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## Crockett Field Well Flows 100 Barrels Hourly

### Small Pumper Turns to Gusher After Deepening 36 Feet

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Deepening 36 feet, from 1408, where initially it had been only a 63-barrel-a-day pumper, Gilcrease Oil Co.'s No. 1-13 University in the University field in extreme northwestern Crockett county lowed an estimated 100 barrels oil hourly for five hours.

The deeper pay was believed by me to correspond with the main oil bearing Permian lime in the famous Yates field, only 11 miles uth and slightly east. But weighing against the prospects of development of a field of magnidrilling to the same horizon.

when it began flowing through 7- to take a 30-day furlough. inch casing, cemented at 1,293 feet. In five hours, it flowed an stimated 500 barrels into the pits which were overflowed. Turned into storage, the well gauged 60 parrels of oil in one hour and 20 nutes, a rate of 45 barrels houror 1,080 barrels a day. Oil was eported free from water.

The well is 2,310 feet from the outh, 330 feet from the west line of section 13-14U. It is about the center of the field in which Gilrease has 21 small producers, he Lu-Tex Oil Co. four.

The Crockett field was opened in April, 1938, when L. H. Choate d Fred Hogan of Midland drilled the discovery well on a farmoutlet for the field.

### ONE THING and THEN ANOTHER By FRED GIPSON

SAN ANGELO. - It's funny ometimes how a kid'll figure out ome fool thing he'd like to do, and then if he never gets to do it. keep wanting to all the rest of his

Me-I want to drift down a long river in a boat. I don't know why. can't row a boat. I can't even pole one. I went out in the Laguna Madre one night with Joe Wall, state boat captain, and never was so aggravated at myself for not being able to pole a boat. I'm lazy, but I do like to be able to do my part on a trip. Like it was, all I could do was just sit

and let Joe do the work. Ever since I was a kid, I've wanted to drift down a river in little bed roll and push off from shore and tell the rest of the world to go to hell for a spell.

I want to sit and listen to the water gurgling and lapping about the boat. I want to trail a frog or worm baited fishline and drag in a flopping fish every once in

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I want to shade up at dinnerime, cook my fish, stretch out on my roll and listen to the drowsy whirr of the locusts in the trees and to the raspy calls of the katy-

And when the cool of the eveng comes, I'll load up and drift

And I'll pull out on a sand bank very once in awhile and read the tories the wild things have left written with their tracks at the water's edge. And maybe I'll

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### He Fires 650,000

No. 1 unpopular man of the 31, will be Col. F. C. Harrington, calf which fought for 140 seconds first ten counties in the state in who will issue orders suspending Wednesday skyrocketed her I ime. ty ranked fourth, Upton eighth ude, it was reported, is the fact 650,000 WPA workers from the that some wells in the field have rolls. Colonel Harrington's order ncountered no water or oil in is mandatory under the "anti-career" provision of the new relief ta Anna's rodeo Tuesday, Wed-The well had been drilled but a ract, requiring workers who have nesday and Thursday. hort distance into the lower pay been on WPA rolls for 18 months

## **Casbeer Clouters** Take Wider Lead

### Chance Of Stumble May Put Oberkampfs Alpine on business. In Line For Top

The softball league leading ing the past week's series of He was endorsed by a number of of Black and Eubanks, other oprators in the area. A pipeline losses for the second half. Vicupon retirement of Judge Joe G. Five West Texas counties range Williams Grocers, with J. A. Bar-

row ramrodding. A new threat to second half supremacy presented itself with Mc-Donald's Oberkampf Gassers successful in their two starts of the week to bring them within shooting distance of the leaders. The Piggly Wiggly and Williams Fan - Elected Softball teams, Texas-New Mex Pipeliners were also in the double win column for the week, downing the tobogganing Humble Monday night and Piggly Wiggly Wednesday night. A protested game between Williams and the Casbeer to the league leaders.

At present it looks like a clean sweep for the Casbeers for the playoff, the team having sacked the first half crown. However, league. anything can happen and both the Humble and McDonald teams are be! Maybe the fans picked the still in the running. The league best players, say the opposing leaders have three more games on managers, but only ten could be their schedule. Friday night elected to the all-stars and that against their chief threat, the leaves lots of good players for Oberkampf Gassers, Monday night the opposing team that will make against the Tex-New Mex Pipekleberry Finn." Likely, that's load up with a coffee pot and a little help with a coffee pot and a little help with a coffee pot and a large liners, a team that has been improving steadily, and the final Slim Davidson and Elmo Berman, the former point of the top hoteners. the Williams team, which boasts the former nosing out the latter the league's fan-elected all-star by a few votes. Although it was hurler, Slim Davidson. A rocky agreed to pick the ten players reroad the balance of the way, then, ceiving the largest number of

for the leaders. champs Friday night, the contending Gassers meet Humble Monday string. Consequently, it was night and Tex-New Mex Wednesday night, also a rough assign- scrubs and Davidson for the allment. The Humble Oilers their stars, otherwise the all-star lineday night, Oberkampfs Monday them, positions they play in the night, and Piggly Wiggly Friday game to be determined by the

night.	he	Standing		
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Casbeer		7	0	1.0
Oberkampf		5	2	.7
Tex-New M	lex	3	3	.5
Williams _		3	3	.5
Piggly Wgi	gly	0	6	.(

Rob and Roy Miller loaded out supper. Or, knock over a cottonweek which they sold at \$4 a head manager, Vic Montgomery, J. M. to R. E. Albers of Abernathy.

#### Crockett Girl Wins West Texas Roping Title In Junction

A 17-year-old Crockett county school girl, self-trained roping artist, fought her way to the West ship in a spirited three-day contest at Junction last week as a feature of the Hill Country Rodeo and Race Meet

Miss Margaret Owens, daughter by defeating Miss Sydna Yokley Southern Methodist University in of Canadian. The contest was a Dallas, under the direction of

Miss Owens' total elapsed time

The rivalry between the two at- and Tom Green county tenth, tractive feminine ropers was to have continued this week at San-

### Kimble Judge, Avowed Candidate For District

the 112th judicial district, stopped (Longview) in ninth place. off for a brief visit in Ozona Wed- In working out the index of

## All-Stars Play Scrubs In Match Saturday Night

### Stars Battle All Other Players

In a brief but spirited voting contest, a team of all-star softball players was elected by Ozona team played Tuesday night went fans the past weekend, and all been challenged for a battle under the lights next Saturday night season's championship without a against a team to be hand-picked

And what a battle it promises to

The contest for the pitching votes for the all-star team, such Besides the game with the action would have resulted in

Frankie Jones of Bryan McDonold's Oberkampf crew was elected 714 out Vic Montgomery for that 500 post. Jones was also chosen for a 500 playing position on the team.

