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FORTY-SECOND WEEK

E. A. Brodhead Named New School Head

Miss Pye Elected Girls PE Director; Three Teachers Yet To Be Named

Eugene A. Brodhead of Overton was elected superintendent of the Sonora Public Schools at a meeting of the school board Tuesday night.

Brodhead, who has been superintendent of Overton Public Schools since 1946, received his elementary and high school training in the eastern part of the United States, attending schools in Boston, Mass., Pittsburgh, Pa., Youngstown, Ohio, and Girard, Kansas. He received his B. A. degree with a mathematics major and a science minor from George Peabody College; his M. A. degree, with an education major and psychology minor from Southern Methodist University. He has also done second year graduate work in the field of psychology at George Peabody College, Tulane University and the University of Texas.

Brodhead is married and has one son, Gene, eight years old. His wife was a school teacher before their marriage. He was born in the middle eastern part of the United States but has lived all of his adult life in the middle west and south. He has lived in Texas for the last twenty-one years and has taught school, as an assistant in physics and chemistry at the University of Texas; as principal at Gladewater and Overton, and also two years of vocational classes to workers in the oil fields.

In high school and college Brodhead was a member of the football team. He was a member of the college debate team for two years, and participated in dramatic activities in college and high school. He produced his own radio program during one year in college and operated, and still holds, an amateur radio "ticket."

He is a member of the Texas and National Teachers Associations; Advisory Committee Texas Study of Secondary Education; Kappa Phi Kappa; Phi Delta Kappa; American and Texas Association of School Administrators; Board of Directors of American Association of Educational Travel; Rotary Club; Masonic Lodge; Board of Stewards of Methodist Church; Board of Directors of Chamber of Commerce, and is superintendent of the Overton Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Brodhead arrived in Sonora Monday for an interview with the school board, and before leaving Wednesday he made the following statement, "Both Mrs. Brodhead and I have enjoyed visiting in your community during the last two days. We appreciate the many courtesies shown us.

"I have discussed your present school program at length with Mr. Wells. I bring immediate experience from a stable school situation of approximately the same size as Sonora. My duties there are similar to the responsibilities required here, in supervision of maintenance, act as purchasing agent, correlation of business activities and give general direction to the school program.

Livestock News

Vestel Askew, buyer for Armour and Company, bought 650 lambs from Lee Fawcett, 500 lambs from Frank Bond and 500 yearling muttons from Johnny Hamby this past week.

Johnny Hamby bought a number of sheep from Edwin Jackson of Eldorado for Bledsoe Lovestock Co., San Angelo. Included were 800 yearling ewes, 2,000 head of 2 and 3 year old ewes and 3,000 to be delivered about Sept. 1, have been sold to Harris Bros. of San Angelo.

Fields Bros. this week are to take delivery on the first bunch of 2,700 ewe lambs they have purchased during recent weeks.

They are to get 1,600 from Billy Boyce, Del Rio livestock dealer, and later are to get 1,100 from Al DuMain, San Angelo and Las Vegas, Nev.

They have also purchased 1,300 mixed lambs from Don Anderson, San Angelo sheep dealer.

Fields Bros. recently contracted 2,200 lambs to Boyce at 22½ cents per pound for the Columbia crossbreds and 23 cents per pound for the blackface lambs.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Andrews and daughter, Linda, and Misses Ann Roark and Betty Harper, all of Shreveport, La., have been guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ratliff. Mrs. Andrews is Mrs. Ratliff's sister. Miss Roark is Mrs. Ratliff's niece and Miss Harper her cousin.

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Boys And Girls Summer Program Termed Success

The Boys and Girls Summer Program for 1950 ended last week. The program was conducted by Mrs. E. L. Swindell and Bill Willard.

The part of the program under the direction of Willard included the photography club, baseball, junior and senior teen-canteen. The report turned in by Willard at the end of the program showed the average attendance at the junior teen-canteen to the largest. The photography club had an average attendance of 7 members, baseball 23, and the senior teen-canteen 27.

Mrs. Swindell, in charge of arts and crafts, had an average attendance of 25 children ranging in ages from 4 to 12. Activities for these children included making of several kinds of bracelets, braiding whips, painting tin cans for use as drinking cups, modeling clay, and making bookends and decorating them with electric woodburning pens.

The recreational reading program was very successful in getting children interested in reading library books, according to Mrs. Swindell. An approximate average of one hundred books per week was checked out. Film strips and motion picture films from the State Department of Education were used each week to help make the program more interesting.

fications, I sincerely feel that I will fill the position of Superintendent of the Sonora Public Schools."

The school board elected Miss Jewel Pye of Houston as the director of physical education for girls. Miss Pye taught one year in the San Jacinto school in San Angelo, and two years in the San Angelo high school.

The board also contracted the apartment house from L. W. Elliott for the coming year as a housing facility for the teachers.

Three teachers are yet to be elected. They include the music teacher for the L. W. Elliott School, 7th grade elementary teacher, and the combination mathematics and junior coach for the high school.

Soil Conservation District

A rain is always welcome in this country, but how do we "welcome" the rain? That may be even more important than just how much rain we get, according to many ranchers in the Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District.

Tests made by rangemen with the SCS, following last week's rain, would indicate that too often we turn a "cold shoulder" to the rain and let most of the moisture escape down the drain.

On the Tom Davis ranch, test holes dug in areas on a valley site, where the grass cover was very sparse and resembling rangeland in poor condition, 4.75 inches of rain only penetrated eight inches.

The same rain, on six feet away, but under a fair condition of curlymesquite, buffalograss, and sideoats grama, penetrated 25 inches.

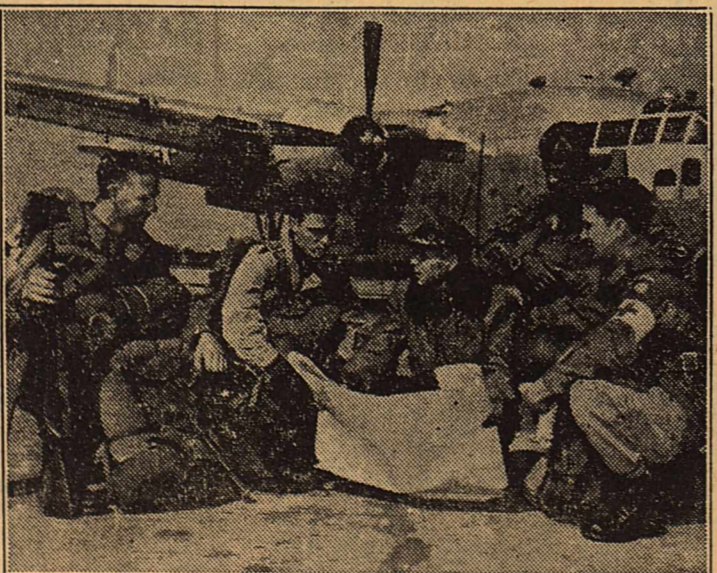
These tests were made on the north side of the District, but similar ones made in the District and on different sites have shown approximately the same results.

The value and importance of grass cover can not be over-emphasized on rangeland. With only a fair cover three times as much water was taken up and held in the soil as was saved on the poor range. This gives substance to the statement that most of our "droughts" are man-made.

In addition to the importance of grass in getting water into the ground is the value it plays in keeping the moisture there.

Evaporation tests made on the Dave Locklin ranch five days following the four inch rain last week proved again the extreme value of grass cover. On areas resembling poor range condition with sparse grass cover, evaporation had taken the top inch of soil moisture and the ground was beginning to crust over. On the same

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EVERY STATE HAS A STAKE—In the Joint Army-Air Force "Exercise Swarmer" which will be held in late April and May involving training for 43,000 Army and 18,000 Air Force personnel from all parts of the country, these North Carolinian paratroopers of the 82nd Airborne Division got the first briefing from Lieutenant Lauris Norstad, maneuver commander. They are: Pfc. Jimmie N. Griffin, Monroe, N. C.; Pfc. Alfred H. Gainey, Mt. Holly, N. C.; General Norstad, Cpl. Jack Murphy, Burgaw, N. C., and Cpl. James R. Lane, Gastonia, N. C. (Official Department of Defense Photo)

TELEPHONE COOP NEEDS 51 MORE SUTTON SIGNERS

According to a letter received Wednesday from Chester Kenley, secretary of the West Texas Telephone Cooperative, it will be necessary for 51 more people in Sutton County to sign up for telephone service before the application can be sent to Washington.

