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On The DIVIDE

W. F. Faught who owns a farm nine miles out on the Mertz road has moved here to make his home. He moved in this week from San Saba county, where he has lived for the past four years. He formerly was a resident of Schleicher county. He is making some repairs this week and getting ready to make a crop this year.

R. A. Evans returned Tuesday from San Saba county. He went down Monday to attend to business in connection with a farm which he owns in that county.

Wiley Ratliff, Gulf Gasoline Agent, left Thursday for Fort Worth where he attended a state meeting of Gulf agents. He returned Thursday.

A Mr. Middleton of Miles purchased about ten horses in Schleicher last week. They were trucked to Miles.

D. N. Maddox, has decided to stay in Schleicher county. It was reported recently that he would move to a new location.

Eddie Reynolds is driving a new V-8 Ford pickup which he purchased recently.

Tom Russell sold a top load of calves to Paul Shurley who shipped them to a brother in Kansas.

Blane Sammons sold 50 head of ewe lambs to Tom Wilton recently \$7.00 a head.

John Rae shipped two cars of cattle to John Clay Commission Co., Fort Worth.

Marion Wade has about 1500 sheep on feed. He has been building new feed troughs and corrals recently.

Judge H. W. Finley was in San Angelo Tuesday.

Lynn Turney who has been employed by the Red & White Grocery store has resigned his position to accept a job as bookkeeper for the West Texas Feed Company. Lynn was with the West Texas Feed Company before he went to work for the Red & White about six months ago.

J. M. Pucket, Sutton County Ranchman was in Eldorado Thursday on business, and shaking hands with friends.

J. L. Carter, ranchman and mail carrier of Christoval was in Eldorado Thursday.

While talking to J. A. Enochs in the office the other day we found out that he and his sixteen year-old son Patton, went hunting the last day of the season. Patton killed two eight-point bucks before 9:15 o'clock. He killed them with an old-time 38 and scored three hits out of five.

J. B. Christian, president of the First National Bank has moved to his ranch home east of town. We heard on the street yesterday that he was going to retire from active duty at the bank, but being unable to see him in person we could not confirm the rumor.

Dick Lawhon and Seth Ramsey were in San Angelo Wednesday. (See No. 2, Last Page)

AAA IS DECLARED UNCONSTITUTIONAL

The Supreme Court declared all Agricultural Adjustment Act programs unconstitutional, and all programs have been suspended pending further notice. No further work will be done in the county agent's office until further notice officially, according to County Agent, C. Snell.

Persons are requested to cooperate in every way possible. No forms of any kind will be signed which has to do with Cotton Certificates, Cotton Subsidy and contracts.

"Instruction also apply to tax exemption certificates. These instructions request that all surrender of surplus poundage of tax exemption certificates to 1935 pool be ceased. And there will be no further transfer of certificates in the future. Farmers will be notified of any change in the present situation.

ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION TO CO. TREASURER OFFICE

Mrs. Mabel Parker has authorized the Success to announce her as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of Schleicher county, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary July 25, 1936.

Mrs. Parker is serving her first term as county treasurer and she has made a fine record having kept her books in good shape. The auditor complimented Mrs. Parker on the fine shape in which her books were found.

She moved to Schleicher county eight years ago from Robert Lee, where she worked in the County Clerk's office for ten years. After coming to Eldorado she was bookkeeper at the W. H. Parker & Son Grocery Store.

Mrs. Parker's record proves her eminently qualified for the position she now holds and to which she seeks re-election at the hands of the people, if they see fit to re-elect her. She is well known and has no enemies. She solicits your support in the coming election.

Happy Beauty Shop Sold To Eola Girl

On Monday of this week Miss Alice Durden, young daughter of A. H. Durden of Eola, Texas took over the management of the Happy Beauty Shop located in the building with the City Barber Shop. She leased the equipment from Mrs. Jack Kerr.

Miss Durden has been employed in San Angelo for some time and is a graduate of the Mikeska Beauty College, San Angelo. She will operate the Happy Beauty Shop under her own name, and will do her own work. An advertisement appears in this issue and will appear in this paper from time to time. Read them and keep up with the special prices.

Mrs. Bessie McDougall, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ruben Thiele for several weeks returned to her home in Harper, Sunday evening.

O. C. Fisher Announces For Dist. Attorney

O. C. Fisher, of San Angelo, has authorized The Success to announce that he will be a candidate in the coming Primaries for the office of District Attorney of the 51st Judicial District.

The district is now served by Glenn R. Lewis who has announced he will not again seek the office.

Fisher, a native West Texan, is now State Representative of the 91st District.

Up to 1935, the candidate was for four years county attorney of Tom Green County, and made an excellent record during that time, and is well known throughout the 51st district which is composed of Sterling, Tom Green, Coke, Irion and Schleicher counties.

Fisher was born and reared on a stock farm. He is a graduate of the law school of Baylor University, and has in the past represented Tom Green County in both civil and criminal cases, and was at different times called on to assist in the prosecution of cases in the two district courts there, giving him, his friends point out, the legal training necessary to holding the position of District Attorney.

The candidate is the son of Jobe Fisher, Kimble County farmer and ranchman.

After serving one term as Tom Green county attorney, he was not opposed for re-election in 1932 and in 1934 as a candidate for State Representative he carried every county in the six-county district.

Fisher made the following brief statement:

"If elected, the only reward I can offer my friends for their confidence and support will be the faithful performance of the official duties of the office. I stand for fair, impartial and vigorous enforcement of all laws. No candidate for this office can say more nor should one say less."

P.T.A. SHOWER

The Parent-Teachers Association will serve tea at the Home Economics room in the High School Building Friday afternoon from 4:00 to 5:00 o'clock.

A shower will be given for the benefit of the Cafeteria which will be opened January 20 in the High School building.

Cups and sausers, knives and forks, spoons, plates and other equipment suitable for use in the cafeteria will be acceptable.

