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HUMBLE NO. 1, J. C. Mitchell in Terrell County, as seen from the air. Above photograph furnished by the San Angelo Standard-Times shows

the setup of the modern rig used in drilling the test which is to run approximately 12,000 feet. The test is being drilled on the J. C. Mitchell ranch in the north part of Terrell

County. In the background is seen the Mitchell ranch house. The rig is equipped with short wave radio with aerial atop the high derrick. Communication with the company office

is maintained at all times from the radio apparatus in the trailer house shown in the photo. Depth of 4,672 feet has been reached and shows shale and sand.

WAR MOTHERS STATE WIDE MEET HERE CLOSES TWO-DAY BUSINESS SESSION TUESDAY

Installation of state officers marked the concluding session of the seventeenth annual state convention of American War Mothers in Sanderson Monday and Tuesday of this week.

The twenty-one delegates and visitors from chapters in Galveston, El Paso, Beaumont, and San Antonio began to arrive Sunday and an executive board meeting was held at nine o'clock Monday morning after the registration had been concluded. Mrs. Cell Hall of Beaumont, state president, presided at all business sessions. Mesdames Lena Stavley, L. M. McDonald, and Pearl Northcutt, sergeants-at-arms, presented the flag and banner of the local chapter at all meetings.

At Monday's opening session Mrs. R. S. Wilkinson accompanied Miss Margaret Gregory for a solo. Following the invocation by Rev. J. W. Byrd Rev. Clifford Spencer gave the address of welcome. Mrs. Bertha Whistler, Sanderson, vice-president, introduced Mrs. Hall and the guests appearing on the program to the assembly. Reports of state officers, chapter presidents and committees were included in the day's business sessions.

Members of the Auxiliary of Clarence Hallie Mulkey Post 160, American Legion were hostesses for a lovely appointed tea in the banquet room of the high school Monday evening. Mrs. R. S. Wilkinson accompanied for a group of popular songs sung by Misses Cecelia Goode, Mary Agnes Frazier and Ora Mae Blackwelder. Jo Beth Strother was presented in several dances, her mother, Mrs. C. E. Strother, providing piano accompaniment.

From a lace-covered table centered with an arrangement of asters in pastel shades, fruit punch was served with cookies, sandwiches, salted nuts and mints. Mesdames Troy Druse, Jack Turner, F. A. Weigand, Joe Kerr, Jr., James Kerr and H. B.

Louwein assumed hostess duties. Mrs. W. T. Frazier was in charge of arrangements for the memorial service Tuesday morning, honoring members of all chapters who had died during the year. Candles on the altar were lighted by Misses Nancy Peavy and Mary Nell Gates. Following a song by Misses Mary Agnes Frazier, Cecelia Goode and Ora Mae Blackwelder, accompanied by Mrs. R. S. Wilkinson at the piano, Miss Betty Ann Peavy presented a large bouquet of white carnations, in memory of all deceased mothers and a single carnation was placed in a vase as each name was called. Mrs. Myrtle Duke, state chaplain, gave the benediction.

State officers were elected at the Tuesday meeting including Mrs. Marie Friesen of San Antonio, president; Mrs. Bertha Whistler, Sanderson, vice-president; Mrs. Cordelia Coleman, El Paso, second vice-president; Mrs. William Sievert of Galveston, third vice-president; Mrs. C. L. Duke of El Paso, fourth vice-president; Mrs. L. D. Cade of Beaumont, recording secretary; Mrs. W. W. Isom of San Antonio, treasurer; Mrs. Annie Burke of Galveston, historian; Mrs. A. A. Benham, Galveston, custodian of records; Mrs. Lucy Shipley of Beaumont, chaplain.

The Bluebonnet chapter of El Paso, a new chapter, was welcomed. Beaumont was named as convention city for 1949. The Clarence Hallie Mulkey Post of the American Legion was hostess for a chuck wagon dinner served on the courthouse lawn at noon Tuesday. Bob Kerr, post commander, was assisted by Wilton Dishman, R. S. Wilkinson, Jack Hayre, Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Dawson and Mrs. W. T. Frazier. Barbecue with all the trimmings was served to fifty guests.

The Sanderson chapter was hostess for a buffet supper served in the banquet room Tuesday evening. Arrangements were in charge of Mesdames O. F. Cresswell, Bill Stavley, E. G. Grigsby, and H. E. Fletcher. Arnaldo and Dolores Flores in costume gave several dances including the Mexican hat dance.

Using a Mexican theme, the tables were covered with cloths in Mexican motif and decorated with potted cacti and colorful pottery figures. Places were marked with tiny potted cacti and miniature water jugs. The food was served from baskets with streamers of red, yellow, green and black tied on the handles and from colorful pottery bowls.

For the installation service for the newly-elected state officers Tuesday evening Mrs. Cora Gillispie of El Paso, a past state president, was installing officer. She was assisted by Mrs. Ida Bodkin, sergeant-at-arms, and Mrs. Greene Cooke, chaplain. Mrs. Friesen named her appointive officers.

Mrs. Wilkinson presented Miss Margaret Gregory and D. L. Duke in several songs for a musical program to close the meeting.

OIL & GAS LEASES

The following oil and gas leases recorded with the County Clerk of Terrell County were taken from the records this week.

C. W. Lord to J. J. Perkins, 3,458.3 acres.
Wesley White et ux to W. M. Lyle, 1,474.8 acres.
Andy White et ux to W. M. Lyle, 2,009.1 acres.
J. M. Corder et ux to Ted Greene, 6,620.4 acres.
W. D. Dunlap et al to Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co., 3,747 acres.

The above acreage leased is in the eastern and northern part of Terrell County.

COMMISSIONERS REVIEW TAX RENDITIONS

Terrell County Commissioners Court met Monday morning of this week to complete consideration of tax renditions with a view to equalizing the value placed on property in the county.

The court had been in adjourned session for the past four weeks when it was decided to sit as a board of equalization. Property owners whose property valuation had been changed by the court were notified by the clerk to appear at the Monday meeting to show cause why such change should not be put in effect.

Some property owners met with the commissioners and the adjustments were made before the court adjourned about six-thirty o'clock Monday evening. Commissioners told the Times representative that it was not the intention of the court to raise the tax rate or increase valuation of property but to make a more equitable rendition by all owners of taxable property.

