# ... Son of agun...

#### Snow Here Monday -

Winter finally arrived in Sonora Monday, and, although it only stayed the one day, it was most certainly winter, for it snowed. A few scattered flakes were observed about 10 o'clock Monday morning and these melted as they fell to earth. Tuesday and Wednesday dawned bright and clear and Spring was here again.

One old timer told us this was the mildest winter he had seen in 40 years of residence in this section. He added that the winter of 1916 was the second-mildest he remembered.

-(?\*1/2\$\*?)-Millionaires Town -

The article in The Saturday following day. Evening Post on Ozona - "Millionaires' Town" caused much comment here, particularly the reference to Sonora as a "lusty young ert Lee, Snyder and Colorado City, town." On the whole we thought The group will have lunch in Abithe writer did a very accurate job on the article, although at times he treated some of the subjects rather lightly. Not that there was

anything wrong in that. We were highly complimented by the reference to Sonora, be-

cause it is indeed a young, lusty town which welcomes progress, and 24, the group will spend the such as a railroad, welcomes strangers, and doesn't particularly care who your daddy was as long tion the following day. as you've got what it takes.

Don't known how many millionaires we have here, because we never heard them say. -(?\*1/2\$\*?)-

Census Starting Soon -

Ralph Trollinger, district supervisor for the 21st Congressional a District for the 17th di-cennial (that means every ten years) census of the U.S., was in town Monday and told us that by May 10, we should have the official count on Sonora's and Sutton County's population. Trollinger, who in his spare time runs a soft water service in San Angelo, would give no indication of how many people he thought we had here now. We have heard guesses of from 3,000 to 5,000, but based on past increases, the town population should be about 3,750.

day. We were told that the government is taking three censuses, or censi as the case may be, one on population, one on agriculture and Dean, born Wednesday morning in one on irrigation. The last to be a Burnett hospital. The baby worked in with a national survey weighed seven and one-half on the water situation. The water level in most parts of the country is decreasing, and the government would like to see how much. We can imagine the program that would be instituted if the water situation became serious. The irrigation farmer would probably be told, "You don't pump so many gallons of water next year and

we'll pay you so much a gallon." Del Rio hospital for the past three

### Show Boosters Planning Trip Here Thursday From thirty to forty business

nen from San Angelo will be in Sonora at 11:05 a.m., Thursday, February 23 on a booster trip for he San Angelo Fat Stock Show and Rodeo March 2-5. Trips were arranged by the trade extension committee of the

Board of City Development. Es corted by a patrol car, the trippers will give free souvenirs to the children and distribute store plac-

ards in cities and towns visited. Trip No. 1, which left San Angelo February 14, visited Ballinger, Coleman and Brady. After a lunch stop in Brady, the bus moved on to Mason, Menard, Eden and Paint Rock.

Leaving Thursday, February 16 for a two-day trip, Trip No. 2 will go north to Sterling City and stop in Big Spring, Midland, Lamesa, Odessa, Stanton, Monahans, Fort Stockton, McCamey, Rankin, Big Lake, Barnhart and Mertzon. The trippers will stop overnight in Midland and lunch in Lamesa the

first day and Fort Stockton the Trip No. 3, which leaves San Angelo February 21, will visit Brente, Abilene, Sweetwater, Rob-

lene. An overnight trip will be Trip No. 4 that will go into towns to the south of San Angelo. Trippers will visit Christoval, Eldorado, Sonora, Ozona, Del Rio, Rocksprings, Junction, Menard and Eden. Scheduled for February 23 night in Del Rio with lunch stops in Sonora the first day and Junc-

#### Congratulations **To These New Parents**

A son, Michael Bryant, was born Paso, stated that the very things to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Shurley in that made the United States of Take Arabia Job San Angelo hospital Monday. America great are gradually be-The baby weighed 7 pounds, 11 ing culled out by a system of ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and guaranteed security and more has accepted managership of the Mrs. E. D. Shurley of Sonora and guaranteed security sponsored by Arabian-American Oil Company's Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Bryant of the government and which, if al-agricultural project in Saudi

San Angelo. weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces. Mrs. selves and their children. Edwina Hamilton of Amarillo and

Davis returned to Sonora Wednes-

\* \* \* Ensign and Mrs. Aubrey Loefpounds.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Burnam of Marble Falls and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Loeffler of Sonora. Ensign Loeffler is sta-

tioned at Pensacola. Fla. HI EASTLAND IMPROVED

Hi Eastland, who has been in a the council.

# » The Devils River Hews »

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SIXTIETH YEAR

Sonora, Texas, Friday, February 17, 1950

#### EIGHTEENTH WEEK

Too Much Security,' Says Dr. Wiggins Census To Begin Sonora Firemen In Speech Here Monday Night Here April 1

Voicing the first strong cry two of the greatest motivating against the present government forces man has ever known." policy of lulling the individual Coming down to our present citizen to sleep with a security school system, Dr. Wiggins stat-program slapped on so thick as to ed that he believed we should insulate him from any ambition teach our children, and in a posior idea that he might ever achieve tive way, the American way of anything more than moderate fin- life, using the principle of the ancial success, Dr. D. M. Wiggins, right of the individual to lead his

College at Lubbock, addressed the on his own merits. Methodist Men's Brotherhood Bible "Labor has taken away from Class and guests at their annual the American the right to work, banquet Monday night.

Dr. Wiggins, formerly president

\* \* \* Mr. and Mrs. Norman S. Davis Serious weakening of the country. after March 1, to make a plane The speaker chose as one ex-trip to Dahran. Mrs. Logan and are the parents of a son, Garry ample, the story of the Pilgrims, Wayne, born Friday afternoon in who were driven by want and fear company him. Mr. and Mrs. Logan a San Angelo hospital. The baby to achieve a better life for them-

"Yet," Dr. Wiggins said, "we Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Culberson of hear constantly -- 'Freedom From Greenville are grandparents. Mrs. Want and Freedom From Fear' --

**Box Supper Raises** fler are parents of a son, Robert \$503 For Library

ALICE CLAIRE JONES NAMED QUEEN AT FETE

A total of \$503 was raised for books for the Elementary School library at a box supper and queen's election sponsored Monday

night by the Elementary School student council. Alice Claire Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jones, Jr., was crowned queen by

Nancy Bryan Hunt, president of

president of Texas Technological own life and go as far as he may

and when he does work, the right to do his best." In big industry of the College of Mines at El the working man works when, where and for whom the labor union tells him to and produces as much as he is told to.

