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Delinquent Tax Penalties Rise Sharply July 1

County and School Remission Expires This Month

A warning to taxpayers who owe delinquent taxes in this county was issued from the tax collector's office this week, calling attention to the sharp rise in penalties and interest which becomes effective July 1.

On that date, a remission of penalty and interest granted by the commissioners court on county and school taxes will expire and these penalties will automatically apply on all delinquent taxes, it was pointed out.

This additional penalty will amount to up to 32 per cent of the total due. This heavy penalty will apply on all taxes delinquent from 1934 and earlier. The penalty on taxes delinquent from 1935 will be 26 per cent, for 1936, 20 per cent, and for 1937, 14 per cent. These are the penalties that now accrue on delinquent state taxes and like penalties will apply on county and school taxes beginning July 1 when the county's remission order expires.

Likewise, penalties on delinquent 1938 taxes will jump sharply July 1, from a present 3 per cent to 8 per cent on July 1. Delinquent taxpayers are urged to take advantage of the saving offered on payments made during the month of June.

Taxpayers who paid their 1938 taxes on the split payment plan, are reminded that the second half payments are due not later than June 30.

ONE THING and THEN ANOTHER

By FRED GIPSON

CORPUS CHRISTI. — It was just after dark. A big thunderhead was moving in out of the west, threatening. Fiftful gusts of wind rattled the palm fronds occasionally and swept the mosquitoes out of the ebony trees out in the yard. Lightning flared. Thunder boomed and rolled.

My landlady peered out, apprehensively, ducked back inside, when another flare lit the whole street out in front of our house.

"My, but I'm glad you're home tonight," she breathed. "Rainstorms just scare me to death!"

"I'm afraid I won't be a whole lot of protection, if a bolt of lightning takes a notion to lay the house low," I said.

It always seems odd to me that any one should be afraid and uncomfortable during a rainstorm. Me—I like rainstorms. The bigger and noisier they are, the better I like them. They make me feel good inside.

But then, we who grew up next to the soil naturally feel differently about such things. We know what a good rain can mean. It means green, growing crops, a heavy fall harvest, fat cattle, milk, butter, eggs, a smokehouse hang with home-cured meat.

These are the essential things of life.

Congress can make laws and tear them up and make them over again. Hitler's goosestepping army can conquer the whole of Europe. The British king and queen can visit all of England's possessions in an attempt to rejuvenate a flagging loyalty to the crown. These are transient things. They come and they go.

But there's always the soil and the sun and the rain. These are the dependable things. They make for life.

But there is the man whose farming is done with a pencil in an elaborate office. He has never knelt down in the field and scratched in the soil with his fingers to see if the underground (Continued on Page Four)

Nation Welcomes British Sovereigns



For the first time in history, a reigning British monarch set foot on United States soil last night when King George VI and Queen Elizabeth crossed into the United States from Canada at Niagara Falls. The visiting king and queen sped on to Washington where they are to be received today by President Roosevelt and his official family. King George and Queen Elizabeth will spend four days on

a state visit to the United States. They were given a democratic welcome on entry into the United States at Niagara Falls by Secretary of State Cordell Hull

Humble Wildcat On Trap Co. Land To Be Abandoned

Deep Test Strikes Sulphur, Salt Water and Is Plugged

Humble Oil and Refining Co.'s scheduled Ordovician test on Ozona-Barnhart Trap Co. land four miles south of Ozona has been plugged and is being abandoned this week.

Sulphur water, with some salt, was struck in the test, which reached a total depth of 8,719 feet. The sulphur-salt water rose to a depth of 2,000 feet in the hole, it was reported.

The 130-foot steel derrick used in the operation was being dismantled this week and members of the drilling crew were reportedly being given vacations pending resumption of drilling operations elsewhere. There was considerable speculation here, however, concerning the possibility that the company plans another test in this area, it being reported that the employees in the drilling operation had been ordered to report back to Ozona after their vacations.

School Band May Be Revived For Play At Rodeo

Richard Miller, Jr., Calls Meeting For Saturday Night

If enough members of the Ozona high school band are available and are interested, the local musical organization may be called in to special rehearsals and be reorganized to furnish music during the rodeo and stock show June 22, 23 and 24.

Richard Miller, Jr., a student at Texas Tech, a member of the Tech band and a former member of the Ozona band, has issued a call to all members of the school band to meet at the band house for rehearsal next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

Young Miller, who will direct the band, has conferred with fair and school officials and has secured their endorsement of the plan to revive the band for performances during the afternoon rodeo programs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton, Jack and Joe Williams left Wednesday to visit the World's Fair in San Francisco.

Ask Cooperation In Parking Cars At Fair Grounds

"Rugged Individualists" Asked To Take Directions From Ground Parking Crew

Cooperation of citizens of Ozona in solving the parking problem at the fair grounds during the coming Rodeo, Race Meet, Stock Show and Sale June 22, 23 and 24 is asked by fair officials in an effort to prevent confusion and improper parking at the grounds during the show.

In an effort to assist drivers of cars in finding quick parking space and at the same time in conserving the available space, the fair association employs a corps of traffic directors. These men are employed to park cars in an orderly and systematic fashion, but for their work to be effective, they must have the cooperation of drivers.

A few "rugged individualists" among the local population who in past years have insisted on parking their own way and disregarding the efforts of the traffic directors to park a maximum number of cars in a given space and in the shortest possible time, has prompted fair officials to issue this advance plea for cooperation.

"These men are hired to help people in parking their cars in an orderly fashion so that any car can be moved in or out during the show and so that exit from the park can be made in a minimum of time and without mishap," a fair official said. "A few stubborn drivers can disrupt the whole plan. Ozonans, as hosts, owe it to their visitors to cooperate in every way in making the show a success."

San Antonio Attorney To Speak Sunday At Laymen's Day Service

Laymen's day service will be held at the Methodist Church next Sunday morning, Rev. Eugene Slater, pastor, announced this week. This is an annual observance throughout the Methodist church. The institution of Laymen's Day was brought about by the general board of Lay activities 11 years ago.

The speaker this year will be C. Stanley Banks, an attorney of San Antonio, and a member of the Laurel Heights Methodist church of that city. Mr. Banks is a very able speaker and he is a loyal and devoted member of the church, Rev. Slater declared.

Members and friends of the Methodist church are cordially invited to the service.

Funeral Services For Virginia Gray Held In San Angelo

Former Resident Of Ozona Died Friday After Four Months Illness

Funeral services were held Saturday from the Church of Christ in San Angelo for Mary Virginia Gray, 31, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Gray, former Ozona residents, who died Friday following an illness of more than four months.

Services were conducted by F. E. Shepherd, Bryan minister, and John Smith, San Angelo minister, with burial following in Fairmount cemetery. Pallbearers included C. W. Barbee, Bert Clardy, John E. Robbins, Jr., Ross Hufstetter of Ozona, A. L. McMurtrey and Gordon Lowe.

Miss Gray was born January 1, 1908, in San Angelo. She attended schools in Brownwood and at Abilene high school and Abilene Christian College Academy, graduating in 1927. Later she entered nurses training at the West Texas Baptist hospital in Abilene. She moved with her family to Ozona in 1929 and in 1936 the family moved to San Angelo.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gray of San Angelo, and a brother, Bill Gray, ranch and livestock editor of the San Angelo Morning Times. She is a niece of J. H. Gray of Ozona.

Cemetery Assn. Members Urged To Pay Up Dues

Funds of the Ozona Cemetery Association are about exhausted and all members of the association are urged to pay their annual dues as soon as possible in order that the organization might be in position to pay the caretaker's salary and other necessary expenses, according to announcement made this week by Mrs. Floyd Henderson, chairman.

Regular dues were not collected from all members last year in view of the special assessment made for drilling and equipping a new water well, Mrs. Henderson pointed out. As a result the association has been operating on a reduced budget and now faces an acute financial situation. Dues may be paid to Mrs. A. C. Hoever or left at the bank, Mrs. Henderson said.

N. M. M. I. GRADUATE



John William Childress of Ozona was graduated from New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell, N. M., at exercises held there Tuesday. He is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Childress of Ozona and a brother of Pleas Childress, Jr., Crockett ranchman, Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Childress and an uncle, Roy Henderson, and Mrs. Henderson attended the exercises.

