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Softballers Warm Up; Season Opener Is Slated Monday

Schedule Incomplete; Proposal For Lighting Hangs Fire

While the more ambitious of the crowd of enthusiasts were in huddled conferences looking toward arriving at some method of providing a lighted softball field for night play, the less patient of followers of the game plunged into its play this week, and the sound of bat and ball and the clunk of the enlarged oval in the padded mitt could be heard over the southern end of town after business hours each afternoon.

With seven avowed teams seeking entrance, a city league was formed at a meeting of managers and players late in the week. Tom Casbeer, former business manager of Ozona's baseball teams, was named league president. A committee, headed by Bryan McDonald, was named to draw up a schedule of games for the season.

Although the schedule had not been completed the middle of this week, it was announced that the season would probably get under way next Monday afternoon with four teams bracketed for a double-header provided old Sol remains aloft sufficient time to permit the twin bill. The opening assignments call for the Wilson Motor Co. crew to tangle with the Joe Oberkampff team, and the Stevens Motor Co. aggregation is slated for a tussle with the Laundrymen.

Besides these four teams there are three other magnates who propose to launch teams to take part in the melees. These will represent Piggly Wiggly grocery, Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Co., and Williams grocery. Whether all of these proposed teams will be able to muster sufficient strength to come into actual existence on the playing field remains to be seen. Meanwhile, the lighting proposal hangs fire. Estimates are being secured on various types of lighting and enthusiasts are awaiting further figures before deciding on the course to be followed.

Ozonan Shares In \$5,000 Award For Death Of Relative

20-Year-Old Death At Hands Of Mexicans Brings Payment

An Ozonan and two former Ozonans will share in a \$5,000 award made recently by the Commission of Claims in Washington for the death of a relative in Mexico 20 years ago.

Mrs. S. E. Couch and her daughter, Mrs. Ruby Couch Helbing of San Angelo, and Bert Couch of Ozona will share in the award granted for the death of Avery Couch in the Santa Isabel massacre in Mexico in January, 1918.

Avery Couch was a brother of the late S. E. Couch, former Crockett County ranchman and capitalist. He owned mining interests in Mexico near those of the Cusi Mining Co. and was en route to the Cusi properties when his train was waylaid by Pablo Lopez, a Pancho Villa lieutenant, while it was en route from Chihuahua City to the Cusi mines. Couch was one of those dragged from the train and shot. S. E. Couch asked restitution of his brother's death 15 years ago.

FINAL BAND CONCERT

The final street concert of the present school term was given Wednesday night on the downtown street by the Ozona High School band, under the direction of J. M. Edwards. The drum corps assisted in the band's appearance.

Tornado Plays Freak Tricks



Property damage estimated at a million dollars and the loss of nine lives were the toll of a tornado that swept through Belleville, Ill., recently. This picture shows an automobile owner looking at his wrecked car. Note the piece of wood that went all the way through the tire.

Acreage Figures For Soil Program Practices Climb

82 Sign Up 1,204,362 Acres; 15 Are New To Program

Crockett County acreage signed up for the 1938 range conservation program had climbed to 1,204,362 acres this week, with a total of 82 ranchmen signing applications for participation, according to announcement from the office of C. J. Van Zandt, county agent.

Of the 82 signers, 15 had not participated in the 1937 program. Between 125 and 130 ranchmen are expected to sign up for this year's program to bring nearly two million acres in this county under the conservation program.

Definite announcement was received the middle of this week setting May 15 as the deadline for signing applications under the 1938 program, the county agent announced. It was at first thought that this date might be May 1, but the time has been set 15 days later.

Range ridging 200 miles in length has been completed on the Bert Couch ranch, it was announced. Pleas Childress has started ridging on his ranch, with 175 miles of ridges to be thrown up. Tom Owens has just completed construction of a tank on his ranch and is building another. Frank Friend has built a tank to complete his 1938 work, which also included pear digging.

About twenty ranchers have already completed work under this year's program, Mr. Van Zandt said.

Miss Dawes Appears In Concert At Music Club Guest Program

Guest day will be observed by the Ozona Music Club at its meeting next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lee Childress.

On that occasion the club will present Miss Nancy Dawes, pianist, in concert. The choral group of the club will appear with Miss Dawes on the afternoon's program. Miss Dawes will present three groups of numbers.

Each club member will be privileged to invite two guests for the program.

ATTENDS FUNERAL

Dr. H. B. Tandy was in Abilene Sunday to attend funeral services for a former partner in the practice of medicine in Abilene, Dr. E. R. Middleton, who died suddenly of a heart attack upon leaving his office Friday night. Dr. Middleton, who was 53 years of age, was in partnership with Dr. Tandy in practice at Abilene for eight years.

Odessa Attorney Is Convicted On Speed Charge By JP Jury

C. W. Tate, Odessa attorney, paid a fine of \$1 and costs, totaling \$22, in justice court here Tuesday upon his conviction by a jury on a charge of speeding brought by highway patrolmen. Tate was arrested a few miles this side of Barnhart. He, with Mrs. Tate, was on his way to San Antonio. Highway patrolmen who arrested him testified that they warned him at Barnhart to slow down.

The jury trial was the first in many years in a local justice court.

Dist. Deputy Grand Matron Pays Visit To O.E.S. Chapter

Approximately sixty visitors and local members of the Ozona Chapter, Order of Eastern Star enjoyed a buffet supper and program in the lodge rooms at a called meeting of the order Wednesday evening.

The occasion was in honor of the District Deputy Grand Matron of District 5, Section 1, Mrs. Mary Jennings of Ballinger, who paid her official visit to the Ozona chapter. The meeting was also for the purpose of initiating Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Baker into the order.

A program which followed the supper included a violin number played by Billy Hannah, with Mrs. Neal Hannah accompanying, dance numbers by Ruth Townsend and Jo Nell Coose, a piano solo by Miss Nancy Dawes and readings by Priscilla Jean Baker and Joyce West. Nine visitors from the Big Lake chapter attended the meeting.

Pottery And Glass Study Topic For Woman's Club Meet

An Art Day program wherein American pottery and glass will be exhibited and studied will be held by the Ozona Woman's Club at its next meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joe Oberkampff. Mrs. J. C. Montgomery will assist Mrs. Oberkampff as hostess.

A history of American pottery will be presented by Mrs. George Bean and Mrs. Oberkampff will discuss types of American pottery. American glass will be the topic discussed by Mrs. Evert White.

W. H. Dameron of the Ranch Experiment Station near Sonora, with a group of soil experts from A. & M. College, were here this week making a soil survey on the University of Texas Experiment Station 15 miles north of Ozona.

Graham Childress, 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., is in a San Angelo hospital suffering from an attack of pneumonia. The child was taken to the hospital Wednesday.

New Well On U. T. Land In Crockett Pumps 104 Barrels

Choate and Hogan's No. 1 University, new pool opener in the extreme north west corner of Crockett County, pumped 104.19 barrels of oil in a 24-hour test late last week, assuring a new field in that area. The well was to have been put on production after cleaning out.

The strike is in section 17, block 14, U. of T. between the Toborg-Tippett pool in Pecos County and the McCamey field in Upton County.

Harry W. Black and Eubank Oil Co. of Midland spudded a new test on University land a half mile south and a half mile east of the Choate and Hogan discovery, 2,310 feet from the north, and 330 feet from the west line of section 13-14-U.

Ozona Students Win Places In District Meet At Ft. Stockton

One second place, two third places and one fourth place for a total of fourteen points was the record of Ozona High School representatives in the district interscholastic League meet in Fort Stockton last Friday and Saturday.

Second place in district essay writing contest went to Welton Bunger, member of the Senior class of Ozona High School. Bobby Lemmons and Priscilla Jean Baker won third place in the boys and girls declamation contests and Ora Louise Cox took fourth place in the district typing contest.

Mrs. Elton Smith Named President Parent-Teachers Officers Of Organization Elected At Meeting Monday

Mrs. Elton Smith was elected president of the Ozona Parent-Teacher Association for the 1938-39 term at the regular meeting of the organization Monday afternoon in the High School auditorium.

Mrs. Massie West was named first vice president; Mrs. C. E. Davidson, Jr., second vice president; Mrs. R. L. Flowers, third vice president; Mrs. Taylor Word, secretary; Mrs. Charles Williams, treasurer; Mrs. Ira Carson, historian; and Mrs. Welton Bunger, parliamentarian.

