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Tax Collection Record Set With 96.2% of Total

Within \$5,000 of Total Bill Paid In To Collector

Another collection record was set in the office of the Crockett county sheriff and tax collector during the tax paying period which closed February 1, a recapitulation of collections completed this week by Deputy Collector Claude Russell shows.

Collections of the 1940 tax bill amounted to 96.2 per cent of the total due for the year, the collector's figures reveal. Out of a total tax bill of \$144,524.63, county, state and school taxes, Crockett county taxpayers paid in a total of \$139,129.09.

In addition to this amount, which was 1940 taxes exclusively, a small amount was collected in delinquent taxes, though a lesser amount than in other recent years.

Poll tax receipts numbered 529, which was a slight drop from the total of the last off-year in politics.

Close Scout Week Observance With Assembly Program

Banquet And Court Of Honor Highlight Of Celebration

Scout Week Observance in Ozona will close with a special Boy Scout program to be presented at the assembly hour in the High School auditorium this afternoon (Thursday) beginning at 3 o'clock. A group of Scouts, under the direction of Scoutmaster Guinn Caruthers and Assistant L. E. Sikes, will present a program of demonstrations of Scout work, an explanation of requirements of the various ranks of Scouts and the re-dedication ceremony.

Boy Scout Week, the 31st anniversary of Scouting in America, was celebrated throughout the nation from February 7 to 13. The high-light of the local observance was the barbecue supper and Court of Honor held at the Scout cabin Saturday night.

Parents and Scout workers as well as members of the local troop gathered at the cabin at 5:30 Saturday afternoon for the barbecue supper. After the barbecue, a radio in the cabin auditorium brought to the assembly the annual address of President Franklin D. Roosevelt. Also heard on the radio program was an address by James E. West, national Scout executive.

The Court of Honor following the president's talk, was directed by Dan Patterson, advancement man of the local committee. Assistant Scoutmaster Boyd Lovelace had charge of the advancement of six Scouts, five from First (Continued on Last Page)

President Of 6th Dist. Women's Clubs To Visit Here Tues.

Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview, newly elected president of the Sixth District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, will visit the Ozona club next Tuesday, February 18, it was announced at the meeting of the Ozona Woman's Club Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stephen Perner.

Mrs. Walker is to be entertained with a buffet supper Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Joe Oberkamp. Members of the Barnhart Woman's Club will be co-hostesses with the Ozona club at the affair honoring the district president.

A garden program, which included a plant exchange, was presented at the Tuesday meeting of the club. Fifteen members and guests were present.

Four Crockett Men To Answer Feb. Call For Army Training

Two Crockett county volunteers for a year's training in the U. S. Army under the Selective Service Act will report this week to Fort Bliss in El Paso for induction.

Andres Aguirre, Jr., left Monday night for the El Paso induction station and Ismael Najjar was scheduled to leave Wednesday night for the same place. Aguirre was sent to fill the first February call from the local board and Najjar is being sent as replacement of one draftee turned down from last month's quota. A call has been received for two additional men from this county on February 25.

Ozona Landmark Is Razed To Make Way For New Home

Another Ozona landmark, dating back almost to the county's beginning fifty years ago, has yielded to progress.

The old Davidson home, fronting on Broadway, the entrance of highway 27 from the east, built in 1893, is being torn down this week to make way for a new, modern home. The lots on which the old Davidson homestead is located built by Judge and Mrs. Davidson two years after the organization of Crockett county, have been sold to Joe and Charley Davidson, each taking a 100-foot frontage on the street. The razing is being done to make way for early start of construction of a new home for Mr. and Mrs. Charley Davidson.

Horace W. Busby Coming Feb. 23 To Open Annual Meet

Horace W. Busby, Fort Worth evangelist of the Church of Christ, will open his 22nd annual gospel meeting at the Church of Christ in Ozona Sunday, February 23, it was announced this week by the minister of the local church, James D. Moss.

The popular Fort Worth minister has become almost "home folks" to Ozona's Church of Christ membership and to the community as a whole by reason of his long years of service at the annual Spring meetings. Complete details of the coming meeting will be announced next week, Mr. Moss said.

Ozona Country Is Blanketed In Four Inch Fall Of Snow

For the second consecutive winter Ozonans have seen the countryside blanketed in several inches of snow. A covering of an estimated four-inch blanket of snow fell here last Friday night. Last year's Christmas eve night covering of more than six inches was the first of consequence to fall in this section in more than a decade.

Unlike last year's snowfall, which remained on the ground more than a week, the white blanket which greeted local residents early Saturday morning melted rapidly under a warm sunshine and served to add considerably to the store of moisture already in the ground from recent bountiful rains.

Class Favorites For H. S. Annual Chosen By Mates

Class favorites whose pictures are to be included in a group of "favorites" on a special page in the 1941 Ozona High School annual, "The Hitching Post," were selected during the past week by students in the four grades of high school.

Elected from the freshman class were Juanita Hays and Tom Ed Montgomery. From the Sophomore class were Lottie Jo Owens and Roy Coates. Juniors elected Wayne West, Jr., and Mary Faye Lucas as their favorites and in the Senior class the honored students were Virginia Hays and George B. Armentrout.

American Ambassador Welcomed to Vichy



Admiral William Leahy, U.S.N., the newly appointed American ambassador to the French Vichy government, is shown in this picture, at the right, with Marshal Philippe Petain, French chief of state, as he was welcomed to Vichy on his arrival there to take up his official duties.

S. M. U. President To Speak Feb. 23 Methodist Church

Dr. Umphrey Lee Will Stop Here On Way From Sul Ross

Dr. Umphrey Lee, president of Southern Methodist University in Dallas and one of the nation's outstanding educators and religious leaders, will preach at the morning service at the Methodist church here on Sunday, February 23, it was announced this week by Rev. Eugene Slater, pastor.

Dr. Lee will stop off in Ozona Saturday, February 22, on his way back from Sul Ross State Teachers College in Alpine where he is scheduled to lead a series of services during "Spiritual Emphasis Week" at that institution from February 16 through the 21st. He has agreed to spend the night here and to speak at the morning worship hour at the church at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, resuming his return trip to Dallas after the noon hour.

Dr. Lee, who was born in Indiana in 1893, spent his early life in Indiana and Missouri. The family moved to Brownwood, Texas in 1910. In 1911 he received his B. A. degree from Trinity University and entered S. M. U. when it opened in 1915, being elected first president of the student body. He was awarded the Master of Arts degree in 1916.

In 1917, he married Miss Margaret Williams of Gatesville. They have one son, Umphrey, Jr. Ordained in 1918, he served as pastor of the Methodist Church at Cisco until 1919, when he was elected director of the Wesley Bible Chair in Austin, where he served until 1921. He later served the church at Ennis and Highland Park Meth. (Continued on last page)

Junior Class To Present Magician Here On March 6

Virgil, master magician, will make an appearance in Ozona Thursday evening, March 6, under auspices of the Junior Class of Ozona High School. Receipts from the benefit performance will go into the class fund for the entertainment of this year's graduating class.

The magician presents a two-hour performance which is said to be classed as one of the outstanding programs of magic now being presented. The program includes as featured acts the live lion vanishing trick, the Hindu rope climbing mystery and the packing box escape.

Receive Plaques To Mark Historic Points In County

Bronze plaques which will be used for marking the county live-oak, the huge tree north of the courthouse square under which the first meeting of the first commissioners court of Crockett County was held, and the site of the Howard Springs massacre in 1872, have been received, according to announcement of C. S. Denham, chairman of a committee from the Crockett County Historical Society named to secure such markers.

Founders Day To Be Observed At PTA Meet Monday

Founders' Day, an occasion set aside for observance of the anniversary of the founding of the national Congress of Parents and Teachers, will be observed by the Ozona Parent-Teacher Association when that group meets in regular session Monday afternoon in the High School auditorium beginning at 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Claude Denham will direct the afternoon's program. Mrs. J. A. Fussell will lead the devotional exercises and the school's visual education program will be illustrated with the showing of one of the school's educational films. A program.

In observance of a custom of the organization, a small offering will be taken from the membership on the Founders Day occasion, the amount to go to the national Congress for use in charity work.

Hostesses for the day will include Mrs. Marbury Morrison, Mrs. Melvin Brown, Mrs. Boyd Lovelace, Mrs. Armond Hoover and Mrs. Tom Owens.

Mrs. Carl Colwick To Attend Cancer Control Assembly

Mrs. Carl Colwick, captain of Crockett county in the Women's Field Army of the American Society for the Control of Cancer, will attend a Regional Assembly of the Army at Dallas Monday and Tuesday, February 17 and 18.

Heads of the countrywide campaign who will attend will be Marjorie B. Illig, national commander of the Women's Field Army, C. C. Little, Sc. D., managing director of the American Society for the Control of Cancer, and members of the board of directors of the Society.

With the general theme of "Health Defense is National Defense" (Continued on Last Page)

Financial Drive For Boy Scouts Is Opened Here

Funds Sought To Support Program, Meet Cabin Payment

A financial drive for support of the Boy Scout movement representing Ozona's contribution to the Concho Valley Council and to meet the payment on indebtedness against the Scout cabin was begun this week by the local Scout committee.

Members of the committee met Monday afternoon at the Methodist church with Paul M. Ireland, field executive, and Ira M. Carson, member of the Concho Valley executive committee, to study financial needs for the year and to outline plans for the local campaign.

