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FORTY-FOURTH WEEK



Guiding lights of the Hill Country Firemen's Association pictured above are, left to right, John Hankins of Junction, life secretary of the organization; Lee Patrick, Chief of the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department and second vice-president of the HCFA; C. W. Taylor, past-president of the organization and chairman of the resolutions committee; and Millard Anderson of Eden, President of the HCFA. Photo By Boyd Lovelace.

15 Towns Represented Here At H.C.F.A. Convention Tuesday

The Hill Country Firemen's Association Convention got underway Monday with 206 out-of-town members registering at the Fire House. The members represented 15 of the 17 Hill County departments. Towns sending delegates were Ballinger, Bangs, Brady, Brownwood, Coleman, Eden, Eldorado, Junction, Mason, Menard, Miles, Ozona, Santa Anna and Winters.

Monday night members of the Eldorado Fire Department presented an amusing but informative program on home fire hazards and what to do until the fireman arrives.

Tuesday morning at eight-thirty Firemen paraded through town led by the Sonora fire truck and hose truck. They were followed by automobiles containing the local Fire Wives Auxiliary, the District President, District Vice-President, and District Secretary-Treasurer. Coleman was represented by two automobiles and Fat Lyles Buick entered an old but still perking Buick. Other entries were a Rainbow and Pot of Gold float from Eldorado, a Model T-Ford with TV Antenna, Eldorado's "Post of President" float, seven automobiles from Winters, Eden's car bearing pretty young ladies and the department mascot, Ballinger's "Steaks are high when you gamble with fire" float, and automobiles from Mason, Bangs, and Ballinger.

Following the parade, Martin's Melody Boys furnished music at the school until nine o'clock when the meeting was called to order by C. W. Taylor, master of ceremonies. The Rev. W. H. Marshall, minister of the First Methodist Church of Sonora, gave the invocation in the absence of the regular H.C.F.A. Chaplain, W. C. Cooper. Sonora Mayor Alfred Schwiening welcomed members of the organization to Sonora and Gene Sanders of Austin, honorary president of the Hill Country group, responded.

The business session was called to order by President Millard Anderson of Eden. Life Secretary John Hankins of Junction called the roll and read minutes of the Brownwood Convention. Following committee reports and transaction of business, visiting firemen were recognized, among them Olin Culberson, honorary president of the HCFA, who flew in to Sonora to attend the meeting. Culberson spoke briefly.

Manager of Sonora City Utilities, R. M. McCarver introduced the featured speaker of the morning, Cayce Moore of Hearne. Moore gave a humorous and philosophical address.

At eleven o'clock the Sonora and Eldorado Ladies Auxiliaries presented an amusing and entertaining variety program.

The ladies enjoyed luncheon served at the Episcopal Parish House by members of the local Auxiliary.

Firemen were guests of the Lions Club for lunch. The regular memorial service was conducted by Rev. W. H. Marshall at one-thirty Tuesday afternoon. Since there had been no deaths in the organization since

its February meeting, the service was dedicated as a memorial to the living. Flowers were placed on the graves of deceased members of the local department.

Mrs. Marie Hudson of Austin, Firemen's Pension Commissioner, spoke to the firemen and W. G. Burns, Fire Marshal of Dallas, gave an address on "Parental Delinquency".

In his talk, Burns stressed that without delinquent parents there would be no delinquent children. He stated that last year in Dallas alone fire losses from fires started by children or juveniles caused a loss of over half million dollars in damages.

Winners in the races held across the street from the Fire Station were:

Men's pump races- 1. Brownwood; 2. Ballinger; 3. Winters. Ladies' pump races- 1. Winters; 2. Eldorado; 3. Eden.

Three-man races- 1. Brownwood; 2. Santa Anna; 3. Eden. One-man races- 1. Ballinger; 2. Santa Anna; 3. Brownwood.

Water polo- 1. Brownwood; 2. Winters. Ladies' hose race- 1. Mrs. E. McConghie of Brownwood; 2. Mrs. Dottie Jackson of Ballinger; 3. Mrs. Coy Williams of Eden.

Ladies' polo- 1. Eden; 2. Brownwood. Prizes for these events were presented at the dance held at the warehouse of the Sonora Wool and Mohair Co. The dance followed a barbecued chicken supper served by members of the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department. Other prizes awarded at the dance included: Best parade entries: 1. Eldorado's "Pot of Gold" float and 2. Eldorado's "Post of President" float; most man-miles traveled- Brownwood with twenty-seven members and wives.

Officers of the HCFA are: President, Millard Anderson of Eden; First vice-president, George Herd of Coleman; Second vice-president, Lee Patrick of Sonora; Chaplain, W. C. Cooper of Coleman; Secretary-treasurer, John Hankins of Junction; Sponsor, Kay Wadsworth of Bangs; and Mascot, Mack McCaughn of Winters.

Ladies' Auxiliary Officers are: President, Mrs. Jack Harrison of Winters; Vice-president, Mrs. Tom Taylor of Brownwood; Secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Millard Anderson of Eden; Sweetheart, Flora Mae Minnick of Sonora; and Mascot, Karen Lynn Swagertz. Coleman was selected as the site of the next meeting to be held in February 1956.

YANKS ARE CHAMPS OF LITTLE LEAGUE SERIES

In the final game of the second half of Little League play, Yanks won over the Giants six to two Wednesday night, making them (Yanks) winners of the series by two full games ahead of their closest competitor. Runners up and in order are; Giants, wins 5 1/2, losses 3 1/2—Cubs, w.n.s 5, losses 4—Tigers, wins 1/2, losses 7c.

Watch for the complete statistical results and batting averages of 55's series in next weeks paper.

BAND SCHOOL TO START WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15

William D. Bradley, Jr., director of the Sonora Bronco Band, announced that band school will begin August 15. All band members are required to be present at the Band Hall at four-thirty Monday afternoon for the opening class.

NANCY NEILL NAMED ON DEAN'S HONOR LIST

Miss Nancy Neill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Neill of Sonora, was among those listed on the spring honor roll of the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences of the University of Texas.

Nancy, a second-semester senior at the University, is a student of liberal arts.

HCFA Began At Supper In 1930

The Hill Country Firemen's Association began as an idea in the mind of John Hankins, its life secretary, back in 1930. At that time Hankins was Chief of the Junction Fire Department and thought it would be a good idea to get to know members of the fire departments of neighboring towns.

With that thought in mind, members of the Junction Fire Department invited firemen from Sonora, Ricksprings, Mason, Menard and Kerrville to attend their monthly banquet. From that get-acquainted meeting sprang the first District Firemen's Association in the state.

In February of 1930 the organizational meeting was held in Menard. John Parker, then Chief of the San Angelo Fire Department, and a past-president of the State Firemen and Fire Marshall's Association, was invited to help organize the district group. Parker accepted on the condition that he and his firemen, all professionals, might become members. Parker and the San Angelo department remained active in the organization until Parker's death.

Following San Angelo admission other surrounding towns began to ask to join until the number of member departments reached its present total of 17.

First officers of the Hill Country Firemen's Association were John Hankins of Junction, president, and Frank Holliday, then manager of the Sonora Chamber of Commerce, secretary and treasurer. The following year, Hankins was elected secretary-treasurer for life.

Aside from being the first regularly organized district to hold scheduled meetings and programs, the organization is now considered the best and most active in the state.

Hankins got his first taste of fighting fire as a twelve-year-old boy in Kerrville when he became a member of the first Kerrville Fire Department and organization with equipment consisting of pike poles and 100 rubber buckets for bucket-brigade type fire-fighting.

The next step in development of the department was the purchase of a six-foot iron hose cart which had to be pulled by hand. Later this was replaced by a wooden cart with six-foot wheels which held 350 feet of hose.

It's been a long pull from the bucket brigade to the modern fire-fighting equipment now owned by local fire departments and credit for most of the progress can be directly attributed to such organizations as the Hill Country Firemen.

Coach Jack Fry To Henderson

Jack Fry has accepted a position as "B" team coach and head scout with the Henderson Public School System.

After receiving his masters degree in Education from Stephen F. Austin College, Fry came to Sonora, and has served for three and one-half years as head of the athletic program at L. W. Elliott, as well as assistant coach for the Broncos.

ANGORA GOAT RAISERS NAME NEW DIRECTORS

At the 36th annual show and sale of the Texas Angora Goat Raisers Association, members re-elected all officers. Officers re-elected were J. B. Reagan of Leakey, president; Brooks Sweeten of Ricksprings, first vice-president; and Claude Haby of Leakey, second vice-president.

Directors named were Fred T. Earwood of Sonora, Arthur Davis of Sabinal, P. E. Gulley of Uvalde, Marvin Skaggs of Junction, C.H. Godbold of Leakey, Howard Hay of Bandera, J. B. Regan of Leakey, Leslie Pepper of San Antonio and Claude Haby of Leakey.

Miss Nancy Bryan Hunt Crowned Miss Mohair Of '55



New Miss Mohair of 1955 is Miss Nancy Bryan Hunt. Miss Hunt was crowned in ceremonies held in Kerrville August 4. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt of Sonora.

Wearing a pearl and rhinestone sprinkled gown of white mohair, Miss Nancy Bryan Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt of Sonora, was crowned Miss Mohair of 1955 by the out-going Miss Mohair, Miss Donave Davis of Sabinal, in Kerrville August 4.

MOTION OVERRULED FOR NEW TRIAL FOR BINGHAM

A motion for a new trial filed by attorneys for Leonard L. Bingham was overruled Thursday, August 4, by 112th District Judge Jim C. Langdon.

Bingham's attorneys will appeal Langdon's decision to the Court of Criminal Appeals in Austin within the next few weeks.

Congratulations To These NEW PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Dean Loeffler are the parents of a son, Stephen Mark, born August 6, at Kilgore Municipal Hospital. The baby weighed six pounds and seven ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Renfro and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Loeffler.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coker, Jr. are the parents of a son, Roy, III, born at Nix Hospital, San Antonio, August 9. The baby weighed seven pounds.

Grandparents are Mrs. Roy Coker, Sr. of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Gibson of Harper.

Personal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nance had as their guests last week, his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Renfro of Marfa.

Billy Ann and Susan Stewart are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meadow, in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart left Saturday for a week's tour of the western states.

Misses Jo McClelland, Jane Neill and Jean Hix and Cynthia Sadler of Gatesville, returned last week from a two-week vacation in California.

Nothing measures up to Wool.

Miss Hunt was attended by eighteen duchesses representing Hill Country towns, among them Miss Rex Ann Baker, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Baker of Sonora. Among the ten ladies-in-waiting were Miss Betsy Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown Ross, and Miss Vicki Savell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miers Savell. Elsie Earwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Armor Earwood, was crown-bearer.

