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THIRTY-FIRST WEEK

... Son of a gun ...

Possibility Of 'Piping' Sonora For Television To Be Studied

Possibility of a television reception distribution system for Sonora will be investigated early next week when Herman Roeder, television engineer for the Jarrold Company, will test Sonora's reception potential from the hill east of the old Elementary School. The engineer is being brought here by H. C. Saunders, Jr., who is interested in setting up a mass reception system, provided it is feasible. The Jarrold Company, which manufactures TV equipment only, has equipped 103 of the 130 operating systems in the U. S.

If such a system is possible here, it will probably consist of a massive TV aerial mounted on a very high tower. The tower could be from 100 to 400 feet above the ground. Lines would then be run to homes of TV subscribers and boosters would be placed along the lines much as telephone boosters are now used.

"At this time I do not know whether such a system will work in Sonora," Saunders said Wednesday, "but I will know when Mr. Roeder finishes his survey. A short test tower is being erected on the hill behind the old school and from here the engineer will test signal strength on two days of fair weather."

A mass receiving system, such as is tentatively planned here, is now in use at Tyler, Saunders said, and has proved successful. However, he emphasized that nothing is definite about the plan for Sonora except that tests will be made next week providing the weather is fair.

Sonora Win At Judging Contests

Members of the Sutton County 4-H Club judging teams won three high individual places at the district contests held at Sul Ross College last Saturday, and several other places. Teams from eleven counties took part.

Eddie Smith won high in wool judging, Turney Friess won high in grass judging and Carlos Loeffler won high in hog judging, and second in individual livestock judging.

The local team of Joe D. Ross, Carlos Loeffler, Connie Locklin, and Oscar Carpenter won second high in livestock judging, and the grass judging team of Joe Renfro, Preston Love, Turney Friess and Joe Friess won third in grass judging.

In sheep judging Connie Locklin and Carlos Loeffler placed third and fourth and in cattle judging Carlos Loeffler and Joe D. Ross placed fifth and sixth.

Sutton judging teams also won second in wool judging, second in sheep judging and third in cattle judging.

The livestock team qualified for the state 4-H livestock judging contest which will be held at Texas A. & M. College June 25. County Agent D. C. Langford accompanied the club members to Alpine.

Lone Star To Start Construction On System Within Two Weeks

Construction of the Lone Star Gas Company's natural gas distribution system here will begin in two weeks or less, E. L. Beulow, district superintendent, announced Wednesday. Beulow and the Sonora manager, Leon P. Neely, and J. J. Coffman, local warehouse foreman, were on an inspection trip here this week.

The Lone Star pipeline has reached the city limits and construction material has been shipped. It will reach Houston by ship and be sent on to Sonora by truck, the superintendent said.

Construction crews will move in within two weeks and installation of the distribution system should be completed in about six weeks, Beulow added.

The company will sell gas appliances on order only, since a local showroom will not be opened at present. Office space will be rented in Sonora, however, and a separate office and showroom may be installed when the list of gas subscribers becomes large enough.

75 Attend Aggie Muster

Twenty-one ex-students of Texas A. & M. College, 19 of them from Sonora, and their families met Tuesday night at the G. H. Davis ranch to observe the annual "Aggie Muster."

About 75 were served a barbecue supper by the A. & M. Mothers Club, and enjoyed the program which followed.

Dr. W. T. Hardy gave the invocation and G. H. Davis welcomed the group. D. C. Langford served as master of ceremonies and called on George Brockman for the roll call. Lea Roy Aldwell showed a film of the 1951 A. & M. Texas football game, which A. & M. won by a score of 22-21. Sears Sentell gave a commentary on the game.

Brockman, Sentell, Blanton Taylor, assisted by Oscar Carpenter and Joe D. Ross, led the group in singing A. & M. songs.

The group was dismissed by Sam Logan.

Gene Shurley was elected chairman of the 1954 Muster. Out of town guests included Jim Gray of San Angelo, Glen W. Green of Baird and John E. Sentell of Snyder.



Pictured with the Governor reading left to right are: Jim Bowmer Temple Attorney; Kay K. Moor of Wilson, Area I, Vice-President of the Association of Texas Soil Conservation District Supervisors; John Royal, Menard, Area II Vice-President; State Representative Lamar Zivley, Temple; Henry Mills, Jr., Del Rio, President of the Association of Texas Soil Conservation District Supervisors; Governor Shivers; State Senator Jarrard Secrest, Temple; M. C. Puckett, Fort Stockton, Past President of the Texas Association; L. L. Mackey, Longview, Area IV, Vice-President; Rollans Hill, Antelope, Area V, Vice-President, and Arthur Koehn, Weimare, Area III, Vice-President.

There seems to be plenty of noise about forming up the old Concho Basin baseball league, but not too much hope of anything happening. However, there is a possibility of Sonora's having a baseball league of its own right here in town.

We refer to the formation of a Little League. Little Leagues are baseball leagues for boys from 8 to 12 years old and draw top crowds and top enthusiasm wherever they are organized. Ozona and San Angelo have Little Leagues and we think one would work out very well here. Several businessmen approached us last year on the idea, but it was too late in the summer to start. If we could have a few opinions this spring, a Sonora Little League might be organized.

Lem Jones was in town Thursday taking delivery on 500 mixed yearling sheep bought from Lindon Thurman, John Whitworth of Rocksprings, and Earl Teague and Frank Miller of Camp Wood. Jones also bought 300 goats from W. B. McMillan. Fred Earwood needed 62 bags to hold the fleeces from 1,000 lambs he wintered in San Saba County. The fleeces averaged 11.09 pounds.

The case against Ariel Wardlaw of Fort Worth, wherein he was convicted last spring in the Dallas Federal Court on charge of having evaded part of his income tax, was reversed last Friday by the U. S. Court of Appeals of New Orleans. Wardlaw has at all times disclaimed any intention to withhold any tax liability owing, claiming to have deductions to offset the small balance tax claimed, and had succeeded, by amended returns, in payment in full, before the charges were preferred.

The appellate court's reversal was based on several errors in the trial court, which resulted in an unfair trial.

It is hoped by his many friends here and in Fort Worth that this reversal may end the charges.

Mrs. Bill Garmon and daughter, Mary Linda, have been the guests of Mrs. Garmon's mother, Mrs. Willie Andrews this week. Mr. and Mrs. Garmon are making their home in Eunice, N. M.

4-H RIFLE TEAM SLATES PRACTICE SHOOT SUNDAY

The 4-H Club rifle team plans another practice session Sunday at the local range under the direction of the team's sponsor, Elmo Johnson.

Members of the team are Birl Davis, Reed Jennings, Richard Mayer, Curt Schwienging, Jr., Tommy Love, Bill Lewis and Johnny Fields. Dick Copeland is president of the team.

Carl Jones and Rex Lowe were in Austin attending an elementary school principals convention Wednesday through Saturday.

Attend Symphony Concert

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bradley, Jr., and Edward Aldwell played in the San Angelo Symphony at the Municipal Auditorium Monday night, directed by Dr. Eric Sorantin of San Angelo. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bradley, Sr., and Miss Lois Lu Lomax.

Others attending the Symphony were Lea Roy Aldwell, Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell, Mrs. George Barrow, George Allen Barrow, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mayer and Miss Doris Mayer.

Dr. E. M. deBerry and daughter, Miss Alice deBerry, were in San Angelo last weekend as the guests of his sisters, Mrs. C. P. Broome and Mrs. Ira Hall.

Retail Merchants Association To Be Formed Here

Sonora merchants and businessmen will meet Monday night to organize a local branch of the Retail Merchants Association. The meeting is called for 8 o'clock at the First National Bank, and all local business people are invited to attend.

A group of local businessmen arranged the meeting, feeling that formation of such an organization will help businessmen as well as customers by establishing standard credit practices in Sonora.

JOIN RESERVE UNIT

Three Sonora men have recently joined Co. B, 830th Engineer Aviation Battalion, local Army reserve unit, according to Capt. Lea Roy Aldwell, commanding officer. Those joining are Bobby Joe Granger, Frank Adkins and Wayne Brown.

The Pecos High School Choir presented a concert at the Sonora High School auditorium yesterday.

SONORA STUDENTS AT BROWNWOOD REGION MEET

Several Sonora students are in Brownwood for the regional meet being held today and tomorrow. Sonora's three district tennis champions, Betsy Ross, girls singles, Raymond Darrow, boys singles, and Patsy Drennan and Betty Sue Allen, girls doubles champs, are entered. Also entered are several students in literary and speech events and track and field events.

Mrs. G. W. Fuqua of Shreveport, La., is visiting here with her son, Lamar Fuqua, and family.

Mrs. J. E. Eldridge left Monday for Sacramento, Calif., to visit her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Turner, and family.

Morriss Named For District Soil Award

Two Sonorans will be honored May 15, when awards will be presented at the Region II meeting of the "Save the Soil and Save Texas" program at Fredericksburg. The program is sponsored by the Fort Worth Press.

Thomas Morriss, Sutton County ranchman, will be presented with a plaque recognizing him as the outstanding farmer in the Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District. Oscar Lee Carpenter will receive a medal for winning ninth place in the soil conservation essay contest.

