

35 Years Ago

T. D. Newell was in town Wednesday.

G. Huber was in the city Thursday.

Will Miers was in town from his ranch on Rocky this week.

Jno. W. Hagerlund went on business to Angelo Tuesday.

J. P. McConnell and W. S. Strader returned from the San Angelo Fair Friday.

J. H. Wood was in town Thursday. He will put in a well on his ranch near Lost Lake.

F. P. Saintclair, a prospector from Rusk County, was in Sonora this week. He is well pleased with Sonora and will invest.

A. C. Crawford, agent for the Wrought Iron Range Company of St. Louis, was in Sonora Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. F. Adams and Mrs. Dr. C. R. Matthis made the News a friendly call Tuesday.

L. N. Halbert, of Coleman, and brother to R. F. Halbert, was in Sonora this week. Mr. Halbert is a lawyer with experience and will hang out his shingle in a few weeks and practice law in this paradise of ours. He will arrive with his family about the 20th.

Bob McMahon was in Saturday.

J. W. Odom, one of the largest cattlemen on Devil's River, was in Sonora Tuesday.

Misses Lillie Pride and Allie Fulcher called at the News office this week.

D. M. Deason, a substantial citizen of Rusk County, was out looking at the Stockman's Paradise Saturday and is of the opinion that farming and stock raising will pay well in Sutton County.

W. B. Rountree, the well known well driller, was in town Tuesday.

C. Smith, the pioneer well driller of Dry Devil's, accompanied by his sons, John and Ben, was in the city for supplies Tuesday.

R. F. Halbert was in Sonora Tuesday showing the sights to his brother, L. N. Halbert, our limb of the law.

B. L. Binyon, one of the popular young cattlemen of the Devil's River, was in Sonora for supplies Friday.

F. M. Wyatt has accepted the Sutton County agency for the Aeromotor windmill. See his card in this issue.

Little Yankee Doodle Defeats Black Streak

Two matched races were run Saturday on the Sonora race track. In the first race Little Yankee Doodle, owned by Jap Holman and ridden by Charlie Brennan, defeated Black Streak, owned by Jess Barker and ridden by Speck O'Steen, and won the \$150.00 purse.

The second race was between Johnny Hamby's horse, Two Bit, ridden by Sonny Crowell and Bow, owned by Granville Barker and ridden by Speck O'Steen. Bow was the winner.

The races were run before a crowd of about 200 people, and the gate was fifty dollars, which went into the race track fund.

Ex-Students Defeat High School, 12-6

A football team composed of ex-students defeated the high school team 12-6 in a game played Tuesday afternoon.

Players on the ex-students team were: James D. Trainer, O. L. Richardson, Edward Archer, Clayton White, Basil Taylor, J. H. Cartwright, Odell Odom, Justin Odom, Raleigh Gully, Eugene Neuberger, Allan Saunders.

The high school team was left end: Richard Boughton; Left tackle, Billy Shurley; left guard, Clyde Henderson; center, Louie Andrews; right guard, Vernon Cook; right tackle, Jack Lindsey; right end, Boyd Wilson; quarterback, Glen Richardson; right half-back, Wilfred Berger; left half-back, Roy Cooper; fullback, J. R. Hudson. Substitute: Wayne White, guard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stephens left Wednesday on a vacation trip to several western states, including California. They plan to return in about two weeks.

Questionnaires Mailed To All Registrants

Since it is desirable that the classification of all registrants be complete at the earliest practicable date, questionnaires will be mailed to registrants at the rate of twenty-five to fifty per week until all registrants have received them.

Members of the local advisory board to help registrants to fill out the questionnaires are: Judge Alvis Johnson, chairman, George A. Wynn, and Mrs. Guila Vicars. Associate members of the advisory board are Mrs. Gladys Decker, Mrs. Jessie Johnson, Mrs. Muriel Brown, R. C. Elliott, Geo. D. Chalk, Joe Hull, John Lee Nisbet.

On May 25, Salvador Ybarra will leave for Fort Bliss, El Paso, for induction into the army. His alternate in Pablo Gandar Avila. Zaragost Martinez Besera will leave the same day for Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, where he will be inducted into the army. His alternate is Cloma Allen Roberts.

METHODIST CHURCH

Mens Bible Class—9:30.
Sunday School—9:45.
Morning Worship—10:50.
League Services—7 p. m.
Evening Worship—7:45.
Give way to high school program.

Attention! Commencing with the last Sunday of this month we will start our summer program and schedule. It was voted by the Board of Christian Education and the Board of Stewards that our Sunday School should start fifteen minutes early during the summer.

All departments will go right into the class period at 9:30. At 10:20 the first bell will be sounded. At 10:25 the second bell will ring for the marching of the entire Sunday School from the primary department through the adult department into the auditorium for a combined Sunday school and church service. Suitable sermons for the children, young people and adults will be preached from the stories of the Old Testament. The combined Sunday School and church worship service will end at 11:15. Those who plan on coming to church only during the summer should arrive at church at 10:25 instead of 10:50. We invite all members to talk about this schedule and tell others so people will not be confused about the time of the services.

ROBERT KELLEY INITIATED.
Lubbock.—Robert Kelley, sophomore agricultural student at Texas Technological college, recently was initiated into Block and Bridle, national organization of animal husbandry students who maintain a scholastic average of C.

Robert is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelley of Sonora.

TARLETON HONOR ROLL
Stephenville.—R. E. Saunders of Sonora, was on the honor roll at John Tarleton College for the second grade period of the semester. This announcement was made recently by Gabe Lewis, registrar of Tarleton. To be on the honor roll a student must make a normal load and make not lower than 80 on any subject. "The honor of being on the Tarleton honor roll is better understood," Lewis explained, "when one learns that fewer than the per cent of the students achieve this distinction."

H. E. CLUB GOES ON PICNIC
Miss Edmonson, sponsor of the Homemaking Club, honored the club with a picnic Wednesday, May 9 at the Ozona park.

Weiners, mustary, potato chips, buns and cold drinks were enjoyed by the following: Frances Atchison, Josette Boughton, Billie Cartwright, Wanda B. Cook, Margie Crowell, Marjorie Dameron, Lorene Fambrough, Bernie Dawn Gibbs, Flora Jean Hildreth, Marguerite Howell, Georgia B. Kisselburg, Mernice McKee, Louise Merriman, Lora Dell Ory, Viola Ory, Vinagene Powell, Fannie Sellman, Addie Thorp, Violet White.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nelson of Lampasas are in Sonora visiting with friends.

Wool Show Preparation Continues As Lions Taboo Razors; Committees Announce Prizes

Beard Growing Starts Today; Prizes Given For Best Costumes

All persons participating in the parade, held in connection with the Lions Club Auction and Wool and Mohair Show will be eligible for prizes which will be given for the best pioneer rig, including buggy or wagon and auto, the best beard and costume, and the best couple or family group.

First prize for the best pioneer rig (auto, buggy, wagon, etc.) is five dollars, and second prize is three dollars. First prize for the best beard and costume is two dollars, and second prize is one dollar. First prize for the best couple or family group is three dollars, and second prize is one dollar.

The beard growing for the Old Settlers Jubilee and Lions Club Auction starts Thursday, and a petition has been circulated, the signers of which are pledged to not cut their beards until after June 19, the day of the celebration.

Miss Audrey Mae Wauson of Yoakum, is visiting her brother, and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wauson.

George Barrow, who is ill in a San Angelo hospital is reported much improved, and is expected to return here soon.

Miss Elizabeth Elliott, Miss Eloise Groos of San Antonio, and Miss Margaret Hunt of Dallas, all students of the University of Texas, spent last week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Elliott.

Webb Elliott of the University of Texas was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Elliott last week-end.

Miss Betha Green of Henderson is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. C. Elliott, and Mr. Elliott this week.

Stanley Mayfield has a new Buick.

Mrs. Frank Potmesil and son, Frank Joe, left Sunday for Alexandria, La., where they will visit Mrs. Potmesil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Johnson.

GIRLS P. E. CLASS HAS PICNIC

The fourth period P. E. class enjoyed a picnic Monday morning when they hiked up the hill behind the school house. Each girl brought her own picnic lunch. Attending were Josette Boughton, Marguerite Howell, Georgia B. Kisselburg, Billy Cartwright, Francis Atchison, Bernie Dawn Gibbs, Flora Jean Hildreth, Lorene Fambrough, Jamie Trainer, Jerry Meckel, Marjorie Dameron, and Miss Mosley.

Jake Morgan received his 10-day furlough and is home visiting relatives and friends.

The Lions Club auction, the 4-H Club Wool Show and the Frontier Days Celebration and Jubilee, will be held here June 19. The celebration will last all day, terminating in a dance that night. The entire day will be dedicated to the old settlers, and during the day a speaker will talk especially to the old settlers.

The proceeds from the auction will be divided among the Lions Club Welfare Committee, the Boy Scouts, the Girl Scouts, Sutton County Beautification Committee, and to pay a night watchman at the stock pens during shipping season, each receiving a per cent of the money derived from the auction. Should a person buying an animal at the auction wish to give it to be re-auctioned, it will become the property of the Lions Club instead of the property of some designated organization as in previous years.

