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## Here and There

By J. Troy Hickman

### SAN ANTONIO

San Antonio was the first city I knew as a child. My parents used to go there now and then on business. We lived in little country places. To me San Antonio seemed like an endless jungle of bushes and confusion. I was scared of nearly everything there.

Dad had bought a car. Mother was never too confident of his ability as a driver, and she had no confidence at all in his ability to handle the situation in the city traffic. So when we approached the edge of the metropolis, Mother would insist that we hire someone living there to drive us downtown.

We used to bring our bedding and camp overnight in what is now Breckenridge Park. There had to be a trip to the zoo, ice-cream cones, and all the things that country people used to do when they went to town. I remember we all drove in once to see "The Birth of a Nation." Remember that one?

All that was some time ago. The other day we went back to San Antonio to attend the annual conference of The Methodist Church. The old town still has its charm. There's nothing quite like it in the United States or, I guess, anywhere else.

The St. Anthony was full to the brim with preachers and lay delegates milling around like a school of minnows in shallow water. All was confusion in the dining room. The waitress who didn't know she was being complained "These Ozona preachers have got us all set here." I could see that was

Early Sunday morning we got up at the break of day. Gone was the noise and clamor of Saturday office. Like a patient whose fever has just left him, old San Antonio was silent and cool. We left the hotel and wandered around the streets, grateful that we had been able to ourselves. On past the Alamo. Down Commerce Street. The bells of old San Fernando cathedral smote the morning calm. Everyone seemed to be asleep, except a few girls and women in white dresses going to early mass.

We passed the bank on Commerce Street, the old funny one that recently remodeled a part of the building to look real modern, and the rest to look like pioneer days. It even has a little flower garden and iron fence. Where else in the world would there be such a bank?

Inside San Fernando cathedral they were having mass. Some two hundred people were present. Each man had some sort of cover on his head, even if it was no bigger than a dollar bill. Some had awls, one a bright-red shawl. The father was up before the microphone offering the congregation framed pictures of the Virgin and Child. "A good thing to have in the home," he said.

Over at one side was a crypt, where they say are buried the remains of heroes of the Alamo. A sign says the cathedral was built in 1728. It is considered to be the geographical center of San Antonio.

There was not a car on the Milburn Plaza, or a person. The old stone courthouse was deserted. I thought, many an interesting thing happened long ago, including the Council House Fight, where a group of Comanche chiefs were to pow-wow with some Texan men about making peace. Some lost his temper, fighting and, and the chiefs were all dead. This led to the revenge where the town of Linnville was destroyed.

At this time we hungered and thirsted. Mrs. Hickman was the first party on the trek. Hopefully she set forth in search of a cup of coffee. I suppose that good coffee may be found in San Antonio, but we never did find it this morning. Cafes, drug stores, the story was always the same. The coffee was bitter, some tasted like sack in the urn, and some

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## Spencer-Stevens Yanks Hold Lead In Little League

### 2nd Place Ozona Oil Red Sox Meet Leaders Tonight

Spencer & Stevens Yankees are top dogs in the Ozona Little League three-weeks old race for the 1953 championship. But the leaders face a crucial test tonight when they meet the up and coming second place Ozona Oil Co. Red Sox.

The Yankees have won five straights for a 1,000 in the percentage column. The Red Sox have a .750 with three games won and one lost. The slow starters are South Texas Lumber Co. White Sox and the Kyle Kleeners Indians. The Sox have won one and lost four while the Indians have dropped four straight. But all the teams are improving and the battle may tighten up as the season progresses.

The standings:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Spencer-Stevens	5	0	1.000
Ozona Oil	3	1	.750
South Texas	1	4	.200
Kyle Kleeners	0	4	.000

Tonight's games: South Texas vs Kyle Kleeners; Spencer-Stevens vs Ozona Oil Co.

Bobby Sutton, playing for the league leaders, is the league's leading hitter. He is batting a hefty .769, with 10 hits, one a home run, one a three-bagger and six two-baggers, out of 13 times at bat. Jimmie Freeman is in second place batting with 9 hits in 17 trips for a percentage of .529. Other leading batters and their batting averages are Johnny Cooper, .471; Billy Bob Holden, .444; George Ybarra, .438; Stanley Najjar, .333; Muggins Good, .333; Carl Montgomery, .300; Johnny Jones, .273; and Loy Elmore, .267.

Jimmy Freeman is the leading clutch hitter, having batted in 12 runs. Johnny Cooper has batted in 9, Bobby Sutton, 7 and George Ybarra, 6. Undeclared pitchers to date are Jimmy Freeman, Muggins Good, Denny Holden and Bobby Sutton.

Little League games are played each Monday and Thursday evenings.

## Mrs. John A. Ward, Mother of Ozonan, Dies in San Angelo

Mrs. John A. Ward, 80, widow of a pioneer Sutton county ranchman, died suddenly at about 3:20 p.m. Thursday of a cerebral hemorrhage at her home, 11 W. Concho, in San Angelo. She was the mother of Rufus Ward, Crockett county ranchman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward moved to Sutton county about 1903 and operated a ranch there until about 1917. Mr. Ward was especially interested in the production of Angora goats.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward were married Nov. 15, 1883, and made their home in Kimble county before moving to Sutton county. They later moved to Abilene where they resided for about eight years before moving to San Angelo in 1925. Mr. Ward died in 1929.

Mrs. Ward was the former Virginia Putnam. She was born in Gonzales county and attended the schools there, later entering what is now Mary Hardin-Baylor College in Belton. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in San Angelo, and a member of the Order of Easter Star.

She is survived by five sons, John A. Ward, Jr., and Rip Ward of Sonora, Stayton Ward of Bronte, Rufus Ward of Ozona and Col. Roy Ward of Austin; two daughters, Mrs. W. D. Gregory of Eldorado and Mrs. O. C. Gaines of Oklahoma City; a sister, Mrs. M. D. Conley of Lockhart; 13 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Drago, Leon and Leroy, which just returned from a 7,000-mile trip through Colorado, Wyoming, Idaho, Oregon, California, Arizona and New Mexico.