R. N. Allen went to San Angelo Tuesday to return with his wife and two daughters, Misses Anna Lee and Mary Alice, who have been visiting in the home of their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, at Bronte, Texas.

Miss Margaret McKnight of San Angelo is a guest of Mrs. White this week.

News from Dryden

Barbara Jean Clark

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cooke of Sanderson were here Sunday visiting friends.

Bill Dann has returned home after visiting relatives in Del Rio and attending the rodeo and horse show.

Mrs. Marvin Allen and Mrs. Van Cleave made a business trip to Del Rio Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Gatlin and son, Kip, are home on their ranch after spending the school semester in Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gunn, who spent the past six months on the Gatlin ranch have returned to Trinidad, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Estes of

LEGION NAMES COMMITTEE FOR BARBECUE JULY 4

A committee to make arrangements for the big free barbecue dinner planned for July 4th by the local post of the American Legion was named this week to include W. G. Downie, chairman, Herbert Brown, Jack Turner, R. E. Corder, and Jolly Harkins. The barbecue will be served on the courthouse lawn and the public is invited to attend.

A new 1948 Chevrolet will be given away at the barbecue. Also included in the premiums for the day are a 1948 RCA radio-phonograph combination, a Bendix deluxe washing machine and a pure-bred Hereford calf.

The Legion is making plans to entertain a large crowd on that date. A new home for the Legion is still in the planning stage and it is hoped that a good sum will be added to the building funds as a result of the activities planned which also include a dance Saturday evening, July 3, in the Kerr Mercantile Building.

Rotarians Enjoy Outdoor Barbecue

Wednesday night the Rotary Club, together with their Rotarians, had the regular weekly luncheon in the form of a barbecue supper at the Jim Kerr windmill west of town.

This outdoor program is planned for one meeting of each month during the summer.

All who attended expressed delight to have the opportunity to enjoy the cool evening outdoors and the good barbecue feed with all the trimmings. Several guests were present at the Wednesday night affair.

FIRE DEPARTMENT MAINTAINS LEAD IN SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Last Thursday night the Rotarians played the Teenagers a very close game that ended up 18-17 with the Rotary Club on the under side of the score. Frank Stavley, pitching for the Rotarians walked five men and allowed thirteen hits. Smith, pitcher for the Lads, walked four and allowed nine hits. The Rotary Club is playing much better ball with competitors in the last few games, but still are unable to overcome their losing streak.

The box score—

	AB	R	H	Pct
McDonald	3	2	3	333
Newton	5	3	1	200
Pauli	5	3	2	400
Smith	4	3	1	250
Mussey	5	1	1	200
Harrell	5	2	0	000
Chamberlain	5	3	2	400
Cooke	3	0	1	333
Harris	4	0	0	000

Rotarians Beat Lions

Starting the ninth week of play the Railroad took the game away from the Lions in the fifth inning when they ran in six runs to go ahead 14-6. They won the game 18-6. Hamilton, Lions pitcher, allowed ten hits and walked two as compared to seven hits and six walks allowed by Pate, pitcher for the Railroad team.

The box score—

	AB	R	H	Pct
McDonald	5	3	0	000
Phillips	4	2	0	000
Gray	4	2	0	000
Stavley	5	0	3	600
Brown	5	0	3	600
Kyle	3	2	2	666
Petroski	4	2	2	500
Litton	4	3	2	500
Pate	4	2	1	250

Lions—
Imonon 4 0 0 000
Finger 2 2 1 500
Gilbreath 5 1 1 200
Hamilton 4 0 1 250
Searcy 4 1 1 250
Berkley 3 1 0 000
Adams 1 0 1 1000
Frazor 3 0 0 000
Sudduth 4 1 0 000
Nance 4 0 2 500

Teenagers Nose Out Legion

Monday night the Teenagers beat the Legion in the last half of the seventh inning by their

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Sounds Cool

In a letter to his father, N. E. Charlton of Sanderson John F. Charlton writes that after completing another unit of his work at a college of horology he was granted a three-day vacation.

After loading their motor and fishing equipment and putting their boat on top of the car, he and a friend left early for a mountain lake. The lake was unnamed in the letter but it was near the Continental Divide, some twelve thousand feet above sea level. Upon arriving within a half mile of the lake the pair ran into heavy snow and were forced to load the equipment into the boat and, using it for a sled, pulled the boat by hand on up to the lake where they found two feet of snow on the ground and icebergs floating on the lake.

Mr. Charlton says John Fisher didn't state how many fish nor what size they were but the weather sounds enticing after these hot days.

MRS. C. P. PEAVY ANNOUNCES FOR TREASURERS POST

Due to ill health C. P. Peavy advised the Sanderson Times Thursday morning to announce the withdrawal of his name from the list of candidates for the office of county treasurer of Terrell County.

Mrs. C. P. Peavy at the same time announced her candidacy for the same office. Mrs. Peavy has resided here seventeen years and, having done office work in Marfa before moving to Sanderson, feels that she is qualified to fulfill the duties of the office.

In making her announcement, Mrs. Peavy stated that she would endeavor to attend the duties of her office conscientiously and efficiently if elected and that she would appreciate the support and influence of her many friends.

SUB-COMMITTEE MAKES REPORT TO EDUCATION GROUP

The Terrell County Advisory Committee on education met in the high school library Tuesday evening and heard a report of a sub-committee headed by Mrs. J. T. Williams on "The Secondary School Subjects and Service Offered in our Schools." A round-table discussion followed the report.

Members present included Jack Hayre, C. G. Bradford, Dr. J. C. Kern, Mesdames W. H. Savage and Sid Harkins. R. H. McCarley was a guest.

