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## STRIKE SLATED FOR SP MEN NEXT WEEK

Unless a fact-finding board is named by President Truman within the next few days the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen announced Tuesday night that they would strike against the Southern Pacific Railroad in seven western states including Texas. The strike has been called for 6 a. m. December 15, unless an agreement is reached. There are some 296 points of grievance outstanding since 1940, according to C. W.

Employees of the T&NO, a subsidiary of the Southern Pacific, east of El Paso, will not be affected by the strike order. The tie-up of through traffic, both passenger and freight, will, however, force the local men out of work if the strike goes through. Local enginemen believe that the walkout will be averted by a settlement before the deadline approaches.

Moffitt, western central chairman for the brotherhood, and the strike is the only method to obtain settlement, he said.

According to the brotherhood officials the fact-finding board would have 30 days to hear the case and 30 days more in which to report to the President. Then, they said, if the board's findings were not satisfactory to the union, it could go ahead and strike.

Mr. Moffitt was not too optimistic about the prospects for settlement when he learned that a mediator had been assigned to the case, but he added that if such a mediator made satisfactory progress the union would have no objection to postponing the strike date.

## CHEAP, FOREIGN WOOL CAUSES LOW PRICES

Nathaniel E. Duval of the Massachusetts Mohair Plush Co., Boston, stated at the annual convention of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association that the substitution of cheap, foreign coarse wools and synthetics has been the principal cause of the low price of domestic wool and mohair.

Duval also stated that mohair is being adulterated in combination with cheap refibers and being sold as mohair with as little as 12 1/2 per cent mohair content. Duval advised the mohair growers to advocate government legislation to demand proper labeling of all mohair products as to their content and that the producers sponsor education programs to acquaint the consumers with the advantages of using the mohair products.

It was brought out at the meeting that since the advent of synthetics agents were finding many ways to build up certain products to a high degree of sales appeal in proclaiming them to be as good as the real product. This will have to be fought in an organized effort of all the wool and mohair producers if they are to retain a market for their products. The consumers, it was pointed out, are being hoodwinked daily with publicity and advertising, that the synthetics are of better quality and also are cheaper. The only successful way to combat this looming downfall of the wool and mohair producers is to initiate a program of the same kind showing the practicability of using products of wool and mohair.

## "Glass Dishes" To Be Presented Friday

The Junior Class of the Sanderson High School will present the play "Glass Dishes" in the high school auditorium Friday evening. The play, a comedy in three acts, promises to furnish an evening of entertainment and pleasure to those attending

## EAGLE BAND GIVES CONCERT AT P-TA MEET

The Sanderson P-TA had the regular monthly meeting at the high school auditorium Thursday evening with Mrs. E. F. Pearson as program leader.

The Eagle Band gave a thirty minute concert and the fifth grade, under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Boulter and Mrs. W. H. Grigsby, presented a skit for the special number.

During the business session, Rev. Clifford Spencer was elected third vice-president and Mrs. D. L. Duncan, treasurer, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Mrs. Sid Harkins and Mrs. C. C. Mitchell recently. Martelle Pitty, minister of the Church of Christ, gave a discussion on "The Home, a Unit for the Development of Emotional Ties."

The room attendance count was won by Mrs. Grigsby's fifth grade section.

## QUAIL SEASON OPENED DEC. 1

Quail season opened in Terrell County officially December 1. But one might add, "So what?"

The quail this year have gone to greener fields, evidently, as there is very little evidence, if any, of the blue birds in this part of the country. There has been a noticed lack of game birds all year due to the lack of feed and the hot and dry summer caused few birds to be hatched.

Hunting licenses this year have permitted just that for many of the men who customarily take to the country and bring back the game. But this year it has been mostly hunting for all who stayed in Terrell County during dove and quail season. It is almost as useless to mention the fact that there will be a duck season this year as it is to mention that quail season is now in effect. Few ducks will stop in such a dry and arid place as this in their annual migration unless they are too tired or too poor to go on, in which case they aren't worth a ten cent shotgun shell, anyway.

There is little prospect for the local nimrods to enjoy their investments of firearms any more now until next dove season and unless the moisture and feed situation changes there will be quite a few shotguns for sale locally come next fall.

## Girl Scout Council Meeting Tuesday

The regular monthly meeting of the Girl Scout Council was at the home of the president, Mrs. H. A. Finger, Tuesday evening. Fifteen members were present.

The president named a nominating committee consisting of W. W. Sudduth, R. V. Spears, Dr. J. C. Kern, Mesdames V. E. Littleton, J. A. Gilbreath and C. C. Mitchell.

