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## Miller Resigns As Lumber Co. Mgr. For Post In Okla.

**Tom Harris, Barnhart Manager, Assigned Local Office**

J. H. Miller, for the past six years manager of the Ozona branch of the West Texas Lumber Co., has resigned his position with that company effective December 15, it was announced this week by company officials.

Mr. Miller has accepted a similar position with the Rounds and Porter Lumber Co. in Guthrie, Okla., where he and Mrs. Miller will make their home.

Tom Harris, manager of the Barnhart branch of the West Texas Lumber Co. since its establishment and well known to most Ozonans, has been named by the company to succeed Mr. Miller as manager of the Ozona firm. Mr. Harris will move here with his family next week to take up the work on Mr. Miller's departure. Mr. Harris' son, Tom Harris, Jr., who has been associated with his father in the business at Barnhart, will be connected with the Sonora branch. A daughter, who is a senior in Barnhart High School, will remain in that city to finish out her last year's work in high school.

Mr. Miller came to Ozona as manager of the West Texas Lumber Co. in October, 1931. During his six years here, he and Mrs. Miller have made a host of friends who will be grieved to learn of their departure, but who will wish them well in their new venture. A tireless civic worker, Mr. Miller has been identified with every movement for community betterment here, and for this and many other fine attributes, the community will miss these splendid citizens.

## Men's Class To Entertain Group Friday Evening

**Supper And Fellowship Meet In Basement Of Church**

The Men's Bible Class of the Methodist Church will be host at the second monthly supper and entertainment in the basement of the church Friday evening. Members of the Bible Class, men of the church and their friends are cordially invited. The program will get under way at 7 o'clock.

The program for the evening will be dedicated in honor of Jim Miller, president of the Men's Bible Class, who has resigned his position as manager of the local branch of the West Texas Lumber Co. to accept a similar position in Guthrie, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will leave next week for their new home in Guthrie.

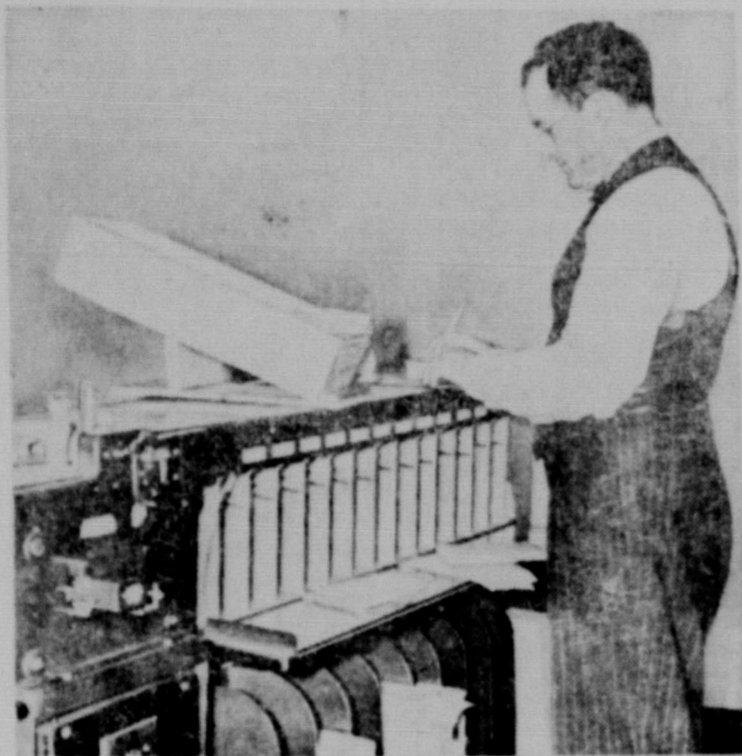
The first fellowship meeting of the group was held last month with forty men present. A bountiful feed was spread by a committee composed of John R. Bailey, Bright Baggett and George Harrell. Slated for the job of feeding the group at Friday night's meeting are Bascomb Cox, J. M. Baggett and Evert White.

## Woman's Club Holds Christmas Program At Meeting Tuesday

The annual Christmas program of the Ozona Woman's Club will be held next Tuesday afternoon when the group meets at the home of Mrs. V. I. Pierce, with Mrs. I. G. Rape assisting Mrs. Pierce as hostess.

Mrs. W. E. West will be in charge of the Christmas program, a part of which will be Link's "Return to Religion." There will be special Christmas music under the direction of Mrs. Pierce.

## Faking Count of Unemployed



As millions of questionnaire cards poured in on Washington, the gigantic task of computing the number of unemployed men and women in the United States in order to aid them more effectively was undertaken by government workers. Lester Potar is shown at the assorting machine at the census bureau.

## Dedication Of Scout Cabin Is Set For Feb. 8

**Special Ceremony To Be Local Feature Of Scout Week**

Dedication of the new Boy Scout cabin, rapidly nearing completion here, has been set for February 8 as a special feature of the local observance of National Boy Scout Week, when the birthday of Scouting will be observed throughout the nation.

The new cabin, made of native rock, is expected to be completed by next week. The dedication ceremonies had been planned for early this month, but a delay in completing the construction work necessitated a postponement and it was decided to fix the date for February 8 to combine the event with observance of Scout Week.

Houston Harte, publisher of the San Angelo Standard-Times, may be the chief speaker at the dedication ceremonies, Ira Carson, chairman of the local Scout committee, told Scouts in a talk at the Tuesday night meeting. A complete program for the event will be worked out and announced, later, however, Mr. Carson said.

## Slaters Hosts To Church Officers At Dinner Monday

The Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Slater entertained the stewards and the members of the board of the Methodist Church with a dinner at their home Monday night. The tables were decorated with Christmas candles, pine burrs and pine needles.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baggett, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Scott Peters, Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Jr., Mrs. Floyd Henderson and Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Fussell.

It was decided at the business meeting that members of the board and steward should each entertain in their turn at the meetings.

## WINTER CLAMPS DOWN

Keeping the home fires burning at a steady clip has been necessitated the past week as a result of a prolonged visit from old man Winter in person. Ozonans have huddled in great coats and toasted shins at every opportunity as the cold wave that rode in on the heels of welcome moisture last week continues to sweep back and forth over the area. Nightly frost and freezing temperatures offer little promise of more temperate weather.

## Eldorado Eagles Tackle Hondo For Regional Honors

Regional honors, "tops" for Class B football teams in Inter-scholastic League competition, will be sought by the smooth functioning Eldorado Eagles of Coach Weldon Bynum when they journey tomorrow, Friday, to Hondo for a Region 11 decision.

The Eagles last week swamped the all-Mexican team from Sidney Lanier High School of San Antonio 50 to 6, in the bi-district tussle. The Eldorado Eagles could give almost any class A team in the area a fair ball game and unless Hondo has "something on the ball" in a big way, the Eagles may mow them down as they have all other competition this season. The San Antonio score last Friday, by the way, was the first tally any team has been able to chalk up against the Eagles this season.

## Final Report Of Roll Call Drive Shows \$302 Total

**Local Chapter Retains \$177.25 From Proceeds Of Drive**

Final reports of the 1937 Roll Call drive of the Crockett County Chapter, American Red Cross, mailed this week by Roll Call Chairman Eugene Slater to the midwestern branch headquarters of the national organization at St. Louis, reveals a total of \$302.50 collected by workers in the drive, and a total membership enrollment of 251.

Although a little under the self imposed goal fixed by the Roll Call organization, the totals exceed any previous showing of the local chapter by nearly two to one.

Out of the \$302.50 collected, the local chapter retains \$177.25 for local relief work during the coming year, \$125.25, or 50 cents from each membership (one a 50 cent membership), going to the national chapter. The final check-up shows two \$10 memberships, seven \$5 memberships, one \$3 membership, two \$2.50 memberships, one \$2 membership, one 50 cent membership and 237 one dollar memberships. Of each membership thus accounted for, the local chapter retains all but 50 cents, which goes to the national organization.