Sam Ashburn says that the latest talk is that the Townsend followers plan to put out a candidate against Charls L. South.

J. A. Whitten Well Location Made And Rig Moving In Today

Equipment is being moved to the J. A. Whitten offset this week by Rowan & Nichols Oil Co., of Fort Worth for the drilling of another test on the J. A. Whitten property 660 feet from the north line and 1980 feet from the west line of section 35, block LL. T.C. Ry. Co. Survey, only 660 feet north and east of Phillips-Interstate's No. 1 Whitten, which headed oil for three days from 4925 feet in August 1929, but failed to produce.

The contract for drilling this test calls for 5,000 feet, unless production is obtained shallower. Judge J. A. Whitten, W. T. Whitten and T. K. Jones assigned leases on 4160 acres to Cardinal, which sold leases on 1000 acres. The well will be three miles north and one mile west of here.

Lone Star Theater Is Closed For One Week

Due to the illness of the manager, Jerry Westmoreland, the Lone Star Theater will be closed for one week the owner Mr. Hall of Sonora announced Thursday.

Westmoreland was carried to his father's home in Rule, Texas where he will remain until he recovers from an attack of Scarlet Fever.

The show was closed in order to comply with state and county laws regarding contagious diseases. After the proper fumigation of the building and all laws have been strictly complied with the Theater will open on Friday January 17.

Money night will be held Thursday January 23rd. At that time \$120 will be the amount.

METHODIST WOMEN TO MEET IN SONORA

The quarterly meeting of the Central Zone, San Angelo district Methodist Women's Missionary Society will be held in Sonora Tuesday January 14.

The day's session will open at 10 o'clock and close at 3. Representatives are expected to attend from here.

BALLARD REMOVED TO SAN ANGELO JAIL

Shorty Ballard was removed to San Angelo and placed in the Tom Green county jail Tuesday afternoon by Sheriff O. E. Conner.

Ballard has been in jail here for some time charged with sheep theft. His trial will be held at the spring term of court March 30.

LIONS CLUB FOOTBALL BANQUET A SUCCESS

The Lions Club Football Banquet, held in the Presbyterian Church Tuesday evening, was thoroughly enjoyed by all those present. About 35 businessmen and Lions were present, and all but two of the football boys attended the banquet. It is hoped that this banquet may be made an annual affair, as it gives a splendid opportunity for the boys and the supporters of the team to get together.

Glenn L. Ratliff, President of the Lions Club, was toastmaster and presided at the banquet. Talks were made by Coach Weldon Bynum and Payne Robinson in addition to the brief talks others made in introducing their football guests. A number of the football boys also made brief talks thanking the businessmen for the banquet and expressing their appreciation to Coach Bynum.

One of the most interesting features of the affair was a liar contest, in which R. L. Sample, N. P. Wilkinson, A. J. Quinn, and Frank Bradley were entered. Their tales were immensely enjoyed by those present, and the judges—Messrs. E. W. Brooks, B. E. Moore, and J. F. Isaacs—awarded the prize of a plug of brown mule tobacco to Mr. Sample as winner of the contest.

Musical numbers were rendered by a girls trio composed of Maxine Wilton, Eloise Whitten, and Johnnie F. Isaacs, who sang three numbers. A boys trio composed of Alton Page, Cecil Newlin, and Frank Bradley also gave three numbers, singing to the accompaniment of Alton's guitar.

The banquet closed with every one singing the school song, "Those Eldorado High School Eagles," lead by Maxine Wilton.

Immediately after the banquet those present went in a body to the Lone Star Theater, at the invitation of manager Jerry Westmoreland, and were shown a complete comedy and picture.

JOHNNIE WHITLEY CAPTURES COUNTY ALTITUDE RECORD

Guess you could call it altitude record—Johnnie Whitley who lives on the Davis Ranch has caught 10 eagle hawks in 21 days and he caught them up in the air. Johnnie set a trap on the end of a long well rod and set it up for the hawks to light on. Besides the ten he caught in the trap he has shot one.

Johnnie thinks somebody is due to give him a chicken dinner for protecting all the chickens in the neighborhood.

Mrs. John Rae was in Eldorado shopping Wednesday.

MORE SHEEP IN THIS COUNTY THAN IN 1930

Sheep numbers were higher by 8 percent on January 1, 1935 than on April 1, 1930 in Schleicher county, according to figures for the 1935 Federal Farm Census released Tuesday by Director William L. Austin, Bureau of the Census Department of Commerce. Sheep of all ages numbered 263,149 on the later date, compared with 244,150 on the earlier date.

Additional inventory figures available at the census show 186,862 ewes one year old and over on January 1, 1935, compared with 174,505 ewes on April 1, 1930.

Cattle figures show an increase in cows and heifers two year olds and over and a decrease in other cattle. Cows and heifers increased from 12,156 to 13,410, while other cattle declined from 11,168 to 7,395.

Although cotton acreage was reduced approximately 7,200 acres, total crop land harvested declined only 5,633 acres. Feed crops increased approximately 1,900 acres, most of which were in oats, hay and sorghams.

Over 9000 acres of land failed to produce a crop in 1934, while crops were harvested from almost 17,000 acres and about 16,000 acres lay idle or fallow. Of the 830,082 acres included in the farms and ranches of the county, almost 800,000 acres were used for grazing purposes.

In 1935 there were 341 farms in Schleicher county.

Five Schools Accept Invitation To The Basketball Tourney

Five schools have already notified Coach Weldon Bynum of the Eldorado High School Eagles that they plan to enter the first annual basketball tournament to be held in the gymnasium here Saturday, January 18th.

These entrants are Veribest, Mertz, Christoval, Ozona, and Sonora. Other schools who are likely to enter are San Angelo, Eola, and Water Valley.

The tournament will be run off by playing four games Saturday morning, four Saturday afternoon and two final games Saturday night. Cups will be awarded both the tournament winner and winner of the consolation tourney.