LISTEN TO LUKE

The draft bill has passed and the army will soon be in making. We feel that our defense is in our ability to maintain a strong army. The many new men will be into the service will mean the old problem of the system will be revived. served as an enlisted and also as an officer, we qualified to state our opinion on the caste system as it is and abused in the army. Pearson recently cited abuse by officers in the camp building. He relates: officers in the Pentagon, don't realize that are gripped over the \$63,000 background officers' club that officers to play during duty hours. What was once converted into a sports lavishly equipped with facilities for bowling, badminton, volleyball, hand ball and ping-pong, and a heat room for baths also have been in-

those who prefer less strenuous sport can sip cocktails in Pink room in a setting of lights and pastel hues. Like up-to-date cocktail lounge, furnished with a television screen, bar and adjoin-

ing. This luxury is open to a membership of 908 officers, divided among the services. Others can join by paying a fee but enlisted personnel are strictly barred—except a handful who work in the. The latter draw their bounty from the taxpayers, are paid extra out of the fund which is collected the officer's mess funds. We have to keep in physical in case of another war, and Maj. Gen. L. C. Craig, president of the club's board of directors. "Senator McKellar a statement the other day we should keep in physical

agree. But the fact that we can take time off in the afternoon to play ball, while they can't is reason why there aren't more voluntary enlistments in the army."

Some of our friends have said that we were sticking our neck out when we write in this column that we construed to be in opposition to Beauford the Joker. He has followers among readers. We wouldn't want to put any body's toes for the but we would, if we could, see the state of affairs in Austin. The dailies won't show these things because it is close to the big oil corporations. We are 100 per cent for the program of state's control of the tide-lands, but we like to see the picture. The tidelands are certainly not being controlled by our governor because of a strong desire for the raising money for the state of Texas. If that were we are sure the governor would have thought of increasing the state's royalty and mineral rights on school land.

For a long time and when the Democratic convention resolution presented an increase of the royalty on the howl could be across the state from the boys present but it was over in spite of the Jester. He has shown the people that he is for the oil industry and if there is anything left it may be used for school children. Let's get facts together before we on a candidate for any of state offices.

BORN TO DOWNIES SUNDAY

Daughter weighing seven was born to Mr. and W. G. Downie in a San An hospital Sunday morning. has been named Susanne

and Mrs. Ben Estes of

Royal typewriters, standard and portable, Alan Wales Adding machines, Office Supplies, at the Times office

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SOFTBALL—

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3-score playing to defeat the ex-GI's 14-12. Smith was pitching for the Laas and allowed ten hits, five walks and got five strike-outs. Wilton Dishman, pitching for the Legionnaires, allowed fifteen hits, and walked two.

The box score:—

Teenagers	AB	R	H	Pct
McDonald	5	2	2	400
Newton	5	1	2	400
Cooke	4	2	1	250
Chamberlain	5	2	2	400
Paul	5	4	4	800
Smith	5	2	3	600
Mussey	4	1	1	250
Carter	3	0	0	000
McDonald, W.	2	0	0	000
Sullivan	2	0	0	000
Legion —				
Dishman, W.	3	2	2	666
Harkins, E.	4	3	2	500
Cochran	5	1	0	000
Dishman, A.	4	2	1	250
Harrell	4	1	1	250
Whistler	4	1	1	250
Druse	2	1	1	500
Harkins, J.	3	1	1	333
Schuman	4	1	1	250

The schedule for the next three games is Friday night, Lions vs Fire Department; Monday night, Railroad vs Fire Department; Thursday night, Lions vs Teenagers.

The team standing is—

Team	P	W	L
Fire Department	8	6	2
Teenagers	9	6	3
Railroad	8	5	3
American Legion	9	5	4
Lions Club	8	3	5
Rotary Club	8	0	8

Fire Department Answers Alarm At Local Garage

The Sanderson Volunteer Fire Department answered an alarm last Thursday evening about 7 to the Mcknight Motor Co. and Jimmy's Steak House. Defective wiring was the cause of the blaze which was extinguished before the fire truck arrived on the scene. No damage was reported other than to the wiring to an electrical appliance.

The Fire Department recently purchased 200 feet of 2½-inch hose and twelve helmets and smoke masks. The latest equipment was badly needed by the local volunteers and greatly aids them in their ability to extinguish flames. A new siren and light was installed on one of the trucks recently, eliminating the old-style hand-crank siren that was a part of the equipment.

The purchase of these items was made possible partly by the donations which were received recently from the people of Terrell County.

Trans-Texas Airways To Operate In Del Rio Starting July 1

Test flights will be made by Trans-Texas Airways at Del Rio Friday or Sunday as everything is made ready for regular flights in operation about July 1. The line holds contracts for air mail, air express, and passenger service.

All radio equipment has been installed at the Val Verde County Airport and will make it possible for pilots on incoming ships to check from one hundred miles away. Radio beacon equipment is also ready at the airport.

The addition of the third town in this area to Trans-Texas Airways is making for faster travel and mail and express facilities to all sections of Texas, Fort Stockton and the Marfa-Alpine connections being added in recent months.

Blackbirds Bow to Ladies in 18-12 Defeat

The mysterious "Blackbirds," a team of men dressed as negro girls and made up to look the part, took the small end of the 18-12 score Tuesday night when they played the Sanderson women in a benefit game. Proceeds were to be used by the women to purchase uniforms.

A good crowd witnessed the comedy of errors and the "Blackbirds" made the show full of entertainment, if poor ball playing.

Members of the ladies' team expressed thanks to the spectators who generously contributed to the fund for uniforms and also thanked the men who helped make the game possible.