Mrs. Boyd Cox of Rankin is here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary Perner, and other relatives.

When Joseph Zell of Milwaukee missed his first meal at home in 20 years his wife asked police to search for him.

## \$25,993 Spent By WPA In Crockett In 2-Year Period

**Local Sponsors Contribute \$15,927 To Work Completed Here**

The Works Progress Administration has expended a total of \$25,993 in Crockett County during the two fiscal years of its operation, according to a bulletin issued from the office of J. C. Burnside, administrative officer of the 27-county district WPA headquarters in San Angelo.

The amount spent by WPA in this county has been supplemented by a total expenditure of \$15,927 by sponsors of the various projects. The principal expenditures made by WPA and local sponsors covered street graveling and paving work in Ozona, the county sponsoring most of this work, with property owners along the paving sharing in the expenditure. School ground improvements were also included in the work.

The bulletin from the San Angelo office announced total expenditures in the 27 counties at \$4,737,409, with local political subdivisions contributing \$1,205,210 of that amount, or approximately 25 percent, and the government expenditures reaching \$3,532,199. In Irion county WPA expenditures were \$23,484, local sponsors \$8,554; Reagan County, WPA \$804, sponsors \$387; Sutton County, WPA \$11,912, sponsors \$4,767; Schleicher County, WPA \$16,910, sponsors \$8,941; Tom Green County, \$897,443, sponsors \$213,579.

## BRIEF NEWS

### BACK TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Max Schneemann returned late last week to the hospital in San Angelo for further treatment. She is reported doing well but attending physicians have not announced when she will be sufficiently recovered to return home. Her infant daughter, who has been under the care of hospital attendants, will be released when the mother is able to return home.

### CRITICALLY ILL

Mrs. Clint Owens of Barnhart is critically ill at the home of a son, J. W. Owens, in Ozona. The attending physician reported this morning that Mrs. Owens had developed pneumonia and but slight chance is given for her recovery. Mrs. Owens is nearly 80 years of age.

### ATTEND UNCLE'S FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Baker left last night for San Angelo to attend funeral services there this afternoon for Mrs. Baker's uncle Claude Lacy, 50, who died at Winters at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Funeral services were to have been held at 2:30 this afternoon from the Johnson funeral home. Mr. Lacy had been ill since last May.

### FIRE FROM FLUE

Fire, ignited from a faulty flue, did but slight damage last night to a residence west of the draw, occupied as an apartment by three families. The fire was from a flue in the apartment occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Deland. Members of the fire department quickly extinguished the fire, which was smoldering in the attic around the flue.

### A&M MEN VISIT HERE

M. R. Bentley, agricultural engineer, and M. K. Thornton, soil chemist, from the A & M College, visited the office of County Agent C. J. Van Zandt here Tuesday. The officials were here for the purpose of discussing various problems in connection with the range conservation program now in progress in this county.

## Five Ozonans Named To Directorate Of Sheep-Goat Raisers

Five Ozonans were named to the directorate of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association at the recent annual convention of that organization, held in Brady.

Local producers named to the governing body of the state-wide organization are Ira Carson, A. C. Hoover, T. A. Kincaid, Sr., V. I. Pierce and Massie West.

J. T. Baker of Fort Stockton was elected president of the organization to succeed Roy Hudspeeth, who has served during the past year. San Antonio was chosen as the site of the 1938 convention.

## 2 New Producers In Powell Field By Armer & Black

**Shallow Wells Pumped For Good Production In Crockett**

M. B. Armer and F. B. Black have recently completed two new producing wells on their leases in the Powell pool area of Crockett County, which was acquired from Humble Oil & Refining Co.

Armer and Black's No. 2-B Powell made 358.84 barrels of oil in a 24-hour test, the hole bottomed at 2,686 feet. The well has an elevation of 2,774 feet, and topped the pay at 2,515 feet. It was treated with 1,000 gallons of acid through 2-inch tubing to the total depth. The location is in the north east corner of section 62-BB-GC & SF Ry. survey.

Armer and Black No. 3 Powell, 330 feet out of the south-east corner of the lease, pumped 127 barrels of pipe line oil in 24 hours for natural completion at 2,603 feet. Its elevation is 2,733 feet and topped the pay at 2,486 feet, with 2 1/2 inch tubing set at 2,603 feet, and eight inch casing cemented at 2,488.

## New Ford Is Placed On Display In Local Agency Show Rooms

One of the two new Ford V-8 cars for 1938, announced last week by the Ford Motor Co. was received and placed on display here at the end of the week by the Stevens Motor Co., local Ford distributor. The car being shown here is the DeLuxe type, two-door sedan. A car of the Standard V8 type is expected here in the next few days for display.

Both of the new Fords offer many refinements over the previous models. The DeLuxe model is a longer, more streamlined car embracing many features found only in higher priced cars. The Standard model compares with the 1937 car, with many improvements added.

## Masonic School Of Instruction Here Next Week

**Lonnie Irvin Of San Antonio To Conduct Week's School**

A school of instruction in Masonic work will be conducted for members of the order here beginning Monday and continuing thru the week, it was announced this week by lodge officials.

Lonnie Irvin of San Antonio, chairman of the Committee on Work of the Grand Lodge of Texas has been secured to conduct the school. Mr. Irvin will be here Sunday and will open the first session of the week's school Monday morning, he announced in a telephone conversation with a lodge official here.

A class of from fifteen to twenty is expected to sign up for the week's school.

## Soil Committee For 1938 Named At Meeting Here

**Same Group To Direct Activities Through Next Year**

Range conservation work in Crockett County will go forward in 1938 under the same organization set-up as that which guided the program through the present year.

County committeemen who have served since inauguration of the work here this year will continue to serve in that capacity for the 1938 program. The committee was unanimously re-elected at a meeting of ranch owners and operators at the courthouse Saturday afternoon.

Members of the county conservation committee who were re-elected for another term are Max Schneemann, Early Baggett, W. R. Baggett and Wayne West. About twenty ranchmen were present for the purpose of discussing various phases of the program and to provide the new organization to administer next year's program.

A regional meeting of county committeemen, county agents and other workers in the conservation program is to be held in Big Spring December 10 and 11, Friday and Saturday, at which session more information is expected to be available on the 1938 program.

Approximately twenty more compliance reports from Crockett County ranches are necessary before payments on the 1937 program will be forthcoming, County Agent C. J. Van Zandt reported. A total of 46 reports have already gone in. As expenses of local administration are to be deducted on a pro rata basis from check to participants, at least 75 percent of participating ranches must report completions before an accurate estimate of this expense can be reached and deductions made.

Bad weather the past week has hampered operations on many of the ranches, where prickly pear cleaning and other projects are under way, the agent said. Many of these need but a few more days work before completion, and a number are expected to be ready to make reports within a few days.

Earlier tank construction is under way in this county on a large scale. The L. P. Reed construction crew from Alpine is at work on a 24-hour basis in an effort to move more than 100,000 cubic yards of dirt before January 1 in the construction of these tanks. The equipment is working at present on the Frank Harris 90,000 acre ranch where for huge tanks, costing approximately \$2,000 each are being made.

## JUST 13 MORE DAYS!

Christmas shopping has reached the serious stage. To date the gift list had not assumed such an ogre, but those who have put off the shopping chore are nearing the panic stage as Christmas creeps relentlessly on. Crowds that mill the gift centers of the downtown area are beginning to have serious expressions and gift articles are beginning to move with greater rapidity. Shelves and display counters in Ozona gift stores are loaded with appropriate gifts and before the hysterical stage is reached it might be a good idea to browse through them and check off a few on the list.

## Missionary Society Has Harvest Program

A Harvest Day program was observed by members of the Methodist Missionary Society in its meeting yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Joe Pierce opened the program with quiet music, after which the missionary topic, "Opinions of Different Women of Missions" was presented by Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr.

