

NATURAL GAS SYSTEM IS ASSURED CITY OF ELDORADO

On The DIVIDE

When the local drug store opened for business Wednesday morning, on a table in the back of the establishment was mute evidence of what had occurred the previous night when a group of softball enthusiasts met to organize a league in the city. There among numerous empty 'soft drink' bottles, cigarette packages and well-filled ash trays, lay 'Ferdinand the Bull,' flat of his back, his heels pointing skyward. He had definitely been shot.

One of our friends at the Lions Club luncheon Wednesday remarked that the best sign of an end to a long dry spell was a good soaking rain. In most instances a rain precedes a drought, it was also pointed out.

The monica of 'Easter Sunday,' the day on which he was purchased, was tacked to the fine young colt now owned by E. H. Sweatt, who operates a Saddle Shop in Eldorado. The colt, bred by a Village Sport Government horse and a Tom Henderson mare, was born in March and purchased by Mr. Sweatt on last Easter Sunday.

This awkward looking fellow will show opponents a thing or two at the San Angelo show next year, after he has undergone the feeding program Mr. Sweatt is planning for him.

Fred Gipson Visits In Eldorado

Fred Gipson, popular columnist of San Angelo, visited in Eldorado Friday of last week. While in the city, he visited at the Success Office and other places about town. Fred is author of "One Thing and Then Another," that appears regularly in the Success. Mr. Gipson was enroute to Sonora to attend the jubilee celebration and, as is the eternal habit of 'news hounds,' was nosing around for a news lead. His column is of a humorous character, portraying every-day happenings of farmers, ranchmen and business men and is widely read throughout West Texas.

S. M. U. Students Visit Eldorado

Edward Meador, student of S. M. U. Dallas, arrived home Wednesday for a visit with his parents, Judge and Mrs. Claude Meador. With him were Jonny Clements of San Angelo and Dan Paterson, S. M. U. football stars.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Taylor of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Forest Alexander last week end.

11 Marriage License Issued In County Since January First

Eleven marriage licenses were issued in Schleicher County since the first of January, according to records in the County Clerks' office this week. Five of these 11 were issued during the month of April. Records also show there have been 14 births, 4 deaths, and one divorce in this county this year.

Eldorado will have a municipal natural gas distribution system in operation within six months, it was made known this week when the Rio Gas Company of San Antonio was granted the right and franchise to construct a distribution plant.

The city council met Tuesday afternoon and granted the franchise, according to Mayor Leslie L. Baker. The company posted a \$5,000 guarantee bond.

A temporary franchise was granted to John M. Cooper to construct a distribution system. A survey of gas users in the city was made shortly thereafter and a permanent franchise was granted this week, after it had been determined advisable to construct such a system.

Gas from the Schleicher county sweet gas field will be used to furnish fuel to Eldorado. It is understood that similar plants will be constructed by the same company in Ozona and Sonora.

Ladies Night Will Be Held By Lions Club

An annual ladies night banquet will be held by the Eldorado Lions club Friday night, May 5, it was decided at the luncheon meeting of the organization here Wednesday noon.

The banquet will be held in the basement of the Presbyterian church, the ladies of the church furnishing the meal.

The program for the occasion will include initiation of new members into the organization and other interesting features.

The ladies' night banquet has been an annual affair of the Lions Club for the past several years. Wives of Lion members will be guests on the occasion.

A committee has been appointed to work out details of the program.

Flames Destroy Williams Garage Friday Night

With a loss of \$250, fire destroyed a garage of John Williams on his stock-farm about three miles east of town last Friday night around nine o'clock.

The fire was thought to have caught from papers burned Friday afternoon by the small boys. A washing machine and the wind charger were the only things of value destroyed.

Insurance covered part of the damage.

Tom Henderson Hooks Nice Fish On Pecos River

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henderson rolled into town Thursday afternoon from a fishing trip on the Pecos and had the fish to back up the story they had to tell.

Three yellow cat fish weighing approximately forty pounds and measuring at least three feet in length were caught by Mr. Henderson. "If I had caught another one," said Mr. Henderson I would have had to turn him loose, for I could never have towed him home."

The largest weighed 26 pounds and measured 3 1-2 feet. Mr. Henderson was very modest and credited the catch to the bate he put on his hook instead of his skill as a fisherman.

Softball League Is Organized Here

A Softball league comprising four teams was organized in Eldorado this week and a two-weeks schedule was announced.

The four teams that will play on four days weekly include the Wool House Rats, Shell Pipe Liners, Gas House Gang and Roaring Lions. L. T. Barber was elected president of the organization and J. W. Hoover was chosen secretary. Each player will be required to pay 25c monthly dues and each team is limited to 13 players.

The first game on the league schedule will be played Monday evening at 6:00 o'clock, Woolhouse vs Shell Pipe Liners. Tuesday the Gas House Gang will play the Lions; Thursday, the Woolhouse Rats will match the Gas House gang and on Friday the Lions will play the Shell Pipe Liners.

The second week of the schedule is as follows: Monday, Lions vs Woolhouse; Tuesday, Gas House vs Shell; Thursday, Woolhouse vs Shell and Friday Lions vs Gas House Gang.

There is also a ladies' softball team in the city, but this unit will not participate in the league games.

Floyce Sherrod was taken to a San Angelo hospital Wednesday afternoon for a minor operation.

Mrs. J. R. Conner spent last week in San Angelo with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Taylor

F. B. Alexander To Attend Insurance Convention In May

F. B. Alexander, Eldorado, a regional vice president of the Texas Association of Insurance Agents, will head a delegation of Eldorado local agents to the annual convention in Waco, May 17-19. Approximately 1,000 delegates are expected from every part of Texas. An unusually strong program combining business and pleasure will be offered, according to D. A. Clark, Sweetwater, president and D. G. Foreman, Fort Worth, Executive Secretary.

The host city, one of Texas' leading convention centers, offers as a chief attraction "the incomparable scenic beauty of 500 acre Cameron Park, where the brilliant glory of Spring will be at its height during the convention." Waco claims it is the largest and most beautiful natural municipal park in Texas. It is located at the northern edge of the city.

Davis Stribling, president of the Waco Insurance Exchange, said convention hotel reservations are in charge of Rolla S. Greig, of Waco.

RAIN AND HAIL COVERS COUNTY WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Dr. Ben H. Moore Fills Local Pulpit Sunday

Dr. Ben H. Moore, Executive Secretary of Daniel Baker College Brownwood, filled the Presbyterian church pulpit at both the morning and evening services Sunday. Rev. N. P. Wilkinson, pastor, was absent conducting a meeting at Crystal city.

At the weekly luncheon of the Eldorado Lions club Wednesday, Dr. Moore addressed the body on Crime Prevention.

Agricultural Office Will Close In Saturday Afternoon

Schleicher County Agricultural Conservation offices will grant employees a one-half holiday each week and beginning May 6 the local office will be closed Saturday afternoons, it was announced this week by W. G. Gowdin, county agent.

The Saturday afternoon closing was perscribed by the state AAA office and passed upon by the county committee of this county.

Eagles Defeat Exes In Football 19-0 Thursday

The "prospects" for the Eagle team of 1939 defeated the Exes of 1938 on the Eldorado Football Field, last Thursday afternoon after school.