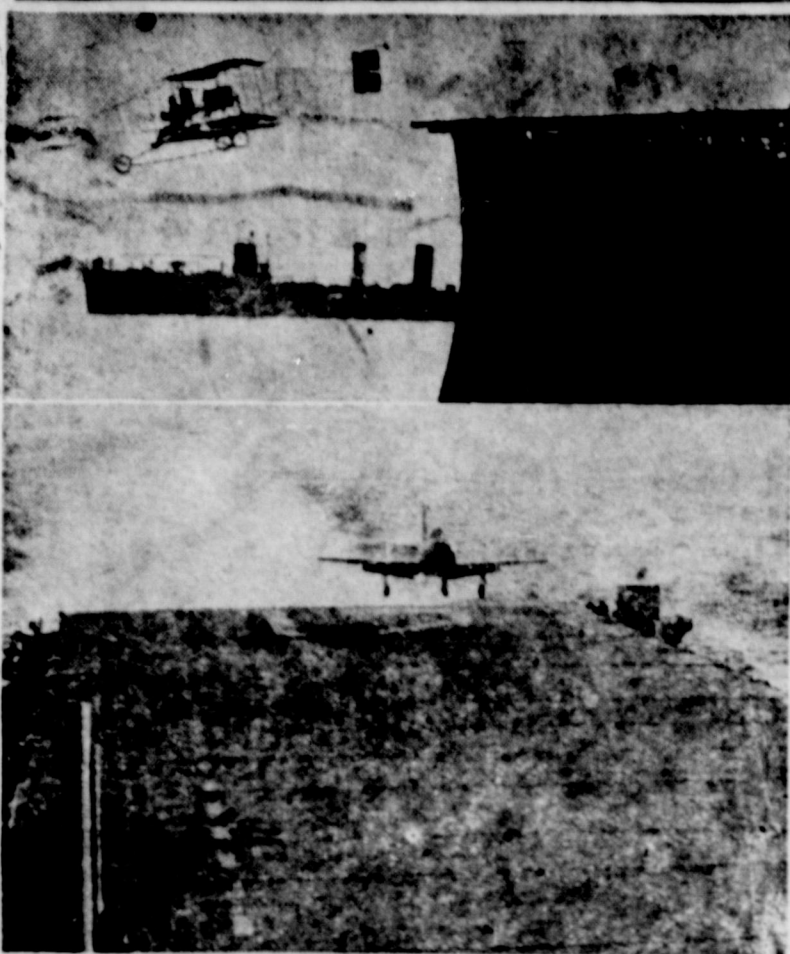
REV. R. A. ENGLISH TO PECOS THURSDAY

Rev. R. A. English went to Pecos Thursday of this week to join ministers from the other twenty-six churches in the New Mexico Methodist Conference to plan their program for the coming year. The meeting held at the First Methodist Church was in charge of Dr. A. C. Douglas, district superintendent. He was assisted by Dr. Leland Clegg, pastor of the Trinity Methodist Church of El Paso and Rev. Bryan Hall, El Paso, executive secretary for the New Mexico conference.

W. H. Goldwire, local church and district lay leader, accompanied Rev. English to Pecos.

Participating in the rodeo events in Del Rio last week end were "Cheesie" Christian, Will J. Murrain, Herman Chandler, Bill and Fitchey Magill and George Lee.

THERE HAD TO BE A FIRST TIME



Advances in American naval ships and equipment have been marked throughout the century and a half of the Navy Department's history by important milestones of progress. One of these was the first flight from the deck of a ship, made in 1910 by Lt. Eugene Ely, when he took off from a miniature flight deck on the foredeck of the USS Birmingham (upper). Three years later naval aviation had its actual start when Admiral George Dewey signed the report of the General Board, which recommended the establishment of a Naval air arm. Today aviation is one of the elements in the three-pronged American Navy. Flowering of "Navy Air" can be symbolized in such scenes as the lower photo in which an FJ-1 "Fub" jet-propelled Navy fighter, makes a landing aboard the USS Boxer while the ship cruises off the California coast. (Official Navy Photograph)

Campaigner Covers State But Attends All Court Sessions

AUSTIN, June 16—For a "week-end campaigner", Associate Justice James P. Hart, of the Texas Supreme Court has been covering a lot of ground these past three months.

Running for his first tsate office and his first elective term on the Supreme Court, Judge Hart has campaigned in more than 85 counties and made speeches in some 25 Texas cities.

Meanwhile he has attended every formal session of the Supreme Court, when arguments are heard and decisions handed down, since his appointments to the bench last October.

Judge Hart has made addresses, mostly non-political in nature, in a number of these courts in a number of counties. Cities in which he has spoken include: Amarillo, Lubbock, Post

Muleshoe, Wichita Falls, El Paso, Midland, Abilene Brownwood, Stephenville, Ft. Worth, Dallas, Waco, San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Brownsville, Longview, Marshall, Tyler, Nacogdoches, Lufkin, Houston, Port Arthur, Galveston and Bay City.

MR. AND MRS. JAMES KERR ATTEND WEDDING OF NIECE

Mr. and Mrs. James Kerr returned last Tuesday from San Antonio where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Kerr's niece in that city Saturday, June 5. Mrs. Kerr's sister and brother, Miss Tillie and L. H. Tarrington returned with them for a few days visit. Bob Kerr took his aunt and uncle back to San Antonio Sunday, returning home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis left Wednesday for El Paso where Mr. Davis will receive medical attention and visit a brother.

B. M. Gutierrez, Jr. Stationed With Marines In China

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Braulio M. Gutierrez that their son, Pfc B. M. Gutierrez, Jr., serving in the U. S. Marine Corps, has been in China for two months. Gutierrez enlisted in the Marines in October, 1947, receiving boot training in San Diego and coming home for a ten-day furlough before being sent to Hawaii where he received three months of training before being flown to China.

Mr. and Mrs. Gutierrez have another son, Henry, in the Air Corps stationed in Denver, Colorado. He served two and one-half years in the Pacific during the last war.

MRS. C. E. STROTHER HAS EMERGENCY OPERATION

Mrs. C. E. Strother was taken to Alpine Saturday afternoon by her father, Lee Kelly, and Dr. J. W. Pate, where an emergency appendectomy was performed that night. Mrs. Strother's condition is reported to be very satisfactory.

Too Many Squirrels

Last week Mrs. Chester Darr decided a family of ground squirrels was dealing too much destruction to her garden so she instructed her husband to use some means of disposing of them before they cleaned out the fruit of her labor in the family garden. Mr. Darr started in earnest to eradicate the pests and the result of his efforts was 86 dead squirrels.

These little varmints can do worlds of damage to a growing garden as well as destroy young chickens and turkeys. Mr. Darr had no idea they were present in so great a number.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boykin and daughter Kay, have returned to their home in San Antonio after visiting here the past week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell.

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RUTH BENDELE TO ATTEND ACADEMY FOR SUMMER

Miss Ruth Bendele has rolled at the San Marcos Academy for the ten-week's session. A junior in high school, Ruth will take regular work in addition to participating in a special program of camp and recreational activities. Miss Bendele is the daughter of O. B. Bendele.

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HEALTH OFFICER URGES CONTROL POLIO SPREAD

Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, urges precaution against spread of poliomyelitis by utilizing preventive measures against all possible sources of infection when this disease is prevalent. The following suggestions should be taken during summer and fall months when polio is more likely to occur:

When suspicious symptoms such as headache, undetermined fever, neck or backache, stiffness of neck or back appear, a physician should be called at once.

Excessive chilling and over-exercising should be avoided.

Active surgery involving the neck and throat should be postponed.

