

## On The DIVIDE

This week in Washington the main topics of discussion are re-arrangement programs, relief appropriation reductions, etc. etc. In Austin the main event has been the elaborate Inauguration of Governor O'Daniel. But here in Eldorado, except for a whisper now and then about oil, the main topic is just plain cow-tradin'.

And, rightfully so—out here on the divide where any ranchman can turn a yearling calf loose on the range and in a few months ride out and round her up, round as an apple and ready to be carved in to T-bones, cow-tradin' should be the main interest.

We don't bother much about legislative problems—unless they don't suit us—we have hired the guys to represent us and if they don't, we darn sure know it and will do the fring just as we did the hiring.

We have recently been reading about the big football games that were played in the various bowls. We have the Rose Bowl of California, the Suar Bowl at New Orleans, the Cotton Bowl at Dallas and even the Nut Bowl at Brownwood.

Now, it has just occurred to us that Eldorado has one of the best football teams in District 8-B and why couldn't we rig up a few lights around our field, polish it up a bit and spread a monica on it something like "Wool Bowl" If we don't like the wool bowl idea, we can cabbage on to "Beef Bowl."

## Prominent Wool Warehouse Man Dies At Angelo

Funeral services were held in San Angelo Tuesday for J. Miles O'Daniel, prominent wool warehouse man, who died in a San Angelo hospital Sunday night of a heart attack. Services were held from the First Christian Church by Rev. Elmer Henson, pastor, and the Rev. K. P. Barton, district Methodist presiding elder. Mr. O'Daniel was well known by stockmen throughout this section of the state having been engaged in the wool business for many years.

## Schleicher Cotton Ginned Totals 1,655 Bales

Cotton produced in Schleicher county reached a total of 1655 bales, according to County Agent W. G. Godwin. There were 1625 bales ginned in the county and thirty bales of cotton grown in the county were ginned out of the county.

From a tabulation made in the county Agent's office from reports submitted by ginners in Schleicher county and gins in other counties that ginned Schleicher cotton, there has been 849,467 gross pounds of cotton ginned. After taking off for bagging and tying, leaves a net total of 819,380 pounds.

The total acreage of cotton planted in Schleicher county in 1938 was 8,850, making an average of 92.5 pounds of cotton produced to an acre.

## ELDORADO IS FAVORED IN '39 FOOTBALL

Blondy Cross, in an article in the San Angelo Standard-Times Sunday, picked the Eldorado Eagles as leaders in the 1939 District 8-B football running. In commenting on prospects the article stated: "Despite his funeral and yet droll attitude, it appears Coach Weldon Bynum of the Schleicher County Eagles has the club to watch again. Junction won the area title last fall but nearly all of Junctions champion footballers are graduating out. J. M. Lauderdale's Rocksprings Bulldogs look like they might give somebody argument. But it appears Eldorado is the favorite."

During the basketball tournament held here Saturday football coaches of the district went into a huddle to discuss 1939 football and set up a schedule for the race.

Coaches in attendance at the meeting were Bynum of Eldorado, Lauderdale of Rocksprings, Caraway of Sonora, Isaacs of Menard, White of Ozona, and Schwartz of Mason who is a new member in the district for this fall.

The schedule of games is as follows:

Sept. 29—Sonora in Menard.  
Mason in Rocksprings.  
Sept. 30—Ozona in Junction.  
Oct. 7—Mason vs. Menard, (site not selected).  
Oct. 7—Eldorado in Sonora.  
Oct. 14—Menard in Eldorado.  
Sonora in Junction; Rocksprings in Ozona.  
Oct. 20—Mason in Eldorado.  
Oct. 21—Rocksprings in Sonora; Ozona in Menard.  
Oct. 27—Eldorado in Junction  
Oct. 28—Menard in Rocksprings.  
Nov. 4—Mason in Ozona.

No. 11 Rocksprings in Eldorado; Sonora in Ozona; Junction in Menard.  
Nov. 18—Ozona in Eldorado; Junction in Rocksprings.

## Summary Of Soil Conservation Work In Schleicher County

Trench Silos—40 with a total of 7,215 tons of ensilage.

Prickly Pear—30,503 acres; 21 wells with a total depth of 5,677 feet; deferred grazing—32,315 acres; artificial reseeding 54,000 pounds of seed with 5400 acres resseeded; 11 spreader dams for a total yardage of 1,394; pasture riding 3,316,162 feet; 12 tanks—22,206 yards; cedar—6,303 acres; 1 rubble dam—45.3 yards.

The eradication of prickly pear and cedar, the digging of wells, deferred grazing, artificial reseeding, spreader dams, ridging, tanks, and rubble dam amount to approximately \$60,100.50 under the Range Program. There were also 1,412 acres of sudan, sweet sorghum, and small grain turned under for green manure crop. There were 6,426 acres put on the contour or water level during 1938. There 9,213.9 acres of Soil Conserving acreage in Schleicher County. 7,902 acres of this Soil Conserving acreage was either grazed or fallowed. Total pasture and under the farm program was 65,056 acres for a total value of \$10,594.81 that could be used for carrying out Soil Conserving practices under the farm program which could have been derived from pasture land alone. \$4,606.90 could have been derived from the Soil Conserving acreage or (See No. 1 Last Page)

## Grill Cafe Under New Management

Sid McDonald and J. S. Tolbert of San Angelo have leased the Grill Cafe in Eldorado from Melvin Jolly, it was announced this week. D. T. Yates is employed by the cafe working in the front.

J. S. Tolbert, who has a wide experience in cafe work will be in charge of the kitchen, he stated this week. D. T. Yates is a local boy and will serve customers.

The Grill Cafe is one of the city's leading eating establishments and has been run for some time by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Haley. In an ad in this week's issue of the Success, the new management extends an invitation to people of the community to visit the Grill.

## Basketball Game Won By Ozona Wednesday Night

The Ozona Lions outscored the Eldorado Eagles in an interesting Ranch County League Basketball game Wednesday night of this week. Ozona won over Eldorado 33 to 18, which was their third victory in league play and strengthening their second place position behind Junction. The Lions have one loss to their credit while Junction has four wins and no losses.

Ozona was to play Sonora at Ozona Thursday night in another league game.

## South Appointed On Committee to Fight Frt. Rates

Congressman Charles South of the 21st District of Texas, recently assigned on the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee at Washington, welcomed his assignment as an opportunity to fight "discriminatory" freight rates now in effect in Texas and the Southwest, according to press dispatches Wednesday.

Press reports quoted Congressman South as saying:

"I do not think there is any one question that the people of my district are more interested in than the question of freight rates. Every person whether a producer consumer or both, is vitally affected by freight rates.

"It is pretty generally conceded that rates in our state are out of proportion to rates prevailing throughout the country generally. This discrimination has become well entrenched, and we cannot hope to overcome it overnight.

"I hope eventually, with the assistance and co-operation of my colleagues, to be able to accomplish some beneficial results. Not only can Texas not hope to become an important state industrially while this situation prevails, but our farmers and ranchmen are finding it increasingly difficult to prosper while paying more than their share of transportation charges."

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Isaacs moved on the ranch with Jeff Enochs last Tuesday. Mrs. Enochs and the boys are in Bryan where Mrs. Enochs is residing as matron for eighteen A and M college boys. Mr. Enochs stated that he became hungry for his customary hot biscuits and threatening to move to Bryan too, persuaded Mr. and Mrs. Isaacs to move out to the ranch with him until school is out.

## Ozona Bags Basketball Tourney Here Saturday

Interest in basketball was evidenced Saturday by the unusually large crowd of fans that attend the annual tournament. Entertaining and exciting games were played throughout the day and the tournament was termed one of the most successful ever staged here.

The Ozona Lions bagged the honors for winner of the Eldorado Tournament in the local gym Saturday by tromping the Christoval basketeers in the finals. Eldorado won its own consolation trophy by eking out Eola by a score of 34-33 in one of the most thrilling games ever played in the local gymnasium.

In the first round Ozona defeated Eldorado by a score of 38-31; Wall defeated Mertzson 8-6 in an overtime contest; Christoval beat Eola to the tune of 28-19; and Sonora beat the Eldorado B team (substitute for Mason who didn't arrive).

Outstanding individual players of the tourney were Bryant and McCormick of Eldorado, Montgomery and Lemmons of Ozona, Wallace of Eola, and Smith of Christoval. These boys were picked as the all-tournament Team and recieved gold basketballs with '39 engraved on them. High score of the Tournament was Bryant, who scored as high as 29 points in one game. His total for the three games was 52 points.

Mr. Aycock ran the tournament off in good style, with every game starting on time. Coach Bynum and Luther Barber called the games in a very efficient manner. A large amount of enthusiasm was shown by the fans from Eldorado and the visiting fans. This was especially true during the night games.