From the start of the game, the Eagles took the offense and the Exes the defensive side of play. The Eagles showed good offensive power and a strong defense that should deal their next year's opponents quite a bit of trouble.

The Eagles worked in harmony without individual stars. Bob Williams, however did shine in the backfield with his long end runs and fine blocking. Morris Underwood did most of the plunging. Jo Ed Hill played his quarterback position as well as anyone could ask. Jack Halbert broke loose several times and was plenty hard to get hold of.

David Williams, a second year man, proved that he will be plugging up the opponents backfield from his end position next fall, and Bobby Oliver did some fine defensive work for the Eagles.

Those two little guards, Roy Wall and Wallis Cozzens, proved that they were real little men, both offensively and defensively. If you don't think this is true ask T. L. Whitley.

Gerald Nicks was the captain for the Exes and did a fine job in his backfield position. Jim Danford and Kyle Neill also turned in a good game.

In the defense, Bob Bradley proved that it doesn't take a big man to pack the line and Richard Bruton played a fine game at his tackle position.

Ben Joiner showed the folks that he could dish it out and take it in with the best of them.

Harold Peppard and Hobson Ashmore turned in fine games from their end positions, on both offense and defense.

Although the Exes were not in

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OIL SHOWING ENCOUNTERED IN LONE STAR NO. 1 WELL

Chevrolet Agency To Open About May 1

A building to house the Moser Chevrolet company is nearly completion here and occupation is expected to take place about May 1.

G. M. Lavender, who will serve as manager for the concern, has secured living quarters here and is expected to move to the city in about a week.

The Chevrolet company will be owned by Otis Moser who also operates a similar concern in Menard. Mr. Lavender has been employed by the firm for some time.

Fifteen New Books Added To Library

The library committee reports fifteen new books placed in the library during April.

If you care to go traveling in your arm chair just try 'A Southerner Discovers the South,' or 'Alone' by Richard E. Byrd.

Pearl Buck's first novel about China in four years 'The Patriot' is also on the shelf. Then, too, that new and much talked of English story, 'With Malice Toward Some,' is there.

The most recent work of each of the following popular writers is in the library now. Zane Grey, Loyd C. Douglas, Bess Streeter Aldrich and Faith Baldwin.

For the Junior age six new volumes of story, mystery, and adventure have been put on the new shelves.

The committee wishes to express appreciation to the county court for the presentation of some much needed new book cases.

Alice Mund Pledged To Honorary Society

Denton.— Miss Alice Mund of Eldorado was formally initiated into the Texas State College for Women chapter of the Alpha Lambda Delta, national honorary society for freshmen women, at a dinner honoring new members in the college tearoom Monday afternoon.

Meeting the requirements of 2.2 as many grade points as hours, either over the first semester or over the first year's work, Miss Mund was pledged to the society last month. Mary Ellen Kelhofer, president, conducted the services, and served as toastmistress at the dinner.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Mund, Miss Mund is a freshman student doing her major work in the department of business administration.

A CORRECTION

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tant of Brownsville, are visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Tant and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Keeney and are the parents of Mr. Tant and Mrs. Keeney.

Names were confused in this local last week.

Roy Andrews Suffers Slight Stroke

Roy Andrews, local business man, suffered a slight stroke of apoplexy while working Tuesday afternoon.

According to a local physician, Mr. Andrews is recovering very nicely. He was stricken while at work at the slaughter pen, and drove home with no control of his legs and voice.

Slight showings of oil was encountered in Lone Star No. 1 Humble-Page well, in the Schleicher county sweet gas and distillate producing area, nine miles southeast of Eldorado at 5,395 feet early this week.

Drilling was progressing Thursday noon on Lone Star No. 1 at 5,410 feet without increase in the oil showing, according to information coming from the well. The first lime appeared in samples from the screw from 5,353-59 feet where the oil showing was encountered.

Cooper No. 2 Page, largest of the two producers in the area, showed its first oil, a small amount, after shutting down at 5,337 feet to run 5 3-16 inch casing at 5,331 feet. It struck gas at 5,441 feet.

Lone Star No. 2 Humble-Page, one mile west and slightly north of Cooper No. 1 Page the discovery, was drilling at 5,100 feet Thursday noon.

Lone Star No. 1 Shell-Page, newest of the three active wells in the sweet gas and distillate area, was starting drilling with rotary equipment Thursday. The hole had been drilled to 1,197 feet with spudder equipment. This was removed and a rotary rig set up to continue the drilling.

High School Teacher Has Operation Wednesday Night

Bertram Geeslin, High School Band director, underwent an appendix operation Wednesday night in a San Angelo hospital where he was rushed after suffering an acute attack of appendicitis earlier in the day.

Shortly after the band director left his classroom at the school, he became ill. Upon his arrival at the hospital, it was discovered that the appendix had become ruptured and an operation was performed immediately.

The condition of Mr. Geeslin was reported satisfactory at noon Thursday.

Ernestine Finnigan On College Honor Roll

Ernestine Finnigan from Eldorado student at John Tarleton College, Stephenville, was listed on the preliminary honor roll of that institution recently. The honor roll is composed of students who are carrying a full load of work and who have not made a grade lower than 80 on any subject. According to Charlie S. Wilkin, Registrar, approximately ten per-cent of the student body of 1200 are on the honor roll each preliminary.

Reynolds 4-H Club Shows Interest In First Sewing

Members of the Reynolds 4-H club cut out slips to make at their meeting in the home of Geraldine Sparks Wednesday afternoon.

Growing interest is being shown by these girls, some of whom have never sewed before.

Members present included Irene and Gertude Faught, Francis McAlpine, Josephine Faught, and Geraldine Sparks.

The Lone Star Theatre invites Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Doyle to be their guests Sunday or Monday to see 'Jesse James'. Present clipping at Box Office

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Austin.—State Youth Director J. C. Kellam announced this week that the four Junior Employment Offices in Texas operated jointly by the National Youth Administration and the Texas State Employment Service placed 1,112 youths in private jobs during March.

The reports of the four offices located at Houston, Dallas, Fort Worth and San Antonio, showed that a total of 11,177 interviews were held during the month.

Set up in 1936 following the organization of the other phases of NYA activity, the Junior Placement Service has become an important part of the national youth program, Mr. Kellam said. The purpose of Junior Place-

SANTA FE SYSTEM CARLOADINGS SHOW DECREASE

The Santa Fe System carloadings for the week ending April 22, 1939 were 18,903 as compared with 18,913 for the same week in 1938. Received from connections were 6,748 as compared with 4,713 for the same week in 1938. The total cars moved were 25,651 as compared with 23,626 for the same week in 1938. The Santa Fe handled a total of 25,291 cars during the preceding week of this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Williamson have as their guests, his mother, Mrs. J. W. Williamson of Eastland, Texas, who will visit in the Williamson home a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Cobb of Port Arthur visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cobb this week.