## Doped Epileptic Is Arrested After Car In Collision Here

Sheriff V. O. Earnest might put to shame the railroad "brakie" who steps so smoothly on moving trains after his experience the first of the week in stopping a doped epileptic a few miles out of Ozona after the fellow's car had struck a parked vehicle in Ozona.

With a citizen who had gone along for the ride, the Crockett sheriff signaled the driver of the old model car to stop but the fellow just kept on driving. The sheriff rode along beside him and ordered him to stop, but the man just kept rolling along. Finally, the sheriff drove on ahead, stopped and got out and told his companion to drive on. He waited and as the offender's car came down the highway, the sheriff latched on and pulled himself inside. Then, after considerable argument he induced the man to stop the car.

The car which the man was driving was registered in New Mexico but the fellow carried a considerable assortment of drugs all legally possessed and all for the relief of epilepsy, in his car. He was jailed for the night and given a minimum fine of \$1 and costs. A new battery which the man had stolen at James Motor Co. was returned to the firm and the man's old battery recharged "for free" so that he could get his ancient model under way and "get out of town." There was only minor damage caused by the collision with the parked car but when the sheriff overtook the driver on the highway, four cars were lined up behind him, all four drivers afraid to undertake passing his weaving car, the sheriff said.

## Scottish Student Is Speaker at Rotary

A young Scotchman who has just completed his studies at the University of British Columbia in Canada on the student exchange plan sponsored by the Rotary Foundation in the interest of international goodwill, spoke to members of the Ozona Rotary Club and guests at the club's luncheon Tuesday.

He is Bruce McLeod, who studied in the University of Aberdeen and Oxford University before being selected to finish his university work in Canada.

Wearing the kilt, which he carefully explained was not "kilts" but "kilt" — and not a skirt — and the pattern or cloth is not "plaid" as we say in America, but tartan, and the colors used in the tartan designates a particular clan, except, he explained, that each clan adopted two color combinations, one for hunting kilt and another for dress kilt. The hunting kilt was of the more subdued color. The one he wore, a subdued green and blue with some yellow, was a Stuart hunting kilt.

The young man, who spoke with a pronounced accent but with a pleasing fluency, referred to the sporrans which he wore, a kind of purse or pouch which is part of the kilt costume, as originally designed for carrying valuables.

"It is a rather insecure repository for valuables," he declared. "And I confess I am somewhat puzzled that a Scotchman would ever have carried his money in such an insecure place. For my own part, I have found a much safer place to carry my own." In another reference to the traditional Scotch parsimony, McLeod said that his expenses were being paid on the present tour of Rotary Clubs in the U. S. before sailing for home in August, which, he said, "is pleasing to a Scotchman."

The Scotch student described the government of Great Britain and the Commonwealth of nations and some descriptions of his own Scotland. He had high praise for the friendliness and hearty welcome with which he was received both in this country and in Canada.

Misses June Perner and Kay Kirby are home for the summer vacation after attending Texas Christian University in Ft. Worth.

## Rev. Troy Hickman Returns As Pastor Methodist Church

### Pastor and Family to Be Honored at Sunday Night Supper

Rev. J. Troy Hickman, popular pastor of the Ozona Methodist Church was returned to serve the Ozona church for another year in appointments made at the conclusion of the Southwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church in San Antonio Sunday.

Rev. Hickman will begin his fourth year as pastor of the Ozona Methodist Church with the new church year.

Rev. J. Fred Brucks was returned as district superintendent of the San Angelo district. Most of the pastors were returned to other churches in this area.

Great progress in all six districts of the Southwest Texas Conference was reported at the San Antonio gathering. Church membership has nearly doubled in the last 15 years, church property holdings have increased fourfold in that period and many new churches, educational buildings and parsonages have been constructed in the past year. The Conference during the past year gave a total of \$4,698,066 for all purposes, the Conference treasurer reported.

The San Antonio conference was attended by Rev. and Mrs. Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. Ted White, Mrs. Floyd Henderson and Mrs. H. B. Tandy of the Ozona church.

The membership of the Ozona church will honor its returning pastor and his family at a church family night supper in the fellowship hall at the close of the evening services next Sunday.

## Crockett April Oil Production 682,430 Barrels

### Todd Field Leads in Production With 198,234 Bbls.

April production in Crockett County's 34 oil fields totaled 682,430 barrels, bringing the year's total production up to 2,891,869 barrels of oil.

The Todd (Ellenburger) field led in the production during April with 198,234 barrels of oil. Second most prolific producing area was the World field, with April production totalling 121,930 barrels of oil. The Elkhorn (Ellenburger) field produced 112,728 barrels during April. The Midway Lane 1300 field produced 525 barrels and the Shannon (Cisco) produced 304 barrels of oil. The Midway Lane 1300 field was opened in April by Tubbs Gann Drilling Co. 1 Chambers CSL, finalized for a daily pumping potential of 67 barrels of 34 gravity oil from pay between 1,286-92 feet. It is in 4-Chambers csl, 17 miles northwest of Ozona.

The Shannon (Cisco) field was opened by Houston Oil Co. 1 Shannon estate, completed for a daily pumping potential of 81.75 barrels of oil plus eight barrels of water from pay between 6,608-48 feet. It is in 31-Richard Pillow, 34 miles north-northwest of Ozona.

Production in the remaining Crockett County fields, by barrels, was: Betty, 110; Betty (Grayburg), 251; Block 44, 2,033; Block 47, 456; Clara Couch, 14,379; Clara Couch (Wolfcamp), 461; Crockett, 10,925; Farmer (San Andres), 325; Half 347; Half (1400), 171;

Hoover, 480; Lancaster Hill, 270; Midway Lane, 14,398; Midway Lane (Permian), 2,433; Noelke, 3,382; Noelke 4400, 635; Noelke 5800, 96; Olson, 32,543; Pure-Bean 291; Shannon (Grayburg), 78; Shannon (San Andres), 18,870; Simpson, 436; Tippet, 14,052; Todd (Crinoidal), 43,106; Todd (Ellenburger), 198,234; Todd (San Andres), 570;

Vaughn, 89,435; Wyatt, 1,872; Wyatt (Ellenburger), 1,265; Crockett, East (Wolfcamp) 95.

