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Kinney Defeats Champ Mansfield In Calf Roping

Match Marred by Injury to "Toots" on 7th In 8-Calf Match

Although the victory was a hollow one because of injury to his opponent near the end of the match, James Kinney of Marathon defeated Toots Mansfield, world champion calf roper, in an eight-calf match spread over the two-day Ozona rodeo the week-end.

Mansfield suffered injury to his leg in dismounting to tie his seventh calf, this after having broken the barrier on the start for a 10-second penalty on that try. Though suffering the intense pain of a torn muscle in his thigh, the champ nevertheless wrestled his calf down to tie in a fair time of 14.8 seconds. But the distraction of pain did its work and the calf shook loose from the tie and another 10 second penalty applied, making the total time for the seventh calf 34.8.

Sonny Edwards, Mansfield's brother-in-law, finished the match for the champion by snaring and tying the eighth calf in a snappy 13.5, but the match had been lost on the seventh-calf debacle, the total time for the contestants on the eight-calf match being 141.8 seconds for Toots and 125.9 for Kinney.

The match was divided over the two-day show, contestants roping four calves the opening day and four on Sunday. The first-day match ended with Mansfield in the lead by 9.7 seconds, total times for the four calves being 58.8 for Mansfield to 68.5 for Kinney.

Toots took off in the lead by taking his calf in 15.2 while James turned in a 17.4. On his second calf, Kinney missed a loop for a total time of 21.6 while Mansfield widened his lead with a 14.3. Kinney's 13 flat on his third calf was the best time of the first day, but he lopped .2 of a second off that time on his seventh calf Sunday, roping and tying the critter in 12.8 seconds.

Trailing by nearly ten seconds at the start of the Sunday afternoon final round, Kinney was clicking along with the champ, a little under, 14.9 to 14.1 on the first calf, but took up a little slack on the second, 16.4 to 20.6 for Mansfield. After the sixth calf, Mansfield was still leading by a 6.3 seconds margin, and then came the fateful seventh and Mansfield's injury and the penalties cinched the match for the challenger.

The Mansfield-Kinney match was a highlight of the two-day roping events staged by the Crockett County Fair Assoc. and the Crockett County Fair Assoc. and the first move in reviving Ozona's annual summer rodeos, a fixture in West Texas until abandoned some five years ago.

Scouts Clear Nearly \$200 on Soda Concession

Troop Fund Is Swelled by Sale Cold Drinks During Rodeo

Ozona Boy Scouts of Troop 53 built a troop fund of nearly \$200 through operation of the cold drink concession by the fair association, Scoutmaster Bill Cooper estimated this week.

The Scouts were given the cold drink concession by the fair association as a means of replenishing the troop fund, used largely in the promotion of local Scout work, building repairs and maintenance and incidental expenses in connection with the troop program.

The Scouts, with Scoutmaster Cooper and Troop Committeemen Frank James and Ray Piner hopped counters at the drink concession booth, dispensed nearly 250 cases of drinks to the thirsty crowds attending the two-day show.

Back the Attack! Buy More Bonds

Sgt. Vaughn Brown, Back After 26 Months Overseas in Four Campaigns, Declares His Yen For Travel Has Been Satisfied

A life-long desire to travel the world has been satisfied completely for one Ozona boy, just back in the States after 26 months of "travels" with the Fifth Army to England, to North Africa and Tunisia, to Sicily and to Italy and now back to the United States.

"I'll never want to travel again," says Sgt. Vaughn Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brown of Ozona, who arrived last week for a visit with his parents after having been shipped back from Italy. "I'd like just to sit under one of those park trees in Ozona for three years," the former Ozona High School athlete declared.

Sgt. Brown was trained as a radio gunner in the Army Air Forces and was among the first groups of American soldiers to land in England. He spent 5½ months in England and landed in North Africa three days after the initial landings of American forces on that continent. He participated in the North African campaign and the Tunisian campaign which finally cleared the Germans from Africa, then landed in Sicily. He went with the invading forces into Italy and got as far north as Rome before his time came for return to home for a rest and re-assignment.

Aviation mechanics were scarce in the Mediterranean theatre, Sgt. Brown said, and he was shifted to that job and assigned to a photo reconnaissance unit with which he served until shipped home.

"I made it to Rome, otherwise I would not have come home until I had a chance to visit it," Sgt. Brown said. He was in Rome three days after the Eternal City fell to the Allied forces. It was scarcely damaged by war, the Ozona boy said, and was the first clean city

Little Damage Done—Ozonan Says Jap Bombings Relief From Monotony

Jap bombers overhead were a welcome diversion from the humdrum life on the Pacific island of Bougainville, T-4 Eugene C. Montgomery, who arrived last week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Montgomery, after serving for 29 months in the South Pacific war zone, declares.