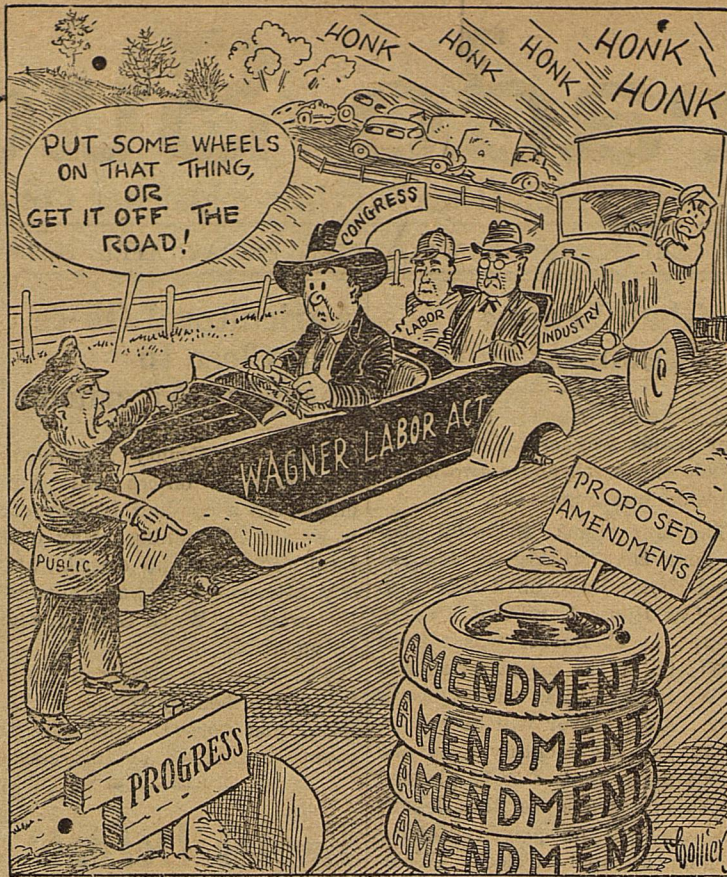
Rev. and Mrs. Hamblin, pastor of the first Baptist Church in Abilene, visited his daughter and son-in-law a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Page have as their guests their niece, Mrs. Jimmy Martin and small daughter of McCamey.

Mrs. Jack Smith and children visited Vin Jefferies in Ozona last week end.

ment Service is to interview, counsel, register and refer to private employment that group of applicants who lack experience, are occupationally immature or who otherwise present occupational adjustment problems. The interviewers turn from an emphasis on work experience to an emphasis on potential ability, based on training, interest, type and avocational experience.

THE ROAD HOG



Nobody's Business

By Julian C. Capers

AUSTIN.—The members of the Forty Sixth Legislature this week were squarely up against the lickerlog on the pensions question. Weeks of debate and bitter controversy have led them to the inevitable conclusion that there is no Santa Claus. If the State is determined to legislate money out of the pockets of one group of its citizens, and put it into those of another group, somebody has to pay. Obviously, the ones who must pay are those who work and earn and have something to pay with. Strategy of the sales taxers has led down a long, long trail, beginning with a transactions tax, and down through a sales tax, and finally to a gross receipts tax, which has aroused so much protest from those who most vigorously opposed a sales tax that the sales taxers hope they can force enactment of a constitutional amendment proposal, to submit the sales tax issue to the people, and complete their original program of freezing the burden of caring for the aged and other underprivileged onto the backs of the people of small income, and put it into the Constitution, where it cannot easily be removed.

Whether the strategy will work or not is problematical. All observers agree the sales tax scheme has gained much strength from it. The Senate will take the House gross receipts tax plan, amend it by eliminating exemptions up to \$45,000 for small merchants, possibly modify it otherwise, and send it back to the House, hoping the House will refuse it, and act favorably on the sales tax amendment previously passed by the upper House. That is the program. How well it may work out, only time can tell.

House Goes Conservative

Some of the boys who shouted from the housetops for maximum pensions for everybody last summer have changed their minds. That was proved in the House, when that body, generally supposed to be most liberal with the other fellow's money, twice passed acts that would limit liberalization of the present pension law merely to elimination of children's and other relatives' support as a factor in determining need. Instead of another 100,000 old folks, this provision, which was once incorporated into the Senate's Welfare Department bill, and again adopted as a separate measure, would add only about 5,000 new pensioners, and would require for pensions only about another \$10,000,000 instead of \$40,000,000 or \$50,000,000.

And the economists in both houses held their lines intact, as four of the major biennial appro-

priation bills passed the House, and one—the Departmental bill—rode thru the Senate,—without the addition of much money above the figures recommended by the sub-committees. The Senate restored about \$450,000 of the \$600,000 a year cut from the Department of Public Safety's budget, but only after the Finance Committee won a moral victory. The State police had the benefit of about \$600,000 a year of income fees and licenses this biennium, for which they gave no detailed itemization. When the committee asked the department to submit a detailed budget showing how this money was to be spent, the department failed to do so. The committee simply cut out that much income. The Department, frantic at loss of over \$1,000,000 for its next two years' operation, quickly 'got in line' and submitted a detailed budget, as demanded by the committee. But a big hole through which possible waste of public funds could easily occur was plugged.

In the House, the strength of the school lobby, one of the States most powerful, failed to get any important increases for the rural aid and vocational education bills.

What will happen in conference committees may be a different story, but it seems apparent at this writing that several millions of savings are coming out of the regular appropriation bills this year.

Two Vetoes Feared

The legal monstrosity permitting the barbers to fix the price of a haircut met a deserved fate when Attorney General Gerald Mann held it unconstitutional. Gov. O'Daniel vetoed it, but before the veto reached the House, the latter requested it be sent back for 'correction,' in an effort to make it constitutional. Good lawyers think this can't be done, and it is doubtful, with the short time remaining, whether it can be amended and passed again at this session.

Gov. O'Daniel's threatened veto of a soil conservation bill, sponsored by Bailey Ragsdale, Arthur Tarwater and others in the House and Moffett and Sulak in the Senate, presaged a like fate for this measure. O'Daniel recommended merging several departments, including the Department of Agriculture and others, into a Conservation department. The Legislature refused the suggestion, created a new department to administer soil conservation, and sponsors of the bill claim O'Daniel is ready to retaliate by vetoing the conservation act.

Realtors May Get Umbrella
Real estate agents, one of num-

erous groups seeking to get under a governmental umbrella by requiring a license to sell a lot, won in the Senate then a bill 'regulating' them passed third reading in the Senate, 21 to 9. It failed to muster the four fifths vote for suspending the rules for final passage.

Loan Shark Bill Hangs Fire

Threatened with the fate that many good bills will suffer in the dying days, the sponsors of the bill to put an end to the oppression of the poor by loan sharks in the cities of Texas were exerting strong pressure to get their measure to a vote in both Houses. The bill permits reasonable services charges, in addition to the legal 10 percent interest rate, for small loans, such as loan sharks now frequently charge up to 400 percent per annum to make.

Turn Other Cheek

The Mexican government seized \$400,000,000 worth of British and American oil wells in that country a year ago, and defiantly refused to pay a cent to the owners. But the Texas Legislature has passed to engrossment a bill offering free tuition to a number of students from Mexico and other latin American nations, at Texas state colleges. Rep. E. H. Thornton and S. J. Isaacs led a fight to defeat the bill, but lost.