MAIL A CATALOGUE

The 1939 catalogues of the Crockett County Rodeo, Race Meet, Stock Show and Sale are now available for distribution. Several hundred copies of the book have already been broadcast over West Texas.

Copies of the book are still available at the Stockman office. Free envelopes are furnished mailing. A 3-cent stamp will carry the books if left unsealed. And, of course, the books are free.

First Softball Game Under Arcs Slated Tonight

Installation Of Lighting Equipment Completed Here

Ozona's new lighted softball field will be dedicated with the first games under the glimmers tonight beginning at around 8 o'clock, it was announced by advocates of the sport this week.

Finishing touches were being put on the lighting system Wednesday and the work is expected to be finished up today ready for flooding the playing field for the first night ball game in the history of Ozona tonight.

A team playing under the banner of Hubert Baker's Piggy Wiggly grocery and the Ozona Laundry will engage the Humble-Wilson Motor crew in the evening's opener. Following will be a fracas between a team from Williams Grocery and Joe Ober kamp's, and two independent teams, one captained by Roger Dudley, Jr., and one by Musty Casbeer will lock horns in the finale.

These six teams will form the basis for a city league organization, with a possibility that other teams may develop as interest mounts in the night games. The three-game schedule for the opening night was arranged in order that all players might have a chance to play in the openers.

An organization meeting of players, managers and fans will be held Friday afternoon for the purpose of organizing the league, electing officers and arranging a schedule. Official umpires will also be selected.

The field is to be lighted with ten reflectors, each carrying a 1500-watt globe, and mounted on five 40-foot poles. A net wire backstop has been erected, new bases made and the field laid off to regulation dimensions.

New Service Station Opens Here Saturday

C. C. Luther To Open Cosden Station In New Building

Opening of the new Cosden Service Station in the new building recently constructed on the north edge of Ozona on the Barnhart highway has been announced for Saturday by C. C. Luther, owner and manager of the station.

Mr. Luther recently completed construction of a two-story concrete building on the lot. The lower portion of the building is to be occupied by the service station and store while the upstairs has been made into a modern apartment.

As a special opening feature, Mr. Luther has announced a special gift to all who visit the new station. With each five gallons of Cosden Higher Octane gasoline or white gasoline purchased during the day, one quart of Cosden Processed motor oil will be given free.

Mr. Luther will operate the new livestock scales next to the station. The lot on the north side of the building was purchased a public auction early this week and is to be used as the site for the scales.

Masons Elect New Officers At Meet

W. E. Friend, Jr., was elected Worshipful Master of the Ozona Masonic lodge at the regular meeting of the order Monday night. Lowell Littleton, who has served as secretary of the lodge for several years, was elected Senior Warden, Richard Flowers, retiring Master, was named secretary, Scott Peters, treasurer, Bob Moore, junior Warden and Oscar Kost, tiler.

The newly elected officers will be installed at the July meeting, the first Monday in July.

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WOULD THE TAX COLLECTOR MIND?

Pleaders for the "tax and spend" philosophy of government have recently cooked up a novel argument to reassure those who feel concern over today's high taxes and tomorrow's higher ones.

They explain that the 40 billion dollar public debt of this country is nothing to worry about since it is a debt that Americans owe themselves: an "internal debt" which John Smith as private individual will some day pay to John Smith as citizen of the United States.

In that case we wonder whether, the next time the tax collector appears, he would object if John Smith, to settle his obligations to John Smith, cancelled his "internal debt" by merely taking the amount of his taxes out of one pocket and putting it in another?

If the tax collector really believes our "tax and spend" philosophers, he could scarcely object to the procedure—and think of the trouble and red tape saved for all concerned!

BACKFIRE

In March the Gallup Poll reported that 42 per cent of Democratic voters favored John N. Garner for the Presidency if Mr. Roosevelt didn't seek a third term. The runners-up were Jim Farley and Cordell Hull, each favored by 10 per cent. Since March the vice president has been made the butt of extensive criticism, especially by columnists of 100 per cent New Deal hue. They called him a black reactionary, a doddering has-been, a traitor to the President, and so on. Now comes the Gallup Poll again, with a new cross-section. And this time Cactus Jack, in the face of all the criticism, is favored by an even 50 per cent of the test vote, against 13 per cent for Mr. Hull and 9 per cent for Mr. Farley. There must be some wisdom in the old remark: "I don't care what you call me, so long as you mention my name."—New York World-Telegram.

TWO STRIKES ON HIM BEFORE HE GOES TO BAT



THE AMERICAN WAY

Not so long ago a naturalized American spurned a fortune left him by relatives in Italy. He preferred the American way. And only a few days ago Walter F. Dreyer, German-born operator of a farm near Hayti, Mo., cheerfully declined a fortune of \$18,000 waiting for him in Germany. Explained Mr. Dreyer: "I would rather live here in America where I have freedom of speech, thoughts and religion, than live in Germany and have the benefits of \$18,000." In Nazi Germany a man may possess a million dollars and still be spiritually pauperized. He cannot enjoy his wealth. He cannot purchase his freedom. He must goose-step, sing the Horat Wessel and "Heil, Hitler," whenever the high command so decrees. He not only is forbidden to criticize the authorities publicly, but is even afraid to do so in guarded whispers to friends and relatives lest the Gestapo espionage system ensnare him in its net. He must join in persecuting minorities, or at least refrain from crying out against such persecution, lest he find himself bundled off to the nearest concentration camp. He may vote, but it's a case of "Ja" or else. In the present scheme of things money may be a very important factor in guiding our destinies. But when it cannot buy freedom it becomes useless to those who are accustomed to liberty.—St. Louis Star-Times.

ANCIENT HISTORY

An old-timer is one who can remember when free seeds were about the only thing the average man could work the government for.—Detroit Free Press.

Definition of a puncture: "A hissing sound followed by profanity."

Appreciation:

To the alert sponsors of the American Mothers' Declaration including Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, for giving articulate expression to democratic ideals in circulating this pledge: "I will do my utmost to help my children understand, cherish and guard the five freedoms upon which this nation was founded: freedom of speech, press, assembly, worship, and petition. I will teach my children by my own example that they should respect the rights and opinions of others, if they would defend their own..." Such a pointed analysis should go far towards encouraging in children, and adults, a better awareness of these fundamentals of freedom and a surer responsiveness to them.—Christian Science Monitor.

PAID TO STOP

The St. Louis man who found \$40,000 in a piano he was playing certainly struck some pretty notes.—Indianapolis.

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SCOUTING

In Concho Valley Council
News Notes From Troops In West Texas Area

Semi-Annual Council Meeting

The semi-annual meeting of the Concho valley council is scheduled for Del Rio Monday evening, June 26, according to Emmett D. Cox, council president. At the invitation of the Val Verde district committee, Scout leaders from throughout the 25½ counties comprising the Concho valley council will assemble at Del Rio at 7 p. m. the evening of the 26th to present outstanding awards to leading Scouters of the council, to check all progress in all branches of Scouting for 1939, and to prepare to complete the year's ambitious program by reaching as many of the objectives as possible. Scout leaders from all districts of the council are expected. The largest group of Scouters will come from the Winter Garden, Uvalde, Val Verde and Ranch districts. Preparations for the event are being made by Sam Walk, E. K. Fawcett and other members of the Val Verde district committee.

Camp Louis Farr

The first week at Camp Louis Farr started off with a splendid program of activities — boating, swimming, hiking, Scout tests, adventure trails, handicraft of all kinds, and many activities peculiar to a Scout camp. The camp is being directed by Paul Ireland, Field Executive of the Concho Valley Council, and his assistant, Edward

Carpenter.

Scout troops that will be in attendance the second week include those from the Sterling, Brady and San Angelo districts. The following troops, under the leadership of their Scoutmasters, are scheduled for the second week: Troop 2, John Logan and Frank Swift; Troop 3, John William Shepperson; Troop 4, Marshall Jones; Troop 7, J. A. Montgomery, Jr.; Troop 9, D. L. Slaton; Troop 10, Walter Teague; Troop 17, Gilbert Sanders, all of San Angelo; Troop 23, Brady, Judge Howell Cobb and Howard Salter; Troop 24, Brady, Oma Holland, Hardin H. Jones and Glen Roloson; Troop

40, Carlisbad, A. H. Bird and J. W. Hansen; Troop 51, Sterling City, George M. Sullivan and Phil Mahaffey; Troop 54, Garden City, Blair Morris and Homer Medina; Troop 28, Menard, Francis Lamm; Troop 59, Fort Stockton, Ernest Reasley.

