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MAX SCHMELLING IS THE WINNER

Wins One More Day of Grace As Heavy Rain Postpones Slaughter (?)

DADDY'S DAY

By Austin Callan

There are good reasons for Daddy's Day coming late in the season. It's calculated that the proper time to recognize him is after hot weather when house flies are making life miserable anyway. You know, daddy is looked on as just a sort of family nuisance who spreads out in front of the radio dial to tune in on a political speech the very night a favorite blues crooner is on the air.

However, it must be admitted that he's as much of a necessity around the place as the dishpan or floor mop.

Maybe daughter cannot keep a canary bird in the cage or a beau in the house on account of the asphyxiating fumes of his old black pipe, but he pays the rent, he finances the "permanents," and he keeps the coffee-pot "perking" in the kitchen. That should entitle him to parking space and a box of gift cigars once a year. Perhaps the sale of the cigars will help put up the price of cabbage.

I don't think the average daddy is a bad as the tobacco he smokes would indicate. The average daddy, while he won't let sonny boy take the car out at night to set a new record for breaking traffic rules, is ready to lay down his life for any member of the family. He may be a hard-shelled turtle on the surface, but he has a chicken heart, and oftentimes when you don't know it he says a little prayer for his loved ones, as sweet as the breath of a lilac at morn.

Fans seemed to be unanimous that Joe Louis, Brown Bomber of Flstiana, would win his battle against Max Schmelling, the Black Uhlan. Betting odds were heavily in favor of Louis, and all the sports writers, were agreed that slaughter of the German would be quick and complete—very few of them allowed him to be on his feet after the fourth spasm. But the result is still in the balance.

Ballyhoo for the affray was of the high pressure type, the promoters leaving nothing undone or unsaid to build up a million-dollar gate. The rain, last night, of course, would keep cash customers away, and the promoters, to play safe, broadcast the fact that should J. Pluvius and his watering can visit the scene of the argument, the melee would be shoved back a day.

Well, rain is just what happened, and you'll have to keep the old radio warm until tonight, which, according to the calendar will be Friday.

JUNE 30 DEADLINE FOR PAYMENT OF SPLIT TAX

Another deadline for tax payment is fast approaching, applying only to those who paid their first half of county, state or school taxes, last Nov. 30. The second half must be paid before July 1, to avoid interest and penalties.

LONDON INVITED TO TEXAS

Alf Landon, governor of Kansas and G. O. P. candidate for the presidency, has been invited to visit the Centennial, and promises to do so "if humanly possible."

EDITOR McKEE IS STILL IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Jesse McKee, former resident of Sanderson and editor of the Sanderson Times, now publishing the Ward County News at Barstow, is reported in a critical condition at a Pecos hospital, after an auto accident in which he sustained serious injuries. Two blood transfusions have been given him since the accident, which occurred two weeks ago.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. C. P. Peavy was rushed to San Antonio last Friday afternoon and underwent an operation at the Nix hospital Saturday morning. Reports from her bedside Thursday were that she is doing nicely.

FISHES IN THE GULF

Miss Mary Ellen Bohlman left last Saturday morning for San Antonio where she met a party of friends and accompanied them to Aransas Pass, for a fishing trip that took them 10 miles out on the Gulf. While there she saw many fine catches, including a sea turtle "bigger'n a washtub." One feature of her outing was an airplane trip from San Antonio to Austin. Contrary to expectations she said the heat at Aransas was oppressive.

LOCAL FIRM SELLS WOOL

The Sanderson Wool Commission company reports the sale of 150,000 pounds of 12 months wool to D. E. Hughes, representing Studley and Emery, at 32½ cents a pound, also the sale of 70,000 pounds of 12 months wool to Tom Ritchey at 31½ cents, and 105,000 pounds of 8 months wool at 30½c.

Survey of Magnolia's Block Nearing Completion; Leasing Still Active

Survey gangs are still on the job in this county, and the 6400-acre lease purchased by the Magnolia Oil company will be completed this week. This lease is located in the north part of the county.

Acree around the Goode well is still "turning" at \$7.50 per acre and requests for renewals are being received at the office of the county clerk each day. Every in-

dication points to this county being numbered among the "Producers of West Texas" before the summer is over.

No small interest is being manifested regarding the old Felps well, located in the extreme N. E. part of Terrell county, on the Pecos river, and there seems to be no doubt that drilling will be resumed on this test in the very near future.

HOW WILL THEY SPEND THE BONUS?

Maybe it's nobody's business how the vets spend the bonus checks. But \$2,000,000,000 slapped into circulation in 24 hours is interesting news. In Sanderson the amount will be a little in excess of \$20,000, which is an item that should see the dealers in second-hand cars getting busy as a dog with nine tails in fly time. Casual inquiry, however, indicate that the vets are going to use common sense in disposal of the bonus checks—at least the by far larger number of them. Leading the list of uses to which the money would be put "Pay up back debts," led the list. Others were:

"Improve my home; been needing a sleeping porch."

"Go in to take a little vacation; first in years; going to see the old folks."

"Stuff on the ranch are looking scrubby; this bonus money will help purchase a few head of purebred stuff to improve my flock."

"When the back bills are paid up and there's anything left, I'm going to take wife to a picture show and buy the kids a lollypop apiece."

"Been broke so dad gum long, I feel plum uncomfortable with the money around—think I'll just raise corrugated hades, spend it all, and get back to normalcy."

It looks like the payment of the bonus is going to be a break for the grocer, the baker, the doctor and the banker as well as for the veterans.

Mrs. L. M. Baze and young son left the first of the week for Melvin where they will visit with relatives for several weeks.

Sanderson Veterans Receive Bonus Bonds and Checks; Majority Cash In

New Officers for Local Chapter of O. E. S. Installed

At a meeting of the Sanderson Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, held at the Masonic Hall Thursday night, June 11, officers-elect were installed. Mrs. Ella Mucayeh of San Antonio being the installing officers, and she was assisted by Mrs. Willora Chastain, organist; Mrs. Maura Cochran, chaplain; and Mrs. Johnnie Williams, marshal.

The following were installed as officers: Mrs. Viola Watts, worthy matron; C. J. Watts, worthy patron; Mrs. Annie McLymont, associate matron; Jeff Sessoms, associate patron; Mrs. Genevieve Charlton, secretary; Mrs. Lizzie Green, treasurer; Mrs. Maggie Halley, conductress; Mrs. Sallie Adams, associate conductress; Mrs. Calista Sessoms, Adah, Mrs. Dolly Dyer, Ruth; Mrs. Helen Duke, Esther; Mrs. Rosa Parsons, Martha; Mrs. Edna Mussey, Electa; Mrs. Louise Nichols, chaplain; Mrs. Annie Nance, warder; Mrs. Gayle Mussey, sentinel.

Pins were presented Mrs. Edna Mussey, past worthy matron, and F. S. Garrison, past worthy patron. The past matron also received gifts from her officers. Mrs. Mucayeh and Mrs. Watts were also given gifts. During an enjoyable social hour ice cream and cake were enjoyed by members of the lodge and their guest.