The new officers will be installed at the final meeting of the present term in May.

A collegiate theme was used in Monday's program. Eugene Holton, principal of the grade school, speaking on "Foundation for Entering College" and Clarence Nelson, High School principal, talking on the subject, "College, It's Failures and Why." The program was directed by Mrs. Bob Weaver.

Hostesses for the day were Mesdames Welton Bunger, M. A. Runyon, V. I. Pierce, Ben Lemmons, Bryan McDonald, Neal Hannah, Morris Dudley, Roy Henderson, and J. A. Fussell.

Motor Firm Gets First Car Sold Back As Trade-In

The first car delivered by the Wilson Motor Co. upon its establishment last June, is back in the shop — a trade-in. The car is a Buick sedan sold to Mrs. T. A. Kincaid. Last week Mrs. Kincaid purchased a 1938 sedan, turning the other car in as a trade-in. This is the third Buick she has purchased through the Wilson Motor Co. since last summer, one, a coupe, being a birthday gift for Mr. Kincaid.

The local Buick and Pontiac agency also recently delivered Buick sedans to Fred Montgomery and Lee Childress.

Rev. Slater To Gen. Conference In Birmingham

Ozona Pastor Attends Important Meeting In Southern Church

Rev. Eugene Slater, pastor of the Ozona Methodist Church, will leave next Monday for Birmingham, Alabama, where he will attend a part of the sessions of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, to be held in that city starting April 28.

The Birmingham Conference will probably be the last general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South. That conference will be the last act on the nationwide unification move of the Methodist churches and the Conference is expected to vote overwhelmingly in favor of unification. The Methodist Episcopal and Methodist Protestant Churches have already approved the unification plan, under which all three branches would be united into one church body.

Rev. Slater plans to be gone from Ozona ten days. He will attend four days sessions of the General Conference, returning to Ozona about Thursday of the following week to resume his duties here. Mrs. Slater will accompany him to Dallas, where she will visit with her family until his return.

Ozona Troop To Participate In Boy Scout Circus

Plans are in progress for the second annual Boy Scout Circus to be held at 8:00 p. m. Friday, May 6, at the High School Stadium in San Angelo, Texas. The various events have been assigned and the Scout troops in the Ranch District will participate as follows: Troop 18, Eldorado—Grand Entry, directed by J. A. Whitten for the Ranch District; assist in the presentation of the historical scene showing a Relay Station on the old Spanish Trail; Tenderfoot Investiture Ceremony; Explorer division of Senior Scouting; game of Swat Tag; and Grand Finale.

Troop 199, Sonora—Grand Entry; Relay Station on the old Spanish Trail; First Aid Event; Tenderfoot Investiture Ceremony; Explorer division of Senior Scouting; Wheelbarrow Race; and Grand Finale.

Troop 53—Ozona—Grand Entry; Relay Station on the old Spanish Trail; Tenderfoot Investiture Ceremony; Rope Spinning; Archery; Explorer division of Senior Scouting; Assist in Jamboree Camp; put on Chuck Wagon Camp and Grand Finale.

Picnic, Egg Hunt Staged For G. A.

Mrs. J. S. Whatley and Mrs. Hugh Gray, co-sponsors of the Girls Auxiliary of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Union, entertained the group of girls with a picnic and Easter egg hunt on the Pandale road Saturday afternoon. Assisting the sponsors in staging the event were Mrs. S. L. Butler, Mrs. Hartley Johnigan, Mrs. George Bean and Mrs. Ray Dunlap. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and lemonade were served after the egg hunt. Present were Vera McCaleb, Mozelle Pharr, Mary Elizabeth Gray, Doris and Louise Bean, Berty Sue Brownrigg, Billy Laxson, Estelle Patrick, Lila Lee and Aleane Cooke, Aleane Hokit, Georgia Nell Senne, Melba Cullins, Zella Lee Thurman and Elaine Oathout.

120 VISITORS ATTEND DIST. CONFERENCE

Methodist of Area Conclude Two-Day Session Here

DELEGATES NAMED

Reports Heard From 22 Charges; Rev. Steele Preaches

What delegates, ministers and visitors declared one of the most successful and interesting district conferences in recent years was concluded here at noon Wednesday with a worship service in the Ozona Methodist Church, host to ministers and delegates from twenty-two charges in the district.

A total registration of 120 visitors from towns of the district was recorded for the two-day session. All 22 towns in the district were represented, with a full attendance of memberships in many cases in addition to the pastor and delegates.

Towns represented by delegates and visitors to the Conference were Big Lake, Miles, Brady, Sonora, Eldorado, Melvin, Junction, Sterling City, San Angelo, Christoval, McCamey, Menard, Eden, Mertzon, Water Valley, Rankin, Wall, Mochelle, Robert Lee, Bronte, Paint Rock, and Veribest. Delegates Named

Delegates and alternates to the West Texas Conference to be held in San Antonio in October were elected at the closing session of the Conference Wednesday morning. Delegates elected include H. E. Jackson of San Angelo, W. W. Rahl of San Angelo, Bascomb Cox of Ozona, Miss Nettie Mills of Miles, Henry Hodges of Brady, Grady Skelton of Brady, Morris Brooks of San Angelo, and Wylie Pate of Veribest. Alternates were Mrs. L. U. Spellman of San Angelo, Mrs. Henry Hodges of Brady, Mrs. K. R. Hemphill of Menard, W. E. Caldwell of Sonora, Oscar Sellers of Melvin, M. H. Dixon of Wall, Dan Brandenburg of Menard and Bob Minis of Water Valley.

Glowing reports of progress in the various charges of the district were given by preachers in attendance. In addition to the regular business of the Conference, representatives of the various connectional interests of the Conference were on hand and addressed the assembly. Among these were the Rev. Wood H. Patrick of San Antonio, executive secretary of the Conference Board of Christian Education, who spoke Tuesday, Rev. R. A. Taylor, former pastor of Ozona church and

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Children Enjoy Egg Hunt Sponsored By Boy Scout Troop 53

An estimated hundred Ozona children beat the brush and tall grass atop the Tandy hill Sunday afternoon for Easter eggs when the Boy Scouts of Ozona sponsored an Easter egg hunt.

Nearly 1,000 eggs, both candy eggs and the boiled kind, were hidden in the area. Fifteen prize eggs, for which local merchants offered cash and merchandise prizes, were found.

TEACHER IN BELTON COLLEGE VISITS HERE

Dr. A. C. Gettys, teacher of Bible at Mary Hardin Baylor College at Belton, stopped off for a brief visit in Ozona last Thursday with Mrs. B. B. Ingham and members of her family. Dr. Gettys' wife is a niece of the late B. B. Ingham. The college professor was on his way to Alpine where he was scheduled to speak at a Junior-Senior banquet. He was also to preach Sunday morning at the Fort Stockton Baptist Church and to address a general worker's meeting in Marfa Tuesday.

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BE KIND TO ANIMALS

There's a lot about animals in the news of the week!

In St. Augustine, Florida, Count Illia Tolstoy has just perfected a hypodermic harpoon guaranteed to lull a whale into blissful sleep within five seconds after the rude shock of the whaler's spear.

In San Rafael, California, a Mrs. Regula W. Albertus recently "remembered" her bird friends in her will to the extent of \$250,000.

And here in Texas, a Beaumont CCC camp halted work on a new building when the workers discovered a wren's nest on a rafter. A call for instructions from the National Park Service brought the answer: "Hold everything until the baby wrens arrive."

In San Antonio, eighteen homeless dogs were placed in a gas chamber to be destroyed. Five minutes later the doors were opened. Seventeen of the dogs were dead, but out walked one little puppy, too tough or too cute to kill. He found a home with the secretary of the Animal Defense League.

JUST INNOCENT FUN



Yes, animals seem to feature the news, and rightly so, for this week has been designated, Be Kind To Animals Week. Man has no better friends than the creatures he has domesticated — the horses that pull his plows, the dogs that give him companionship, the birds that provide music.

But man's inhumanity to man is equaled only by his inhumanity to animals. Perhaps because of this, a man's character can often be read in the character of his dog. The difference between a whining, cringing beast and a friendly dog is the difference between the good and bad in man's character.

Kindness has a place in all our activities. Let Be Kind To Animals Week remind us of the debt of kindness we owe our animal friends. Be Kind To Animals!