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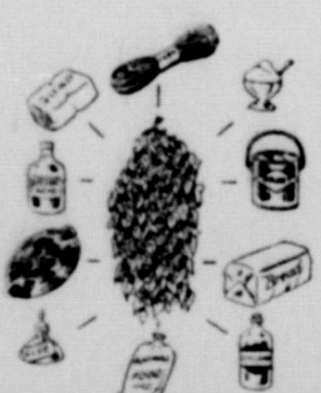
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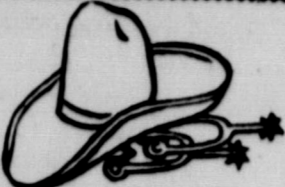
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-RANCH TALK-

By SUNSHINE MATTHEWS

From Headquarters of

Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association



JUNE DATES

June 8—Mason, directors' meeting, Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association.
 June 10—Sonora, Second Annual Wool and Mohair Show.
 June 15, 16, 17—Rocksprings, Rodeo and Race meet.
 June 16, 17, 18—Kermit, Rodeo and Livestock Exhibition.
 June 16, 17—Spur, Round-up.
 June 20, 21, 22—Mason Rodeo.
 June 22, 23, 24—Ozona, Rodeo, Race Meet, Sheep Show and Sale.
 June 24, 25, 26—Big Spring, Cowboy Roundup.
 June 27, 28—Sonora, Ranch Experiment Station Roundup.

Yearling ewes are selling in the Sacramento Valley of California at \$7 and \$8 a head.

In Humboldt county, California, where there is some very light spinning crop-fed wool near the coast, some wool sales have been made as high as 28 cents a pound in recent days. The bulk of the California Delaine-Merino wool has been selling from 23 1/2 to 25 1/4 cents. Sales of 1939 wools in New Mexico in late May were from 18 to 21 cents. Approximately 50,000 fleeces of Wyoming wool sold recently to various buyers at from 19 to 23 1/4 cents f. o. b. shipping point. Highest prices were from the Pinedale region, where 17,000 fleeces brought 23 to 23 1/4 cents.

Prices at the 19th annual California Ram Sale, held the last of May, were slightly higher than those of last year, and a 10-year top was broken when Jay M. Reynolds of Corvallis, Ore., paid \$500 to M. M. and Fred A. Coble of California for a yearling Suffolk ram. Five western states, Oregon, Nevada, Wyoming, Idaho and California had offerings in the sale. A total of 1,461 rams sold for \$51,880.50, an average of \$34.96. A year ago 1,487 rams averaged \$33.70. Hampshires outnumbered all other breeds at the sale, 887 head being offered at an average of \$35.66, as compared with 854 at

the 1938 sale at an average of \$34.40. The Hamp stud rams averaged \$115.11.

Mohair buyers estimate that approximately 2,750,000 pounds of mohair is left in the state. Indications are, they say, that this will be moved out long before the fall clip comes off. One buyer estimated that a million and a quarter of the tonnage remaining is 1938 fall hair.

Rufe and Tom Murrah of Del Rio sold between 1,200 and 1,500 old ewes with lambs at side to B. H. Connor of Amarillo at \$5.50 to \$5.75. The Murrahs replaced the aged stock with 2,750 yearling ewes purchased from Ray Willoughby of San Angelo at \$5 out of the wool.

The Del Rio Wool and Mohair Co. sold 550 old ewes with lambs at side to Joe Gamble of Amarillo. The ewes brought \$4 to \$6.

A Hale county cattleman contracted his 1939 calf crop recently at 8 cents a pound straight across.

The second day of the Texas Angora Goat Raisers' Association sale and show at Lampasas on July 19, 20 and 21, will be set studs which have passed a sifting aside as stud day. On this day only committee of three long time, well known Angora breeders may be sold. The committee is made up of M. D. Taylor of Vance, Fred Earwood of Sonora and Bob Davis of Rio Frio.

Stock sold on any of the three days must be listed with the secretary, Ralph Stewart, by 6 o'clock on the preceding afternoon.

Nelson Johnson of San Angelo, who wielded his auctioneer's hammer over an Angora the first time two years ago when the association held its sale at Junction, will serve as auctioneer.

Goats donated to Texas Technological college at Lubbock early this year by the Texas Angora

Goat Breeders' Association made up the third registered flock of Angora given by the association directors and members to Texas colleges. Texas A. and M. college and Texas A. and I. at Kingsville run registered Angoras from West Texas ranches.

Frank Robertson will be manager of Sanderson's fifth annual rodeo, which has been announced for August 4 and 5. Dances are scheduled for both evenings of the celebration.

Mason county's 4-H club boys and girls, their parents and friends will be entertained with a barbecue at Mason on June 9. A prime beef that has been on cold storage awaiting the occasion will be barbecued. Frank Newson, county agent, is assisting in arrangements for the affair.

The name of the Boston wool firm, Hills & Oglesby, has been changed and will include the name of the third partner. With the new name, Hills, Oglesby & Devine, the firm has a new address, 292 Summer street.

Wool buyers estimated on June 1 that 20,000,000 pounds of the 1939 wool clips had gone over the scales to the eastern dealers. This is said to be a third of the expected total clip for the year. C. D. Stokes, veteran wool buyer, put the total shipment of wool and mohair in 1938 at 101,000,000 pounds and estimated that this year's total for the two would be

85,000,000 pounds.
 There's an old "yo" at Texas Technological college at Lubbock that deserves a medal of some sort. She was nine years old on the 31st of January, a registered Rambouillet, and has presented the college with a set of twins

every year since 1932. Eight sets of twins she has given the college to serve as "guinea pigs" in the animal husbandry division. W. L. Stangel, head of that division, says that six of her offspring are still in the college flock and that \$125 worth of sheep from her have been sold. According to her records,

she has sheared better than an 18-pound average yearly.

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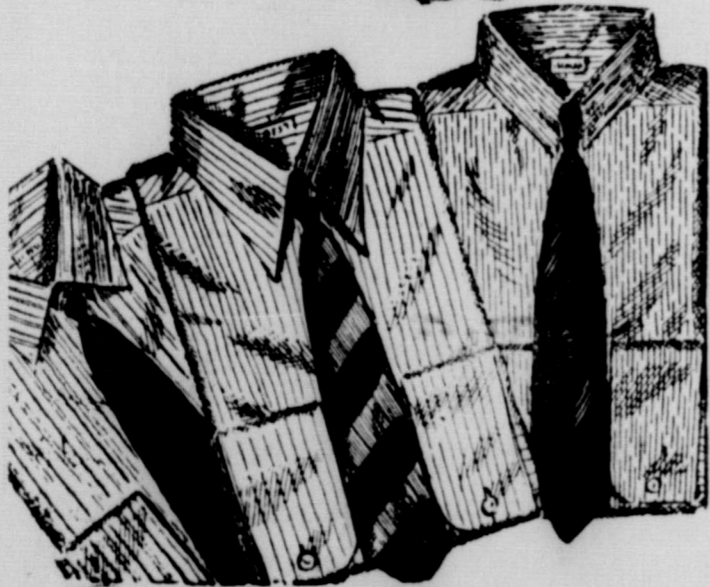
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That headline is a well deserved pat-on-the-back for the salesmen who service your car in Humble Service Stations . . . For they are, without exception, genuinely friendly . . . They're Texans, most of them natives, and they have the old-time Texas idea of being as helpful as possible to the traveler, of speeding him on his way with a cheerful word and a smile . . . To their regular customers, they show their friendly interest by leaving nothing undone to make him happy in the ownership and operation of his car . . . In your case, they take as much pride as you do yourself in keeping your car running right and looking good; their friendly suggestions for its care come from a wide experience, careful training, and the knowledge that the Company has equipped them with facilities and products which are second to none. . . Turn over the care of your car to the friendly fellow you'll find at the Humble Service Station nearest your home or place of business; make the acquaintance of his friendly counterpart on the highways you travel . . . In other words, stop for friendly service where you see the Humble sign!