## 4-H Club Boys Off This Morning for Alpine Encampment

Twelve Crockett County 4-H Club boys with their advisor, County Agent Pete W. Jacoby, and bus driver Glenn Sutton, left this morning for Alpine to attend the District 6 4-H Club encampment Thursday, Friday and Saturday at Alpine.

Boys making the trip include Roy Glenn, Bobby and Jimmy Sutton, Erbie Chandler, Johnny Jones, Tom Max Robison, Carl Conklin, Gary Thomas, R. J. and Joe Everett, George Bunker and Billy Jacoby. Following the boys in the bus was Mr. Jacoby with the 4-H pickup loaded with bedrolls and other supplies for the outing.

Mrs. Pete W. Jacoby and son, David, and Mrs. Glenn Sutton and son, Gary Lee, left by car to spend the week-end in Alpine. They will accompany the local group on a tour of the Big Bend park set for Friday as part of the week-end program.

A program of recreation and entertainment during the three-day outing has been outlined for the estimated 150 boys from 25 counties comprising the sixth district who are expected to attend.

## Sikes to Arrive This Week to Assume Ozona School Superintendency

L. B. T. Sikes, new superintendent of Ozona Public Schools, is expected to arrive this week-end to assume his duties as the new head of schools here.

Mr. Sikes, who served eight years as high school principal here, will come here from Calvert, Texas, where he has served the past three years as superintendent. After leaving Ozona he became superintendent at Wortham where he served two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Sikes and their three children are expected to arrive here late this week or early next week to make their home here. Mr. Sikes succeeds Lem Bray who resigned after serving nearly three years as superintendent.

## Elkhorn Field Test Recovers Free Oil

Continental Oil Co. 34-A Shannon, west stepout to the Elkhorn (Ellenburger) field of Crockett county, recovered 4,700 feet of free oil and 96 feet of heavily oil, gas and sulphur water-cut mud on a drillstem test of the Ellenburger.

Tool was open 90 minutes on the test taken between 7,450-65 feet. Gas surfaced in seven minutes. Location is in 21-UV-GC&SF.

## Third Quarterly Meet Of TS&GRA Directors To Be in Marfa June 6

San Angelo — The third quarterly meeting of the directors of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association will be held in Marfa, Saturday, June 6th. Penrose B. Metcalfe, Association president has announced.

The TS&GRA has long followed the policy of holding its directors' meeting in different towns over the sheep and goat area of the state.

"We are mighty glad to be meeting in the Highland country of West Texas," Metcalfe said. "This country has been noted for its good cattle for many years and in recent years it has become a very important sheep area. Our highest percentage of membership is in this area."

Directors and other members will be brought up to date on efforts being made in Washington to give the wool producers a better break with foreign produced wool, he said.

The Marfa and Presidio County people plan a dance for the visitors Friday night and a barbecue Saturday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Hunnicutt, who are making their home in Brownfield, Texas, after their recent marriage here, were weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Hunnicutt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hillery Phillips.

## Award Contract For New Home Ec Cottage June 12

### Last Unit in Building Program May Be Complete by Fall

Contract for construction of a homemaking cottage, last unit in the school construction program provided for in the bond issue with which additions were made to the North and South Elementary Schools and the band house constructed, will be awarded at 2 p.m. June 12 when bids are to be received by the school board.

The home ec cottage is estimated to cost approximately \$43,000. Construction has been delayed because of insufficient funds remaining from the bond issue, but Board Chairman Brock Jones says that funds will be made available from the school maintenance fund sufficient to assure completion of the project.

The new building, to be erected next to the band hall on the north will include a food and clothing laboratory, living and dining room, bedroom, bath and foyer.

Architectural plans by John Becker of San Angelo call for a concrete slab foundation. The front wall will be Arizona ledge-stone to correspond with the nearby band hall. Remainder of the walls will be wirecut brick. On the interior walls of haydite block the finish will be plaster and smooth and glazed tile. The floors will be asphalt tile, quarry tile, maple and hard tile. The ceiling will be acoustical plaster. All the doors will be slab except for the back door of metal.

Windows will be the aluminum horizontal sliding units with a fixed sash above each unit. Plans call for fluorescent lighting and individual room heaters. The exterior trim will be ornamental iron work.

The contract will call for wardrobes, tote-tray units and metal kitchen cabinets.

The building will have about 2,700 square feet of floor space.

## New Water Mains Complete City's Fire Protection

### 4500 Ft. 6-Inch Being Laid; May Earn Insurance Cut

When laying of 4,500 feet of six-inch mains, extensions to the present water distribution system in Ozona, are completed, all sections of Ozona will be provided with better water service and ample fire protection.

The extensions are now being laid in three sections of the city, providing larger mains to adequately serve all sections of town, and fire hydrants are being installed along the new lines to provide fire protection for areas which heretofore have not had this protection because the water mains were too small.

One of the extensions will carry a 6-inch main loop through the Latin-American sector and two others will be in the extreme northern part of Ozona.

In addition to these improvements, the water district board recently acquired a stand-by electric power generating unit which will serve as a safeguard in case of storm or disaster of any kind which might interrupt the power supply to the city's water pumps.

The 75 KVA generator is powered by a 140 horsepower Waukesha gas or gasoline engine and is capable of generating power sufficient to operate one of the big pumps or the two small pumps in the local water pumping battery. This supply would provide essential needs and adequate fire protection in case of emergency.

Installation of the stand-by power unit and the extensions to the water mains will result in a (Continued from Page One)

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**TAKING IT OFF THE ANIMAL**

The Wall Street Journal recently printed a letter from one of its readers which casts an interesting light on the beef question—and the farm situation in general. The correspondent said, "The recent break in the cattle market can be partly attributed to the set price of corn and other fattening grains. When set prices are made on grains and cottonseed products and no set prices on the live animal, there is only one way that a reduction of price can be made and that is to take it off the animal."

What this means is that cattle producers find themselves squeezed between depressed livestock prices on the one hand and high, government-supported feed prices on the other. That is an extremely serious matter to the thousands of farmers and ranchers on whom we depend for our beef supply. And it is of direct, personal importance to the entire consuming population because of its possible disruptive effect on future beef production.