West Is Out

Swinging like a weather-vane in a cyclone, sentiment of the Senate caught Jim West, Houston oil multi-millionaire and O'Daniel's 3rd nominee for Highway Commission chairman, at a low ebb, and his confirmation was rejected. Many here now believe O'Daniel will submit no other name, but will make a recess appointment after adjournment. Some think John Wood, incumbent, may remain as a holdover.

Drive safely. Save a life.

W. T. Newspaper Wins Honors At Editor's Convention

The Menard News was awarded a loving cup after having been judged the best front page newspaper, in towns of less than 2500 population, at the annual convention of the South Texas Press Association held in San Antonio Friday and Saturday. The News also won third place in the 'all around newspaper' division. Four issues selected at random throughout the year were judged in the contest.

In the election of officers for the ensuing year Mrs. W. A. Salter, Kerrville, was elected president; L. K. McDaniel, Seguin, vice-president; Arthur Lefevre, Houston, assistant to President; Sam Fore, Jr., Floresville, Treasurer; and Howell Jones, San Antonio, Secretary.

Directors elected were Carter Snooks, Jourdanton and A. T. Atkins, Beeville. Holdover directors include: Gordon Keethley, Weslaco; Jot T. Cook, Mission; G. A. Smith, Caldwell; Frank Bridges, Nixon; C. C. Miller, Bishop and R. Kay McKinney of Eldorado.

There were approximately 350 editors and their families from various parts of the state in attendance at the convention.

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SOCIETY CLUBS PERSONALS

Mrs. Spurgers Hostess To El Martes Club

Mrs. Milton Spurgers was hostess to members of the El Martes forty two club at the home of Mrs. R. C. Spurgers Tuesday afternoon.

Following games a sweet course was served to Mrs. Ernest Sweatt Mrs. R. Duncan, Mrs. L. L. Arnold, Mrs. W. H. Graves, Mrs. Norman Hodges, Mrs. Palmer West, Mrs. Clyde Graves, Mrs. J. R. Conner, Mrs. Fred Bruton, Mrs. Frank Newman, Mrs. S. P. McDonald, Mrs. Tommy Smith, Mrs. Jack Etheredge, Mrs. Junior Isaacs, Mrs. Robert Sproul and Mrs. W. C. Spurgers.

Local Seniors Leave For Spring Tour

Members of the local senior class left Thursday for Carlsbad Cavern and other points of interest, including El Paso, Juarez, Balmorhea and Fort Stockton.

This trip is taken annually by the senior classes.

Seniors who made the trip are Genevieve Ramsey, Charlene Mund, Erma Lee Bodine, Marjorie Edmiston, Bob Bradley, Hobson Ashmore, Jack Whitley, Gerald Nicks, Clifton Henderson, Harold Peppard, T. L. Whitley Richard Bruton, John McWhorter, Maude Brown, Billie B. Steward, Hazel Lewis, Laura McGinnis Robert Bruton, and Jewel Butler.

Accompanying them on the tour was T. D. Riddle, class sponsor, and Mrs. Riddle, Mrs. Seth Ramsey, Mrs. Lester Henderson, Mrs. Gerald Nicks and Sam McGinnis.

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Baptist W M U Will Have Mission School

Members of the Baptist Missionary society had their regular business meeting at the church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Bailey Montgomery led the Bible study followed by reports of all committees. A good report was given from benevolent chairman, who reported a box containing \$36.74 worth of food and clothing sent to Buckner Orphan's home. Reports were also given on the workers conference in Mertzon.

It was announced that a Church School of Missions will be conducted in the near future by Miss Mitchell of San Angelo.

The next meeting will be in circles. The Darcus with Mrs. R. C. Spurgers, the Lottie Moon with Mrs. R. L. Bricker, and The Lena Lair with Mrs. Truett Stanford.

Members present were Mrs. Ed Finnigan, Mrs. G. S. Hudson, Mrs. L. T. Wilson, Mrs. Tom Johnson, Mrs. Frank Newman Mrs. Walter Ramsey, Mrs. L. M. Hoover, Mrs. J. A. Whitten, Mrs. W. A. Hughes, Mrs. R. L. Bricker, Mrs. George Williams, and Mrs. Bailey Montgomery.

Mrs. Bearce Honored On Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Roach were hosts at a bridge party given at their ranch home last Thursday night in honor of Mrs. Dick Bearce's birthday anniversary.

High score prize for bridge went to Mrs. Kenneth Cheek.

The party came as a complete surprise to Mrs. Bearce, who was showered with gifts by her friends.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served following the games to Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cheek, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Rees, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Baker, Mr. Bearce, the honoree and the hosts.

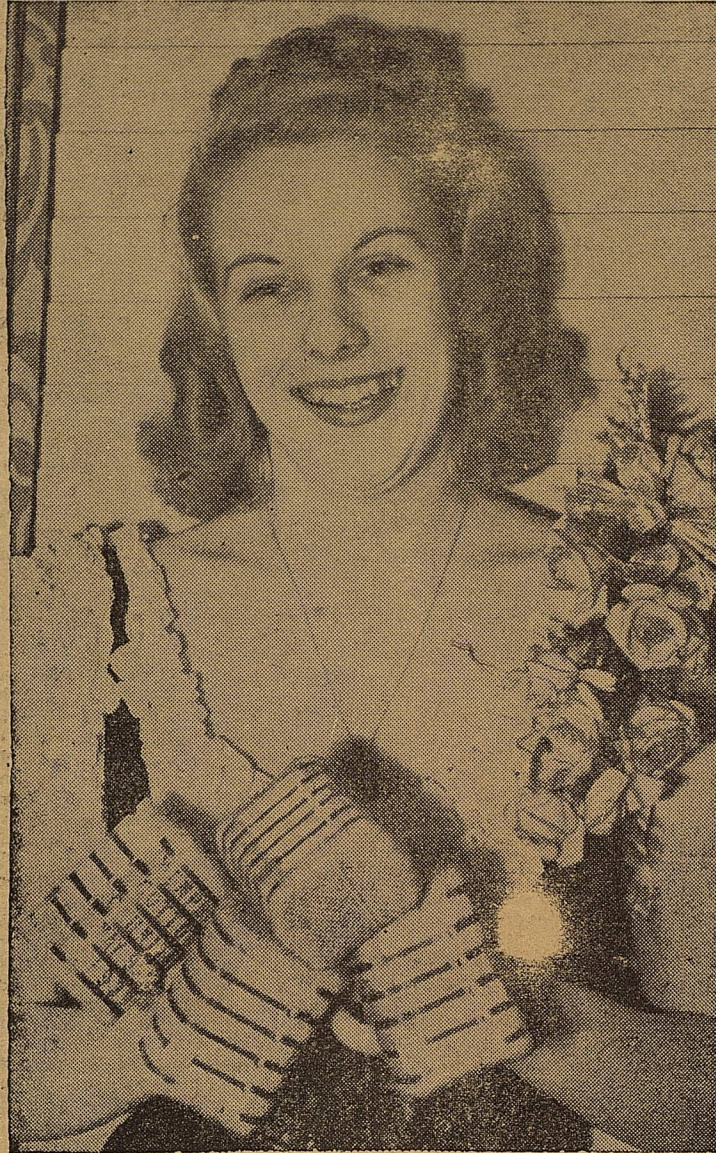
"Pinky" Moore Entertains With Weiner Roast

"Pinky" Moore entertained a group of friends with a picnic supper at Christoval Tuesday evening.