The choice of fans for the allstar team (with Berman shifted off for opposing pitching chores)

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## Crockett County In Best All-Around **Economic Condition Of Any County In** Texas, Dallas Students Survey Shows

### Texas girls calf roping champion- County's Per Capita Income By Far Exceeds In Hike In Intangible Tax State and Nearly Triples Average **National Income**

Crockett county, in the heart of the livestock producing section of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Owens, of West Texas, enjoys the distinction of being in the best all-around rockett county ranch folk, cap- economic condition of any of Texas' 254 counties.

tured the \$100 purse and the This was the finding of an economic survey just completed West Texas girls calf roping title and made public b ystudents in statistics and graphics course at

daily feature during the three- Prof. Jerom B. Cohen, who compiled the results. Three other West Texas coun-

was 306.4 seconds to 427.6 for the ties, Sterling, Upton and Tom United States Thursday, August girl from Canadian. A stubborn Green, were included among the Works Projects administrator against Miss Yokley's efforts this classification. Sterling coun-

Sources of information in arriving at the economic rankings in cluded the Texas Almanac, based on Department of Commerce and Bureau of Census figures, and the Consumer Market Data Hand-

Dallas county ranked second Judge, Visitor Here among those enjoying the best allaround economic condition. Potter Judge J. B. Randolph of June- county (Amarillo) was third, Tartion, county judge of Kimble rant (Fort Worth) fifth, Gray In Pennant Chase county, and Weaver H. Baker, also (Pampa) was next, followed by of Junction, district attorney of Harris (Houston) with Greege of Junction, district attorney of Harris (Houston), with Gregg

nesday morning on their way to economic ranking of the different Judge Randolph, who will have capita income figures; retail sales in the Ozona grade schools for this year this figure has been served Kimble county as its coun- volume, also reduced to per capi- the coming term, to succeed Mrs. dropped to 25 per cent, Total autoty judge for 16 years with com- ta basis; automobiles, radios and Ted M. White, resigned. Miss mobile valuations last year in this pletion of his present term, is an telephones, all reduced to the per Scott has had ten years of teach- county were \$111,749. Figures lads piloted by Musty Casbeer avowed candidate for district person basis. In all of these classiwidened the margin of lead dur- judge of the 112th district in 1940. fications, save that of retail sales, mer work at the University of Crockett county was among the out from Humble. Gilcrease later games by sweeping all opposition leading attorneys in the district top dozen of counties, holding ught their properties and those for three more straight wins to in San Antonio and San Angelo first place by a wide margin in the matter of per capita income

was recently laid ten miles northwas recently laid ten miles north-west to Humble Pipeline Co.'s Mc-Oilers, until then a close second appointed Judge W. C. Jackson of capita retail sales. Dallas county to the leaders, the Piggly Wiggly Fort Stockton to the position. | capita retail sales. Dallas county led with a per capita average of \$490, as compared with the aver- called out Tuesday afternoon to decrease of 2,321, and horses total ge of \$189 for all Texas counties extinguish a blazing fence. Potter, Ector, Culbertson, Gregg, gin of the blaze was unknown but collections scheduled to start Ocis, Upton and Midland.

In the combined index of economic status, Crockett led with a revelation to many who witnessed New Deep Test rating of 214, followed by Dallas the blaze. with a rating of 209. Sterling, rat- A wide swath of the vines on ed at 201, was the only other West the west side of the fence near bined index the income and retail high into the air when the fire sales figures were reduced to a truck arrived on the scene. per capita basis. Automobile and telephone figures were converted into persons per automobile and (Continued On Last Page)

### **Business Improves** In Justice Court With 6 Defendants

Justice of the Peace W. M. Johnigan found business good in justice court during the past week, when a total of six defendants filed before him on a variety of charges.

Lottie Mae Evans and Lessie with fighting and fined \$1 and costs. The fine was remitted, however, since the justice concluded

ment. The Humble Ollers their up to be exactly as the fans picked in jail upon conviction of a charge them positions they play in the of drunkenness and disturbing the peace, E. E. Edwards paid a fine of \$1 and costs on the same charge. Rudolph Martinez, charged with desertion of wife and manager of the all-stars, beating children, is at liberty on bond pending hearing of additional evidence which he has promised in support of his contention that he had made arrangements for costs on a drunk charge.

### NEW TEACHER HERE



counties, the researchers used per of social studies and penmanship per cent of their cash value, while Texas toward her Masters' degree. rendered for taxation a total of

### Blazing Honeysuckle Vines On Park Fence

and \$260 for the national average | It was not a net wire fence, held their number to about the The leading counties in per capi- nor yet a wooden fence. It was a same as last year, 20,621 head. Tom Green, Tarrant, Harris, Trav- the fact that green honeysuckle tober 1. vines will burn with much the In the combined index of eco- same vigor as an oiled rag was a

Texas county ranged above the the entrance gate was charred by 200-mark, In working out the com- the flames, which were leaping

### NAVY RECRUITER HERE

R. A. Peterson, chief machinists persons per telephone. Radio fig- mate, United States navy, now in ures were in the form of persons the navy recruiting service with per radio. Appropriate weights headquarters in El Paso, stopped off briefly in Ozona Tuesday. The navy is now seeking new recruits for the service and Mr. Peterson said that he planned to make another visit to Ozona in the near future. Young men of the community who desire information about the navy, or are interested in enlistment are asked to leave their names with Postmaster J. R.

### COMPLETES TRAINING

Miss Elizabeth Coose, a daugh-Thornberg, colored, were charged ter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Coose that the fight was in reality little of training at a business college Stanolind Oil Co. unit test drilled more that a battle of words and in that city. She finished her work on the Todd ranch several years Bobbie Galyon served out a fine est honors for the class of grad- ered the Ordovician at between

ity during the next school term. | feet.

Mrs. Mary Flowers has returned to her home here after a threemonths' visit with relatives in Arkansas and Tennessee.

Varela is at liberty under bond a convention of Piggly Wiggly who is employed on a dam build-for payment of a fine of \$1 and store operators in Galveston this ing project near Mineral Wells,

## **County Taxable Property Values** Show Increase

### Values Offsets Livestock Decrease

Despite the fact that the number of head of livestock of all classes declined slightly from last year, total valuation of all property in Crockett county for taxation this year will show a net increase of \$25,496, according to preliminary figures compiled this week by Bill Littleton, in charge of assessments in the office of the sheriff, tax assessor and collector.

The increase in total valuations is accounted for in the sharp rise in values of intangible assets, in this case principally oil through piplines in this county and rolling stocks on a short stretch of railroad line across the northern tip of the county. Intangible tax values rose a net total of \$45,205, the assessor's figures show.

Total valuations for county taxes this year will reach \$6,152,-005, while the total for school taxes is \$5,139,355. Intangible property is not assessed for school taxes. Valuations for school taxes show a decline of \$19,709. Accounting for a part of the decline in values is the reduction made this year in assessments for au-Miss Zelma Scott of Gatesville, tomobiles. Last year, automobiles who has been selected as teacher were assessed on a basis of 60

Crockett county landowners 1,782,080.5 acres of land, an increase of 2,560 acres over last year's rendered roll. A total of 359,805 head of sheep were ren-Cause Fire Dept. Run dered this year, a decrease of 3,933 head over last year's total. Ozona's fire department was Cattle this year number 14,171, a

ta retail sales, as found by the S. honeysuckle vine fence around Tax rolls are now being com-M. U. research, are: Dallas, Gray, the Powell athletic field. The ori- piled and will be ready for tax

## To Be Drilled On Todd Ranch

### Continental Stakes Location For Ordovician Test

Authentic information was available here this week to the effect that location has been staked and plans are being made for an early start on a new deep test to be drilled on the Todd ranch in Crockett county, about 15 miles northwest of Ozona.