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GOOD ADVICE TO CONGRESS

A dozen leading economists recently presented to the special session of Congress a four-point formula for ending the slump in business activity.

The gist of it was, according to an Associated Press report, "Do something to encourage business." The four points included: Abolishment of the tax on undistributed profits; revision or abolishment of the tax on capital gains; ending of government competition with business; the bolstering of confidence by definitely indicating an intention to balance the budget as soon as possible and practical.

Among the economists were such authorities as David Friday, Professor Irving Fisher, Colonel Leonard Ayres, B. M. Anderson, and Paul Douglas.

In addition, members of the group advocated cooperation between labor and business on wages, prices and employment, and properly conducted housing drive. All agreed with the statement of Mr. Friday when he said: "There is need of some definite, dramatic action to show that government promises of helping business are more than just a lot of talk."

Congress has been holding open season on business. Industry has been sniped at from all quarters. It has been reviled, denounced and saddled with an unprecedented weight of punitive laws. The inevitable results are seen today: Worried investors, discouraged managements, retrenchment of capital—all culminating in a major business recession. Continu-

Two 1938 Ford V-8 Cars Displayed



TWO distinct lines of Ford V-8 cars are now being displayed in dealer showrooms. One is a newly-styled standard Ford line in three body types, the other a de luxe Ford line in eight body types. The de luxe Tudor sedan is pictured above. The de luxe sedans are larger in appearance, with longer hood and sweeping lines. The de luxe cars are powered with the 85 horsepower V-8 engine, the standard cars with either the 85 or the 60 horsepower engines. Newly-styled interiors are pictured at right. New instrument panel has instrument group in front of driver, grille for radio speaker installation in center, flanked by engine controls and cigar lighter, and glove compartment at right. In the de luxe cars, the compartment locks, and a clock is recessed in the compartment door.



A headlight beam control is fitted on the toe-board, a tell-tale light on instrument panel indicates whether the headlight beams are raised or depressed.

ance of this trend but inevitably turn the recession into a depression.

The four actions the economists list would go a long way toward bringing back lost confidence. They would instantly encourage spending of money, the building of plants, the expansion of inventories, and the employment of men and women.

ECONOMIC LAW CONFLICT

(From the Detroit News) Homer Martin, president of the United Automobile Workers' Union, advises all the members of his organization to refuse to buy meat. He tells them this will bring meat prices down. Edward A. O'Neil, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, wires asking Martin, "Is this an invitation for American farmers to take similar action against products produced by CIO union labor?"

After a while the truth may dawn on organizers that striking to put wages—and therefore prices—up and striking to bring prices down, heads toward an economic breakdown in which nobody would produce anything, nobody would buy anything and

everybody would quit eating. That would be inconvenient.

The organizations responsible for boosting production costs in one industry must not complain if prices rise in the markets for products of many industries. They all are tied together by economic laws.



Scout Notes

By Miles Pierce

Scout dues for the coming year were paid at the meeting December 7. The dues are 50 cents a year.

Scouts of Troop 53 are going to distribute fruit to the poor children of the city at Christmas time. We will distribute baskets among the needy families of the city. A committee consisting of Maurice Lemmons, Beecher Montgomery, Jack Baggett, and Boyd Baker was appointed to arrange for this activity.

A talk on the National Council was made by Norman Rendall. From it we learned that—

The President of the United States is the honorary president of Scouts, and all living ex-presidents are vice presidents of Scouts of America.

If less than 25 members of the National Council are present at a meeting, no power is given those present to act.

From a talk by W. B. Robertson on "Leadership," we learned the duties of the Scoutmaster, Assistant Scoutmaster, Scout Commissioners, Scout Executives, local Council, Deputy Scout Commissioner and assistants.

LA GUARDIA DEPUTY



Most important man in the New York city set-up (besides Mayor LaGuardia) is Magistrate Henry H. Curran, pictured puffing a cigarette after hearing that he had been appointed to the office of deputy mayor. The duties of the office newly created are largely administrative, and according to the law, the mayor is permitted to delegate almost full powers to him.



Edited by Elsie Parker W.M.T. TARDY

This column consists of Southwestern poetry. Contributions welcomed. Enclose return post card. Address: Wm. T. Tardy, publisher, Liberty Bank Building, Dallas.

GOD'S GIFT

The watching shepherds were sore afraid

When the angel from Heaven appeared and said,

"This day the Son of Man is born," and bade

Them go to the place of His lowly bed.

They followed the light of the Holy Star

As it led them in the eastward way;

They traveled o'er hills a distance far

To the lowly manger where Jesus lay.

The new born babe was a gift from God

To man. He came to set us free;

To be our guide, our life, our rod;

That through Him we might see.

Scatter the love of this Holy One

At Christmas time, and live each day

So others may see God's Son

In you, and find the better way.

— Millard F. Willis, Dallas.

CHRISTMAS GIFT

What do I want for Christmas?

Last summer's moon will do—

A rose that we picked together—

A path through the grass and dew.

What do I want for Christmas?

A kiss 'neath a willow tree—

A stick of pink striped candy—

The smile that you gave to me.

What do I want for Christmas?

A little dream or two—

A little kiss—some of your love—

Tied with holly—from you . . .

Elsie Smith Parker, Dallas

WINGS

My son, with gentle brown eyes, Left to try his wings yesterday, 'Tis not modern if one cries Yet—I wonder what hearts can weigh

When a lad, beloved, has gone? Calmly I go about my work, The household pulse ticks smoothly on,

But mine—skips and shirks.

— Mary W. Nation

Mike was going to Dublin for the first time in his life, and his friend, Pat, was giving him a few hints on where to go and what to do in the city. "What do I do when I go to the zoo?" asked Mike. "You be careful about the zoo," advised Pat. "You'll see foine animals if you follow the signs 'To the Lions' or 'To the Elephants,' but take no notice of the one 'To the Exit,' for begorrah, Mike, it's a fraud and I found meself outside when I went in."

Great Compliment

"Does your wife ever pay you any compliments?"

"Only in the winter."

"In the winter? How do you mean?"

"When the fire gets low, she says, 'Alexander, the grate!'"

Thieves stole a large gospel tent owned by Rev. R. E. Allen, which he had set up in a field near Boston.

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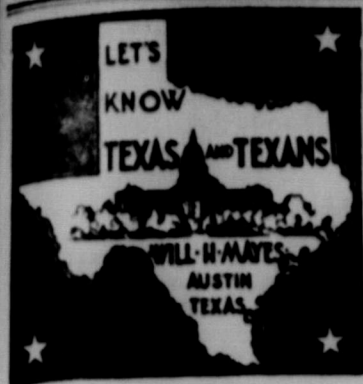
LENTHERIC's toiletries for men imply good grooming and good breeding. Hence—it is a compliment to him to be presented with any of these select preparations. If he isn't already a confirmed user, he will appreciate the introduction. If he is—then you have found what pleases him most.



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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 was the first permanent Spanish settlement made in the El Paso section and under what conditions?**

A. From 1680 to 1684, by refugees who had been driven out of Santa Fe by revolting Indians. These refugees were temporarily located along the Rio Grande in the neighborhood of El Paso as early as the winter of 1680-81, pending arrangements for their settlement and protection, but a permanent presidio was not erected until 1685.

**Q. What three missionaries made their way on foot from the El Paso missions to the neighborhood of present Presidio, Texas, in 1683?**

A. Fathers Nicola Lopez, Juan de Zavoleto and Antonio de Acevedo, who went at the earnest solicitation of Jumanos Indians of the same tribe that Cabeza de Vaca found there in 1536, after the Indians at their suggestion had already erected near Presidio two churches about six leagues apart and a dwelling for the priests.