There is a tendency in many eration, for which successful apschools, Dr. Wiggins said, to teach plicants will be paid. Trolinger all forms of government equally, said he was interested in having then toss them out to students applications from Latin Americans with a "take-your-pick" attitude. or other persons speaking Spanish Other forms of government are expertly. Applicants must be beselling their beliefs as hard as tween the ages of 21 and 65. they can go, and we should do the same, the speaker added.

Master of ceremonies was Joe tion, car mileage of 5 cents a mile Brown Ross and Dr. Wiggins was will be paid when the enumerator introduced by A. E. Wells. Mrs. uses his own car. This work will James Wilson and Mrs. S. M. Loeffler played piano selections the census will begin all over the during the dinner, and guests sang U.S. on April 1. several hymns. The meal was served by the ladies of the Methodist

Sam Logan To

Church.

Sam Logan, Sonora ranchman,

lowed to continue, will result in the Arabia, and will leave here soon after March 1, to make a plane daughter, Linda Luticia, will acwill have an apartment at Dahran,

project where he will work. Logan will move his family to the project when family housing is available.

iect two years ago as assistant crop on the contour, Locklin will manager when Aramco, which has use most of the water that falls most of the oil concessions in on the field for crop production. Saudi Arabia, was a sponsoring Rows on the contour are level and agent of the agricultural project will materially reduce the amount which furnished food for King of soil and water lost through run-Ibn Saud and a large portion of off.

his subjects. This year, however, Aramco is directly responsible to the king for the project.

Following the auctioning off of Soil Conservation Se week attending the races. the boxes guests had supper in dance for the students with Albert take a position as route man with Lake, and Carson Fields. the Mead Bakery of San Angelo.

Win Second At Convention POSITIONS OPEN FOR SIX ENUMERATORS

Ralph Trolinger, district supervention city of the next Hill Counrisor of the federal census for the try Firemen's Convention in 21st Congressional District, was in Sonora Monday making con- Tuesday. Charlie Straach of Miles

ed at the Devil's River News office and must be filed with Trol- succeed the Rev. Jim Hays of given. inger at the Post Office Building Eldorado, and John M. Hankins, in San Angelo. The enumerator's work will be- treasurer.

gin the last week in March with a two-day school on census enum-

Enumerators will be paid on an average of \$9 per day, and in addi-

Western Motel To Spend \$20,000 last from two to five weeks and For New Units Construction will begin next

Trolinger said enumerators week on six more units for the would need to devote at least 8 Western Motel at a cost of aphours per day to the job, and that proximately \$20,000. Granville it would be difficult for a person Barker, co-owner and manager, to hold a regular job and be an enumerator too.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Earwood

located behind the package store. 2 through 5. where Earwood will attend a meeting on foot and mouth disease Construction will be the same as the present units. Barker said. control work.

### Soil Conservation District News

#### News of Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District Prepared by Local SCS Personnel

miles southwest of Sonora, is the contour this spring.

Locklin received the assistance of Soil Conservation Service Technicians in staking out the burglar is the following: one The Logans will go by plane to lines. This assistance was given jimmied basement window, door New York and probably take the Locklin through his cooperation to the bookroom and door to the dricks, the flying twins, will also

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allison and Robert Halbert, another District net in office opened and contents the first performance of the roder A. B. Hightower were in Tucson cooperator, used the assistance of dumped on the floor, and the coke ervice Technic-machine in the basement broken on Thursday. In the show division, Tommy Chenault has resigned ians in laying out diversion and open and money taken. Estimate of cash taken is about the cafeteria, followed by a square his job at the Sonora Grocery to terrace systems on his Allen, \$10 or \$15 all from the machine. Damage estimate is about \$150. Halbert is constructing diversion terraces to keep all outside water **Benefit Game Nets** from entering the fields. Keeping Money Spent On Brush Eradication outside water off the fields will outside water off the fields will \$12 For Heart Assn. washing of the loose soil in the

## Lions See Program On Boy Scouting

Observance of the 40th Anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America was the theme of the Eldorado was named as conprogram presented to the Lions Club Tuesday noon at the Method-August at the Brady convention ist Church.

A group of Boy Scouts, under tacts for the taking of the 1950 was elected president to succeed the direction of Lea Roy Aldwell, census in Sutton County. During the next two weeks, Trolinger Sims of Winters was made first Motto, Scout Laws, Scout Slogan, will accept applications for six vice-president and G. D. Posey of and demonstrations of knot tyenumerators for Sutton County. Ballinger is the new second vice- ing, first aid and safety practices. Application blanks may be secur- president. Other officers are the Requirements of the Tenderfoot Rev. W. W. Lemmons, chaplain to and Second Class Scouts were also

> Taking part in the program who was reelected secretary and were: Joe David Ross, Shannora treasurer. Ratliff, Oscar Carpenter, Dickie Copeland, Ralph Copeland, Dom Valliant, Edward Valliant, Eddie Smith, Dan Eaton, Edward Aldwell, Robert Guest and Turney Friess.

> The Band Parents Club will meet It was announced that Dr. T. G. Monday night at the high school Coleman of San Angelo will adat 7:30 o'clock to discuss plans for dress the club next Tuesday on the trip to Eagle Pass Wednesday. the subject of heart diseases and the plan of the American Heart

Association for combatting them. Dr. Coleman will also speak at the schools Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Thursday, March 4, "Sonora Day" At Angelo Show

said Tuesday the Warner Construc-Thursday, March 4, has been tion Company has the contract and designated as "Sonora" Day at that the new units will face those San Angelo's 1950 Fat Stock Show eave Saturday for Albuquerque, already completed, and will be and Rodeo, scheduled for March

> Already breaking all previou records for the number of livestock entries in its show division, the 17th annual event is expected to be the largest in San Angelo's history. It is also the first year that cities and towns in West Texas have been honored with a special day at the rodeo.

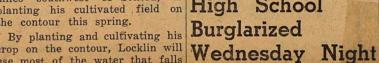
Some 2,000 entries have been entered in the livestock division, Pat H. Jackson, general chairman for the show, announced last week. This compares with some 1,250

entered in the 1949 show. The rodeo will be staged by Everett Colborn, world-famous producer, from Dublin, Texas. Performances will be held at 2 p.m.

Several nationally-known trick and fancy riders will perform along with the Curtiss Six Pony Hitch, a fast-stepping exhibition of teamwork. Byron and Lee Hen-

A downtown parade will proceed





Inexperience on the part of a

thief still at large proved costly to the Sonora Schools Wednesday daily. night when the high school building was broken into.

