

Caution Urged In Account Numbers For All Employes

AUSTIN.—Get the right number when you list employes on your information reports, M. D. Dewberry, manager of the Austin field office of the Social Security Board today cautioned commercial and industrial employers throughout the Austin area who are seeking to obtain the social security account numbers of wage earners no longer in their employ.

Under Treasury regulations, Dewberry explained, employers must list employe account numbers on their information reports. Post offices are requesting that if an employe has failed to report his social security account number, the employer should file an application form (SS-5) with sufficient supporting information to establish the employe's identity beyond reasonable doubt.

Mr. Dewberry also urged all employes who have not yet reported their social security account numbers to their employers to do so promptly. This applies also to workers who have worked for more than one employer since January 1, 1937, even though the period of their employment may have been one day or less.

WPA Eligibles In Texas Has Dropped To 100,000-Mark

SAN ANTONIO.—The number of destitute Texans eligible for employment on Works Progress Administration projects has dropped to 100,000-mark for the first time since the inception of the WPA, State Administrator H. P. Drought has announced.

The Texas case load of persons eligible for WPA work was 99,769 last week, Drought declared, the lowest figure in the two-year history of the organization.

Driver Education Offered As Course

COLLEGE STATION.—A new course in driver education and training in the interest of traffic safety will be conducted at Texas A. & M. College from June 8 to July 18.

Raid at Pioneer Reported by Wood

Eight half-gallons of non-tax-paid liquor was seized in a raid reported Monday by Sheriff Loss Woods. The case has been adopted by federal authorities, who were to file charges at Abilene against the owner of the liquor, said Woods.

Bank Nights to Be Discontinued Here

Effective at once bank nights will be suspended in the local theatre until a final court determination of their legal status, it was announced here today.

The Court of Criminal Appeals held last week that bank nights come within provisions of the lottery law, and a rehearing will be asked of the court.

Discontinuance of bank nights here was precipitated by a telegram received by the local manager from Karl Hobbittselle, of Dallas, president of the Interstate Circuit. The commission from the office of Hobbittselle read:

"In deference to the legal interpretation of the courts and to the enforcement officers of this state, we hereby announce that bank night and similar activities will be discontinued indefinitely until such time as their legal status is finally determined."

Flatwood Girl Is Chosen Best 4-H Club News Scribe

Rosa Mae Harbin of Flatwood is the best girls' 4-H club reporter in Eastland county, announced Miss Cornelia Faye Stewart after her reports for April and May were judged by an Eastland newspaperman Tuesday morning.

Miss Harbin, who this year had her first experience as a club reporter, will be entered in the district contest, the winner of which will be a staff member of the "Daily Star," paper to be published at the annual farmers' short course, August 16-19, at College Station.

Miss Stewart planned Tuesday to immediately send Miss Harbin's club reports to Miss Maurine Hearn, district agent, who will choose in the winner in her territory. Miss Harbin's reports on meetings were judged best over all submitted on April and May sessions in the county.

Japanese Songs Are Coming to U.S.

NEW YORK.—To the casual observer, there would appear to be no connection between Japanese music and 1937 but Vincent Lopez, band leader and numerologist has found one. Every five years or so, it seems this country embraces a new type of music. Hawaiian songs in 1917, jazz as a national pastime in 1922, the tango in 1927, and the rumba in 1932 have been milestones in America's musical progress. Lopez believes the new vogue may be the music of Japan.

Japanese music is built on two five-tone scales, generally in minor, but not always. It is intensely melodic and is almost always built on a "swinging" rhythm. Old books of Japanese songs reveal that popular music across the Pacific employed all the tricks of synchopation before they had been used in the Western world in any form other than classical music, but probably to the fact that the banjo-like samisen is the most popular instrument in Japan.

Convinced that Japanese music had the qualities necessary to create a vogue in this country, Lopez set about locating some of it and discovered the scores of all the Japanese "smash hits" of recent years were already in this country, brought over by Burton Crane, an American newspaperman who had spent 11 years in Japan. Since Crane had already fitted English-language lyrics to the numbers nothing remained but to play them.

"Rare Are These Hours," is a composition by Masao Koga, the most popular of all Japanese composers. Still played in Japan although introduced in 1931, this song sold more than 500,000 copies in phonograph records, thus becoming the outstanding hit of all time.

"In My Arms," by Kokka Sasagawa, preceded "Rare Are These Hours" as Japan's all-time hit tune. Exact figures on the sale of its records are not available, but it is understood to have gone beyond 400,000 copies.

Canada Forms First G-Man Department

MONTREAL.—The first Canadian investigation and law-enforcement agency patterned after the United States "G-Men" is being formed here.

It is a squad of "special operators" who will work under the jurisdiction of the Province's attorney general's department, in cooperation with, but independent of, the provincial police force.

The squad will be composed of experts in different fields of police work. Its main function will be to investigate reported rackets. The operators also will cooperate with the provincial police in vice and gambling raids, investigate labor disputes and troubles, collect "independent" evidence in criminal trials and obtain special information for use in drives on illegal businesses.

Each of the special operators will be put in charge of a certain field of investigation, for which his previous training best fits him. One man will have charge of all labor investigations, another vice and gambling, and another business rackets. Others will be held for special investigation into complaints which reach the department.

Authorities believe that the work of special operators will result in better prepared criminal cases being brought before the courts.

Retail Store Sales In April Were Up

DALLAS.—Retail sales of 780 independent stores in Texas showed an increase of 10.5 per cent in dollar volume in April compared with the corresponding month last year, the U. S. Department of Commerce bureau reported.

Sales in cities with a population of 10,000 to 25,000 increased 21 per cent and the sales of the 25,000 to 50,000 group increased 16 per cent. Sales in areas of less than 2,500 increased 17.5 per cent. April business showed a volume of \$14,224,600 as compared to \$22,875,800 a year ago.

The biggest increase was in the jewelry line with a 34.2 per cent rise. Lumber and building material dealers reported a 27.4 per cent jump with other lines as follows: Hardware, 23.3 per cent; country general stores, 21.4; filling stations, 20.8; groceries without meat markets, 13.6; total grocery, 12.7; combination grocery and meats, 12.4; restaurants, 12.1; apparel, 5.2 and shoes with a 3 per cent decrease.

Christian Science Church Has Annual Meeting In Boston

BOSTON, June 12.—Progress of Christian Science expressed in the organization and recognition of 59 new churches and societies; in sales increases of 66 per cent for the writings of Mary Baker Eddy, discoverer and founder of Christian Science; in an increasingly friendly public thought as reflected by legislative bodies when handling measures involving medical and religious freedom; and in much good healing work; featured reports by church officers at the annual meeting of the Mother Church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist.

The election of Judge Clifford P. Smith of Newton, Mass., as church president for the coming year, and of Edward L. Ripley of Brookline as treasurer, and Ezra W. Palmer of Marshfield as clerk, was announced. The president is elected by the Christian Science Board of Directors to serve for one year. His duty is to be presiding officer at the annual meeting.

