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The lunch at Bank Saloon is fine.

Sidney W. Stephenson returned from a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Frank Turney of Juno, last week.

B. F. Bellows, the contractor, returned from a business trip to Ozona Sunday.

Lige Long, the barber, arrived from Lampasas last week and can be found at the second chair in Berry Bros. Barber Shop.

W. L. Locklin and Miss Letta Moss passed through Sonora Monday on their way to Sherwood, on a visit.

O. C. Roberts, the well known saloon and cattleman of Eldorado was in Sonora last Friday on a business trip.

Dave Gentry was in for lime and sulphur Monday.

N. R. Eldred, a horse man from Edwards County, passed through Sonora Wednesday on his way to Ballinger.

Blake Thompson was in Sonora Saturday. Blake intends shipping a carload of horses for G. S. Allison to Mississippi.

George Black returned from Rocksprings Wednesday and reports that Red Cloud beat Yellow Wolf about 9 feet.

Ed Dupree of San Angelo passed through Sonora with a bunch of horses Monday on his way to San Angelo. Lon Hemphill helped him through with them.

Al Haley, the stockman, was in from his ranch on Dry Devil's River Saturday on a business trip. We are glad to hear that Al is doing well.

Court Meeting Held Monday

At the regular meeting of the Commissioners Court Monday, monthly accounts were examined, approved and paid. The report of the Justice of Peace was approved, the bond for L. E. Johnson, Jr., as Public Weigher was approved, the report of the Tax Collector was approved and election returns of the Trustee Election of Cedar Hill School, District five was canvassed, and Vance Eubank and E. E. Ahrens were declared elected trustees. The pay roll of the Road Workers was examined and approved.

The Commissioners Court voted for Sutton County to secure a 100 foot right-of-way on the San Antonio highway number 290 from 4.2 miles east of Sonora to 16.2 miles east of Sonora on a location approved by the State Highway Department, without cost to the state.

The county is to: 1. Provide clear title to a minimum of 100 foot right-of-way, including sanding timber, with title name of the State of Texas. 2. Remove all obstructions and encroachments except sanding timber. 3. Do the fencing.

Bill Wade, Mecat Matched Saturday

The main race of Saturday afternoon at the Sonora Fair Grounds will be between Bill Wade, Jr., and Mecat. The race is matched for a \$500.00 purse, and is for a quarter-mile.

Jess Barker owns Bill Wade, Jr., and Mecat is owned by Mrs. Mac Cauthorn. Mr. Barker's horse will be ridden by Johnny Lane, and Charley Branham will be up on Mecat. Mecat is out of the Bulldog mare and sired by the famous Mecat of Alamo Downs. Bill Wade, Jr., is out of a Cardwell mare and sired by Salation.

her races will be run and a small charge will be taken up to improve the grounds.

Miss Wilma Elliott is visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Elliott. She is a sister of Messrs. Elliott.

Mrs. Bell Steen was in San Antonio Sunday and attended the concert given by Phil Spitalny's all-girl orchestra.

NEWS' COOKING SCHOOL BEGINS TODAY

Bitterweed Control Made Supplemental Practice in 1941 Range-Building Program

The Sutton County ACA Committee recommended to the State Committee that the control of bitterweed be made supplemental and practices carried on in connection with deferred-grazing for 1941. The State committee approved the recommendation and the practice, if carried on in compliance with the program. Ranchmen are eligible to earn sixty per cent of the range building allowance for pulling bitterweed when used in connection with deferred grazing.

For the control of bitterweed (*actinea odorata*) for one per cent but less than two per cent density, fifty cents per acre will be paid, two per cent but less than three per cent density, one dollar per acre; three per cent and above, two dollars per acre. If less than one per cent, two or more acres shall be counted as one, as the case may be.

In order to be eligible for payment this weed shall be controlled by pulling or hoeing. In counties where practical, poisoning may be used when the poisoning method and formula are previously approved by the county committee and the range inspector. The location of the area to be controlled shall be definitely marked and outlined by the inspector on a map of the ranching unit at the time the practice is approved. The map and other information necessary to compliance shall be filed in the county agent's office.

The following practices are eligible to earn thirty-five per cent of the range-building allowance when used in connection with deferred grazing:

1. Control of horehound, cockleburrs, and perennial broomweed where mowing is impractical. For

At a meeting of the Sam Merck, Jr., American Legion Post Monday night an initiation committee was appointed for the purpose of initiating the members who were not initiated by the Kerrville team when they were here.

Serving on the committee will be Dr. I. B. Boughton, Fred Simmons, W. H. Dameron, M. G. Shurley, Sam Adams, and J. C. Stephenson.

Boy Scouts Enjoy Contest and Outing

An overnight camping trip to Fort Terrett was enjoyed by twenty-two boy scouts of troop 19 last week-end. On Friday night, after pitching camp, the Scouts hiked to the top of High Bluff, observed Indian signs there, returned to camp and made plans for a game between the Whites and Indians. The Indian attack was played in much the same manner in which it is supposed the battles of the past had taken place. The Indians won in the imaginary attack.

On Saturday morning the Scouts practiced the events in which they will participate at the Camporee held in Eldorado May 23 and 24. After several contests, including nature study, jumping, and a Paul Revere ride, the Flaming Arrow patrol was declared the winner, the Rattlesnake patrol second, the Mustangs third and the Stags fourth.

They were accompanied on the outing by three Scout leaders and one Scout father.

Thursday night of last week Boy Scouts of Troop 19 enjoyed a weiner roast. To find the designated place for the weiner roast, which was on the hill behind the school grounds, each patrol was given directions to follow, the patrol reaching the hill first was the winner. The Rattlesnake and Stag patrols arrived simultaneously and were both entitled to first place.

Mrs. Agnes Parker left Thursday to spend a week with her daughters in Sanderson.

Robert Halbert sold three polled bulls to Ed Mayfield for \$150 each.

five to twenty per cent density, fifty cents per acre will be paid; twenty-one to forty per cent approximate density, seventy-five cents per acre will be paid; and forty one per cent and above, one dollar an acre will be paid.

In order to be eligible for payment, the weeds listed above shall be controlled by pulling, hoeing, grubbing, or any other mechanical means which will accomplish full control. The areas approved for treatment shall be clearly defined by the range inspector on a map if the ranching unit with such other information as may be necessary for compliance. This information shall be filed in the county agent's office.

2. Brush terraces will be approved as follows:

Payment will be made for this practice, provided the brush is piled on the contour and piles are not less than six feet wide and three feet high. The contours should be staggered so as to prevent cattle from making trails. The guide lines for this practice shall be no more than one-half of the regular terrace interval. Payment will be fifty cents a hundred linear feet.

The request for the control of milkweed as a supplemental practice was not approved by the State Committee; also the request for brush fences for controlling the spread of bitterweed was not approved.

May 1 has been set as the date on which to begin the deferred grazing period in this county.

Sonoran's Sister Buried Saturday

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon for Miss Olga Victoria Leifeste, from Gooch Cemetery at Mason, with the Rev. F. W. Redetzky, assisted by Rev. Walter Durst and Rev. I. J. Spurlin officiating. Pallbearers were Edgar Leifeste, Jr., Norman Starks, and J. D. and J. C. Dayton, and Clinton Leifeste.

Miss Leifeste died Saturday morning after a serious illness of four days. Born in Mason County, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Leifeste, both deceased. She had lived all her life in Mason except for the last five years, when she resided in San Antonio. In was in that city that she died.

Survivors include one sister, Mrs. Jack Kaspar of Sonora, and five brothers, Frank and Hugo of Kimble County, Alvin of Llano County, and Harry, Eli and Edgar Leifeste, all of Mason County.

Lions Enjoy Musical Program

What was acclaimed one of the best musical programs ever presented before the Lions Club was given Tuesday at the regular meeting at the Methodist Church, when S. E. Smith, high school band instructor, presented a Stephen Foster program, featuring a brass quartet and a clarinet trio. Mr. Smith played several xylophone solos.

After visitors L. P. Cole of San Angelo and Glen Dugan of Abilene were introduced, the brass quartet, composed of Eugene Neuerburg, Doris Meckel, and Pat Gilmore, and led by Smith, played Foster selections. They were followed by the clarinet trio, Raleigh Gulley, Kelso Locklin and O. L. Richardson, which played a clever arrangement of "Three Blind Mice."

During the business meeting, arrangements were made for the club's trip to the Zone 8 meeting in Eldorado Wednesday night, and further details on the scrap iron for Britain were worked out.

The iron will be collected at the end of next week. Ranchers especially are urged to bring their old iron to the vacant lot behind the H. V. Stokes Feed Store.

Sonorans Discuss Plans For Field Laboratory Here

Nine Sonora men, a chief of the Bureau of Entomology, Washington, D. C., and the entomologist in charge of the Menard Laboratory of Entomology specializing on insects effecting men and animals, held a meeting here Friday to discuss the possibility of getting the laboratory located here permanently.

To get the laboratory, the community will have to furnish two sections of land and a laboratory building of not less than six rooms, located within six miles of Sonora. The plan is to consolidate the Menard and Uvalde laboratories, into one, and find a permanent location for it.

If the laboratory is placed here, Sonora would get a large part of the \$40,000 annual appropriation for the laboratory, which employs a personell of fourteen.

Local men serving on the committee are: H. C. Atchison, Jr., John Lee Nisbet, W. H. Dameron, Alfred Schwiening, H. V. (Buzzie) Stokes, Edwin Sawyer, George H. (Jack) Neill, Sam Hull, W. E. Caldwell, Dr. F. C. Bishop, chief of the Bureau of Entomology, Washington, D. C., and E. C. Cushing, in charge of the Menard Station were also here to discuss the plans with the local committee.

Scout Executives Plan Camporee; Set Summer Camp Dates

District Commissioners for the Ranch District, Boy Scouts of America met Monday night at the First National Bank Building to set dates for summer camps, to discuss Camporee details, and to hear a discussion of the new emergency Corps Program for Senior scouts.

