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THURSDAY, DEC. 6, 1941

DEFENSE STRIKES ARE SABOTAGE

It is time we stopped mincing words in this labor crisis. Those who strike against defense must be called what they are—saboteurs.

This is a war of production. It is the performance of industry which will finally decide it. Hitler is fast organizing the entire continent of Europe into a great slave empire to feed the Nazi military machine.

Here in our own country we have greater resources than any other power. We have the coal, the oil, and the other basic materials in abundance. We have the greatest electric power and transportation systems on earth.

But all of this will be worthless if labor is determined to sabotage production.

Labor has not just grievance which cannot be cured by arbitration. In no nation on earth has so elaborate a governmental machine been established to protect the worker against exploitation.

How much longer will labor blindly follow ruthless, self-seeking leaders who think nothing of endangering the very existence of their country?

The man on the street is fed up with attempts to push our country around not only by foreign nations, but now by men at home who refuse arbitration and thereby give the greatest possible aid to our enemies by blocking our own defense.

7,000,000 tons of wastepaper will be needed next year to manufacture paper board—an increase of 2,000,000 tons over 1940.

FOR LITERARY HONORS

Wars, like other periods of upheaval, produce their own literature. Some of Churchill's addresses are likely to become classics, resounding down the centuries to come. But winging through the gray mists of censorship, through the barrage of information, communiques and so forth have come, like a shining arrow, these words of an aged Scotsman: "When the air-raid warning sounds I take the Bible from the shelf and read the Twenty-third Psalm. Then I put up a wee bit o' prayer. Then I take a wee drop o' whisky to steady my nerves. Then I get in bed and pull up the covers. And then I tell Hitler to go to hell."

A LONG, LONG STRUGGLE

The tone of the German press has undergone a curious change. For instance, in a recent article propaganda director Goebbels seemed actually pessimistic as to Germany's chances. He didn't say that in clear words, of course, but the intimation was that the Reich had a mighty tough job on her hands and that victory was far away.

It is generally believed in military quarters that the blitz technique has finally failed. It worked with France, Poland, the Low Countries and elsewhere. But it didn't work with England. And it isn't working with Russia.

The war is becoming more or less stabilized. It is turning into a war of resources. Hitler's prime concern now is to organize German-controlled Europe into the vast producing machine that the Nazi armies need. And the democracies' prime concern is to out-produce him in all fields.

Mr. Churchill's recent statement to the effect that the British air force is at last equal to Germany's is not regarded as braggadocio by those who have access to the facts. England has done wonders in building up air power, and American aid is substantial and increasing. The democracies are gaining ground now—but they have a long way to go still. Hitler's land forces are still the best equipped and best trained on earth.

OLD STUFF, BUT GOOD

A psychiatrist deplors the don't-touch, don't-kiss method of rearing babies and says a baby should be fondled to avoid "neurotic conflicts" and "behavior disorders." Grandma said the same thing, but in words more easily understood.—Louisville Courier Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oberkamp had as their guests last week Mrs. Oberkamp's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Foster, of Lovington, N. M.

NO WAY TO PUT OUT A FIRE!



THIS BUSINESS OF Living

BY SUSAN THAYER

A New Kind of Slavery

It was Thursday afternoon and Miss Milly, who cleans for almost everybody in town, was just finishing up in my kitchen. I hoped I'd find her there when I got home from the club-meeting where we'd been talking about the coal strike.

She had just finished mopping the kitchen floor and had stopped for a moment to admire her work when I opened the door.

"It looks nice, Miss Milly," I remarked. "Don't it though. But then, this is mighty rewardin' inoleum. A little work, and it comes out as bright and fresh as it was when it was new."

"When you do the mopping," I reminded her.

"Course I always try to do good work. It wouldn't be much satisfaction to work like I do if I didn't know it was good. Money ain't everything, you know."

And then I brought up the subject of strikes.

"How would you like it, Miss Milly, if some day when you were ready to start out to work here, some one came along and told you no... you couldn't come... that you mustn't work any more for me until I promised to pay you more money or only to hire certain people for other jobs we have."

"Me that's worked for you ever since you was married and for your mother before you? I'd like to see some one tell me I couldn't work here if I wanted to!"

She shook her head firmly. "It ain't American to try to rule over people like that."

"But they've been telling the coal miners they couldn't work." "I know... I know," said Miss Milly, "and it ain't freedom, either. Didn't we fight a war once to free all the black folks who had to work the way somebody told them?"

"Yes. We did. But this is different, of course. These miners are free. Nobody makes them work."

"But if somebody makes them stay home when they want to work, ain't it pretty much the same thing?" She bent over to wring out the mop. "No, Susan," (she'd called me that since I was in my cradle) "it ain't freedom and it ain't American for somebody way up in the world to tell people we can't work. We got rights the same as they have and if we could get rid of one kind of slavery a long time ago, looks to me as if we ought to be able to get rid of this kind now. Anyhow, I'm comin' to help you on Thursday as long as you want me and the sooner other workers feel the same way about their work the better, I'd say!"

DEFENSE BOND Quiz

Q. What are payroll allotments for the purchase of Defense Savings Bonds?

A. They are portions of employee earnings set aside each pay day voluntarily by individual workers for buying Defense Savings Bonds, or Stamps to be exchanged eventually for Bonds, which become the personal property of the employee.

Q. How can I give a Defense Savings Bond as a gift?

A. Buy a Series E Bond at your post office or bank, and have it issued in the name of the intended recipient.

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What is true of individuals, is true a million times over of the government. The maintenance now of non-defense government spending at depression peaks is one of the black pages in American history.

SOUTHERN WILDLIFE

Do you know some interesting incidents, "happenings," how-to-do-it hints, and grand wildlife material that would make good reading for this department? Send all contributions to The Southern Sportsman, Austin, Texas.

ATTACKS BY SWORDFISH

Attacks by swordfish on boats are delivered with such force that a penetration of 20 inches, of which at least 14 1/2 inches were through solid oak, has been recorded. Sometimes these attacks occur at night, but generally they are made when a swordfish is being angled.

Perhaps the most spectacular swordfish incident occurred in Mexican waters recently when a 9-foot marlin was shot by a sports-

man using a bow and arrow. Two men then went out in a boat to retrieve the fish by a line attached to the arrow. The swordfish charged the boat and drove its head and half its body through one side and its spear projected about a foot beyond the other side of the dinghy. This smashing blow was made possible by the fact that the planking of the boat was soft redwood only half an inch thick, and by the considerable weight (estimated at 240 pounds) and the high velocity (probably about 20 miles per hour) of the charging fish.

Man And Deer Stage Wrestling Match In East Texas Forest

Yes sir, this is the time of year it happens. A wild deer will tackle almost anything.

Over in Polk County the deer's human antagonist was Vic Nash, who lost his short and considerable peace of mind in a wrestling match with a big buck, the Lufkin Daily News reports.

Nash is a member of an oil exploration party. He said he was walking down a narrow forest path and saw a deer approaching. Neither Nash nor the deer would turn to right or left, so a first-class wrestling match took place. The deer charged and knocked Nash to the ground. Nash got up then, and after fighting furiously, threw the deer to the ground.

Then Nash headed for the nearest settlement.

"The deer kept charging me the entire distance," said Nash. "He chased me about a mile. Then some people saw the deer close behind me and started yelling. Their yells finally scared him away."

In the struggle Nash's shirt was torn off. The battle took place near the town of Corrigan.

KNOW-IT-ALL PRIDE

Most men would learn if they could acquire knowledge without the humiliation of being taught.—Columbia State.

"Sergeant, can a man be punished for something he hasn't done?"

"Certainly not, Private Smith." "Well, I haven't cleaned my rifle."

BLACK PAGE

In a recent talk, Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau said: "It would be folly to assume that we can continue to spend now as we did in normal times."

Congress, unhappily, has indulged to the limit in that folly. It continues to appropriate billions for the defense without making a single important cut in useless, non-defense spending. It continues to waste. It continues to play politics.