The new test, seeking Ordivician production, is to be drilled by the Continental Oil Co. in cooperation with other companies owning acreage in the area. No definite data as to when the company would move in drilling crews and machinery was available.

The location is understood to be of Ozona, has just returned from in the southwest corner of sec-San Antonio where she has spent tion 30-WX. It is to be about a the summer completing a course mile and a half southwest of the at the business college with high- ago. The Stanolind test encount-7,000 and 8,000 feet and was drill-Miss Coose has been employed ed to between 8,000 and 9,000 feet, the past two years as secretary and abandoned as dry. It is preto the superintendent of schools sumed that the Continental test and will continue in that capac- will be drilled to around 8,000

Mrs. Egon Schneider and small son, Billy, left the weekend to return to their home in Mineral Wells after a visit here with Mrs. payment of \$20 a month to his family for their support. Pancho daughter, Priscilla, are attending W. M. Johnigan. Mr. Schneider, ing project near Mineral Wells, came for his family Sunday.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 24, 1939

### Crockett Leads

Every loyal resident of Crockett county should have felt a thrill of pride at announcement of the results of the economic survey which showed this county at the You Big Bully, You! top of the list of 254 Texas counties in strength of its economic position. Crockett county held a commanding position of all round justice," according to one Berlin economic strength in the system newspaper. Another Nazi organ has made black and barren and next year. its leading per capita income figure, an average of \$1,077 in 1938.

It is not accident that this county has this unusually high index of economic standing. The county's income rating, nearly three times as large as the average for the entire United States, comes about by reason of large ranching opinion as on an organ. He pulls operations in the county. And that is not alone because of the fact that ranches in the county are large, but because ranchmen in this county have waged an unre- declined to surrender to Germany mitting campaign for improve- its nostrils on the Baltic-Danzig ment of the type of livestock and and the Corridor-is pictured as ranching methods throughout the a bandit by the government which county. Every ranchman has ap- only five years ago pledged ten proached his own problems in the years of Polish-German peace. light of experience of others in This may be a case of all bark the industry, each striving to bet- and no bite. If Hitler decided not ter his flocks and herds and to fight Poland for Danzig, it is improve operating methods for a reasonable to suppose that he more successful business.

lambs off Crockett ranges have the Danzig issue, come what consistently scored high in the might, he would also undoubtedly market because ranchmen in this start just such a newspaper camarea have constantly produced a paign of vilification against Polbetter product. And that improvement has come about through fensive" war against Slavic bulcareful breeding for types that lies. So those Berlin headlines produce superior fleeces and aren't much help to anybody who choicest lambs.

the index shows. The survey, in itaria.-New York World-Telefact, contains an indictment of gram. residents of the county on this score-that the county failed to Wishful Thinking get in the running of leading counties in the matter of per capita retail sales volume, although there was a lot of wishful thinkits citizens boast the greatest per ing in administration circles capita income. This discrepancy about driving out of Congress in the county's economic index sundry Democratic members who leads to a strong suspicion that had "resisted" the court-packing much, too much, of the county's program. Of those definitely propurchases are being made from scribed, all save one were tribusiness concerns on the outside umphantly returned to Congress -that other towns and counties by their constituents. So it is conare being fattened on our fruits. ceivable-to all outside the ad-Let's resolve to strengthen the ministration's inner circle, anycounty's position in the matter of way-that Democratic congressretail sales by buying more at men who resisted some adminis-

### How Awful!

lishing corridors across corridors, as between Prussia and East tains. Since the court-packing Prussia, Europe may soon resemble a waffle. - Washington proval and support despite its

### "Of All Sad Words-"

Now that the Hatch bill is law, it is timely to speculate how many that congressmen who "resisted" men there are holding office who wouldn't be if it had been in effect for four years.-Ohio State

### Still Saying Nothing

Vice President Garner said nothing, when courtesy demanded pose any part of its program will that he thank John L. Lewis for get a spanking from their home the additional strength which the folks and come back submissive to latter's tirade conferred .- Indian- the administration's will. Our own apolis Star.

### Not Yet, But Soon

Nippon's motto: If it's Asiatic, cil. - New Orleans Times-Picit's Japanese.-Chicago News.

ayune.

### LEST HE FORGET



The Great Destroyer

Fire, the great destroyer, has

livestock, razing buildings, and

need never have occurred. But

was thoughtless, someone was

someone took a chance.

Poland is "running amuck and threatening Europe's peace and been in fine fettle this summer. its headline, "Dangerous Polish war-mongering at the behest of London and Paris." Thus the 'white war' over Danzig is revived by Dr. Goebbels, who has boasted of his power t oplay on public out this stop and that stop, starts the treadles functioning, and out from the great diapason swells a hymn of hate. Poland, which has would do some blustering in the Wool from Crockett sheep and press. But if he decided to press and, preparing the way for a "de wonders (as who doesn't?) wheth-Oil development in the county er war is near at hand. But at has also produced its share in the least they are another illustration county's total wealth and income. of the fact that American news-Enterprising business concerns in papers, whatever their shortcom-Ozona have constributed their ings, are practically Utopian when share, though not in proportion, compared with the press of Total-

\* \* \* Last year, we remember, tration measures during the recent session will not be rebuked by their respective constituents nor driven by popular wrath to re-What with this idea of estab- cant and swear unquestioning obedience to the New Deal chiefscheme failed to win popular apdistinguished authorship, it is just possible that the folks back home may not like some of the administration measures which failed of passage this year. We even venture to suggest the possibility some of these measures were in closer touch with the public sentiment and attitude with respect to those measures than the administration councillors were. Time alone can test the reported administration belief that those Democratic congressmen who dared opguess is that the belief is mistaken and that Mr. Roosevelt needs a vacation from the wishful thinking of his New Deal inner coun-

#### IT'S GREAT TO BE AN AMERICAN

Problems confront the country, but it's great to be an American We have our troubles, but it's great to be a Texan.

Elsewhere, everywhere in the Old World, darkness and chaos abound. In Asia savage warfare rages. On the borders of bleak and barren Mongolia, Russians battle fiercely in unannounced warfare with the warriors of the Mikado. In the Balkans, peasants tend their crops and flocks and fearfully scan the horizon and skies for enemy bombers. Central Europe is a tinder box, Danzigers walk the streets with mouths closed. The Polish Corridor is alive with bristling bayonets, and the armed machines of Germany and France stare at each other from the doubtful shelters of their Siegfried and Maginot lines. In every British town and hamlet of the British countryside, young boys and girls are practicing the sickening art of gas drills. The world has gone mad with fright.