The fact that the Christian Science denomination has 2,781 branches was cited and Miss M. Rosamond Wright, manager of the department of branches and practitioners, reported further for the year.

In the report of the clerk, Ezra W. Palmer, attention was drawn to the international appeal of Christian Science as indicated by the fact that the instructions for filling out applications for membership in the Mother Church are now available in 11 languages.

Tonsil Operation Broke Long Record

HAPPY, TEXAS.—A tonsil operation caused the only absence from school in nine years of Eva Walter, who graduated from Happy high school this year.

Searching for Trace of Victim



Apprehensively, police searched every possible hiding place on and near the Parsons estate at Stony Brook, L. L., where Mrs. Alice Parsons might have been concealed by kidnapers. State troopers above examine an abandoned well, which failed to produce any trace of the wealthy society matron.

Judge B. W. Patterson and Wife Injured in New Mexico Car Mishap

News of the injury from an automobile accident last Thursday near Magdalena, N. M., of B. W. Patterson, judge of 88th district court, and Mrs. Patterson was received here Tuesday.

Judge Patterson, cut about the head and face, was taken to a hospital, according to a letter received by Mrs. J. H. Caton of Eastland, from Mrs. Patterson at Magdalena, and 40 stitches were required to sew up the wounds.

Mrs. Patterson was badly bruised on her right side. The accident occurred, it was stated, after a tire blew out as Judge and Mrs. Patterson were negotiating a curve, and the car skidded and turned over one and a half times. The crash threw Mrs. Patterson from the front seat into the rear of the car.

Judge Patterson lapsed into unconsciousness from loss of blood. It was 15 minutes before aid came. Plans were to have someone drive the automobile to Eastland and the jurist and his wife continue to Eastland by train after their recovery.

The condition of Patterson, although severely injured, was not considered dangerous. It was indicated Mrs. Patterson had already been released from the hospital.

Hickok to Drill 4,000-Ft. Well Eight Miles Northwest of Cisco In Try For Gas Found In Test During 1935

Attention of Eastland county oilmen this week-end was directed eight miles northwest of Cisco, where Hickok Producing and Development company will drill to 4,000 feet No. 2 Grover S. Cleveland for prospective gas production.

The test is 660 feet from the west line and 330 feet from the south line of the N 1-2 of the NE 1-4, section 477, SPRR company survey.

No. 1 Cleveland, the same footage as the No. 2, although it was in the S 1-2 of the 80-acre lease, was completed March 29, 1935, as a 1,985,000-foot gas well between 2,804-62 feet.

Possibly the county's most eagerly watched test, Gallagher and Lawson at No. 1 Hobbie I. Terry, one-half mile south of Desdemona, but over 100 feet in Comanche county, was making rapid progress, drilling at the last report below 725.

The J. A. Bearman et al Cisco townsite test was to be plugged at total depth of 3,810 feet.

Hoffmann & Page No. 1 Mrs. M. E. Holcomb, drilling two miles northeast of Eastland for gas production at 1,500 feet, was past 760 feet.

Many Questions Sent Tax Collector

WICHITA FALLS, Texas.—Wichita county taxpayers like to ask questions, especially of Tax Collector Jim Robinson. They are prone to forget to inclose stamp envelopes and thus collector Robinson's office shells out \$900 yearly for stamps.

"It isn't right, that we are forced to spend the money that belongs to taxpayers in such an outrageous fashion," Robinson said. But what can a fellow do. "Jim isn't complaining about tax collections, far from it. Payments for 1936 are coming in just dandy," he said. The fault is Robinson mused, that the failure of persons writing his office to inclose stamped envelopes has cut heavily into his yearly budget.

For instance, Jim explained, a prospective taxpayer will send him a note to find out how much his taxes will be. The questioner neglects to send also a self-addressed and stamped envelope. After he determines and amount of the tax, Jim must use a stamp to notify the person. The taxpayer remits but again sends no stamped envelope. Result—another stamp for the receipt. And the same thing happens dozens of other times.

One thing Jim is glad of—he doesn't have to lick the \$900 worth of stamps.

Mysterious Calls Continue Two Years

ST. LOUIS.—For two years Dr. and Mrs. Glenn E. Northrup silently endured a series of mysterious telephone calls here. Finally their patience gave out and they complained to police.

For the first 16 months, when Mrs. Northrup answered one of the calls, she heard a torrent of abuse, sometimes from a man and others from a woman, ending suddenly without a revelation of identity. When Dr. Northrup answered, he was summoned to a vacant building or lot.

Eight months ago, the callers changed tactics. Dr. or Mrs. Northrup would answer the phone and wait in vain for a response until a click indicated the caller had hung up. When eight such calls came through in half an hour, the Northrups decided that enough was enough and notified police.

HOBOS NOW SCARCE

FORT WORTH.—Tramps and hoboes are giving this city the go-by now. After seven years police revived the chain gang system for making vagrants work.

Oil World Exhibit Space Is Reserved

HOUSTON.—Success for Houston's Oil-World Exposition, at which all available space has been reserved, has been indicated by a "paper" profit of \$30,000, according to Ed Lenbner, general manager.

The exposition will be held in the \$1,000,000 municipal auditorium now under construction, from Oct. 11 to Oct. 16. Expenses were estimated at \$53,000 and revenues at \$83,000.

Gas Blasts May Be Prevented in Future

AUSTIN, Texas.—Recurrence of disasters like the explosion at the New London school on March 18 will be guarded against in orders for gas odorization drafted by the Texas Railroad Commission's gas utilities division.

Except for a sour gas in the Texas Panhandle used chiefly for manufacturing carbon black, Texas natural gas is odorless. It can accumulate in large quantities without detection, until a spark explodes it.

By August 1, the commission expects to have a malodorant in every gas supply. Concerns will be permitted to submit their own harmless, neither toxic nor noxious type for approval. It must be seeping. It must be non-corrosive for steel, iron, bronze, brass or leather, and must be insoluble in water.

It must also be of such constituents that it will be retained in the gas for a long period. Upon burning, all odor must be destroyed. There are numerous malodorants that will meet requirements, officials said.

Prospective Dairy Team Given Advice

Training to prospective members of the county's boys 4-H club dairy demonstration team to be entered in the annual farmers' short course at College Station, August 16-19, was given Tuesday by G. G. Gibson, assistant extension service dairyman from Agricultural & Mechanical College.

Gibson was working in cooperation with County Agent Elmo V. Cook and Assistant Agent Hugh F. Barnhart, in charge of boys' 4-H club work.

What Transpires Behind Mike Told

What goes on behind the microphone and the preparation necessary for an appearance was told Monday at the Rotary club luncheon in Eastland by W. T. Walton, superintendent of the Ranger schools, who Mother's Days in New York City broadcast, an experience, over a national chain.

Walton, discussing his appearance, told how the director of the program, Phillip Lord, sacrificed minor accuracy in order to better sell the show.