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Here's Your Opportunity To Equip Your Car With

GATES Silent-Safety Tires

On a Special Factory "Demonstrator" Saving!

During the balance of the month of June under an arrangement made possible by the makers of SILENT-SAFETY TIRES, you can equip your car with the patented tread tire that assures you **Quick, Safe Stops**, on a "demonstrator" basis that allows you special savings.

This special is made to acquaint you and your friends with the smooth, silent ride these tires give, the better traction in mud, sand and on wet pavement — and the extra safety of their patented **non-skid tread** on wet, slippery roads.

And in addition to this saving you get extra advantage of a **Written Service Contract**. The factory takes all the risk while the tires are in service on your car. You get full satisfaction or they pay the bill.

Be Safe With Silent-Safety Tires!

Wilson Motor Co.

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LEE WILSON, Manager

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Fred Gipson—

(Continued from Page One)

season is holding out. He can't understand about the soil and the sun and the rain. They are foreign to him.

And he doesn't see what you and I see when black thunderheads start boiling up in the west and moving toward us. And his pulse doesn't quicken with a quiet, exhilarating excitement, when the long jagged flares of lightning streak across the face of the oncoming clouds. There is in his make-up nothing to respond to the crashing and booming and rolling and bellowing of thunder in the hills. To him, the heavy gusts of wind that sweep in ahead of the storm and turn every bush wrong-side-out, are just gusts of wind. They stir no sense of pleasant anticipation within him.

And when the white wall of rain moves in, humming and roaring like a mowing machine cutting

heavy cane, and a man walks out to meet it and stands there and lets the cool, fresh deluge of rain pour over him, there are those who would think him a little demented.

They can't understand his thankfulness to the rain gods for the blessing they're bestowing upon him. They cannot understand why this man of the soil and the sun and the rain, like the plants about him, wants to reach out and take in all the rain his being will absorb. The smell of rain drops striking against sun parched soil means nothing to them.

And that night, while the rain drums on the roof and the water gurgles down the drains, and the muffled rush of flood waters rising in the creek is felt, more than heard, they do not know with what sense of satisfaction and well being this man goes to bed and drops off to sleep, with the satisfying knowledge that tomorrow the sun will rise on a new, fresh, clean, rain washed world.

Coeds Train for Hawaiian Crew Title



Annual territorial outrigger canoe races at Honolulu July Fourth stir this coed crew from the University of Hawaii into active training. Left to right are Nancy Hicks, Cornelia Hogg, Ruth Murphy, Jean Butchard, Adean Ross and Jean Cowan. The races are one of the year's outstanding sports events.

Extension Service Booklet Promotes Lamb Consumption

COLLEGE STATION, June 7. Texas' 9,400,000 sheep and a 75,600,000 pound annual production of wool makes her the leading sheep and wool state in the nation, with more than twice the number and production of the second ranking state. The industry contributed \$31,158,000 to the agricultural income of the state in 1938.

The sheep industry has largely centered on the Edwards plateau of Southwest Texas, but of late years has spread to the Great Plains, North Central Texas, and East Texas.

Workers of the Texas A. and M. college extension service see in this development an opportunity for farm families to improve their nutritional standards and to enlarge their choice of foods.

The extension foods committee has compiled a leaflet, C-145, "Starring Lamb," one of a series in its food campaign, designed to

promote the increased use of lamb as a food. It contains suggestions for preparing and cooking lamb together with a discussion of the food values.

The leaflet, just off the press, is available for free distribution in the offices of county agricultural and home demonstration agents.

Charles McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan McDonald, left Tuesday for Hereford, Texas, where he will spend the summer visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson attended graduation exercises at the New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell, N. M. John William Childress, a brother of Pleas Childress and a nephew of Mr. Henderson, was among the graduates from the New Mexico institution.

Boyd Baker, a son of Mrs. Alice Baker of Ozona, returned the first of the week from Roswell, N. M., where he has been a student in New Mexico Military Institute.

Mrs. J. S. Whatley left today for Dallas where she will visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Hoehn for a few days. From Dallas she will go to Morris, Okla., for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Mantooth.

Mrs. V. I. Pierce will be hostess to members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church at an all-day meeting at her ranch home next Wednesday. The meeting will start at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Ben Lemmons went to Austin to return home with her son, Maurice, a student in the University of Texas.

Mrs. A. E. Deland is spending the week in San Angelo.

CLASSIFIED ADS

GRASS for 100 or more cows. P. T. Robison, Ozona, Texas. 6-4tp

MY HOME in Ozona is for Sale.—W. W. Childress, Balmorhea, Tex. 10-4tp

YOU'LL GET RESULTS IF YOU PLACE YOUR WANT LIST IN THE CLASSIFIED COLUMN OF THE STOCKMAN.

Windmill Work

Repairing — Greasing
Erecting
Anywhere — Anytime
NEW TOOLS

BUCK EVANS
Ozona, Texas

Order Your
NEW BOOTS NOW
For the Rodeo!

Come In and See Them
New Styles—New Patterns!
Ramirez Boot Shop
PHONE 221
Mail Orders Solicited—Write for Order Blanks



It all comes down to the telephone

IN THE calamities—fire, sickness, accident or other peril—the telephone is the first thing thought of. But its daily usefulness makes it scarcely less valuable.

It makes appointments. It reaches friends. It invites the ring of opportunity.
● Its value is so great that it simply doesn't pay to do without it.

TO AVOID HEAVY PENALTIES DELINQUENT TAXES

MUST BE PAID BEFORE JULY 1!

To those who owe delinquent property taxes this reminder is given of applicaton of heavy penalties which will apply on all such taxes not paid before the deadline of July 1.

Under action of the Commissioners Court of Crockett County early this year, penalty and interest on all delinquent county and school taxes were remitted if such taxes are paid before July 1.

After July 1, penalties amounting to 32 per cent will apply on taxes delinquent from 1934 and before, in addition to a like penalty on state taxes.

Likewise, these savings can be effected on taxes for years since 1934: for 1935, 26 per cent; for 1936, 20 per cent and for 1937, 14 per cent.

Penalties on 1938 taxes, now 3 per cent, will be raised to 8 per cent JULY 1.

SAVE! Pay Delinquent Taxes NOW!
Second Half Taxes Must Be Paid In June!

W. S. WILLIS
Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector
Crockett County

Mrs. George Bunger will entertain her contract club at her ranch home Friday afternoon.

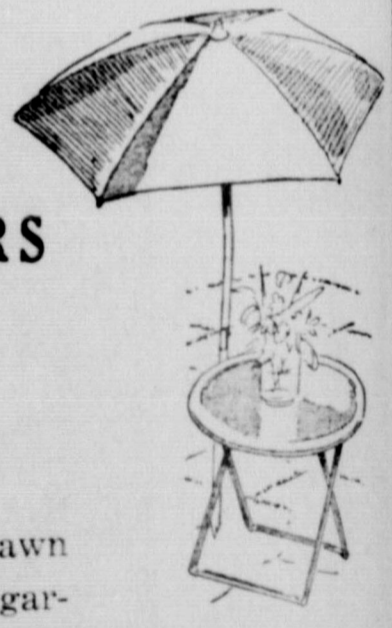
Rosalie Lemmons has extended camp in Kerrville where she will remain most of the summer.

WEEK-END SPECIALS

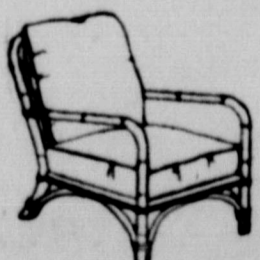
SPUDS 10 POUNDS	19c	Yellow Bermuda	ONIONS 3 LBS.	10c
Green Beans Select, 2 FOR	15c		Squash 2 LBS. FOR	15c
Libby's No. 2 cans			Peaches, gal	35c
Pumpkin 2 CANS FOR	15c		JUICES 2 for	25c
BR'ER RABBIT SYRUP 1/2 GALLON	29c		Plum, Pineapple Peach, Log- Berry, Apricot, Cherry, Pear, TAKE YOUR CHOICE!	
Great Northern, extra fancy			Sunbrite CLEANER, 3 for	13c
CORN 2 CANS	15c			
HEINZ SOUP, 3 for	25c			
Large				
Lux Flakes	24c			
LIFEBUOY or				
Lux Soap 2 BARS FOR	15c			
RINSO, large size	23c			
BEEF ROAST Fat, Juicy and Tender	20c			
LUNCH MEAT ASSORTED	29c			
SLICED BACON CLOVER BRAND	22c			
CHEESE Wisconsin Longhorn	25c			
BACON Swift's Ever-Sweet	27c			

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Your Grocers

Get
OUTDOORS
This
Summer!