Don Smith has proposed to instruct two art classes and give the proceeds to the Girl Scouts. Mesdames Littleton, Herman Couch and Sam Bell were named as a committee to investigate the advisability of organizing the art classes.

The annual meeting of the council will be Tuesday, January 18, at the Scout hut at seven p. m. At that time, yearly reports will be given by the officers.

## C. H. WHITE'S BROTHER DIES SUNDAY

C. H. White received word Sunday of the death of his brother, John M. White at Carrizo Springs. Mr. White had been confined to his bed for a long period of time due to infirmities of age.

Funeral services were held in Carrizo Springs Monday afternoon but Mr. White was unable to attend. He had visited with his brother three months ago.

## TEN PERSONS TAKE POSTAL CLERK EXAMS

Civil service exams for postal clerks were held at the postoffice Saturday. Ten local persons took the examination, according to Clyde Griffith, local postmaster. The grades of the applicants are not known yet.

## SP EMPLOYEES FORM CLUB AT WEDNESDAY MEET

Employees of the T&NO railroad living in and working out of Sanderson perfected the organization of an SP Employees Service Club Wednesday night when the group met for a showing of the educational color picture "This Is My Railroad." The group met in the library of the high school building where the film was screened by John Malsch of the Houston office of the railroad.

J. D. Ramsey acted as chairman for the organization meeting and the following officers were elected.

John L. Newton, president and W. F. Frazor, secretary-treasurer. Vice-presidents were elected from each branch of the work as follows: Jesse Lochausen, engineers; Chester Boyd, firemen; P. V. Corcoran, trainmen; C. M. Murray, switchmen; Pete Vincent, maintenance of way; Sam Thompson, car men; Horace Fletcher, roundhouse and Mrs. Grace Wheeler for the clerks and office employees.

The group set Saturday night, December 11, at 7:30 o'clock as the first regular meeting. The meeting will be at the Masonic Hall. All railroad employees and families are urged to attend this meeting, according to President Newton, so that plans for the future programs and meetings can be arranged.

The purpose of the club is to afford recreation and fellowship among the employees, Malsch said, so that they might learn more about their fellow workers and keep in closer harmony with each other.

Mr. Malsch, in outlining the importance of the group maintaining solidarity, explained the status of railroaders to the community as a contributing factor in the well-being of civic and community life. He quoted figures showing that the 219 SP railroad employees in Sanderson received last year \$1,041,169.32 on the payroll. The road paid \$22,237.00 in taxes on Terrell County property, \$3,415.00 of this amount went to the schools and \$2,879.00 for roads.

These figures place the employees of the road high on the list of contributing citizens to the community.

## More Highway Work In Big Bend Park After Land Purchases

The Big Bend National Park will soon have an additional 32 1/2 acres of land, according to an announcement from the Washington, D. C., office of the National Park Service.

The service, according to the announcement recently, has taken an option to buy the tract from Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cooper. The price being paid was not announced.

The Cooper tract lies near the northern limits of the park and is of special interest and importance as the only practical highway route to connect the park road system, and State Highway 227 crosses it.

Other small tracts in the park are also needed to make it possible to complete the road system planned, and efforts are being made to purchase these tracts or get them donated. The National Park Service does not have the funds for purchase of land but interested parties are seeking contributions or state funds for the land.

Mrs. E. W. Martin and Cinda returned Saturday night from El Paso where they had visited with relatives for ten days.

Mrs. W. H. Savage went to San Antonio last week end for her car and her mother, Mrs. J. W. McKee, who had been visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. Maxey Hart, who returned with her.

Del Rio visitors Saturday included Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Adams, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stavley, Paul C. Brake.

## To Represent Sanderson at Sun Carnival



Miss Marinell Gates, pictured above, was chosen by the Sanderson Lions Club to represent the town at the Sun Carnival to be held in El Paso January 1. Miss Gates is a student at Sul Ross College and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gates.

## TWO TEAMS ADDED IN DISTRICT FOOTBALL

Two football teams, Clint and Hancock, were added to the District 6-B roll at a meeting of coaches and school officials in Marfa last week end. This makes six teams in this district with a long drive between games in some instances.

Both Clint and Fort Hancock maintained six-man football teams last year but will be supporting an eleven-man team in 1949.

The conference schedule for all of the teams in the district was decided upon, but schedules are yet incomplete because of many open dates to be filled by all of the teams.

Sept. 9 Sanderson will play Fort Hancock in a non-conference game in Fort Hancock.