## The Families Of Country Woman's Club Play Together

"That we may use the proper entertainments that were suggested for the whole family for social and personal enjoyment, we must have a variety of games", was told members of the Country Woman's Home Demonstration club when they met Wednesday afternoon for the second time this year in the home of Mrs. L. Kent with Mrs. Fred Gillaspay acting as hostess.

These games include a Chinese Checker Board, a Fox and Geese Game, a Horse Shoe Pitching Outfit and various others.

The president asked that all who wish to improve their poultry flocks to start planning immediately.

At the close of an interesting afternoon refreshments were served to Mesdames; Ray Alexander, L. Kent, Claude Alexander, Bill McSwane, R. J. Alexander, Tom Alexander, T. J. Clark and the hostess.

## R. B. Walsh Injured Slightly When Gas Barrel Explodes

R. B. Walsh, mechanic at Eldorado Motor Company suffered slight injuries and shock when a gasoline drum he was welding exploded at noon Wednesday. Walsh was treated by a local physician and later released. He suffered bruises about the legs as well as nervousness from the accident.

The barrel was said to have just been emptied of gasoline before the accident occurred.

## GAS INCREASED TO 27 MILLION CU. FEET; 200 BLS. OIL IN PAGE WELL NO. 2

### Grid Star Here For Visit With Relatives

Ernie Koy of Brookland, N. Y., former University of Texas full-back of '30, '31 and '32 and present member of the Brooklyn's Daffy Dodgers, baseball team visited his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Koy of Eldorado, Tuesday of this week.

Koy was on his way from his home in Sealy, Texas and stopped over for a visit with his relatives here and at San Angelo. Prominent in sports, Koy previously played with Newark and Oakland and then signed with the Yanks. Later he became connected with the Dodgers.

### Old Time Cowmen To Be Honored At Ft. Worth Stock Show

FORT WORTH.—Time will march backward 50 years to the days of the open ranges in the Southwest when five old-time cowmen pay an official visit to the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show on March 14.

The veterans will be honored guests of the Exposition for a day to rub shoulders with present day cowmen and spin their favorite yarns about trail-driving wagon bosses, two-gun desperados and other subjects.

The old-timers are Ab Blocker, Bigwells, old trail driver; John Arnett, Amarillo, who represents the Scotch-English era of the cattle industry of the Southwest. J. Ellison Carroll, Big Lake, world champion roper in "The nineties;" Bob Beverly, Lovington, New Mexico, early-day cowboy and wagon boss, and Capt. John Hughes, El Paso, oldest of the former Texas Rangers.

The five old cowmen have seen the buffalo and the longhorns supplanted by purebred cattle. They will participate in the "parade of the purebreds" at the Stock Show on March 14.

### Officers Of First National Bank Are Re-elected

Stockholders of the First National Bank of Eldorado at their annual meeting held Monday, January 9, re-elected all officers and directors of the bank it was announced this week. At the meeting a dividend of 5 percent was declared which in addition to 5 percent declared last July made the dividend paid during 1938 a total of 10 percent.

Officers re-elected were: J. B. Christian, president; R. P. Hinyard, Vice-president; J. E. Hill, Vice-President; W. O. Alexander, Cashier and L. L. Baker, Ass't. Cashier.

The directors re-elected were: J. B. Christian, Sam E. Jones, J. E. Hill, R. P. Hinyard and D. E. DeLong.

### Sonoran Appointed As Masonic Grand Visitor

SONORA.—Ralph D. Trainer of Sonora has received confirmation and credentials of his appointment as grand visitor of the 35th Texas Masonic district.

Mr. Trainer was chosen for the position at the Grand Lodge meeting at Waco last month.

### Attempts To Shut Off Part Of Gas Being Considered

An increase of sweet gas to a gauged 27 million cubic feet daily and 44 gravity oil estimated at approximately 200 barrels daily resuted from acid treatments of the Cooper Gas Co., No. 2 Page well, nine miles south of Eldorado. The well was treated with 2,000 gallons of acid Tuesday.

At noon Thursday attempts to anchor another packer lower in the well in an attempt to cut off part of the gas was being contemplated, according to reports coming from the drilling site. The gas-oil ration under present conditions would be too high to permit productions of oil unless the gas is marketed.

Cooper No. 1 Page rating six million cubic feet of gas daily and the increased production of Cooper No. 2 Page stamps the Eldorado sector as a potential huge, wet, sweet gas field. While oil production possibilities remain inconclusive, the increase in oil brightens prospects materially. It is thought that the main pool of oil has not yet been penetrated. No. 2 Page was completed last August as a gas and distillate producer, gauging 9 1-2 million cubic feet of gas. It began deepening Jan. 6 and struck the first dark oil in the first two feet of drilling. The gas did not increase and on water was encountered in continuing to 5,525 feet.

The well is three-quarters of a mile southeast of Copoer No. 1 Page, the discovery. Both are in section 40-L-GH&SA, about 9 miles southeast of Eldorado.

Two wells, Lone Star Gas Co.'s Humble No. 1 Page and Lone Star Humble No. 2 Page are in operation near Cooper No. 2 Page. Gas from Cooper's No. 1 Page is being used in drilling operations at these two wells. Cooper Gas Company has a contract to pipe gas to San Angelo to supply fuel requirements of the West Texas Utilities company, effective early in 1941.

### Local Sewing Room Makes Total Of 3,433 Garments

Fifteen local women were employed and eight sewing machines were used when approximately 3,433 garments of various types were made in the WPA sewing room here during 1938, was the report given by Mrs. Aubrey Jeffrey, superintendent of the work here, which is carried on under district supervision of Mrs. Mary Barry in San Angelo.

### Home Boy To Preach Sunday Night At Baptist Church

Tommie Kent, well known Schleicher County boy and son of Mrs. A. E. Kent, will be ordained to full gospel ministry Sunday afternoon at the Bailey Ranch Baptist Church. Tommie will preach his first sermon as an ordained pastor at the First Baptist Church Sunday night. Rev. C. T. Aly cordially invites the public to hear this home town boy speak.

Tommie surrendered to preach one year ago last August and is now in his Sophomore year at Howard Payne college in Brownwood.

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**GOOD RAINS LAST WEEK**

Since the good rains of last week, farmers and ranchmen of the sector are wearing broad smiles—looking forward to a good year. Business and professional men of Eldorado are along with these in their enthusiasm and anticipation as the prosperity of farmers and ranchmen means the prosperity of Eldorado business institutions.

In every part of the county, fine rains were received—moisture that will produce fine grass and grain crops in the spring. The outlook in the Eldorado sector continues to look good—building is progressing and prospects of oil developments are promising.

**ADVERTISED GOODS**

People know more about advertised goods than about those that are not advertised. If you ask what is a good thing to buy for some need, people will usually quote some widely advertised article that everyone has heard of. If you ask about some competing article that is not advertised, they will usually say they never heard of it, consequently they are not likely to buy it.

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**RANGE CONSERVATION**

**COLLEGE STATION**—The 1939 range conservation program of the AAA calls for a wider distribution of earthen tanks and reservoirs and more emphasis on spreader terraces to check rainfall run-off according to latest terms of the program announced by George Slaughter, chairman of the Texas Agricultural Conservation Committee of the AAA.

Slaughter also pointed out that the new range program, which does not differ fundamentally from that of 1939, hopes to attract more ranchmen and stockfarmers of East Texas and other more or less humid areas by providing payment of \$3 an acre for resodding of bald range land with adapted varieties of range grasses. Payment for construction of spreader terraces has been increased from 40 to 60 cents a hundred linear feet.

For construction of earthen tanks or reservoirs, payment will be at the rate of 15 cents a cubic yard of material moved not in excess of 5,000 cubic yards, and 10 cents for the amount in excess of 5,000—for each tank or reservoir. Last year it was 15 cents regardless of the amount of material moved.

Slaughter said the change is meant to encourage a reater distribution of relatively small tanks over the range, so as to scatter grazing.

The program provides a range-building allowance which in Texas averages about 6 cents an acre in the ranching unit, though in some parts of the state it may run as high as 12.

A ranchman may earn up to 60 percent of his range building allowance by his degerred grazing practice.

