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LOOKING AHEAD

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PATTERN FOR PROSPERITY

Switzerland is a small country without seacoast, without natural resources, without enough fields to produce her necessary food. The non-homogeneous people—one part speaking German, another French, and a third Italian—led to her domestic difficulties. Under these conditions Switzerland should naturally be expected to be one of the very poorest nations in Europe. On the contrary, however, Switzerland had before the war, and has yet, the highest per capita wealth in Europe. This little country pays the best wages in Europe and maintains the best living conditions for her workers. Why? How?

WAY AND A WILL

Why should a people with the most possibilities come out with the highest average wealth, the best wages, and the best living conditions? Simply because Switzerland has the right formula for prosperity, plus the will to make the formula work. Switzerland is proof to the world that any nation can have prosperity. There are just three ingredients.

Switzerland has a real recipe, through which the citizens reserve to themselves real individual freedom. Nearly all touching the lives of the people are made locally in districts called "cantons," corresponding roughly to our states. The amount of income tax levied is decided locally. Political responsibility is a reality. Real freedom of individual opportunity exists.

MEMBERSHIP PAYS OFF

Switzerland has the right formula of economy. All industry is privately owned and operated. Individual ownership of property is encouraged and protected. A high percentage of people own their own homes and their own cars. Thrift is encouraged by the local and national governments.

Switzerland has equal responsibility placed by law upon labor and capital. Industrial peace is encouraged, both local and national government. Industrial cooperation prevails throughout the nation. Switzerland is living proof that these three conditions will bring prosperity to any country, regardless of the quantity of its natural resources. The Swiss do not put the eye of aggression on their neighbors, in a search for "living room." Content with their own mountains, they have had that the resources of individual freedom, sane economic and hard work can give them all they want. These moral resources the Swiss can call their own.

MAIN THE FORMULA

Peace, adjoining, with plenty of natural resources and abundant fertile fields, should be the most prosperous country in Europe. Instead she is one of the poorest. Her economic form of government, nationalization of industry, her industrial chaos have made prosperity impossible, despite natural resources. France isn't the right formula.

America, for 150 years, has not the right formula. In our land we have achieved the best wages, and the best general living standards ever known. We have had the natural resources. But more important, we have treasured the same moral resources that made the Swiss great. We had freedom of opportunity. We have made the formula work. Shall we keep the formula and keep prosperity, or do we change the formula and revert to poverty of everybody?

Claude Hill left Monday for San Antonio and from there went on to Houston where he is attending the Fat Stock show which is being held there this week.

Legion's 43rd Campus Post Formed in Texas

HUNTSVILLE, Texas—G. I. Students at the Sam Houston State Teachers College here have organized the Thompson-Knight Post 606 of The American Legion. It is the fifth Texas American Legion campus post and the 43rd in the nation. Other Texas campus posts are located at Texas Agricultural College, TCU and SMU.

Girl Scouts Plan To Establish Camp In Davis Mountains

The Permian Basin Area Council of Girl Scouts plans to operate its own established camp in the Davis Mts. this summer for the Girl Scouts in the fifteen counties comprising this recently organized Council, according to an announcement made by Mrs. Alton Hughes, of Pecos, President of the Area. Preparations and plans are well under way for the acquisition of Mitre Peak Guest Ranch, south of Ft. Davis, as a permanent camp site. The large, comfortable lodge, and the eight houses and cabins on the guest ranch will enable the camp to be opened this summer with a minimum amount of work to adapt it for the needs of a Girl Scout Camp.

Capt. M. L. Stinehart, Pecos, Vice-President of the Area Council, has long been familiar with Fern Canon, in which the guest ranch is located, and with its natural facilities for camping, swimming, and outdoor living, and it was his recommendation that this site be considered by the Council at its organization meeting in Odessa in September as one of the most favorable locations in the entire Area, which is composed of Andrews, Brewster, Crane, Culberson, Ector, Jeff Davis, Loving, Midland, Pecos, Presidio, Reeves, Terrell, Upton, Ward and Winkler counties. Acting upon his suggestion, Mr. Thomas J. Smith, of Wink, Chairman of the Camp Committee, and Mr. James Pate, of Alpine, a member of the Camp Committee, have made several trips to the site, inspecting its potentialities and making plans for its acquisition and development.

Mrs. Kendall Bryan, National Camp Director of New York, Miss Alyce Nelson, Regional Supervisor of Dallas, and Mrs. Ivaes Hobden and Miss Novelle McCaibe, of the Staff of the Permian Basin Area, spent several days recently at the proposed site, drawing up extensive plans for a long-term development of the camp and for its operation this summer. It is estimated that at least 500 girls can be cared for in the camp this first season. Only registered Girl Scouts of the Area will be eligible to attend.