It is a harrowing picture. Every Texan should be proud f his heritage, Texas Americans are indeed fortunate.

element. A cigarette butt tossed from a speeding car-a camp fire not quite extinguished-a cleanup job left undone till tomorrow -a vacant lot left to dry, untended weeds-these are the things Fire, raging and uncontrolled, that make fire, this year, last year,

of rating used, largely because of denounces "the infamous Polish ugly, thousands of acres of the naprovocation." Another screams in tions finest forest land. Fire has for the fires of the past-unless turned pleasant homes into smok- it is in a general campaign to preing piles of debris. Fire has rav- vent the fires of the future. It can aged factories, and added men be done. It's up to us-each of us, and women to the long rolls of as an individual, holds the weapthe jobless. Fire has marched ir- on that will destroy the great deresistibly through farms, killing stroyer.

#### It Can Be Done A few of these fires may be un-

avoidable. But they are very few A Jap air squadron reports bombindeed, and so rare as to be hard-ing a convoy of overland motor worth mentioning. Eighty per trucks. If it made them move over, a farm, keeps house, or works in come more deeply interested in cent of all fires, say the experts, we are anxious for the full decould have been preevnted. They tails .- Atlanta Constitution.

### they did occur-because someone Appeasement Plus

careless, someone was ignorant. Mr. Chamberlain may or may not have truckled to Germany, but Back of all these fires, great he sure did kowtow to Japan .and small alike, lies the human Boston Globe,

### TYPES OF LOCOMOTION CONSIDERED BY U.S. RAILROADS WERE THE CONTINENTAL AIRPLANE HORSE-TREADMILL CAR AND THE SAIL-CAR CALBRAITH P. RODGERS WHO LEFT SHEEDSHEAD BAY L.I. SEPT. 17, 1911 AND AR-RIVED IN PASADENA, CAL. 49 DAYS LATER, MODERN AIR LINERS SPAN THE

GLOBE TROTTING

### American Women's Freedom

The recent ninety-first anniver- gated by dictatorial edicts and colsary of the first women's rights Independence Day" should be convention in the United States observed every day. And it should was observed as "Woman's Inde- take the form of a greater intens pendence Day.'

NOIANAPOLIS SPEEDWAY RACE

KOHLERT'S CAR ROLLED OVER IN MID-AIR, THROWING ITS DRIVER ONTO THE TRACK. BERGERE SHOT THROUGH UNDERNEATH, UNHARMED

The average American woman, that independence. however, probably passed it by Only as women help to preserve without any special recognition or and strengthen the foundation observance. The woman of today upon which the freedom of all d -regardless whether she lives on our people rests, only as they be

an office-will find it hard to en- finding a solution to the problems visage a day in which women did which face the private enterprise not have the freedom to permit system today-will they be ablet their full participation in the retain their independence, world in which we live. The pro- In other countries, where thes gress of independence for women rights were not guarded vigilant has kept pace with the material ly, women are now relegated to and industrial growth of the na- the kitchen, the field and the rais tion's progress and wealth.

Now that women in other parts of the world are losing their free dom and find their rights abrolectivism, the American "Woman's in those things which safeguard

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## You Pay for What You Get--Get What You Pay For!

IT IS A DEAD moral certainty, no one ever gets something for nothing. You pay for everything you get, but frequently we fail to get what we pay through injudicious buying.

"Coveat emptor" was the watchword in the days of early Rome. And it applies today as appropriately as then-"Let the Buyer Beware" when dealing with strangers. Perhaps the things told you are true. Again perhaps they are not. The thing is-can you afford to gamble on an unknown's integrity-to risk losing money you worked hard to earn?

When you deal with your local merchant you don't gamble. You know you will get exactly what you expect to pay for. You have not this assurance when you buy from unknown

Unless you are completely satisfied with any purchased article, you do not get what you pay for. When you order from mail-order houses, you are not sure the article will meet your anticipations, even though it is not misrepresented. When you buy from an unknown itinerant salesman you run the risk of being "gypped."

There is only one way to be sure of getting satisfaction—see what you buy and know the person selling it. If you do this you'll avoid disappointments and in the long run will save your hard-earned money.

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J. H. Williams & Son Your Grocers

Lemmons Dry Goods Co. "Home of Quality Merchandise"

Smith Drug Co., Inc. Paschal Northcutt, Mgr.

Ozona Laundry and Dry Cleaners

Wilson Motor Company Lee Wilson, Manager

C. G. Morrison & Co.

Ozona Drug Store I. G. Rape, Prop.

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HOME AT BUY

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Cockatoo Is Fine Watch Dog

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Behind The Scenes In American Business By John Craddock

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.-BUSI-YESS-Vigorous objections were eard to President Roosevelt's oposal last week that Thanksiving Day, 1939, be moved ahead e week from the customary last hursday in November which this vear falls on the 30th. Excepting the football crowd, most dissentrs said they don't want another radition shattered. On the other and, men with an eye for business see much to recommend it. Retail store records show that a greater volume of annual business has been done in years when Thanksgiving fell far enough shead of Christmas to permit four \$160,000,000 a day flows across there could be sufficient decline to cut a swathe in the \$1,000,000,-000 sales gain made by retailers in the first half of 1939 over last factories.

interior officials believe. The re- cially if he likes to travel! sources of Alaska differ from the United States and may be deers and cabinet makers. More than stead settlement.

the United States this year, and a paper. thumbnail survey of its brief past to stay. Since first the Union tariff commission to recommend

Chief of Legionnaires



History of the French Foreign full shopping weeks. In each Christmas shopping day roughly tures of bearded General Rollet, called the "Father of the Legion. the nation's retail counters. While The general, together with his leloss of six days might not mean gionnaires, visited Paris recently to a sales shrinkage of \$960,000,000, march in the Bastille day parade. celebrating the 150th anniversary of the French revolution.

Pacific's all-aluminum fleet made year's first six months. And every its appearance a little over half a dollar lost at retail causes minute decade ago, 30 streamlined, unitrepercussions in employment and operated flyers have been built profit possibilities of mills and and more are now under construction by both eastern and western roads. In addition, 60 trains of WASHINGTON. - Disappear- "modernized" standard equipance of new land frontiers is com- ment with some streamlined feamonly blamed for American eco- tures, and popularly included in nomic troubles. Without arguing the roster of "streamlined" trains, the point, it is interesting to ob- have made their bow. Every serve that the department of in- streamlined train of either classterior is quietly "plugging" for ification has in its short lifetime Alaskan colonization. Bought produced additional passenger from Russia for only \$7,000,000, traffic and substantial earnings. the Yukon country offers richer as the total trains near the cenrewards than those garnered by tury-mark. Apparently it pays to pioneering settlers of the West, woo Mr. American Citizen, espe-

veloped without competing with Washing machines with three products here. For example, Alas- speeds-speed can be adjusted acka has enough timber to supply on cording to type of fabric being a sustained-yield basis one-fourth laundered . . . a synthetic mosquiof United States need for news- to repellent, said to be the most print which is now about 75 per effective yet developed . . . germicent imported from Canada and cidal light tubes, which destroy northern Europe. In the Alaska of air-borne bacteria by ultra violet the future interior officials see a rays, developed for use in hospitneed for boat builders and fish- als, dental offices and nurseries ermen, for trained toy makers and . . . prepared fudge mixture which