Sept. 20 Fabens at Fabens in a conference tilt. Oct. 7 Marfa at Marfa in a conference game Oct. 14 Clint at Sanderson, conference game.

Nov. 4 Alpine here in a conference game. Nov. 11 Fort Hancock will play here in a daylight conference game.

Additions to the schedule will be announced as they are determined.

## JIMMIE GHOLSON IN HOSPITAL AFTER ACCIDENT

Jimmie Gholson, brakeman for the T&NO, is in a Del Rio hospital receiving medical treatment following an accident at Valentine.

Mr. Gholson slipped on some ice when he stepped from a train at Valentine the latter part of November. He was thrown backwards when he slipped and landed on his shoulders. He suffered some soreness in the arms and shoulders since the accident but was not aware of the serious injury he had received until X-rays made Friday revealed two broken vertebrae at the base of the neck.

He has a weight on his head to hold the neck in position and will remain in the hospital indefinitely. His wife is there with him.

## SYLVIA WOODS HAS TONSILECTOMY TUESDAY

Sylvia Lee Woods, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Woods, had a tonsilectomy Tuesday morning and is recovering satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Williams returned Wednesday from San Anbelo where they attended the convention of the T&NOGRA this week.

## Vesper Service At Presbyterian Church Sunday, Dec. 19

A candle-light service "A Service of Lights" will be at the Presbyterian Church Sunday evening, December 19, at 6.

The public is extended a cordial invitation to attend. This service will be used instead of the annual Christmas pageant.

## BILL CARGILE TO HONOLULU WITH MINERS

Bill Cargile of Sanderson was a member of the College of Mines football team of El Paso which played the University of Hawaii team at Honolulu Saturday, December 4. The Miners flew to Honolulu and were guests at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel during the week that they spent there.

The Hawaiian Rainbows lost the game to the Miners with a score of 49-6.

## HARRY P. HORNBY, UVALDE PUBLISHER, BURIED SATURDAY

Funeral services were held in Uvalde Saturday afternoon for Harry P. Hornby, Sr., publisher of the Uvalde Leader-News.

Mr. Hornby had been in ill health for some time and died Friday night of pneumonia. Services were held from the First Methodist Church.

Since 1932, Mr. Hornby had been collector of customs for the Laredo district.

Recently he celebrated his fiftieth year as publisher of the Leader-News and also with Mrs. Hornby, their fiftieth wedding anniversary was celebrated.

Besides the widow, he is survived by a daughter in Uvalde, one in San Angelo and a son, H. P. Hornby, Jr., who is editor of the Leader-News.

## AMONG OUR SUBSCRIBERS

Three new subscribers are noted this week. Mrs. Marshall Burns of San Antonio, J. B. Morrison of Sanderson and H. O. Dunagan of Fort Stockton.

John Nichols had his address changed from San Angelo to Floyd and J. M. Maddux has moved from Clint to El Paso.

Renewals include Herman Chandler of Dryden, Mrs. Mary Alexander of South Pasadena, California, Le. Dudley, Pres Escamilla, W. M. Druse, Alfred Bendele of Sanderson.

H. M. Beckett, switchman on the T&NO was taken to a Del Rio hospital Tuesday night for medical treatment.

## SANDERSON WINS CONSOLATION AT MARATHON TOURNAMENT

The Sanderson Eagles won the consolation at the Marathon basketball tourney held last week end. Marathon carried off the top honors in the finals Saturday night.

The Eagles were defeated by Alpine in their first game and met Sierra Blanca, loser of the game with Marathon. Sanderson beat Sierra Blanca 48-26 and went on to play Fort Davis in the consolation finals. Sanderson won over Fort Davis 39-18. Fort Davis lost in their first game to Blackwell of Marfa and beat Van Horn, loser to Clint, to go into the finals with Sanderson.

Blackwell won over Clint in the semi-finals to be defeated by Marathon in the finals for the tournament championship. Alpine was defeated in their second-bracket game by Marathon.

Edwin Smith and Jack Harrell were named in a unanimous decision of the coaches as all-tournament players. Smith was high point man for the Eagles in all three of their games, tallying 11, 20 and 16 respectively in the three games.

Early-season indications are that Marfa and Marathon will be the two strong teams of the district competition this year. Sanderson will have plenty of strong competition in their bid for district honors and it looks now as if they will be a team to consider as contenders, especially since two of the Eagles were named as all-tournament stars.

Local boys attending the tournament in Marathon included E. Smith, J. Harrell, F. Harrell, J. Harris, D. Flores, M. Newton, W. Paul, B. Cooke, F. Arredondo, J. Bradford, G. Valdez, W. Wolfe, J. Talbot, R. Arredondo, J. Thompson, manager, J. Carter and R. Turner.