Sonora placed second in the six-

**Band Parents Meet Monday** 

man team race.

company plane, "The Flying with the Edwards Plateau Soil Camel, the rest of the way. mied but not opened, filing cabi-

which is about 270 miles from the

Logan worked on the same pro-

Trolinger said further that an weeks, is showing improvement estimated one-fourth of the popu- and has been moved to his daughlation has shifted since the war, ter's residence there. The two imand that other purposes of the mediate families will celebrate census are to determine cause of Eastland's birthday Saturday, Feband direction of this shift, and ruary 18. Guests expected are Mrs. also to check on our standard of Ida Eastland Ormond of Forrest. living. The census will begin April Miss., and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver

-(?\*1/2\$\*?)--

The chief aquatic biologist nephew. urges Texans interested in obtain-

ing bass fry this spring to promptly write the Texas Fish, Game & Oyster Commission. They will be sent cards for filling out as a basis for making their formal requests and for delivery of the fry.

It is pointed out that the public waters of the state receive approximately ninety per cent of the fry and that the remaining ten per cent is consigned to private lakes, streams and ponds so that fishing facilities are expanded to the maximum degree. The ten per cent alloted to private waters is not intended for recently stocked places.

-(?\*½\$\*?)-Among Sonora visitors last week were Mrs. Harpo Marx, wife of the harp-playing movie comedian, and Mrs. Mary Dee, both of Hollywood and on their way to a Houston golf tournament. They stopped at a local tourist court. -(?\*1/2\$\*?)-

We forgot to mention last week one of the main donations received by the March of Dimes drive -the \$50 taken in as admission to the benefit basketball game played by the two local veterans schools. The amount was included in the total, however.

-(?\*½\$\*?)-Dave Locklin took 21 4-H Club lambs to Junction Wednesday. The lambs were turned over to Meredith Joy there and Joy took them on to San Antonio, where they will be shown at the livestock show this weekend. Eleven Sutton club boys are leaving today for the show.

Mrs. Edgar Glasscock is reported doing nicely following an appendectomy Tuesday in a San Angelo hospital.

Ward as caller.

Ormond and daughters of San Antonio. Ormond is Eastland's

J. M. Rabon has recovered from a flu attack which kept him in bed three days last week.

### **New Hemingway Novel**



Ernest Hemingway's new novel, "Across the River and into the Trees," is the story of a fifty-year old U. S. infantry colonel who re-turns to Venice for a last visit with a young and beautiful Italian girl. They are happy in their in-tense love, but it is a happiness made poignant by their realization that the war-battered colonel hasn't long to live. Hemingway, in describing their last visit, recounts the events in the soldier's colorful life which made him the brutal, and yet strangely tender man that he is. The novel starts in the February issue of Cosmopolitan mag-azine and is Hemingway's first work since his famous "For Whom the Bell Tolls," published in 1940.

**Deductible From Income, Says Fisher** 

Money expended for eradication |

of mesquite, cedar and brush, and for construction of dams, spreader dams and terraces is deductibe rom the ranchman's income tax, according to a telegram received Thursday morning by Fred T.

Earwood from Representative O. C. Fisher.

venue Dept. representatives statand others saving it was not.

Fisher's telegram stated: "Just received letter from commissioner of Internal Revenue as follows quote: Further reference is made to your letter of February 1, 1950, March 8, 1948, relative to the deductibility, for federal income tax great-grandchild.

purposes, of amounts expended in the eradication of mesquite trees, cedar and underbrush and for earthen dams, spreader dams, and terraces, and requesting to be advised whether there has been any change in the position of the bureau with respect thereto. There has been no change in the position of the bureau with respect to the

treatment, for federal income tax purposes, of amounts expended for the items set forth in the above mentioned bureau letter of March 8, 1948. Unquote." It was pointed out by Earwood

that the letter of March 8, 1948 the San Angelo band this year, stated that expenditures by ranchmen or farmers for the things mentioned above are deductible.

George H. Neill, vice-president of the First National Bank, attended the "Flying Squadron" trip of Friday the Texas Bankers' Association Saturday

this week.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR SONORAN'S FATHER Funeral services for Gregg C.

Powell, 74, father of Brooks Powell of Sonora, will be held Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Methodist Church in Gaines-

There had been some question ville, where he died Thursday on the matter, some Internal Re- morning. Burial will in Kaufman. Mr. Powell was born September ing money so spent was deductible 16, 1876 in Shelbyville, the son of Benjamin Franklin Powell. He

married the former Miss Corrie Lee Taylor of Kaufman in 1899. She died several years ago. Survivors include two sons, Brooks of Sonora and Paul Taylor referring to bureau letter of of Houston, three brothers, one sister, seven grandchildre and one

> Bronco Band To Eagle Pass Wed. or Celebration

Fifty members of the Sonora Bronco Band will leave here Wednesday to participate in the Eagle Pass band festival and international celebration. Twenty-five high school bands will take part in the parade and a series of concerts for judges comment only. The evening concert will be given by

according to Ross Hay, director.

The Weather

Max. Min. Thursday 55 45 68 37 55 64 Sunday 73 51 Tuesday 59 24

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SUBSCRIBE TO THE NEWS Wednesday field.

The terraces on the field will be level and constructed to have a settled height of 12 inches above natural ground. The base will be 24 feet wide. This wide base will enable farming equipment to work up on the terraces in cultivating, planting and harvesting of the crops. A broad base terrace not only permits use of the terrace in producing a crop but will aid in scheduled. maintenance of terrace during re-

gular farming operations. Halbert is using a maintainer

in construction of his terraces. The Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District recommends all cultivated land with more than one percent slope be terraced. Terraces, when used with contour cropping, hold all the water that falls on the field and prevents washing of precious top soil.

S. M. Kerbow, manager of the Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company, is recovering from an appendectomy performed in a San Angelo hospital Friday night.

The Rev. and Mrs. Stanley Hauser left Wednesday morning for' San Antonio, where Rev Hauser will attend a clergy conference. While there they will be the guests of her parents, Col. and Mrs. B. J. Horner, and his mother Mrs. Elizabeth Hauser. They will return Saturday.

Mrs. G. B. Rankhorn and daughter Betty were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Fields in Rain Junction. They returned home .06 Monday accompanied by Mrs. .00 Fields and daughter, Janet. The T group spent the day in San An-.00 gelo Monday and Mrs. Fields and .00 Janet returned to Junction Tues-.00 day.

with the Fat Lamb Show, the Fat Pig Show and Hereford Cattle.