In pointing out how Madam Schumann-Heink "sold" herself to an audience because of her love as a mother Walton was scheduled to tell how the singer obtained a glass of water for a child when his cries interrupted her concert in a college at Abilene, where Walton was a student.

Walton read the script at a rehearsal, but eliminated the sugar being placed in the water. Lord asked him after the rehearsal why he had not read it, Walton replying he did not because it was inaccurate. Then he consented after Lord explained persons in New York City would better understand the demonstration of a mother's love had sugar been placed in the water.

The club voted to eliminate the Monday meeting next week because of the annual inter-city meeting Wednesday night at the Gholson hotel in Ranger, Jim Johnston, Ben Hamner and Carl Johnson were appointed to arrange Eastland features for the program.

Webb and Foster Reunion Planned In Sulphur, Okla.

Descendants of "Uncle" Pete Webb and T. J. Foster in this section have been invited to attend a reunion of the families July 3 and 4 at the Platt National Park, Sulphur, Okla.

Those who attend were urged by Mrs. R. A. Foster, writing from Alex, Okla., to be prepared to aid in the reunion with history, speeches, songs and other music.

Auto Theft Suspect Posts \$1,000 Bond

Deputy Sheriff Tug Underwood reported Tuesday that George Rhyne, indicted upon a charge of the automobile theft last week by 91st district court grand jury, has furnished \$1,000 bond.

Youth of Eastland County Into Navy

S. C. Rino, 18 year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rino, Eastland, Route 1, recently enlisted in the U. S. Navy at the recruiting station in Dallas was transferred to the Naval training station at San Diego, Calif., for a three-month period.

Others of this area who recently enlisted include E. E. Creel of Coleman and J. M. Lynn, Jr., of Caddo.

Applicants for enlistment are being accepted at the recruiting station at Abilene to fill the future quota that are assigned monthly to the Abilene district.

NYA Proves that Students Who Earn Make Best Grades

AUSTIN, Texas.—Reports from colleges and universities of Texas which participated in the National Youth Administration College Aid program last session tend to support the oft-expressed theory that students who earn part of their expenses make better grades than students who have all expenses paid.

Sixty-eight of the 87 colleges participating in the program have already filed annual reports with J. C. Kellam, State NYA Director. In 38 of the reporting colleges, students provided with NYA employment made better average grades than the entire student body. In 29 colleges the average grades of the two groups were reported to be approximately equal, while in nine colleges NYA workers were making slightly lower average grades than the student body. One school did not answer the question.

The reports that have been tabulated indicate that 66 per cent of the students employed were assigned to work which directly facilitated the teaching program. These students worked as clerks, teachers' helpers, library assistants, stenographers, and laboratory and shop assistants. About eight per cent of the students were employed on campus improvements, and seven per cent in assistance in the athletic department. The remaining students were assigned to various other jobs. About one-half the colleges reported that NYA employment was responsible for increases in enrollment.

The students employed on the College Aid program were selected by the college officials for employment because they needed assistance in order to enter or remain in school properly. They were assigned to socially desirable work under the supervision of their teachers and were paid at prevailing hourly wage rates. Their earnings were limited to an average wage of \$15 a month. During the month of May 8,336 students were employed in the 87 Texas colleges and universities participating in the program.

Moth Balls Replace Air Rifle In Drive Against Sparrows

DALLAS.—T. P. (Red) Williams has switched from air rifle shots to moth balls in his campaign to rid the Dallas county courthouse of sparrows and their accompanying mites.

Well placed volleys from his gun only partially succeeded in driving away the birds that have caused judges, juries and county officials to spend much of their time scratching because of the mites the birds carry.

Williams has learned of the success of another building manager in ridding his structure of mites by use of moth balls. It was explained that the odor of the moth balls drives away the sparrows.

About 50 pounds of moth balls will be necessary to begin the second "anti-mite" drive, Williams said.

Boys Save Dog From Old, Caved-In Well

VICTORIA, B. C.—A dog's yelp enabled two Parksville boy scouts, Albert Transfield and Harry Burton, to do a good turn.

The boys were wandering near an old well, half caved in and 45 feet deep, when they heard the dog's cry. Looking down into the well, they saw it at the bottom.

Baiting a box with a sandwich, they lowered it into the well with strong wire. The dog jumped in and they pulled it up.

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Why Political Reform Often Fails to Last

Last fall the city of New York adopted a new city charter. In the charter was a provision that city elections hereafter be held under the proportional representation system.

This system is about as complicated a method of electing public officials as could well be imagined, but its chief purpose is to hamstring machine politicians by giving every citizen the chance to vote for candidates in the order of preference.

Tammany Hall, which has fallen on lean years of late, vigorously opposed this feature of the new character. It went to court to get it thrown out; and the other day it met final defeat when the state court of appeals upheld proportional representation and okayed the disputed charter.

Now the surface conclusion to be drawn from all of that is that machine politics, as exemplified by Tammany, has met a crushing defeat and that political life in the metropolis will be cleaner, clearer and most wholesome hereafter.

But people who take this hopeful view of things might well remember what happened in Cleveland some 15 years ago.

Cleveland then adopted a new charter, with proportional representation. Citizens breathed deeply in relief; this new electoral setup would be too much for the old-line political gangs, the bosses; would be checkmated, good men would be elected in place of subservient ward-healers, and everything would be very rosy.

But something happened. The "god men" figured that the city political life had been reformed forever and a day, and began thinking about other things. The politicians, who worked at politics day in and day out, knuckled down and mastered the intricacies of proportional representation. And the first thing anybody knew the same old agang was back in the saddle, the great reform had misfired—and, eventually, the citizens in disgust threw out the new charter and went back to the old way of doing things.

The point is that political reforms usually fail because the reformers, and the people who support them, are so short-winded. Some one big reform is put through, and everyone assumes that the battle has been won permanently. The bosses rally their forces, try a new method of attack—and presently are sitting in the driver's seat as they always did.

That happened in Cleveland; it will happen in New York, unless the people who are interested in decent government stay just as wideawake and determined as the politicians.

There is only one cure for misgovernment in America; unflinching, day in and day out vigilance on the part of all the people. Our tendency to put on one big push and then relax is the greatest safeguard and machine politician could ask for.

Fifty Will Ride Mountain Trail

By United Press BANFF, Alberta.—Mount Assiniboine, long known as the Matterhorn of the Canadian Rockies, will be the objective of the annual five-day ride from Banff starting July 30 and ending Aug. 3. The trip, arranged by the band of outdoor enthusiasts known as the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies, will be headed by their new president, R. H. Palenske, of Chicago.

Riding trail by day and sleeping under canvas at night, the group will spend two nights in the camp at the base of the 12,000-foot mountain, with plenty of extra time for fishing in nearby Marvul Lake or for hiking.