We have all been told that we



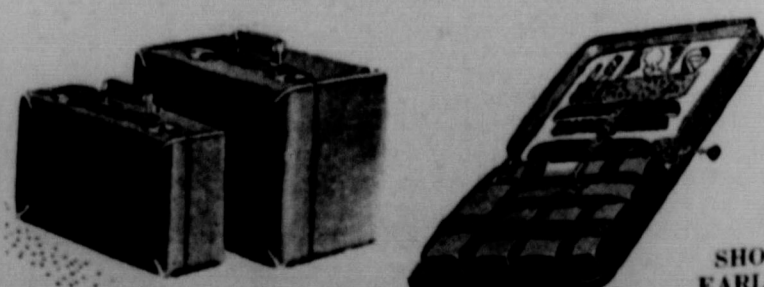
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### Side Glances on Texas History

By Charles O. Hucker  
University of Texas Library

#### AD LAWRENCE AND HIS RIDE FOR LIFE

The thrill-a-minute races which appear in almost every cowboy movie are exciting affairs, as they are meant to be; but some of the real rides for life of American history surpass any ever imagined by a movie writer. Ad Lawrence, for example, who lived near the head waters of the Trinity River a century ago, would probably think a modern cowboy picture a pretty dull affair; for Lawrence experienced the actual thing.

It was in the summer of 1832, according to his own story of the incident, which appears in D. W. C. Baker's "A Texas Scrap-Book" in the Texas Collection of the University of Texas Library. He and three other men were out after horses.

The four of them, some ten miles beyond the Trinity, came within sight of a herd of about a hundred mustangs grazing quietly in the tall prairie grass. They approached cautiously and were congratulating themselves on not having frightened the horses when suddenly a hundred Indians leaped up out of the grass, mounted, and were after them in a screaming pack.

#### INDIAN CUNNING

"I tell you," Lawrence related, "you've no idea how much an Indian can get out of them mustangs. Instead of being a weight to them, they seem to help them along." The Texans realized this sadly after three miles or so, when the Indians began to pull up close behind them.

Lawrence and his friends became even more uneasy about this time, as the Indians split up into two groups, some of them disappearing off to one side for no apparent reason. But suddenly the Texans came to a deep gulley which they couldn't cross, and they understood. They could imagine what would happen when they tried to circle the gulley and found half the Indians at the near end waiting for them. But they had no choice.

"Just as I came to the head of the hollow," Lawrence went on, "the Indians were within one hundred yards, and yelling awfully. They thought they had us sure. I gave my mare the rein, and just touched her with my spur, and turned the corner with about fifty arrows whizzing about my ears." He got around safely, and his mare stretched out magnificently for the race to come.

#### A 15-FOOT PLUNGE

"Soon as I got headed right again," he continued, "I looked around to see what had become of the others. One look showed me. They were all down. About half the red skins had stopped to finish them, and the balance were coming for me like red-hot lightning." The Trinity was still three miles away.

Lawrence's mare now began to puff heavily, and after another mile he pulled up to a stop, dismounted, and gave her a chance to catch her breath. About 40 Indians were several hundred yards behind, and one lone rider was practically upon him. Having lost his rifle in the race, he pulled out his knife and waited. "The Indian was game. He never stopped until he got within ten feet of me. Then he threw away his bow, jumped off, and came at me with a long knife like mine." Half a minute later Lawrence was mounted and off again, the Indian lying dead behind him.

A 15-foot bluff confronted him on the bank of the Trinity, and he took it at a leap with his mare. "We both went under for a second; then she rose and struck out for the opposite bank with me on her back." She got nearly across and then gave out; but Lawrence, while his savage pursuers, apparently not daring to follow his example, stood on the bank behind him and howled, swam the rest of the way to safety.

#### 100 YEARS AGO IN TEXAS

"Congress.—We regret that this body is so tardy in its proceedings. The country does not expect nor wish that it should pass many laws. But it does expect and hope that whatever is to be done should be done promptly. If retrenchment is to be the order of the day, the Congress should be the one to retrench in—"

## Making 'Leathernecks' at Parris Island



Above are three photos of marines-in-the-making at Parris Island, S. C. At left, recruits begin their three-week course on the rifle range. Center: After a day's firing at the range these recruits scour out the barrels of their rifles in a long trough of hot water. And at the right we have a view of the leatherneck's laundry, with recruits busily engaged at one of the wash racks.

or four weeks are squandered in idle debates, relative to retrenching the government expenditures, when expenses of Congress during this protracted session, may exceed all other expenditures for the civil departments. We are of opinion that the best measure of retrenchment Congress can now adopt, is to limit its session to 60 days, or less if possible."—The Telegraph and Texas Register (Houston), December 8, 1841.



Last Monday I attended the local livestock auction sale. Not that I intended to buy anything, but sometimes a man who's grown up with livestock just naturally likes to hang around hogs and cows and horses and breathe the smell of them again.

It was a raw day with gusty showers and a bone-chilling wind, a mighty good day for hog-killing, bundling or pneumonia.

To Pecos Turner and I, pneumonia looked like the safest bet. Pecos came by to help me sweat the sale, but he was not sweating. His wife was off from home, visiting one of the girls, and had forgotten to tell Pecos to bundle him-

self up good when he went out. Summer and winter, Pecos goes around in ducking pants, a shirt and vest. The weather may change often, but Pecos never does—unless Grandma Turner sees to it. She also has to see that he wears a heavier coat when freezing weather comes along.

Pecos spit tobacco juice all over the sides of my car on the way to the sale, and commented: "There's one good thing about Texas weather; if you don't like her, by gum, you can just wait around for a couple of hours and some'll come along that'll suit you! She was plumb clear and warm when I piled up in the shucks for a little sleep last night."

When we arrived at the stockyards, we found all the livestock owners and dealers and sweaters hunkering down on their spurred heels around a couple of fires inside Hipshot Cherry's coffee and hamburger stand. Hipshot built those fires, he told me. He said he'd built up one to keep himself warm while he worked, but that the customers had flocked in and taken possession. Then he built another. But more customers had come and crowded him away from it, too. We found him shivering around outside his stand, while all his customers squatted inside, scorching their shins while their hindquarters froze, then turning around to warm their hindquarters and freeze their shins.

Apparently, Hipshot operates his

stand on the theory that the customer is always bigger and more numerous.

But Jess Maker is different. He operates on the theory that an extra pair of brand new pants, pulled on before a bunch of shivering men like us, who cannot afford two pairs of pants, will incite no little envy. He backed up his theory with proof, and made himself abunch of enemies.

"There's gents what just naturally can't keep from giving a pore devil a dig when they get a chance," was Pecos' observation.

One good citizen gazed longingly upon Maker's extra pants and hatched off an idea.

#### NOTICE OF REWARD

I am offering

**\$500 Reward**

for apprehension and conviction of guilty parties to every theft of livestock in Crockett County — except that no officer of Crockett County may claim the reward.

**MRS. W. S. WILLIS**  
Sheriff, Crockett County

"Nobody'd have to smash my toes with a hammer to get a good stiff drink down me," he said hopefully.

Another shook his head. "Not me," he said. "I haven't forgot how a pint caused me to see \$50 worth of taller on a bunch of cattle last week, when it wasn't there.

Some of the other duck-waddlers around the smoky fire weren't so cautious. Every little bit, one would sneak out and run for his automobile, where he'd strike a couple of quick blows for liberty.

This general fight against the dread pneumonia kept up till after the sale got started. Then as the "medicine" bottle lowered, the price of cattle soared. If they both hadn't played out soon, the price of livestock would have reached an all-time high. Bidding was loud and brisk, to say the least.

Some of the boys had a little trouble finding their stock, though, after they couldn't remember what they'd bought.

A new broom with bristles made of plastic collects particles of dust instead of blowing them around. Friction of the bristles against floors, clothing and other materials creates static electricity, which holds the dust particles in the broom.