Carroll Land, manager of the Concho Valley REA, said that he thinks that 70 to 75 per cent of the prospective telephone users in the area should be signed up before submitting the application.

Sutton County now has 45 signers which is about 30 per cent of the subscribers needed. Kenley urged that all persons interested in the cooperative sign up at once since August 10 is the deadline for maps showing locations of phones to be sent in.

Application blanks are available at the county agent's office or Corner Drug Store.

ELDORADO TO BE HOST TO HILL COUNTRY FIREMEN

Eldorado is to be host to members of the Hill Country Firemen's Association summer gathering Tuesday.

A complete entertainment program for both the firemen and their auxiliaries is planned.

Members chapters in the association are Ballinger, Bangs, Coleman, Brady, Eden, Eldorado, Junction, Mason, Melvin, Menard, Ozona, San Angelo, Santa Anna, Sonora and Winters.

Cedar Hill School Ex-Students Hold Second Annual Reunion

The second annual get-together of the ex-student association of the Cedar Hill School was held at Camp Allison Saturday afternoon and officers for the coming year were named.

C. W. Adams, 78 years old, of Camp Allison, who served as chairman of arrangements for the barbecue was the oldest ex-student present. Mrs. Harry Thiers of Roosevelt, who taught at the school in 1908, was the oldest ex-teacher present. Mrs. Dock Joy, who is now 84 years old, was the oldest school patron in attendance, while Miss Vina Adams, 15, of Marathon was the youngest ex-student present. Mrs. Ray Dickerson of Cotter, Arizona, traveled the farthest to attend the meeting. She is the former Miss Virginia Adams of Camp Allison.

According to C. W. Adams the first school was built there in 1882, about a mile east of the present location of what is now Camp Allison. It was made of cedar logs, had a dirt floor and was heated by a fireplace. School lasted only two or three months during the year and the teacher received a salary of \$30 a month with his board costing \$10 per month. The school did not use the graded system, but a child's progress was marked by what reader he was in. When he finished the first reader he then went to the second reader, and so on, until he finished the eight reader or got tired and quit school.

By 1909 the population had

moved westward and it was decided to build a new school house more centrally located and land was donated for a school where the present building now stands, on the north bank of the Llano River about a half mile west of Camp Allison. It was a two-story structure with the second story to be used for a Masonic Lodge. This building was destroyed by fire in 1917 soon after school had started in September. By November a new building was ready and school started again.

In 1947 the Cedar Hill School District became a part of the Sonora district and since then the students ride a school bus to attend the Sonora schools. The building is used as a community center at present.

Joe F. Logan, a Sutton County ranchman and the president of the Sonora Lions Club, attended one session of the Cedar Hill School after he was married and had one child. His teacher was the father of Coke Stevenson. He said he studied history, reading, geography and lots of arithmetic.

Miss Sudie Merck, now Mrs. Harry Thiers of Roosevelt, taught there in 1908. She told of a 22-year-old girl pupil who started to school and had never attended school before and didn't know any of her letters. When she finished her first year she was able to do third grade work. Her parents didn't believe in education and she had gone to work on a ranch where she was encouraged to go to school. She rode horseback from the ranch and attended one year.

Teachers attending the reunion were Mrs. Thiers, Roosevelt, Mrs. Gene Lightfoot, Mrs. Leonard Caldwell and Mrs. Roy Valliant, all of Sonora, Mrs. Earl Adams of Camp Allison.

Miss Nell Adams presided during the business meeting and the following committee was elected to serve for next year: Mrs. Roy Valliant, Mrs. Matt Adams, Mrs. Willie Andrews, Mrs. Gene Lightfoot, M. E. Joy, Matt Adams and Gene Adams. The last Saturday in July, 1951 was set as the time of the next meeting.

More than 200 members and visitors registered. Those serving on the committee for this year's entertainment were C. W. Adams, Miss Nell Adams, Mrs. Terry Baker, Mrs. Leonard Caldwell, Vance Eubank, Lester Shroyer and Leo Adams.

The lord mayor of London is annually elected from among the aldermen who have been sheriffs of the city.

Drive slowly through School zones.

Edwards Plateau SCS Makes Good Progress In 1950

As many of us look back over the first six months of 1950, we fail to see any tangible signs of progress. This is not true of the Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District.

There are approximately 160 ranchers in the District, which comprises all of Sutton County and the NW half of Edwards County. Of this number, 102 are actively participating in the conservation program of the District. These 102 ranchers represent approximately 728,000 acres of some of the best rangeland in Texas.

Since January 1, 1950, SCS technicians have worked out 19 ranch conservation plans with co-operators in the District. These 19 plans represent approximately 137,000 acres.

While these figures are impressive, Tom Darrow, Work Unit Conservationist, pointed out that the application of planned conservation projects is the real key to District progress.

Ranchers, with the help of their own Soil Conservation District, and the assistance of the Soil Conservation Service, have compiled an enviable amount of applied sound land use practices, in the short time that the District has been in operation. Each day the District is gaining momentum as new applications are received and new conservation plans are worked out.

Since livestock is the major source of income in the Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District, ranchers must keep in mind the condition of the rangeland on which this livestock runs. It takes good grass to make good livestock and therefore a good income.

Good range management is the key to range improvement. Proper stocking rates, deferments and rotated grazing practices all need to be fitted into a plan along with water, fencing, etc., in order to bring about desired improvements.

During the last six months co-operators in the District have rested some 48,000 acres of rangeland. In doing so, they are giving their grass a chance to grow and cover up bare spots. The better grasses will have a chance to seed out and gain a better foothold. Not only will resting a pasture increase the volume growth and variety of grass but it will also increase its ability to conserve water and soil.

In an effort to hasten range improvement on bare hazard areas in the District, co-operators have reseeded some 456 acres of rangeland to native and introduced

Sonora Ball Club To Play Angelo Here Sunday

The Sonora baseball team will face a new team next Sunday when San Angelo comes here for a game. The game was originally scheduled to be played in San Angelo, but the Cubbie team of the Concho Basin League has folded. The 20-30 Club is to play in its place and requested that the game be played here.

Van Horner, who will be the manager of the new team, plans to pick up four or five of the Cubbie players and combine them with the pick of the 20-30 Club.

Last Sunday Robert Lee, Concho Basin leaders by a broad margin, continued to set the pace in the league by beating Sonora 10 to 5 in a game played at Allison Field.

Byron Stuart of the Sonora team scored a two bagger and two singles in five trips to the plate and John Bell slammed a double and single.

Stuart pitched the first seven innings for Sonora and was relieved in the eighth frame by Talmon Millican.

HAUSERS VISITING IN SAN ANTONIO

The Rev. and Mrs. Stanley F. Hauser and daughter, Mary Madeline, are visiting Mrs. Hauser's parents, Col. and Mrs. B. J. Horner, in San Antonio. The Hausers plan to be gone about two weeks. Services at St. John's Church will be conducted Sunday by Jimmy Morrow and Tyree Hardy, and the following Sunday by the Rev. H. E. Moreland of Brownsville, a former rector of the local church.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hall have gone to Camp Waldemar at Hunt to visit their daughter, Carolyn.

STUDENTS URGED TO APPLY EARLY FOR PART-TIME JOBS

If you are planning to enter the University of Texas this fall and want part-time work, you should come to Austin and seek your job now, Student Employment Director Joe Farrar announced.

"We usually are swamped with 1,200 to 2,000 applications in September and it's impossible then to fill all of them immediately," he said. "Part-time work demand is greatest now for girls who can take shorthand and type and for boys who can do retail selling."

"Writing us for work won't help. An employer wants to meet the student he's going to hire. If a student has \$200 saved before he comes to the University, I think he can complete his school year by doing part-time work."

The University maintains the Student Employment Bureau in old B Hall, just east of the Main Building. The Bureau is a central agency for employers and both undergraduates and graduates.