As Miss Mohair, Miss Hunt is official representative of the Angora Goat Raisers Association and made her first appearance in her official capacity atop the special Miss Mohair float in the parade opening the Junction Race Meet August 11.

Other appearances scheduled for the immediate future include an appearance at the parade preceding the Fredericksburg Fair next week and participation in the All Wool and Mohair Style Show to be presented in Fredericksburg August 28 by the Hill Country Chapter of the Women's Auxiliary of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association.

Miss Hunt will reign as Miss Mohair until August 1956 when she will crown her successor-elect, Miss Elizabeth Ann Hough of Ricksprings.

Second Lt. James T. Hunt arrived home on leave last Thursday. He left Wednesday for New Orleans where he will be stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Kelley went to San Antonio Monday to meet Mrs. Kelley's mother, Mrs. Harry Pearson of Beaumont. Mrs. Pearson will be their guest for the next two weeks.



Scene from the skit presented by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Eden Fire Department. The skit retold the troubles of Frankie and Johnny and Nellie Bly.

ODDS & ENDS

George Barrow returned from Wyoming with a trophy we believe to be second to none in this vicinity.

Barrow bagged his trophy without firing a shot or casting a fly but you can believe us when we say that one sight of it will have you sportsmen oiling your guns in anticipation of hunting season. Curious?

Having long held the view that the only way to learn the history of a region is to know its people, we were delighted to visit with Mr. John Hankins of Junction Tuesday at the Firemen's Convention. "John," as he is known to all HCFA members, is a gold mine of information on the history of fire fighting in the Hill Country. He tells us that a visual history in the form of old fire-fighting apparatus is housed in the Fredericksburg Museum.

The "Devil" has come to rest now or at least for our span-and may we say thank you for bearing with us during the pangs of moving.

We are beginning this week, a new feature, news from papers published in this general area. We hope you will find it interesting.

On the subject of newspapers-we received this request from the University of Texas this week and pass it on to you who may have several old newspapers stacked away in use as trunk liners, or wrapped around a 1912 bathing suit.

"That old newspaper in the attic-the one grandma saved because it contained a paragraph about grandpa's election as sergeant-at-arms of his lodge-could have lasting value in a permanent depository at the University of Texas."

Dr. H. Bailey Carroll, history professor and Texas State Histori-Association Director, says "fugitive items" could help reconstruct the life that goes in a community. Your copy of an old newspaper might very well be the only one in existence. Newspapers are a major source of local history, and local communities will be richer for having the yellowed old copies in a depository, where they can be preserved properly and where their contents can be dispersed. Such facilities are provided at the University.

OIL NEWS

Union Production Co. No. 1 Schwiening, wildcat, in 48-A-GWT&P, 28 miles east of Sonora, plugged and abandoned at 6,320 feet in granite. A one-hour straddle packer test in the Home Creek sand between 2,833-830 feet, recovered 50 feet of very slightly gas-cut mud and 10 feet of salt water-cut mud.

Mrs. G. C. Earwood of Del Rio spent last week on the ranch visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cauthorn.

NEXT WEEK IN SONORA

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12, 9:00 A. M. meeting of Community Welfare Council at Sonora N.F.L.A. office.

MONDAY, AUGUST 15, 3:00- Hospital Auxiliary at Methodist Church.

7:30 P.M.- Scout meeting.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 16, 12:00- Lions Club at Methodist Church.

7:15- O.E.S. on Locklin and Schwiening Lawns.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17, 7:30- Pony League.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 8:00- Dee Ora Lodge at Masonic Lodge Building.

Grid Dads Meet With Joe Turner

Fathers of boys planning to play football this fall are requested to meet with Coach Joe Turner at one-thirty Sunday afternoon, August 21, at the High School auditorium.

Purpose of the meeting will be to explain athletic insurance policies which must be carried on all high school athletes. At the same time, Turner said, he wants the boys to meet with him so that he can instruct them on the necessity for having birth certificates and physical examinations.

These physicals and birth certificates are required of every player in order that his eligibility may be established. Turner added that he would like these certificates immediately.

NEW TEACHERS ELECTED; OPERATING BUDGET SET

Two new teachers were elected by the School Board of the Sonora Independent School System at their meeting Wednesday. Elected were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Finklea, formerly of Longview. Mr. and Mrs. Finklea are both graduates of the University of Texas where they received both bachelor's and master's degrees. Finklea will be building principal of Central Elementary School where Mrs. Finklea will teach second grade.

Members of the board also adopted the operating budget for 1955-56.



Winning entry in the Firemen's parade Tuesday morning was this "Pot of Gold" float representing the Eldorado Fire Department. Photo by Boyd Lovelace.

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5:30 Star Time
5:45 Julius La Rosa Show NBC
6:00 Half Hour Theatre
6:30 World News
6:35 Your TV Weatherman



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6:40 Sports At A Glance
6:45 Patti Page Show
7:00 Playhouse of Stars CBS
7:30 Life Of Riley NBC
8:00 Undercurrent CBS
8:30 Passport To Danger
9:00 To Be Announced
9:30 Paul Killiam Show
9:45 Defense On Parade
10:00 Tommorrow's Headlines
10:05 Sports Hi Lites
10:10 Weathercast
10:15 Channel Eight Theatre
SATURDAY, AUGUST 13, 1955
11:30 Test Pattern
11:45 Dizzy Dean Show
11:55 Game of the Week
Phillies vs Dodgers
3:00 World On Parade
3:45 Movie Matinee
4:45 Sagebrush Theatre
5:45 The Jimmy Simpson Show
6:15 Faith For Today ABC
6:45 Community Chest
7:00 Mr. Wizard NBC
7:30 The Big Picture
8:00 This Is The Life
8:30 Damon Runyon Theatre CBS
9:00 Your Land and Mine
9:30 Harry Wismer Sports Show
9:45 Church of Christ
10:00 Tommorrow's Headlines
10:05 Sports Hi Lites
10:10 Channel Eight Theatre
SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 1955
2:55 Sign On
3:00 San Angelo U.S.A.
4:00 Oral Roberts CBS
4:30 You Are There CBS
5:00 Its Magic CBS
5:30 Private Secretary CBS
6:00 Your Land And Mine

LET'S TALK LIVESTOCK BY TED GOULDY



FORT WORTH—Receipts of all classes of livestock dropped well below a week ago and were also comfortably behind a year ago at Fort Worth and all around the major marketing circle on Monday. Several factors appear to be involved. Many areas in process of recovery from drought are holding livestock for later sale than was the case when in the grip of the dry time last year. Those pounds are sorely needed to help the stockmen recover financially. Restocking in many sections is proceeding rapidly, that means fewer cattle and sheep for immediate sale as the ranges are being filled up again.

6:30 Facts Forum
7:00 People Are Funny
7:30 Kings Crossroads
8:00 Mr. and Mrs. North
8:30 Eddie Cantor Show
9:00 Appointment with Adv. CBS
9:30 Break The Bank ABC
10:00 Tommorrow's Headlines
10:05 Sports Hi Lites
10:10 Weathercast
10:15 Channel Eight Theatre

Expectations of bumper feed crops at nearly all points of the country make many livestock farmers look with interest on using some of their feed on home-grown cattle or hogs or lambs. This week we read reports from Corn Belt, Southeastern and Southern States, as well as from the Southwest. Uniformly optimistic crop prospects were seen, much of the feed stuffs due to stay out government loan. Big roughage crops practically everywhere in the farming sections points to interest in feeder cattle and lambs in the coming months.

Much of the year's calf crop will be marketed as fat yearlings after January 1 if present intentions of Southwestern farmers are carried through. Grainfed cattle were very scarce, a few topping at \$22 at Fort Worth Monday. Other cattle and calves found trade fairly active and prices steady to strong. Packers still show little enthusiasm for fat cows, but with most cows carrying some tallow they are getting them in sizable numbers.

Comparative prices: Good and choice fed steers and yearlings \$19 to \$22 (quotable to \$23.50); Common and medium grassers and cakefeds \$13 to \$18; rannahans \$10 to \$12.50. Fat cows \$10 to \$12.50; canners and cutters \$7 to \$10.50. Bulls \$10 to \$14, a load of 791-pound bulls from W. H. Hammon, Wichita Falls, topped at \$14.75.

Good and choice slaughter calves \$16 to \$19.50; common and medium \$12 to \$15.50; culls \$9 to \$11. Stocker steer calves \$15 to \$20; steer yearlings \$19 down; and stocker heifers and heifer calves sell \$2 to \$3 under comparable steers unless fat enough to attract packer bids. Stocker cows around \$7 to \$11.50.

Fat lambs topped at \$18.50 at Fort Worth Monday, this was par with the best price late last week. However, some of the fairly good lambs were unevenly higher kind considered. Feeders topped at \$15, and again country

demand was noticeable in the trade.

Very few ewes of suitable breeding ages are coming to market and those that do are snapped up at strong prices. Much of the big sheep country in West Texas is busily restocking and prospects for a much larger lamb crop next year look good if the range continues its comeback.

More and more interest in farm flocks is developing in other parts of the Southwest.

Prices Monday included: good and choice fat lambs \$17 to \$18.50; common and medium \$13 to \$16; culls \$10 to \$12; Feeder lambs \$13 to \$15; fat yearlings wethers \$13 to \$15; cull to medium yearlings \$8 to \$11. Slaughter ewes \$4 to \$5; old bucks around \$4; aged wethers \$7 to \$12. Breeding ewes \$6 to \$12 or higher.

Mrs. C. O. Ridley had as guests last weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Ridley of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bode of Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. Miers Savell, Mrs. Billy Savell and Miss Vicki Savell left Wednesday for Tucson, Arizona, where they will visit Billy Savell, who is in R.O.T.C. Camp there.

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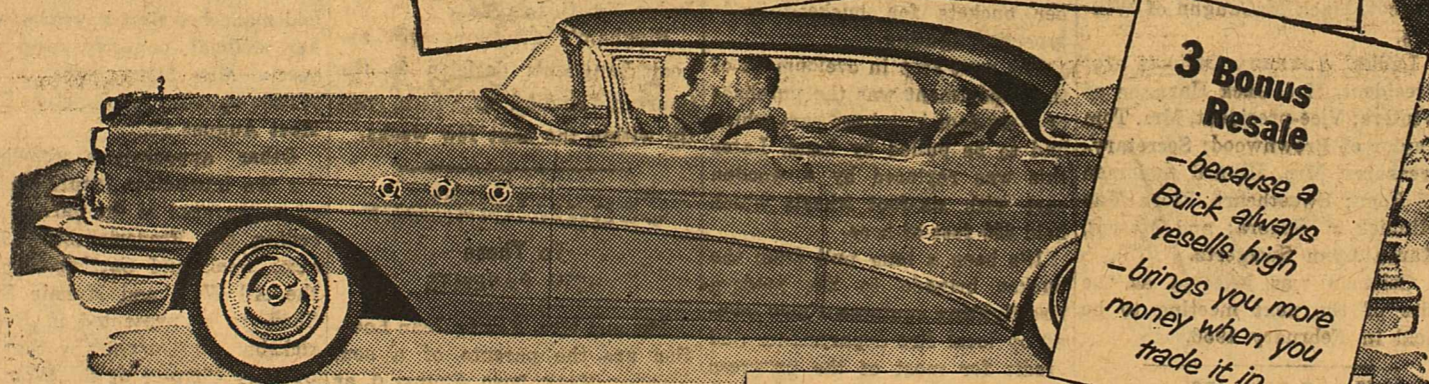
Mr. and Mrs. Miers Savell spent last weekend in Euclasio, New Mexico.