**Q. Why did Capt. Juan Dominguez de Mendoza, with soldiers, go to the Presidio section in 1683?**

A. Father Lopez was so pleased with his reception by the Indians there that he sent a messenger to the governor at El Paso asking for a military escort to accompany him to the tribes farther east. Mendoza, was 30 years before had accompanied Guadalajara through the Jumanos country, was sent with instructions to examine carefully the Colorado and tributaries for pearls and to take back samples. This expedition took Mendoza and his men, accompanied by two priests, to about the present city of San Angelo, looking for Indians to Christianize and pearls to add to the treasures of Spain.

**Q. When did the settlement of Nacogdoches begin?**

A. While its origin dates back to the establishment of Mission Guadalupe in 1716 by Father Margil, the real permanent settlement of Nacogdoches did not begin until 1779, when several families from the old town of Bucareli, settled there under the leadership of Antonio Gil Y'Barbo.

**Q. When and by whom was the town of Matagorda founded?**

A. In 1829, by Elias Wightman, Stephen F. Austin and Ira Ingham.

**Q. When, by whom and where was the first Episcopal church established in Texas and who was the first prelate to visit the state?**

A. The first Episcopal church in Texas was organized at Matagorda in 1838 by Rev. Caleb S. Ives, who reached there that year. The congregation was visited the next year by Bishop Leonidas K. Polk, the first Anglican prelate to come to Texas.

**Q. How did the Spaniards first hear of the La Salle colony (Fort St. Louis)?**

A. About six months after Fort St. Louis was founded, the Spaniards captured a young French corsair (pirate) named Denis Thomas, off the coast of Yucatan, who told them he had learned of the La Salle expedition and colony from one of La Salle's Indian hunters. He described the location of the fort definitely enough to be fixed by Admiral Antonio de Palacios as at the mouth of a stream emptying into Matagorda Bay.

**Q. Where was Ft. St. Louis?**

A. The temporary fort was close to Matagorda Bay near the mouth of Garcitas Creek. This was merely a shelter, and a more permanent fort was built on a bluff about six miles up the creek. There has been much discussion as to the exact location, since all evidence of it has been destroyed, but the consensus favors the location given here.

**Q. When and at whose instance was Alonzo de Leon's second search made for Fort St. Louis?**

A. In 1687, the Marquis of Aguayo, then governor of Nuevo Leon, fitted out an expedition with de Leon in charge with instructions to cross the Rio Grande near Cerralvo, proceed to its mouth and then follow the Gulf coast to the east. After going east for some distance the expedition turned back because of numerous hostile Indians and the difficulty of crossing the streams with facilities at its command.

**Q. What led to De Leon's third expedition into Texas?**

A. In 1688, de Leon, then governor of Coahuila, sent a Tlaxcaltec-

lan Indian, Agustin, across the Rio Grande to secure the help of friendly Indians in fighting the Tobosos, who were giving him much trouble. De Leon started at once to the place indicated and found a partly demented Frenchman, who gave his name as Jean Gery, seated on a make-believe throne, claiming to be king of the small Indian tribe.

**Q. Who was Jean Gery?**

A. Gery's statement to the Spaniards who took him to Monclova from his Indian throne in Texas, was that he was a native of St. Jean de Orleans, France, and that he came from way up the "Big River, that he had been sent to civilize and rule the Indians, had been there three years, and had been visited by some of his people within the last year. Members of La Salle's colony, captured later by de Soto, stated that Gery did not belong to their group, and nothing more was learned about him or how he reached Texas.

**Q. How did Alonso de Leon finally find Fort St. Louis?**

A. In 1689, de Leon headed an expedition that crossed the Rio Grande and found an Indian who said that he had been to Fort St. Louis, and offered to guide the Spaniards to the fort. Under his guidance the deserted settlement was discovered. It had been raided and pillaged by Indians, who had destroyed such things as they could not use. The bones of three bodies were scattered over the country.

**Q. Did any of the Fort St. Louis colonists escape the massacre?**

A. A number escaped and later died or were killed along the coast. A few others were scattered among the Indians who were more friendly. Two of them, Jean L'Archeveque and Jacques Grollet, surrendered to de Soto and were taken to Mexico.

**Q. What was La Salle's purported reason for desiring to plant a**

colony at or near the mouth of the Mississippi?

A. Having explored the Mississippi to its mouth in 1682, at which time he formally took possession of the country in the name of Louis XIV, king of France, La Salle went to France in 1683 and received a commission to return with about 400 persons, establish a colony, build a fort, subdue and enlist some 15,000 Indians to undertake for Louis XIV the conquest of the territory to the north of Nueva Vizcaya, New Spain, and eventually to extend the conquest to Mexico City.

**Q. Why did La Salle's fleet land at Matagorda Bay instead of at the mouth of the Mississippi?**

A. He may have passed the mouth of the Mississippi in the belief that it was farther to the west, or, which is more plausible, because he wanted to locate his base of operations closer to Mexico. Apparently unconcerned as to whether he had passed the Mississippi, he did not hesitate to land the fleet near the mouth of Garcitas Creek, Matagorda Bay, February, 1685.

**Q. What is the tradition as to the apparitions of Maria de Jesus de Argeda, the "Woman in Blue"?**

A. When Jumanos Indians appeared at the convent of San Antonio at old Isleta, New Mexico, in 1629, and sought missionaries to work among them, they stated that a beautiful "Woman in Blue" had appeared among them, preached to them in their own tongue and commanded them to go in search of missionaries to teach and baptize them. Fifty years later Father Massanet was told by Tejas and other Indians to their ancestral tribes of a "Woman in Blue," preaching to each tribe in its own language, and that none of them knew from whence she came or where she went.

**Q. Who drafted the Legislature resolution providing for Texas Flag Week and rules for the use**

of the Texas flag? When did it become effective?

A. The resolution was drafted by Prof. A. Parker, principal of the Forest Avenue High School, Dallas, and was passed by the Legislature, April 19, 1933. The rules for use of the Texas flag, when the Texas and National flags are displayed apart, conform closely to those for use of the National flag. Texas Flag Week is the week of each year in which March 2 is included.

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### THE USELESSNESS OF WAR!

By Norman Rendall

Once again this oft-repeated quotation shall find its way into print, Sherman once said, "War is hell!"

His statement is an underestimation of the horrors of this gory imperfection of nations. Why should a young man with a brilliant future ahead of him be compelled to leave his home, his loved ones, and his future happiness to shoulder a death-dealing rifle, face untold hardships, sickness, permanent disability, and even death, just to make some unscrupulous munitions manufacturer or a crooked politician, who stays at home in safety, wealthy?

It is youth who pays! The future citizens of this or any other nation. War drains a country of its men, money, resources, and many other necessary things.

Even in times of peace war costs the United States as much as the rest of the cost of government put together. The interest on the debts contracted by this country in the last great war alone would run the State of Texas for a year! The army, navy, and marines cost us almost a billion dollars a year, eight hundred and forty-nine million dollars to be exact.

Think of what the cost in money alone would be in time of war with a major nation, when our forces would be increased a hundred-fold! Now add to that the depletion of our young men this supposed major war would cause.

We will be in another war if the American flag still persists in sending its Marine Corps and part of its Navy to every outbreak of hostilities? Because some careless American "sticks his nose" into other people's business is no reason why the whole nation should run the risk of getting mixed up in an international incident that may cause primitive hostilities.

Let's not be led astray by any false propaganda that is appearing in the newspapers at the present, because this is what got us into the World War. Are you with me?

### OF PEACE

By Sybil Cooke

If one were asked today "What is peace?", one would probably reply:

"Peace is freedom from disturbance. Public quietness, tranquility and security."

Peace is necessary to the welfare of the world. Not only for nations within themselves, but in their relations with other countries. Countries in war envy those in peace, although they are fighting for some gain.

Rulers are always held responsible for the peace of their countries, and a ruler who can keep his country out of war is one to be praised. Peace does not mean tranquility only in relation to nations, but it means also the saving of many human lives, whose blood is shed because of some disturbers of peace.