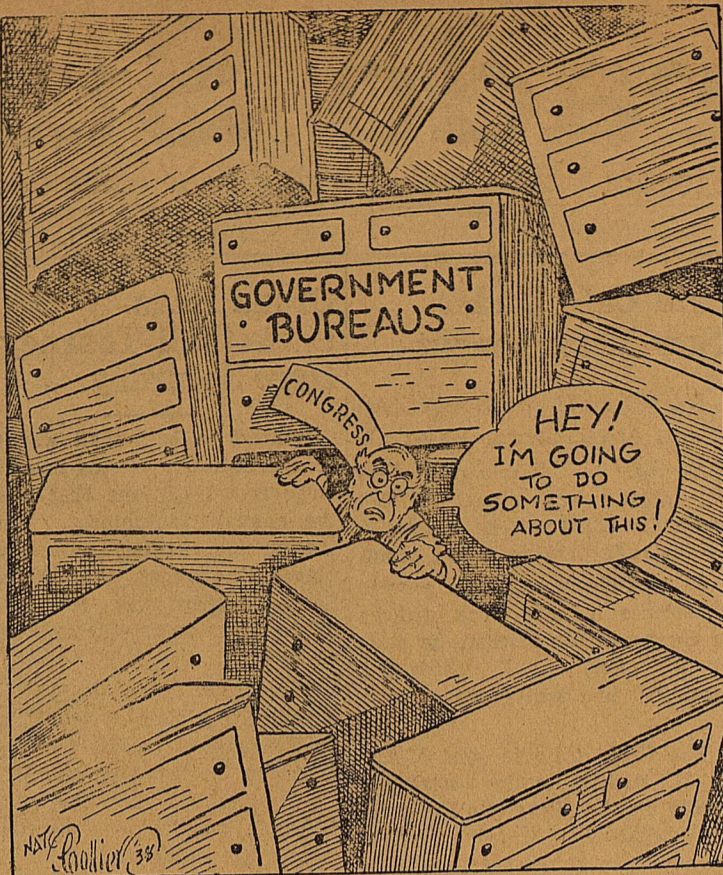
A recent revision of the 1939 rules eliminates the digging of wells as a special range-building practice under the program.

All 14 pupils of a rural school near Monona, Ia., are named Levenhagen, and are the children of three brothers. The children are Helen, Charles, Mary Lou, Margie, Frederick, Gayhart, Mary, Florence, Ruth, Lovina, Betty Jean, Charlie, Danold, and Robert Levenhagen. Their teacher is Miss Lavonne Schmelzer.

Mrs. Irene Meltreger, a former investigator for the government, told Judge Sabbath of Chicago that when she cooked an eight-course dinner as a surprise for her husband, Edgar, he threw it at her course by course. She was granted a divorce.

Windows of famous English glass in the Porkminister of Hull, Eng., have not been washed for six centuries. Caretakers believe that to wash the glass would destroy the mellowing effect of time.

**TIRED OF IT**



**Nobody's Business**

By Julian C. Capers

**AUSTIN**—The new legislature loafed leisurely through its first week, doing little but completing the organization routine and receiving a number of Senate bills. All hands were awaiting the inauguration of Gov. O'Daniel, and his all-important first message, which was scheduled for Wednesday of this week, his second day in office. In it, he had promised to reveal his plan for raising the \$40,000,000 to \$50,000,000 necessary to carry out his proposal of \$15 a month for everybody over 65—half his original pre-election promise of \$30 a month for everybody over 65.

The House elected its staff with several close contests, and debated through a couple of days over its rules, without finally adopting any. The hitch was a proposal to place all investigating activities under the jurisdiction of the Rules Committee. The members, realizing that committee investigations of State departments and other matters in the past have proved prolific sources of political thunder for the investigators, turned thumbs down on the plan. They favor the usual custom of appointing the authors of a successful investigation resolution to the committee thus created, which spreads around the opportunity to make political hay from the publicity that usually comes from a legislative probe. The Senate has used the one-committee method successfully for the past two sessions, but the House evidently didn't like it.

**WATCH THESE ISSUES**

Pensions and taxes have received most of the publicity so far, in advance of the regular session, but a brief survey reveals that there are a lot of important legislative matters that will engage a great deal of attention from the session. Watch these issues, among others:

The Senate bill by Kelley of Edinburg, to raise the load limit of motor trucks. There is a stronger statewide sentiment reported in favor of this action than ever before, but the railroad lobby, powerful as any in Austin, is gathering in force and a life-and-death struggle over the issue is in prospect.

Amendments to the State Unemployment Compensation of the Social Security law, as proposed by Senator Allen Shivers of Port Arthur, to eliminate recognized injustices and reduce the cost of operation to the consuming public which, in the long run, pays all the bills. The changes have the endorsement not only of the affected employers, but also of the administrators of the law, headed by Orville Carpenter, former

State auditor. A state wages and hours law, which would take in virtually everybody not affected by the Federal Act. Although sponsored by union labor organizations, there seems to be no other important sentiment in favor of such an act, which opponents claim, would actually decrease employment and raise the prices of virtually all commodities.

**COURTHOUSE LOBBY BUSY**

The county courthouse lobby, which is one of the strongest, has been desperately busy for two years, seeking a method of getting the State to take over millions of dollars of county road bonds, the money for which was used to finance construction of roads that are not now State highways, the State has assumed county bond used to pave roads later taken into the State Highway system. Best lawyers in the House and Senate declare the constitution forbids the State taking over these old county debts, but there is a surplus of about \$5,000,000 in the fund created by allocating 1 cent of the gasoline tax to pay off the assumed county bonds and the county courthouse boys will not rest in the efforts to grab off part of this money. The Taber plan folks recognized the limitations of the constitution, and proposed to issue a huge \$200,000,000 State bond issue to get around it. When the Taber plan was received coldly, the County Judges Association brought forth its own plan, but evidently didn't read the Constitution very closely. Many highway officials are beginning to see in the various attempts to raid the bond retirement fund a back-door method of diverting gasoline tax money, which might bring on from Federal authorities a shut-off of Texas' \$7,500,000 annual federal aid highway money.

**ANOTHER HOT ONE**

A "fair trade practices act," sponsored by independent merchants, and opposed by folks who declare it is a price-fixing measure to restrict competition, will surely bring on another bitter legislative struggle.

If a war with a foreign enemy was killing 2,000 Texans a year, and wounding 54,000 others, it wouldn't take Texas' citizens long to authorize somebody to do whatever was necessary to stop the war and halt the slaughter.

But we have become so accustomed to slaughtering 2,000 and injuring 54,000 others each year in motor car accidents on Texas streets and highways, that the proposed new drivers' license law, sponsored by the Department of Public Safety and all safety or-

ganizations, may meet considerable opposition, because it gives the Safety Department the right to suspend temporarily licenses of drivers who are involved in serious accidents. The bill also would raise the age limit for licenses from 14 to 16; would charge a \$1 fee for a two-year license; and otherwise tightens up restrictions to keep drunken, irresponsible and incompetent drivers off the roads. It closely follows the uniform drivers' license law, in effect in many states.

**AUSTIN NOTES**

Veteron observers here believe the new legislature is much more conservative than its predecessor, and freely predict that no "wild" taxation legislation will come out of it. . . . They point out that the State is now \$20,000,000 in the "red" in its general fund; that the pension fund is facing another of its periodic "crises" without sufficient money in sight to keep up present payments through February; that the school people are asking for \$21,000,000 for rural aid—a 100 percent increase over the last ap-

ropriation which was the dargest in history; that the higher educational institutions, with increased enrollment, seek more funds; and that the Board of Control and Gov. Allred have recommended larger appropriations for eleemosonary institutions. These demands, together with about \$5,000,000 needed for teachers retirement, blind and dependent children, must be considered along with pension liberalization. . . . Senator Albert Stone, of Brenham, declares the State could get \$10,000,000 of quick cash revenue by authorizing private collection of delinquent taxes, which the county politicians just won't go after. He points out a private agency collected \$100,000 in his home county of Washington in a few months, taking its percentage from penalties and interest only.

In her divorce suit, Mrs. Charles Thomas of Detroit said to the judge: "I want my husband restrained from taking a bath in my bathroom because I know he does it just to bother me."

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# SOCIETY CLUBS PERSONALS

## Schleicher County Demonstration Clubs Met Here Saturday

All six of the home demonstration clubs were represented at the first meeting of the year when the Schleicher County Home Demonstration Council met in the office of the home demonstration agent, Saturday, January 14, 1939 at 2:30 p. m. Officers for the year introduced were: Mrs. Palmer West, Chairman, Mrs. Claude Alexander, vice-chairman, Mrs. Elvin Bawcom, secretary, Miss Lottie Reynolds, treasurer, Mrs. Gordie Alexander, parliamentarian, and Mrs. Joe Hearne Moore, reporter. Mrs. Moore is the only newly elected officer, the others are serving for the second year.

Standing committees announced by the chairman were: Finance, Mrs. Claude Alexander, Mrs. Milton Spurgers and Mrs. E. M. Roberts; Yearbook, Mrs. Elvin Bawcom, Mrs. James Williams, and Miss Lottie Reynolds; Exhibits, Mrs. E. T. Menges, Mrs. J. R. Conner and Mrs. Ray Stewart; Expansion, Mrs. Will Isaacs, Mrs. Joe Hearne Moore and Mrs. Marion Wade. Special Standing committee Chairman are: Girls' 4-H Club Sponsors, Mrs. W. C. Spurgers, Recreational, Mrs. Norman Hodges; Education, Mrs. Silas Burk; and reporter, Mrs. Joe Hearne Moore.