TALK OF THE TOWN

If you've been listening in on those stray bits of wordage that

fall by the conversational wayside, you've probably noticed a change in what Mr. and Mrs. Average American are talking about these April days. Yesterday's base ball game, today's engagements, and tomorrow's spring hat are being edged out of popular discussion by new subjects — democracy, doings on the international scene, and dictators.

In a Dallas tavern, a \$2,000 a week executive weeps for the fate of democracy. On a Nacogdoches street, a passing conversationalist calls for a stand against dictatorship. In a Pecos County store, the evening's discussion turns to "those guys like Hitler that want to run the world."

And it's probably a good thing! For too long we Americans have thought of our democratic freedom as something perpetual and eternal, something ordained for us since the beginning and destined to stay with us until the end. We forget that democracy is a child in the world of ideas, a 200 year old baby in man's 4000 years of progress. For too long we have sat back and enjoyed our freedom, and done little about preserving it.

Whether America's democratic ideals face an actual threat from the spread of the dictatorial idea is open to discussion — and it's certainly been getting it. Be that as it may, the current prevalence of the problem of dictatorship on the public voice and mind ought to lead to a renewed interest in the government and system under which we live.

A democracy, to be a success, requires the active interest and participation of each of its subjects. If the current flood of talk does nothing else, it ought to renew and revitalize America's interest in its own way of living.

FREEDOM FOR PHILIPINOS

Like a lady, safely married for a decade, who suddenly realizes that her coming divorce may bring an uncomfortable sense of insecurity, the Philippine Islands are today beginning to wonder whether they really want to "divorce" the United States. With the might of Japan looming large on the Asiatic horizon, the Philipinos can't help but see the sad shades of political peril and economic disaster hiding the rosy glow of freedom.

Philippine High Commissioner McNutt's recent call for a "realistic re-examination" of the question has so far produced little reaction in Washington. It is obvious, of course, that what the Philipinos really want is to have their cake and eat it. Given their choice they would probably follow the British plan and chose dominion status — complete freedom in local matters, plus protection and trade benefits from the mother country.

Such a set-up would leave America with everything to lose and nothing to gain in the Orient. In exchange for a few naval bases, the U. S. would be dedicated to the task of walling off the Islands from Japan. In exchange for a minimum of control, America would be asked to grant the benefits of American citizenship with none of the responsibilities.

The catch comes in the fact that the Philipinos are in a very real sense wards of the American government. They didn't ask for U. S. control. Should they now seek to keep what they once only accepted,

how can the American government ease out of the situation, difficult as it may be?

MAN'S BEST YEARS

What are man's best years? If you could live your life at one age, what age would you choose? Would you anchor at 20, would you slow down to a halt at 40, or would you be satisfied to follow a normal life span?

Those questions, always good for a verbal battle, recently started a word-fracas in the British press when Winston Churchill, former Minister of State, recorded in the "Sunday Chronicle": "Twenty to twenty-five are the best years of a man's life, the earth is his and the fullness thereof!"

To which George Bernard Shaw, not to be kept out of any argument, replied: "If you want to be a prize-fighter, you don't want to be over thirty. If you want to be an old dotard, well — I'm over eighty!"

The best answer of all came from Dame Marie Tempest, the actress: "Each age should be a golden age, if you keep your brain clear, and if you have the capacity for absorbing those things which will give a happy life." True it is that every age has something to offer. Childhood has its frolic, youth its romance, maturity its mastery of the world, and age its contentment. For some contentment is the highest goal of life. For them, the age which seems to offer least, may in reality turn out to be the best.

What are man's best years? All of them — if he learns to live each age as it comes along, and to forget the joys of the past in the understanding and appreciation of the present.

DOOM FOR THE DOLE

The current decision of President Roosevelt to hurl billions of dollars into the fight for recovery and relief comes as a shock to those who had hoped for a gradual reduction in federal expenditures. After holding the funds spigot under partial control — despite the combined pressure of pump priming associates and recession's ravages — the President has apparently concluded that the moment has come to give re-

covery a multi-billion dollar shove. Whether one agrees with his reasoning or not, at least one benefit should result from this new wave of federal spending—a final doom for the dole.

England, a pioneer in the parceling out of funds to the unemployed, long ago discovered the corroding influence of pay without work. In Italy and Germany, one of the basic factors in Fascist success has been the elimination of unemployment. But in America, workless relief has remained.

With the new recovery and relief millions, WPA Administrator Hopkins has announced his determination to find work for all jobless. In the future, says Mr. Hopkins, there is to be no more pay without work, no more relief doles, no more checks for doing nothing. In the future, a man who wants to eat will have to work, either on a regular job or on relief.

The facts then seem to be these! Economists predict a more or less permanent surplus of man power as a feature of our economic system. Many believe that this surplus man power has won the right to relief, a right which they place alongside the basic American rights of free press, speech, assembly, and religious liberty. But relief must be given for work, not for loafing. The result: continued expenditure of federal dollars to provide jobs in industry and in work making projects.

Whether we like it or not — that seems to be the picture!

THE PEDDLER PROBLEM

Flowers and birds aren't the only things that Spring brings to Texas. The clearing skies and warming sun of April also bring out that other hardy perennial, the door-to-door peddler.

With his well fixed thumb once more going into action, local doorbells are already jingling with his insistent ring. And when his trigger-foot action quickly blocks the door, you'll soon be looking over his assortment of gadgetry and nostrums, and a featured curling-iron bottle-washer at \$1.79.

But the peddler problem has its serious side. According to government reports, where the transient solicitor nuisance is not stopped, his front-porch selling yearly

takes approximately \$11 per capita out of local pockets. Multiply that by the population, and you'll get an idea of the sum that annually flows into the hands of the would-be bargain-bringers.

Like the side show barker, the itinerant peddler plays upon human credulity which frequently seems too willing to believe that traveling suitcases contain better bargains than can be found in local stores. A few decades ago that might have been true, for in those days the wandering hawk filled a real place in the commercial economy of the nation.

But today local stores, their shelves packed with the latest from the four corners of the earth offer style, price, quality, and comparison advantages which completely outmode the peddlers' traveling show-cases.

And don't forget it's the local stores, not the peddlers, who contribute payrolls, rent, taxes, operating expenses, and civic interest to the well being of this community.

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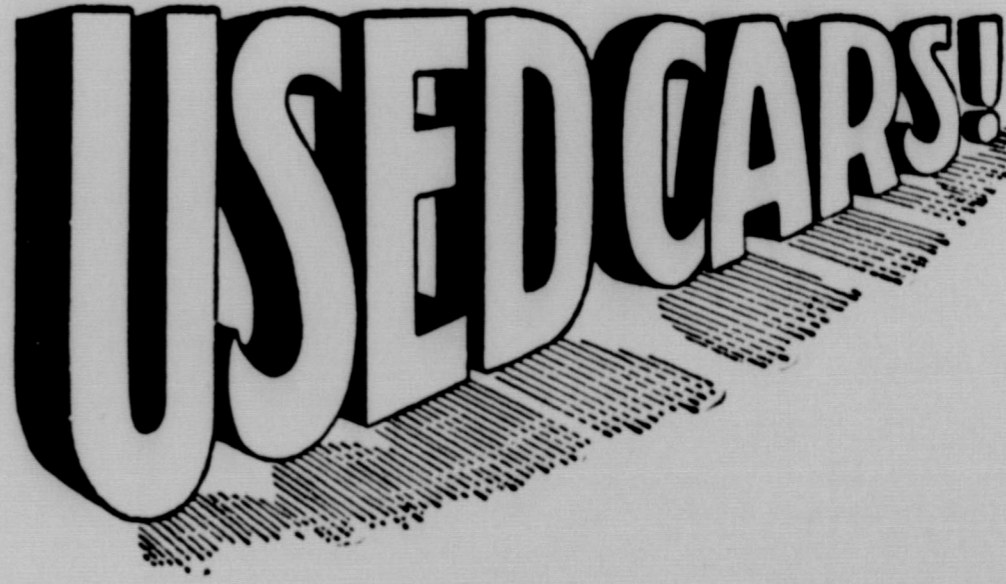
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In this column answers will be given to inquiries as to Texas history and other matters pertaining to the State and its people. Address inquiries to Will H. Mayes, Austin, Texas.