### Inaugural For New TCU Prexy Apr. 8-9

FORT WORTH, Nov. 29—Formal inauguration ceremonies for Dr. M. E. Sadler as president of Texas Christian University have been set by the Board of Trustees for April 8 and 9.

An educational institute will be held in conjunction with the inauguration, with several persons of national importance in the field of higher education on the two-day program.

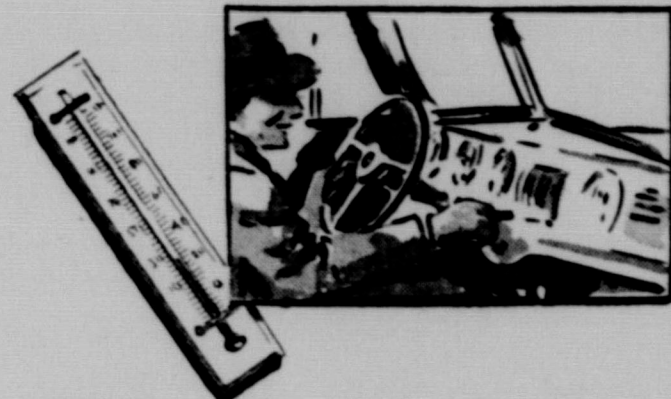
Colleges and universities throughout the nation will be invited to send representatives.

Dr. Sadler became the sixth president of T.C.U., in the 68 years of the institution's existence, when he took office Sept. 1.

He succeeded President E. M. Waits, who retired after serving 25 years as head of the school. Dr. Waits now bears the title of president emeritus.

Classified ads get results—try one

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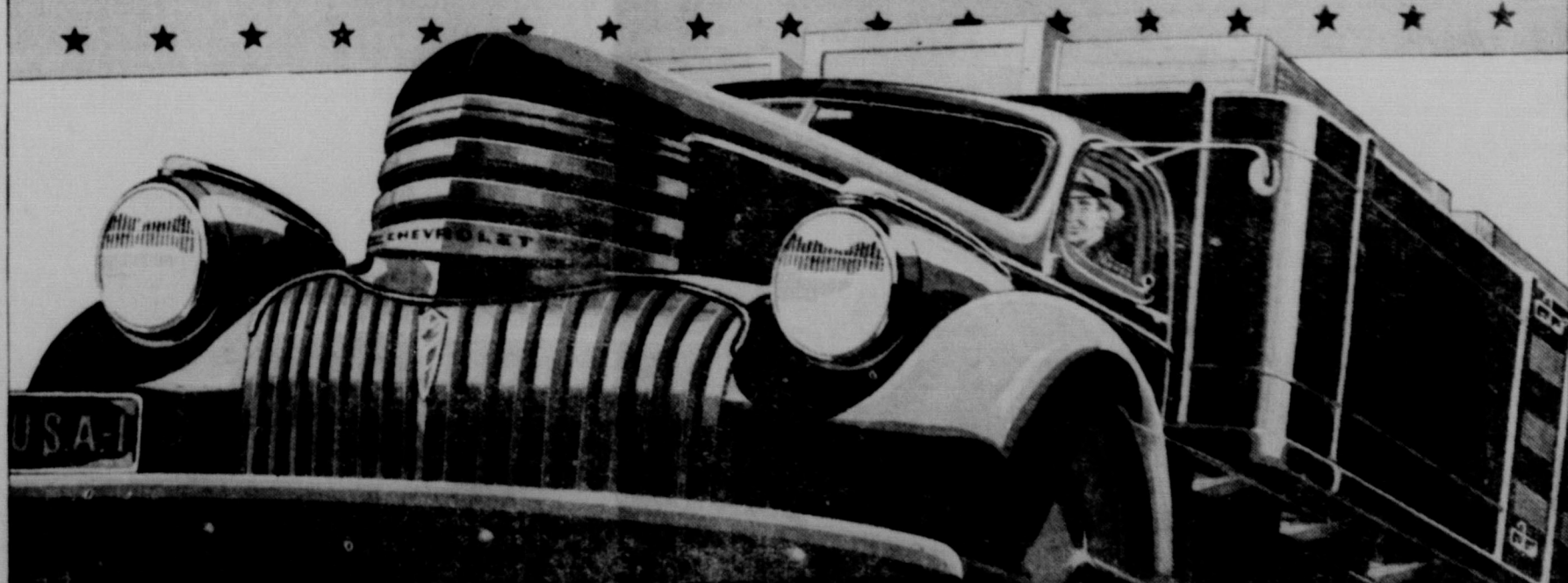
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### Experienced Beauty Operators Lease Mrs. Fred Surguy's Shop

Miss Jerry Mobley of San Angelo and Miss Betty Dorr of Houston have leased the beauty shop operated here by Mrs. Fred Surguy, taking possession this week.

Mrs. Surguy is leaving for Odessa where she and her daughter, Fredda, will join Mr. Surguy. Mr. Surguy is engaged in construction work at Odessa.

Both Miss Mobley and Miss Dorr are experienced operators. Miss Mobley formerly operated a shop at Melvin, and Miss Dorr was connected with a shop in Sonora for the past two months, going there from Houston where she was engaged in similar work.

### Don't Wait Until Pyorrhea Strikes

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Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Legg and son, J. N., Jr., of Dallas, visited Mrs. Legg's sister, Mrs. Hyeward White, and family, here this week.

Miss Mary Louise Harvick spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Harvick. She attends Texas U. at Austin.

Miss Posey Baggett, who attends Texas U. at Austin has returned to school after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Baggett during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rinker of Kansas City, Mo., left Tuesday to spend the winter in California. They have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Waggoner for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Adams and Jane of Pumpville visited relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nussbaumer were here last week for a visit with Mrs. Nussbaumer's mother, Mrs. S. B. Phillips, and other relatives.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Clyde Childers, Pastor

Schedule of services:  
9:45 Sunday School.  
10:50 Morning Worship.  
2:00 Deacon's Worship.  
3:00 Monthly Conference.  
6:15 Training Union.  
7:15 Evening Worship.  
Wednesday—  
3:00 W.M.S. Circles meet.  
7:30 Prayer Meeting.  
8:15 Choir Practice.  
Thursday, Dec. 11—  
7:30 Teachers and officers meeting.

The pastor has closed the meeting at Sheffield and will be here for the regular services Sunday. Each member of the church is urged to be present for the Sunday School hour and each of the worship services. You will always find a cordial welcome to all the services of this church.

### THE METHODIST CHURCH Eugene Slater, Minister

Calendar of Services  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Youth Fellowship, 6:45 p. m.  
Evening Worship, 7:45 p. m.  
Woman's Society of Christian Service, Wednesday, 3:00 p. m.  
Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.  
Board Christian Education Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Throughout the month of December let's think in these terms: "Every member of every family in some church service every Sunday!" You and your family will benefit from your fellowship with your friends in Sunday School and church. Good intentions are strengthened; noble resolutions are born; good will toward others is created, a sense of Communion with God are the results of worship. Your church needs you and you need your church. Come to church every Sunday!

### W. S. CARUTHERS DEAD

W. S. Caruthers of Paradise, Texas, father of Guinn Caruthers, former manual training teacher in the Ozona High School, died in Paradise Saturday, according to word received by friends here. Mr. Caruthers had been in failing health for some time. Guinn Caruthers is teaching this year in the Conroe High School.

### Bible Literature Discussion Topic For Woman's Club

Members of Ozona Woman's Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. Johnson for a study of the topic, "The Bible as Literature." An interesting feature of the day's program was a display of old, unusual and interesting Bible, brought by members of the group.

Mrs. Stephen Perner played the hymn, "Rock of Ages," as the opening number.

A talk on poetry of the Bible was given by Mrs. V. I. Pierce, who pointed out that the Book has more a rhythm of thought than of rhymes. The lyric poetry of Solomon is real and vital and the Psalms is a vast hymn book, the speaker said.

Love stories of the Bible were discussed by Mrs. Monroe Baggett who called attention to the Bible's great love stories, of Rebecca and Isaac, Jacob and Rachel, Samson and Delilah and of Ruth and Naomi.