This cavalcade will set out along Brewster Creek for Brewster Camp, where the first night will be spent, and then continues to Mr. Assiniboine, remaining there the next two nights. The fourth day's trek is through the Simpson Range and over the 7,000-foot Simpson Pass to Sunshine Camp. On the following morning the group follows Hooley Creek into the Borguau Range for the annual Pow-Wow before re-entering Banff. The party will consist of 50 riders, plus a crew of guides, cooks, horse-wranglers and

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Tax-Free Use of Public Roads Has A Big Increase

WASHINGTON — Although privately-owned motor vehicles have increased only 6% in number since 1930, those owned by federal, state, and local governments have increased 70%.

The federal government now operates 100,000 motor vehicles, or one for every nine employees. Texas-exempt gasoline used by these vehicles last year totaled 147,000,000 gallons, or 1,670 per vehicle. This consumption is more than twice the average annual consumption of private vehicles.

The courts have held that the states cannot tax the federal government, so federally owned motor vehicles pay no registration fees or gasoline taxes, causing a tax loss to the states of about \$10,000,000 annually, thus shifting to motorists the cost of building and maintaining roads over which the government-owned motor vehicles pass tax-free.

Motor vehicles owned by state, city and county governments now number 200,000. A substantial part of them pay neither registration fees nor gasoline taxes. However, the current trend in gasoline taxation is away from exemptions for local governmental units, and municipalities are now required to pay the gasoline tax in 41 states.

a pack train of 50 horses to carry camping gear and supplies.

The Trail Riders' membership of more than 1,200 is scattered on all the five continents, and includes representatives of the arts, professional and business worlds. Ramsay MacDonald and the ex-King and Queen of Siam are active members.

Long known as the Matterhorn of the Canadian Rockies, Mr. Assiniboine (11,870 ft.) probably was seen in 1841 by the early explorer Sir George Simpson, and later named for the tribe of Assiniboine or Stoney Indians who inhabit the region. The mountain's first accredited visitor was R. L. Barrett, who reached it in 1893 under the guidance of the late Tom Wilson of Banff. The first to climb this peak was Sir James Ostram, who in 1901 stood on its summit, looked down its sheer wall to the shining glacier 6,000 feet below and counted a dozen lakes in the ranges that stretched before him. A dozen years ago the peak was scaled by Harry Pollard, Canadian photographer and charter member of the Trail Riders. Its most recent conquest was made in 1934 by young Miss Georgia Engelhard of New York, also a member of the Trail Riders and member of the American Alpine Club.

Exemptions or refunds upon gasoline create serious problems in the administration of the gasoline tax, and an investigation by the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance disclosed that considerable tax-free gasoline, supposedly consumed in performance of essential governmental functions, actually was being used by municipal employes in private automobiles for pleasure driving.

Last year 59,681,000 gallons of tax-free gasoline was used in New York state. If used by motorists that fuel would have yielded \$2,880,000 in state and federal taxes. Of that amount federal employes used 11,880,000 gallons, and the states and its political subdivisions used 47,801,000 gallons.

Felons Taxed to Finance a Bureau

RALEIGH, N. C.—A scientific crime-prevention laboratory, authorized by the 1937 North Carolina legislature, is being financed by convicted criminals.

Under provisions of the enabling act, \$1 is collected from each person convicted in state criminal

courts to apply toward operating costs of the bureau and for dependents of law officers killed while on duty. The division is 50-50.

The new bureau will be established with ballistic, blood analysis and poison investigators. Its officers will co-operate with the attorney-general in investigating lynchings, mob violence, election frauds and other crimes which may take place in the state.

It is the second step in the two-fold program to make the state unhealthy for criminals.

A new radio broadcasting system will be opened before early summer for the use of the highway patrol and county officers. Five stations with the central broadcasting transmitter located at Raleigh are under construction and ready for testing. Each of the 100 automobiles and 103 highway patrol motorcycles will be equipped with radio receiving sets, and sheriffs' offices will tune receiving sets to the highway broadcasting system.

Noise of a plane in flight is mostly from propellers beating the air, just like a mosquito getting ready to make a landing.

Health Festival Is Being Planned By Mineral Wells

MINERAL WELLS. — Plans for the first annual Health Festival and Homecoming celebration, to be held here July 16-17-18, are being formulated rapidly by various committee heads under the direction of the Mineral Wells Junior Chamber of Commerce. A full three-day program is being arranged to call attention to the reputation of the city as one of the most widely known health and pleasure resorts in the United States. The general theme of the festival will be the curative value of the renowned mineral water discovered here some 58 years ago.

A prominent highlight of the occasion will be the mammoth "Pageant of Health," climaxed with the crowning of the health queen. Outstanding state officials will be present to take part in the ceremonies, and unless important official duties conflict, Governor

James V. Allred will place the crown upon the head of the young lady who is to rule the festival for the three days. A cast of approximately 100 will be presented in giving the history of Mineral Wells from the time of discovery of the first mineral water well to the present. Based on historical facts, the pageant will be presented in a natural setting among the famous hills of Palo Pinto county. Memorial Field, acclaimed as one of the most beautiful athletic fields in the state, is the site. Realistic props, to be built at a cost of \$500, will add to its natural beauty.

Another important feature of the festival will be a gigantic "sham battle," presented by the

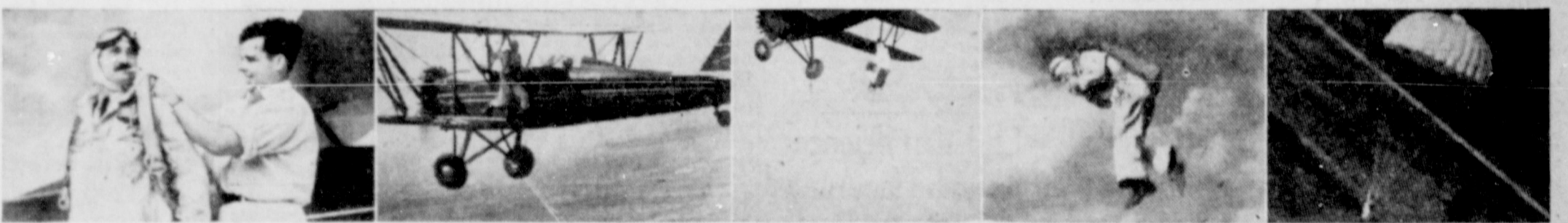
combined units of the 56th Cavalry Brigade, in session at Camp Wolters during the celebration. Local officers are working out details to make this feature the most realistic ever to be witnessed outside of actual war. Every modern implement of warfare will be utilized.

Other features will include street parades, band contests, health contests, tennis, roque, horse-shoe pitching, golf, swimming and diving contests, air circus, bathing beauty revue and outboard motor boat races.

President Roosevelt probably found the unhappy part of his Golf fishing trip was unsnarling the backlash at Washington.

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FLOYD STIMSON (above), between puffs of his Camel, describes a typical parachute jump. "I ease out of the cockpit and stand on the wing hooking one foot behind a strut wire. Then I crouch down and dive over, headfirst. I usually make 2 or 3 turns. (In next to last picture Floyd has completed a turn and straightened up.) When I'm facing the sky, I pull the rip cord. It's a sweet feeling when she blooms open." Floyd's work is no job for a nervous man. His cigarette is Camel—has been for 10 years. He says: "They don't frazzle my nerves."