98 per cent of the land in Alaska titles picturing state capitals and still is public, available for home- products instead of the Chinese characters used in the Oriental BIRTHDAY-The streamlined writer featuring two ribbons, one railroad train is five years old in of fabric and the other of carbon

indicates that this lusty, mile-a- HEADLINES IN NEW YORKminute infant is definitely here Department of Agriculture asks

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2. The amount of crude moving below Humble's postings was greatly increased when on August 10 the Sinclair-Prairie Company posted a reduction of 20c per barrel affecting the oil produced and purchased by it in Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Kansas, which action was followed immediately by reductions in the price made by a number of smaller purchasers. These reductions applied to more than 150,000 barrels of oil. This, added to that mentioned in the preceding paragraph, equals 368,000 barrels. In the three States in which Humble operates, Texas, New Mexico, and Louisiana, the aggregate volume of oil moving below Humble's prices approximated 171/2% of the total current production in those States.

3. The movement of constantly increasing quantities over the past year or more of crude produced in the new Illinois fields, reaching a total of 300,000 barrels daily on August 1, on a price basis substantially lower than Humble's postings in its territory, exerted a progressively depressing effect on the crude oil market. The effect was felt in Texas; and actually since April 1 Humble has lost 10,000 barrels per day of business absorbed by Illinois crude. This loss of business was in addition to that lost by Humble as a result of the movement of crude at low prices in the territory where

4. On August 11, therefore, the total volume of oil moving at prices below those of the Humble was approximately 668,000 barrels.

to President Roosevelt imposition Lead Poisoning Kills Wildlife In State of Minnesota

Machine tool orders gain; steel output hits new peak; shoe ST. PAUL, Minn.-Lead poisonoutput running 11 per cent over ing has killed more ducks in Min-1938, lumber consumption 10 per nesota the past few years than the cent . . . Nine technicolor full- gun of the hunter-and the affliclength features produced in July, tion now threatens extinction for new record; seven in Hollywood, several species of migratory watone in Miami and one in England er fowl.

Early correction of chaotic A survey conducted by wildlife crude oil and gasoline prices seen conservationists showed that buck fore the plants start blooming. By as principal producing states, shot from the hunter's shotgun cutting rag weed now, the pollen harboring 65 per cent of Ameri- was spread heavily over the content of the air will be greatly ca's petroleum capacity, order state's lake bottoms where the shutdown of wells for 15 days . . . water fowl feed.

General Motors' chairman, Alfred The resultant lead poisoning P. Sloan, sees favorable fourth has taken an alarming toll among waterfowl, it was pointed out, especially diving ducks that feed in deep water.

McGREGOR, Ia .- Mrs. L. D. Dr. G. Swanson of the Univer-Perrine's cockatoo which was sity of Minnesota and T. L. Osmer brought here from Australia 25 of state game and fish division years ago as a fledgling, is as inspected several lake bottoms and good as a watch dog. Let an in- found as many as 11 lead pellets truder come near the house or a to the square foot.

pedestrian pass on the road at a "In one series of three lakes late hour and cockatoo shrills out we found for every 14 to 24 square feet of lake bottom an average of

by waterfowl," Osmer said.

PITY THE POOR HAY FEVER VICTIM

Hay fever suffers will begin to feel the effects of rag weed pollen during the month of September, and the state department of health again urges that local civic and municipal organizations start now eradicating all rag weed be-



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six pellets that could be reached reduced during the fall months, and hay fever sufferers will be greatly benefitted.

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On August 11 the Humble Company posted reductions in the prices at which it purchased crude oil in Texas and New Mexico by amounts ranging from 5c to 32c per barrel, and averaging 18.5c per barrel. In view of the fact that this action on our part has been severely criticized before the public, we outline below the facts and reasons on which it was based:

1. On August 1 the quantities of crude oil listed below, aggregating 218,920 barrels daily in Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas, were moving to market at prices substantially below the Humble's postings for similar crudes:

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Our refineries consume something near the amount of oil which we produce. As a consequence, with respect to our purchases we are in the same position as a merchant dealing in any commodity. To continue in business, we can not over a long period of time pay higher prices than our competitors. We are compelled to meet competition. The price of oil, like that of other commodities, is subject to change with market conditions. These are simple and fundamental business principles. We were reluctant to cut the price of crude, not alone because of its adverse effect on our own earnings, but also because of its effect on our customers and upon the industry and the state at large. Under these circumstances, we could not continue to pay the prices we had been paying.

ested in the maintenance of fair prices.

5. The crude oil market has been under pressure for

more than a year. The price adjustments made last

October did not remove fully the disparity between

Humble's prices and those of some oil moving in its

markets. Since that time the volumes of crude moving

below our prices have increased steadily, with the result

that when the reductions of Sinclair-Prairie and others

came on August 10, affecting approximately 150,000

barrels of crude per day, conditions were so bad that

we were compelled to reduce our prices to meet this

competition. In no case are our new postings lower than

6. The Humble Company is primarily a producer

of oil. Its crude oil properties constitute its principal

asset. Its net production averages 133,000 barrels a

day. We are also crude oil merchants and purchase, at our posted prices, 251,000 barrels of crude oil daily in Texas and New Mexico. These prices also govern

the price at which we sell the oil which we produce.

Because of our large production we are vitally inter-

the Sinclair-Prairie postings for similar crudes.

7. As a matter of policy the Humble Company maintains stocks of crude oil very slightly in excess of the amount required as working stocks to carry on operations. We do not believe in storage of oil above ground but in production of oil currently as required for market. We do not speculate in oil. We have no desire to buy oil at any price to accumulate for storage.

8. We think the price for oil brought about by the competitive conditions above mentioned is lower than should be realized. In our opinion the flood of oil from Illinois and Louisiana, most of which is being produced wastefully, in violation of conservation principles, is primarily responsible for the market conditions which necessitated our price reductions. It is our hope that these conditions will be corrected and that the market will improve.

H. C. WIESS, President HUMBLE OIL & REFINING CO.

## Fred Gipson—

(Continued from Page One)

tail rabbit on the bank. Cottontail rabbit makes good eating, out in camp that way, if a man'll fry it hard, to take out the rabbit

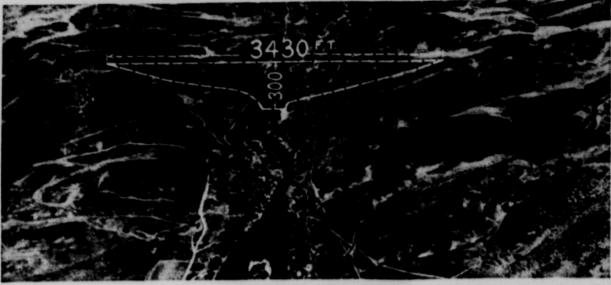
And sometimes, when I find a real shady place, where the water runs clear under the overhanging willows next to the bank, I'll shuck out of my clothes and slip overboard and let the water stroke my naked hide. Running water's mighty soothing to a man that way, calms his ragged nerves.