The meeting was opened with a memorial service for Roy E. Aldwell, in which the Scout Executives and leaders rededicated themselves to carry on the work as he had done.

Summer camp at Camp Jouis Farr will be held June 15 to 28, and at Camp Fawcett the summer camp will be held from July 6 to 19. Rules for the camps are: 1. If the camp furnishes all meals the cost is six dollars per boy per week; 2. If the Troop furnishes their own breakfast and lunch the cost is \$2.50 per boy per week; and 3. If the Troop furnishes all meals the cost is fifty cents per boy per week.

Any troop planning any meals must have menus and bill of cost when they register at the camp. Any troop may come at any one of the camping periods. No troop will be permitted to camp without one adult scouter.

The date for the district camporee was set for May 23 and 24 and will be held in Eldorado. The program will be sent from headquarters immediately. The camp director is John Eaton, director of arrangements is Rev. N. J. Wilkerson, director of ceremonies is Leslie Nance, director of projects is Billy Penick, director of awards is E. W. Brooks, and director of health and safety is W. A. Worley.

Earl McClure, Deputy Regional Executive, discussed the new Emergency Corps Service Program for senior scouts, giving a summary of the program and told why the Boy Scout organization is putting the program on, how it is expected to work, and the benefits the troop and the community will receive from the program.

Those attending were Earl McClure, Don Baldwin, Concho Valley Council Executive, Paul Ireland, Assistant Concho Valley Council Executive, S. A. Worley, commissioner of Rocksprings, John A. Ashley, scoutmaster of Rocksprings, Luther Barber, scoutmaster of Eldorado, J. M. Montgomery, scoutmaster, John Eaton, District Commissioner, Billy Penick, Local Commissioner.

Course Offered As Free Service To Ladies Of City And County

Roy Lomax Dies In Rocksprings

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in Rocksprings for Roy Sherman Lomax, 45, who died of a heart attack Tuesday afternoon. He was on the Gus Young ranch when he died.

Mr. Lomax was born August 21, 1895 in Birdell, Arkansas, and was married twenty-four years ago to Miss Ruby Hale, also of Arkansas.

Survivors include the widow, two daughters, Mrs. Ray Luce of Montell and Miss Betty Lou Lomax, two sons, Earl and James Laurence, two grandchildren, the mother, Mrs. S. E. Lomax of Sonora, the father, W. J. Lomax of Albuquerque, New Mexico, three brothers, Homer Lomax of Dallas, and Earl and Eric Lomax of Sonora, three sisters, Mrs. Lucille Huffstetler of Dallas, Mrs. Mary Donalson, and Mrs. Grace Burnett, both of Albuquerque.

AAA Officials Attend Meeting

About twenty counties were represented at a two day bitterweed meeting, which was held Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. The first day the group of range inspectors, AAA officials, ranchmen and county agents met at the experiment station near Ozona, which is a sub-unit of the experiment station here, and witnessed a demonstration of a special machine which tests the extent of bitterweed growth. Range inspectors and County Agents were also instructed in determining the extent of coverage of bitterweed and other vegetation and were given demonstrations in methods of eliminating the growth.

J. W. Doak, field man for the AAA in this district said that "bitterweed on West Texas ranches is more extensive than people realize—it's a much graver problem than the average ranchman is aware of." It was also pointed out by Howard Kingsberry, state range committeeman, that on pastures that were heavily stocked from December to March, the bitterweed trouble showed a marked decrease.

On Wednesday the group met at the Experiment Station near here and witnessed demonstrations on bitterweed poisoning. Some of the methods to eliminate the weed are: deferring range during spring and summer growing season and re-stocking heavily during bitterweed growing season with stock being turned in upon the appearance of bitterweed.

Spraying heavy infested areas with a weed poison, pulling and hoeing bitterweed are other methods of eliminating it.

It was clearly brought out by experiments that livestock, principally sheep, will greatly reduce the infestation on an area when stocked heavy enough following a rest period, which should be during the spring and summer.

Edwards, Val Verde, Kinney, Kimble, Kerr, Real, Uvalde, Sutton, Terrell, Menard, Schleicher, Tom Green, Crockett, Pecos, Irion, Regan, Upton, Glasscock, Coke, and Concho were among the counties represented at the meeting.

NAMED CHAIRMAN

H. V. Stokes was named chairman for Sutton County for the Big Bend Park Exposition Committee, by C. W. Meadows, twenty-first district chairman. The organization will be fully outlined from the Fort Worth headquarters.

John Eaton Garage is being painted white, instead of the brown it was formerly painted.

Preston C. Lightfoot is ill at his home.

Beginning this afternoon at 2:30 O'clock, a two-day cooking school, sponsored by the Devil's River News, and featuring Mrs. Stella Floyd, nationally-known home economist, will be held at the Methodist Church basement.

Made possible by the cooperation of local merchants, the school will feature various phases of homemaking, and will be dedicated as a public service to the ladies of Sonora and Sutton County.

The program will continue for approximately two hours, beginning at 2:30 each afternoon, featuring numerous delicious, and practical cooking and baking recipes and demonstrations, as well as other homemaking problems.

A complete kitchen will be set up on the room stage that will be used for the school. The latest developments in menu-planning and recipes will be presented in the impressive and entertaining manner that has gained for Mrs. Floyd a place among leading Home Economists of the entire nation. The program will be presented in a way that everyone attending will enjoy every minute of the school and will marvel at the hundreds of helpful household hints and delicious recipes that will be studied.

The program will not only be profitable with homemaking information, but will also include many valuable prizes for those who attend. A handsome array of various kinds of prizes ranging from a hand-tooled belt to numerous kitchen articles and even wall paper for a room, have been assembled to be given during the two-day cooking school.

Presented as a public service, without charge in any respect to those attending, every lady of the community is urged to attend and will be expected. It is believed that the basement will be filled to capacity during the two-day cooking school, based upon the many expressions of appreciation for the event that have already been received at the News office, it was stated this week.

Stock News

Henry Wyatt sold 876 mutton goats to Les Ellis of Rocksprings. Raymond Barker was the commission man in charge of the transaction.

Harvey Morris sold 140 mixed nannies and muttons and 70 kids to Johnnie Martin. The stock was delivered by Bert Swails.

Dock Friend sold four cows at the San Angelo Auction for \$82.50 per head. The cows were trucked to San Angelo by Claude Prater.

Nelson Chadwick sold 250 mutton goats to Gus Young of Rocksprings. Johnnie Hamby was the commission man in charge of the transaction.

The Sonora Wool and Mohair Company sold 200,000 pounds of mohair to Russell Martin, representing Colling and Aikman for 57 and 81 cents.

Lloyd Earwood sold 900 kid goats to Tom Hogg of Mountain Home. The stock was transported to Mountain Home by Mansil Crumley.

Joe Brown Ross sold 143 goats to E. V. Cook of Eastland. They were delivered by C. D. Crumley.

Alfred Schweining sold about 800 lambs to Cloud and Penson of Lampasas.

Frank Friend bought 1240 goats from Bledsoe and Molding. The goats were delivered by C. D. Crumley.

My Week

by Eleanor Roosevelt



ART COLLECTION

The other morning I spent an hour at the National Gallery of Art looking at the early Italian primitives. What a marvelous collection! It seemed to me I had never seen so many priceless treasures gathered together in one place. Mr. David Finley and his staff are particularly happy over the fact that they have had between eight and nine thousand visitors daily. So, beauty does appeal to the American public.

In the afternoon, I went to the concert at the Library of Congress to hear the Budapest String Quartette, which was a joy.

On the next afternoon, I went to tea at Mrs. Florence Kerr's with the regional directors for the WPA community service projects. As usual, I was impressed with the amount of valuable service which the bulk of the WPA projects render in every field of community life.

FUND APPEAL

There seems to be one more fund appeal which cannot be ignored. It is the Royal Air Force Benevolent Fund of the U. S. A. Inc. Their offices are at 515 Madison avenue, New York city and they are helping the needy dependents of RAF pilots, punners and observers, who are killed or disabled in the performance of their duty.

I think all of us have been stirred by the extraordinary services of the RAF, and you will perhaps be interested to know that the royalties from the books written by Lawrence of Arabia, were willed by him some time before his death to this fund, which was founded in 1919. He, himself, enlisted as a mechanic in the RAF and was known in the service as Aircraftman Shaw.

One interesting thing about the fund is that neither in England nor in the United States, does a penny raised go to overhead. The necessary administrative expense is carried on by the small group of people who were instrumental in setting up the fund.

Perhaps, because I like flying so much, I often think of that particular branch of the military services. I know that even in peace time pilots worry about the care of their families in case they "go west." The men who fly daily and nightly across the enemy lines may meet death almost any time. All we can do is to give them the assurance that those they leave behind will be cared for.

DOCK THEATER

In driving around the City of Charleston, S. C., I passed the Dock Street theater, which is one of the interesting buildings erected by WPA. The theater is charming and a real effort has been made, I understand, by certain people to revive and present old plays. I have been told that they have been charmingly done, but that the support is not really sufficient to warrant continuance of the effort. Audiences just do not attend, and so it may be necessary to close the doors of the Dock Street theater. This seems a sad waste. It is hard to understand why, in this city of great culture and taste, such a program as has been carried on is not successful financially.

MIDDLETON GARDENS

The sun has not been very kind to us. The other day Miss Thompson and I walked around Middleton Gardens in Valdosta, Ga., in the early morning bemoaning the fact that no sunlight danced upon the water, or played through the leaves of the trees. However, nothing can really spoil the beauty of those gardens and we enjoyed our walk and came back to thank Mrs. Smith, who had invited us into her house.

I always think that it must seem very odd to have strangers wandering around your garden. But she told us that though they marked with care "private residence" outside the house, people come in if they leave the doors unlocked. One morning the maid heard some people in the dining room and, on coming in, found them examining some silver.