The Fredericksburg Lions Club will be host at the dinner-and-program.

POST OFFICE ADDS 55 BOXES; TOTAL NOW 691

The Post Office added 55 more boxes this week, making a total of 691 boxes available to local patrons. Postmaster James D. Trainer said Wednesday there are still several on the waiting list for boxes.

The panel of 55 boxes was installed by moving the counter back.

Mrs. L. W. Elliott, who suffered a broken hip recently in Rockport, was brought home Wednesday by ambulance. Mrs. Elliott has been in a Corpus Christi hospital for treatment. Her condition is reported as satisfactory.

Attend SOME Church Sunday.

The Lions Roar

Lions and their guests were entertained Tuesday by Mrs. Rex Lowe's volunteer Elementary School choir, which presented a program of songs and skits.

The choir sang "Along the Navajo Trail," "Meet Me in St. Louis," "Shortenin' Bread," and "Let Me Call You Sweetheart."

Nancy Bess Wilson, Sarah Lou Hardy, James Ray Baker, and Albert Sykes put on a skit titled "I Love Little Willie." Barbara Halbert and Melinda Mittel sang a duet, "Sentimental Journey." Mary Adele Wilson, Barbara Halbert and June Hall sang solo parts in "Shortenin' Bread." Martha Bricker sang a solo, "Somewhere Over the Rainbow."

Guests were James A. Gray and Jeff Moran of San Angelo, Bart Neely of Los Angeles and R. L. Peterson of Omaha.

Band Concert Slated May 5

The Sonora High School Band under the direction of W. D. Bradley, Jr., will present its annual spring concert May 5, 1953. The concert will be held in the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock. No admission will be charged.

The concert that the group gave earlier in spring proved to be only a preview of what is to come, Bradley said.

The entire band is at work preparing for the concert, which promises to be the best and most successful concert the group has ever given.

Everyone's attendance will be appreciated.

Cloudburst, Windstorm Hits Wednesday Night

T S G R A Committee Asks Voluntary Assessment For Wool Promotion

In an effort to support the new Allied Wool Industry Committee and thereby promote the use of wool as well as make some national legislative gains, the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers Association will ask members for a voluntary dollar per bag of wool. The advisory committee of the association made the decision at a meeting here Monday morning at the Sonora Wool and Mohair Company.

Members present were Fred T. Earwood and Edwin Mayer of Sonora, Ray Willoughby, Ernest L. Williams, secretary of the TS&GRA, and Penrose Metcalfe of San Angelo, M. C. Puckett of Fort Stockton, Walter Pfluger of Eden, and John Alexander and Dick Alexander of Brownwood.

The Allied Wool Committee has been set up as a legislative group for lobbying work during the current session of Congress. The committee is currently working on passage of a parity tariff bill.

The dollar a bag contribution would be in addition to the regular TS&GRA dues of 25 cents a bag.

Mrs. John Alexander of Brownwood described the lamb promotion work being started by the Women's Auxiliary of the TS&GRA. This program includes working for customer acceptance of the new cured leg of lamb, lamb cooking schools in Texas cities and distribution of lamb recipe folders through various mediums.

SHIVERS PROCLAIMS SOIL CONSERVATION WEEK

Governor Allen Shivers recognized the work of Soil Conservation Districts in proclaiming the week of May 3-9 as Conservation District Week.

Soil Conservation Districts are organized under State law and are political subdivisions of the State. They are organized and operated by farmers and ranchers and provide the local organization through which landowners and operators can use to best advantage the services of other State and Federal Agencies in applying Soil and Water Conservation to the land.

The Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District was organized in April of 1948 and is working with 75 percent of the landowners

NOTARY APPLICATIONS DUE AT CLERK'S OFFICE BETWEEN MAY 1 - MAY 23

Secretary of State Howard Carney has announced that he will reappoint all persons who now hold notary public commissions and that all such persons must qualify by filing an oath and bond with the county clerk of their residence between June 1, 1953 and June 10, 1953. The law specifically requires county clerks to approve notary bonds and individuals should not send money or requests for commissions direct to the Secretary of State. All notary matters can only be received by the Secretary of State after the county clerk acts thereon.

Any person who has not heretofore been a notary public should apply to his county clerk between May 1, 1953 and May 23, 1953, if he desires to have this application given prompt attention in the State Department, as the rush of re-appointing all old notaries may slow up the ordinary process of making new appointments and issuing commissions.

Secretary of State Carney said, "Each person applying for a commission as a notary public must be at least 21 years of age and a resident of the county for which he is appointed; exact names and permanent addresses should be given to the county clerk in applying for a commission, as location of the notary may be necessary long after he has notarized a particular instrument."

Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Logan had as their guests Saturday her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ragsdale, of Junction and a sister, Miss Eunice Goodall, of Roosevelt, and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Goodall, of Belton.

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on 85 percent of the land. The local Board of Supervisors consists of Fred Earwood, Joe M. Vander Stucken, Edwin Sawyer, Joe B. Ross and Frank Bond.

GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL HOLDS AREA MEET HERE

The Frontier Area Girl Scout Council met in Sonora at the Girl Scout House Sunday, April 19.

Mrs. Morris F. Elliott, president, presided at the business meeting.

The area realized a profit of over \$2,600 on the cookie sale this year.

Girl Scout Camp will be held at Camp Sol Mayer for two weeks beginning May 31. Girls interested in this summer camp are asked to contact their leaders.

Representatives from the area who were present were Junction, none; Ozona, none; Eden, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brown; San Angelo, Mrs. Henry Davis, Mrs. J. P. Williamson, Roy C. Clary, Miss Gene Stenberry, Rev. and Mrs. Morris F. Elliott; Menard, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Williamson; Mason, none; Sonora, Meses. Dorothy Baker, A. L. Bolt, Travis Glasscock, Gomer Minnick, Boyd Moore, T. R. Chappell, Miss Marjory Dameron and Lea Roy Aldwell.

The council wishes to thank all who helped make the cookie sale a success.

SCOUTS PLAN OUTING AT CAMP MAYER SATURDAY

The Boy Scouts met at the Scout Hall for their weekly meeting Thursday.

Alfred and Albert Sykes and Frankie Sessom were initiated into the Scouts.

Discussion was held and plans were made to go to Camp Sol Mayer Saturday and spend the day.

Freddie Fields dismissed the meeting.

Attending were Rodney Davis, James Ray Baker, Freddie Fields, Alfred Sykes, Albert Sykes, Frankie Sessom, Jerry Potmesil, Harold Gene Moore, Wallas Anthony, Gene Brothead and a visitor, Birl Davis.

The Boy Scouts held Wolf Patrol overnight camp April 11, at Camp Sol Mayer. They all passed their first class tests. Attending were John Ed. Neville, James Ray Baker, Joe Friess, Kenneth Fuqua, Rodney Davis, Harold Gene Moore accompanied by Scoutmaster A. B. Truden.

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Ranchmen in north, west and parts of south Sutton County received heavy rains Wednesday night when a cloudburst and windstorm swept in from the west.

The Sonora Wool and Mohair Company reported 2.75 inches.

The screen at the Bronco Drive-In Theatre was blown down with an estimated damage of \$3,500. G. H. Hall, owner, said \$2,500 of the loss was covered by insurance. The screen was held up by six 14-inch telephone poles, all of which were snapped as though they were straws. Hall said a contractor was due in Thursday afternoon to make plans for building a new screen.

The TV aerial belonging to Gay Copeland was broken by the wind and left hanging from the tower. The aerial belonging to John Eaton was bent.

The following rain reports were received through Thursday noon: Travis Glasscock, 2.60; Dan Cauthorn, 2.75; Mrs. Louella O'Leary, Locklin, 3; Lea Allison, 2.5; Dantes Locklin, 3; Lea Allison, 2.5; Dantes Reiley, none; Joe Hardgrave, none; Mrs. Dorothy Baker, none; J. S. Holman, none; Harrison ranch, none; Henry Wyatt, none; Ben F. Meckel, 2.50; Billy Cauthorn, 3; Aldwell Brothers, 3; W. L. Davis, 2.50; Edwin Mayer, 5; Lower Mayer ranch, 3.50; Mayer Bryden place, 5;

Personal Notes

Mrs. Alvis Johnson, Jr., and children, Sarah and Craig, returned to their home in Dallas after spending last week here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Johnson. Beverly Johnson will remain here with her grandparents for a month's visit.

Clayton Tolliver returned home from Tucson, Ariz., Sunday to be with his family. He is spending this week in Del Rio.

Mrs. Tom Driskell has received word from her niece, Mrs. W. C. Brenton, that she and her son, James Kenneth Huffman, sailed Monday, April 20, to join her husband M-Sgt. W. C. Brenton in the Philippines.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Austin and daughter, Janet Lee, of Big Spring were the guests over the weekend of her brother, Ray Amos, and family.

Nation's Leaders Sign Up For United States Savings Bonds



President Dwight D. Eisenhower signed a Bond-A-Month authorization card for Savings Bond saleswoman, Mary Pickford during her recent visit to the Nation's Capital. They are shown above with Mrs. Eisenhower, who is the Honorary National Chairman of the Women's Advisory Committee for Savings Bonds. Following the example of the President, House Speaker Joseph W. Martin, Jr. also signed up with Miss Pickford for the regular purchase of Savings Bonds. Miss Pickford serves as Associate National Chairman of the committee which is currently conducting a Women's Crusade for Security, a campaign to increase sales of United States Savings Bonds through the systematic Bond-A-Month Plan.