The judges for the 4-H Club Wool and Mohair Show will be Stanley P. Davis, wool and mohair specialist, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. The purpose of the show is to encourage the production of better wool and mohair, to encourage better preparation of wool and mohair for market and to sponsor a type of club work applicable to the range sheep and goat production area.

The premium list for the Wool and Mohair Show is as follows:

Wool division, bags of wool, yearling ewes, 20 fleeces: first, eight dollars; second, six dollars; third, four dollars; fourth, two dollars; fifth, sixth and seventh, one dollar each. Twelve months, ewes of breeding age, 20 fleeces, first, eight dollars; second, six dollars; third, four dollars; fourth, two dollars; fifth, sixth and seventh, one dollar each. Eight months ewes of breeding age, 30 fleeces: first, eight dollars, second, six dollars; third, four dollars; fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh, one dollar each.

Best put-up bags, twelve months, ewes of breeding age, 20 fleeces: first, nine dollars; second, seven dollars; third, five dollars; fourth, three dollars; fifth, one dollar. Single fleeces registered Rambouillet ewes of breeding age: first, 3 dollars; second, two dollars; third, fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Registered Rambouillet yearling ewes: first, three dollars, second, two dollars, third, fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Registered Deaine ewes of breeding age: first, three dollars; second, two dollars; third, fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Registered Delaine yearling ewes: first, three dollars; second, two dollars; third, fourth, and fifth, one dollar each. Grade (fine wool) yearling ewes: first, three dollars; second, two dollars; third, fourth and fifth, one dollar each.

County group of five fleeces,

breeding age: first, four dollars; second, three dollars; third, two dollars; fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Registered Rambouillet yearling ewes: first, four dollars; second, three dollars; third, two dollars; fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Registered Delaine ewes of breeding age: first, four dollars; second, three dollars; third, two dollars; fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Registered Delaine yearling ewes: first, four dollars, second, three dollars; third, three dollars; fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Grade (fine wool) ewes of breedin gage: first, four dollars; second, three dollars; third, two dollars; fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Grade (fine wool) yearling ewes: first, four dollars; second, three dollars, third, three dollars; fourth and fifth, one dollar each.

In the Mohair Division single fleeces, registered Buck Kid: first, three dollars; second, two dollars; third, fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Registered Doe Kid: first, three dollars; second, two dollars; third, fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Grade doe kid: first, three dollars; second, two dollars; third, fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Grade Grown doe, yearlings and up: first, three dollars; second, two dollars; third, fourth and fifth, one dollar each.

County group of five fleeces, registered doe kid: first, four dollars; second, three dollars; third, two dollars; fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Grade doe kid: first, four dollars; second, three dollars; third, two dollars, fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Grade Grown Doe, yearlings and up: first, four dollars; second, three dollars; third, two dollars; fourth and fifth, one dollar each.

Record books, sheep flock demonstration (25 or more ewes): first, four dollars; second, three dollars; third, two dollars; fourth and fifth, one dollar each. Goat flock demonstration (10 or more does): first, four dollars; second, three dollars; third, two dollars; fourth and fifth, one dollar each.

Ogden, Spriggins Receive Licenses

O. C. Ogden, superintendent of the water works, has received a Grade "B" Well water supply operator's license, and Lewis Spriggins, assistant water works operator, has received a Grade "C" Well water suppl operator's license, as evidence of their having completed not only the trainin gand experience qualifications for licensing, but also for their having passed successfully the prescribed examination. By passing the prescribed examination, proof is given that the water works personnel has the training, experience and the qualifications to deliver a safe and better quality of drinking water.

One Per Cent Sales Tax Levied

A new tax law in the State of Texas, levies a tax on every sale of every motor vehicle sold in this state, effective May 1. One per cent of the total consideration paid or to be paid for said vehicle at said retail price.

The tax shall be the obligation of and be paid by the person, firm or corporation operating said motor vehicle upon the public highways of this state.

The term, sale, or sales, as herein used shall include installments and cash sales and the exchange of property as well as the sales thereof for money.

If any person knowingly operates any motor vehicle upon the highways of this state without the tax thereon having been paid, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars nor more than \$500, or confined in the county jail for not less than one day nor more than thirty days or by such fine and imprisonment.

Large Group Signs Petition

Members of the Sonora Lions Club signed petitions Tuesday at their regular meeting, agreeing to grow beards until June 20, the day after the Wool Show and Auction Sale and Frontier Celebration, or pay a fine of \$1. The pledge read as follows: We, the undersigned, agree to grow a beard to advertise the Lions Club Wool Show, Auction and Jubilee to be held on the 19th day of June. Furthermore, we agree to pay a fine of \$1.00 if we either do not grow a beard or if we start said beard and shave it off before June 20th. DON'T BE A PIKER * * * GET ON THE DOTTED LINE * * *

Those signing it so far were: Alfred Schweining, George E. Smith, Clay Puckett, A. W. Awalt, H. V. Stokes, J. D. Lowrey, Dave Locklin, H. C. Atchison, Jr., Louie Trainer, H. J. Long, Ray Eastland, W. A. Carroll, H. D. Brown, Preston C. Lightfoot, J. L. Nisbet, Frank Knapton, S. E. Smith, W. C. Gilmore, Joe Berger, Albert A. Murray, Joe Logan, W. H. Dameron, Edwin Sawyer, I. B. Boughton, Webb Elliott, W. R. Barnes, Joel Shelton, Joe M. Vander Stucken, George Trainer, Jack Neill, G. H. Hall, H. P. Largent, W. E. Caldwell, and F. H. Hamby.

A report of the District Convention was given by W. C. Gilmore. Mrs. Vernon Morris presented two songs, "Beautiful Dreamer" and "Song of the Robin." She was accompanied by Miss Marie Watkins. Guests of the club were R. E. Taylor and Merton Shurley.

Watson Promoted To Manager

R. M. Watson, book-keeper for Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company here has been promoted to manager of the Lefors office of the company.

Shelby Kerbow will be transferred to the Sonora office to fill the place which Watson had. The Watson family will move the last of the week, and Kerbow will arrive at the same time.

Resident Engineer Arrives This Week

Captain R. W. Willard of San Antonio, resident engineer for the Sonora Light and Power Plant arrived this week to assume his duties.

Captain Willard was in charge of the Federales Electrification Project, which is the largest plant in the world, and has been in charge of more than 3,000 miles of electric pole lines.

Mrs. Brown Attends AAA Meeting

Mrs. Hillman Brown attended an AAA meeting on performance work Thursday and Friday in Marfa. The meeting was attended by all secretaries, county committeemen, range inspectors and performance supervisors from District 6 south.

After the meeting on Thursday the Highland Dance Club and the Marfa businessmen entertained for the group at the Paisano Hotel, with a banquet and a program of old-fashioned dances.

GRADUATION EXERCISES SCHEDULE RELEASED

Schedule for programs for graduates of Sonora high school are as follows:

Sunday, 8:00 p. m., high school auditorium: Baccalaureate sermon, delivered by Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College.

Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.: L. W. Elliott school Commencement exercises, address delivered by Rev. L. K. Brown.

Thursday, 8:00 p. m.: Elementary School Commencement exercises given by the graduates.

Friday, 8:00 p. m.: High School commencement address delivered by Alan R. Fraser, District Attorney of the 83rd District of Alpine.

High School Band



The Sonora High School Band, which won first place in its division at the Abilene Meet.

Cameron Store Building "Texan"



Pictures above is the staff of the local Wm. Cameron Co. store, which is building the "Texan," model home to be exhibited during Texas home week, June 1-6. Left to right are Homer Fitzgerald, H. A. Dalton, manager, W. P. Truitt, Ernest McClelland, and Monroe Voigt. Devil's River News Photo.

Wild Flower Routes Listed

A suggested wild flower trail for the week leads from San Angelo south to Sonora over Highway U. S. 277, from Sonora to Junction over Highway U. S. 290, from Junction to Eden over Highway U. S. 83, and from Eden to San Angelo over Highway U. S. 87, a total distance of 224 miles. It is not necessary for one to make this entire trip to see plenty of our wild flowers. You can leave any place on the route, go as far as you like and return over the same road, or, in some instances, return home by several loops over county roads.

You will greeted by such flowers as the yellow False Dandelion (*Sililian multicoulis*), Indian Blanket or Fire Wheel (*Gaillardia pulchella*), Four Nerved Daisy (*Tetranuris linearis*), False Coreopsis or Fine Leaved Thelesperma (*Thelesperma trifidum*), which is also called Black Eyed Susan, Cut Leaved Daisy or Englemann's Daisy (*Englemannia pinnatifida*), and a few of the Yellow Texas Star Daisy (*Lindhemera texana*). Several other daisies will also be observed. All of these plants belong to the composite family. Particular attention is called to the Bluebonnets (*Lupinus texensis*, which are to be seen in great numbers about ten miles south of Christoval and seven miles north of Sonora. If there are some who want to see the Texas State Flower in most brilliant display, they can still be seen in Mason County on Highway U. S. 87. On Highway U. S. 83 north of Junction Verbena (*Verbena bipinnatifida*) is plen-

tiful. As you drive along look for the white larkspur (*Delphinium albescens*) and the blue Larkspur (*Delphinium carolinianum*). One of the outstanding flowers is the Giant Spiderwort (*Tradescantis gigantea*). The rich rose and purple colors of this flower cannot be surpassed for their beauty.

