

Lamesa Policeman Is Fatally Beaten

LAMESA—(P)—City Patrolman Claude W. Johnson, 44, was brutally beaten to death with his own pistol on Lamesa's business square early today after he had surprised a burglar entering a store.

Land Value Discrepancies Are Revealed

A long list in land valuation discrepancies for taxable purposes was presented to the City Commission yesterday afternoon by City Manager Dick Pepin and Tax Assessor-Collector Aubrey Jones.

The discrepancies appeared both in business and residential sections, Pepin said, referring to a map and a page summary listing the discrepancies. Direct cause of the differing figures was the city's constantly changing topography throwing some lots into a too high valuation compared with others where improvements should raise them, but haven't, on the tax rolls.

Exit Hinted In Shanghai

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—President George L. Killian said today that American President Lines had received a report that Chinese Communist officials have agreed to evacuation of 1,600 foreign nationals from Shanghai.

Rites Held For Hemphill Pioneer

CANADIAN—(Special)—Funeral services for Mrs. Martha C. Hamilton were to be held today at 3:30 p. m. from the First Methodist Church of Canadian, with the Rev. A. A. Kendall officiating.

Residence Fire Damage Is \$500

A bathroom fire at 522 N. Stark weather at 5:22 p. m. yesterday caused between \$400 and \$500 damage, Fire Chief Ernest Winborne estimated this morning.

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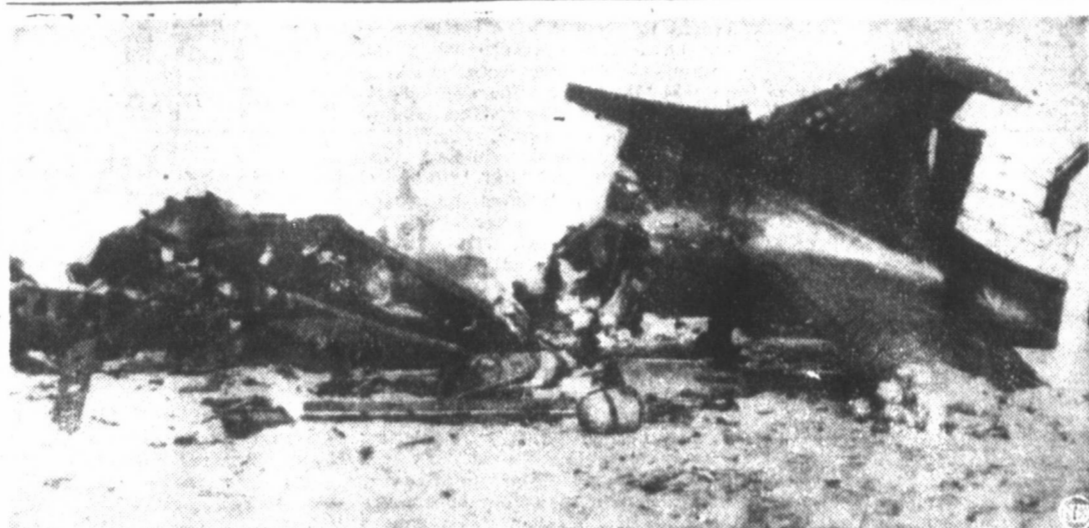
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Loyalty Records Ordered In Summons by Senators



WHERE FIVE DIED—Shown above is the wreckage of a U. S. Air Force plane which crashed near Ottawa, Canada, yesterday, killing U. S. Ambassador, Laurence A. Steinhardt and four other persons. The plane had just taken off on a flight to Washington when it exploded and crashed. One crew member parachuted to safety.

U.S. Official Probes Crash

RANSAYVILLE, Ont. —(AP)—The U. S. Air Force's top safety officer began an investigation today into the explosion and crash of the U. S. embassy plane in which an American Ambassador, Laurence A. Steinhardt and four others were killed yesterday.

Wheat Group To Organize

A meeting to organize a permanent Gray County branch of the Wheat Growers' Association will be held at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, April 5, in the County Court Room, according to John Harnly, chairman of the organizational committee.

WOMEN'S CLUB EDITION TODAY

Readers will find in today's issue of The News the second annual Women's Club Section, devoted to histories, accounts of work done and work to be done and pictures of clubs throughout the area.

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Jury Trial Is Seen In Tideland Case

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Texas and Louisiana may get the chance to present their tideland cases to a jury or a special master.

New Mexico Wants Pact On Canadian

SANTA FE—(AP)—Before any dam is constructed on the Canadian River in West Texas, New Mexico wants three things, Gov. Thomas J. Mabry declared today.

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Action Taken After HST Refuses to Permit Access

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Balked by President Truman after asking politely, a Senate committee today set out to force him to turn over secret loyalty files. It sent the Senate's sergeant at arms out with a summons directing three high government officials to produce employe files for its communism investigation.

Local Woman Critically Hurt

A Pampa woman was critically injured about 6 p. m. yesterday when the car she was driving rolled over 14 miles north of McLean.

Ranger Company Sent to Laredo

AUSTIN—(AP)—Company D of the Texas Rangers will be sent to Laredo Friday, Public Safety Director Homer Garrison, Jr., announced today.

Tito Gets 93 of Each 100 Votes

BELGRADE—(AP)—The independent Communist regime of Premier Marshal Tito was supported in its fight against the Russian-led coalition by 93.2 percent of the Yugoslav voters in Sunday's general election.

Square Dance Lessons Set

Frank Ponce, nationally famous square dance instructor, will offer lessons, beginning tomorrow, to boys and girls who are between the ages of 10 and 18.

Texas Fire Damage Exceeds \$100,000

VICTORIA, Texas—(AP)—Loss of more than \$100,000 resulted from a fire that razed the Atzen-Hoffer Chevrolet Co. here yesterday.

Dallas Okays Probe Of Alleged Graft

DALLAS—(AP)—The Dallas city council has instructed Assistant City Manager Elgin C. Crull to investigate charges by A. C. Lewis, Dallas fire equipment salesman, that there is graft in connection with the sale of fire hoses to the city.

Pampa May Be Site of Assembly-Line Homes As City Commission Okays Inspection Plans

Assembly line homes, complete with windows washed, may soon be putting in their appearance in Pampa.

Natural Gas Measure Voted Due in Senate

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A bitterly contested bill to limit federal regulation of the natural gas industry approached a vote today in the Senate.

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Large Crowd Hears Band

A near capacity crowd turned out last night for the seventh annual all-city band concert at the High School Auditorium.

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The Weather

WEST TEXAS: Fair this afternoon, tonight and Thursday. Warmer Thursday.



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Blue Bonnet Inn
Hogue-Mills Equipment, Inc.
Frank Dial Tire Co.

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Chamber of Commerce

Tex Evans Buick Co.
Freindly Men's Wear
Sports Clothing

Peg's Cab
Pursley Motor Co.
Rock Glycerin Co.
Brumley Food Store



Barney Google

BYE-BYE, TIGER!!
HURRY BACK REAL SOON, HONEY-POT!

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Barney Google

YOWIE!!
WUZNT SHE SOME HUMDINGER, SNUFFY?

YESSIEEE!!
SHE--UH--
BALLS O' FIRE!!
LOOKY WHAT I SEE

Barney Google

GOOD RIDDANCE!!
YE BRAZEN-FACED HUZZY!!

I DON'T NEED TO LOOK

Alley Oop

A MESSAGE FOR YOU, SIZ. IT'S MOST IMPORTANT!

WHOOEY! WHAT A CHAZ-ATEE! WHAT KIND OF RAW MEAT DO YOU FEED HIM ANYWAY? WOW!

Alley Oop

MY GOODNESS, ALLEY! WHAT'S THIS SPECIAL MESSAGE ALL ABOUT?

HOW DO I KNOW? D'YA THINK I GOT XRAY EYES? I AINT OPENED IT YET!

Alley Oop

WELL, THEN, OPEN D'YA THINK I GOT IT, YOU HAMMER-HEADED OFF-SPRING OF AN ORANGOUTANG!

CARNIVAL

By DICK TURNER SIDE GLANCES

Then, after years of fighting for financial independence, I saw the solution—dependence from finances!

CARNIVAL

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CARNIVAL

By GALBRAITH

"She's a little taller than I am, Mom, but she's got wonderful qualities that offset that—her dad gives her the car any time she asks!"

Mutt & Jeff

JEFF, DID YOU CATCH MY ACT LAST NIGHT ON THE AMATEUR THEATRICAL TELEVISION SHOW?

YEH, I WAS WATCHING, MUTT!

Mutt & Jeff

THEY WERE LUCKY TO HAVE ME ON THE SHOW IF I DO SAY SO MYSELF!

DID YOU HEAR ME AD LIB? THE STUFF I GOT OFF-- WAS REALLY SUMPIN'!

Mutt & Jeff

CLASS WILL TELL! -- WHAT DID I GET OFF THAT PLEASED YOU SO MUCH?

WHEN YOU GOT OFF THE STAGE!

Freckles

HONEST, PEG, THE GIRLS WANT YOU TO PITCH FOR THEM-- THEY'VE FORGIVEN ME FOR BEING MARRIED!

HOW NICE OF THEM! DO THEY KNOW ABOUT DOLLY?

Freckles

WHAT ABOUT OUR DARLING BABY WHILE I'M OUT WORKING ON THE DIAMOND?

BRO-THER! BET I'LL BE THE FIRST MANAGER IN HISTORY WHO HAS TO PROVIDE A BABY SITTER FOR HIS STAR PITCHER!

Freckles

AND I'M DOING ALL THIS COACHING-- IT FOR KICKS! I MUST BE 'NUTS!

STOP GRUMBLED-- AND EYE THIS AD!

WANTED: BABY SITTER BY EMPLOYED ATHLETE. CALL: FREEMAN, THE FEMALE FELLER, OAK-123

Vic Flint

SINCE THE GUESTS ARE SO UPSET ABOUT THIS DREADFUL MURDER AND KIDNAPING, MISS SWEDEN, I THOUGHT YOU MIGHT DIVERT THEM BY PUTTING ON A SKATING EXHIBITION.

GLADLY, MR. SMITH.

Vic Flint

BUT I HAVEN'T BEEN ON SKATES SINCE MY LAST MOVIE. IF YOU'LL LET ME PRACTICE A FEW ROUTINES, I'LL BE READY BY EVENING.

and in a lonely cabin not far away...

Vic Flint

WELL, CHRISTOPHER, I IMAGINE YOUR MOTHER HAS STARTED TO RAISE THE RANSOM MONEY BY NOW. DOES THAT MAKE YOU HAPPY?

As Bunnys

ARE YOU SURE I'M WEADY?

O' COURSE!

As Bunnys

I'M VEVY NERVOUS!

UNLAX! I TAUGHT YA ALL I KNOW-- AN' THAT'S PUHLENTY!

As Bunnys

GET GOIN'!

GWACIOUS!

ELMER'S TAKIN' HIS FIRST SOLO TODAY!

Priscilla's Pop

PRISCILLA, WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE MY BABY-SITTER?

I DON'T KNOW, MRS. GILKY. I'VE NEVER BEEN BABY-SITTER BEFORE!

Priscilla's Pop

OH, IT'S EASY! YOU JUST SIT AND SEE THAT HE BEHAVES!

LOOK, POP! I GET PAID FOR DOING THIS!