Q. When, where and by whom was the first cotton compress built in Texas?

A. In 1851, at Houston, by Thad and Jerome Hooper and Jacob Ziegler.

Q. Where was "Frostown" and by whom was it first settled?

A. Located in what is now an area of about eight blocks in the northeastern part of Houston and at first called "Germantown," because most of its settlers were Germans and all spoke the German language, "Frostown's" first settlers are said to have been Mrs. Mary Wilkins' family, who located there in 1822 and built the first house in Harris County. It was there that A. C. and John K. Allen, founders of Houston, lived when they moved from Nacogdoches in 1835.

Q. Where and when was the first Texas State Fair held?

A. The first fair that made the pretentious claim of being a "Texas State Fair" was held at the old Macatee warehouse and cotton yard in Houston in 1871. In 1872, the fair association purchased 45 acres on the south side of Houston, which was increased in 1874, when a fair was held that justified its statewide claim.

Q. What Mexican officer reached Texas soon after the Battle of Velasco and on what mission?

A. Col. Jose Antonio Mexia, with five vessels and 400 troops, was at the mouth of the Rio Grande at the time of the Battle of Velasco, where he had gone to engage Bustamante's forces, with whom he agreed to a cessation of hostilities in order to investigate rumors that had reached Mexico that Texans were engaging in a war for independence. He reached Brazoria on his arrival at the mouth of the Brazos.

A. The Texans were delighted at the unexpected opportunity to show Mexia, who was a prominent officer in Santa Anna's revolutionary army, their allegiance to Santa Anna and the "Plan of Vera Cruz" as set forth by them in the "Turtle Bayou Resolutions," and that their activities were directed only against Bustamante's administration. They easily convinced Mexia, if Austin had not already done so,

Barcelona Cleans Up After Air Raids



Citizens of Barcelona shown cleaning up debris after the fearful bombing raids the city was subjected to by insurgent airplanes. Hundreds of men, women and children were killed by the explosion of bombs which threw the civil population into panic.

of their loyalty to Mexico.

Q. What steps did the Texans take to show Mexia and Santa Anna their sincerity and allegiance?

A. In addition to feting Mexia and making oral reports of conditions and activities in Texas, John Austin, alcalde and commandant elect of the Texans at Valesco, with the assistance of a committee composed of W. D. C. Hall, Henry Smith, W. H. Wharton, J. P. Caldwell and P. D. McNell, submitted to Mexia for transmittal to Santa Anna a complete report with his fleet and men, July 17.

Q. Who accompanied Colonel Mexia as a passenger on the voyage to Brazoria?

A. Stephen F. Austin, who was en route home from service in the Coahuila-Texas legislature, regardless of his personal safety in the event the rumors of a Texas revolution for independence proved true, sought and obtained passage with Mexia on the Mexico, the flagship of Mexia's fleet.

Q. How was Colonel Mexia reformed from the beginning of the trouble with Bustamante's officers, a statement of the grievances of the Texans and an inventory of the arms and ammunition taken at Valesco.

Q. What was known about John Austin prior to his reaching Texas?

A. John Austin, a distant relative of Stephen F. Austin, was born in New Haven, Conn., received a fair education and when a youth enlisted as a common sailor. At New Orleans he met Long and joined his expedition against Mexico, in which he was a captain, and was imprisoned with the others of Long's men. Through his influence with the United States minister to Mexico, whom he had known at Yale, Long's men were released in Mexico City. It was there that he met Stephen F. Austin, the two became friends, and

he decided to come to Texas.

Q. What was John Austin's record in Texas?

A. He was prominent in business and in political and official affairs and became alcalde at Brazoria. His gallantry and skill as commander at Valesco won for him the office of Brigadier General over the popular William H. Wharton. He died of cholera in 1833.

Q. Were any signers of the Texas Declaration of Independence native Texans? How many other states and countries were represented?

A. Only Jose Antonio Navarro

and Francis Ruiz were native Texans. The other signers came to Texas from ten states, mostly in the South, and three other countries. Navarro and Ruiz were born in San Antonio—Navarro in 1795, Ruiz in 1772. The families intermarried and have many descendants in and around San Antonio.

Q. What municipality did Richard Ellis represent in the convention of March, 1836?

A. He was elected from Red River. His plantation home was at Pecan Point on the Texas-Arkansas border, the line of which had not been settled. Both Texas and Arkansas claimed him, and in 1835

Miller county, Arkansas had elected him as its representative in the Arkansas Constitutional Convention, which he did not attend because of ill health. His right to represent Red River in the Texas convention was never questioned. A son, who lived in the house with him, served in the Arkansas legislature.

Q. Where and when was Richard Ellis born and when did he come to Texas?

A. Ellis was born in Virginia in 1782 and was reared and educated in that state. He was a man of fine scholarship, rare culture and typical in manners and bearing of the highest class of Virginia of that period.

Q. What service did Richard Ellis render Texas after the 1836 convention?

A. Because of poor health, Ellis did not serve in the Texas revolutionary army, but retired to his Red River plantation, was elected

to the first Senate of the Republic and was chosen its first pro tempore president. He was elected to that body for four successive terms.

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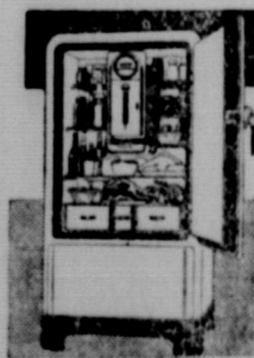
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HOME BUILDERS' PAGE

2 Hundred Million Gross Business Of FHA In Two Months

Washington, D. C., April 20 — The Federal Housing Administration has transacted gross business totaling nearly \$200,000,000 during the period of approximately two months since the signing of the amended National Housing Act, according to figures made public today by Administrator Stewart McDonald.

This total includes mortgages selected for appraisal on small homes, applications for the insurance of mortgages on large scale projects and property improvement loans insured.

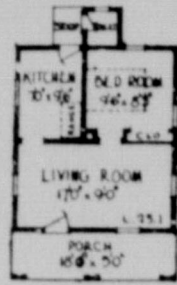
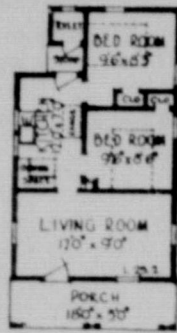
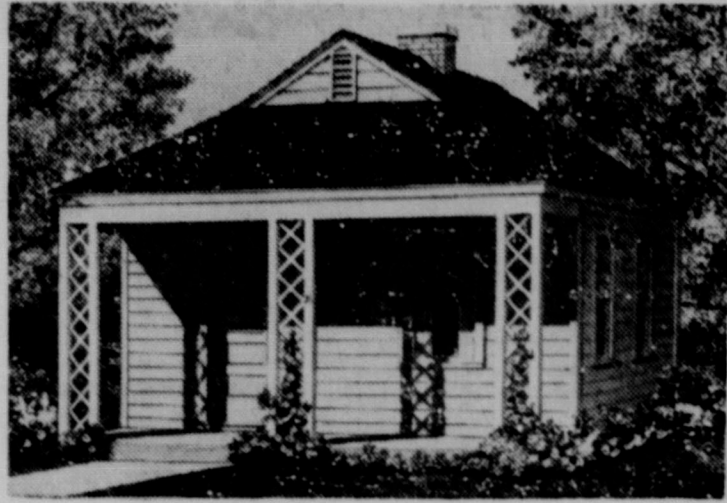
During the week ending April 9th mortgages selected for appraisal on small homes amounted to \$23,242,102. This represents a new high in FHA records. It compares with \$21,414,849 for the previous week and \$15,414,023 for the corresponding week a year ago.

Nearly 5,000 individual home mortgages were selected for appraisal by the Federal Housing Administration each week during the month of March. This was an increase of approximately 100 per cent over the average of 2500 cases received each week in February.

The \$95,161,202 in mortgages selected for appraisal in March represents an increase of 40 per cent in value over the figure for March of last year, the previous record month.

A special analysis was made of the home mortgages selected for appraisal in March. This analysis showed a considerable variation in different areas in the increase in these applications for insurance in various sections of the country. Areas showing the greatest percentage increase over March of last year included California and the Pacific Coast states, the middle Atlantic states—New York, eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey; the west south cen-

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Expect some rare bargains in the week-end Drug Sale at Smith Drug. Turn to page 6 for a partial list.

central states — especially Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas; with a more than average increase in all of the east south central states and southern seaboard states.