A campaign to raise the funds necessary to make this camping experience possible for the Girl Scouts of this Area is being planned by Mr. G. D. Webb, of Monahans, Chairman of the Finance Committee and members of his committee which includes Capt. Swinehart, Mr. Don Johnson, Midland, Treasurer of the Area, Mr. G. T. Rhodes, Ft. Stockton, and Dr. Benjamin J. Berkley, Alpine. Mr. Webb will announce the time and plans for this drive for camp funds at a later date.

DELIVERS FORD TRUCK

Ferguson Motor Co., local Ford dealers, on last Saturday delivered to M. G. Northcut, a two-ton truck.

Mrs. John Whistler spent last Sunday in Del Rio having gone down to return Mr. Whistler to his home here. Mr. Whistler had been in Del Rio for the past ten days undergoing treatment. She reports his condition much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Holland

were in town last Friday from their ranch in the Dryden country.

U. S. and Ranchmen Plan Wise Spending In 1947 Program

Getting the most conservation possible for every dollar spent by ranchers and Uncle Sam for soil-building practices is one of the aims of the 1947 Agricultural Conservation Program, according to John W. Carruthers, Jr., Chairman of the Terrell County Agricultural Conservation (AAA) Committee.

"In the development of a program of this kind, every practice which could and would be carried out to any degree of satisfaction was incorporated into the program," he said. "It now remains for County Committeesmen and Ranchers themselves to put these practices into action."

Under the Agricultural Conservation Program the U. S. Department of Agriculture and individual ranchers will share the cost of the measures used to build and protect Terrell County land and to conserve its water and plant food. Carruthers said that changes in the way the ACP program will operate in 1947 should help to get an even better job done than in the past.

"We are particularly anxious," the Chairman said, "to work with individual ranchers in planning the conservation practices they intend to carry out in 1947. The program for the year can get off to a smoother start if we can work with the ranchers on these plans early in the program year. The plan sheets are being mailed to all the ranchers but you may also call by the local office for assistance in completing this form; and we have already been advised of the funds we will have to work with. Ranchers should come in at once for prior approvals on the practices they want to start right away."

Davis Drug Co., Sold This Week To Marfa Parties

Announcement was made the first of the week by C. E. Davis that he had sold his interest in the Davis Drug Company to L. S. Platt and R. V. Spears of Marfa. The sale will become effective on Saturday, February 1st.

R. V. Spears, of Marfa, will be the new manager of the store and will arrive Saturday to take charge.

Mr. Davis will remain in the store as pharmacist until the 15th of February at which time B. C. Anthony of Marfa, will be employed as pharmacist. Mr. Anthony is now with the Porter Drug Company at Marfa.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis have been here since July 4, 1944, with the Drug store and have made many friends here during the time they have been managers of the store. They state that they have no immediate plans for the future but will continue to make Sanderson their home for a few months.

After Mr. Davis is relieved of his duties as pharmacist he and Mrs. Davis plan to take a much needed rest and vacation.

MRS. RUEL ADAMS ILL

Mrs. Ruel Adams, has been critically ill at her home here the past week suffering from flu and pneumonia. On Thursday Mrs. Adams' condition was reported as better.

Greene Cooke returned home last Saturday from Odessa where he was called on Thursday of last week on account of the serious illness of his father, R. J. Cooke. Upon his return he reported that his father was better.

Miss Betty Jo Kerr and brother, James, who are attending the University of Texas, at Austin, visited here last week with their mother, Mrs. Joe Kerr Sr.

L. D. Hasty left last Sunday for Cabool, Mo., where he is visiting relatives this week.

AN EDITORIAL What About Our Schools?

Are you satisfied with last year's model car, radio, or refrigerator? When a replacement is needed, do you accept an old or partly finished product? Are you satisfied with a doctor that has not finished college? A doctor who does not belong to and attend the meetings of the Medical Association? I didn't think so. We were forced during the war period to accept the best medical aid available to us at the time. So too, did the schools have to use the best qualified teachers they could find. The situation with regard to the doctors has greatly improved. We have the benefit of their experiences and training in the Armed Services.

This is not the case with the teaching profession, however. Since 1941 40 per cent of the teachers in the State of Texas have quit. They have not been returning to the schools when they returned from the army and navy. They have found a more profitable line of work. If it had not been for the teachers who had stopped teaching earlier returning to help out in the emergency, the schools of not only Texas but all the states would have had to greatly restrict their offerings or in many cases, close down entirely. There are employed in Texas today 7000 teachers of sub-standard qualifications. We need 10,000 well trained teachers to get us back to the 1941 standard. The number must be greatly increased if we are to improve and progress. The outlook is not good. There are less than 10 per cent of the students enrolled in the Teachers Colleges of the United States that are training to become teachers. When we run out of the present supply because of old age, ill health, and other reasons, shall we close our schools and not try to educate our boys and girls? Think seriously of the words of Mr. Lynn W. Landrum of the News staff of WFAA, Dallas. He says this of the teachers. "The brains to train the brains to run the world are the brains we need. Let's get those brains in the schools." The problem that is ours is how to get those brains in the schools.

