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Water Rates Cut For Summer Irrigation Use

Reduction Amounts to
20%; Effective Apr.
1 Thru Sept.

Welcome news to Ozona householders was made this week by directors of the Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District when they announced Ozona's first reduction in water rates—a special summer irrigation rate which will go into effect April 1.

The reduced rate will effect an approximate 20 per cent saving for the larger users of water, making it possible for Ozonans to use more water without extra cost, thus encouraging the "plant for victory" campaign, in which the government is urging home owners to plant small garden plots to grow their own foods this summer.

Rate reductions are effective after the first 5,000 gallons of water used, rates remaining the same for the first 5,000 gallons. After the first 5,000 gallons, the new rate will be a straight 25 cents per thousand gallons, whereas under the old rate, water users paid 50 cents per thousand for the next 5,000 gallons and 35 cents per thousand for the next 10,000 gallons.

Monthly minimum charge of \$2.00 for the first 2,000 gallons of water and 75 cents per thousand for the next 3,000 gallons will remain the same under the new rate schedule. With reductions from 50 to 25 cents for the next 5,000 gallons and from 35 to 25 cents for the next 10,000 gallons, it may be seen that users under the new rate will be able to use 15,000 gallons of water for the same price, \$6.75, as 10,000 gallons cost under the old rate, and the next 5,000 gallons will come at 15 cents a thousand gallons less than under the former rate.

Under the old rate, the 25 cents a thousand gallons rate was effective on all over 20,000 gallons used, whereas the low rate now goes into effect after the first 5,000 gallons.

Caliche Base Being Laid On Highway 163

Crew of 35 to 40 Men
Working On 20-Mile
Paving Project

Public Construction Co. of Denton, contractors paving the 19.7 miles of Highway 163 south from Ozona, yesterday began spreading caliche base on the roadbed from the first pit being worked on the Helbing place about 4 miles south of Ozona.

A crew of 35 to 40 men is at work on the road building job and the crew is expected to be increased as the work progresses, according to Lamar Cunningham, acting county engineer on the project.

Work is being rushed on the job with crews working in shifts a total of 20 hours a day. It is expected to be completed in from six weeks to two months. S. M. Goodman is superintendent for the company in charge of local operations.

Water from the Ozona water system is being hauled in tank trucks to wet down the road foundation. A crushed caliche base is to be laid and a two-course treatment of crushed rock and asphalt applied. The pavement is to be 20 feet wide with a two-foot caliche shoulder on each side. No drainage structures are being built.

The new paving project, financed by a re-issue of \$104,000 in unused bonds from the \$375,000 issue with which the north end of Highway 163, the Barnhart road, and Highway 290, east and west, were paved, will connect with the south end of the 163 pavement and extend 19.7 miles south from Ozona, to within about ten miles of the Crockett-Val Verde County line.

Army Pursuit Planes Crash in Ohio



This picture shows the wreckage of one of the four army pursuit planes which, caught in a heavy snow storm, crashed and burned within a half mile radius on farmlands near Lima, Ohio. Their pilots, out of Detroit on a ferrying mission, were killed.

Cooking School Sessions Monday And Tuesday

Miss Eudora Hawkins
Conducts Nutrition
Study Classes

Ozona women, and the men too if they are interested, are extended a cordial invitation to attend the two-day "Nutrition for Defense" cooking school, sponsored by the West Texas Utilities Co. in cooperation with the Ozona Stockman, to be held next Monday and Tuesday afternoons in the Hotel Ozona ballroom.

Miss Eudora Hawkins, head of the home service department of the West Texas Utilities Co. and home economics expert, will be in charge of the demonstrations and lectures.

Class sessions will begin each afternoon at 2:30 and continue for approximately two hours. The theme of the school, Nutrition for Defense, indicates the type of up-to-the-minute information and instruction which will be available to women attending the school. Shortages, rationing and need for a universal health program present a challenge for the housewife, which Miss Hawkins will discuss in an effort to suggest a means for meeting the challenge. New ideas for kitchen economies in food consumption, making use of substitutes, and getting the most out of available foods will be presented during the two-day sessions.

Conversion of factories which formerly made electrical appliances for the home and the resultant shortage of such appliances makes it necessary for the most careful consideration in the use of these household conveniences, Miss Hawkins points out, and she will have some valuable hints for the housewife in the wise and frugal use of these valuable home aids.

More Knitters Needed For Red Cross Production Quota

Another call for Red Cross knitters was issued this week by Mrs. Roy Henderson, chairman in charge of knitting for this county Red Cross production quota.

Approximately 30 sweaters out of the present quota of 90 knitted garments have not been assigned, Mrs. Henderson said. Yarn is available for this work and women who will volunteer their services are asked to call or see Mrs. Henderson.

Men Invited For Coffee, Ginger Bread At Cooking School

Ozona men are to have a share in the cooking school at Hotel Ozona Monday and Tuesday afternoons — an eating share.

Miss Eudora Hawkins, demonstrator, has announced a men's party from 9 to 10:30 Tuesday morning when coffee and ginger bread will be served. All men are invited.

Handsome Prizes Offered In Cake Baking Contest

A cake baking contest, with a set of Mirro aluminum ware as first prize and an electric coffee maker as second prize, has been announced by Miss Eudora Hawkins as a feature of the cooking school which she will direct Monday and Tuesday in the Hotel Ozona ballroom.

The only requirement for cakes entered in the contest is that they be baked in an electric oven; Miss Hawkins said. To make certain that this requirement does not interfere with entries of cakes for sale in the P. T. A. cake auction, however, Miss Hawkins made it plain that the condition applies only to cakes entered in the contest.

Architect To Confer With Methodist Board

W. S. Strange May
Have Answer to Question
Of Rebuilding

W. T. Strange, member of the architect firm of Peters and Strange of Lubbock, is expected to be in Ozona this week-end for the purpose of making an inspection of the ruins of the Ozona Methodist Church, destroyed by fire March 8, and to make recommendations for reconstruction toward rebuilding.

Mr. Strange was invited here by the board of stewards of the church. He is a member of the architect firm which drew plans for and supervised construction of the Ozona High School building. The Lubbock architects are familiar with priorities rulings of the War Production Board and it is understood will bring certain application forms to be filled out for the presentation to the federal board seeking priority rating for the purchase of materials necessary for reconstruction of the building.

On information which Mr. Strange will bring will hinge decision as to whether or not hope may be held out for immediate rebuilding of the church structure. Meanwhile, the pastor, Rev. Eugene Slater, and members of the board of stewards are studying the question of church architecture to be employed in the event the church can be rebuilt and questions of salvage, priorities, etc.

A check in the amount of \$10,000 from the Great American Insurance Co. was delivered to the board last week by N. W. Graham, local agent of the company, representing full payment on one of the two fire insurance policies carried on the church building. Another policy in the sum of \$6,000 soon will be paid off in full, a total of \$16,000 in insurance being carried on the building and its contents.

Mrs. Welton Bunger, who recently underwent an operation in a San Antonio hospital, is reported well on the road to recovery.

Local Market Outlet Arranged For Scrap Metal

\$7 Ton For Mixed and
\$9 For Cast Iron
Scrap Offered

Through the efforts of the Crockett County War Board, a local market and collection center has been established for the county scrap collection campaign, it was announced this week by T. A. Kincaid, Jr., board chairman.

C. C. Luther has agreed to act as receiving agent for the scrap, will weight it, pay for it on the spot, store the material and ship it by truck to market centers.

After contacting various government agencies and the regular scrap iron dealers over the state, the local War Board has determined a price schedule for the purchase of the salvaged material which is in line with government determined ceilings and the prevailing scrap market.

For mixed scrap, described as the ordinary run of junk metal which can be salvaged from West Texas ranches, a price of \$7 a ton will be paid in Ozona. For cast iron scrap, the price delivered here will be \$9 a ton, it was announced. No galvanized iron scrap will be acceptable.

The American Red Cross will benefit from this scrap collecting campaign under the local plan. A space will be set aside at Mr. Luther's station where small lots of scrap which donors designate for the Red Cross will be stored. As soon as enough has been collected to make a truck load, this collection will be taken to the market and receipts from its sale donated to the Red Cross.

As the scrap iron accumulates here, it will be taken to Eagle Pass by truck and sold into the regular trade channels to eventually find its way into American furnaces to make guns, tanks and airplanes for America's fighting forces.