Montgomery entered the service from New York early in the preparedness training program. He was among the first American soldiers to be sent to Australia and the South Pacific Islands, touching the Fiji Islands, New Caledonia, Australia, Guadalcanal, Bougainville and others.

While American forces were pushing back the Japs on Bougainville, the big Jap naval and air base at Rabaul, just across the strait on New Britain island, was a thorn in the side for Americans throughout the area, and, therefore, was subjected to months of almost continuous bombings by American bombers.

"We watched pretty closely the process of neutralizing Rabaul," the Ozona soldier declared. "Intelligence officers in our outfit posted reconnaissance photos of Rabaul like successive news bulletins. We counted the remaining Jap planes in each new photo—to see how many they had left to worry us."

"They bombed us pretty regularly for a while. Their bombings made good shows for us—it was something to break the monotony—but they did little damage. It was a welcome diversion, sort of a game, to watch the Japs come over to bomb, see our anti-aircraft boys shoot at them, to cheer the gunners when they downed one and cuss them when they missed."

Young Montgomery left this week for North Carolina for re-assignment.

Benny Gail Phillips had as her week-end guests Janet Robb and Louise Bennett of Big Spring. Also from Big Spring Saturday night were Pete Cook, Jimmy Talbert and Horace Rankin.

he had seen in all the rest of Italy.

Asked about the welcome given by the Italian people to Allied soldiers, Sgt. Brown said that they stopped traffic. "If we stopped on the street in an Army vehicle they would literally cover us up with flowers, wine, food and such, and hug and kiss us until the M. P.'s came along and rescued us," he said. "I think they were really glad to see us, although I am sure the Fascist and Nazi sympathizers tried to put on as good a show as the rest."

Sgt. Brown said that he saw Mount Vesuvius at close range just before it started on its recent destructive eruption and witnessed most of the spectacular show it staged. Molten lava streams which he described as some 20 feet in height and a half mile or more wide, completely covered one town near where he was stationed, which was very near the volcano, "on the good side." It was a horrible sight, he declared, to watch the irresistible flow of the molten, gray rock and ash as it slowly crushed and engulfed buildings in the abandoned towns.

Although his outfit was back from the actual fighting fronts, they were under German bombing most of the way from North Africa to Rome. Being bombed is not altogether comfortable, he declared, but it's not as bad as one would think.

Sgt. Brown will remain with his parents here until September 4 when he is to report to an Air Force field in Nebraska for re-assignment. He wears campaign ribbons denoting participation in four campaigns and a presidential citation.

Ozona Marine, Twice Wounded by Japs, May Soon Return Home

Johnnie L. Armentrout, U. S. Marine corps veteran of some of the hottest fighting in which U. S. forces have engaged in the Pacific war theatre, may soon be coming home for a well-earned rest.

Twice wounded, once in the bloody landings on Tarawa and recently in one of the newer island campaigns, not yet designated in letters to his parents, young Armentrout, in a letter received last week by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Armentrout, hinted that he might soon be returned to the states.

First word the parents had of his second wound came in a recent letter in which the young Marine wrote that he had "let the Japs get the best of me again." He said he was hit in the left shoulder but that it was a clean wound and he did not expect much trouble from it.

Story of Texas-New Mexico Pipeline Shown in Movie

A trip via technicolor movies down the Texas-New Mexico Pipeline from gathering points in fields of New Mexico through Ozona and to the Gulf coast was given members of the Ozona Rotary Club at the club luncheon on Tuesday.

The film of about 40 minutes in length was exhibited here by E. E. Calloway of Houston, safety engineer for the Texas Company in the southern territory of Texas, and a Mr. Bradshaw from the Midland offices of the pipeline company.

Scenes from oil fields in Texas and New Mexico, of the intricate pump stations along the 700-mile route of the pipeline, and interesting shots of the big refineries in Texas were shown. One of the shots pictured the Ozona pump station 8 miles west of Ozona, showing Superintendent Royal Caswell, Alvin Scheel, Taylor Word and other members of the station crew at work.

Mrs. John Coates has returned from San Angelo with her infant son, John Fletcher.

20 lbs. Per Capita Goal Waste Paper Salvage Campaign

Scout-Sponsored Drive Here For Scrap To Be Continued

Gov. Coke R. Stevenson has issued a proclamation calling on all citizens of Texas to put forth their full efforts to collect at least 20 pounds of waste paper per capita during Paper Salvage Month, Aug. 20-Sept. 20. It has been announced at headquarters of the Texas Newspapers' Waste Paper Drive in Fort Worth.

The Governor has asked specifically for the cooperation of the American Legion, The Boy Scouts, local salvage committees and all newspapers, pointing out that waste paper now is the No. 1 critical war material. Many mills which convert waste paper into war products now are shut down or operating on part-time basis because of the shortage of supplies, he stated.

"Collections in the United States for 1944," Governor Stevenson said, "have averaged 79,000 tons monthly short of quotas."