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Ports of Entry In New Mexico Prove To Be Boomerang

SANTA FE, N. M.—New Mexico, mecca each year for nearly three million tourists, forgot for a year and a half that the chief virtue of western hospitality lies in the fact that the stranger is never questioned.

And therein lies more than a tale.

Two years ago the legislature passed a law establishing ports of entry to regulate truck and bus traffic and to prevent gasoline bootlegging.

It wasn't long until the ports were stopping tourist cars as well as trucks, and the easterner who had been taught that the west was the place where a man's past was his own—and no questions asked—was surprised to have a port of entry inspector ask to see the certificate of registration on his car. Just like asking an old timer to see the brand on his horse.

Indignation is hardly the word to describe the easterner's reaction.

He wanted his west just like he had read about it in the book, and he didn't want to be asked any questions. There ought to be a law . . .

It didn't take New Mexico long to realize her mistake. California and Oregon and some other western states might get by with stopping tourist cars and asking questions, but not New Mexico!

Well, there is a law, and the ports of entry have been reorganized. Tourist cars are no longer stopped. The boys at the ports have been put through a thirty day training school—probably the first of its kind—and instructed in New Mexico's historic background, her points of scenic and historic interest and in how to give this information to the motorist who wants it. Literature describing New Mexico's attractions is handed to the motorists who stop at the ports.

The tourist business is New Mexico's leading industry—worth \$60,000,000 a year. The state is spending \$60,000 a year to invite tourists to enjoy her recreational areas, and last year 3,000,000 people accepted the invitation.

To make certain that nothing is done to dampen the visitor's enjoyment of his trip to the state, Governor Clyde Tingley made the director of the state tourist bureau chairman of the port of entry board with instructions to see that the hospitality which made the west famous is encountered first at the ports of entry.

Ranger Children Pictured In Lone Star Employee Publication "Blue Blaze"



This is Third in a series of pictures of children of Lone Star Gas System employees. (1) LaGene Bates is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bates of Breckenridge. (2) Oran H. Moore Jr. is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oran H. Moore of Dallas. (3) W. H. Driscoll III is the happy son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Driscoll Jr., of Dallas. (4) This little girl is Patsy Ruth Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Taylor of Ranger. (5) The manly youngster in the long trousers is Reid Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hunter of Ranger. (6) All ready to go some place is Arthur Ellis Stone, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stone of Abilene. (7) Doris and Max Bickley are children of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Bickley of Coleman. (8) Bobby Crawford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Crawford of Breckenridge.

The total thus paid by Texans to live in comparative security for a year is \$3,346,285.

Several state departments are near the million-a-year mark in cost. Appropriation for the Texas Liquor Control Board is \$989,870, for the state comptroller's office, \$933,922, and for the state railroad commission \$879,079.

Texas claims rank as greatest agricultural state but the appropriation for the State Department of Agriculture is only \$208,130. The Livestock Sanitary Commission, operated independent of the Department of Agriculture, will get \$635,484. A large part of the appropriation for Agricultural and Mechanical College also goes to experiment station work and other activities to aid agriculture rather than instruct students. The college's experiment stations will get \$409,083; its extension division, \$259,898; its forestry, rodent and conservation divisions, \$141,975.

Department appropriations this year do not forbid more than one member of the same family working for a department. It was insisted upon in a former legislature when so many people were out of work.

The usual provisions are continued against pernicious political activity, against use of state photostat and duplicating devices for political or private purposes.

Austria's Oldest Man Urges Wine And Pipe Tobacco

By United Press

VIENNA — Austria's Methusalem, Johann Postl, who expects to celebrate his 105th birthday soon feels that he is beginning to get old.

"My eyes are not so good any more," he told a visitor at his farm at Puchberg, halfway up on the slopes of the Schneeberg. "I am afraid, I will soon have to wear glasses. While a couple of years ago, it meant nothing to me to walk over to my son's house four hours hiking distance up high in the mountains, a walk of a quarter of an hour now wears me out. I distinctly feel the infirmities of old age approaching. But don't misunderstand me, young man; basically, I am sound enough."

The little, beardless, wiry old man got up from his bench at the stove and walked about the room chuckling to himself before he continued:

"My folks thought I would not live to be 100 and, therefore, I was given a great party at my 99th birthday, with a wreath around the door, a visit by the provincial governor and a telegram from President Miklas, accompanied by a gift of honor of 99 shillings.

"Last winter again, when I had the flu, I was given up entirely. The doctor came twice weekly and wore a serious face. I did not think much of the medicine-man and his concoctions and cured myself with tobacco. You know that smoke opens up the throat," Postl added, puffing hard at his pipe.

Austria's oldest man is still in full possession of his mental faculties, although his memory, as far as recent years are concerned has somewhat suffered, while he recalls with astonishing exactness events dating back 80 and more years.

Appropriations of State Have Number Of Large Expenses

By United Press

AUSTIN, Texas—Texans pay as much to have their hair cut correctly and their shaves sanitary as to operate the Government's office.

The next year's appropriation for barber licensing and inspection is \$62,420. The cost to pay the Governor and run his department will be \$61,170.

Safety and law enforcement lead in cost to the Texas taxpayer. Biggest item in the appropriation bill for the year is \$1,861,908 for Texas prisons, although convicts have been made to contribute to their own support by farming and industrial employment. The Department of Public Safety gets \$1,218,560 (including a long sought raise in pay for the Texas Rangers) and the Adjutant General's office will get \$265,918.

Biggest Blossom of Them All



The marks on the gauge indicate feet, not inches, so the size of the giant bud of the Sumatra Krubi, which dwarfs the spectators, is not a photographic illusion. Said by botanists to be the biggest flower in the world, the bud is the first seen in the United States and was grown in the Bronx Park Botanical Gardens, New York City. Opened it was expected to resemble a chocolate morning

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Postl had 1 children, three of whom died in their youth. His oldest son is 76. When he was told the death of his second son, a tailor, who died at the age of 72, two years ago, the old man remarked:

"Well, I knew Aloys would go before me; he was always weak in the chest"; then he asked for his daily pint of wine and never again mentioned the death. Postl's living progeny now numbers 129.

Up to 95 years, he had worked in the fields himself. His prescription for longevity is: hard work and a frugal life, mitigated by a couple of pipes and a pint of wine daily and a double ration on Sundays.

The National Grange is conducting a safety campaign for farmers. This will reduce the danger of any being plowed under.

Old Fire Bell Is Restored by Town

By United Press

CENTER, Texas—Center's old bronze fire bell, installed here 53 years ago, was found last week in the flower bed of a residence. It was restored to its place in front of the City Hall.

The old bell had been missing since 1915 when it was replaced by the present alarm system.

Old settlers recalled that it was used to give the alarm during Center's most tragic fire in 1911 when six persons were burned to death in a department store fire.