It is to the great credit of the cattle people that, despite the

very severe breaks that have taken place in livestock prices, they haven't run to Washington in search of subsidies or any other kind of tax assistance. But the current situation proves just how unsound and discriminatory our agricultural policy has been. Secretary Benson is now working to reorganize that policy, in the long-term interest of the farmer, the rancher, the taxpayer, the consumer and the free enterprise economy alike. More power to him!

**SOME SOUND LOGIC**

A few weeks ago President Eisenhower discussed, at a press conference, certain cuts in defense expenditures he is recommending. He vividly described the philosophy that governs his thinking in these words, "I have always believed that there is a great logic in the conduct of military affairs. There is an equally great logic in economic affairs. If these two logical disciplines can be wedded, it is then possible to create a situation of maximum military strength within economic capacities."

"If, on the other hand, these two are allowed to proceed in disregard one for the other, you then create a situation either of doubtful military strength, or of such precarious economic strength that your military position is in constant jeopardy."

The president thus said, in effect, that a sound government economy is as important to our defense and survival as actual military power—and that reckless, unbridled spending can be as dangerous as a foreign foe. That is as refreshing and as important an attitude as we have seen in high places in government in many a long year.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Childress and children are spending several weeks on the Childress farm in Missouri.

GLAMORENE, the Rug-Cleaning Miracle, on sale at Ratliff Hdw. & Furn. Co. Ozona, Texas. It

Adding Machines at the Stockman.

**THE BELL IS TOLLING**

Many of us remember the days of the big-city political bosses, the big industrial bosses, and the big financial bosses. Now we have the big bosses of labor.

Whenever bosses became so powerful and venal that they rode roughshod over the general welfare, their dictatorial powers were curbed by law except in the case of the labor bosses. And these labor bosses have not seemed to profit by the history of boss elimination. Not satisfied with using their powers to improve labor's wages and working conditions, they are following the patterns that eventually dooms all bosses and dictators, namely, a "public be damned" attitude to gain their ends—as witnessed in the paralyzing steel strikes, coal strikes, public utility strikes and maritime strikes.

The same urge to safeguard the public interest that brought about anti-trust laws, "blue sky" laws, public regulation of utilities and similar legislation, is going to bring about stiff curbs on labor bosses and their activities. The people have been long suffering, but you can see the worm turning in passage of state laws against labor excesses and in the court decisions upholding them.

No group or combination can be allowed to take a "public be damned" attitude in this country. The bell is now tolling for the labor bosses.

Mrs. Floyd Henderson of Ozona underwent surgery in the Nix Hospital in San Antonio Tuesday of this week. Mr. Henderson and son, Dick, flew to San Antonio in Dick's plane Monday afternoon to be with Mrs. Henderson.

**New Officers For Sorority Installed**

Members of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority met last week in the home of Mrs. Nan West for the annual ceremony and installation of officers. Rosalie Friend, past president, installed the following officers: Greta Isbell, president; Nan West, vice president; Barbara Earnest, corresponding secretary; Jo Lou Chapman, recording secretary; Gussie Ruth Schneider, treasurer; Rosalie Friend, program chairman; Betty Sue Hoover, parliamentarian; Jeanette Trotter, publicity chairman and Jan. girl.

After the ceremony, a short business meeting was held and the girls adjourned for dinner at the HiWay Cafe.

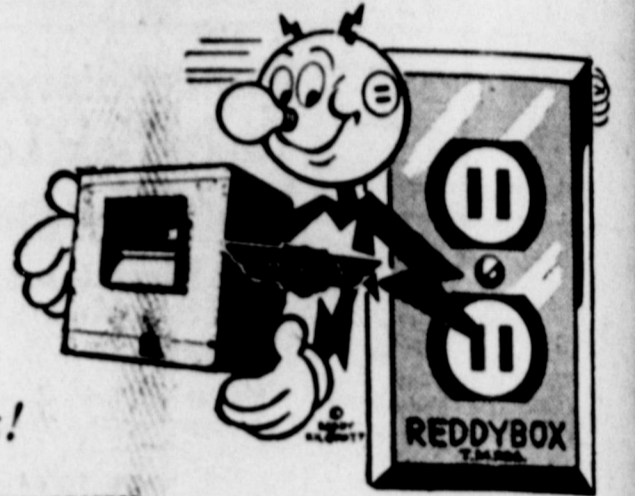
Saturday night a Memorial day ice cream social was given by guests and husbands. About thirty were present on the terrace at the H. B. Tandy home. The terrace was decorated with the sorority colors of blue and gold and the

wind fluttered multicolored balloons. Home-made ice cream and cake were served.

Present were Rosalie Friend, Kay Kirby, Mrs. Jo Lou Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Wood, Mr. and Mrs. James Isbell, Mr. and Mrs.

Armond Hoover, Charles Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Perne, members, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Terry, Bud Harrison, Basil Dunlap, Ben Smith, Maurice Lemmons, T. Swearingen, Charles Ratliff and Sam Perner, guests.

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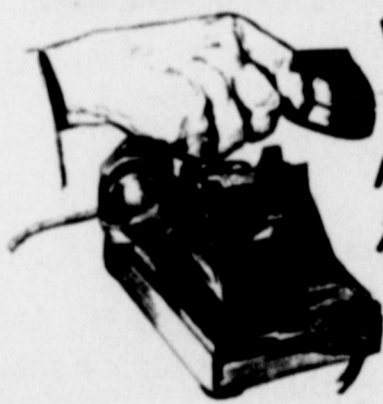
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Principal speaker for memorial services of Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas on Sunday, June 7, will be Dr. Robert E. Goodrich, Jr., widely-known Texas clergyman and pastor of the First Methodist Church in Dallas. Dr. Goodrich is pictured here with three of the little patients, inspecting the monument on which are engraved the names of men and women who left bequests to the hospital in their last wills and testaments. These benefactors are honored in the annual memorial services which this year will be broadcast from 2:30 to 3 p.m. by stations of the Texas Quality Network. Children in the picture are Linda Santos, 2 1/2, Dallas; Patsy McKinney, 9, Andrews; and Willie Frank Johnson, 8, Edgewood. The hospital treats children without regard to race, creed or color.