Of course, in Europe certain houses with wonderful collections of paintings, prints and furniture were open to the public at certain times, but never do I remember the families' living quarters open while they were at home. When one owns works of art, there is an obligation to let the public see them. But it seems to me, that the public has a certain obligation in return to respect the privacy of the owners.

Mrs. George Huntington drove with us well on the road to Savannah, and then we pulled up under some trees and ate a delicious picnic lunch. She feels as I do, that food eaten out of doors always has a better flavor. I always rejoice when the time comes when we can have breakfast and lunch on the porch at the White House.

We practically always eat on the porch of my cottage at Hyde Park. The President likes to go even one step further and has the table put right out on the lawn. It may be a trifle disconcerting if it begins to rain or, if towards evening, the mosquitoes begin to bite.

From Savannah to Valdosta, we went through the turpentine country. I can not help feeling that the big slashes made in the trees must be harmful to them, but they tell me that the same trees are used for a number of years.

Mrs. H. L. Taylor Gives Daughter Birthday Party

Mrs. H. L. Taylor entertained her daughter, Tina Ann, with a birthday party last Monday afternoon at her home. Tina Ann celebrated her eleventh anniversary.

An Easter motif was carried out, and rabbits and nests of Easter eggs were given to the guests as favors.

Refreshments were served to Jack Christie, Clay Atchison, Sonny Shurley, Audrey Wright, Raymie Jo McClelland, Carolyn Johnson, Hazel Caldwell, Kathryn Ross, Norbert McIntyre, Kathaleen Schwiening, Beverly Smith, Eddie Ferrell Smith, Frances Jane Drennen, Mrs. R. D. Trainer, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. B. C. McGilvary, and Mrs. Jap Holman.

BAPTIST CLASS MEETS

The Friendship Class of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. T. L. Harrison last Thursday evening.

After a short business meeting, the guests played games. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Pope Lindsey, Ban Odum, M. D. Lattimore, W. P. Truitt, Alfred Cooper, William Wright, Lee Hart Bean, Carleton, P. D. Fullingim, and C. D. Crumley.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hall left Wednesday for Dallas. Their daughter, Cynthia Ann, will visit her grandmother, Mrs. C. A. Creagh in Breckenridge.

Girl Scouts Hike To Park Saturday

The Intermediate troop of the Girl Scouts hiked to the park on the Junction highway Saturday morning where they prepared their breakfast. Camping tests were passed by the girls.

Miss Margie Tyler, captain, was assisted by Miss Emmalou Logan. Scouts attending were Mary Jim Callwell, Hazel Caldwell, Tina Ann Taylor, Billy Jo Baker, Raymie Jo McClelland, Kathaleen Schwiening, Kathryn Ross, Ethel May Alley, Carolyn Johnson, Betty Faye Glasscock, Pauline Allen and Helen Kaspar.

PTA GIVES SHOW

"Abraham Lincoln," the show given for the public by the Parent Teachers Association at the High School auditorium was enjoyed by a large crowd. Around one hundred and seventy-five citizens attended.

Before the show, Supt. F. T. Jones gave a short talk. The film was shown from the machine purchased by the P. T. A. for the public school system.

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Methodist Society Finishes Study

The Methodist Women of the Christian Service Society met at the home of Mrs. W. H. Dameron last Tuesday for their regular meeting. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon.

The ladies finished their study "Dangerous Opportunities," which was given by Mrs. L. K. Brown. Mrs. E. E. Sawyer read the scripture.

Present were Mesdames J. W. Trainer, Rose Thorp, Jess Kring, Sawyer, W. E. Caldwell, John Lowrey, Robert Rees and Brown.

The revival at the Jesus Name Gospel Church will continue. They will have the Rev. Walter N. Casey of Kerrville as the evangelist from April 20 on.

Charges Filed

Charges have been filed against

Mr. and Mrs. Herb McKee at

City Cafe in Sonora for serving

the best cooked food and the

coldest beer in town. Mr. Book-

er, the cook there, has been

pleasing West Texans with his

cooking for the past 16 years,

so when in Sonora visit the—

—CITY CAFE—

Miss Wynogene Sudduth of Eden is visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wood.

Mrs. C. A. Tyler left Wednesday for Dallas, where she will attend the State Federation of Music Clubs Convention. She is a delegate from that club here.

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| Kreml Dessert | 13 C | 3 boxes |
| Grapejuice, Rosemary | 12 C | Pint |
| Pancake Flour, Light | 10 C | Crust, 1 1-4 pound package |
| Whole Wheat Flour | 16 C | Light Crust, 2 pound package |
| SYRUP—Log Cabin | | |
| Small | 17 C | Medium |
| Large | 34 | 67 C |
| Spinach, Heart's Delight | 19 C | 2 Cans |
| Blackeyed Peas, Pecan | 19 C | Volley, 2 Cans |
| Peas, Trellis, Early June | 19 C | 2 No. 2 Cans |
| Corn, Empsons, Country | 19 C | Gentleman, 2 Cans |
| SALAD DRESSING—Miracle Whip | | |
| Quart | 34 C | Pint |
| Large | 22 C | |
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| 6 Small Cans | 19 C | 6 Large Cans |
| | 37 C | |

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48 lbs. 24 lbs. 12 lbs. 6 lbs.

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3 lb. can 2 lb. can 1 lb. can

83 C 56 C 29 C

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1 lb. can 17 C 1/2 lb. can

09 C

Hershey's Chocolate Syrup

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Large Pkg. 22 Giant Pkg.

62 C

P & G Soap, 10 Large

Bars 41 C

Beets, Carrots, Chard, G Onions, Mustard, Rad. 3 bch 5c

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| Oranges, California Sunkist | 29 C | 176 Size, Dozen |
| Oranges, Texas, Seedless | 23 C | 216 Size, Dozen |
| Apples, Fancy Delicious | 29 C | 125 Size, Dozen |
| Apples, Fancy Winesap | 19 C | 150 Size, Dozen |
| Lemons, California Red | 15 C | Ball, Large, Dozen |
| Strawberries, Extra | 25 C | Fancy, 2 boxes |

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| Lettuce, Green Crisp | 09 C | 2 Heads |
| Squash, White or Yellow | 11 C | 2 Pounds |
| English Peas, Green, | 15 C | Nice, 2 Pounds |
| Cabbage, Firm, Green | 05 C | 2 Pounds |
| Spinach, Fancy | 09 C | 2 Pounds |
| Spuds, No. 1 Russets | 17 C | 10 Pounds |

Dry Goods Department

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| Oxfords, Childrens—6 | 98 C | Styles, 8 1/2 to 3, Pair |
| Pants, Mens Work— | 98 C | Blue or Tan, Pair |
| Shirts to Match | 98 C | 14 to 16 1/2, Each |
| Hats, Mens Dress—Green | 1 98 | or Tan, Each |
| Shorts, Mens Hanes | 1 | 35c Value, 4 Pair |
| Dresses, Childrens— | 29 C | 59c Values, Each |
| 7-Club Golf Set | 19 95 | With Bag |
| Hinds Honey & Almond Cream | 49 C | 2 50c Bottles |
| Prints, Fast Color— | 10 C | Reg. 15c Yard, Now |
| Gloves, Mens Split | 49 C | Horsehide, Pair |
| Shirts, Mens Dress | 98 C | Sanforized, Each |
| House Shoes, Ladies— | 29 C | Moccasin Style, Pair |
| Tennis Rackets, Light | 1 95 | Weight |
| Kleenex, 500 Size— | 28 C | Assorted Colors, Box |
| Towels, 22X44 inch | 19 C | Colored Borders, Each |
| Shoes, Mens Work, Black | 1 49 | or Brown, Pair |
| Handkerchiefs, Mens | 05 C | Large White, 2 For |
| Baseball Gloves | 98 C | Boys Model, Each |
| Shirts, Boys Chambray | 49 C | 8 to 13 1/2, Each |
| Shoes, Ladies Canvas | 1 39 | \$1.95 Values, Pair |

Hardware Department

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| Butcher Saws | 1 79 | 24-inch, Each |
| Percolators, Aluminum | 1 19 | 1 Quart, Each |
| Wetsback Mantles—Fits | 30 C | Aladdin Lamps |
| Barber Shears, Weiss | 1 39 | Ideal, Pair |
| Harness or Saddle | 40 C | Oil, Quart |
| Saddle Pads, Hair | 3 50 | Stuffed, Each |
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The Student Speaks . . .

We, as Americans who have a free mind and conscience are apt to forget the other person. Either we forget others or don't pay much attention to them! The French children and mothers who cannot fight alongside the men, who have to stand in the background and see their loved ones killed for a cause they think right. The soldiers have plenty of food compared to that of the children and women. The "Free French" are not in sympathy with the Germans; they don't want the liberal tyranny of Hitler. I think the French people have plenty of nerve to hold out and make the best of the things which are scarce. The only way the French can stay "Free French" is by our help. We have not near the casualties which the French have. We can stand plenty for we are all well equipped for our hard times but the French are not. I think that we, as Americans, and good hearted people, shall give the French all assistance possible. If you want to help the FREE FRENCH in any way see Mrs. I. B. Boughton.

Mrs. I. B. Boughton, whom we all know so well, will send the money and aid we give to the French directly. It is not to go to the Occupied France, which Hitler has control of. It is to go to unoccupied France, which has its government and is free from any aggressor such as there are in Europe.

The classes at school are doing their part in helping the French children and women. Each class is encouraged to bring its amount, which the class decides on, to the sponsors.

I think that our motto should be: "Help the French and Help Democracy and Our Souls."

JUNIOR HIGH

The night of April 21st the music classes of the Elementary school are presenting two operettas. The second grade and third grade classes are presenting "Dream Bags," an operetta in one act—which tells the story of how the Dream fairy lost her Dream Bags and found them again. The fourth, fifth and sixth grades are presenting "Little Gypsy Gay," a one act operetta which is the story of a little girl named Gay who was found by a band of gypsies and lived with them for ten years. How she was found by her parents makes an interesting story.