The year's budget for Ozona was fixed at \$850. This includes \$600 which goes to the Council from Ozona as this town's part in support of the Scout movement in the 23 counties embraced in the Council area. A payment of \$250 on the \$500 indebtedness remaining against the cabin is also to be made this year. Of the budget amount, (Continued on last page)

Volleyball, Cage Teams Stay Even In Dist. Games

Split With Rocksprings Sonora; Game Home Court Fri. Night

Ozona High School's basketball and volleyball teams battled on about even terms in three games played during the week-end and early this week.

Friday night, the boys basketball team and the girls volleyball team, invaded the Sonora stronghold of the Bronchos and divided the evening's encounters, the Ozona boys taking their contest and the local girls losing theirs. Monday night, the Broncs were guests of the local teams and the process was reversed, the boys losing to the visitors 20-17 and the girls winning, 28-23.

Tuesday night saw the two teams in action at Rocksprings, and in that encounter, honors again were divided, the boys from Ozona coming out with the heavy end of a 22 to 18 score while the girls dropped their contest by a count of 35 to 15. All of these games were Ranch District league contests. Friday night of this week, the Rocksprings teams will play the return match on the local gym courts and Saturday night the Ozona teams go to Junction.

Making the Rocksprings trip with the volleyball girls were their coach, Miss Allena Kinney, Mrs. Hudson Mayes, Mrs. Tom Owens, Helen Mayes, Ethel Mayes, Virginia Hays, Gemella Dudley, Lottie Jo Owens, Florence Luther, Mary Perner, Rozelle Pharr, Mary Elizabeth Gray and Joy Coates.

Accompanying the basketball boys were Coach Patterson, and Mrs. Lee Wilson, and players included Bobby Lemmons, Donald Wilson, George B. Armentrout, Byron Williams, Bill Hannah, Stanley Lemmons, Roy Coates, L. B. Cox, Shorty Colquitt, Mervin McLaughlin, Bill Carson and Charles McDonald.

JOHN ZIPS VISITS

John Zips of Lueders, Texas, a brother of the late Earnest Zips, Crockett county ranch owner who died in a Del Rio hospital January 25, was an Ozona visitor Wednesday. Mr. Zips was here looking after his brother's affairs. The visit was Mr. Zips' first since 1934 when he visited his brother. "Uncle Tuck" Hughes, who made his home with Ernest Zips for 20 years, will go to Vernon to make his home with a sister.

700,000 LBS. SPRING WOOL IS SOLD HERE

34 And 34½ Cents Net To Growers Paid On Contracts

TWO BUYERS HERE

Lea And Murphy Take Fleeces Of Over Score Growers

Presaging a bullish 1941 wool market, two wool buyers moved into Ozona this week and wrote up contracts calling for more than 700,000 pounds of unshorn Spring wool from the backs of sheep in the pasture of more than a score of Crockett county growers.

The prices paid were 34 and 34½ cents net to the growers, the buyers to take delivery at the ranch.

J. M. Lea, San Angelo wool warehouseman and buyer for Draper and Co., Boston wool dealers, here Monday contracted for more than 300,000 pounds of Crockett county wool at 34 cents a pound delivered at the ranch.

The price was upped a half cent Tuesday and Wednesday when Leonard M. Murphy, buyer for Draper Top Company, a Boston textile manufacturing concern, contracted for unshorn fleeces totalling approximately 400,000 pounds at 34½ cents net to the grower, ranch delivery.

Mr. Lea, who also bought about 50,000 pounds at the 34 cent figure in the Sanderson county, contracted for the Spring clips from ranches of Dock Lee, Clay Montgomery, Ira Carson, Massie West, Wayne West, J. M. Baggett and Sons, George Harrell, R. A. Harrell, Ele Hagelstein, Ralph Watson, Fred Hagelstein, Paul Perner, Marbury Morrison and T. A. Kincaid, Jr.

Mr. Murphy bought the unshorn clips of Jones Miller, Rob and Roy Miller, Lee Childress, George Montgomery, E. H. Chandler, Mrs. C. E. Davidson, Charley Davidson, Bud Kincaid, Arthur Phillips, Vic Montgomery, Boyd Clayton and others.

Smallest Class Seeking Diplomas From OHS In May

Only Thirteen Candidates For Graduation In 1941

One of the smallest classes in many years, the roll of candidates for graduation from Ozona High School in May, 1941, was announced this week by Supt. C. S. Denham. Only thirteen are enrolled in the class, smaller by some five or six than any class in recent years.

The small class is not the result of a large number of failures, the superintendent explained, but is brought about by a combination of circumstance which saw the withdrawal of several members of the class when their families moved away from Ozona and the fact that chance brought a small class in that age up through the grades.

The class roll of candidates for graduation at commencement exercises set for May 15, include the following:

George B. Armentrout, Mary Frances Bean, Joe B. Chapman, Will Colquitt, Jess Hancock, Virginia Hays, Harold Keeton, Bobby Lemmons, Sybil Luther, Helen Mayes, Marjorie Ross, Elton Smith, Jr., and Vernon Donald Wilson.

Honor students in the class will be determined at a faculty meeting to be held sometime within the next few weeks, the superintendent said. Honor students are selected on the basis of grade averages for the first three years in high school and the first semester of the senior year.

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NO POWER BOTTLENECK . . .

West Texas and the nation now have an abundance of electric power to meet the national defense requirements over and above present consumption in home and business.

Present-day plant generating capacity in the United States is greater than the combined electrical output of England, France and Germany, a recent survey shows.

The nation's utilities companies, owned and operated by men and women who invested in sound business enterprise and who've learned to render emergency service through long experience, have prepared in advance and without the use of tax money or government aid.

U. S. electric power facilities now exceed 40,000,000 kilowatts compared to less than 9,000,000 kilowatts each in England, France and Germany.

The West Texas Utilities Company, now entering its thirtieth year of service to West Texans, already is serving three national defense units: the Army air base at San Angelo, Camp Barkeley at Abilene, and the air training school at Stamford. Present facilities are sufficient to fill the requirements of many other defense projects should they be located in this area.

The company has three major generating stations and 14 standby power plants, maintained as a reserve supply of electricity. Eighteen interconnections give added security against shortage or prolonged interruptions.

A total of 2,715 miles of transmission lines form a network giving nearly every community served by the company at least two incoming sources.

Such transmission systems throughout the nation have replaced small isolated plants subject to frequent breakdowns and expensive overhead, depreciation, and operating cost. The first such line in West Texas was constructed by the company in 1915 and extended from Abilene to Merkel.

Supplying the nation as a whole are 82,000 miles of high voltage transmission lines, 60,000 volts and over, interconnected to give U. S. a higher peak of service efficiency and cost economy than any other country in the world.

Sonnet In 1862



Stern be the pilot in this dreadful hour When a great nation like a ship at sea With the wroth breakers whitening of her lee, Feels the last shudder of her helmsman's crew; If Godlike manhood be his mighty power! Such and so guided Lincoln, mayst thou be With thy high wisdom's low simplicity And awful tenderness of voted power. From our hot records thee thy name shall stand On Time's calm ledger out of passionate days— With the pure debt of gratitude begun. And only paid in never-ending praise— One of the many of a mighty land, Made by God's providence the appointed one. — (1862) JAMES PRATT

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THIS BUSINESS OF Living

BY SUSAN THAYER



Lipstick—An Affront to the State! . . .

Grandmother was old at forty. Or if she was unusually vigorous she might be forty-five before she took to sitting by the fireplace and wearing lace caps at home and "bonnets" for church.

Today a woman of forty still has a firm hold on life. Some of the glamorous ladies of Hollywood have been making pictures for 20 years. Several of our most popular actresses are frankly this old. And everywhere there are young women of forty and more still feeling, and what is more, looking young. Perhaps that is half the battle.

Grandmother frizzed her hair with curl paper and used a little rice powder now and then. Today's woman goes in frankly for permanent waves, for creams and lotions and make-up. The right use of face powder is considered a virtue and lipstick is a badge of courage with which any woman is able to face the world more bravely. Indeed, with the help of diet, exercise and cosmetics, she has gone a long way toward discovering the fountain of youth and her life of usefulness has been lengthened by a decade or more.

But across the ocean there are countries where an interest in

looks is frowned on and make-up is considered an affront to the state. Woman's place is definitely in the home and her job is motherhood, or work in field or factory depending on the demands of the state. So what does it matter how she looks? The men of those countries propose to run them in their own way without feminine suggestions or advice and each year women are surrounded by more of the limitations from which we had, with such pains, escaped. A woman in these countries is no longer an individual with freedom of expression and actions. She no longer has an opportunity for higher education or a professional career of her own if her bent is that way.

The threat of the dictator countries is bad enough for men. But for women it means the end of everything for which she has struggled for hundreds of years. Our freedom to take part in the affairs of our communities . . . to be companions to our children . . . to dress as we please and can afford . . . to use the beauty-giving preparations that modern business has provided . . . to be young and useful far into "middle age" all depend on living in a country whose government believes the individual is more important than the state . . . And that women are individuals as well as men!

An American was touring Wales, and upon entering a hotel noticed the words "tam btab" printed on the mat. "Ah," he exclaimed, "I suppose that is Welsh for Welcome." "No, sor," replied the doorman, "that's the bath mat upside down."