On Friday, March 3, the Fat Steer Show, Breeding Sheep Show, and Aberdeen-Angus Cattle Show will be judged. The Boys' Fat Stock Sale will be held Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock. A parade of champions will pro-

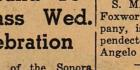
The basketball game between ceed the performance of the rodeo the Veterans Business Class and on Saturday and Sunday, March the high school Broncos resulted 4 and 5.

in \$12 for the American Heart Tickets for the rodeo are \$60 Association, for which the benefit for a box of six for four performwas played, and revenge for the ances. Reserved seats in the grand-Broncs, who won 33-26. Ross Hay, stand are \$2.50; bleacher seats, vets instructor, was high point \$2.00. Tickets may be obtained by man with 16, followed by Gene writing the San Angelo Fat Stock Henderson of the Broncos, who Show and Rodeo, Box 712, Same made 14. The Sonora-Ozona all- Angelo, Texas. star game did not come off as

Attend SOME Church Sunday.



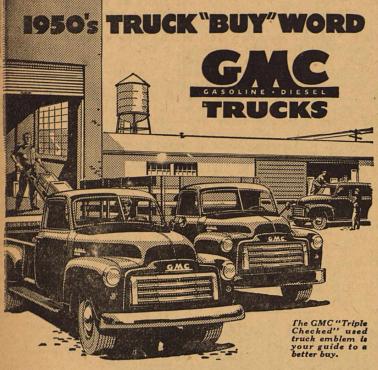
Willard K. Jordan, 4-H Club and Fat Stock Show in Fort or of Mason, is shown here with Worth. The exposition was one of nereford which carried off the the most successful in history, "and championship honors in the offering the largest amount of ers' Steer division of the 54th cash awards and attracting a recannual Southwestern Exposition ord-breaking number of entries.



#### BETTER SERVICE FOR VETS AND STOCKMEN PROMISED

Better pharmaceutical service for veterinarians and livestockmen is the goal of a new course to be offered next September by the University of Texas College of Pharmacy.

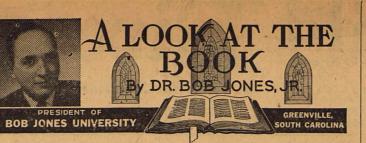
The senior elective course, "Ani-mal Health Pharmacy," will give students background in the pharmacology of veterinary drugs used in the care and treatment of the domestic animals.



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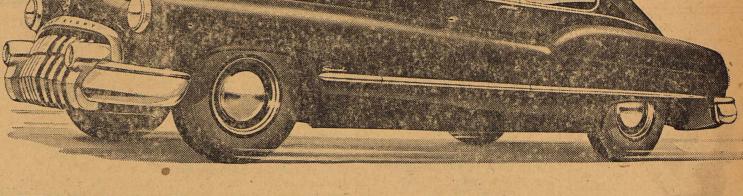


No doctrine of Scripture has Christians are guilty of saying been more often attacked than the that belief in the virgin birth is a doctrine of the virgin birth of our non-essential matter. Some say the doctrine is of no importance Attend SOME Church Sunday. Lord. Even men who profess to be because the virgin birth of Christ

is only mentioned by two of the Gospel writers. It is not necessary for God to include something in the record over and over again to make it true and valid. One statement from the Word of God should be enough, but God gives us these two in the Gospels of Matthew and Luke. Neither Mark nor John deny the virgin birth, or say anything contrary to the rec-ord set forth by Matthew and Luke.

However, the virgin birth of Christ is prophesied in the Old Testament, as well as recorded in two of the Gospels. The prophet Isaiah said, "Therefore the Lord himself shall give you a sign; Be-hold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel" (Isaiah 7:14). The Lord Jesus Christ must be virgin born or He is not the Messiah looked for by Israel and proph-esied by Israel. His miraculous birth, Isaiah tells us, shall be a sign of His person. Had the Jews of His day admitted His virgin birth they would of necessity have had to accept Him as Messiah.

It is difficult to understand why men have trouble accepting this doctrine. Everything about the life of Jesus Christ is miraculous. A rabbi once said to a Christian minister, "If a woman should make the same claims about the birth of her son as the Bible makes in regard to the birth of Jesus Christ, would you believe her?" The preacher replied, "If that son were a Jesus Christ, I would believe her." In his wonderful essay on the virgin birth William Jennings Bryan said, "The birth of Jesus Christ is no more miraculous than the birth of each one of us. It is



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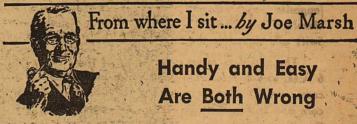
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## **Typewriter Repair At News Office**



Handy Peterson and Easy Roberts got in quite an argument the other day over at Fred's Garage talking about the best spot to fish up at Green Lake.

"Opposite the old sawmill is the best spot," says Handy. But Easy "pooh-pooh's" him. "I've seen the biggest fish caught off Cedar Point," says Easy. "I've been catching them there for years." Then Fred goes into his office and brings out the biggest mounted

rainbow trout you ever saw. "Bet that was caught at the sawmill," comments Handy. "Cedar Point,"

says Easy. "Well," says Fred, "you're both wrong. I caught this baby right out in the middle!" From where I sit, there are always two (or more) sides to every story. Let's live and let live in the true American tradition of toleration. Your opinion is worth a lot, but so is the other fellow's whether it's on politics, the best fishing spots, or whether he likes a temperate glass of beer and you like buttermilk.

Joe Marsh

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of Sonora, plans to have a downtown location in the near future, J. P. Smith announces the open- he said Wednesday. 10 cents a pound at the barn. Coning of his own electrical business He will do general electrical electricae electricae electricae e February 15. Smith, formerly line- work, including contract wiring, as. 3tc18



#### When a Kitchen is Practical and Pretty of Course, It's Electric!

Stay young, Mother, with an all-electric kitchen! With modern time-saving, work-saving, electric appliances properly arranged in your kitchen, you'll find kitchen chores more enjoyable and you'll have more time for leisure. Your electric appliance dealer will be glad to help you plan an ideal kitchen. And remember, a modern kitchen means less work-more play time for you. And of course, it's electric!

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#### AN ALL ELECTRIC KITCHEN INGLUDES:



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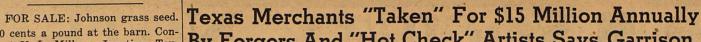
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ingutensilsand lose supplies within 's reach.









Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr., to the profit on many legitimate

Director of the Texas Department deals. 6. If you use printed checks, of Public Safety, pointed out this week that the majority of the keep them secure. Treat them as money for the proposed state hos- if they were cash even though pital and school extensions could they are blank. Many of today's have been raised in 1949 if the funds burglars enter an establishment filched from Texas merchants by means of forgery and "hot checks" and take only blank checks. Their subsequent use has proven more during the year could have been profitable and less riskly.

Finally: Remember that a check diverted to that worthy cause. Emphasizing that these crimes are on is only as good as the endorsethe increase, Garrison stated that ment! And, remember, too, that an a loss of approximately \$15 mil- honest person tendering a valid lion was sustained through fraudu- check will not be offended at your lent checks last year as compared inquisitiveness; but beware of the to the usual annual average of \$10 person who feigns anger when you million. These figures apply to ask for further identification or details. Texas alone.