Following supper around a campfire, guests were taken motor boat riding.

Those present were Neva Jo Steward, Ruby Bodine, Katherine Moore, Billie B. Steward, Ray Dean Neill, Ellie McKinney, Nolan Potter, Jack Whitley, Kyle Neill and the host.

Crusades For Cotton



She's 19-year-old Alice Hall, the 'Maid of Cotton', flying ambassador of the National Cotton Council. In major cities from coast to coast she is spreading the story of National Cotton Week and the Cotton Carnival. Odifitted with an ultra-smart wardrobe of all-cotton materials, she is modelling cotton garments at cotton fashion

shows, talking cotton on the stage and over the air, making personal calls and appearances in 22 cities plus the New York and San Francisco world fairs. She will return to her home in Memphis for the opening of the South's great cotton party there on May 9. Next to cotton she is devoted to flying and amateur theatricals.

Mrs. Thompson Hostess To Thursday Club

Mrs. Van McCormick, Mrs. L. L. Baker, and Mrs. Seth Ramsey were included as guests when Mrs. Luke Thompson entertained members of her bridge club at her home last Thursday afternoon.

High score prize for guests was won by Mrs. McCormick, Mrs. Lewis Ballew won the club prize and high cut went to Mrs. Ramsey.

A salad course was served following games.

Mrs. Sam E. Jones Honored With Party

Mrs. John Williams, Mrs. Lewis Whitten and Mrs. H. T. Finley entertained with a luncheon honoring their mother, Mrs. Sam E. Jones on her birthday anniversary. The party was given in the Finley home last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Otho Morris of DeLeon, a niece of Mrs. Jones, also assisted.

Pink roses and cannas were used in carrying out a pink and green color scheme, and sweet peas were plate favors.

Included were Mrs. Sam Oglesby, H. W. Wedenmann, Joe B. Edens, N. P. Wilkinson, W. E. Eaton, Tom Jones, S. W. Holland, Leslie Baker, J. A. Griffin, R. L. Rage, W. A. Mullett, Sally Murchison, W. B. Cobb, Frank Bradley, Tom Wilton, H. E. Sharp, Bert Page, Elton Ellis, W. J. Burrus, F. B. Gunn, John R. Jones, R. A. King, of San Angelo, and Cleve Jones of Sonora; Miss Anna Florence Page, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Espy and daughter Sidney Elaine, of Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Smith spent last week end in Del Rio.

Maxine Wilton In College Pageant

Fort Worth.—Miss Maxine Wilton of Eldorado will be one of the cast for the annual outdoor pageant to be given here in the T. C. U. Stadium the night of Saturday May 13.

The Modern Sports Girl will be the theme of the pageant written and directed by Mrs. Helen Walker Murphy director of physical education for girls. More than 250 girls will have a part in the production. Music will be furnished by the Horned Frog Band.

The pageant will depict the growth and progress of girls' sports, and will show the athletic girl of 1909, then the one of 1939, and, finally, the sports girl of 1959.

The pageant, open to the public without charge, is a part of the Mothers' Day Program at T. C. U. Mothers of the students will be special guests.

Miss Wilton, a sophomore, will

Anniversary Of The Smith-Lever Act To Be Celebrated Here

Plans are to be perfected for the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the signing of the Smith-Lever act Saturday, April 29th at 3:30 o'clock in the County Home Demonstration Agent's office.

Tentative plans are to have a basket picnic supper on the course house lawn late Monday, April 8 p. m. with a program to follow in the courtroom that night.

Those on the committee are: Miss Lottie Reynolds, Mrs. Bruton, Truett Stanford, and W. G. Godwin, county Agriculture agent.

be a member of the group which will portray Horseback riding. One member of the cast will be honored that night with the title of Miss Modern Sports Girl.

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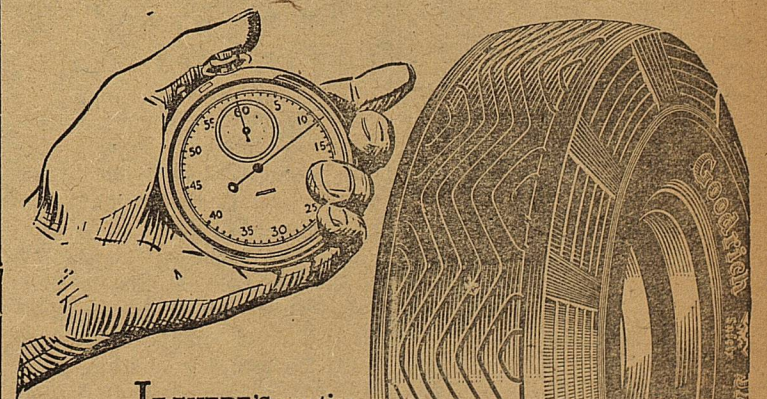
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Gallon Pickles _____	39c	P & G Soap, 6 for _____	25c
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SOCIETY

Mrs. Alexander Elected Delegate To Council In Snyder

The Eldorado Home Demonstration Council met at 2:30 on Saturday 22 in Margaret Stewart's Office. Roll was called by the Secretary, Mrs. Elvin Bawcom and answered with Club Reports by the Council Delegates. Minutes of the March 11 Council Meeting were read and approved. Treasury, Miss Lottie Reynolds reported on payments and cash on hand.

Secretary read a letter from Miss Helen H. Swift in regard to observing the following days and occasions: Music week, Children's Day, and May Day. Delegates voted to observe May Day on the first club meeting day in May instead of the first day of May.

Margaret Stewart reported on the trip to Sterling City with two 4-H Club Girls and their sponsor, Mrs. J. R. Conner. The girls planned for their Encampment and District Meeting at Lamesa, Texas the 4 and 5 of August. Nell Edmiston of Schleicher County was elected Recreational Leader for the Encampment. The two representatives from Schleicher County were: Floyce Sherrod and Nell Edmiston.

Standing Committees reported. Exhibit and Expansion Committee reported on plans for the demonstration to be presented at the Sonora Wool Show, June 10. Wool will be washed, carded and made into a wool comfort by the Club members and finished comforts will be exhibited.

Delegates will be elected for the Short Course, 12, 13 and 14 of July, at the next meeting. Election of the Delegates to the Texas Home Demonstration Association to be held at Lubbock, Texas, will also be held, at the next meeting. These Delegates are nominated by the Club and elected by Council.

It was decided to observe the 25th Anniversary of the Passing of the Smith-Lever Act on May 8. The committee appointed to plan the program was: Mrs. Claud Alexander, Miss Lottie Reynolds, Mrs. Elmer Bruton, G. W. Godwin and Truett Stanford.

Mrs. Ray Alexander was elect-

Local People Hear Paderewski

Miss Mollie Turner and Miss Neva Jo Steward have returned from Dallas where they went to hear Ignace Jan Paderewski.