"Consumption of waste paper is increasing every month and inventories are diminishing. It is vitally important to replenish inventories in order that production of blood plasma containers, boxes for emergency lifeboat rations, life preserver cartons, protective bands for bombs, field ration containers, and hundreds of other vital military needs may be increased."

The local waste paper salvage drive, sponsored by Boy Scouts of Troop 53, will be continued, Bill Cooper, Scoutmaster, announced this week. The first shipment of around 6,000 pounds, was made last week. Citizens are urged to save all scrap paper and to tie it up in bundles and leave it in the unfinished rock building next to Butler's Cafe, where Army trucks from Del Rio will pick it up for shipment as soon as another 3-ton minimum has been accumulated.

Lt. Joe Nussbaumer, Recently Promoted, Has Flown 13 Missions

AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE LIBERATOR STATION, ENGLAND—The promotion of Joe J. Nussbaumer from the rank of Second Lieutenant to First Lieutenant was announced recently in England by Lt. General Doolittle. Lt. Nussbaumer is the husband of Mrs. Lela Mae Nussbaumer of Ozona and managed a florist shop in San Angelo before he entered the Army. He attended San Angelo High School and the University of Texas and was a member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Lt. Nussbaumer is a pilot on a Liberator Bomber and has thirteen combat missions to his credit. He also participated in the Italian Campaign before flying from England over Germany and enemy occupied Europe. He was commissioned and received his wings on June 22, 1943 at Stockton Field, California.

James D. Hicks, 81, Father of Ozonan, Died in Burnet

Funeral services were held in Burnet Monday afternoon for James D. Hicks, 81, father of J. L. Hicks of Ozona, who died Sunday night at the home of a son, Theodore Hicks, in Lampasas after a long illness.

Services were conducted at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon from the Baptist Church in Burnet, the Rev. Harrison, pastor, officiating. Burial followed in Pebble Mound cemetery, near Burnet.

Mr. Hicks was born in Dallas county October 17, 1863. He moved to Burnet county in 1875 and had made his home there since, engaging in livestock raising. His wife died in 1910.

The child was born March 2, 1944. Surviving are the parents, one brother and one sister. The father, Astor W. Robertson, apprentice seaman, U. S. Navy, is in training at Camp Perry, Va.

Chief in Hospital



Injured while rescuing an enlisted man during the fierce fighting at Saipan, Marine Lieut. Col. E. F. Carlson, winner of many crosses, C. O. of the Carlson's Raiders.

Elwood McWilliams Reported Killed in Action February 4th

Previously reported missing in action, First Sgt. Elwood McWilliams, was killed in action in Italy on February 4, 1944, according to official notification received by the parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McWilliams, from the War Department.

The official notification confirmed information which the family had been given by members of his unit, returned to the States for hospitalization for wounds received in the bitter fighting around Cassino, that Sgt. McWilliams had been killed in action.

Sgt. McWilliams, one of five McWilliams children serving in the armed forces, entered the service with Co. C, 142nd Infantry when it was mobilized into the 36th division in late 1940, and served with that famous unit at Salerno, and the later bitter fights in which the division engaged in driving the Germans from Italy.

Father of Ozonan Died Sunday at Home in Llano County

Robert D. Beasley, 74 father of Sam Beasley, Ozona barber shop operator, died at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon at his home in Llano. He had been ill 18 months after suffering a stroke from which he never recovered. The son left Saturday for his father's bedside, Mrs. Beasley and Sammy Sue and Charles Butler going Monday to attend funeral services.

Funeral services were conducted at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon from the community church at Valley Springs, near Llano, Lynn Nobles, minister of the Church of Christ at Bluffton, Texas officiating.

Mr. Beasley was born in Illinois but came to Texas at the age of 17 years, settling in Llano county where he had lived 57 years. He had engaged in farming until a few years ago when his health forced his retirement. His wife died in Llano in 1926.

Surviving are seven children, four sons and three daughters, all living in Llano except Sam Beasley of Ozona. Two sisters, one brother, 22 grand children and 9 great grand children also survive.

5-Month-Old Son Of Astor Robertsons Dies in San Angelo

Lewis Claude Robertson, 5-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Astor Robertson died at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning in a hospital in San Angelo. The child became ill suddenly Tuesday afternoon and was taken to the San Angelo hospital.

Funeral services were conducted at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the James Evans home, the Rev. Clyde Childers, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial followed in Cedar Hill cemetery.

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Crowds Pronounce First War-Time Show a Success

Well Staged Entertainment Enjoyed by Stay-at-Homes

Daily crowds, estimated at a thousand and upward, many or most of them enjoying their first opportunity since war began to witness the favored western sports saw Ozona's two-day rodeo events at the fair park Saturday and Sunday afternoons and almost unanimously pronounced the show a success.