Mrs. E. B. Litton and sons, Curtis and Kenneth left this morning for Oneida, Tenn., where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gatlin and son are spending this week in Del Rio where Mrs. Gatlin and son are under care of a physician.

Texas' Cradle of Liberty—The Alamo



The Alamo, San Antonio, is being visited by more tourists during Centennial year, than any other point of interest within the state. The illustration presents the sacred shrine in a beautiful setting. When President Roosevelt visited the Alamo to place a wreath in memory of its heroes, he was overcome with emotion. Finally he said: "Here is one spot in America where one cannot express in words what he feels."

Where You Can Go To Spend July 4th

During the week of July 4th many towns in easy motoring distance of Sanderson are planning to hold celebrations. Below we list a few of the more important, of two or more days, and where good prizes are offered in practically all events.

Pecos, July 3, 4, 5

Dispatches from Pecos are to the effect that this year's Centennial will far ahead of any yet held. The citizenry are preparing for a record attendance, and work is almost completed on the rodeo grounds on the outskirts of the city. Lights are being installed for night performances.

Pecos claims the distinction of staging the first rodeo in history, pulled off on the main street of the town, between cowboys of rival ranches. That was in 1883—and they continued in more or less haphazard way until 1929, when the American legion post took charge and built it into one of the Southwest's annual feature attractions.

This year there will be the regular standardized rodeo, cowboy and cowgirl contests, old timers' brand and earmark contest, races between chuck wagons, cutting horse contest. The Pecos celebration promises to be a well-balanced one this year.

Midland June 26, 27, 28

Several groups of Midland men are touring cities and towns of west Texas, advertising what is termed the World Championship Centennial Rodeo.

Literature being distributed by these groups give detailed information of the three-day and 3-night celebration, purses for the different events. The "nobody is barred" clause, will bring some of the country's leading ropers and riders to compete for part of the \$3,500 cash prizes that have been posted. The show will be held in the \$60,000 arena of the Midland Fair, Inc.

Ozona, July 2, 3, 4

Probably the feature celebration of this section. Besides the regular rodeo events, there will be three horse races each day—and the purses offered aggregate \$5,000. Nobody barred in any of the rodeo events.

In connection with the celebration there will be a livestock exhibit and sale, a feature of this being the exhibition of Rambouillet ewes and rams from California, among the finest bred in the world.

Each day there will be a free barbecue, and dancing each night.

ENGLAND'S NEW KING GUARDIAN TO QUINTS

WHEN Edward VIII recently succeeded to the crown and realms of England he also inherited the guardianship of the world's five most famous little girls—the Dionne Quintuplets.

The celebrated infants became the wards of his father, King George V, by act of the king in council shortly after their birth, through the agency of the Canadian Parliament, and the former Prince of Wales succeeds to this responsibility, and incidentally, the guardianship of the five little movie stars, since the Quints made their first feature bow in "The Country Doctor," which will be shown in Sanderson, at the Princess Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday, June 24 and 25.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Clyde Higgins returned Monday from Bowie, Texas, where he and Mrs. Higgins went recently to visit relatives, and where Mrs. Higgins underwent a major operation at a Bowie hospital. She was able to leave the hospital on Sunday and Clyde states she is now with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Carter, in Bowie, and is improving nicely.

ENJOYED PICNIC

The senior class of the Sanderson Baptist church motored to the ranch home of Mrs. Helen Downie Tuesday afternoon, where a swim was enjoyed, after which ice cream and good cake was served to the guests.

FOR COM. OF AGRICULTURE



HON. GEORGE B. TERRELL

Announces for the office of commissioner of agriculture. Mr. Terrell held this office for many years, retiring voluntarily. As commissioner he made an enviable record, and he is highly recommended by the people of his home county.

Revival Starts at Baptist Church Wednesday, 24th

The Baptist revival will begin next Wednesday night, June 24, and will continue until July 4th. There will be services each day—at 10 a. m., and at 8 p. m. The Rev. W. M. Turner, pastor of the Baptist church at Pecos will do the preaching. Bro. Turner, is considered one of the very best young preachers in West Texas, and his messages are Biblical, eloquent, and convincing. The local pastor, Rev. Philip Brown, is extending a cordial invitation to the public generally to attend these services, and promises you will enjoy and be helped by Bro. Turner's sermons.

The music for the revival will be in charge of local people, and members of the choirs of other churches are especially invited to have part in this feature of the daily services. Special music has been planned for all services.

"Show Boat," O. K. Theatres Super Offering at Princess Next Month

Echoes of "Show Boat" floating down the Mississippi, and rolling across the prairies, out to the sea, started 'way back in 1926 when Edna Ferber's book scored as a best seller.

Then followed the Kern-Hammerstein production—17 months on Broadway, a year in London, 1928-29, 8 months on the road, revived in New York for an additional 8 months in 1932, brought back to London for six months—a favorite in stock, transcribed for a national radio hour. "Show Boat" proves to be another American institution like "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

Later, the beginning of the 1936 screen version of the Universal "Show Boat," which will star Irene Dunn. "Show Boat" will be offered and is to be shown at the Princess Theatre July 15 and 16. Miss Dunne, in the feature role

TO SINK WATER WELL

W. J. Banner, who resides in the west part of town, is having a well drilled on his property this week. Johnnie Cox is doing the work.

is supported by a cast of stage and radio stars, featured in choruses, with scores of beautiful girls in the ensembles. Queenie Smith and Sammy White will do dance specialties. A sea of voices 200 strong will be heard in special chorus arrangements—the total cast will include 3500 people.

"Show Boat" is one picture you can't afford to miss; it's real entertainment for the entire family. Keep the dates in mind—July 15 and 16—for the O. K. Theatres Super Centennial offering to its patrons.

Selected Quotation

People love without reason, and without reason late.—Regard.

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Column Right!

The first water carnival, staged at Fort Stockton last week, was a success from every angle, and citizens of that place are to be complimented on the way they pulled the huge crowds in attendance. Accommodation facilities were adequate. Another thing calls for commendation is the fact that places catering to the public did not "pry the prices to home folk and foreigners were the same. The celebration, itself, was put over in a way and, we understand, was a financial success. This was due, in large measure, to the interest manifested by the local people in their own show. As we were told there was plans afoot to stage the carnival an annual affair Sanderson was well represented at the carnival, and the complaint we heard from the townspeople was that the celebration did not last long enough.

Asked a friend's opinion of the coming election, he said: "I hope the public Knox the seat out of London, and let's see how the votes."

"The Battle of the Century," and "Epic of the Century," and phrases of superlative nature familiar to all. But the shins of Cleveland was our idea of "The Farce of the Century." The speaker, whose job was to make a "possible" speech outlining the plans for constructive government, spent all his time heaping abuse on the Democrats generally and on President Roosevelt in particular. The honor guest, Moon-face Herbie Hoover—most of them repudiated in the past. They cursed every phase of the New Deal, and wound up by using as standard bearer a man who is an advocate of that New Deal, from a state in which many improvements were made and whose public schools are honored by the grace of loans from the federal government.

Just riding a pony, knocking a white ball around, and getting your picture in the papers. My dear readers, is Mr. Arthur Kane's description of polo and what one would expect from a pen-pusher in referring to the most strenuous of sports—and one of the most dangerous, where death lurks in evidence of rival teams after that "little white ball."