We must make the teaching profession more attractive to the young men and women of our state. One way is to see that the class-room teacher is paid on an equal basis with other lines of work. We might at least stop some of the quitting for better paying jobs. Remember that it cost something to prepare for teaching and to keep up with the advancements of the profession. This increase in salaries for class-room teachers should come largely from an increased per-capita apportionment of state funds. The per-capita apportionment should be not less than \$55.00. The present legislature will set this amount if the voters are interested enough in the future of our schools to sit down and write to their congressman and tell them that we expect their support to such a bill.

In a recent survey made of the schools of this area the average salary for a beginning teacher was found to be 1,555, for the teachers with a Bachelors degree and that the maximum that a teacher with a Bachelors degree could make is \$1782.00. The average cost of room per month is \$30.00. The teachers cannot get board at the same place they room.

95% of the single teachers must eat at cafes. Five of the twenty schools reporting employ only local men and women in the schools. Fifty per cent of the schools are operating at the present time with a shortage of from one to three teachers. This is not data from some far-off place, but the schools along highway 90 from Van Horn to Hondo; along highway 190 from Van Horn to Kerrville and from Mertzon to Brady.

If you are interested in the future of the schools and the youth of Texas, sit down and write your congressman. Do it now.

ACP Shares Credit For High Production In Terrell County

Soil building practices carried out by the ranchers should be given much of the credit for this year's high crop production, according to Chairman, John W. Carruthers, Jr., of the Terrell County Agricultural Conservation Measures result in better yields as well as protecting and building and productivity from year to year, he said.

Carruthers pointed out that 53 of the County's 100 ranchers put soil-building practices to work on their farms during 1946. These ranches include about 60 percent of the County's range-land.

"Conservation benefits all of the people by providing more and better food," Carruthers went on. "It takes almost three and one half acres of land to produce the food and clothing needed by one person."

Carruthers expects more Terrell Ranchers to take part in the 1947 Agricultural Conservation Program which will emphasize the construction of spreader dams, header dams, drilling of wells, installing pipelines and eradicating prickly pear and lechugilla.

"We've done a lot of good work in the way of saving and improving our soil since the ACP program started back in 1936," said the Chairman, "but before that we had lost a great deal of our topsoil. We've got a big job ahead. The war took a big toll of our soil because farmers and had to get big productions fast. You can't take crops from the land long without paying back the soil, and we need the co-operation of all the ranchmen now in putting back the vast amounts of fertility that were taken out during the war years."

Jim Wilkinson came in Wednesday from Austin, where he is attending the University, for a between term visit with his parents, Judge and Mrs. R. S. Wilkinson.

Mrs. Mary Lou Keller left Monday for San Antonio where she visited this week with her daughter, Mrs. A. A. Jensehke and family.

Sul Ross College To Present El Paso Symphony Orchestra

Sul Ross State Teachers' College at Alpine will present the El Paso Symphony Orchestra in a concert in the auditorium on the campus on Monday, February 3, 1947, at 8:00 p. m. H. Arthur Brown is the conductor.

Tickets may be obtained by writing the Business Office at Sul Ross College. Price of admission is \$1.80 for reserved seat and \$1.20 for regular seats.

Elementary Ward School Honor Roll Is Announced

With the close of the third six-week term of schools as well as the close of the first semester, J. W. Garner, principal of the American Elementary Ward School, released this week the honor roll for that period.

The following students made the honor roll for the third six-week term:

In the fourth grade the following made the "B" honor roll: Jerry Carter, Sarah Pat Grigsby, Jimmy Harrell, Joy Rose, and Nancy Jean Turner.

There were no students to make the "A" honor roll.

Those making the "A" honor roll in the fifth grade were Dorothy Hill and Janell Littleton, while Marvin Kemp, Patricia Gray, Betty McDonald and David Mitchell were the students that made the "B" honor roll.

In the sixth grade there were four students that were included on the "A" honor roll. They were Claretta Davis, George Davis, Jackie Savage and Jerry Yarbrough.

Those making the "B" honor roll were Mary Lou Gargile, Jimmy Caroline, Marilyn Courtney and Mary Landon Rose.

There were no students in the seventh grade to make the "A" honor roll but three were placed on the "B" roll. They were Herbert Saegert, Mary Ann Maddux and Barbara Rose.

The first Semester honor roll is as follows:

Fourth Grade: none on the "A" roll and the following students were named as having made the "B" roll: Jerry Carter, Sarah Pat Grigsby, Jimmy Harrell, Doris McDonald, Joy Rose and Nancy Jean Turner.

Fifth Grade students making the "A" honor roll included Dorothy Hill and Janell Littleton, while Marvin Kemp, Tommy Mansfield and David Mitchell were named on the "B" roll.

Sixth grade the following were named on the "B" roll: Mary Lou Gargile, Jimmy Caroline, George Davis, Mary Landon Rose, Jackie Savage, Jerry Yarbrough and Claretta Davis. There were no students to be named on the "A" honor roll.