Attendance, of course, did not compare with the crowds Ozona entertained in pre-war days, but fair association officials who promoted the entertainment were well pleased with the reception given their efforts by the rodeo-hungry home folks and visitors. A dance Friday evening before the opening day of the show and another Saturday evening rounded out the show features. A. O. Allen's orchestra from San Angelo playing for the dancers who crowded the open-air fair grounds platform the two nights.

An array of the world's best ropers, which included the world's champion, Toots Mansfield of Big Spring and all the "next bests" in the land, were here both days to give an exhibition that the customers could not hope to see except at the biggest rodeo events over the country. And horseflesh the like of which has never been assembled at any small show in these parts was on parade to thrill horse lovers. Those well-trained animals that top-notch ropers coddle every day from show to show were to be seen in numbers, some of the prettiest working horses Ozonans have had the privilege to see in many years. And not to be overlooked in this array were numbers of Crockett county raised horses that measured up with the best in the arena.

Sonny Edwards won the two-day average in calf roping with a time of 30.8 seconds on two calves. Harry Howard of Rankin was second in 32.7; Babb Taylor of Doole was third for the two days with 33.9 seconds and Kay Black in fourth place with 37.2 seconds.

Champion Toots Mansfield held the best two-day average in the team tying event with 32.7, brother-in-law Sonny Edwards helping.

A-C Billy Hannah Begins Final Lap of Training As Pilot

ALTUS ARMY AIR FIELD — Aviation Cadet Billy L. Hannah, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Hannah, Ozona, has reported to the AAF Training Command's advanced flying school here to begin the last lap of his military pilot training.

In Altus AAF two-engined training ships he will learn the technique of flying the multi-motored bomber or fighter plane he will be piloting overseas, and in ground school he will further perfect his technical knowledge of combat subjects. Upon graduation 10 weeks later he will be awarded the silver wings of an AAF pilot and appointed a flight officer or commissioned a second lieutenant.

Society Votes to Stucco Buildings at Community Center

Members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service met in regular monthly business session Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Williams. The Society voted to stucco the cottage and garage at the Community Center as soon as labor and materials are found available.

Beginning with the first Wednesday in September, the Society will resume its weekly meetings each Wednesday afternoon.

Present for this week's meeting were Mrs. Alvin Scheel, Miss Elizabeth Fussell, Mrs. John Bailey, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. W. R. Baggett, Mrs. R. A. Harrell, Mrs. Scott Peters and Mrs. Bill Cooper.

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Proposed Constitutional Amendments

H. J. R. No. 8 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f; Section 51-e providing that cities and towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for their appointive officers and employees...

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Sections 51-e and 51-f, which shall read as follows:

"Section 51-e. Each incorporated city and town in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of retirement and disability pensions for their appointive officers and employees who have become disabled as a direct result of the performance of their duties, or have passed their sixtieth birthday, or have been employed by such city or town for more than twenty-five (25) years and have passed their sixtieth birthday, when and if, but only when and if, such system has been approved at an election by the qualified voters of such city or town entitled to vote on the question of issuance of tax supported bonds; provided that no city or town shall contribute more than the equivalent of seven and one-half (7 1/2) per centum of salaries and wages of the officers and employees entitled to participate in its pension system, and that said officers and employees shall contribute a like amount; and this Amendment shall not reduce the authority nor duty of any city or town otherwise existing.

"Section 51-f. The Legislature of this State shall have the authority to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns to operate Statewide or by districts under such plan or program as the Legislature shall direct and shall provide that participation therein by cities and towns shall be voluntary; provided that the Legislature shall never make an appropriation to pay any of the cost of any system authorized by this Section."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendments shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State in November, 1944, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon, "For the Constitutional Amendment providing that the cities and

towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of pensions for their appointive officers and employees." and "Against the Constitutional Amendment providing that all cities and towns in this State shall have the power and authority to provide a system of pensions for their appointive officers and employees." All ballots at each election shall also have printed thereon, "For the Constitutional Amendment giving authority to the Legislature to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of the cities and towns and "Against the Constitutional Amendment giving authority to the Legislature to provide for a system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of cities and towns." Each voter shall scratch out two (2) of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the two (2) expressing his vote on the proposed Amendments.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election. 17-4tc