Enjoy your lawn and flower garden. Dress up your sun porch or open porch with outdoor furniture. Weather proof chairs, tables, gliders and other pieces in gay colors to make your home—and especially the outdoors, attractive.



**SPECIAL VALUES IN
NEW OUTDOOR
FURNITURE
NOW
AVAILABLE!**

Joe Oberkampff
Furniture - Hardware - Plumbing - Electrolux - Butane Gas

The Babe, No. 1 Authority, Shows Kids How It's Done



Babe Ruth, former New York Yankee home-run king, and at one time the highest paid player in the history of baseball, conducting the baseball class for boys at the court of sport at the New York World's Fair. The Bambino is showing ambitious youngsters how to use the bat most effectively.

Behind The Scenes in American Business

By John Craddock

NEW YORK, June 5.—BUSINESS.—Just ten years ago this month the Federal Reserve Board's adjusted index of industrial production reached its all-time peak of 125 per cent of normal. In gloomy 1932 the index averaged 64, then climbed slowly back to 121 in December, 1936. Today the index stands at about 111 points under the 1939 high of 101 in January. There, briefly, is the picture of how industry has fared during a decade of relative hardship for the whole country. Neither industry in the next decade is anybody's guess, but level-headed business leaders, who have passed through more than one depression, are quietly reassuring themselves of the outlook for tomorrow. Typical of young industries that are going places is plastics, output of which for this year is estimated at \$150,000,000 a four-fold increase since 1935. The rate of

growth of the aviation industry is astonishing. Aircraft exports alone this year are expected nearly to equal the industry's total production of last year. Other industries that have sprung up largely since 1929, and from which much in the way of employment may be expected, include the manufacture of streamlined trains and diesel engines, artificial silk, television and pre-fabricated homes.

WASHINGTON.—Congressional mail is loaded with shingles upon which messages are written, a pet device of lumbermen when concerned about pending legislation. This time passage is sought for the bill requiring identification of materials bought by the government or used on federally-financed construction as domestic. Agitation is strong in the Northwest due to the Canadian trade treaty which is about to raise the quota limit on shingle imports, threatening shutdowns because of high wages paid in American mills. Pressure also is increasing from the "folks back home" for passage of a bill providing for

federal government guarantee of bank loans to small business concerns, just as the Federal Housing Administration now guarantees mortgage loans by banks on small homes. The measure is conceded a fair chance, with much depending on the degree of administration support its sponsors can muster, and the length of time congress stewers over taxes and social security amendments.

THINGS TO WATCH FOR—A not far distant day when hotels and other public centers will have a mailomat. This new machine automatically prints a metered stamp on letters inserted in it upon deposit of the necessary coins, and then holds them for postal collection. . . . Air-conditioning for Ringling Bros.-Barnum and Bailey circus. . . . A new process for coating tobacco with wax to destroy harshness and preserve aroma. . . . Father's day, June 18. . . . A crayon which will write indelibly on either hot or cold metals. . . . Sale of a new midget automobile through department stores, thus reverting to a practice once tried during the

industry's infancy.

HEADLINES IN NEW YORK—U. S. Bonds again reach new high on Treasury refunding plans. . . . Senate approves bill raising government debt limit to \$45,000,000,000, up five billion. . . . Eastern Railroads to reduce passenger fares this month in move to bolster competitive position with buses, airlines and private autos; round-trip coach fares Chicago to New York will be \$30.90 as against present \$45.38. . . . World's largest land plane, a Douglas DC-4, completes coast-to-coast flight with

42 passenger and crew of five. . . . Residential building in May largest since 1929. . . . Employment increase expected for June, led by usual seasonal expansion in farm work. . . . Steel ingot production Electric output running 12 per cent above last year.

Mrs. Earle Chandler was hostess to her contract club last week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Tom Smith.

Mrs. B. B. Ingham and Miss Betty Ingham leave today for a six week's trip north. They will see

the World's Fair in New York and go from there to Maine and Canada.

Max Schneemann is home from a hospital in San Angelo where he has been treated for an infection in his hand.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Rape are in Austin this week to attend the graduation at the University of Texas, where their son, Marvin Rape, is taking his B. A. degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Clayton are in San Antonio for a short visit.

Announcing...

OPENING OF THE NEW Cosden Service Station

No. 1

ON BARNHART HIGHWAY

C. C. Luther, Mgr.

We are pleased to announce our formal opening in our new building, north edge of the city on the Barnhart Highway . . .

SATURDAY, JUNE 10

A modern service station specializing in Cosden Higher Octane Gasoline and Cosden Processed Motor Oil—Products that have been proven through years of growing popularity.

FOR OPENING DAY—

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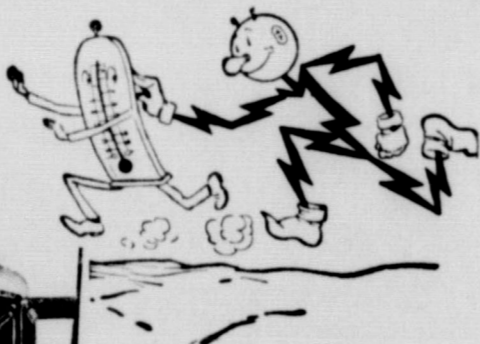
ONE QUART COSDEN PROCESSED MOTOR OIL

WITH EACH 5 GALLONS COSDEN OCTANE OR
WHITE GASOLINE

VISIT US — GET YOUR FREE QUART OF OIL!



"Thank you, Reddy, for keeping the temperature down in my refrigerator."



Reasons Why Electric Refrigeration Is BEST IN West Texas

I. **Dry, Hot Climate** requires exceptionally low temperature in your refrigerator to properly preserve food. Only Electric Refrigeration can give equally low temperatures (around 40 degrees) in July and August the same as in January.

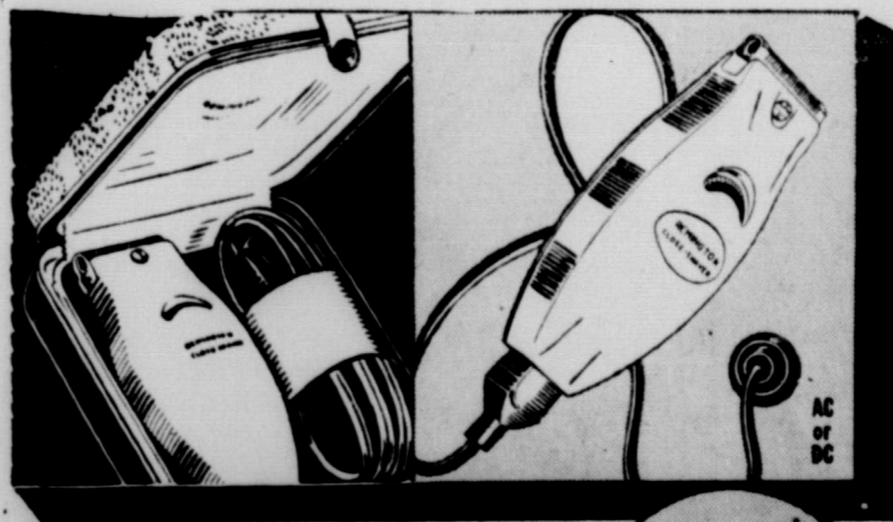
II. **Low Electric Rates** are in effect for refrigerator users. Economy of operation, plus the simplest refrigerating mechanism ever built, plus safety from toxic fumes, safety from combustible explosives, plus multiple-cold food protection—all these combine to make electric refrigeration best suited for use in West Texas where summer months undeniably are hot and dry.