In private life peace is as much a necessity as in National divisions. Those who indulge in violent language, or those who interfere with lawful meetings of others, or prevent others from doing lawful tasks, or those who riot are called "disturbers of the peace" and are punished accordingly. Were it not for our laws, peace would be but a vague thing, but as it is it is something one can enjoy at its best and look forward to in time of disturbance.

One who will disturb the peace is a person who cannot readily define it, has never known it, and does not appreciate it.

Peace to all the world! It is something the world lacks today in this time of war.

### SNOWMEN

By Betty Jo Brown

We have been making snowmen. They are holding brooms in front of them. They have holly wreaths around their necks. They are wearing black hats and smoking cane pipes.

"What did you say when the customs officer found the necklace which you failed to list?"  
"Well, I declare."

### SELF-DEFENSE

By Christine Currie

Self-defense (What does it really mean? Webster defines it as the right to defend one's person, property, or reputation from injury. Is that all self-defense means? Don't we use the word for something else?)

Even small children have the problem of self-defense. The boy who tells his mother that the reason his eye is black is the result of a fight. The boy across the street kicked him, and, of course, he had to defend himself. What if his eye is black? You should see the boy across the street.

Then there is the boy who fights to defend his property. The story might be that the "bully" of the school tried to throw his books away, or maybe he wanted to tie a tin can on a cat's tail. The story may be that a school-mate called him a coward, the teacher's pet, or a sissy. What boy can take such insults and remain a favorite of his friends and his "gang". He must defend his reputation, even if it does mean a black eye.

But these boyhood incidents seem to be nothing, compared with our "grown-up" self-defense problems. It is a law in our land that a man has the right to defend his person and property from injury. The law also sanctions the defense of those who stand in near relation of the husband or wife, parent or child. The fundamental law is that the man has the primary right to stop the injury of himself, his family, or those who rightfully look upon him as their protector, but the essential principal of the law is that we must not use more force than is necessary for self-defense.

Therefore, according to our law, a man may kill or injure a person if it is in self-defense of his property or person. But in such a case, the defender must prove in court that his action was really self-defense. In this age such proof for the court is easily acquired, even if the defender is really guilty of an inexcusable crime, if the lawyer is smart or experienced enough, and enough money is all that is needed to obtain a smart lawyer.

Self-defense may be used in many arguments for man to defend himself, but too often it is used in pleading when there is really no defense involved. But what can be done about that? Must we not have our self-defense laws so that man can have an excuse for his actions?

### GIRL'S BASKETBALL

The high school girls' basketball team had their first practice meeting of the annual season at four o'clock on Monday, December the sixth, in the gym. The team is being coached by Miss Jack Perker, a teacher in the local Mexican school.

Those who attended the meeting were Mary Alyce Smith, Betty Lou Coates, Crystelle Carson, Helen Armentrout, Maudie Mae Couch, Jennie V. Schwalbe, Billie Jo West, Jean Kinser, Opal Oathout, Mary Bess Parker, Jean Drake, Mary Louise Harvick, Posey Baggett, Johnny Boyd, Noma V. Miller, Eloise Carson, Emily Smith, Etta Lee Harrison, Sibyl Cooke, and Sybil Luther.

These girls were given the general rules by which the team would go and were assigned their lockers.

It was decided that the election for captain would not be held until the girls had worked out a few days and found the one they would like to select.

The new satin suits for the girls, which are gold trimmed in purple, will be ordered this week. This brightening the season, the girls look forward to a successful series of games.

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**DEDICATES CARVINGS**

The carvings of R. P. Carson, father of Mrs. Taylor Word, were put in the study hall last week. They have, for a time, been in the show window of the Ozona Drug Company. When all the student body has become acquainted with the carvings, they will be placed in the Ozona High School Museum. The school is very grateful to Mrs. Word for her dedication.

—ohs—  
**MY WAYS**

By Johnnie Boyd  
Some people may not like my name; But whether they do or don't, I didn't have my choice. And they can't have their wants. Some people may think I'm stubborn, But maybe they just don't know, Because every one has their ways, And mine's different, I know.

### SCIENCE CLUB MEMBERS DEMONSTRATE

The house was called to order by the president, Lois Jones. Since the secretary, Bobby Lemmons, was absent, Dorothy Hannah, the reporter, read the minutes of the last meeting. There was no old business to come before the house. Under the new business was the suggestion that of the election of a new vice president, since the former one, Leslie Christensen, is planning to move out of town. It was decided by the club that the election would be made at the following meeting.

The program followed the business meeting. Carl Thurman demonstrated his study of making slides for the projection machine in the auditorium. Joe B. Chapman and Vernon Wilson showed the club their lead model of the ant's den that they have been observing. Each one told about the different kinds of ants in the United States. George B. Armentrout and Leslie Christensen showed their model of a steam plant, and demonstrated its workings. This was extremely interesting.

The meeting was then adjourned. Mr. Denham was a welcomed guest at the meeting. Anyone who is interested in seeing some of the interesting demonstrations is cordially invited to attend the meeting.

### BASNETBALL

Listed below are twenty-two Lions who practice each afternoon for basketball:

Haskell Leath, J. W. Johnigan, Philip Schneemann, Clifton Taliaferro, Jack Chapman, Jack Baggett, Maurice Lemmons, Howard Lemmons, Walter Escue, Beecher Montgomery, Joe Williams, Jim Dudley, Joe B. Chapman, Bobby Lemmons, Carl Thurman, Jesse Hancock, George B. Armentrout, Walter Babb, Donald Wilson, John Henry Flanagan, Willie Joe Hubbard, and W. C. Brock.

### WHAT JUNIOR WOULDNT LIKE TO HAVE:

Walter Babb's sportsmanship.  
Louise Casbeer's time off from school.  
Jack Baggett's dancing feet.  
Catherine Childress' drawing ability.  
Welton Bunger's ability to edit a successful "Lion's Roar."  
Sibyl Cooke's common sense.  
John Cates' ability as an athletic manager.  
Elizabeth Couch's sense of humor.  
J. W. Johnigan's bashfulness.  
Maudie Coach's basketball ability.  
Haskell Leath's jokes.  
Christine Currie's smile.  
Maurice Lemmon's lovable disposition.  
Betty Dudley's dignity.  
P. C. Perner's popularity with the girls.  
Lela Mae Phillip's ability to write essays.  
Elmon Powell's polished manners.  
Florence Sparks' friendliness.  
Normar Rendall's arguing ability.  
Lurinne Townsend's eyelashes.  
Miss Terry's personality.

### CAMPUS PHILOSOPHY

By Mickey Couch  
Nothing recedes like success.—Walter Winchell.

There is no use wasting nice conversation on the men who won't listen to clean cut facts. Nothing brings such quick returns as kindness, gentleness, cheerfulness and lending a helping hand.

If you have not the force of character to make an enemy, you will never make a friend.

There's always hope for the man who works, but despair for the fellow who waits for something to turn up.

When there is a ghost of a chance never give up until you give up the ghost.

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### PRESS CLUB MEETING

The Press Club met at the home of Mary Louise Harvick, December 1, 1937.

The meeting was called to order by Norman Rendall. Jack Baggett, program chairman, had charge of the following program: Mickey Couch: "Subjects." Lurinne Townsend: "Structure of News Story."

Norman Rendall: "Learning to Write."

The group then wrote articles and put the paper in shape for the following week.

Refreshments consisting of cookies and cocoa were enjoyed by the following members, Lurinne Townsend, Mickey Couch, Catherine Childress, Crystelle Carson, Posey Baggett, Ora Louise Cox, Miss Bess Terry, Mary Louise Harvick, Doris Bunger, Jack Baggett, Miles Pierce, Maurice Lemmons, P. C. Perner, John Coates, W. B. Robertson, Jeff Fussell, and Norman Rendall.

### SIXTH GRADE GIVES OPERETTA

The sixth grade is going to present an operetta, "A Wooden Shoe Christmas". We are going to give it at assembly Thursday, December 9th.