Priscilla's Pop

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS OUR BOARDING HOUSE

HE'S GROWING SO MUCH FASTER THAN US THAT IF WE KEEP A RECORD OF WHAT PART OF HIM IS GROWING FASTEST AND OF EVERY BIT HE EATS, WE MAY LEARN SOMETHING THERE!

HE'S TRYIN' TO MAKE US STUDIOUS ON TH' SLY-- BUT HE MADE TH' MISTAKE OF SAYIN' WE MAY LEARN SOMETHING-- THIN!

OH, HE'S MADE ME SMARTER! YES, SIR, EACH TIME HE PULLS IT, IT CEASES TO BE FUN QUICKER!

OUT OUR WAY

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HOW'S ABOUT ME WEARIN' THIS MANGY OLD MOOSE SKIN WHEN I ESCORT MY ESKIMO RASSLER IN THE RING? -- IT'LL LOOK LIKE I DISCOVERED HIM WHILST HUNTIN' FER THE NORTH POLE!

HEAVENS, JAKE! YOU'RE NOT THAT BRAZEN! -- IT APPALLS ME -- MY PRIZED OLD POLAR PARKA DIVERTED TO A FARCICAL AND LARCENOUS PURSUIT. IF YOU WERE MANAGING A LEGITIMATE MATRIMONIAL AGENCY, SUCH AS GOTCHA OR ZBYZKO, VERY WELL, BUT -- SPUTT-TT!

BETTER CARRY A HARPOON, TOO, JAKE!

Wash Tubbs

COOKE, YOU'LL THROW ALL YOUR BONES OUT OF JOINT, READIN' IN THAT POSITION!

WHY CAN'T YOU SIT IN A CHAIR AND BE COMFORTABLE WHEN YOU READ?

Wash Tubbs

WHAT IF MAMA AND PAPA WOULD LIE AROUND THE HOUSE LIKE THIS TO DO OUR READIN'?

GEE, IT IS COMFORTABLE, ISN'T IT?

I TOLD YOU SO!

Wash Tubbs

DUNNO WHAT YOU'RE AFRAID WE'LL SEE, FELLA... BUT YOU'D BETTER BE MORE POLITE TO THE LADY!

YOU AIN'T TELLIN' ME NOTHIN', YOU-- UMPF!

Wash Tubbs

COME TO THINK OF IT, MR. PUSH, I'LL POLISH UP YOUR MANNERS A BIT!

GIT OFFA HIM, YOU MAIL ORDER DUDE, IF YOU DON'T WANT A DOSE OF LEAD!

Red Ryder

I'LL BUST RIDER WITH THIS ROCK BEFORE HE CAN HIT PA!

WILLIAM WILSON SNUBBY MISSES HIS TARGET!

Red Ryder

I DIDN'T STRIKE A BLOW, TALONS GET UP AN' FIGHT!

OH! MY HEAD!

GEE--WHIZ! I HIT PA! -- I'D BETTER SCRAM AN' LET RIDER TAKE TH' BLAME!

Boots

BOY--Y! REAR LIKE MODEL IN THE HOUSE!

WELL, AFTER ALL, THERE HAS TO BE TYPES!

Boots

Tex Austin

GIL, YOUR DAD WOULD BE ASHAMED OF YOU! ... THREATENING TEX!

YEAH? -- WELL, IF PAW DIES -- TEX AUSTIN'LL HEAR FROM ME!

Tex Austin

LATER, AT THE 'LAZY Y'...

DO NOT TAKE IT SO HARD, TEX... SOMHOW OR OTHER, I CAN'T HELP YOUR FAULT MOORE GOT HURT!

SAY... H. H. -- DO WE GO BACK UP TO CRIPPLE CREEK TO SHOOT THAT SEQUENCE ON THE DAM!

HOW ABOUT IT, TEX?

SURE... WHY NOT? YOU NEED YOUR PICTURE... AN' THE RANCHERS CAN WATER! YOU CAN COUNT ON ME!

Bo

NO THANKS... I'D RATHER WANT SOME FROM SCHOOL. I WANT TO ASK A FEW PEOPLE IF THEY'VE BEEN BO.

YOUR DOG AIN'T SHOWN UP YET, EH? WA--AL, DON'T LET THAT DISCOURAGE YOU, SONNY... I KNOW DOGS AND THEIR HABITS.

Bo

THEY OFTEN GO OFF ON JAUNTS BUT THEY'LL ALWAYS COME HOME... IF YOU'VE TREATED 'EM RIGHT... OR NOTHIN'S HAPPENED TO 'EM...

HE'S THE DOG WARDEN... HE OUGHTA KNOW... AND I'VE ALWAYS BEEN KIND TO BO... BUT MAYBE HE'S WRONG. BO ISN'T LIKE OTHER DOGS.

Mickey Finn

YOU THINK IT WILL BE SAFE FOR HIM TO PROCEED TO LOS ANGELES TO MEET THE DOCTOR?

OH YES! THE BUMP WILL SOON GO DOWN! I WANT TO BE GO DOWN! THERE A FEW DAYS BEFORE THE CONVENTION STARTS!

Mickey Finn

THERE'S ANOTHER TRAIN AT FOUR O'CLOCK, PHIL. WE CAN MAKE IT IF WE HURRY!

OHAY! YOU GET A CAB AND I'LL GET THIS WIRE OFF TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE!

YOU'RE GOING TO MISS THAT TRAIN IF YOU DON'T GET OUT HERE SOON, MISTER! WHAT'S HE DOING IN THERE?

SENDING A TELEGRAM! ALL WRITTEN-- I CAN'T UNDERSTAND WHAT'S HOLDING HIM UP!

WHAT TIME DO YOU GET THROUGH TONIGHT?

SEVEN O'CLOCK!

Penny

SHOO, FATHER, MY SOCIETY WILL BE HERE ANY MINUTE-- YOU CAN'T STAY HERE EITHER, DEAR, I HAVE TO WAX THE FLOOR!

EVERY BEDROOM FULL OF HATS AND COATS, NOT A CHAIR IN THE DINING ROOM, THIS ISN'T A HOME ANYMORE...

Penny

IT'S A SEVEN ROOM DISPLACED PERSONS CAMP.

Mrs. Arthur Teed Is Selected Woman of the Year

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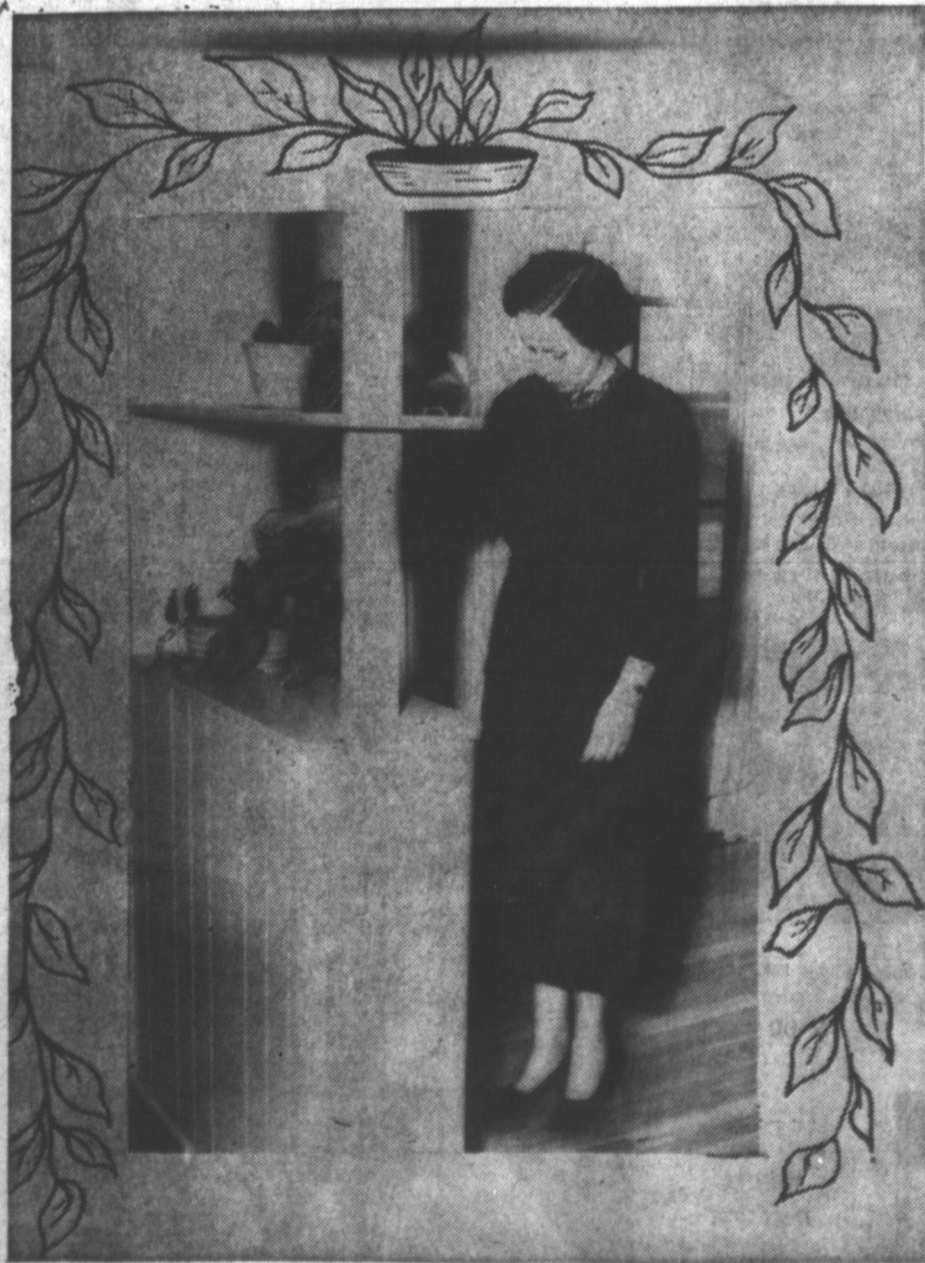
Second Annual
Women's Club Edition



An avid reader, books and recorded music are favorite forms of relaxation for Mrs. Teed. She is shown lost in a book.



Mrs. Teed is shown at the spinet piano, which is one of her favorite possessions. In the photograph on the piano, she is shown with her three sons.



The "Woman of the Year" is seen here as she waters ivy, which adds a touch of summer to the Teed living room.