Those who wish to make the extended trip will find provisions for their comfort in wayside parks constructed by the Texas Highway Department at Christoval, north of Eldorado, north and east of Sonora, at the crossings of the North Llano River between Sonora and Junction, as well as along the road from Junction back to San Angelo.

From time to time as these routes are described, description of new flowers to be expected are given; yet you will also see these flowers and other on any route you might take.

Mrs. Lee Labenske and Miss Mildred Labenske were in San Antonio the last part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe V. Krall of San Angelo were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Bird.

Christine Bird was a week-end guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Atkins of Eldorado. They were her for the races Saturday and Christine returned home with them.

Mrs. Ed Mayfield and Mrs. Edna Wheat left Tuesday to visit in Pecos City.

Miss Juanita Cartwright and W. A. McCoy of Brownwood visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cartwright over the week-end.

Mrs. Willie Andrews, Mrs. Wirt Stephenson, Mrs. Tommy Seals, Curt Allison and Gene Adams were in San Angelo last Wednesday.

Mrs. Batts Friend and children and Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson spent the week-end in San Antonio.

Miss Lena Wood of San Angelo visited in the home of Mrs. Lula Karnes Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Stella Keen and Doris were in Austin over the week-end visiting Katha Lea, who is a student at the University.

Mrs. Fred Ross, and children, John and Vada Jean, and Miss Alice Louise Ferguson of San Antonio, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Neill Rouche.

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Grocery Department

Magic Washer Silverware Free Package	24	Grape Fruit Juice Texas, 46 ounce	14
Nola Soap Flakes Glass Free, package	24	Tomato Juice Brooks, 46 ounce	19
Palmolive Soap 4 Bars	24	Peaches, Heart's Delight 2 No. 2½ cans	33
Lifebuoy Soap 3 Bars	19	Jello, All Flavors 2 Packages	11
Soap, Crystal White 10 Bars	44	Spinach, 2 No. 2 Cans	17
Wheaties, Breakfast of Champions, 2 packages	27	Green Beans, 2 No. 2 Cans	17
Kix Corn Cereals 2 Packages	27	Corn, Sweet, 2 No. 2 Cans	17
Corn Flakes, Kellogg's (with bowl) 2 packages	19	Tomatoes, 2 No. 2 Cans	15
Crackers, Excell 2 pound box	17	Syrup, King Cotton Gallon	59
Pork & Beans, Phillips 2-16 ounce cans	13		
Pickles, Sour or Dill Quart	12	CRUSTENE Shortening 4 pound carton	52
Peanut Butter Full Quart	24	MILK—Richwip 6 small	21
SALAD DRESSING—Miracle Whip Quart	34	6 large	41
Catsup, Heinz, Large bottle	22	FLOUR—Prairie Rose 48 lb. bag	1
		24 lb. bag	59

Radishes, Green Onions, Mustard Greens, Swiss Chard, and Beets, 3 bunches 05c

Oranges, New Crop Valencias Large, Dozen	29	Lettuce, California, New Crop 2 Heads	11
Lemons, Red Ball—432 Size, 2 Dozen	25	Tomatoes, California Extra Nice, 2 Pounds	25
Bananas, Central American Extra Nice, Pound	05	Green Beans Crisp, 2 Pounds	17
Apples, Fancy Delicious 125 Size—Dozen	35	New Spuds, Fancy No. 1—3 Pounds	11
Apples, Fancy Winesap—150 Size—Dozen	23	Onions, White, New Crop, 2 Pounds	09

SPUDS, Idaho Russets, All-purpose, 10 lbs. 17c

Dry Goods Department

Boots, Mens Cowboy 6 to 10, pair	\$ 8.95	Socks, Mens Fancy or Solid Colors, pair	9
Pants, Mens Khaki 2 colors, pair	98	Shoes, Mens Work, Black or Brown, pair	1
Shirts to Match 14 to 16½, each	98	Shirts, Boys Sport \$1.00 Value, Each	79
Hats, Mens Dress Straws, Each	98	Oxfords, Childrens, Odd Lots 8½ to 3, pair	89
Prints, Fast Color Reg. 15c Yard, now	10	Curtain Scrim, 36 inches wide, Ecu color, yard	10
Anklets, Childrens Assorted Colors, 7½ to 10½, pair	10	Prints, Fast Color Reg. 20c Yard, 2 Yards	35
Slack Suits, Mens, Assorted Colors, \$4.95 to	7.50	Slack Suits, Boys, 4 to 12, each	1
Pants, Mens Khaki Green Only, Pair	89	Rubbing Alcohol, Full Pint	15
Shirts, Boys Sport Assorted Colors, Each	49	Hats, Mens Felt, 3-inch brim 2 Colors, Each	1
Pants, Boys Khaki Tan or Blue, pair	98	Domestic, Bleached or Unbleached, yard	10

Hardware Department

Super Mixer Each	\$ 2.79	Minnow Buckets, Green River, Each	1
Juicers, Universal Each	3	Lanterns, Instant Lighting, Coleman Jr., Each	5
Mixer, Electric Each	1.25	Rain-tite Paulins, 7X9 Each	4
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Baby Beef Steak 2 Pounds	43	Sliced Bacon, Armour's Repeat, Pound	27
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Oxford Bacon, Not Sliced, Pound	22	Parkay Oleo 2 Pounds	38

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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. Booker, the cook there, has been pleasing West Texans with his cooking for the past 16 years, so when in Sonora visit the—

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THE VACUUM CLEANER . . .

Marguerite you had better warn Francis Green about the moonlight. It does queer things to people sometime. Eh what?

Jerry, please make up your mind who you like. If it is Sidney, Delmar Lee or Jim?

Billie, we didn't know you and Wanda B. were jitterbugs? We found out though, didn't we? Or did we?

I think Sidney has finally made up his mind. Don't you Bernie?

What was Georgia B and Sybil laughing at while sitting in the swing at the swimming party. It couldn't have been the little bird above them.

Our Gossip Column and the Bronco couldn't hold that happenen to Kelso on the trip so a book will be off the press in 30 days containing a detailed description.

As the footsteps of time plod wearily onward they occasionally run into quick sand. Of course whatever is making the steps is instantaneously buried alive. No doubt but what it was the voice of experience coming from Mickey on the Senior trip.

Ponc and Georgia really made the best of the Cavern. One should think Ponc would be handicapped by "altitudinous formation of bodily facilities" but all we got to say is when a boy as tall as Ponc and a girl as short as Georgia can overcome such obstacles, give 'em a hand.

And then one of the guides had to tell Kelso whom he referred to as Sonny Boy to quit, would you say, accidentally on purpose "leaning" on various formations in Carlsbad Caverns.

Band Presents Final Concert

The Sonora Bronco Band and the Elementary band will reach the climax of hard work tonight when they play their last concert for the year in the City Park.

The Elementary Band will appear around 7:30 o'clock for its first public concert since it was organized last February. Some of the selections to be played by the band are De Camp Town Races and Selections from waltzes.

Grade School News—

The first grade is working on story telling! These stories are of a nice variety. Last Friday the teacher put up the picture of a boy, and a dog, and they wrote some very nice stories about this. They are also gathering all their year's work to admire it.

Joe Lewellen went to Oklahoma last week.

Jane Neill went to Eldorado to spend the week-end.

Lewis Littles pent a grand week-end in Eldorado.

Bobby Allen went to San Angelo for the week-end.

Earl Eugene Merck enjoyed a fishing trip over the wee-end.

Billy Jean Coburn spent the week-end in Eden.

The following group enjoyed a party given by Vernon Luckie last Friday: Peggy Fay Glasscock, Ethel Mae Alley, Gene Cliff Johnson, Richard Sellman, Vernon Luckie.

Games were played and later refreshments were served.

Mrs. Shannon's class of the First Baptist Church were given a picnic at Mrs. Shannon's house May 6 after school. Members of the class present were: Jackie Green, Charlene Hull, Betty Gene Rankhorn, Frances Jo Lancaster, and Pauline Allen. Visitors were Mrs. Lightfoot and Ann Lightfoot, Mr. Shannon, Tommy Shannon, and Wallace Shannon.

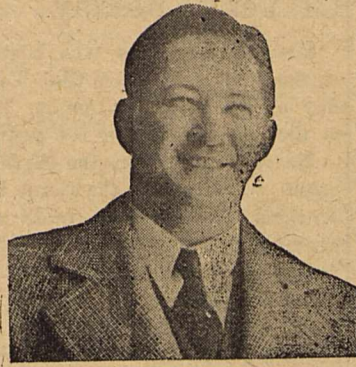
Martha Jo Moore and Mary Burtle spent the week-end in San Angelo.