Face to Face With Facts . . .

Any plea for economy in governmental affairs today is whippier into oblivion, like a cry for help from a shipwreck victim on a gale swept sea. And yet the plea must be made again and again in the hope this country will hear it before it is too late. Not the national debt itself, but the manner in which the people of this nation can meet it, is the problem.

Adequate defense has made increased debt inevitable, therefore an effective plan for economy in non-defense expenditures coupled with rehabilitation of our tax system, is imperative without delay. National bankruptcy would nullify, not only all defense measures (bankrupt nations fall easy prey to the aggressor), but would wipe out every last vestige of the American citizens' savings, security and freedom.

In the first 27 weeks of the current fiscal year treasury (Federal) income was \$7,000,000,000. Outgo, 13.2 billions. Deficit, \$6.2 billions. Public debt at year end, \$49.2 billions. Next year estimated income, \$8.3 billions. Outgo, \$17.5 billions. Deficit, \$9.2 billions. Public debt at year end, \$58.4 billions.

In giving the above figures the Wall Street Journal adds: "New budget includes no aid-to-Britain; makes no allowance for new taxes. Defense figures are tentative. So is work relief. But only sheer inability to spend will cut out schedule."

There is only one possible way in which these staggering expenditures can be prevented from bringing chaos to this country and to every individual living within its borders; it is for every person to become fully conscious of his share of the burden. Economy in non-defense spending will remain an idle dream as long as millions of people live with the lie that government can give them something for nothing. Direct taxes on all must be made to drive home the fact that the people, all the people, are only ones who dig up every nickle that government spends. Only in that way can we save this nation from destruction from within while our military strength preserves it from those who would destroy it from without.

Dangerous All Around . . .

From the President's recent defense speech, one phrase keeps coming back to mind. It was to the effect that today no course is open to the country that is without danger. Everybody wants to be safe. In fact some of the most desperately daring deeds of personal bravery have been done in the effort to become safe. That is how precious safety is to man—so precious that he will often risk his life on a hair's turn in the hope of attaining it. So with every course faced by our country today. Our mounting debt—a terrible risk, of course. Our foreign policy—what can it be but a frightful passage between Scylla and Charybdis? Reforms and social pioneering—a gamble. Why take these chances, then? Why not withdraw, ostrich-like, from the world, in the hope that the storm will pass? Because most of us feel instinctively that this is the most dangerous course of all.—Portsmouth (Va.) Star.

Say "I saw it in the Stockman"

Public Weary of Threats . . .

Threats of strikes are ever current in defense industries. The American people are about fed up with irresponsibility on the part of any group. When the cream of the nation's youth is being drafted into the army at compensation of \$1.00 a day, there will eventually be short shift for those who take advantage of every crisis to gain more power and more privileges.

Labor and industry have a great opportunity now to show what they can do. Compulsory production methods for either industry or labor are unsatisfactory and can be avoided by the parties at interest if they do not alienate public sympathy and good will.

Make It Credible . . .

"A Government bulletin on 'How to Treat a Black Eye' is now available.—Newspaper filler. Many would prefer a bulletin on 'How to Explain a Black Eye.'—Minneapolis Morning Tribune.

THERE'S NO WAITING

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BUILDING SUPPLIES HEADQUARTERS

Britain 'Takes It' and Carries On



At the left is shown a "knitting bee" in a Ramsgate, England, bomb shelter. These shelters are cut through solid chalk, 60 feet below the surface, and accommodate about 50,000 persons. The women are knitting comforts for the warriors. Right: Repairing watermains and light conduits in Ramsgate after a Nazi air raid.

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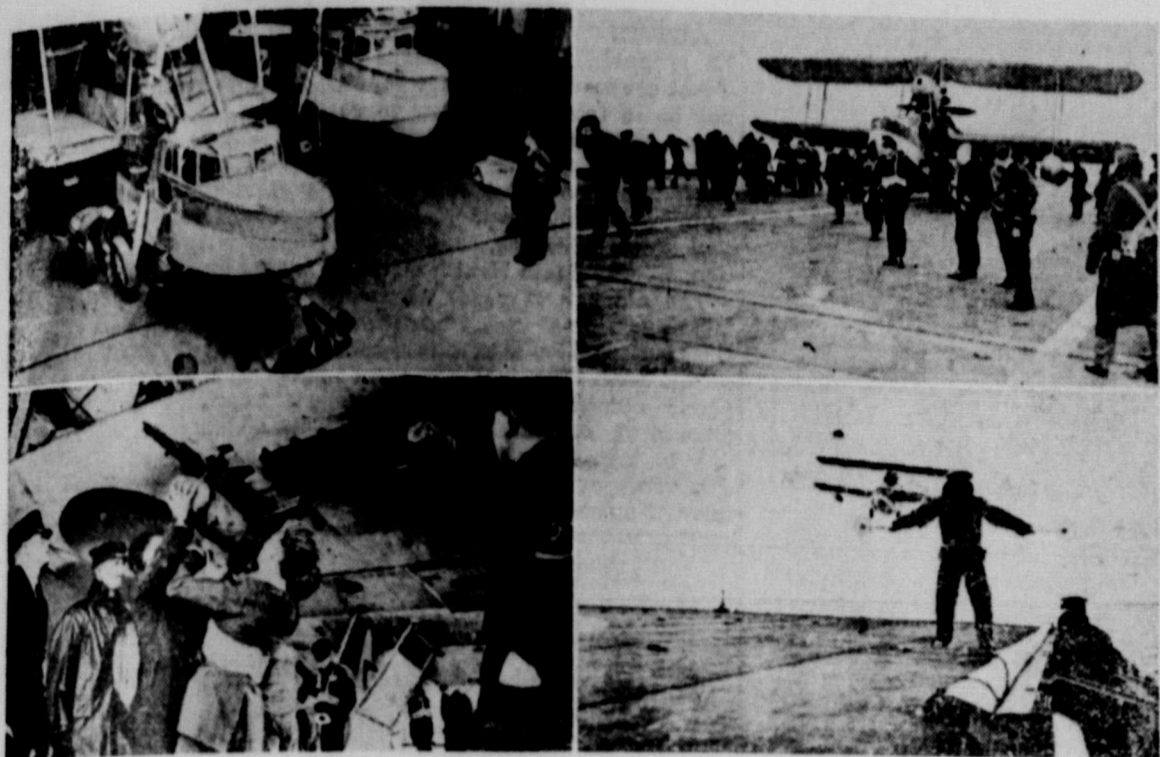
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With the Air Arm of the Royal Navy



These photos, released by the British admiralty, give the layman an idea of what goes on behind the terse communiques. Top left, scene in the below-deck hangar of an aircraft carrier of the royal navy. Top right, the ground crew takes to its heels as the motors rev up for the takeoff. Lower left, the port wing of a Walrus plane gets its load of bombs before the takeoff. Lower right, a war bird comes home to roost.

Behind the Scenes In American Business

By John Craddock

NEW YORK — BUSINESS — With the whole national effort being concentrated on building up national defense and providing the "arsenal for democracy" pledge by President Roosevelt, the whole complexion of the business and in-

dustrial picture is more and more determined by "Washington." The President's budget message gave some idea of defense-spending pace that will prevail, influencing all other lines of business and production — stepping up most (through payrolls, employment), curbing some (because of priorities in materials, personnel, machines).

So here's the budget message boil-down on spending: During the fiscal year starting next July 1, FDR plans (or hopes) to spend \$10,811,000,000 on defense. That's at an average rate of \$900,000,000 a month, twice the present defense-spending rate, and the pace will be getting faster and faster month by month, so that, sometime between now and June of 1942 the outlay for armaments will be running above a billion-a-month!

EIGHT UP — Reflecting national income gain is a comparative table, by sections and nationally, for eight key categories in the general business picture, for first nine months of 1940, against same period of 1939. All eight, nationally, were on the "up" side—passenger car sales by 27 per cent; gasoline consumption by 6; household refrigerator sales by 39; sales of ordinary life insurance (a column that in several previous tables minus while most of the rest were plus) up by 2 per cent; value of checks drawn, up by 3 per cent; farm income, by 7; electric power output, 12; and heavy construction, up 10.

RE-EMPLOYMENT GAINS — Since the bound-to-be expansion

of payrolls in defense industries during the first quarter of 1941 will coincide with seasonal employment gains in agriculture, Uncle Sam's total unemployment may in the next few months dip close to the 5,000,000 level. (The number of idle was estimated at 7,200,000 at the beginning of December by the National Industrial Conference Board.) Employment is already running at close to the 1929 pace, both in agriculture and non-agriculture fields, so the current unemployment must be largely due to the expansion of potential workers' supply since '29. This expansion is estimated to be at the rate of about 600,000 per year. The NICB estimates that by the end of March the defense industries will have absorbed 3,450,000 workers—since early in 1940.

THINGS TO WATCH FOR—A new addition to the diverse line of package fruit and vegetable juices—concentrated watermelon juice! . . . Recording of semi-serious and serious concert music by some of our hottest dance-band tooters, with clarinetists Benny Goodman and Artie Shaw in the van—the latter has just tottled a "Concerto in F" on wax, that puts him in the virtuoso brackets . . . A small aluminum device that clips onto any right-handed No. 2 golf iron, converting it into a left-hand club for use when a bad lie against a tree or other obstruction makes it impossible to swing from the right side.