Roping Club To Sponsor Two Matched Ropings

Members of the Sonora Roping Club are having two matched roping events this weekend at the Sonora Racetrack Arena. The first, Saturday night at 8 o'clock, will feature the roping of 6 calves by Dan Vogel of Sonora versus Crawford Mitchell of Rocksprings. There will also be a girls barrel race and jackpot ropings Saturday night.

Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock there will be a matched roping between Jim Bob Altizer of Sanderson and Tom Powers of Ozona. They will rope six calves. The Sunday afternoon program will also include a girls barrel race and jackpot ropings.

Of the many introduced grasses tried, K.R. bluestem and slender grama seem to be the best adapted. Native grasses that are being used successfully are little bluestem and sideoats grama.

Even though cultivated land covers less than 10 per cent of the District's land area, it represents some of our most fertile and productive sites. However, by constantly cropping and returning nothing to the soil these areas have decreased in fertility and yields to a point where a large portion have become hazard areas. By applying good conservation practices and management to this cropland, many District co-operators are converting liabilities into assets.

Farming on the contour, or water level, is being practiced on 1,950 acres of cultivated land to help hold soil and water in place. This treatment is recommended for all cultivated land in the District.

Cover crops in the form of clovers, peas, etc., are being grown in the District. Some 600 acres of these soil building and soil conserving cover crops have been planted in the District.

Another conservation practice for cultivated land applied in the District is field and diversion terraces. During the last six months, 4.6 miles of terraces and 1.6 miles of diversions have been installed by District co-operators.

Many of the co-operators in the District are planting all or parts of their cultivated land to grass. This furnishes the rancher with a cheap seed source of his own and also furnishes some grazing. Some 233 acres of cropland have been returned to native and introduced grasses this spring.

These figures on accomplishments, together with the fact that even more conservation work is planned for the next six months than ever before, show that ranchers are concerned with the need for conservation and improving their rangelands.

Hamby Opens Office

J. F. Hamby has leased the office adjoining the Park Inn Cafe and will have a business there. The space was formerly used as the office for the Sonora Courts.

Miss Madeline Bell of Mahaffey, Penn., and Miss Marie Garrity of Patton, Penn., left Tuesday for their homes after a month's visit in the home of Miss Bell's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Bell.

Misses Alice Karnes and Addie Thorp, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thorp and Clyde Clemens spent the weekend in Brady fishing.

Attend SOME Church Sunday.

Change Of Status Must Be Reported To Draft Board

3 SONORA MEN CALLED FOR PHYSICAL EXAMS

Filing of the Texas draft quota of 2,513 men for September is being jeopardized by the fact that many men, now classified in 1-A, have failed to report marriages and other changes in their circumstances. Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state director of Selective Service, charged in a strongly-worded statement Thursday.

"If we fail to furnish the number of men desired from this state, this failure on the part of many men will be the chief factor in that failure," General Wakefield said.

The state director said that many of the local draft boards are reporting that when they issue orders to report for physical examination, many of the registrants are coming in with evidence of marriages that took place "many months before."

General Wakefield pointed out that if these men who have married had notified local boards immediately after the marriage took place, they would never have been sent an order to report for physical examination in the first place.

"We are operating with little time to get the job done demanded of us," the general said. "The local boards, unless they want to declare such registrants delinquent, have to turn around and get out an order to report for physical examination to the next man in order of age. All this takes time, and our local boards have a short deadline to meet."

Selective Service wants to "be reasonable about this situation," the state director said, "but we know that the patience of our local board members are wearing thin. We just want to point out that it is not mandatory under the law that married men be reclassified into III-A under such circumstances."

"Such men who fail to report change of status, such as marriage, or a change of address legally are eligible to be declared delinquent for failure to comply with the law. A delinquent can be inducted immediately ahead of all others under this law, and if we are forced to do so in order to meet our calls, we will comply with the law to the letter," General Wakefield continued.

The state director concluded with the statement that notifications concerning marriage, change of address, and other changes of status are "the entire responsibility of the registrant," and that notifications of change must be sent to local board in writing over the signature of the registrant.

"Too much damage already has been done," he said. "The time is almost past for men to get things squared with their draft boards."

Men who have been called for physical examination from Local Board 110 for the 10th of August are: Pedro P. Virgen, Sonora, Claude Gilmer, Rocksprings, Jesus R. Mata, Jr., Sonora, Ralph P. Mayer, Sonora, Olge F. Halbert, Eldorado, Earl L. Jennings, Junction, George P. Malbis, Ozona, and William M. Spurgers, Eldorado.

Twelve men will go for physical examination on the 17th day of August, and their names will be released at a later date.

ROBERT LOVELACE TAKEN TO GOODFELLOW HOSPITAL

The condition of Robert Lovelace, who taken to San Angelo, remained unchanged late Thursday afternoon. The cause of his illness, which had at first been diagnosed as polio, had not been determined.

Lovelace was taken from a San Angelo hospital to Goodfellow Field Hospital, where tests are being run to determine the cause of his illness.

Congratulations To These New Parents

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Elliott are parents of twins, a girl and a boy, born here Wednesday afternoon.

The girl weighed 6 pounds, 6 ounces and the boy weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces.

The Elliotts live on the J. O. Mills ranch, where Elliott is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen of Perryton were guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Howell the past weekend.

45 Years Ago

Dock Simmons, one of our well-known stockmen, was in from his ranch about 9 miles west of Sonora Thursday on business. Dock has just finished delivering about 140 head of one-and two-year-old steers to Max Mayer, who is buying for the Val Verde Land and Cattle Co.

Glas Sharp of Val Verde County was in Sonora this week and reports the sale of his spring clip at Del Rio at 21 cents, also that the Chas. Markwood clip brought 21 and the Joe Ellis and Louis Lane clips at 22 cents per pound.

E. L. Burchett, Findlater's windmill erector, has just completed the erection of the second Samson 20 foot windmill for T. D. Newell, proprietor of the Sonora Water Works. The tower is 51 feet high and the mill and tower complete weighs about 12,000 pounds. Mr. Burchett says

this is the heaviest and tallest wood tower he has erected. This mill pumps 30 gallons per minute and is quite an addition to the other three wells.

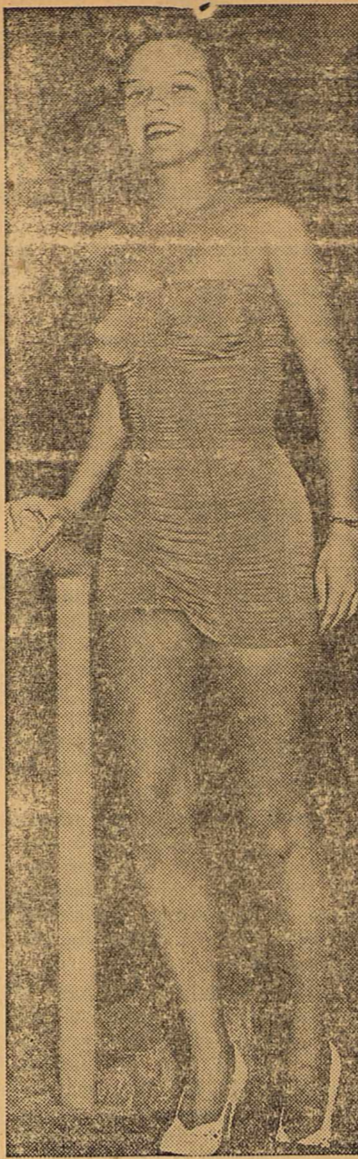
Blake Cauthorn, of the sheep firm of Hamilton and Cauthorn, was in Sonora Monday on his way to see his sheep.

Miss Evelyn A. Reiley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Reiley of Owensville, was graduated from the English course at the Immaculate Conception Academy at San Angelo.

Henry Sharp, who is running the Hamilton and Cauthorn sheep, was in Sonora Saturday after some herders. Henry says Brownie is doing fine on frijoli beans and left him in charge of the sheep and on that account had to hurry back or he would have to get another flock.

R. H. Chalk was in from the ranch Tuesday for supplies. He says he will bring in a load of watermelons soon.

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"Miss Alice," Texas, above, is in reality Miss Pola Ellis, who represented her home town at the MISS TEXAS Pageant at Landa Park in New Braunfels, August 4 and 5.