Mrs. Willie Andrews spent last week in Monahans as a guest of her son, Charles Andrews, and family.

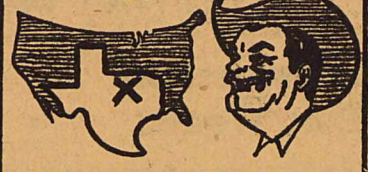
Mrs. Blake Brown and children, Danny and Gay, of Junction were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Carl Cahill, and family last Saturday.

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Mrs. Clyde Gardner and Mrs. Nora Sofge were in Merzon Sunday with Mrs. Gardner's sister, Mrs. Stoke Williams, and Mrs. Sofge's son, H. F. Sofge, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Green of Baird visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schwiening, last weekend.

LET'S TALK LIVESTOCK BY TED GOULDY



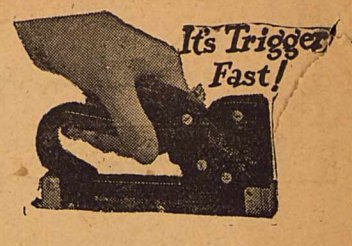

In ninety-two years I have seen our country in good and bad times, in war and in peace. We have prospered because we Americans are a thrifty people, and I know how much our thrift has helped our democracy grow. That's why I think the best way we can each do our part to preserve our treasured heritage is to buy U.S. Government Bonds regularly, so we may all look forward to a happy and peaceful future. Grandma Moses.

Mrs. George P. Finney of Chicago, Ill., is here this week as a guest of Mrs. Artie Mae Smith.

Randy Awalt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Awalt, underwent a tonsilectomy Thursday in San Angelo. His condition is fine.

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Fort Worth—A record run of cattle appeared at the nation's major markets for mid-April on Monday when an estimated 112,700 cattle and 9,000 calves were reported. This compared with 94,700 cattle and 9,500 calves a week earlier, and only 44,000 cattle and 3,000 calves on the same date a year ago.

Immediate effect was to slow trade on fed cattle at Fort Worth and other points around the country. Here fed cattle closed 50 cents to \$1 below last week's close, and some points in the North reported more severe slumps before trade was completed. Cows at Fort Worth were fully steady and bulls closed 50 cents to \$1 lower to hit the lowest level for that class in over a year.

Killing calves were 50 cents or more lower. Stocker trade was bearish throughout, prices \$1 under last week's best. Hogs advanced 25 cents to sell up to \$22 and \$22.25, and sows and pigs were steady. Sows drew \$17 to \$19. Pigs sold from \$15 to \$17.

Lambs were weak to 50 cents lower, both the new and old crop lambs finding that kind of market. Best milk fat lambs topped at \$24 and \$24.50, with most of the better ones from \$22 to \$23.50. Shorn fat lambs drew \$17 to \$19, and shorn feeder lambs sold from \$14 to \$18. Yearlings and two's sold for \$13 to \$16, and old wethers sold around \$12 down. Old ewes cashed at \$7.50 to \$10.50. Woolled fat lambs were virtually lacking, quotable around \$22 or under.

Good and choice fed steers and yearlings cashed at \$19 to \$22.25, and common, plain and medium to good fat cattle sold from \$13 to \$18. Butcher cows drew \$12.50 to \$14, and canners and cutters sold from \$9 to \$12.50. Bulls cashed at \$10 to \$15.50.

Good and choice stocker calves and yearlings sold from \$18 to \$22, and stocker cows cashed at

\$12 to \$17.50.

EDITORS NOTE: This week we include a little piece on value of creepfeeding. Concensus here is that next Summer and Fall the stocker trade is likely to be very, very rough because of heavy losses Northern feeders have sustained this season. Some of your local feed dealers will probably be glad to advertise and help promote more creepfeeding. I personally feel that unless a larger percentage of our Southwestern calves are fat enough to bring good slaughter prices this year our people will lose lots off revenue Ted Gouldy.

Fort Worth—Spring time is often a time of year that leads cattle and sheep raisers into a feeling of false security with regard to the current crop of calves and lambs. While lush early grass and

weeds in many sections make it look like feeding would be silly, it is well to bear in mind that hot Summer sun will scorch that greenery in a few weeks in most sections and then the "bloom" is likely to leave those lambs or calves in a hurry.

During the past year we have talked to hundreds of cattle and sheep men at the Fort Worth livestock market from all sections of the Southwest. Many lost lots of money during the year. Some made a little money. But in most cases the stockman who creepfed his calves and lambs fared better than the producer who did not.

The reason was the additional pounds he sold because of the creepfeeding. Plus, the better weight of his cows because the calves did not pull them down as badly. Or the better condition of the ewe for the same reason. The mothers were in all cases far heavier where their offspring were creepfed.

Don't over-look the fact that industrialization of the Southwest bringing hundreds of thousands of new meat eaters into this section. Fat calves and fat lambs, right off their mummies, this Summer and Fall will be needed to feed folks right here in the Southwest.

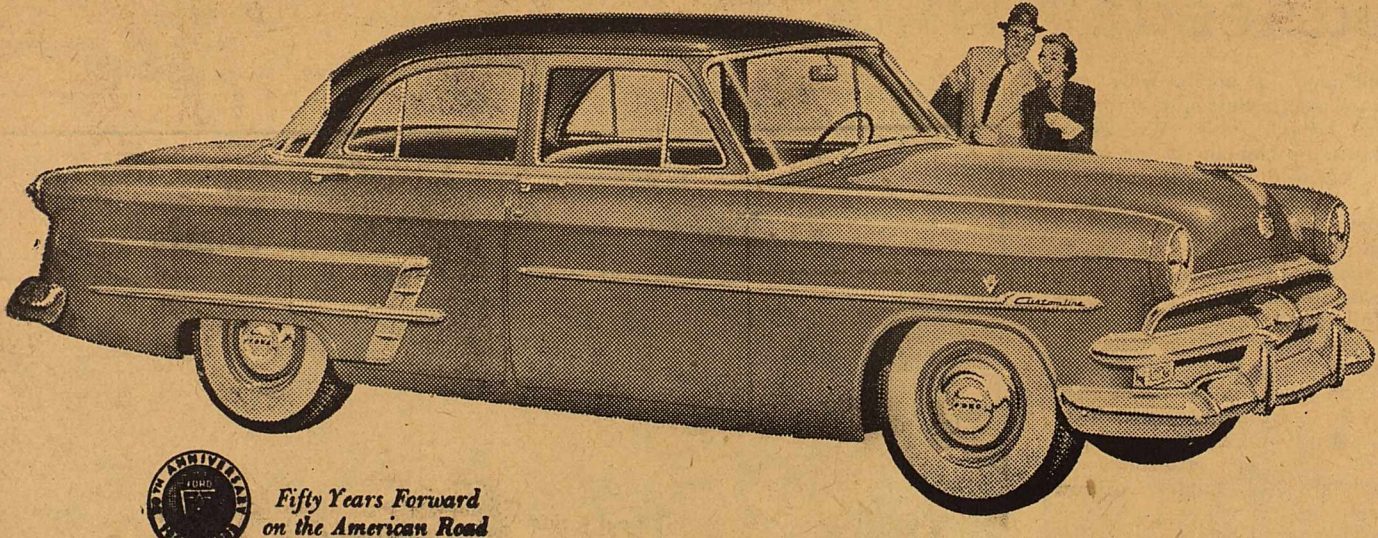
Last year trainloads of beef were shipped here from the Corn Belt! Let's get into this market and not depend entirely on stocker and feeder demand to take care of our lamb and calf crop. If calves are out of plain cows, creepfeeding is almost a MUST. But even for the best quality calves or lambs the two-way market will help.

Fact is a young animal eats very little until he near weaning time. To capitalize on creepfeeding the young animal should be sold or put in drylot when weaned and not allowed to "shrink" off that bloom.

Don't let early pasture keep you from setting up a creepfeeder. Those extra pounds are the cheapest gain you can put on any animal and the price they bring will just about double the cost of the feed.

The Southwest will be more prosperous when they sell more livestock for slaughter at heavier weights at home, and every indication is that feeder buyers in the North will be BEARISH in the coming season after the feed-lot losses of the past season!