Garrison attributes this increase to the fact that many people became familiar with the procedure PART IN ARCTIC OPERATION

of doing business by check during WHITEHORSE, Y. T., Can. the peak employment years of Feb. 16 - Pvt. Branlio Estrado World War II and became aware is participating with his unit, the of the ease with which checks may 505th Transportation Truck Combe cashed. Many of these persons, now unemployed, have sought to put this new-found knowledge to illicit use. Garrison further pointous as one of the last great outed out that lack of prosecution in many cases of this nature offers on the North American continent. assurance to the forger that his Pvt. Estrado is the son of Mr. chances of paying the penalty of and Mrs. Branlio Estrado, who live imprisonment is slight. Too many here. times the vicitm of a "hot check"

swindle is satisfied merely to get designation, is a controlled train- the Far North. his money back in event that the ing exercise being conducted jointcriminal is able to make restituly by United States and Canadian tion. Also, the ability of the modern forger to make his "paper" ground and air forces in the Yukon look authentic by use of check Territory of Canada and eastern protectors, typewriter, rubber Alaska during January and Febstamp or printed checks makes the ruary. Climax of the exercise will usually wary merchant a more be during the period February 13-23, when an Allied Force will seek Grocery stores, particularly the arger chain stores, said Garrison. to dislodge a theoretical airborne "enemy" Aggressor invasion of larger chain stores, said Garrison, Alaska.

U. S. Army troops, from Camp Carson, Colorado, have been rush-Garrison gives us these pointers ed to Whitehorse, headquarters for for everyone to remember when the maneuver, by the longest mass-troop airlift in history and by motor convoys over the Alas-2. Require positive indentificakan Highway, a distance of some tion. Don't accept Social Security

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Optometrist DEL RIO, TEXAS

THIS TASTES GOOD IN TEXAS Apricot Whip 1 cup apricot pulp 2 egg whites 1/8 teaspoon salt cup sugar 1/4 1 tablespoon lemon juice, if

desired. Wash one cup dried apricots. Cover with hot water and soak for one hour. (They may be cooked without soaking). Simmer for 30 to 40 minutes until tender. Mash apricots to a pulp or force through a colander. Beat egg whites until stiff, gradually beating in the salt and sugar. Fold in the cooled apricot pulp. Add the lemon juice.

Pile lightly into dessert dishes and chill before serving. Serves 4. Complete Menu

3,000 miles. Canadian troops likewise have been concentrated here, by air and motor, these movements pany, from Fort Riley, Kansas, in a sub-Arctic "combat" maneuver mass parachute jump as the big mass parachute jump as the big in the Yukon, a region long fam- push against the "invader" gets underway. U. S. Army and Air posts of adventure and exploration Force units in Alaska are providng the Aggressor forces.

Exercise Sweetbriar marks a continuation of Canadian and United States Winter troop training Exercise Sweetbrair, its code programs since World War II in





#### Sonora, Texas, Friday, February 17, 1950 **Buttered** Spinach **Baked** Potatoes Lettuce wedges with French Dressing Cornmeal Muffins - Butter Apricot Whip Milk - Coffee

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5. If in doubt, forego the profit on the sale for which the check

is tendered. Better to lose the one sale than a greater amount equal

amount with a larger check.



# **Make A Difference**

Norris Loeffler, 16, Sutton County 4-H Club boy, is shown holding Possum, a C. T. Jones-bred calf which placed third in the Sutton County 4-H show and 17th at the Fort Worth show. This calf gained 2.5 pounds a day for 10 months and was 12 months old at show time. Show weight was 830 pounds. Possum and Mickey (opposite page) brought \$157 in prize money plus a Hereford calf. Possum brought 40 cents a pound from Swift and Co. after the Fort Worth show.

The complete ration fed to each of these calves at 6 A.M. and 6 P.M. daily, and supplemented by nurse cows, was 11 pounds each of K-B Buck Feed, yellow corn and calf cubes. The nurse cows were fed on K-B Cow Feed.

These two Sutton County-bred calves fed K-B Buck Feed took high places at Fort Worth and Sutton County 4-H shows. Their gain was 2.5 lbs. & 2.8 lbs. respectively over periods of 10 & 9 months. In K-B Buck Feed, you are getting a prize-winning feed that adds pounds quickly and economically.

Carlos Loeffler, 11, younger brother of Norris and likewise active in 4-H Club work, shown above with Mickey, another C. T. Jones-bred Hereford, which was second in its class and reserve champion in the Sonora show and won 6th in the Fort Worth show. Mickey was started out on K-B Buck Feed and gained an average of 2.8 pounds per day over the 9 months feeding period and weighed 845 pounds at show time. Mickey was sold to Graham Mill and Elevator Company, a branch of the Kimble Milling Company, for 43 cents per pound. Carlos and Norris each have a calf on feed for next year's shows.



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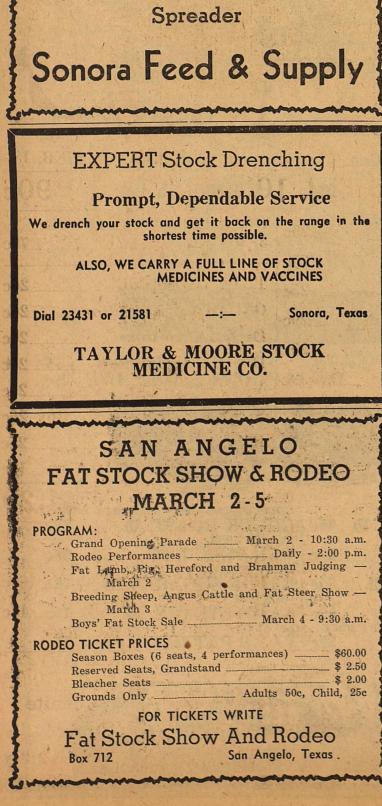


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FORMER RESIDENT TAKES SALES TERRITORY HERE

Ted Bilderback, of Bilderback owns his own home at 1608 Austin Street in San Angelo. Brothers Mattress and Upholstery in San Angelo, was here Wednesday visiting with friends and customers.. He was introducing son of Mr. and Mrs. Les Fam-Weldon Y. Moreland as new sales brough, former Sonorans and now representative in this territory. residents of McCamey, is recover-

Moreland, the oldest son of the ing in a San Angelo hospital from Rev. O. E. Moreland, Methodist a severe attack of polio. His case minister here in 1921, is also a was diagnosed shortly before brother of the Rev. H. E. More- Christmas. Fambrough is employland, former Episcopal minister ed by the Humble Refining Comhere, pany.