Immediately following the concert by the Elementary Band, the Bronco Band will present its second concert for the public. The Bronco band will include in its concert Stars and Stripes Forever, God Bless America, Westward Ho Overture, Rosmarin Overture, Indian Boy, Star Spangled Banner, America, Assembly Hour Overture, I'm An Old Cowhand, Washington Post.

Juniors Honored With Picnic

Friday afternoon, May 9 the Junior class was given a barbecue in the Christoval park. Swimming, fishing, dancing, boating, skating and eating were enjoyed by a

Allan R. Fraser To Speak To Seniors



On May 23, eight o'clock in the evening, the senior class of Sonora High School, their parents and friends, will be privileged to hear Allan R. Fraser, in a commencement address to this group of students. Mr. Fraser is, at the present time, district attorney of the 83rd Judicial District including Brewster, Jeff Davis, Pecos, Presidio, Reagan, Upton Counties. Regarding the beginning of a career that has become outstanding he states "I do not have any particular publicity to offer with reference to myself." His work of public service began when he became Justice of Peace at Alpine. Success in this capacity brought its reward. He was later made City Attorney. From this position to his present one was but a step. His qualities of leadership and his principles of justice and equity marked him in the eyes of his public as a man worthy of greater responsibilities.

Mrs. A. C. Elliott returned Friday from Henderson where she visited relatives.

Speech Class Presents Assembly Program

On Friday morning, May 16, the last chapel program of the year will be held. This closing program will be given by the speech class. It will consist of two one-act plays, directed, acted and produced by the class and their teacher. The performance will serve as a part of the final examination. Students will be graded on several points related to acting, and production.

These plays will be open to the public. Anyone desiring to see them will be welcome. The program will begin at 8:30.

Those participating are: In the first: Margie Crowell, Bobbie Nell Gulley and Lois Morris.

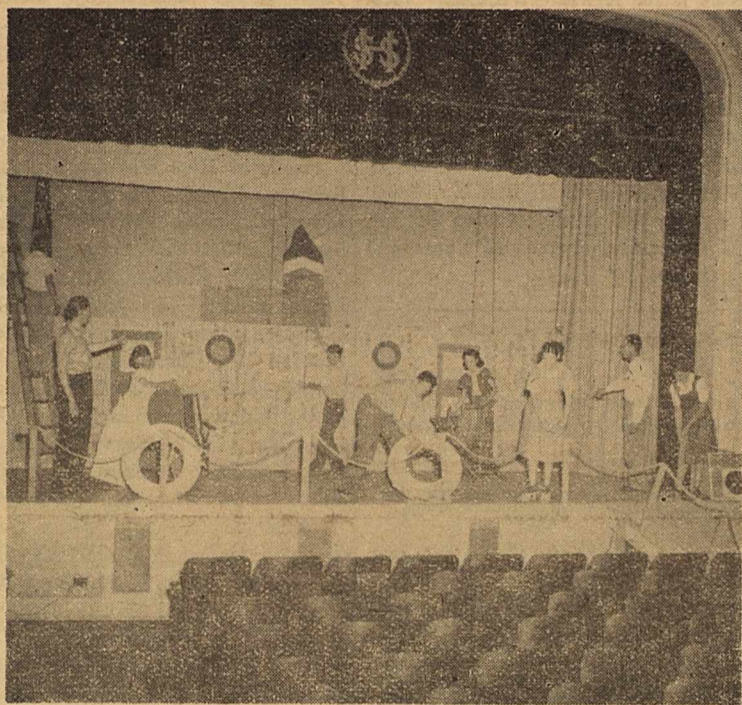
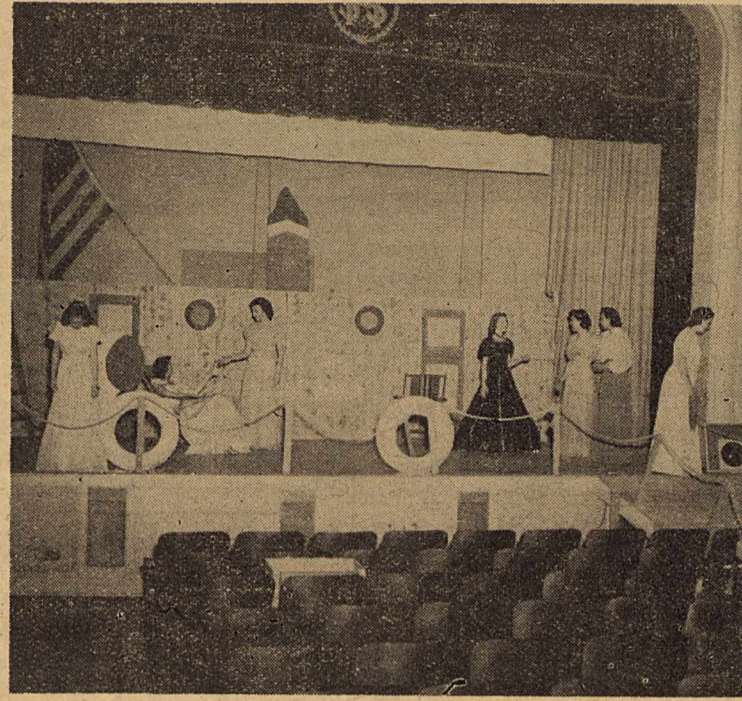
In the second: Emily Adams, R. W. Wallace, R. C. Luckei, Buster Shroyer, and Billy Shurley.

large group of juniors. The party was given by the room mothers, Mrs. Henry Wyatt, Mrs. J. W. Trainer, Mrs. Hub Hale, Mrs. Johnny Sellman, Mrs. J. W. Wallace and the class sponsor, Miss Jonnimai Edmonson. (By the way, Miss Edmonson caught the first fish and it was a whopper).

The students attending were Addie Thorp, Violet White, Cleo McKee, Glen Richardson, Wilfred Berger, Richard Boughton, J. R. Hudson, Willie B. Ory, Gwen Wyatt, Nell Haile, Louise Merriman, Fannie Sellman, Jamie Trainer, Opal Randel, Jack Lindsay, Ray

Homemaking Club Presents Style Show

Below is a scene from the style show given by the members of the Homemaking Club at an assembly program in the high school on May 2.—Devil's River News Photo.

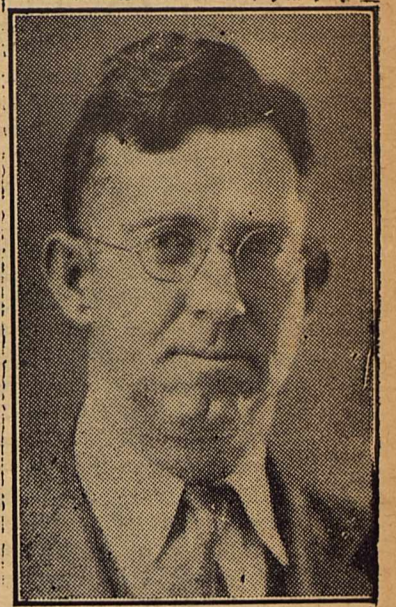


Here's a picture of the group that is often times forgotten—the stage crew. When an audience sees a play, so many fail to realize the hours of work spent by a faithful group of people who rarely ever get credit for their splendid work

SPANISH CLUB TO GO TO VILLA ACUNA

The Spanish Club met Friday and plans were discussed as to where the club would go this year. It was decided that a trip to Villa Acuna next Friday. Each year the club makes a trip, last year the club went to Monterrey.

Thomas H. Taylor To Give Baccalaureate



Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College, will be the baccalaureate speaker on Sunday, May 18. This part of the senior commencement program will be held in the High School Auditorium at 8:00 p. m.

Mr. Taylor began his school career when he took a position as teacher of shorthand and typing in Howard Payne in 1904. After working in that capacity for one year he was graduated in the spring and received a Junior College diploma. During the summer that followed he worked for the Spaulding Buggy Company. In the latter part of 1905 he became secretary to Dr. R. B. Carroll, founder of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. He served in this capacity for two years. He later attended Baylor University. While he was a student at Howard Payne and Baylor he participated in debate and oratory but according to Mr. Taylor he never won a contest. In 1907 he went back to Howard Payne, this time as secretary to the faculty. In 1913 he was advanced to the post of registrar. For three years he served in this capacity, (becoming dean of the faculty in 1917. In 1929 he became the depression president under the motto, "More and More On Less and Less." Under his administration the college has paid a \$185,000 debt, increased its endowment to half a million dollars, doubled its faculty and student body, and launched a building campaign.

Guests were Mrs. M. D. Lattimore and Fambrough.

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Mrs. Raymond Morgan, Society Editor

Sonora Art Club Sponsors Exhibit Of Local Painters

The Sonora Art Club sponsored the Art Exhibit Sunday afternoon from 1:30 to 5:30 in the Band Room, which was attended by 80 people of Sonora, San Angelo and Eldorado.

The paintings were done by the following students in the classes conducted by Mrs. Jack Elder of Eldorado during the school year: Mesdames John Fields, Maysie Brown, Marion Stokes; Misses Annie Duncan, and Opal Randal; Basil Halbert, III, Jerry Shurley, Billie Wright Taylor and Norbert Dee McIntyre. Seventy pictures were shown, most of which were originals. A number of linoleum block prints made by the student's group were on display. Several paintings by Mrs. Elders were also shown.