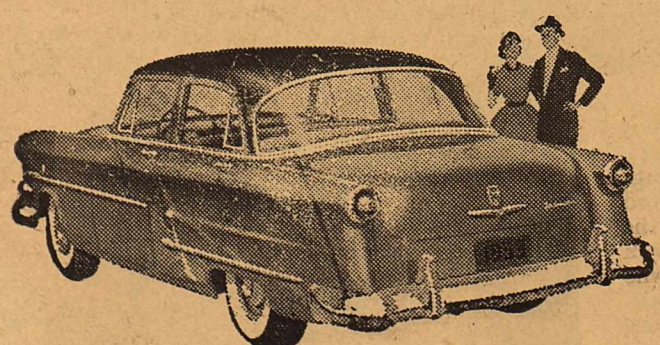
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 Mrs. Don Reynolds
 Judy Bob Cook
 - Sunday, April 26,
 Mrs. R. G. Nance
 - Monday, April 27,
 Mrs. Dewitt Lancaster
 William A. McCoy
 Carolyn Hall
 - Tuesday, April 28,
 Mrs. Louis Smith
 Judy Lancaster
 G. G. Bennett
 - Wednesday, April 29,
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44 Years Ago

Mrs. C. D. Smith left for Tyler Tuesday to visit her father, T. J. Caswell, who was recently

stricken with a case of paralysis. A dispatch to the Dallas News however tells of Mr. Caswell's death and the news extends its sympathy to Mrs. Smith and family in their sorrow.

Walter and Will Whitehead, E. F. Stringfellow, L. L. Bode, J. A. Martin and Mose McElligott were in Sonora Wednesday from the Whitehead ranch.

Jim Tarver of Del Rio was in

Sonora this week on business. Mrs. J. Lewenthal is visiting friends in Ozona.

Mrs. W. G. Muster of Houston is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. A. Stephenson.

W. C. Page, who ranches in Edwards County, was in Sonora Thursday on business.

Mrs. James Brotherton of Juno is in Sonora on a visit to her mother Mrs. M. L. Martin and other relatives.

Miss June Tooke of Elgin is visiting her friend Miss Zetha Decie.

Joe Berger returned from the J. P. Reiley ranch Monday where he had been building a two roomed house for that gentleman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cornell left for San Antonio Monday to attend the Battle Of Flowers and to meet friends and relatives. Mrs. Cornell may be absent for a month or more visiting in different parts of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Wallace of Norse, who have been visiting their children, Mesdames J. W. Mayfield, W. B. Keesee, J. E. Grimland and G. Curtis Allison and son Joe Wallace for the past

month, left for their home Wednesday.

Bent Binyon and crew are doing good work on the roads in this precinct. The cutting out of stumps and removal of loose rocks are a great saving on the wear of wagons and buggies.

THIS TASTES GOOD IN TEXAS
Orange Tuna With Noodles
2 tablespoons butter or margarine
1 tablespoon flour
Grated rind of 1/2 orange
Salt
3-4 cup milk
1-7 oz. can grated tuna
1-8 oz. package noodles
Melt butter or margarine in saucepan and stir in the flour smoothly. Remove from heat, add grated orange and lemon rind, salt and milk. Return to range and cook slowly, stirring constantly, for about 5 minutes. Add the tuna and cook gently for another 5 minutes. Serve over cooked, hot noodles or macaroni. Serves 4. A little more grated orange rind sprinkled over the top looks pretty and tastes fine.

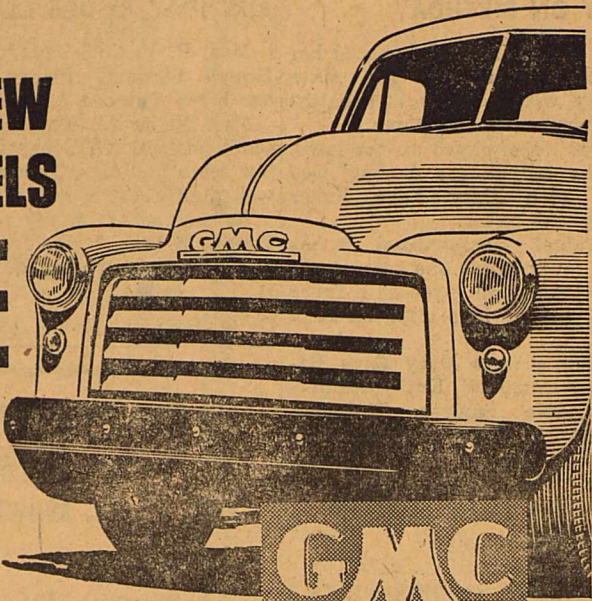
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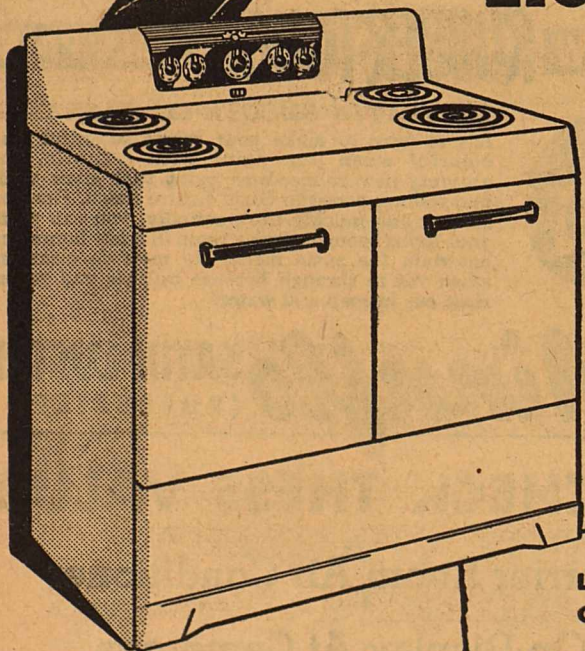
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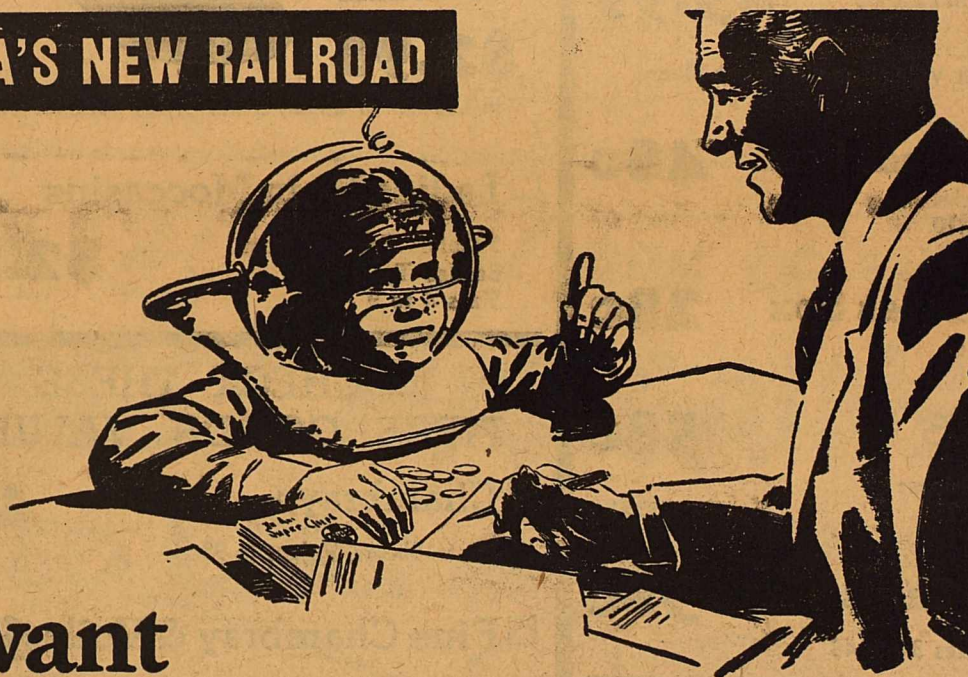
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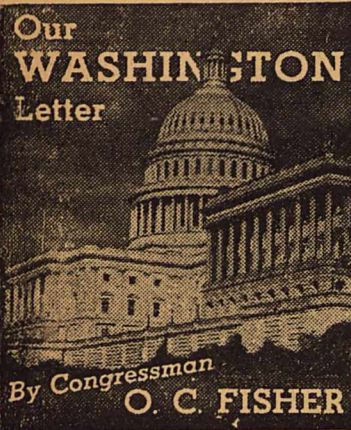
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CHANCES FOR A BALANCED
budget during this session of the Congress were improved last week when the House Appropriations committee whacked on big money bill 61% below what was requested to operate 23 Federal agencies

during the next fiscal year, beginning July 1. The committee approved a cut amounting to \$721 million.
This is but one of a dozen appropriation bills that will be considered. But the committee action does indicate forbodings of things to come. It shows that the committee is economy-minded and is willing to do something about it.
A highlight of the committee action was a decision to eliminate completely the New Deal-born Nationalized public housing program. This alone will save the taxpayers untold millions of dollars annually—if the wise action of the committee is sustained.
The Truman budget called for 75,000 new socialized housing units to begin during the next fiscal year, and then President Eisenhower requested a total of 35,000. Then came the committee action to cut it out entirely. That's a real

economy step with some meaning to it, and it is also a blow at what is generally considered to be the most socialistic activity—and most unnecessary—in which our government has engaged in recent years.
WHILE THE Appropriations committee was wrestling with the money bill last week, the House passed a Mexican bill. This measure would extend the law which permits our government to negotiate with Mexico for a labor agreement. The present law expires at the end of this year, and if the contracting Mexican aliens is to be continued in 1954 it is necessary that an enabling law be passed at this session. The present arrangement for the employment of aliens in areas where there is a local labor shortage has been fraught with many inequities and red tape. The hope is that when a new agreement is negotiated this