Bob Ray of Sherman and Jack Cook of Groesbeck, students at the A. & M. Adjunct in Junction, were the guests of Tyree Hardy last week.

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SS REPRESENTATIVE TO BE HERE AUGUST 15

Holly E. Rees, San Angelo Social Security Representative for the Sonora area will be in the County Judge's office, Friday August 19 at 9 a.m. to give personal service to claimants and other inquirers.

Many farmer's and rancher's

wives are applying for social security account numbers unnecessarily, Rees stated today.

Although self-employed farm operators are now covered by social security for the first time, ordinarily farm income will be credited to the social security account of the husband. This is true even though the farmer or

rancher and his wife file a joint income tax return. His wife should apply for a number only if she is a farm or ranch operator herself or is a legal partner of the operation of a farm or ranch.

Applications for social security numbers may be obtained from the Social Security Administration, San Angelo, Texas or any post office.

Shannon Ratliff, Jan Keng and Lennie Mayhew are attending the Student Council Workshop at Trinity University in San Antonio this week. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davis and boys are with them.

ANNELLA STITES MEMBER NATIONAL ANGUS ASSN.

Annella Stites, has been elected to membership in the American Aberdeen-Angus Breeders' Association at Chicago, announces Secretary Frank Richards.

Miss Stites was among the 43 purebred Aberdeen-Angus breeders from Texas elected to membership during the past month.

Mrs. Joe Bridge and children, Louis, Joe, Jr., and Katha Lee of Falurrias and Mrs. Hank Chambers and children of Seguin were the guests of Mrs. Theresa Friend last week.

When you buy a new car insist on Wool or Mohair upholstery.

Ask your grocer to order Lamb.

Soil Conservation District News

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

Supervisors of the Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District met Tuesday in their regular monthly meeting. The entire board, which includes Joe B. Ross, Fred T. Earwood, W. B. McMillan, Frank Bond and Edwin Sawyer, were present. Clinton Langford, County Agent and E. B. Keng, SCS, were also present.

Following a short business session the group inspected progress of their trial area on the Herbert Fields ranch, accompanied by Al Brown, Paul Turney, and Dick McMillan. The group saw buffelgrass, sideoats grama and blue-panic seeding, and the KR blue-stem is growing nicely. The few native plants on the pitted area have also made remarkable progress.

July rains, totaling 3.90 inches, germinated many seed which had not received sufficient moisture during May and June. These young plants will need additional moisture very soon to insure survival.

Wire diversion fences totaling 1,600 feet have been completed on the trial area. This practice is used to divert water out of small

draws and spread it over adjacent deep soil areas.

Two new Soil Conservation Service employees have been assigned to the Edwards Plateau SCD for several months training. Charles E. Shannon, Marfa, and Charles L. Davenport, McKinney, are both range management graduates of Texas A. & M. College. Following their training period they will be assigned to Soil Conservation Districts needing additional personnel.

July rains are producing an abundant seed crop of choice grasses along roadsides as well as in many pastures. Ranchmen who need seed to plant in old fields or on bare valley soils can profitably spend some time harvesting native grass seed along roads and in protected pastures. Particularly desirable grasses which will be maturing seed during the next two weeks include sideoats grama, cane and silver-bluestem, and green sprangletop.

Many bunches of blue panic have made their appearance on Highway 277 south of Sonora. From the city limits to about 15 miles south some 50 to 75 large

plants can be observed. The seed probably dropped off trucks hauling blue panic hay. The robust plants resemble Johnson grass but are darker green, with denser heads and smaller seed.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

"Light" Snack For Ducks

Coming back from Balesville the other night I noticed a powerful light at Whitey Fisher's Duck Farm. Seemed to be shining out over the water.

I stopped to ask Whitey what went on. He took me down to his pond and pointed out a 200-watt bulb—rigged up on a pole about three feet above the surface. The light was attracting thousands of insects for the ducks to eat.

Seemed kind of odd to me—but Whitey was enthusiastic. "Best idea I ever heard of," he claims. "Keeps the feed bill down—and

the bug population, too. Why do you suppose I never thought of it before?"

From where I sit, Whitey's the type who's always ready to pioneer a worth-while new trick. Me, I stick to old methods. Just a case of personal feeling, I guess... like the way you may prefer coffee with meals while I always prefer a traditional glass of beer. Not that I'd claim you're wrong—respect for the other man's opinion is my "guiding light."

Joe Marsh

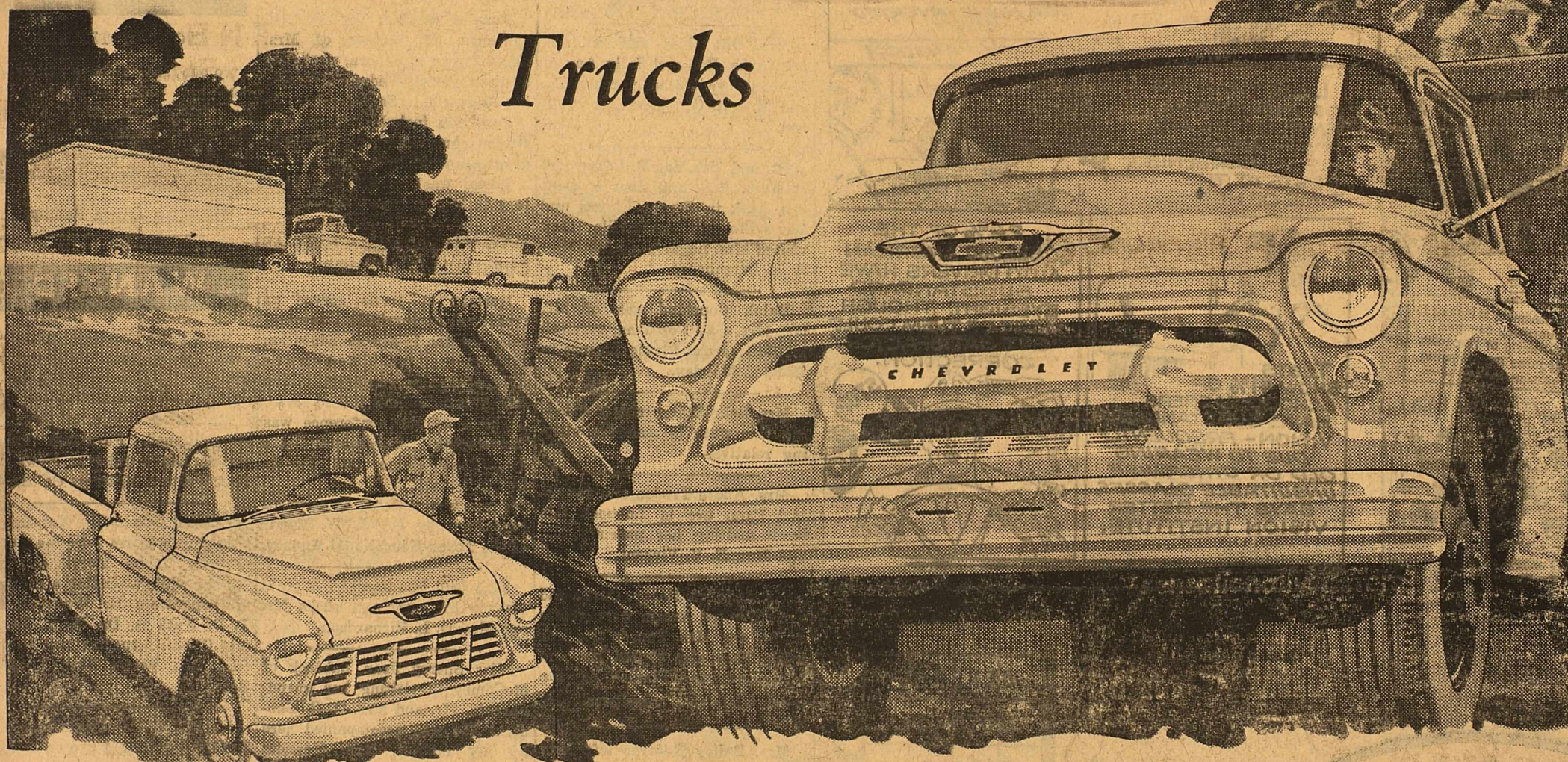
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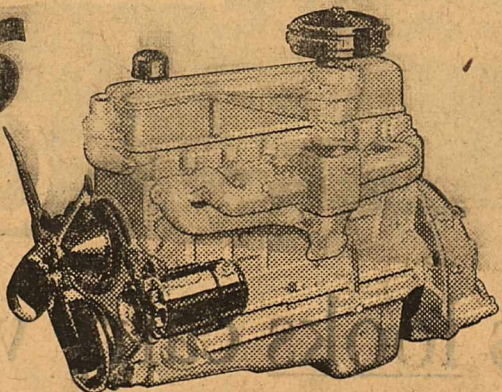
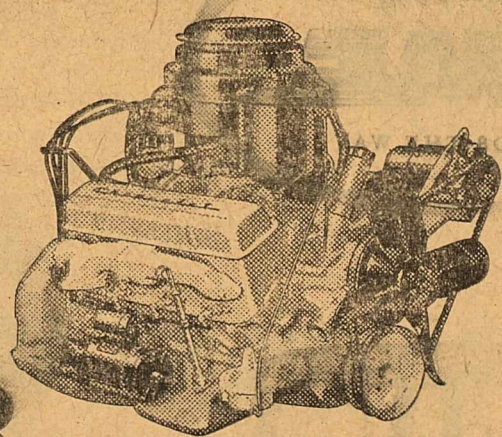
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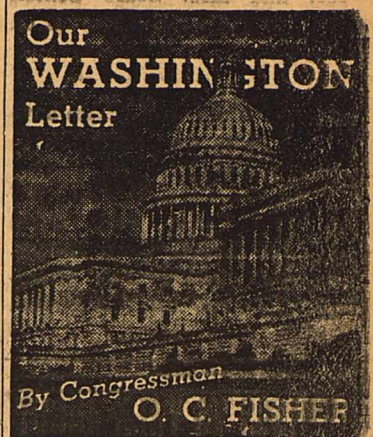
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THE FIRST SESSION of the 84th Congress, just concluded, was just about the mildest one I have witnessed during my 12 years in the House. While there have been clashes here and there, in the main the tempers have been restrained and things have gone along rather smoothly. But next year it will be different; with their eyes on the national conventions both parties will, if history repeats, be weighing the effect of their actions on the approaching campaign.