One student made the "A" honor roll for the seventh grade and that was Herbert Saegert. Students making the "B" roll were Mary Ann Maddux, Barbara Rose and Jo Ann Secrest.

NEW SLIDE INSTALLED

The new slide, which was bought recently by the Parent Teachers Association, for the Elementary school use, arrived the past week, and now has been installed on the school grounds. The slide was put in a concrete foundation which makes it very sturdy and permanent.

The children are certainly appreciative of the slide and has been putting it into good use.

Mrs. Marvin Drum and young son, Tommie Rae are here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Grigsby. Lt. Drum is now at Baltimore, Md., where he is being stationed for the time being, and expects soon to be sent for army duties overseas.

Mrs. Henry Schooler and daughter, Mrs. Gene Gosney and children of Big Lake are visiting this week with Mrs. Schooler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crawford at the Goldwire ranch.

Funeral Held In Del Rio Wednesday For Judge Boggess

W. F. Boggess, 71 well-known attorney of this section of Texas and prominent civic leader in Del Rio for many years, passed away in that city Tuesday morning after an extended illness.

Last rites for Judge Boggess were held Wednesday at 3 p. m., in St. James' Episcopal Church, Del Rio. Bishop Everett H. Jones of San Antonio officiated and burial was made in Westlawn Cemetery under the direction of the Doran Funeral Home.

Judge Boggess who was born December 12, 1875, in Kaufman, Texas, has been a resident of Del Rio for 40 years. He married Miss Ruth McGehee in Sabinal in 1909 and they made their home in Del Rio continuously since then.

A member of the law partnership firm of Boggess and Lowrey, he was also an attorney for the Southern Pacific Railroad, as well as for the Del Rio and Winter Garden Telephone Company and the Bluff Creek Ranch Company. He was also general counselor for the Del Rio National Bank and one of its directors. He was president of the First Federal Savings and Loans and one of its directors.

He was a senior warden of the board of vestrymen of St. James' Episcopal Church in Del Rio for many years and one of the trustees of the church at the time of his death.

A member of the Oddfellows, Judge Boggess served as State grand master of that organization.

He was past president of the Del Rio Chamber of Commerce, being one of the men who organized it. He was also very active in the various business and civic affairs in Del Rio all during his residence.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Ruth Boggess, a son, William Boggess Jr., of Kingsville; a daughter, Mrs. James McCamey of Washington, D. C.; three grandchildren, Keith McCamey and Colin McCamey of Washington D. C., and Patricia Boggess of Kingsville.

Other survivors are three brothers: Mike Boggess of Kemp, Ben Boggess of Fort Worth and Rough Boggess of Indiana. Two sisters, Mrs. C. T. Kennedy of Greenville and Mrs. Homer Hicks of Dallas.

Pallbearers included Sparks Rust, O. D. Finegan, Autrey Walker, Paul Sulstentuff, Douglas Smith, Roger H. Thurmond, Walter Wardlaw and Billie C. Lewis.

ROTARY NEWS

Rev. John Byrd was the program speaker at the regular meeting of the Sanderson Rotary Club when they met on Wednesday of this week.

Rev. Byrd spoke about the founder of Rotary, Paul Harris, who died January 27, 1947, in Chicago, Ill.

Joan Ann Byrd, who is president of the Sophomore class of the Sanderson high school has been the student guest of the club during the month of January.

Recently Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Downum, new owners of the Kerr Hotel, have made extensive repairs to the club room where the Rotarians meet each week. The room was enlarged, redecorated and is now really a nice place for the meetings.

R. A. Weatherby, of Sweetwater, Texas, is visiting in Sanderson his brother B. N. Weatherby and Mrs. Weatherby. He also visited the ranch with his niece, Mrs. Dick Hill and Mr. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Loehausen spent several days of the past week in El Paso visiting their son Jessie and wife and with their daughter Miss Roberta who is attending the School of Mines.

Mrs. H. C. Rock and Mrs. Ervin Robbins and son were visitors in Del Rio last Saturday.

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With Our Neighbors . . .

SILK INDUSTRY MEETING

A meeting of all persons interested in the possibility of establishing mulberry groves and silk production as a new Pecos County industry has been called for Tuesday night, Jan. 21, at 7:30 o'clock in the City Hall by the Pecos County Chamber of Commerce. Reports will be given by a committee which recently inspected installations at Mineral Wells.

—Ft. Stockton Pioneer

Wednesday and Thursday, February 12 and 13, will be big days for members of 4-H and F. F. A. clubs in Uvalde County. The event is already assured to become the largest show of its kind staged in the county. Over 200 heads of livestock have been entered.

The show will be held at the Southwest Texas Exposition Grounds two miles west of Uvalde.