Painting, Trim Should Not Outweigh Structural Facts

Painting and trim are the two most conspicuous features of a house to the layman's eye. To the casual observer, the frame of the house, the wiring and piping, even the plaster and floors are concealed behind these two items. Only the experienced observer looks beyond them.

The house that is down at the heels can be brought up to date, thus increasing its value and improving the appearance of the entire neighborhood.

Before any repairs are made, a house should be checked for structural soundness. If the value of the property is to be maintained, it must be basically sound. Repairs of this order should be made first.

It is poor economy to agree to one less coat of paint or enamel in an effort to cut down the cost of building or repair. Before the work is started there should be a definite agreement as to the number of coats and the quality of the paint to be used.

Cheap millwork shows up in opened joints, warped edges, and raised grain. Grades of wood and methods of finish and joining should be agreed upon before the contract is signed. When it is necessary to cut down costs, it is better to omit nonessential features completely than to skimp on the quality of those contributing to fundamental soundness.

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Candies, cakes, pies, cookies, rolls at the P. T. A. Sweet Sale Saturday at Roy Parker's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lusby spent the week-end visiting relatives in Abilene.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. Is the method of bricklaying affected by the season in which the work is done?

A. Good brickwork can be produced in winter, but certain precautions are necessary in freezing temperatures. The work should be undertaken only when the temperature is rising. The bricks should be thoroughly dry and kept protected by a tarpaulin or other weather proof material to prevent ac-

cumulation of ice on the bricks until ready for use. When ready to install, the brick as well as the sand should be heated to remove frost, ice, and excessive moisture. Water should also be heated. All finished work should be protected for a period of 48 hours or more by means of enclosures, tarpaulin, or other protective methods.

Q. Should copper and brass piping be painted?

A. The only reason to paint them is to produce a desired decorative effect. Copper and brass are corrosion resisting materials and do not need paint as a protective coating.

Q. Is it true that water softener equipment will aid the working of a hot water heating system?

A. Where the water supply is definitely "hard" the installation of water softening equipment will not only aid the working of the water system but will oftentimes pay for itself in the saving on piping and equipment. "Hard" water contains varying amounts of min-

eral contents which have a clogging and corrosive action on plumbing lines, heating plants and cooking utensils. In addition, difficulty is experienced in laundering and washing of all types, because it is hard to make suds from soap with such water. Water softening equipment, by filtration and chemical action neutralizes or deposits out the mineral content, leaving the water soft for washing and reducing clogging or corrosion in plumbing and heating equipment to a minimum.

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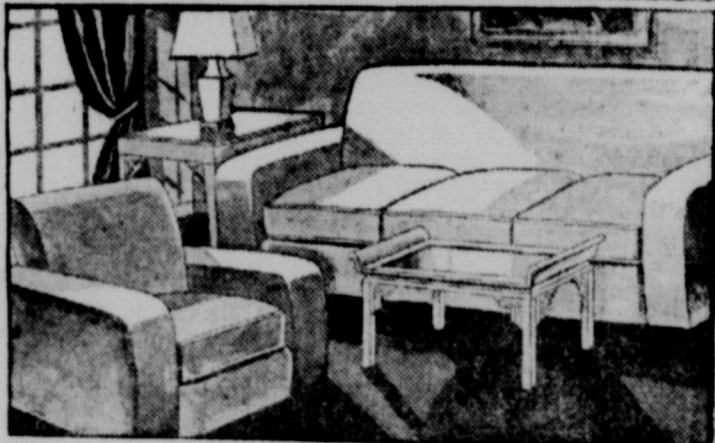
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Scenes and Persons in the Current News

ASTER EGG HUNT TAGGED FOR YOUNGSTERS

Mrs. J. M. Baggett entertained a group of children with an Easter egg hunt at her home Saturday afternoon honoring her little grand daughter, Mary Sue Pace of Austin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Pace. Children present included Graham Childress, Kay Kirby, Phillip Lee Childress, Jr., Shirley Ann Kost, June Perner, Joe Graham, Bill Schneemann, Ben Burl and Wilburn Conklin, Mary Katherine Flowers, Donald McDonald, Roy Alvin Harrell, Judy White and Mary Sue Pace.

JOINT HOSTESSES TO CONTRACT CLUB

Mrs. Monroe Baggett and Mrs. James Baggett entertained their contract clubs with bridge at the Baggett home here Friday afternoon. Club members present included Mrs. Joe Sellers Pierce, Mrs. Sid Millsbaugh, Jr., Mrs. Dempster Jones, Mrs. Richard Flowers, Mrs. Bill Littleton, Miss Carolyn Montgomery, Mrs. Earle Chandler, Miss Wayne Augustine, Mrs. George Bunger, Mrs. Pleas Childress, Mrs. W. E. Smith, Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. Tom Smith, Mrs. Lee Childress, Mrs. V. I. Pierce, Mrs. Strick Harvick, Mrs. Joe Oberkamp, Mrs. Scott Peters, Mrs. Carl Colwick, and Mrs. J. W. Henderson. Guests were Mrs. Jesse Marley, Mrs. Charles Black, Jr., Mrs. Massie West, Mrs. Boyd Clayton, Mrs. H. L. Chilton of Marlin, Mrs. Joe North, Mrs. Jake Short, Mrs. J. A. Brashear, Mrs. Brock Jones, Mrs. Evert White, Mrs. Jerry Pace, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Marshall Montgomery, and Mrs. Jake Miller.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Clyde Childers, Pastor
We will observe our regular order of services next Sunday and the following week. We hope that every member of our church will make their plans to be in every service they possibly can. The church will be just what the members make it and we hope you will do your part to make ours what it should be, a "spiritual house."
Our services Sunday were marked by good interest on the part of our membership. We had 96 in Sunday School and preaching at-



1—Crowds like this besieged the foreign consulates seeking visas to enable them to leave Austria following the annexation of that country by Germany. 2—In training to become members of the police force in Pootung, China, these girls will soon be qualified to don their uniforms. 3—Patrick Cardinal Hayes of New York, who declared during an interview that he was praying for General Franco to win the Spanish civil war.

tendance. We hope that our Sunday School and preaching attendance will continue to increase and we believe that it will.

Everyone voiced their personal appreciation for the fine choir last Sunday. The members worked faithfully to render a good musical program and we feel that they surely succeeded.

Next Sunday is designated by church as the day for our "Spring Round-Up" mission offering. We want to take this means to urge each of our members to have a part in this offering. Our morning message will be on missions.

We invite all those who are of our faith and those who have no church home to worship with us next Sunday.

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METHODIST CHURCH

Eugene Slater, Minister

Calendar of Services

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Young People's Meet 6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:45 p. m.
Woman's Missionary Society, Wednesday, 3:00 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Mid-Week service Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.
We invite all who will to share these services with us.

WEEK-END VISITORS

Misses Helen and Carolyn Montgomery, students at S. M. U. in Dallas, spent the week-end here as guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery. Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery also had as their week-end guests Mrs. Montgomery's mother, Mrs. Rose Thodberg, and her sister, Mrs. H. L. Chilton, both of Marlin.

G. A. GIRLS MEET

G. A. girls of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Union met in regular session Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. S. Whatley for a missionary program. Taking part on the program were Rozelle Pharr, Berty Sue Brownrigg, Georgia Nell Senne, Billy Laxson and Maxine Hankins. Others present were Mary Elizabeth Gray, Thelma Flanagan and Vera McCaleb.

Max Schneemann, Jr., who is attending Texas Technological College in Lubbock, spent the week-end here visiting his parents.

Richard Miller, Jr., student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, was here to spend the Easter holidays with his parents.

Members of the 1938 graduating class of Ozona High School are scheduled to leave today for a trip to Carlsbad Caverns.

AUTO SALES DECLINE

Austin, April 20—Reports to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research from thirteen representative Texas counties show total sales of 4,895 automobiles during March, an increase of 36 per cent over the preceding month but a decline of 34.8 per cent from March last year. Aggregate sales for the first three months, 12,299 cars, were down 27.7 per cent from the corresponding period last year.

New truck registrations in the thirteen counties totaled 1,937, an increase of 13.5 per cent over February.

The bride at a wedding in Epson, England, was given away by her mother, while her father served as best man.