Personal hygiene, especially of children, is very important at all times.

Children should avoid crowds and sick persons when poliomyelitis is prevalent.

Individual home sanitation should be perfected to include improved water supply, waste disposal and proper control of insects, especially flies and mosquitoes. Raw fruits and vegetables should be cleaned well before eating. Garbage containers should be covered at all times.

Community sanitation should be controlled the year around. The following recommendations are offered:

Proper disposal of garbage and other waste products.

Primary supervision of public swimming pools.

Adequate supervision of all establishments to assure compliance with state Food and Drug laws, especially regarding sterilization of dishes and utensils.

Elimination of flies, mosquitoes and rats as far as possible by use of DDT and other approved chemicals.

Milk for sale should come from approved sources.

Consult your local city or county health department whenever you need advice in a matter of sanitation or public health.

Samples from the Sanderson area are submitted for testing regularly, according to Jimmie Caroline, manager of the Community Public Service Co. The water has shown a good test at all times and all water supply is chlorinated, Caroline said.



The revolutionary new Ford four-door sedan for 1949 is lower, wider, roomier and provides nearly 25 per cent more visibility.

SP Railroad Has Top Honors in Safety

HOUSTON, June 16—For the second time in three years, the employees of a Southwestern rail carrier have won top honors in the national safety standing of American railroads.

Only a rule prevented their winning such honors for three consecutive years.

Southern Pacific Lines in Texas and Louisiana, which embraces that part of South Pacific Transportation System from El Paso to New Orleans, has been notified by the National Safety Council that its employees have won the national safety award among Group B railroads in that organization's annual safety contest for 1947.

Group B is composed of railroads in the US working in excess of 20 million but less than 50 million man-hours during the year. The award in that group was made with a record of 2.29 casualties per million man-hours, the lowest ever to be made in the country.

Reportable injuries for 1947 showed a reduction of 17.2 per cent from the previous year.

In Oberammergau, Germany the Passion Play has been reenacted every ten years in fulfillment of a vow made by the citizens as an expression of gratitude for the cessation of a plague in 1633.

Carbon paper in varied weights at the Sanderson Times

French Engineer Expresses Thanks For Recent Cargo

Employees of the T&NO Railroad and others in the community will be interested in excerpts from a letter from a French engineer, chosen by the railroad, and addressed to an individual American railroader, selected as a typical representative.

Dear Mr. Popcock: Your Friendship cargo has safely arrived in France via the great maritime road ploughed by so many Liberty ships during the war amidst untold perils.

Countless freight cars have brought to French children and our people all the good things which you and your countrymen have so generously deprived yourselves in order to help us.

On August 29, 1944, the undersigned happened to be the engineer of one of the first military trains which carried from Cherbourg to Paris American troops which fought in Normandy.

On December 19, 1947, by a happy coincidence, I was designated to pilot the first train carrying a part of the precious gifts of your Friendship Train from Le Harve to Paris, Lyon and Marseille.

Surely Americans have read that all France has expressed her deepest gratitude. But the French Railroad wishes to tell their American colleagues how honestly touched they are by

their active and efficient cooperation during the collection of the gifts. May I ask you, dear Mr. Popcock, to be our interpreter and convey to your countrymen our heartfelt thanks for their magnificent gesture of solidarity.

Our country has known very dark moments, but everything leads us to believe that, braced up by the friendly and spontaneous help of American people now push forward with renewed



efforts its amazing Reconstruction, so that France will live again in dignity and in peace.

From its pilot-cabins, its signal boxes, its workshops, it is a whole hard-working corporation that joins me in saying Thanks. Signed Paul M. F. Durand.

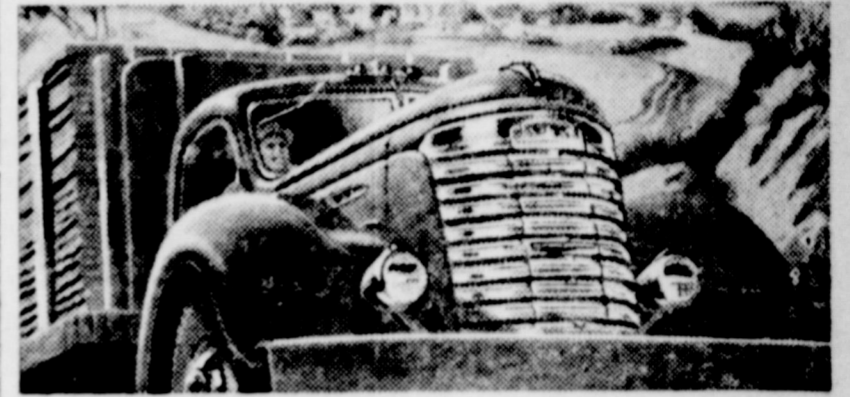
Mrs. G. W. Sudduth of Eden is a guest in the home of her sons, O. T. and W. W. Sudduth.

NEW SIGNS "DECORATE" HIGHWAYS AND BUSINESSES

During the past two months many of the local business firms have been repairing and painting their signs or having new signs painted or erected all of

which has made for a "new look" to signs along the highway as well as at the stores. Several new neon signs have been erected at places of business and new business establishments have required new signs.

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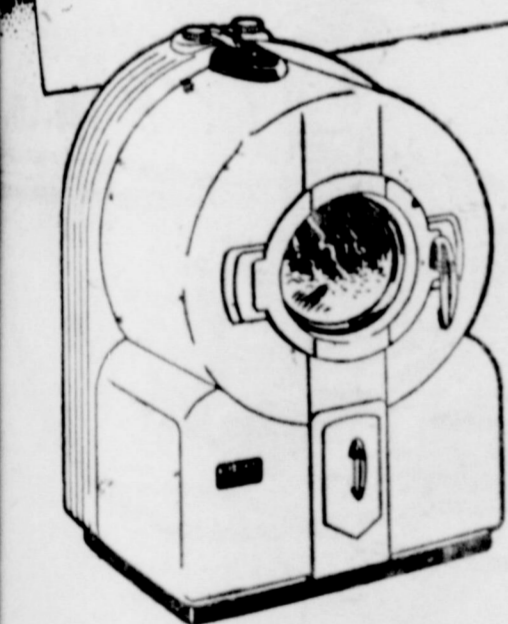
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WEDNESDAY CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. S. WILKINSON

Wednesday Bridge Club entertained at the home of Mrs. S. Wilkinson this week a bridge-luncheon. Married couples were used to de-classees were used all the party rooms. Lunch was served at one o'clock. The bridge games Mrs. H. were served at one o'clock. The bridge games Mrs. H. were served at one o'clock. The bridge games Mrs. H. were served at one o'clock.