The sixth grade class members wish here to express their appreciation to Mrs. Williams, who recently sent several pot plants to the music room.

### FIRST GRADE NEWS

The first grade enjoyed their Thanksgiving holidays and had many interesting experiences to tell on Monday. Arthur Runnion enjoyed a trip to Kerrville to visit his aunt.

Report cards came out this week and all of the children were delighted with the progress that they had made.

We are looking forward to Christmas and the arrival of Santa Claus.

### JUNIORS TO GIVE MOVIE

Clark Gable and Myrna Loy are the leading characters in "Parnell," the movie to be given December 14 and 15 by the Junior class at the Ozona Theatre. The proceeds are to go toward giving the Junior-Senior banquet in May.

### WITH THE EXES

Athleen Dudley, a graduate of O. H. S. in 1937, is attending the Texas State College for Women, this year. She is taking English, French, Design, Art, Violin, Piano, Public School Music, and Fencing, the last of which she enjoys most. Only two fencers have defeated her, and later she defeated them.

### NEW BRITANICAS

Mr. Denham announced this week that a new set of Britanicas has been ordered for the reference shelf of the library. The set is to consist of 24 volumes and is to cost \$148.00.

The Britanica is a well known set of books. They will furnish very good references and will be very enriching to our library.

### THIRD GRADE NEWS

The third grade is making Christmas trees, and we have to make an "A," then we may put a gift on our tree.—Doris Bean.

Muggins Davidson brought a book of "Manners Can Be Fun" and "Grammar Can Be Fun". They come from the same company but they don't have the same name.

### OUR BASEBALL TEAM

By Ruth Townsend

The third and fourth grades played each other in football. Now they are playing each other in baseball. The captains are Dick McDonald and Jimmy Read. The girls are playing baseball too. Their captains are Jo Nell Coose and Joyce West.

### SEVENTH GRADE NEWS

The seventh grade Social Studies Class made some attractive booklets on farm industries. The subjects and authors are: Meat Gem Ella Dudley; Vegetables Stanley Lemmons; Cotton, Adelle Keeton; Wheat, Floyd Hokitt; Corn, Mary Faye Lucas; Fruits Doris Stokes; Sweets, Pattie Jean Tyer, and Fish, Mary Frances Bean.

On Monday, November 29, twenty-two members of the seventh grade attended a skating party in their honor.

### AN ORCHID TO YOU

An orchid to you, Lurinne Townsend, for your splendid leadership of the Pep Squad. You were certainly good and had a good group of girls following you. Good luck to you in the years to come. May you have a happy life.

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Denton, Dec. 8.—Honey will work just as well in candy as it does when used as a term of endearment. It comes in especially handy around Christmas when one wants to have candy around in convenient corners at all moments, because honey keeps the sweets moist and makes their flavor improve with age.

#### Honey Fruit Caramels

Grind two pounds dried figs, one pound dates, one fourth pound candied cherries, and one cup pecan meats. Add three tablespoons strained honey, one tablespoon lemon juice, one teaspoon grated orange rind, and a pinch of salt. Mix well. Line a bread pan with heavy wax paper, lightly greased. Press the mixture into the pan, making a smooth layer. Let stand over night in a cool place. Cut into squares and wrap in wax paper.

#### Honey Pecan Fudge

Add one ounce unsweetened chocolate (cut into pieces) to one cup milk and place over low heat. Cook until mixture is smooth and blended, stirring constantly. Add two cups sugar, one fourth cup strained honey, and a pinch of salt. Stir until sugar is dissolved and mixture boils. Continue cooking (stirring occasionally to prevent burning) to soft ball stage or 234 F. Remove from heat. Add two tablespoons butter and one teaspoon orange juice. Cool to luke warm (110 F). Then heat until mixture begins to thicken and loses its gloss. Pour at once into a lightly greased pan. Let cool. Cut into squares or oblongs. Decorate with halves of candied cherries.

#### Honey Popcorn Balls

Cook together three fourths cup strained honey and one and one-

fourth cups light corn syrup to hard ball stage (275 F.). Stir in two tablespoons butter. Pour slowly over three quarts popcorn lightly salted. Mix well. Form into balls with the hands. This recipe makes 18 to 20 medium sized balls.

#### Honey Divinity

Mix two and one half cups sugar, one half cup strained honey, one eighth teaspoon salt, and one cup water in a sauce pan. Place over heat and stir until sugar is completely dissolved. Continue cooking to hard ball stage (268 F.) From time to time, wash down any crystals that may form on sides of pan. Remove from heat and pour slowly over two stiffly beaten egg whites. Beat until rather stiff. Add one half teaspoon vanilla, one half cup chopped pecan meats, and one half cup candied cherries. Mix thoroughly and drop from teaspoon onto wax paper.

### Know Texas

News Bureau  
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#### Prairie Dog Blues

Denton, Dec. 8.—Under the Soil Conservation plan progressive Crockett County ranchmen are riding their ranges of prickly pear, cedar, mesquite and prairie dogs. In all, contracts covering 1,185,748 acres of land have been prepared in the office of the county agent. Other improvements listed in Crockett's program include 24 header tanks and 990 rods of fence.

#### Foreign Wheat Market

For the first time in five years the Panhandle shipped its wheat abroad this fall. A single shipment of 100,000 bushels, comprising a train of from 60 to 70 cars, left Amarillo for Galveston, where it was exported to Antwerp, Belgium.

#### History of Disasters

Four wars and two floods are the main catastrophes which Texans have to look back over since the beginnings of statehood. The wars

### World's Busiest Street?



JUST LOOK at that traffic roaring by! Yes, sir, that's New York's famous Fifth Avenue, looking toward 42nd Street. And the lady in the stylish white shirtwaist and the snappy little straw skimmer is better be careful when she gets to the corner because you know how those horseless carriage drivers swing around the horns. With the national automobile show approaching, Consumers Information dug out this picture, taken in 1907, to show what a difference 30 years can make. The picture below shows Fifth Avenue as it is today. Advertising which created the demand, and research which perfected the product,

are credited with changing the picture from that of 1907, when only a few thousand cars were on the country's roads to that of today, with almost 20,000,000. The few small manufacturers of 30 years ago advertised to sell their primitive cars, which cost around \$3,000 for a "medium-priced" model. They created a bigger demand than they could fill, and so bigger factories, increased employment, and constantly better automobiles resulted. And today we can buy an infinitely superior car for about one-fifth of the price, while half a million men are directly employed in the industry, compared to a few thousand at the time this picture was taken.



of course, begin with the struggle for independence, on through the wars to the World War, when 200,000 Texans went overseas. Greatest natural tragedy was the Galveston hurricane in September, 1900, when from 5,000 to 7,000 lives were wiped out. Just a year before the Brazos flood swept across the country, taking heavy toll of lives and property.

#### BRIDGE-BREAKFAST HONORS BRIDE-TO-BE

Mrs. Dempster Jones and Mrs. Joe Pierce honored Miss Louise Henderson with a bridge-breakfast Saturday morning at the Pierce home.

Yellow roses and yellow chrysanthemums were used to decorate the rooms. High score was awarded to Mrs. Earle Chandler, high cuts went to Mrs. James Baggett, Mrs. Johnnie Henderson, Mrs. Bob Weaver, Mrs. R. L. Flowers, and Miss Wanda Watson. The bride-to-be was presented a piece of sterling in her chosen pattern, Frances I. Others present were Mrs. Roy Henderson, Mrs. Joe North, Mrs. Welton Bunger, Mrs. Bill Littleton, Mrs. Pleas Childress, Jr., Mrs. Massie West, Mrs. Joe Sellers Pierce III, Miss Wayne Augustine, Mrs. Tom Smith, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs. Earle Suddarth, and Mrs. Miller Robison.

Paul Perner has been ill since the week end with an attack of the flu.