Ice are sacred insects to the "so Indians," is the direct event of a writer in the Del Evening News. Dunno about the lice in France, while exactly held sacred, certainly in the privileged class—they died where they willed, and died sumptuously on their choice white, dark or yellow meats. At the end of a hard day, the little things even shared the bed with their masters. We believe the Navajos could be treated them any better.

Some one to plant more flowers and shrubs on the ground of high school, for the benefit of young cows. They prefer nasturtiums, hollyhocks dahlias and lilies.

The elephant had h's bellow. Was hollow, naive and crass; soon it will be drowned out by the Demo's braying jackass!

Our Dictionary
HORSE SENSE—A degree of intelligence that keeps you from running on the races.

EINSTEIN THEORY — When you sit with the only girl for two years you think it's only a minute when you sit on a red hot stove for a minute you think it's years.

SAILOR — A wolf in ship's clothing.

BILL—Something that comes an envelope with a window in. You hate to face it, but know you'll have to foot it.

OPTIMIST—That 96-year old man expecting two more sons.

If this weather isn't hot enough for you try dying; see how you'll like it there.

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NOBODY'S BUSINESS

BY ALLEGED CAPTAIN JACOB

Austin.—Flattering recognition of the power and influence of the weekly newspaper of Texas was given by President F. D. Roosevelt when the White House notified the editor of this column, published in more than 100 Texas weeklies, to accompany the presidential train on its tour of Texas. Four correspondents boarded the train at Terrellton and visited Houston, San Antonio, Austin, Dallas and Fort Worth with the presidential party. It is the first time in recent years the privilege has been accorded a representative of other than the large Dallas and El Paso newspapers, according to various reports about the special.

THUNDERBOLT GREET F. D. R.

Scarcely a third of Texas' population saw and heard President Roosevelt on the Texas tour. The loyalty and enthusiasm of the Texas through all its parts, the mood of the chief executive of Texas' sentiment toward the New Deal. The strongest impression a political writer received was the amazing ability of the president in doing so effectively in his high position, and at the same time to set upon the profound knowledge of the practical business of politics, the machinery of democratic government as we know it.

Politics was in the forefront everywhere the president visited. At San Antonio he threw his arm affectionately about the shoulders of Senator Morris Sheppard in the middle of his address and made pointed reference to his close friendship for the senior Texas senator up for re-election this year. This is the home town of Joe Eagle, Sheppard's opponent, and notwithstanding Eagle was a guest, too, on the train. Half a dozen other members of the lower house were being still battling for re-election, were given a helping hand by the president.

It will be a 25-day gubernatorial campaign. Governor Allred has decided to attend the entire session of the Democratic national convention at Philadelphia, where he will nominate Vice President Garner. That means his formal opening speech at Waco, which will not be made until after June 30. The election is July 29th.

Henry Mansfield, who had been working on a ranch in Chalone, California, for several months, is back home. Henry said he didn't like California since the first day he arrived.

Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Mims and children left Tuesday morning for Langtry where Mr. Mims held services that night at the community church. From there they went to Del Rio where they will spend several days visiting.

Miserable with backache?
WHEN kidneys function badly and you suffer a nagging backache, with dizziness, burning, scanty or too frequent urination and getting up at night when you feel tired, nervous, all upset... use Doan's Pills.
Doan's are especially for poorly working kidneys. Millions of boxes are used every year. They are recommended by the country over. Ask your neighbor!
DOAN'S PILLS

the making was games about what's going to be in the runoff. This year they are divided on the question of whether there will ever be a runoff at the governor's race.

F. D. R. IN HUNTERS

The president is an intemperate hunter, and the terrific pressure exerted by his job doesn't stifle his human qualities. At Dallas an honor guard of marines, officers and sailors stood at rigid attention in front of the stand during his lengthy speech, in the terrible heat of the Centennial hotel at noon. One of the service men fainter and was carried out on a stretcher. As he left the hotel the president halted his car and inquired after the stricken marine. And at the Dallas, after he had finished his brief speech, he entered the nearest hotel to deposit a wreath before the casket marking the spot where Texas fell. He stood with bowed head a moment, filled with intense emotion. Then, to Mrs. Roosevelt and Gov. Allred, accompanying him, he said: "This is one spot in America where one can not find words to express what he feels."

JOHN POPULAR

John Jones, R.P.C. chairman and one of Texas' most important big men in Washington, was a guest aboard the presidential train. Jones is well-liked by the Washington correspondents who like to "kid" him. He passed them the club car where a group of the correspondents were busy playing bridge, looking for the shower bath. "It's at the other end of the car, Mr. Jones," and one of them, answering Jones' inquiry, and then he added: "It's not bathroom, but I guess it will be all right to go ahead." Jones grimaced at the joke. A few hours later an escaped death by inches when a senior airplane pilot sacrificed his own life landing a burning plane to save Jones and former Governor and Mrs. Hobbs, en route to Houston from Fort Worth.

SECRET CAMPAIGN

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QUEER CAMPAIGNING

And to Gov. James V. Allred, who kept his promise to meet the president's train at Texasiana, and remain with it until he left Texas and, the president also extended a graceful compliment, that carried heavy political implications, when he said to 25-100 Texas Democrats at Denton: "It has been a great pleasure to travel in Texas with your fine young governor and his charming wife, Mrs. Allred."

It is a strange campaign year in Texas. The voters, intent upon Centennial celebrations, reviving business and summer vacations, are amazingly apathetic about politics. The "ins" are in exceptionally favorable position. The president's visit afforded the youthful governor an opportunity to appear before millions of Texans in a most favorable light, while his opponents, gnashing their teeth in the hinterlands, saw the last month of the campaign draw near, with the state's political temperatures many degrees below normal. The political sharks, in an ordinary year would

There were scrolls and scrolls and scrolls when the Oldsmobile god will caravan arrived in Texas. One, with more than 100,000 signatures, was presented to the people of Texas. Another from the governors of other states was given to Governor Allred. A third was presented to Mayor Sergeant of Dallas. All carried messages of good will to the people of Texas from the people of the rest of the coun-

PICTURE STORY OF "Sutter's Gold" Fifth installment



24. DEBERTON: Realizing what it will mean if the news gets around, Sutter tries to keep the gold discovery secret. But the news is out. His own soldiers—seven the Kanadian slaves he brought from the Sandwich Islands—desert him in the mad scramble for gold. His crops are left to rot in the fields. His cattle are starved and die.

Health Letter

NO PREVENTED TYPHOID

Austin.—Parents of boy scouts, girl scouts, and other young people going to camps of any kind, arranged by Dr. John W. Brown, state health officer, to have the family physician vaccinate each individual against typhoid fever. Some of the danger points for the spread of typhoid is, are creek swimming holes and flowing springs. Even though the water at these places may appear clear and sparkling there is a danger that it is contaminated.

TIPOID FEVER IS AN UNDESIRABLE DISEASE

"Typhoid fever is an unsavory disease," Dr. Brown said. "Every case of this fever is a community negligence or is the consequence of ignorance of some individual. Eternal vigilance in maintaining sanitary surroundings and a pure water supply are necessary.