An advance sale of all-tournament tickets will be made, which will represent a considerable saving to the purchaser. All-tournament tickets will sell for 25c and 50c, and will admit the bearer to all ten of the games. Admission for each game, paid at the door, will amount to at least twice the amount of the price of the tournament ticket, and possibly considerably more. The admission for the final games Saturday night will be 10c and 25c.

The Eldorado squad is rapidly working into top form on floor work, passing, and shooting. Paul Davis and Johnnie Clement are fighting for high-point honors, with Jack Shugart, Milton Spurgers, and R. J. Alexander also contenders.

J. F. Isaac's windmill fell Monday while workmen were making repairs on the tank.

MY TRIP TO CHICAGO

(By Edgar Sauer)

I left Eldorado November 28, on the train and arrived in San Angelo at 3:30. I had to wait in San Angelo for the train to Fort Worth until 7:30. I arrived in Fort Worth Friday morning at 6:20. I went up to the Texas Hotel where I found some of the 4-H Club Boys, that were going on the trip also. During the day Mr. L. L. Johnson, the State Club leader, and some other boys that were going to Chicago arrived.

Mr. Johnson gave the boys their hats, which we were to wear to Chicago.

Friday night at 10:30 we left Fort Worth in a Pullman car. Saturday morning we were in the State of Kansas, where we saw many large wheat fields.

At Newton, Kansas, the boys from the Panhandle Country and Amarillo joined us.

At 2:00 P. M. we arrived at Kansas City, Mo. We had to

wait there four hours, so we went to the Baltimore Hotel and had lunch. After lunch we went to the Liberty Memorial, which was very interesting to all of us.

At 6:00 P. M., we left for Chicago and arrived at 6:30 Sunday morning. We went to the Congress Hotel, where we stayed the entire time.

There were 4-H Club Boys and Girls from 44 States. Sunday afternoon we went on (See No. 1 Another Page)

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The Fergusonian school of practical politics, as practiced by Mr. James E. Ferguson, of the Bell-co Ferguson, demands men, rather than issues, in order to function efficiently. For more than a year, the corporation and special interest lobby, with Jim Ferguson as chief lobbyist, has been striving to relieve the corporations and the special interests of all state taxes, by passing a sales tax and abolishing state ad valorem taxes. The need for funds to pay old age pensions is the lever which Mr. Ferguson has utilized recently in his effort to lift the tax burden off the corporations, and place it upon the backs of those who buy the necessities of life. Mr. James V.

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Allred, head man of the Wichita-co Allred clan, has so far succeeded signally in making a complete mess of Mr. Ferguson's sales of tax scheme. Mr. Ferguson, whose shrewd political mind never hesitates to recognize defeat when it is necessary has conceded that on the basis of the sales tax issue. He's been worse bottled up than the Stanford Indians had Bobby Wilson.

So Mr. Ferguson has changed his strategy. He has entered State Senator Roy Sanderford, of Belton, in the governor's race against Mr. Allred. Mr. Sanderford frankly admits in his platform that he favors abolition of state ad valorem taxes, and a 3 per cent sales tax in its stead. Mr. Sanderford emerged from the obscurity of an automobile agency in Belton during the hey-day of Mr. Ferguson's power in that county, two years ago, he managed the campaign of Charlie McDonald, upon whom Mr. Ferguson sought to drop his mantle as the state political head man. But Mr. Ferguson believes that Senator Sanderford, who is fairly accomplished as a disciple of the Ferguson "pour it on" technique, may be able to divert public attention from the sales tax issue to Mr. Allred's habit of attending barbecues, rodeos, county fairs and other politico-social events at frequent intervals; or to his belief in prohibition; or to his difficulty in persuading a recalcitrant legislature to do the things he tells them to do; or to anything, in fact that every man who buys a loaf of bread or a bottle of milk for his children must pay a sales tax on these articles, and every hamburger stand in the state must become a tax collector, under Mr. Ferguson's sales tax scheme.

All of these things explain Mr. Sanderford's entry into the 1936 gubernational sweepstakes. A minor consideration in the selection of the Belton senator to make the race is the fact that he is in extreme political difficulty in his own district, due to his having selected the wrong side in a local highway-routing controversy in Bell-co, which has made his reelection to the senate doubtful. His unquestioning loyalty to Mr. Ferguson in advocating in the senate all of the measures that Mr. Ferguson has sponsored, is another important factor. If the special interests whom Mr. Ferguson represents are willing to put up some important money, the governor's race may be very interesting this year in Texas. Political observers will recall that Mr. Allred, while fully capable of discussing issues in language that the voters can understand, is also quite gifted in the gentle art of "pouring it on." So if the interested parties put up the necessary cash for Mr. Sanderford to make a serious campaign, the gentleman from Belton probably will have a very busy summer.

Out of the welter of public works projects designed to create employment, there has come general recognition in Texas that the policy of joint state-federal expenditure for public roads and highways, thru the state highway commission and the federal bureau of public roads, has resulted in lasting benefit to the state and its communities, and steady employment for a larger group of needy Texan than any other classification. The record compares most favorably with wasteful expenditures upon many local projects in the "leaf-rankling" category, with a \$40,000,000 highway program actively under way on January 1. Farsighted citizens throughout the state have recently been urging upon the highway commission and the Texas congressional delegation, careful consideration in the future work-relief plans, of a liberal allotment of federal work-relief funds to Texas for 1936-37, when work of this nature will fill substantially the need for jobs. Created by the continuation of the reduction of cotton acreage. The bulk of unemployed persons in Texas rural counties is farm labor, workless because of reduced cotton production. These workers fit better into the road-building program than into any other type of made-work project, relief authorities concede. And when the money is gone, the roads remain to serve the people for many years.

