

Miss Beatrice Pharr, city had an appendectomy the 5th. Doing well.

Miss Mary Jo Patterson, city, was operated the 3rd for appendicitis. Good progress.

Mrs. E. G. Jones, Jr., City, underwent minor surgery the 9th.

Laddy Brownfield had an appendectomy the 5th. Doing mighty well.

Mrs. Harry Hyman, city, underwent major surgery the 5th. Doing fine.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Lucas of Meadow, a 7 pound, 11 ounce girl on the 9th at 8:42 a. m. Mother and baby doing well.

Mrs. R. L. Hardin of Tatum, N. M., was admitted the 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McKee of Plains are rejoicing over the arrival of a girl baby the 7th. Weight 7 pounds, 3½ ounces.

Mrs. W. T. Ballard, of O'Donnell, was dismissed Tuesday.

Miss Vivian Bohannon of Plains, was admitted the 7th, and discharged the 9th.

## NAZARENE REVIVAL TO START A TTKOIK

B. M. Wade of Tokio, wrote us this week that he wished us to announce that a revival meeting would start at the community hall, Tokio, Monday night, August 21, and continue until September 3.

Rev. Hamner Land of Guthrie, Okla., will do the preaching. Each and everyone cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Orb Stice and children spent the past week end visiting relatives in Big Spring and Midland.

Mrs. Paul A. Jones and daughter Sybil, of Amarillo are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Repp.

## FULL STOP

The genius of a local man had carried him to big success in business without much aid of education.

He was asked to distribute the prizes at a school, and made the usual speech of good counsel! "Now boys," he said, "always remember that education is a great thing. There's nothing like education. Take arithmetic. We learn that twice two makes four, that twice six makes twelve, that seven sevens make—and then there's geography."

"The rule is that it's a hat if it is sitting on the top of a woman's head. Otherwise it might be a bird's nest, a vegetable platter, or a coal scuttle."

Herald Ads Get Results

W. E. Steen is entitled to pass to see at RIALTO Fri.-Sat.

"THE CHAMP" (pass good for one only)

Odell Fulton is entitled to pass to see at RITZ, Fri.-Sat.

"ARIZONA LEGION" (pass good for one only)

## THE SILENT PARTNER

All of us realize the necessity for fire insurance as a protector of our investment in physical property. Few of us, perhaps, realize the immense contribution fire insurance has made to the development of this vast, rich land of ours.

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# NOBODY'S BUSINESS

By Julian Capers, Jr.

AUSTIN—The groundwork for one of the principal issues in the 1940 governor's race was laid when the State Automatic Tax Board met in Austin, and fixed the ad valorem property levy for the coming year at the maximum permitted under the Constitution—77 cents on the \$100 valuation.

The action was of course, necessitated by the Legislature, which passed a law fixing a \$22.50 maximum per capita school apportionment. The Board of Education fixed the per capita at \$22, fifty cents under the maximum, and the levy is expected to pay this and take up a \$4,500,000 deficit in the per capita payment.

The rate is made up as follows: 3 cents for the general fund; 7 cents for the Confederate pension; 3 cents for school purposes—all maximum rates.

The school levy was 7 cents under the Allred administration—the lowest in a score of years. Regardless of how the hike came about opponents of Gov. O'Daniel are sure to remind the voters next year that the Governor ran on an economy platform, promised to lower taxes, and point out that he signed the tax remission bill to the counties, which has wrecked the general fund. Regardless of merit, the fact that the Governor's first year of administration

has caused the State tax rate to jump to the highest figure since 1934 is sure to be used as a political argument by his opponents, and when the increased state tax bills go out next year, O'Daniel will have some explaining to do to the boys and girls who pay the tax bills.

### Political Talk

The August political doldrums have hit Austin, as the politicians awaited the outcome of the approaching pension crisis to begin their fall and winter activity, looking toward the campaigns of 1940. About the only active political discussion centers around the race for Railroad Commissioner, which promises to be one of the big races during next year's campaigns. Commissioner Lon A. Smith veteran of many years of office holding in Texas, is up for reelection to a six year term, and he is going to have plenty of opposition, early reports indicate. There is a feeling among the political wiseacres that Smith's number is up this time, and several strong candidates doubtless will bid for the post, sensing this situation. Among those prominently mentioned are County Judge Jake Loy, of Sherman, Ex-Senator Bob Steward of Ft. Worth, County Judge Roy Hoffheinz, of Houston; Ex-Attorney General Bill McCraw, candidate for Governor last year; Carl Nesbitt, former adjutant general; Pierce Brooks, perennial candidate, who ran last year for Lieutenant Governor; and several other lesser lights.