Ask About Trade-In Allowance,
Small Down Payment—and Easy Terms

SEE THIS
X-RAY PROOF!
YOU DON'T HAVE TO
COVER FOODS

Compare
New FRIGIDAIRE "COLD-WALL"
Saves Food From Drying Out!
COLD WALL COOLING provides an abundance of food-preserving cold THROUGH THE WALLS and AROUND THE FOOD in lower compartment. First time ever done in home refrigerators! SEE HOW highly perishable foods stay deliciously fresh for days. SEE HOW odor- and flavor transfer is checked—Don't miss seeing it!

West Texas Utilities Company



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The Shaver that really Shaves

\$15.75
with deluxe hard case
\$15 with leather
travelling case

SEE OUR STOCK OF NEW SHAVERS ON DISPLAY

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LIFEGUARDS

NO LURCH! NO SWERVE! NO CRASH!

A car out of control is terrifying! Don't let it happen to you for want of protection against blowouts. LifeGuards in your tires are worth many times their cost in the feeling of security they afford. Don't drive another day without them!



LIFEGUARD prevents sudden deflation. Casing and tube may fail, but the LifeGuard, a "safety tire-within-a-tire," retains sufficient air-pressure to support car until it can be brought to a steady, rational stop.

LIFEGUARDS increase safe tire mileage by at least 25%. Also outwear more than one set of tires—save money in new-tube costs.

LIFEGUARDS are easy to install. Drive in and see how quickly you can have LifeGuards put in. In sizes available, they can be used in any make of tire, new or now in service. You can't get better protection to save your life.

SAVE WITH LIFEGUARDS. Let us show you all you gain with tire protection as valuable to you as 4-wheel brakes, all-steel body, or safety glass.

HAVE YOU RUN 5000 MILES? Get our front-wheel bearing service for safer, smoother driving. Front-wheel bearings removed, cleaned and repacked with special lubricant. Car manufacturers recommend this service every 5000 miles.

GOODYEAR'S NEW G-100 ALL-WEATHER THE TIRE OF THE YEAR!



GOOD YEAR TIRES. LOW COST... HIGH VALUE. SAVE AT THE SIGN OF THE GOODYEAR DIAMOND.

NORTH MOTOR COMPANY. CHEVROLET - OLDSMOBILE. Goodyear Tires & Tubes. Ozona Texas

Auto Accidents In April Claim Lives Of Ninety Texans

AUSTIN, May 30.—Death moved in many ways to claim the lives of 90 Texans in April traffic crashes, a state police analysis of last month's toll revealed today. An oil field worker was killed and his companion injured when their car hit the curbing on an "island" in front of the New London school. In Beaumont, a man was fatally injured when his motor-propelled bicycle crashed as it failed to make a curve. In Port Arthur, a bystander was killed on the sidewalk when two automobiles collided at an intersection. One of the cars was catapulted onto the man. A doctor died as he hastened on a call. Excessive speed was blamed for his car's failure to make a slight curve. When its driver went to sleep, a car hit a concrete bridge and crashed. A passenger asleep on the back seat never knew what hit him. A 19-year-old student, riding as a passenger, was thrown from a car as the machine left a curve, hurtled across the ditch to the left of the road, and overturned. The car landed on the student's neck, killing him instantly. The seriously injured driver lay in the wreckage two hours before help came. Near Henderson, a driver had his left arm hanging out the side window when a passing truck, veering close to the automobile, knocked the arm off. The man died from loss of blood, but the truck driver drove on. He didn't know what had happened. Near Seguin, a driver and his passenger were trapped in ten feet of water when their car ran off a curve and skidded into the river. The driver freed himself and came to the surface. His friend's body was recovered. Headon into a bunch of mules and horses traveled a car on a West Texas road, killing two mules and fracturing a rider's leg. Then the left door of the machine was thrown open and the driver struck the pavement. He died there. In South Texas, a Mexican pedestrian, caught between two lines of traffic, became confused, jumped back to avoid a car and toppled over, fracturing his skull on the pavement. He was 90 years old.

TOURS UNITED STATES



General Evangeline Booth, head of the Salvation Army, at present touring the United States, will return to England in August for the meeting of the Salvation Army high council to select her successor.

New Method Raising Wild Turkeys Given Trial by Game Dept.

AUSTIN.—A new method of raising wild turkey under semi-natural conditions being tested by the Game, Fish and Oyster commission may pave the way to the stocking of many sections of Texas with the big game birds. In cooperation with the United States Soil Conservation Service and the U. S. Farm Security Administration the Game Department has fenced a 50-acre tract in the heart of the Fannin county land rehabilitation project area near Bonham. Forty-eight wild turkey trapped in southwest Texas were released in the enclosure after their wings had been clipped. Wild turkey do not thrive in pens, but it is believed that under the semi-natural conditions they have found in the 50-acre tract they will prosper and propagate. A number of the hens have already nested. The birds are being given some food, but are foraging for most of their nourishment. When the young birds hatched on the area grow older it is expected they will fly over the fence. The older birds, when their wing feathers have grown out, will also leave the huge pen and will populate the surrounding territory. Should the experiment prove successful, it will be repeated in several areas of the state which provide the natural environment conducive to raising wild turkey. He: "I hear Hitler is starting a campaign against malaria." She: "Good Heavens! What have the Malarians done now?"



Mark Your Calendar Now!

Plan To Be In

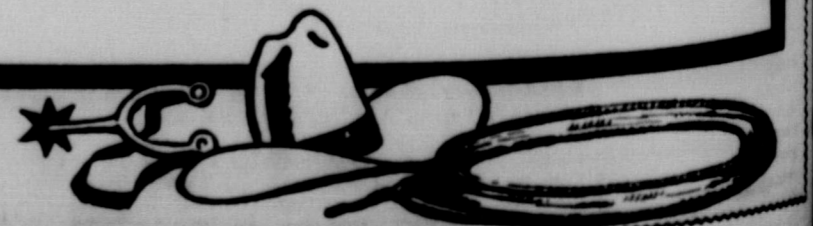
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Let us prove how this new Remington quickly saves its extreme low cost, in added speed and accuracy. It adds...lists and multiplies. Weighing only 11 lbs., it can be easily carried from job to job, or slipped in a desk drawer. Ten full-size keys, select proper column automatically, facilitate touch operation. \$99.99.99 capacity. Write or phone for a free trial in your own office, or your own figure work.

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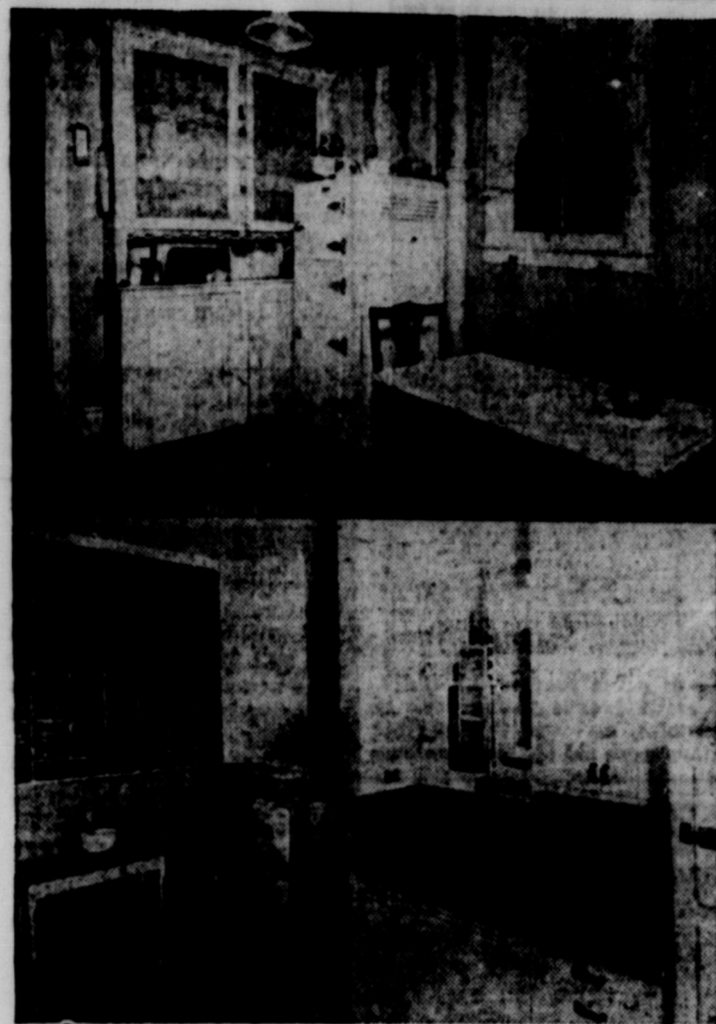
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**Low Housing Act
Continues F. H. A.
Financing Program**