Three shots of typhoid vaccine—a week apart—will put your child in the protected class. As it takes several weeks for the protective treatment to establish itself in the body, have it done now.

"Typhoid fever is an intestinal complaint caused by the typhoid bacillus. The digestive tract of a patient is consequently infected with typhoid germs. Anything that may be contaminated by the body discharges is apt to be infectious and dangerous.

The prevention of typhoid fever is particularly a matter of community responsibility. In cities, large and small, most urgent control measures are those providing for (1) proper disposal of human excreta through sewage disposal plants and toilets of the sanitary type; (2) safe public and well water supplies; (3) extermination of flies; (4) healthy food handlers; (5) supervision of disease carriers and (6) public milk supplies of high quality with the added safeguard of careful pasteurization."

Gene Banner came down from Alpine Tuesday, and is spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Banner.

Announcements

Announcement From—In Advance
District and State Offices—**ED**
County Offices—**ED**
Precinct Offices—**ED**

The Times is authorized to announce the following candidates for the office under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, July 25, 1926.

For State Senator, 20th District, E. L. WINDLE, Ft. Stockton, BERNARD F. BOWLEY, of Alpine.

For Representative, 16th Legislative District: STANFORD PAVINE, Del Rio. (Re-election)

For District Judge, Civil Judicial District of Brown: BRIAN MONTAGUE. (Re-election)

For Attorney, Civil Just. District: JULIAN LACROIXE, Del Rio. (Re-election)

For County Judge: E. L. REEDY, G. J. REDDING. (Re-election)

For County Treasurer: FRANK K. BARRELL. (Re-election)

For County and District Clerk: D. L. DUKE. (Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector: EDGEE McPARRAN, LEE A. COOK. (Re-election)

For County Attorney: A. E. CREECH, Jr. (Re-election)

For Justice of Peace, Prec. No. 1: HARRY K. ROBINSON, CLARENCE JESSUP

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: W. J. BANNER. (Re-election)

It Happened in Sanderson

TEN YEARS AGO
This Week—Remember?

(From the Times, June 18, 1926)

John Campbell, representing the national headquarters of the Boy Scouts of America, was in Sanderson a couple of days this week perfecting plans for re-organizing the local Scout troop.

Mrs. Carlton White and baby came in Monday from San Antonio.

Mrs. John Stovell and children left Tuesday for Rincon, N. Mex., to spend the summer.

Mrs. W. J. Banner was taken to Del Rio this week and placed under the care of a physician.

J. B. COTTEN
ATTORNEY
Personal Injury Cases
General Practice
CRANE -- TEXAS

PROGRESS MARCHES ON

Items of Interest From Towns in the Southwest

In receipt of a letter from C. L. Smith, congressman, advising that a project for a municipal water and sewage system for this place had received favorable action from all divisions of the P.W. E. Edwards, according to the Success, a considerable calling an election for the purpose of issuing bonds for the work. Estimated cost is \$20,000, of which 40 per cent will be a direct grant from the federal government.

SIERRA—Thirty-five carloads of wood and livestock were shipped from Sierra last week, says the Sierra River News. Eleven of the cars were loaded with livestock. The wood was shipped to a Boston firm, and fifty-one ranchmen in Sutton, Edwards, Kimble, and Crockett counties will share in the sale price, which will be approximately \$73.25—price paid for the wood at 12 1/2 cents.

MONTEAGUE—To aid the citizens in their town beautification program, the city council of this place will lower water rates for the next five months, according to the Montague News.

CARRIZO SPRINGS—C. H. Schlemmer, president of the New Orleans Brown Company, Inc., was a recent visitor in the Carrizo Springs section and, according to the Journal, purchased ten carloads of brownstone in Dimmit county. The brown stone was, for the most part, shipped to the manufacturing plant of the company in New Orleans.

MONTONE—Round 8 of a political battle was ended by an election held in Montone, county seat of Loving county, last week. The result of an election held 17 months ago, in the race for commissioner of precinct No. 1, between E. Hall and E. L. Stratton, was contested, and taken to court, and rulings of the courts before which the case was tried were, in turn, appealed. Though the job pays but \$100 a year, it has been tried in the court of civil appeals four times, and once in the state Supreme court. At the election last week Hall polled 18 votes and Stratton 14.

OZONA—The livestock feature of the annual Ozona celebration on July 2, 3, and 4, bids fair to create more than passing interest this year, due to the fact that sheep raisers of the Pacific coast have signified their intention of taking part in the exhibit and sale. This information came from J. W. Owens, Ozona, who just returned from California where he paid top price of \$3000 for a Rambouillet ram.

BRACKETTVILLE—Ranges in this section are in prime condition according to the News-Mail, and all classes of livestock doing so well that ranchers are loathe to sell. Recent purchases reported were: Charley Zinsmeister from Carl Poehler, 500 lambs, at \$5 a head; Nolan and Postell from George Rose, ten bucks, paying \$20 a head.

MARFA—Property owners of this place will, on June 22, vote for or against the issuance of bonds for the construction of a

RATTLE OF THE RAIL

Items of Interest From Towns in the Southwest

Fireman D. Newton returned Monday from a visit in San Antonio and went to El Paso where he has been assigned to a passenger run.

The tenth engine crew has been placed in service.

Four new brakemen have been hired on account of the new business.

A passenger special of 14 cars passed through here today west.

Fireman J. H. Lockman has been placed on the extra list here.

The work train, which had been in service since January on the Sanderson-Watkins line, has been taken off Wednesday.

Engineer G. A. Avent went to Del Rio Wednesday for service.

Fireman S. B. Newcomb was down from El Paso on passenger Tuesday.

Fireman S. R. Ord was down from El Paso Wednesday at visit.

Engineer A. J. Kelley was down from Del Rio Wednesday for the first time in many years, leaving the road, preparatory to going back on the board, due to the increased business on the road.

Engineer W. A. Nunn of Paso is now working out of Del Rio.

Engineer A. A. Molke of Paso is working out of Del Rio.

Roy Milton Bogusch returned the first of the week from Austin where he went to take an examination for admission to the bar.

DEPOSITS INSURED BY THE Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. WASHINGTON, D. C. \$5000 MAXIMUM INSURANCE FOR EACH DEPOSITOR \$5000
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SOCIETY and HOME

WOMEN'S INTERESTS

CLUBS AND CHURCHES

SEND-OVERSTREET DING IN DEL RIO

Estelle Overstreet and Mr. Townsend were married at noon Sunday in the Baptist parsonage, the ceremony performed by Rev. C. Roy Baptist pastor from San Antonio.

endants of the bride were Miss Alice Overstreet, Mrs. Jim Lindsey. The groom was attended by Jim Gray and Robert Cauthorn, Jr. The bridesmaids were the roses and lilies of the field for the ceremony which witnessed by members of the church and intimate friends.