BEFORE CLOSING for the year, the House passed by a 6-vote margin the Gas Bill, designed to keep the sale of natural gas at the well competitive. If enacted into law, the measure will help restrain the hand of the Federal Government in local affairs and reduce concentration of power in Washington.

THIS BILL applies to gas that goes into pipe line for interstate shipments. Uncle Sam does not have, and up to now does not claim to have, the right to fix gas prices at the well-head if the gas is to be consumed inside the state where produced.

A YEAR AGO the Supreme Court suddenly and very unexpectedly ruled that the Federal Power Commission in Washington had the right to fix the price that a producer of gas can get for his product, if it is to be sent by the purchaser across the state lines.

Many people wonder if this power-grab trend is not checked if the price of crude oil at the well-head will not eventually come within the price-fixing range of the bureaucratic guns on the Potomac. And, since lumber is often an interstate product, when will Uncle Sam want to set the price the producer can get for his lumber at the stump?

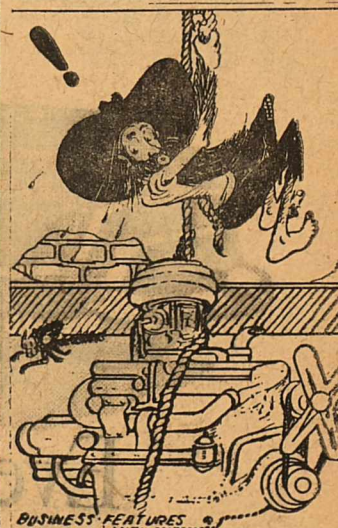
So, what the House did last week in passing the Gas bill was to stop that trend and draw the line against unbridled exercise of Federal controls over problems that are local and not national in scope. The Senate will not act until next year.

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Personal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Pfeister were in Sonora last week visiting his mother Mrs. Beulah Pfeister. Mr. and Mrs. Soars Sentell were in San Antonio last week on business. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hale have as their guest, his father, W. O. Hale of Alpine. Lenora, Vance and Gwen Luckie of Unice, New Mexico, have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Luckie, for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pepper, Jr., left Sunday for Dallas to attend the Grocer's Convention held at the Adolphus Hotel. They returned Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hamby and Mrs. Violet Morrow left Thursday to spend the weekend in Ruidoso, New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Moore had as their guest last week, Mrs. Moore's sister, Miss Mary Earl Foiley of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. John Hull and children of Houston were in Sonora last week visiting relatives.

Mickey and Vickey Nicholas are with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Nicholas and Mr. and Mrs. Granville Barker, while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Nicholas move from Alice to McAllen where he has employment with Baroid. Among those who attended the Miss Mohair Coronation at Kerrville were Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Nell, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bodhead, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Friess, Mrs. W. H. Dameron, Mrs. Dorothy, Baker, Mrs. L. A. Chastant, Miss Bertha Harris, Joe Brown Ross and Glen Hay. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt during the Fireman's Convention were Mr. and Mrs. Tuff Whitehead and Tuffy, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jarratt, J. T. and Lurene all of Del Rio, Mrs. Frank Roddie and Dian of Brady, Miss Carol Friend and Miss Ann Baggett of Ozona. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Neely left this week for a vacation in Oregon. They will visit Mrs. Neely's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wood in Portland. Neely is an employee of Lone Star Gas Co.

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CLASSIFIED RATES - Classified ads are three cents per word per insertion, payable before publication. No charge is made for cards of thanks pertaining to funerals. All other cards of thanks are fifty cents for the complete message for the insertion.

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Billy Savell Reports For Summer Training

Cadet Billy B. Savell of Sonora, reported July 25 to Davis-Monthan Air Force Base, at Tucson, Arizona, to begin a four weeks period of summer training with the Air Force Reserve Officers' Training Corps. During this period of active training, Cadet Savell will supplement, with an indoctrination in the wordy Air Force at this Strategic Air Command installation, his three years of academic training as a Reserve Air Force Officer at the Baylor University. Cadet Savell's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Miers Savell of Sonora. He is a member of the Taurus Society at the University.

Mrs. Bill Moss and children, Lu Nance, Bob and Sally Ann of McCamey visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Nance last weekend.

Dr. and Mrs. Joe B. Logan and children, Rick and Sharon spent last week in Corpus Christi and Batesville. In Batesville they visited Mrs. Logan's mother, Mrs. H. E. Ottenhouse.

Ralph Copeland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gay Copeland, received his Commercial Flying License in Midland Monday.

Mrs. Belle Kirkpatrick is spending this week in Amarillo visiting relatives.

Mrs. Andre Truden and daughter, Pam, are in Lubbock this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Vincent.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Curtis and son, Billy, of Austin were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Tom White last week. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Finklea on the ranch while they were here.

Mrs. Bailey Renfro left Monday for Kilgore where she will spend two weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Dean Loeffler.

BUY HORSES - Any kind and number. See Ottist Pridemore, Box 636, Ozona, Texas. Phone 28J. tfn 22.

FOR SALE - 17 foot chest-type deep freeze. Like new. Phone 6158 San Angelo. 2403 Webster. (C. A. Pigg) tfn 39.

FOR SALE - 1951 model, 26 foot Trailette trailer house. Phone 22221. 3 tc 44.

Details Write J. A. Ferguson, Route 3, Hico, Texas. 2 tc 42. FOR SALE - My two bedroom home on West First Street in Sonora. Phone 23222. 2 tp 43.

FOR SALE - '53 Ford Half-Ton pickup in good condition. Phone 22391. tfn 43.

FOR SALE - 4 Stack, 60-foot, Television Antenna. Phone 22391. tfn 43.

HOLD SERVICE SCHOOL IN SONORA TUESDAY

Paul McDowell of Dallas, factory service supervisor for Maytag Southwestern, conducted a service school for area Maytag dealers Tuesday. Headquarters for the school was the Sonora Gas Company.

Maytag servicemen attending were Clayton Hodges and Dick Smith of Menard; H. Ray Boyer and Larry Boyer of Eldorado; Virgil Mears of Rocksprings and R. G. Nance, Cleveland Nance, Joe Nance and Robert Wilson, Jr., of Sonora.

SAN ANGELO SERVICES HELD FOR MRS ENRIQUEZ

Funeral services for Mrs. R. Enriquez, 74, mother of Mrs. Louis Brown of Sonora, were held at eight o'clock Wednesday morning August 3, in San Angelo.

Survivors include Mrs. Brown, fifteen grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Catholic Cemetery in San Angelo.

NORMAN S. DAVIS SERVES AS CURRICULUM ADVISOR

Norman S. Davis served as consultant on curriculum development for the in-service education conference for teachers of home-making education held in Fort Worth August 10 and 11.

Theme of the conference was "Developing Curriculum to Strengthen Home and Family Living."

Davis was selected to serve as consultant by Dr. J. W. Edgar of the Texas Educational Agency.

Miss Gail Simon of Junction is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Richardson.

Miss Sherry Jean Babcock of McCamey is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Babcock. She was accompanied here by her mother, Mrs. Kenneth Babcock and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Eddleman.

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FOR SALE - Good heavy feed oats delivered in lots of 500 bushels to your barn. Clyde Thomas Seed and Feed Co., Phone 92116, Coleman, Texas. 3 tc 43.

LEGAL NOTICES

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: Milburn Glen Moore

GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 5th day of September, A. D., 1955, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Sutton County, Texas at the Court House in Sonora, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 25 days of July, 1955. The names of the parties in said suit are: Vera Pauline Sims Moore as Plaintiff, and Milburn Glen Moore as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Suit for divorce and restoration of name.

Issued this the 25th day of July, 1955. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Sonora, Texas, this the 25th day of July, A. D., 1955.

(SEAL) F. L. McKinney Clerk District Court, Sutton County, Texas. 4 tc 42.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NOTE OF THANKS

To our many friends and neighbors we wish to express our heartfelt gratitude for your many expressions of sympathy, the lovely flowers, and all other acts of kindness during our bereavement.

The Louis Brown Family.

WANTED

WANTED - Single man for ranch work. Box 186, Snyder, Texas. 1 tp 44.

Mattresses made to order or reconditioned. Furniture upholstered. Leave order at News Office. Western Mattress Co. tfn 44.

Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Warwick of Bluebonnet Farm were the guests of Miss Robbie Morris and her mother while attending a meeting of cooperators. Dr. Warwick, Dr. T. D. Watkins, Dr. W. T. Hardy and Oscar Carpenter met to discuss next year's Ram Progeny Test.

Mrs. D. V. Hambright and Miss Dudley Hambright are on a three week vacation to Temple, Fort Worth and other points in Texas.

News Want Ads Bring Results!

THINGS TO TALK ABOUT BY FRANKLIN J. MEINE Editor, American Peoples Encyclopedia. THE MALE TRIUMPHETER SWAM NEARLY EXTINGUISHED 50 YEARS AGO, NOW NUMBERS 622. BIOLOGISTS ESTIMATE A TOTAL OF 200 IS NECESSARY TO ASSURE SURVIVAL OF A SPECIES.

THINGS TO TALK ABOUT BY FRANKLIN J. MEINE Editor, American Peoples Encyclopedia. IN 1954, CONSTRUCTION WAS BEGUN ON MORE THAN A MILLION NONFARM DWELING UNITS IN THE UNITED STATES. THIS WAS THE SIXTH CONSECUTIVE YEAR THE MILLION MARK WAS EXCEEDED.

Seeing is Believing Can you name him? THIS 19TH CENTURY BRITISH POET HAD A NEARSIGHTED EYE AND A FARSIGHTED ONE. HE CLOSED THE FORMER WHEN WALKING, THE LATTER WHEN READING. SEE NAME INVERTED HERE ROBERT BROWNING

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Mr. and Mrs. Royce Regeon of Austin were in Sonora this week visiting their parents, Mrs. Eula Regeon and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Taylor.

Billy Wright Taylor of Denver City was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Taylor, this week. His next station will be in Inez, Texas.

Lamb is nutritious.

ROBERT KELLEY HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. R. V. Kelley honored her son, Robert, on his seventh birthday with a party at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. R. B. Kelley, Tuesday afternoon. Appropriate games were played and horns were given as favors. Cake, watermelon and cold drinks were served. Those attending were Bobby Driskell, Gary Hardgrave, Rick Logan, Chris Berger, Robert Brown, Bill Babb, Michael Wuest, Gil and Tim Allison, Bill Elliott, Mrs. Harry Pearson, Mrs. G. C. Allison and Mrs. Wilfred Berger.