Carelessness is the mother of catastrophe.

METHODIST CHURCH

Eugene Slater, Minister
Calendar of Services
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship—11:00 a. m.
Epworth League—6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship—7:30 p. m.
Woman's Society of Christian Service, Wednesday, 3:00 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal — Thursday—7:30 p. m.

The church opens her arms to all who are tired, to all who feel the need for new strength, to all who are lonely, to all who know that sin has threatened to overcome them, to all who tremble in the presence of temptation and to all who want to live better lives.

We invite you to become a part of us, not because of any merit of our own, but because our fellowship together has helped to answer some of our needs.

On Sunday morning, February 23, Dr. Umphrey Lee, president of S. M. U., will preach for us. We want you to have the privilege of hearing this preacher.

Jack Baggett, student at A. and M. College, spent a few days here this week between terms at the college visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Baggett.

Better to cripple a schedule than a pedestrian.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Clyde Childers, Pastor
Schedule of services:
9:45 Sunday School
11:00 Morning Worship
6:30 Training Union
7:30 Evening Worship
Wednesday, 3:00 W. M. S. Circles meet
7:30 Mid-Week service
8:15 Choir practice

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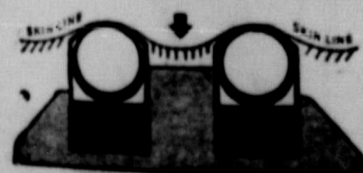


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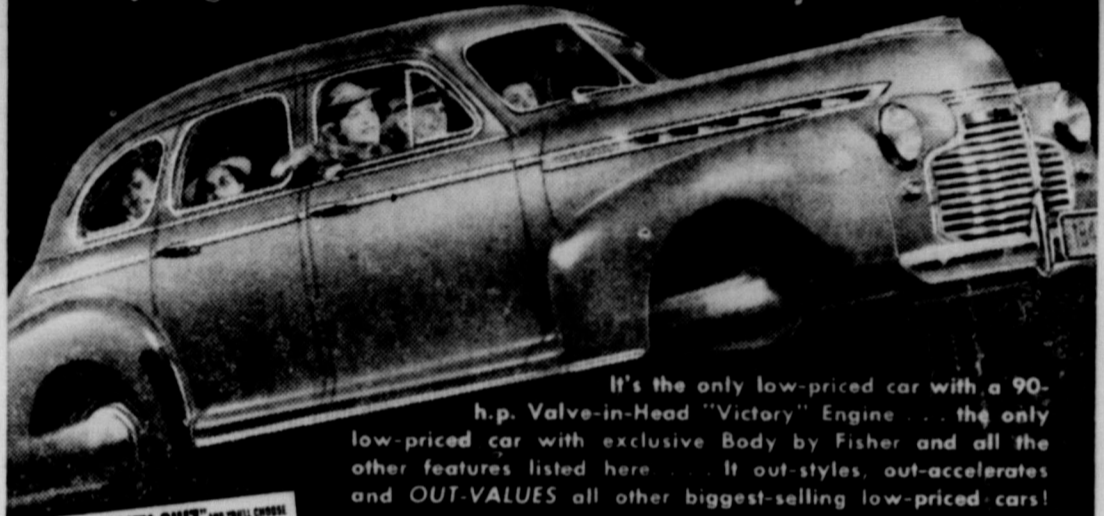


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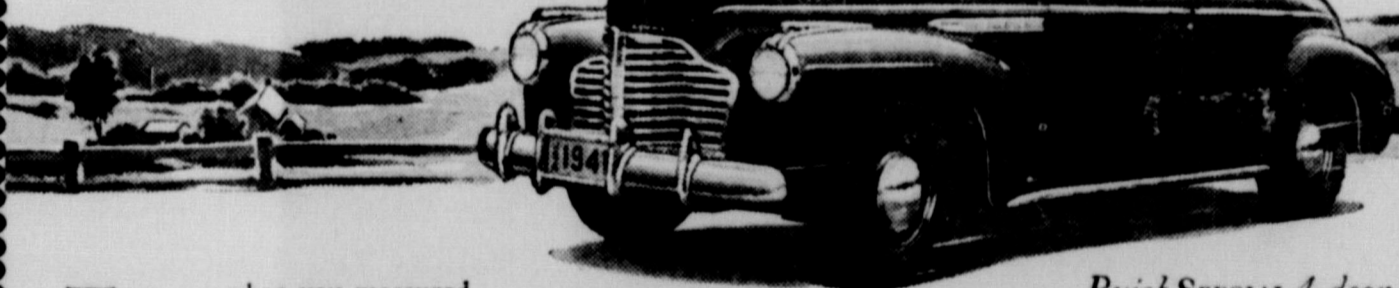
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Adwell Announces New Show Schedules

W. V. Adwell, owner of the Ozona Theatre, announces that, starting this week-end, all Saturday shows will be continuous from 2:30 p. m., with a complete show after 8:00 p. m. Week-day shows will start at 7:30 p. m., starting Monday, and Sunday shows will continue as in the past. Two latest news reels will be shown each week, said Mr. Adwell.

In carrying out his policy of bringing only the best shows, and having late release dates comparable with larger cities, Mr. Adwell is presenting today and Friday "Chad Hanna," in technicolor.

Women's Society Plans Candy Sale

The Women's Society for Christian Service met at the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon for a business session and Bible lesson taught by Rev. Eugene Slater. The study was from the book of Jonah. Next week's lesson will be from the book of Ruth.

The Society voted to sell homemade candy each Saturday night at the bowling alleys, proceeds to go into the Society's treasury.

Present at this week's meeting were Mrs. R. A. Harrell, Mrs. Stephen Perner, Mrs. Paul Perner, Mrs. Madden Read, Mrs. Eugene Slater, Mrs. James Baggett, Mrs. W. R. Baggett, Mrs. Mary Perner, Mrs. Harry Perner, Mrs. Bill Littleton, Mrs. W. E. Smith, Miss Mary Riddle, Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., Mrs. Johnny Henderson, Mrs. Tom Harris, Mrs. Early Baggett, Mrs. Carl Colwick, Mrs. Hudson Mayes, Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. Lee Childress, Mrs. N. W. Graham, Mrs. Jess Sweeten, Mrs. Charles Coates, Mrs. J. C. Montgomery, Mrs. Tom Owens, Mrs. Pon Seahorn, Mrs. Buddy Moore and Rev. Slater.

Mrs. Al Fields was taken to a San Angelo hospital the last of the week. She underwent treatment there for a few days and was removed early in the week to the home of her brother, Guy Davis, in San Angelo where she is recuperating.

Scouting supplements such existing organizations as the home, church and school.

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Courtesy Nation's Business



Military Training Helps Reformation

Army training is making men out of these boys at the New York City reformatory, at New Hampton, N. Y. At the suggestion of Mayor Fiorella La Guardia, military drill was tried as an experiment at the correctional institution. The average age of the boys is 19. Here you see (left) a company presenting arms at a flag-lowering ceremony. Right: Immates charging with their wooden guns during field drill.



Nazi Spy Radio



A girl examines the portable radio transmitter which was used by two German spies who slipped into England as refugees. They sent back military movements to Germany. The spies were executed in Pentonville prison.

Son—"Pop, are political plums raised from seeds?"
Pop—"No, son, sometimes a little grafting is necessary."

Young Romeo — Where's your sister, Jimmy?
Jimmy — She'll be right back. She rushed upstairs to change her ring when she seen you coming.

Tex. Ranchers Ship 80,577 Carloads of Livestock In 1940

AUSTIN, Feb. 12.—Texas ranchers marketed 80,577 carloads of livestock during 1940, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research estimates.

Total shipments were 9.4 per cent below those of 1939, with sheep marketings showing the only increase—11.8 per cent, to 11,446 cars.

Cattle shipments—47,125 cars—dropped 14.4 per cent; calves—13,672 cars—declined 10 per cent; and hogs—8,334 cars—fell 1.5 per cent.

Tourist—"What a quaint little village! Truly one-half the world is ignorant of how the other half lives."

Native — Not in this village mister; not in this village.

Clarice — "Have your fincée's people accepted you as one of the family yet?"

Alice—"I'll say. I got bawled out last night for using the guest towel."

Texas Business Boom May Reach New Peak

AUSTIN, Feb. 12.—As 1941 gets well under way, Texas business is experiencing a boom that, a University of Texas economist predicts, will take it to an all-time peak before many months.

Dr. F. A. Buechel, statistician for the University's Bureau of Business Research, computes the index of general business activity for December at 106.3, or 5.6 points above December a year ago.

This level places business 6.3 points above the average month of 1930.

Factors contributing to this composite index are employment, up 5 points; payrolls, up 6 points; freight loading, up 5 points; runs of crude oil to refinery stills, up 14 points; department store sales, down 2 points; electric power consumption, up 8 points.

More than half of the 46,446 Boy Scout Troops in the nation are sponsored by churches or religious groups.