Mrs. Hubert Baker told of the Bible's dramas, declaring that all of the old Prophets were dramatic in their teaching, breaking bottles, blowing trumpets, etc., for the dramatic effect. The parables of the Bible were all dramatic scenes. Miracle plays and morality plays were used by the early churches and later the Passion Play at Ober-amagah. Many other Bible incidents are dramatized, Mrs. Baker pointed out, including Noah's Ark, the Tower of Babel, the life of Moses in the wilderness and the Nativity.

Miss Elizabeth Fussell gave an interesting report on the State Convention of the Federal Women's Clubs in Dallas recently.

The next regular meeting of the club was postponed until Dec. 16, the session to be a luncheon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Henderson.

Present for this week's meeting were Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Mrs. P. T. Robison, Mrs. I. G. Rape, Mrs. J. M. Baggett, Miss Elizabeth Fussell, Mrs. Hubert Baker, Mrs. W. E. Smith, Mrs. A. C. Hoover, Mrs. N. W. Graham, Mrs. Joe Pierce,

Mrs. Evart White, Mrs. V. Pierce, Mrs. Stephen Perner, Mrs. Carl Colwick, Mrs. W. R. Baggett, Mrs. Ira Carson and Mrs. M. Johnson.

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In order that those who desire may take advantage of the saving offered, this notice is given taxpayers of Crockett County regarding the discount schedule on state, county and school taxes.

December is the last month in which discount may be taken on property tax payments for 1941, this discount is offered on all state, county and school taxes due for the current year.

## 1 Per Cent Discount---

on taxes paid from now to January 1; after January 1, 1942, no discount will be allowed and the full amount must be paid by February 1, 1942.

**MRS. W. S. WILLIS**

Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector  
Crockett, County



It's Christmas—you can tell by the smiles on the happy faces of the boys and girls that are coming from our Toyland. They've seen Santa's stock room, placed their orders, wandered through a fairyland of games, dolls and toys, and they're in for the most glorious Christmas in many years. Don't deny your children this thrill of a lifetime.

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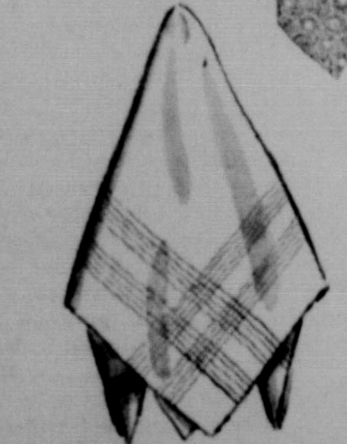


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MRS. E. A. CRISMAN, Editor PHONE 210

## Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henderson, III, Are Complimented At Series Of Parties

Mrs. John W. Henderson, 3rd, recent bride and the former Joan Shambaugh of Houston, was the honored guest at several parties recently. Mrs. Floyd Henderson and Mrs. Scott Peters entertained the Ace Club and guests at a bridge party and Mrs. Roy Henderson and Mrs. George Bunger were hostesses at a bridge party with Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henderson, 3rd, as honor guests.

Mrs. Floyd Henderson and Mrs. Scott Peters presented Mr. and Mrs. Henderson with a gift. Mrs. Joe Pierce, 3rd, and Kirby Moore won the high score trophies and Miss Jean Drake and Joe Pierce, 3rd, won the bingo games. Ice cream and cookies were served to Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Friend, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pierce, 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baggett, Mr. and Mrs. James Childress, Misses Mary Alice Smith, Jean Drake, Doris Bunger, Georgia Williams, Elizabeth Coose, Catherine Childress, Jack Baggett, Phillip Schneemann, Kirby Moore, L. D. Kirby, Bill Seaborn, and John Coates, and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henderson, 3rd.

Mrs. Roy Henderson and Mrs. George Bunger entertained with four tables of bridge and presented a gift to the honored couple. Miss Johnnie Boyd and Phillip Schneemann won the high awards and Miss Catherine Childress and John Coates won the traveling prizes.

A salad plate was served to Misses Doris Bunger, Betty Bratcher, Mary Alice Smith, Catherine Childress, Johnnie Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. James Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Moore, Max Schneemann, Phillip Schneemann, P. C. Perner, Kirby Moore, and John Soates.

## Continued Round Of Parties Honors Mary Frances West

Miss Mary Frances West, whose marriage to Lawrence E. Albers of Houston will take place Dec. 14, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. West, has been honored at a luncheon and several bridge parties this past week.

Mrs. George Bean and Mrs. S. M. Harvick entertained with a bridge party Friday afternoon at the George Bean home. Miss West was presented with a gift. Miss Mary Louise Harvick won the high score award and second high went to Miss Betty Lou Coates. Miss Posey Baggett won the prize for high cut.

Autumn appointments decorated the house and a salad plate was served to Misses Mary Louise Harvick, Johnnie Boyd, Mac McWilliams, Mary Alice Smith, Betty Lou Coates, Posey Baggett, Billie Jo West, Catherine Childress, Mrs. Buddy Moore, Mrs. Bill Friend, Mrs. W. W. West and the honoree.

Mrs. J. J. North, Mrs. Gertrude Perry, and Miss Mildred North were hostesses at a luncheon at the North home Saturday honoring the bride-elect. White and yellow chrysanthemums decorated the house. Miss West received a gift from the hostesses. Miss Mary Alice Smith received high score prize and bingo went to Mrs. Jerry Pace.

Guests were Misses Doris Bunger, Johnnie Boyd, Jean Drake, Billie Jo West, Mac McWilliams, Catherine Childress, Georgia Williams, Mary Alice Smith, Mary Louise Harvick, Betty Lou Coates, Posey Baggett, Mary Frances West, Mrs. Al Nimmo, Mrs. Jerry Pace, and Mrs. W. W. West.

Mrs. Tom Smith, Mrs. Earle Chandler, and Miss Mary Alice Smith honored Miss West with a bridge party Monday afternoon. White carnations decorated the house. A gift was presented to the bride-elect. Mrs. Sherman Taylor and Miss Wayne Augustine won high and second high awards. Mrs. Joe Pierce won the bingo game.

A salad plate was served to Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. Eddie Bower, Mrs. Fred Hagelstein, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Miss Catherine Childress, Mrs. Bill Baggett, Mrs. Dempster Jones, Mrs. Johnny Miller, Miss Wayne Augustine, and Mrs. W. W. West.

Mrs. Max Schneeman and Mrs. J. C. Montgomery entertained for Miss West at the Montgomery ranch. Feverfew and chrysanthemums decorated the living room. Miss West and Mrs. Al Nimmo, a

## Recent Bride Is Honored At Breakfast

Mrs. Dempster Jones and Mrs. Joe Pierce honored Mrs. John W. Henderson, III, Tuesday morning in the Pierce home with a bridge breakfast. White carnations and potted plants were used in room decorations. High score award went to Miss Wayne Augustine, bingo trophy to Mrs. Joe Sellers Pierce, III, and the honoree was presented with a gift.

Others present were Mrs. George Bunger, Mrs. Earle Chandler, Mr. Jack Wilkins, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Eddie Bower, Mrs. Jake Miller, Miss Mary Alyce Smith, Miss Catherine Childress and Miss Mary Frances West.

## Kenneth Phillips Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Babe Phillips honored her son, Kenneth, on his 6th birthday with a party Monday at the kindergarten building. Several group games were played and the group joined in singing "Happy Birthday." Frozen ice cream turkeys, and cake were served. Large lollipops were given as plate favors.

The kindergarten group included Phillip Childress, Charles Keith, Jimmy Reese, Louis Robertson, Carl Terry, Wanda Carden, Shirley Kost, Jo Ann Mearns, Lena Faye Powers, Jeanne Seal, Velma Tumlinson, LaJean Word, and Shirley Ann Jeffreys. Others were Bob West, Graham Childress, Roy Alvin Harrell, Barbara Fields, and Deanna Miller of Abilene.

recent bride, were presented with gifts.