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POINTS and PERSONALITIES

by Doris Pope

(It is through the courtesy of the Hamlin Herald that we are permitted to reprint the following article, written by that paper's able columnist, Doris Pope, which appeared in a recent issue of the Herald. We are deeply indebted to her for so accurately describing the after-effects of this spring's unusual storms.)

Now with everything at our finger tips with just a click of a switch, we are inclined to take too much for granted. However, there are times when we are forced to stop and think what a world it would be without such conveniences—you know, we kinda' get a taste of the "good old days" that we hear dad and grand-dad talk about. That's what happened to Hamlin folks Saturday afternoon when the electric current was dead from 2:10 until 5:40.

Low, gray rain clouds made lights almost a necessity in order to carry on business, so when the current went off, the sale of candles increased a thousand per cent. We stayed in the dry goods stores awhile observing the effect of candle lights, and it struck us as rather amusing when people grabbed a bolt of material, a pair of socks or some other merchandise and ran to the front door, holding the article up and squinting, trying to see what color it really was—just like in the "good old days." (Maybe that will account for some of the terrorizing colors people are wearing.)

And the poor kids, how they did miss the Saturday afternoon picture show! It's really a shame that they didn't have some stereoscopic parlor pictures to look at like ma and pa had—back in the "good old days."

shops and found dozens of women and girls draped on the floor, chairs and stools, literally sticking their heads in the fire to dry that new wave set. That reminded us that back in the "good old days" grandma didn't shampoo her hair in the winter or in rainy weather; she just rolled it up on curlers.

We noticed the barber shops also felt the lack of electricity. You know back in the "good old days" they weren't bothered with all those little electric gadgets 'cause grandpa just turned a bowl down on pa's head and started cuttin'. The finishing touches were accomplished with the old blue and white shaving mug and razor.

We stopped in to see how the drug stores were making out with their Frigidaire motors stopped and their candle light. Somehow or other they didn't seem too happy about it. Now we could rave on and on about this, but what's the use? Printing presses were stopped, bank machines halted, in fact, there wasn't a business house in Hamlin that did not feel great lack of electricity. And when the current finally did come on after three and a half hours, people gave whoops and hollers that made the Indians back in the "good old days" look like sissies. (No charge to the West Texas Utilities Co. for this spiel.)

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Look at the record a minute. Others have had their problems, too. Others have wondered if they should wait a while before they buy.

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HOW ABOUT A YEARBOOK?

While I was in Fort Stockton, I talked to the English teacher there, who sponsors the annual yearbook. For the past several years the Seniors, under the direction of this teacher, have published an annual; as our school is smaller, it would be better to have a picked group from all the classes working on the annual. It takes about ten pupils, working their hardest from October to April to put out an annual. There is some printing and drawing to be done and a great deal of arrangement of pictures. One of the cleverest things to go in an annual is impromptu snapshots of people on the school ground. A special photographer can be obtained for little money to take pictures of students. If the pupils pay for their own pictures, it will cut down the expenses of the group who edit it. The arrangement of these pictures will take someone who has some taste. There have to be some fly-leaves and introductory pages, which will take some drawing ability.

If we were to decide to publish an annual, we should buy some annuals edited by other schools. Putting out an annual would be a very hard job, requiring students who will stay with it for almost seven months.

An annual would be a good school project, because it allows students to create arrangement and drawing, develops good taste, and gives students experience in assembling material.

I believe we should start thinking about an annual for Ozona High.

AN ORCHID TO YOU

By Crystelle Carson

An orchid to you Bobby Lemmons, Priscilla Jean Baker, and Ora Louise Cox. These were the only ones that won anything in Fort Stockton. Bobby and Priscilla Jean won third place in declamation, and Ora Louise Cox won fourth in typing. We all are proud of you and wish more of us could have done as well. We hope you do even better in Alpine.

SWEET SALE sponsored by P.T.A. Saturday at Roy Parker's. Don't miss it.

THE LION'S ROAR

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Tennis Teams To Fort Stockton

The Ozona tennis team was among several other teams competing in the District meet held at Fort Stockton during the past week-end. The team was very fortunate in the drawing held to determine pairings. In the boys' singles as well as in boys' doubles Ozona drew a bye. These byes placed them in the semi-finals in both divisions, but this was as high as they got.

Beecher Montgomery represented Ozona in the boys' singles. But he found plenty of trouble in the Fort Stockton representative who downed him in straight sets, 6-1, 6-1. Our doubles team composed of the Lemmons boys, Howard and Maurice, met the Sanderson team in a hot contest match, which saw the Sanderson team win 5-7, 6-4, 6-1, only after they had lost the first set and were three games behind on the second set.

Carl T.: But how can skin trouble give you a broken arm?
 Elton S.: It was a banana skin.

Band To Give Final Concert

The band will give its final concert Wednesday, April 20, at 7 at the usual place. The entire band has enjoyed these concerts, and we hope they have been entertaining to the public.

On Thursday, April 14, the band and drum corps performed in chapel for the student body. At the opening of the curtain, the band played a number, after which the drum corps marched down the aisles of the auditorium. The band played three other numbers.

On Wednesday, April 26, the pupils who are going to San Angelo to enter the state-wide contest, will give an audition in chapel. The ones entering the contest will play solos, and there will be one sextette.

Last Friday the Ozona High School band went to Big Lake for a band concert, picture show, and skating rink. The band began marching at the north of town, then halted in front of the picture show. The Ozona band was accompanied by the Big Lake band, also directed by Mr. Edwards.

GRADE SCHOOL NEWS

FOURTH GRADE
 Talking By Windmill
 By Daphne Meinecke

In Holland when millers want to hold a conversation with another miller, very many miles away from him, he sends his messages by windmill. He uses the big giant sails of his windmill, and then the other miller talks back with his windmill. Holland is a very flat country, so it is not hard for the millers that are holding the conversation to see the other windmill and its moves. If you watched the windmills, in Holland, you would see three out of a dozen that are making funny moves. They move a little; then they remain in an entirely different position. You might think that the millers had stopped to repair the machinery. There are still millers that have secret signals. The windmills turn a certain way, and that's a certain signal. And this story tells part of the way windmills have become important.

A Visitor
 By Joyce West
 The fourth grade has had a visitor for one week. Our visitor is black all over and has four legs. He belongs to the scottie family. We think he should get some

books, paper, and start to school right. Instead of starting in the fourth grade, he should first have special training in kindergarten, to learn to behave. When his master, Barbara White, went to music, we tried to get him to go and take a lesson, but he would not. We hope he comes back to see us, because he really isn't so very bad.

The Circus
 By Nan Tandy

The circus is coming to town. Hooray, hooray, hooray; With lions and tigers and a funny clown. Hooray it's on its way. The Big Top is the main tent you know. And in it you will see the grandest show. The elephants are grandest I know. But I also like the magician's show. The balloon man is nearly yelling his head off. And the funny old clown is being a show off. I do like the circus, and when I get big I'm going to be a clown and dance a funny jig.

A Dog On Duty
 By Ted Anderson

This morning as I was walking down a street in Holland I saw a dog and his master delivering milk. The dog had on a bright new harness, and an overcoat. As they came on down the street, I went out to look at the dog. As I was petting him, I slipped a piece of Dutch chocolate into his mouth. He looked up at me and seemed to say, "Thank you, sir. But don't feel sorry for me. This is my work, and I am proud of it. Soon the milk cans will be empty, and then I can run off and play with the other dogs." The dog was so smart he did not need to be driven to the different houses, he went by himself.

FIFTH GRADE

The fifth grade is learning songs. Each one has to learn two songs. We are making posters on health. Everybody had to buy his own poster board, and everyone has one.

SEVENTH GRADE

Mr. Hollon announced Wednesday that Doris Stokes stood first in the class with an average of 93.24, Stanley Lemmons second with an average of 93, Gem Ella Dudley came third, Pattie Jane Tyre came fourth, and Adele Keeton fifth.

Thursday the class selected their class colors. Blue and pink were selected.

The ushers for the seventh grade graduation exercises will be L. B. Cox, Gene Tyre, Roy Coates, Lotie Jo Owens, Margaret Russell, and Joy Coates.

Ora Louise: "If a man's boot-mark on the roadway is called foot prints, what would you call the marks of a motor car?"
 Lois: "An autograph, of course?"

High grade typewriter ribbons at The Stockman.