With the title will go the "Miss Texas Scholarship Award" of \$500 and a free trip to Atlantic City to compete for the coveted title of MISS AMERICA in September.

Miss Ellis this year has been selected, "Miss Buccaneer Days" at Corpus Christi and appeared with MISS AMERICA at the San Antonio Fashion Regatta, in addition to being judged "Miss Alice," Texas.

In most sections of Texas, there are from 60 to 90 days of good growing weather during the fall growing season and that is sufficient to grow a good fall garden. The garden will help whip high food prices.

The first hydrogen balloon sent up in 1783 was destroyed by peasants when it landed.

FOR SALE: 300 head of Registered Angora Bucks, 14th Annual Billy Sale, Junction, Texas, August 11, 1950. Sale starts 9:30 a.m. Also Registered Does offered.

What's going on in Sonora . . .

The First National Bank was the recipient of a large basket of flowers this week, sent them by the Central Hanover Bank and Trust Co. of New York. July marked the fiftieth anniversary of a business association of the two banks. July 31, 1900, the First National Bank opened an account with the Central Hanover Bank and Trust Co. and the two banks are still doing business . . .

David and Sherod Harris of Cuero, nephews of Mrs. George H. Neill, are guests in the Neill home this week. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Harris . . . Mr. and Mrs. Duane Prater are building a home on the lot adjoining M. C. Scott on the east . . . Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bray spent last weekend in Laredo . . . Mrs. Vernon Hamilton returned home last weekend from San Angelo where she had been in a hospital for two weeks. She is reported as improving . . . Harold West Evans, who is in a San Angelo hospital with polio, is reported improving this week . . . Mrs. Charles Aiken of Houston, sister of Mrs. Dan Cauthorn, is visiting this week in the Cauthorn home . . .

Mrs. C. F. Browne and Mrs. Sears Sentell left Thursday for Piedras Negras. They plan to be gone two or three days . . . Bill McGilvray was in San Angelo this week for a medical checkup . . . W. D. (Ikey) Kring has leased the vacant lot across the street from the E. F. Vander Stucken and Mrs. Stella Keene residences, and plans to build a small office building and use the lot for a parking space . . .

H. L. Taylor was taken to a San Angelo hospital this week for a checkup . . . Mr. and Mrs. Emil Vander Stucken and children, Emil III and Emily Frances, of Princeton, New Jersey, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken . . . Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Elliott returned Monday from Dallas, where they had been for the past month. Elliott suffered a heart attack while in Dallas attending to business, and has been confined to a hospital there since the middle of July. They came to San Angelo by train and were met by the Ratliff ambulance for the trip on to Sonora . . .

Clyde Bunnell, linotype operator and printer on the Devil's River News in 1941 and 1942, and Mrs. Bunnell are visiting friends here this week. The Bunnells live in Cross Plains, where he is running a grocery store . . . Sgt. First Class and Mrs. Odell Odum are visiting his parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Bob Odum, this week. Sgt. Odum is on his way to the West Coast, where he will report to San Diego for duty . . . Mrs. Joe Bob Lawrence of Harlingen, sister of Mrs. J. Wray Campbell, is a guest in the Campbell home this week . . . James R. Caldwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Caldwell, is one of 64 applicants receiving the Wilbur S. Davidson Freshmen Scholarships of \$100 for the 1950-51 session awarded by the University of Texas. The scholarships are given to beginning freshmen on the basis of the students' desire for an education, scholarship and character. To be eligible, a student must be a graduate of an accredited high school, must not have attended college previously, and must rank in the upper half of his high school graduating class . . . The tent that has been put up on the lot west of the So-

sonora Steam Laundry is for the revival meeting of the South Side Church of Christ, to be held July 7 to 20. Evangelist Jack Ivey of Sentinel, Oklahoma is to conduct the revival . . . Vernon Marion is on his vacation from Hamilton's grocery store . . . Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Marvin and son, Eddie Marvin, were guests in the O. C. Ogden home this week. Marvin is stationed in Del Rio with the border patrol. Eddie Marvin remained after his parents left for a visit with Connie Mack Locklin on the ranch.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their helpful sympathy and many kind deeds rendered during the illness and death of our loved one.

File Gonzalez and Family.

J. E. Branscum, manager of the Western Auto Associate Store, attended a motor meeting in San Angelo Monday night.

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- RADISHES, Bunch . . . 5c
- CELERY, Stalk . . . 17c
- ONIONS, Yellow, 2 lb . . . 15c



- SALT BACON, No. 1, lb . . . 38c
- HAM HOCKS, lb . . . 39c
- SHORT RIBS, lb . . . 43c
- FRESH GROUND MEAT, lb . . . 45c
- CHUCK ROAST or STEAK, lb . . . 58c

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5 lb Bag . . . 49c
- Franco - American SPAGHETTI With Tomato Sauce & Cheese
15 1/2 Oz. Can . . . 16c
- Kuner's Colorado Sugar PEAS
2 - No. 1 Cans . . . 27c
- Gremlin Stabilized PEANUT BUTTER
9 Oz. Goblet . . . 37c
- S & S Fresh Shelled Lady Cream PEAS
2 - 15 Oz. Cans . . . 27c
- Diamond or Our Value TOMATOES
3 - No. 1 Cans . . . 23c
- Baker's Shred COCOANUT
4 Oz. Pkg. . . 19c
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Our WASHINGTON Letter

By Congressman **O. C. FISHER**

IT TOOK THE CRISIS in Korea to get the green light for a 69 group air force—a program which Congress has been insisting upon for several years. More than three years ago the Finletter Commission, created to study the air defense requirements, made a report urging that a 70-group air force was a minimum need. A joint congressional committee made a similar study and made a similar recommendation. Congress passed a law authorizing that program. Stuart Symington when made Secretary of the Air Forces insisted upon it. The Joint Chiefs of Staff in 1948 followed suit. Funds for that purpose were voted by Congress but

were, by Executive order, withheld and "frozen" by the President.

The White House took the position that the cost would be too much of an impact upon the national economy, and a budgetary ceiling was imposed upon all defense spending. The Joint Chiefs of Staff, being good soldiers, adjusted their requests accordingly.

FINALLY, HOWEVER, a 69-group program has been given the green light by the White House, along with a balanced increase in defense essentials in the other military branches. Within 30 months our air force will have jumped from 48 groups to 58 groups, and shortly thereafter we will achieve the 69-group goal. It will include more than 300 of the big B-36 intercontinental bombers. These air giants cost more than \$5 million each and are by all odds the best long-range high altitude bombers in the world. A few of these will probably be in action over Korea in the near future.

Thomas Finletter, the new Secretary of Air, made his first appearance before our Armed Services Committee last week. He, along with General Vandenburg, spent two days outlining exactly what the new stepped-up air force program will include. Mr. Finletter impressed our commit-

tee very favorably. He is a man of great ability and foresight. He engages in no monkey-business and we can rest assured that under his able direction, the American air force will add much to our defenses, to world security and to the chances for permanent peace.

IN KOREA the air force has been hampered by weather. It is the monsoon season over there and the low ceiling makes effective bombing difficult. Even at that, our planes have made more than 5,000 sorties over enemy occupied territory. It is expected that the rainy season will end about the middle of August.

Thus far we have lost but one plane by enemy action. A B-29 was shot down early in the conflict. Since then practically all Red planes have been driven from the skies. They are probably in hiding in North Korea or Manchuria and are expected to pop up for hit-and-run attacks in the future.

The war in Korea has proven, however, that modern wars of the Korean type cannot be won by an air force alone. Even in this air age, it is a mistake to put too much emphasis upon air power. The foot soldier, trudging through rice paddies, mud and sniper-infested terrain, is the vital key to eventual victory. And he would be helpless without the Navy to transport him, supply his needs and support him with withering naval bombardments. All three services are essential each supporting the other.