After the ceremony immediately after the ceremony Mrs. Townsend left on a trip to Dallas and other cities. The bride is a daughter of Mr. H. M. Overstreet of Del Rio and has resided in Del Rio for many years, having attended the local schools.

son BANQUET AT BAPTIST CHURCH Last Thursday night, at eight o'clock, about twenty assembled at the Baptist church for a Father's Day banquet. A feature of the occasion was the Mexican supper, prepared by the ladies and the girls.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Bertha Strumberg and daughter, Mrs. Marshall Hearne, returned Monday to their home in San Antonio following a visit at the Stumberg ranch last week with their son, and brother, S. L. Stumberg.

Miss Kathleen Erwin has gone to Los Angeles to enroll for a course in the university.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Newton are at the hot springs below Hot Well where Mr. Newton is taking the baths at that well known resort.

Mrs. T. M. Pyle of Lobo is visiting her son, Buck Pyle, at the ranch near Longfellow.

Miss Pearl Howell returned Monday from San Antonio where she had been for several weeks with her sister, Miss Nacona Howell, who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Brown of San Antonio visited here this week at the ranch with Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Brown.

Mrs. J. R. Murrah of Del Rio is here visiting her sons, Rufe and Tol Murrah, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Henshaw were among the Sandersonites who attended the Water Carnival at Fort Stockton last week.

Mrs. J. E. Landers, who spent two weeks in El Paso visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Lowry, returned home last Friday.

Mrs. Tom Parson left Wednesday for points in north Texas and Kansas where she will visit relatives for several weeks.

Mrs. Clyde Morris and daughters, Marjorie, Mamie and Laurine returned Monday from a ten-day visit in Toyah with her mother, Mrs. E. Scott, and other relatives. Clyde, Jr., went to the Caldwell ranch, where he will cowboy for several weeks before returning home.

Mrs. S. S. Daggett left Thursday for San Antonio for a visit of several weeks with her nephew, John Loughlin.

Misses Winnie Mansfield and Lano Allen, of Uvalde, came in Wednesday night for a visit with their sister and aunt, Mrs. Tip Frazier and other relatives here.

Mrs. P. W. Mallory left the latter part of last week for San Antonio where she will spend several months visiting relatives.

ship," Mrs. A. D. Brown. "Missions Beget Missions," Mrs. Mrs. W. Grigsby. "The Morning Cometh," Mrs. J. R. Black.

After the program the hostesses served punch and cookies to the following: Mesdames Maude Silvan, F. S. Garrison, J. R. Black, S. A. Cook, B. L. Van Cleave, Ira Deaton, A. D. Brown, W. M. Dyal, Walter Grigsby, C. V. McKnight, J. W. Haines, Austin Nance, Sue Douglas, Cain, and Rev. Philip Brown.—Reported.

WEDNESDAY CLUB MET THIS WEEK

At her lovely home on W. Oak street, Mrs. A. E. Creigh, Jr., was hostess to members of the Wednesday Afternoon bridge club, and in addition had several close friends in for the tea. Bouquets of summer flowers lent an artistic touch to the living room where the games were played.

Mrs. Creigh's guests for the games were Mesdames Max Bogusch, John Green, Jim Kerr, W. H. Savage, Tol Murrah, Clyde Griffith, C. V. McKnight, Robert Duncan, Buck Pyle, C. M. Breeding, Austin Nance, Walter Grigsby. Tea guests were Mesdames John Craig, Walter Gregory, Joe Kerr, and Helen Downie.

Delicious refreshments consisting of a salad course with dessert was enjoyed.

Mrs. Jim Kerr was winner of the high score prize, and Mrs. Robert Duncan won second high score prize.

CLEVER CROOKS DEVISE A SCHEME TO DISPOSE OF STOLEN GOLD

Anti-social persons often devise ingenious schemes to circumvent the law. A scheme of this nature motivates RKO Radio's tense film drama, "Special Investigator," starring Richard Dix, coming to the Princess Theatre next Monday night, June 22.

A gang of crooks has stolen a half million dollars in gold bullion. As every one knows, the government today is the sole guardian of the gold reserve. Yellow dust held by private individuals is as "hot" as a leaky automobile radiator. So the mob hits upon a scheme of placing the metal in an old mine and digging it out as new gold. Dix, an attorney, who turns G-man, learns of the plan through an underworld grapevine—and then the drama becomes hectic.

Margaret Callahan is Dix's romantic interest in the film, and a well balanced cast supports them.

"THE COUNTRY DOCTOR" 5-STAR PICTURE PRESENTS THE DIONNE QUINTS

In the picture that is the entertainment scoop of the year, Darryl F. Zanuck makes movie stars of the first rank out of the world's front page darlings, as he presents the Dionne Quintuplets in their first full length feature, "The Country Doctor," to be shown at the Princess Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday, June 24 and 25.

Adapted from the original story by Chas. E. Blake, Chicago newspaper man, "The Country Doctor" finds its drama in the life and death conflict that a physician eternally wages in the Canadian wilds in his unselfish work. It is warm with delightful humorous touches, fresh with the antics, the crooning and the play of the world's most famous babies.

Jean Hersholt, beloved character star, is the doctor of the picture, a heroic, self-sacrificing physician who fights pain and illness in a Canadian fur-trading post with inadequate equipment.

Because his nephew, Michael Whalen, persists in his love for June Lang, daughter of the post's manager, and because Hersholt himself tactlessly attempts to get a hospital and needed supplies for his people he incurs the displeasure of the company powers. And without regard for his record or heroism, the post manager ousts him from his position.

He is broken and dispirited when he gets a call to attend John Qualen's wife and goes to her, never suspecting the phenomenon he is going to witness. In a sequence that is the high spot of the picture for drama and comedy the five tiny mites are brought to the world, and the doctor begins the fight to keep them alive.

As the film nears its close, we witness the fame and rewards that are heaped upon the happy doctor as his little charges prosper and grow. And, at the height of his happiness, the post manager

relents and gives his consent to the romance of Whalen and Miss Lang.

Dorothy Peterson, Slim Summerville and Robert Barratt, as members of the all-star cast, have prominent roles.

DON'T MISS "THE COUNTRY DOCTOR!"

Coming Attractions at the Princess

"TRAIL OF LONESOME PINE" IN NEW TECHNICOLOR OUTSTANDING FILM

In Walter Wanger's production of "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," which will be shown at the Princess Theatre tonight and Saturday, June 19 and 20, the first motion picture actually filmed outdoors in full technicolor will make its bow.

Directed by Henry Hathaway, "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" is a warm, glowing, sympathetic presentation of John Fox, Jr.'s classic of the Cumberlands, with Sylvia Sydney, Fred MacMurray, and Henry Fonda heading a large and well chosen cast.

The film, which tells of the primitive mountain folk and their instinctive distrust for modern civilization, has its action entirely set in a thickly wooded hill country of Kentucky, which has given Technicolor photography a magnificent opportunity to bring to the screen all the natural color and beauty of the magnificent scenery.

The color photography, with admirable restraint, has entirely avoided flooding the production with gaudy, harsh colors, a fault which was found with many earlier attempts to bring color to the screen.

This beautiful love story, familiar to millions who read the story would have been a masterpiece in black and white, in colors, it is a miracle in art.