Admission 15c and 25c.

The fourth grade enjoyed an Easter egg hunt and party sponsored by their room mothers on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the football field. Mrs. Vernon Hamilton, Mrs. Ed Willoughby, and Mrs. O. C. Ogden served soda.

MORE BRONCO, Page Two—

The Vacuum Cleaner

By OLD DUTCH CLEANSER

Gwen—do you really like golf? Which club is your favorite?

Believe it or not: For the first time in history when Kelso is supposed to say something just to make some noise in the play and he can't think of a thing.

Did you know that Jamie is a grandmother? Well she is because her dog, Nonnie, presented her with sextuplets. Jamie thinks they are the most beautiful puppies of the season, but something must have been wrong because last year she handed out cigars to the teachers.

Bo, why visit the office so often. Cathryn isn't there any longer.

Miss Duncan says, "Old Dobbin has his faults but you never saw

Spring Grid Drills Began Monday

Monday the Sonora Broncos began spring football. There are 22 boys out. Coach says he thinks the team will be pretty good. The team averages 165 pounds now and they will put on weight during the summer.

The following boys are training:

Glen Richardson, Wilfred Berger, Boyd Wilson, Richard Boughton, Clyde Henderson, J. R. Hudson, Donald Watkins, Sid Awalt, James McMillian, Louie Andrews, Wayne White, Vernon Cook, Truitt Wilson, Boyd Turner, Bob White, Ray Johnson, Raymond Shroyer, Perry Ray Henderson, Eugene Shurley, Raleigh Gulley, Justin Odom, Delmar Sloane.

After the regional meet there will be two more, Roy Cooper and Ray Stephenson. The Broncos will play the ex-football players some time soon.

Sonora Students In Broadcast

Wednesday afternoon at 3:15 members of the Little Theatre organization went to San Angelo for the purpose of appearing over station KGKL in the presentation of a gaw Irish comedy called "The Way of Shawn." The local Parent Teacher Association sponsored the program and provided time. This marked the group's first appearance over the air. The project created more interest among students than any other of a similar nature during the year. There were over thirty five students that tried out for parts. From this group some very good voices could be developed, Mr. King stated.

Those chosen for parts in the play were Lorene Fambrough, Josette Boughton, Pat Gilmore, Edith Mae Babcock, Marjorie Reba Nisbet, Betty Taylor, Richard Boughton, Glen Richardson, Kelso Locklin, O. L. Richardson served as program announcer. Sidney Awalt and Billy Shurley made sound effects and music. The production was under the direction of R. Alvah King.

another horse hitched in front pulling him to the barn for repairs."

Coach: "Can you give me an example of how heat expand things and cold contracts them?"

Buster: "Well the days are much longer in the Summer."

Miss Duncan: "Fannie what important event took place in 1732?"

Fannie: "George Washington was born."

Miss Duncan: "Correct, Wilfred, what happened in 1742?"

Wilfred: "George Washington was ten years old."

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

"Saps at Sea"

—WITH—

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 LAST CHAPTER

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

"This Thing Called Love"

—WITH—

ROSALIND RUSSELL
 MELVYN DOUGLAS

TUESDAY ONLY

"Elery Queen, Master Detective"

—WITH—

RALPH BELLAMY
 MARGARET LINDSAY

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

"Mexican Spitfire Out West"

LUPE VELEZ
 LEON ERROLL

APRIL 27 & 28

Gone With the Wind

SONORANS ENTERTAINED WITH PICNIC

The seniors were entertained with a picnic at the Ozona park Friday afternoon by the room mothers, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Neuerburg, and Mrs. Nance. The seniors present were: Patsy Gilmore, O. L. Richardson, Kelso Locklin, Clayton and Clayson White, Emily Adams, Georgia Nance, Doris Keene, Buster Shroyer, Eugene Neuerburg, Odell Odom, Doris Meckel, Mary Lee Heflin, Mary Jo Rape, and Harold Briscoe. Miss Milstead, the class sponsor; Miss Edmundson, Mr. King and Mrs. Charles Simon were also present. The seniors are now anticipating a swimming party that was mentioned as the next recreation. Soon, they hope.

Sonora Band Enters Contest

The Sonora band will enter the band contest this year as a class D band. The contest will be held in Abilene, April 25. The primary purpose of the school music competition is to serve as a factor in the educational program through the direct values, the inspiration, examples, and incentives afforded the young people and their teachers and directors. Therefore, adjudication of participants should be regarded as means for evaluating the progress and musical status of the group or the individual, rather than a mere comparison with other participants to secure an expert opinion of which is best. The other places will be played accordingly.

This has been made possible by abandoning the "ranking" or "place" methods of adjudication in favor of the now evidently used rating plan, adopted by the National School Band and Orchestra Associations some years ago. Several variations of the rating system are used in the various state and district competitions, but the fundamental of the plan is the same in all cases. Apparently, the chief difference is in the number of rating divisions used, and terminology or definitions—the latter mainly due to the differing numbers of divisions, which range from three to seven.

Only a few of the larger schools ever receive a rating of I or this may be compared to a percentage grade of 95-100. A rating of II is on unusual performance but is not worthy of I. This is a grade of 87-95. A rating of III is a good performance—but is lacking in one

or more essential qualities. This rating shows accomplishments and marked promise. This is compared to a grade of 80-87. Rating V shows much room for improvement.

Each band participating in the contest will be required to play three numbers: a march, a number chosen by the conductor, and the required number. The Bronco Band will play, at its three numbers, "Normal," "Rosmarin," and "Balaton."

The bands will be judged on the following points: interpretation, tone, intonation, general effect, sight reading.

LOST—Lost, Strayed, or stolen: A white sack containing track shoes, track suit. Please return it to O. L. Richardson immediately.

Pan-American Pageant Postponed

The Pan-American Club met Friday, April 11. President, O. L. Richardson called the house to order. The secretary called the roll and then all members passed to the auditorium where the Pan-American Pageant was practiced. This pageant has been postponed until Friday, April 18, when it will be given in assembly as the Pan-American program for the year. The reason for this postponement is because there were so many things which kept the pupils from practice.



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SOCIETY NOTES



Parties...Clubs
Future Events

Mrs. Raymond Morgan, Society Editor

Play Is Reviewed At Club Meeting

Miss Clara Hutchins of San Angelo reviewed a three act play, Washington Slept Here, for the members and the guest of the Sonora Woman's Club Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hix Hall.

During the tea hour Mrs. J. F. Howell presided at the service and was assisted by Mrs. I. B. Boughton. The lace covered table was centered with a large bowl of poppies and candytufts, placed on a reflector. Crystal holders and white candles were on each side of the centerpiece.

Mesdames A. C. Elliott, Ed Willoughby, L. K. Brown, E. M. de Berry, B. W. Hutcherson, Ralph Trainer, Joe Brasher, Dee Lyles, Velma L. Shurley, Robert Rees, Ben Cusenbary, J. T. Sellman, C. A. Tyler, John Fields, R. C. Vicars, Lloyd Earwood, W. E. Caldwell, Howell, W. D. Wallace, Sterling Baker, W. P. McConnell, Jr., Jodie Trainer, J. W. Trainer, H. V. Stokes, Gus Wheat, Hi Eastland, Leo Brown, Clay Puckett, W. R. Cusenbary, Boughton, Duncan, Ray Eastland, and Raymond Morgan; Misses Marjory Davis, Marjory Tyler, Lillie Marie Smith, and Alice Karnes attended.

Mrs. Jodie Trainer Wins High Score

Mrs. Jodie Trainer won high score when the Sub Deb Club met with Mrs. Dewitt Lancaster at the home of Mrs. Howard Kirby Friday afternoon.

Vases of lilacs and pansies were used as the floral decorations. The hostess served pineapple sherbert and cake to the guests.

Mesdames W. P. Truitt, Kirby, Seth Lancaster, Trainer, W. O. Norris, Batts Friend, Jimmy Taylor, and Rose Thorp were present.

Sonora Night Club Is Entertained By Mr. and Mrs. Hunt

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt were hosts to the Sonora Night Bridge Club at their ranch home Friday evening. Spring flowers were used to decorate the home.

High club score was won by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neill and second high by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Earwood.

A bar-b-que chicken supper was served to Messrs and Mesdames Neill, H. V. Stokes, Duke Wilson, Miers Savell, Henry Decker, Ed Willoughby, Ben Cusenbary, W. B. McMillian, Mrs. Sam Allison, Frank Bond, and Noble Prentice of Richland Springs.

Sonora Art Club Elects Officers At Meeting

The Sonora Art Club elected new officers Thursday evening when the members met at the home of Mrs. Jimmy Taylor. Vases of lilacs were used as decorations.

Mrs. Maysie Brown gave the life of Rembrandt van Rijn and a review of pictures were studies. Officers elected were: president, Mrs. A. A. Murray; vice-president, Mrs. M. D. Lattimore; secretary, Miss Madge Mosley; and reporter, Miss Nonette Camp.

A congealed salad plate were served to Mesdames M. O. Britt, Maysie Brown, Hubert Fields, Bill McGilvary, A. A. Murray, Claude Stites, W. P. Truitt; Misses Nonette Camp, Annie Duncan, Leeta Mae Garrett, and Madge Mosley.

V. L. Cory, who has been ill in a San Angelo hospital for about two weeks is reported to be much better. He will probably be brought to his home the last of the week.

Miss Lillie Marie Smith Married To Raymond Pipkin in Easter Ceremony

Miss Lillie Marie Smith became the bride of Raymond Pipkin of Longview in a candlelight service at the First Methodist Church here at 6 o'clock Sunday evening.

The ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Lawrence K. Brown, pastor, before an arch of fern leaves flanked by candelabra and floor baskets of Easter lilies.