STANDARD "A" BANNER
AWARDED LOCAL TROOP

(By Hugh Craig)

At the regular meeting Monday night, January 6, of the local Boy Scout troop, M. C. Laird, Eagle Scout and Senior Patrol Leader received the Standard "A" Banner for Troop 18. It was presented to him by the Rev. N. P. Wilkinson, pastor of the Presbyterian Church. It is made of silk with red letters mounted on a cream colored back ground.

The Eldorado Scouts qualified as a Standard "A" troop at the Ranch-District meet held in Ozona December 6, 1935.

There were 15 Scouts present and two visitors, C. S. McKinney and Rev. N. P. Wilkinson. A Star badge was awarded to Joe Ed Hill for reaching the rank of Star Scout.

Two new Scouts, were registered Monday night; Wilson Page and Clifton Henderson.

New songs and games were enjoyed by all. The meeting closed with taps and troop yells.

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EAGLES TO PLAY
SAN ANGELO BOBCATS
FRIDAY NIGHT

The Eldorado Eagles will match themselves against the strong San Angelo Bobcat team Friday night, January 10th, in the first big game of the current season.

The Eagles, under the training of Coach Weldon Bynum, are rapidly improving in passing floorwork, and shooting, and should offer strong competition for the Bobcat quintet. Players who will be likely to see the most service in the game Friday night are Johnnie Clement, Paul Davis, Jack Shugart, R. J. Alexander, and Milton Spurgers.

As an added attraction for cage fans, a second game will be played with Christoval, in which the reserves will take the floor.

Coach Bynum announces that the Sonora team will come up to practice with the Eldorado squad soon. A game will be matched with the Sonora five early in the future.

The basketball roster of games for the next two or three weeks include the following: Friday night, January 10, San Angelo, here; Saturday night, January 11, San Angelo there; Saturday, January 18, basketball tournament; Friday and Saturday, January 24 and 25, attend Ozona tournament.

SCOUTS IN S. A.
JANUARY 24TH

San Angelo will be the mecca of all Scouters and their wives and friends at the 10th Annual Meeting of the Concho Valley Council, Inc. Boy Scouts of America, Friday January 24.

All plans are under way to

have another large delegation of 450 persons on the roof of the St. Angelus Hotel to hear Dr. H. Y. Benedict, president of the University of Texas, address the group. Last year a like number attended the annual affair, and with the addition of new territory plus new interest in Scouting, some 500 are expected to participate in the 1936 meeting.

Christian Endeavor to Have Party
(By S. E. Jones)

The Christian Endeavor organization of the Presbyterian church will have a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Page, Friday night at 6:30 P. M.

Wilson Page is president of the club, Pauline Jones, Vice-President, S. E. Jones, music leader, Janice Baker, treasurer, and Billy Wilton, choir leader.

They almost finished their Cataclysm. The members are promised a Bible and their name in the Christian Observer.

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2 pair \$1.19

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All childrens shoes in high top styles and Oxfords drastically reduced. Infant size as low as 59c. Washable elk skin all leather shoes 1 to 6—98c. Servicable school shoes in sizes 8 to 2—98c. All leather Oxfords in sizes 8 to 2 as low as \$1.98

Regular \$1.00 a yard 39 in. silks of floral plaids and solids to go at the Bargain price of 69c a yard.

A few blankets yet to go. Good weight all cotton double blanket \$1.19

3 1-2 lb. Part Wool double blanket \$1.98

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A large group of school Oxfords in black, brown and two tones in all leather construction in values to \$3.50. All sizes and different widths \$1.98

A group of low heel servicable Ladies Oxfords and straps complete in sizes of \$1.98 values. Here is your opportunity to buy an everyday pair worth the price. \$1.39

Ladies real nice leatherette house shoes as low as 39c. All leather house shoes \$1.50 values with attractive lining in all sizes. Also fancy cloth house shoes in red. Your choice 98c

Regular 5c, 150 yd. spool 6 cord STAR thread 8 spools 25c

SALE POSITIVELY CLOSSES WED. JAN. 15TH.

Be sure to get your tickets for free chinaware with each dollar purchase.

DRAWING WED. Jan. 15 AT 4:00 P. M.

The ticket stubs must be present.

Regular 10c, 300 yard spool, 6 cord STAR thread 4 spools 25c

Men's navy blue and buff corduroy pants and jackets, drastically reduced in a last effort to close out. \$2.19

Boys Brown Corduroy pants \$1.49

BOOTS

Childrens boots in white, tan and black in slip-on and riding style of all leather construction as low as \$1.59 in small sizes. Sizes 8 to 2 as low as \$1.98

Childrens black, tan cow-boy boot in many sizes 8 1-2 to 2 \$2.65

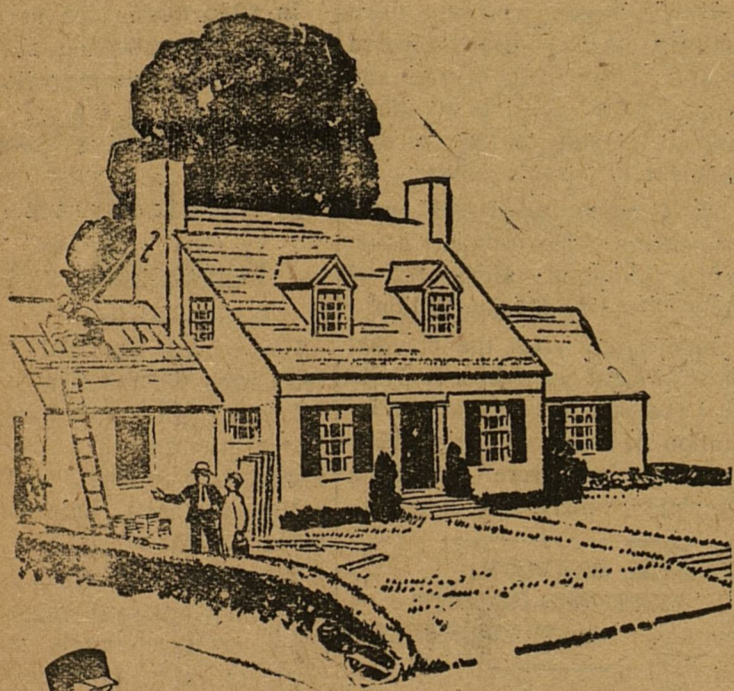
Misses Boots sizes 3 to 7. \$2.95

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Political High Lights

Scraps of isolated political news, scattered at random through the newspapers, taken together indicate to any experienced observer that lively times are ahead, a national election is on the way.