MRS. SMITH HOSTESS TO CLUB THURSDAY
Mrs. Louis Smith was hostess to the Ka Tasta Canasta Club Thursday at her home.
The high score was won by Mrs. Bob Wood and low score by Mrs. M. O. Carter.
Refreshments of cake, cookies and coffee were served to Mes. J. A. Harris, Paul Willeford, W. C. Bricker, Lester McDonald, A. R. Somerford, M. O. Carter, A. C. Petty, Bill Cochran, Bob Wood, Miss Jean Wood and visitors Mes. George W. Neill, Jr., Jack Drennan, Gene Gatlin, G. W. Kisselburg and Donald Bennett.
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HAZEL COWSERT GIVEN PARTY ON BIRTHDAY
Mrs. A. A. Cowsert honored her daughter, Hazel, on her sixth birthday with a party last Saturday afternoon at her home.
Games were played on the lawn. "Pin the tail on the donkey" was played with Mary Faye Baker winning the prize.
Individual personalized cakes with a favor inside and soft drinks were served. Also given as a favor was a pair of hair clips on each plate.
Attending were Mary Faye Baker, Kay Campbell, Kathy Rutherford, Eddie Sawyer, Margaret Alice Smith, Sarah Sawyer, Judy Lancaster, Carolyn and Betty Sue Cowsert, Mrs. E. D. Shurley and Mrs. Russell Reams and daughter, Rene of Rocksprings.
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MRS. COOK HOSTESS TO BIRTHDAY BRIDGE CLUB
Mrs. R. V. Cook entertained the Happy Birthday Bridge Club at her home Tuesday afternoon.
Mrs. Nellie Allen won high club score, Mrs. G. G. Bennett won the low score and Mrs. Theresa Friend won high guest score.
Refreshments were served to Mes. Robert Rees, J. A. Cauthorn, Rose Thorp, J. H. Brasher, Luella O'Leary, B. C. McGilvray, G. G. Bennett, Nellie Allen, Miss

Cpl. Ralls R. Regeon who is stationed at Fort Bliss was here over the weekend with his mother, Mrs. W. K. Regeon, and his brother, W. K. Regeon.
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 - "New Fashioned NYLON" \$1.68**
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 - LADIES NYLONS 78c**
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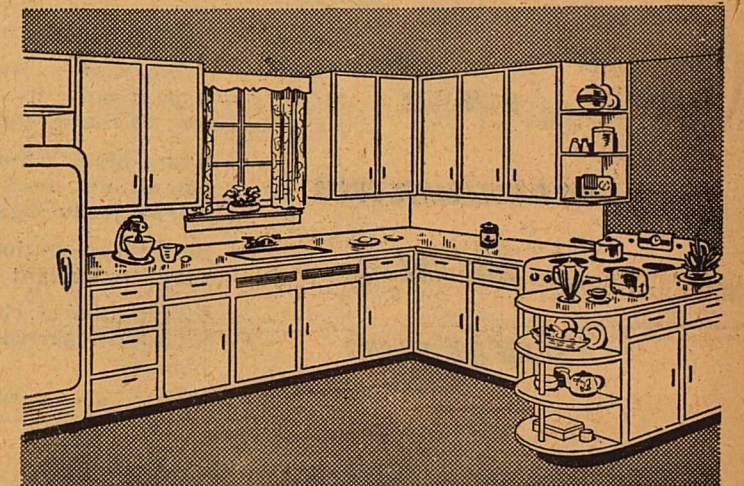
- LADIES READY TO WEAR AND BLOUSES**
- DRESSES \$5.88**
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as Company dealers meeting Fri-
day night in San Angelo. Dealers
from Sonora, Eldorado and Ozona
enjoyed a steak supper prior to
the program.

The Woman's Page

Mrs. Artie Davis, Society Editor

Sonora, Texas, Friday, April 24, 1953

MRS. PRUGEL HOSTESS AT COFFEE TUESDAY

Mrs. A. E. Prugel entertained
with an informal coffee Tuesday
morning at her home honoring
Mrs. Edward B. Tipton who is
leaving soon to join her husband
in Syria.

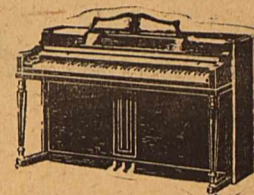
Those present included **Mmes.**
Sam Logan, A. W. Awalt, Joe Hull
Howard Kirby, Harold Friess, O.
G. Babcock, Mrs. J. E. Tisdale of
Eldorado, Hilde Tipton and Susan
Prugel.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Morgan
were the guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Earl Merck last weekend in Fort
Worth. They also attended the Ice
Capades.

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Hardy had
as their guests last weekend his
sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs.
R. M. Parks, of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Lowe and
children were in San Angelo last
weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. C.
A. Woods and Mr. and Mrs. Buel
Martin and their families.

S. C. S. study on Africa. The mo-
tion picture, made in South Af-
rica, is based on the novel by Alan
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Sonora Woman's Club Entertains With Luncheon, Style Show Thursday

The Sonora Woman's Club en-
tertained 120 members and guests
with a spring fashion show and
luncheon at the Ka Bar Club
Thursday noon, April 16.

A profusion of spring flowers
were used throughout the room,
and guests were seated at quartet
tables centered with four small
pink and green baskets filled with
spring flowers which were given
as favors. The stage, where mod-
els were shown, was decorated
as a garden scene with a long
scroll of white picket fence bank-
ed and entwined with fresh flow-
ers. Background recorded music,
played throughout the lunch-
eon and show, was furnished by
the Home Hardware and Furni-
ture Company. Several numbers
were sung during the luncheon by
members of the High School
Choral Club, directed by W. D.
Bradley, Jr.

Clever description in verse and
prose, written by the narrator,
Mrs. Norman S. Davis, accom-
panied the showing of the fashions
which were from the Labenske
Style Shop, Joseph's and The Rat-
liff Store.

The show opened with two Style
Shop models, Mrs. G. A. Barrow
and Mrs. V. J. Glascock, walk-
ing through the garden scene
carrying large baskets of flowers
and dressed in bright cotton tore-
ador trousers and white blouses.

Outstanding fashions also from
the Style Shop were a three-piece
play suit in charcoal and chateaufe
cotton trimmed with rhinestones,
worn by Mrs. Glascock; an after-
noon frock, in Navy shantung
with wide blue-and-white checked
taffeta collar, worn with a white
lace straw hat, by Mrs. Barrow,
and a pale green net ballerina-
length evening dress, worn by
Miss Johnny Lois Johnson. This
dress was strapless, very boufan-
t and warm over pale green
taffeta. Other numbers shown by
the Style Shop were mainly after-
noon and play clothes in the new
cottons.

Striking fashions from Joseph's
included a silk suit modeled by
Mrs. A. E. Lowe, and a cocktail
dress modeled by Mrs. Harold
Scherz. Mrs. Lowe's suit was in
cereal colored silk, the jacket lined
with Roman striped silk and
worn with a blouse of the same
striped material. Mrs. Scherz's
cocktail model was of rhinestone-
and braid-trimmed grey cotton
corduroy, featuring a large bow
at one side of the skirt and a long,
fringed stole of the same material.

The other model from Joseph's
was little Jo Anne Lowe who show-
ed a number of frocks from their
collection of children's clothes.

The Ratliff Store showed a wide
selection of dresses emphasizing
summer cottons; however some of
their most outstanding models
were the Western outfit worn by
Tom Elaine Espy, an embroi-
dered organdy worn by little Yvonne
Young and a matching pei-
gnoir and gown of nylon worn by
Mrs. Sears Sentell. Also modeling
for Ratliff's were Mrs. A. F. Mof-

fett, Jr., and Misses Betty Dren-
nan and Doris Mayer.

Tom Elaine wore, with a large
gray Stetson and handmade boots,
Western style trousers in a light-
weight grey and blue checked ma-
terial and a nylon sleeveless snap
shirt.

Yvonne's frock, a coat style or-
gandy buttoned down the front
with covered buttons, was em-
broidered in pastel flowers. Under
it she wore a crisp white batiste
slip.

Mrs. Sentell was striking in a
pale blue nylon peignoir and gown,
trimmed with net and lace in the
same shade of blue and tied at
the waist with blue satin ribbon.
The peignoir featured a Peter Pan
collar, deep net yoke in the back
outlined by a lace ruffle, and three-
quarter sleeves finished with a
ruffle of the lace.

As the guests arrived they were
greeted by Mrs. C. F. Browne,
club president, Mrs. Armer Ear-
wood, secretary, Mrs. George
Brockman, vice-president and Miss
Anella Stites, treasurer. The pro-
gram opened with an invocation by
Mrs. John E. Winslow, and Mrs.
Browne presented a report on the
recent Sixth District Annual Con-
vention, held at Colorado City,
stressing particularly in her talk
sending national and state legisla-
tion of particular interest to club
members.