H. Schroegele Presbyterians Meet

The circle of the Presbyterian Auxiliary met Monday noon in the ranch home of C. C. Mitchell, with Mrs. H. Schroegele as hostess. Lovely flowers were used all the house. Mrs. Joe N. presided at the business of the Executive Board of the circle meeting. Mrs. McKee led the devotional. Items of business were discussed and letters read from medical officers. Mrs. E. E. then led the program for Synodical and Presbyterial Home Missions. She was led by Mrs. John W. Byrd. The Latin-American work in the Presbyterian work in Texas; by Mrs. W. H. who discussed the work of the Spanish speaking department of the University and in the Theological Seminary in Dallas; by Mrs. S. A. Berkley discussed the Presbyterian work for Girls at Taft and C. C. Mitchell who discussed the Texas-Mexican Institute at Austin. Negro work of the church was presented by Mrs. Mitchell.

Mrs. E. E. Farley also led the study on "The Pentateuch Its Relation to the Bible as a whole".

Portraits were made of the for the auxiliary history. Schroegele invited the to the dining room where refreshments of cake, SEHTAR refreshments of iced tea, cake with whipped cream and berries and mints were served. The table was laid with cloth and centered with a arrangement of golden lilies.

ATCH 'N CHAT CLUB TUESDAY

H. W. Halsell was hostess the weekly meeting of the 'n Chat Club at her home day afternoon.

Refreshments were served by hostess to Mesdames P. P. ney, W. H. Nessmith, Gene n, Ray Turner, Dick Sulli- and W. M. Druse.

A to B of LE Organized With Seven Members

The Oasis Division No. 378 O. to the B. of L. E. was re-organized March 30 and now membership of fourteen. There were five charter mem-bering here which made possible to re-organize the Mesdames Lizzie Green Genevieve Charlton, both er members and past of- of the old lodge, will fill offices of secretary and ent the remainder of ems

The group meets every second day of the month at the nic Hall at eight o'clock business meeting and on erta Wednesday evening the same hour for a social e. A larger membership is pated by the lodge and are needed to take part in ills that are a part of the omies of the lodge.

Springing the present mem- are Mesdames Virginia a, Maybelle Stavley, Louise y, Bernice Cox, Marg May, Krauss, Norma Palmer, arme Hatchel, Evelyn Sim- Thyra Kyle, Mary May- Virginia Stegall, Lizzie and Genevieve Charlton.

Peavy is reported to be home this week.

Legion Auxiliary Plans Picnic For July Meeting

Eight members were present when the Legion Auxiliary met at the courthouse in regular monthly business session Thursday evening. Plans were completed for the tea which was given as a courtesy to the state convention of War Mothers in session here this week. Assistance in providing food for the barbecue to be given by the Legion on July 4th was also planned.

Officers will be elected at the July meeting which will begin with a picnic supper served on the courthouse lawn.

Members present were Mesdames Troy Druse, F. A. Wegand, Ida Bodkin, Jack Turner, H. Gilbreath, W. T. Frazier, W. T. Frazier, Jr., and Wilton Dishman.

Barbecue At Allen Hardgraves Honors Out-of-Town Guests

Honoring their out-of-town guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Metcalf and son, and Mrs. Alvin Cox and children, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hardgrave entertained with a barbecue at their ranch home last Thursday evening.

Guests included Messrs and Mesdames F. M. Woods and children, Joe Kerr, Jr., and son, Jack Hardgrave and son, E. W. Hardgrave, C. E. Harkins and son, Martell Petty and Lee Hardgrave, Campbell Kerr and John Hardgrave.

Party Honors John Pate On Seventh Birthday

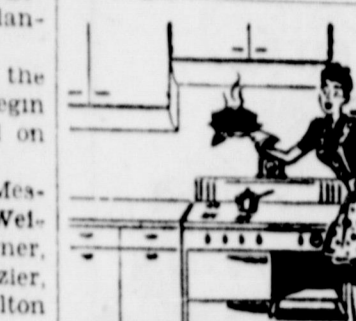
Mrs. J. W. Pate entertained with a party at her home last Friday evening honoring her son, John, on his seventh birthday. Games and contests were enjoyed on the lawn by the little guests.

After the gifts were opened by the honoree, Mrs. Pate served birthday cake with ice cream and orange mints to Bob Spears, Charles Holt, Paul Kern, Donnie Little, J. T. Herring, Tommie Hopper, Patty Gray, Sue Ann Stavley, Kay Dell Cooke, Bonda Gail Boyd, Janie Robinson, Peggy Cooke and Bart Pate.

MRS. JOHN CLARK TO REMAIN IN HOSPITAL

John Clark returned from El Paso Wednesday morning after spending ten days with his wife, who is in a hospital in that city. Mrs. Clark is responding to treatment and it is hoped that surgery may be averted.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Allen and baby have returned home after a visit with her parents in Colorado City.



KITCHEN MEMO

Part of the problem of meal preparation is the ever present question of what to serve for dessert. Here's one using ingredients from your faithful emergency shelf and simple enough to prepare. For Cherry Almond Sponge soften 1 envelope gelatine in 1/4 cup cold water. Dissolve this in 1 1/2 cups boiling water. Add 1/2 cup sugar, 1/4 tsp. salt, 1/4 tsp. almond extract. Chill. When mixture begins to thicken, beat until frothy. Then add 1/2 cup chopped almonds, 1/2 cup chopped maraschino cherries. Beat until stiff. Fold in 3 egg whites and pile into sherbet glasses. Chill several hours.

A hot water tap leaking 60 drops a minute wastes about 65 gallons a month, enough hot water for 7 baths. A penny for a washer, a few minutes' time, saves gas water heater operation and, of course, lowers the gas bill.

The children's eyes will sparkle when you serve them a molasses milk shake. Mix well 1 tsp. molasses to a glass of cold milk.