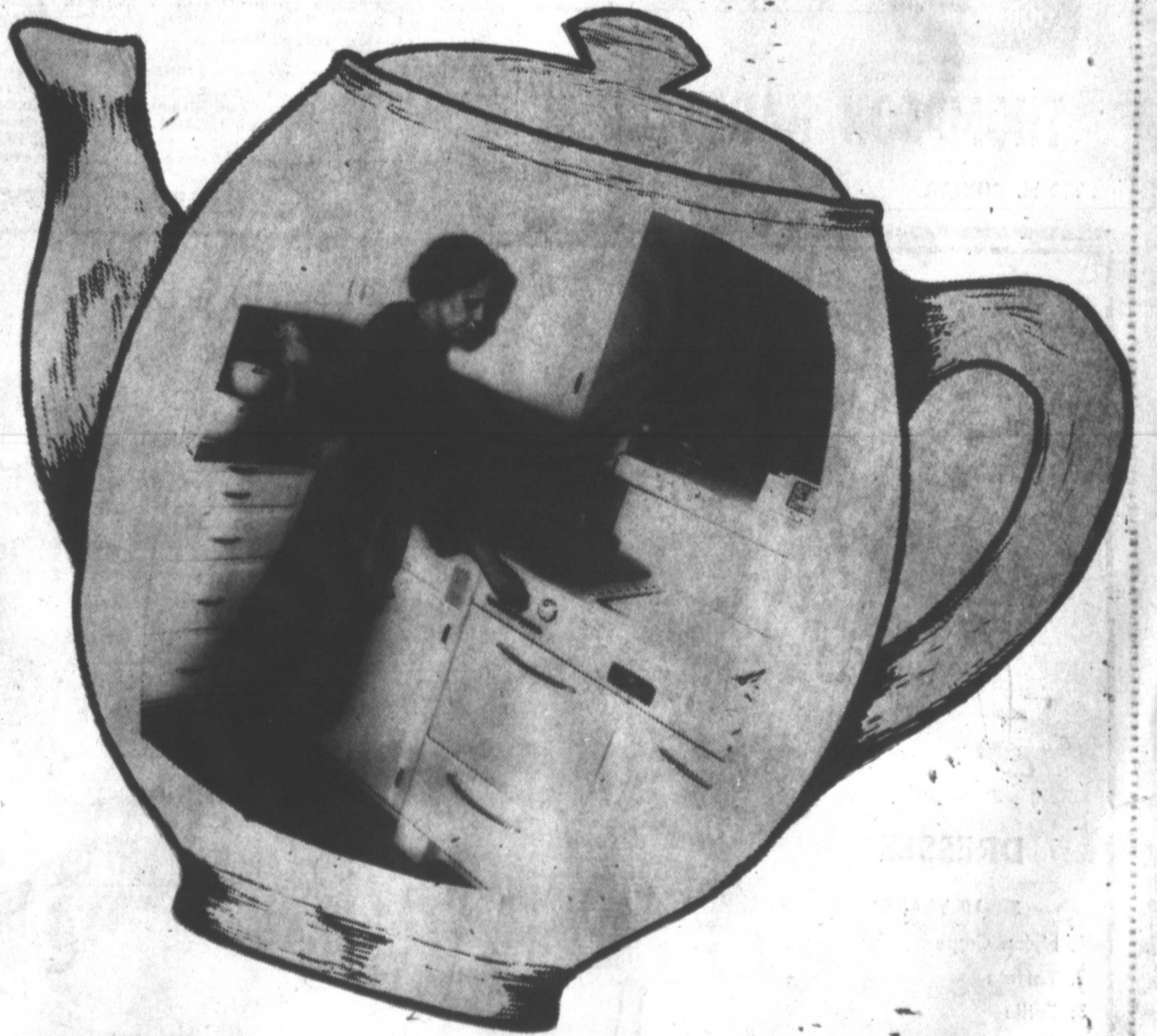
Dorothy Teed, charming and modest wife of Arthur Teed, Pampa attorney, was selected "Woman of the Year" by Beta Sigma Phi at a meeting last week.

Mrs. Teed, selected for her service to the community, church work and homemaking, is active in parent-teacher work, in the Methodist Church and as a member of the piano symphony.

A former sponsor of Beta Sigma Phi, a past president of the American Association of University Women and of the Twentieth Century Forum, she is the newly-elected secretary of Twentieth Century Forum.

A former teacher of English and piano in the Pampa schools, she now lives quietly in a beautiful home at 1822 Charles, with her husband and three sons, John, 13, Don, 11 and Jere, 9. She has been a Pampa resident for more than 20 years.

Mrs. Teed will be honored with a tea at the Schneider Hotel on April 23.



Mrs. Teed, who admits that she hates to sew but is a good cook, is shown in her model kitchen, whipping up a quick meal for her family.

**'Japan Now' Eyed
By Church Women**

McLEAN — The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Nazarene Church has been an organized club for many years. They meet on the first and third Thursday nights of every month. Mrs. B. H. Spencer is president; Miss Gussie Bledsoe, superintendent of study; and Mrs.

L. M. Seay, secretary-treasurer. There are about 10 members in the club. The society has been studying a book, "Japan Now," by William D. Eckel.

For a delicious cream of carrot soup use chicken stock for part of the milk when you make the cream sauce. Sprinkle with a few chopped olives before serving, or use paprika instead.

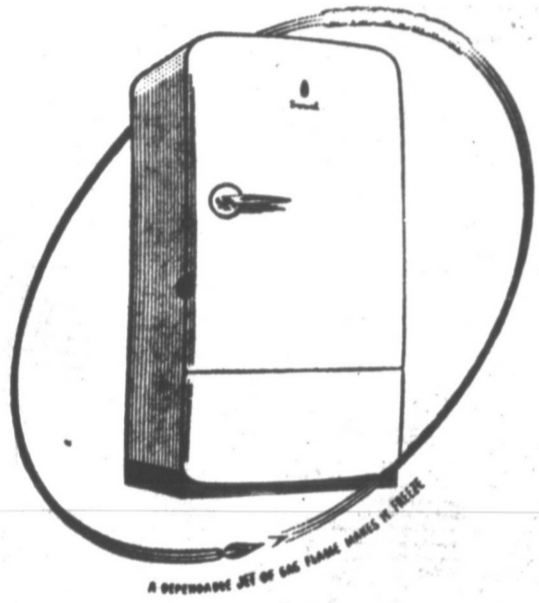
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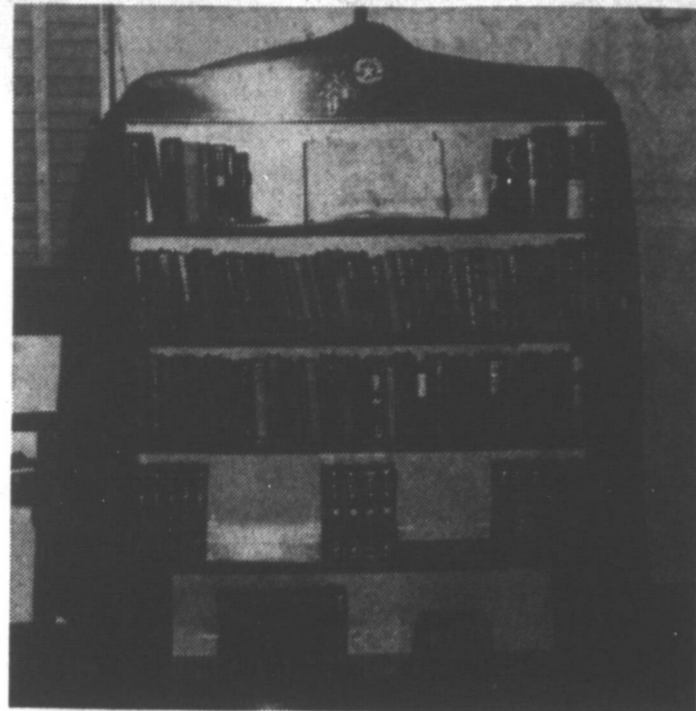
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**American Legion Auxiliary Is
Outgrowth of First World War**



Legion Memorial Book Shelf

The American Legion Auxiliary was founded following the first world war as an auxiliary to the American Legion. The membership is composed of mothers, wives, sisters and daughters of Legionnaires of both world wars, and women who are veterans in their own right, thus having a potential membership larger than any other single organized group of women in the United States.

The Auxiliary is non-political and non-sectarian and is devoted entirely to serving the veterans who served their country and to the widows and orphans of those who gave their lives in the cause of freedom and peace.

Unit 334 of Pampa is justly proud of its membership and its accomplishments. Its child welfare committee and rehabilitation committee are continually on the alert to serve both the veteran and his family in time of need, and the records show that they are called upon often. It also helps a needy French family whose child was adopted by the Auxiliary after the war. The Veterans Hospital in Amarillo is visited regularly and entertainment is furnished the patients on occasions. Large contributions are made each year to the department rehabilitation funds so that the hospital work can be carried on by trained workers furnished by the Auxiliaries.

The Pampa Unit contributed and maintains a memorial book shelf in the City Library, dedicated to those who died in both world wars. All books placed on the shelf are closely censored before being chosen.

A memorial flower bed is maintained at the intersection of Kentucky and Duncan and you may see one or more members at work there early many mornings and late evenings.

Each year a girl is chosen from the Junior Class of the Pampa High School and sent to Austin to a citizenship school called Girls State. They are chosen for their leadership qualifications, hoping that their training will be passed on to others through them.

A poppy poster contest is conducted in the Pampa schools each year and winning posters are displayed in windows on "Poppy Day."

Veteran-made poppies are sold once each year before Memorial Day and all poppy funds are used in veteran rehabilitation work.

Each Memorial Day poppy wreaths are placed on all veterans' graves by the Legion and VFW Auxiliaries jointly, and together they have bought and placed permanent bronze markers at graves of veterans of all American wars.

A Girl Scout troop is sponsored and maintained, and one member, Mrs. O. L. Statton, serves the Girl Scouts as organization chairman.

Officers of the local unit are Mrs. R. J. Kiser, president; Mrs. Jack Graham, first vice president; Mrs. Jim Turner, second vice president; Mrs. Charles Gilson, secretary; Mrs. Frank Lard, treasurer; Mrs. Frank Shotwell, chaplain; Mrs. Ray Browning, sergeant-at-arms; Mrs. Lyle K. Stout, historian; Mrs. Jim Clauder and Mrs. Charles Gilson, Council of Clubs representatives; Mrs. Al Lawson, Americanism chairman.

Mrs. M. F. Roche, child welfare; Mrs. Hupp Clark, rehabilitation; Mrs. Jack Graham, community service; Mrs. Ruth Huff, legislative; Mrs. Ray Browning, finance; Mrs. Jim Turner, poppy; Mrs. E. E. McNutt, memorials and publicity; Mrs. Roy Hall, music; Mrs. Katie Vincent, cards and flowers; and Mrs. Cordie McBride, social.

Other members are Mmes. Nan Fender, Oscar Huff, Leroy Franks, Jack Jackson, Wilma Lemm, Roy Lewis, Roy Sewell, O. W. Appleby, E. M. Behrman, Paul C. Christian, J. C. Coonan, R. B. Dial, Bess E. Finley, J. W. Garman, Jr., K. W. Johnson, Don P. Lusher, L. M. McWright, Vena Riley, and J. F. Schwind.

Mmes. Maud Voyles, Retha Wolfe, Frank Yates, H. F. Hicks, C. E. High, Frank Hunt, J. R. Martin, John Putman, H. H. Stull, George Taylor, D. E. Williams, H. C. Wilson, Lyman Jackson, J. W. Garman III, J. M. H. Garman, Joe Shelton, B. D. Williams, Harold Wright, E. M. Keller, and Clyde C. Martin.

**Women of Moose
Chapter Formed**

Women of the Moose Club was organized Feb. 16, with 52 charter members. Although it is a new club in Pampa, the Women of the Moose is an old organization. It, along with the men's club, the Loyal Order of Moose, supports Mooseheart, a home for orphans, and Moose Haven, which is an old folks' home.