The chair appointed a committee composed of Mrs. E. E. Menges, Mrs. Claude Alexander, and Lottie Reynolds to make and develop plans for cooperative buying of products to be used by members of the home demonstration clubs.

W. G. Godwin, County Agriculture Agent, talked to the council members on the Conservation of Soil which was in observance of the soil conservation week declared by the legislature.

Miss Margaret Stewart, County Home Demonstration Agent gave to the women, Farm Outlook for 1939.

Those present: Mesdames Palmer West, E. E. Menges, Norman Hodges, Wiley Ratliff, Claude, Ray and Gordie Alexander, Marion Wade, J. R. Conner, James Williams, W. E. Bruton, Elvin Bawcom, Will Isaacs, Misses Lottie Reynolds and Margaret Stewart, County Home Demonstration Agent.

## Reynolds 4-H Club Meets Wednesday

"Build a good strong body by eating properly, is one way of protecting your good looks," is what Miss Margaret Stewart, C. H. D. A., told members of the Reynolds 4-R club when they met in the teacherage at one o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Other means of protecting good looks are: brushing teeth, care of eyes, care of skin, care of hands and nails, correct posture, and care of clothing. The sheet "Good Looks For Girls" is to be checked every week.

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## Self Culture Club Has Guest Speaker

Mrs. R. O. Smith was guest speaker when Mrs. W. M. Davis was hostess to members of the Self Culture club last Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bailey Montgomery.

Mrs. Smith's topic was "Eldorado and West Texas Fifty Years Ago." This interesting discussion was followed by a talk by Mrs. L. M. Hoover on "Southern Plantation Life."

During a short business session the club elected Mrs. George Williams third vice president upon the resignation of Mrs. Ervin Mund. Mrs. Reuben Dickens, Mrs. Bill McSwane and Miss John Alexander were appointed on the theatre committee.

Refreshments were served to the guest and the following members: Miss John Alexander, Miss Margaret Stewart, Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. L. M. Hoover, Mrs. Reuben Dickens, Mrs. J. L. Ratliff, Mrs. Bill McSwane and the hostess.

## "Buck" Bailey To Wed San Francisco Girl

"Buck" Bailey, also known as Arthur Buckner Bailey; Eldorado citizen and who is now assistant football coach of the Washington State College Cougars, has let the news of his forthcoming marriage to Miss Myrtle Gunther of San Francisco; an acquaintance of the last eight years, be known to West Texas pressmen.

It is being told on Buck how football ran a poor second to romance at the Shrine East-West game in San Francisco, New Years Day. "Buck", forty-one year old bachelor, returned home and admitted to friends that matrimony would come in June.

Bailey is widely known throughout West Texas and was catcher for many West Texas teams in the twenties, and not only was he an outstanding showman in a monkey suit, but he was regarded as one of the smartest receivers and heaviest stick wielders in the loop.

Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Smith went to Ballinger last week-end to visit his mother.

Mrs. J. M. Pennington visited relatives in San Angelo the first of this week.

## Agricultural Association Being Planned By Club

"Hens that have been tested for pollorum diseases have been found to have a higher laying average than the flock that is not free of pollorum diseases," is the statement Miss Margaret Stewart made to the Reynolds home demonstration club when they met with Mrs. James Williams Wednesday afternoon January 18th.

Miss Stewart also told the club members the different types of chickens and their value as to meat and egg production.

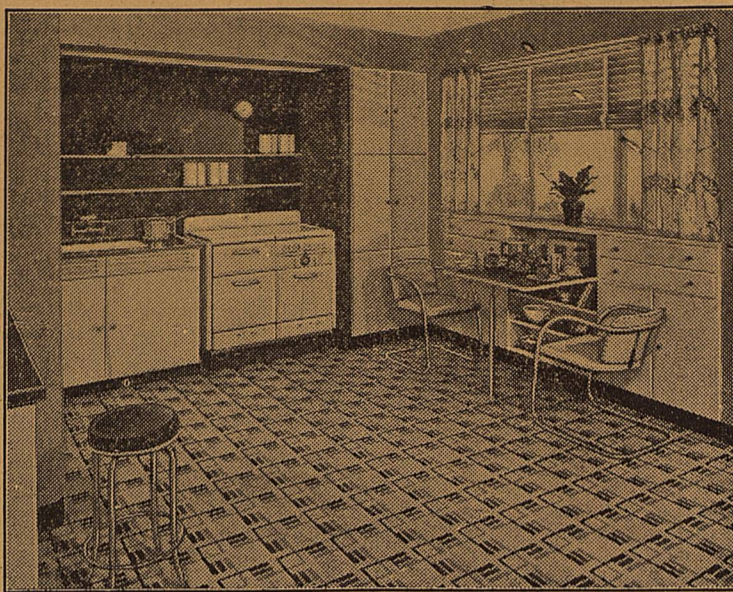
Following the demonstration a short business session was held and the club made plans for organizing a community agricultural association which will be both an agricultural and social get together.

Mrs. Fred Matthews was elected secretary and treasurer upon the resignation of Mrs. Roy Glen Gardner.

Those present were: Mrs. W. E. Bruton, Mrs. Raymond Dickens, Mrs. Fred Matthews, Mrs. C. N. Shaw, Miss Margaret Stewart and one visitor Mrs. B. Williams.

Drive Safely—Save a Life.

## Kitchens Can Have Airy Charm



**REMODELING** your kitchen? Then perhaps this kitchen will suggest some good ideas. Note the wide picture window of three casements, revealing an attractive outdoor scene. The sink and modern gas range installed in a wide recess with a colorful background of wall linoleum offer an ideal work center for the preparation of food. Built-in recessed wall cabinets for storage create the appearance

of spaciousness and leave an expanse of flooring—in this case covered with adhesive linoleum in a bright pattern. The dark line of the recessed bases of the equipment is carried around the room. The center section of the window cabinets drops down to form a breakfast table, one of the smart convenience features of this room. Chairs of modern character complete the picture.

## W. M. U. Has Monthly Royal Service Program

All circles of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at the church for their monthly Royal Service program based on "The Great Commission—Our Mission" and led by Mrs. George Williams.

The program, which was very effective, consisted of the Bible Study by Mrs. R. L. Bircker, and talks were given on the subject by Mrs. Bailey Montgomery, Mrs. Ed Finnigan, and Mrs. T. D. Riddle. These talks were followed by a pageant given by Mrs. W. N. Ramsay in which Mrs. Gordie Alexander, Mrs. Mel Brown, Mrs. Mattie Cozzens, Mrs. J. A. Whitten, Mrs. R. O. Smith and Mrs. Ray Jones took part. At intervals duets were sung by Mrs. W. N. Ramsay and Miss Ellie McKinney.

Members present were: Mesdames Frank Newman, Roy Davidson, Fred Watson, Ray Jones, J. A. Whitten, George Williams, Gordie Alexander, R. O. Smith, R. L. Bricker, T. D. Riddle, W. T. Whitten, Ed Finnigan, L. M. Hoover, Al Hughes, Mel Brown, Mattie Cozzens, Bailey Montgomery, W. N. Ramsay, Clyde Galbreath and one visitor, Ellie McKinney.

## First Lady Lectures At Dallas on Mar. 12

Dallas—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt will be presented at Dallas in public lecture on the afternoon of Sunday, March 12, at Fair Park Auditorium.

The first lady, whose lecture fees are given entirely to charity, was engaged by Mrs. Frances Potter Houser, former Oklahoma City impresaria, who moved to Dallas last September. While the engagement is definite, it is probable that a local society organization will assume sponsorship, receiving a percentage of the ticket. Several clubs have the sponsorship under consideration.

Midget Clyde Hendershot of Beck's Grove, Ind., smiled and said that he was 28 years old when an officer told him that children weren't permitted to operate automobiles.

Explaining that he was "sick and tired of being called 'Fatty,'" Robert Rowland of Mount Freedom, N. J., went on a water diet, excluding all food and lost 50 of his 220 pounds in 28 days.

## Dacy-Reynolds Wedding Told

The marriage of Miss Mary Charles Reynolds and Marion Dacy, which took place last Thursday night was announced here this week.

Rev. C. T. Aly, First Baptist pastor, performed the ring ceremony at his home. Her only attendant was Miss Bernice Faught.

The bride, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Reynolds, was a Senior in the local high school. Mr. Dacy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dacy, and had resided in Brady until coming until here eighteen months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Dacy are at home on a Ranch in the Reynolds community.

## El Martes Club Meets With Mrs. Norman Hodges

Mrs. Norman Hodges included two tables of guests when she entertained members of the El Martes forty two club at her home last Tuesday afternoon.