Too much frost impedes air circulation, the greatest factor in correct refrigeration. Your gas refrigerator should be defrosted when about a half inch of frost has collected on an appreciable number of days.

To take out grass or flower stains rub fabric in thick hot suds. If the stain still remains, use hydrogen peroxide or a chlorine bleach. Very bad stains should be softened first by rubbing with grease.

A. T. FREEMAN INJURED IN ALPINE FRIDAY MORNING

A. T. Freeman, brakeman on the T&NO, suffered head injuries from an unknown origin last Friday morning in Alpine.

It was reported to the Times that Freeman had thrown a switch and signalled a highball to the engineers. When it was noted that he didn't catch the train a search was begun for him and he was found with a head injury above the right ear.

He was taken to an Alpine hospital but did not regain consciousness until Tuesday. He did not know what it was that struck him.

His condition is reported as satisfactory. Mr. Freeman's mother arrived Sunday night and is at his bedside.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Ernest Jessup, who has been receiving medical treatment in an Alpine hospital was brought home Friday evening and is showing some improvement. Her son, Lowell, who was injured when thrown from his horse three weeks ago is able to sit up for brief periods and is convalescing satisfactorily after being returned home.

Miss Margaret Arrington returned home Monday from Norman, Oklahoma, where she has been attending the University of Oklahoma. She will leave the first of July for El Paso where she has accepted employment. Miss Arrington is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Arrington.

Jackie Savage, Bobby Wilkinson, Betty Cooke, Nancy Peavy, and Jimmy Harrison returned Saturday from Alpine where they attended a ten-day summer band clinic at Sul Ross College. Jimmy Bradford had returned earlier in the week when he became ill with a throat infection.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Cresswell, former residents, have returned to Sanderson to make their home. They are with their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stavley until an apartment which they are building ad-

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joining their garage can be completed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Huff of North Little Rock, Arkansas, and their son, Harry, of St. Louis, Mo., with Mr. and Mrs. Hoy Riggins of Fayetteville, Ark., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Riggins last week. Mr. Riggins and Mrs. Huff are brother and sister of C. G. Riggins.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hardgrave this week include Mrs. Hardgrave's sister, Mrs. Alton Cox and children of Tulia, Texas; her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Metcalf and son of Cincinnati, Ohio; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams of Jayton, Texas.

Mrs. Elvin Best, who has been visiting her daughter, Miss Wanda Best, left Saturday for Brady to join her husband who is the song leader for a revival in that city. They will return to their home in Higgins next week.

Mrs. John Rowland of Del Rio with her three grandchildren, Martha Ann Rowland of Del Rio and John and Dee Rowland of Uvalde spent the week end as guests of Mrs. Rowland's sister, Mrs. C. L. Surratt.

Mrs. Alfred Cooke went to Ft. Stockton Saturday to spend the day with her son, Eddie Cooke, and family of Odessa who were attending a picnic in that city.

Miss Pauline Winnett left Saturday for Hillsboro, Tenn., where she will visit relatives for several weeks. Miss Winnett is the T&NO operator at Dryden.

Mrs. Lee Kelley and her daughter, Ruth Ann, left last week for points in Arizona and Oregon to spend the summer. Mr. Kelley will leave Sunday to join them for a ten-day visit. Jimmie Harris left for Santa Monica, California, Friday night

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to visit his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Harris, Jr. He will probably be gone six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Baker and children of El Paso arrived Tuesday to join Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Cox and daughter, Wylene, for a week's fishing trip to Aransas Pass and Rockport.

Hal J. Rowlett, who was taken to an Alpine hospital last week, was brought home Wednesday night. His condition is reported to be much improved.

Lee Hardgrave went to El Paso last week end to meet his wife and daughter, Frarylee, who have been visiting relatives in Illinois for the past month.

Mrs. W. T. Frazier spent Monday and Tuesday in El Paso where she visited her daughter, Miss Betty Frazier, and her sister, Mrs. Willie Noland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kerr, Jr., and son spent last week end in Bracketville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Biedler.

Johnnie and Beth Green of Eagle Pass are guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laughlin.

Mrs. Lee Grigsby returned Saturday from McCamey where she visited her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Grigsby.

Mrs. E. M. Reeves of El Paso left Friday for her home after a ten-day visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. E. P. Halley. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cotten of San Angelo were guests in the home of Mr. Cotten's sister, Mrs. W. H. Nessmith, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Prince Dishman, Jr., have returned to Sanderson.

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turned Wednesday from Houston where Mr. Harris has been for a medical check-up.

Mrs. Wilma King of Ardmore, Oklahoma is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Theron Horton.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Pate took their son, John, to Camp Lajunta at Hunt for a six week's period, returning Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Dishman returned Monday night from San Antonio where they had spent the week end.

C. G. Riggins was in San Antonio last week to buy merchandise for the store.

Jack Downie arrived Tuesday night to spend the summer on the ranch north of Sanderson. Miss Clara Alice Bell has accepted a position with Milady's Beauty Shop this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Bradford and Jimmy were Del Rio visitors Tuesday.

son from their wedding trip to Lake Walk. D. L. Duke has returned home after spending last week in San Antonio with his mother, Mrs. M. E. Duke.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shurley and baby returned Sunday from Uvalde where they had visited relatives for several days. Mrs. Ray Thompson has returned from a visit with relatives in Rock Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Harris re-

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BUTTRILL FAMILY MOVING TO SABINAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Buttrill and family are leaving July 1 for Sabinal to make their home. Mr. Buttrill, who is section foreman for the T&NO is being transferred to Sabinal and Joe Thomas of Hot Wells will take his place here.

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- FOR SALE**—Trailer, \$200; electric fan, \$3.50; baby stroller \$2. Brown trailer across from Masonic Hall. 16-tfc
- FOR SALE** — Five piece dinette suite. See J. N. Miller at Kerr Mercantile Co. 17-tfc
- BUTTONHOLES** made. All sizes. Mrs. B. F. Anderson. Phone 158.
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- FOR SALE**—Kerosene Electro-lux refrigerator, \$125. See J. W. Buttrill at Section house. 17-1p
- TEXAS ALMANACS**— Anything you want to know about Texas may be found in the 1948 edition for 85c each at the Sanderson Times.
- NOTICE**
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Sanderson State Bank will be held Saturday, July 3, 1948, from 10 to 12 a. m.
- Correspondence cards, informal notes, thank you notes and cards at The Sanderson Times.