### Thompson to Run

So far as the Governor's race is concerned, friends of Railroad Commissioner Ernest Thompson, runner-up to Governor O'Daniel last year, declare the red-headed Amarillo product is a certain candidate. Colonel Thompson has been keeping his counsel, although he spoke out plainly against the principle of writing a sales tax amendment into the Constitution, at a critical stage of the legislative fight over S. J. R. 12. The present critical situation in the oil industry, brought on by law suits seeking to strike down the whole proration system, and renewed activity in behalf of Federal control of oil, have been occupying most of Thompson's time, but he is known to be keeping a close check on the general state governmental affairs, and with the coming of autumn, the plain-spoken Colonel is expected to begin to talk out loud about O'Daniel's conduct of the state's business.

There has been some talk that Bill McCraw might also try to run again, but no confirmation of this report has reached Austin, and lately rumors have it McCraw is looking carefully at the prospective Railroad Commissioner's race for Lon Smith's place.

### Ragsdale Replies

Bailey Ragsdale, of Crockett, an intelligent and able young legislator, who pushed through the House a soil conservation bill to benefit Texas farmers at the regular session, was a supporter also of Gov. O'Daniel's constitutional sales tax plan and other O'Daniel measures. Ragsdale also authored the bill to restore race track betting. When O'Daniel condemned those who want return of race betting in his radio speech, and classed those who sought such legislation as pawns of race track gamblers and racketeers, he drew a sharp answer from the Crockett legislator. Ragsdale declared he acted solely in the interest of ranchers and stockraisers, who also want race track betting restored, and denied any association or influence from gamblers. He declared the theory of this group is that you can't abolish gambling, and it is better to regulate it and take revenue from it.

### New Oil Proposals

Efforts of the Cardenas government of Mexico to renew negotiations for settlement of the controversy growing out of the confiscation of \$400,000,000 worth of American and British oil holdings in Mexico, were renewed this week. Texas oil men who are carefully watching the situation report the new proposals, submitted by Mexican Ambassador Najera to Donald Richberg, representative of the companies, in Washington, provide for the Mexicans to retain control of the oil properties with the companies operating the properties, and paying themselves for their properties, out of a part of the operating proceeds. The proposal, insiders here report, is entirely unacceptable and will be rejected. Texans were interested in reports that Japan is preparing to furnish money to rehabilitate Mexican oil properties and provide port facilities on the Mexican Pacific side, so they can replace oil now being obtained in California, with Mexican oil, when Secretary of State Hull cancels the existing commerce treaty with Japan six months from now, in accordance with notice Hull gave the Japs this week.

### ATTENTION EX-NAVY MEN

The Navy Recruiting station located in Abilene, Texas has important information for ex-Navy men who have received honorable discharges since July 1931. Please mail or bring your name and address to the Navy Recruiting Station in Abilene, Texas and further details will be sent by return mail.

### Gomez

The Gomez Study club met in the home of Mrs. W. G. Swain, on Thursday of last week. After a short business discussion, quilting featured the evening's entertainment. Refreshments of cake and punch were served to seven members and three visitors. The club will meet next with Mrs. T. W. Bruton, August 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. Hosey Key and family returned Monday from Sweetwater, Texas where they enjoyed a several days visit with relatives, at a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Huckbee, Jr. of Brownfield were guests of Miss Nellie Mae McLeroy on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Walker and children visited relatives at Ropesville Sunday.

Messers. and Mesdames Kelley Sears and family; Alvis Patton of Johnson community; Miss Atty Sledge and Mr. Elliot Keeling of Henderson were guests in the C. J. McLeroy home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bartlett and son were Lubbock shoppers Monday of this week.

Mr. D. D. Whitley from Lubbock, R. A. Whitley and family, and Miss Gladys Pearl Swain enjoyed a birthday dinner in honor of Mr. J. J. Whitley's 65th birthday Sunday.