DALLAS, June 6.—The amend-
National Housing act, signed
the President on June 3, is de-
signed to continue, with modifi-
cations, in liberalized home fi-
nancing program begun in Febru-
ary last year under the National
Housing act amendments of 1938.
The act is signed by William H. Clark, Jr., state
director, today.
He said, "Its enactment should
renewed assurance to the
residential construction industry,
home financing institutions,
and to individual home buyers and
builders who may have been hold-
ing up plans because of uncertain-
ty regarding the future of the
FHA. In other words, they may go
forward with confidence that vir-
tually all the financing facilities
available to them in the past year
will still be at their disposal."
As the senate banking and cur-
rency committee pointed out in its
report recommending passage of
the amended act: "Such contin-
uance directly concerns the orderly
progress of recovery and employ-
ment and the opportunity of Am-
erican families to obtain better
living standards."

Principal features of the amend-
ed act are:
1. Authorization for the Presi-
dent to increase to \$4,000,000,000
the amount of outstanding mort-
gage insurance obligations the
FHA may have at one time. The
present limitation is \$3,000,000,000
and the outstanding principal obli-
gation at this time is approxi-
mately \$1,400,000,000, not includ-
ing approximately \$400,000,000 in
outstanding commitments to in-
sure.
2. Continuation of the FHA's
authority to insure mortgages on
existing construction until July
1, 1941. Homes financed with FHA
insured mortgages will continue
to be eligible for FHA financing
indefinitely.
3. Requirement that in the re-
financing of mortgages the appli-
cant for insurance must file a cer-
tificate that the mortgage holder
has refused to grant him equally

Before . . . and AFTER



The Federal Housing Administration's Property Improvement Credit Plan provided the way for making the major part of the constructive changes in this kitchen. The installation of glass blocks furnished an entry for additional light; the building of the small partition obscured the former unsightly drainpipe, and the built-in cabinet and trim sink afforded added neat lines, all conducive to ease and dispatch in the preparation of food. The financing for most of the changes in this "before-and-after" revelation was done through a financial institution qualified under FHA's Property Improvement Credit Plan. There are nearly 5,000 such financial institutions throughout the country.

favorable terms.
4. Extension indefinitely of the
authority of the FHA to insure
mortgages on small homes involv-
ing mortgages of not more than
\$5,400 for terms up to 25 years.
Under the old bill the maximum
maturity of 25 years must be
20 years, as of July 1st.
5. Authorization to continue

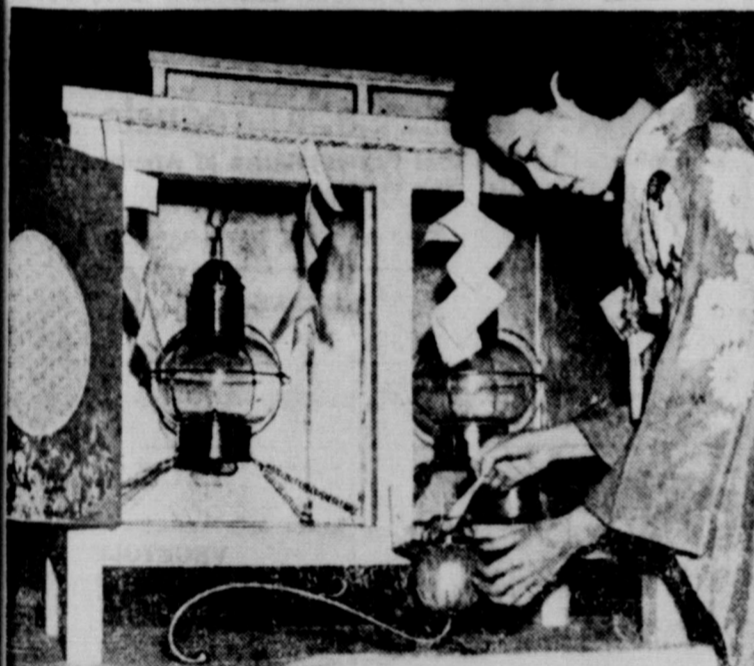
insurance of leading institutions
against loss on property improve-
ment loans up to \$2,500 each with
a new provision empowering the
administrator to charge an insur-
ance premium not in excess of
three-fourths of one per cent to
offset a portion of operating ex-
penses and losses.
6. Establishment of a prevail-
ing wage scale to be determined
by the secretary of labor on large
scale projects (Section 207).
7. Revision of the conditions
under which insurance may be
granted on mortgages covering
large scale projects.
8. Repeal of Section 210 under
which the administrator was au-
thorized to insure mortgages un-
der special conditions in the price
range up to \$200,000.

**FISHING FROM BRIDGE
NOW ILLEGAL IN TEXAS**

Anglers are reminded that it is
now illegal to fish from bridges
on roads in Texas maintained by
the state highway department. The
bill providing this was passed re-
cently by the state legislature as
a safety measure when it was
pointed out that several hundred
persons were killed or injured last
year while fishing off bridges. It
is also illegal to leave fish on
bridges.

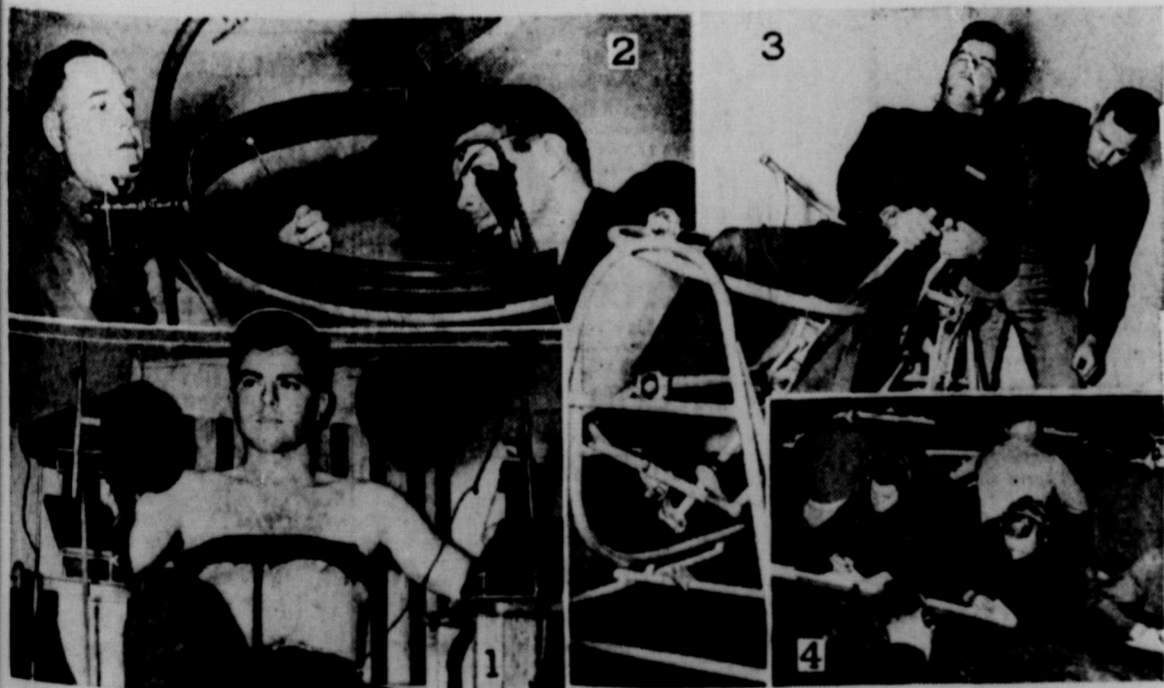
The motorcycle cop drove up be-
side the car that was holding up
the line.
"Can't yer go any faster?" he
roared.
"Sure, but I don't wanna leave
the car."