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The Summer Stogie

By Kenneth Phillips

Boys, is this town hot! And besides being hot it's dead. Why, they're going to stop blowing nine o'clock curfew — it's waking everybody up.

But I have hopes though. San Angelo College is out and "Killer Poque" is home. Yea, nothing happens for the good anymore. First, the Korean war, then spring training. And now Pogue — boy, I'd like to warn all the mothers to keep their children off the streets.

Not that Pogue is a reckless driver, but he just likes to play polo. Pedestrian polo! He just hates people — jealous, I guess.

Enough about the crumbs. On to the finer things of life. Namely the girls. There just ain't none. Well, a few exceptions.

Vivian is a jerk, soda jerk, that is. Greenie is learning how to speak Chinese so Jody won't know when she's asking him for a date. Brewer has a cot on the Post Office steps waiting for a letter.

Alena Faye is rolling cigars for Tom. Jeannene has just returned from Waco. She tells me there was quite a wind up there.

I think Wanda is training mules for the rodeo circuit — maybe I had better ask her.

Awhile back I told you this place is dead; it will soon collapse on its feet. You see they can't have the coronation without me. I wrote and told them I wouldn't be able to get there. So they told me if I would go to San Antonio they would televise it for me. So I am leaving.

Some of the people in this town hate me. But I have friends. Why just the other day I got a letter from a relative I didn't even know I had. He didn't have much to say, but I figured he was short-handed. There was a picture of

him looking at me and saying, "Uncle Sam wants you." I wonder if he pays very good?

You know, friends, there just ain't any gossip this week. Most of the male population has vanished, so women sit home. So since there is nothing else for me to say, except goodbye, I'll say it— Goodbye.

LADIES GOLF ASSN.

Emma Adams and Lois D. Kirby served refreshments in the club house after regular golf play Tuesday morning. Present were Charlotte Phillips, Winnie Williams, Dorothy Pierce, Liz Williams, Katy Jones, Pauline Mont-

gomery, Martha Millsbaugh, Jane Black, Fae Tandy, Jeanie Williams, Lois Lock, Wilma Friend, Marge McMullan, Bonnie Thomas, Gladys Pierce, Mary Friend, Ada Pierce, Marjorie Ramsey, Dorothy Montgomery and Velma Marley.

Winners in golf trophy play were Dorothy Pierce, Fae Tandy, Martha Millsbaugh, Ada Pierce, Wilma Friend, Jonsey Williams, Jeanie Williams, Marjorie Ramsey and Marge McMullan. Winners of awards were Jeanie Williams, Liz Williams and Dorothy Pierce.

Several members of the Ozona Ladies Golf Assn. attended the one-day ladies golf tournament at Big Spring last Friday. Attending from Ozona were Ada Pierce, Gladys Pierce, Velma Marley, Mary Friend, Marge McMullan, Marjorie Ramsey, Willie V. Baggett, Wilma Friend and Alice McMullan.

George Kyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kyle of Ozona, is recovering from an attack of diphtheria. The child became ill while visiting with Mrs. Kyle, brother, Art, and sister, Kay, in Marlin with Mrs. Kyle's relatives. He responded immediately to diphtheria antitoxin treatment and is well on the road to recovery. The other children, and Mr. and Mrs. Kyle as well, were given serum injections to protect them from the disease.

MEMORY LINGERS ON

The Stockman is in receipt of a letter from a rodeo fan out in Orange Grove, Calif., inquiring for the dates on "The Ozona Tri-Annual Rodeo" and in parentheses "It is sponsored by a rancher." The writer said that he had "attended before and wish to do so again." The Joe Davidson ranch rodeo has not been held now in some five years but it built quite a reputation during the years the Ozona rancher staged his own private rodeo — with no admission charge — and it "made" the Saturday Evening Post.

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So Pappy got his nephew to bulldoze down about three acres of bottom land. Then he dammed up the little stream there.

He wrote the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, in Washington, and got some "blue gills" and bass to stock it — free. Pappy's idea wound up giving him (and us) just about the best fishing

pond in the county... right in his own back yard.

From where I sit, Pappy may be older than some of us but his mind is active—and open. He's ready to listen to anybody with an idea. That's why he and I can talk on any subject—sometimes about his preference for buttermilk and mine for beer. And though we disagree, we respect each other's opinion. That's neighborliness without a "catch" to it.

Joe Marsh

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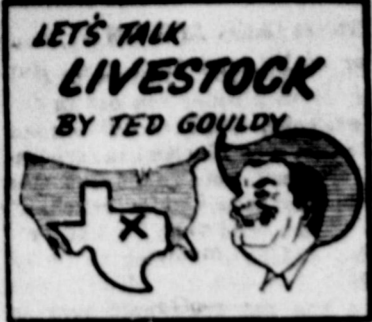
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Fort Worth — Swine growers could enjoy a rueful smile Monday as hogs hit the highest peak since November 1948 at Fort Worth. Choice butcher hogs sold at \$23.25-25.75. The joy was tempered by the fact that several years of low prices for hogs had thinned down the hog population to where while the price was good, the numbers were few.

Most hog breeders are frantically trying to re-stock since a short time ago it was announced that the hog population was smaller than the numbers of cattle on the nation's farms. The ideal relationship is generally conceded to be 20 percent more hogs than cattle in the country.

Cattle buyers were highly selective. The fed heaves were scarce and good and choice drylot fed cattle ruled strong. Grassers were weak to lower. Cows ruled steady to 50 cents lower. Bulls held steady.

Good and choice fat calves were steady but the common, plain and medium inbetween sorts sold weak to lower. High quality stockers were steady, but others draggy and plain stockers sold mainly for low grade killers. Demand for stocker cows was very narrow.

Good and choice fed steers and yearlings \$18-22.50. Common, plain and medium steers and yearlings \$10.00-16.00, some rannies.

Fat cows mostly \$9.00-12.00, just a few higher. Scaling V. Ranch Clay County, had 17 cows at 1,047 lbs. at \$13.75, and 20 cows at 1,108 lbs. at \$12.50. Olds reached \$14. Canners and cutters \$6.00 - 9.00. Bulls \$8.00-14.00. Larkin-Renick, Llano County, had two top bulls at 1,530 lbs. at \$14.