Officers of the club are Mmes. Ed Gething, senior regent; Truman Goodwin, junior regent; Pat Kirsey, junior graduate regent; David Smith, chaplain; Jimmy Brown, recorder; Eva Eckroast, secretary; Lena Wegman, sentinel; Imogene Sanders, arguer; and Treasy Hall and Irene Webb, guides.

**'Bowery Dance'
Is Yearly Feature
Of Kit Kat Club**

The Kit Kat Club, one of the four high school societies, was organized in March, 1936, with Miss Eugenia Johnston, a member of the high school faculty, as sponsor. Charter members were Ann Buckler, Anne Chisholm, Heidi Schneider, Sara Bourland, Margery McColin, and Carolyn Surratt.

At the time of its organization, the club chose "Star Dust" as its song and blue and silver as its colors. By May, 1936, activities of the club were well underway. A spring formal was given by the Kit Kat Club and its brother fraternity, the Tub Club, in the Schneider Hotel, following commencement services. Clinton Evans was sponsor of the Tub Club.

On its anniversary each year, the Kit Kat Club carries out a traditional Bowery theme, featuring a Bowery Brawl Dance. Another event which is shared with the Tub Club, now named the Seven Eleven, is a picnic held annually for the members and their dates.

Each year, near Easter, the club has a Mother and Daughter Tea. During the summer every year, the club has raffle parties for prospective members. Bids are sent out, and the girls who accept them are required to pledge for a designated length of time. After pledging, they are presented at a formal dance, after which they become members in the Kit Kat Club.

The formal initiation consists of a candle light ceremony with each of the officers giving a short speech on each part of the club and the duties of the new members.

The officers of the club are Lollie Berry, president; Betty Wilson, vice president; Berdene Laycock, secretary; Jane Hampton, treasurer; Phoebe Osborne, reporter; Norma Manatt, parliamentarian; and Martha Parks, historian.

Senior members include Cherie McDaniel, Theola Reim, and Misses Parks, Manatt, Berry and Wilson. Junior members are Eulaine Ellis, Tike Noel, Jewell Moseley, Miss Hampton, Miss Laycock, Dolores Miller, Jan Sanders, Miss Osborne, Diana Crawford, Jan Newsome, and Nancy Patterson.

Sophomore members are Clarice Parks, Jill Chapman, Harriet Schwartz, Vivian Brake, Ann Perkins, and Jane Wilson. Freshmen members include Gail Finkelstein, Sharon Burton, Pam Ketter, and Joan Cantrell.

The senior sponsor is Mrs. Russell Cartwright and the junior sponsors are Misses Babs and Jim Eaton.

Youngsters enjoy making their own candy. Make it the way they do. Melt a package of semi-sweet chocolate pieces over hot water and then stir in two cups of corn flakes, some raisins and some chopped pitted dried prunes. Drop the confection onto waxed paper with a teaspoon so as to make small rounds.

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McLEAN — Twenty women composed the charter list, in 1934, when the McLean Sewing Club was organized in the home of Mrs. S. W. Rice, deceased. Today's membership is still limited to 20.

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Officers are: Mrs. D. A. Davis, president, who served as the club's first president; Mrs. J. W. Daugherty, vice president; and Mrs. Byrd Quill, secretary-treasurer.

Other members are: Mmes. C. M. Carpenter, T. N. Holloway, Ella Cubine, A. A. Stanfield, Calie Haynes, J. W. Story, C. S. Rice, F. D. Shaw, Ellen Wilson, all charter members; Frank Wilson, Lloyd Hinton, J. E. Kirby, J. S. Morse, and Dusty Rhodes.

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At the present time the chapter has 310 active members, 12 past patrons, 19 past matrons, six past matrons affiliated and two past patrons.

This year the chapter has presented a 50 year membership for a chapter in another jurisdiction. It has entertained the school of instruction for district 2, section 2, with 208 registered guests for the school. There were 68 A and 94 B certificates during the day.

Officers for this year are Juanita Suttle, worthy matron; Larry Snyder, worthy patron; Ethel Mae Thurmond, associate matron; Murry Sealy, associate patron; Lucy Hale, conductor; Eunice Mosley, associate conductor; Artie Reber, secretary; Ruth Sewell, treasurer; Helen Meyers, marshal; Sue McFall, chaplain; Mabel Wright, organist; Francis Sealey, Ad; Ima Dumas, Ruth; Corine Landrum, Esther; Edna Thomason, Martha; Rachel Jones, Electa; Jo Hutchens, warden; Earl Shick, sentinel.

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FRUIT OF CRIME CHICAGO — (AP) — A gunman who held up Joe Kocibenski's market made off with \$160 in cash and two big red apples.

Beta Sigma Phi Sorority Part Of International Organization



The Pampa Upsilon Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi is a member of an international organization with chapters throughout the United States, Canada, England, Scotland and the territories of Hawaii and Alaska.

The first chapter was formed in Abilene, Kans., on April 30, 1931, by Walter W. Ross. It had only seven members, but the idea of the new sorority was immediately successful, appealing, as it did, to young women who sought wider knowledge, deeper culture, and the warmth of close and lasting friendships.

Through the Beta Sigma Phi International Endowment Fund, contributions are made annually to the American Heart Association, March of Dimes, National Tuberculosis Association, American Cancer Society, National Committee for Mental Hygiene and National Society for Crippled Children. Locally, contributions are made to these societies from funds raised from the Beta Sigma Phi Christmas Doll.

The Pampa Arts Circuit is displayed in the City Library each spring through Beta Sigma Phi efforts. The club also sponsors the annual "Woman of the Year" contest and tea each spring. Beta Sigma Phi has conferred International honorary membership on a number of women of note throughout the world.

Among them are Marguerite Nelson, Miss. E. Curie, Senator Iva Fallis, Dorothy Canfield Fisher, Margerite Scott, Mrs. Harold Burton, Carrie Cabbage Bartlett, Freda Draper, Margery Wilson, Clara Hood Rugel, Emily Smith Stewart and Josephina Niggli.

Upsilon Chapter was organized in Pampa January 24, 1936. Purpose of the club is self-improvement educationally, culturally, and socially. Meetings are held every first and third Mondays in the City Club Room.

Past presidents of Beta Sigma Phi include Miss Frances Stark, 1936; Miss Lorene Nicholson, 1937; Mrs. Fred Thompson, 1938; Miss Johnnie Hodge, 1939; Mrs. Chahries Vaught, 1940; Mrs. Jeff Bearden, 1941; Mrs. E. E. Shelhamer, 1942.

Mrs. Steve Matthews, 1943; Miss Johnnie Davis, 1944; Mrs. C. W. Henry, 1945; Miss Ruth Stapleton, 1946; Mrs. H. J. Johnson, 1947; Mrs. Jim Poole, 1948; and Mrs. Stanley Chittenden, 1949.

Past "Women of the Year" have been Mrs. W. R. Campbell, Mrs. Carl J. Wright, Mrs. Huelyn Laycock and Mrs. James B. Massa.

The theme for this year's program is "Conduct, Expression and Purpose." Topics discussed thus far have been: "Poise and Charm," "Formation and Growth of Greek Letter Societies," "Attributes of the Sorority Woman," "Introductions," "Invitations," "Flowers and Their Arrangements," "Manners in Business," "Poise and Charm," "Homemaking," "Ceramics," "Preparing a Talk and Platform," "Presence," "Table Settings," "Precious Stones," "Proper Wearing of Jewelry," "Designing, Dressmaking and Latest Fashions," and "Book Review."

Guest speakers on this year's program have included Miss Carolyn Evans of White Deer; Mrs. Helen Madeira and members of her dance school; J. R. Jaquet, director of Special Services for Southwestern Public Service from Amarillo; Mrs. Joe B. Stephens of Pampa; Misses Beverly Brandt and Theola Reim of Pampa High School Speech Department; Mrs. D. C. Ash from Zales Jewelry Store; Mrs. J. B. McReary of Pampa; Miss Frances Tantor and pupils from the Home Economics Department of Pampa High School; and Mrs. Lulu Owens, Latin teacher.

Social activities for the year have included a tea honoring Mrs. Elsie Gunther, international representative from the sorority headquarters in Kansas City. During Mrs. Gunther's visit, pledges were initiated and new officers were installed. Pledges were later honored with a picnic in the City Park.

All social activities began with a breakfast in the Schneider Hotel dining room. Pledges and the past president, Mrs. Jim Poole, were presented with gifts. In October, members and guests were entertained with a dinner party in the City Club Room.

During the Christmas season a party was held in the home of Mrs. E. E. Shelhamer and in traditional style, secret pals were revealed through the exchange of gifts. Each year Beta Sigma Phi sponsors a national contest for a "Valentine Girl," the judge being some prominent movie star. This year Mrs. Frank Fata was chosen as "Valentine Girl" for the Pampa chapter. Mrs. J. W. Graham, Jr., was runner-up. Pictures of both women were submitted to international headquarters.

A dance was given in honor of these two on February 10, with music by Bernie Howell. The dance room was gaily decorated in the Valentine motif and Mrs. Fata, entering through a large heart, was presented with a bouquet of roses by Mrs. Graham.

Mrs. Stanley Chittenden, president for the current year, came to Pampa from Kansas, her home state. Mr. Chittenden is associated with J. C. Penney Co. Mrs. Chittenden attended Fort Hays Kansas State College where she majored in journalism. She was a member of the Spanish Club, the Alpha Sigma Alpha Sorority, the Quill Club and worked on the school paper.

In her home town of Ellinwood, Kans., she worked on the weekly newspaper. Later she worked on the Hays Daily News and served as correspondent for International News Service and United Press. At present she is secretary to Frank Wilson, principal of Pampa High School.

Other officers for the current year are: Mrs. Lemond Hall, vice president; Miss Joyce Warner, recording secretary; Mrs. Jack Andrews, treasurer; Mrs. Fred Myers, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. W. Graham, Jr., historian; Mrs. H. J. Johnson, parliamentarian; Miss Virginia Vaughan, sergeant-at-arms. Mrs. Leora Rose is associate director of the club.

Standing committees are: Social — Lois Shelhamer, chairman; Hazel Plaster and Elaine Lively.

Ways and Means — Hazel Poole, chairman; Kay Monahan, Yvonne Airhart, and Pat Fitzmaurice.

Program — Canita Fata, chairman, and Nancy Sullivan. Friendship — Ella F. Price, chairman, and Frances Ballard.

Telephone — Charlotte Edmondson, chairman; Janice Dozier, and Juanita Cox.

Members of Beta Sigma Phi are: Yvonne Airhart, Nora Annery, Billene Andrews, June Ashton, Frances Ballard, Louise Chittenden, Juanita Cox, Ruth Culver, Janice Dozier, Charlotte Edmondson, Jacque Evans, Canita Fata, Martha Fisher, Pat Fitzmaurice, Mary Grady, Norma J. Graham, George Johnson, Joan Hall, Evelyn Johnson, Mary E. Keim, Shirley Kelly, Elaine Lively, Sarah McKee, Etta for a "Valentine Girl," the judge being some prominent movie star.

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Dual Purpose for Progress Club

McLEAN — Organized in 1934, McLean's Progressive Study Club set out with a dual purpose, community betterment and membership social affairs.

Among the group's civic endeavors is an annual contribution to Boys' Ranch. Pitting out of a teachers lounge room in the grade school is being tabled pending decision on a new building, a project now under consideration by the School Board.

The club meets on the second and fourth Thursdays. None of the 17 charter members remain active, but Mary Howard, who joined shortly after the organization, is still on the active roll.