A salad plate was served to Miss Catherine Childress, Miss Mary Alice Smith, Mrs. Massie West, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Bill Baggett, Mrs. Al Nimmo, and Mrs. W. W. West.

Mrs. W. W. West received the trophy for high score and Mrs. Hillery Phillips took bingo.

Mrs. James Baggett entertained with a bridge party Wednesday afternoon honoring Miss West at the Monroe Baggett home.

The home was decorated with autumn leaves and flowers. A gift was presented to Mary Frances West. Mrs. Dempster Jones and Miss Wayne Augustine won the prizes for high and second high scores. Mrs. Ralph Jones won the bingo game.

Pie and coffee were served to Mrs. Arthur Phillips, Mrs. Dempster Jones, Mrs. Johnny Miller, Miss Mary Alice Smith, Mrs. Earle Chandler, Mrs. Richard Flowers, Mrs. Bill Baggett, Mrs. Massie West, Mrs. W. W. West, Mrs. Monroe Baggett, Mrs. Sherman Taylor, Mrs. Eddie Bowers, Mrs. Jesse Marley, Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mrs. Bill Childress, Mrs. A. O. Fields, Mrs. Phillips Lee Childress, Mrs. Doug Kirby, Mrs. Fred Hagelstein, Mrs. Paul M. Hallcomb, Jr., Mrs. Evert White, Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs. Rex Russell, Miss Wayne Augustine, and Miss West.

Do your Christmas buying early.

## Kinney-Westerman Wedding Plans Are Told At Christoval

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lee Kinney of Christoval of the engagement and



Miss Allena Kinney

approaching marriage of their daughter, Allena, to Lt. Marl Avant Westerman of Fort Bliss, El Paso.

Miss Kinney is home economics teacher in the Ozona High School. Lt. Westerman is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Finley Harold Westerman of Llano. The wedding is planned for December 21 in Christoval. Miss Kinney will continue her teaching duties in the Ozona schools until the end of the present term.

## Mrs. R. L. Flowers Las Amigas Hostess

Mrs. Richard Flowers was hostess to Las Amigas Bridge Club at her home Saturday afternoon. Mrs. A. O. Fields, Mrs. R. L. Nearsta, and Mrs. Phillips Lee Childress received high score trophies for their tables. Mrs. Rex Russell, Mrs. Heyward White, and Mrs. Al Nimmo won the bingo games.

Pie and coffee were served to Mrs. A. O. Fields, Miss Mildred North, Mrs. Rex Russell, Mrs. G. L. Nearsta, Mrs. Jerry Pace of Austin, Mrs. Heyward White, Mrs. Phillips Lee Childress, Mrs. Al Nimmo, and Mrs. J. N. Legg of Dallas.

## Social Calendar

Thursday, Dec. 4th—Mrs. V. I. Pierce and Mrs. Eugene Miller will entertain honoring Miss Mary Frances West.

Mrs. Charles Williams to entertain with 42 party.

Friday, Dec. 5th—Mrs. Massie West and Mrs. Boyd Clayton to honor Miss Mary Frances West.

Mrs. A. O. Fields will be hostess to the Friday Night 42 Club.

Saturday, Dec. 6th—Mrs. Jake Young and Mrs. Welton Bunger will honor Miss West.

Ace Club.

Monday, Dec. 8th—Mrs. John W. Henderson and Mrs. Joe Sellers Pierce, 3rd will honor Mrs. John W. Henderson, 3rd from three until six o'clock.

Mrs. A. O. Fields to entertain Las Amigas.

Tuesday, Dec. 9th—Friendship Club.



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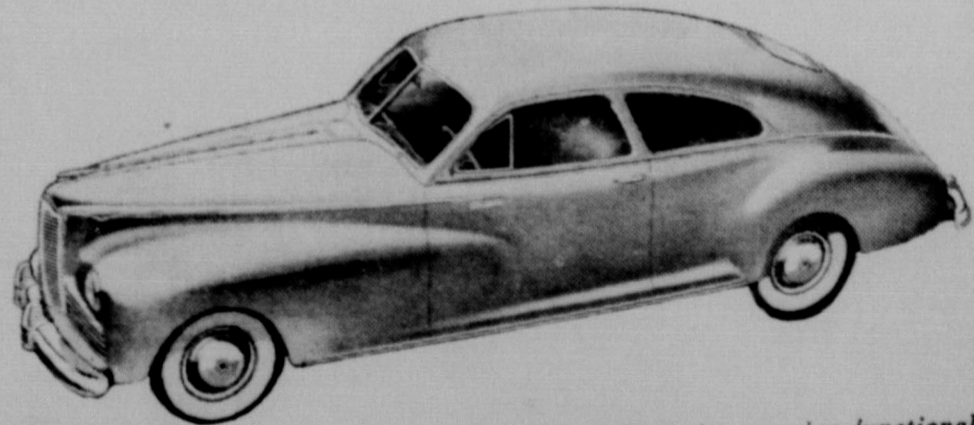
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Six Weeks Grades Cause Students to Work Diligently

Folks, it is the time now everyone dreads. Last Tuesday a week ago the six-weeks grades came out. Some people were very sad and some were rather happy. You know, some students actually had themselves fooled about their grades. Usually every one who makes low grades go around saying "Boy, did I make a good grade on that test." Well, he receives the paper and he has a failing mark. He just can't understand that. The people who make good grades are usually saying, "Mom and Pop will raise the roof, I just know I flunked that exam." Well everything usually works out just the opposite. A queer thing happened in one English class. The people who usually make good grades "just sneaked through." The persons who usually flunk out "passed in a breeze." It couldn't be that some people were over confident and didn't study, or could it? Students, if you intend to pass you have to study hard. A little more studying wouldn't hurt anyone. As usual the student body is trying to keep down the number of F's. There is one class that has been leading all the others in the number of F's. If these students would try harder, these F's could be kept down. The six weeks grades were: Seniors—38 A's, 16 B's, 22 C's, and 1 F. The Junior grades were 31 A's, 24 B's, 26 C's, and 6 F's. The Sophomore grades were 23 A's, 31 B's, 25 C's, and 5 F's. The Freshman class had more F's than any other class. Their grades were 21 A's, 22 B's, 24 C's, and 19 F's. Congratulations go to the Seniors who have more A's and fewer C's and F's than any other class. The lower classmen should be able to keep up with these Seniors.

Editor's Musings

By Rozelle Pharr
The other day I was witness to an incident that left a firm impression on my mind. I saw two of our local football boys help an old woman across the street. It was raining, and it would have been much easier for the two boys to have gone on to their classes inside the warm schoolroom. This scene showed me a fine display of the character of the two boys. Strong, manly boys are required to play football; but it takes boys having a fine character, courtesy and courage to do what these two boys have done. Such a deed as helping an old woman or child across the street may seem to be a trivial matter, but how often do you see it done? It is a good thing to have our school identified as the school with the winning football team, but it is also good to have it identified as the school in which courtesy and kindness are predominating factors among the student body. Why don't you take your cue from these two boys and make a name for yourself and your school?

Student of the Week

Lithe, energetic, capable, dependable might be a few of the long list of adjectives that could be used to describe this chosen Sophomore girl. She is one of that very limited group who are just genuinely sweet. She is never too busy nor too tired to smile and have a friendly word for all whom she meets. Never making herself conspicuous, but being reserved cultured at all times, she is always found to be doing her best at any assigned task. No doubt as to the name of the student could remain if mention were made of her piano playing, her new instrument, or her other activities connected with the band. It would give the secret away to write anything about her red hair, her good grades or her brother who is a prominent member of our high school. A writer could add, however, that she is a typical American girl—intellectual, friendly, cultured, and attractive in both appearance and manner.

Another proof that the American standard of living is the highest in the world—the average U. S. family spends about \$20 a year going to the movies.

Say: "I saw it in the Stockman."

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Have You Ever Heard Of These Before?