Following an afternoon of games refreshments were served to the following guests; Mesdames Ernest Finnigan, O. E. Conner, F. E. Bruton, W. J. Humphrey, E. E. Menges, J. L. Thompson, Joe Luckett, Melvin Harris and Mrs. Sadie McDonald. Members present were: Mesdames O. B. Bradshaw, Jack Etheridge, Hayne Graves, J. A. Neill, Frank Newman, Tommie Smith, Robert Sproul, W. C. Spurgers, Milton Spurgers, Palmer West and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ratliff were called to Big Springs last weekend because of the death of Mr. Ratliff's sister Mrs. Steve Baker who was killed in a car accident.

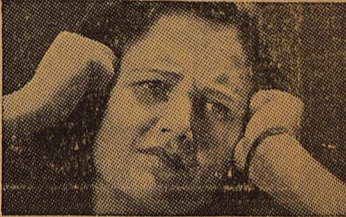
## M. E. Missionary Society Meets At Church Monday

Members of the Methodist Missionary society had their regular meeting Monday afternoon at the church, with Mrs. Dave Williamson acting as hostess for the occasion.

The program, led by Mrs. Marvin Williams, was a study on Stewardship. Those taking part on the program were: Mrs. Betty Tubbs and Mrs. Mae Tisdale.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. J. F. Isaacs, Mrs. Word, Mrs. L. Wheeler, Mrs. Ben Hext, Mrs. L. L. Stuart, Mrs. O. E. Conner, Mrs. Marvin Williams, Mrs. Betty Tubbs, Mrs. Mae Tisdale, Mrs. W. H. McClatchey, Mrs. George Neil and the hostess.

## THE AWFUL PRICE YOU PAY FOR BEING NERVOUS



Quivering nerves can make you old and haggard looking, cranky and hard to live with—can keep you awake nights and rob you of good health, good times and jobs. What you may need is a particularly good woman's tonic—and could you ask for anything whose benefits are better proved than famous Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? Let its wholesome herbs and roots help Nature build up more physical resistance and thus help calm your shrieking nerves, give more energy and make life worth living again. More than a million women have reported benefit—why not let Pinkham's Compound help YOU, too, to go "smiling thru" trying times like it has other grateful women for the past 3 generations? IT MUST BE GOOD!

## Let's Eat Today At The Grill



Sid McDonald has leased the establishment; J. S. Tolbert has charge of the kitchen, preparing delicious foods and D. T. Yates is in the front offering prompt and courteous service.

THEY SAY  
We have taken over the management of the Grill and are eager to serve you. We will continue to operate the cafe in the best possible manner and extend a cordial invitation to you and your family to visit us.

## The Grill Cafe

## You Can Keep Your Clothes FRESH and CLEAN



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Our fine cleaning plant is fully equipped to give your clothes a superior service. The finest of materials are returned spotlessly clean and sparkling.

SUITS C & P 50¢  
PLAIN DRESSES C & P, 50¢

## Sharp's Tailor Shop

A chair which J. A. Blades of Vienna, Md., paid \$1 for at a second-hand furniture store yielded \$840 in cash and a gold watch.

By mistake Moe Mamek broke into jail at London, O., and explained to the sheriff that he was hungry and thought the fence surrounded a canning factory.

Justice of the Peace C. S. Smith of Jacksonville, Ill., offered free wedding ceremonies to couples where the bride-to-be had made the proposal herself.

# SOCIETY

## Mrs. West Hostess To Wednesday Club

Three guests, Mrs. Cicero Smith, Mrs. Luke Thompson and Mrs. Gordie Alexander were included when Mrs. Jimmie West entertained members of the Wednesday afternoon bridge club in her home this week.

Bridge was played at three tables with high score prize for guests being held by Mrs. Thompson; for club by Mrs. Crosby and cut prize went to Mrs. Richey. Following the games, a salad course was served to those present. Guest list included: Mrs. Leslie Baker, Mrs. G. C. Crosby, Mrs. C. C. McLaughlin, Mrs. Sam Oglesby, Mrs. H. B. Rees, Mrs. A. D. Richey, Mrs. L. L. Stuart, and Mrs. Dave Williamson.

## Senior Party Doesn't Show Up

All was deserted when the sponsors chosen for the Senior B. T. U. party arrived at the chosen place last Tuesday evening. After waiting around in the dark for a while and deciding the party has been postponed without their knowledge, the couple strolled over to the skating rink where they recognized the larger part of the would-be party. At the questions of the sponsors, all thoughts of the party planned the week before had been completely forgotten.

The society editor, very disappointed, is determined to fill the space meant for this social event.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Spurgers and Mrs. Milton Spurgers were in Ozona visiting with relatives last Tuesday through Friday.

Thomas Baker is confined to his home with whooping cough.

### Your Barber

Your barber plays an important part in keeping you well groomed. Visit us often for good barber work.

### Post Office Barber Shop

W. M. Davis, Prop.

## P. T. A. MEETING HELD TUESDAY

Pupils of the fourth grade under the direction of Miss Herbert and Miss Shults, gave a short program at the regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association, Tuesday, Jan. 19. The program consisted of a piano solo by Eddie Lou Meador and two songs by the entire grade.

Rev. Marvin Williams, pastor of the Methodist church, read the devotional at the opening of the program.

During the business session, it was announced that there was about \$175.00 in the treasury, this amount to be used in redecorating the stage of the high school auditorium.

Following the business session, Rev. N. P. Wilkinson, pastor of the Presbyterian church, gave an interesting address on the Youth of Yesterday and Today.

Mrs. Luke Thompson, announced that the next meeting, Feb. 21, would be National Founder's Day, and urged a large attendance at this meeting. Mrs. C. T. Womack of San Angelo will be present.

## Baptist Brotherhood Has Regular Meet

Members of the Baptist Brotherhood met at the Church last Monday at their regular monthly meeting for their regular Bible study.

The Bible study, led by Rev. C. T. Aly, was taken from the first and second chapters of John.

In a recent street collection in Glasgow, Scotland, several I. O. U.'s were found among the coins.

## Honored At Party



Mrs. Charles Powell

Courtesy San Angelo Standard—Mrs. Charles Powell above, of Ozona, formerly Miss Lois Parks of Eldorado, was honored with a gift party at the First Baptist Church last Saturday Afternoon by the Girl's Sunday School Class.

A color scheme of red and white was carried out in decorations in keeping with the Valentine Motifs.

Billie B. Neva Jo and Winnie Jean Steward sang a trio for the occasion and Genevieve Ramsey gave a reading.

Out of town guests present were Misses Billie and Imogene Miller of Mertzon and Miss Louise Boyd of Ozona.

Local guests present were: Mrs. Joab Campbell, Miss John Alexander, Miss Nell Campbell, Mrs. R. L. Sample and Joy, Mrs. J. A. Whitten, Mrs. Al Hughes, Miss Leola Boyer, Billie Boyer, Mrs. Rutha Boyer, Marguerite Chick, Mrs. W. T. Whitten, Ellie McKinney, Mrs. W. N. Ramsay, Mrs. Truett Stanford, Mrs. W. M. Davis, Genevieve Ramsey, Mrs. Joe B. Edens, Mrs. Roy Davidson, and Tommie Aline, Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. R. O. Smith, Neva Jo, Winnie Jean and Billie B. Steward, Fern, Mozell and Maurine Parks, Mrs. Ed Finnigan,

Katherine Moore, Mrs. L. M. Hoover and Mary, Bernice and Edith Bricker, Mrs. L. T. Wilson, Mrs. B. E. Moore, Mrs. Will Steward, Mrs. Jack Halbert, Mrs. Gordie Alexander, Mrs. R. J. Alexander, Mrs. W. C. Parks, Jr., Floyce Sherrod, Janice Baker, Mrs. Geo. Williams, Mrs. R. L. Bricker, Mrs. T. D. Riddle, Mrs. R. N. Brown and Maude.

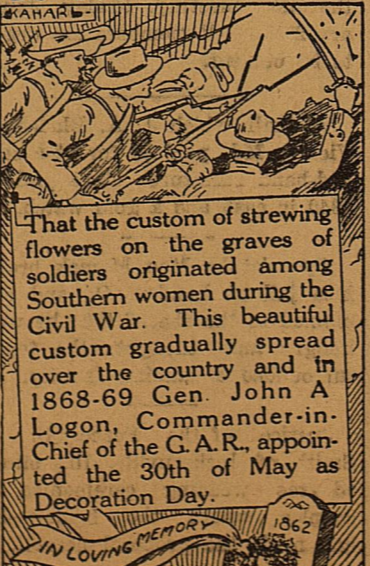
Those who sent gifts were Mrs. Etta Powell of Big Springs, Elma Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Fish Powell and Leta, Pink and Luetta Powell of Ozona, Margaret Stewart, Ola Mae Hughes, Mrs. Ray Boyer, Anna Bell Maxwell, Mrs. Clyde Galbreath, Mrs. S. L. Stanford, Pauline Hudson, Mrs. F. S. Miller, Mrs. A. E. Kent, Mrs. Marion Wade, Mrs. J. T. Kerr, Mrs. Payne Robinson, Mrs. Ward Parks, Mrs. Bob Evans, Mrs. L. Kent, Mrs. Ray Jones, Mrs. J. H. Moore, Mrs. Leslie Baker, Mrs. Ernest Sweatt, Mrs. T. H. Alexander, Mrs. Bill McSwane, Mrs. Grace Sherrod, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Spurgers.