—Uvalde Leader News

First step in a long-range plan for beautification and improvement of the city park, forming the square in the business section of Ozona, was taken at the regular meeting of the county Commissioners Court here this week.

The court discussed the park improvement project and heard a plan proposed by County Judge Houston Smith that a complete landscape plan, embracing all features to be added, be made of the park and all work undertaken be directed toward ultimate completion of this plan.

—Ozona Stockman

The hurdling of another obstacle to Chamber of Commerce work was reported Thursday.

L. L. Warner, secretary, said that the organization was able to pay a note of \$317.50 that day. It was the last obligation of its type that the organization had.

Mr. Warner said that the Chamber of Commerce has little debt now and that he is sure it will be debt-free by February 1.

—Big Bend Sentinel

Purchase of the Rio Gas and Power System by the City of Eldorado was OKed by 75 votes out of 76 cast, at the city election Saturday.

While putting the question to a vote was not necessary on a deal involving pledging of revenue, the City Fathers put the question before the tax payers to satisfy preference of the bond buyers for the people's OK. The fact that the voters gave expression of approval made the bonds very easy to sell at the council meeting Tuesday night.

Order for a few necessary materials will be placed soon by the city, the order to include additional meters and other supplies. It is understood delivery cannot be expected in much less than 6 months.

—Eldorado Success

At a public meeting held Monday evening in the District Court room at the Court House, a group of about 60 business men and public spirited citizens of this city and vicinity organized the Brackettville Chamber of Commerce.

A group of temporary officers was chosen to act until a permanent organization is made at the next meeting of the group at 7:30 o'clock, Jan. 27. The temporary officers are: Clifford Lawrence, president; Happy Shahan, vice-president; Alan Kreiger, Secretary; Gregorio Tamamantz, Jr., Treasurer.

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WALTER G. DOWNIE

bership committees were appointed.

An invitation is extended to everyone to attend the next meeting.

—Brackett News Mail

Plans for the annual 4-H-FFA livestock show and auction sale set for Feb. 25, are rounding into shape, it was announced this week, with prospects of a still bigger and better show this year than either of the two previously held.

The show has been enlarged this year for the purpose of increasing interest in better livestock in this section, it was announced, with entries from the ranchmen to be shown this year in addition to stock fed out by 4-H and FFA boys and girls. Any ranchman who has an animal he wishes to exhibit is invited to do so.

In addition to this feature, which is to be held on Feb. 24, the day preceding the 4-H-FFA event, there will be a colt show, rule and regulations governing the event having been announced. This will be divided into three classes—Quarter Horse, Half Thoroughbred and Palomino, with two-year-old horses, yearling horses, two-year-old fillies and yearling fillies to be shown in each class.

—Alpine Avalanche

In a well filled District Court Room at Maverick County Court house, Eagle Pass, throughout Thursday, Jan. 16, Eagle Pass and vicinity presented a strong case for adequate local railroad service, before Traveling Inspector Petet representing the Texas State Railroad Commission, and with a firm of Houston attorneys representing the railroad.

Eagle Pass Attorney Jerry Rhodes and businessman-lawyer Morris Riskind presented what was generally considered a very strong case for Maverick County, with a string of witnesses from this city and vicinity, and neighboring Piedras Negras, Mexico, testifying as to their convictions that this area merits and needs far-improved service from Southern Pacific's Texas & New Orleans railway serving this county.

Scores of businessmen, farmers and shippers, and others representing their firms and civic organizations were in attendance at the rail hearing during the day; and enthusiastically heard testimony delivered by many of their number, in a friendly, informal manner, and

with a considerable element of 'human interest' and humor.

The hearing was still going on at 4 p. m. Thursday as this summary was written. No announcement of result was expected today; it will be forthcoming subsequently after the State Railroad Commission has considered in Austin the evidence which was fully transcribed here.

Veterans' News

Q—Does Veterans Administration pay any part of any guaranteed loan?

A—Yes. Veterans Administration will pay to the lender as a credit on the loan an amount equal to 4 percent of the amount guaranteed. This is a gift and is not to be repaid by the veteran.

Q—Can I use my terminal leave bonds as security for a G. I. loan?

A—No. Terminal leave bonds are non-negotiable and non-transferable. However, they may be used to pay premiums on National Service Life Insurance.

Q—What are the compensation rates payable to World War II veterans for service-connected disabilities?

A—The rates range from \$13.80 a month for a 10 percent disability to \$138 a month for total disability. For certain specific disabilities, the rates may be as high as \$360 a month.

Q—Where can I get information about my readjustment allowance?

A—For specific information about readjustment allowances and your eligibility for them, you may inquire at a public employment office or at an office of the unemployment compensation agency in the state or territory in which you reside.

Q—I have been working part time and my readjustment allowance has never been over \$15 because of my income from other sources. Am I entitled to additional weeks of readjustment?

A—The number of weekly allowances to which you may be entitled is strictly limited. Each time you receive payment of a weekly allowance, regardless of the dollar amount, you use up one of the limited number to which you may be entitled.