H. J. R. No. 18 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by changing said Section 9 so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; providing that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; providing that this section shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of this Constitution; fixing the time for the election for the adoption or rejection of said proposed Constitutional Amendment; making certain provisions for said election and ballots thereof and the method thereof; directing the issuance of proclamation therefor; prescribing certain duties of the Governor of the State of Texas; and making an appropriation to defray the expenses of said election.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be so amended that the same will hereafter read as follows: "Section 9. The State tax on property, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed thirty-five (35) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation; and no county, city or town shall levy more than twenty-five (25) cents for city or coun-

ty purposes, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents for roads and bridges, and not exceeding fifteen (15) cents to pay jurors, on the one hundred dollars valuation, except prior to the adoption of the Amendment September 25, 1883; and for the erection of public buildings, streets, sewers, waterworks and other permanent improvements, not to exceed twenty-five (25) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year, except as is in this Constitution otherwise provided; provided, however, that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the foregoing county taxes by changing the rates provided for any of the foregoing purposes by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of said foregoing county taxes exceed (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation, in any one year; provided further, that before the said Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in said county taxes that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of such county at a general or special election, and shall be approved by a majority of the qualified property tax payers, voting in such election; and, provided further, that if and when such re-allocations and changes in the aforesaid county taxes have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county, as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which the same shall be approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and the Legislature may also authorize an additional annual ad valorem tax to be levied and collected for the further maintenance of the public roads; provided, that a majority of the qualified property tax paying voters of the county voting at an election to be held for that purpose shall vote such tax, not to exceed fifteen (15) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of the property subject to taxation in such county. And the Legislature may pass local laws for the maintenance of the public roads and highways, without the local notice required for special or local laws. This section shall not be construed as a limitation of powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of this Constitution."

Sec. 2 The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a general election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the seventh day of November, 1944, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"For the Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters, voting in such election; providing that if and when such re-allocations and changes in such county tax levies have been approved by the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall be approved, unless the same shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such

county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the following words:

"Against the Amendment to Section 9 of Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in said section by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed eighty (80) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for any one year; providing that before such Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies that the same shall be submitted to the qualified property tax paying voters of any county as herein provided, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of election at which same shall be approved, unless the same shall have been changed by a majority vote of the qualified property tax paying voters of such county, voting on the proposition, after submission by the Commissioners Court at a general or special election for that purpose; and providing that this Amendment shall not be construed as a limitation on powers delegated to counties, cities or towns by any other section or sections of the Constitution."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expense of such publication and election. 17-4tc

REVOLUTION OR RESIGNATION

"Anything which facilitates ambition towards paternalism obstructs democracy, and nothing could contribute more to this end than the impounding of the earnings of the people by a government which pretentiously proposes to support them," says the Hon. V. J. Stricker, Judge of the Chancery court, Mississippi. "In democratic ages tyranny always begins with benevolence, and this benevolence, feeding upon itself, is supplied through exactions from the people. . . whatever the

intention, this process gets beyond control, and with compulsive force, defeats itself in direct proportion as the demand for charity comes to exceed the demand for liberty. In their inevitable order, indolence, poverty and vice advance in succession, until revolution defeats the system, or resignation enslaves the people."

"Women voters now outnumber male voters by 600,000." - U.S. Census Bureau.

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MRS. BOEHME'S BREAD advertisement featuring an image of a loaf of bread, the Mrs. Boehme's Bakery logo, and text describing their products and location in Ozona, Texas.

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OZONA DRUG STORE

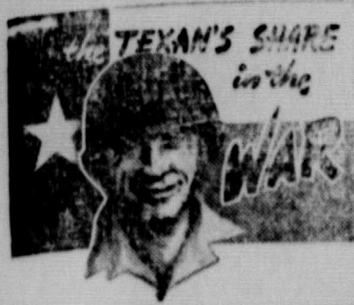
WORMY HOGS advertisement for Martin's Phenika Wormer, featuring a pig illustration and text describing its effectiveness against various parasites.

WHY-DIP! advertisement for DICE OIL SPRAY, featuring an illustration of a person using the spray and text describing its uses for various pests.

West Texas Utilities Company advertisement featuring an image of a woman and child and text promoting their lighting and utility services.

Exide Batteries Service advertisement for Gulf Service Station, Shorty Pridemore, Prop., including a list of accessories and products.

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That Texans still know how to use their "shootin'-irons" was proven again on Saipan, when Marine Hiram Westbrook of San Angelo killed a Jap sniper with a single rifle shot at 1,100 yards. The almost-miraculous shot was witnessed by several other soldiers, and is credited with being the longest "bulls eye" of the enemy.

It is inevitable in war that some soldiers will be captured by the enemy. In this war, flyers often land in enemy territory when shot down. The latest list of our men lost to the Japs includes the names of F/O Carl Clark, Lockhart; S-S Louis Langston, Laredo; Sgt. L. R. Light, Llano, and Lt. Sammy West, Blanco. It is good to know, however, that wherever they are, even behind Japanese barbed wire, they will receive help of their friends at home. War Prisoners Aid-YMCA, an agency of the National War Fund, looks out for the morale of the "barbed wire brigade," sending athletic equipment, games, musical instruments, books and many other materials to our boys through neutral representatives.