And then there'll maybe be a muscle shoal somewhere. And a man can tie up and gather armloads of the bi-valve mollusks and sit on a grassy bank and cut them open and maybe find a pearl or two. I always did want to find a pearl, a real good one. I found a little seed pearl one time, but I

And at night, after the squir- until they settle their quarrel. rels have been cooked and eaten wonder how far away they are reeds. and whether there's any life on And I'll go on off to sleep.

And off in the darkness, there'll drift on downstream. tails. And the foxes will bark girl. from the ridgetops. And the hoot owls will call from the tree-tops. a couple of old he-coon's will start a row over who caught

## Government Opens Bids on Giant California Dam



Bids for construction of Friant Dam on the San Joaquin river, 23 miles east of Fresno, Calif., was ill create a reservoir of 512,500 acre-feet for irriga-opened yesterday at Sacramento. The structure w ve acute shortages of ground water supplies in thetion and flood reduction and will reportedly relie

Clarence Peddicord, 22, blind op-

erator of a candy stand in Vancouver, Wash., was one of the many unsuccessful applicants for the posi-

tion of executioner at Sing Sing prison. The position was left vacant due

to the illness of Executioner Robert Elliot. Peddicord is pictured with his "Seeing-eye" dog.

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He: "Now that we are married,

She: "Don't bother dear, I know

all about them. It's those defects

that kept me from getting a better

perhaps I can point out a few of

And always there'll be the murand the ants are polishing off the muring and whispering of the bones I've scattered about, I can water as it ripples over the rocks lie and look up at the stars and and through the lilypads and

the other planets of this universe. knowing that tomorrow I can still

be an old hound dog singing his That's all just a dream. I don't song to the moon. I like to hear expect it ever to happen. But not hounds. And down the river, the long ago I found a girl who has feeding fish will leap at a bug the same sort of dream sometimes. and slap the water with their I guess I'll try to marry that

Mrs. Carl Butts and two chil-And the quavering cries of the dren of Fort Stockton are here screech owls will quiver in the visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rob Miller. dank air of the river bottom. And Mrs. Butts is Mrs. Miller's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Owens and which frog. And the night will children are on a vacation trip become a squalling din of sound, to the San Francisco world's fair.

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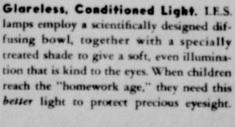


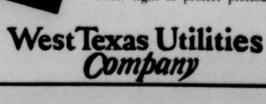
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STIN, Aug. 23.—State police delved into a six-month sur-Texas traffic to place on the drinking driver of blame for a disastrous

699 lives lost in Texas trafring the first six months of ore than half, or 394, were in highway crashes. Of 174 ians killed, almost oneor 64, were struck on high--a figure out of proportion he volume of pedestrian on highways, state men

arating highway accidents all others, state police learnt the drinking driver may be accountable for almost 24 ent of the fatalities on the ays. When all traffic-urbwell as rural-is considered, rinking driver's percentage al crashes drops to 19.71 per

for all traffic.

istical comparisons show peculiar to the highways are who pass without sufficlearance, remain at the on the wrong side of the



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> road, and operate with improper, MRS WEST HOSTESS blinding or no lights.

The drinking pedestrian also while fatigued or asleep, enters into the highway picture as much as he appears in urban traf-

> vehicle were responsible for more Mrs. Carl Colwick, Mrs. Hudson than 27 per cent of fatal highway Mayes, Mrs. O. A. Kirby, Mrs. crashes. The percentage drops to Early Baggett, Mrs. Joe Obera little more than 18 per cent kampf, Mrs. Floyd Henderson, when urban traffic is added to the Mrs. W. E. Smith and Mrs. S. M

Mrs. Tom Smith.

Mrs. Wayne West entertained members of her bridge club at her home here Saturday morning. High score was awarded Mrs. Ben fic. He is held accountable for 2.38 per cent of fatal accidents in both highway and in all traffic. and high cut to Mrs. George Head-on collisions with another Montgomery. Others present were Harvick.

Miss Florence Price of Adding- J. W. Johnigan of Coleman, ton, Okla., and Miss Mary Jo father of W. M. Johnigan, justice Snipes of Hastings, Okla., spent of the peace, is here for a visit the weekend here visiting Mr. and with his son. The elder Johnigan is 86 years old.

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Mrs. Dempster Jones entertained members of her bridge club Friday afternoon. High score award went to Mis. Ele Hagelstein, second high to Mrs. J. S. Pierce, III, and the bingo prize to Miss Wayne Augustine.

Others present were Mrs. Phillip Lee Childress, Mrs. James Baggett, Mrs. Jake Miller, Mrs. Doug Kirby, Mrs. Clifton Brooks, Mrs. Jack Wilkins, Miss Wanda Watson, Miss Mildred North and Mrs. Hugh Carden.

Miss Clara Louise Ransom of San Angelo is spending the week with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Dempster Jones.

Dr. and Mrs. George Nesrsta had as their guest the past week Mrs. Arthur Geisecke of Ballinger.

Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sparks and Native motorists in South Afchildren spent the weekend in San rica have organized a Safety First League.

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land in East Texas is being sought every Texan to look after his soby the Texas game, fish and oys- called domesticated animals which ters commission to be used in an are allowed to run loose. effort to preserve the pure strain That you cannot blame a good of eastern wild turkey, of which rabbit or bird dog for hunting there are not more than 150 birds when he gets a chance and that remaining in the Lone Star State the damage done to wildlife might and probably not that many addi- well be charged to owners of the tional from Texas to the Atlantic animals is the opinion of game exseaboard. The game refuge, if ob- perts. Hunting dogs can do almost tained, will also be used for proj- as much damage as semi-wild ects tending to restore deer, tur- house cats. They can hardly be key, quail, doves and fur-bearing expected to know when the legal animals. The game management hunting season ends and they natproject is one of those being con- urally will continue the pursuit sidered if the use of federal funds for which their masters praised made available under the Pitt- and trained them at other times. man-Robertson Act is restored to the game department.

as, as well as in other states have semi-wild house cats which range become mixed with the domestic the woods and fields, especially turkey, but game department bi- near the urban centers, and unologists have found approximately less citizens stop dumping un-150 eastern wild turkey of a pure wanted cats and kittens along strain in southeast Texas. The un- highways, return of wildlife to mixed wild turkey is a richer dark Texas fields and woodlands will brown than the birds which are be appreciably hindered. inbred with domestic turkeys. The bars on the tail are very faint.