LEE KELLY ILL

Lee Kelly, first trick tonnage clerk for the T. & N. O., has been off duty this week due to a touch of flu with complications. John L. Newton has been acting as tonnage clerk during Mr. Kelly's absence.

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—International News Guide

HEALTH NOTES—

Austin, Texas, Jan. 30.—An automobile collision can kill a human being just as certain as cancer, and a traffic accident can cripple just as badly as poliomyelitis, and for this reason Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, urges Texans to protect their health and lives by using the utmost care on highways.

"It is the duty of the State Health Department to do everything in its power to foster good health and prevent as many needless deaths as possible," Dr. Cox declared, "and because so many Texans each year are killed, permanently crippled, or disabled for long periods of time through preventable traffic accidents, I earnestly urge every driver in the State to do his conscientious best to help reduce the number of these tragic and often fatal smash-ups."

Dr. Cox said that it is a driver's responsibility to know that his lights, tires and brakes are in good condition; that he pay proper attention to traffic signals and road signs; that he give due regard to other drivers and pedestrians; that he use great caution at unmarked intersections, "and above all," he urged, "use common sense and follow a live-and-let-live policy when in your car, whether driving to the corner grocery, or going from coast to coast."

Prizes Offered In Texas History Writing Contest

AUSTIN, TEXAS, January 15.—The Texas State Historical Association has announced a first prize of \$100.00 for the winner of the 1946-1947 Junior Historian Writing Contest. Eighteen papers will receive awards totaling \$343.00.

Contest entries may deal with any topic in Texas History, but contestants are urged to work on some subject related to their community or local history. Some suggestions for topics are: cattle, trails, saddles, Indian depredations, transportation, natural history, exploration, oil, economic, political, or biographical subjects.

"Any boy or girl in Texas under twenty-one years of age may become eligible for competition," stated H. Bailey Carroll, Editor of the Junior Historian, the magazine of the Association which is written almost exclusively by young Texans.

April 1, 1947, is announced as the closing date of the contest. All interested are invited to write for further information to the Junior Historian, Box 2131, University Station, Austin 12, Texas.

Paper clips at Times Office



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Sam Hackney Reports on the U.S.A.

Sam Hackney and the missus just returned from a trailer trip around the country. They're tired, and glad to be home, but mighty impressed with what they saw.

As Sam reports—every section has something different; a different way of talking; different tastes in food and drink; different laws and customs. But bigger than all these differences is the American spirit of tolerance that lets us live together in united peace.

"Of course," says Sam, "you run into intolerance from time to

time. Individuals who criticize another's right to speak his mind; enjoy a glass of beer; or work at any trade he chooses. But those are the exceptions—and we're even tolerant of them!"

From where I sit, more of us ought to make a trip like the Hackneys—to realize firsthand how America is bigger than its many differences... how tolerance of those differences is the very thing that makes us strong.

Joe Marsh

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BUYS MUSIC MACHINES

J. T. Dyeche has purchased from M. M. Bobo of Alpine, all the nickeldons and the franchise for Terrell County, that Mr. Bobo had here.

Included in the deal were eight machines that are in operation in Sanderson. Mr. Dyeche plans to service the machines regularly and hopes to be able to make changes of records on them every week.

There is still a chance for those who think there is

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Bring 'em in now!

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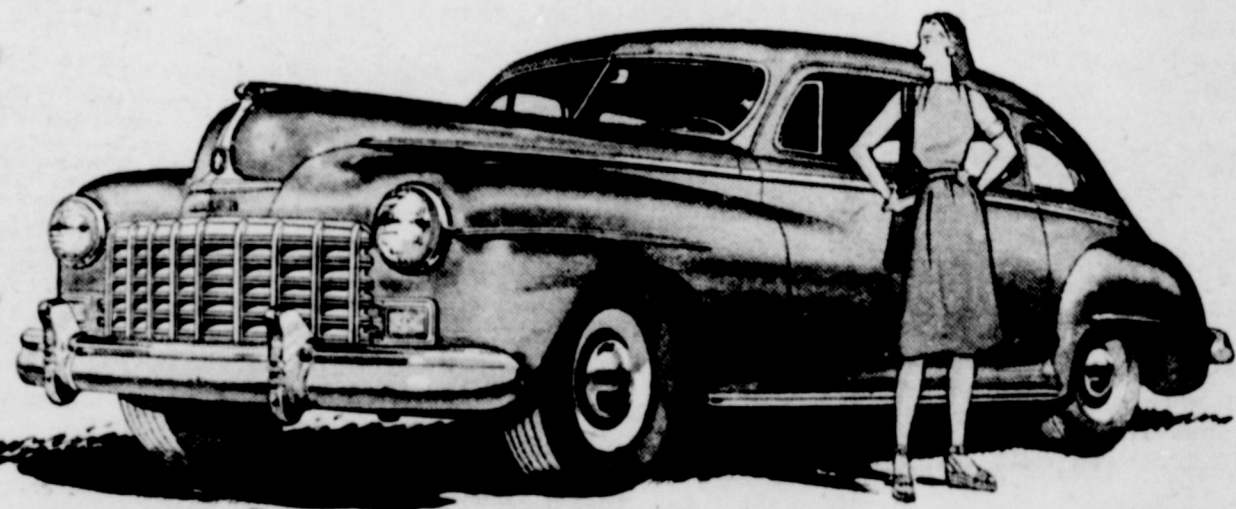
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The Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church met Monday afternoon, Jan. 27, at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Malone Mitchell.