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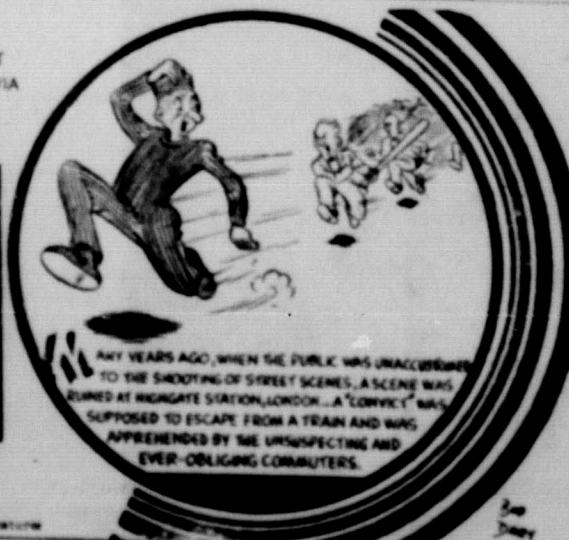
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BY Bob Dart

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ANY YEARS AGO, WHEN THE PUBLIC WAS UNACQUAINTED TO THE SHOOTING OF STREET SCENES, A SCENE WAS FILMED AT KINGSTON STATION, LONDON. A "LOWKEY" WAS SUPPOSED TO ESCAPE FROM A TRAIN AND WAS APPREHENDED BY THE UNSPECTING AND EVER OBLIGING COMMITTEES.

Care Of Influenza Convalescents Urged

AUSTIN, Texas—While influenza is prevalent, the citizens of Texas are warned that they should not be in too big a hurry to return to their work following a siege of this disease. Influenza of itself is seldom fatal, but complications, principally pneumonia, are the cause of death, asserts Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. The number of cases of pneumonia last week was four times the usual incidence at this season of the year. The increase corresponds almost directly with the amount of influenza reported. The termination of the acute symptoms of influenza does not indicate a complete recovery. Many persons believe this to be true and return to their daily routine, only to suffer a relapse. Others plod along in a weakened state, harboring a sub-acute cold, and continuing prolonged trouble.

Past experience indicates that the longer an epidemic persists, the more severe it becomes. The possibility of complications increases; therefore, early medical care in any suspected case of influenza is very important. Success in handling pneumonia depends on early recognition, and its onset may be unrecognized by the patient. In general a sharp pain in the chest on breathing and coughing may mean that pneumonia has developed.

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OZONA, TEXAS

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I STILL LIKE ROSES, FOUR OF 'EM! (R.C.)

DUCK HAWKS ARE FALCONS, NOT DUCKS, AND THEY RARELY CATCH DUCKS ACCORDING TO "NATURAL HISTORY" MAGAZINE.

Ozonans Attend Methodist Men's Meet In Angelo

Five Ozonans attended a banquet given by the Men's Brotherhood of the First Methodist Church in San Angelo Tuesday night. The banquet was staged in the Massie education building of the church with preachers and laymen from the district as guests.

Dr. W. H. Elkins, president of San Angelo College, was master of ceremonies. Dr. W. W. Jackson, president of the University of San Antonio and lay leader of the Southwest Conference, introduced the speaker of the evening, Dr. E. Dow Bancroft, associate secretary of the Board of Lay Activities of the Methodist church.

Dr. Bancroft spoke on the new church and the place of the laymen in it. He gave emphasis to the responsibility of the laymen in the new church and urged laymen to take up their work with renewed consecration and zeal.

Attending the banquet from Ozona were W. R. Baggett, J. M. Baggett, L. B. Cox, Jr., Bryan McDonald, and Rev. Eugene Slater.

TO SALE MEETING

Mrs. Elton Smith will leave for Marlin this week-end to attend a sales meeting of Luzier's cosmetics. Mrs. Smith is local representative for Luzier's, her territory including Barnhart and Big Lake. Mrs. Smith will receive a bonus at the Marlin meeting because of her sales record for the past twelve months. The local salesman was ranked among the first 48 in sales for the state.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hicks returned Sunday from San Angelo where Mrs. Hicks has been in a hospital for the past three weeks recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

A new two-year contract for street lighting was entered into by Utilities Co. when the Commissioners Court met this week. The court the county with the West Texas received quarterly reports of the treasurer and tax collector.

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Work is nearing completion on three new homes for Ozonans, that of Mr. and Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Peters and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littleton.

Ann West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Massie West, is under treatment this week in a San Angelo hospital.

The Boy Scout Movement healthfully and sanely offsets the disadvantages which civilization has caused.



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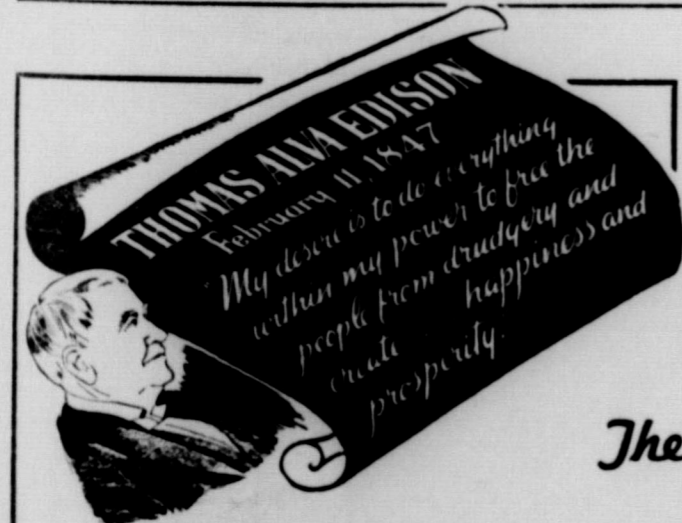
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SCOUTS IN O. H. S.

One of the finest organizations that is sponsored by the Ozona Schools is the Scout Organization. The white boys have their scout troop, which is troop 53. The Mexican boys have their own scout troop. These boys are not only strong in body, or physical powers but also building a strong foundation for truth, religious thoughts, and honesty.

Guinn Caruthers, who is the Scout Master of the Ozona Scout Patrol, is also a science teacher and manual training teacher. He teaches physic, chemistry, wood-work, biology, general science, and mechanical drawing. If Mr. Caruthers can find time to do all of these things and still have time to grade papers, there shouldn't be a boy in high school who doesn't have time to participate in scout activities.

Editor's Musings

By ADELE KEETON

As I was sitting in Mr. Denham's office one day, I noticed several quotations on his desk. Among them I found this one.

"Teach me to obey the rules of the game.

Teach me never to cry for the moon, never to cry over spilled milk.

Teach me to win if I can; if I can not win, teach me to be a good loser."

I think that everyone should read this quotation and think about it for a while. We can't all be winners, but we can all be good losers when we do lose. It is a very hard thing, sometimes, for us to learn to obey the rules of the game, but if we do obey them, we shall find that things work out better in the end. Of course, we do not cry for the moon or over spilled milk; nevertheless, we do things almost as bad sometimes. We usually do our best to win; however, we seem to find that the hardest thing to learn is to be a good loser. I think that if we should think about this quotation more often, we should all be easier to live with.

As the students graduate from high school, many of them don't know what vocation to choose. Some of them decide to be a doctor or something else because their parents want them to be one, or maybe the men in their families have been doctors for several generations. Usually, unless the boy really likes medicine, he will not make a success. I think that a student who has finished high school knows pretty well what he wants to do. It should be left up to the boy or girl entirely. If it is not, he may wreck his whole life by choosing the wrong vocation. If he knows what he wants to do, he should be allowed to do that as long as it is a honest and upright business. Of course, it is good to show him the hard points, but he should be encouraged to do that thing because, if he wants to badly enough, he will succeed.

Freshmen Present Chinese Play

A play was given for chapel by the freshmen class Feb. 6, 1941, directed by Miss Mildred North. The name of the play was "The Stolen Prince," a story of young prince who was mistaken for his sister and stolen. It was a Chinese play without scenery and with the property man doing most of the work.

The actors in the play were Mel-bal Cullins, Burl Sparks, Mary Gray, Tom Ed Montgomery, Calvin Williams, Louise Bean, J. H. Stevens, Leroy Barto, Mildred Neathery, Jim Ad Harvick, acting as chorus and "Lee Mee" the duck. The members of the band were: Judith Williams, Nita Hays, Alyne Hokit, Bertie Sue Brownrigg, Ailene Cook, Billy Laxson, Georgia Nell Senne, and Lila Lee Cooke.

SPORTS

by Trout

The Ozona Lions defeated their traditional opponents, Friday February 8, for the second time this year. The top-sided score, 34-18, was much more even at the end of the third quarter, however. (The Lions scored 18 points in the fourth quarter to the Bronchos 1).

The Sonorans, runner-ups for the consolation trophy in the O. H. S. invitation basketball tournament, held a lead of 1 to 5 points all the way until the early minutes of the fourth quarter.

In this final stanza, Ozona staged a free-for-all scoring spree, with the points scattered among the five regulars and substitutes. M. Williams and B. Lemmons shared high-scoring honors with 10 points; Hannah scored 4; Wilson scored a close second to the top with a count of 8; Carson made two tallies.

Sonora made 4 points in the last half—one field goal and two free tosses.)

The Lions and Bronchos tangle again Monday night of this week in the O. H. S. gymnasium. Umpire will probably be Guinn Caruthers of Ozona.

The Ozona quintet plays Rock-springs in Rock-springs Tuesday and Rock-springs return the game to Ozona in Ozona Friday. Saturday the Ozona five engages the Eldorado team in Eldorado Monday of next week, the Eldorado come to Ozona for a return match. All of these games are conference games to be counted in the All-Ranch-Country-League.