## ANNOUNCING—

The Rainbow Girls have their regular meeting tonight (Friday) at 7:30 in the Masonic Hall.

Sales Books for sale at the Success office

## DO YOU KNOW—



That the custom of strewing flowers on the graves of soldiers originated among Southern women during the Civil War. This beautiful custom gradually spread over the country and in 1868-69 Gen. John A. Logan, Commander-in-Chief of the G. A. R., appointed the 30th of May as Decoration Day.

IN LOVING MEMORY 1862

## FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Marvin Williams, pastor

Shipwrecked—"Falling into a place where two seas met."—Acts 27: 41

The vessel, well rigged, sailing under favorable breezes, seeming likely to make the port, we see her overtaken by storm, sinking lower and lower finally going down beneath the waves. Many are the souls that have started like this in the Christian life and have met the storm of temptation and have gone down. In the presence of fascinating but unbelieving companions, they made shipwreck of faith in God, home and Church.

Let none despair, "Hope in God"—will raise one up and cause one to "plough the main" once more on a lovely Christian voyage and attain the port of everlasting deliverance of Heaven and home.

Preaching services in the Rudd community Sunday 3 p. m. If you want a pleasant drive to hear a poor sermon—come out.

Mr. Geeslin will bring a solo Sunday morning.

Both leagues meet 6:30 p. m. Subject Sunday Morning: "What is Truth." Subject Sunday Evening: "Footsteps of Faith."

## BAPTIST CHURCH

The revival meeting of the First Baptist church begins February 12th, was the announcement made by Rev. C. T. Aly, this week.

The church voted Sunday night to invite Dr. A. D. Foreman, pastor of the First Baptist Church in San Angelo, to lead in the revival from February 12th to the 19th. Dr. Foreman is well known to the people of this section as a good preacher, splendid pastor and successful evangelist. We are very fortunate in securing Dr. Foreman at this time.

Those to attend the Baptist Workers Conference in Sonora last Thursday were: Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. R. L. Bricker, Mrs. Al Hughes, Mrs. Roy Davidson, Mrs. Will Whitten, Mrs. R. O. Smith, Mrs. J. A. Whitten, Mrs. L. M. Hoover, Miss John Alexander and Rev. C. T. Aly.

Rev. A. T. Nixon of Christoval preached at the eleven o'clock hour.

The meeting began at nine o'clock and lasted until two with lunch served at noon. Nine counties were represented at the conference.

Mrs. Al Hughes and Rev. C. T. Aly left Tuesday for Dallas to attend the associational Sunday School officer's conference. Mrs. Hughes is taking the place of Harold Peppard who was unable to attend.

Three cars will go from the Concho Valley association to be in this Statewide meeting which promises to be one of the most outstanding general meetings to be held by the Baptists of Texas this year, according to the report of Rev. Aly this week.

Dr. T. L. Halcomb, Secretary of the Sunday School board in Nashville, Tenn., is to be one of the principal speakers. This is to be one of the meetings sponsored by Baptists over the South land in promoting a Southwide evangelistic movement. Rev. Aly announces that he will give reports of this meeting Sunday morning.

## FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH

Bible School, Sunday 10 a. m. Church Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Prayer Meeting and Song Services Wednesday night at 7:30 p. m. and at some home at 2:30 p. m. Friday afternoon.

Bible Study Saturday night at 7:30 p. m.

You are cordially invited. But if our gospel be hid, it is hid to them that are lost.—2 Cor. 4:3.

Mrs. Jule Ramsey is in a San Angelo hospital taking treatment.

## A Good Recipe For Canning Grapefruit Hearts

Remove peel from grapefruits. A quick way to do this is to use a cutting board and a long sharp knife. Lay fruit on side and with one clean cut remove blossom end of peel down to the pulp, then cut stem and the pulp. Stand on end and cut peel from sides to the pulp and with a thin bladed knife separate whole sections of pulp from rag and seeds.

Prepare a syrup of equal parts of sugar and water. Place sections of fruit that are free from membrane into hot sterilized containers the pour into the container enough of boiling syrup to fill container within one eighth inch of the top of the container. It usually takes about one fourth cup syrup to fill container.

Seal at once while hot. Place in hot water and let water completely cover the containers. Bring to a boil quickly and then allow the containers to stand in the water for seven minutes. Remove containers from water and cool quickly. It is better not to process more than five cans at one time as those near the outside or last removed from cooler may be overcooked.

## LOCALS

Mrs. H. T. Finley left Thursday morning for Brady to be with her sister, Mrs. John Williams, who was to undergo an operation.

The grandson, Jerry, of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Nicks was taken to a San Angelo hospital Thursday for treatment.

Mrs. Ernest Finnigan was in San Angelo Monday.

Fred Ratliff, Sheriff of Garden City, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ratliff last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ratliff of Station A visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ratliff last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Spurgers visited friends in San Angelo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Casbeer and daughter, Oleta and Jayme Chapman of Ozona visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Spurgers last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stewardson and Miss Sammie Lee Stewardson of Fort Stockton visited Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Mund and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hop Ashmore and family last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Richey went to Talpa Monday to visit Mr. Richey's father who is ill.

Mrs. Bert Page, Mrs. R. L. Sample and Mrs. R. A. King returned recently from a visit with relatives in Galveston and Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. King and Fae spent last weekend in Pine-top visiting Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. A. G. Churchill, who is seriously ill.

## Lone Star Theater

FRIDAY ONLY "The Storm" With Charles Bickford, Barton McSwane and Preston Foster

SATURDAY ONLY "Call Of The Rockies" With Charles Starrett

SUN.—MON.—TUES. "Service De Luxe" With Vivent Price, Missha Auer, and Helen Broderick

Miss Minnie Bell Sheen of San Angelo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Moore last Sunday.

Mrs. Junior Isaacs and Mrs. Ben Isaacs returned home Monday after spending a few days with relatives in Brady.

Tommy Smith has gone to Lubbock on business.

Lois Smith, Mrs. W. C. and Milton Spurgers will leave tomorrow for Ozona to visit with Mrs. Milton Spurgers' parents. While there they will attend the basketball tournament.

W. H. McClatchey is taking treatment in Christoval.

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# Why Worry..

With that old battery, trying to use it as long as it has a spark of fire in it.

For the next 30 days I am going to give a special trade in allowance for your old battery, in on a New Insured Battery.

Eldorado *Laird's* AUTO REPAIR Shop Texas

**ONE THING  
And  
THEN ANOTHER**  
By Fred Gipson

AUSTIN.—“Govern a great nation as you would cook a small fish,” advised old Lao Tzu, the Chinese sage and philosopher.

But then, old Lao lived way back some 500 years before the birth of Christ, and we’ve “progressed” since his time.

Now, the legislature of just one state, like Texas, govern like they were trying to hack a whale to pieces before sundown.

We, the people of Texas, 6,000,000 of us, I believe, we’re saps and suckers and don’t know the score either.

Once every two years, and on special occasions, we finance and promote one of the greatest shows on earth. We furnish elaborate stage setting—the state Capitol. We hire the actors—181 legislators. The expense is staggering. It gets bigger every year. Yet, not one out of every 100 of us ever bother to come and see the thing.

We’ll drive all the way to Mexico to see a bullfight. We’ll risk a fine and jail sentence to stage our cockfights out in some secluded spot in the brush. But we never think to drive down here to the Capitol and watch our men of state run rampant through a legislative session.

Yet it’s a show worth our time and efforts. It’s a disappointing show—disappointing to those of us who were brought up, like I was, almost to worship the “great men in charge of our government.” But at the same time, it’s one of the most revealing things a man ever watched.

Come watch the speaker pound a gavel to a pulp while he’s hollering for order. You can see at once that he was one time a woodcutter, used to mauling a wedge into a tough log. Who else could handle a gavel with such efficiency and noise? Come listen to the House spend a half a day and some \$500 in salaries to members, arguing the question of whether or not an appropriation should be made to construct a brass rail around the House chamber. “To preserve the dignity and decorum of the House, says the one introducing the resolution.

If it’ll do that, its money well spent.

Come watch some members shout and beat the air with their fists trying to impress other members with the importance of what they’re saying, while the other members sit back in their chairs with their feet on their

desks, smoking and reading or catching up on their sleep.

But just before you become so aggravated that you want to start slinging cabbages and tomatoes from the gallery, leave, and go home and go out to the barn or cowlot or some place where you can be alone and sit and whittle and THINK awhile.

And likely this thought will come to you: “These are the men I helped put in office, these are the men I hired to run the affairs of the state.