Here are latest developments, together with possible interpretations:

Alfred E. Smith is listed as principal speaker at the American Liberty League dinner at Washington, January 25.

Background: The Liberty League is the pet organization of Jouett Shouse, who belonged to the Raskob group backing Mr. Smith in the 1928 presidential race, and who has been an ardent critic of the New Deal almost from the outset. President Roosevelt broke with the Raskob-Shouse-Smith group in 1932.

Hookup for Smith

The league will give Mr. Smith a nationwide radio hookup for an assault on his former comrade in arms, Mr. Roosevelt, if he cares to take it; and most people believe Mr. Smith will take it. He belongs to the conservative wing of the Democratic Party which is enough of itself to alienate him from the New Deal, as it has John W. Davis, even if there were not personal animosities, which have intensified the breach.

Nobody knows quite what the erst-while "Happy Warrior" is going to say; but he has a way of saying things pungently; undoubtedly still has a large following—and he might make things as uncomfortable for President Roosevelt as Senator Borah is preparing to do for Mr. Hoover.

Borah's Friends Prepare

Senator Borah's friends have organized a "board of strategy" of seven to further his presidential candidacy.

Background—After being mentioned as a possible presidential candidate in 1907, 1911, 1915, 1923 (Calvin Coolidge reputedly asked Senator Borah to join the ticket, and Senator Borah responded, "Which place?"), 1927, and again in 1931, Borah's hat actually has been thrown into the ring.

However, the circumstances are such that they still leave some question whether the Idahoan used his own genuine honest-to-goodness hat or just a make-believe article when he tossed it. He has given permission to enter his name in the Wisconsin Republic primary, which step threatens the third party Progressives, and at once alienates the La Follette. Now the question rises whether he will enter the Ohio primaries, May 12.

Bur Under the Saddle

At any rate, those who know Senator Borah, feel that he may make life exceedingly uncomfortable for certain Republican Old Guarders, and that he will have the best sort of a time out of doing it.

Amos Pinchot, former Governor of Pennsylvania, in a letter to President Roosevelt, attacks WPA work in his state and declares that politics rule the system.

Background—Whatever truth there may be in Mr. Pinchot's assertions, the fact that he makes them at just this juncture, and in the form of an open letter to the President, indicates pretty clearly that the old political fire is stirring in Teddy Roosevelt's former conversationist, and that he sees a possible future political role for himself in Pennsylvania's present nicely balanced division between the two parties. Mr. Pinchot serves notice that he is still a force to be reckoned with.

Representative Maury Maverick (D) of Texas, in a denunciation of the Townsend Plan, calls it a "hopeless burden on the poor, issue-muddling, a plot against the declaration that it is "cruel, brazen and fantastic."

Background—A good many politicians have been frightened by the growth of the Townsend movement, and have been watching recent election success of advocates with silent concern. Now, a counter barrage is opening.

Thus far, besides Mr. Maverick, attacks have been made by the following: Senator Francis T. Maloney (D) of Connecticut; Gov. Wilbur Cross of the same state; Senator Nathan L. Bachman (D) Tennessee, reinforcing a previous attack by his colleague Senator Kenneth McKellar and Senator Arthur Vandenburg (R) of Michigan.

Must Say 'Yes' or 'No'

It takes political courage to stand up against a carefully-organized drive of a pressure group like that of the Townsendites, but the issue is being presented to many congressmen in so categorical a form that they must say flatly, "yes" or "no".

Senator Thomas D. Schall (R) of Minnesota passed on as the result of injuries sustained when run over by an automobile.

Background. In the past nine months, three members of the Senate have met unnatural ends, Bronson Cutting (R) of New Mexico by a plane crash; Huey P. Long (D) of Louisiana, by assassination, Senator Schall by being hit by a motorcar.

As to the last two, it happens that they were probably the most bitter critics of the President in the chamber. Senator Schall's passing presipitates new complexities into an already confused Minnesota political situation. Gov. Floyd B. Olson is expected to come to the Senate.

Bankhead Back

Representative William B.

Bankhead (D) of Alabama returned to the capital, announcing that he was ready to assume full duties of his office.

Background—Mr. Bankhead, brother of Senator John H. Bankhead (D) of the same state and father of Tallulah Bankhead, the actress, was picked as majority leader for the Seventy-fourth Congress, but has been unable to assume his duties for a full year, while he was in a hospital. His return at this time saves the Administration from the embarrassment of picking a new leader. Mr. Bankhead returned with the following forecast:

The bonus will pass.

The Townsend plan will not come to a vote in the House.