Good and choice fat calves drew \$17.00-15.00. Culls \$8.00-10.00. Good and choice stocker steer calves \$16.00-20.00; good and choice stocker steer yearlings \$15.00-19; heifer calves and yearlings \$2 under comparable steers. Few stocker cows \$10.00-14.00.

Good and choice fat Spring lambs \$24.00-26.00; medium to good \$18.00-24.00; small and common \$12.00-16.00. Stocker and feeder Spring lambs, shorn lambs and yearlings 12.00-18.00. Culls, old crop lambs \$8.00-12.00. Two-year-olds \$10.00-14.00. Old wethers \$8.00-10.50. Fat shorn old crop lambs and yearlings \$17.00-22.00. Ewes \$4.00-6.00. Old backs around \$4.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kost and daughter, Shirley, left this morning for a vacation visit with relatives in Oklahoma.

### Youth and the Church Topic for Program of Methodist W. S. C. S.

Members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met Wednesday morning for coffee and a program meeting in the home of Mrs. H. B. Tandy. Mrs. Madden Read, Mrs. Early Baggett and Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Sr., were assisting hostesses.

Mrs. Troy Hickman talked on the subject of "Youth and the Church." Especial appreciation was expressed for the work of the youth program in the local church carried on under the direction of Mrs. James Baggett, youth leader.

An executive committee meeting will be held Friday morning, June 12, in the home of Mrs. Paul Perner. On June 17 at 9 o'clock a.m. there will be a business meeting at the church. An officers' training course will be a part of this program.

Others present for the Wednesday meeting were Meses. Charles Williams, Joe Pierce, Jr., T. A. Kincaid, Jr., Paul Perner, R. A. Harrell, W. R. Baggett, George Harrell, Joe Pierce, III, J. A. Fussell and M. B. Flippen.

Officers and members of the three Circles of the Society for the coming year are as follows:

Jennie King Circle: Mrs. R. A. Harrell, chairman, Mrs. Pete Jacoby, study leader, and members, Meses. J. M. Baggett, L. B. Cox, Jr., John Coates, B. C. Flowers, Dempster Jones, Ralph Jones, Johnny Henderson, Jr., George Montgomery, H. B. Tandy, E. B. Baggett, Jr., W. D. Cooper, James Baggett, Tom Harris, N. W. Graham, A. S. Lock, P. C. Perner and Wayne E. West.

Sunshine Circle: Mrs. Lindsey Hicke, chairman, Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., study leader, and members Meses. John Bailey, Abe Caruthers, Hugh Childress, Jr., Dick Henderson, B. B. Ingham, Sr., L. D. Kirby, Oscar Kost, Madden Read, Charles Williams, Jr., W. R. Baggett, Sr., E. B. Cox, III, Hugh Childress, Sr., Elie Hagelstein, Paul M. Hallcomb, Joe Williams, Joe Pierce, Jr., Joe S. Pierce, III, W. E. Friend, Jr., and Miss Mildred Ralston.

Willing Workers Circle: Mrs. W. T. Stokes, chairman, Mrs. Ewart White, study leader, and members Meses. Early Baggett, A. W. Clayton, M. B. Flippen, Martin Harvick, Floyd Henderson, Pernie Jeffery, D. B. Pettit, Max Schneemann, Taylor Word, N. D. Blackstone, Barty Friend, J. A. Fussell, S. M. Harvick, George Harrell, George Montgomery, V. I. Pierce and Charles Williams, Sr.

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### The Draft Law —

(Editor's note: This is one of a series of 10 short articles on the draft law and its rules and regulations.)

Young men of draft age who ask for and get deferments under certain conditions automatically extend the time during which they can be drafted by nine years.

Brig. Gen. Paul L. Wakefield, state draft director, names the following types of deferred men, among others, who have their liability for service extended until age 35:

1. Members of the ROTC and other officer training programs.
2. Students deferred to go to high school or college under requirements of law; college students deferred under authority of the local board.
3. Men left at home for civilian employment.
4. Men deferred to farm.
5. Married men deferred because of their children or because of extreme hardship and privation to dependents.
6. Men classified as mentally, physically, or morally deficient or defective.

"The regulations spell this out," General Wakefield says. "So when a man gets the privilege of a deferment he is taking on a corresponding responsibility. The man who never receives a deferment like these cannot be drafted after he reaches his 26th birthday."

The state draft director says that, under this provision of law, it is possible for a deferred man to lose his qualification for deferment at age 34, for example. Under such circumstance, he would again be eligible for draft.

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### Miss Corinne Phillips Honored at Gift Coffee In Beall Barbee Home

Miss Corinne Phillips, bride-elect of Alfred Townes Carleton, Jr., of Midland was honored with a gift coffee Thursday morning, May 28, at the Beall Barbee home in Ozona. Hostesses were Mrs. Barbee, Mrs. Joe Tom Davidson, Mrs. Ashby McMullan and Mrs. Jack Wilkins.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Barbee, Mrs. Arthur Phillips, mother of the bride, Mrs. C. N. Crawford of Sterling City, grandmother of the bride, and Miss Phillips.

Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., greeted guests at the door. Mrs. Clay Adams and Mrs. Hillery Phillips were at the coffee service, and Mrs. Lowell Littleton and Mrs. Ewart White were in the gift room. Mrs. Ken Cody provided music during the coffee hours.

Serving in the dining room were Mrs. Bit Terry and Mrs. Dempster Jones. Meses. Diane Phillips and Barbara Beall were at the bride's book. Others in the house party were Mrs. W. R. Bissett of San Angelo, Mrs. Gene Thomas and

### Mrs. John Childress.

A white organdy cloth with painted daisies and a centerpiece of vari-colored matching daisies in a silver epergne decorated the table. Other floral arrangements were used throughout the house. Seventy-five guests called during the coffee hours. Out-of-town guests were Mrs. D. K. Durham, Mrs. Sidney Slaughter, Mrs. Maesie West and Mrs. George Bean of San Angelo, and Mrs. Ele Bright Baggett, III, of Lufkin.