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Voters Are Again Asked to Doctor The Constitution

AUSTIN. — Texas voters have been asked again to doctor the state's constitution.

Several amendments will be submitted to popular vote on Aug. 23, 1937. At the next general election, voters will decide if they want to keep an anti-dueling clause in the state oath of office.

A return to the much-condemned system of paying officials by fee instead of salary is one change under consideration.

County judges complained that officials were not so active since fees began to be placed in the county treasury as they were when fees could be retained by the officer.

Other proposed amendments will permit the state to cooperate with the federal social security board in aiding needy adult blind

and underprivileged children. Bank investments would be encouraged by another amendment which would remove the double liability now placed on state bank stockholders to make good losses to depositors through bank failure.

County Court Jury Room Is Without A Single Entrance

BEAUMONT. — The county court jury room in Beaumont's modern skyscraper county courthouse, has no door.

Rearrangement of quarters for the old age assistance department switched the jury room to a different section of the building. The private office of District Assistance Director George T. McGee was taken over as a jury room.

The only means of access to the room at present is up a stepladder from the ground and through a window.

A new door will be cut in the partition dividing the new jury room from an adjoining courtroom. Until the work is finished, however, jurors will have to climb to reach their places of deliberation.

In Indo-China women wear trousers, men wear skirts and children are known by number, but it's a primitive imitation of the New Deal.

'Summer Complaint' Season Is Now Here

AUSTIN, Texas.—The season of the year when the most complaints are received on account of diarrhea and dysentery or "Summer Complaint" is here and the Texas State Department of Health has issued a warning to parents in

regard to this, and offers the following suggestions to prevent its occurrence among babies. The chief causes of diarrhea include impure milk, water and contaminated foods, overheating, fever from any cause, too much sugar or cream in the diet, overfeeding and underfeeding.

Mother's milk is the safest food. However, if other milk must be used, the supply should be clean and pure. The water should be clean, pure and boiled. Any other articles of food should be fresh and clean and no unsuitable articles of food such as cake and candy should be given.

If a feeding formula is used, it should be one prescribed by a physician and it must be prepared with extreme attention to cleanliness and kept cold until used. The baby should be fed at regular intervals and should not

be forced to eat when he is not hungry. The baby should be kept cool and comfortable in hot weather, should not be overclothed and should be given plenty of clean water to drink. Any infections which develop in the nose, throat, ears or other organs should receive prompt attention from a physician.

should be stopped or greatly diminished and an abundance of water should be given. Cathartics should not be given except on the advice of a physician. If the diarrhea does not improve within a short time, a physician should be called and a complete examination should be made.

danger to the baby. Flies carry disease germs to the baby and to its food. Fingers and hands that are not thoroughly washed before preparing the baby's food are likely to be germ carriers also. All milk and water that is intended for the baby should be boiled for five minutes, then carefully covered and kept in a cool place until used.

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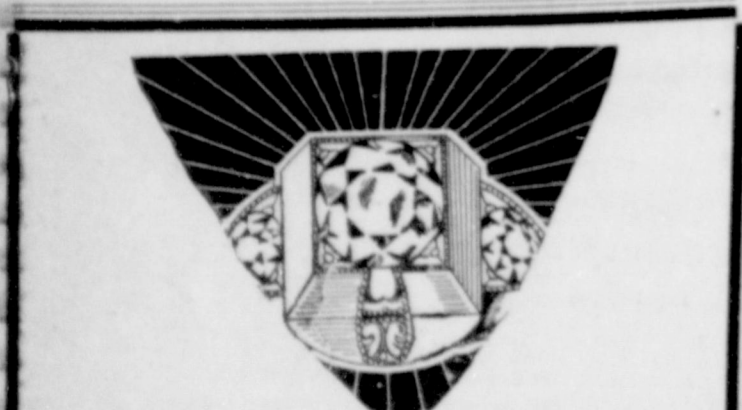
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Church's History Told With Stamps

LA CROSSE, Wis.—"Little Histories" of Catholicism, the Red Cross, Boy Scouts, child welfare and renowned artists are pictured vividly in the famous collection of stamps assembled by the Rev. Ferdinand Cech of La Crosse. The arrangement and classification of the stamps has brought Father Cech international attention. With his exhibits, mounted in glass-covered frames, the priest has won many prizes in national contests.

Old Masters of art are paid tribute in Father Cech's "The Old Masters in Philately." Another album pictures Catholic buildings throughout the globe, including churches, cathedrals and monasteries.

Father Cech's collections tracing the history of the Boy Scouts, Red Cross and child welfare are not as extensive as those mentioned previously, but they do not lack interest.

The priest has written pictures to go with each of his exhibits. At present, he is writing a book, "Catholic Philately." He is a member of these stamp collectors' organizations: Philatelic Journalists' Association, Footlose Philatelists, American Philatelic Society and the Society of Philatelic Americans.

Relatively minor stamp collections that Father Cech had gathered in recent years concerning animals and birds, etc., he has given to children.

Railway Switchman Dies from Injuries

HOUSTON, June 15.—William Holton, 52, railroad switchman of San Antonio, died in a hospital of injuries suffered when he was struck by a freight train last night.

ALLRED IS ATTACKED IN BOTH HOUSES

AUSTIN, June 15.—Gov. Allred was called upon today to retract his "unjust" message to the Texas Legislature on betting, in a resolution offered in the Texas Senate by Sen. Eph. Davis of Brownwood.

AUSTIN, June 15.—Gov. Allred was attacked sharply in both the Texas Senate and House today after he sent a message to the legislature charging a house effort to ban all betting was sponsored by those who seek the return of horse and dog race betting.

Sen. Frank Rawlings of Fort Worth told the senate it should instruct the clerk to write "crawfish" message across the communication and send it back to the governor "until he has the sincerity and manhood to name who he means."

"I do not want to see the government invade the privacy of homes, even by the passage of a law which would not be enforced to deal with every trifling form of wager," the governor's message said.

"The fight I have been waging is based on a desire to outlaw public commercialized gambling, particularly that which has assumed racketeering proportions: horse racing, dog racing, slot and marble machines."

Whether it is wrong to bet, the governor said, is a matter of personal opinion.

"In any event," he added, "Moral rights and wrongs cannot be dealt with by law."

Senate resentment was strong because the amendment that prompted the message was a house amendment, while the governor's message was addressed to all the legislature.

Rebellion broke out in the house when the message was read. At one point Rep. George Howard of Houston, former secretary of state, asked that the message be expunged from the record.

Gov. Allred reiterated that he will not submit amendment of the state motor truck law at this session.

Fifteen Criminal Cases Are Set In Davenport's Court

Fifteen cases in which the state alleges criminal offense will be tried beginning Monday, June 21, in 91st district court.