The Doxology was sung. Joe Nichols led the opening prayer. Members then sang and roll call with a Bible reading.

Refreshments were made for the all-meeting, at the home of Sid Harkins. The book, "Is The Time," will be read.

Card from some French children thanking the Auxiliary boxes sent to them, was read.

Joe Nichols led a very interesting program on, "What My Church Doing About Peace?" "O, Master Let Walk With Thee," was sung. W. J. McKee discussed the book, "What Is My Church Doing About Carrying The Good Overseas?" Mrs. Seth report gave the devotional of the 67th Psalm.

President, Mrs. Earl Pierces closed the meeting with a prayer.

Refreshments were served by hostess, Mrs. Malone Mitchell to the following members: James Joe Nichols, M. J. E. Ernest Farley, Seth report, N. E. Charlton, J. W. E. John Byrd, Earl Pierson, Harkins, J. E. Hanson, Joe Brown, Al Pope, and S. A. E.

Miss Jessup and daughter Marjorie left Tuesday for Antonio where Miss Marjorie will attend Trinity University. Miss Marjorie has been absent at the University of Colorado at Denver, but due to ill health of her mother, she will attend Trinity in order to be nearer home.

J. L. Lawson, of Detroit, is visiting her daughter Herbert Kates and family.

PRESENTING . . .

A son, John Herbert, who arrived on Thursday morning, Jan. 30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cates. The young man, who weighed eight and one half pounds, is being welcomed by his sister, Barbara. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lawson of Detroit, Texas and Mrs. Ida Cates of Rochelle, Texas.

Methodist Sunday School Officers, Teachers Meet

A meeting of the Sunday school officers and teachers of the First Methodist church was held on Tuesday night of this week at the home of Mrs. H. E. Ezelle.

At this time plans were made for the observance of the Lenten season which begins on February 19th.

Those present at the meeting were the pastor, Rev. Lawrence Menefee, Mesdames Chester Boyd, Ted Baker, A. B. Gates, Pat Beard, Irving Robbins, W. H. Goldwire, Miss Kate Frazier and Mrs. Henry Studer.

ATTENDING CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Stumberg, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Couch, Mr. and Mrs. Joe. F. Brown were among the Sanderson and Terrell County ranch people that left last week out of San Angelo on the special train over the Santa Fe for San Francisco to attend the National Wool Growers Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Williams are also attending the convention having left here by car on Saturday.

Mrs. Deema Daniels and daughter Charlotte, and Mrs. Toots Larson returned home Wednesday from El Paso where they visited the past week with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Daniels and in Casa Grande, Arizona, where they visited Mrs. Larson's father, H. O. Dunagan and Mrs. Dunagan.

Air mail stickers at the Times

Methodist Society Installs Officers Monday at Church

The Women's Society of Christian Service met January 27th at 3 p. m., at the Methodist Church. A very impressive Candle Lighted Installation service was conducted by Rev. Lawrence Menefee at the Alter.

Officers that were installed to serve this year were: Mrs. H. E. Ezelle, President; Mrs. A. B. Gates, vice-president; Mrs. Pat Beard, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Wylie Cox, recording secretary; Mrs. Nell Appel, treasurer; Mrs. Lawrence Menefee, secretary of missionary education and service; Mrs. Clyde Higgins, secretary of christian social relations and local church activities; Mrs. Ted Baker, secretary of children's work; Miss Eva Billings, secretary of literature and publications; Miss Kate Frazier, secretary of supply work; Mrs. H. H. Saegert, recorder; Mrs. John Deaton, secretary of spiritual life.

A business meeting with plans made for the new year followed and was held with the new President, Mrs. H. E. Ezelle, presiding.

The program for the day, "Stewardship of the children of the World," was ably led by Ted Baker, assisted by Mrs. Pat Beard, Mrs. Lawrence Menefee, Mrs. Nell Appel and Mrs. B. F. Anderson.

Immediately after the meeting a delightful social hour was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Clyde Higgins. A lovely gift was presented from the Society to Mrs. S. H. Underwood, the retiring President, by the vice-president, Mrs. A. B. Gates.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following members and guests: Misses Kate Frazier and Eva Billings; Mesdames H. E. Ezelle, Pat Beard, C. H. White, Ida Bodkins, Lee Grigsby, John Neal, J. D. May, Wiley Cox, A. B. Gates, H. H. Saegert, John Deaton, S. H. Underwood, B. F. Anderson, W. W. Sudduth, Nell Appel, J. W. Pate, H. A. Finger, Ted Baker, Lawrence Menefee, Hunter and Rev. Menefee.