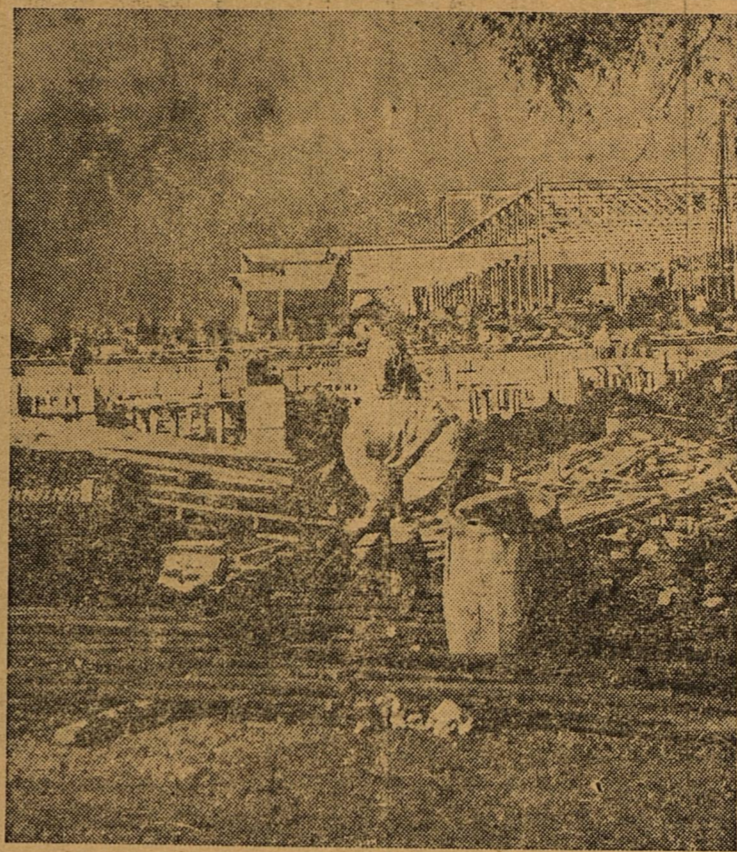
Mr. Roosevelt will be re-elected.

The session will be "snappy, but not short."

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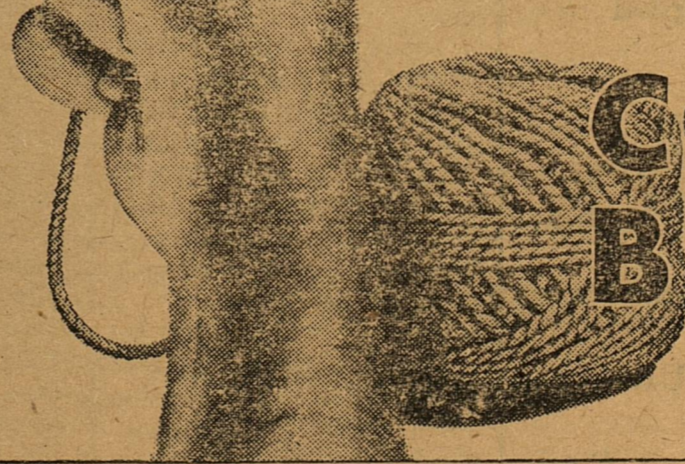
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a fifty mile tour over the city by motor coach.

Each morning during the week the boys and girls gathered at the Auditorium Hotel, and then a leader would take us where we were supposed to go.

Monday morning we went to the International Live Stock Show and saw some fat sheep and cattle.

At noon the 4-H Club boys and girls were the guests of Sears Roebuck and Co., where we had lunch, at which time we were entertained by the Worlds Champion Skaters. The Wilson and Co., served us dinner. After dinner they entertained us with a picture show.

Tuesday morning we had breakfast at Armour and Co. They took us through the plant where we watched them slaughter cattle, sheep, and hogs.

At noon we were guests of the Sherman Hotel, where we had lunch and entertainment. At 3:00 P. M., we visited the Art Institute.

For dinner we were guests of the Stevens Hotel, where we had the honor of hearing Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture make a speech.

Wednesday was a very interesting day for the boys especially,

all the 4-H Club boys and girls made an educational tour through the International Harvester Co. We saw them make tractors and other farm machinery.

We also visited the McCormick Wine Mill where we saw how wine is made that we use on our arm. At noon we had lunch at the International Harvester Company.

At 2:00 P. M. we went to a horse Show at the international Live Stock Exposition.

At 7:30 P. M., we visited the Museum of Science and Industry, here we saw many very interesting things such as coal mining, agriculture, power transportation, and transportation, air transportation, water transportation, and forestry.

Thursday was an educational day. We visited the Field Museum of National History, here we saw prehistoric exhibits, and the fall of the Stone Age Men.

From here we went to the Adler Planetarium where a demonstration was given by Professor Philip Fox on astronomy.

In the afternoon we made an interesting tour to the tower of the Chicago Board of Trade building. The tower is 524 feet above the street level.

At 6:00 P. M., a dinner and final party was given to the 4-H Club boys and girls in the Auditorium Hotel. After the party all that wanted to could dance.

Friday was our last day in Chicago so we visited the President of the Santa Fe Railroad Co.

We all shook hands with him and told him what a nice time we had had, and thanked him for his generosity in aiding to defray the expense of our trip.

In the afternoon we had a picture taken of all the Texas delegation.

Then we packed our suit case and got ready to go home.

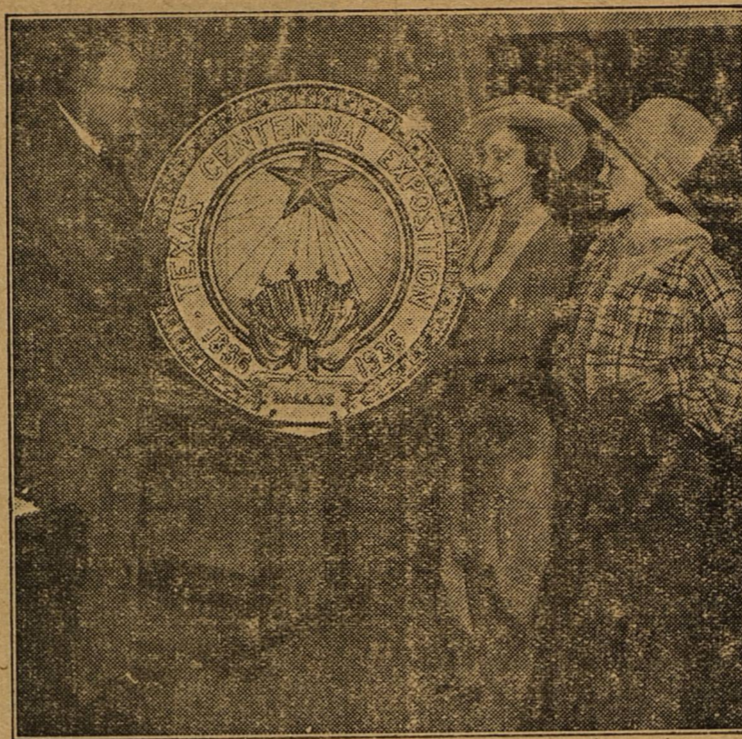
During the time we were in Chicago we were taken from one place to the other by Elevated Street cars, Motor Coaches, and by Electric Trains.