Those in charge of the luncheon
and show were Mrs. Rip Ward,
luncheon chairman, Mrs. J. W. Ne-
ville, show chairman, and Mrs.
Herbert Fields, decoration chair-
man. Those assisting the chair-
men were **Mmes.** Dan Cauthorn,
Gay Copeland, Robert Kelley, Jr.,
A. C. Elliott, L. E. Johnson, Jr.,
L. E. Johnson, Sr., Harold Schwie-
ning, and Joe Brown Ross, lunch-
eon; **Mmes.** Gene Shurley and Mor-
gan Davis, decorations, and **Mmes.**
J. T. Ratliff and Norman Davi-

Out-of-town guests included
Mmes. Seton Prentiss and Conrad
Holekamp of Junction, Lula Hines

ST. JOHN'S GUILD PLANS PARISH SUPPER MAY 10

The Young Women's Guild of
St. John's Church met at the Pa-
rish House Wednesday afternoon
with Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken as
hostess.

The devotional was given by
Mrs. George Barrow.

A business meeting followed, pre-
sided over by Mrs. W. T. Hardy.

The Vestry and Guild have just
had a new hardwood floor put in
the Parish House. Plans were
made for a Parish dinner May 10,
when Bishop E. H. Jones will be
here. Co-chairmen for the dinner
will be Mrs. Bryan Hunt and Mrs.
George H. Neill.

The study course "Consider The
Bible" will be completed at the
next two meetings in May. Chair-
man of the study course is Mrs.
Clay Puckett.

Cake and coffee were served to
Mmes. Arthur Stuart, J. F. Ham-
by, Fred Simmons, Roy E. Aldwell,
John Winslow, Armer Earwood,
Joe M. Vander Stucken, George
Barrow, W. T. Hardy and Miss
Alice Karnes.

W. M. U. MEETS WEDNESDAY

The W. M. U. met at the First
Baptist Church for a program and
business meeting.

Mrs. Rip Ward led in prayer.

Mrs. W. A. McCoy opened the
meeting. The devotional was the
125th Psalm. The group then sang
"Christ For The Whole Wide
World". Minutes were then read
and approved. Each chairman gave
her reports.

The meeting was dismissed by
W. A. McCoy.

Attending were **Mmes.** Bill Dren-
nan, W. K. Regeon, L. C. Halbert,
Rip Ward, W. A. McCoy, R. M.
McCarver, J. H. Brasher, Alfred
Cooper, Bob Adom, J. P. Smith,
Laura Odum and J. A. Cauthorn.

Cpl. Oscar Drennan is home on
leave from Carswell AFB and will
be here until May 3.

and Velma Shurley of San An-
gelo and Soule Shanklin of Rock-
springs.

MUSIC CLUB PRESENTS PROGRAM IN OZONA

The Sonora Music Club present-
ed a program for the Ozona Music
Club last night at the Fellowship
Hall of the Methodist Church at
7:30 o'clock.

Those taking part on the pro-
gram were Mrs. Maxine Ellingson,
Mrs. Louie Trainer, Roy Edward
Aldwell, Jan Keng, Lois Lu Lomax,
Doris Mayer and the Sonora High
School Choral Club.

Mrs. E. S. Mayer was hostess to
the Music Club members with a
buffet supper before leaving for
Ozona.

W. S. C. S. REPRESENTATIVES ATTEND OZONA MEETING

Mmes. O. G. Babcock, W. H.
Marshall, W. L. Davis and H. M.
Smith of the Sonora Woman's So-
ciety of Christian Service went
to Ozona Wednesday afternoon to
see "Cry The Beloved Country".
The Ozona W. S. C. S. sponsored
the trip in connection with the W.

MRS. SMITH HOSTESS TO FIREMEN'S AUXILIARY

Mrs. Tommy Smith was hostess
to the Fireman's Auxiliary Wed-
nesday night at the Fire Hall with
a party and stork shower honor-
ing Mrs. W. W. Renfroe.

Bridge and '42' games were
played. Mrs. Lee Patrick won high
bridge score, Mrs. W. W. Renfroe
won low and Mrs. Clayton Hamil-
ton won high guest score. In '42'
Mrs. Artie Joy won high club
score, Mrs. Gwin Kring won low
and Mrs. Duane Prater won high
guest.

Cake and orange punch were
served to **Mmes.** Ford Allen, D. R.
Swails, J. P. Smith, Bill McGil-
vray, Lee Patrick, Gwin Kring, Jeff
Lambert, Artie Joy, J. H. Brasher,
E. T. Smith, Wes Granger, G. G.
Bennett, George Barrow, the ho-
nored and guests Duane Prater, Nel-
lie Allen, R. L. Johnson, J. W.
Jepper, Jr., Sidney Awalt, W. A.
McCoy, B. E. Cartwright, Cleve-
land Nance, Clayton Hamilton and
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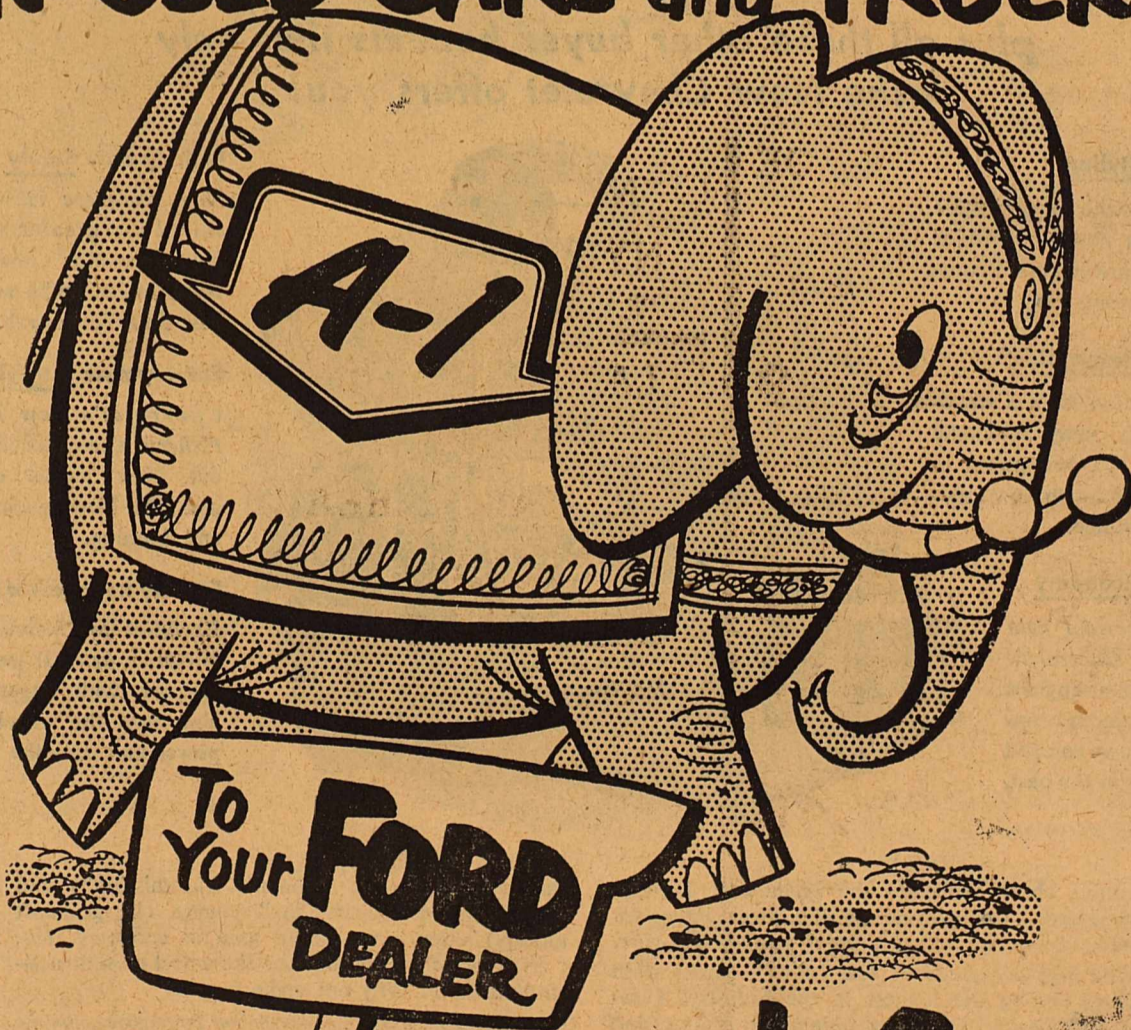
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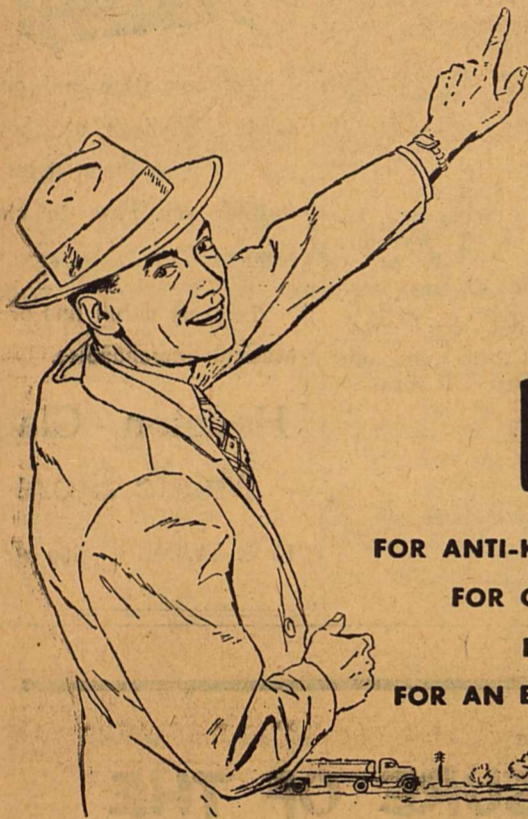