Billy Wright Taylor won the attendance prize for the year in the children's class.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Mesdames C. E. Stites, Maysie Brown, W. P. Truitt, M. D. Lattimore, and A. A. Murray; Misses Nonette Camp, Madge Mosley, Evelyn McCulloch, and Juanita Collier. In charge of the pre-arrangements for the exhibit were Mrs. M. O. Britt, Miss Juanita Collier, Miss Annie Duncan and Miss Evelyn McCulloch. Assisting this committee were Mrs. John Fields, Mrs. Marion Stokes, Miss Leeta Mae Garrett, and Mrs. A. A. Murray.

About 40 pictures of the Sonora exhibit were taken to Sanderson for the exhibit Wednesday, May 14th. The Woman's Club there is sponsoring the exhibit. Mrs. Stokes, Mrs. Fields and Mrs. El-

der accompanied the pictures to Sanderson.

Attending the exhibit during the hours were Belle Steen, Jonnimal Edmonson, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar D. Shurley, Mrs. R. A. Halbert, Mrs. P. J. Taylor, Mrs. R. C. Fields, Mrs. Vernon Hamilton, Clayton Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hodges of Eldorado, Mrs. Palmer West of Rieldale and Eldorado, Mrs. Fred Simmons, Mrs. J. P. Reiley, Mrs. J. C. Stephens, Ernest Carroll Stephens, Mrs. W. E. Caldwell, Thelma Rees, Mrs. Ray Eastland, Mrs. Arthur Carroll, Mrs. A. W. Awalt, Mrs. Viola Randle, Jimmy Taylor, Mrs. A. C. Elliott, Mrs. J. T. Sellman, Mrs. Virginia Fair of San Angelo, Fannie Sellman, Mrs. R. M. Hummett of San Angelo, Gladys Huggins of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Montgomery of San Angelo, A. J. Owens, Mrs. George Hamilton, Mrs. Joe Berger, Herbert Speece, M. D. Lattimore, Mrs. H. G. Decker, Mrs. M. I. Taylor, Mrs. Seth Lancaster, Mrs. Preston Prater, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Willman, Mrs. Bill McGilvary, Mrs. Joe B. Ross, Kathryn Ross, Helen James, Mary Frances McDade, Mrs. Rosana Hildreth, Mrs. J. F. Howell, Dr. Howell, Rev. and Mrs. L. K. Brown, Mrs. Earle Duncan, Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, Mrs. J. H. Brasher, Gwen Wyatt, Nell Hale, Marion Stokes, C. E. Stites, Forrest B. Guest and Sally Dawn Prater.

SCHOOL OFFICIAL HERE

Claude B. Mullins, deputy state school superintendent of District 14 in San Angelo, was visiting the school system Monday.

Mrs. T. E. Glasscock Is Honored Guest At Party Saturday

Mrs. Elward Glasscock was named honored guest at a tea given by Mrs. Vernon Morris, Mrs. Jimmy Nunley and Miss Louise Briscoe Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Neill Rouche.

The guests were greeted by Mrs. Morris and Miss Briscoe presided at the register. Games were played and Mrs. Glasscock, Mrs. Sim Glasscock and Miss Daphne Jungk received the prizes.

The honoree received gifts from Mesdames Fred Ross of San Antonio, Doc Rape, Neill Rouche, Harvey Morris, Sim Glasscock, Ed Glasscock, Alfred Schweining, Mike Moore, G. W. Archer, Lester Archer, Misses Jungk, Nettie Adair Reiley, Mary Gwen Wyatt, Lois Morris, Vada Jean Ross of San Antonio, and Alice Louise Ferguson of San Antonio.

Miss Watkins' Pupils To Present Recitals

Miss Marie Watkins will present her pupils in recitals Friday evening and Saturday evening. Students of the Elementary School will have their recital Friday evening and the High School students Saturday. Both recitals will start at 8 o'clock and will be in the high school auditorium.

Pupils of Miss Watkins are Ann Karnes, Blanche Lavon Taylor, Beverly Smith, Ernest Carrol Stephens, James Theodore Hunt, Jane Neill, Kathryn Ross, Lewis Little, David Shurley, Jimmy Cusenbary, Billy Wright Taylor, Charles Lee Cusenbary, John Allen Ward, Martha Jo Moore, Geraldine Morrow, Sammy Jean Allison, Marjory Dameron, Marguerite Howell, Frances Atchison, Edith Mae Babcock, Marjorie Reba Nisbet, Nancy Christie, Bobbie Nell Gulley, Doris Keene, Billie Shurley, Glen Richardson, Raleigh Gulley and O. L. Richardson.

Miss Watkins invites the public to attend.

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A & M Mothers Club Has Last Meeting Of Year Tuesday

Mrs. G. H. Davis was hostess to the A & M Mother's Club Tuesday at the Hotel McDonald. This is the last meeting of the year.

Maroon and white, the A & M colors, were used in the floral decorations. The luncheon table was centered with red roses and plate favors were corsages of maroon and white flowers.

At the business meeting, the following officers were installed for the coming year: Mrs. W. T. Hardy, president; Mrs. Velma L. Shurley, vice-president; and Mrs. Thomas Espy, secretary and treasurer.

Present were Mrs. Shurley, Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, Miss Marjorie Davis, Mrs. I. B. Boughton, Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. Joe Logan, Mrs. Cashes Taylor, Mrs. M. G. Shurley, Mrs. Gus Wheat and Mrs. Espy.

TO HAVE RECITAL

Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot and Mrs. Albert A. Murray will present their musical, voice and expression pupils in a recital Sunday afternoon in the basement of the Methodist Church at 4:30.

The public is invited to attend.

Mrs. L. E. Holland Entertains Club

Mrs. L. E. Holland was hostess to the Nine of Spades Bridge Club Thursday evening at her home. 2 tables of members were present.

High score was won by Mrs. Bill Cartwright and Mrs. Sibe McKee received low. Roses and larkspurs decorated the home.

The hostess served a sandwich plate to Mesdames T. A. McMillian, Dennis Duke, Jim Decker, Marion Batson, McKee, Cartwright and P. M. Carroll.

San Souci Club Meets Saturday

The San Souci Club members were entertained Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Truitt. Two tables of members were there.

Roses were used as decorations and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kirby won high, and Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Lancaster received low. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Hillman Brown and Mrs. Jimmy Taylor. The hostess served ice cream and cake.

Officers Elected At Meeting Of Pastime Club

Officers were elected Thursday afternoon when the Pastime Club met with Mrs. J. W. Trainer at her home. Spring flowers were used as decorations. Assisting Mrs. Trainer were Mrs. Jodie Trainer.

President, Mrs. C. A. Tyler; vice-president, Mrs. Robert Rees; and secretary, Mrs. J. W. Trainer, were elected for the coming year.

The hostess served a salad plate to Mesdames O. G. Babcock, Joe Berger, W. D. Wallace, Tyler, Rita Ross, Cecil Allen, F. T. Jones, V. L. Cory, C. E. Stites, Robert Rees, members; Hi Eastland, Dan Cauthorn, Rose Thorp, George D. Chalk, B. C. McGilvary, Frankie Trainer, Earl Lomax, Eric Lomax, Josie McDonald and A. W. Awalt, guests.

Mrs. Wallace Wins High At Club Party

Mrs. Rita Ross was hostess to the Idle Hour Club Tuesday afternoon at her home. Two tables of guests and members attended.

High club was won by Mrs. W. D. Wallace and Mrs. C. A. Tyler received high guest. Roses and sweetpeas decorated the home.

A chicken salad plate was served to Mesdames Sterling Baker, Ben Cusenbary, E. F. Vander Stucken, Wallace, members; Tyler, W. E. Caldwell, Frank Bond and Earl Lomax, guests.

Mrs. John Lowrey and Miss Naomi Harris were in Mason visiting relatives over the week-end.

Sonora Music Club Studies Operas At Regular Meeting

A program of opera music was given at the home of Mrs. I. B. Boughton Friday evening when Mrs. Rosana Hildreth and Mrs. Maysie Brown were co-hostesses to the Music Club in its last regular session of the season.

Roll call was answered by names of opera singers. Mrs. Edgar D. Shurley, Miss Marie Watkins, and Miss Thelma Rees discussed Metropolitan operas they saw in Dallas this month. Miss Mildred Dutton played "Romance" by Sibelius as a piano solo.

Mrs. Shurley sang "Die Meitersinger" by Wagner, Miss Rees and Miss Leeta Mae Garrett played a duet arrangement of "Serenade," from "Don Giovanni," by Mozart, and Mrs. W. E. Caldwell conducted the lesson on "Opera and Drama." Guests were Mrs. Lillian Boughton, Mrs. M. D. Lattimore, Mrs. John Bunnell, Mr. and Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot and Miss Madge Mosley.

Mrs. Bell Installs Officers At Meeting Of Legion Auxiliary

A regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was held in the basement of the Methodist Church, May 12 when twenty senior members and one junior member present. Mrs. Bell, district committeewoman, from San Angelo was down to install officers and give us ideas and information regarding the work of the Auxiliary. It was decided to sponsor a poppy sale at an early date. The success of our poppy sale depends largely upon the public cooperation.