Old Officers Of Rotary Club Are Re-Elected

Scott Peters To Serve
Another Year As
Club Prexy

Members of the Ozona Rotary Club, reaching the end of its first year of existence, Tuesday unanimously re-elected its first officers to serve a second term at their respective posts.

A nominating committee composed of Dr. H. E. Tandy, J. M. Baggett and Lee Wilson proposed the slate containing the names of all present officers and directors and the official family was re-elected without a dissenting voice. Scott Peters, first president of the club, was re-elected for a second term. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., was chosen again for the post of vice president and W. R. Cabaness for the job of secretary-treasurer. Directors re-elected were Will Baggett, Wayne West and Victor Pierce.

The Rotary Club was organized the evening of March 15, 1941, after a series of conferences in which members of the San Angelo Rotary Club acted as advisers. The San Angelo club sponsored the local organization which came into being with a charter membership of 28. There has been some withdrawals and a number of additional members in the first 12 months until now the club membership stands at 30.

A double-barreled program entertained the club members at the Tuesday luncheon. Members of the boys' quartet of the Ozona High School presented several vocal numbers after which an itinerant magician and entertainer, currently performing at the local theatre, entertained Rotarians with a series of baffling card tricks. The boys' quartet is composed of Billy Hannah, Bill Carson, "Red" McWilliams and L. B. Cox.

Welton Bunger, Jr. Enlists In Marines; To Officers Training

Welton H. Bunger, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Welton Bunger of Ozona, a senior student this year in A. & M. College, has enlisted in the United States Marine Corps and will report for service at the end of the present school term, according to word received by his family here this week.

Young Bunger enlisted at San Antonio. He will report June 1, after his graduation from A. & M. College, to Quantico, Va., where he will enter a Marine Officers Training School and will be graduated from that school in July with a Second Lieutenant's commission in the Marine Corps.

Bunger will graduate in May from A. & M. with a bachelor's degree in marketing and finance. In the mental and physical examinations given to a class of 19 in San Antonio last week, young Bunger was one of only three in the group to pass.

Auto Owners Must Hurry To Get New Plates

Over 400 Cars Yet To
Be Registered; Only
Four Days Left

Less than half the estimated motor vehicles in Crockett County had been registered yesterday, and only four more days remain in which to purchase new registration plates, according to reports from the office of the tax collector this week.

Vehicles for which new plates had been purchased totaled only 380, according to a check made by Claude Russell, deputy. These registrations were divided into 244 passenger cars, 98 farm vehicles, 34 commercial trucks and four trailers.

Annual registration of new cars in this county is usually around 800, leaving approximately 400 license plates yet to be issued at the local collector's office.

Necessity for certificate of title showing ownership of a motor vehicle before new license plates can be issued, was reiterated by Deputy Russell. Persons who have not secured certificates of title to their cars must make application for such title before registering their cars. In the case of car owners who purchased such cars in other counties or states than Crockett and who do not have certificates of title to such cars, no license can be issued until such certificate is secured, it was declared.

Car owners who have not yet registered their vehicles are urged to do so at the very earliest possible moment to avoid a last minute congestion in the collector's office. New plates must be on all cars on or after April 1 or drivers will be subject to fine.

Art Program Is Given At Meeting Of Parent-Teachers

A program on art was given by pupils of Miss Elisabeth Biser at the Parent-Teacher Association meeting Monday afternoon preceding the art exhibit in the gymnasium. The Ozona Music Club joined with the Parent-Teachers in attending the art exhibit.

The group of pupils exhibited famous paintings and then presented living pictures and acted out the story connected with each. Pictures represented were the Madonna, The Gleaners, Whistler's Mother, Boy in Blue, Child of Innocence, and Fruit Girl.

It was announced that the PTA will sponsor a cake sale at the cooking school Monday and Tuesday at Hotel Ozona. Everyone who will be urged to bring a cake for entry in the sale.

Refreshments were served by the junior H. E. girls in the gymnasium where the group enjoyed an art exhibit brought here by the Practical Drawing Co.

County Meet Contests Here Tuesday Night

Story Telling, Decla-
mation Events Are
Scheduled

Story telling contests for pupils of the primary grades and declamation for pupils of the Junior High and High School grades will be featured in the Crockett County Interscholastic League meet to be held in the High School auditorium Tuesday night of next week.

Story tellers who will compete in the county meet were selected by try-outs held in the various grades during the past week. Winners of the first five places were announced from the grades, but winners of the first three positions only will be eligible to compete in the meet contests.

The winners in story telling by grades, listed in order of position, are as follows:

Kindergarten: Jimmy Reese, Wanda Carden, Velma Tumlison, Charles Keith, and LaJean Word.

First grade: Kay Kirby, Bill Schneemann, Tom Piner, Doris Pharr, and Betty Williams.

Second grade: Ben Burl Conklin, Allen Haire, Gordon Williams, Darlene Lovelace, Clyde Word.

Third grade: June Perner, Mary Jane Neill, Mildred McCaleb, Joe Albert Brown, and Sid Jeffreys.

Fourth grade: Robert Hays, Jean Gilliam, Buddy Short, Judy White and Eleanor Doran.

The story tellers will compete by grades and medals will be awarded first place winners and ribbons to second and third place.

In the Junior declamation contests, winners were picked in the first four places, these to compete against each other in the county meet. The winners by grades are as follows:

Fifth grade, girls: Muriel Senne, Patsy McDonald, Betty Cooke and Rosalie Friend.

Fifth grade, boys: J. G. Hufstedler, Lynn Neal, Chris Perner and Charles Davidson.

Sixth grade, boys: Bernard Lemmons, Ralph McCaleb, Kerry Tandy, Arthur Rannion, and Billy Joe McDonald.

Sixth grade, girls: Lillian Schneeman, Neva Trull, Mary Kathryn Flowers, Fredda Surquay, and Edith Lou Piner.

Seventh grade, junior boys: Max Word, Joe Perry, Joe Ross Hufstedler, Robert Lovelace and Stanley Williams.

Seventh grade, junior girls: Jo Nell Oden, Jimmy Choate, Ann West, Juanita Oathout and Sue Beasley.

Eighth grade, junior boys: Pierce Reese, John Fussell, Dick McDonald and Earl Tillory.

Eighth grade, junior girls: Myrtastine Hokit, Laverne Tillory, Doris Bean, Palma Trull and Jo Nell Coase.

The winners in the first three places, both boys and girls division, will compete against each other in the junior high grades for the junior championship.

In the high school division, no try-outs were held because of two few entries. Designated to declaim in the high school junior boys division is Arthur Byrd Phillips and for the high school junior girls Elaine Oathout and Nan Tandy. For the senior boys, Virgil Oden and Charles McDonald will declaim. There were no entries in the senior girls division.

Judges will be selected from the faculty of the Sonora schools.

PTA Cake Auction At Cooking School

An auction sale of cakes will be staged by the Parent-Teacher Association at the end of the cooking school class on the second day of the two-day school Monday and Tuesday afternoons in the Hotel Ozona ballroom.

All members and friends of the association are urged to make a cake to be sold on the occasion, funds to be derived from such sale going into the association treasury.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling the attention of the management to the article in question.

THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1942

HOARDING IS STUPID . . .

Are you one of the smarties who thought, perhaps, you might hoard a little sugar? You would hoard harmlessly, of course just a few scant pounds cached neatly in the attic, or under a floor-board. No one would miss such a small amount, and—the Government couldn't find out, anyway! If your thoughts have been running along these lines, perhaps you had better take another think. We've just finished reading how Uncle Sam does intend to find out about sugar hoards, and his plan is pretty vicious. When ration cards are issued, you will be asked how much sugar you have on hand. Any sugar in excess of two pounds per person will be considered a "hoard." You won't be allowed to buy any sugar at all until the hoard is gone. But how can you be made to tell? You can't be made to, really. Uncle Sam will just ask you, and require you—purely as routine, of course—to swear that you have told the truth. That will put it up to you. It will be possible for you to lie, but—well, your Uncle Sam has thought up a remedy for that one, too. He has decided, in point of fact, to make lying pretty expensive in so far as sugar is concerned: A fine up to \$10,000, and imprisonment up to ten years, either or both. So that if the story. Once sugar-rationing begins, it will be even-steps with everyone. Even-steps—or else! For ourselves, we guess we just won't hoard. We are, for one thing, allergic to jails. And lies at \$10,000 each seem strangely unattractive. — Columbus (Ga.) Ledger.