#### METHODIST CHURCH

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Calendar of Services

Sunday School . . . . . 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a. m.  
Epworth League . . . . . 6:30 p. m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 7:30 p. m.  
Mid-week Service, Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.  
Choir Rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

In connection with the observance of Universal Bible Sunday at the morning worship service this Sunday, we plan to have an exhibit of Bibles. If you have an old copy of the Bible or a copy with an interesting history, we would appreciate the use of it in this exhibit.

If you have gotten into the habit of staying away from the services of the church you not only are doing yourself an injustice; you are also helping to reduce the strength and influence of the church. Throughout the centuries people have learned that public worship is a beneficial act. We challenge all who will to attend the church of which he is a member or the church of his choice at least once each Sunday. As we enter into this Christmas season make the resolution to be faithful to your church vows.

#### REVIEWS NOVEL

Mrs. Gladys de Silva Bates of San Angelo reviewed the novel, "Northwest Passage" before a good crowd in the basement of the Methodist Church Monday evening. The event was sponsored by the Ozona Woman's Club.

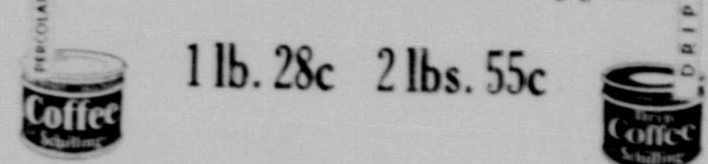
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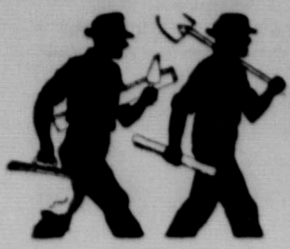
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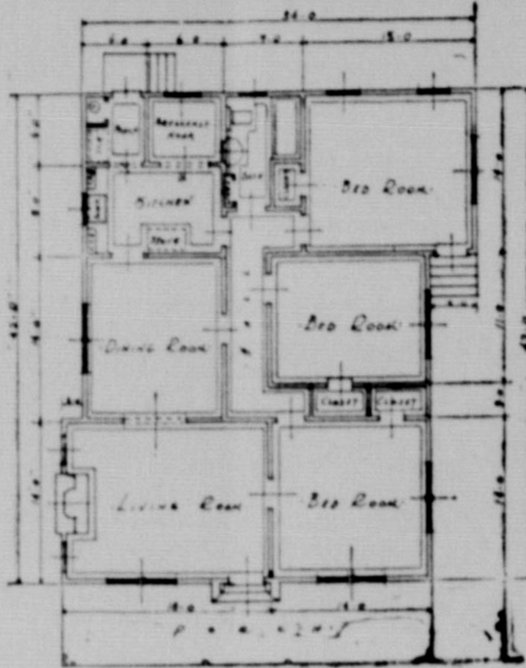
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## If it's a small colonial home which interests you most

Here is a plan that incorporates a compact arrangement which results in a roomy house with access convenient to all rooms. The long veranda with its supporting columns and the triple dormers gives it a distinct Southern touch. Many convenient built-in features are found in the kitchen and service porch, a cozy breakfast nook letting off the kitchen, a convenient entrance to the master bedroom off the driveway is a feature that will be appreciated.

This home can be built on easy terms under the FHA plan and will be financed by the W. K. Ewing Co. of San Antonio.



### "OVERHEAD" IN BUILDING HOME QUITE IMPORTANT

The structure and covering of the roof are excessively important in home building and should be given particular attention.

The weight of a sloping roof has a tendency to cause the structure to spread, and therefore the rafters of the two slopes must be tied together as close to the bottom as possible. Ceiling joists near the point where the rafters meet the side walls should run parallel with the rafters to serve as a tie, or, if this is impossible, metal straps should be attached to the rafters and run over and nailed to at least four additional joists. There should also be tie beams from rafter to rafter near the bottom of the spread.

Slate, tile, wood, composition, or asphalt may be used as a covering. In each instance the better grade of material will prove more economical in the long run, as it will not have to be replaced so soon.

### Wait a While and Save Money

When an owner moves into a newly completed home he will find it advantageous to wait until the plaster dries before decorating the walls. Paint is likely to discolor when it, as applied to green plaster and wallpaper frequently peels off.

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A student of home economics in testing the advantages of the new kitchen over those of the old used in her experiment the making of a simple dessert. It was found that the 97 operations formerly required were reduced to 64 and the necessary steps from 281 to 45.

Conservation of time and energy made possible by present day planning and the installation of adequate equipment enables the housewife to give more time to recreation or educational pursuits.

When planning a new home financed through a mortgage insured by the Federal Housing Administration, it is advisable to make a thorough investigation of modern kitchen equipment and to select the best that can be afforded, always having in mind that it should be in keeping with the cost range of the house.

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### Warning Against Fire Hazards of Holiday Season

Austin, Dec. 8.—Marvin Hall, Texas fire insurance commissioner today called attention to the number of unusual fire hazards which should be guarded against during the festivities of the approaching holiday season.

"A destructive fire is the sworn enemy of the peace and happiness that Christmas should properly bring," Hall explained. "It is important, therefore, to be familiar with the hazards common to the month of December which have in past years caused wasteful loss of life and property."

Some of the "Don'ts" as listed by Commissioner Hall are as follows:

1. Don't decorate evergreen trees with highly inflammable materials.
2. Don't place cotton or lighted candles on the Christmas tree.
3. Don't carelessly smoke or get near an open flame when wearing a cotton Santa Claus beard.
4. Don't place a lighted candle in the window near curtains or other inflammable material.
5. Don't allow small children to handle fireworks.
6. Don't use pennies or wire to replace blown-out electric fuses.
7. Don't use kerosene or gasoline to start or quicken a fire.
8. Don't permit children and other members of the family to get too close to stoves and open fireplaces.

"Among the many things the people of Texas have to be thankful for this Christmas," Hall said, "is the exceptionally low fire loss of the last eleven months. The first six months of 1937 showed a lower fire loss than any six-month period during the last twenty years. It is doubly important during this last month of the year, then, to think of the fire dangers to life and property which continually threaten to blight rejoicing because of a careless act or the use of an unsafe article."

"If we Texans will but observe diligently all safety rules, particularly those pertaining to fires," Hall concluded, "this Christmas will be one of joy and happiness for all."

### King Leopold Comes Calling on King George



King Leopold of Belgium, left, and King George of England shown as they drove from Victoria station to Buckingham palace when the Belgian monarch arrived in London recently. The visit was significant in that the Belgian king needs a lasting friendship with Great Britain, France and Germany to bolster the foreign and military policy he pronounced a year ago. This policy he defined as "barring war from our territory."

### Stresses Gravity of Childhood Diseases

Austin, Dec. 8.—"It is a great mistake to treat even light cases of measles, chickenpox, mumps, scarlet fever, or any other of the communicable diseases of childhood as though they did not amount to much," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. "Treatment of that sort makes it possible for these diseases to spread and cause serious outbreaks among children whose impaired resistance makes them easy victims to any form of infection. "Some of the most serious outbreaks we have had of scarlet fever, as well as of other diseases in different parts of the state, have been traced to mild cases — that is, to cases too light for the doctor to be called. In some instances the children have continued to go to school and to associate and play with other children. In others, after they have been kept at home for a few days, suffering

from what was believed to be just an ordinary cold, they have returned to school and have scattered these germs around among their schoolmates. Eventually a group of cases—sometimes very serious ones—have developed from the carelessly handled mild cases. The result was another epidemic that could have been prevented.

"There are several things worth remembering in connection with children's diseases. Nearly all of these diseases begin with a digestive upset or with symptoms closely resembling those of the common cold. Accordingly, it is a wise thing for mothers to regard every digestive upset and every common cold with suspicion until you are sure it is not the beginning of something more serious."

Your doctor is the best judge of the seriousness of such symptoms and you will save suffering and anxiety if you put the child to bed, send for your doctor and follow his advice.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Lord's Day

- 10:00-10:45 a. m. Bible study, all classes.
- 10:55-11:55 a. m. Sermon and Communion.
- 7:00-8:00 p. m. Evening Services.
- 7:00 p. m. General Bible study.