Messers and Mesdames D. A. and Otis Kelley and families are visiting relatives in the Quemado Valley this week.

Grandmother Lloyd returned from Lubbock last week, where she has been visiting her daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Lipscomb.

Misses Guenith Doss, Ida Mae Harkins and Skeet Whitley were guests in the Kenneth Furr home Sunday.

Misses Billie Jean Sain, Edna Lois Paschal, Verna Mae and Sylvia Doss were guests of Miss Arnie Busbee Sunday.

Miss Estella Swain visited Miss Louise Daugherty during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. King and family, and Mr. T. S. Doss and family were visitors in the N. A. Newberry home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Key and family visited relatives at Tatum, N. M. during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Whitley and son, Mesdames J. J. Whitley and T. H. Decker and daughter made a tour through the ne west oil fields, Allred and Denver City, which they found to be very busy places.

Messrs and Mesdames W. E. Winn, George Black, J. W. Rose and Cecil Rose, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Washman visited Sunday in the A. A. Harkins home.

Messrs Thurman Locke, Gordon Walker and J. B. Draper were Post visitors Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hudson and family were guests in the W. G. Swain home Sunday.

Mr Eugene Washman entertained some 24 young people Saturday night with a party. Outdoor games were played after which cookies and punch were served. A very enjoyable time was reported.

Messers and Mesdames W. H. Black, B. O. Black and children left Sunday for a several days trip through interesting points in N. M.

We are sorry to report that Mr. and Mrs. Mace Jenkins' son, Mace Lane underwent an appendicitis operation Saturday.

Mrs. Kenneth Furr is a patient at the Treadaway-Daniell hospital where she underwent a major operation Monday of this week. We hope for these a speedy recovery.

Mr. Clifton Decker from Lubbock, spent the week end with home folks.

There will be a little change at the local Baptist church Sunday morning. Preaching will begin at 11 as Rev. Gueste is conducting a meeting at Johnson. Everyone is invited to come and bring someone with you.

### HARMONY

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Garrett had as their guest her brother Mr. J. W. Hulme of Houston last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson, had as their guests last Saturday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Evans of New Home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Brinston and children of near Brownfield visited in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hobbs last Sunday.

Part of our community had a good rain last Saturday. Although the amount varied very much as some farms only got about one third of an inch while others received as much as 2 inches.

The Quilting Club met with Mrs. George Murry last Wednesday. 32 members were present.

The Methodists are holding a meeting here this week. Rev. Morrison of Posey is doing the preaching.

There were two mistakes in our last week's report. It was Mrs. W. J. Murry whose children met at her home for a reunion instead of Mrs. W. J. Murphy. Then it was Mr. C. G. Garrett who visited his brother in Wichita Falls instead of Mrs. C. K. Garrett as was reported.

### POOL

We had another fine rain last Friday over the entire community and makes everything fine.

Mrs. J. H. Ticer has returned home from the local hospital, where she has been under treatment the past two weeks.

Mrs. S. V. Newson and Luther Ray spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith and family of Harmony community.

Billie Rowe and Foy Gunter spent Sunday at Matt Williams' ranch.

Thelma Ticer was admitted to the local hospital Sunday night for medical treatment.

Rev. A. L. Hicks filled his regular appointment Sunday morning.

Herman Rowe is spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rowe.

Mrs. H. H. Harben and daughters, Pearl and Maxine, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ticer and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Aldridge and Donald visited Mr. and Mrs. Redding and family Sunday.

The Baptist revival will begin at Pool next Sunday night August 13. Rev. Victor Crabtree will do the preaching and Rev. A. L. Hicks will lead the singing. Everyone is invited to attend.

Brazil is constructing a number of buildings to house various ministries, pension institutes, government savings banks and Army and Navy edifices.

In celebration of the 25th anniversary of the origin of the Belgian air force, an international aviation exhibit will be held in Brussels in July.

Kweichow, the most backward province in China, plans the organization of a \$1,000,000 company to develop industrial, transportation and mining enterprises.

Seeing a snake coiled with its head poised as if to strike, Premier Dunstan of Australia jumped from his car, grabbed a stone and hit the reptile with all his might, then learned it was already dead, someone having killed it and coiled it up as a joke.