We are going to have a little game this afternoon for the benefit of the school. Admission only 10 cents. Tell your parents about it. All right, stop that talking. That's a senior privilege. Please try to cultivate a refined, cultivated laugh. Don't chew gum in my class. It is common and undignified. That's the best one I've seen, and I've seen them all. Study hall, get quiet. I'm going to tell mama on you. Just watch us put it over. That is right, is it not? Report to me at 4 o'clock. Get out your pencils and paper. Who passed that note? Sit down, Bill! Don't talk back to me. Please leave the class, and don't come back until you can behave. Don't ask so many questions, Stanley. May I speak about the civics outline? Somebody swiped my English book! I am tired of school. That is a joke, shall I say, on you?

SPORTS

By EDDY COOKE

It looks as if we, the OHS students, will have a nice long vacation of about two weeks when Christmas gets here. The Lions football squad is going to New Orleans to the Sugar Bowl game as a reward for winning District and Bi-District. Mr. Lee Wilson, local Buick dealer, has chartered a new 29 passenger bus for the boys. Coach Patterson, Assistant Coach McCook, and the Lions squad are the only passengers to ride the bus. The boys are going to get jackets this year with Bi-District Champions on the left sleeve. Every man on the team will get a jacket, but of course not all of them will letter. A meeting was held, as usual in the study hall Monday morning, and it was learned that the trophy case has become too small to hold all of our trophies. A large trophy case is being constructed it was reported. Football is gone for this year and a very glorious season it has been, perhaps the most glorious that Ozona will ever have. As the school grows, more boys and girls enter, there will be many strong teams to come and play under the Lion Banner, but there will never be as strong a team and as fighting as the team of 1941. Basketball, here we come!

OZONA LIONS DOWN BRONTE LONGHORNS 21-6; WINNING BI-DISTRICT AND NINTH VICTORY

Press Club Enjoys Sing Song In The Home of Eddy Cooke

The Press Club met at the home of Eddy Cooke Dec. 1. The president, Adele Keeton, called the house to order and Rozelle Pharr called the roll. Rozelle read the minutes of the last meeting. The minutes stood approved as read. The program was turned over to Mary Perner, the program chairman. The group had a sing song. They sang "Hail Alma Mater," "You Are My Sunshine," "Show Me the Way to Go Home," "Jingle Bells," "Ragtime Cowboy Joe," and "Let Me Call You Sweetheart." Adele read her "grips" for the week. "Sug" Owens made the motion to adjourn and Mary E. Gray seconded the motion. Refreshments of cocoa and cookies were served to the following: Joy Coates, Dot Capps, Adele Keeton, Eddy Cooke, Claudie Everett, Sug Owens, L. B. Cox, Florence Luther, Rozelle Pharr, Margaret Russell, Mary Perner, Ethel Mayes, Jack Sawyer—Virgil Odon, Mary Elizabeth Gray, Jim Ad Harvick, Lila Lee Cooke and Miss Kirbie.

Grade School News

During the past week all the rooms in grade school have had their colorful Thanksgiving decorations, but now these have been taken down and preparations for Christmas are being made. Of all the rooms decorated, probably the fifth grade was decorated the best, although the other rooms were almost as colorful with pilgrims, turkeys, and log cabins. Many projects have been started this week by the grades. The first grade is busy at work with a new health chart and Christmas preparations. The fourth grade has started on a unit on clothing. A new pupil has enrolled in the sixth grade. She comes from Dallas, Texas, and her name is Jo Ann Cole. Christmas projects are in order now and preparations can not be begun too soon. CANDELABRACADABRA—Somebody has figured out that if you, as an average American householder, used enough candles in your home to get the same amount of light you now get from electricity, your monthly candle bill would be \$350! Say: "I saw it in the Stockman."

Student Body Holds Ninth Victory Meet

The meeting in study hall Monday morning, was opened by Supt. Denham mentioning the ninth victory of the "Ozona Ball Club." He then called on Stanley to make a statement concerning the A. & M. and Texas game. Stanley made a statement that went something like this: "Texas beat the Aggies all to pieces." Tom Ed then made a statement on another game in the "spotlight," the TCU and SMU game. The main event was a talk made by Coach Patterson praising the football boys and the fine spirit of the student body and the townspeople. One particular statement was "I don't think that anyone is prouder of the boys than I am," and the football boys knew he meant it. The statement made by Stanley about the A. & M.-Texas game was smoothed down somewhat by Shorty in his statement. Another Ex was present, Betty Lou Coates, who made a statement about the good football season. Mr. Denham made some announcements and made a short talk which concluded the meeting in the study hall and also a very successful football season for Ozona High School.

SENSES OWENS-MAYES

SEEN—Roy with a black eye and a skinned face. Lorain, don't you know better than to chase pole cats without letting Roy know about it? Many Exes wandering around Ozona. We're glad to have you back. Ozona received the punt, but Roy Coates failed to catch the ball, due to the glare from the sun. Hannah covered the ball for Ozona. Three tries failed to gain yardage so Hokit kicked out on the Bronte 36 yard line. For the next few plays neither team showed any advantage over the other; however, the first quarter ended with Ozona in possession of the ball deep in Bronte territory. A few plays later, Cox again made a touchdown for Ozona's second tally. Coates passed to Hokit for the extra point. Ozona led 14-0 as the first half ended. Coach Patterson warned the boys that Bronte was a "second-half" ball club; and true to his word, Bronte came back in the first few minutes of the second half and showed that they were still in the ball game "by a long shot." Although Bronte outweighed the Ozona team, Ozona was able to hold their own. The third quarter was scoreless. In the early fourth, Bud Cox took a pass on Bronte's 30 and ran across to make the score 20-0. The extra point was good and Ozona led 21-0. Hannah threw to B. Williams for the point. In the last few minutes of the game, Bronte made their only score on a pass. The extra point was not good. The Ozona team can well be called the greatest team in the history of Ozona High. Congratulations, Lions, on a perfect season.

HEARD—Thump, thump. I wonder if this could have been Joy's heart knocking Sunday. I believe John Robert roped a calf or two Sunday afternoon. Adele had a very, very good time over the holidays. She visited Hardin Simmons University. From what she says students at Hardin-Simmons really have a good time in the dormitories. She went to bed at 2 a. m. Aren't there any rules there? Mildred and Sis want dolls for Christmas. That Bill was entertained by guests over the week-end. That Shorty thinks Stanley rather knocked him about A. & M. That was a dirty crack, Stanley, even if it was true. That Tom Ed is a man of the world. That lipstick wasn't very becoming to you, Tom. You, either, Basil! That Mildred's one dream ambition is to be on a lake at night when the moon is streaming down about her. Heavens! How romantic or many we say poetical!

TASTED—Pecans and suckers in League. Red, will you and Bland ever grow up? Lizzie didn't know whether it was blood or rain that was hitting her in the mouth Thursday night. Oh well, you got "it" anyway didn't you. Good turkey dinners, etc.

FELT—A pain on every crook and curve (pretty curves too). That is beside the point. The general idea is that Gem Ella has a great many things ailing her. Hope to see you back in school soon. "Baby Girl." Terribly blue when the rain during the holidays spoiled some girls' fun.

KINDERGARTEN—Kenneth Phillips celebrated his sixth birthday on Monday, Nov. 23, by having a party for the kindergarten. It was held in the morning, in the kindergarten building. The children entertained themselves with various group games. Miss Sprawls, the kindergarten teacher, read them some interesting stories about Thanksgiving. Refreshments consisting of white cake and decorated with pink mints and blue candles, chocolate ice cream, turkeys, milk, and suckers with faces on them were served.

T. C. U. "Band Sweetheart"



Miss Dorothy Bryant, 17-year-old student, is the "Sweetheart" of the Ozona Football Band of T. C. U. She was "Miss Fort Worth" of 1939 and a class favorite and co-ed queen during the senior year in high school. She is a freshman, her home in Fort Worth.