Starters for Ozona team included:

Forwards: Wilson and Hannah.
Center: Cloquitt (Captain)
Guards: Lemmons and Williams
Substitutes were as follows:
Carson, Chapman, Coates, B. F. Lemmons and Cox.

O-H-S

Lottie Owens Honors Joy and Roy Coates By Dance at Hotel

Lottie Jo Owens was hostess to a dance held Saturday night at Hotel Ozona. The occasion was to celebrate the birthdays of Roy and Joy Coates. They were fifteen, February 9.

Music was furnished by a combination radio-victrola. Refreshments were punch and a very artistic birthday cake. First Joy and then Roy made a wish before blowing out the candles. Numerous charmes were in the delicious cake.

Guests attending were Joy Coates, Billy Hannah, Roy Coates, Margaret Russell, Lottie Jo Owens, Shorty Colquitt, Gem Ella Dudley, J. K. Colquitt, Mary Faye Lucas, Eddie Cooke, Mary Elizabeth Gray, Jim Ad Harvick, Virginia and Juanita Mayes, Ethel Mayes, Susie Hokit, Rozelle Pharr, Florence Luther, Joe B. Chapman, Donald Wilson, Leroy Barto, Bill Carson, Wayne West, Lorain Wyatt, Charles McDonald, Pee Wee Smith, Mary Perner, Boochie Coates, L. B. Cox III, Bland Tandy, Stanley and Bobby Lemmons, Mervin McLaughlin, and Leslie Nance.

Here's Your "Ready Reference" List of School-Mate Nicknames

You hardly know what to call your best friend nowadays. You are confused as to what the "new" nick-name is.

The high school students have gone for nicknames in a big way. Some of the nicknames given in the last few weeks are as follows:

Freshmen:
Juanita Hays—Nita
J. H. Stevens—Oxidation Stevens.

Sophomores:
Charles McDonald—Chib
Bland Tandy—Butch or Hi Toots
Mary Perner—Bonnie
Margaret Russell—Tonia
Joy Coates—Frits
Lottie Jo Owens—Connie; Sugg
Ethel Mayes—Dulcy; Maysie
Zella Thurman—Pet
Frisilla Baker—Prissy Jean
Vera McCaleb—Caddie

Juniors:
Billy Hannah—Big brother; Tydrochloric acid.
Bill Carson — Baby Face, Lipstick.

Ex-"Lions Roar" Worker Continues Journalism Study

Billy Jo West, ex-make-up editor of the Lion's Roar, is attending Baylor University at Waco, Texas. Miss West is continuing her newspaper work in college by being a reporter on the "Lariat," the college paper. She plans to be a news-woman after graduating, and is taking foundation courses for a journalistic career.

Billy Jo likes Baylor very much and is having a good time with her associates at Alexander Hall, the newest addition to the University. Being a lover of sports, she takes both volley ball and tennis. Billy Jo and Tincy Kirby were tennis double champions here in 1938-39-40.

Fencing is a new sport that she plans to take up after having had some work in that field here under Mrs. A. W. Jones, her former expression teacher.

Baylor differs from most colleges in the respect that the school year is divided into three terms instead of the two semesters. A student must report to class every day therefore completing more work in less time. Billy Jo is especially doing well in her Spanish and English.

Four years of work at Baylor University and then the launching into the journalistic world are the plans Miss West has made for herself. Here's wishing the best of luck to her, and may we read her articles in the leading newspapers one of these days.

Hiway Patrol Speaks To Home Ec. Club

The Home Economics Club met in the projection room of the grade school building at 7:00 o'clock, Monday February 4.

Mr. Crow of the highway department gave a talk on "Courtesy in Driving a Car." He told some odd incidents which had occurred to him in reference to manners and courtesy of driving. After his talk, he gave five minutes of his time for answering questions asked by members of the club.

A picture show, dealing with courtesy and laws of bicycle riding followed his talk. The show lasted about twenty minutes after which the meeting adjourned.

Hogg's Tales

"Are you fond of Hogg's tales?" asked a lady of an old farmer, the other evening.

"Yes, I like 'em roasted with salt on 'em," was the response.

"No, but I mean have you read Hogg's tales?"

"No, indeed," he said. "Our hogs are all black and white. I don't think there is a red one among them."

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Naval Recruit—Captain, what shall I do if I get seasick?

Captain — Don't worry about that. You'll do it.

Valentine Day Originated As Festival Honoring Saints

Saint Valentine is the name given to several stints and martyrs of the Christian Church, of whom the most well known are two martyrs whose festivals fell on Feb. 14. The most reliable account show that both lived in the third century and died on the same day. The traditional anniversary for their death, Feb. 14, has long since been observed as a lovers' day. If this account of the origination of St. Valentine Day is true, it can be concluded that this day is one of the oldest of days of observance.

Several other explanations as given for the familiar custom of sending love gifts, cards, and boxes of candy to one's favorites. Some say that a Saint Valentine was accustomed to go around from house

to house, leaving food on the door-steps of the poor; and that the custom of sending Valentine greetings developed from that fact.

Both Chaucer and Shakespeare refer to the observance of the festival on the day in early spring when birds first choose their mates. A custom for that day was the drawing of lots to, see which young man and young woman should be each others "valentine" during the rest of the year. The same cases were regarded as engaged. Later, the custom of making presents on Saint Valentines Day was confined to the men. In some countries St. Valentine's Day has fallen into disuse, but the sending of valentines and gifts of flowers and candy on February 14, is still common in America.

Class Favorites Elected Monday

The four classes of the Ozona High School elected the class favorites Monday. This election was for the purpose of putting them in the Annual. The election was held by secret ballot.

Those elected from the Freshmen were Tom Ed Montgomery and Juanita Hays. Sophs were Lottie Owens and Roy Coates. Juniors were Mary Faye Lucas and Wayne West. The Seniors were George Armentrout and Virginia Hays.

SENSSES OWENS-MAYES

Heard: A funny sound, it seems that Rozelle gargles when she gets tickled. Sounds bad, Rozie!

The freshmen always being called down in study hall. My, what a frisky bunch of fish we have!

Mary Faye couldn't be found Sunday. Where were you anyway, Faye?

Roy's making some very cute wise cracks Friday night. Say, Roy, you had better think before you say some of them.

Joe P's saying he was just five. You may act that young, Joe, but you look a few years older.

Sybil's heart beating very fast. Those uniformed boys at the Park Inn in Sonora were good-looking, weren't they Sybil?

That one of the Sunday school classes had a very nice time Sunday morning. The teacher wasn't there. For information on "How to Entertain a Sunday School Class," ask L. B., Jim Ad, Charles, and Bland.

Helen and Jean had a very good time in San Angelo Sunday. What about that, girls?

Seen: Gem Ella's, looking very happy over the week-end. J. K. seems to make quite an impression on her.

Jim Ad's, "sitting out" most of the dances at the dance Saturday night. You should never wear new shoes to a dance. If you don't believe this ask, Jim Ad.

Eddy and Mildred together more than usual. Eddy, you are going to have to get Mildred a cushion. No one can see her in your car.

Mary's wearing a strange ring. We wonder whose it is, or was, Mary.

Herndon's taking his "girl" riding in a new Ford Sunday. Mr. Pingleton's enjoying a certain study hall almost every day. Gem Ella wouldn't have anything to do with it, would she, or would she?

Felt: Very comfortable. Rozelle was very comfortable sitting in the bottom of Pris's car, or were you, Rozie?

Old age. Old age is creeping up on Joy and Roy. They were 15 Sunday.

Blisters. Stanley, blisters are very hard to dance on, aren't they?

Very bad. Tom Ed felt very bad because he was ill and couldn't go to the dance. We missed you, Tom.

Sore. This tennis playing does make your arms sore, doesn't it girls?

Tasted: Some very good hamburgers after the Sonora and Ozona game.

Ozona Troop 53 Observes National Boy Scout Week

On Saturday afternoon February 8, at 5:30 p. m, barbeque was served to the Boy Scouts and their parents at the Boy Scout Cabin. Following the barbeque, President Roosevelt's speech to the Boy Scouts of America was heard.

Immediately after President Roosevelt's speech, a Court of Honor was held with Coach Patterson, advancement man of the local committee in charge. The Court of Honor was then turned over to assistant Scout Master Mr. Boyd Lovelace. Five Boy Scouts Class to Star Rank were; Roy Coates, Charles E. McDonald, Bill Carson, Wayne West, and Eddy Cooke, Leslie Nance, Jr., was advanced to Life rank.

Following this, 38 merit badges were given to 13 scouts. The 13 Scouts and the 38 merit badges they received were: Bill Carson, chemistry, swimming and automobiling; Bobby Lemmons, chemistry, dairying and automobiling; L. B. Cox, automobiling, mechanical drawing, dairying and horsemanship; Bland Tandy, mechanical drawing, wood work and typing; Henry Patrick, photography, mechanical drawing and automobiling; Leslie Nance, Jr. public health, mechanical drawing and automobiling; Lorain Wyatt, mechanical drawing and automobiling; Roy Coates, dairying, wood work, and photography! Charles McDonald, horsemanship wood phy; Jim Ad Harvick, dairying; Tom Ed Montgomery, automobiling and horsemanship.

Following the presentation of the merit badges, Mr. Don C. Baldwin, the Scout Executive for the Concho Valley dismissed the scouts.