Since the Auxiliary is trying to bring to the citizens a fuller realization of the American ideals and principles of our government we will from time to time present an article on Flag Etiquette. There is no better time than now for every man, woman and child to learn the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mrs. R. C. Vicars, Mrs. Robert Halbert and Mrs. J. D. Lowrey were in San Angelo Tuesday.

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Arthur Simmons visited her son, Dock, who is attending school at Sul Ross, Alpine, the last part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wood spent Sunday in Eden visiting Mrs. Wood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Sudduth.

FWB Club Meets Wednesday Evening

Wednesday evening Mrs. Raymond Morgan entertained the Fireman's Wives Bridge Club. Two tables of members were present.

Mrs. Hubert Fields won high. Vases of sweet peas decorated the room.

Corsages of sweet peas were used as plate favors and pie a la mode was served to Mesdames Fields, Beamon Speed, Jodei Trainer, Joe Brasher, T. A. McMillan, Lee Patrick, Bill McGilvary, and Cashes Taylor.

Baptist W. M. S. Meets At Church

The Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church met at the church Wednesday afternoon for their regular meeting.

Mrs. Ban Odom, president, presided and Mrs. Alfred Cooper led the bible study. Others present were C. D. Crumley, Mrs. Gee, Lee Hart, Mrs. P. D. Fullingim, Mrs. G. G. Stephenson, Mrs. H. P. Largent, and Mrs. Alton Cobern.

Tommy Seals Is Honored At Party On Birthday

Mrs. Tommy Seals entertained with a surprise party for her husband on his birthday Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Stephenson.

The bar-b-que supper was served buffet style: Mr. Seals received gifts from Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gulley and children, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Easy Ezell, Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Stephenson and daughter, Mrs. Willie Andrews, Miss Mary Lee Heflin, Brother Barton, Curt and Son Allison, Bill Daniels and Bob Martin of San Antonio.

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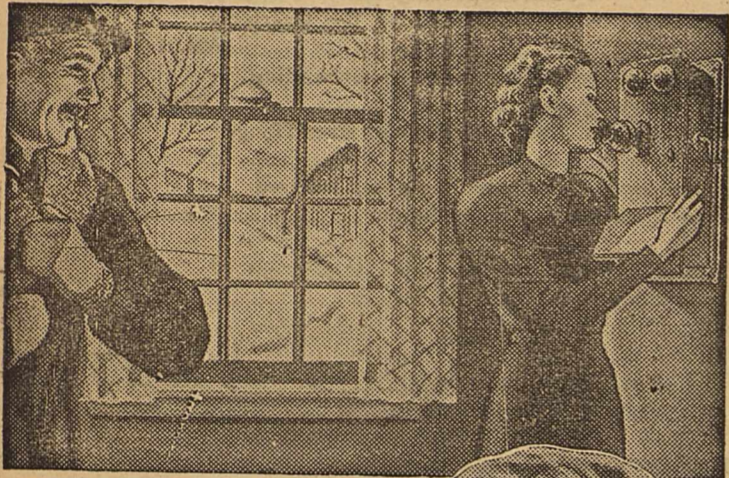
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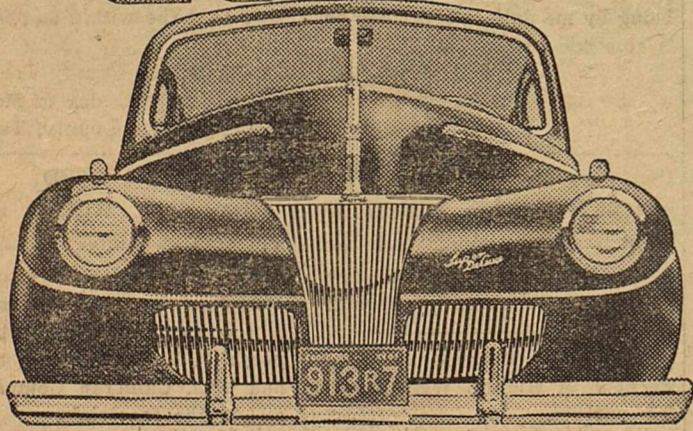
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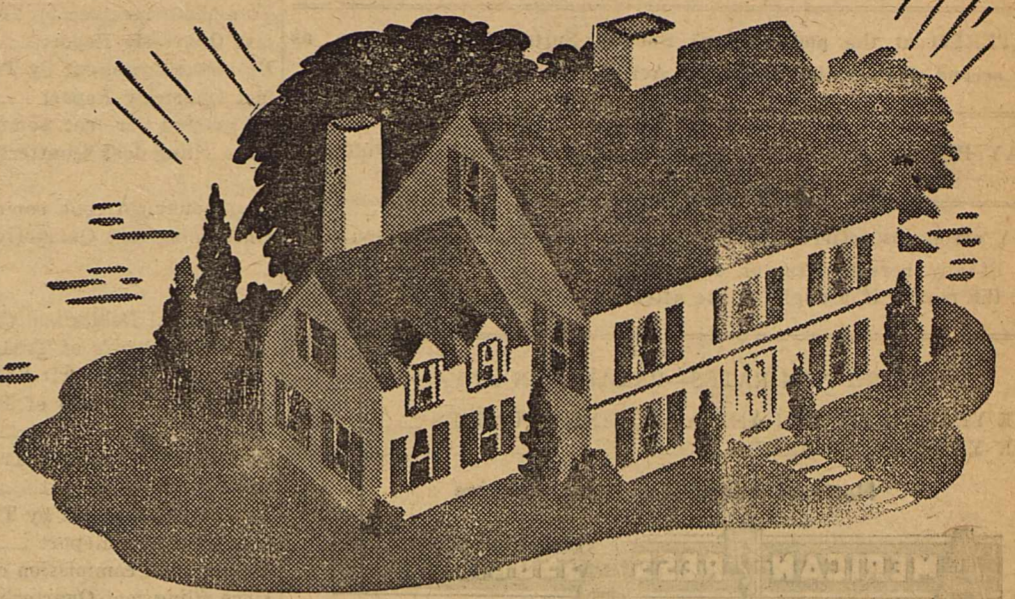


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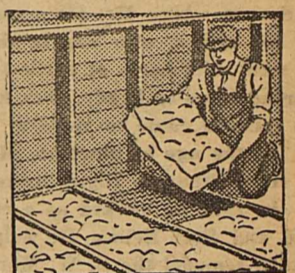
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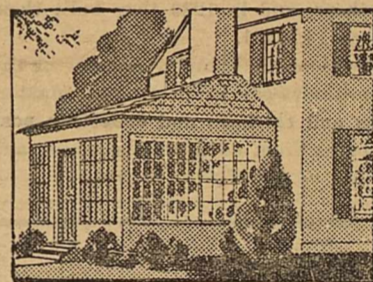
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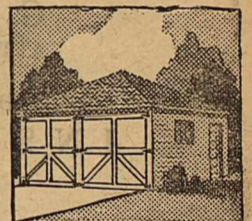


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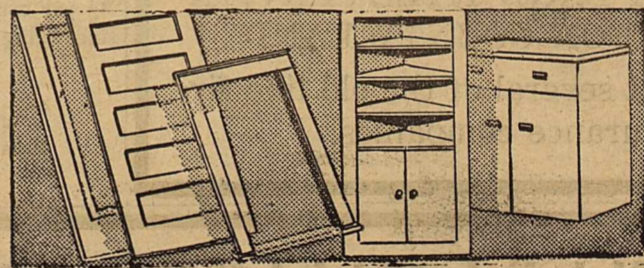
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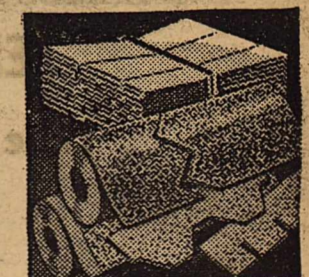
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Auther Simmons, born in Bell County, January 6, 1884, was the cond son of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Simmons. He has one brother, Fred Simmons, who resides here, and four sisters, Mrs. Millie Morris of San Angelo, Mrs. Pat Lee of Ozona, Mrs. R. H. Chalk of Del Rio, and Mrs. Tom Thorp of Sonora.

At an early age, Mr. Simmons moved from Bell County to Junction with his parents, and in 1890 the family moved from Junction to Sonora where Mr. Simmons attended school. Mr. Simmons worked for his father, who was in the ranching business, for several years. He went with herds of cattle to the railroad at Brownwood, before the railroad came to Brady, then he drove herds of cattle to Brady before the railroad came to Menard.

At the age of nineteen, Mr. Simmons accompanied a herd of cattle from Brady to Elgin, Kansas.

In 1912 he worked as a carpenter with Joe Berger, J. T. McClelland and Bert Bellas. He helped build the J. W. Trainer home, and also to remodel the G. W. Morris home.

On September 28, 1910 he married Miss Lillie Bradford of Sonora. They have four children, Mrs. Joe Hull and Mrs. Hillman D. Brown, who reside in Sonora, Robert Allen, who is in the ranching business with Mr. Simmons and resides on the ranch, and Dock, who is attending school at Sul Ross.