## SOUTH PLAINS FAIR GROUNDS AS IT APPEARS TODAY



LUBBOCK, Texas.—It is almost unbelievable when one stops to realize that the above scene did not exist 12 months ago.

This picture was taken this week from in front of the Merchant's building on the Panhandle South Plains Fair Grounds at Lub-

bock, looking toward the main entrance. The 17 trees in the background are only part of the 200 which are furnishing ample shade on the once barren grounds. In the foreground can be noticed the splendid Bermuda grass, carpeting the grounds and criss-crossed

with convenient walks. When the 26th annual exposition opens Sept. 25, everything will be in readiness for the enjoyment and comfort of Fair patrons visiting the show place of the South Plains.

### PLAINS

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Cox and children are vacationing in Colorado this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Webber of Plainview visited home folks last week.

Judge McInturff made a trip to Dallas last week end.

W. H. Hayne is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Webber and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morris visited Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Wheeler and children in Odessa Sunday.

Quite a few from here attended the rodeo in Tatum over the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. S. K. McCulloch and Mrs. Arthur Cotten were Lubbock shoppers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Webber and J. S. Webber visited Lad Webber and family in Jal, N. M. Monday night.

Grandmother Cox of Garden City is visiting her son, F. M. Cox and family.

Paul W. Light of Liberal, Kansas is visiting in Plains this week.

J. C. Meredith, of Lubbock, district supervisor of the Pyramid Life Insurance Co., of Little Rock, Ark., was in our city, Monday, on business.

With Pat Patterson, manager of Piggly Wiggly off on a vacation to several of the northwestern states, it was left up to Paul Jones and W. C. Ince to carry on the advertising, and we think they are doing a fine job of the matter. Mr. Clifford Williams, business manager of Humphrey & Davis, distributors at Lubbock, were also well pleased with the ad the boys got up last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nig Osburn of Crane were guests of their aunt Mrs. Lester McPherson, Saturday.

Mrs. Fanny Lucas of Carlsbad, N. M., is visiting in the home of Marie Williams this week.

Mrs. Herman Trigg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stricklin, came home with them from Brownwood, Sunday, to spend several weeks before school opens in Pampa. He husband, Herman will be in as soon as he winds up some business matters in the Brownwood section.

### MAN—BORN OF WOMAN IS OF FEW DAYS

Man comes into this world without his consent, and leaves it against his will. When he is little the big girls kiss him, and when he is big the little girls kiss him. If he is active in politics, it is for graft; if he is not interested in politics, he is no good to his country. If he makes a lot of money, he is dishonest; if he is poor, he is a bad manager. If he needs credit he can't get it; if he is prosperous everyone wants to do something for him. If he is religious he is a hypocrite; if he doesn't go to church, he's a hardened sinner. If he gives to charity, it is for show; if he doesn't he's a stingy cuss. If he is affectionate, he is a soft specimen; if he doesn't care for anyone, he is coldhearted. If he dies young, there was a great future before him; if he lives to a ripe old age, he missed his calling. If he saves money he is a tightwad; if he spends it, he is a spendthrift. If he has money he is a grafter; if he hasn't got it, he's a bum. So, what's the use?

Trapped in Arctic ice for two winters, the Soviet icebreaker, Sedov, has drifted closer to the North Pole than any other ship has been. Food is being supplied the crew by airplanes, and the vessel is expected to reach open water off Greenland by spring, 1940.

### TERRY COUNTY MEMORIAL CEMETERY

The Terry County Memorial Cemetery Association wishes to tell Brownfield, Terry county and the public in general—Our new cemetery located just north of the golf course is fenced and lots are laid off and ready to buy. Choice lots are very reasonable. Go look—Our location is very pretty and is being improved rapidly.

Judge R. A. Simm, Pres., J. O. Gillham, Treas., L. E. McClish, Sec.

### DON'T GO TO CALIFORNIA LOOKING FOR WORK

Agricultural workers in the Lubbock area, today, were urged not to go to California in search of work by L. S. Morgan, manager of the Lubbock office of the Texas State Employment Service. "To go with the mere hope of finding work will result in disappointment and hardship for most migratory workers," Mr. Morgan said. Agricultural workers entering California increased from approximately 2,000 in January to more than 5,000 in June, according to records of the United States Employment Service. The June total represented an increase of more than 1,600 over the corresponding month of the previous year.