Happy Birthday

- Friday, August 4—David Archer, Lois Lu Lomax, Elmer Wilson
- Saturday, August 5—
- Sunday, August 6—Diana Cahill, Mrs. Tex Farr, Joe David Ross
- Monday, August 7—Rev. Stanley F. Hauser
- Tuesday, August 8—Mrs. Claude White, Mrs. Mike Moore, Arch Crosby
- Wednesday, August 9—Earl Eugene Merck
- Thursday, August 10—Mrs. Jack Whitley, Sam Allison, Mrs. Elmer Wilson, Mrs. Alvis Johnson

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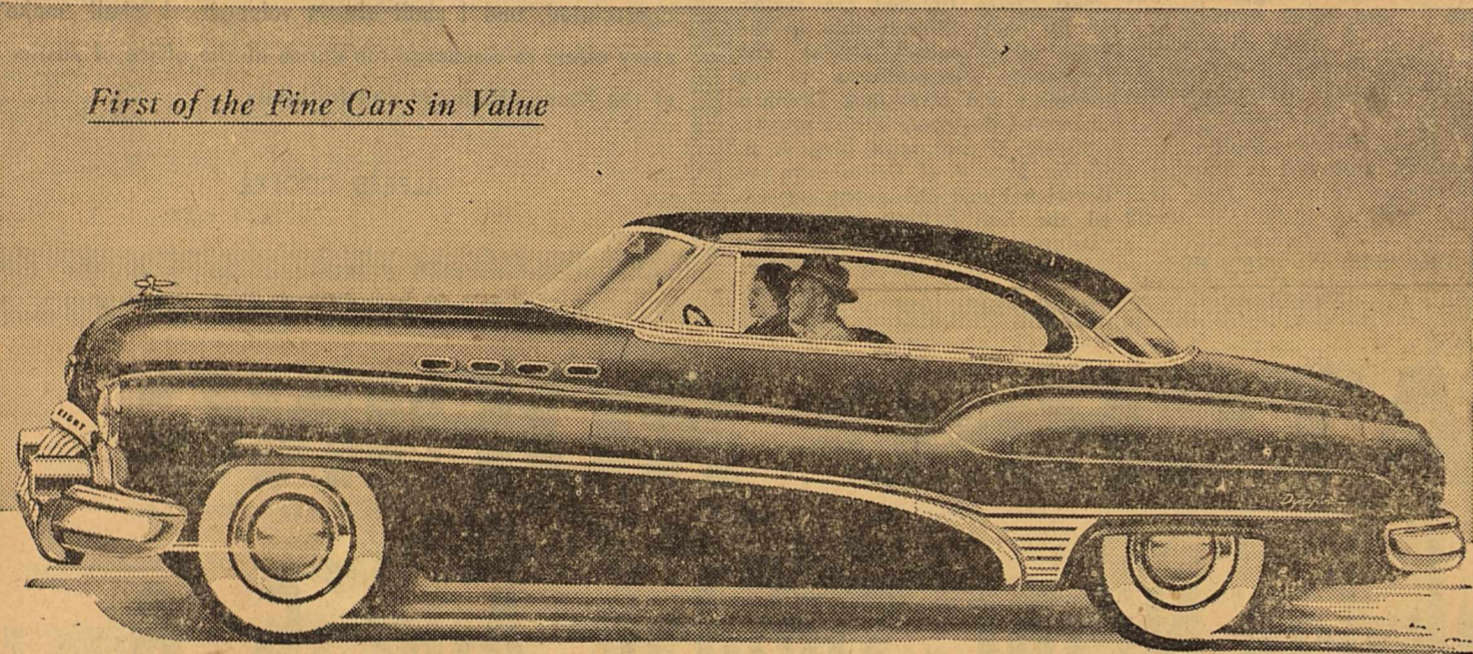
Stuffed Squash

Select flat squashes with deep scallops around the edges. Wash, cook whole until tender. Scoop out the insides, mix with canned or fresh tomatoes, grated onion, bread crumbs, season with salt and pepper. Stuff the mixture in the shells, dot with butter or margarine. Brown in moderate oven. Allow one medium sized squash per person.

- Complete Menu
- Braised Pork Chops
 - Buttered Whole Potatoes
 - Stuffed Squash
 - Lettuce and Onion Ring Salad
 - French Dressing
 - Corn Bread Sticks
 - Milk - Iced Tea

Graduation days are over and the hopes of those leaving school for the last time are flying high. There is one bit of advice your Uncle Sam wants you graduates to remember, and that is—"the only money you'll ever have is the money you are saving right now. Saving part of each pay-check is the ONLY way to save." And one of the best ways to do it is to buy U. S. Savings Bonds through your company's Payroll Savings Plan. Those bonds are backed by the full resources of the Government and will return you \$4 for every \$3 ten years later.

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**Howard - Smith
Engagement Told
At Garden Party**

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Beverly Manila Smith, to Charles Howard, Jr., of Gainesville, was made at a garden party given at their home last Wednesday night by Mr. and Mrs. George E. Smith. Howard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard, Sr.

The announcement was made on place cards, marking the places of the guests at quartet tables, "Beverly and Charles -- August 17." Pastel colors were used in the decorations.

Following a fried chicken supper canasta was played by the honoree and Misses Darlene Lovelace, Darlene Barrow, Peggy Ann Willman, Blanche Taylor, Carlene Peoples, Anne Karnes, Peggy Sue Barker, Martha Lou Renfro, and Betty June Drennan and James Theodore Hunt, Jerrell Hardesty, Jackie Sharp, Royce Regeon, Norris Loeffler, Tyree Hardy, Fred Adkins, Freddie Kennemer and Tart Mund of Eldorado.

Mrs. Smith was assisted by Mrs. T. F. Kennemer.

Receives Broken Arm In Fall

Mrs. J. S. Morgan received a broken arm Tuesday night, when she fell from the porch at her home. A chair which was not secure on the porch was the cause of the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Holt and daughters, Jamie and Jo Marie, of Houston were weekend guests of Mrs. Holt's mother, Mrs. Minnie Diebitsch.

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**WEDNESDAY CLUB MEETS
WITH MRS. NORRIS**

Mrs. Dorothy Norris was hostess to members and a guest of the Wednesday Bridge Club at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Penick, Wednesday afternoon.

Garden flowers were used for decoration and strawberry shortcake was served. High score for members was held by Mrs. Louie Trainer, bingo by Mrs. Seth Lancaster, and high guest score by Mrs. Louis Davis.

Those playing were Mmes. Lee Fawcett, H. C. Kirby, Seth Lancaster, Dewitt Lancaster, W. B. McMillan, E. D. Shurley, Trainer, Rip Ward, Harold Friess, L. E. Johnson, Jr., Davis and Miss Annella Stites.

**BREAKFAST GIVEN WSCS
MEMBERS AND GUESTS**

Members of the Ozona WSCS were guests and "Encouragers" of the Sonora WSCS here last week. Breakfast was served to 10 Ozona guests and about 30 members of the Sonora society. Mrs. Jack Ellington, accompanied by Mrs. S. M. Loeffler, sang two numbers. A birthday cake was presented to the Sonora group by Ozona with Mrs. H. B. Tandy, president of the Ozona society, presiding.

There were 11 candles on the cake representing 10 goals that every WSCS has tried to attain, and one candle to grow on. The Sonora WSCS had attained nine of the goals; thus nine candles and one to grow on were lighted.

Mrs. E. D. Shurley gave the devotional for the day. Mrs. H. M. Smith, president of the local WSCS, directed the discussion period. Special recognition was given to Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, who had served 16 years as president of the WSCS, and to Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson, first president of the unit.

Anyone interested in starting a shuffleboard team see Jack Neill at old Park Inn Cafe. 1tc42

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**Mrs. A. E. Wells
Honored At
Bridge Luncheon**

Mrs. A. E. Wells was named guest of honor at a bridge luncheon given Wednesday morning in the home of Mrs. M. E. Genrich. Mrs. Genrich and Mrs. A. E. Prugel were hostesses for the occasion.

The guests were served coffee when they arrived and bridge was played until noon when the buffet luncheon was served. Dahlias were used in decoration.

High score was held by Mrs. Marion Elliott and bingo by Mrs. Rip Ward. Mrs. Wells was presented with a gift.

Attending were the honoree and Mmes. W. R. Cusenbary, Bryan Hunt, George H. Neill, Frank Bond, Norman Davis, Ward, B. H. Cusenbary, E. D. Shurley, W. H. Dameron, Harold Friess, G. H. Davis, O. L. Carpenter, Ella Wallace, Elliott and Louie Trainer.