CHURCHES

METHODIST CHURCH

The annual Laymen's day service will be held Sunday evening at eight o'clock. The general theme is "Spiritualizing Church Finance." F. S. Garrison, Charge Lay Leader, will conduct the program. Talks will be made by the following: Mrs. Edna Mussey, Mrs. F. S. Garrison, Mrs. S. M. Mims, Mrs. C. J. Watts, Mrs. H. C. Goldwire, Mrs. Jennie Freeman, W. D. O'Bryant and C. J. Watts.

Subject Sunday morning at 11 o'clock: "Invisible Things." The following will leave Monday to attend the Intermediate and Adult assemblies at Sacramento, New Mexico: Mrs. J. L. Osgood, Lois Bea Osgood, Margaret Mims, Mack Mims, and Rev. S. M. Mims.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school, 10 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Y. P. speaker program 7 p. m. The Auxiliary meets Monday at 3 p. m. with Mrs. John Nichols. Catechism classes at the church on Wednesday at 4 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 o'clock p. m. JOHN V. McCALL, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school, 10 a. m. Preaching service 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U., 7:15 p. m. Church services at 8:15 p. m. W. M. U. meets Monday at the church at 3 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting on Wednesday, at 8 p. m. PHILIP BROWN, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday: 10 a. m. Bible study. 11 a. m. worship. 11:45, Communion. Tuesday—Ladies' Bible class at 4 p. m. Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m., mid-week Bible study.

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass every morning at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday: First mass at 7:30 a. m.; second mass at 9 a. m. REV. C. VARONA, Pastor.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Sanderson State Bank of Sanderson, Texas, for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of said bank on Saturday, the 4th day of July, 1936. Polls open from 10 a. m. to 12 o'clock, noon. 134c. L. M. BAZE, Cashier.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ferguson and children, Billy and Miss Mary returned last Thursday night from Dallas where they went the first of the week to visit the Centennial Exposition.

Mrs. W. F. Bohlman left the first of the week for El Paso for a visit with her sister.

LET'S TALK ABOUT CLOTHES

By a Young Modern (CIA)

Denton.—White is tops for summer wear. You see it taking first place in all ranks of the fashion world, and particularly among women of the South. We especially point out the new white silk crepe ensembles that are being unpacked daily by fashion shops.

Dresses are mostly of the on-piece style with very short sleeves or a tiny shoulder cape effect. Skirts are pleated and the pleats stitched down to the knee-line. Color contrast is achieved with belts, pocket flaps, or trick lacings under the center of the chest. The jackets are either hip length or belted swaggar type, with fairly wide, loose sleeves.

Huge wild blazing checks in as many as four colors make stunning jackets, and you can also wear them with cotton or linen dresses as well as the more or less dressy frocks. Solid bright colors in grass green, carlet, old gold, and even violet contrast other dresses that use the same colors for bows and neck bands.

All white ensembles use chiffon ascots, scallops or pointed edgings of the white silk as trim. Some three-piece white crepe outfits feature printed silk blouse tops with short sleeves, and use the printed silk for cuff facing and color bands on the jacket.

White palm beach is a smart material for the new summer suits, and silk ranks high with its non-wrinkle qualities. For those casual "round about the neighborhood frocks," girls at the Texas State College for Women—(CIA), suggest French seersucker—a new material with all the daintiness of handkerchief linen, yet as wearable and cool as old batiste.

Mrs. Morris Allard, arrived this week from Klondike, Texas, and will spend two weeks here visiting in the home of her father, G. W. Carpenter.

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The History of Terrell County

By MILDRED HURST

Second of Three Essays to Win Honorable Mention in a contest among Students of the Sanderson Public Schools

It is certain that Indians once lived in the land which is now included in Terrell county. In the hills surrounding Sanderson, evidences of Indian life have been found in the caves. Blackened walls of the caves, arrowheads, rocks that the Indians used to grind their meal, and small pottery jars have been found in the caves in various sections of the county. Rocks at Myers Spring, north of Dryden, are covered with writings of this departed race. Representations of the sun and moon, drawings and markings which, if they could be deciphered, would probably tell much of the early life of the Indians who once lived in this part of Texas. Aged Mexicans in Sanderson claim to have knowledge of these springs from which the red man got water, but covered them up when the retreated before the oncoming pale faces. There is every indication that Indians really did live in this county and, who knows, probably one of their villages was located in the valley where Sanderson now is.

But before the oncoming hordes of settlers, from Spain and France, most of the Indians in the southern part of Texas were driven out and by the time Texas was annexed to the United States, there were practically no Indians in the southern part of the state, or where Terrell county is now located. There were probably many ranches in the county which now includes Terrell county before the building of the railroad through to El Paso in 1878, but there has been no record kept of them. C. M. Wilson, a very early settler in the county, and who once was Justice of the Peace in Pecos County, bought the land where Sanderson is now from the State of Texas in 1890, and gave it as the site for the town of Sanderson. After the building of the railroad through this part of the country, the town prospered, and in 1900 there were approximately 150 inhabitants with about twenty-three buildings.

Origin of the Town's Name

There are several theories advanced for the naming of Sanderson, one being that it, along with other early railroad sections at points along the railroad, was named after a poet, as Emerson, Longfellow and Dryden. But the most probable theory, and the one generally accepted as correct, is that it was named for a contractor of the Southern Pacific railroad, W. B. Sanderson, who once had his camps in the valley where Sanderson is now located when the railroad was built from the Paint Caves and through to Spofford Junction in 1878. Thus Sanderson was a growing town before the county was organized.

County is Organized

The bill passed by the 29th Legislature in May, 1905, creating Terrell county from the eastern portion of Pecos county, which was formerly a part of Presidio county, went into effect on July 17, 1905, and for many years residents of the county celebrated July 17 as the birthday of Terrell county. Terrell county was named in honor of Senator A. W. Terrell, and formed one of the largest divisions of southwest Texas, with an area of 1,800,000 acres. The county is bordered in the south by the Rio Grande — which forms the border between the United States and Mexico; on the southeast by a portion of Val Verde county; on the northeast by the Pecos river, which forms the border between Terrell and Crockett counties; on the north by Pecos county; and on the west by Brewster county, the largest county in the state.

The committee for the organization and the layout of Terrell county consisted of Joe Kerr, a leading citizen in the county today; C. M. Wilson, and W. P. Matthews. Mr. Kerr and Mr. Wilson made several trips to Austin in an effort to have the bill creating Terrell county passed. This committee designated four commissioners' precincts, four voting precincts, the places where elections were to be held, and the presiding officers.

The first officers to hold office in Terrell county were Joe Kerr, county judge; W. H. Lemons, county clerk; George W. Finley, sheriff; Charles Downie, commissioner precinct No. 1; N. A. Cavin, commissioner precinct No. 2; N. H. Corder, commissioner precinct No. 3.

The first white child born in Terrell county was Terrell Hunter, son of W. D. Hunter of Sanderson, on May 4, 1905, a few days after passage of the bill creating Terrell county, and he was named in honor of the county. The first marriage in the county was that of Mamie Jeffers and

Mr. Arthur Musgrave, on November 25, 1905.

The first term of court in the new county was held November 6, 1905, handling a suit brought against T. A. Oswald by the State of Texas for information insufficient in law. The court decreed that the defendant be discharged. The first meeting of the commissioners' court was held in Wilson hall, for which the county paid C. M. Wilson the large sum of \$25 monthly rent.