The defendants and the charges are:

- Gerald Moore, theft over \$50 and burglary.
- May King, driving intoxicated.
- H. A. Allen, disposal of mortgaged property.
- James Casey, theft over \$50 and burglary.
- J. D. Crow, driving while intoxicated.
- R. E. Hughes, driving intoxicated.
- J. H. Pangburn, driving intoxicated.
- E. C. Randolph, theft of auto.
- George Rhyne, theft of auto.
- Adrain Swindle, theft by bailor.
- J. R. Hill, theft over \$50.
- Harley Stevens, theft over \$50 and burglary.

May Pension Cash Received by 944

Recipients in Eastland county of grants from the Texas Old Age Assistance commission numbered 944 in May, according to a list of payments filed with County Clerk R. V. Galloway.

The May checks totaled \$13,850. In April 889 persons in the county received checks totaling \$13,157. March checks from the commission numbered 803 and totaled \$9,151.

Water Smeller to Test Supplies of Cities of Nation

TYRONE, Pa.—The first "water smeller" in the United States to receive an appointment in that capacity is Henry Laughlin of this city. He has been named to fill a newly created post of "water smeller" by the Industrial Chemical sales division of West Virginia Pulp and Paper company, makers of activated carbon widely used to remove tastes and odors from municipal water supplies.

Mr. Laughlin will travel extensively and test the odoriferous qualities of the raw water of many of the principal American cities. So highly developed are the olfactory powers of Mr. Laughlin that he can turn the faucet on in a city and by simply smelling the water determine the palatability of the water in that city. He also can identify the city from which

Russian Quizzed In Kidnap Case



Pushing their efforts to solve the kidnaping of Mrs. Alice Parsons, police confronted Mrs. Anna Kupryanova, above, with a New York factory worker who admitted being her divorced husband.

Mrs. Alex Kupryanoff, an exiled Russian like Mrs. Kupryanova. She lived with the Parsons and was the only person to see Mrs. Parsons leave her Long Island home.

A water comes if he has previously smelled and tasted water from that city.

Garner's Fishing Companion Gets Ready For Trip

UVALDE, June 15.—Ross Brumfield, fishing companion of Vice President John Garner, was busy today repainting the boat they usually take along on their fishing trips.

"I don't expect him until the latter part of this week," he said, "but I'm getting things ready."

Hall of State to Go to State Board

AUSTIN, June 15.—The Texas Senate today adopted a resolution turing over the Hall of State, erected at Dallas for the Centennial Exposition, to the State Board of Control.

The act under which the \$1,200,000 building was erected provided for leasing it to the City of Dallas. The city has failed to carry out the agreement, Sen. T. J. Holbrook of Galveston said.

The business of keeping a city's water supply sweet and palatable usually requires more thought and effort than keeping it pure, Mr. Laughlin says. Virtually every city in this country is troubled by bad odors developing in the water at some time of the year, and some waterworks have the problem with them continuously. Most bad odors in water, says the "water smeller," are caused by harmless microscopic organisms that live in the water, giving off oily, fishy tastes. More than 1,000 cities in the United States now purify their water supplies by treating them with activated carbon, which is a hundred times more powerful in absorbing tastes and odors than old-fashioned charcoal.

Mr. Laughlin has classified water tastes and odors into 30 different types. When a city gets its water supply from two or more sources, several odors may be blended together, and a very unpalatable water cocktail may result unless corrected.

Suit Is Filed In Ohio Steel Strike

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The Republic Steel Corporation filed suit today in the U. S. District Court asking a writ of mandamus, asking Postmaster James Farley to deliver food and supplies mailed to the plants strike-bound employees.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, June 15.—Gov. Martin Davey's second joint steel strike conference ended today with the departure of company representatives who declared "as far as we are concerned the conferences are over."

Davey proposed to attempt a third conference later.

Nationalists Are Ready For Drive

LONDON, June 15.—The nationalists probably will enter Bilbao tomorrow afternoon or Thursday morning, an Argentine diplomatic observer reported today.

SALAMANCA, Spain, June 15.—Rebel planes dropped proclamations over the Guadall Guadarrama front, north of Madrid today, announcing the "nationalists army has been accumulating troops on the Madrid front and is about to deliver the final assault."

German Pastor Is Arrested By Nazis

BERLIN, June 15.—The Rev. Gerhard Jacobi, pastor of the fashionable Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial Church was arrested today on unrevealed criminal charges.

Jacobi was noted for his opposition to nazification of the church.

A Cleveland lad's school absences were found to coincide with the Indian baseball club's home dates, proving that youth still must have its funing.

Mexico May Grant Drilling Contracts

MEXICO CITY, June 15.—Mexico today veered away from prospects of nationalizing its petroleum industry as the Department of National Economy considered granting oil drilling permits to foreign countries.

Ex-Texas Leaguers Leaders In Majors

Hitting averages of the major leagues through Wednesday, June 9, substantiate the claim of the Texas League that its former stars are the "strong men" of the bigger teams today.

Medwick, Greenberg and Bell now top the big leagues in batting. Medwick is 27 percentage points ahead of Buck Jordan of Cincinnati, his nearest rival in the National League. Greenberg and Bell are tied at .3837 for the American League batting lead. "Ducky Wucky" Medwick, once lead Houston batter. Now he is pacing the St. Louis Cardinals with a batting average of .413.

Woods Still Being Searched for Victim Of Kidnaping Plot

STONY BROOK, N. Y., June 15.—Augmented by volunteers, investigators today searched another section of the thickly wooded land around the Long Island estate from which Mrs. William Parsons, society matron, disappeared six days ago.

The emphasis being placed upon the search led observers to believe the investigators feared Mrs. Parsons had been murdered.

Premier Blum Will Seek Financial Aid

PARIS, June 15.—Premier Leon Blum decided today to risk the life of his government on measures involving higher taxes, new borrowing and means to protect the franc.

SALE of MEN'S CLOTHING

On account of the late and backward season we are overstocked on men's summer clothing and will sell them at ridiculously low prices. In the face of the higher prices and the continued rise in clothing prices it will pay you to check these values now and take advantage of the many suit values that we are offering for the next seven days.

And then too, Sunday will be "Father's Day" why not let "Dad" in on a real bargain and give him one of these beautiful suits as a gift. There are over 500 Suits to select from.

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- Cheney, Beau Brummel and Arrow Ties, buy one for dad. Better yet have him come down and select one at \$1.00 and \$1.50

Complete and exclusive line of Swank Jewelry, including tie chains, collar pins with initial monogram for dad. He will think it's Father's Day all summer with one of these gifts.



- Wilson Bros. and Phoenix Anklets and Sox. Give father six he will remember 35c and 50c
- Panama Hats—Dad is practical. Give him something he will enjoy \$3.00 and \$5.00
- Celanese Shirts and Shorts—it's time to give dad a break 65c to \$1.50
- Select line of Pajamas and Robes—the thing dad will always appreciate.



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Bridal Showers Fill June Hours

Isn't it thrilling to think that this month so many of your friends are honeymooning? Joan and Nancy and Peg and Grace—grand girls all of them—and soon to be happy brides.

Give them the send-offs they deserve. A bridal shower can be a wonderful help to a girl awaiting marriage—if the gifts are chosen wisely.