**WMU MEETS IN CHURCH
FOR BOOK REVIEW**

Members of the Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist Church met in circles Wednesday afternoon.

Circle Y met with Mrs. Boyd Moore, with Mrs. W. O. Crites giving the devotional. Mrs. Lawrence Nichols discussed two chapters of the book "Stewardship In the Life of Women." Mrs. Moore served ice cream and cake to seven members. The group was dismissed with a prayer.

Circle O met with Mrs. T. F. Kennemer. Mrs. Tim McCoy gave the opening prayer, and Mrs. Kennemer the devotional. Mrs. Pearl Crites finished the review of the book "Stewardship In the Life of Women." Coffee and doughnuts were served to ten members and Mrs. Jack Drennan dismissed the group with a prayer.

Circle U met with Mrs. J. B. Heffin. Mrs. B. H. Crites gave the devotional and the group repeated the Lord's Prayer and sang "Bringing in the Sheaves." Mrs. Rip Ward reviewed two chapters

**MRS. DORAN HOSTESS
FOR FIDELIS CLASS PARTY**

Mrs. Pete Doran was hostess at a party for the Fidelis Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church at her home last Friday.

The class sang "Bless Be the Tie." Mrs. Bob Odom gave the opening prayer, and Mmes. R. G. Nance, J. E. Eldridge, Bill Drennan and Katie Brasher gave the devotional. The closing prayer was given by Mrs. T. L. Harrison.

Games were played, and ice cream and cake were served to Mmes. J. P. Smith, H. V. Morris, C. F. Bode, J. A. Cauthorn, J. K. Lancaster, Brasher, Ben Berry, Harrison, Eldridge, Odom, Pearl Crites, Nance, Bill Drennan, Jack Drennan and Wallace Pepper.

Brownes Entertain Sunday

Dr. and Mrs. Charles F. Brownes entertained with a barbecue supper on the lawn of their home last Sunday evening.

Attending were Messrs. and Mmes. J. W. Neville, J. M. Rabon, Carl Cahill, Jean Derebery, Harold Scherz and Louie Trainer and Glenn Hay.

of the book "Stewardship In the Life of Women," and Mmes. J. E. Eldridge and B. H. Crites offered prayers. Coffee and cake were served to nineteen members.

**"42" CLUB MEETS WITH
MRS. JOE BERGER**

Members and guests of the "42" Club were entertained by Mrs. Joe Berger last week. Cut flowers were used for decorations, and a salad plate served.

Those playing were Mmes. J. W. Trainer, Lee Labenske, O. G. Babcock, H. V. Morris, R. V. Cook, Ella Wallace, O. L. Richardson, Rose Thorp, Margaret Tipton, S. M. Loeffler, Maysie Brown, Katie Barsher, Charlie Hull, and J. A. Carthorn.

Mrs. J. F. Howell was in San Angelo Wednesday visiting her son, John, who was taken back to the hospital last week. The Howells expect to bring him home Friday or Saturday.

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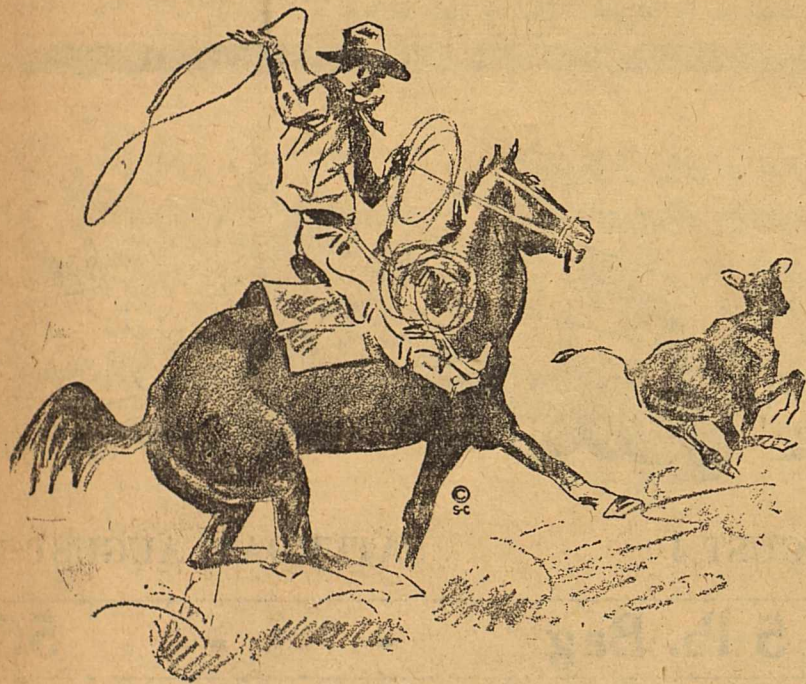
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BY JEAN CLARKE

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Sprinkle and fold clean laundry, wrap and put in gas refrigerator for several hours and you'll be amazed how much easier it is to iron.

Split day-old doughnuts in half, toast in broiler 3 to 4 inches from flame. Serve with jam, maple syrup or honey.

When hot water has to travel to outlet taps through too much piping, there's bound to be some heat loss. Save gas by installing your automatic gas water heater nearest to tap outlets—the kitchen, laundry or bathroom.

A rubber band fastens a large paper bag over your dust mop. Shake the mop and dirt remains inside the bag instead of flying around.

They call it *Creole Coffee*: Equal parts of hot fresh coffee and hot cocoa to serve with whipped cream or marshmallows.

Attend SOME Church Sunday.

LEA ROY ALDWELL HONORED

Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell named her son, Lea Roy, as guest of honor when she entertained with a buffet supper Wednesday night at her home. The guests were served drinks on their arrival on the lawn which had been lighted for the occasion.

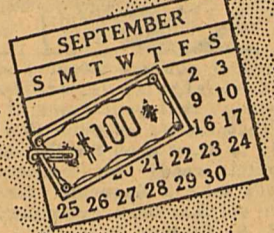
The supper was served from a table on the back of the lawn to guests seated at quartet tables.

Thirty eight guests were included in the party.

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Mushroom-shaped ant hills are common in parts of Portugese West Africa.

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site, but on fair condition range with a good cover, the ground was still moist. The grass cover had saved an inch of moisture.

This explains why it is often so hard to get bare areas covered with grass. Also gives substance to the statement that "it takes grass to make grass."

Ranchers cooperating with the Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation

District are striving towards management methods that will make maximum use of soil and water resources, provide the highest level of sustained livestock production and yet conserve and ever improve the basic factor—our range grassland.

Neely Brothers of Hillendale, Miss., are expected to begin work in the near future on 189 miles of REA line in Menard, Sutton and

The firm recently was awarded Crockett Counties.

the contract with low bid of \$161,875.59, and federal approval was given this week.

The contract breaks down the wiring by counties as follows: Menard County, 80 miles; Sutton County, 26 miles; and 83 miles in Crockett.

Bids were opened in the office of the Southwest Texas Electric Coop in Eldorado.

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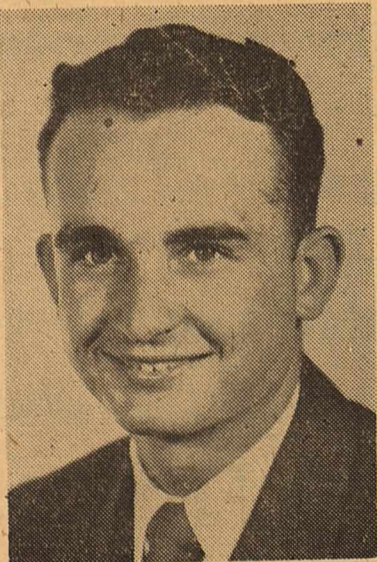
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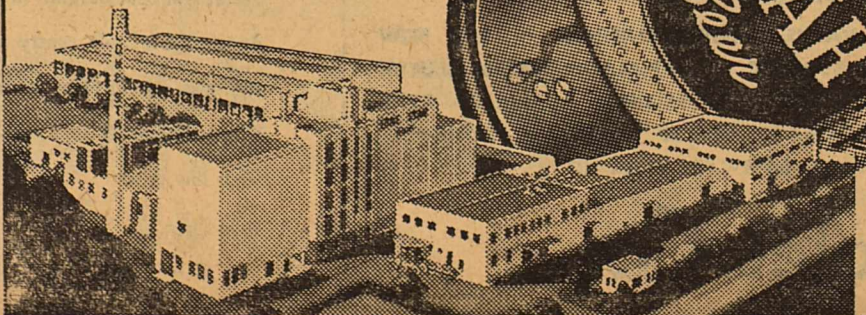


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This is from State Health Officer Geo. W. Cox, who characterizes the condition of a baby being born with syphilis as "negligent, unnecessary, and entirely preventable."