WAR OF OFFENSIVES . . .

America's fighting strategy has always been the attack. That was true in the Revolutionary War, on both sides in the War Between States. That was the most distinguishing characteristic of United States divisions in the last world war. It must be the same in this war. Russia has demonstrated the value of the counterattack. Winter alone has not kept Nazis in retreat for months. Girding up her power, weakened and discouraged as she was after vicious Nazi pounding, the Soviet swept back Reich armies in a punishing, costly offensive. She has shattered the myth of Nazi invincibility. And China—battered, bleeding, despoiled—is also on the offensive. Her armies are pushing into Burma in the only heartening action of the Middle East sector. Granted all this is true. Granted we must lose an offensive at the first practicable moment. Yet such a course would be folly unless we have the sinews for an offensive. The overall issue of this war demands the United States refrain from "reckless" offensives. We must wait, no matter how hard that is, until our production lines have provided the power for striking. But as soon as this nation can push sufficient armament into the war theaters, we must take the offensive! When we begin striking, it must be no token blow. It must be the beginning of the end for the Axis. Perhaps that moment will come sooner than we expect. An American offensive depends now upon a mammoth war production, more than upon the generals and admirals in the field.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

EVERYBODY'S WAR . . .

Brig.-Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, national director of the Selective Service System, is a man of few words—but very frank ones. He addressed some unusually frank

Unofficial Order Numbers Determined Here

Feb. 16 Registration List For Crockett Is Published

Unofficial assignment of order numbers for Crockett County men who registered February 16 under the Selective Service act for possible military service has been made by the Stockman from press announcements of the order of drawing in the third national lottery held in Washington last week. Official determination of order numbers will be made by the local board as soon as the printed master list is received from draft headquarters in Washington. This list is expected to be received in the next few days. However, the following list of registrations, with their serial and order numbers as drawn in the national lottery, is believed to be essentially correct, although unofficial.

Table with 3 columns: Ord. Ser., No., Name. Lists names and numbers for registrants like William Oscar Davis, Lee Allen Greer, etc.

Table with 3 columns: No., Name, No. Lists names and numbers for registrants like Gus Parker, Clyde Hardaway, Antonio G. Herrera, etc.

Table with 3 columns: No., Name, No. Lists names and numbers for registrants like Genaro H. Castillo, Peery Holmsley, Melvin P. Slover, etc.



Gandy's Milk Products Again Chosen for the Cooking School

On the Home Front Health is Vital to America's War Effort

Milk Provides Vital Elements for Adequate Nutrition Make America Strong—Drink More Milk

DO YOU KNOW? THAT Milk is our most nearly perfect food because it contains all important food elements. THAT nutritionists advise spending one-fourth of your food budget for milk and milk products. YES, IT'S TRUE! Milk is our most nearly perfect food. For example, milk contains all the necessary and important food elements; carbohydrates, fats, proteins, minerals and vitamins. These are absolutely necessary for a well-balanced diet. Nutritionists point out that milk and its related products furnish a means to abundant health—at a comparative low cost. FOR HEALTH plus real taste enjoyment try a tall glass of refreshing, pure PASTEURIZED Gandy's Milk your next meal or between meals. You will do your job better and more nearly do you part in the national war effort. WE FEEL that we have an important duty in the program of health and happiness on the home front during this war. We have the most modern dairy plant in this section of West Texas, providing you with the finest dairy products that money can buy. Your health is protected in every step of handling through this strictly modern and sanitary plant.



Attend the Cooking School Next Monday and Tuesday -- 2:30 P. M. In The Hotel Ozona Ballroom And the next time you are in San Angelo VISIT OUR NEW PLANT -- Most Modern Creamery in West Texas -- 332 Pulliam Street (East San Angelo)

West Texas Dairy Products Leaders



Butter Buttermilk Grade A Pasteurized Milk Ice Cream



Be Good to Your Electric Appliances ...and They'll Be Good to You!

Conservation *** THE NATION'S STRONGEST WEAPON



How to Take Care of Your Refrigerator

Many older models should be oiled every six months and those with belts checked and new belts installed if needed. Condensers in all models should be cleaned once a year. Defrost at regular intervals, allowing the ice to melt rather than using an ice pick with danger of punching a hole in metal or freezing coil. Close the door quickly after putting in or taking out food, using care NOT to touch the rubber insulating seal with greasy hands since grease causes the rubber to deteriorate. Allow food to cool before putting it in the refrigerator. In moving from one location to another, be sure motor shipping bolts are fastened to prevent damage while in transit. Be careful with ice trays. It's impossible to get new aluminum trays and difficult to get trays of any type.

REDDY KILOWATT EXCLAIMS TO ALL HOUSEWIVES . . .



New efficiencies and economies are being worked out to provide an ample supply of electric light and power for military units in this West Texas country IN ADDITION TO YOUR HOME AND BUSINESS. But most of the factories that once hummed busily turning out new electric refrigerators, sweepers, washing machines, irons and the like already are being converted to production of war materials. The impending shortage or rationing of other appliances in addition to refrigerators make it essential that you take precautions prolonging the usefulness of the supply now on hand. Many appliances, including refrigerators, are vital in the conservation and protection of foods. All are important in maintaining civilian morale, making household tasks easier and more speedily performed so that MORE time can be devoted to wartime efforts . . . work needed by Uncle Sam.

West Texas Utilities Company

COOKING SCHOOL

FEATURING NEW METHODS OF SAVING ON FOOD

Conservation *** CHIEF WEAPON OF THE HOME FRONT



How to Take care of Your Electric Range and Small Appliances

Plan menus so that entire meals are cooked at the same time in oven or thrift cooker. In top-burner cooking turn burner to low as soon as boiling begins. Be sure to turn burners off when through using them. Don't allow liquids to boil over onto the cooking coil. They're made of some imported metals in addition to copper and magnesium oxide—and are hard to replace.

Take good care of your sweeper—the bristles in it come from China. Or did. Not any more. And rubber belts . . . you know about rubber. Even electric elements in all appliances may become hard to replace. All lamp and appliance cords should be handled a bit more carefully. Keep them off the floor where possible so they won't be trampled or wrinkled, causing the rubber insulation to break.

How to Take Care of Your Electric Water Heater

Be sure that the thermostat is set to give the correct temperature. Keep the water heater in operation all the time. Since it's automatic, turning it off and allowing the water in the tank to cool, then reheating it, uses more current than continuous operation. Don't let hot water run down the sink, draw only what you need to use.

Conservation *** THE HOMEMAKER'S CONTRIBUTION



How to Take Care of Your Washing Machine

Don't overload the washer, and don't use it to wash out just a few small pieces unless necessary. Plan, if possible, to have a near-capacity load every time the washer is used. Watch the washing time carefully. (Overloading may burn out the motor—and new motors are hard to get.) In using the wringer, take care that no metal objects are left in pockets or metal buckles allowed to scar or nick the rubber rollers.

Conservation *** KEYNOTE OF THRIFTY AMERICANS



AD LIB

By Coese

Max Schneemann, Jr., who is in the Cavalry at Fort Riley, Kan., seems to be enjoying his army life. He was impressed by the recent military wedding of a general's daughter and a lieutenant in which Max was an usher. The bridal couple rode 12 miles in an old stage coach with the attendants on horseback. Max claims the most thrilling part of all was when they crossed a river and the couple walked under the arches blades.

Among those driving over from Sonora for the dance Wednesday evening were Wanda E. Hays, Bob Simmons, A. W. Awall, and Vestal Asker.

Posey Baggett visited in Austin and Houston during the past week. While in Houston she went to the Plantation and danced to the music of Tommy Dorsey. Her escort was Dick Rice.

Orla Louise Cox, who is attending SMU, came home to be maid-of-honor in the wedding of her cousin, Marjorie Bailey.

Charles Williams and John Childress are vacationing in California before being called into service. John is planning on being a cadet at Goodfellow Field.

Freshman students home for the weekend were Helen Mayes from Southwestern University and Guida Code from San Angelo Junior College.

Dotis Bunker, Kirby Moore, John Coates, Catherine Childress, were movie goers Sunday night.

Farmer Phillip Schneemann trucked into town Thursday night and went back to the ranch with a load of salt Friday morning.

Doc McKinney, and Joe Gay of San Angelo spent the week-end here before leaving for California on an extended trip. "Doc" is a cousin of Matt Henley.