The Barnard boys of Donna are fighting a global war of their own. As first pilot of a Flying Fortress, Lt. L. L. Barnard has a record of 25 bombing missions over Germany. And in the Pacific, Navy Lt. Lloyd G. Barnard has shot down six Jap planes—five of them in a single flight. He set his record as a Jap-killer on June 15 over the Bonin Islands, downing the five Zeros in 25 minutes, two of them in a period of 30 seconds.

Lt. Tom Horne of Childress is a typical hard-riding, hard-fighting Texan. During the Saipan fight he had two "mounts" shot out from under him but fought on. The "mounts" were tanks, and as each was blasted by Jap shells the Texas Marine officer leaped out, found a new tank, and returned to the scrap. Three of Lt. Horne's crewmen were killed, but when the area of his fight was visited the next day, bodies of 89 Japs were more than evened.

An 18-year-old Texan also joined the "one-man army" class on Saipan. He was Marine Travis Helpingstill of Nacigdoches, who

Nazi Collaborator Loses 'Crowning Glory'



The French patriots made the punishment fit the crime (as any female who has had her "crowning glory" sheared will attest). Grande Guillotte, 23-year-old French girl was taken from her home by force and sheared of her long hair for collaborating with the Nazis. Many French patriots have joined together and have designated a large number of collaborator suspects. While they have not announced the punishment to be given to all the men on the list, it looks as if the women will soon be missing their hair.

volunteered to seek out a Japanese sniper who had been firing on his group during the night. Instead of one Jap, however, he ran into a group of 50. Other Marines joined the Texan and when the scrap was over, 27 Nips were buried.

"Guess I started something," the teenage Texan remarked when the smoke cleared.

And, believe it or not, a Texas soldier has won what amounts to a beauty contest. She (that's right) is a pretty Texarkana WAC, Pvt. Lucille Wilkey. Harry Conover, famous model agent, chose her as the "typical WAC" after viewing photos of hundreds of girl soldiers.

Texans in the Merchant Marine have been doing great work abroad, carrying men and munitions from England to the beaches of France. In England, they spend their off-duty hours in rest homes set up for them by United Seamens Service, a National War Fund agency.

Although he lost a foot during hand-to-hand fighting on Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, Pfc. Willie Carson, son of County Judge Burch Carson of Culbertson county, doesn't feel too badly about it. The fighting Texan, now recovering from wounds at McClosky Hospital, Temple, brought back a Jap-

anese major's sword as a souvenir. Before he was wounded on April 28, Carson killed four Japs with his rifle. One of them was the major.

Judge Critz Denounces CIO Attempts to Gain Control Texas Courts

AUSTIN. — Justice Richard Critz of the Texas Supreme Court, seeking re-election in the runoff Democratic primary August 26, declared today that the CIO is attempting to gain control of Texas Courts and that his opponent has the 100 per cent indorsement of the CIO Political Action Committee. He denounced the CIO pressure-group political methods.

"This Political Action Committee has leaders who are not satisfied with fair and impartial rulings from the bench," said Justice Critz. "They will not be satisfied until they have packed our courts with men who will close their eyes to the rights of the people and interpret the law the way these CIO leaders want it interpreted."

"This," continued Justice Critz, "is not Democracy. I would resign my office today if I thought I would have to bow to any pressure group in order to hold it. I know

the voters of Texas do not want this CIO group to hand pick the judges who are looked to for mercy and justice."

Justice Critz polled approximately 100,000 more votes than his nearest opponents in the first primary. He led the ticket in approximately 200 counties despite the edict that went out from such political committees as the CIO that he must be defeated.

"I would hate for my son and son-in-law, now in the armed services, to come home from this war to find that special privilege has succeeded in seizing control of the courts of Texas," said Justice Critz, whose ancestors fought the wars of America since 1776.

Mary Ann Butz of Fort Stockton and Joan Spalti of Dallas were guests of Corinne Phillips during the rodeo week-end.

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Charges Rump Demos Plan to Destroy Anti Labor Racketeer Laws

BELTON, Texas — Leaders of the pro-Roosevelt convention plan to seize control of the Democratic party machinery in Texas and use it to kill anti-labor racketeer laws of this state, Roy Sanderford, permanent chairman of the May convention, charged today.

His sensational disclosure followed a conference of Regular Democrats held in preparation for the forthcoming State Democratic Convention at Dallas September 12.

The pro-Roosevelt faction soundly beaten at the May convention, bolted at that time. But they have been noisily proclaiming that they will control the September gathering. The conference laid plans to resist their expected attempt at a coup.

"The real purpose of the rump leaders is to get control of the party machinery," Sanderford charged. "By so doing, they expect to build up such prestige for themselves that they will be able to repeal the state's anti-strike legisla-

tion and the Manford act, which are distasteful to labor union organizers.

"In this effort, they are working hand-in-glove with the CIO Political Action Committee which has established offices in Austin from which to direct its activities in Texas.