Paderewski, the Musical Master Spirit of the Age, played what all music lovers fear, his farewell program to a Dallas audience.

The Fair Park auditorium was packed to the limit, people from seven states having journeyed to the city to hear the Great Master.

While in Dallas Miss Neva Jo Steward played before three critics who marveled at her wonderful talent, and predicted a future for her if she continued her studies.

Miss Turner plans to enter her on April 29 in a solo contest at Baylor-Hardin College, Belton Texas. Also in the National Piano playing Tournament, with six other students, Frankie Thompson, Katherine Davis, Maxine Montgomery, Patricia Ballew, Emily Ann Harper and Jo Ann Bearce in San Angelo, on May 9th.

Neva Jo heard the great Brazilian Pianist, Guiomar Novaes, in San Angelo on Feb. 10. Having heard the two greatest pianist in the world and entering two contests will give her a musical background for this years work, seldom enjoyed by small town High School students.

ed Delegate to the Home Demonstration Council meeting to be held in Snyder Texas on May 13, and will give the Schleicher County report. Mrs. Claude Alexander will give the Response to the Welcome Address. Miss Margaret Stewart, Mrs. Elvin Bawcom, and Mrs. Ray Steward will be representatives from the county at the meeting.

The Schleicher Home Demonstration Council will meet on May 20 for their next meeting as the regular meeting date will be given to the observance of the 25th Anniversary of Extension Work.

Those present for the meeting were: Margaret Stewart, Lottie Reynolds, Mrs. Elmer Bruton, Mrs. Ray Alexander, Mrs. Will Isaacs, Mrs. Ray Steward, Mrs. Mac Roberts, Mrs. Elvin Bawcom, Mrs. Claude Alexander, Mrs. Palmer West, Mrs. Silas Burk, Mrs. Milton Spurgers and Mrs. J. H. Moore.

"Chronic Kicker" To Be Presented Soon

The Eldorado Home Demonstration club has cats a play, "The Chronic Kicker" to be presented soon in the High School auditorium.

The cast includes: Angela Belford, Mrs. Belford's flapper daughter, Bonne Mund Lucile James, Mrs. James' flapper daughter, Billie Boyer; Mrs. Larkin, Mrs. Belford's mother, Mrs. G. L. Ballew; Cleo Button, Maid at Community House, Mrs. J. R. Conner; Mrs. Mame Goudy, Belligerent Committee Member, Mrs. Norman Hodges; Mrs. Tibbetts, the ultra-frivolous member, Mrs. N. Klink; Mrs. Hicks, Another just like her, Mrs. A. E. Tree; Mrs. Grace Belford, Superintendent of Kedminister Community House and chairman of the festival committee, Mrs. Ernest Sweat; Mrs. Lida James, Treasury of Community House board of directors and member of festival and finance committees, Mrs. M. Deaton; Mrs. Burnett, Member of the finance sub-committee, Mrs. R. C. Spurgers; Miss Carnaby. Not all she seems to be, Mrs. Milton Spurgers; Mrs. Hendrick Elting, Chairman of finance sub-committee, Miss Bernice Bricker; Mrs. Cornelia Hanbridge, business manager of the finance and Festival, Mrs. J. H. Moore; Mrs. Doble, overburdened with domestic cares, Mrs. R. L. Bricker; Miss

Traffic Safety Program Launched



Secretary Stephen J. Early, right, accepts for President Roosevelt, the first copy of the manual "Safety With Light," presented by Mark S. Matthews, Vice-President of the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Junior Chamber of Commerce Presents Its Manual to President Roosevelt

WASHINGTON—A new "Safety With Light" program, designed to abate night driving traffic hazards on America's "fatal" streets has been announced by the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce through its President, Philip C. Ebeling, America's fatal streets are the main traffic thoroughfares which comprise but 10% of the total city street mileage but upon which occur more than 50% of all night traffic fatalities.

The first copy of the "Safety With Light" Manual was presented to President Roosevelt through his secretary, Stephen J. Early, by Mark S. Matthews, Vice-President of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce. The Manual will now be distributed to the 500 member organizations of the Junior Chamber and the approximately 1,100 Senior Chambers of Commerce in the nation.

According to Mr. Matthews, the new manual is an outgrowth of the report of the National Resources Committee, appointed by the President in 1937, in which it was stated that at least 35% of all night traffic deaths could be prevented

by provision of modern, adequate street illumination. Other surveys have shown that night illumination in most cities is less than one half the minimum required for safety.

"Until antiquated lighting facilities on most of our city streets are corrected and modernized, the ever increasing rate of urban night fatalities will continue," said Kenneth L. Dally, Chairman of the Traffic Safety Committee of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce. "This program, probably the most complete of its kind ever set up, is designed to point the way to correct these conditions. And it makes available, without charge, all material, including booklets, folders, car cards, films, etc., to our member organizations."

As a result of the manual, several hundred Senior Chambers of Commerce are expected to carry on local "Safety With Light" campaigns within the next two or three years, according to Mr. Ebeling, who added:

"The conditions of inadequate visibility might be accepted if the result were not inevitably the same—death; and if provision of adequate illumination in this modern day were not available, entirely practical, and so essential that to neglect or be without it is sheer negligence."

Sample, the Community House Pest. Miss Ruth Baker; Miss Gail Kettler, of the local police depart-

ment Mrs. Dick Ellis. Date of presentation of the play will be announced later.

Rainbow Girls Plan Mother's Day Tea

Rainbow girls met for their regular meeting Friday in the Masonic temple.

Girls took as their project to fix the reception room for the Masonic hall. To raise money the girls plan to make 25 cents in their own way, telling how they made it. This will be given to the chapter.

Plans were made for the Mother's day tea to be given Sunday afternoon May 14 from 3 to 4 o'clock.

Committees appointed to further plans are for decoration, Helen Williams, Venta Davis and Dorothy Bruton; for refreshment, Erma Lee Bodine, Mary Hoover, and Joy Sample; for program Betty Jo Whitten, Katherine

Mrs. Alexander Helps Organize Colonial Dames

Mrs. W. O. Alexander was elected registrar of the State society of Colonial Dames of the 17th Century which was organized in San Antonio last Saturday.

Members were entertained with a dinner at the Plaza hotel when this the first organization of Texas was formed.

Mrs. Alexander is also a member of other exclusive clubs including the Daughters of Founders and Patriots in Dallas. Mrs. Alexander is the only member in Schleicher of this, the only chapter in Texas. She is also active in the local chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

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ONE THING And THEN ANOTHER By Fred Gipson

SAN ANGELO—For two solid hours, I've been sitting and dawdling with a typewriter, trying to turn out a column. For two solid hours, nothing has come if it.



Oh, of course, I've chewed up a cigar and smoked a package of cigarettes and kicked the desk a time or two and snapped at the editor for coming over to crack a joke of his and thereby shooing off the only idea that drifted my way. It was something about some bob white quail, a very weak and puny and vague idea, and likely no good anyhow, but I just wanted to let the editor know how I felt about the matter.

And then, too, I've twisted up a kewpie doll wisp of hair in the top of my head.

I always twist up a wisp of my hair when I'm trying to think. It used to aggravate Mama nearly to death. She'd catch me at it and say: "Son, you'll have a bald

spot before you're 30, if you don't suit that."