JUST US CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. MAYFIELD

Mrs. Ed Mayfield entertained the Just Us Club at her home Monday afternoon. Finger sandwiches, punch and cake were served.

Mrs. C. A. Tyler won the high club score, Mrs. Collier Shurley won the high guest score and Mrs. Marion Elliott won the bingo prize. A gift was presented to Mrs. J. F. Howell, Jr., by the hostess.

Those attending were Mesdames Thomas Morriss, E. E. Sawyer, J. F. Howell, Sr., Paul Turney, Herbert Fields, Libb Wallace, Clayton Hamilton, Spot Friend, Tyler, J. F. Howell, Jr., Elliott and Shurley.

ART CLUB HAS CLASS IN TEXTILE PAINTING

Members of the Sonora Art Club met at the art room Thursday night with Mrs. Rayford Lee Hull as hostess.

Mrs. Louin Martin and Mrs. Lloyd McMullen conducted a course in textile painting.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to Mesdames J. T. Sellman, R. B. Kelley, Mike Owens, R. L. Lee, John A. Martin, Jr., John Eaton, Charlie Hull, R. M. McCarver, A. A. Cowser, Louin Martin, Lloyd McMullen and Rayford Lee Hull.

CLUB THIRTEEN MEETS WITH MRS. SAM LOGAN

Mrs. Sam Logan was hostess to Club 13 at her ranch home last week.

Mixed summer flowers were used for decorations and a sandwich and desert plate was served.

Mrs. Harold Scherz won the high club score, Mrs. Joe B. Logan won the high guest score, Mrs. R. W. Wallace won the slam prize and Mrs. Gene Wallace won the bingo prize. Other who attended were Mesdames J. W. Neville, Carl Cahill, Leroy Whitworth, A. E. Lowe, Sid Rogge, Andre Truden and Ed Grobe.

MRS. WARD HOSTESS TO WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Rip Ward entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club at her home last week.

Arrangements of purple dahlias decorated the party rooms. A sandwich and desert plate was served.

Mrs. Marion Elliott won the high club score, Mrs. Lea Allison won the high guest score, Mrs. Louie Trainer and Mrs. E. B. Keng won bingo prizes.

Other who attended were Mesdames Edwin Sawyer, Web Elliott, Henry Greenhill, R. V. Kelley, Hillman Brown, Edgar Shurley, Dewitt Lancaster, Robert Pfleger, John Ward, A. E. Lowe, Lee Fawcett and Norman Davis.

MISS ALLEY HONORED WITH BARBECUE SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Finklea, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Halbert and Bud, Miss Jane Neill and Miss Jo McClelland entertained with a barbecue supper at the Halbert ranch home Thursday evening, honoring Miss Ethel Alley.

The honoree was presented with a gift from the hosts. Approximately 40 guests attended.

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MRS. STITES HOSTESS TO THURSDAY BRIDGE

Mrs. C. E. Stites was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club at her home last week.

The party rooms were decorated with arrangements of summer flowers and a salad and desert plate was served.

Mrs. Rose Thorp won the high club score, Mrs. H. V. Morris won the high guest score and Mrs. Joe Berger won the consolation prize. Others who attended were Mesdames J. W. Trainer, Tom Sandherr, Lee Labenske, Nellie Allen, Auther Simmons, O. G. Babcock, Karen Peterson, Theresa Friend and R. B. Kelley.

MRS. WARD HOSTESS TO IDLE HOUR CLUB

Mrs. Rip Ward was hostess to the Idle Hour Bridge Club at her ranch home Tuesday afternoon.

The party rooms were decorated with arrangements of fall flowers. Tiered sandwiches, cake and drinks were served.

Mrs. J. F. Howell, Sr., won the high club score, Mrs. E. S. Mayer won second high score, Mrs. S. M. Kerbow won the high guest score and Mrs. Leo Merrill won the bingo prize.

Attending were Mesdames Sterling Baker, Joe Brown Ross, Ella Wallace, Ben Cusenbary, E. B. Keng, Tom Ratliff, L. E. Johnson, Sr., Harold Friess, Howell, Mayer, Kerbow and Merrill.

JOHN ROBERT POWERS TO SELECT ELEVEN "MISS WOOL" FINALISTS

A picture parade of 41 of Texas' most beautiful girls, all aspiring for the crown of Miss Wool for 1955-56, was on the way this week to John Robert Powers studios of New York City, Russell Willis, manager of the San Angelo board of city development, announced.

From among the pictures, eleven will be selected by the internationally-known authority on feminine beauty as finalists in the Miss Wool contest, Willis said.

Final selection for the Miss Wool title will be made by a committee of Texas judges during Wool Fiesta Week in San Angelo, August 31-September 3. Coronation ceremonies, September 2, will climax Wool Fiesta Week, sponsored annually by the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, its Woman's Auxiliary and the San Angelo Board of City Development.

A \$4,000 all-wool wardrobe by designers from coast to coast awaits Miss Wool as queen of the wool industry. The list which looks like "Who's Who" in U.S. fashion, include Handmacher, New York; Adele Simpson, New York; Ted Stein, Chicago; A. Goodman, New York; David Chrystal, New York; Nelly Don, Kansas City; Arthur Weiss, Chicago; Lang-Kohn, St. Louis; Junior Sophisticates, New York; Arnold Fox, New York; Dee Dee Johnson, California; Nardis, Dallas; Mar-

RANCHERO DANCE CLUB MEETS FRIDAY EVENING

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Renfro and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Taylor were hosts to the Ranchero Club with a covered dish supper and dance at the Episcopal Parish house last week.

Cullen Luttrell did the calling for square dancing. Approximately sixty members and guests attended.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Sarah McKee and daughter, Mattie, Harvey Warrington, Charles Williams and Jerry Glynn Wright of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Denman, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers of Junction.

LUNCHEON CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. SCHWIENING

Mrs. Harold Schwiening was hostess to the Thursday Luncheon Club at the Woman's Club building this week.

Arrangements of mixed summer flowers were used as decorations.

Mrs. Clifford McBride won the high club score, Mrs. Lea Allison won second high score and Mrs. Seaton Prentice of Junction won high guest score. Mrs. Gay Copeland won the slam prize and Mrs. R. C. Vickers won the bingo prize. Attending were the above mentioned and Mesdames Louie Trainer, Edwin Sawyer, Charles F. Browne, Web Elliott, Lee Fawcett, W. B. McMillan, and G. H. Neill.

CHURCH OF CHRIST TO BEGIN MEETINGS AUGUST 14

Beginning Sunday August 14, Evangelist Homer A. Gay of Lebanon, Missouri will be guest speaker in a series of gospel meetings which he will conduct for the South Side Church of Christ.

Mr. Gay is a widely known evangelist, having preached in the majority of the 48 states.

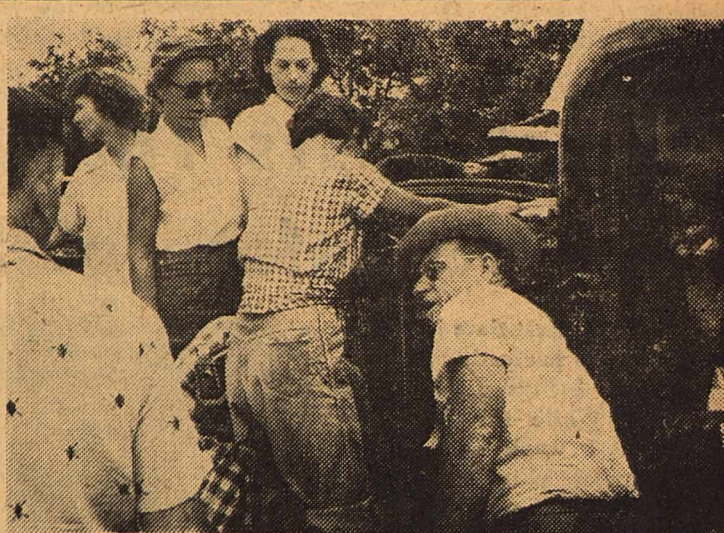
Services will be held each evening at eight o'clock and Sunday morning services will begin at ten thirty.

Everyone is invited to attend and hear this outstanding speaker.

John Stanley Hamby and Ernest Carroll Stephen returned Sunday from a two weeks vacation in Wyoming. They spent several days at Duke Wilson's hunting lodge near Meeteetse, Wyoming and made a tour of Yellowstone National Park.

Jewelry for Miss Wool will be supplied by the Kramer Company of New York; and shoes will be by I. Miller.

From her regal beginning during Wool Fiesta Week in San Angelo, Miss Wool will tour the fashion centers of the country as good will ambassador for the wool industry.



Pictured above is Chief Lee Patrick instructing captains of the four women teams represented at H.C.F.A. Convention. Photo By Boyd Lovelace

Lt. Col Harry J. Walter, USAR, will leave Sunday, August 14, for a two week tour of active duty with Hqs. 4th Army at Fort Sam Houston. Lt. Col Walter has a mobilization assignment in the Salvage Section, Quartermaster Division, G4, Hqs. 4th Army.

Mrs. Walter and their son Harry III will spend a few days in San Antonio while Lt. Col Walter is on active duty.

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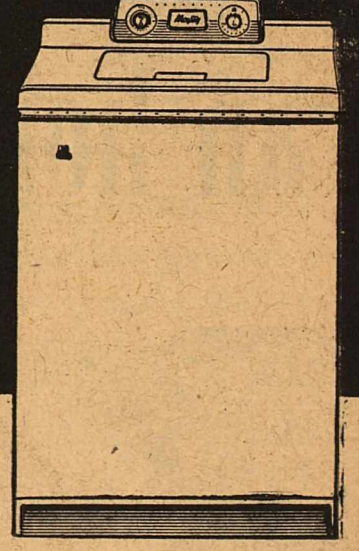
Mrs. Rena Trainer has a number of her children and grandchildren with her this week. They include Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Trainer and sons, C. L., Keith, and Johnie, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Trainer and sons, Bill, Jack, Tom and Gene all of La Porte and Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGuire and daughters, Sharon and Vicki of Pasadena.

Bob Kelley and Clarence Valiant were in Mason last week on business.