—: The Prowler :—

By Drake & Lemmons

Maudie Mae and Jennie V. were seen riding around Saturday night with two handsome boys.

Lois, did you mean to stand Well-ton up Saturday night? That makes twice this has happened. He seemed very well satisfied with Lurinne, the substitute.

Johnny B. surely was thrilled Saturday night. She had a date to the dance but didn't do much dancing.

Beecher, where were you taking a box of candy, Sunday?

Betty was all dressed up Sunday night. Two boys were talking to her parents. Who were they, Betty, and where were you going?

Ora Louise had another date with that boy again Sunday. How are you doing Cox?

Billie Jo was surely stepping high cotton with a red headed boy Saturday night.

Clifton, is this beginning to be a habit? You have a car load of girls every night.

Boyd, what were you and Warren doing out so late Saturday night?

Phillip was second choice Sunday. Were you going to let a Sophomore beat your time, Phillip? He was first choice.

Jessie Hancock sure is stuck on the new freshman girl. Introduce us, Jessie.

Hack, how is your nurse? You never talk about her any more.

Junie seems to be very popular. Who are your friends, J. W.?

We wonder what "crowd of girls and boys" had such a grand supper Saturday night. What was the menu?

We wonder what group of boys had to come home from Fort Stockton for playing a "game."

Boyd, does talking do you any good before you go with the girls? Joe seemed to have had his time Sat Sunday, Joe, I wouldn't let a Soph do me that way.

We wonder how far out east Maurice got Saturday night from taking a joke.

We wonder why Eloise is so nice to Howard lately. (Eloise is afraid her Drug Store bill will run up.)

We wonder whose Beecher's girl friend was over at Fort Stockton.

Warren, you had better watch your friend, Boyd, because he will get your girl friend.

We wonder why Jayme Chapman will be so happy the 30th?

What is the meaning of the names "Max and Edgar" which are written all over a certain page in Maudie Mae's notebook?

Campus Philosophy

By Billy Joe West

A compliment is usually accompanied with a bow, as if to beg pardon for paying it.

Learning makes a man fit company for himself.

A mystery is something of which we know that is, though we do not know how it is.

The weakest spot in every man is where he thinks himself to be the wisest.

Conceited men are a harmless kind of creature, who, by their overwhelming self-respect, relieve others from the duty of respecting them at all.

Most powerful is he who has himself in his own power.

A man is called selfish, not for pursuing his own good, but for neglecting his neighbor's.

He can never speak well, who knows not how to hold his peace.

Speech is a faculty given to man to conceal his thoughts.

He is richest who is content with the least, for content is the wealth of nature.

Sincerity is impossible, unless it prevails the whole being, and the pretense of it saps the foundation of character.

Men are never so likely to settle a question rightly as when they discuss it freely.

Education is not a mere operation; it is a cooperation.

Opinion in good men is but knowledge in the making.

The strongest principle of growth lies in human choice.

Care not for the reward of your speaking, but simply for the truth of it.

Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm.

Mend your speech a little, let it mar your fortunes.

The knowledge of words is the gate of scholarship.

Thought once awakened does not again slumber.

What the world needs is not battleships, but friendships.

Lois: If your wishes come true, what would you wish for?

Martin: Gosh, I'm afraid to tell you.

Lois: Go ahead, you sap, what do you think I brought up this wishing business for?

Toots: Hey, you've got the saddle on back to front!

Doris: How do you know what way I'm going, smarty?

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THE WORLD THIS WEEK

By Robert Patterson

HOW MUCH RELIEF?

Now that President Roosevelt has announced his plan to get a multi-billion dollar pump-priming program in full swing by midsummer, another question arises in the thoughts of citizens as Congress hustles to ring down the curtain by May 14. Two billion is the estimated total relief budget for the coming fiscal year, 1938-39, and one of the most important questions it provokes is a moral and social problem, not a political or economic one. It is simply, "How much relief can the 'reliefers' themselves stand?" Will the two and one-half millions now on relief ever want to seek a better job, and set the spurs to their initiative and energies, when checks all benevolently "as the gentle rain from heaven"? The potential demoralization of such a vast army, through the habit forming drug of relief, is not a wholesome prospect. Though Congress may agree on pump-priming, the question remains, "How much relief can reliefers safely stand?"

"STICK TO ONE MODEL!"

The Michigan farm boy and former \$2.50 a week machinist's helper who rose to the pinnacles of wealth and world fame, celebrated his golden wedding anniversary last week in a sumptuous Detroit drawing room banked with roses and orchids. A far cry that was from the kerosene lighted farmhouse parlor in which Henry Ford, severely packeted in a Prince Albert coat, was married to Clara Bryant in 1888. But the billionaire automobile builder lost little of his homespun wisdom or down-to-earth humor while traversing the long highroad to success. To young men, desirous of a happy marriage, he urged, "Stick to one model!" That ideal, everyone knows, has been severely battered during the past 20 years, with tempers and temperaments riding high at the expense of compromise and tolerance. Of course, those are old fashioned virtues. But old fashioned virtues like those seem to weather the changing seasons with ease. They're always new as tomorrow.

JOHN MUIR'S BIRTHDAY

The live consuming and land wasting flood waters which last week charged over portions of the South, and earlier in the year sent their destructive fury pounding against Southern California's cities, homes, and mountains, give special point to the observance of John Muir's centennial this week. In all the 142 areas administrated by the National Park Service the memory of this great American naturalist will be honored, and with good reason. Muir, who was born on April 21, 1838, became a tireless writer and fighter for conservation. Every effort to safeguard our forests and watersheds, to check the sinister wastes of erosion—the prelude and harbinger of floods—to plant, maintain, and protect cover crops, all these efforts John Muir would applaud

T. C. U. Girls Go In For Sports



Here are a few scenes from the campus of Texas Christian University at Fort Worth showing girls participating in the various sports available on the University campus.

were he alive today. By increasing our endeavors to treasure these vast, but perishable natural resources, we can best honor John Muir on this, the one hundredth anniversary of his birthday.

HIPPOCRATES WAS RIGHT

When he saw his friends sniffling from colds, and their brows weighted down by leaden headaches, wise old Hippocrates, father of medicine, advised one simple cure—rest. Today a study of the 1,667 Harvard students who spent a total of 70 years in Harvard's Stillman Infirmary during the past 31 months, suffering from colds and respiratory infections, has just been published. Physicians subjected all those ailing students to every recognized cure for colds, from drugs to vaccines. The results of the study indicated that, after 2,400 years, old Hippocrates still has the right answer. The only reliable, thoroughly beneficial cure was found to be—rest.

RETRIBUTION IN SING-SING

The man who once could borrow a million dollars on Wall St. is today just a number in New York's Sing Sing Prison. The man who was once a powerful force among the world of financiers is today digging ditches and raking the soil in the prison yard for

five cents a day. For at least three years and four months his bedroom will be a four-by-seven-foot cell. Such is the fate of Richard Whitney, ex-governor and former president of New York's Stock Exchange, and such is the punishment exacted by the law for the securities he stole from his friends and associates. Should Whitney prove an exemplary prisoner, he may walk out of Sing Sing Prison a free man in 40 months. But never again will he be permitted to return to Wall St., the seat of his now shattered power. And never again will the runners, the clerks, the officials in the Exchange and brokerage houses, look up in awe and admiration if Richard Whitney passes by. He has lost his kingdom.



By Miles Pierce

The meeting of April 19 was opened with the oath and the raising of the flag by Stanley Lemmons and Wayne West.

Ele Bright Baggett, Jr., an old Scout of troop 53, gave a talk on the Scouting movement at A and M. Scouting is a new organization for A and M College. There Scouting is more of an exploring unit. Most of their Scouts are as high as star. One Eagle is already in their ranks, and also a Scout from this council.

The Easter egg hunt was a big success. In honorable mention for its success was Beecher Montgomery.

The Court of Honor will be held on May 10. It will be the last meeting of this school term for troop 53 of Ozona.

All the boys that have become tenderfoot Scouts since October 1937, will be in this investiture ceremony.

Mr. Jake McCulley said a word or two about the summer camp. He will go with all the Scouts from Ozona to camp Louis Farr, near Mertzon. Ozona will go to that camp the first week that it is open. At this camp all of the out-of-door merit badges will be passed.

The Fox Patrol gave a knot tying demonstration. The knots were given out, and the boys tied for

badges much easier by learning from these new booklets. Roy Coates, of the Fox Patrol, received the tenderfoot badge at the meeting.