Reveling to the show Saturday night were "Toots" Smith, Catherine Childress, and "Mac" Williams.

Jean Drake and Johnny Boyd were seen hitch-hiking to the east part for a winter coast Monday night.

19 Per Cent Drop In Traffic Deaths In Jan. and Feb.

AUSTIN — Traffic fatalities in Texas decreased 19 per cent during the first two months of 1942 as compared with the same period of last year, State Police Director Homer Garrison reported today.

As of March 18 for the respective years, 296 persons were reported killed in January and February of 1941 and 239 were reported killed in January and February of 1942, a reduction of 55 fatalities.

Speeds have been reduced noticeably, drivers are exercising more care, and local and Highway Patrol officers are bearing down a little harder on violators as a result of the recent emergency traffic control conference in Dallas, where representatives of five Southwestern states met to formulate plans for more vigorous traffic law enforcement, Colonel Garrison said.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of thanking our many, many tried and proven dear friends for the many kind things they did at the loss of our darling son. We also want to thank each and every one for the beautiful flowers. They were more beautiful than words can express. We especially want to thank Rev. Slater for being so wonderful to us. May the Lord's richest blessings be shed on all of you. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. McLaughlin and Louise.

One of the teams from the Methodist Youth Fellowship will hold a raffle Friday to sell one of Mrs. Bryan McDonald's cakes. They are raising money for the support of an orphan, Joe Ramirez, whom the League is sending to school in Laredo.

The Beiden Polls of public opinion in Texas and of student opinion throughout the nation have been discontinued. Ensign Joe Beiden, conductor of the polls which started at the University of Texas, has been called to active duty with the navy.

Friday Club Meets With Mrs. Smith

Mrs. W. E. Smith was hostess to the Friday Bridge Club when it met Friday afternoon in her home. Mrs. V. L. Pierce won high, Mrs. W. E. Robertson, low, and Mrs. Hudson Mayes bingo.

Others attending were Mrs. W. W. West, Mrs. Harry Baggett, Mrs. Joe Davidson, Mrs. Tom Harris, and Mrs. Sherman Taylor.

THE METHODIST CHURCH Eugene Slater, Minister

Calendar of Services: Sunday School (High School), 9:45 a. m.

Morning Worship (High School), 11:00 a. m.

Youth Fellowship (Paul Berner home), 7:00 p. m.

Evening Worship (Baptist Church or Church of Christ), 8:00 p. m.

W.S.C.S. (parsonage), Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.

Choir Rehearsal (Bryan McDonald home), Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

"The Upper Room" for April, May, June will be ready for distribution at this Sunday's services. Copies of this devotional booklet will be sent to all of our men in the armed forces.

Letters continue to reach us from friends throughout the church expressing sympathy and concern for us in the loss of our building. If our friends are so mindful of our loss, is not our Heavenly Father much more so? Surely He will guide us and help us as we attempt a building enterprise. More than that—He will help us to keep strong and active the real Church in the Christian life of our people.

The Stockman Pulpit

By Eugene Slater, Minister of the Methodist Church

"Yes, I have plenty of troubles," said a man to his pastor, "but the greatest trouble that I have is with myself." This honest man puts his finger on the basic problem of most of us. Self-hate up to plague us with shabby decisions, short-sighted judgment and suicidal action. The writer in the Book of Proverbs says it in this way: "He that hath no rule over his own spirit is like a city that is broken down and without walls." So one of our perennial needs is help at the point of handling self. Someone has said, "We have to

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Stockman is authorized to announce the following candidates for political offices, subject to action of the Democratic primaries:

For Sheriff, Assessor and Collector of Taxes:

R. E. McWILLIAMS

FRANK JAMES

MIKE COUCH

For County Treasurer:

TOM GABBER (Re-election)

For County and District Clerk:

GEORGE RUSSELL (Re-election)

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1:

RAY HOUSTON

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:

ROB MILLER (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:

CHAS. BLACK (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:

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us to give ourselves to Him by taking upon ourselves the work and the causes that are dear to His heart. A thoughtful man has said "He who thinks first of all of himself will have few troubles but they will seem to him very great, while he who thinks first of all of others will have many troubles but they will seem to him very small." Some of us will never know Christ as our Saviour until He saves us right at this point.

Prayer: Save us, O God, from the tyranny of self. Help us to invest our time and our personalities in such ways as please Thee. May Christ meet much to us as He leads us to see the deep needs of our brothers and to offer ourselves

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Social Activities

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MRS. JOHN F. GREEN, JR., the former Miss Madye Jo Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bailey of Rocksprings, who was married at the First Baptist Church here March 15. The young couple will make their home in Hamlin.

Work Of Home Missions Told In WMU Program

A program on home missions, one of the most interesting in many weeks, was presented at the Wednesday afternoon meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist Church. Work among the different nationalities of this country was discussed and the six tables at which members were seated were decorated to represent six different nationalities.

Mrs. Clyde Childers was in charge of the program and led the devotional. Her subject was "Light of the World."

"America with its splendid achievements, developments and glorious opportunities is a heritage given by the arm of God," Mrs. Childers said in citing Psalms 44:3. And "If God is to continue to make America a great nation with a great name, she must be a blessing," from the Scripture Genesis 12:2.

Four members of the Girls Auxiliary, Willa Joyce Dowty, Jimmy Choate, Jo Nell Oden and Juanita Oathout, sang "God Bless America," Marie Williams playing the piano accompaniment.

Mrs. Ira Carson told of the work of the Home Mission Board among the Chinese people of El Paso. Representing the Indians, Mary Elizabeth Gray sang "Coming Home," with Mrs. Hugh Gray, Mrs. Ben Williams and Mrs. J. E. Newkirk performed an Indian sign language skit.

Mrs. George Bean told of work of missionaries among Italian people of the United States and Mrs. J. S. Whately described the work among the French people of Louisiana. Mrs. J. T. Keeton gave the closing prayer.

After the program, the group packed a box of clothing which was sent to the Buckner Orphans Home in Dallas.

Present were Mrs. Hugh Gray, Mrs. J. E. Newkirk, Mrs. Will Miller, Mrs. Ben Williams, Mrs. R. F. Powell, Mrs. Clyde Childers, Mrs. O. W. Smith, Mrs. J. T. Keeton, Mrs. C. C. Pharr, Mrs. Ernest Dunlap, Mrs. J. C. Gay, Mrs. Ira Carson, Mrs. Rufe Everett, Mrs. J. T. Patrick, Mrs. George Bean, Miss Maybelle Taylor, Mrs. J. S. Whately, Miss Mary Elizabeth Gray, Willa Joyce Dowty, Jimmy Choate, Juanita Oathout and Jo Nell Oden.

Next week the society will have a business meeting at the church.

Woman's Society Names Delegates To Annual Conference

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the home of Mrs. Eugene Slater to continue the study, "Christian Roots of Democracy in America" Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. B. B. Ingham and Mrs. Charles Williams were elected delegates to the First Annual Conference of the Woman's Society of Christian Service since the Union. It is to be held in the University Methodist Church at Austin, April 15 to 16.

Governor Coke Stevenson will be the guest speaker for the opening session at 8 p. m. Monday, April 13. Miss Mary Riddle, deaconess in charge of the Community Center here, also will be a guest speaker during the conference.

Members interested in attending the Zone Meeting in Big Lake on Friday, March 27, are asked to call Mrs. Ingham. The session opens at 10:30 a. m.

The next meeting will be a Holy Week Service on Wednesday at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. B. B. Ingham. The service will be directed by the Spiritual Life committee. All ladies of the church are invited to be present.

Attending this week's meeting were Mrs. Madden Read, Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. Floyd Henderson, Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Mrs. Stephen Perner, Mrs. Paul Perner, Mrs. Charley Coates, Mrs. Carl Colwick, Mrs. N. W. Graham, Mrs. M. Johnson, Mrs. Heyward White, Mrs. Bill Baggett, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. Will Baggett and Mrs. Eugene Slater.

Luncheon-Bridge For Ace Club

Members of the Ace Club were entertained with a luncheon and bridge Saturday by Mrs. Buddy Moore at Rendall's Drive Inn.

Miss Catherine Childress won high, Miss Jean Drake low, and Mrs. Jack Baggett received bingo.

Others present were Mrs. Bill Friend, Mrs. M. Johnson, Mrs. M. "Mac" McWilliams, and Miss Mary Alyce Smith.