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Green, Gray

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and Black.

Weldon Y. Moreland has been a resident of San Angelo for the Mrs. G. E. Berry of Cisco was last 22 years and has been a fre- here this week as the guest of her uent visitor to Sonora during the daughter, Mrs. Lea Allison and years past. He is a member of the family.

STOP ROOF LEAKS!

daughter 12 years of age, and

**Recovering From Polio** 

Les Fambrough, Jr., 9-year-old

## TEXAS FACT AND FICTION

by

One Of A Series Of Vignettes

ELIZABETH LAWRENCE

Surrounded by dense woods, a "You're lazy, just plain lazy." handful of crude log cabins crouch- John, the older brother, was angry; ed on each side of the rutted dirt and his voice rang harshly in the deserted store. and his voice rang harshly in the included you." He scowled at the road. The house clung to the deserted store.

"So, I'm lazy." There was a boy. wagon trail and huddled together "So, I'm lazy." There was a together taunt in the words. The boy about for protection in the wild country. The village was Maryville, Blount County, Tennessee, in the year is the struggled to know from from the well built; his blue eyes were imp-""Well, I'm tired well built; his blue eyes were imp-

"You don't do your share of the "From work." John tried to control his store." mysterious lands and camps of the Cherokee Indians. In the general temper and put some reason into store of the village, two brothers his arguments. stood glaring at each other and

"Maybe it's because you fuss so

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THE STATE OF TEXAS and thrust his chin out stubbornly. "Books!" John shouted. "All you CITY do is read. While I work, you

read.' "You make it sound like a crime. Why don't you just leave me

alone "In his will, Father made me responsible for the family." John pronounced each word slowly and pose of electing the following officers of said city: Mayor

white men leave them alone."

His tone was positive. "You'll keep the stock clean and

the floor swept. And if you don't anger. - - ." He let the threat hang in

\* \* \* "Eight yards of calico."

al, sold harness, dusted shelves and swept the floor. He watched the sunlight through the narrow door and dreamed of the shaded paths through the forest; he found the smell of leather and spices pocr substitute for the clean, green odor of pine trees.

James, another brother, to bring the boy home. They paddled a canoe to the island; and, to their amazement, found their brother dressed in buckskins and as tanned as the Indians. He lounged under a tree, reading a book.

'We've come to take you home." Relieved at finding the boy, John spoke gently. The boy closed his book and stood up.

"I don't want to go home." "But you can't stay here with these—these savages!" John's voice rose shrilly.

"They aren't savages." The boy spoke calmly and with dignity. They are peaceable people who

#### ORDER AND NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

COUNTY OF SUTTON OF SONORA ELECTION ORDER

I, Alfred Schwiening, Mayor of the City of Sonora, Texas, by virtue of the power vested in me

Mrs. Gene M. Awalt, Clerk Mrs. Carl J. Cahill, Clerk ELECTION NOTICE by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of So-The City Marshal is hereby dirnora, on April 5, 1950, being the first Tuesday thereof, for the pur-

ected and instructed to post a properly executed copy of this order and notice of election at the City Hall, the place where this election will be held. Said notice shall be posted thirty days before the date of said election.

Commissioner #2

Commissioner #1;

ehereof, to wit: Geo. D. Chalk, Judge

and, that said election shall be

held at the City Hall in said city,

and the following named persons

are hereby appointed Managers

Signed and executed this the 14 day of Feb. 1950.

Alfred Schwiening, (Seal) Mayor of City of Sonora. ATTEST:

Vicars Back In Circulation R. C. Vicars, manager of the perfume department at the Sonora Drug Co., is up and about after a

DRIVE SAFELY! - Give the









quarreling.

Tuna ever caught on rod and ree off Atlantic seaboard was boated recently at Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., by A. J. Krabbe of Lafayette, Ind. It weighed 180 pounds and meas-

For slate, gravel, metal, composition, felt and shingle roofs. APPLY IT YOURSELF ured six feet. CENTENNIAL - Alec Waugh, author of "The ipton Story," a biogaphy of the beloved Sin homas, which Double

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ROOFING!...



at bench where he received a true bil indicting him on charges of forgery, embezzlement and issuing fraudulent checks.

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lishing on the hundredth anniversary of his birth

1850.

Judge N. K. Harris, Sullivan, Ind., sits He denies all charges.

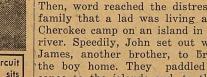


EEKS NEWS "A new bridle." please."

air.

"One spool of white thread, The youth measured dress mater-

One morning, John found the store closed and his brother gone. Weeks of search and inquiry followed, but the boy was not found. Then, word reached the distressed family that a lad was living at a Cherokee camp on an island in the river. Speedily, John set out with



"Don't waste your time. I can

"You can't stay here!"

"From now on, you'll work in the my nagging brothers." "Stop this foolishness and come along." John was scarlet with

John was scarlet with

"I'm not going." The boy bowed mockingly. "Now, if you will excuse me, I'm busy reading." His brothers stood in shocked silence

for a moment, turned and strode away. The boy Sam Houston took up residence with the Cherokee In-

dians, first stop on the long road to Texas.

Violet Morrow, City Secretary.

three-weeks' siege of pneumonia.

pedestrian the right-of-way.



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Friday, February 17-Mrs. Hattie Sessom George D. Wallace Janett Lou Prater Saturday, February 18-Pete Andrews Mrs. J. B. Renfroe

## \$500

Reward

I will pay \$500 to any person furnishing information leading to the arrest and conviction of anyone stealing any kind of livestock from any ranch in which I am interested.

SOL MAYER

Mary Dale McKee Raymond Barker Mrs. Libb Wallace William Clift McDonald III Sunday, February 19-Mrs. Artie Joy Martha Lou Renfroe Mrs. Bill Fields Wirt Stephenson Monday, February 20-Norma Lee Maxey W. P. McConnell Nancy Jane Reed Betty Jo Blalock Tuesday, February 21-Bill Norris Mrs. Robert Kokernot

Wednesday, February 22-Mrs. J. W. Trainer Thursday, February 23-

Care and management of your L. was at it again. After dillypecan trees is not complete without insect control. Even with the right dallying along with slow-downs, variety growing in good soil, a walk-outs and three-day weeks pecan crops or the tree itself can for several months in order that be lost from attacks of uncontrolled insects. board was about bare and the

The 1949 Texas cotton crops time ripe for the heavy blow. was the largest ever produced in the state -- 5,900,000 bales. The per acre yield was the best since 1894 -- 264 pounds per acre.