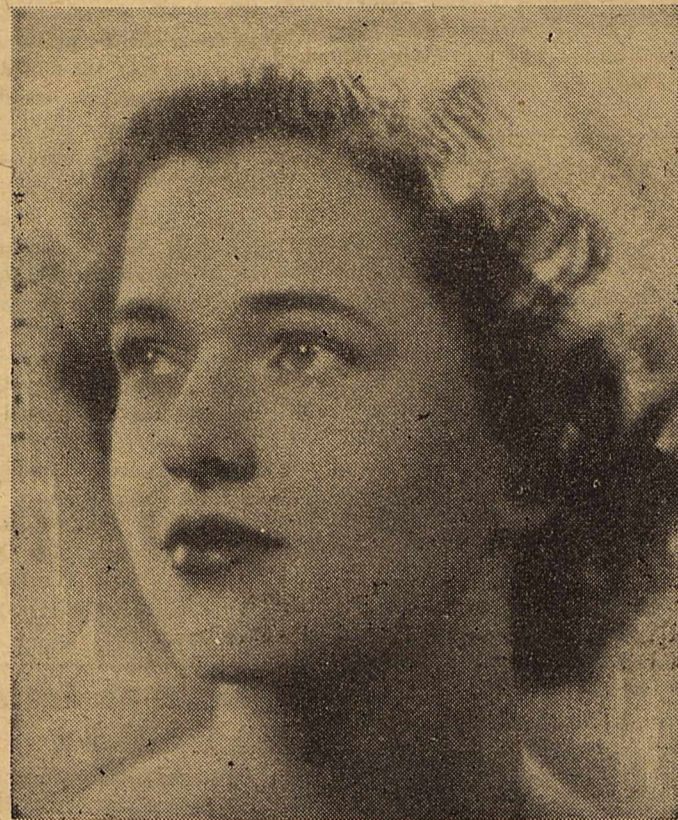
J. T. Houston, accompanied by Mrs. Roy Clary, both of San Angelo, played violin selections preceding and after the service. Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot sang, "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life" and was accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Caldwell, who played the wedding march.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Dr. William Lacey Smith of San Antonio. She wore a Virginia colonial costume of bridal blush pink mousseline de soie with bands of Chantilly lace on the sleeves, skirt and waist. Her full length mallow pink bridal illusion veil was mounted on a coronet crown. Edges were outlined with mallow pink flowers. She carried a colonial bouquet of pink roses and pink ranuncula.

Miss Margaret Faye Smith, the bride's sister, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Neta Beth Hays of Teague, Miss Florence Aves of Galveston, and Miss Jean southern type colonial dresses of Stinson of Conroe. They wore pink marquisette with Chantilly lace trim and carried colonial bouquets of striped pink gladioli.

Buster Pipkin of Eastland, brother of the bridegroom, was man.

Groomsmen were Wayne Harris of Longview, J. Wayne Starke of San Angelo and W. J. Butler of Longview. Ushers were Marvin Smith, the bride's brother,



and James Pipkin of Eastland, brother of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Pipkin, the daughter of Mrs. Velma L. Shurley, is a graduate of Sonora High School and of the University of Texas, where she was a member of Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority. Mr. Pipkin is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pipkin of Eastland and is a graduate of Texas A & M College. He is a member of the Ross Volunteers and is a second lieutenant in the Reserve Officers Training Corps.

He is employed by the Magnolia Petroleum Co. with headquarters at Greggton.

A reception at the ranch home of the bride's mother followed the wedding. Receiving the guests were Mrs. Shurley, Mr. and Mrs. Pipkin, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Pipkin, Misses Smith, Hays, Ave and Stinson.

Mrs. L. E. Johnson was at the door, and Miss Elizabeth Elliott presided at the bride's book. Serving punch were Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, Mrs. G. H. Davis and Miss Marjory Davis. Mrs. Hix Hall and Mrs. Ben Cusenbary served the four-tier cake which was topped with a wedding bell in an arch over a miniature bridal couple.

Mrs. W. T. Hardy and Miss Caldwell played the piano during the reception. Others in the house party were Mesdames W. E. Caldwell, Cleveland T. Jones, Jr., J. F. Howell I. B. Boughton, W. H. Dameron, and L. W. Elliott.

The couple left immediately after the reception on a wedding trip to Monterrey, Mexico. On returning, they will be at home in Longview. For going away, the bride wore a Charles Cooper cape, four-piece suit of beige sheer wool, a tie silk blouse in brown and beige and a Corene hat of beige felt with toast brown accessories.

A miniature bridal scene was on the buffet. Lilacs and candytuft covered the mantle and vases of tulipstulips, lilacs, candytuft and Easter lilies were room decorations.

Out-of-town guests included John Houston, San Angelo; Mrs. E. F. Atkinson, San Angelo; Bill Caldwell, Austin; W. D. Lacey Palestine; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pipkin, Eastland; Mrs. Carolyn Pipkin, Eastland; Mrs. Pat Cooper, Fort Stockton; Mr. and Mrs. James Pipkin, Eastland; Laura Jean Houston, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Odell, Dallas; Roy Clary, San Angelo; Miss Anna Pearl Alexander, Austin; Mrs. C. O. Garard, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins, Miss Dorothy Perkins and Mrs. C. Keith Boyetts, all of Eastland; and Miss Olga Atkinson, Frank Meadows, Mrs. S. A. Hough, and Sam Hough, Jr., all of San Angelo.

Sonora residents attending the reception were Messrs. and Mesdames W. P. McConnell, J. W. Taylor, Jack Turney, Thomas Espy, Clay Puckett, F. J. Wood, W. P. Truitt, C. E. Stites, W. R. Cusenbary, Hu-

Ogden, Jack Neill, Bryan Hunt, and J. D. Lowrey;

Mmes. J. H. Brasher, Stella Keene, Sam Hull, R. G. Nance, Leonard Gibbs Vernon Morris, A. A. Murray, J. W. Trainer, M. O. Britt, R. A. Halbert, A. W. Awalt, Rose Thorp, R. C. Vicars, Maysie Brown, Dave Locklin, R. J. Taylor, A. G. Blanton, A. C. Elliott Sterling Baker, Sidney Millsbaugh, Jr., Howard Espy, and Robert Kelly; Misses Ada Steen, Mary Sue Blanton, Jo Nell Miers, Marguerite Howell, Marjorie Dameron, Josette Boughton, Louise Briscoe Frances Atchison, Bernie Dawn Gibbs, Leeta Mae Garrett, Lura Ward, Katha Lea Keene, Joan Marion, Doris Keene, Georgia Nance, and Annie Duncan, and

Ben Cusenbary, L. W. Elliott Howell, L. E. Johnson, Lem Eriel Johnson, Jimmie Cusenbary, Marion Elliott, Webb Elliott, Wesley Sawyer, Edwin Sawyer, Edgar C. Saunders, W. H. Dameron, Jerry Shurley Eugene Shurley, Hix Hall, Boughton and Hardy.

A rehearsal dinner honored the wedding party Saturday evening when Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cusenbary were hosts at their ranch home. Places were marked by wedding ring cards. The centerpiece was a miniature bride and groom under an arch covered with pink flowers, on a reflector surrounded by pink blossoms and flanked with Easter lily candles.

A gift was presented the couple. Musical numbers were given by Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot and Miss Elizabeth Caldwell. Attending were Mrs. Velma L. Shurley, Jerry and Eugene Shurley Ben Cusenbary, Jimmie Cusenbary, Ed Collins, Mrs. James Pipkin, and W. D. Lacey and the wedding party.

Mrs. I. B. Boughton Gives Bridge Party For Recent Bride

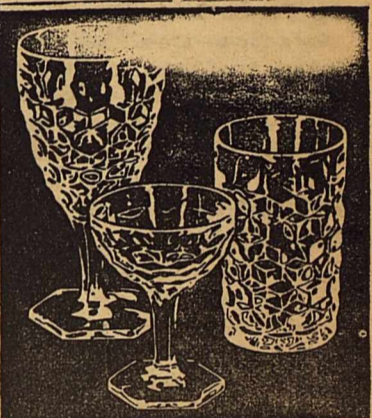
One of the most outstanding social affairs for Mrs. Raymond Pipkin before her recent marriage, was a bridge party given by Mrs. I. B. Boughton Thursday afternoon at her home.

Vases of spring flowers in pastel shades decorated the rooms and corsages of sweet peas were presented the guests as favors.

Miss Josette Boughton read "That Old Sweetheart of Mine." Mrs. H. V. Stokes received high score and second high was won by Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken. Mrs. Boughton presented the honoree a gift.

Others attending were Mesdames Velma L. Shurley, J. F. Howell, W. H. Dameron, Cleveland Jones, Jr., Charles A. Tyler, R. C. Vicars Hix Hall, Sterling Baker, Ben Cusenbary, W. R. Cusenbary, Robert Halbert, Billy Penick, Jack Neill, Joe B. Ross, W. D. Wallace, Frank Bond and Lillian Boughton; Misses Margaret Faye Smith and Margie Tyler.

Mrs. Lea Allison and Little Buster returned home Wednesday from San Angelo.