Colwicks Hosts To Forty-Two Group

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Colwick entertained their forty-two club at their ranch home Friday night. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Childress, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. C. C.

Montgomery, Miss Elizabeth Fussell, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. M. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harris, Mr. and Mrs. George Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baggett and Mr. and Mrs. Evert White.

W. R. Baggett held high score for club, and Evert White, high for

guests. Hugh Childress took the traveling prize while Miss Fussell and George Harrell held low scores.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett and Miss Posey Baggett have returned from a visit in Austin, Houston and other parts of Texas.

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Good Neighbors Study Topic For Woman's Club

The Good Neighbor Policy at work was the subject studied by the Ozona Woman's Club when it met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. W. E. Smith.

Mrs. Hillery Phillips told of her trip to Cuba—describing the old picturesque fort, the Morro Castle. Also of interest to her were the sugar plantations, Cathedral Square, the statues, the many, many beggars and the University.

Mrs. Ira Carson described Columbus' first landing place, San Salvador—the birth place of the Americas. Then she talked about Haiti the land of the voodoo, sugar cane, and the Dominican Republic. Columbus loved this island and sailed the sea even after death to be buried in Santo Domingo. The island is fringed with poinsettia, borrganvilla and wild nasturtiums.

Puerto Rico, described by Mrs. Stephen Perner, is noted for its sugar. She said the ones in authority on the island did not want their independence, but wanted to be a part of the U. S. A. Also that the naval and air bases were welcomed by the natives—bringing 47,000 visitors in 1939.

Some booklets were summarized on the welfare of our soldier boys. Mrs. Carl Colwick discussed their clothing. Mrs. Max Schneemann talked on the feeding of our soldiers and Mrs. Joe Pierce on religion in the camps.

Those attending were Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Mrs. W. R. Baggett, Mrs. Carl Colwick, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. Stephen Perner, Mrs. M. Johnson, Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Mrs. N. W. Graham, Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. Monroe Baggett, Mrs. George Bean, Mrs. Max Schneemann, Mrs. Ira Carson, and Miss Elizabeth Fussell.

Stephen Perner Hosts At Forty-Two

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Perner were hosts to their Forty-Two Club Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Max Schneemann won high club, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson low club, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey received high guest and the traveling prize, and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Harvick won low guest.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. George Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coates, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Denham, Mr. and Mrs. Maassie West, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Colwick, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Nearsta, and Mrs. Alice Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Nimmo have moved into the house previously owned by Dan Patterson and recently purchased by Tom Powers.

Buffet Dinner For Bridal Party

A buffet dinner, honoring Miss Madye Jo Bailey, who became the bride of John Forrest Green, Jr., in a recent ceremony here, was given for the bridal party Saturday evening before the wedding by Mrs. John R. Bailey and Mrs. Worth Odom of Iraan at the Bailey home here.

The house was decorated in the bride's chosen colors, white and green, with white gladiolas in a crystal bowl centering the table, which was laid with a white Chinese linen cloth.

Guests included the honoree, Ora Louise Cox, Dorothy Hannah, Dorothy Ann Odom of Iraan, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bailey of Rocksprings, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Austin of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Green, Jr., of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cox, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harrell, Rev. and Mrs. Eugene Slater, Dick Feagan of Hamlin, Bob Lewis of Amarillo, Fred Moore of Hamlin, Bob Bailey of Rocksprings, L. B. Cox, III, Worth Odom of Iraan, and John R. Bailey.

Mrs. Hallcomb 20th Century Hostess

Members of the Twentieth Century Club and guests were entertained with a "Come As You Are" party given by Mrs. Paul M. Hallcomb Saturday afternoon at Rendall's Drive Inn.

Apron tallies and apron prizes aided in carrying out the theme.

Mrs. Early Chandler took high club prize, Miss Catherine Childress high guest, and Mrs. Joe Pierce III, bingo.

Others present were Mrs. Dempster Jones, Mrs. R. H. Garner, Mrs. L. B. T. Sikes, Mrs. Bill Childress, Mrs. Doug Kirby, Mrs. Phillip Lee Childress, Mrs. Jesse Marley, Mrs. Pleas Childress, Jr., Mrs. George Bunker, Mrs. Fred Hagelstein, Mrs. Joe Clayton and Miss Mary Alyce Smith.

Mrs. Luther Parker Honored At Party

Complimenting Mrs. Luther Parker, Mrs. Roy Miller and Mrs. Ed Douglas entertained the Ladies Bible Class of the Church of Christ in the Boyd Lovelace home Wednesday afternoon.

Ice cream and cake were served and gifts were received from Mrs. Paul Hallcomb, Mrs. Neal Hannah, Mrs. Jones Miller, Mrs. B-be Phillips, Mrs. Andy Nelson, Mrs. Buster Miller, Mrs. Walter Cook, Mrs. Rob Miller, Mrs. Luea Young, Mrs. C. C. Luther, Mrs. Howard Rutledge, Mrs. J. D. Moss, Mrs. W. H. Augustine, Mrs. Bill Johnigan, Mrs. Hubert Baker, Mrs. Sam Ross, Mrs. Olive Wolf, Mrs. Ross Hufstедler, and Mrs. Boyd Lovelace.

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TRAINED FIREMEN

Did you know that as firefighters Ozona has the best lawyers in the state? While the Methodist Church burned, all or most all of the people of Ozona stood around warming their feet. Of course, that's comforting to the feet, but look at what a great expense it was.

During that fire, very little water and no chemicals were used to try stopping it. Sure, there were three or four men and about five high school boys doing the best they could, but these people proved to have very inefficient methods. I'm not criticizing these people in their efforts, no, I'm criticizing the town for not having a trained volunteer fire department. Of course, we only have fires once in a great while in this little town, but some means should be secured to prevent total loss such as we have just witnessed. Now that we are in war, we have even more reason to need some sort of trained fire fighting force.

It's true that to have a paid force would be too expensive for a town of this size, needing it as little as we do. However, we could organize a force of volunteers who are willing to work and have someone from the surrounding area where there is a fire department train them in methods of combating flames. By holding a class every afternoon for about a week a great deal could be accomplished in training. Should this training period be rendered, a practice drill once a month would be sufficient to keep the men ready for action. All we need is a group of men to learn to work efficiently in such situations. Can we do it? I'm sure we can, but will we? That's for the town to decide. Think it over and let's prevent further loss.

IN MEMORIAM

March 19, 1942
The flag flies at half mast today because God has taken our favorite son away. We can't understand why, but maybe Heaven just wasn't complete without him. We had school today because he would have wanted it so. But how can we go on with this dull and empty feeling in our hearts. Time will ease the pain and balm our woes. But it will never fill the space because he had a part of every heart. Everyone of us is a better person for having known him. And part of him will live on in us. Poets write of loved one's life and laughter. But his immortal name is branded on the souls and hearts of men. Israel's lyre is sweeter today, and his song in Heaven rings more clearly. For today he has our Mervin by his side.

Grade School News

The second and third grades are busy making their Easter decorations. They have just finished a very attractive kite border to represent March. The fourth grade is studying transportation. The phase of this at the present time is airplanes. Soon they will do experiments that will show them what makes the airplanes stay in the air. They plan to go see the art exhibit some time this week. Two new students enrolled in the fifth grade this week. They came here with the road construction company. They are Bill Merton and Evert Hamm. The fifth grade at the present time is working on declamations. They have also started their duties unit. The seventh grade also had two new students. They were Ramona Morton and Gimmie Lee Shofner. The seventh grade is working on declamations also.

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"Saturday Evening Ghost" to Walk

IN MEMORY OF OUR FRIEND

By Garrett McWilliams
All seems quiet and still in the hills of Ozona High School lately. There seems to be a hushed silence among the students. Everything seems as though something or someone is missing. We seem to



Mervin McLaughlin

miss the smiling and cheerful face of the sweetest boy in High School, Mervin McLaughlin.

Yes, that's what the difference is. We don't hear that welcome or see a smiling, joking boy that we all loved so much. We don't seem to be able to make ourselves understand, because things like this can not be understood easily.

Mervin was the kind of boy that all loved. He always seemed to have a cheerful word for everyone, rich or poor. He seemed to have an understanding that words can not express. He had a way of his own, a way that all admired. Mervin was loved by his teachers, because he tried sincerely in everything he undertook.