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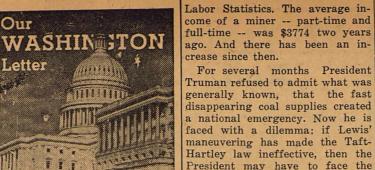
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politically explosive choice of ask-

ing Congress for a stronger labor aw to cope with the situation.

So, if the strike goes on the

Nation will pay the price in suf-

fering. If it happens, it should

cause the President to see the

light. It may be enough to con-

vince him at last that laws,

stronger laws, are needed to strip

from union leaders like Mr. Lewis

the power to run roughshod over

the public interest in furtherance

of their own unjust and reckless

tion plans in operation. Most of

the others have plans pending.

Mr. Walser estimates that by the

will be only seven or eight Texas

counties not in organized soil con-

servation districts.

aims.



While major legislation lagged, the hydrogen bomb and the coal strike claimed the headlines in Washington last week. Old John

the Nation's surplus of coal could dwindle, Lewis decided the cup-

Mr. P. H. Walser of the Soil Conseravtion Service in Texas Observers say he may have had dropped in to see us the other motives behind his strategy. First, day. He said there are now 18 his lust for personal power; secsoil conservation districts in our ond, his hatred for President Trucongressional district. Out of a

man, who put him in his place a total of 17,465 farms and ranches, couple of years ago by using the 4,174 now have active conserva-Faft-Hartley Act when Lewis defied an injunction and the soverignity of the United States government. Thirdly, his pretended end of the next fiscal year there concern over what he claimed in a letter to Mr. Truman was inadequate wages for his miners. The latter is not believed to be

of importance to Lewis, since the mine worker is the highest paid

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#### Texas Congressman Plays New Role in Nation's Capital



WASHINGTON, D. C. — Texas | House of Representatives, in a Congressman Frank Wilson prominent role.

(standing, extreme left) is a star Texas will be further repreperformer in the Democratic Bar-bershop Quartet, with whom he is men Ken Regan and Lloyd Bentsen shown here, rehearsing for the and their wives, who will take unique Old Gold Original Amateur a prominent part in a gala square Hour show (V.I.P. edition), which dance number. will feature bigwigs of the nation's Congressman Wilson, who sings

capital in novel roles as enter- bass in the Democratic Barbershop tainers

Designed to spark the American Heart Association's drive for funds, the gigantic Constitution Arkansas, Toby Morris of Okla-Hall show will also present Texan homa, and Percy Priest of Ten-Sam Rayburn, Speaker of the nessee.

liberal groups are making strenuous efforts to get effective opposition for all Southern reactionaries." A reactionary in the eyes of the CIO, I am told, is the opposite of a liberal. This definition of the latter came out the other day: "A iberal is a man who has his feet firmly based . . . in thin air!" FOR RENT: 3-room house with

ganda, most of the

pressure, economic, and political groups have their own magazines

and news releases. There is a constant stream of them, ham-

mering away at their objectives.

An example is the weekly CIO

NEWS, devoted these days more

to politics than to labor. The other

day a political issue came in,

featuring a CIO-PAC format on

the cover. Inside is a headline,

reading: "Fair Deal Majorities

Can Be Elected to Congress."

"Political years," the story says,

'is at work in the South. In the

last election 39 Southern react-

ionaries were elected without op-

position. But this year labor and

shower and piped for gas. Call Newt Poteet. 11p18 1tp18 FELTED

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percentage larger than the per- Pearson: "No S O B is going to centage by which the 1950 nation- tell me who to hire or fire." Now in charge of an important government research project at al peanut acreage allotment as

of any major group in the coun-try, according to the Bureau of Experiment farm in Maryland is the 1949 national peanut acreage the nearby Federal Agricultural heretofore proclaimed is below Dr. C. F. Winchester, formerly allotment. This applies only to of Texas. His wife was the form- 1950, and will add a total of er Miss Alma Tatsch of Freder- 100,000 additional acres to the icksburg. Dr. Winchester, holder national allotment. Texas growers of several degrees, formerly did will get 43,000 acres of this. experiment work and taught at

Lots of mail and suggestions the University of Florida. come across the average Congress-Of interest to our peanut grow- man's desk. With President Truers is the provision in the House-|man's proposed FEPC getting a passed cotton acreage control law lot of limelight of late, a card which will give Texas additional was received by all Congressmen peanut acreage to make up for an the other day from E. M. Biggers injustice. It provides that for 1950 of Houston, reading: "The best no State shall have its peanut argument against Truman's FE-acreage allotment reduced by a PC is his own blast at Drew

HOTEL MCDONALD

"The Home Away From Home"

Sonora, Texas

Miss Gilbert, our grammar school principal, spoke the other night at the regular Parent-Teachers' meeting, on getting children to do their homework when they want to listen

Quartet, is shown here with other

to the radio. "We musn't give them a flat 'no'." Miss Gilbert said. "If we adults really believe in tolerance and moderation, we should instill these qualities in our children. Listening to the radio is fine-in moderation-as long as homework age of Moderation."

gets done, too." From where I sit, the lady was dead-right. This radio vs. home-

work problem is a wonderful way to see to it that our youngsters acquire the sensible moderate habits they'll need later on.

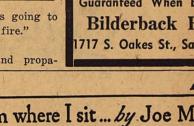
I've never believed in hard and fast rules - except where absolutely necessary. Let the other fellow do as he likes, as long as he's temperate and tolerant. Guess that's why I've never felt we should quarrel with the fellow who is partial to a glass of beer-the "Bever-