You can make your contributions to these affairs both useful and attractive. And you don't need to spend more time or money than you can afford! Just look over the advertisements in today's paper. They're brimming with ideas for better home-aking. Hundreds of practical gadgets to lighten household tasks are offered for your choice—all moderately priced.

It's easy to shop—either for bridal gifts or for your own needs—if you make it a habit to read the advertising pages first. Before you set out you'll know exactly what to get, where to get it, and how much—or how little—to pay!

USED CARS!

- 1935 Chevrolet Coupe with radio \$475
- 1933 Plymouth Coupe \$245
- 1930 Ford Tudor \$175
- 1929 Ford Coupe \$75
- 1929 Chevrolet Coach \$125

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Cow Suffering a Strange Malady Finally Rescued

Editor's Note: The following story is reprinted from the May number of Safety Counsellor. The writer is an operator at Plant No. 108, Lone Star Gas Co., at Ranger.

I have heard of traps and nets being set to catch animals, both large and small, but I never heard a thing about trying a bunch of weeds and grass on a cord and fishing in a pasture for a cow. It happened this way: The other afternoon about sundown, as I was going out to our residue gas riser about 200 yards from the plant, I noticed a cow standing by the path looking rather strangely at me. After I observed her closely I noticed a large cord, about the size of a large fishing line, hanging from her mouth.

I looked around and noticed quite a bit of this cord on the ground, so I walked closer to the cow to observe her. Her ears seemed to be drooped as though she were in trouble. I took hold of the cord which was hanging from her mouth and gave it a pretty good pull but it failed to budge. I pulled a second time with no result, and seeing that I was getting nowhere I decided to pull until the cord broke . . . or else. So I really pulled hard on the cord the next time and it slipped a little. Continuing the pull, I finally extricated about ten feet of the double cord from the old cow's throat, together with a bunch of weeds and grass all matted on the end of the cord.

Feeling that no one would believe anything of this sort (fishing for a cow in a pasture) I brought the line with the weeds and grass bait still on it down to the office for proof of my story. I hope the party who finds his "catch" taken from his line does not get as sore as some fishermen do when they find their lines rubbed, because I believe if you had seen this poor old cow as I did you would have helped her loose, too.

Legal Records

Marriage Licenses
E. B. McCuiston and Mrs. Emma McCuiston.
M. T. Alison and Miss Lottie Bristow.
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Jessie C. White and Beatrice Bernice Hazelwood.
Bill White and LaFaye Gleetwood of Enice N. Mex., Box 379.
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1937 Chevrolet sedan. Charles Rutherford, Pioneer. A. G. Motor Co., Cisco.
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1937 Ford pickup. Norvell & Miller, Cisco. Nance Motor Co., Cisco.
1937 Chevrolet truck. Magnolia Petroleum Co., Olden. Gorman Sales, Gorman.
1937 Buick sedan. C. H. Fee, Cisco. Muthhead Motor Co., Eastland.

C. of C. Employee Is A Good Detective

By United Press
DALLAS, Texas—Miss Ethel Rucker wasn't exactly jubilant recently over the title "Sherlock" her fellow employes at the Dallas Chamber of Commerce had dubbed her, but she did bask in the contentment of knowing she had brought together sisters who hadn't seen each other since 1913 and probably had saved the life of one of them in a New Mexico hospital.

Two weeks ago a pitiful letter scrawled in longhand was received by Miss Rucker from a woman in a Roswell, N. M., hospital asking for help in locating her sister in Dallas.

"I called her sister's husband, but he couldn't help as he and his wife were separated," Miss Rucker said. "He told me she was working in a factory under a different name. After checking the factories, I located her."

"After I told her of her sister's condition she immediately got in touch with her sister, whom she had heard of in many years."

White Sox Hall of Fame



It's getting to be news when a Chicago White Sox pitcher doesn't have a no-hit, no-run game to his credit. When Bill Dietrich, bespectacled right-hander, hurled a no-hitter against the St. Louis Browns to become the third member of the staff with such a performance to his credit. Here the Pale Hose Hall of Famers discuss their achievements in the clubhouse. Left to right, they are Ted Lyons (against Red Sox, Aug. 21, 1926); Dietrich, and Vernon Kennedy (against Indians Aug. 31, 1935). Charley Robertson pitched a perfect game for the Sox against Detroit in 1922, no Tiger reaching first base.

Grasshopper War Started by A. & M.
By United Press
COLLEGE STATION, Texas—State and federal workers have begun a campaign to control the grasshopper infestation in Texas this year. R. R. Reppert, state leader in the grasshopper control work said the pests likely will be as numerous as in 1924.

Federal sources have allotted 10,000 gallons of sodium arsenite, 50 tons of mill run feed and 750 tons of sawdust for the work in Texas.

Hardest hit sections in the state are the Panhandle, the north western and the central portions.

Missionary Will Conduct Services At Morton Valley

Rev. H. D. Blair, Baptist missionary of the Cisco association, will begin a series of meetings at the Morton Valley school house on June 20. There will be special music at all services and the public is cordially invited to come and take part in these services.

Rev. Blair is well known over the Cisco Baptist association, and a large crowd of church people from the churches in Ranger and Eastland are expected to attend each evening, according to Rev. Blair, who was making plans for the meeting Saturday.

Services will begin promptly at 8 each evening, and Rev. Blair asks that all singers in the Morton Valley neighborhood be on hand early so that the singing can begin just a bit before the time appointed for the preaching.

Hendricks Funeral Is Held at Kokomo

Funeral services were held last week at Kokomo for S. P. Hendricks, 83, father of Mrs. Dollie Henley and Jess Hendricks of Eastland, who died in that community after a short illness.

The funeral was held at the family home with Revs. Willie and Frank Scagg officiating. For many years Hendricks had been a member of the Baptist church.

Other survivors are his wife and two other children, June Hendricks of Austin and Sarah Hendricks of Kokomo.

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Armadillo Ranks With Backbone as A New Delicacy

COLLEGE STATION, Texas—Smothered armadillo ranks with pork ribs and backbone as a palate teaser, two field men of the Texas Cooperative Wildlife Service report following recent inspection of wild life resources on a large lumber company's preserve in Trinity County.

They were introduced to what was to them, and may be to many, the evening meal would be chiefly of the meat of this nocturnal, armored mammal. Prepared by Pres. Negro cook of the expedition, the wind, as the field men reported, produced a smacking of lips and sighs of contentment.

Pres' recipe for smothered armadillo is first, catch your armadillo, then after dressing, parboil until tender in water well-seasoned with salt, pepper and vinegar. Sear in a heavy skillet in small amount of grease and when well seared cover with sauce of tomato paste or catsup, mustard, others, this new delicacy of the culinary art by Judge R. E. Minton of Lufkin who announced during vinegar, salt, pepper and a sweet bay leaf. Then cover the skillet and let the meat simmer in the sauce, adding water from time to time. When the meat begins to fall off the bone and the sauce is fairly thick, the smothered armadillo is ready to serve.

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