"All that's necessary is for the expectant mother to place herself under the care of a competent

physician as soon as her pregnancy has been confirmed," the health official said.

He believes all too many Texas babies are being born with the affliction, passed to them by an infected mother during the prenatal period. Early prenatal care, he explained, would include a blood test of the mother to determine the presence or absence of syphilitic infection.

Dr. Cox charged that many times the mother-to-be delays her visit to the doctor until a few weeks, or days, before she expects the infant. Then, he says, it may

be too late to prevent the birth of a syphilitic child.

Almost 2600 cases of congenital syphilis were reported last year. Dr. Cox says he sees little indication that there will be any appreciable reduction in case reports this year. Incidence of congenital infection will probably remain at fairly constant levels, he predicted, despite a slight reduction in total of syphilis of all types.

"Advances in medical therapy for syphilis have progressed to the point where it is now possible to effectively prevent congenital infection—but not without the moth-

ers' complete cooperation," Cox warned.

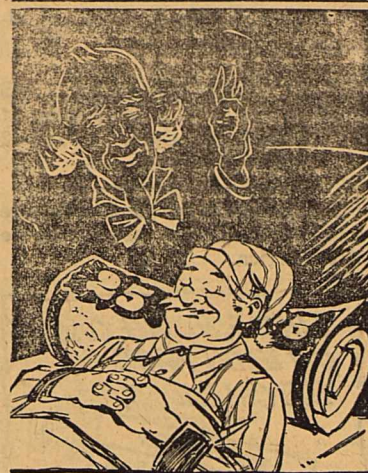
The explanation is that even though a mother contracts syphilis just prior to pregnancy, she can be restored to health and the baby can be born sound and healthy, provided treatments are started within the first three prenatal months. Even after that time, a high index of protection for both mother and baby is assured, but the chances for a normal birth decrease with each week of delay.

Prenatal clinics are held by all health units for those women who

would not otherwise have this care because of lack of financial resources, Dr. Cox said.

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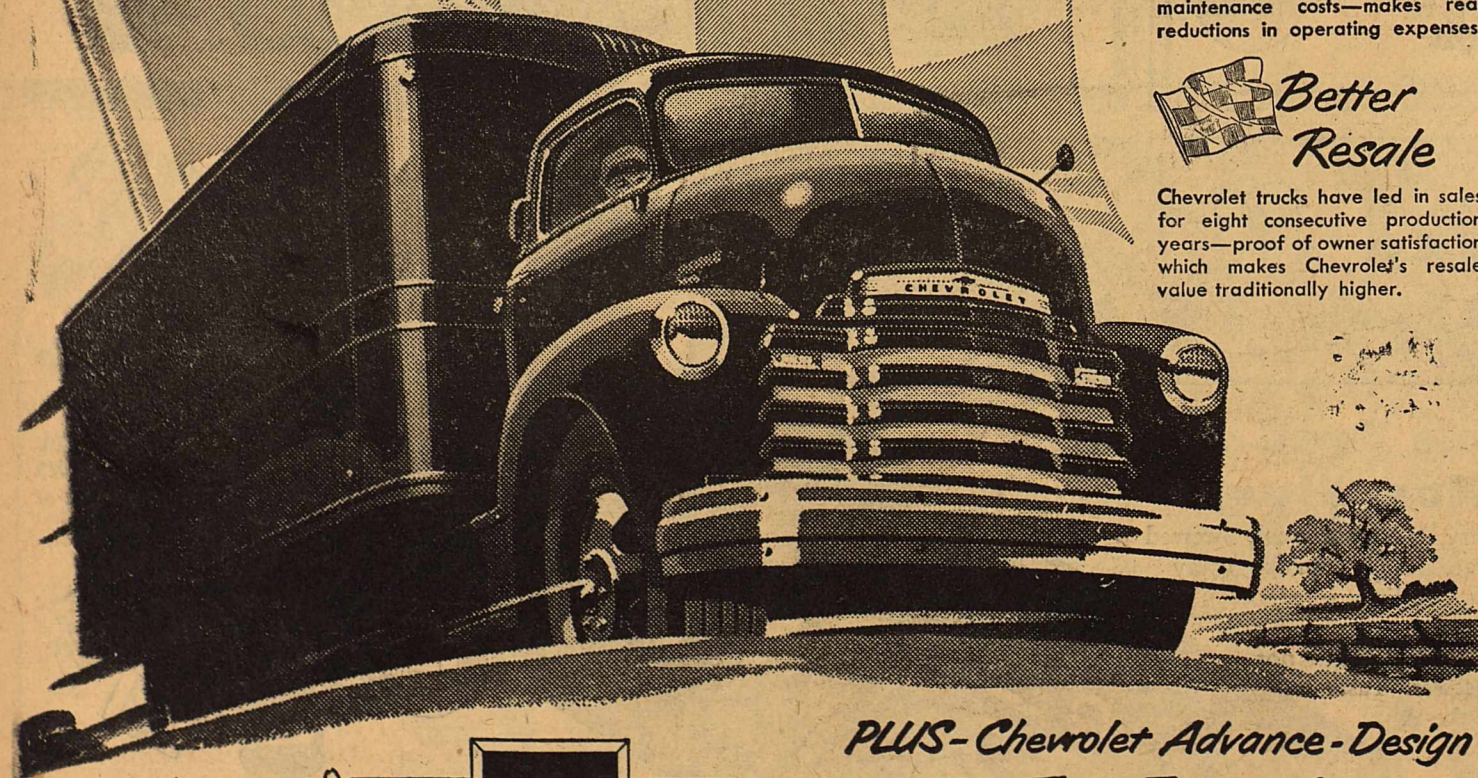
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LITTLE THINGS about
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By GEORGE LILLEY

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Sixteen years ago actor Ronald Colman issued a sincere statement: "I shall never make pictures in Hollywood again." He was resigned to the belief that his movie career was over.



Ronald Colman
... lured

For most of these 16 years, Colman had another phobia. He could not go on the radio. He didn't feel he was too good for the radio business. Retiring, quiet spoken, he felt radio was too good for him. Jack Benny broke the ice, luring Colman and wife Benita into guest appearances on his program. Then along came Don Quinn, creator of Fibber McGee and Molly, with a superb script. The result: "The Halls of Ivy" (college setting), a deftly humorous piece starring the Colmans Wednesday nights, NBC. On since January, it is ending its first season recognized as one of the best, if not the best, new radio comedy of the year. It will return in September.

24-HOUR HONEYMOON

Oh, for the life of a radio actress! "Yeah?" asks pretty Teri Keane. And with good reason. The gal hardly has time for anything. Fact is, between busy schedules, it took Teri and actor John Larkin three months to get married. But they finally made it — even worked in a 24-hour honeymoon — before returning to New York for their air shows on a recent Monday morning. Among other five-day-a-week roles, Teri is the heroine, "... she made it 'Chichi,'" on NBC's "Life Can Be Beautiful." Larkin's numerous appearances include a daily stint as "Miles Nelson" on "Right to Happiness." Someday, they hope, they may get a longer reprieve from the microphones. But, at the moment, it doesn't look likely.