Because of the surplus of workers that continues to exist in California, Texas workers who migrate there in search of jobs which do not exist are certain to find the trip to be a costly and useless venture, Mr. Morgan pointed out.

### COULDN'T UNDERSTAND

Little Ann was sitting on her grandfather's knee and after looking at him intently for a time, said, "Grandpa, were you in the ark?"

"Certainly not, my dear," answered the old man.

"Then why weren't you drowned?" she asked him.

**THE RECORD... Facts That Concern You**

**\$2,132,891.90\* TO THE RESCUE**

AND that's just the beer tax revenue this state itself collects... to lift the burden of direct taxation from your shoulders. Nationwide, beer contributes over a million dollars a day to the cost of government. Think what that means in paying for relief, in public works, in old age assistance right in your own community.

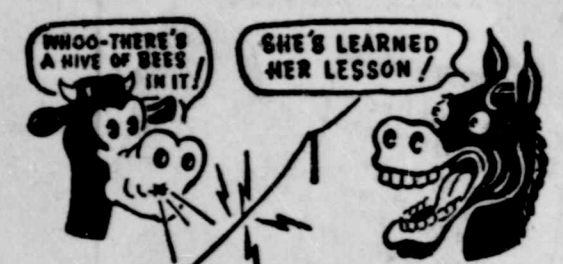
Then think of the million new jobs that beer made. And then add to that a 100 million dollar market for farmers' crops!

How can we keep these benefits... for you and for us? Brewers of America realize this depends on keeping beer retailing as wholesome as beer itself. They want to help public officials in every possible way. They cannot enforce laws. But they can—and will—cooperate!

May we send you a booklet telling of their unusual self-regulation program? Address: United Brewers Industrial Foundation, 19 East 40th Street, New York, N. Y.

\*Data from Liquor Control Board, includes beer license fees and estimate (not official) of mixed license fees.

**BEER...a beverage of moderation**



Make me prove right on your farm that you can put a stock-tight fence for just a small fraction of ordinary fencing. Call me for free demonstration.

RED TOP SERVICE STATION At Gomez Whitley & Son

**PARMAK** ELECTRIC FENCER

**SANITARY BARBER SHOP** North Side of Square We use soft water only

We Sell Mobilgas and Mobiloil



... and give FRIENDLY SERVICE

You can't beat our combination of Mobilgas for quick starts... Mobiloil for safe, smooth performance... and our cheerful, friendly service.

Tom May, Agent

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**NASH CARS**

SEE—

**M. J. CRAIG MOTOR CO.**

**BE SECURE -- INSURE** with **E. G. AKERS**

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# PIGGLY WIGGLY

WHERE FRIEND MEETS FRIEND

Brownfield Friday, Saturday Texas

**WATERMELONS** Eastland Co. Large **17c**

GRAPES, Red Mal, lb. **7½c** | LEMONS, Lg. Size **12½c**  
 LETTUCE, Lg. Head **3½c** | Bananas, Lg. Gold'n, Doz. **12c**

**PINEAPPLES** Libby's Crushed, No. 2 can **12½c**

Grapefruit Juice, No. 2 can **5c** | Pineapple JUICE, No. 1 can Libbys, 2 for **15c**  
 PRUNES, Gal., Fresh **24c** | Blackberries, Gal. Can **30c**

**Coffee** Admiration, reg. or drip, with coupons, 1 lb. can **15c**

K. C. Bkg. Pwdr. 25 oz. **17c** | Matches, Wm. Penn, Ctn. 6 boxes **14c**  
 Brooms, Good Value **19c** | Mops, Linen Water **17c**

**Flour** Gold Crown, 48 lb. bag 24 lb. **63c** **1.09**

Salmon, Chum, No. 1 **10c** | Spinach, No. 2 Can, 2 for **15c**  
 Kraut, No. 2½ Can, 2 for **15c** | Green Beans, No. 2, 2 for **15c**

**Syrup** Staleys White-Gold-en, gallon can **54c**  
 Half gal. **29c**

Fruit Jars, Kerr Ball, qt. **69c** | Ice Cream, Qt. Honey Cup **19c**  
 Oxydol, Lg. Size **18c** | Butter, Plymouth, lb. **23c**