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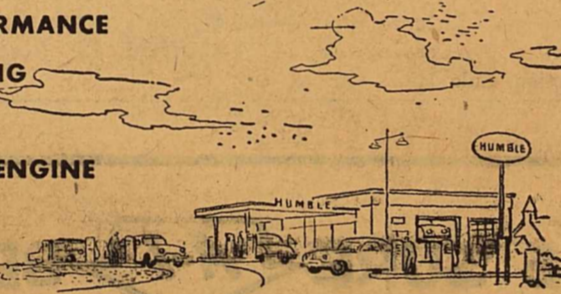
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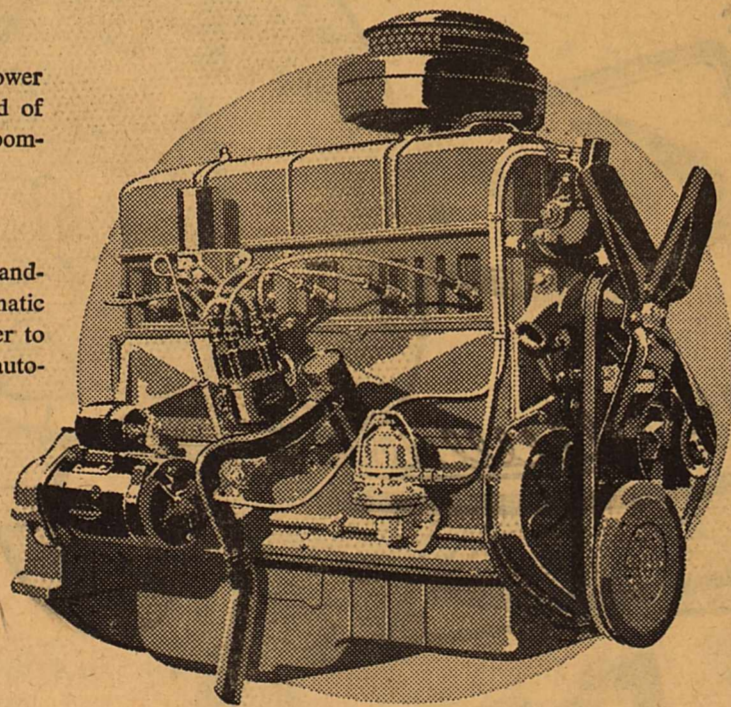
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A - - Under the law, VA's primary responsibility is to restore your ability to earn a living, in spite of your handicap. When you are ready, VA will refer you to a State or Federal employment agency which will help you find a job.

Q - - I want to buy a house with a GI loan. Can you tell me why it's necessary to have the house appraised by VA?

A - - The law requires that the purchase price of your house must not be more than the reasonable value, as determined by proper appraisal made by an appraiser designated by VA.

Q - - I am a World War II veteran in training under the GI Bill, but I am now in a hospital with a broken leg. Even though the cut-off date has passed, will I be permitted to resume my studies after I get out of the hospital?

A - - Yes. But you must resume your training within a reasonable time after you recover from your injury. You should check with your VA regional office as soon as you can, to learn what would be considered a "reasonable time," in

your case.
Q - - Is it possible to pay National Service Life Insurance premiums on any other basis than every month? I find it quite a bother to make out a check each month.
A - - Yes. Premiums may be paid annually, semi-annually or quarterly. In fact, it's cheaper that way. Your VA insurance office will be glad to supply all details.

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Youth Fellowship 6 o'clock
Evening Service 7 o'clock

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Young People 5 P. M. at Parish House

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Holy Days: Holy Communion at 10 A. M. as announced

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Morning Services 11 o'clock
Evening Services 7:30 o'clock
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Worship 11 o'clock
Evening Services 7 o'clock
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Wednesday Evening 7 o'clock
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FAR EASTERN WATERS—(FHTNC)—Open house aboard the small seaplane tender USS Corson for students of the Iwakuni (Japan) Dependent School, means grins for guests and crew members alike, plus a big dividend of strawberry ice cream. Norman A. Partain, commissaryman third class, USN, of Houston, Texas, is flanked by two first graders from the school for children of military personnel; at the left is Lily Fujimoto of Iwakuni, and at the right, Tim Stodgell, formerly of Independence, Kan. (Official U. S. Navy Photo No. 410049)

Johnson's Letter From Washington

TIDELANDS: Senator Price Daniel did Texas proud when he opened Senate debate on the tidelands bill. His presentation was the best and most effective I have ever heard on this subject. Senators of both parties, including even some who oppose the Texas claim, praised Senator Daniel's grasp of the question.

I hope the Senate will have passed the tidelands legislation by the time you read this. A vote was delayed by what Senator Taft called the "long-winded speeches" of Senators opposing the legislation.

RECIPROCAL TRADE: President Eisenhower has asked Congress to renew the Reciprocal Trade Act for one year. This program was originally established under a Democratic Administration and has been renewed from time to time. I believe the Democrats in Congress will give almost solid support to the President's proposal for a renewal of the act as it stands.

As an opponent of trade barriers between nations, I favor the principles of the original Reciprocal Trade Act.

GERMAN CHANCELLOR: When I attended a White House luncheon for Konrad Adenauer, of the Federal Republic of Germany, he informed me he has relatives in Texas. I asked if he wished to send a message to them and the many other fine American citizens of German descent living in Texas.

Chancellor Adenauer told me to say the German people are very happy with the relationship between their government and ours.

He said the American aid programs have been very helpful to Germany. He declared the friendship between Germans and Americans cannot be destroyed by communist propaganda.

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION: Several Texas REA leaders were here for an appointment at the Agriculture Department and I met with them for a discussion of REA problems. The Texans told Department representatives local co-ops cannot continue to function properly and repay their loans unless they have the power to build their own generation and transmission facilities. Even if they don't use the authority, their having it enables them to make reasonable contracts with private power companies.

Included in the group were Elmer J. Osborne, Austin, general manager, Texas Electric Power Reserve; William A. Brown, Austin, the organization's attorney; William A. Lewis, also of Austin, editor of the Reserve's official paper; C. M. Wagner, Robstown; Leo Forrest, Herford; John Ammons, Roby; T. R. Qualls, Denton; Pratt Spence, Kaufman; and W. W. Cardwell, Bandera.

MOHAIR SUPPORT PRICE: Agriculture Department has announced a national average support price of 60.7 cents per pound of mohair for the current marketing year. Last year's support price was 57.2 cents per pound.

Congressman Clark Fisher and I helped to get mohair included under the support price program in the 1949 Agricultural Act. Mohair prices have been above support levels ever since then, so no support action has been necessary.

Air Force Secretary Harold E. Talbot will speak at dedication of Greater Fort Worth International Airport on April 25-A very able Texan, M. D. Bryant of San Angelo, president of Texas Independent Producers & Royalty Owners

Association, has been named by Secretary of the Interior McKay to National Petroleum Council—I was present when President Eisenhower administered the oath of office to Oveta Culp Hobby as the Nation's first Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare. Mrs. Johnson and I gave a reception last Friday night for Governor and Mrs. Hob-

by and for Navy Secretary and Mrs. Bob Anderson. Among the guests were Texas newspapermen, in town for a meeting of American Society of Newspaper Editors. Went down to Virginia Saturday afternoon and bought a dog for Lynda Bird and Lucy, our daughters. I'm enjoying the new addition to our household as much

as the children are. Every dog needs a man, I guess—President Eisenhower and I were the only speakers at the famous Gridiron Dinner here—The Senate Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee adopted my amendment to a pending bill, the amendment enabling Palestine to keep the I&GN Railroad shops.

'Calamity Jane' Rides Again—This Time for Civil Defense



Once a famous name of the Old West, "Calamity Jane" today is a new, highly versatile rescue service truck built by Reo Motors, Inc., for the Federal Civil Defense Administration. Carrying 99 different items in its ingeniously arranged body, the truck will serve as a mobile base of operations for rescue work in the event of disasters. It combines the operations of an ambulance, fire truck and utility trouble-shooter. The "Calamity Janes" have been ordered by civil defense agencies in 28 states, Guam and Hawaii. It is shown here on "Disaster Street," a unique Civil Defense training center at Olney, Md.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat



BEHOLDEN TO NO ONE

NOT EVEN THE CENTURIES CAN TWIST FUNDAMENTAL AMERICAN CHARACTER OUT OF SHAPE. OUR EARLIEST SETTLERS, SENSING THE DIGNITY OF THE INDIVIDUAL, SOUGHT INDEPENDENCE — FREEDOM TO RAISE THEIR FAMILIES BEHOLDEN TO NO ONE, THE OPPORTUNITY FOR MATERIAL AND SPIRITUAL ADVANCEMENT. THEY WERE HAPPY TO WORK WITH THEIR NEIGHBORS, BUT THEY WANTED TO STAND ON THEIR OWN FEET TOO.