"Leaders of the rump faction are playing ball with the CIO committee which has \$3,000,000 to finance its activities.

"Once they repeal the O'Daniel anti-strike law, which has kept Texas free of strikes throughout the critical war period, this state ceases, who will cause endless turmoil and discourage new industry from locating in Texas."

Ozona Girl Wins Scholarship Award

AUSTIN — Commendation for high scholarship has been conferred on 641 students in the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Texas by Dean H. T. Parlin, in an honor roll for the spring semester.

The honor students include Miss Betty Lou Coates of Ozona.

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Crowds Pronounce

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him. Al Ten Eyck was second with 38.8, Fred Barrett of Comstock third with 39.2 and Billy Neal of Alpine fourth with 41.4.

Jack Sellers of Del Rio had the best two-day average in the ribbon roping event, his time being 41.7 on the two steers. Andy Bode of Del Rio was second with a close 41.8, Howard Westfall, third with 42.6 and Sonny Edwards in fourth place with 43.8.

Toots Mansfield was in form in Saturday's calf roping event, taking first place by wrapping up his calf in 15.1 seconds. Crowding him again was Sonny Edwards with a time of 15.9 and Babb Taylor of Doole was good for third in 16 flat and Harry Howard fourth in 16.1.

Saturday's team tying was won by Billy Neal in 15.3, Mansfield was second with a 16.3, Pete Ten Eyck of Fort Stockton third in 18.7 and Fred Barrett fourth with a 20 flat.

A colorful feature of the show was the girl's barrel races, won the first day by Mrs. Margaret Montgomery in 14 seconds flat. Carolyn Cox of Midland was in second place with 14.6 and Sug Owens, soon to compete in Madison Square Garden, tied Mary Rose Beck of Talpa for third in 14.8. Sug and her tiny pony both dug in Sunday to win the barrel jaunt in 14.6 seconds, topping by .2 of a second a three-way tie for second, third and fourth places between Mrs. Punk Snyder, Blanche Altizer and Louise Bennett, each of whom ran the distance in 14.8 seconds.

In Saturday's ribbon roping, Edwards again was top in 14.2 seconds, Tom Powers of Ozona second in 18.9, Billy Neal, third in 20.5 and Jack Sellers fourth in 21.2.

Frank McMullan, Jr., of Big Lake wrapped his goat in 15.4 seconds to win the boys' goat roping Saturday, with Bill Tatum second in 21.1 and Toontey Orr third in 21.4.

Walton Poage of Rankin set the pace Sunday in calf roping with a 13 flat to win day money. Edwards again came through for second in 14.9, Andy Bode was third in 15.2, and Kay Black and Punk Snyder of Melvin tied for fourth with 16 flat.

Ozona's Vic Montgomery copied the last day ribbon roping in 14.8 seconds, Howard Westfall was second in 17.1, Jack Sellers third in 20.5 and Andy Bode fourth in 20.6. The last day's team tying was won by Mansfield with a time of 17.3, Ted Powers of Ozona in second place with 18.8, Fred Barrett was third in 19.2 and Al Ten Eyck fourth with 19.3.

Joe Bean won the boy's goat roping Sunday by snaking his loop over a tricky goat that tried mixing with the crowd to escape the lariat. Joe's time was 22.7 for first place in the face of the contrary animal's trick. Jack Hoggett took second place in 23.8 and Johnny McMullan third in 27.7.

Rodeo judges were Vic Rogers of Del Rio and Curtis Short. Mrs. Lee Spilisbury of Marfa and Japson Pettit of Stiles the time keepers. The show was enlivened by the sprightly announcing of Sheriff Buck Jackson of Pecos.

New Sugar Stamp Vaid September 1

Validation of a new sugar stamp, No. 33 in War Ration Book Four, was announced Sunday by the Office of Price Administration. This stamp will be good for buying five pounds of sugar after September 1.

Like other sugar stamps now being used, Stamp No. 33 will be valid definitely. Stamps now good for five pounds each are Nos. 30, 31, and 32.

Attention was called to the fact that Sugar Stamp No. 40 is still good for five pounds of canning sugar. It expires on February 28, 1945.

Mr. and Mrs. Hood Mendel from Fort Stockton were here to attend the rodeo Saturday and Sunday.

NOTICE TO MUSIC PUPILS

I will begin my classes in Piano and Violin on September 1. Interested pupils or parents are urged to call me at telephone No. 250 or 3620 as soon as possible.
Mrs. Elton Smith 18-3c

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Clyde Childers, Pastor**

Schedule of Services
10:00 Sunday School
11:00 Morning Worship
8:30 Evening Worship
Wednesday:
8:30 Prayer Meeting

We appreciate the interest and attendance of last Sunday and wish to urge those who were kept away to make a special effort to be back in their places next Lord's Day. The Lord's work is vital to our lives and community life and should command the greatest possible loyalty on the part of all.