**CORN FLAKES** sunset Gold 2 Pkgs. **15c**

Camay Soap, Bar **5c** | Hominy, 15 oz. Can **5c**  
 Corn, No. 2 Can, 3 for **23c** | Tissue, Scot's Toilet **7½c**

—MARKET SPECIALS—

**BACON** Dry Salt, No. 1, Per lb. **8c**

Steak, Choice 7 Cut **17½c** | Bologna, lb. **10c**  
 Bacon, No. 1 Smo., lb. **15c** | Sausage, Pure Pork, lb. **15c**

**Bacon** PLYMOUTH None Better, Pound **23c**

Roast Beef Ribs **12½c** | Cheese, Sunlite, 2 lb. Box **43c**

# PIGGLY WIGGLY

WE RESERVE RIGHTS TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

**YES—BANKS WANT TO MAKE LOANS**

A short time ago Gurden Edwards, Director of the Research Council of the American Bankers Association, had an extensive survey to find out just how interested banks are in making loans. And here, according to the published report, is what was found:

1. A very high percentage of commercial banks are making active efforts to stimulate the use of bank credit by both business concerns and individuals.  
 2. They have made liberal adaptations of their loaning methods and policies to meet varied requirements of individuals and of business concerns applying for credit.

3. The need of smallborrowers in the fields of business and personal finance alike are being well taken care of by the commercial banks.

This shouldn't come as a surprise to anyone who has thought about banking. Loans are commercial banks' main source of livelihood. They pay the overhead and the profits, if any. They help the community to grow, which is necessary to the growth of the bank.

No banks want to refuse any loans, but there is a percentage of loan applications which must be refused—because they are unsound or unsafe, would endanger the depositors' savings, and perhaps be illegal. After all, the banker doesn't own the money, and the protection of his depositors, who do own it, must come first. But that does not obviate the fact that banks are more eager to make sound loans, for any productive, legal purpose.

Mrs. Gus Farrar, Dr. F. A. C. Perrin and Caroline Spencer, of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Gibbons Poette of Marshall Ford Dam and John Spencer of Abilene were guests of Mrs. J. L. Randal this week.

**MANN SETS RECORD FOR LEGISLATIVE VETOS**

The scalp of the so-called fair trades bill, which dangled last week at the belt of Attorney General Gerald Mann, gave him a string unrivaled by any recent Attorney General.

The young Attorney General, who promised to run the Attorney General's office on the basis of a law office has probably "vetoed" more enactments of a single legislative session than the Supreme Court itself.

The opinions were particularly significant in that they were often displeasing to the political "pressure" groups which sponsored the bills in their legislative course. Here are some of the more outstanding Mann "vetoes."

1. The bill authorizing barbers to fix prices. Mann's ruling resulting in an executive veto.  
 2. He ruled the Legislature could not authorize the sale of liquor by the drink.

3. Local option features of the bill to legalize horse racing were unconstitutional, Mann said.

4. Two attempts to regulate travel bureaus were held in contravention of court opinions. A third bill was approved.

5. Plans to divide up a surplus of some \$10,000,000 in the fund for retirement of local road bonds were held invalid.

6. Mann held that the Legislature could not authorize the loan sharks to collect 42 per cent or any amount in excess of the ten per cent maximum fixed by the Constitution.

In addition to these No. 1 legislative subjects, the Attorney General held several lesser measures unconstitutional; and also in the field of legislation, he invalidated an Austin city ordinance which attempted to require all advertising and soliciting agents to be licensed by the city.—The State Observer.

**WHY NOT A THIRD TERM?**

President Roosevelt was not the man who started the country on its unceasing discussion of a third term for him. And no one except the President knows whether he wants another term or would accept it if offered. It seems to be purely a question for the people to decide; and right now appears as good a time as we will ever have to settle this question once and for all.