Officers are: Dorothy Andrews, president; Mary Howard, vice president and parliamentarian; Patty Denton, secretary-treasurer; Ruby Watkins, corresponding secretary; Dorothy Beck, reporter.

Other members are: Marian Bentley, Mabel Bizzell, Odie Claborn, Zenobia Tindall, Mary Lou Pharis, Louella Stokes, Vernene Day, Leona Hancock, Lillian Mercer, Margaret Young, Pearl Dickinson, an Eula Faye Stokes.

ESA Has Friendship As Leading Purpose

The object of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority is to unite congenial young women of the community for the purposes of friendship and educational development, for participation in the National Sorority of Epsilon Sigma Alpha; and to encourage friendship and fellowship through sorority affiliation; to promote cultural and intellectual development through constructive reading and membership association and to accept and carry into effect the educational program as outlined and adopted by the National Executive Council.

Alpha Omicron, local chapter of ESA, was organized July 9, 1946, with fifteen charter members. Mrs. Maye Halbert, national field director from Oklahoma City, presented the charter and officiated at the first initiation held in the City Club Rooms. The local chapter is now affiliated with the Panhandle Council of ESA, which is composed of 17 chapters. The local chapter was hostess to the District Panhandle Council Meeting on March 26.

The sorority is an endowed

institution with chapters throughout the United States, District of Columbia, Hawaii and South America, and is the oldest non-academic sorority in existence.

Charter members of the local chapter are: Mmes: Jean Haw, Burton Doucette, Bruce Parker, William J. Ragdale, Parks Brumley, Edwin Givens, Oran J. Payne, Herman Foster, Guy LeMond, Tom Lindsey, Lillian Kelley, Mary Lane, Margaret Dial and Misses VaRue Dyson and Jo Johnson.

Other members since the organization are: Mmes: Bert Arney, John Nutting, Dick Kennedy, Albert Doucette, Irvin Akst, Addie Mae Bryan and Bob Burks, transfer from the Alpha Alpha Chapter of Victoria, Texas, Florence Dugan, Harvey Thompson, Joe Mitchell and Charles Robison.

The motto for the ESA sorority is: "All for One — One for All," and the sorority colors are blue and gold, and the flower is the jonquil.

and tea in the Schneider Hotel Dining Room on September 18. The proceeds from the first annual style show and tea were given to the National Auricular Foundation, and then the local chapter voted to buy an audiometer and present it to the Pampa school system for use in all of the public schools. Since this project was undertaken, the proceeds from the second annual style show and tea were placed in the Audiometer Fund. Through the constant efforts of the members of the sorority, the fund is increasing and plans are now being made to sponsor a benefit formal dance at the Country Club on April 14 to help this fund become a reality.

The Pampa chapter of ESA received recognition from the American Cancer Society for the assistance given in the local Cancer Drive. The sorority also solicited for the American Red Cross Drive and others during the year.

Present officers are: Mrs. John Nutting, president; Mrs. Bert Arney, vice president; Miss VaRue Dyson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Lillian Kelley, recording secretary; Mrs. Guy LeMond, treasurer; Mrs. O. J. Payne, Council of Clubs representative.

Each year a general educational program is outlined by National Education Council. This year the theme is "Interior Decorating." During the 1949-50 year, the following educational program has been considered and presented by the members as assigned: "The Place We Call Home," Mrs. Akst and Mrs. Robison; "Glamour and Color," Mrs. Arney and Mrs. Mitchell; "Walls and Windows," Mrs. Brumley and Mrs. Ragdale; "Tables and Accessories," Mrs. Doucette and Mrs. Longren; "Entrance," Mrs. Albert Doucette and Mrs. Lindsey; "Rooms for Fun," Miss Dyson and Mrs. LeMond; "A Summer Home of Your Back Yard," Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Kelley; "Findings in Year of Research," Mrs. Haw and Mrs. Dial.

Extra projects and activities of the sorority began with the second annual invitation style show

One of the most unusual and difficult assignments ever given U. S. Marines was to transport several lions from Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, to the sea coast. The lions were to be presented to President Theodore Roosevelt as a gift from Emperor Menelik.

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As a home demonstration club, its work was outstanding, and its members won many prizes in county and state contests.



Mrs. Joe Lewis

In 1938, the name was changed to Entre Nous Club, and it was reorganized as a recreational and study club. Its purpose was to promote friendship and social activity and help worthy causes. Mrs. Guy Farrington was then president.

One of its first projects was to help a needy school girl buy her lunches and clothing. During World War II, the club engaged in Red Cross work. Since the close of the War, Boy's Ranch has been a project to which the club has donated money and clothing.

Since its organization, about 70 showers have been given, most of them for bridal couples.

During 1949, the club donated to a family that lost all property in a storm; gave money and clothing to both Boy's Ranch and Girl's Ranch; and gave Thanksgiving and Christmas boxes to a needy widow with five children.

When first organized, all members of the club lived near Farrington School, but several have moved to Pampa, some north of Pampa, and two to Miami. All these have retained their membership in the club.

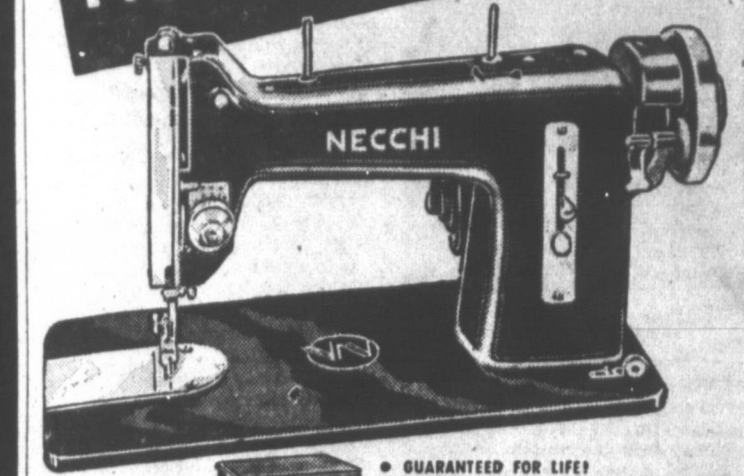
The 1950 officers of the Entre Nous Club are Mrs. Joe H. Lewis, president; Mrs. Clyde Carruth, vice president; Mrs. C. A. Tignor, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Guy Farrington, parliamentarian, and Mrs. J. R. Spearman, reporter.

Other members are Mmes: Boyd Brown, J. M. Daugherty, Holly Gray, A. B. McAfee, E. A. Shackleton, W. D. Stockstill, J. L. Stroope, Dave Turcotte, C. W. Bowers, J. C. Farrington, O. H. Ingram, Doyle Osborne, Maye Shaggs, C. C. Stockstill, W. S. Tolbert, and Norman Walberg.



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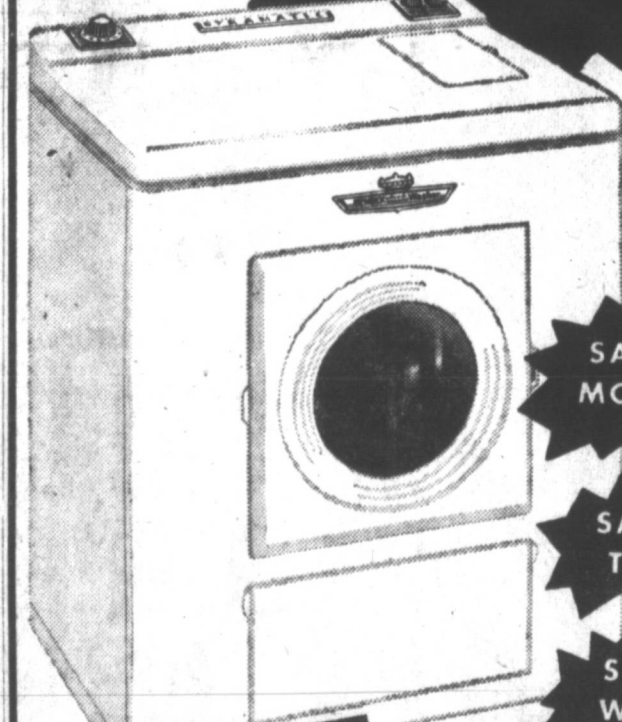
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A program for Certification of Secretaries is in progress, and definite standards for the Certified Professional Secretary are being set up, and will relate to educational achievement, professional experience, and the passing of certain examinations. Upon qualifying for this program and passing the examination, the secretary will be awarded a certificate identifying her as a Certified Professional Secretary. Eastern colleges are now working on textbooks and examinations for this degree.

There are now chapters of NSA in 271 cities throughout 38 states of the United States with more than 10,000 members.

The Top of Texas Chapter was organized in March, 1947, with 12 charter members, eight of which are still active in the local chapter: Mmes. Inez (French) Bixler, Lillian Jordan, Florence (Merriman) Graham, Mildred Lafferty, Norma Fulps, Vera Lard, Lillian McNutt, and Miss Leona Parker. Other members planned at the present time are Misses Jean Anderson, Geneva Covalt, Helen Dudley, Jeanne Hollis, Gorda Bell Miller, Betty Mosely, Elizabeth Parnell, Fern Patterson, Mary Elizabeth Porter, Nancy Sullivan, Charlie Neal Young, and Mmes. Minnie Barnes, Jackie Cain, Laura Belle Cornelius, Frances Glison, Mildred Clauder, Madelin Johnston, Doris Lively, Erlene Ingle, Helen Mathews, Letta Northrup, Isabel Priest, Leona Rose, Noel Thompson, Jeanne Willingham and Mary Wilson.

Meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month, and are dinner meetings unless otherwise designated.

A reception to honor seniors in the Secretarial Training Class of Pampa High School is planned for April. On May 27, NSA will sponsor a dance recital of students of Jeanne Willingham.

Programs during the past year have been on such subjects as social security, floral arrangements, gemology, vacation spots, diction and speech improvement, and civic improvement.

During the past year the local NSA chapter has assisted in establishing a card file for the Gray County TB Association; addressed letters to citizens in surrounding Gray County towns for the X-ray drive; assisted in registration for mass chest X-ray; addressed, stuffed and sealed letters for an emergency polio drive; addressed, stuffed and sealed letters for TB Christmas Seals sale, and served as a telephone committee to remind singers of the Christmas program in park.

Played "Santa Claus" to a fatherless family; mimeographed copies of the Council of Clubs Constitution; sent two delegates to the NSA regional meeting in Tulsa, Okla.; entered a float in



Minnie Barnes

Rodeo parade. Outstanding social event of the year was the annual "Bosses Banquet" at the Country Club, at which Uncle Jay (Johnnie Linn) of Amarillo was speaker. There were 89 members and guests present.

Officers of the local NSA chapter are Minnie Barnes, president; Nancy Sullivan, vice president; Betty J. Mosely, treasurer; Geneva Covalt, recording secretary; Mary Elizabeth Porter, corresponding secretary, and Charlie Neal Young, parliamentarian.



WOMAN SPEAKER
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LEFORS — The Lefors Chapter, Future Homemakers of America, an organization composed of high school girls, was begun several years ago. Before becoming members of this club, the girls must be taking a home-making course at the time, or have previously had a year of homemaking.