Teri Keane
... she made it

"PORTIA'S" PROBLEMS

"Portia Faces Life," NBC's top-drawer radio serial, is beginning its 11th year of broadcasting. In that time it has rated invariably among the top 10 daytime programs, frequently one, two or three. Energetic Mona Kent, who likes to putter with flowers and gardening, prepared the early scripts and still writes the show. Capable, smart dressing Lucille Wall continues in the lead role, a part she has played, with the exception of several months when she was confined by an injury, since the program's inception. "Portia" is a brilliant lawyer who would rather be a good housewife. In her effort she has had her troubles. Among them: widowhood; support of a young son; a second marriage; temporary loss of her second husband (amnesia); the necessity of defending him in a murder trial. On the horizon, they say, is another black cloud.



Lucille Wall
... more clouds

NOTES ON MARY JANE

"When a Girl Marries" (afternoons, NBC) is another of the top-ranked serials. It celebrated its 11th year on the air last May. In the Hooper-Nielsen charts it usually has rated among the first four daytime programs. Petite, blonde Mary Jane Higby has been the show's star ("Joan Davis") since its beginning. Daughter of the owner of a stock company, Mary Jane did her first "walk on" part at the age of one. Mary Jane Higby She was making ... columnist, too movies in Hollywood at six. Highly trained, versatile, the star occasionally plays supporting roles to herself on her own program. More recently Mary Jane added another role: that of columnist. She is conducting a query department on marriage in "Radio Mirror," nationally circulated magazine.



Mary Jane Higby
... columnist, too

LIVESTOCK SHIPMENTS
DROP IN JUNE

Texas livestock shipments, totaling 6,250 carloads in June, lagged 37 per cent from May, the Texas Bureau of Business Research reported. Sheep shipments slid 45 per

cent during the monthly period, while reductions were also recorded in shipments of cattle, 39 per cent hogs, 29 per cent; and calves, 5 per cent. During the first six months of 1950, livestock shipments edged upward 12 per cent, as compared with the January-June 1949 period. Sheep shipments stepped up

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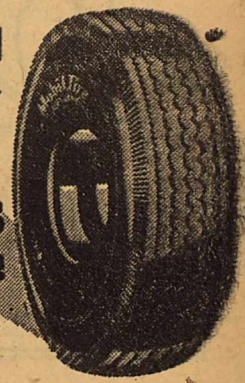
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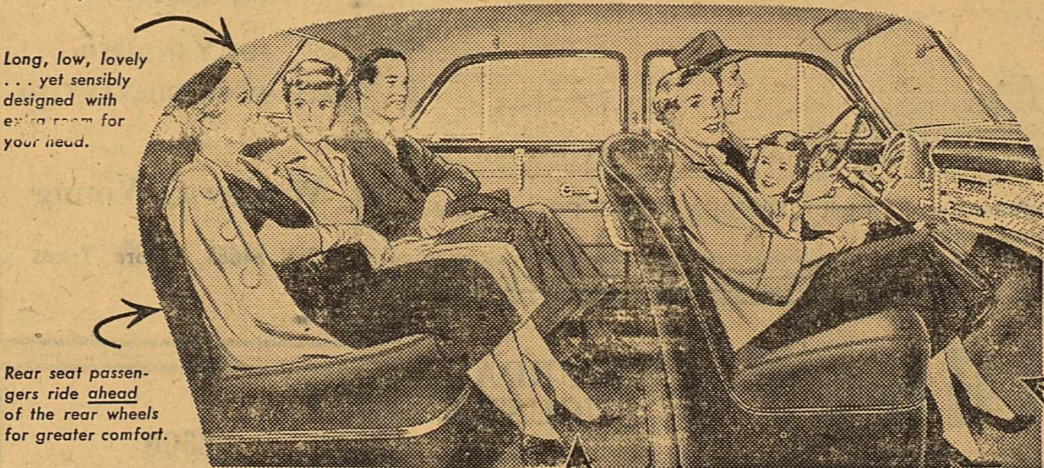


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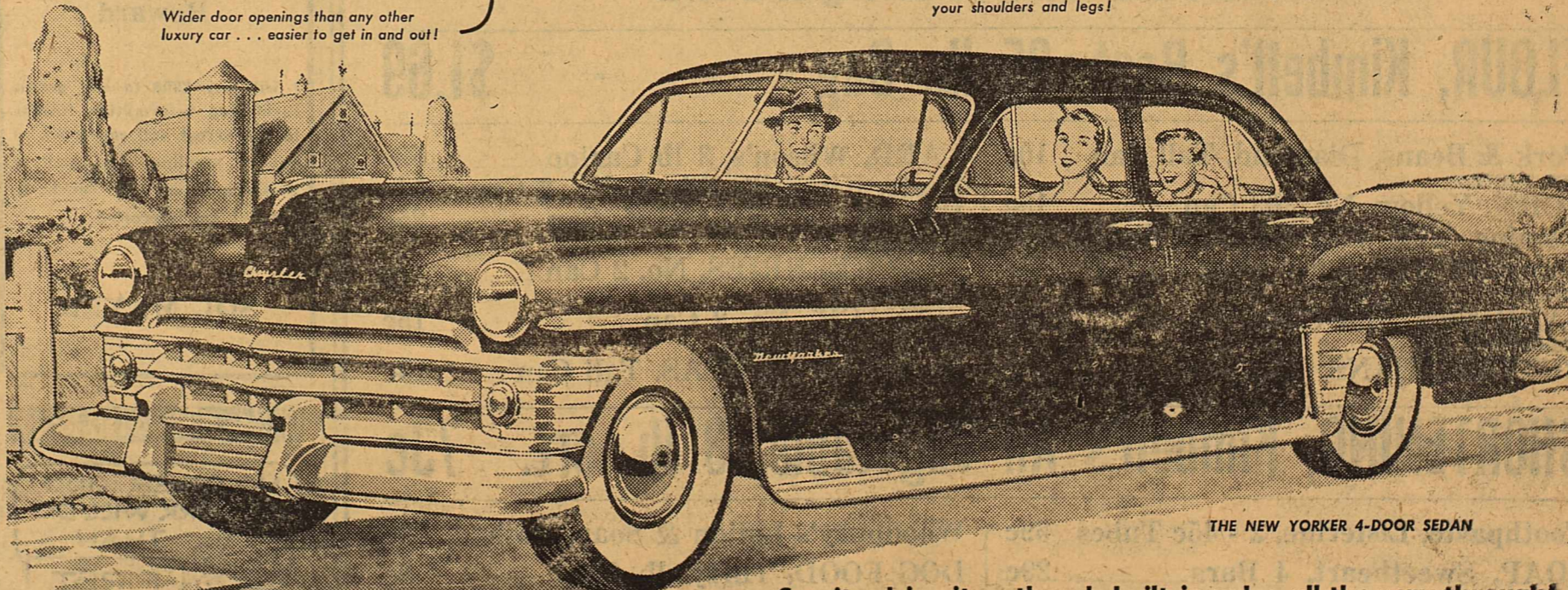


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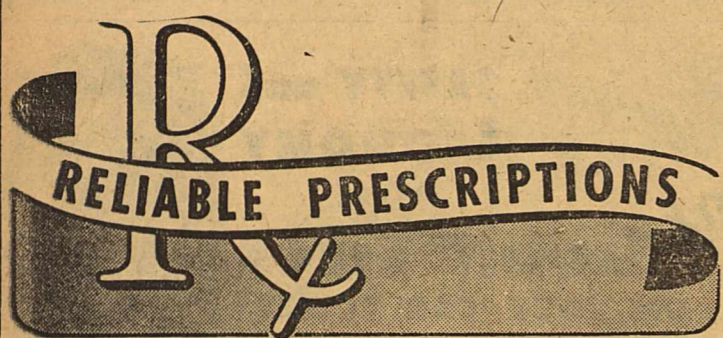


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Hale constructed a trap and baited it, but he did not catch any buzzards immediately. After several days, he finally caught one in a steel-trap and placed it inside the regular buzzard trap. From about 4 o'clock one afternoon, when Hale placed the first buzzard in the trap, until late the next afternoon, 210 buzzards were caught in the trap.

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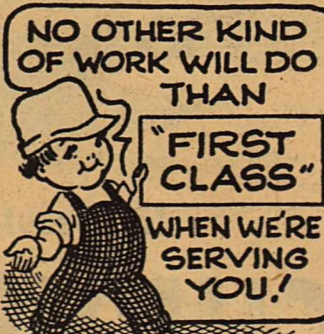
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