But Mama was wrong. Im 31 now and still twisting that same wisp of hair and it doesn't show the least signs of slipping yet.

The reason I can't think, I think, is because they're renovating the Standard-Times office here, aiming to make it a swanky place with airconditioning and polished floors and that sort of thing. Taking all of the comfortable, home-like qualities out of it, I say. I look to slip down on those floors and cripple myself. I followed a plow too long in my life to feel right walking around on slick polished floors.

But since they're going to put on the dog, anyhow, I've put in my claim for a blonde secretary. One with curves. I think I'd look mighty dignified and important, with a blonde secretary taking down what I had to say. I don't know that it would do to print, though.

I don't expect to get the secretary. I just dream about her sometimes.

Well, as I was saying, they're renovating this office, and right now they're in the tearing-down stage. And of all the hammering and banging and drilling and sawing and tearing things out above and letting dust spill down upon a man's head

Why, it's enough to make a man lose his balance and go out and start throwing rocks at innocent and unsuspecting people as they come by.

When I was in the second grade, I threw rocks at a girl once. I'm ashamed to admit it, but I did. She called me a sissy. And I guess I showed her I wasn't.

When the principal of the school faced my rear with a peach tree switch the next morning, I made a desperate explanation of how I was only throwing rocks at a telephone pole and the girl happened to come along. But I lived to regret that lie. The rest of the day I burned with remorse until I could hardly sit down.

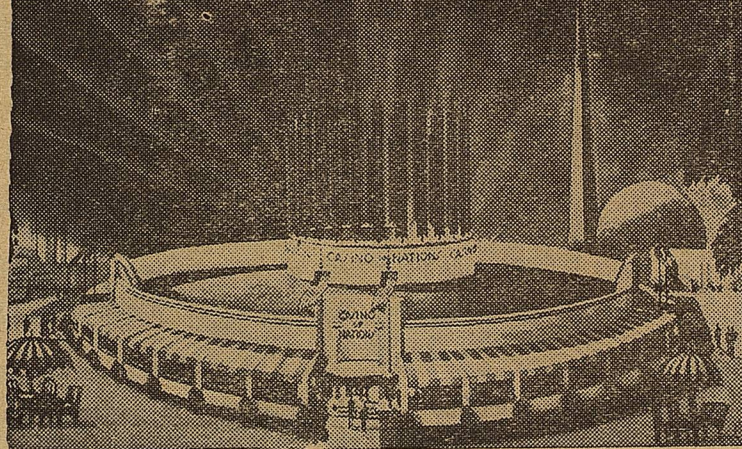
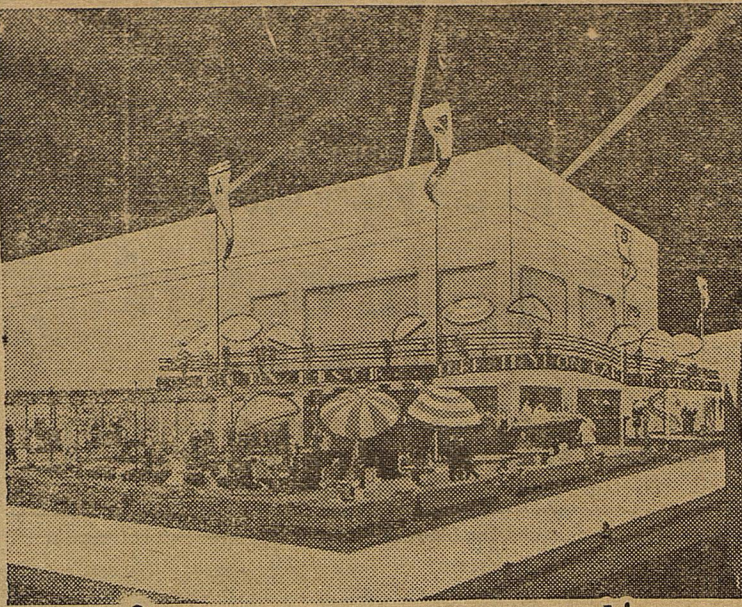
There's a man right beside my desk and he's drilling a hole in the concrete beam under the floor. Every time he hits the drill with his sledge hammer, a spurt of gritty dust jumps to sting my ears or get into my eyes. I jump every time. Can't seem to control myself.

I can't move. Because there are drillers at other desks, knocking grit all over them, too. Also, in my corner, I don't have to dodge boards that workmen like to swing around here reminds me of last Christmas, when the girls in the society department were made the distributors of the tons of clothes and food and toys people contributed for the poor of the city. I walked out on them here in the office once, then that was the morning I came down and found the cover on my typewriter replaced with a pair of faded pink silk panties.

I figure there are some things a man can't afford to put up with, if he expects to keep his pride and self-respect. I figure, also, that I can't try to think any longer with all the racket going on about me. I've got to have some peace and quiet. And some street workers are cutting out some bad pavement down the street with a jack-hammer drill and I'd like to go watch them.

Jack-hammer drills always fas-

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ciate me. They make such a wild and challenging noise. I'll try to write something next week.

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Whatever is beautiful in art, sublime in science, or refined in happiness, is virtually due to that law of labor.

There will not be preaching in our Church Sunday morning, but regular services at 9 p. m.

Services will be conducted in the Rudd community in the morning, dinner on the ground, preaching in the afternoon at 2 p. m.

If the people who own lots in Eldorado, will give us the permission and the money we will have them cleaned.

Marvin Williams, Pastor

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Smith spent last week end in Ozona with his parents

Yell Leaders, Band Sweetheart Elected Friday

The Yell Leaders for teh Pep Squad and the Band Sweetheart were elected last Friday in the Auditorium during Activity Period. They were selected by vote of the entire high school student body.

There were three yell leaders elected, one from the future Sophomores, one from the future Juniors, and one from the future Seniors. Those elected were:

Beatrice Wright from the Seniors, Venita Davis from the Juniors, and Pauline Jones from the Sophomores.

Following the election of the yell leaders, the Band Sweetheart was voted on and Kathleen Crosby was selected. In this election each class nominated two candidates and in the preliminary Kathleen and Helen Williams had the majority.

Preceding these elections, those who lettered in Volleyball, Track and Tennis were given their letter awards. Those who lettered in Track are: Earl Bryant for the second year, Harold Peppard, first year man, and Clarence Davis, another first year man. Rachel Ford received her letter for tennis. In volleyball, the entire team received medals; the first team receiving gold medals and

Tommye Ruth Smith Feted On Birthday

Mrs. Tommy Smith entertained with a party at the home of Mrs. R. C. Spurgers, Tuesday afternoon honoring her little daughter, Tommye Ruth, on her fourth birthday anniversary.

Games and Tommye's birthday presents furnished entertainment and ice cream and cake was served.

Children present were Orville Taylor and Jimmy Conner, Isla Gayle and Irene Childress, Barbara Smith, Darrel Klink, Douglas Smith, Howard Nance Ay-nock, Jerry Donaldson, Jerry and Donna Mae Mullett, Jerry Bruton, Patricia and Rita Ann Elder, Tinsy Spurgers and the honoree.

the second silver medals. Those receiving medals were: Charlene Mund, Floyce Sherrod, Jewel Butler, Betty Jo Whitten, Beatrice Wright, Billie Louise Spurgers, Eloise Watson, Lou Ella Parrent and Hazel Doyle.