Friday night at 8:00 P. M., we started home. We arrived in Fort Worth at 10:30 Saturday night. Here we all had to part again and go our way home. It was hard to leave the other boys and our leader, Mr. Johnson.

I left Fort Worth at 11:00 P. M. and arrived in San Angelo at 9:00 A. M., Sunday. As there was no train to Eldorado on Sunday, I found a way and got to Eldorado at about 11:00 o'clock.

The whole trip was very interesting and I want to say to all the boys in Schleiched County that it was well worth working for.

Texas Smiles Go with the Texas Seal



William A. Webb, manager of the Texas Centennial Exposition, receives a plaque of the Exposition's official seal from Eileen Gorrissen, left, and Bess Harris, Centennial hostess with the compliments of its designer the noted artist, Juan Larrianga.

Texas Wild Flowers

Dallas, Texas.—More than 500 species of wild flowers are to be found in Texas according to scientists. Many of these will be displayed in the Horticultural Hall of the Texas Centennial Exposition next year.

Races for Texas Fair

Dallas, Texas.—Beginning September 28, a horse racing meet will be held on the World's Fair track of the Texas Centennial Exposition under auspices of the State Fair of Texas.

Critics Of New Deal, Played By Chas. South

Without display of oratory, but in his characteristic sincere manner of speech, Congressman Chas. L. South, of Coleman, speaking before the Kerrville Kiwanis Club a few days ago, roundly rapped critics of the 'New Deal' program and propagandists whom he charged with seeking to undermine the popularity of President Roosevelt.

Congressman South for the past several weeks has been making a tour of his extensive district, the 21st Texas, which embraces 27 West Texas counties.

He left with his family for Washington in time to be there for the opening of Congress last week.

Following his introduction by Col. L. H. Webb, manager of the Veterans Administration Hospital, Congressman South launched into his defense of the administration program.

The fact that President Roosevelt is not so immensely popular as he was two years ago is not unusual, he declared in pointing out that George Washington was charged with betrayal of a trust, Thomas Jefferson with being an enemy of his country and that similar charges were hurled at Jackson, Cleveland and Wilson during their terms of office.

Predicting that President Roosevelt would be re-elected next November, the speaker said it could not be expected that any President would ride the crest of popularity for a long period of time.

Within the next few months, he asserted, Mr. Roosevelt will come to be judged by the standards of another man—the candidate of the Republican party, either good, bad or indifferent. He added that the opposition party is handicapped by not having a strong, logical candidate.

"We owe it to ourselves not to condemn too hastily the policies of the President," Congressman South declared. "We must remember that when he assumed office perilous times were upon the Nation; banks were closing their doors, factories were shut down, livestock and agricultural commodities were at rock bottom and the problem of relief was mounting. Then, all of us regardless of party turned to Roosevelt as the man to lead the country out of chaos. At that time, it was doubtful whether the Consti-

tution would permit the drastic emergency measures required to stem the tide. Nevertheless, we called upon this one man to lead us out, and now it is amusing to see this same class of people casting stones.

"The responsibility for the President assuming more authority perhaps than others had done in order to advance his recovery program rests squarely upon the people," he continued. "They asked and urged such action to halt the chaotic conditions. I want to say here that many Republican representatives have contributed their share to the success of the Administration program; they have laid aside partisanship to aid recovery.

"There are a great many others who want to play politics first, and it is they who have designs to destroy the President. By insidious propaganda they would have you believe that the Roosevelt administration is trying to bankrupt the Nation or that the President wants to become a dictator. If this group is checked, it will be found they are the same men who in past administrations have enjoyed special privileges."

Congressman South said he was not in complete accord with all phases of the New Deal program, but that since it was accomplishing a great deal toward a general improvement of conditions throughout the country, he had been willing to go along and lend his support. He further said that he would rather go down the road with a good honest Republican than a reactionary of any party.

"We have two extremes in the Nation today," he declared in closing his interesting talk. "On the one hand, we have the big fellows who have made too much money and who demand special privileges; on the other hand we have the fellows who want something for nothing and they become dissenters when Congress refuses them anything they ask for. Both groups are dangerous and either would destroy the Government if permitted to do so.

"We must not be misled by the venom of propaganda. It is my contention that we have never left the Constitution, and my belief that we can and will continue to go forward toward recovery with the Constitution." Congressman South praised

Vice-President John Garner, whom he termed as a hard-fisted business man whose advice is frequently sought in administrative affairs. He likewise commended his Texas colleagues in Congress, asserting that 50 per cent of the major committees in the House were headed by Texas,

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SOCIETY CLUBS PERSONALS

Mrs. G. C. Crosby was in from the ranch Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hazelwood were in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mund were shopping in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cheek visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webb Wednesday.

Mr. I. P. Hinyard, a former resident of Eldorado is seriously ill in San Angelo.

Sam Calhoun of Christoval visited his mother Mrs. W. L. McWhorter Wednesday.

Miss Ethel Ann Oglesby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Oglesby returned Sunday to San Antonio to finish school.

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Mrs. Mabel Parker was a visitor at the home of Rev. and Mrs. P. S. Connell Wednesday.

Grandmother Garrett is quite ill and is in Christoval taking treatments.

Mrs. Sam Oglesby has returned from Christoval where she had been under medical treatment.