TODAY, WE LIVE IN A MORE COMPLEX WORLD BUT, BASICALLY, THE OBJECTIVES WE SEEK FOR OURSELVES AND OUR FAMILIES ARE STILL THE SAME. THE HABITS OF HARD WORK AND THRIFT, THE QUALITY OF SELF-RELIANCE — THE DESIRE TO STAND ON OUR OWN FEET, BEHOLDEN TO NO ONE — ARE PRECIOUS GIFTS TO HAND DOWN TO OUR CHILDREN.

Personal Notes

Mrs. Robert Rees was a visitor last week in Bandera with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Chipman, and sister, Mrs. D. C. Cox and with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Welch, in San Antonio.

Mrs. A. J. Willeke of Marathon and her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Powell, and baby of Ozona spent Thursday and Friday here with her sister, Mrs. Otelia Owens, and other relatives.

Mrs. John Bell and Mrs. A. W. Saunders of Ozona and children, Win and Sherry, left Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Saunders parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Patton, in Tupelo, Mississippi.

Mrs. Scott Roberts was in Clint and El Paso last weekend with her son, Norbert McIntyre, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ludlow and their daughter, Miss Rose Mary Ludlow.

Mrs. R. G. Nance is in McCamey to spend a month with her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Moss, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen accompanied by their daughter, son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bullion, and their children, Jacky Joe and Lanny, were weekend guests of his brother, Ford Allen, and family.

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This is what actually happens when you're at the wheel of a new 1953 Buick with **TT Dynaflo.**

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So you feel a firmer and more immediate "take hold"—get far faster getaway, new quiet and efficiency, plus infinite smoothness to and through every speed range.

There's a lot more to be had, of course, in these great new Buicks. Higher horsepowers and compression ratios. A still finer ride. Easier handling. Improved visibility. More comfort and richer interiors.

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The medicine chest, traditional guardian of your family's health, will serve you only if you check its contents regularly. Make sure that all bottles are properly labeled, and discard medicines no longer in use. If supplies are low, order replacements promptly. And be certain you have on hand all of the things you are likely to need.

Every medicine cabinet, for instance, should contain a good clinical thermometer. Through its use you can quickly tell when you should call your doctor.

Your medicine chest should also contain such first aid essentials as gauze and elastic bandage, a good antiseptic, adhesive tape and absorbent cotton, bandage, scissors and aromatic spirits of ammonia. Aspirin, rubbing alcohol and petrolatum are other supplies which should be included.

Foresight in providing these few simple aids can contribute greatly to your family's health and safety.

SONORA DRUG COMPANY

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bishop spent last weekend at their farm near Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cooper and daughter, Debra, were in Kerrville last weekend as guests of Mrs. J. Maxwell. They were met there by her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hurst of Newton, Kansas.

Classified Ads

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We wish to thank our friends for their many favors during the time of Rosteen (Sonny) Pfister's accident.
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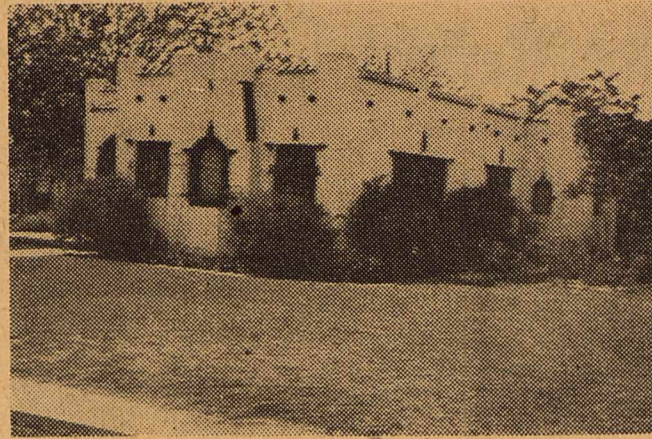
Help Wanted:- Husky high school student who plans to be a rancher wants work on ranch summer of 1953. Jerome Kline, 5721 Glen Falls Lane, Dallas, 9, Texas. 1 to 31.

Jon Dungan was in Odessa over the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Dungan.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Vandiver returned this week from a trip through New Mexico and West Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Haines were in Sanderson Friday through Monday as the guests of their son, Billy Joe Haines, and family.

Mrs. Edwina Hamilton of Amarillo is here visiting her son, Norman S. Davis, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. King were in San Angelo Sunday to visit her brothers, S. E. Dodd and W. T. Dodd, and their families.

Mrs. C. Y. Young of Bartlett spent last week here as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Autrey Bridges and daughter, Lomalea.

Mrs. Tom Driskell spent last week in Big Spring with her son, Capt. C. T. Driskell, and family. During the week Mrs. Driskell and her daughter-in-law drove to Portales, New Mexico, to visit with her cousin, Mrs. Ruth Moore, who is ill.

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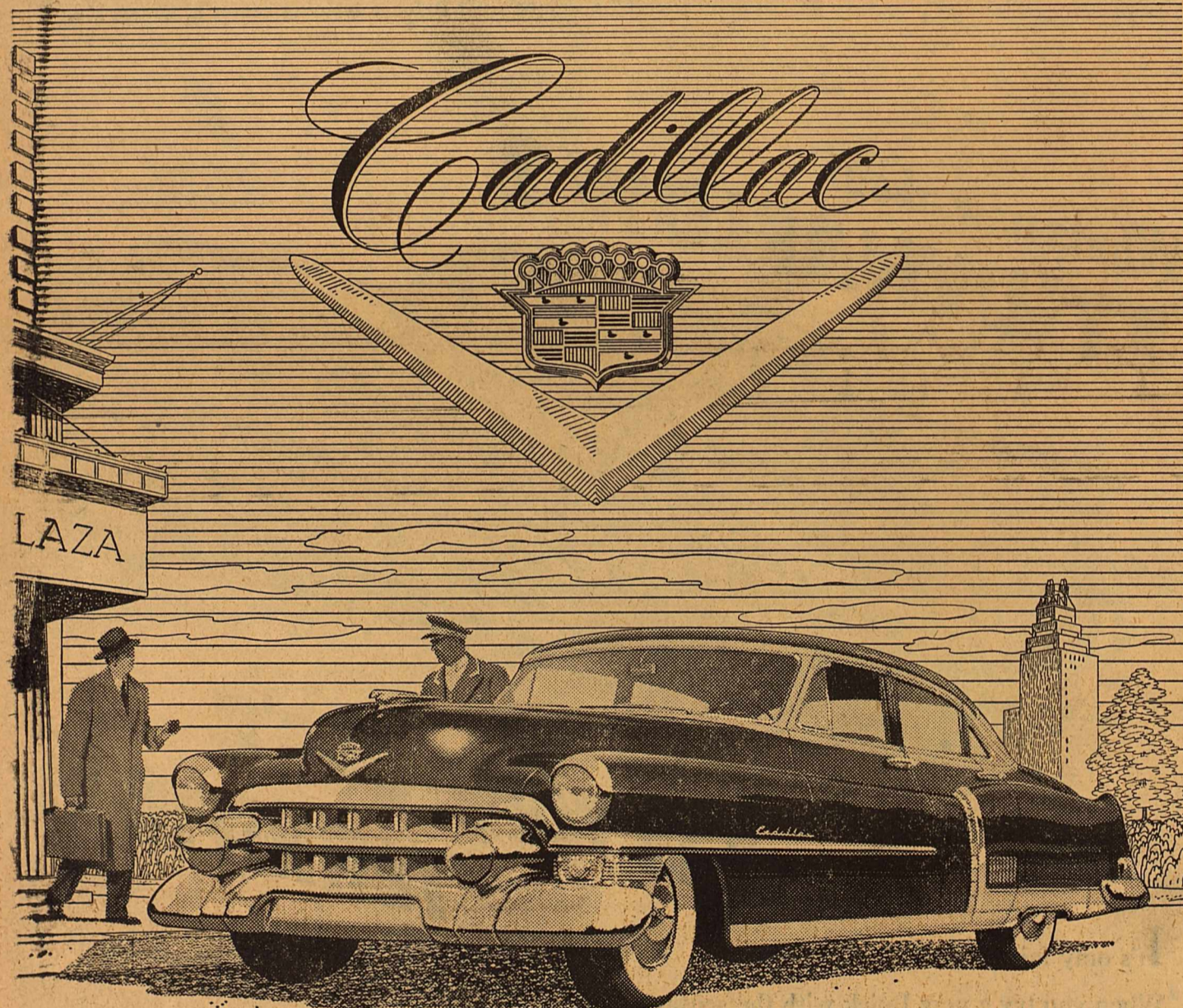
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Has Anybody Seen My Gal

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But it's something that some of us have to do to keep America militarily strong and safe. It's true, we don't all have to serve in uniform. But there is something important every one of us can do. That's to help keep our country economically secure—by investing in United States Defense Bonds. For by Bonds and other forms of saving, we are building up not only our own personal security, but the security and the strong economy of America. And we all know, now, that peace is only for the strong.

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