### Lion's Roar---

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#### THE WISE OLD OWL

By RUSSELL and COATES

Bi-District Champs! Sounds good, doesn't it boys? Well, you deserve it.

Vera has turned "Veronica Lake" on us. Well, your hair is mighty pretty. No kidding!

Miss Kirbie had a good time this week-end. Just notice that happy expression on her face!

Chappo has a pretty new car! And, he isn't even stingy with it, especially with San Angelo girls.

First it's paper dolls, then little cars, and now cowboys and robbers. What's next? Ask Melba and Ailene. They're the guilty ones.

My, my, how these "little fish" get around; but the penalty is low grades, 19 F's, and 21 A's. That's close, kids!

Mary really looks well in khaki pants, especially Bill's. But, really they were cute.

Roy was knocked down by a tree while Lorain was chasing a skunk in a pickup. Doesn't sound so good. What else went along? Not Juniors! Nothing like that.

Mr. Sikes has to have his watch greased because his baby has rusted!

Sug has taken to honky tonking! Have a good time, Sug? Hope so.

Virgil and Ailene are really getting thick! Over at "Ozona Harlem" at that.

Ethel said that she and Miles were getting along O.K. They both have colds this morning.

Boochie got a cold Saturday night. How, Boochie? Or is it better to keep it quiet?

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#### Magazines and Papers Add Reading Pleasure

There have been several new issues of magazines placed in the library to be read by the high school students. Reading is definitely an integral part of a person's education, and it is to the advantage of all that these magazines are available. It is important, however, that this privilege is not abused.

Papers and magazines have to be handled with a reasonable amount of care or else they have to be discarded long before the next issues are published. It is the student's responsibility that all periodicals remain in good condition. It is asked that everyone cooperate with the librarians in seeing that all reading matter is returned to its proper place. If the last person who reads the book, paper, or magazine returns it, then the library will always stay clean and the reading materials will always be in good condition.

The new issues of magazines have a three-fold purpose—attractiveness, entertainment, education. Ozona High School students should take advantage of all three. With such an opportunity to enrich one's mind, then everyone should budget his time in order that a part

### Safety Assured for Tiny Tourists



Tiny tourists sometimes grow restless on long motor trips and their limitless energy and curiosity require double checking to insure that every safety precaution is being taken by their parents. With the entire rear compartment of the family Chevrolet as his personal playground, this youngster assumes a favorite perch that ordinarily would be dangerous. However, a simple adjustment, easily made by Chevrolet mechanics, converted the rear door handle to a safety-action handle, which "free wheels" and does not open the door. After the lock is adjusted to safety position, as indicated in the inset, the lock button is depressed and the inside handle then will not open the door, rendering it "child-proof." Release of the lock button enables the driver to open the door as usual.

of each day could be spent in the library reading for his own enjoyment and betterment. Reading should not be limited to only one phase of learning but should include a wide scope. With proper guidance and application, the student body, through its regular courses plus its extra-curricular activities, could reach a new-known height of culture and achievement.

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#### Echoes From The Library

by Florence Luther

"China Fights for Her Life" gives a clear picture of the forces active in China today.

The layman reading of the Chinese-Japanese War in the daily press is apt to find himself hopelessly confused by his ignorance of what events led up to the present conflict. This book "China Fights for Her Life," take up the story in 1900 when foreign powers first seriously interested themselves in the Orient, and carries us right down to the present day. The authors, H. R. Ekins and Theon Wright, show why China has never had a national government in a realistic sense, or a spontaneous uprising of a majority of her people in her various "revolutions." This volume makes it plain just what good Chiang Kai-shek has been aiming to work and how his apparently inconsistent policies may be reconciled. It gives a fair estimate of how far Communism has advanced in China and explains how Nationalist and Reds have found it possible to present a united front against Japan.

Mr. Ekins has spent seven years in the Far East, speaks Chinese, and has interviewed most of the important leaders on both sides, Chinese and Japanese. Mr. Wright has handled many U. P. dispatches from the war zone, thus having a broad perspective of the whole theatre of action. The two men together are therefore in a position to give a well-rounded account of China's dramatic struggle for independence.

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Do your Christmas shopping early and avoid the last minute rush.

#### FETTER FROM AN EX

The following letter was received from Bobby Lemmons, who is now a freshman at Texas University:

"Dear Coach, Football Boys and Student Body:

"Upon reading of your very successful football team this season, I surely do want to congratulate you. This may sound very funny coming from me, but I want you to know that I have never been more sincere in all my life. I am quite sure that there is not a single one of you happier about this year's football season than I.

"Of course, most of the pressure is on the Coach and the players, but the support of the band, pep squad, and the student body really mean a great deal to any good team.

I certainly do want to wish you all the luck in the world against Lakeview or Bronte, not that I don't think you will beat them anyway.

"An 'Ole Ex,'  
"Bob Lemmons"

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#### Why I Come To School

Stanley—So I can worry the teachers.

Jim—To look at the pretty girls.

Sis—To bring honor to the family name.

Floyd—So I can play ball.

Roy—To learn, and to get out of work.

Eddie—Because of the leather strap and the compulsory law.

Bill C.—So I won't have to herd lambs.

Dan—For pasture.

Bland—To get chewed out four times a day.

Carl—To learn to stutter.

Zella—No other place to go.

Billy H.—'Cause Mary comes.

Boochie—So Ozona will be minus one idiot.

Joy—So "Sug" won't get ahead of me.

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#### Junior Band Continues To Show Improvement

The Junior Band is making great progress. They are now all practicing together. There are now 25 members and here is hoping that there will be more to join. The boys and girls of this band are looking forward to playing for the student body. If they keep the steady rate of progress they have been keeping it will not be long until they can make a performance. These students will join the high school band after they have reached their goal of training. This will improve the band when they reach high school, and the band will continue to show the good ratings of the past.

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#### Fire Razes Helbing Home In Barnhart

Fire destroyed the seven-room house at Barnhart Friday night owned by Dr. and Mrs. A. Helbing of San Angelo and was rented by Mr. and Mrs. Marion McBee.

McBee was on a hunting trip and Mrs. McBee and two daughters were attending a movie in Big Lake when the blaze was noticed by neighbors. The house itself was insured against fire, but all the furniture and other belongings of the McBees were destroyed.

Fire-fighting equipment from Big Lake and the Bar S. Ranch were hurried to the scene, but the blaze was so advanced that firemen concentrated on saving the nearby home of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Johnson.



# SANTA says

Select Your

# TOYS

and

# GIFTS

While

# Stocks Are Complete!

You had better heed Santa's advice and not let Christmas catch you unprepared: These last few weeks before the great event have an uncanny habit of slipping by before you realize it—and there you are with your whole list to shop for and so little time left. That of course, means that you must select hurriedly—having to get things that you don't particularly want to give.

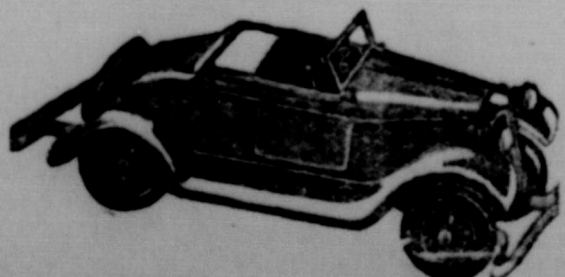
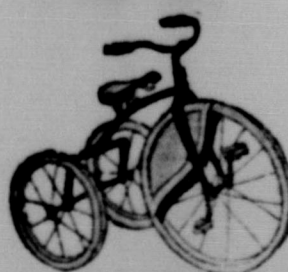
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Later News . . . More West Texas News!

**Sugar Bowl—**

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Floyd Hokit, Bill Carson, Lorain Wyatt, Byron Williams, Roy Coates, Tom Ed Montgomery, Dorris Haire, Henry Patrick, Carl Thurman, Wayne West, Marvin Porter, Billy Hannah, Calvin Williams, Bland Tandy, Boochie Coates and L. B. Cox.