### Wednesday

- 8-4 p. m. Ladies Bible study.
- 7:30 p. m. General Bible study.

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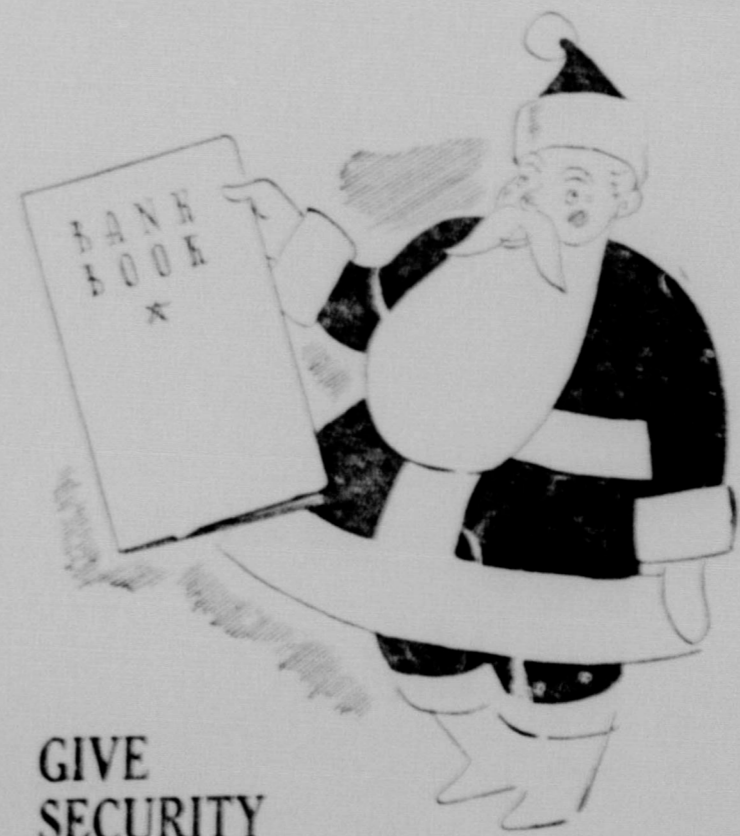
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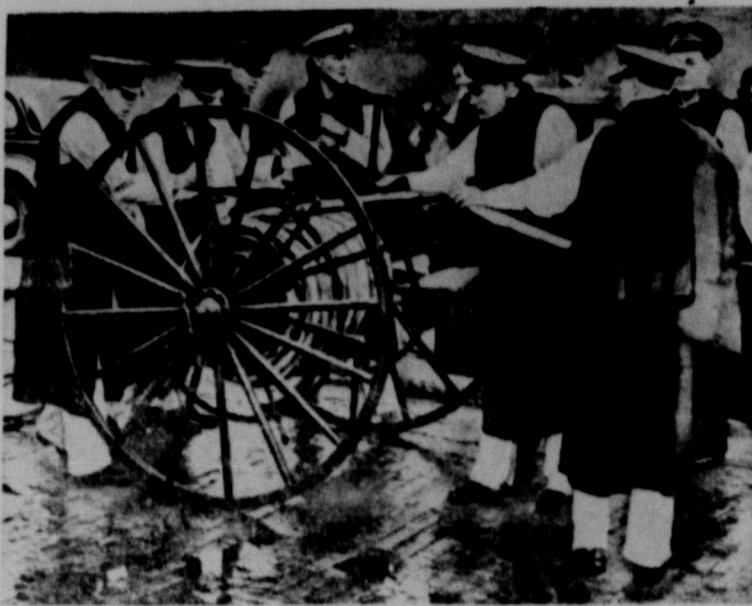
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**Future Admirals Act as Firemen**



Middies of the fire brigade of the United States Naval academy at Annapolis, Md., are shown in action as they helped battle flames which gutted historic Carvel Hall, famed Annapolis hotel, recently.

**MISS HENDERSON COMPLIMENTED AT BRIDGE**

Mrs. Hugh Childress and her daughter, Mrs. Ele Hagelstein and Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., entertained Saturday afternoon complimenting Miss Louise Henderson, bride-elect of George Bunger.

The Christmas theme pervaded, with miniature Christmas scenes, tiny reindeer, Santa Clauses, ever greens and artificial snow forming decorations. Yellow chrysanthemums lent color.

Miss Henderson was presented with a gift by the hostesses. High score trophy went to Mrs. Earle Chandler. A dessert course was served.

Guests included Miss Henderson, Mrs. Joe North, Mrs. Welton Bunger, Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs. E. W. Suddarth, Mrs. Earle Chandler, Mrs. Richard Flowers, Mrs. Dempster Jones, Mrs. Clay Littleton, Mrs. Joe Sellers Pierce, III, Mrs. Miller Robison, Mrs. Bob

Weaver, Mrs. James Baggett, Mrs. Pleas Childress, Jr., and Misses Mildred North, Wayne Augustine and Wanda Watson.

**HONOR BRIDE-TO-BE**

Mrs. Floyd Henderson, Mrs. Nadine Bernays, Mrs. Scott Peters and Mrs. Jake Short will be point hostesses at a bridge party this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Peters, with Miss Louise Henderson, bride-elect of George Bunger, as honor guest. Ten tables of players have been invited.

Mrs. Eula Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. Embree Hunt are here for a brief visit with friends and relatives. They are on their way to their home in Houston after a visit in California.

Mrs. W. E. Smith is in San Angelo this week visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Claude Broome, and having dental work done.

Mrs. Bascomb Cox is driving new Buick sedan delivered last past week by the Wilson Motor Co., local Buick and Pontiac agents.

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Mrs. Jake Short entertained her contract club with four tables of guests present at the home of Mrs. Scott Peters, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. J. A. Brashear held high score and Mrs. H. B. Tandy, second high. Others present were Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Roy Henderson, Mrs. Welton Bunger, Mrs. Massie West, Mrs. Boyd Clayton, Mrs. Jake Young, Mrs. J. W. North, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Chas. E. Davidson Jr., Mrs. Evert White, Mrs. Melvin Brown, and Mrs. Jack Holt.

READ THE ADS - SAVE MONEY

**Missionary—**  
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Prayer was offered by Mrs. Bascomb Cox and the scripture was read by Mrs. Eugene Slater. Present were Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Mrs. Slater, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. John Bailey, Mrs. Quinby Ragsdale, Mrs. N. W. Graham, Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., Mrs. W. R. Baggett and Mrs. Charles Williams.

**Problem**

Father: "Isn't it wonderful how little chicks get out of their shells?"  
Son: "What gets me is how they get in."

**TO WED DEC. 27**



Miss Louise Henderson, daughter of Roy Henderson, Crockett County rancher, is being feted at a round of social affairs following announcement last week of her approaching marriage December 27 to George Bunger, young Crockett rancher, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bunger.

**DEAR SANTA**

The Stockman will print letters to Santa Claus in this column the next two weeks and guarantee delivery of the message to the merry old gentleman in ample time. Just drop them in the postoffice or bring them to the Stockman.

**Dear Santa Claus:**

Please bring me the Shirley Temple doll dressed in a cowboy suit. And a doll buggy, some candy apples, oranges and bananas. I have been a real sweet girl this year and I forgot almost but please bring me a tricycle too. And that is all I ask for. I love you.  
Gussie Ruth

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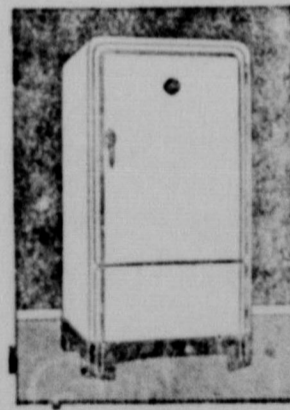
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