Mervin had bad luck last year. Just a few days before the band contest he fell and broke his leg. But did this stop Mervin? You know it didn't. He kept right on plugging along through the bitter and painful days that followed. He had to miss that contest, but he said he'd go to the next one. Soon Mervin was seen again, on crutches, but still the same kind of boy. Days passed into months, and soon he was again walking without the aid of crutches. Oh, how happy he was. Although he was unable to play football, he played basketball, and he played it with a good determination that made us all realize just how great he really was. Then came spring football and tennis. The band contest was again drawing near. None worked any harder than he. It began to be customary to hear him playing and practicing on the contest number.

Then all of a sudden he was taken from us. God only knows why. It seems so hard to take and so very confusing. But that's God's way and there must be some good somewhere. And with His help, will find that good someday. And so we'll try to carry on as Mervin did, hoping that we can be worthy of all his praises and dreams.

Mervin isn't one to be forgotten. His kind, doesn't come along everyday. And so here's to the sweetest boy we know, Mervin McLaughlin.

Manuel Training Students Work On Term Projects

The boys in the Manuel Training shop here have been working very hard on their term projects. Some of the boys are making cedar chests, some desks, and others tables. The reason the boys are working so hard is that the projects must be assembled by the end of this six weeks' period. Small projects have been made this six weeks. Such projects as broom holders, book ends and small book cases or magazine stands are being made. These small projects must be completely finished this six weeks. These problems are substituted instead of a notebook. The projects of these pupils will be an exhibition again this year at the exhibit near the end of the school term.

Sophomore English Class Reviews Work Completed

Most of the work done this semester in English II has dealt with the study of the sentence and its use in written composition. This is very important and very useful; however, the major use of English is in oral composition. It is necessary in daily contact with people, in both social and business relations, to be able to converse easily yet in a dignified manner.

Everyone should be able to introduce friends in a proper manner; to meet strangers; to engage in general conversation; to tell an appropriate story, and to express his thoughts in well chosen words. These skills can only be acquired by practice. There is, perhaps, no better place to get this practice than in English class. During school days and after the students are out of school, they will be called upon to make speeches for various occasions. Now is the time to practice for such speeches.

Almost all successful people have had some definite goal toward which they have worked. An impelling motive urged them on. They did not drift into success. A study of the careers of successful people should prove beneficial if the students try to profit by their experiences and avoid their mistakes.

The members of the Sophomore English class have been asked to give oral reports on the life of some noted person. In planning their reports they kept in mind that a good biography calls for more than merely following a list of calendar dates and telling that a person was born, attended school, earned his livelihood and was buried.

The lives of noted persons of past generations have a strong appeal, but modern lives have an even stronger appeal as they are in the public mind today.

Never has there been a time when there was such a wealth of biographical material. This wide selection enabled the students to choose biographies that made very interesting reports. These talks included actors, writers, political leaders, baseball players, and artists. In each report, the students tried to show the essential greatness of the person and to tell intimate facts of interest.

Senior Class To Have Fishing Trip

The senior class had a class meeting for the purpose of deciding where they would go on their senior trip. Because of the fire situation, they decided to go on a fishing trip to the Everett ranch. The date has not yet been decided, but will probably be around the middle of April. Bedrolls and "grab" along with the seniors seems to be all that is needed. This will be more or less a camping trip and only two or three pick-ups will be needed.

For the information of the people who do not know the class colors, motto, and flowers, they are: colors, red, white and blue; motto, "One for all and all for one"; flower, bluebonnets.

"The Saturday Evening Ghost" will be presented by the Senior class on Friday, March 27, and the proceeds will help to buy a trophy case for the High School.

OWENS-MAYES

HEARD--
J. D.'s girl doesn't love him now, but let her get a little older and maybe she will.
"Bobbie" was thinking (believe it or not) at the wrong time. Don't you know you shouldn't think when mind readers are around.
Mustard is a wonderful salesman, but you had better beware, you know how those salesmen are (A hint to the wise is sufficient.)
Claudia and --- have made up again. One week they make up, and the next week they break up. (Continued on Page Seven)

Five High School Students Declaim

Each year the pupils of Ozona High School participate in a County Meet. These events are entirely voluntary, and no person can be made to participate in these events.

This year in the field of declaiming there are five contestants. These people are Charles McDonald, Virgil Oden, Arthur Byrd Phillips, Nan Tandy, and Elaine Oathout. They are under the capable leadership of Mrs. Al Nimmo and will appear before the public March 31. Charles McDonald will say "Spartacus to the Gladiators at Capua" by Reverend Elijah Kellot. Virgil Oden will say "I Believe in America" by Emilie Robinson. Arthur Byrd Phillips' declamation will be the anonymous writing "Old Glory." Nan Tandy will say the loved "America for Me" by Henry Van Dyke and Elaine Oathout selected "It" by Rudyard Kipling. May each one of these five people have success and gain knowledge by saying these poems.

Supt. Denham Presides Over Study Hall Meet

The meeting in study hall, Monday morning, was opened by Mr. Denham, who presented the declaimers. The declaimers were Charles McDonald, Virgil Oden, Arthur Byrd Phillips, and Elaine Oathout. These people will give their declamations on a regular program before long. Then Mr. Denham made several announcements. Probably the most important was the football game that is scheduled between the "ragmots" and the players for next year. It was also announced that the final word would be given about the

Senior Play To Be Presented Friday Night, March 27th

The Senior play "The Saturday Evening Ghost" will be presented on Friday, March 27, instead of Thursday as was originally scheduled. The date was changed in order that there would be no conflicts between the play and the regular Red Cross meetings.

The play is a comedy-mystery in three acts. This play isn't the usual type of mystery plays. The ghost is quite real and is a chap you are sure to love. You will probably feel very sorry for the ghost at the beginning of the play for he is indeed mistreated by almost everyone. One day his troubles all vanish when a lovely American girl comes into his life. What does she do? What would you do if you were suddenly confronted by a 300 year old ghost who began to woo you in a most ardent manner.

For the answer to the question come to see "The Saturday Evening Ghost." It will be presented March 27 at 8 p. m. in the High School auditorium. The prices will be 50, 30, and 20 cents.

Those Seniors taking part in the play are Adele Keeton, Mary Faye Lucas, Dorothy Capps, Gem Ella Dudley, Bill Carson, Billy Hannah, Beechie Coates, Floyd Hokit, and Red McWilliams. The play is being directed by Cyril Pingelton.

hand trip to Abilene by Friday. There will also be a tumbling act put on by the boys who have been practicing this for sometime. This will be given Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Then the meeting was adjourned.

History Of Art Given At PTA By Pierce Reece

Not all excellent works of art tell a story, but the works of art of all times tell the story of man's development from the prehistoric period to the present. We read in their respective periods, the history of mankind, the rise and fall of nations, and an accurate record of man's political, economic, and spiritual life. In fact, the greatest source of knowledge of the past is preserved in the world's great Art treasures. The simple, direct, artistic beginnings of the primitive man are left in the walls of his cave and the few crude tools that have withstood the ravages of time. The artists of each succeeding age likewise left their stories of the conditions under which they lived.

In the beginning, and for centuries following, no one thought of separating the different arts as we know them today into the Art of Painting, the Art of Sculpture, (Continued on Page Seven)

Echoes From The Library

by Florence Luther

The discussion of Capitalism, Socialism, Communism, Fascism, and Cooperation by William N. Loucks and J. Weldon Hoot is summed up in "Comparative Economic Systems."

This book is a significant contribution in the economic field, because it covers a range of subject matter of genuine importance which has not previously been covered in a single volume. The achievement of the present book is that it provides a clear, practical, and unbiased analysis of socialism, communism, fascism, cooperation, and capitalism from the economic point of view. The various programs of these economic systems are examined and described as they really are, not as the author interprets them.

Announcing Reduced Summer Irrigation Water Rates EFFECTIVE APRIL 1

In order to encourage summer gardening and yard beautification, your water district officials have decided to make a substantial reduction in summer irrigation rates.

The new rates will go into effect April 1, and the reduction will cover April purchases of water.

The cut in rates will save Ozona water users approximately 20 per cent over old rates on water for irrigation purposes. This first reduction in rates since the new system was placed in operation is in the nature of an experiment by your board of directors. The effect of the new rates will be studied in the light of experiences of this summer and it is hoped that even lower rates can be offered next year.