And then sit and whittle and THINK awhile longer and you’ll find yourself suddenly asking: “How could the thing be changed? Who’s responsible? What can be done to get more efficiency and less tomfoolery into our government?”

And right there, you’ll find that you’ve run into one of the hardest knots in the pine board you’re whittling on that ever turned the edge of a knife blade.

Just what is to be done? Well, denunciation of the legislators is no solution to the problem. They’re merely the actors we hired to put on our show that we won’t even bother to come and see.

And here, I want to leave you, here, just sitting and whittling and THINKING, while I go do some of the same.

If we, the people, the 6,000,000 of us, will all stop just once and go sit and do some THINKING, there’s no telling what might come of it.

We might even agree with old Lao Tzu, that a state should be governed as we would cook a small fish.

**CANNING INDUSTRY  
DEPICTED IN BOOKLET  
BY SANTA FEE**

The history and development of the widespread canning industry is illuminating depicted in a booklet entitled, “Delicious Foods in Tin and Glass,” published by the Santa Fe Railway.

The booklet also points to the railway’s part in aiding the industry to far flung markets. Attractively illustrated, it carries the reader from the first practical attempt to preserve foods in 1782 down to the present day when virtually every table staple is placed under glass or tin.

**SANTA FE CARLOADINGS  
SHOW DECREASE**

The Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending January 14, 1939 were 18,522 cars as compared with 20,419 in the same week in 1938. Received from connections were 5,098 cars as compared with 4,560 during the same week in 1938. Total cars moved were 23,620 as compared with 24,979 for the same week in 1938. The Santa Fe handled a total of 22,623 cars during the preceding week this year.

**17,019 TRENCH SILOS  
CONSTRUCTED IN 1938**

College Station.—Texas farmers and ranchmen filled 17,019 trench silos in 1938 in cooperation youth county agricultural agents, the annual report of E. R. Eudaly, dairyman of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, shows. This represents an increase of 7,536 over the number in use at the end of 1937.

A total of 1,734,000 tons of feed or more than a million tons over the 1937 figure, is stored in these trenches. It would require a trench 12 feet wide, 6 feet deep, and 262 miles long to hold the silage or one, Eudaly says, that would reach “from College Station to the city limits of Durant, Oklahoma.”

Even in a year of a comparatively large feed crop the silage represents a value of around 7 million dollars. There is enough feed stored in trenches in Texas, fed at the rate of 30 pounds an animal per day, to feed 642,000 animals for three months.

One record of 8 year’s standing was lost as the number of trench silos failed to double that of the previous year’s. At the same time the 7,536 increase made in 1938 far exceeds any previous year’s gain.

“County agents have learned that the trench silo is the most economical and efficient way to store feed and they recommend the trench storage to their farmers and ranchmen without reserve,” Eudaly pointed out. “Feed in a trench silo is safe from weevils, rats, fire, rain, floods, and time itself.”

**A LETTER FROM DR. RALPH  
BAILEY TO FORMER  
PATIENTS**

I have, a few different times in life, seen in print some doctor, thru the bigness of his heart, had marked paid all debts owed him by his patients. Each time I have envied these doctors the complimentary remarks that were made.

On next Christmas Morning I shall mark paid in full all accounts and notes held by me for the practice of medicine. So after December 25th, 1938, you can meet me, look me square in the face, and say, “Doc, old boy, I don’t owe you a red cent.” Try it. It will make us both feel better.

I am doing this for two reasons first, I have quit practicing medicine and want to get it all off my mind as well as off my books. Second, and main reason is I never expect to get a cock-eyed cent out of it.

To those of you who owe me and unable to pay, I pray when you die The Good Lord will be as lenient with you as I have been. To those of you who could pay and have not, I fear that when we die we will meet in another world where I am sure I’ll be forced to practice again. I will try to get a nice red-hot underground office, centrally located, near that famous “half-acre” and convenient to the main furnace. Office hours from 9 p. m. until 5 a. m. Hunt me up the next night after you arrive. You will need treatment. I will specialize on burns. Terms Cash in Advance.

Ralph Bailey, M. D.  
(Note to the Editor: If the latter part of this letter comes under the head of advertising matter, charge it and I’ll pay you in practice later on. —Gatesville Forum.

Santa Clauses in the news: At Daytona Beach, Fla., a Santa was jailed for getting drunk; in Chicago a sidewalk Santa nearly caused a riot by slapping a small boy who tried to pull off his whiskers; at Norwalk, O., a Santa’s wide pants fell down while he was gravely leading a church procession.

Mrs. Blanche Ketcham of La Harpe, Ill., is making her own tombstone from rocks collected in every state in the Union, as well as Canada, Africa and France.

**WINGS OVER  
TEXAS**

By Lois Cameron Chesley

Questions are frequently asked this column about Bird-banding.

Besides being a fascinating pastime and study, Bird-banding is an accurate method of gathering data concerning migration and habits of birds.

Volunteer operators, familiar with the species of birds in their vicinity, take birds alive and unharmed by means of traps designed with an eye for the safety of the birds concerned. The trapper must hold a permit from the Secretary of Agriculture. Each bird is kept only long enough to place on the leg a numbered aluminum band bearing the address of the Biological Survey at Washington, D. C.

Whenever a banded bird is found dead or alive, the number should be carefully copied and sent to the Survey at Washington or reported to a manding operator. The operator keeps a dual file of all birds banded and forwards reports twice yearly to the central office where the numbers are recored. If an operator catches a bird bearing a number other than his, he reports this to Washington, and he is informed as to when, where and by whom the bird was banded. He does not add another band. In this way much is being learned about the migration routes of certain birds. In the event steps ever need be taken to preserve any one species such information will be invaluable.

Bird-banding is not only revealing interesting facts about migration routes, but is showing that there are decided movements among our supposedly non-migratory birds. Much data is being amassed also about the private family life of species. With the aid of additional colored celluloid bands operators are studying plumage sequences, choice of mates, life lengths, duration of bird family unity, homing instinct and bird diseases. The psychology of birds, that is, their individual peculiarities in reactions and manners, as well as appearance, is one intriguing study and the one on which Wings Over Texas has gathered data.

The total number of birds banded is approaching the three million mark. Over 175,000 of these have been heard from. Some birds have been taken six and eight years in succession at their wintering grounds, indicating that individuals return each year to the same locality.

Wing Over Texas has culled from the files some of the more interesting of Bird-banding returns, and gives them here.

A blue-winged Teal banded in 1932 at Forest Lake, Minn., was killed in 1934 near St. Marc, Haiti. A sandpiper banded on August 22 at North Eastham, Cape Cod, Mass., was recovered twenty-six days later at Carupano, Venezuela. A tern banded in 1929 at Chatham, Mass., was shot at Port of Spain Trinidad, British West Indies in 1930.

There is a famous mallard, No. 555414, first banded at Antioch, Nebraska, in 1927 who returned for eight years to nest at the

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The oldest Civil War veteran in Reading, Pa., recently received congratulations on his 100th birthday, and was asked to what he attributed his long life. He replied: “I ran like blazes at the Second Battle of Bull Run; that’s why I’m here today.”

Henry Edwards, Birmingham Negro, started the New Year poorly. Strolling along with the holiday crowd, he nonchalantly drew a loose cigarette from his pocket and lighted it without looking. After the explosion which followed Henry was taken to the hospital with second degree burns. The supposed cigarette was a firecracker.

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banding station. Her bander writes me that the last clutch of eggs were infertile, and are preserved in the Smithsonian Institute at Washington.

A Blue Jay banded in Illinois was taken eight months after in Arkansas. A Harris sparrow banded in North Dakota was recovered a month and a half later at Sanger, Texas. A pintail duck banded at Midland, Texas, in February of 1926 was trapped and released two months later in Wyoming.

Publicity was given the Robin banded in Minnesota and taken more than a year later on the southern border of the Mexican tableland. Two sisters in Nebraska banded a Harris sparrow in 1925 and retrapped in eight years later. A brown thrasher banded in 1917 in Minnesota returned sixteen years later.

But the classic of banding returns remains the case of a common tern banded in 1913 at Muscognus Bay, Maine. “Four years later a negro paddling a canoe on a branch of the Niger River, on the West Coast of Africa, found a strange white bird floating dead in the water, with a metal band on one of its legs. He took it to a missionary, and thus the band and the record came back to the Biological Survey.”

Diogenes would have appreciated this little story. The manager of a movie house in a Philadelphia suburb tried the experiment of advertising that admission to a certain show could be paid by customers on their way out if they were satisfied. Less than half a dozen failed to pay, the manager declared.

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### Plans Underway For San Angelo Fat Stock Show

SAN ANGELO. — Committees handling the various divisions of the Eighth Annual San Angelo Fat Stock Show and Rodeo, March 3-6, inclusive, are busily engaged in drafting plans for the exposition. Awards for winners in the baby beef show, fat lamb exhibit and breeding sheep display, all for boys, aggregate \$1,900 in cash and are to be supplemented by special awards and premiums donated by leading business firms in San Angelo as well as national cattle and sheep associations.