Landowners asking too high prices for their land either on sale or lease basis has kept the department from going ahead with THE STATE OF TEXAS, its plans for saving the eastern wild turkey, a truly game bird, which it is believed, could be brought back in large numbers in

although found occasionally in paper published therein, but if Texas. One was seen recently on not, then in a newspaper publishthe ranch of Mrs. Hal C. Peck, ed in the nearest county to said game commission member, south Crockett County, for four consecu-

or cars was emphasized recently appear before the Hon. District when State Game Warden Tom T. Court, at the next regular term Waddell of Eagle Lake reported ued to live together as husband 15 birds and animals found dead and wife until about the 15th day on a highway during a 63 mile of September, 1928, when Defenddrive. They included two doves, ant left Plaintiff with the intenthree skunks, two opossums, two tion of permanently abandoning cottontail rabbits, one jackrabbit, him, since which time they have an English sparrow, one female not lived together as husband and quail, a night hawk and a water wife.

ter of Oak Grove community in and affectionate to her and alnortheast Texas, are warning ways provided for her needs and fishermen to wear sneakers, boots desires as a dutiful husband or some other form of footwear should, but that Defendant unwhen wading while fishing. Bar- mindful of the duties and obligarow, while walking in Sulphur tions of her marital vows, did in river recently, was grabbed by a September 1928, without any large turtle. The turtle's lower cause or provocation on the part beak cut a large gash in the bottom of Barrow's foot. The top of the intention of permanently his beak went completely over the abandoning said Plaintiff. There foot and mashed it. An X-ray ex- were no children born as a result amination later revealed a brok- of this marriage. en bone.

rescue. The turtle turned loose of abandoning Plaintiff, are of such Barrow's foot and grabbed Por- a nature as to render their living ter's foot in exactly the same way, thereof, to be holden in the Councutting a large gash in the bottom ty of Crockett at the Court House of it, it is reported by State Game thereof, in Ozona, Texas on the Warden H. R. Morell of Mount Third Monday in September, A. D. Pleasant, where the men were 1939, same being the 18th day of brought for treatment by Dr. T. A. September, 1939, then and there

Their greatest speed has probably the Docket of said Court No. 716 not been clocked, but you hunters wherein Phil Looney is plaintiff will know why those delectable and Cora Looney is defendant. little birds are so hard to hit when The nature of the plaintiff's deyou learn that a pair of mourning mand being as follows, to wit: doves were clocked at exactly 70 Plaintiff represents to the miles per hour for more than 300 Court that he is and has been for yards recently by Charles E. Fri- a period of 12 months prior to exfor the game department.

Not all predators of wildlife are wild, and with a new crop of game birds in the field, Will J. Tucker, April 14, 1928 in Wilson county,

### Progress Marches On

The young lady from Boston ered. was explaining: "Take an egg," she said, "and make a perforation Court that Defendant be cited by in the base and a corresponding publication as required by law to one in the apex. Then apply the lips to the aperture and, by forcibly exhaling the breath, dis-

charge the shell of its contents." exclaimed: "It beats all how folks and equity that he may be justly do things nowadays. When I was entitled to, etc. a girl, they made a hole in each end and blew."

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The number of loose running dogs can, however, in no way com-Many of the wild turkey in Tex- pare with a large number of

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Crockett County-GREETING: You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the coun-White quail are extremely rare, ty of Crockett if there be a newstive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Cora Looney whose Damage done to wildlife by mot- residence is unknown, to be and

Plaintiff alleges that during the time he and Defendant lived to-Harold Barrow and Ernest Por- gether as aforesaid, he was kind of Plaintiff, leave Plaintiff with

Plaintiff alleges that Defend-Porter, seeing Barrow being ant's actions and conduct toward dragged under water, went to his him generally in permanently to answer a Petition filed in said Court, on the first day of August. How fast can mourning doves fly? A. D. 1939, in a suit numbered on

ley, Jr., regional game manager hibiting the petition herein, an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas, and has resided in said County of Crockett for at blood-hungry creatures of the least six months next preceding the filing of this suit. That on executive secretary of the game Texas, Plaintiff was lawfully married to Defendant, then a single woman and that they contintogether as husband and wife insupportable the premises consid-

Wherefore, Plaintiff prays the appear and answer herein for judgment dissolving said marriage relations for costs of suit An old lady who was listening relief, special and general, in law

Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have

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IDLAND, Aug. 23 .- Officials he Midland rodeo, September 4 have announced that cowgirl ors representing West Texas New Mexico towns will comfor prizes valued at \$650. The st prize list ever offered for lar event in the Southwest. the same time, they have aned that a finals contest be a feature of the spon-

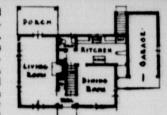
der the plan, sponsors will be d on riding ability, horse, ne and equipment as in foryears. First prize in this will be a \$125 hand-made le with a deluxe baggage set ned at \$85 to the winner of and place; a \$50 watch, as d prize; and a pair of chaps ged at \$35 for fourth prize. h and sixth winners will also rewarded. The title of "Miss will also be conferred upon place winner in the event.

he six winners of first place be eligible to enter a sponsors contest at the last performof the rodeo Monday, Sept. Winners of first place in the 5-36-37-38 Midland Sponsor's ntest will be eligible to com-As a test of rider and horse's ity to handle cattle, each conant will be allowed two min- Mexico towns. in which to pen a wild tange the new event and added rodeo. es will attract sponsors from ny more West Texas and New

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### Wind Is Topic Of Tall Tales

ity of storms.

"I always depend on the goatskin method," one gnarled man of the soil said. "We wet a goat skin inside the house in the morning and hang it over the key hole. If the four of us can't hold it there, it's too darn windy to work in the fields."

His test, however, was disputed by several neighbors, supporters

"We just hang a heavy log chain from the eaves of our ranch house," one of them explained, "If t stands straight out horizontally

A Lamar pastor, too, has his dust bowl standards. He said only ittending church.

rected. "Cup it for a few seconds, then bring it down to your side. If you can still see where your hand was, you're then excused for staving at home."

BIRD IN HAND MEANS CAGE NEW ORLEANS, La .- Vincent Matassa knows now that a bird in the hand means he goes in the cage. Matassa was freed under \$500 bond for holding a captive mockingbird, U. S. Commissioner Carter ruled that he violated the migratory bird treaty act by be-

## In Dust Bowl

LAMAR, Colo.-Southern Colo-turbances can be largely eliminatrado farmers, embittered by years uo apinq asnou aux Buineu Aq pa of attempting to raise crops in solid foundation. two-horse capacity deluxe trail- one-half dozen towns already en- this section of the dust bowl, nevwith canopy and accessories, tered it is anticipated that a half ertheless evidence humor as they with canopy and accessories, tered it is anticipated that a hard explain improvised tests for meas-dozen more towns will be repre-explain improvised tests for meas-direct and effective aid, while inthe 25 mark it is anticipated sented before the event of the uring velocity of wind and intens-

of the "log chain" test.

we know we'd better stay in.'

one thing should prevent his flock "Stick your hand out," he di-

ing caught with a feathered

'Ours.' Sisters Shout



dedicated the city's new \$77,000 post office they encountered difficulties. Mrs. Elizabeth Wimsatt of Washington, D. C., erected a warning sign, declaring that she and a sister were among eight heirs of the former owner of the site and had received nothing from the government. After much wrangling, the chief of police persuaded the adamant sisters to leave the property quietly.