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 Published in response to call made by the Comptroller of Currency
 under Section 5211, United States Revised Statutes

| ASSETS | |
|--|-----------------------|
| 1. Loans and discounts (including \$4,836.78 overdrafts) — | \$ 375,880.88 |
| 2. United States Government obligations — | 132,050.00 |
| 3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions — | 402,707.30 |
| 5. Corporate stocks, inc. stock of Fed. Res. bank — | 8,001.00 |
| 6. Cash, bal. with banks, reserve bal., cash items — | 542,780.91 |
| 7. Bank premises, \$16,740.00, furn. and fix., \$5,500 — | 22,240.00 |
| 8. Real estate owned other than bank premises — | 1.00 |
| 9. Investments indirectly representing bank premises — | 8,000.00 |
| 11. Other assets — | 19,042.41 |
| 12. TOTAL ASSETS — | \$1,508,703.50 |
| LIABILITIES | |
| 13. Demand dep. individuals, partnerships, corps. — | 1,142,612.20 |
| 14. Time deposits individuals, partnerships, corps. — | 59,850.66 |
| 16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions — | 80,578.14 |
| 18. Other deposits (cashier's checks) — | 1,101.30 |
| 19. TOTAL DEPOSITS — | \$1,284,142.30 |
| 24. TOTAL LIABILITIES — | \$1,284,142.30 |
| CAPITAL ACCOUNTS | |
| 25. Capital Stock: (c) Common stock — | 100,000.00 |
| 26. Surplus — | 100,000.00 |
| 27. Undivided profits — | 24,561.20 |
| 29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS — | 224,561.20 |
| 30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS — | \$1,508,703.50 |

| MEMORANDA | |
|--|------------------|
| 31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value): | |
| (b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits — | 27,000.00 |
| (e) TOTAL — | 27,000.00 |
| 32. Secured Liabilities: | |
| (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets — | 18,370.19 |
| (d) TOTAL — | 18,370.19 |

I, Geo. H. Neill, active vice-president and cashier of the above-named bank, solemnly swear the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 GEO. H. NEILL, Active Vice-President and Cashier.
 CORRECT—Attest: E. F. Vander Stucken, S. H. Allison, Edwin E. Sawyer, Directors.
 County of Sutton—ss:
STATE OF TEXAS
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of April, 1941.
 (SEAL) **C. H. ALLEN, Notary Public.**

REPORT OF AN AFFILIATE OF A NATIONAL BANK
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 Report as of April 4, 1941.

FIRST LOAN COMPANY
 SONORA, TEXAS
 which is affiliated with First National Bank, Sonora, Texas, Charter No. 5466, Federal Reserve District No. 11.
 Kind of Business: **MORTGAGE COMPANY**
 Manner in which organization is affiliated with national bank; degree of control: Has same directors and officers as First National Bank.
 Financial relations with bank: Borrowings from affiliated bank — \$2,500.00
 I, Geo. H. Neill, active vice-president and treasurer of First Loan Co., Sonora, Texas, do solemnly swear the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 (SEAL) **GEO. H. NEILL, C. H. ALLEN, Notary Public**

REPORT OF AN AFFILIATE OF A NATIONAL BANK
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 Report as of April 4, 1941.
SONORA CONSTRUCTION COMPANY
 SONORA, TEXAS
 which is affiliated with First National Bank, Sonora, Texas, Charter No. 5466, Federal Reserve District No. 11.
 Kind of Business: **CONSTRUCTION OF BANK BUILDING**
 Manner in which above-named organization is affiliated with national bank, and degree of control: Stock held by First Loan Company, Trustee, for stockholders of First Loan Company, an affiliate of the First National Bank of Sonora, Texas.
 Financial relations with bank: Obligations held by affiliated bank—Bonds — \$8,000.00
 I, Geo. H. Neill, active vice-president and treasurer of Sonora Construction Company, do solemnly swear the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of April, 1941.
 (SEAL) **C. H. ALLEN, Notary Public**

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 I am an American.
 I worship God as my choice may be,
 And truthful news is free to me.
 All radio programs it is my right to hear,
 And trial by jury I hold most dear!
 I am an American.
 I train for games and not for war,
 My home, the bombs shall never mar.
 I live not in terror nor fear for my life,
 Not in a land torn by dissension and strife!
 I am an American!

I live in a land respected by all,
 Where beauty and truth shall never fall.
 Love is our watchword, and peace in the cry,
 Where the Stars and Stripes forever fly high!
 I am an American!
 (Written by Robert Moore, a patient at the State Sanatorium, whose home is in Brownwood; quoted in John C. Biedeger's La Coste Ledger.)
 From students' examination papers:
 The object of "he" is "she."
 A plagiarist is a writer of plays.
 What kind of noun is "trousers?" An uncommon noun because it is singular on top and plural on the bottom.
 A child: A stomach entirely surrounded by curiosity.
 Committee: A body that keeps minutes—and wastes hours.
 Love: A season pass on the shuttle train between heaven and hell.
 Slang: Language that takes off its coat, spits on its hands and goes to work.
 A deacon is a mass of inflammable material placed in a prominent position to warn people.
 (Encountered in Frank Svoboda's Bonham Favorite.)

Numerous newspapers are urging repeal of the chain store tax. "Most chain stores today are home-owned," says the San Antonio Evening News. The tax is called a "discriminatory penalty" by the Dallas News and the Fort Worth Star-Telegram asserts the levy is "punitive, not against the chains but against the consumer, the producer and business in general." Says the Austin American: "The consumer is the real 'goat' of the law." Out in West Texas, the Post Dispatch calls the tax a "fine on efficiency" and continues, "A spokesman for the Southwestern Cattleman's Association recently reported that a program in which producers and chain stores worked together had materially increased beef and lamb consumption and given the cattle industry three of the best years in its history. The chain stores have participated in similar programs on behalf of cotton, fruits, pottery, cactus plants

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and other commodities whose sale had to be increased if producers were to avoid possible ruinous losses." The San Antonio Express sums up, "Civic sentiment generally demands repeal of the unwarranted Texas chain-store tax."

Ladies, to this advice give heed
 In controlling men:
 If at first you don't succeed,
 Why, cry, cry again.

Diner: There isn't a bit of turtle in this soup.
 Waitress: Well, we have cabinet pudding but you wouldn't expect to find Harold Ikes in it would you?
 Lady: Have you tried to cure this parrot of swearing?
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An annual cotton crop ranging from 11 to 12 million bales would require the use of 100,000 to 150,000 bales if the entire crop were wrapped in cotton bagging.

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J. W. Trainer, Sonora merchant, was born in San Antonio, and came to this part of the country in 1885 with his widowed mother, Mrs. Cara Alice Trainer and his two brothers, George J. and Fred. They settled at the Fort Terret Ranch, which was owned by P. H. Wentworth and some northern associates.

Mr. Trainer reports they ran as many as 50,000 head of sheep on the open range having watering places in the Llano River at various water holes. Since there were no fences in those days, all the sheep were herded.

One of Mr. Trainer's jobs on the ranch was to go to Junction City once a week and get the mail; he also clerked in the commissary, putting up provisions and other supplies for the herders, of which there were about 200. His brother, George J., was foreman of the ranch.

Mr. Trainer stated, "The hard times of the Cleveland administration and 'free wool' led finally to the failure of Wentworth."

He then went from Fort Terrett to Old Mexico and worked for an American concern there. He also spent some time in the stock business in Oregon on his own account. Returning to Sutton County, he then went into the goat business with Stanley Green on the ranch now operated by Oscar Appelt.

Thirty-six years ago, Mr. Trainer went into business in Sonora and has been in business here since, with the exception of one year when he ran stock on the five and one-half sections bought from Aldwell Brothers. From 1920 to 1927, he owned a half interest in E. F. Vander Stucken-Trainer Company, and has, since selling that interest, conducted the J. W. Trainer and Son Clothing Store, which is a store car-

rying men's and women's furnishings, in association with his son, Joseph H.

Mr. Trainer was married to Miss Laura Ellen Stokes thirty-four years ago. She is the daughter of the late S. H. Stokes, County Clerk. They have four children, Mrs. A. A. Thomas, of Sherwood, where they run the Trainer ranch; Joe H. Trainer, associated with his father in business; Louie Trainer, a partner in Piggly Wiggly; and Jamie, a high school student here. There are also two grandchildren, Sam Harold and J. W., children of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Thomas.

The J. W. Trainers own their home, and have recently remodeled the structure, inside and out.

Mr. Trainer's hobby is hunting and fishing and mimicing wild and domestic animals. Mr. Trainer said, "I always could make a rooster ashamed of himself." He can also call squirrels and wild turkeys.

He is a member of the Methodist Church, was a charter member of the Lions Club, but is not an active member now, and has been chairman of the Red Cross here.

TIRE COMPANY'S LOCAL CAMPAIGN SPRING OPENER

"Every spring we look forward to the opportunity afforded by the April tire sales feature which Goodyear organizes to stimulate business for us which is also as well a contribution toward safer driving," said Sam Hull, local Goodyear dealer.

Featuring the lines of the brand

new G-3 All-Weather, Marathon in standard and reversible sidewall types, and the All American, successfully introduced last year in 5 sizes, the 10-day campaign marks the first big tire selling promotion of the company this year, Mr. Hull declared.

Fact that there will continue to be considerable driving weather yet this Spring, with heavy rains creating slippery pavements, the matter of buying new traction, is, in the opinion of Mr. Hull, a most important factor, coupled with the point that as soon as highways get hot the traffic will be heavier and then, if there are tire failures on crowded roads the resulting potential is likely to be much greater, in toll of injury and property damage.

Because the Goodyear tire line has been improved and since there is the opportunity to trade in old tires on new, there are few car owners who, needing good rubber, will want to pass up the sale opportunity to equip their cars for Summer driving. Tires sold now are protected by lifetime guarantee and while prices are still stable and ample supply of rubber maintains to keep them thus, now is still the best time to get properly equipped for Summer.

Since the first assignment of camps to erosion work, 8 years ago, CCC enrollees have built 3,500,000 check dams, planted more than 250,000,000 trees in gullies and fields subject to critical erosion, constructed 27,000 miles of terraces and installed 350,000 terrace outlet structures.

WHY PENALIZE MAN WHO PAYS TAX WHEN DUE?

Austin, April 14.—The bill pending in the Senate to wipe out all penalty and interest on delinquent taxes has been condemned by a number of newspapers, among them the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, which comments, "Instead of legal forgiveness of tax delinquency, there should be a system of reward for prompt payment. Good citizenship should be rewarded—not penalized." There would be no government at all if everybody had quit paying their taxes when due.