The annual events held by the club are initiation, the crowning of the FHA King, the presentation of the FHA Sweetheart, and the Mother and Daughter Banquet.

Besides the annual events, this year the FHA members have attended the Amarillo Tri-State Fair, honored their mothers with a Christmas tea, and have had several parties. They attended the area meeting in Borger March 26. A picnic is being planned for the end of school. Officers for next year will be elected and installed in May. The club will send several delegates to the state meeting in San Antonio in April.

To raise money for their various activities, the girls have sold corsages for the football games and social affairs, and have operated the bingo booth at the Halloween Carnival.

The present officers of this organization of 52 members are: president, Barbara Chastain; vice president, Nell Guthrie; secretary, Sheila Ross; treasurer, Joy Browning; parliamentarian, Lou



Barbara Chastain

Dean Cotten; historian, Peggie Starr; reporter, Rebecca Breining; sergeant-at-arms, Barbara Ross; song leader, Shirley Perkins; pianist, Geraldine Dunn.

Miss Norma Lee Lantz is sponsor, and Mrs. N. C. Cotten is club mother.

Wives of City Police Form Police Auxiliary

The Police Auxiliary is a club for wives of city policemen and highway patrolmen. It was organized in April, 1946.

The Police Auxiliary is a social club, but it contributes to the Red Cross, Salvation Army and other worthwhile organizations. It also aids individual families at Thanksgiving and Christmas. The members have sent linens to Girls Town.

The club has 12 active members. There are four charter members. The big social event of the year for the auxiliary is a big Thanksgiving dinner for the combined force and the families of the men.

Officers are Mrs. J. O. Dumas, president; Mrs. Robert Robertson, vice president; Mrs. Joe Wilkinson, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Red Payne, social chairman.

The club meets on the second and fourth Fridays at 7:30 p. m.



Mrs. J. O. Dumas

To make toasted bread cubes for soups, salads, or puddings, cut the crusts off the number of bread slices required, then cut again into small cubes. Place on a cookie sheet in a slow oven and toast until the cubes are golden brown on all sides, turning frequently.

McLean Baptist Group Sponsors Missionary Study

McLEAN — The Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church includes all the married women of the church but only about 30 are active in the work. The Union is made up of two circles, Elizabeth Pool and Nina Hankins, named for missionaries.

The main object is to sponsor missionary study. They aid in improvements to the church or parsonage and contribute money for various causes, such as the orphan homes, colleges, hospitals, mission fields and needy persons.

It sponsors junior organizations of the Young Women's Auxiliary led by Mrs. R. L. Appling, who is chairman of the young people's committee, also, the Intermediate Girls' Auxiliary, led by Mrs. E. L. Price, Junior Girls' Auxiliary, led by Mrs. Guy D. Pharis, Sunbeam Band, led by Mrs. Harry Harlan, and assisted by Mrs. J. E. Smith, Jr., and two organizations of junior and intermediate boys, which are inactive at present.

Officers of the WMU are Mrs. R. L. McDonald, president; Mrs. George Colebank and Mrs. Jasper Graham, chairman of the two circles; Mrs. Boyd Reeves, secretary; Mrs. Howard Williams, treasurer; Mrs. Frank Howard, pianist; and Mrs. Homer Abbott, chorister.

Chairmen of the standing committees are Mrs. Price, program and literature.

Missionary study, Mrs. R. A. Young; Bible study, Mrs. Abbott; benevolence, Mrs. Leroy Williams; industrial, Mrs. Frank Reeves; stewardship, Mrs. Luther Petty; and community missions, Mrs. Leo Gibson.

The two circles meet together once a month in a night meeting and the Nina Hankins Circle continues with night meetings in homes, while the Elizabeth Pool meets afternoons at the church. All meetings are on Tuesday.

The pastor is the head of the organization.



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The 30-year-old power company employe, whose hobby is designing small homes, makes his pooch shelters out of stucco. A flat roof, detachable for easy cleaning, serves as sun deck.

The houses are separated into bedroom and living room. The latter has a plate glass picture window with a window box. The latest models have miniature carpets and beds and one-inch square flagstones set in front.

Potatoes keep best when stored in a cool, dark, well-ventilated place. The temperature should be above freezing but not too warm.

Flying Clothes Become Bears

SALT LAKE CITY — (AP) — The Navy may never have thought it would happen but some of its surplus flying pants are becoming Teddy bears. The fleece-lined pants make very cuddly bears.

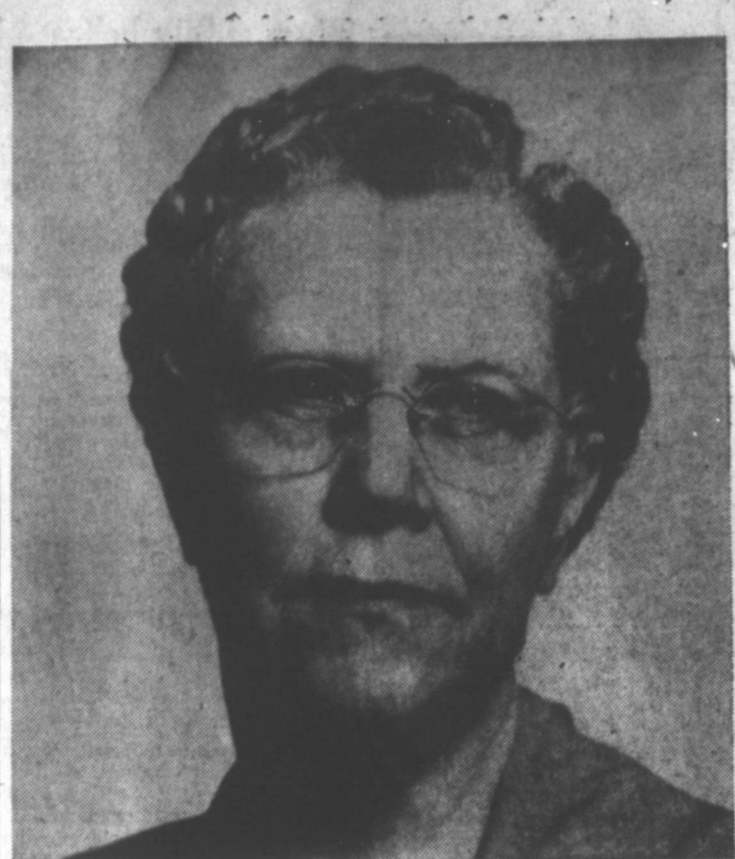
Mrs. De Wayne C. Anderson got the Teddy Bear idea when her husband brought home 150 pairs which he bought as surplus and planned to sell. She cuts up the pants and sews the pieces together in the shape of three-foot tall Teddies. For noses, feet, bottoms and paws she uses the dark brown leather from the pockets. She stuffs the bears with upholstery batting. Fox eyes from a furrier serve as eyes.

And Mrs. Anderson says the pants bring more money as toy bears.

Pampa Methodist Church Fostered Tutors WSCS

LEFORS — The Women's Society of Christian Service has been an active organization of the Methodist Church here since the church itself was organized in 1950. Mrs. Arlie Carpenter, charter member of the church, was first president of the group. And Mrs. Purviance, of the Pampa First Methodist Church, helped to organize it.

With a present enrollment of 30 members, its officers are: president, Mrs. Madge Page; vice president, Mrs. Arlie Carpenter; recording secretary, Mrs. Lee Roy Spence; treasurer, Mrs. Dan Johnson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. R. L. Jordan; chairman of missionary study, Mrs. R. H. Campbell; chairman of spiritual life, Mrs. B. D. Vaughn; chairman of supplies, Mrs. N. C. Cotten; chairman of literature and publications, Mrs. Gordon Stafford; chairman of status of women, Mrs. Bernard Johnson; youth chairman, Mrs. W. C. Breining; student chairman, Mrs. M. F. Tibbets; chairman of Christian social relations and local church activities, Mrs. Neal Jordan.



Mrs. Madge Page

The society has had one of the busiest years under the present administration. Mrs. Page reports that it has given one "Life" Membership of \$25, pledged \$25 per year on the salary of Methodist missionary to India, Miss Holland; paid \$100 on the new pews being installed in the church, and sent \$25 as "Week of Prayer" offering. The society has spent \$55 on parsonage improvement besides \$220 on new rugs for the living and dining rooms there. It has given an offering at the close of each study, amounting to \$20. Seven members subscribe to the "World Outlook" and "Methodist Woman."

The WSCS members made eight quilts and six pairs of pillow cases which they gave with a cash gift of \$10 to Boys' Ranch recently. They have sent seven boxes of used clothing to World Service. The yearly pledge is \$143, an increase of one-third over last year's.

The WSCS members are active in all phases of the church work. Two are members of the Board of Stewards, and two are district WSCS officers. The society sponsors the quarterly fellowship suppers for the entire church membership and serve the monthly fellowship suppers to the men's group.

It meets every Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at the church, except for the fourth Wednesday of each month when it meets for business and a covered-dish luncheon at the noon hour in the church Recreation Hall.

The society has always distributed baskets to shut-ins at Christmas and Thanksgiving. This year they added to their local missionary projects the donation of used magazines to the Carver School in Pampa. They have entertained the football team at a buffet supper, and will entertain

the Senior Class in the near future.

Mrs. Page reports that the society has completed three of the required four studies and will furnish the fourth before the close of the conference year. An outstanding accomplishment of the year was the organization of the Wesleyan Service Guild, which is composed of working women and mothers who can not regularly attend afternoon meetings.

Violinist Prizes Old Instrument

NORTH HOLLYWOOD, Calif. — (AP) — It would take a fortune to buy the ancient violin owned by Vladimir Lenski. He values it a \$100,000. The music teacher and former concert violinist says his fiddle was carved in 1510 by Gaspard Duiffopruggar, instrument maker to King Francis I of France. It is reputedly one of the earliest modern-type violins.

Lenski acquired the prize, he says, more than 50 years ago from a member of the Russian royal family who admired his playing.

Scientists Develop Tube With Memory

NEW YORK — (AP) — Engineers call one of their latest tube products a "grapechon" because it has what they describe as a "visual memory." It has the ability to store radar or other electric signals for more than a minute for laboratory observation. Ordinarily such phenomena fade off the screen of the tube in a few seconds.

Picture Windows Menace to Birds

NEW YORK — (AP) — Picture windows can be added to light houses and radio towers as hazards to migrating birds. The Audubon Magazine reports birds frequently fly into such windows, particularly ones that extend across two sides of a room.

Apparently this deceives the birds into trying to fly through the room. The magazine is asking readers for any practical

LONG-RANGE

SAN FRANCISCO — (AP) — A duck banded in California is credited with the longest recorded trans-Pacific flight. A female pintail banded last August in Northern California was shot in the Cook Islands in the South Pacific by a New Zealand hunter. The flight is estimated at about 4,500 miles.

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Ideas on keeping the birds safe while not obstructing the views from such windows.

Refugee Vaccination Almost Completed

CAIRO — (AP) — The World Health Organization has "virtually completed" vaccination of 218,572 youthful Palestinian Arab refugees against tuberculosis. The refugees were among 900,000 who during the Palestine War, fled from Palestine. Since then they have been living in refugee camps in Arab areas.

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Interest in Books Was Foundation For McLean's Pioneer Study Club



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McLEAN — The Pioneer Study Club was organized as an outgrowth of several women's purchases of books and study together.