"The Scouts of Ozona are very lucky to have such surroundings in which to roam and camp. There are many Indians' caves to explore and streams to fish in, besides the lakes," explained Mr. Caruthers at one of the latter scout meetings.

I think that Ozona's location is one of the best locations in the state."

Let us take advantage of this location. "Join the Scouts."

Grades for Three Weeks Are Posted

The three weeks grades were posted in the hall on Tuesday. The senior class had the largest percentage of F's with the total score of 16. The Juniors came next with 10 F's. The Freshmen class had 6 F's. The seniors had most of their low grades made in history. The other classes seemed to be the weakest in English and math.

These were the first grades which came out after the mid-term exams; therefore the students should "pep" up and bring those F's up. We feel sure that there won't be nearly so many bad marks in the next three weeks, when the report cards come out. At least we hope not.

Missus—"What have you got that string tied around your finger for?"

Mister—"Why you had me tie it there to remind me to mail that letter for you!"

Missus—"And did you mail it?"
Mister—"No, you forgot to give it to me."

The Prowler

By Gem Ella Dudley

Stanley, if you're not careful, your handkerchiefs are going to get you into trouble; maybe you can blame Eli—maybeeeee.

Oh, yet, and Eli seems to think quite a bit of a certain senior girl: Hint—"I dream of Ginny."

Incidentally Miss Keeton won't tell me his name. What's the matter, hon? You're not ashamed of him, are you?

It wasn't late-datin' or Date Latin' but Date hatin'—or was it? A certain gal and certain guy just didn't seem to make connections Sunday night. Why?

San Angelo was once disliked by a certain senior girl. Now, it's very much liked. Why, Marie?

It has been proven that a picture of a skeleton can be otherwise. If anyone believes this statement false, look at the picture in S. H.

"Freshmen" seem to get around, and from the looks of Sunday afternoon, Jim's that Freshman—And by the way Mary, who's Boy Scout pin are you wearing?

Leslie, what do you mean by saying your dad got his tennis ability from you? It's visa versa, isn't it?

Four girls ran as fast as they could Monday at noon to try to keep from being late, but were late, anyway — Poor girls! One never knows, does one?

Nell, do you like to wash dishes, or do you just dislike to study?

The noise heard at noon on last Friday came from the Kindergarten children. Reason: The "Fish" gave them a dinner.

Tom Ed don't you know that you shouldn't get sick and especially now? Poor Nita's heart is broken.

Roy and Joy make such a cute couple — If only they weren't twins.

Mary E., just who is your latest heart-throb? At one time, it's a senior and at the next it's a Fish. Gee, can't you make up your mind?

Frances, just why are you interested to know when we play Rock-springs? A certain "friend" could be the cause, could he?

Norma and Faye received some very "nice" letters from some Junction boys. Nice work, girls.

Dorothy why didn't you sleep well last night? It couldn't be because you and Kent had a "spat"—or could it?

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Echoes From The Library

by Florence Luther

Have you read "Famous Leaders of Character?"

This biography, written by Edwin Wildman, is a book containing stirring stories of the lives of men whose names stand for great minds and noble characters.

In this volume a group of men, unlike the average Americans, have been brought together to tell the stories of their lives. Some of these men lived long ago, and only the fact of their greatness has lived down to us. This author has dealt chiefly with the incidents of their youth, their ambitions in their boyhoods, and their strength of character to fight for them.

These stories will appeal to grown men, as much as to the boys, for it is in the daily happenings of home, the little incidents of school life, that future traits of character are discerned.

If you are interested in a music career read, "My Musical Life."

"My Musical Life" was written by Walter Damrosch. It contains a chapter on the authors childhood, his experiences, and his musical career.

This book would be interesting to anyone who is interested in the art of music. Men and women would appreciate this biography as well as do boys and girls.

Have you read "Season Timber?"

"Season Timber" was written by Dorothy Cranfield. The theme centers around Timothy Coulton Hulme, principal of a small-town academy, who finds himself deep in a second-youth love affair. He becomes involved, along with the students and the citizens of Washword County, Vermont, in a township election which turns on the issue of race prejudice.

For vocational stories, read "Other People's Houses."

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Lion's Roar---

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"People's Houses" was written by Margaret Williams.

In this book Dale Forest, obliged to earn her own living, does the only thing she knows how and accepts a series of jobs as companion, governess, housekeeper, and helper in a tearoom, all which bring her into contact with human nature and train her for building her own home, which is in prospect at the end of the story.

The character stimulation is good, and the reader, as well as the heroine, acquires a sense of fundamental social values. The touch of romance is well handled.

Read "Loon Feather," a fictitious story of Chippewa Indians.

"Loon Feather" was written by Iola Fulle.

This is a story of Eneta, daughter of Tecumseh, and granddaughter of the chief of the loon tribe at Ojoways. It takes place during the fur trading days on Mackinac Island. From it you get a clear and honest picture of the slow retreat of a civilization before the advance of a new one.

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MRS. W. E. MCCOOK

Mrs. W. E. McCook, the wife of the principal of the Ozona Latin-American School, teaches English in the Ozona Junior High School.

She is a young woman with light blue eyes, dark brown hair, a nice figure, and a very charming personality.

Formerly, she taught in Brownfield, Texas. When asked what she thought of Ozona and the school system of Ozona, she remarked, "I have taught in quite a few schools, but none can compare with Ozona."

She also stated, "I think that the Latin-American School very nice. Even though this is the first year my husband has taught Latin-Americans, he enjoys his work because of the good equipment furnished and the nice co-operation he receives from his pupils.

In her early years and through her high school days, Mrs. McCook attended school in Cleburne, Blum, Crawford, and Ballinger, Texas. Entering Abilene Christian College in 1933, she graduated from there in 1937 and married in 1938.

Mrs. McCook's parents live in Blum, Texas, where she visits quite often.

"My chief object in teaching English this year," stated Mrs. McCook, "is to see that the children learn the fundamentals of correct speech."

A little care makes mishaps rare.

NOTICE OF ELECTION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CROCKETT
TO THE DULY QUALIFIED
PROPERTY TAX PAYING
VOTERS OF CROCKETT COUNTY
WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held on the 21st day of February, 1941, at the Court House Building, in Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, in accordance with the provisions and upon the question contained in the following resolution and order:

RESOLUTION AND ORDER

BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF CROCKETT COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1, CALLING AN ELECTION UPON THE QUESTION OF AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF REVENUE BONDS OF SAID DISTRICT.

IT APPEARING that on the 2nd day of December, 1940, the State Board of Water Engineers granted the petition of more than fifty persons owning land in the district, and upon hearing said petition, created and established Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 and appointed J. W. North, J. D. Kirby, P. L. Childress, Jr., Boyd Clayton, and H. M. Phillips Directors for said District, and all of said Directors have taken the oath of office as such Directors and made bond as provided by law and that said Directors have organized as provided by law; and

IT APPEARING that on the 11th day of January, 1941, an election was held in said Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 upon the questions of confirmation of the District and the election of Directors therefor, and that said election resulted favorably to the confirmation of the District, and that the same Directors appointed by the State Board of Water Engineers were elected; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that on the 9th day of December, 1940, the Board of Directors of said District passed an order setting down a hearing for the exclusion of lands or other property from Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, said hearing having been set down for the 13th day of January, 1941, and that said hearing was held on said date, but no petitions for exclusion were presented by the land owners in said District, and the Board of Directors determined that it was advisable to make no changes in said District by excluding any territory therefrom; and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that it is now proper and necessary that an election be ordered upon the question of issuing revenue bonds of said District;

IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF CROCKETT COUNTY WATER CONTROL AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 1:

That an election be held within and for said Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, on the 21st day of February, 1941, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified property taxpaying voters of said District for their action thereupon the following proposition:

PROPOSITION

Shall the Board of Directors of Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 be authorized to issue Waterworks Revenue Bonds of said District in the maximum amount of \$75,000.00, maturing serially or otherwise over a period not exceeding 25 years from their date, as may be determined by the Board of Directors of said District, and bearing interest at a rate not to exceed four and one-fourth (4 1/4 %) per cent per annum, for the purpose of the purchase, improvement, construction, installation, maintenance and operation of a waterworks system, and to provide for the payment of principal and interest on such bonds by pledging the net revenues from the operation of such Waterworks System (and not from any levy, assessment or collection of taxes).

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as authorized by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas and particularly Chapter 25, General Laws enacted by the Thirty-ninth Legislature at its Regular Session, in 1925, and amendments thereto, including Chapter 32, General and Special Laws enacted by the Forty-Third Legislature at its Third Called Session, in 1934.

The said election shall be held at the Court House Building, in said Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers of said election:

E. B. Baggett, Jr., Presiding Judge.
R. A. Harrell, Assistant Judge.
Mrs. A. E. Deland, Clerk.
Mrs. Lowell Littleton, Clerk.

The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS REVENUE BONDS AND THE PLEDGE OF NET REVENUES OF THE WATERWORKS SYSTEM FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF, AS SUBMITTED IN THE PROPOSITION."

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS REVENUE BONDS AND THE PLEDGE OF NET REVENUES OF THE WATERWORKS SYSTEM FOR THE PAYMENT THEREOF, AS SUBMITTED IN THE PROPOSITION."

As to the foregoing proposition, each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote on the proposition.