The Nursery of our church is being thoroughly renovated this week and will be even more convenient for the care of the children in the future. Mrs. Roy Thompson and Mrs. Clyde Childers will have charge of the Nursery for both worship services Sunday. All mothers are invited to leave their children with them for those hours and attend the worship services.

R. H. Garner, former principal of the Ozona Junior High School, has received a commission as an Ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve and has been sent to Camp MacDonough, Plattsburg, N. Y., for training. Friends here have learned. Ensign Garner's address is Co. A, Bat 1, Bks. 11, Camp MacDonough, Plattsburg, N. Y. Elmo McCook, another former Ozona teacher and athletic coach who has been teaching at McCamey since leaving Ozona, has also been accepted for a commission in the Navy and is scheduled to report August 30, it has been learned here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baggett had as their guests this week their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pace, and their children, Sue and Baggett, their daughter, Mrs. Hiram Brown and Susan, all of Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nelson and La Juana Boerner of Floydada. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and La Juana left Tuesday to return to their homes, the other guests remaining for a further visit.

Oil Leases Important Second Money Crop For Texas Landowners

DALLAS, Texas. — Every one of Texas' 254 counties has land under lease for oil and gas development, the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association pointed out today. The total amount of land under lease exceeds 48,500,000 acres, up 2,000,000 over the preceding year, the association said in a report based on county tax rolls, oil company scout reports and ownership maps. The acreage under lease comprises about 75,787 square miles which, for comparison purposes, exceeds the total area of the states of West Virginia, Maryland, Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Connecticut, Delaware, Rhode Island and the District of Columbia. Money paid to Texas farmers, ranchers and other land owners, last year in the form of lease rentals and bonuses exceeded \$63,000,000 which, added to \$94,000,000 in oil and gas royalty payments to them, was a second money crop, a vitally important source of income.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jack Baggett and daughter, Betty, were here from San Angelo to attend the rodeo and to visit friends and relatives.

Byron C. Williams, who has recently completed training at the Oakland, Calif., naval base and qualified for the rating of Petty Officer, third class, Naval Aviation, arrived this week to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Charles Williams, before reporting on August 24 at Miami, Fla.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST
Warren E. Starnes, Minister**

Sunday Services:
Bible classes meet at 10 a.m.
Communion Service at 11 a.m.
Wednesday:
Ladies Bible Class at 4 p.m.
Prayer Meeting at 8:30 p.m.

Miss Marilyn Man of Wichita Falls is here for a visit with Miss Mary Louise Perner, her roommate last year at Southern Methodist University.

Pascal Northcutt, Ph. M. 1/c, U. S. Navy, arrived Tuesday night from the west coast to spend a brief leave here with his mother and friends.

Wesley Fox of San Angelo was here over the week-end for a visit with Henry Patrick and to witness the rodeo.

LOST—Pair of pillow cases. Finder please notify Mrs. Jesse Marley, Ozona, Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Doug Kirby are having the interior of their home repainted and repapered this week.

Mrs. Clinton Glover and daughters, Joanne and Della, spent the week-end here visiting Mrs. Glover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Graham.

Flora Jean Adams, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Homer Adams of San Antonio, is here this week for a visit with her cousin, Kay Kirby.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clay Adams and daughters, Jane and Camille, were among former Ozonans back for the week-end rodeo. They live in Fort Stockton.

Mrs. Jake Short of Vanderpool was here over the week-end to visit her sisters, Mrs. Floyd Henderson and Mrs. Scott Peters, and to attend the rodeo.

Maurice Lemmons recently received his wings and Flight Officer bars at the Midland air school as a glider pilot. F. O. Lemmons is a son of Mrs. Ben Lemmons of Ozona.

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AUSTIN — Old Age Assistance was paid to 17,991 persons in August at a cost of \$3,718,363.25. The average payment was \$21.62 as compared with 21.35 for the previous month.

Aid to Dependent Children was paid to 10,647 families representing 23,216 children in an average payment of \$20.95 and a total cost of \$223,022.00. This was a drop of 5c in average payment from the previous month.

Blind aid was paid to 4,617 persons in an average payment of \$24.14 with the total cost \$11,455.00. This was a decrease of 9c in average payment from the previous month.

Warren E. Starnes, minister of the Church of Christ of Ozona, will open a revival meeting in Justin, Texas, at the morning hour next Sunday. The meeting will continue through Sunday August 27.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our appreciation to friends in Ozona for their words of sympathy and for the many beautiful floral offerings on the occasion of our bereavement. Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered with gratitude.
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Beasley

Lt. Sibyl Cook, Army Nurse Corps, who recently underwent an operation in an Army hospital in San Antonio to repair a broken collar bone, suffered in an accident while on duty at an Army base hospital in Australia, has returned to Ozona. She has been granted a 60-day furlough to recover from the operation.

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