INITIATED INTO CLUB

Mary Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Allen, Sanderson, was one of a group of apprentice members recently initiated as full-fledged members of the Melpomenean dramatic club at Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Texas.

The Melpomenean group presents plays and dramatizations before the student body.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lee Grigsby and young son, Richard Lee, were visitors here for several hours last Friday with his grandmother, Mrs. Lee Grigsby and other relatives. Harold Lee, who is a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, with his wife and young son were visiting in between terms with Mrs. Grigsby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schnaubert in Fort Stockton and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Grigsby in McCamey.

Church Services . . .

CATHOLIC CHURCH
 Mass every Sunday at 8:00 and 9:30 a. m.
 Mass on week days at 7:30 a. m.
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
 Evening Service 7:30 p. m.
 Woman's auxiliary every 2nd and 4th Monday at 3:30 p. m.
 Rev. John W. Byrd, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Bible Study, 9:45 a. m.
 Song Service begins at 10:45 a. m.
 Preaching Services 11:00 a. m., and 7:00 p. m.
 Prayer Service each Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.
 Everyone invited to attend any or all these services with us.

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 Sunday:
 10:00 a. m., Sunday School
 11:00 a. m., Morning Worship
 6:00 p. m., Training Union
 7:00 p. m., Evening Worship
 Monday:
 4:00 p. m., Meeting of Missionary Society.
 Wednesday:
 7:00 p. m., Prayer Service.
 Rev. Clifford Spencer, Pastor.

Baptist W. M. S. Has Social and Mission Program at Church

The Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met at the Church Monday for their social and mission program.

Mrs. J. Y. Hobson was leader of the program, the subject of which being "The Eternal Message for all People." She was assisted on the program by Mesdames Spencer, Newton, Brown, Little, Sullivan, Thompson, Gray and Miss Una Lee.

Mrs. A. D. Brown and Mrs. J. L. Newton served refreshments to the following: Mesdames Carruthers Sr., Maude Sullivan, C. Spencer, S. D. Thompson, A. C. Smith, O. H. McAdams, O. D. Gray, J. O. Little, J. Y. Hobson, and Misses Una Lee and Eva Carruthers.

Prince Dishman Jr., who is attending the University of Houston, at Houston Texas, spent this week here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Dishman Sr.

Clarence Jessup was in town Tuesday from the Mitchell ranch.

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George D. Clark, manager of the San Angelo Office of the Social Security Administration warned today.

The 1946 veterans' amendment to the Social Security Act provides monthly cash benefits for dependents of ex-servicemen who died or will die, within three years after discharge, leaving their survivors without compensation or pensions from the Veterans Administration.

Survivors of the ex-servicemen who died before enactment of the amendment on August 10, 1946, were given six months in which to apply for benefits payable back to the date of the veteran's death. That six-month period expires on February 10. Social security benefits generally are payable retroactively for a maximum period of three months prior to the time claim is filed.

"Applications under the veterans' amendment have been far fewer in this area and nationally than was expected," Mr. Clark said. "It is possible that a number of eligible persons have failed to apply for their benefits." They should seek information at once on their possible benefits at the nearest social security office. The San Angelo office is at 414 Rust Building.

Benefits may be payable to children under 18 and the widows taking care of them to widows 65 years of age or older, or, in some cases, to aged dependent parents.

Ex Libris... By William Sharp



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DRYDEN NEWS

Mrs. Beula Farley Correspondent

Simon Shaw Jr., became very ill last Wednesday and was taken to the M. & S. Hospital in Del Rio on Friday by Mrs. Shaw and sons Harold and Robert. The latest reports from Mrs. Shaw are that he was much improved but the nature of his illness has not yet been decided by his physician.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ross are the proud parents of a baby boy born in San Antonio December 23rd. They named him Benny Ray.

J. M. Bassett reports a very

nice business Monday, the opening day of the Purple Sage Cafe. A free lunch was given to the people who reside in Dryden.

John Lewis Breg returned to Alpine Monday after spending a week with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Thomas Teenor and daughter, Peggie, is visiting Mr. Teenor in Sierra Blanca.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Estes left for San Antonio Sunday to take their son Lloyd for a medical check-up. Lloyd recently had pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cooke are the grandparents of a son which was born January 12 to Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Cooke in Odessa. After spending several weeks in

Odessa Mrs. Cooke returned home last Saturday.

Mrs. Chester Smith is operating the Sanderson Cafe during the illness of Mr. Robertson.

Mrs. H. C. Goldwire, accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Arch Bengel of San Angelo left last Sunday for Cabool, Mo., where they went to attend to business matters.

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