Only duly qualified electors who own taxable property in said

District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be qualified to vote at said election.

Such election shall be held and conducted and returns made to this Board of Directors in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 25, General Laws enacted by the Thirty-ninth Legislature at its regular session, in 1925, and amendments thereto, so far as the same make provisions for such election, and in matters not there-in provided for the election proceeding shall be in accordance with the general laws of Texas. For the purposes of this election this entire district is hereby designated and declared to be one election precinct.

The Secretary of the Board of Directors shall obtain from the Tax Assessor-Collector of Crockett County a certified list of the qualified voters of said District and furnish same to the election officials; provided any person appearing to vote, who is not known to the election officers to be a qualified voter, or if his vote be challenged, he shall be required to subscribe and swear to the following oath:

"I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I am a qualified voter and a property taxpayer in the District. I did not acquire property prior to this election for the purpose of voting, but am a bona fide property taxpayer in the District."

Said election officers shall make returns of said election to this Board within five days after the date of said election, and shall deliver the ballot box to the Secretary of this Board for safe-keeping.

A substantial copy of this reso-

lution and order, or notice containing the same, signed by the President and Secretary of this Board of Directors shall constitute proper notice of said election, and the President and Secretary of this Board of Directors are hereby authorized and directed to cause such notice of said election to be given under the hand of the President and Secretary of this Board of Directors by publication of such notice once each week for four consecutive weeks in some newspaper having general circulation in said Crockett County, the first of which publications shall be at least twenty-eight (28) days before the date of such election.

The territory composing said Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, is described as follows:

Beginning at the NE corner of survey 23, Block OP, the NE corner of the original Townsite of Ozona,

THENCE West 5280 feet to the NW corner of survey 23, Block OP, THENCE South 5280 feet to the SW corner of Survey 23, Block OP,

THENCE East 1275 feet to a point in the South line of Survey 23, Block OP,

THENCE South 2640 feet, THENCE East 4845 feet, THENCE North 4540 feet, THENCE West 840 feet, THENCE North 3380 feet to the place of beginning.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 17th day of January, 1941.

J. W. NORTH, President, Board of Directors.

ATTEST: J. D. KIRBY, Secretary.

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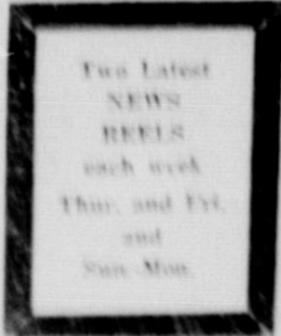
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Financial Drive-

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\$300 is already subscribed, paid in monthly by a group of local contributors who make up this city's sustaining fund to the Council. To meet the proposed increase in contribution to the council and to make the payment on the cabin, then, will make it necessary to raise an additional \$550 this year. Names of possible contributors have been distributed among members of the committee and these men will contact their list of prospects between now and March 3, the final date for completion of the campaign. Members of the committee include Eugene Slater, chairman, Bryan McDonald, Strick Harvick, Marbury Morrison, Fleet Coates, Dan Patterson and Evert White. Also assisting in the drive will be Scoutmaster Guinn Caruthers, Neighborhood Commissioners Leslie Nance and Ira Carson.

S. M. U. President-

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edist Church in Dallas, taking his Ph. D. degree from Columbia University in 1931 while on leave of absence from Highland Park church. He spent two summers and one winter of study in Germany and England and taught homiletics in S. M. U. school of Theology from 1937 until 1938.

During the course of his scholarly pursuits, Dr. Lee has become a recognized authority on the career of John Wesley, writing two books, "The Lord's Horseman - John Wesley" and "John Wesley and Modern Religion," which are accorded by authorities as outstanding works on that eminent churchman. Dr. Lee was unanimously elected president of S. M. U. by the Board of Trustees to follow Bishop C. C. Schuman. He assumes his duties in March, 1938, and was formally inaugurated Nov. 8, 1935.

Mrs. Carl Colwick

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ness" regional assemblies will be held in Dallas, Indianapolis, Kansas City, Nashville, Philadelphia, Providence, S. L. Rochester, Minn. and Salt Lake City. States sending delegates to the Dallas assembly include Texas, New Mexico and Arizona and Louisiana.

The major purpose of the Assembly is to discuss the relation during the present great national defense effort of problems of education, organization and the development of local, state, regional, national and state workers all with a common goal but all having to face different situations and demands. Special state programs and achievements will be reviewed, the relation of the Park Army to local and national health programs will be considered, techniques of spreading educational information and securing settlements will be considered.

Mrs. Volney Davis, of Brownsville, one of the state's Women's club leaders, is state commander of the Women's Field Army.

Mrs. Dorothy Jones is secretary of the Women's Field Army in San Antonio during this week.

See "Ozona" in the Stockman."

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Close Scout Week-

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Class to Star rank and one Life Scout. Receiving the Star rank were Roy Coates, Charles McDonald, Bill Carson, Wayne West, Jr., and Eddy Cooke. Leslie Nance, Jr., was advanced to Life rank.

Thirty-eight merit badges, earned by 13 boys, were then presented. Receiving these badges were Bill Carson, Bobby Lemmons, L. B. Cox, Bland Tandy, Henry Patrick, Leslie Nance, Jr., Lorain Wyatt, Roy Coates, Charles McDonald, Jim Ad Harvick, and Tom Montgomery.

Don C. Baldwin, Scout Executive for the Concho Valley Council, was present for the Saturday night program and addressed the Scouts and parents following the Court of Honor. Mr. Baldwin called attention to the 1941 program of Scouting and particularly to the development of the program in the West Texas area.

The assembly program this afternoon will open with a vocal solo by Mary Elizabeth Gray, "God Bless America," with the audience joining in the final chorus. Requirements of the various ranks of Scouts from Tenderfoot to Eagle, will be explained and a demonstration of the work done by Scouts in obtaining advancement to the various ranks will be given. Among the demonstrations will be artificial respiration, semaphore signalling and chemistry. The program will close with a ceremony of dedication of the Scouts to the ideals and principles for which America stands.

Scouts having a part in the assembly program will be Bobby Lemmons, L. B. Cox, George B. Armstrong, Byron Williams, Wayne West, Jr., Stanley Lemmons, Eddie Cooke, Bill Carson, Lorain Wyatt, Bland Tandy, Roy Coates, Charles McDonald, Leslie Nance, Jr., Henry Patrick, Wayne West, Basil Dunlap, Jim Ad Harvick, Tom Ed Montgomery, Burl Sparks, Calvin Williams, Leroy Burt, Charles Ratliff, James Chapman, Joe Corbell, Perry Hubbard, Chappie Morrison, Arthur Ross Phillips, Lowell Sweeten, Billy Spackman and Jimmy Reed.

Scout week opened with flag raising ceremonies Friday morning. Similar evening, in observance of Scout Sunday, the three churches of the city combined in a Scout service at the Methodist church. The sermon for this special service was preached by the Rev. Eugene Slater, pastor of the Methodist Church, the minister speaking on the topic, "We Belong to a Great Movement."

Church of Christ, Casanvier

James D. Moss, Minister

Bible School - 10 a. m. Sunday Preaching - 11 a. m. Communion - 11:45 a. m. Young Peoples Meeting - 6:15 p. m.

Evening Service - 7:15 p. m. Ladies Bible Class - Wednesday 7 p. m. Mid-Week Service - Wednesday 7:15 p. m.

Special preparation is being made for the Annual Revival to be conducted by Horace W. Busby, beginning Sunday February 25.

We urge that each member make that last two weeks a period of special work and prayer. Also of attendance at each service. This will help you and will strengthen the church.

Mrs. Pearl Porter of El Paso is here this week, visiting relatives.

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ANY FLAVOR JELLO 3 pkgs. 12c

ROSEBUD MATCHES 19c

SUPREME SALAD WAFERS 1 1/2 lb. 23c

FURNITURE POLISH qt. 25c

1000-HOUR Light BULBS 10c

FRESH PRUNES Each 25c

Hot or Cold Individual Bags Lipton Tea 50 for 49c

Miracle Whip SALAD DRESSING 22c

IN OUR MODERN MARKET

BONELESS STAR DELITES lb. 32c

OUR SLICE BACON lb. 29c

NO. 1 SALT JOWLS lb. 9c

BERKLEY - SLICED BACON lb. 24c

READY TO COOK MEAT LOAF 35c

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YOUR GROCERS

Baker's FEB. 14-15

WIGGINS

STRAWBERRIES - 2 Baskets 29c

FANCY CARROTS 5c TURNIPS 5c

BEETS 5c ONIONS 5c

COLORADO SPUDS 15c TEXAS - GOOD SIZE Oranges 35c

• • DRIED FRUIT SALE • • 2 lbs. PEACHES, PRUNES, APPLES 29c

HUNT'S SUPREME FANCY LARGE HALVES PEACHES 16c PEARLS 21c

HUNT'S SUPREME ROYAL ANNE PITTED CHERRIES 23c APRICOTS 25c

SCRISCO PURE CANE SUGAR 49c

HIPPY BRAND POP CORN 9c BAB-O 11c

ROSE BRAND Grape Juice 25c SUPERSUDS 49c

BUTTER 15c SOAP 26c

ROAST 23c CATSUP 10c

BOLOGNA 25c MEAT 35c

BACON 25c STEAK 25c