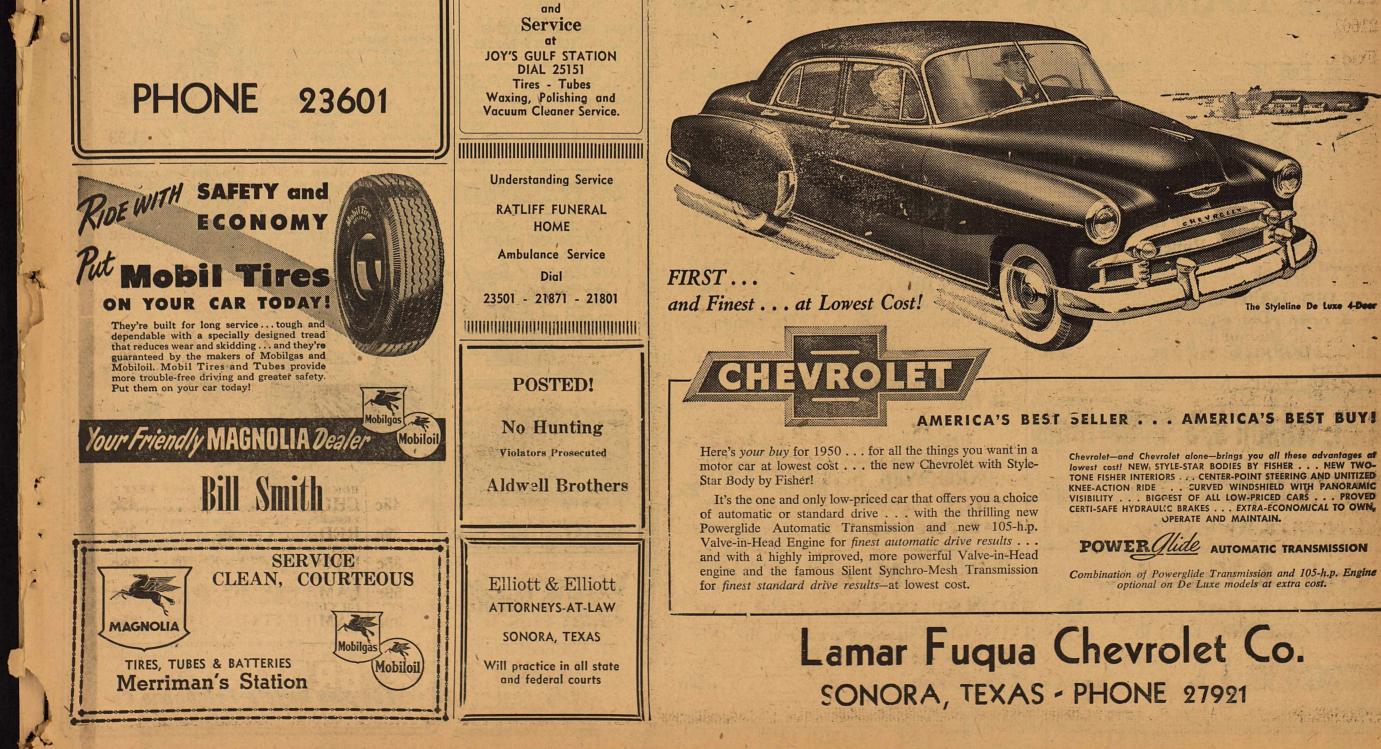
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Friday from the Territory, where tained right from their home town he disposed of his cattle interests postoffice. The post offices as a up there. Will says he don't want more Territory in his more Territory in his. to hand them out ot all who ask

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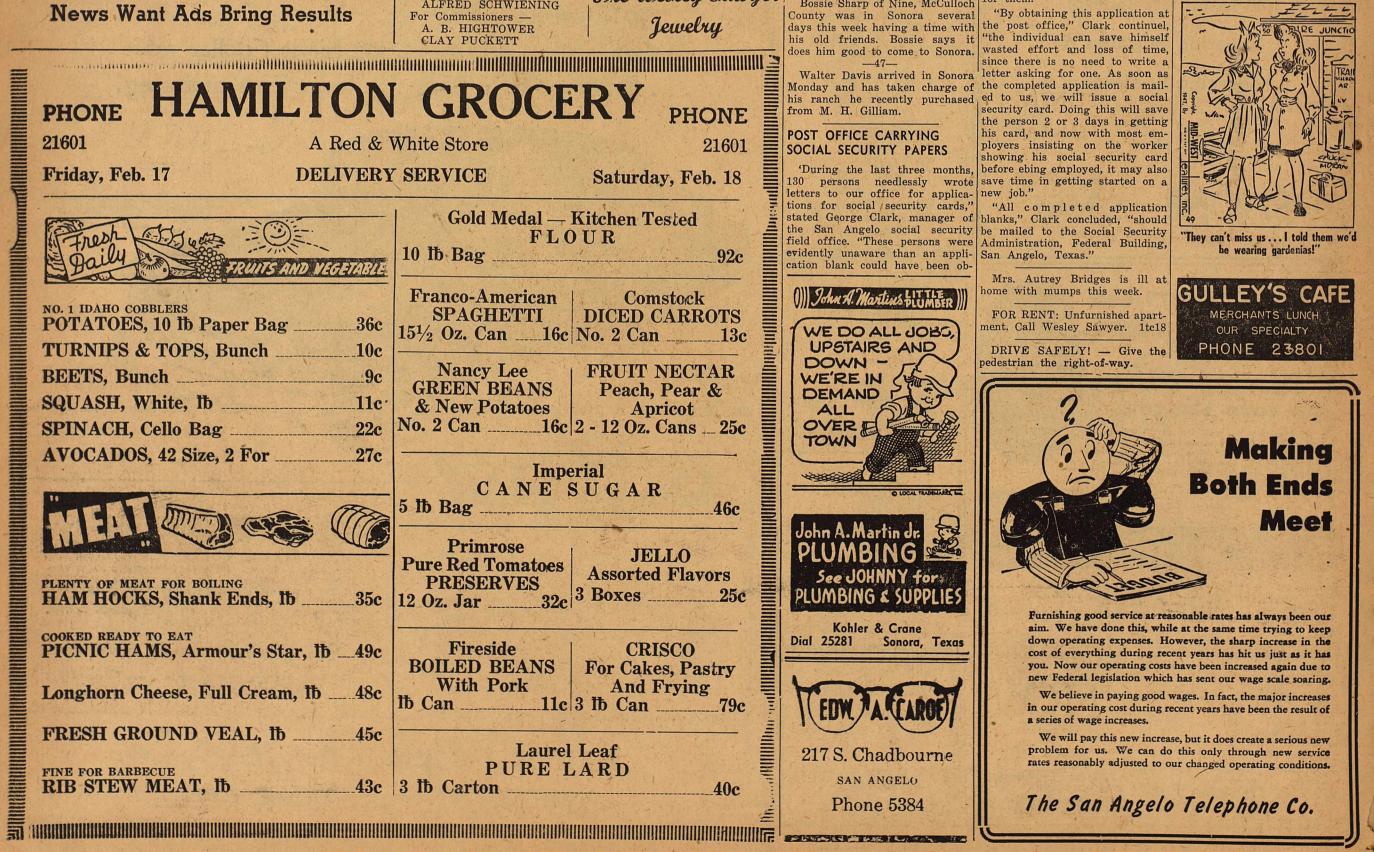
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Two ships of a Naval expedition to the Antarctic, the USS Edisto and the USS Burton Island, tie up to bay ice in the course of exploration work in the South Polar regions. The above photo was taken in the Bay of Whales. Sled and skis used in surface exploration are in the left foreground. The Navy's role in carrying the flag of the United States to the ends of the earth is exemplified in its frequent sallies into the south and north polar fastnesses. (Official U.S. Navy Photograph)