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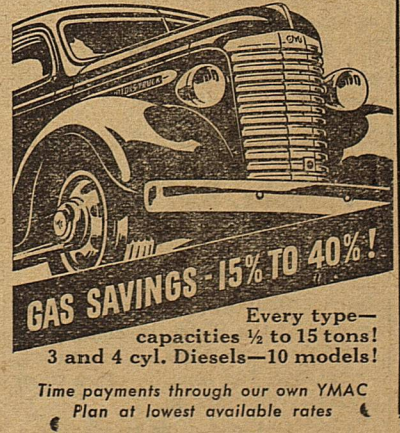
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250 Students To Participate In May Festival

Under the direction of Miss Mary Bolding, the third annual May Day festival will be presented in the school Gymnasium May 3. Approximately 250 children will participate in the program.

The program will consist of a coronation ceremony, dances, marches, and various stunts by the physical education classes. An admission of ten and fifteen cents will be charged and the proceeds will go to the Parent Teacher Association.

Candidates for the King and Queen are: 8th grade, Pauline Jones and Jack Halbert; 9th grade, Ruth Aileen Danford Nicks and Wilson Page; 10th grade, Betty Jo Whitten and Jo Ed Hill; and 11th grade, Bille B. Steward and Jack Whitley. Pauline McLaughlin and Jack Holsey are Princess and Prince.

Dukes and Duchesses who will take part in the coronation ceremony are Vaughn Baker, Ebba Ann Finley, Grace Butler, Jody Whitten, Charlene Edmiston, Kirk Gregory, Donna Mae Mullet, Jack Hodges, Jean Neill, Hal Whitten, Gloria Watson, Paul Page, Winnie Jean Steward, and Willie Holsey.

Mrs. McAlpine Hostess To Club

"Use of the Kitchen" was a program given to members of the Reynolds Home Demonstration Club in the home of Mrs. McAlpine Wednesday afternoon, April 26.

Miss Stewart stressed the importance of small conveniences in the kitchen such as recipe file, memo pad, pencil, scales and clock.

Following the program Mrs. Raymond Dickens led a recreational period, followed with refreshments of ice cream and cake served to Mrs. W. E. Branton, Mrs. Raymond Dickens, Mrs. J. Tom Williams, Mrs. E. W. Craig, Miss Stewart, Miss Ruth Baker and the hostess.

Jessie Hight of Lundon is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Andrews.

Juniors Honor Seniors At Banquet

Once again the girls donned their best, put flowers in their hair and the boys were dressed equally as nice when the Senior Class of 1939 was honored Saturday night at the Methodist Church with the annual Junior-Senior Banquet.

The colonial theme was carried out in the table decorations and place cards. The Senior colors, the rainbow colors, were used in decorations along with gorgeous roses. Blue memory books with each individual's picture served as a place card, as well as a memory book. The books had the officers of both classes, the program and extra pages for autographs. Small flower pots were used as plate favors.

The program was as follows: Welcome Seniors by Jo Ed Hill; Thanks Juniors, by Jack Whitley, A Reading, by Genevieve Ramsey; Hungry Five, Jack Whitley, E. W. Williamson, C. F. Jones, Mr. Geeslin and Sallis Cozzens; Welcome Faculty and Guests by Beatrice Wright; Response for Guests and Faculty by Mr. Riddle; Trio, Memories and Could Be by Rosalyn Jones, Betty Jo Whitten and Neva Jo Steward accompanied by Miss Iris Shults; Closing Remarks by Dave Williamson; Old Fashioned Garden by the group.

The menu consisted of Strawberry Cocktail, creamed chicken, potatoes, cream peas; tomatoes, hot rolls, pecan pie with ice cream and iced tea.

Neva Jo Steward played during the banquet. Sixty-seven were present for this gala occasion.

Methodist W. M. S. Has Regular Meeting

The second chapter of "The Life of Christ," led by Mrs. May Tisdale, was studied by members of the Methodist Missionary society at their regular meeting Monday afternoon at the church.

Visitors present for the meeting were Mrs. Herbert Graff and Mrs. J. W. Williamson of Eastland.

Mrs. A. T. Wright, hostess for the occasion, served refreshments to guests and 16 members.

FOOTBALL

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condition and hadn't worked out together any at all, they played a fairly good game against the Eagles, and showed the team that they could take a defeat and still be a good sport about it.

Scores were made for the Eagles by Bob Williams, Morris Underwood, and Willard Newlin. Bob also kicked an extra point.

Earl Bryant entered the game at the half and made it very interesting for the Eagles. Earl stayed out of the game until the half because of an injured hand but played in spite of the hand the second half.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lawhon of San Angelo are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lawhon.

Mrs. W. R. Nicks who has been seriously ill, is slowly improving. She makes trips twice weekly to a San Angelo hospital for treatments.

Headache, Bad Breath Tell of More to Come

Just as Paul Revere's famous ride warned of the Redcoats' coming, so Nature's messengers—headaches, dizziness, bad breath—often warn of faulty elimination.

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PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY MEETS AT CHURCH

"The Home, The Church and the School" was a program given members of the Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary when they met Monday afternoon at the church.

Mrs. H. W. Wiedenmann led the program and also gave a report of the Presbyterian which met in Brownwood last week.

Hostesses were Mrs. Joe B. Edens and Mrs. Wiedenmann. Refreshments were served to a visitor Arthur visited his parents, Mr. Camey, and 13 members.

Miss Thelma Maxwell of Batavia N. Y. returned home Saturday after a visit with her sister, S. P. McDonald, Mrs. M. A. Maxwell is a nurse in a N. Y. hospital. During her visit, Mr and Mrs. S. P. McDonald, Mrs. M. A. Maxwell, Mrs. Kenneth McDonald of Crain and Miss Maxwell toured Big Ben country and Carlsbad Caverns.

EASTERN STAR CHAPTER
No. 140
Meets every second Monday at 7:00 p. m.
Mabel Parker, W. M.
Mrs. Ben Hext, Secy.

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Meet every first Friday at 7:00 p. m.
Erma Lee Bodine, Worthy Advisor.

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Puffed Wheat	9c	Matches, ctn.	16c
		Tamales lg. can	12c

Coffee, Pure Peaberry 2 lb. 25c
Coffee, Star State, 1 lb. vacuum pack 27c
Coffee, Anita, 1 lb., cup & saucer, 25c

Coconut lb.	18c	2 lb. Raisins	16c
Pickles, cut sour or dill qt.	12c	Peanut Butter, qt jar	23c
4 lb. Raisins	31c	Red Salmon tall can	23c
Field Corn, No. 2 8c		Pink Salmon, tall can	10c
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pt. Lady Peggy	15c	Jersey Cornflakes 2 boxes	17c
Early June Peas No. 2 can	11c	Milk Blue Cross 3 large cans	19c
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Potato Salad can	15c	Rice, 2 lb. box	15c
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Bacon Squares lb.	20c	Picnic Hams lb	20c
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