VFW's To Play Villa Acuna Here Sunday

The local V. F. W. baseball team has arranged games for the next two Sunday afternoons. After eight consecutive wins this season the V. F. W.s will meet the Villa Acuna Ellos Sunday, June 20, at the local V. F. W. field at 2:30 p. m. Of three games matched with the Villa Acuna team last season, the local team won two and lost one. The game for Sunday, June 27, will be with the Midland Colts.

Office Supplies at the Times

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rates — County \$10.00, District \$15.00, State \$20.00

The Sanderson Times is authorized to announce the following names of candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July, 1948.

For State Representative, 87th District
CLIFFORD O. LAWRENCE
TOM H. STOVELL

For State Senator, 29th District
CHARLES B. MOORE
HENRY A. COFFIELD
HILL D. HUDSON

For District Attorney, 63rd Judicial District
W. P. WALLACE, JR.
DOUGLAS A. NEWTON

For Sheriff, Tax Collector and Assessor
J. S. NANCE (re-election)

For County Judge
R. S. WILKINSON (re-election)
V. I. CARGILE

For County and District Clerk
RUEL ADAMS (re-election)
WILTON H. DISHMAN

For County Treasurer
BEN DAWSON (re-election)
MRS. C. P. PEAVY

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1
R. E. CORDER (re-election)
JACK LAUGHLIN

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1
J. J. (Johnny) WHISTLER
CLAUDE E. HARKINS
E. B. LITTON

Livestock Truckers Required to Comply With Legal Rates

The Railroad Commission of Texas has issued Motor Freight Commodity Tariff No. 8 prescribing rates for the transportation of livestock, feedstuff and farm machinery, effective June 17.

The order prescribes legal rates to be charged by all specialized motor carriers when the transportation of the specified commodity is between or through two or more incorporated cities, towns or villages, as provided by law. If the carrier fails to collect or the shipper pays other than the prescribed rates either will be violating the Motor Carrier Act of the State of Texas, and will be subject to cancellation.

The tariff provides that the carrier shall make and keep in his possession a freight bill on each load giving the required information, and that those records are subject to inspection by Texas Railroad Commission representatives.

This tariff is a protection to the shipper against "bootleg" haulers, as well as forms a uniform hauling rate for legitimate licensed truckers.

T. C. Young, San Antonio oil man, was in Sanderson Monday of this week on business.



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EMERGENCY STEPS TO BE TAKEN FOR PREVENTION OF AUTO ACCIDENTS

AUSTIN, June 16—Calling attention again to the deaths, injuries and property damage caused by traffic accidents in Texas, Governor Beauford H. Jester announced Saturday that if necessary he would declare a state of emergency in Texas and mobilize the full forces of state government, in collaboration with local officials, to meet adequately and quickly this menace to the lives of the people of this state.

The Governor's statement in full is as follows:

"In the state of Texas last year a total of 1997 persons lost their lives in traffic accidents with 65,000 more being injured. Property damage reached fantastic figures — the latest estimate being \$81,483,000. Through the cooperation of the Texas Department of Public Safety, the State Highway Department, and the Texas Safety Association, we organized during the year and presented in March the Governor's Highway Safety Conference. Sub-committees in charge of all phases of a State-wide Traffic Safety program are now busily at work. An action program of the most comprehensive nature is being projected.

"It is unthinkable that Texas should stand by and watch its people struck down by the thousands in traffic accidents and not take the most drastic action. Last year many steps were taken, including the adoption of a Uniform Traffic Code and the authorization of 200 additional highway patrolmen.

"More must be done. The action program adopted at the statewide conference must be carried out at once.

"The governor will establish immediately a Coordinating Committee of state officials for the Official State Traffic Control program.

"The governor proposes fur-

thermore, if necessary, to declare a state of emergency; to mobilize the full forces of the state government, in collaboration with local officials, to meet adequately and quickly this menace to the lives of the people of this state.

"Nothing short of drastic and courageous action will succeed. There can be no temporizing with the problem, no leniency shown to those who violate the well-being and perfectly reasonable traffic laws of our state.

"I call upon our entire citizenship to join in this emergency action to meet menace. Only through the earnest cooperation of all people — in and out of public office — can the situation be met. This is one endeavor in which we must succeed. To fail is to give a sentence of death to thousands of men, women and children in Texas."

Mesdames H. E. Ezelle, M. O. Northcut, James House and Ruel Adams attended the Eastern Star School of Instruction in Fort Stockton Saturday.



State Health Officers Warn Of Dysentery

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a warning to parents that this is the season for an increase in dysentery, diarrhea and 'summer complaint.'

The chief cause of these intestinal diseases are contaminated milk, water or food, allowing the child to get overheated, excessive sugar in babies' formulas; and improper amount of food," Dr. Cox said. "All foods should be fresh and clean, and left-overs should be properly refrigerated to prevent spoilage."

Dr. Cox urged extreme care in the preparation of a feeding formula for infants. He said it should be prescribed by a physician, and that cleanliness and refrigeration were absolute essentials. Babies should be fed at regular intervals and on a definite schedule, since their stomach and bowels can be easily upset if fed irregularly or whenever they are fretful or restless.

The state health officer declared that dysentery is transmitted by flies and said every home should be well-screened and free of flies.

"If dysentery or diarrhea develop, consult your physician at once," Dr. Cox advised. "This so-called 'summer complaint' can be a very serious menace to your baby's health, if not an actual threat to his life."

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Last year they did drenching for the ranchers and this year they will take on new work of windmill repair.

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Edmond O'Brien, Ella Raines

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Joan Crawford, Dana Andrews

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Someone asked Pappy Miller last week how he stayed so spry at ninety. Pappy told him:
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According to Doc Hollister, that formula isn't far amiss. "Hard work," says Doc, "never wore out anyone before his time, providing he knew how and when to relax."
Doc himself works overtime, with his daytime patients at the office, and his evening calls. And

when he gets home he takes it easy with a mellow glass of beer and chats with the missus until it's time to go to bed.
From where I sit, relaxing is a fine art—especially in these tense, fast-moving times. And there's nothing like a temperate glass of beer—enjoyed with pleasant company—to restore that easy frame of mind that one needs after a hard day's work.

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