Political Announcements

The Stockman is authorized to announce the following candidates for offices listed, subject to action of the Democratic primary in July.

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1

ROB MILLER (Re-election)

For Commissioner Prec. 2

CHAS. S. BLACK (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Prec. 3

J. W. OWENS (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Prec. 4

E. R. KINSER (Re-election)

For Sheriff, Assessor and Collector of Taxes

W. S. WILLIS (Re-election)

For County Treasurer:

TOM CASBEER (Re-Election)

For County and District Clerk

GEORGE RUSSELL (Reelection)

For Representative, 86th District

MARVIN E. BLACKBURN, Jr.

Junction

C. H. GILMER, Rocksprings

DENT TAYLOR, Kerrville

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1

BILL JOHNIGAN

Satisfy that sweet tooth at the PTA Sweet Sale Saturday at Roy Parker's.

Expect some rare bargains in the week-end Drug Sale at Smith Drug. Turn to page 6 for a partial list.

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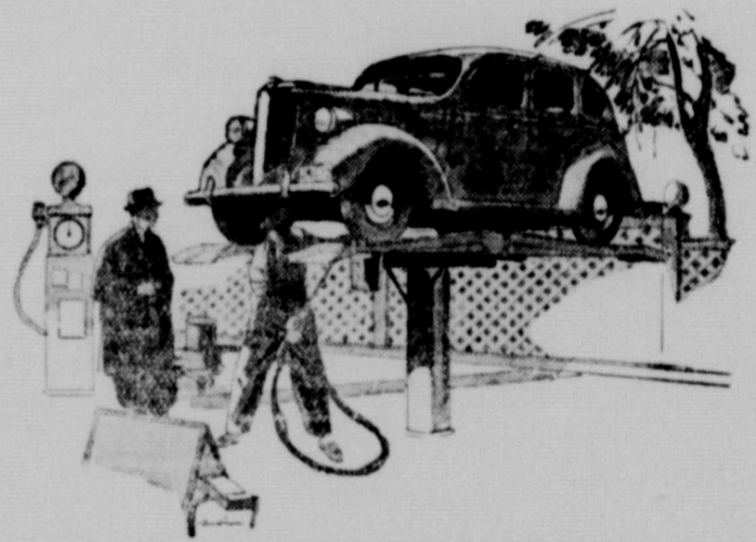
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Baptist Missionary Circles In Meetings

Continuing study of famous women of the Old Testament, members of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Union met in circle sessions Wednesday afternoon. The Nelson circle met at the home of Mrs. Ray Dunlap, with Mrs. George Bean teaching the day's lesson. Present were Mrs. J. W. Anderson, Mrs. G. E. Porter, Mrs. C. L. Hill, Mrs. Leslie Nance, Mrs. J. T. Patrick, Mrs. Hugh Gray, Mrs. George Bean, Mrs. J. S. Whately and Mrs. Dunlap.

The Lottie Moon circle met with Mrs. Will Adams, who also taught the day's lesson. Others present were Mrs. Hartley Johnigan, Mrs. Charlie Butler, Mrs. C. C. Pharr, Mrs. Chester Schwabe, Mrs. Joe Graham, Miss Maybelle Taylor, Mrs. W. J. Stevens, Mrs. R. F. Powell, Mrs. T. W. McLaughlin, and Mrs. Lowell Littleton.

Next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, both circles will meet at the church for the purpose of packing a box to be sent to Buckner's Orphan's home at Waco.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

A. C. Nance, Minister

Lord's Day

10:00-10:45 a.m. Bible study, all classes.

10:55-11:55 a. m. Sermon and Communion.

7:45 p. m. Evening Services.

Wednesday

3-4 p. m. Ladies Bible study.

7:45 p. m. General Bible study.

Sermon subject, morning: Christ the Man of Sorrows.

Sermon subject, evening: The Immovable Kingdom.

TO ATTEND CONVENTION



Miss Elizabeth Fussell, president of the Ozona Woman's Club, left Wednesday morning for Eastland to attend the District Convention of women's clubs of the Sixth district. Miss Fussell is to act as one of the judges of the reports in City and County Federations.

Dudley Ingham, student at John Tarleton in Stephenville, and Betty Jane Ingham, attending school in Fort Worth, spent the Easter holiday week-end with their mother, Mrs. B. B. Ingham. They had as guests Bennie Ford of Dallas, Billie Huffman of Fort Worth and Miss Linora Dudley of Fort Worth, the latter Mrs. Ingham's sister.

Ele Bright Baggett, a student at A. & M. College, spent the Easter holiday period here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Baggett.

A SPORTING APPEAL TO GOOD SPORTS!

(An Editorial)

For the third time in a span of a few months, workmen for the State Highway Department maintenance crew in this section, have replaced the brush covering over the picnic arbor at the roadside park north of Ozona.

Three times the dry brush on the arbor has been fired by unthinking youths — who don't even stay to see the "fun." It is about time for another torch scene, since the brush is to about the right stage of seasoning, and this appeal is being made to the sportsmanship of these lads to forego this type of amusement.

After each burning, the highway crew must repaint the iron pipes supporting the covering, must cut and stack new brush, in order to provide a shade for picnic parties using the public park. It is probable that should the stack be burned again, it will be necessary to replace the wire netting supporting the brush.

Perhaps the highway boys don't mind the work of replacing the arbor, and perhaps the people who pay the taxes necessary to pay the salaries of these workmen will not miss the small amount that it takes to pay for this time, but whether they do or don't mind is beside the point. The fact is that the state maintains these roadside parks for the enjoyment of the public — and the people of Ozona get more out of those near here than do the transients who might stop for a rest or meal in them.

Although setting fire to this brush covering may not be construed as a heinous crime, still it does seem a bit childish and pointless. And from all accounts the youngsters who are indulging in this destructive impulse are by no means children.

The parks are yours — built for you to enjoy. Just as your homes are built for your enjoyment and comfort, so are the parks built for your enjoyment on outings and social gatherings that take you to them. You would not burn your own home just for the thrill of seeing the blaze, or as a prank on your parents. Why, then, would you burn something that has been made for your comfort and enjoyment and for the comfort and enjoyment of your friends? Why not be good sports and find some less destructive means of amusement?

120 VISITORS -

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now a member of the faculty of the University of San Antonio, represented that institution as did Dr. R. W. Tinsley of the same institution.

Tells of Needs

Rev. J. K. Berry of San Antonio, representative of the Mission Home and Training School, a Conference institution, told the conference of the needs of that institution at Wednesday morning's session. Morris H. Brooks of San Angelo, district lay leader, in a talk to the assembly, urged observance of Layman's Day in all churches of the conference.

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TO PTA CONVENTION



Mrs. George Bean



Mrs. W. A. Kay

Mrs. George Bean, president of the Ozona Parent-Teacher Association, Mrs. Elton Smith, president-elect for the 1938-39 term, and Mrs. W. A. Kay, recording secretary of the Sixth District Parent-Teacher group, will attend the district convention to be held in Del Rio Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

The District Conference was the bringing of the Rev. Marshall T. Steele, pastor of Highland Park Methodist Church in Dallas, as Conference preacher. Rev. Steele preached three sermons during the Conference, Tuesday morning, Tuesday evening and Wednesday morning. The church was packed at each worship service with Conference delegates and towns people who turned out to hear the splendid messages brought by the visiting minister.

Homes of members of the host church were thrown open to the visitors. Dinner was served each day in the basement of the church under the direction of ladies of the church, and other meals were served visitors in the homes. A resolution expressing the thanks of the visitors for the hospitality of the people of Ozona and to the host church and its pastor, the Rev. Eugene Slater, for the successful Conference sessions, was voted unanimously at the close of the session.

Another resolution commended the work of the Rev. L. U. Spellman, who retired this year as Presiding Elder of this district to return to a pastorate next fall. Rev. Spellman presided over the Conference sessions.

Mrs. Floyd Henderson and Mrs. Nadine Bernays have returned from a visit in San Antonio.

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Mrs. Jerry Pace and daughter, Mary Sue, are here from Austin for a visit with Mrs. Pace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett. Mr. Pace left early in the week after a brief visit for a business trip to East Texas.

Visit the PTA Sweet Sale Saturday 9 to 3 o'clock at Roy Parker's.

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