Just what is there in American tradition or way of thinking that would bar the president from holding the office for more than two terms? We know that the early day leaders, including Washington and Jefferson thought there might be danger of dictato-

**NELSON - PRIMM DRUG**

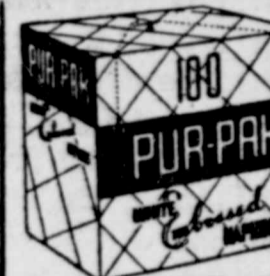
Walgreen Agency Drug Store

**OUTING NEEDS!**

**THE 300 YARD PO-DO GOLF BALL**  
 •Tough •Long •True  
 May, 1939 Johnny Bulla averaged 312 yards with 12 Po-Do Balls! **25c**  
 3 for 72¢; 12 for 2.50



**GALLON SIZE OUTING JUG**  
 ALL STEEL CASE  
 CORK INSULATED **1.09**  
 Crockery lined.



**PUR-PAK PAPER NAPKINS**  
 BOX 100 **.9c**  
 Ideal for summer

**SPECIAL VALUES!**

Avoid Excess Perspiration Use **TIDY DEODORANTS**

Your choice of three popular styles **49c** ea.  
 Powder—Liquid—Cream



**"ORLIS" TOOTH PASTE**  
 NEW TYPE **23c**



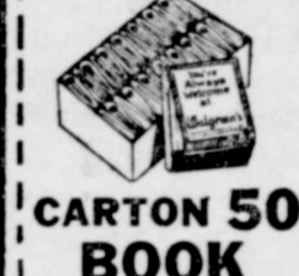
Plain or Chocolate **MALTED MILK**  
 1-LB. JAR **49c**

**BREEZES FOR SALE!**

**A Fan That Folds! TUCK-A-WAY ELECTRIC FAN**  
 POWERFUL AC MOTOR **1.29**  
 Hang it up or stand anywhere.



**CLIP THESE COUPONS!**



**CARTON 50 BOOK MATCHES**  
**8c**



**KNITTED DISH CLOTHS**  
**2 for 5c**

**FLOSS-TEX TOILET TISSUE**  
**3.13c**

**125-FT. WAX PAPER**  
**16c**

**VELOUR POWDER PUFFS**  
**4c**

**VALU-DENT TOOTH BRUSH**  
**12c**

**BOX 500 Cleansing TISSUES**  
**28c**

**POUND MEDICAL EPSOM SALTS**  
**13c**

**PINT Heavy Grade MINERAL OIL**  
**29c**

**Rialto**

FRIDAY & SATURDAY AUGUST 11-12

Wallace Beery

—IN—  
**"THE CHAMP"**

—WITH—  
 Jackie Cooper

Your last chance to see one of the greatest emotion pictures of all time.

PREVUE SAT. NITE SUNDAY-MONDAY AUGUST 13-14

GREAT STARS! GREAT SONGS! A GRAND PICTURE!

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**SECOND FIDDLE**

RUDY VALLEE-EDNA MAY OLIVER

MARY HEALY-LESLIE TALBOT-ALAN DINEHART



**Ritz**

FRIDAY-SATURDAY AUGUST 11-12

**"ARIZONA LEGION"**

—WITH—

George O'Brien  
 Laraine Johnson

Also 2nd Chapter of **MAN-DRAKE the MAGICIAN** at "TRAP of the WASP."

SUNDAY-MONDAY AUGUST 13-14

Charles Laughton  
 Clark Gable  
 Franchot Tone

In

**'Mutiny on the Bounty'**

MUTINY ON THE HIGH SEAS. TRULY A GREAT PICTURE

cies meet with our approval we wouldn't mind if he had another term, if not, we're again, a longer tenure.—Plainview Community Weekly.

Mrs. Leo Porter of Wichita, Kansas is the guest of Mrs. Queen-elle King.

Mr. Weldon Snodgrass of Whiteface is working at the Nelson-Primm Drug store this week while C. C. Primm is on his vacation. Mrs. Snodgrass and children are also here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess D. Cox.

Mrs. Lou Burson visited a few days in Lubbock, this week with her son, Lynn.

Mrs. Gertrude Lees was a business visitor to Lubbock, this week.

Miss Ollie Cotten of Plains, was over to see her mother-in-law, Mrs. Arthur Cotten, who was operated on Thurs.

**Southland in Northland**



Jeanie Brewer (left) and Evelyn Dale, two fairest of the fair sex at the New York World's Fair, sip the nectar from the Florida oranges of the grove transplanted to the Florida exhibit. Misses Brewer and Dale are living exponents of the legend of Florida's Fountain of Youth.