The New Rates Will Be As Follows:

Table with 2 columns: Gallons and Rate. First 2,000 gallons @ \$1 per thousand (Minimum charge \$2). Next 3,000 gallon @ 75c per thousand. All over 5,000 gallons @ 25c per thousand.

Under the old rates, the second 3,000 gallons was billed at 50 cents per thousand, and the next 10,000 at 35 cents, with all over 20,000 gallons at 25 cents per thousand. The new rate will give customers 15,000 gallons of water for the same price as 10,000 gallons under the old rate.

New Rates Effective With April Water Purchases and Through September

BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS--

Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1

Lion's Roar---

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Senses—

Nan ate 12 sandwiches Sunday night. Now aren't you ashamed of yourself?

That Bland is in love. When your hands are cold your heart is warm.

That some people are getting tickets to the Senior play at the reduced prices of 30 cents. Taint fair, Mustard.

A very cute saying from a certain boy. "Dot' you wouldn't know who is always saying, "Oh yes, darling" or is it Claudie who should know. . . .

SEEN—

Tom Ed and Margaret together Sunday night.

Roy and Mary E. together. What is this, a new romance? Basil, are you losing out?

Joy and Margaret practicing twirling. They are hoping they

will be twirlers next year. We are wishing you the best of luck.

Joyce sitting in a big chair. Poor Charlie wanted to sit on part of it, but she wouldn't let him. Shame on you, Joyce.

A very depressed look in the face of a Senior boy. Couldn't be that he is thinking, "Somebody else is Taking My Place," or is it? Claudie wearing a cute new spring jumper dress. Very pretty, shrimp!

Mary Faye, Norma, Adele, and Pris were seen entertaining four soldiers recently. A correspondence group has been started among the eight.

TASTED—

Some very good food at the League supper. Thanks a lot, Mrs. Henderson!

The gossip on the end of every one's tongue about a new romance of a certain Senior.

FELT—

Very blank or at least he had hoped so. Virgil tried to keep his mind.

THE WISE OLD OWL

By RUSSELL and COATES

Make a mental note, folks, Billy Laxon is dating Ivy Smith. How nice!

Roy and Lizzie double dated with Tom and Joy Thursday night. That's a case of "checking-up" on the family. (Tom Ed might well be dubbed T. E. M. Coates.)

Joyce is really amazed at some of Boochie's techniques. Maybe we could persuade Boochie to teach her a few of the simpler ones. Reckon?

Can you imagine "Mustard" without a date? Well, he was at the show alone on Thursday night. Is he slipping?

It appears that Dorothy has found a man. I think his name is Payne.

Now, now Claudie, what's this we hear about Edward Wilson? Have you forgotten him already? We hope not!

Mary Lee has a new dress. Now, who do you suppose that's for? Even if Bud Cox did object to having his name in this column, we really couldn't afford to miss such juicy little tidbits that he affords for our use.

Well, well, these boys and girls who stand people up—! Sug and Dick go out together Sunday night.

Ruth and Charles, what is this I hear about you all being in love? Ruth, you are too young for that.

Stanly was very disappointed when the man at the show didn't call his social security card number out.

These "kiddies" that are riding their bicycles—anyway they are saving rubber.

Cogitations

By MARY FERNER

Priscilla certainly is a fast worker or something . . . It seems that she has already been, or is at the present going to George Pepperdine College in California . . . Smart Girl, but it seems impossible . . . And what is all of this about "How ya' doin', Hon?" Maybe we'll find out someday . . . That convertible that Dick has been riding around in isn't half bad . . . Too bad it isn't Dick's, Ethel . . . L. B. has strange ways of taking people to his mother . . . He just drags them through the front door, and out the back door (taking in the living room, dining room, and kitchen en route) . . . Short and snappy . . . Who is this Len Corbell everyone is talking about? . . . Margaret said that he winked at her all one afternoon at the bowling alley . . . Zella couldn't think who Captain Katsanjammer is . . . Why, Zella! Who is he? . . . Joe Corbell has "five or ten?" on his mind . . . He's the only one who knows what it means . . . By the way, here's a place to do some campaigning . . . The Junior Class needs all the money that they can get, so please be cooperative in buying tickets, candy, or anything that members of this class may have to sell . . . PLEASE! . . . Ethel likes to play with dogs at 10:30 at night . . . Well, everybody has his own opinions . . . Does the public know that a genius of piano is in our midst? . . . Monseur Lemeuasky Bascombsky Coxsky . . . The only trouble is that he tears down every piano that he tries, pardon, that he plays . . . That's enough for this week . . . Do help the Juniors raise money!

History Of Art—

Architecture, and the Crafts. The earliest development of painting as an Art in Medieval Europe took place in Italy, and reached its highest expression in Florence. Titian, da Vinci, Michaelangelo and Raphael were the greatest artists of this period. Their paintings were restricted largely to religious subjects—Madonnas, altar pieces, and frescoes for the interior of churches.

In Germany, the earliest painting consisted of illuminations of manuscripts, glass, and fresco painting which began in the 13th century and attained its highest perfection with the portrait painters, Durer and Holbein.

Art in Belgium began in the 14th century but reached its climax in Rubens and Van Dyck. Both of these were of the Flemish school. Van Dyck was court painter to Charles I of England and is well known because he painted Kings, Queens, and Princes so beautifully.

The 17th century saw the awakening of an era of great artistic

activity in Holland. Hals and Rembrandt are the two towering figures in the Dutch Art of this period. They are especially noted for their handling of light and textures. Many great landscape painters also came in this period. Most of you are familiar with Hobema's "Avenue of Trees."

The first great English artists were portrait painters who painted with great charm and freshness. Reynolds and Gainsborough are of most importance. They painted the beautiful women and children of society, and men prominent in Art and Literature. Turner was the best English landscape artist of this period, and his pictures of sunsets have never been excelled.

French Art came into prominence about 100 years ago with the Barbizon School of Naturalists, which manifested itself in landscape and figure painters. Millet and Corot are two of the most famous painters of this school. Millet's pictures deal with peasant life and are full of fine feeling and balance. Corot, the master of landscape painting, was master of light, atmosphere, and moving foliage. He loved to paint in the early morning light, the sun coming up beyond the trees, the grass wet with dew.

French Art developed until today all countries look to France for the best methods. The break with romance came with the Impressionists whose aim was to record a single impression. This method of painting was to place pure colors on the canvas side by side and let the eye do the mixing. Of course they were greatly ridiculed in the beginning, but today every one recognizes the greatness of Monet, Renoir, Degas and Van Gogh.

In the Colonial period in America people had little time for the cultivation of Art. Not until 1738, when Benjamin West opened his eyes in the new world, did distinctive American painting have its

birth. The greatest development came with the Hudson River School. The outstanding artist of this period was George Inness, one of the greatest landscape painters that ever lived. The wonderful scenery of our country has naturally developed a school of landscape painters that is unexcelled. Others of our Western painters give us views of the desert and its picturesque inhabitants—the American Indian. Couse is one of the foremost of this group. He had a studio in Taos, New Mexico, which was remodeled from an old Spanish convent. Here he was in close touch with the Pueblo Indians in their beautiful mountain setting.

One painter whom the American school likes to claim is Whistler. His art was his own but it was influenced by Velasquez and the Japanese. Perhaps his best known subject is Mother. Hitchcock, another American, is famous for his paintings of Holland landscapes.

American art is a blending of the Old and New, the freshness of the American point of view, with the culture and poise of the European. In subject and motif, the American School is as original as any school can be in this cosmopolitan age.

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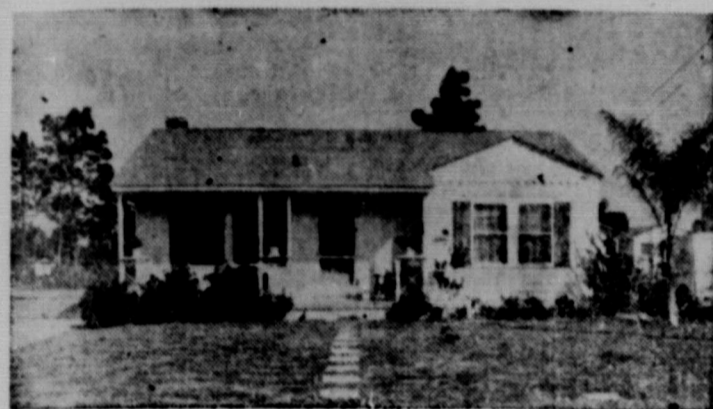
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1942 Red Cross Roll Call Merge With War Drive

Skip Traditional Fall Membership Canvass; War Drive Early in '43

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 25.—In an effort to relieve in some measure the increasing burden on men and women in all communities who are engaged in money raising efforts during wartime, the American Red Cross has decided to postpone its regular 1942 Fall Membership Roll Call and hold it simultaneously with its next War

Fund Campaign early in 1943, Chairman Norman H. Davis announced today. Authority for the Chairma to plan this combination was voted by the Central Committee at its meeting on March 2.