Miss Phillips was honored at a coke party Monday morning by Miss Jane Adams in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Adams.

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**GRANDFATHER WAS 119  
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100-Year Old Civil  
War Veteran's Relative**

The June 1 issue of Life Magazine are pictures of the five living veterans of the Civil War which came to a close 88 years ago. Four of these survivors are Confederate veterans and one a Unioner.

A vicarious interview with the Texas of the group, Walter Williams, 110 years old, who lives in Franklin Texas, came to The Stockman through a letter from E. Graham of Cameron, Texas, brother of N. W. Graham of Ozona. Mr. Graham of Cameron, at the behest of his brother in Ozona, wanted to see the old veteran in the adjoining county.

Mr. Williams is a spare made man and said he was in perfect health. Mr. Graham wrote reporting his visit with the 110-year-old former "forage master" of the Fifth Regiment of Hood's Brigade. "His hearing is good, and clear and loved to talk of fox chases and deer hunts." The article in Life said Williams had "distinguished his advancing years with uncommon vitality." Mr. Graham reported "he has 19 children, 7 by his first wife and 12 by his present wife. She is 80 and spry as a 16-year-old." The couple's youngest son is 30 years old.

Mr. Graham further reported Mr. Williams as saying that "his father (his Pa) only lived to his 86th year, but his grandfather made it to 119. He said what caused the grandfather's death was getting out and working hard one rainy day. He said his Pa begged him not to go out in the rain and work that day, but he went along and got wet and took pneumonia. He really should have lived several

years longer. Said his mother had an accident that caused her untimely death at the age of 99. She was out feeding a bunch of hogs and had her apron full of corn when the hogs ran over her and knocked her down and broke her hip. Otherwise, she should have lived on for many years." Mr. Graham, who operates an apriary near Cameron, took over a few jars of honey for the old couple and promised to "keep him in honey as long as we both live." "He seemed to like that idea," Mr. Graham wrote, and added that he wanted to "keep his foot in the door" because he enjoyed the visit and wanted to chat with the old veteran again.

**DAUGHTER TO ARMENTROUTS**  
Mr. and Mrs. George B. Armentrout of Corpus Christi are the parents of a daughter, named Vicki Diane, born May 29 in a Corpus Christi hospital. The baby weighed six pounds and ten ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Allie Armentrout of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burch of Denton.

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The act was passed because some city, county and other local government officials had failed to comply with state regulations requiring them to publish in the newspaper facts concerning the financing and operation of their offices.

The mandatory act provided that "all public officers of the state, counties, cities and school districts who are required by law to publish legal notices or financial statements and who shall fail, refuse, or neglect to make such publications shall be guilty of malfeasance of office and subject to forfeiture of salary for the month in which such failure occurs. Such officers shall be subject to removal from office upon wilful continuance of such neglect of duty."

**METHODIST CHURCH NOTES**

The Sacrament of The Lord's Supper will be observed this Sunday morning at The Methodist Church, following the sermon by the pastor, J. Troy Hickman.

The Fellowship Supper will begin at 7:00 o'clock. All church families and their friends are invited to come and bring a covered dish of food. Arrangements will be in charge of Mrs. Joe Davidson and a group of hostesses.

Miss Patricia Hickman, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Troy Hickman, who was a student at TSCW in Denton the past year, has accepted employment with the National Park Service and will spend the summer at Lake McDonald Lodge in Glacier National Park in Montana.

The act also provides that "suits to enjoin or recover payment of salary and for removal from office under law shall be instituted in the proper district court by the county or district attorney of the county in which the offending officer resides."

Further provisions of the publications act will be told in this series of articles.

\*Price Daniel's book of Texas Publication Laws, pages 19, 20, 146.

Miss Laura Jane Hatley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Hatley of Ozona, was among graduates of Texas State College for Women at Denton who received their degrees at the school's commencement exercises June 1. Miss Hatley received a bachelor of science degree, with a music education major.

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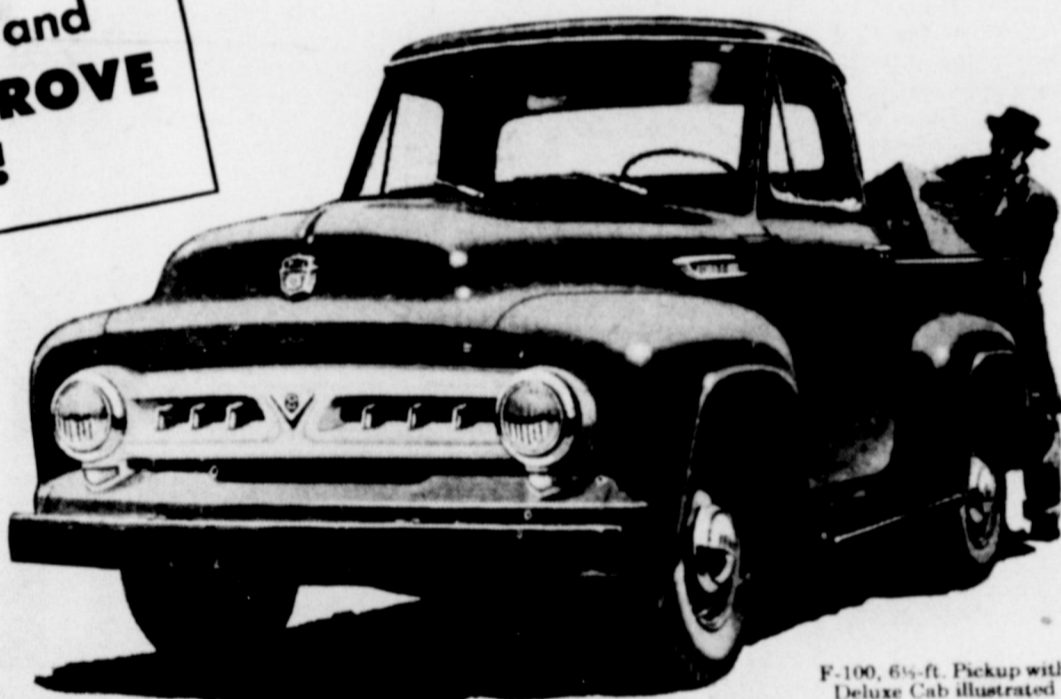
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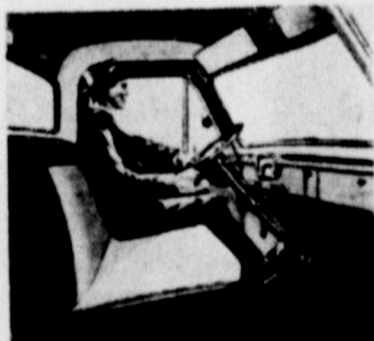
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**Here and There**  
By J. Troy Hickman

(Continued From Page One)

just didn't have enough coffee in it. We were thankful once again for the Highway Cafe, where you can always get a decent cup of coffee.