Among some who were members of this club were Meses. R. L. Appling, Sam Hodges, Evan Sitter, H. M. Finley, Mary Sliger, Will Bogan, C. C. Bogan, Cecil G. Goff, G. C. Boswell, Mattie Graham and Bryant Henry.

In September, 1931, after several preliminary meetings, a club known as McLean's Study Club was organized by Mrs. W. E. Bogan and Mrs. G. C. Boswell in the home of Mrs. Horace M. Brook.

All members were invited, but Mrs. Bogan is the only charter member who has continued her membership and is still an active club member.

The original members of the first and only study club ever to be formed in McLean were Meses. Bogan, Boswell, Brooks, Appling, Jim Back, A. D. Blake, C. C. Bogan, John Butler, E. I. Dishman, Goff, J. W. Martin, T. A. Massey, E. L. Sitter, E. E. Watkins and Miss Ruby Cook.

The club limited its membership to 20 and reached that number before the end of the

year. The first president was Mrs. W. E. Bogan; vice president, Mrs. Boswell; secretary, Mrs. Watkins; parliamentarian, Mrs. Horace M. Brooks.

The club dedicated the first yearbooks to John Harding, a member of the school faculty, who mimeographed them with illustrations for the various programs. At least one of the members still has one of those first yearbooks, as well as every one which the club has published.

The object of the club was to stimulate intellectual growth and strengthen individual effort by organization.

In 1934 the name "Pioneer" was added and the club became known as the Pioneer Study Club of McLean because of the organization of a new study club. They meet each first and third Thursday afternoon in the members homes, with study the main object.

They make contributions to the city library, each year and this year have helped at the grade school with underprivileged children.

The present membership is as follows: Meses. Jim Back, W. E. Bogan, J. D. Coleman, Jesse Coleman, Logan Cummings, Bill Day, H. M. Finley, C. R. Griffith, Forrest Hupp, Carl Jones, W. S. H. M. Finley, C. R. Griffith, For Miro Pagan, Earl Stubblefield, Bob Thomas, Bill Webb, June Woods, and Miss Bonnie Jean Smith.

Mrs. Stubblefield is president; Mrs. Lentz is vice president; Mrs. Cummings, secretary - treasurer; Mrs. Webb, reporter; and Mrs. Griffith, parliamentarian.

The club is only active nine months out of the year, from September to June.



Mrs. Stanley Chittenden, above, is president of Beta Sigma Phi.

Japanese Grow On U.S. Foods

TOKYO — (AP) — Japanese children are getting taller, heavier and healthier. The second post-war check of more than 16,000,000 school children by public health officials shows that the average is one-third of an inch taller and one to two pounds heavier than on the first survey two years ago.

It also shows a 20 percent decrease in tooth decay and a 10 percent decrease in near-sightedness. The Japanese health ministry credits the improved food supply for which the American taxpayer is responsible through imports by the occupation.

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Clinic Sponsored by P-TA City Council

Pampa City Council of Parent-Teacher Associations has sponsored a dental clinic for elementary and Junior High School students

as its main project this year. Local dentists have cooperated with the group and gave educational lectures at February P-TA meetings. The dentists plan to give free dental examinations at each school in the near future. The final result of this clinic will depend on the amount of cooperation received from the

parents. Mrs. Robert W. Orr, council president, said. Mrs. Orr represented the local group at the state convention in November at Waco. Election of 1950-51 officers will be held at the April 6 meeting. Present officers are: Mrs. Orr, president; Mrs. E. N. Franklin, vice president; Mrs. L. N. Atch-

son, secretary; Mrs. A. J. Kirkham, treasurer; Mrs. Noel L. Dalton, historian; Mrs. J. L. Mulanax, parliamentarian; B. R. Nuckols, legislation chairman; Mrs. Joe L. Wells, dental clinic chairman; Mrs. Glenn T. Moore; publicity chairman; and Mrs. E. N. Franklin, program chairman. Cooked celery may be served in a variety of ways. Toss it with peas or carrots, if you like, serve it creamed, or add it to leftover soup.

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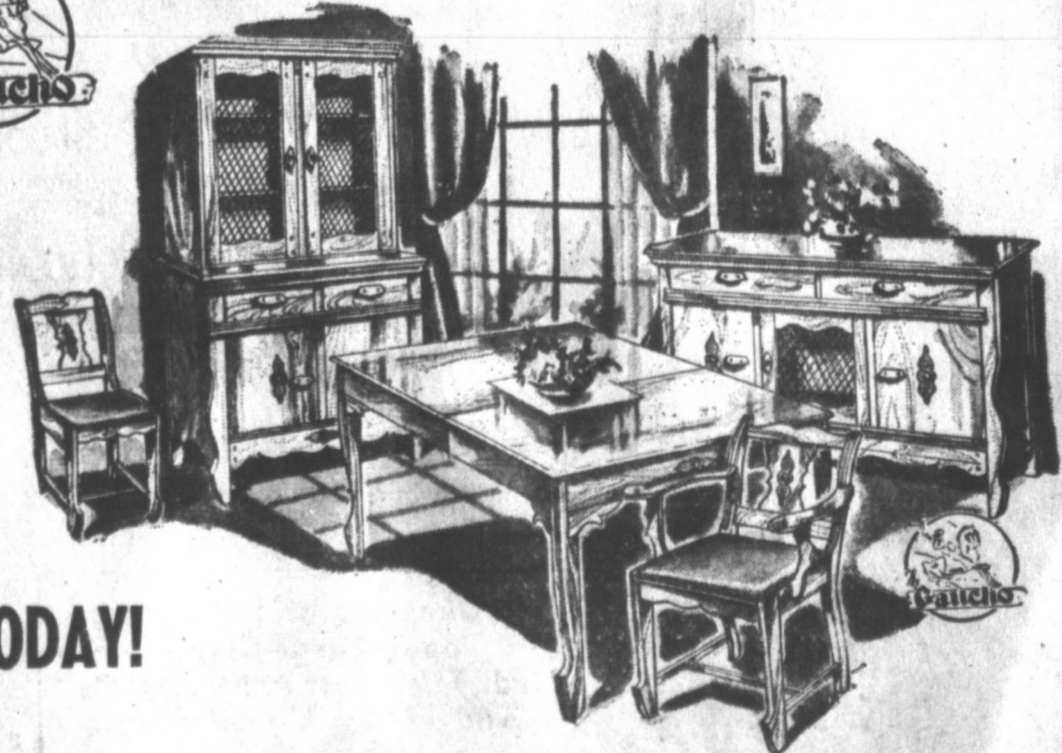


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Council of Clubs Makes Plans for Community House

Officers of the council of Clubs for the year 1949-1950, include Mmes. Myles Morgan, president; Erwin Thompson, vice president; J. W. Garman, Jr., secretary; Melvin Watkins, treasurer; and Roy Chisum, parliamentarian.

Committee chairman appointed early in the fall include Mmes. Julian Key, telephone; J. W. Garman III, calendar; J. G. Doggett, refurbishing; Robert Sanford, project; and Roy Chisum, representative to the Girl Scout Board.

During the year, the council has completed paying for a piano purchased for the club room in the fall of 1947, and has added to the redecoration of the club room begun last year, by having cornice boards made for the windows. The boards are covered in a raspberry fabric, which offers a pleasant contrast to the pale green walls and accents the red flower in the wallpaper covering the backdrop behind the stage. A coffee urn and containers for making tea have also been added.

Members of the council have heard short talks pertaining to the need of a community center, by Jack Nimmo, representative of the Jaycees, Dr. Douglas Nelson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, and Dick Pepin, city manager.

Letters to other communities comparable to Pampa in size and wealth have been contacted by Mrs. Minnie Barnes, who has tabulated the replies and presented the information to the council.

Mrs. Erwin Thompson has been directing the work of contacting various organizations, regardless of council membership, as to their readiness to help raise money for the proposed center. At the April meeting a report will be heard from each of the clubs as to what action they have taken on this matter, as well as other accomplishments and interesting



Mrs. Myles Morgan

events of the club year. Election of officers will also be held at that time.

The council has heard Knox Kinard on the Gilmer-Aikin legislation, as it affects Pampa Schools, and Travis Lively on the school bond issue.

All clubs belonging to the council cooperated in circulating information about the recent bond election. They contributed to the success of the Red Cross Drive, and the Chest X-Ray Campaign during the summer. The club room was offered for the use of the American Cancer Society meeting in February, when a member of the State Board was in this district. Members of the council cooperated in contacting the public about this meeting.

Mrs. Eben Warner has been appointed to organize a file of outstanding programs reported to her by various members of clubs with the council, with reference to their possible use by other clubs.

During the year, the Home Demonstration Clubs have withdrawn and the Newcomers Club has been added to the membership.

Lefors Baptist Church Women Organized in 1930

LEFORS — Oct. 6, 1930 a group of ladies of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Gordon Nall, on Thut Ave., to organize a missionary society. They were assisted by a group of WMS women from McLean. Mrs. Garland Williams was elected president; Mrs. E. Bacchus, vice president; Mrs. Nall, secretary; and Mrs. Joe Gourlay, treasurer.

In August of 1931, when the society had grown, it was divided into three circles. Circle No. 1 was composed of those living in town; Circle No. 2 was organized by those living west of town; Circle No. 3 was organized in January, 1931, in the Colteco Gasoline Plant, with Mrs. J. P. Cox as chairman.

Mrs. Joe Henry was elected president of the society in June, 1931, and was reelected at the beginning of the new association year and served until March 7, 1932.

Mrs. W. A. Breining was elected to fill the unexpired term of Mrs. Henry; and Mrs. John Tschirhart was elected vice president.

A Sunbeam Band, Girls' Auxiliary and Royal Ambassador Chapter were organized.

Others serving the WMS as president were Mmes. Lee Newman (1936), H. P. Taylor (1937), G. D. Riley (1938), J. A. Vanlandingham (1939-1940), O. H. McDonald (1941), Leroy Williams (1942), W. H. Robertson (1943), R. A. Herring (1944-1945), Claude Nichols (1946), Greela Pulliam (1947-1948) and R. A. Herring (1949).

At present, the WMS has a membership of 46, with three circles. The circle chairmen are Nina Hankins Circle, Mrs. Dan Beltz; Blanche Groves Circle, Greela Pulliam; Lottie Moon Circle, Mrs. E. W. Ammons. Mrs. R. W. Gochour is corresponding secretary and treasurer; Mrs. W. A. Vanlandingham, recording

secretary; and Mrs. J. L. Lockard, Young People's secretary.

We have three auxiliaries now functioning, with a membership of 14 in the Young Women's Auxiliary, Mrs. Vern Ferguson, counsellor; 16 in the Intermediate Girls' Auxiliary, Mrs. W. B. Miller, counsellor 21 in the Junior Royal Ambassador Chapter, Dan Beltz, counsellor.

Each year the WMS and auxiliaries take a special offering for state missions, in September; foreign missions in December; and home missions in March.

Food and clothing are sent to Buckner's Orphan Home at Dallas, and also gifts to the Mexican Orphan Home at San Antonio. An offering is taken each June for the benefit of superannuate ministers. Needs in the community are met when possible. A banquet is given each year for the High School Senior Class. Thirty-one persons attended this year.

When broiling meats or fish it's often possible to broil vegetables along with them; but be sure to give the vegetables a generous coating of melted butter or margarine first.