In 1915, Mr. Simmons, in partnership with J. S. Allison, leased his father's ranch, and the two operated the ranch until 1920, at which time Mr. Simmons leased the ranch alone until January 29, 1925, when he bought all but four sections of the ranch. The remaining four sections were purchased by his brother, Fred Simmons.

In 1920 the Simmons family purchased their home in town from Ed Fowler. Mrs. Hull now resides there, and in 1930 they built their ranch home, and moved into it March 14, 1931.

Mr. Simmons is a member of the Lions Club, and a member of the Masonic Lodge, having served that organization as Worshipful Master. His hobbies are raising dogie lambs and chickens and collecting post cards. In his collection he included cards from all places he visits, and has some from Mexico and many parts of the United States.

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QUARTERLY REPORT

Of Mrs. Thelma Briscoe, Co. Treasurer of Sutton County, for the Quarter ending the 10th day of May, 1941.

JURY FUND—1st Class	
DR.	CR.
To balance in hands of Treasurer, last Quarterly Report	1570.97
To amount received by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	73.87
By amount paid out by Treasurer, since filing last Quarterly Report	115.54
By amount per cent. commission on amount received since filing last Quarterly Report	.63
	.05
By amount per cent. commission on amount paid out since filing last Quarterly Report	1.87
	.04
Total Debits and Credits	1644.84
Balance in hands of Treasurer	1526.71

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND—2nd Class	
To balance in hands of Treasurer, last Quarterly Report	4308.68
To amount received by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	13712.60
By amount paid out by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	6388.29
By per cent. commission on amount received since filing last Quarterly Report	287.26
	2.22
By per cent. commission on amount paid out since filing last Quarterly Report	125.00
	1.39
Total Debits and Credits	18021.28
Balance in hands of Treasurer	6804.16

GENERAL FUND—3rd Class	
To balance in hands of Treasurer, last Quarterly Report	9053.73
To amount received by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	284.09
By amount paid out by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	2970.46
By per cent. commission on amount received since filing last Quarterly Report	5.00
	.08
By per cent. commission on amount paid out since filing last Quarterly Report	50.00
	.97
Total Debits and Credits	9337.82
Balance in hands of Treasurer	3026.51

C & J FUND—4th Class	
To balance in hands of Treasurer, last Quarterly Report	1591.20
To amount received by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	29.29
By amount paid out by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	105.00
By per cent. commission on amount received since filing last Quarterly Report	.25
	.02
By per cent. commission on amount paid out since filing last Quarterly Report	1.87
	.03
Total Debits and Credits	1620.49
Balance in hands of Treasurer	107.17

SPECIAL ROAD REFUNDING FUND—5th Class	
To balance in hands of Treasurer, last Quarterly Report	1484.94
By amount paid out by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	697.17
By per cent. commission on amount paid out since filing last Quarterly Report	2.13
	.61
Total Debits and Credits	1484.94
Balance in hands of Treasurer	699.91

SPECIAL ROAD BOND B FUND—6th Class	
To balance in hands of Treasurer, last Quarterly Report	4046.19
To amount received by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	1491.92
By amount paid out by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	2500.00
By per cent. commission on amount received since filing last Quarterly Report	25.00
	.49
By per cent. commission on amount paid out since filing last Quarterly Report	50.00
	.50
Total Debits and Credits	5538.11
Balance in hands of Treasurer	2575.99

SPECIAL ROAD BOND C FUND—7th Class	
To balance in hands of Treasurer, last Quarterly Report	4259.98
To amount received by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	530.54
By amount paid out by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	2500.18
By per cent. commission on amount received since filing last Quarterly Report	10.00
	.13
By per cent. commission on amount paid out since filing last Quarterly Report	50.00
	.50
Total Debits and Credits	4790.52
Balance in hands of Treasurer	2560.81

PARK FUND—8th Class	
To balance in hands of Treasurer, last Quarterly Report	1160.09
To amount received by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	9.77
By amount paid out by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	367.27
By per cent. commission on amount received since filing last Quarterly Report	.21
	.01
By per cent. commission on amount paid out since filing last Quarterly Report	7.50
	.07
Total Debits and Credits	1169.86
Balance in hands of Treasurer	375.06

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT FUND—9th Class	
To balance in hands of Treasurer, last Quarterly Report	1624.01
To amount received by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	29.29
By amount paid out by Treasurer since filing last Quarterly Report	242.25
By per cent. commission on amount received since filing last Quarterly Report	.25
	.02
By per cent. commission on amount paid out since filing last Quarterly Report	5.00
	.04
Total Debits and Credits	1653.30
Balance in hands of Treasurer	247.56

RECAPITULATION	
Balance to the credit of Jury Fund	1526.71
Balance to the credit of Road and Bridge Fund	11217.12
Balance to the credit of General Fund	6311.31
Balance to the credit of C & J Fund	1513.32
Balance to the credit of Refunding Bonds Fund	785.03
Balance to the credit of Special Road Bond B Fund	2962.12
Balance to the credit of Special Road Bond C Fund	2229.71
Balance to the credit of Park Fund	794.80
Balance to the credit of Public Improvement Fund	1405.74
Total Amount of Cash in all the Funds	28745.86

ASSETS OTHER THAN ACTUAL CASH		
5 S. H. Bonds	\$500.00	2500.00
5 Jefferson County Bonds	1000.00	5000.00
8 Archer County Bonds	1000.00	8000.00
20 Corpus Christi Bonds	1000.00	20000.00
1 Sutton County Bond		1000.00
1 Pecos County Bond		1000.00
2 Ellis County Bonds	1000.00	2000.00
6 Duval County Bonds	1000.00	6000.00
2 Eastland County Bonds	1000.00	2000.00
3 Bee County Bonds	1000.00	3000.00
2 Sutton County Warrants	2500.00	5000.00
55	TOTAL	\$55,500.00

Examined and approved in open Commissioner's Court of Sutton County at Sonora, this May 12th, 1941.

ALVIS JOHNSON,
Presiding Officer of Commissioner's Court.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF SUTTON:

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Mrs. Thelma Briscoe, County Treasurer of Sutton County, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing is true and correct.

MRS. THELMA BRISCOE, County Treasurer
Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 12th day of May, 1941.
J. D. LOWREY, Clerk, Sutton County, Texas.

Bronco News

Junior Cass Spends Friday In Christoval

Members of the Junior class attended a barbecue and picnic at Christoval Friday afternoon.

Class members attending were Eugene Alley, Wilfred Berger, Richard Boughton, W. C. Collier, Vernon Cook, Raleigh Gully, Nell Hale, J. R. Hudson, Jack Lindsey, Louise Merriman, Willie B. Ory, Opal Randle, Glen Richardson, Fannie Sellman, R. W. Stephenson, Addie Thorp, Jamie Trainer, Geo. D. Chalk, Wayne White, Violet White, Gwen Wyatt.

Guests were Mesdames J. W. Trainer, Hub Hale, Henry Wyatt, J. T. Sellmai, and J. D. Wallace, and Miss Jonnimai Edmonson.

L. W. Elliott Seniors To Be Honored Friday

Members of the senior class of the L. W. Elliott School will be guests of the junior class at a banquet Friday night.

Miss Oleta McIlvain, junior sponsor, is in charge of general arrangements and Miss Bernice

Henderson has charge of refreshments. Miss Mary Frances McDade is senior sponsor and members of the seventh and eighth grades are to assist in serving.

Miss Faye Ramsey spent last weekend in Mineral Wells visiting her parents.

HOUSE REPAINTED

Mrs. N. B. Wilson's residence has been repainted, white with green trim. Also the kitchen has been repared and repainted, and a new roof has been put on the porch. J. W. Duckett did the work and Wm. Cameron Company furnished the materials.

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Bombing Intensified, Says Mary

Southampton, Monday, April 7.

Dear Reggie,

I cycled home yesterday from a week-end in the country, at Rippling Farm, where mother and I went after Southampton's big blitz. I left the office at 12:30 on Saturday and reached West Meon about 3:00 (It took such a long time because there was a strong wind blowing). I called in at Tully's Drapery Store that I told you about once to buy a face flannel and while I was in there I had a good look around. It was in even a worse muddle than how I remembered it before. There seemed to be more odds and ends piled up on the counter and more things hanging from the ceiling than ever. What amused me was a village girl in an astrakan coat right down to her ankles choosing a coat amongst all the debris. I heard her say, "Well, I could have it shortened but I just hate having things altered." This tickled me because she looked so absurd in the coat she was wearing. Her feet stuck out from underneath just like a penguin's. I wonder why

it is poor country girls dress so atrociously. They don't seem to know or care how they look, and even at a dance I went to in Petersfield with my cousin I was astounded at the illfitting and unattractive frocks. However, Canadians and Americans there were having a good time. I danced with several of your countrymen and I was thrilled because I hadn't met any Americans before. They told me they had travelled to Canada to volunteer and had been in England since Xmas. One Canadian was talking to me about the differences in Canadian and English life. "You know, we can't understand this class distinction business. In Canada everyone is equal, whether they've money or not. The relationship between officers and men in the army is very different, too." I should say it is. I couldn't believe my ears the first time I heard a New Zealander call an officer by his Christian name, and vice versa. And, I've heard, that an officer who is friendly with his old comrades in the ranks is "sent to Country" by his co-officers. It seems all very wrong to me. I think the Colonial's way is much better. "If we don't like an officer it's pretty bad for him," said one Canadian. The result is that officers make sure they are liked and respected, which is all to the good.