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Choice Sirloin
Steak - lb. **69c**

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Coffee 2 lbs. **\$1.49**

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Brooms **20% Discount**

Sun Spun
Oleo - lb. **19c**

Bright & Early Tea
¼ lb. wit hglass **29c**

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Tissue - Each **10c**

Aunt Jemima
Flour - 10 lbs. **63c**

Fresh Vegetables

Seedless Grapes
lb. **19c**

Tomatoes - lb. **19c**

Lettuce - lb. **14c**

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MAKING POETRY OUT OF HARD KNOCKS

By W. H. Marshall
Isaac Watts, eighteenth-century hymn writer and poet, had a habit of rhyming. His father grew weary of the practice, and set out to punish him, which made young Isaac cry out.
"Pray, father, on me mercy take,

And I will no more verses make."

Thomas Merton said, "If you want to understand the social and political history of modern nations, study hell." Well, has a point there. We feel that way sometimes about life. But a lot of the hard knocks of life we make for ourselves. For instance, take your temper. Why does one

fly off the handle and say a lot of mean, untrue things about another person and then later wake up to find that you don't have the friends you once had? Oh, people will treat you nice, but love and believe in you, NO.

But we don't always act like that. Our hard knocks don't always come as a result of our foolishness and fool way of talk-

ing and living. They come some times like the storm after the calm. The point is not so much why they come, we all know they come, but how can, and how do we handle them? That is the 64 dollar question.

In the first place, we don't handle our hard knocks by running away from life. If we have the good sense of moving close

to what life is trying to teach us, AND there wait with patience, we learn to put our hard knocks into the form of poetry.

No man has a right to expect to go along through life and not receive his share of hard knocks, and to be misunderstood, and talked about. But again, hard knocks give us the opportunity to show of what substance we are made. Remember this, you don't have to measure up to the standard your critic has set for you. The only thing you must do is to do your best through the encouragement of those who believe in you and encourage you. Those who are your friends in spite of yourself. It was out of this sort of spirit and love that Jesus said, "I have called you friends." Jesus knew it was easier to throw mud on a wall than to paint it white.

Knocks can be like music. They can sweeten your spirit and make repentant you heart. So, if you are partly the child of hard knocks, remember your heritage, and that Jesus would have you return good for evil. Paint your neighbor's wall white, and he will look white, act white, and be white. It is always dirty business to throw mud.

HOSPITAL NOTES

For week ending August 8
ADMISSIONS
Mrs. Gregoria Valadez, Eldorado
George S. Schwiening
Alfred Neill
Mrs. Edna Cunningham
Francisco Hernandez
Mrs. Emma Campbell, Eldorado
Miss Delia Flores
Alfred Sykes
Mrs. Barbara Pharis
John Reiley
Lillian Schwiening
Lucile Lopez
Henry Mittel, Eldorado
Gary McCauley
W. A. Miers
Mrs. Evelyne Potmesil
Mrs. Geronima Sanchez
Jack Clark, Eldorado

DISMISSALS

Mrs. Margaret Alford
Mrs. Wilma Ludecke
Mrs. Lillian Lambert
Mrs. Juanita McCoy
Mrs. Yolanda Flores
John Reiley
Mrs. Ellen Lowrey
Edwardo Riveria
Joe Andrews
Mrs. Joyce Whitten
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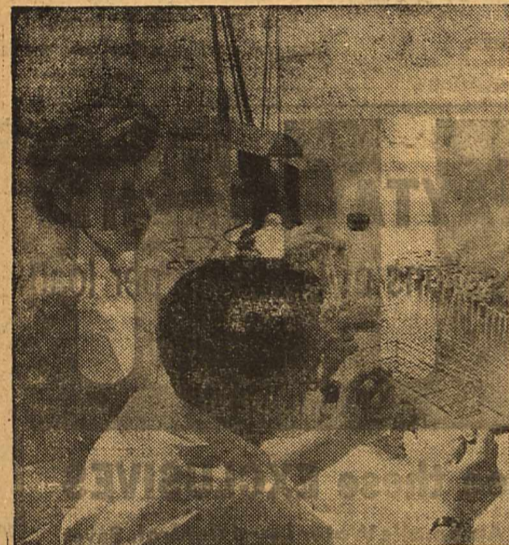
For the first time in history, a vaccine is protecting millions of human beings from paralytic polio. While the Salk vaccine will not work in every case, American children are being safeguarded against the dread disease, with no more risk than they would take in a vaccination against smallpox or a typhoid shot. The Salk vaccine must pass elaborate tests under the watchful eye of a government inspector at every stage of production. Then the final packaged vaccine is approved by the U.S. Public Health Service for distribution. Here are shown a few of the steps that assure American parents their children are being given a safe vaccine.



This technician is filtering dead cells and all other foreign matter from polio virus after it has grown on animal tissue in glass containers.



Virus is "cooked" in tank with formaldehyde (from bottle) until it is rendered harmless, after which it must pass exacting safety tests.



Animal tissue in tubes is inoculated with vaccine and set stand. If any live virus remains, it will multiply here, hence can be detected.



This expert is examining tissue after contact with vaccine, to determine absence of live virus.



It's all over and it didn't hurt a bit! Salk vaccine makes this little girl safer now from paralytic polio. And her parents feel better too!

HAPPY-BIRTHDAY

- Friday, August 12, Betty Neill Merck, J. F. Hamby
 - Saturday, August 13, Nadine Hill
 - Sunday, August 14, Carl Merck, Joe Thomas Friess, Vicki Merrilyn Lindley
 - Monday, August 15, T. L. Harrison, Mrs. Alvin Holmig, Dearl Lee Beard
 - Tuesday, August 16, Mrs. Jake Merck, Louis Davis, Bill Ratliff
 - Wednesday, August 17, Vernon Marion, Andrew Moore, James Taylor Allott
 - Thursday, August 18, Mrs. Ervin Willman
- Leo Merrill has returned from College Station where he attended Conservation Workshop.

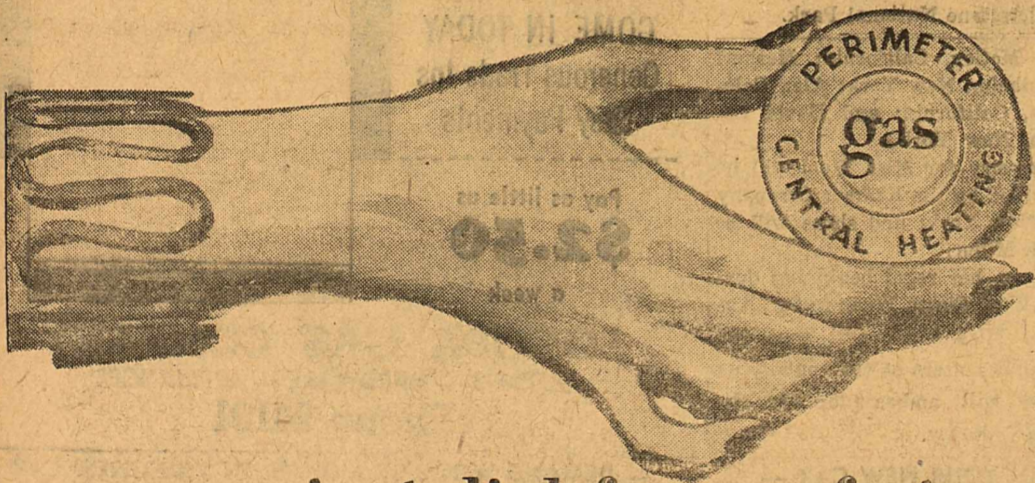
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Charlie Adams returned from San Angelo Tuesday where he had been advertising his show.

C. B. Wardlaw and wife, after a few days visit with Mr. Wardlaw's parents at Ballinger, are seeing the Cotton Place in Galveston.

Mrs. Claud Stites of Owenville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Allison Wednesday.

Misses Jessie Smith and Lucille Grimland left Friday for Rockport, Miss., on a visit to relatives of Miss Smith.

Mrs. E. S. Briant left for a visit to Los Angeles Monday. Miss Myrtle preceded her and they will return in the fall by the northern route.

Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken and sons left on a pleasure trip to Galveston Tuesday. Mr. Vander Stucken accompanied them as far as San Angelo.

Sim Glasscock was in Sonora this week visiting friends and relatives.

Gussie Caruthers, who is working for Hige Smith in Juno country, was a pleasant caller at the News office Thursday.

Fred Grimland and Russel Martin are in Galveston but their tickets will not allow them to take in all the sights.

Mrs. G. W. Muster, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. A. Stephenson, for some time, left for her home in Houston Monday.

G. C. Earwood, who ranches down on Devil's River, was a business visitor in Sonora Tuesday.

Will Hutcherson, manager of the McKnight ranch, was in Sonora Thursday with the Bradley boys and Jones of Brady.

B. B. Dunbar and Tom Sand-

Johnson delivered them to the 09 Ranch this week.

Mrs. B. C. Ridley and son, Alton, of Center Point, are visiting relatives in Sonora. Mrs. Ridley is a sister of J. J. North.

Alfred Vander Stucken, of Kenny County, bought 2,000 mutton goats from J. T. Evans of Fort Terrett at \$2.40 per head.

P. M. Shannon of Pittsburg and Buffalo was in Sonora Monday. Mr. Shannon is interested in the oil field development of Sonora country and stated that in all the wells drilled by his company indication of oil had been found but as to further prospecting, he volunteered no information.

Jack Bradford, one of the old time McKavett and Menard stockmen, passed through Sonora Friday with about 2,000 sheep. The sheep belong to Ed Mears of Menard, who has leased the lower Mayer pasture.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Bennett and son, Scotty, of Odessa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Bennett during the weekend. They and Robert Smith spent Sunday on Devil's Lake visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. O. McCallum.

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herr were in town Tuesday. Mr. Dunbar left for Galveston and Tom returned to the ranch with supplies.

Sheriff J. S. Allison returned from Fort Worth Tuesday where he had been attending a Sheriff's convention.

L. J. Wardlaw and family arrived home Tuesday after spending a few days in Ballinger with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Savell and children and Mrs. Victoria Miers are visiting in the Del Rio country this week. Mrs. Miers will visit at Corpus Christi before returning to Sonora.

Miss Cora Rountree, who has been visiting her brother Payne, in Del Rio, arrived in Sonora Friday.

Mrs. M. M. Parkerson and Mrs. Stella Stanley left for Galveston Monday, where Mrs. Stanley expects to have medical treatment.

Judge Whitten, Carl McWhorter and J. S. Pelt, prominent citizens of Eldorado, were in Sonora this week.

R. L. and J. W. Gray of Gail, Texas, were in Sonora this week buying cattle. They bought 250 cows and calves from Joe Ross and 350 cows and calves from D. B. Cusenbary at \$35 for a cow and calf.

W. F. Luckie, who ranches in the eastern part of Sutton County, was a visitor in Sonora Wednesday.

Frank Graham has moved his family to the Lewenthal residence.

Mrs. J. W. Mayfield and Mrs. J. E. Grimland returned from a visit to their brother, Joe Wallace, at Barksdale, Saturday.