The first hotel and restaurant in the county was owned by a Chinaman, Sam Sing. There is a story told that the only dessert Sing ever served was rice pudding. If patrons objected to the pudding, saying it tasted old, Sing would reply that he would bring it back next day. Room 18 in the Sing Hotel was rented as an office for the county and district clerk.

Early Water Supply

In the early days of the county residents of Sanderson bought their water daily from a waterboy for 25c for a 50-gallon barrel, this high price being tolerated by the citizenry because they could do nothing about it. Fred Savage, who lives in Sanderson today, was the first waterboy. He delivered water each morning before he went to school. At first the water was hauled from the depot and around town to the 150 consumers on a slide pulled by a burro, but later, when the town became more prosperous, a small cart was used to haul the water. In 1886 the power plant was built, and water was piped to various parts of the town, thus placing Fred in the ranks of the unemployed.

Early Settlers

Some of the earliest settlers in the county were the Slovers, Mrs. Maggie Clark, mother of John Clark, who today lives in Sanderson, F. H. Young, W. H. Savage and wife, John Collins, Susie Douglas, A. T. Folsom, who published a weekly paper before the county was organized, J. Wolff and wife, W. H. Lemons and wife, Joe Kerr, Alexander Mitchell, and Charlie Downie. Many of these are living in Sanderson today. Settlers said that they experienced no hardships, because they did not know what conveniences they would have today. The first telephone system, a definite step toward progress, was owned by a Mr. Stansell, in 1905.

Courthouse and Jail Are Built

Terrell county was without a courthouse until June 1907. The bid of William Marlin of Comanche, Texas, to build a courthouse for \$21,500, was accepted May 6, 1906, and a bid of the Pauly Jail Co., to build a jail for \$7,966, was accepted at the same time. It has been said that Sanderson was badly in need of a jail, because everyone carried pistols then, and shooting affrays were frequent occurrences.

The "Father of Sanderson" was C. M. Wilson, known as "Uncle Charley" Wilson. He purchased the land where Sanderson now is, and gave it as a town site. When the railroad built their roundhouse, depot, and a bunk house in Sanderson, it seems that Uncle Charley owned a saloon, The Cottage Bar, located near where the railroad built its depot. The railroad officials objected to the saloon and, after having a survey made, found that the saloon was on part of the railroad right-of-way, and ordered Mr. Wilson to move his saloon. But Mr. Wilson also had a survey made and it was found that the south part of the roundhouse was on his land. So Mr. Wilson told the railroad company that it was all right with him, and that he would just move his saloon into the roundhouse. But the roundhouse foreman at that time, W. P. Smith, advised the company he would rather not have Mr. Wilson and his saloon in the roundhouse, and so the saloon remained where it was, and business prospered.

An Outstanding Pioneer

Charles Downie was one of the earliest settlers in Pecos county, before the creation of Terrell county, his ranch being on land which was later included in Terrell county. Mr. Downie, one of the most picturesque of the early settlers of the great Southwest, came to west Texas in 1881, driving sheep from San Antonio to Alpine, a town 96 miles west of Sanderson, in Brewster county. He purchased land in Pecos county (now Terrell), and after nerve-racking work and struggles, he built up a ranch of 140,000 acres. Today the Downie ranch is divided into smaller ranches. A draw 12 miles north of Sanderson is called the Downie Draw, because one had to cross it before reaching the Downie ranch. The name Downie is famous over the South-

west as the name of one of the earliest and most courageous of west Texas pioneers and his name will live forever in the history of Terrell county. Mr. Downie died May 26, 1928, in San Antonio.

Another pioneer of Terrell county is Alexander Mitchell, who came to west Texas about the same time as Mr. Downie, also driving sheep from San Antonio. In the early days of Terrell county, it was strictly a sheepman's country, but cattle gradually became more and more important to the ranchers. Mr. Mitchell built up a ranch that in the early days of the county consisted of 68,000 acres. Today Mr. Mitchell is a wealthy and influential resident and rancher of Terrell county.

Other settlers who built up the ranching industry in Terrell county include S. A. Purinton, Robert Paxton and Duncan Campbell. All three of these men ranged near close to Mr. Downie, their ranch being about 18 or 20 miles from the Downie headquarters ranch. It was a day's journey to one of these ranches, and visitors usually spent two or three days visiting. At first the loneliness of ranch life was very oppressive, but since the advent of telephones and automobiles ranchers keep well in touch with Sanderson at all times.

Dryden, the only other town in the county, is 21 miles east of Sanderson. The town is small, but rapidly expanding. Another railroad section in the county is Emerson, about 8 miles west of Sanderson.

Highway Improvement

The highways of Terrell county have been developed unbelievably. From narrow, dusty roads, not much better than cow trails, the highways have been made into fine, hard-surfaced, tarred roads, through to San Antonio on the east, and to El Paso on the west. In the early days of the county people wishing to travel to Del Rio had to go to Ft. Stockton and through Ozona, there being no road east of Dryden. In 1922, when U. S. Highway No. 90 (Texas No. 3), was built east of Dryden to Del Rio and the Pecos River high bridge constructed, all this extra travel was eliminated.

The development of the public school of Terrell county, also, has been amazing. The first school building was a one-room building located near the present site of the power plant. Later, in 1894, a large frame building was erected on Hominy Hill, on the present site of the Church of Christ. It was called Hominy Hill because the people who lived there cooked so much hominy. Mrs. J. W. (Grandma) Savage said that her son, Fred, who resides in Sanderson today, attended school in that building. Fred, who was talented in mathematics, used to help the girls who were not quite as smart as he. The girls wished to show their gratitude to Fred by kissing him, but bashful Fred thought differently. The present grammar school was built in 1910, thru a bond issue in the sum of \$25,000. It served as a grammar school and high school building until 1931, when the new high school building was completed. For this purpose bonds were voted in the sum of \$150,000 on July 13, 1930. The building is fully equipped for commercial work, home economics, manual training, and courses in different branches of science. Connected with the building is a spacious, well-equipped gymnasium.