The boys were given their choice of the Rose Bowl game in Pasadena, Calif., or the Sugar Bowl in New Orleans. At a squad meeting last week the boys voted to make the New Orleans trip.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We take this method of extending our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors of Ozona and Crockett County for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy, and especially for the beautiful floral offerings, on the occasion of the death of our mother and grandmother.

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**Six From Ozona—**

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trict winning team had no part in the preliminary politicking incident to selection of the mythical team. He submitted a list of his boys without a recommendation of the outstanding players.

"We had a well-balanced team of all stars," Coach Patterson explained, "and it would have been impossible for me to have picked one boy over another. I voted for my boys and left the others their choice."

Coach Patterson agreed with the voiced opinion of local fans that at least three others of the Lion first string should have had a place on the all-district—Billy Hannah and Roy Coates in the backfield, and Byron Williams at end.

"Mason ran up more impressive scores against opposing teams than did Ozona and their stars naturally made more impression on the coaches," Patterson said in explanation. "I am proud of the fact that ours was a balanced team and not one of outstanding stars, but that fact worked against us in this matter of picking an all-district line-up. Naturally, these honors are distributed as far as possible and with the odds six to one I couldn't hope to get tall my boys in the line-up."

The coaches' second string all-district selection was as follows:

Ends: Berger, Sonora, and B. Williams of Ozona.

Tackles: Zesch, Mason, and Lev-erett, Menard.

Guards: Cox, Junction, and White, Menard.

Center: St. Claire, Junction.

Backs: Ory, Sonora; Roy Coates, Ozona; Andrews, Junction; and Smith, Junction.

**Keeton's Dairy Adds Mechanical Milking Equipment**

A completely modern dairy plant was attained for Ozona this week when J. T. Keeton's Dairy installed a new and modern DeLaval magnetic type milking machine. This piece of equipment brought the already well equipped local dairy on a par with the best equipped dairies in the state.

The new machine milks two cows simultaneously, the milk flowing in strictly sanitary equipment and not even exposed to the air. Ozona people are invited to visit the modern plant and inspect the sanitary equipment in use for production of Grade A whole milk.

**IN APPRECIATION**

We are bringing to a close the campaign to raise the money to send our fine Champion of 7B Football Team and their Coaches to the Sugar Bowl Game at New Orleans on Jan. 1. As chairman of that committee I want to say that I have never seen such wholehearted support as you good people have given. It has been a joy to serve and I know that our boys are going to have a wonderful trip, thanks to your support. I want to thank each and everyone of you from the bottom of my heart.

If there is any that would like to add to the fund the list is at the Wilson Motor Company office. We could not see every one.

LEE WILSON

**Music Club Hosts At American Song Evening Program**

A delightful entertainment program and community get-together was enjoyed by approximately 60 men and women in the district courtroom Tuesday evening when the Ozona Music Club was host at an American Song Evening program staged as its annual Guest Day event of the current season.

Guests came in costume representing a song and a colorful assemblage resulted from any costumes remaining of the gay nineties. The guests were divided into five groups, according to costume, the first group, representing the period of "Long Ago," sang "Old Folks at Home." The group representing the "Gay Nineties," sang "Juanita," and those of "Yesterday," sang "My Wild Irish Rose." The representatives of the period of "Today" sang a popular number, "When I Grow Too Old To Dream" and the "Cowboy" group sang "Home on the Range." Mrs. Eugene Slater was the master of ceremonies.

What amounted to a home-talent musical show, but one that was in fact as entertaining as many a highly paid stage show, was then unfolded for the guests. Bryan McDonald, whose slouchy straw hat and blue overalls branded him as "Old McDonald" that "had a farm," sang two comic solo numbers, "Sweet Evelina" and "Tit-Willow," with James D. Moss accompanying on the guitar.

A "Gay Nineties" octette composed of Mrs. L. B. Townsend, Mrs. J. D. Moss, Mrs. Hugh Gray, Mrs. Neal Hannah, L. B. Townsend, Neal Hannah, Ross Hufst-ler and Hubert Baker sang "Clem-entine" and "Daisy Bell," with Mrs. Gray and Hubert Baker playing a two-guitar accompaniment.

An entertaining novelty number "Me and My Merry Automobile" was sung by Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moss, Mr. Moss playing a guitar solo, "Spanish Fandango" for an encore. Mrs. Moss later threw in a tap dance for the entertainment of the crowd.

Under the leadership of Miss Frances Sprawls, a group of American folk games were enjoyed, the group including "Shoo Fly," "Skat-ting Along," "Daisy Bell," and "I've Been Working on the Rail-road."

A Gay Nineties quartet composed of Neal Hannah, L. B. Town- send, Ross Hufst-ler and Hubert Baker sang a group of numbers, "My Wild Irish Rose," "The High-land Goat," and "I". Mrs. Hubert Baker gave two readings, "A Great Tune" and "Susie Bell's Store Shoes."

The entertaining evening closed with a lively sing-song directed by Mrs. Bryan McDonald. Mr. Mc-Donald playing the piano accom-paniment. Songs selected for the sing-song progressed from songs of childhood, to youth, to romance, to marriage and to old age, all typically American songs, well loved and steeped in tradition. To close the song fest, the Ozona school song, and the patriotic "God Bless America" were sung with lusty enthusiasm by the assembly.

Refreshments of hot spiced punch, sandwiches and cookies were served. Enjoying the evening were Messrs and Mesdames Arthur Allen, Monroe Baggett, Hubert Baker, Lee Childress, Boyd Clayton, Joe Clayton, M. E. Cor- bell, Hugh Gray, Neal Hannah, Al- vin Harrell, Strick Harvick, Ross Hufst-ler, Elmo McCook, Bryan McDo- nald, James D. Moss, Victor Pierce, Madden Read, Rex Russell, Eugene Slater, L. B. Townsend, Evert White, and Heyward White, and Mesdames E. B. Baggett, J. C. Day of San Angelo, Hillery Phil-ips and Charles Williams, and Misses Rebecca Anderson, Eliza- beth Fussell, Ruth Graydon, Mar- zee Hammons, Allena Kinney, Ha- zel Kirbie, Margarette Myers, Eleanor Neal, Zelma Scott, Fran- ces Sprawls and Georgia Williams.

**Arizona Hunting Trip Described For Rotary Club**

An interesting account of a hunting trip in Arizona and prospects for hunters in an area in that state called the last virgin territory in America was given members of the Rotary Club at its luncheon Tuesday by James D. Moss, minister of the Church of Christ. The local minister has hunted in the state on several occasions and had some interesting tales in connection with his ex-periences.

Announcement was made of postponement of the Fort Stockton Rotary club's ladies night program from December 8 to 16. The Ozona club will furnish the program for the Stockton Club on that occasion and plans are being made for a large contingent of the local membership to make the trip.

**Volleyball Squad Begins Practice For Season Competition**

Coached by Miss Aliena Kinney, home economics instructor, twenty-four Ozona High School girls are practicing daily in preparation for the season's combats on the volleyball court.

The first volleyball game of the season is expected to be matched in the near future, but no schedule has as yet been completed.

Ethel Mayes is manager of the team. Players on squad include Vera McCaleb, Daphne Meinecke, Rosalee Lemmons, Nan Tandy, Barbara White, Mary Elizabeth Gray, Joy Coates, Ruth Townsend, Louise McLaughlin, Lottie Jo Owens, Joy Hubbard, Norma Love- lace, Rozelle Pharr, Florence Lu- ther, Susie Hokit, Zella Lee Thur- man, Mary Perner, Joyce West,

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**57,000 POUNDS WOOL SOLD**  
Sale of 57,000 pounds of wool was announced Tuesday by Melvin Brown of Ozona Wool and Mohair Co. Included was the 30,000 pound Childress Bros. clip of lamb wool, sold to Tom Richey of A. W. Hilliard & Son at 44 cents, and the 27,000 Clyde McFarland clip from Marfa at 43 cents to Beall Barbee, buyer for Walter M. Marston.

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