It has been suggested that, if the lawmakers feel that such a bill should be passed, it first be amended to provide that all delinquents who have already paid up shall get a full refund of penalty and interest and that all who have paid their taxes on time shall receive a rebate. If consideration is to be given to only one group—and that group the one which has failed to pay—then increasing numbers are going to ask, "Why pay taxes?" and a breakdown of government will result, observers say.

Economists in the U. S. Department of Agriculture are predicting that sheep farmers will receive a larger income from wool this year than they did last year. Last year's wool income was 30 per cent above the 1939 figure.

Texas produced 37,575,000 lbs. of creamery butter during 1939. The 1939 farm milk production for Texas was 1,966,000,000 quarts, according to figures compiled by the dairy industry.

Summer or winter, chickens seek protection from wind and sun. Tamarix, desert willow, lilas, Russian mulberry and other shrubs add to the comfort of poultry.

Hens lay about as many eggs during March, April, May and June as they do all the other eight months of the year.

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Sonora, Texas

Mrs. W. P. Truitt left Tuesday for Ballinger where she will visit for a time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Canady.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Karnes and daughter, Anne, spent Easter Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Drake who celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary.

Dr. Tom White was in San Antonio Friday for the State Health Department one-day clinic for child dentistry.

Study Club Meets For Regular Meeting

Mrs. Edgar Shurley taught the last lesson in the Parent Teacher Study Course, "This World of Ours," on Tuesday night, April 14 at the high school.

"Foreign Ports," by Louis Adamic, shows that America is probably the most consistently dynamic country in the world today. We are in the process of growth. So many of our citizens come from foreign parts and it is necessary for us to understand them and for them to understand what it means to be an American. Americanism welcomes differences but we need to make America safe for differences.

"Education to Peace," by Klaus Mann, teaches that in wars no one wins. There is merely a vast destruction of lives and property and a multiplication of problems which must be solved later.

Civilization reaches its highest level only when a people be a true desire to live in peace with its neighbors and to abide by the tenets of the golden rule.

Those present were Mrs. I. B. Boughton, Mrs. Joe Brown Ross, Mrs. W. R. Cusenbary, Mrs. Ben Cusenbary and Mrs. Shurley.

METHODIST CHURCH

Mens Bible Class—9:30 a. m.
 Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship—10:50 a. m.
 League Service — 6:30 p. m.
 Evening Worship—7:45 p. m.
 The revival will continue until Sunday night. Rev. W. H. Dellinger of Liberal, Kansas is the preacher. Services start each night of the week at 7:45 p. m. The public is cordially invited.

Miss Kathryn Brown of Abilene was in Sonora last week-end visiting friends.

Mrs. Zola Jungk has been visiting her daughter, Dephney, who is enrolled in nurse's training school in Temple. Daphney has been in training 14 months.

Marjory Anne Lightfoot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot, is ill at their home.

Mrs. Pat Cooper of Fort Stockton was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jones last week-end.

Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell is visiting her sister in Del Rio.

Miss Thelma Andrews has returned from San Antonio where she visited Al Adams. Mrs. Adams is training at the M & S Hospital in San Antonio.

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MORE BRONCO NEWS—

JUNIOR HIGH—

day in San Angelo visiting her aunts. The second grade are working hard on their parts in the operetta to be given next Monday night. Donald Ray Behrens went to Brady Saturday. The seventh grade had an Easter dance Friday night. Those present were as follows: Helen Kaspar, Betty Fay Glasscock, Violet Burleson, Alain Boughton, Lynn Morris, Ethel Mae Alley, Charlene Hull, Ada Ruth Martin, Richard Sellman, Margaret Jackson, Clayton Hamilton, John Allen Ward, Helen Bruce, Catherine Caldwell, Carolyn Johnson. The room mothers present were Mrs. I. B. Boughton, Mrs. Glasscock, and Mrs. Hull. Others present were Mrs. Alley, Mrs. Morris, Miss Collier and Miss McCulloch.

The first grade went to the Ozona park Thursday for an Easter egg hunt. The children hunted eggs, played and had a very good time. They looked at the things in the fish pond, and brought back a snail. The room mothers served sandwiches, cupcakes and cold drinks.

The first grade made pictures of Easter bunnies last week and are going to put them into a book.

The second grade room mothers gave them an Easter egg hunt last Friday that was enjoyed by everyone.

Peggy Ann Willman spent Easter in Mason visiting her grandmother.

Anne Karnes spent Easter Sun-

Martha Jo Moore and Mary Burtie spent Friday night in San Angelo.

Mrs. E. M. de Berry gave the eighth grade an Easter egg hunt Thursday. Bottle drinks and candy Easter eggs were served.

College Students Home For Easter

Many ex-students of Sonora High School were home from college for the Easter holidays.

The following are those that were here from the different colleges:

University of Texas: Myron Morris, Leon Morris, Margaret Faye Smith, Katha Lea Keene, Marion Elliott, Webb Elliott, Wesley Sawyer, Elizabeth Elliott, Jo Nell Miers, and Pat O'Leary.
John Tarleton College: Richard Saunders.

Sul Ross College: Doc Simmons, Walter Sharp (guest of Doc), Wanda B. Rape, Emma Sessions, and Grace Thomas.

A & M College: Jack Shurley.
Southern Methodist University: Libbye Jo Wallace, Ernestine Wood (guest of Libbye Jo).

Texas Tech: Young Newsom, Robert Kelley.

San Marcos Academy: C. T. Driskill.

TSCW: Margaret Schwiening, Schreiner Institute: Alfred Schwiening, Jr.

Durham Business College: Louise Morris, Dorothy Henderson.

Southwestern College: Margaret Sandherr, Mary Sue Blanton; also Bob Jackson from California and Kathryn Brown from Abilene. Most of the students went back to school Tuesday.

Theatre Man Visits Sonora

F. L. Winship, head of the one-act play division of the Interscholastic league, University of Texas, was in Sonora last Saturday. He was here for the purpose of discussing plans for the forthcoming one-act play festival and drama conference that is to be held in the local high school auditorium on Saturday, April 26. Mr. Winship was enthusiastic about the work that is being done here for the purpose of developing a deeper appreciation for dramatic art among the high schools of this section. He offered his assistance in the rather large project that is being undertaken, and assisted Mr. Kingin outlining a program that should prove interesting to those attending the affair.

Easter Egg Hunt For Kindergarten

Mrs. E. D. Shurley entertained the members of her kindergarten class and guests with an Easter egg hunt at her ranch last Friday afternoon. In addition to an egg hunt, the children were entertained with interesting games. A picnic lunch was served to Jo Taylor, Nancy Neill, Betty Atchison, Raymond Lee Hull, Charles Brent Allen, Jo David Ross, Lois Lou Lomax, Mary Ellen Stephenson, Sally Dawn Prater, Rose Alice Turner, Sue Ann Stokes, Kenneth Brown, and Carl Brown; and the following mothers: Mrs. George Neill, and Mrs. Lynn Turney. Mrs. H. V. Stokes, and Mrs. L. K. Brown.

CLASS COMPLETES PROJECT

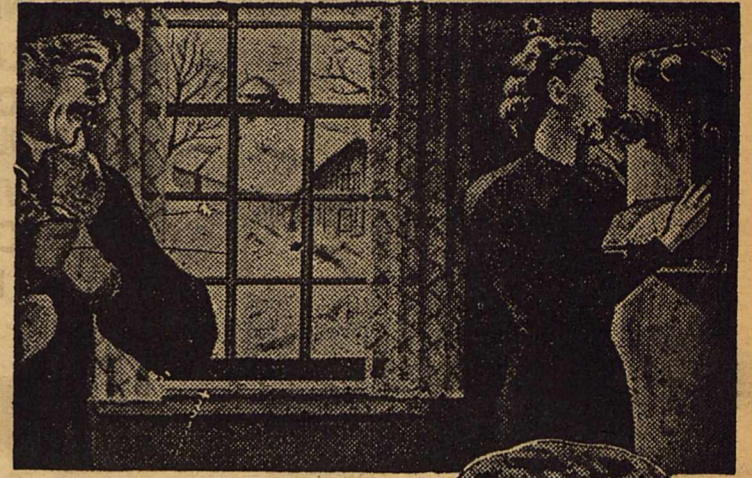
The first year H. E. Class has finished their first dresses. These dresses are to be used for the style show in May. The class hopes

to show much improvement on the next dresses they make.

Mrs. Birdie Rutledge is driving a new Buick.

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Actually, it seems like a busy season! People call up to offer Jim or the boys a job somewhere. Betty keeps her 4-H Club girls going by telephone—and now and then the superintendent calls her for a substitute teaching job. I couldn't call it a dull winter—or lonely either, when I can talk to my friends any time on the telephone, no matter how bad the roads get!



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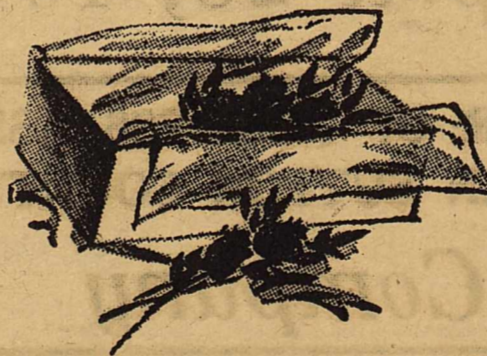
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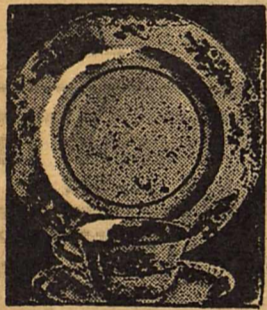
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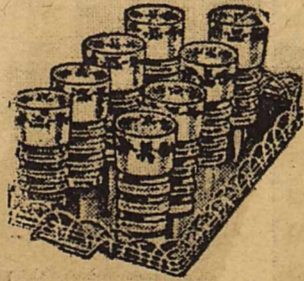
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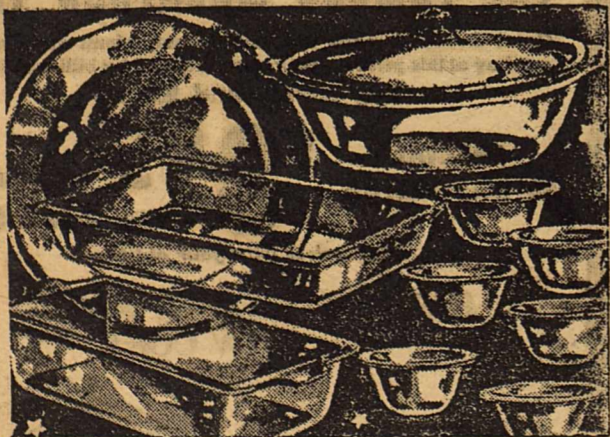
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Baptist Women Meet At Church

The Baptist Missionary Society met at the church last Wednesday afternoon for their regular meeting.