#### Woman Values Relic As From The Liberty Bell

COLUMBUS, Ohio,-Mrs. Harland Venrick of Columbus be- hung in 1753. lieves that she has a small piece of the Liberty Bell.

emblem was made from a frag- United States. ment of the famous bell. It was given to him by a fellow Mason who repaired the bell.

"In tapping the bell with a hammer the smith accidentally knocked off a small piece," said Mrs. Venrick in relating the story. From this he had two Masonic keystones made, one for himself, one for my grandfather, Washington Reifsnyder."

Reifsnyder had his keystone put into a gold watch charm which Mrs. Venrick came across recently in going through personal effects left by her mother. The emblem bears this inscrip-

"W. Reifsnyder, Schuylkill H. R. A. Chapter No. 159, Feb. 5,

Mrs. Vanrick explained that as some Masonic orders add 4000 years to the time, it is indicated

that the medals were made in

According to history the famous old bell was cast in London by a Thomas Lister. Because of brittleness it was recast twice and

The crack occurred July 8, 1835, while the bell was tolling the According to family tradition death of Chief Justice John Marher great grandfather's Masonic shall of the Supreme Court of the

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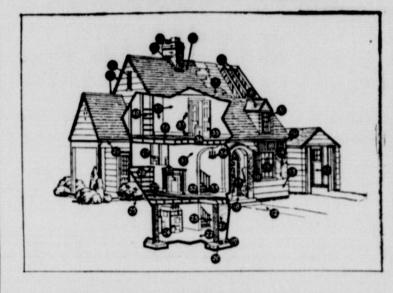
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## Crockett County—

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were assigned to each series. Per capita income was assigned a weight of four retail sales 3, automobile 2, telephone 2 and ra-

Crockett county took first in the combined index largely because of its leading position in the per capita income series. The county had a per capita income of \$1,077 in 1938, while Dallas had a per capita income of \$863. The average per capita income figure for all Texas counties was \$325. This? compares with the per capita income for the entire United States of \$437. The 10 leading counties in order of importance according to per capita income were Crockett, Sterling, Potter, Dallas, Ector, Tarrant, Gregg, Harris, Gray and

Ector county was shown with the most automobiles in relation to population, with 1.1 persons per automobile. Dallas county had three persons per automobile. The average figure for all Texas counties is 4.1 and for the United States 4.3 persons per automobile. Leading counties in the automo- was 27 persons per telephone, and bile index were Ector, Moore, for the United States 11 persons. Gaines, McMullen, Crane, Mid- The 12 leading counties in the

portion to population, with seven pasas. persons per telephone. The average figue for all Texas counties

## Peace-Time Maneuvers Test Army Efficiency



When the United States army began its most extensive peace-time maneuvers at Manassas, Va., recently, these members of the Twenty-eighth tank company of Pennsylvania, left, were kept busy checking over their huge mechanized war steeds. Right: That mock wars have their casualty lists was proved by one private, who reported at the 104th medical regiment offices to receive first aid for an injured eye. The report did not state just how the soldier suffered the injury.

land, Winkler, Crockett, Chamb-telephone index were Kendall, ers, Sterling, Kendall and Ran- Travis, Gillespie, Sterling, Ban-Kendall county was shown as dera, Burnett, Tarrant, Hood, Vichaving the most telephones in pro- toria, Bexar, Crockett and Lam-

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### French Babies Protected From Gas Attack



In the event of war and threat of gas attacks. French babies unde. two years of age will be protected by means of a respiratory device which is connected with the gas mask of the mother. Not strong enough to open the air vents in a regulation gas mask, they are protected by this means. The baby's covering is made of fireproof silk. Professor Le Mee, left, invented the device.

## All-Stars—

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Cox, J. T. Casbeer, Frankie Jones, Joe Friend, Rex Russell, Charles

the highest number of votes, 31. action regularly on the local play- night. ing field received one or more votes in the contest. Ranking next were the following players: J. W. morning.

Johnigan, Gene Williams, Vernon Wilson, Bill Seahorn, O. D. Busby, Frank Russell, Haskell Leath, J. A. Barrow, P. C. Perner, and Bill Hannah.

O. D. Busby and Hartley Johni-Williams, Vaughan Brown, Jim Dudley, and pitcher, Slim David-son, Joe Friend led the field with Joe Friend led the field with the pick of all players eligible in league play. The game is sched-A long list of players seen in uled for 8:15 o'clock Saturday

Mrs. James Baggett was to have to the all-stars, in what might be undergone a minor operation on termed a second-team selection, her in a Temple hospital this

### Orient Is Topic At Missionary Meet

"Carrying Out the Great Commission in the Orient" was the week complimenting he Royal Service study topic when Miss Henry Ann Chandle the Woman's Missionary Union Austin, here on a visit Gu of the Baptist church met Wed- cluded Misses Mary Alyce

Mrs. Clyde Childers directed Harvick, Mary Frances W the Bible study on the topic, ty Jane Ingham, Noma V "Ever Enlarging Citizenry of the George Ann Kirby, Billy la Kingdom." Mrs. G. L. Nesrsta was Tommy Kirby, Johnnie R. leader for the day and discussed gene Drake. Bess Parke, the topic "The Great Commission Betty Lou Coates, and the Orient." Mrs. S. L. Butler told of Palestine today and also of MRS. BROWN IS China today, Mrs. J. S. Whatley BRIDGE HOSTESS discussed Japan today. Mrs. J. T. Patrick discussed "Making Disciples in Palestine" and Mrs. day afternoon at her home in the later Very and Mrs. George Bean "Making Disciples Jake Young held high scop in China." Mrs. Bean also gave Mrs. Clinton Glover of Ba "Making Disciples in Japan. Mrs. guest high, and Mrs. Roy He Nesrsta told stories of cheer.

Others present were Mrs. R. K. Clay Adams, Mrs. Arthur Pa James, Mrs. J. T. Keeton, Mrs. Mrs. J. W. North, Mrs. S Harvey Collard and Miss May- Taylor, Mrs. Jimmy Blaylor belle Taylor.

The society will meet at 4 o'clock next Wednesday afternoon MRS. HANNAH TO at the church for a social. All circles of the society are urged to have a 100 per cent attendance limited number of pupils in of their memberships.

#### YOUNG THIEVES WARNED

Three teen-age youths were years. Parents interested in given a lecture and released when ing their children take piate they were brought before Justice ing the coming school tem W. H. Johnigan in justice court asked to communicate with ! a few days ago, on a charge of Hannah as soon as possible theft of an auto radio from a truck only a limited number can be belonging to Hugh Gray. The ra- cepted, dio, an expensive make, was sold for 50 cents. The purchaser of the radio came in for a share of the several days in San Angelora lecture and warning.

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Miss Mary Alyce Smith ing last week.

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