Rich in Natural Resources

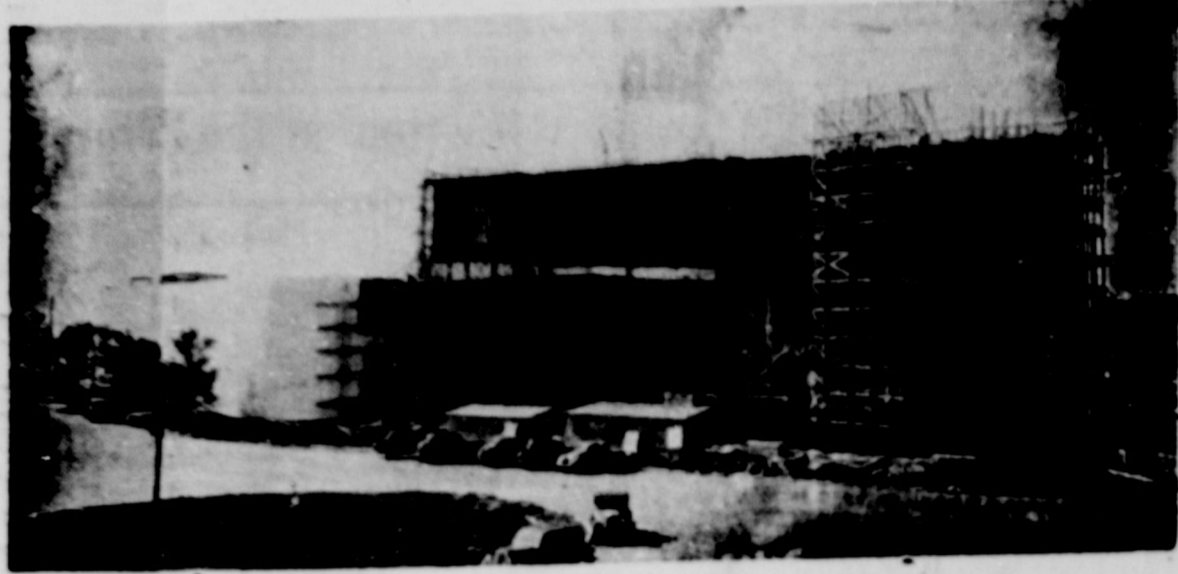
Terrell county is also rich in the typically western natural resources from which, as the county has been developed, it has been found that many useful articles can be manufactured. The maguey, or century plant, yields a useful fiber; the lecguilla supplies coarse binner twine; from the guayule plant a good grade of rubber is fabricated; candellia supplies wax of high quality, and the sotol weed is often used as emergency stock feed. Considerable acreage in Terrell county is leased for future oil development, and 15 miles from the northern boundary is the great Yates pool. Quien sabe? Terrell county may also be rich in oil deposits.

The railroad industry in Terrell county has progressed greatly since organization of the county. Few men were employed here by the company during the early years of the county, but today more than two hundred men are in the service of the railroad company and the annual payroll exceeds \$360,000. Mail and train crews change in Sanderson, and much of the life of the town is centered about the railroad.

A Substantial Development

As a whole Terrell county has had an unbelievable development along permanent and substantial lines. From the open range, the few scattered ranches, and the primitive methods of living, Terrell county has become a prosperous and important county of Texas. Modern ranch homes,

Ford Exhibit to Show How Southwest's Products Are Used in the Manufacture of the Modern Motor Car



The opening in Dallas June 6 of the great Ford Exposition will show the Southwest how its own products make the Ford, the Lincoln and the Lincoln-Zephyr automobiles. This unusual photograph well pictures the vast proportions of the Ford Exposition building, in which will be housed an exhibition showing how importantly Southwestern raw materials enter into the making of modern cars.

Trails Over Which Civilization Came to Southwest to be Reproduced for Visitors to Ford Exposition



The original Yuma road which, with eight other famous trails of the Southwest will be reproduced for visitors at the Ford Exposition opening in Dallas next Saturday, June 6, stretches across the desert between El Centro, California, and Yuma, Arizona. It is part of the old Spanish Trail from Florida to California. About 20 years ago planks were laid on the shifting sands of the desert, to wind their way like a writhing snake across the dunes.

fully equipped with every comfort and convenience, have taken the place of the one-room shacks that constituted headquarters of ranches that dotted the plains of Terrell county in its formative years. Upwards of 200,000 head of livestock are raised annually in the county and hundreds of thousands pounds of wool and mohair are shipped from the county each year. The population of Sanderson, has grown to 2700 as compared with 150 in 1900. The number of students enrolled in the public schools has grown from the 25 in 1900 to 643 in 1935. The beautiful residential homes, fine public buildings, a public school system affiliated with the Southern Association, the modern department and grocery stores, restaurants, several hotels, a modern power plant, operated by the Community Public Service Co., which has fared exceptionally for its some thirty years of life.

Streamliner Will Soon Start Run S. P. Announces

San Francisco, June 11.—The Diesel-powered streamliner "City of San Francisco," an d 11-car train capable of speeds in excess of 100 miles an hour, will soon be on its way to the west coast to go into service between San Francisco and Chicago, over the rails of the Southern Pacific-Union Pacific-Chicago & Northwestern. This was announced today by A. D. McDonald, president of the Southern Pacific company, who stated that the new streamliner would make a series of test runs before starting its regular schedule, about June 14.

The train will operate on a 39 3-4 hour schedule between San Francisco and Chicago, cutting approximately 19 hours from the fastest time now maintained on that run. Mr. McDonald pointed out that this means the saving of a full business day to rail travelers on the trip. Only one day and two night being required for the trip. Five round trips will be made each month by the streamliner.

In the train's makeup are four Pullman sleepers, two coaches, a dining-lounge car, a kitchen-dor-

Mid-Year Meet of Highlan Hereford Association Set for July 10, at Marfa

Marfa, June 18.—(T-PN) The mid-year meeting of the Highland Hereford Breeders Association has been set for July 10th in Marfa. A breakfast will be held at the Paisano hotel followed by a general meeting and get-together of the association and an executive meeting of the Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers' association, who will meet here in conjunction with the Hereford breeders. After the business meeting the entire party will go to the W. T. Jones ranch where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jones for an old-fashioned barbecue and chuck wagon dinner.

Prominent guests from all over the Southwest will be here for the meeting and will include the executive committee of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' association, R. J. Kinzer, secretary of the American Hereford association and the Texas Planning Board, which has agreed to hold its July meeting in Marfa instead of in Austin, at the request of W. B. Mitchell of Marfa, who is a member of the board, representing the livestock industry.

The Highland Hereford Association will hold a business meeting in their offices in Marfa June 27, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon to settle business matters prior to the general meeting of July 10th.

Motor-baggage car and a mail-baggage-express car. All are air conditioned throughout. It will accommodate 170 passengers.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rose and family, who ranch in the Brackettville country, were visitors in Sanderson this week with Mr. and Mrs. Webb Townsend. Mrs. Rose is a sister of Mr. Townsend.

Among the Sanderson folks who visited the Texas Centennial Exposition at Dallas this week were Mrs. Maude Sullivan and daughter, Miss Dorothy, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grigsby.

CALIFORNIANS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hamilton, Mrs. Clara Creswell and George Porter of Los Angeles visited the Joe Kerr family recently and were joined here by their sister, Mrs. Joe Kerr, for a visit in San Antonio and to their old home in Llano, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton were one time residents of Sanderson, Mr. Hamilton being an employe of the Sanderson State Bank. Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. Creswell are sisters of Mrs. Kerr, and George Porter is a nephew. The party was here on Monday of this week, returning to their California home.

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ATTRACTIONS AT THE PRINCESS THEATRE

FRIDAY & SATURDAY June 19 and 20

SYLVIA SIDNEY, FRED MURRAY, HENRY FONDA
THE TRAIL OF THE LONESOME PINE

MONDAY, JUNE 22

"Special Investigator"

Richard Dix in the role of G-man, with a new leading lady, Margaret Callahan.

Wednesday and Thursday

JUNE 24 & 25

AT LAST !!

All hail !!

FIVE PRINCESSES OF WALES... In a romantic setting... dramatic paying tribute to the valiant country doctor.

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