A short business meeting was held and Mrs. Alfred Cooper conducted the Bible Study.

Ladies attending were Mesdames Alton Cobern, Lee Hart, L. H. McGhee, Louis Bennett, J. K. Lancaster, Ban Odom, Paarl Martin, P. D. Fullingim, and Cooper.



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Egg Hunt Is Given For Brownie Troop Tuesday Afternoon

Miss Guggle Marion and Mrs. Raymond Morgan entertained the Brownie Troop of the Girl Scouts with an Easter egg hunt and party Tuesday afternoon.

The prizes were won by Eunice Mund and Martha Lou Renfro. After the hunt, which was held at the Simmons park, the guests returned to the cafeteria.

A pink cake, surrounded by rabbits and a sled of eggs, drawn by an Easter bunny, centered the table. Eggs with the brownies' names on them and rabbit balloons were given to each child.

Present were Alice Adkins, Sue Carleton, Martha Lou Renfro, Maxine Chalk, Rita and Joe Renfro Jane Neill, Betty Jane Atchison, Pegg Sue Reily, Peggy Sue Barker, Peggy Ann Willman, Johnnie Dale Merck, Flora Dell Davis, Geraldine Pertchinsky, Ann Karnes, Lois Ann Mann, Patsy and Eva Lee Moore, Beverly and Eddie Farrell Smith, Blanch Lavon Taylor, Darlene Barrow, Tissy Wardlaw; Mesdames Bailey Renfro, Otto Mund, George Neill, Clay Atchison, Erwin Willman, Earl Merck, G. H. Davis, Fred Pertchinsky, George E. Smith, Cashes Taylor, George Barrow, Vernon Marion; Misses Alice Karnes, and Nettie Adaire Bailey.

Nancy Christie Is Surprised At Party On Birthday

Miss Hilda Mae Luckie entertained Miss Nancy Christie with a surprise birthday party Thursday evening at 7:30. For entertainment the guest danced and played games and shot fire works.

The honoree received many pretty gifts. Birthday cake and punch were served to the honoree, Edith Mae Babcock, Margie Crowell, Addie Thorp, Marjorie Reba Nisbet, Fannie Sellman, Elizabeth Taylor, Hilda Mae Luckie, Boyd Wilson, Billy Shurley, R. W. Johnson, Wallace and George D. Wallace, Eugene Alley, Don Nickels, Sanford Trainer and R. C. Luckie.

Mrs. Tom Driskell and Mrs. Dan Murphy went to San Antonio Monday to take Claude Thomas Driskell back to school, after he had spent the Easter holidays here.

Mrs. Dan Murphy and son, Bob Jackson of Los Angeles, Calif., came the last of last week for a visit with Mrs. Murphy's cousins, Mrs. Vernon Hamilton and Mrs. Tom Driskell.

DAILY

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Arrive Uvalde 10:00 a. m.

Arrive San Antonio 12:30 P. M.

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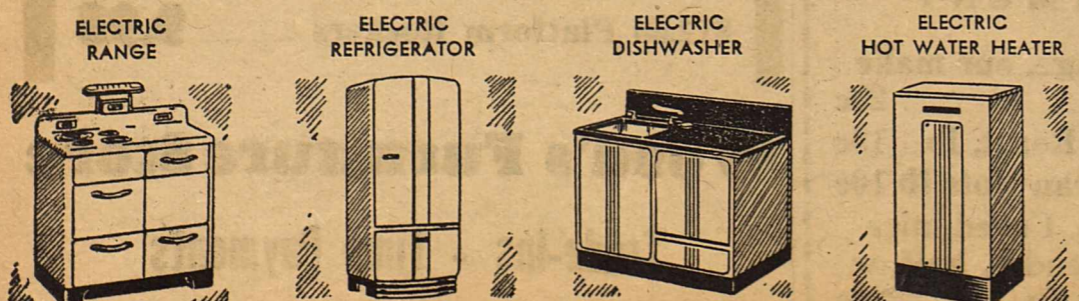
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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vehle and daughter, Betty, were in Sonora Sunday.

Brady spent last week-end in Sonora visiting Mr. Nisbet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lee Nisbet.

Sidney Bolding of San Angelo was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Tommy Thorp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Thorp, left Monday of last week for Kelly Field, San Antonio, where he is studying to be an airplane mechanic.



Go for Another Season's Wear

But definitely, you can get a lot more wear out of those broken down shoes if you let us take them in hand. We'll restore their shape, give them new soles and heels—give you extra months of wear at very little cost.

Special This Week Heels and Half Soles

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CAMERAS



With the approach of summer, the time is perfect to buy your camera and take those pictures you've been wanting. We handle all types of still and movie cameras, together with a complete stock of films, and accessories. Don't forget to bring your films to us for developing.

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Grocery

SONORA, TEXAS

SPECIALS FOR

Friday And Saturday

We are furnishing groceries for The News' Cooking School.

- Beets, Carrots, Radishes, Turnips & tops, Fresh Onions, 6 bunches for 05c
- Fresh Spinach, 2 lbs. 07c; Green Beans, the kind that snap, 2 lbs. 15c; Squash, 2 pounds 09c

- Sweet Pickles, 32-oz. Jar 25c
- Corn Flakes, 2 large boxes 17c
- Cocoanut, Cello Bag, 1 pound 17c
- Hershey's Cocoa 1 pound can 17c
- Mexican Style Beans, 3 For 25c
- Pears, Heart's Delight No. 2 1/2 can 21c
- Blue Cross Milk sm. can, 7 for 25c
- Blue Cross Milk large can 07c
- Catsup, 14-oz. bottle 11c
- Pickles, Dill or Sour Quart 13c

HILL BROS. COFFEE

- 1 pound 27c
- 2 pounds 53c
- 4 pounds \$1.05

- Tomatoes, No. 2 Can 7c
- Tomatoes, Small Can 4c
- Mixed Vegetables No. 2 Can 9c
- Mops, No. 16 Linen 19c
- Sunray Crackers 2 pound box 19c
- Baking Powder, K. C. 25-Oz. 17c
- Salad Dressing Lady Peggy, qt. 25c
- Salad Dressing Lday Peggy, Pt. 15c

- FLOUR, Peerless, Fancy Patent, Guaranteed, 48-lb. sack \$1.25
- Banner Ice Cream, Quart 23c
- Sweet Milk, Grade A, 2 Quarts 19c

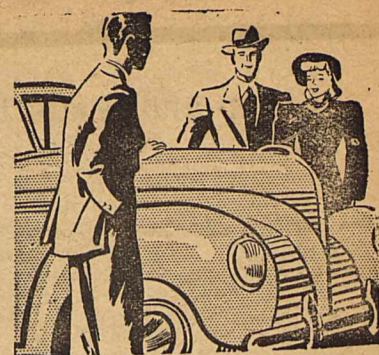
- Oats, National lg. pk. cup & saucer 21c
- Jelatine Dessert 3 pk. 13c
- Potted Meat 6 Cans 21c
- Vienna Sausage 3 Cans 21c
- Apple Butter, qt. 19c
- Peanut Butter Quart 21c
- Pecan Halves, Pound 38c
- Kellogg's Corn-flakes, 2 lg. bxs 19c
- Ripple Wheat 10c
- Mince Meat 3 pk 23c
- Field Corn, No. 2 can, 3 for 25c
- Hominy, No. 2 1/2 size 8c

- SAN ANGELO BREAD, Veri-best, fresh 2 loaves for 13c

MEAT DEPARTMENT

- Banner Oleo 2 pounds 29c
- Bacon Squares Pound 15c
- Sweet Cream Butter, lb. 39c
- Sausage, our make lb. 20c
- Pork Roast, lb. 18c
- Mexican Hots lb 10c
- Hams, Cured, nice and tender, half or whole, lb. 25c

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- Six-tube Admiral 6-Volt Batter Set \$5.00
- Six-Tube Zenith Compact \$7.50
- Late model "Truestone" battery set, \$10.00. Ten tube Crosley Electric, \$10.00. Seven Tube "Airline" Electric, \$10.00. Eleven Tube Majestic Console, \$15.00. Seven Tube Philco Battery Console, \$20.00. RCA ac/dc—battery portable, \$17.50.

New Shipment of Pin-it-up Lamps; prices \$1.75 and up.

\$5.00 Steel Folding Ironing Board for only \$1.00

Special Sale on decorative table lamps.

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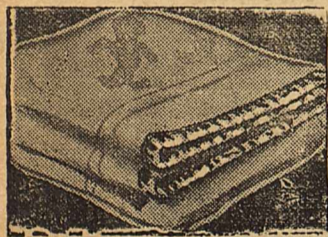
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Specials!

- \$7.50 Walnut Rockers 5.95
- \$1.98 Bronze Desk Lamps 1.39
- \$1.50 Pottery Base Lamps 1.19
- \$9.95 3-lite Floor Lamps 5.95
- \$9.95 Velour Rockers 7.95
- \$12.50 Platform Rockers 9.98

Wood's Furniture Store

Trade-Ins - Time Payments