Miss Pearl Smith left Wednesday morning for Waco, to visit her niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webb Sunday.

Mrs. Seth Ramsey, Mrs. T. A. Rudd, Mrs. C. T. Sproul and Mrs. J. D. Ramsey were shopping in San Angelo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sudduth of the Bailey Ranch community visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webb Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Wear of San Angelo has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Baugh and Mary for the past week.

Miss Louise Hinyard was called to San Angelo Tuesday to the bedside of her father, Mr. I. P. Hinyard, who is ill.

Mrs. Bob Bachtell of Hobbs, New Mexico, visited Hazel Bruton during the holidays.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE MET TUESDAY, JANUARY 9TH.

The Library Committee met Tuesday, January ninth with Mrs. L. M. Hoover. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year. Mrs. Aubrey L. Baugh, Chairman; Mrs. L. M. Hoover, Secretary; and Mrs. Walter Ramsey, Treasurer.

It was decided to post the names of those owing fines in a conspicuous place in the library, and to refuse to issue any books to a person owing a fine.

MAYER H. D. CLUB MET THURSDAY

The age, health and occupation of the members of the family should be taken into consideration when planning a meal, said Miss Lora Farnsworth, County Home Demonstration Agent to the members of the Mayer Home Demonstration Club, Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. C. Edmiston.

Food budgets are seldom exactly alike, because families differ in size, in appetite and in taste; therefore every family must work out its own food budget.

The club will meet at the home of Mrs. E. N. Edmiston, Thursday January 16th at 2:30 P. M.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames, E. N. Edmiston, B. R. Cauthorn, N. G. Hodges, Houston Thigpen, R. A. King, Miss Lora Farnsworth and the hostess.

REYNOLDS H. D. CLUB MET JANUARY EIGHTH

"On necessary set of food constituents to consider in meal planning are the vitamins. Vitamin A is found in leafy, green and yellow vegetables, and in egg yolk, butter, and cream. This vitamin protects the lining of the cavities of the body, particularly of the nose, throat, and lungs. A lack of this vitamin causes us to be more susceptible to colds, pneumonia, and tuberculosis." This, Miss Lora Farnsworth, county home demonstration agent, said to the Reynolds Home Demonstration Club in a demonstration on daily meal planning, at a meeting January 8th in the home of Mrs. W. E. Bruton.

Mrs. Raymond Dickens had charge of the business meeting. New year books were distributed; a council report was given; duties of standing committees were read.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. John Faught, Mrs. Otto Sauer, Mrs. Ray Alexander, Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Harvey Dannheim, Mrs. Raymond Dickens, Miss Edith Faught, Miss Lora Farnsworth, and Mrs. W. E. Bruton.

The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Raymond Dickens, January 22nd.

MRS. S. HUNDLEY DEAD

Mrs. George Baugh and Miss Tom Smith received word Sunday of the death of their sister, Mrs. S. Hundley, of Waco, Texas.

Miss Tom Smith left Wednesday for Waco to be with her niece, Mrs. J. R. Sikes who is ill. She will be there for several weeks.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Chesney, a girl, December, 27.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Williams, a boy, December 31.

DORCUS CIRCLE ENTERTAINED MONDAY

Mrs. Joab Campbell and Miss John Alexander acted as joint hostess to the Dorcus Circle on Monday afternoon, which was their regular social meeting day. Ten members were present and Mrs. Billie Cooper addressed the circle on "The Women of the Old Testament." Refreshments of pecan pie, ice cream and coffee were served.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mrs. V. G. Tisdale was hostess to the Thursday bridge club last week. Miss Ellington won high club. Miss Mary Ella Miller high guest.

Club members present were Messrs. C. M. McWhorter, Irby, Cooper, Royster, Cora Miller, Ernest Hill and Mrs. Lynn, Misses Norene and Thelma Ellington. Guests were: Mary Ella Miller, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. G. C. Crosby, Mrs. C. E. Knight, Mrs. L. Baker, Mrs. Seth Ramsey, and Mrs. McLaughlin.

Mrs. Frank Spencer and Mrs. W. J. McDonald of Eldorado and Mrs. Henry Mund of the Bailey Ranch community visited Mrs. F. R. Nicks, also of the Bailey Ranch Friday.

MRS REYNOLDS ENTERTAINS CLUB

Mrs. Edd Reynold entertained the Wednesday Contract Club with five tables of bridge at her home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Leslie Baker won high score for club members, Mrs. C. M. McWhorter won high for guests. Mrs. W. O. Alexander won cut prize and Mrs. Albert Bailey won the rambling prize.

Club members present were: Messrs. L. Baker, Billy Cooper, H. D. Irby, C. E. Knight, Charlie McLaughlin, Sam Oglesby, Seth Ramsey, A. D. Richey and Miss Cleone Dabney. Guests were: Messrs. D. C. Royster, Luke Thompson, Albert Bailey, C. M.

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ASSETS	Dollars Cts.
1. Loans and discounts	\$330,441.96
2. Overdrafts	89.76
3. Other bonds, stocks, and securities	4,068.50
4. Banking house, \$3,000.00 Furniture and fixtures, \$1,000.00	4,000.00
5. Real estate owned other than banking house	2,500.00
6. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	18,124.15
7. Cash, balances with other banks, exchanges for clearing house etc.	44,065.08
8. Other assets	432.19
TOTAL ASSETS	\$403,721.64
LIABILITIES	Dollars Cts.
9. Demand deposits, except United States Government deposits, of other banks	\$211,341.35
10. Time deposits, except postal savings, public funds, and deposits of other banks	17,400.00
11. Public funds of State, counties, school districts, or other subdivisions or municipalities	25,505.24
12. Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	4,612.61
(a) Not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	\$258,859.20
(b) TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$258,859.20
13. Capital account:	
Common stock, 750 shares, par \$100.00 per share	\$75,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits—Net	19,862.44
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT	\$144,862.44
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$403,721.64

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