Easiest way to make soft bread cubes is to stack two or three slices of bread on a board and with sharp knife, using a sawing motion, cut the sliced bread into strips of desired width. Cut again in opposite direction to form cubes of even size.

Make Best Better Drier of Northwile Club

The Worthwhile Home Demonstration Club, originally known as the Kingsmill Home Demonstration Club, has been in existence for 28 years. The club now has 17 members.

The purpose of the club is to "make the best better" in every home. The project of the club for 1950 is "General Improvements and Harmony in and Around the Home and Farm."

Other projects for 1950 include sewing, garden problems, hat making, and decorating and ceramics.

The Worthwhile Club entered 20 items in the 1949 Gray County Fair. Projects for 1949 were: "Preparing Frozen Foods," "Ceramics," "Slip-covers," and "Glove Making."

Present officers include Mrs. B. M. Vaught, president; Mrs. A. C. Crawford, vice president; Mrs. N. B. Cude, secretary; Mrs. Ray Robertson, treasurer; Mrs. O. A. Wagner, parliamentarian; Mrs. R. E. Engle, council representative; Mrs. C. B. Chisum, council alternate.

Committee chairman are Mrs. A. A. McElrath, education and expansion; Mrs. A. C. Crawford, book; Mrs. John King, report-



Mrs. B. M. Vaught

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Wesleyan Guild of Lefors Outlined

LEFORS — The Wesleyan Service Guild was organized in September, 1949. With an enrollment of 14 members, officers are: president, Mrs. Wayne Koscheki; vice president, Mrs. Bill Watson; recording secretary, Mrs. Billie Ellis; treasurer, Mrs. Ray Fillman.

This group, like the WSCS, is a national Methodist organization. It meets the second and fourth Wednesday evening in the homes of the members. The guild uses the same literature and course of study as the WSCS does at the afternoon meetings.

The project for this year has been the church nursery. The guild has redecorated the room and employed a woman to stay when the stalks of broccoli are very thick it is best to cut them into portions that are easier to cook and serve.



Mrs. iKscheski

during the Sunday School and church hours.

Sub Debs Oldest Sorority in Pampa High

The Sigma Delta Chapter of the Sub-Deb Club is the oldest high school sorority in Pampa. The club was first organized by five high school girls over ten years ago.

Club activities in 1949 included ordering club sweaters, assisting in the Red Cross drive, food sales, rummage sales, and dances for the students of Pampa High School. Last fall, along with the other three high school sororities, the Sub-Debs gave a benefit dance for the polo drive.

Each year in September, new members are taken in. After several weeks of pledging, the pledges are presented at a formal presentation dance.

Officers of the Sub-Deb club are Mary Ellen Hawkins, president; Jo Ann Bennett, vice president; Ann Sidwell, secretary; Zula Margaret Brown, treasurer; and Betty Howard, reporter and historian. Club officers are elected twice each year, in January and in June.

Members of the club include Dorothy Dixon, Joan Stroup, Merdella Roberts, Mary Jean Patton, Peggy Hukill, Sannie Frierson, Delores McAdams, Barbara Scruggs, Ann Berry, Virginia Jones, Donna Conley, Jean Hendricks, Marlene Leder, Charlotte Hendricks, Joan Lunsford, Lynn Cornelius, and Shirley Biard.

Mrs. Hoyt Rice is senior sponsor, and Miss Angela Duncan and Mrs. Lee R. Moore, Jr., are junior sponsors.



B&PW members at party last summer

B&PW Club Aids Civic Projects

At a meeting in 1929, 36 charter members formed the Pampa chapter of the Business and Professional Women's Club, and chose Mrs. Grace Higgins Pool as the first president.

In 1931, Mrs. Pool went to Geneva, Switzerland, to be first convention of International Business and Professional Women's Clubs.

President Woodrow Wilson requested the organization of B & PW Clubs in 1919, as he found a need for them during World War I.

During the years of its existence the local B & PW Club has added many members (there are now more than 80) and has participated in many civic projects, including aid toward securing the new Highland General Hospital.

During the past year the club sponsored an address by the Hon. Olin Culberson on "Women in the Government," and a discussion on "Mental Hygiene and Child Guidance" by Dr. Samuel R. Warson, noted psychiatrist.

Both addresses were open to the public.

The Pampa club was hostess to more than 200 women, members of other B & PW Clubs in the ninth district, at a conference at which Judge Sarah T. Hughes, Dallas, and Mrs. Dora Davis, Wichita Falls, were honored. Judge Hughes is national vice president of B & PW and Mrs. Davis is state president.

The club also sponsored a safe driving contest during National Business Women's Week, won first prize with the float entered in the Christmas Parade, contributed \$79 to the Minnie L. Maffet Fund, and contributed both time and money to local worthy drives.

On Feb. 22 the Pampa Chapter

gave a banquet on "International Relations" with Dr. J. W. Marshall, president of Wayland College, as guest speaker.

Present officers are Mrs. Lillian Jordan, president; Mrs. Gladys Howard, vice president; Mrs. Thelma Davis, recording secretary; Miss Jean Anderson, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Dovie Breeze, treasurer.

You can make applesauce cake into a special dessert by serving it with spiced whipped cream. Just sweeten the cream to taste and spice it with a little cinnamon and cloves, and add a dash of salt. Add the spice lightly so you get the flavor just right.

Liverwurst makes an inexpensive spread for canapes or sandwiches. Remove the skin from the liverwurst and mash it smoothly, adding lemon juice, a little grated onion, a sprinkling of salt and enough mayonnaise or creamy salad dressing to moisten.

Lettuce for salads or sandwiches should be absolutely dry. So wash it in cold water and each leaf dry with a paper dish towel. If the leaves are wet the salad dressing won't adhere to them and they'll make sandwiches soggy.

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Majority of States Regulate Lobbyists

CHICAGO — (AP) — Lobbyists now are regulated in 38 states. This was brought out in a survey made for the 1950-51 Book of the Council of State Governments. The study showed:

"Twenty-nine states provide for the registration of all compensated legislative agents and counsels. In nine others, regulatory laws are limited to improper lobbying practices. Seventeen of the states requiring registration also require that lobbyists file statements of expenses paid, incurred or promised in connection with promotion of legislation."

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Twentieth Century Club Organized Here in 1928

Jan. 12, 1928, was the birth date of the Twentieth Century Club, for it was on that day that the charter group met in the home of Mrs. V. E. Fatheree and organized the club.

The motto "If the People Knew, the People Would Do" was selected by the charter members, who were Mrs. Fatheree, Mrs. R. W. Mitchell, Mrs. W. A. Bratton, Mrs. James Todd, Mrs. I. B. Hughey, Mrs. John Willis, Mrs. H. D. Lewis, Mrs. Henry

closet and hot water heater. The club has promoted Scouting, having organized two Cub Dens and one Cub Pack, and ready to be organized are one Boy Scout Troop, one Girl Scout Troop and one Brownie Troop.

Other work done by the club includes helping Carver School obtain books, tables, shelves, magazines and chairs for a library, helping them obtain choir robes, and awarding three Citizenship Medals to outstanding pupils from Carver School.

'Better Living' Year's Project Of Varietas Club



Three subscriptions of foreign language editions of the Readers Digest were given and 455 lbs. of clothing sent for foreign relief. The club helped to organize a Negro Chamber of Commerce, organized Negro Scouts, and promoted a Negro Women's Garden Club.

The Twentieth Century subscribed to the Texas Clubwoman 100 percent. The club was represented at both district and state conventions.

Following are excerpts from a letter received by a club member, Mrs. J. W. Gordon, from Mrs. J. H. Hodges, state president:

"My dear Mrs. Gordon: "It is with a great deal of pleasure that I inform you that your club won honorable mention in the C Group of the 'Better Community' contest recently held in Texas. Your project, 'Color Harmony,' was indeed excellent. Your club is to be commended upon the fine work it is doing among this minority group. All of us in the Federation are proud of your outstanding contributions."

"Better Community Living" this year was chosen for study by the Varietas Study Club and "Looking Toward Tomorrow" was picked as the program theme.

Pampa's growth studies have included recreational facilities, health program, schools and youth conservation.

Two club projects grew out of the study. First, a bond for \$100 was set aside for a youth center. Second, a library for Highland General Hospital was provided. There have been 210 books collected and arranged on the shelves.

Members have worked on the Red Cross drive and contributed to Boy and Girl Scout fund campaigns.

Officers for the coming year are: Mrs. C. L. McKinney, president; Mrs. Dow King, vice president; Mrs. Frank Wilson, secretary; Mrs. W. H. Moseley, treasurer; Mrs. Lloyd Caldwell, parliamentarian; and Mrs. H. T. Hampton, library chairman.

Present officers include: Mrs. Branson, president; Mrs. Robert Sanford, vice president; Mrs. George Vineyard, secretary; Mrs. H. R. Thompson, treasurer; Mrs. J. M. Fitzgerald, parliamentarian; Mrs. Fred Neslage, critic; Mrs. Clifton High, reporter; Mrs. W. R. Campbell, Council of Clubs representative, and Mrs. Ray J. Hagan, Federation counselor.

Newly elected officers are Mrs. Fred Neslage, president; Mrs. George Scott, vice president; Mrs. E. L. Campbell, secretary; Mrs. J. M. Fitzgerald, treasurer; Mrs. Roy McKernan, parliamentarian; Mrs. Frank Culbertson, critic; Mrs. Lloyd Hicks, reporter and Mrs. G. F. Branson, Council of Clubs representative.

Also in 1928, the club sponsored the Girl Scout movement, and in 1929 it organized the Twentieth Century Forum. In 1931 the Twentieth Century Culture Club was organized, and in 1938 Twentieth Century members began singing Christmas carols for shut-ins.

Among other local projects and accomplishments by this club was the presentation of three Good Citizenship Awards to outstanding students of Carver School each year, and in 1945 the club presented more than 200 books to the school.

Course of study for the current club year is "Growth for a Better Democracy." Programs include a Federation report each month by the counselor, Mrs. Ray Hagan, and aid for the non-profit Negro Day Nursery. On the latter project, help included stoves, bedding, rugs, baby beds, clothing, toys, youth beds, mattresses and kitchen equipment. Members also helped in the installation of bathroom facilities: commode, lavatory, bathtub, linen

Ralph Thomas, president; Mrs. McKinney vice president; Mrs. King, secretary; Mrs. J. G. Cargile, treasurer; Mrs. H. H. Butler, parliamentarian; and Mrs. H. P. Doster, library chairman.

Other members are: Misses J. G. Duggett, B. C. Evans, Lee Harrish, E. J. Haslam, F. E. Inel, J. E. Kirchner, R. W. Lane, Horace McBee, J. C. McWilliams, Luther Pierson, J. C. Vollmert and Sherman White. Mrs. Felix Stalls is an associate member.

Australia Battles Increases in Rabbits

SYDNEY — (AP) — Rabbits to day are a bigger worry to the sheep and cattle growers of Australia than ever before. The rabbits are eating grass meant for sheep and cattle, and are increasing in numbers. There are four main reasons:

1. Americans are wearing fewer felt hats made from rabbit fur.
2. There has been a slump in the export of rabbit carcasses to Britain.
3. The past season has been a good one. Rabbits thrive when there is plenty of grass.
4. There is a shortage of wire-netting to make rabbit proof fences.

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