The day I left to cycle back to Southampton I was sitting at dinner in the farmhouse kitchen and I thought: "This war hasn't touched you people at all." I looked around the large, cream painted

room, at the huge dresser with the big blue rigs for milk and cream; at the healthy, untroubled faces of the farmer and his sons, and lastly at the good food they were eating so absorbedly. They regard their meals as necessary daily events, and no more as a break for conversation or argument than the daily winding of the clock. They eat quickly and plenty and do not talk at all, unless perhaps a mumbled remark about the new calf or the cloudy sky.

They hear the 1 o'clock news and cannot be blamed for remaining unmoved at the number of casualties in the last night's air raids over this country. They've never heard the continuous scream of bombs, the steady thump and crash of them, and "air raid" to them is just a word, not a ghastly reality. These people, when shopping in Petersfield are shocked at the numbers of over-night bombers from Portsmouth. They are sorry for the young girls in cotton frocks, and with bundles of bedding over their shoulders. But their compassion is not strong enough for them to contribute some of their own wealth and plenty. I suppose the yon't understand, and can't be blamed.

Naturally, rationing does not worry them either, though I suppose if they were very scrupulous they would be in the same position as the rest of us.

However, I cycled the 24 miles home reflecting that in spite of the comfortable life they have (as far as the war is concerned), I would far, far rather live in battered and scarred Southampton. At least we are wide awake and appreciative of life while we've got it and, as someone said the other day, "It's all history in the making."

When I was within 15 miles of Southampton I could pick out the balloons, little grey specks up in the clouds, and further away there were hardly discernable little dots keeping guard over Portsmouth. Then the ride through the towyn, past houses ripped in two, with perhaps a bed sticking out into space or a staircase open to the weather, and everywhere people walking by these ruins and shells, with not so much as a glance at them, people laughing and talking and providing a big contrast to the general desolation. I noticed a little boy calling out at a corner: "Echo, sir—Echo, sir . . . helluva row in Europe, sir." I've noticed since that he always calls the same thing, but he's quite justified.

107 was still standing looking, with its half-blind windows at the wrecked house opposite, at the chimneys rearing high above heaps of bricks that used to be homes. It's the contrast of it all that's so impressive. Here, in this warm, comfortable room, I can look out and see what used to be 6 happy secure homes. And tonight ours may be in the same state. If it was, no one, not even ourselves, would be surprised; we have taken wholesale murder and wanton pillage as part of our daily existence.

April 14th—Yesterday, Easter Sunday, I went with pop to the Guildhall to hear the Wessex Philharmonic Orchestra and Mark Hamburg, the famous pianist. The concert was well attended, every seat being taken, I think, and though the music was rather above me, I enjoyed watching the audience. At these symphony concerts you see plenty of "aristocratic" young men, one or two with beards and a large number with mops of long, uncoiled hair. They wear bow ties or rakish scarves and look arrogant and aloof. Why they have to dress so noticeably is beyond me, unless they find it inspires them.

There are those upper middle classes too who go, not so much to enjoy the music, but to wear their smartest clothes and be seen doing "the right thing."

I hadn't heard any of the programme previously so didn't appreciate it so much as I would have done if I'd been familiar with the music. I think you have to hear a big orchestral work several times before you begin to understand it. I came home mentally exhausted and comforted myself with some swing on the wireless.

I'm going to the pictures this afternoon while I have the chance, though we shall be able to enjoy ourselves a little in the evenings when the clock is put forward another hour, and it will be light until 11 o'clock at night.

I've volunteered for work in the evenings at the communal feeding centres. I don't know at all what it will be like and am waiting for instructions from HQ when and where to start. I'll tell you about it when I've been.

The sirens are going, the the Docks imminent danger signal has sounded, too. People might as well be stone deaf for all the attention that is paid to "wailing winnie." We don't worry unless we hear

guns or bombs, in the daytime. At night, of course, it's different, but our fighters don't give the Germans much peace in the daytime. I don't think there's any more news, except that we're all feeling a bit despondent about affairs in the East, now the G Germans have started, but things will turn out all right in the end if we're patient enough.

All the best, and write soon.

MARY.

Urge Boards To Draft Machinisst

All local draft boards are urged by the President of the United States, the National Selective Service Director and the State Selective Service Director to comb their rolls to insure that every man skilled in the operation of a defense production machine be engaged in that capacity. General Lewis B. Hershey, National Director of Selective Service said, "The burden of making the necessary determination is on selective service, and reluctance of an individual or his employer to claim deferment must not be allowed to defeat the paramount national interest."

It has been announced by General J. Watt Page, State Selective Service Director, that selective regulations have been amended so as to allow inductees ample time to adjust their personal affairs before reporting for duty.

Previously, at least five days had to elapse between the time a registrant received his order to report for induction and the actual date of induction.

The amendment extends this period to ten days and authorizes the local boards to increase the time to sixty days or more when they deem such extensions justified. The new amendment gives local boards full authority to afford individual registrants an opportunity to make adjustments in their business affairs, take examinations required of certain professions by state laws, and otherwise make satisfactory arrangements in their private lives before entering upon service with the nation's armed forces.

General Page advised all men selected for military training who are preparing to leave for army military training to travel light and take nothing but essentials with them. Unnecessary articles taken to induction centers, together with any prohibited by military regulations, must be returned by the draftee to his home at his own expense.

General Page said that 1,000 white trainees moved from Texas' local boards to army induction centers Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, and 600 colored registrants will be inducted on May 19 and 20. This will bring the total trainees furnished by Texas since last November to 25,185, which is approximately seventy-nine per cent of the state's quota for the first year of the program.

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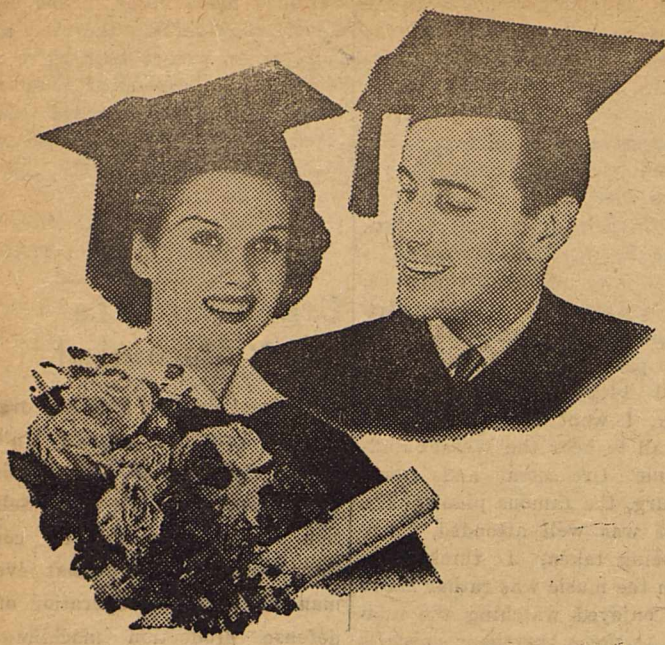
Miss Daphne Jungk, who is in nurses' training in Temple visited her mother, Mrs. Zola Jungk, over Mother's Day.

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Sweet Milk, Grade A, 2 Quarts 19c

Cut Beans, No. 2 Can, 3 for 25c	Campbell's Corn-flakes, 2 boxes 17c
Baking Powder, K. C. 25-Oz. 17c	Corn Beef, square can 21c
Salad Dressing Lady Peggy, qt. 25c	Ripple Wheat 10c
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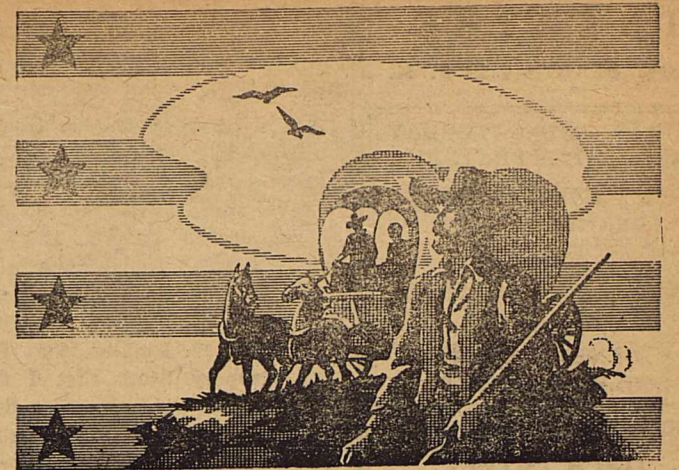
Tomatoes, Small Can 4c	Catsup, 14-oz. bottle 11c
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