It was really hot in San Antonio. The nights did not cool down like they do out here. But the river winding through the heart of the town is a lovely thing.

At last the rays of the morning sun began to beat down on the sidewalks and pavements, and we turned toward the air-conditioned lobby of the St. Anthony Hotel. The other preachers and lay delegates were up, and the lobby buzzed like a hive of bees.

Day after day passed by, and finally the conference was over. Every preacher had his assignment. Every church had its preacher. For better or for worse, we were ready to go home. And glad of it.

We drove out the Fredericksburg Road, hooked onto the trailer, and headed West.

It's like Will Rogers said, "There are only four cities in the United States that have personality. San Francisco, New Orleans, Butte, and San Antonio."

P. S. We spent the first two days in The Wild Goose. Then heat drove us to an air-conditioned environment.

**CROCKETT COUNTY HOSPITAL NEWS**

Patients admitted: Mrs. Charles Applewhite, Mrs. E. B. Baggett, Mrs. Leo Walker, Jackie Adwell, Louis A. Martin, Santiago Sanchez, Mrs. Rosenda Lara, Danny Smith and Antonio Primero.

Patients dismissed: Jackie Adwell, Antonio Primero, Mrs. Rosenda Lara, Danny Smith, Santiago Sanchez.

**BAPTIST W. M. U. MEETS**

Members of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Union met Wednesday morning at the church for the monthly business meeting.

Mrs. Ben Williams presided over the meeting and Mrs. J. T. Keeton gave the devotional. Reports were made by chairmen of the committees and there was discussion of the coming Paisano Encampment for the G. A. and R. A.

Mrs. S. L. Butler and Mrs. Ben Williams served refreshments to Meses. J. T. Keeton, Blake Woolbright, G. G. Allen, Ivy Smith, Jr., H. R. Mock, O. C. Webb, J. C. Stricklin, J. T. Patrick, Lowell Littleton, H. A. Gustavus, L. C. Halbert and Bill Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock Jones are adding a wing to their home in Ozona.



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**New Water Mains —**  
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minor reduction in the city's insurance key rate, department officials have been informed.

Another step toward assuring Ozona an adequate water supply at all times was taken recently by the water district board when the fourth well was added to the system's supply source. This well is in the nature of a stand-by unit for the present, the other three units taking care of the city's water needs. With the fourth well, the potential pumping capacity of the system is now 1,750 gallons per minute, or about 90 million gallons per month with round-the-clock pumping. The city's present consumption rate is about 35 million gallons a month.

The total cost of the water district's latest improvement program, including the stand-by generating equipment and the 4,500 feet of new 6-inch mains, will be approximately \$12,500, Bill Cooper manager of the system, announced. The pipe installation work is being done under contract to Halstead and McCartney, Waco construction firm. The work is expected to be completed in about ten more days.

The water improvement district board of directors is composed of Sherman Taylor, president; Lowell Littleton, vice president; W. E. Friend, Jr., secretary; and James Baggett and Gene Williams, directors.

**Brother of Ozonan Faculty Member at Louisiana College**

Pineville La. — Last week it was announced by Dr. G. Earl Guinn, president of Louisiana college, that Ollie B. Fuglaar of Ruston has been appointed associate professor of education at the college, effective September, 1936.

Professor Fuglaar attended Pineville elementary school and was graduated from Tioga high school. He received the BA degree from Louisiana Polytechnic institute in 1946 and the MA degree from George Peabody college for Teachers in 1948. Prof. Fuglaar will complete the requirements for the Ed. D. degree this summer.

The new professor of education has served as classroom teacher, principal, director of training for Army Training Center, state supervisor of schools.

Prof. Fuglaar is 35 years of age and is married to the former Blanche Newton, who was graduated from Louisiana college in 1943. The Fuglaars have two children, ages three and eight.

He is now on sabbatical leave from the Lincoln Parish School Board where he was supervisor of elementary education and principal of an elementary school in Ruston.

Professor Fuglaar is a brother to Dewey Fuglaar, music director of the Ozona Baptist Church.

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**Oil Accounts For \$1.3 Billions of West Texas Production From Land**

ARLENE — Oil accounts for about \$1.3 billion or about 54 per cent of the total value of production of the oil wells, farms and ranches of West Texas, R. F. Windfohr, president of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association writes in the current issue of West Texas Today, magazine of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Production of the oil industry, livestock and farming industries generate about \$2.4 billions a year in sales to form the bedrock of the region's economy, Windfohr wrote.

The regional chamber of commerce reported that West Texas production put nearly \$60 millions into the state treasury in 1932 and paid \$162,500,000 to royalty owners.

Production of the entire 132-county area totaled 520,220,214 barrels. Gross market value was \$1.3 billion, computed at average price of \$2.50 per barrel. The state production tax is 4.6 per cent.

Because it produces such a large part of the region's wealth all West Texas businessmen, whatever their line, have a direct relationship with activities of the petroleum industry, Windfohr declared. In the past 25 years petroleum reserves, production and service facilities have been built up in West Texas to sustain for many years to come a large part of the gains which have been made in West Texas production and business activity, he said.

**DAUGHTER TO ANDERSONS**

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson of San Antonio are the parents of a daughter, named Karen, born Tuesday of this week in a San Antonio hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hill of San Antonio and great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patrick of Ozona.

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