Tom Holland, one of the popular grocery clerks with Vander Stucken Co., is in Galveston seeing the sights.

L. L. Farr, administrator of the Jackson estate, sold to Julius Thompson of San Angelo, 65 stock horses and 36 saddle horses, 20 colts thrown in, at \$41. Lem

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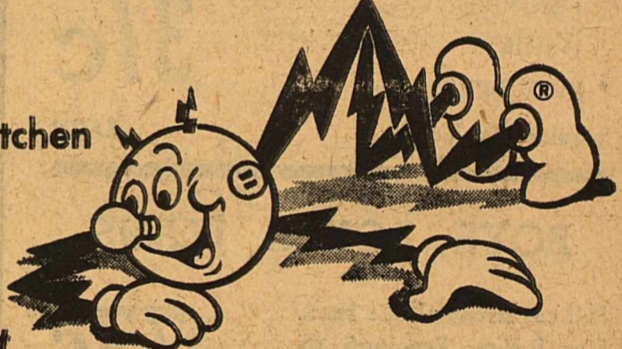
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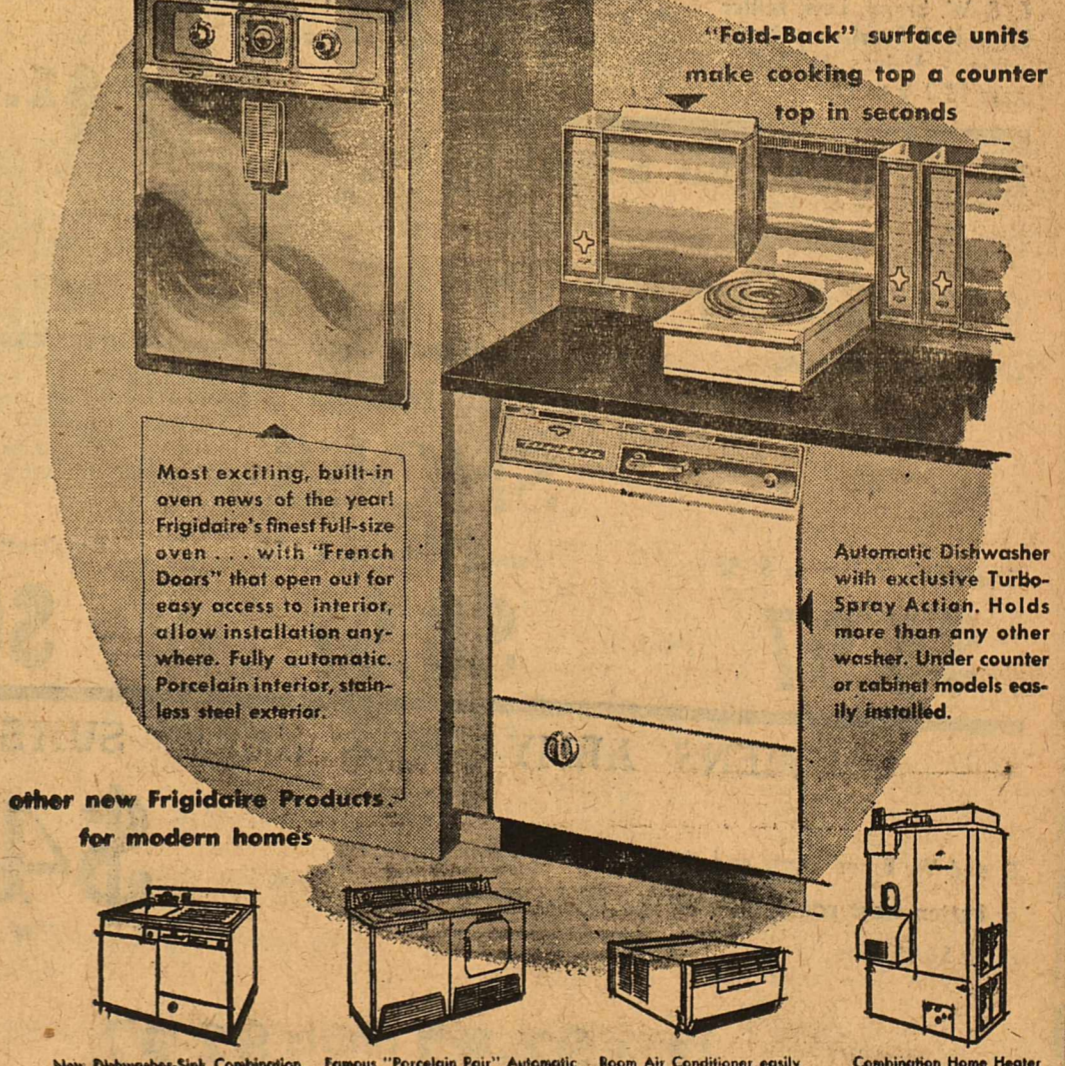
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Mrs. Pearl Crites has returned from a week's visit to her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Crites in Brownsfield. She also spent a few days in Lubbock.

Exchanging News

A total of 2.99 inches of rain was recorded in Rocksprings in July at the CPL rain gauge. The rain fell as follows: July 15th, .60; July 18th, 1.60; July 19th, .64; July 23rd, .10; and July 26th, .05.

August was ushered in with .02 precipitation falling Monday morning. Scattered clouds looked encouraging to the ranchmen. The canyon received a good rain Sunday afternoon. -The Texas Mohair Weekly.

Antonio Acosta, accompanied by Ruben Hernandez, entered the normally dry Cibolo Creek on the FM-170 crossing, late Wednesday night of last week, and met a wall of flood water from the northern reaches of the creek, which washed the sedan, in which they were riding, about fifty yards down the creek-bed.

They were returning, past midnight, from Utopia, a Presidio suburb on the north, when they met the onrushing waters about midway of the creek. The water flooded their car to floor level but they remained inside until the creek waters subsided. -Big Bend Sentinel.

A new city ordinance published in this newspaper endorses speed zones recommended by the Highway Department on state roads

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through Robert Lee. New signs have been put up reducing speed from 50 to 40 and then 30 miles per hour through the city. Local residents are happy over the situation and want to see the new speed limits enforced. -The Robert Lee Observer.

An appeal is being made to the citizens of Big Lake to assist the members of the Bethlehem Baptist Church in restoring their place of worship which was blown off its foundation and damaged by a recent windstorm to the extent it will be necessary to tear it down and rebuild the structure. It has been estimated that it will require \$3,500 to restore the building which was erected about five years ago and had no insurance coverage. There are about 30 members, and their pastor is Rev. W. H. Hicks, who serves on a half-time basis. -Big Lake Wildcat.

According to figures recently released, more than 90,000 acres of rangeland is now being deferred in the Menard County Soil Conservation district. "More than this is being deferred, but this is all we know definitely about at present," say Soil Conservation service technicians who assist the district at Menard. -Menard News.

In a mop-up operation last week, some 25 additional Salk polio vaccine shots were administered by Dr. H. B. Tandy, county health officer, making a total of around 140 first and second grade children who received the second or booster shot of the vaccine after receiving the initial shot in May.

A total of approximately 180 children received the first shots. Dr. Tandy was still holding the balance of the Salk vaccine yesterday in the hope that more children would report for the free shots before it became necessary to return the unused portion to the State Health Department. -Ozona Stockman.

From the Reynolds community yesterday came news that Leonard Lloyd's irrigation well was back in operation with more production than ever after having been shut down for several weeks for expensive repairs.

About the middle of June Mr. Lloyd brought in a water well from a depth of 580 feet with production of about 300 gallons

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10:00 A. M.
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Weekly Worship
Morning Prayer, 8:00 A. M.
Wednesday - Holy Communion
10:00 A. M.

per minute. After several weeks' operation the pump impellers were ruined due to the presence of fine sand in the water. Yesterday noon the well was producing at a rate up to 575 gallons per minute-about twice its former volume. The well is irrigating 42 acres of cotton.

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS FROM VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

Q - A friend of mine, on VA's pension rolls, is entitled to an additional amount of money because he is so helpless that he requires constant aid and attention. Will he receive his additional allowance even though his mother provides this aid?

A - Yes. He may receive the additional allowance even though a member of his family provides the necessary services. It is not necessary for him to hire an attendant in order to qualify for the payments.

Q - I understand that if a veteran breaks two appointments for VA outpatient medical treatment, he will not be entitled to further treatment. I broke two appointments, but each time I gave VA at least two days' notice. Will I be barred from further treatment?

A - Since you gave VA at least 24 hours' advance notice, you will not be barred from further treatment. The bar applies only when veterans break appointments without prior notice, and with good reason for doing so.

Q - I am going to school less than half time under the Korean GI Bill. At what rate am I using up my GI training entitlement?

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Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday-
Bible Study 7:30 p.m.
Thursday-
Ladies' Bible Class 7:30 p.m.

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for a year, you will have used up one-quarter of a year's entitlement, or three months.

Q - I applied for disability compensation a couple of years ago. VA asked me to report for a physical examination, but I never showed up. I let the entire matter drop. Now I would like to follow through. What should I do?

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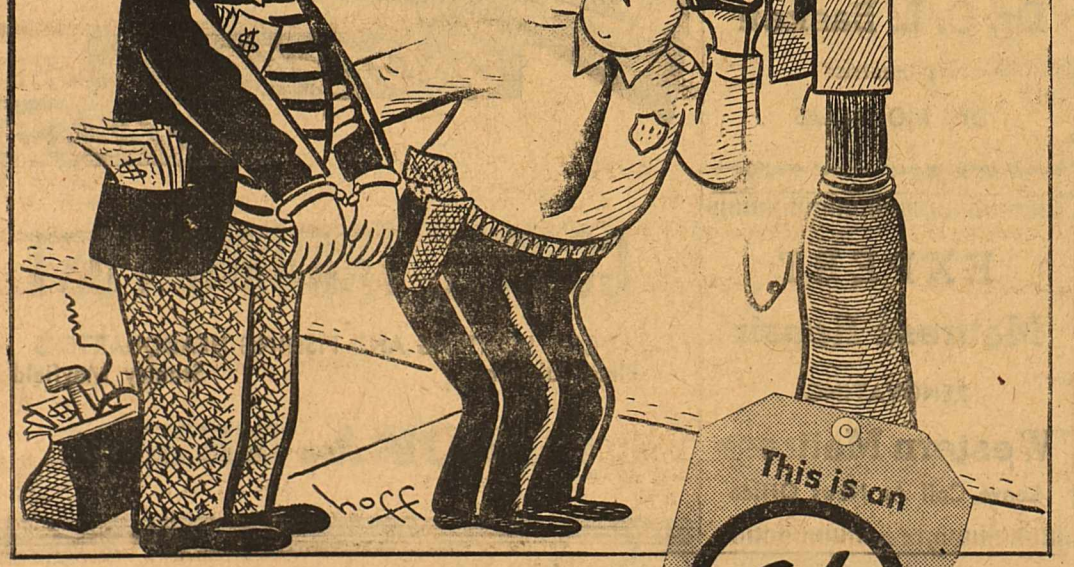
REAL ESTATE
SEE US FOR CITY PROPERTY
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Every kind of protection known to Standard insurance Companies
RANCH LOANS
THE BIGGER THE BETTER
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ELLIOTT BROTHERS CO

POSTED!
No Hunting
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Aldwell Brothers

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TERMS TO SUIT
3 Years To Pay
Foxworth Galbraith Lumber Co.