"For 25 years," Chairman Davis said, "the Red Cross traditionally has held its Membership Roll Calls in the fall months, to finance the normal operations of the Organization, and to build up its membership which is the largest of any non-governmental organization in the country. Today we are engaged in a bitter war requiring Red Cross operations which will cost much more than the Roll Calls can provide. This makes necessary the larger War Fund Appeals. To conserve the man power of the Red Cross and its millions of citizen volunteers for their operating duties, the Red Cross has decided, barring unforeseen emergencies, to combine its 1942 Roll Call with the next War Fund Campaign which is expected to be launched early in 1943.

"Although combining our efforts into one appeal a year we shall still emphasize the membership of the Red Cross which is so deeply rooted in the voluntary and democratic character of the organization. In view of this decision the Red Cross feels that it is justified in holding, independent of any fund raising efforts by other groups, one campaign a year which includes its Roll Call Membership Appeal."

Chairman Davis said that the current War Fund Campaign was nearing a successful conclusion. Having recently asked for a generous oversubscription of the original minimum goal of \$50,000,000, Chairman Davis revealed that chapters now report a total of \$61,172,000. It is expected that at least \$65,000,000 will be reached during the month of March.

Elmer D. Graves Training In Army Cavalry School

FT. RILEY, Kas.—Pvt. Elmer D. Graves, whose home is at Ozona, Texas, has reported to the world's largest Cavalry School here.

While at the Cavalry School Pvt. Graves will receive a modern course of instruction in horsemanship.

Upon completion of the course, he will return to his regular organization.

Texas Rangers Aid Stockmen In Preventing Thefts

The Texas Rangers, widely known for their ability to apprehend all cases of thefts, are now assigned with one major operation as that of curbing livestock theft in Texas. This is particularly the case of the Company E, stationed in San Angelo with Captain Ernest Best in charge. This company is now working in close cooperation with the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association in combating the theft of sheep and goats.

The territory covered by Company E extends to El Paso on the west, Midland on the north, Llano on the east, and to Uvalde and the Rio Grande River on the south. This area comprises a large portion of the sheep and goat producing area of the state.

Ranger companies operating in other sections are always ready to assist Company E with theft cases. Captain Best, Rangers Jim Flournoy, Zeno Smith, and Dan Westbrook are stationed in San Angelo, with H. D. Wachtendorf stationed in Brady, Rangers Leo Bishop and Pete Crawford in Alpine. This entire company Captain Best stated, is ready to assist the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association at all times.

Captain Best further urged all association members to report thefts to the Ranger offices or to the Association office in Sonora. During scouting duty over the sheep section, Rangers visit the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association office with reports and calls of theft cases. This cooperation with the sheep and goat interests will be of immense value to the industry.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., Mrs. C. L. McDonald, Mrs. Kincaid's mother, and Tom Kincaid were in San Antonio last week-end. They went to hear Tom Davis, president of Rotary International.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Watson are having an east porch on their home screened.

Mrs. Eddie Bower and infant daughter, Joan, are visiting Mrs. Vera Baker.

Mrs. Charles Davidson, Jr., and her son, Charlie Boy, have returned from San Angelo where Charlie Boy received medical care.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Peters have been in Austin visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William Swearingen. They also visited in San Antonio to hear Rotary International President Tom Davis. Mr. Swearingen is soon to go to Washington where he will receive a commission to do radio research in the army.

Mrs. Arthur Phillips and infant daughter, Diane, were in Asherton last week visiting Mrs. Phillips' parents and her brother, William Collins who is on furlough.

I have reopened my beauty shop in my home here and invite my friends and former customers to pay me a visit. MRS. FRED SURGUY. Phone 168. 1tc

Miss Marzee Hammons, grade school teacher, left this morning by bus for Oden, Tex., on receipt of word of the death of her father.

Eventually, we think, the rest of the Allied nations will learn from the Chinese the trick of fighting the Japs.—Kansas City Times.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Crockett County Greeting: Claude B. Hudspeth, Jr., Administrator of the Estate of Claude B. Hudspeth, Sr., having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Claude B. Hudspeth, Sr., numbered 126 on the Probate Docket of Crockett County, together with an application to be discharged from said Estate.

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days before the return day hereof in a Newspaper printed in the County of Crockett you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on or before the March Term, 1942, of said County Court, commencing and to be held at the Court House of said County, in the town of Ozona, Texas, on the 30th day of March, A. D. 1942, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the town of Ozona, Texas, this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1942. (SEAL) GEO. RUSSELL, Clerk County Court Crockett County.

A TRUE COPY, I CERTIFY. MRS. W. S. WILLIS, Sheriff Crockett County. By CLAUD RUSSELL, Deputy Sheriff. Issued this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1942.

GEO. RUSSELL, Clerk County Court Crockett County, Texas. 48-4

OZONA LODGE NO. 747 A. F. & A. M. Regular meetings first Monday night in each month. Next meeting will be April 6.

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

Water Rates -

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000 gallons, and the user of 20,000 gallons will save \$2.25 on that amount.

"The new rate schedule is in the nature of an experiment by the board," J. W. North, chairman of the board of directors, said in announcing the cut. "We are feeling our way along in the administration of the water plant and have determined on the rate of this reduction through conference with other water plant operators and in the light of experience the past year. We shall study the effects of this reduction and if we find that the volume of sales increases sufficiently to allow it, we hope to make even deeper cuts for next summer."

The board of directors also determined upon a plan of offering reduced rates to all charitable and religious organizations it serves. These reductions will be made to the churches, ministers, cemetery association and the Community Center.

Defense Clean-Up Week Proclaimed By Gov. Stevenson

Civilian Defense Clean-Up Week in Texas has been designated for March 29 to April 4, in a proclamation issued by Governor Coke Stevenson.

Calling for cooperation of city and county officials, fire departments, public schools—both urban and rural, civic and patriotic organizations, the Governor in his proclamation has emphasized the need of a clean-up campaign at this time in the interest of public health and fire prevention.

"The health of our citizens and the preservation of property from destruction by fire is of vital importance to our nation as an important part of its Victory program," the Governor declared.

Doctor Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, stated that the health of the nation in time of peace or war was of paramount importance. The men in our armed forces must be in perfect physical condition, and those engaged in supplying war material and other defense activities can not have their efforts dissipated by sickness or accidents. This week should kindle a desire on the part of all to make health a part of their war effort.

"Fire prevention has always paid liberal dividends where it has been practiced," Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, said. "The value of fire prevention now is more important than at any time in the past twenty-five years. The growing list of every day articles being removed from market as more plants are converted to war production makes it vital that all resources be protected from fire losses. A thorough clean-up with the removal of fire hazards is of major importance in fire prevention."

It has been pointed out that scrap and waste collections for the war effort can be given added emphasis during Civilian Defense Clean-Up Week by organizations engaged in such activity.

"In collecting waste paper," Commissioner Hall cautioned, "care should be exercised in storing it so as not to create a new fire hazard."

OZONAN GETS SCHOLARSHIP

Howard Lemmons, son of Mrs. Ben Lemmons of Ozona, has been awarded an Athletic Scholarship at Southern Methodist University for the spring semester, it was announced today by A. C. Zumbrennen, dean of students. Lemmons is a Freshman in the School of Arts and Sciences where he is majoring in geology.

Corp. John D. Whatley, U. S. Air Corps, left Sunday after spending a ten-day furlough here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Whatley. John D., who recently won his promotion to corporal, is stationed at Kelly Field in San Antonio.

NEED GARDEN HOSE FOR CEMETERY USE

A shortage of garden hose at the Cedar Hill Cemetery is making it difficult to adequately care for the burial plots, and an appeal was issued this week by Mrs. Floyd Henderson, member of the Cemetery Association, for additional hose for use at the cemetery. Lot owners who have hose to spare are urged to place it in the cemetery to facilitate irrigation of the flowers and shrubbery.

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