In the baby beef show total cash premiums, for both the milk fed and dry lot classes, will be around \$1,300. Animals will gain their owners \$420 in cash prizes in the fat lamb show and in the breeding sheep display there will be \$152 in cash.

Outstanding among the trophies and special awards will be the C. A. Broms Memorial award of a registered Hereford calf. This is the third year the Broms estate has offered a fine animal from its herd to the youth showing the best calf from the counties adjacent to and including, Tom Green. These counties are Sterling, Irion, Runnels, Coke Schleicher and Concho. The late C. A. Broome served as first general chairman of the show. During the past two shows competition has been keen between club boys and F. F. A. members exhibiting calves from these counties.

There will be lesser awards and trophies presented owners of winning animals by possibly a dozen firms here.

### Latin-American Will Be Employed On Johnson City Project

AUSTIN.—Approximately 150 Latin-American youths will be given employment on a National Youth Administration Resident Project at Johnson City, expected to start about February 1, J. C. Kellam, State Youth Director, announced.

Youths selected from South Central Texas areas will help build permanent headquarters for the Pedernales Electric Cooperative. The building will be of native stone and will house a warehouse and office building for the Cooperative.

Mrs. Kellam said that the Project would be operated on much the same basis as the NYA Resident Project at Inks Dam and the eight other projects of this type over the State. Half of each day youths will be paid for the work they do in helping to build the Administration Building. Their wages will enable them to pay for their room, board and medical attention and to have about \$12 a month for incidental expenses.

During the other half day they will take part in a related training program.

George Fauches of Sanford, Me., thought his appendix was infected, but an X-ray picture showed that a half-dollar Faucher had swallowed 10 years before was still in his stomach.

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government land. This acreage is worth 50c per acre.

69,080 feet of terraces was run for the year 1938. 1412 acres of green manure crops was worth \$2,117.25 to the producers under the farm program. 6,426 acres of land on the contour was worth \$1,204.95. 69,080 feet of terraces was worth \$519 under the Farm Farm Program. These Soil Conservation Practices were taken from every acre of land within Schleicher County and represents a true picture of what happened in 1938 in regard to Soil Conservation.

### Report Of District Scabies Eradication

There was employed in San Angelo District, for the month of December, one state man, one E. A. I. man and 8 county men who spent their entire time in an effort to eradicate scabies infection, and a total of approximately \$165.00, was expended by this Department in its regular Eradication Program.

Eighty-eight herds, and a total of 33,199 sheep, and cattle were inspected or dipped. No head were classed as exposed or infected.

The Livestock Sanitary Commission of Texas will continue the work in the San Angelo District in an effort to protect the livestock in that District from imported infection, and affording the necessary scabies certificates demanded by other states on live stock moving from Texas.

The above work was conducted under the supervision of Dr. W. A. Curtis, Kerrville and H. H. Cosper supervisor of Scabies Eradication Work, San Angelo, Texas.

One E. A. I. paid Inspector and 8 county paid inspectors were employed in San Angelo District which are not included in the above expenditure.

### Concho Valley Scouts To Hold Annual Banquet

Rev. D. Ray Lindley, pastor of Central Christian Church of San Antonio, will make the principal address at the 13th Annual Banquet of the Concho Valley Scout Council at 6:30 p. m. Friday, January 20. Rev. Lindley has long been a leader in Scouting Christian Endeavor, and other youth activities. He was a feature speaker in the State Endeavor conference and is a lecturer for a large men's class in San Antonio. He was formerly president of the Texas Ministers' Institute.

The Banquet will begin at 6:30 p. m. on the St. Angelus roof garden and the program will consist of musical numbers by Jake Houston, Curtis Fletcher, Arthur Hurd of San Angelo and Rev. E. A. Hogg of Iraan. Hollis Willis will lead the Scouters' songs. Other features on the program will be the presentation of Veteran certificates, a Senior Scout play, the awarding of Council Flagship, introduction of officers-elect and the presentation of the Silver Beaver Award. Rev. A. D. Foreman, Jr., Toastmaster Scout Commissioner Robert G. Carr, President Henry C. Ragsdale, Roy Aldwell, H. H. Batjer, D. K. P. Barton and Rev. Owen Hutchinson will participate in the evening program. The San Angelo Boy Scout Band will provide music prior to the banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Barksdale of Pueblo, Colorado visited their niece, Mrs. C. S. McKinney and family Tuesday enroute to visit relatives in Uvalde.

An Iregon man, John Woodson, was burned about the face when the "shell" rims of his eyeglasses caught fire as he lit his cigar.

Mrs. Floyd Huston of Ionia, Mich., was proud of the black eye received accidentally from her son. The blow caused her to regain her sight in the eye that doctors had despaired of.

Mrs. Charles Abbott of Los Angeles won a divorce from her husband on the grounds that he spent most of his time hunting jobs for her.

When girls of a Nebraska high school complained of chilly classrooms, the principal made the ridiculous suggestion that they wear more clothes.

The Giansanti baseball team of Hartford, Conn., which plays leading semi-pro teams in that state, consists exclusively of the nine Giansanti brothers.

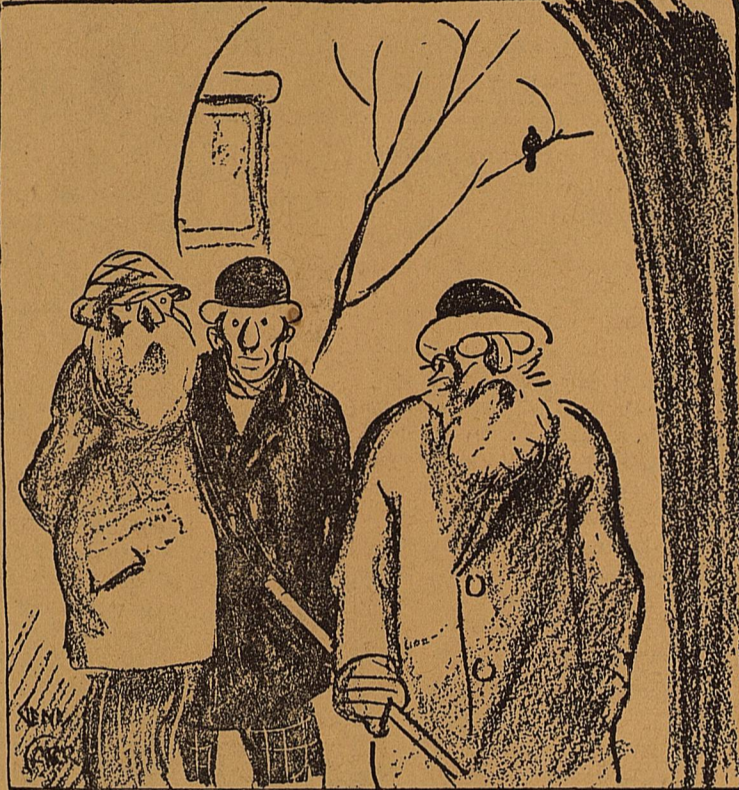
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### Texas U. Student Invents Carburetor

AUSTIN.—Dollars and mileage leaking out of faulty carburetors may soon be wiped off the slate by Ralph E. Powers of Austin, 25-year-old graduate at the University of Texas, who for eight months has been working on a device to replace the carburetor.

In the engineering building's noisy machine shop here, his device, a "mechanical injector," is housed. A small apparatus made of stainless steel, the mechanical injector will surpass the carburetor in both economy and efficiency and will be almost foolproof as far as wearing out is concerned, Powers believes.

It furnishes gas to the cylinder of a car by means of a plunger type pump that sprays gasoline on the intake valve when the valve opens for air. Present carburetors feed a prepared mixture of air and gasoline to the cylinder but not always in the correct proportions, Powers explained. "It is my aim to use a mechanical injector to provide the correct mixture of gasoline and air to the cylinder at any speed and no matter what the load of the car," he said. "If successful, I believe the mechanical injector will cost about as much as an ordinary carburetor."

### CORRECTION

In an article last week regarding postoffice receipts during the year 1938, The Success stated that the increase was 15 percent over the previous year. This should have read 5 percent increase over 1937 and 15 percent increase during the month of December.

### TOWN BASKETBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS

	WON	LOST
Magnolia	5	1
Red & White	5	2
Sharp's	2	4
Woolhouse	1	6

Mrs. Jean Miller of Indian Head, Can., sang a song about "a little yaller dog" at a band concert. The next morning she found a yellow dog on her step with this note attached: "In answer to your request."

Wreckers employed by J. W. Parker to tear down a house in Joliet, Ill., demolished one belonging to J. J. Cleary by mistake. Cleary sued Parker for damages.

### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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