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FULLY INSURED
All Work Guaranteed
WESLEY C. YOUNG
Call 24661, Sonora, Texas

SMITTY'S WELDING SHOP
EXPERT WELDING
Anything - Anytime - Anywhere
OIL FIELD WELDING RADIATORS REPAIRED
DIAL 24681
Lawn Mower Repair



The popularity of OK Used Cars is growing by leaps and bounds among all kinds of buyers! It's no wonder when you see that the OK symbol means not only a thoroughly inspected and reconditioned car-but one carrying the dealer's written warranty!

Sold only by an Authorized Chevrolet Dealer

DICK McCAULEY CHEVROLET CO.
"SEE DICK! TRADE QUICK!"
Phone 2-1461 SONORA, TEXAS

The SUMMERPROOF part of Mobil-Care Checks Your Car from Hood to Spare These four steps stretch it's life span And they're done right by your Mobil-Man!

FRESH MOBILOIL for engine protection
MOBILUBRICATION for chassis and gears
RADIATOR SERVICE to put the cooling system in shape for summer
TIRES and other accessories get inspection and service

Mobilgas

BILL SMITH'S STATION

WANT MORE LOW-COST EGGS?

MICRO-MIXED PURINA LAYING CHOWS

Lay the base for top egg production next fall by getting started on a sound Purina Laying Chow Program. All over the county thousands of poultrymen are telling us about the good results they had on the Purina plan because it exactly fitted their needs. Why not stop in and talk it over with us. Whether you are feeding all mash or mash and scratch, we can show you a program built for more eggs at lower cost than most poultrymen can get on standard rations.

Sonora
Feed & Supply
AT THE STORE WITH THE CHECKERBOARD SIGN

Sonora Drug Co.
Says ...
In Summer..Take Extra Care of Skin and Hair



PRESCRIPTIONS
FILLED ACCURATELY
BY EXPERTS

THE MAIN PART OF OUR BUSINESS

25-Hour Prescription Service
Day Phone 23301 - Night Phone 23331

Make Your Next Suit Mohair

RANCH NEWS

The annual beef cattle short course is to be held at College Station on August 16, 17 and 18. The program will start at nine o'clock Tuesday, August 16, at Memorial Student Center.

Subject matter to be discussed will be: Breeding for performance; marketing; range and pasture management; feeding and ranch management.

This will be a packed three day and two night session. Prominent cattlemen, breed representatives, ranch managers and A. & M. staff members will appear on the program.

There will be a registration fee of \$5.00 for the three-day course.

Anyone interested in attending, contact County Agent D. C. Langford for full details.

The Texas A. & M. College Extension Service advises farmers and ranchers to have soil samples analyzed before planting fall grains, legumes and winter pastures. Soil analyses can help increase yields by pointing out soil deficiencies and recommending any practices or fertilizers which may be needed.

County Agent D. C. Langford can furnish directions for taking soil samples and forms for mailing to the laboratory.

Prompt diagnosis and treatment of pinkeye is important in order to avoid losses in livestock.

Pinkeye, an infectious disease, spreads rapidly, flies and gnats being instrumental in its progress from animal to animal or herd to herd.

Irritation from dust, pollen or a foreign body in the eye sets the stage for development of infection. A watery discharge from the eye is the first symptom, followed by swelling and redness of the eye.

Today there are far more ef-

BASEBALL

Anonymous

We went out to the ballpark just to see

The players of our Sonora Little League.

We will just have to admit they are ball players every bit.

I've never seen in all my days So much sportmanship on display.

They holler and kick high up their heels,

And get up steam and show lots of zeal.

When either team was up to the bat

You'll all agree we must take off our hats,

To those swell kids, our pride and joy

They swing those bats just like real boys.

'Oh' watch him on first While I think of a verse,

The words to describe what I over heard

The words exchanged as he slid in the dirt.

The umpire looked over and was about

To call to our star player 'you out',

When from the grand stand there came such a roar

He thought he'd check again, and then some more.

It was a great decision to make

We all held our breath, ready to take,

Up all the points and argue some more,

We really needed a run to help the score.

The bases were all loaded

And we were all gloating, Hoping for a home run 'er'

And not just a bunt 'er', And over the home plate

The ball came straight, Oh boy! Oh boy- a hit high and wide

Efficient methods of treatment than a few years ago, as well as better antiseptics and the newer

drugs to do a successful job of clearing up pinkeye.

Clear over the fence and down the side.

Our team really scored And then whats more,

We were really a winning But that was just the first inning.

It was a great game to the end And even if our team didn't win,

Tomorrow we will try it again And no doubt in our mind 'we'll win'.

We went downtown to get us a drink

And hash over again all the things

We could have done to help the score

But tomorrow we will try some more.

To be on the winning team

But in the end it all way seems,

That good sportmanship is such a nice trait.

That make the 'Little League' really great.

Miss Marie Roepeke of Thornedale visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Carpenter this week.

Guests in the home of Mrs. H. V. Morris this week were her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Morris of Mertzon, and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Whitley and Jeff of San Angelo.

Eagle Drive-in
Eldorado, Texas

OPENING TIME 7:30 P. M.
—Modern Concession Stand—

Wed. - Thurs. - Fri.
August 10, 11, 12,
Strange Lady In Town

Greer Garson - Dana Andrews

Saturday
August 13,
Riders Of The Purple Sage
George Montgomery

Sunday - Monday
August 14, 15,
Bad Day At Black Rock

Spencer Tracy - Robert Ryan

Tues. - Wed.
August 16, 17,
Camille
Robert Taylor

Thursday - Friday
August 18, 19,
Untamed

Tyrone Power - Susan Hayward

EYES EXAMINED
GLASSES FITTED

Dr. C. L. Baskett

Optometrist

DEL RIO, TEXAS

EXPERT

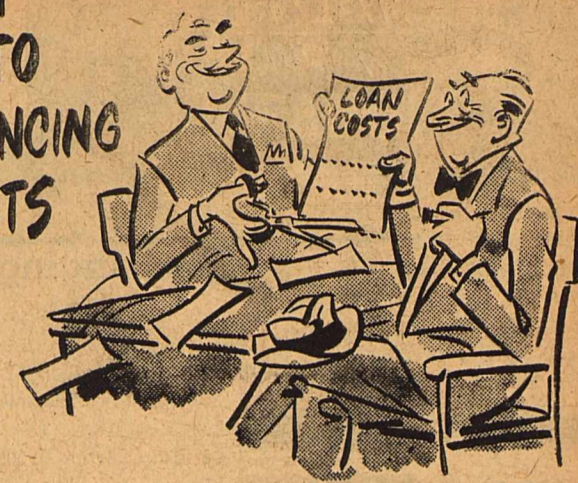
Mattress Repair

RENOVATING

Western Mattress

Leave Call At News Office

CUT
AUTO
FINANCING
COSTS



with a

BANK AUTO LOAN!

There are no "extra" charges to pay when you choose our low-cost plan. Why not investigate now?



First National Bank

Serving Sutton County Over 54 Years

Make Your Next Suit Wool



AS THE OPENING OF dove season approaches, many of you are considering the purchase of a new bird gun.

The Corral Trading Post, operating under a Federal Firearms License, is your dealer for all kinds of firearms. Let us advise you which gun will best suit your needs. We will accept your old gun as a trade in and finance your new one.

Bring in your rifle for free scope adjustment or zero work, and come by and get your free targets.

We carry the most complete line of sporting goods in this area, and are dealers for Johnson Outboard Motors. We will take in your old motor and finance your new one.



CORRAL TRADING POST

YOUR HUNTING AND FISHING HEADQUARTERS
Elmo Johnson Stanley Mayfield

SONORA, TEXAS

PIGGLY WIGGLY

Friday, August 12, Saturday, August 13,

Phone 22261

Quality - Service - Low Prices

Margarine Kimbell's - lb. **19c**

LIGHT CRUST Flour - 5 lb. Box	49c	GOOD LUCK Green Beans 2 No. 303 cans	25c
VEGETOLE Shortening - 3 lbs.	59c	RED SEAL Luncheon Meat - 12 oz. can	39c
MISSION Peas - No. 303 Can	15c	RED SEAL Vienna Sausage - Can	15c

Milk Gandy's - 1/2 Gallon **45c**

Tide - Cheer -large box	29c	DOLE Pineapple Pie Filling, no 2 can	39c
Clorax - Quart	19c	80 COUNT Napkins - 2 Boxes	25c

Hamburger Fresh Ground - 2 lbs. **49c**

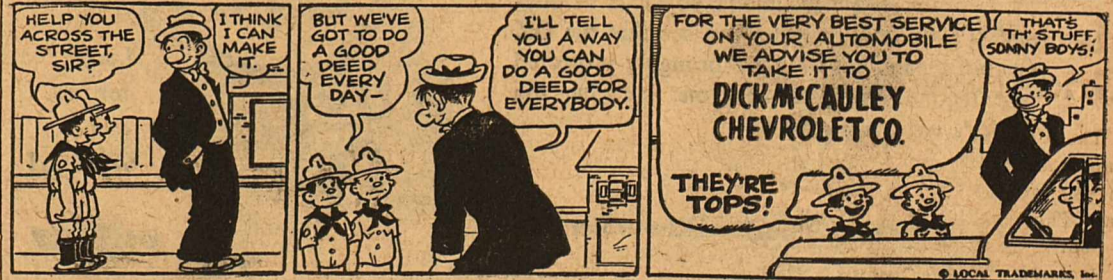
FINE PRODUCE

Yellow Squach - lb.	5c
Pecos Cantaloupes - lb.	9c
Cabbage - firm - lb.	4c
Grapes - seedless - lb.	19c
Tomatoes - No. 1. Calif. -	19c
Plums - Peaches - Melons	

CHOICE MEATS

Round Steak - baby beef lb.	69c
Chuck Steak - baby beef lb.	39c
Sirloin Steak - baby beef lb.	59c
Club Steak - baby beef lb.	49c
Bacon - Wilson's - lb.	45c
Hens - Fryers - Barbecue	

SPEEDY 64 **DICK McCAULEY**



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