Japan Sends 'Friendship Flame' to U. S.



The "Flame of Friendship," presented to the New York World's Fair as a symbol of the friendship between Japan and the United States, was lighted by Mayor Keikichi Tanomoti of Tokyo from burning fagots of express wood brought from the Izumo grand shrine, where, according to Shinto mythology, the flame has been burning for more than 1,500 years. The flame was carried to New York by Miss Akiko Tsukimoto.

Uncle Sam Thorough in Training Sky Soldiers



Seeking to expand the number of its pilots to more than 4,500 in the next two years, the United States army is cautious in its training of sky soldiers. After three months initial training in nine civilian flying schools the students go to Randolph Field, San Antonio, Texas, for another three months basic training. Here their mettle and fitness are tested. 1.—The photopolygraph determines muscular and brain co-ordination. 2.—Reflexes, reflexes and pulse. 3.—The primeter est for measuring the visual field of form and color is given. Eye defects and high blood pressure cause 45 out of 50 rejections. 4.—The balancing chair determines the sense of equilibrium. 5.—Ground school teaches the cadet how to read maps, how his engine works, and other details. 6.—The actual flying, readies the cadet for advanced work at Kelly Field.

**QUESTIONS
and
ANSWERS**

Q. I have an old pine floor in my house, and in places it has cracked, I don't want to go to the expense at this time of having a new floor laid. What can I do?

A. You can fill the cracks with hardwood strips. If this is too much work, then a paste of sawdust and glue can be poured into them. It is unwise, no matter which method is employed, to do the work in damp weather.

Q. Is brick veneer as satisfactory as brick for a home?

A. If properly constructed, brick veneer should give very satisfactory results.

Q. What is considered the best height for display windows in a store?

A. That depends on the type of merchandise. When clothing, furniture, and plumbing and heating fixtures are shown the floor should be as low as possible. Hats,

jewelry, and like articles should be shown at approximately table height.

Q. I have noticed that some of the water pipes are leaking in both the joints and the pipes themselves. Can this be repaired, and is it costly?

A. If the piping is exposed in the cellar, that part of the work will not be costly. It may be necessary to tear up some of the flooring in the upper floors, but

even this will not be unreasonably expensive.

Q. How can I keep my windows from rattling?

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Lee Wilsons Leave For West Point To Attend Graduation

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilson and son, J. E. Colquitt, left Wednesday for West Point, N. Y., to attend graduation exercises at the United States Military Academy, where Mr. Wilson's son, Woodrow Wilson, will be graduated with the class of 1939.

Young Wilson will emerge from the Academy as number one man in the engineering corps, highest ranking division in the army. A class of 456 is to be graduated at the exercises June 12. On June 14, Woodrow Wilson will be married to Miss Kate Lawson of El Paso and Washington, D. C. The young couple will spend most of the summer in Ozona, Lieutenant Wilson being on leave for the summer vacation period before reporting in the fall as assistant coach at Army.

Towns On OST—

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A temporary organization, with Emil Loeffler, Junction business man, as temporary chairman, and H. V. (Buzzie) Stokes, Sonora, as temporary secretary, was formed. The date for the general meeting next Tuesday at Sonora was agreed upon and the call issued to towns along the route.

The purpose of the proposed organization is to raise a fund with which to advertise and promote the route with a view to increasing tourist traffic, to urge federal designation of a strip of the highway from Comfort to Segovia, and to secure closer cooperation of towns

Range Romance Lives Again in Musty Records



Romantic stories of the early days of Los Angeles county, when huge herds of cattle roamed the range, were recalled when County Supervisor Oscar Hauge uncovered hundreds of cattle brands dating back to 1833. The leather, upon which the brands were burned, was found in two old trunks, and was in first-class condition, despite the passing of more than a century. Most owners of the brands were old Spanish families.

along the highway in promoting their common interests.

The Sonora meeting will give opportunity for a general discussion of the plan. A permanent organization will be formed and the campaign launched, it was announced. Interested citizens here are making plans to have representation at the meeting.

"There are two kinds of men. Those who remain bachelors, and those who don't care what happens to them."

Baptist Missionary Circles Hold Joint Meets Thru Summer

All circles of the Baptist Missionary society met at the church Wednesday afternoon for a business session and devotional program, directed by Mrs. J. T. Keeton.

At the business meeting it was decided that separate meetings of the various circles of the society be suspended and that the society as a whole meet each Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock through the summer months.

At next week's meeting, Mrs. A. W. Jones will review a book on the life of Charles H. Sturgeon.

METHODIST CHURCH Eugene Slater, Minister

Calendar of Services: Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Evening worship, 8 p. m.

Laymen's Day will be observed at our morning service this Sunday. The board of stewards has asked Mr. Stanley Banks, a San Antonio attorney and a member of Laurel Heights church, to be the speaker. We feel that in Mr. Banks we have an unusual Methodist layman and we are looking forward to a most helpful service this Sunday. Our members and friends are cordially invited to share in this Laymen's Day observance.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Coates were here Friday from Sanderson.

COYOTE MEETS END

A coyote which had eluded ranchmen in the Ozona vicinity for several weeks fell a victim to a trapper operating on the P. T. Robison ranch north of Ozona last Friday night. The coyote had killed an average of two sheep a night on the Robison ranch for the previous week.

Texas Agriculture April Income Over Five-Year Average

AUSTIN, June 7.—Texas farmers received \$27,006,000 in cash income during April, a fourth more than in April last year, and nearly 4 per cent above the 5-year average, University of Texas business statisticians said today.

For the first four months of 1939, farm cash income has totaled \$77,956,000 a gain of more than 5 per cent above the \$74,127,000 for the corresponding period last year, Dr. F. A. Buechel, assistant director of the university bureau of business research, said.

Marked differences are noted in various sections of the state, however. For the most part crop reporting districts devoted to livestock growing fared well because of heavy shipments of cattle and calves, while areas dependent largely on cotton and cottonseed as a source of income showed unfavorable comparisons.

Dr. Buechel predicted that the improvement over the corresponding periods of last year would be maintained.

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Beauties Converge On Fort Stockton For Bathing Revue

FORT STOCKTON, June 7.—From all over West Texas contestants and spectators are headed for Fort Stockton next weekend, beginning June 8, for the three days of contests to be held at the fourth annual Fort Stockton Water carnival.

Miss Laury Hadden, Fort Stockton winner last year, and runner-up in the all West Texas revue, will be queen of the water carnival, and will occupy the throne over the center of the Comanche Spring pool on Saturday night. Miss Katherine Nations, El Paso, who won the queen's crown last year, could not return for the 1939 show, and Miss Hadden, as runner-up in 1938, was elevated to the throne.

Elaborate ceremonies of crowning the 1939 queen will conclude the revue Saturday night. The winner will not only be the reigning head of next year's revue, but will also receive an all-expense trip to Treasure Island at San Francisco, Texas of this entire section plan to send their comeliest young ladies for the contest.

MRS. SHERMAN TAYLOR ENTERTAINS AT RANCH

Mrs. Sherman Taylor entertained her contract club and other guests with a luncheon at her ranch home Tuesday. Mrs. Evert White held high score for the

club and Mrs. James Baggett were high for guests. Mrs. Chas. Davidson, Jr., won the bingo prize. The other guests were Mrs. Earl Baggett, Mrs. Johnny Miller, Mrs. Mary Alice Smith, Mrs. H. B. Taylor, Mrs. Walter Augustine, Mrs. Jake Young, Mrs. Hilary Phillips, Mrs. Melvin Brown, Mrs. Max West, Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., Mrs. Marbury Morrison and Mrs. Jamie Blaylock.

Miss Dixie Davidson has returned from a visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Garver at Baton Rouge, La.

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ARMOUR'S STAR SAUSAGE Patties or Links, lb.	27c	Big 24-oz. Bottles No Deposit on Bottles	
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ARMOUR'S Lunch Meat Sliced, lb.	27c	1 lb.	29c
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