Bobby Cooke and Felipe Arredondo attended the football banquet at the Paisano Hotel in Marfa Saturday night and heard "Dutch", Meyer TCU mentor, principal speaker, and saw the SMU-TCU game film.

## NOVEMBER COLD MONTH LOCALLY

Long-time residents of Terrell County report the weather during November of 1948 the coldest for many years. The month closed with several days of freezing temperatures when the thermometer hovered around twenty at night and in the early morning. December came in with fair weather and warmer. The cold front which moved in on this section Monday had lost its chill and the temperatures have not been in the freezing bracket thus far except in the early hours of the new day.

## ROTARIANS PLAN CHRISTMAS PARTY FOR DECEMBER 15

The educational film in technicolor "This Is My Railroad" was shown at the weekly luncheon of the Rotary Club this week. The film was made for the Southern Pacific Railroad showing the intricate working of the railroad and including many places of scenic beauty along the route.

Names were drawn by the Rotarians for the exchange of gifts at the annual Christmas party in the high school banquet room next Wednesday evening at 7:30. The Rotaryans will be the guests of the club for the party.

## SGT. BILL RILEY HOME FROM JAPAN

Sgt. first class W. G. Riley arrived home Thanksgiving Day after serving with the U. S. army in Japan. He has been visiting with his sisters, Mrs. Alfred Bendele of Sanderson, Mrs. Charlie Cash of Pumpville and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Riley and his sister, Mrs. Bob Zerr and family of Hondo.

The Riley family had a reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bendele Thanksgiving Day.

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Economic Highlights

The aftermath of an election, like the aftermath of battle, is filled with talk of what-might-have-been. Of infinitely greater importance, however, is the question of what is going to happen now that Mr. Truman has become president in his own right by mandate of the voters and has with him a Congress which is solidly Democratic in both branches.

There are those who say that Mr. Truman during the campaign took a stand which was somewhat to the left of his natural position—that in other words his bark was worse than his bite will be from the point of view of business. Others take no stock in this attitude. The very conservative Wall Street Journal for instance, thinks that Mr. Truman meant precisely what he said and will do everything he can to put his election promises into full effect. It said, editorially, that the idea that the presidency may discount some of the things he said in the heat of the campaign "wholly neglects one of the outstanding characteristics of Mr. Truman. He keeps his commitments and he honors his allegiances even when it is difficult to do so. The prospects for the immediate future are down in black and white and it seems to us rather foolish not to believe the words and sentences."

At the same time, it must be remembered that Mr. Truman's legislative program must be approved by Congress to become effective. Here is one of the big question marks of the moment. Joe Martin, the present speaker of the House, who will resume his old role as minority leader next session, has said that the president can get just about anything he really wants from Congress. Others are nowhere near so sure. A sizable part of the Democratic strength in the House is from the South, and its leanings

tend in a conservative direction. A number of the Democratic Senators are not in sympathy with much of the program Mr. Truman has described. At any rate, here is how the guessers are predicting the trend of the coming events.

Labor Legislation: It is not likely that the Taft-Hartley Act will be repealed outright. It will be subjected to major changes. Special attention will be given to the subject of "critical strikes"—that is, those in basic industry which directly affect the entire country and economy.

Agriculture: Price support is definitely here to stay. All that is in doubt is the level at which farm prices will be supported. Beginning in 1950 a flexible support policy, as contrasted with the present policy of supporting prices at 90 per cent of parity, was to take effect. It is possible now, however, that the 90 per cent figure will be continued.

Price Control: It is likely, but it will be very different from OPA. Probably an effort will be made to impose it at the source of certain key items, rather than at the consumer level. This will stir one of the hottest debates in Congress. Rent control, of course, is certain to go on.

The Budget: Federal spending will increase, and to a somewhat greater extent than probably would have been the case in a GOP administration. During the next fiscal year, outgo will be \$45-billion, perhaps much more.

Taxes: Early increases in personal income taxes are unlikely—that would be the toughest of all medicine for Congress to swallow. Corporation taxes,

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however, are in for a boost. The president will urge doing this through an excess profits levy, rather than an increase in the regular corporate rate.

Social Security: There will be more of it, and it will cost more. Both the present payroll tax and the wage limit on which the tax is now levied will probably be raised. Emphasis will be on larger benefits for the old. Whether Congress will accept other presidential ideas, such as compulsory government health insurance, is too doubtful as yet to forecast.

Public Works: The president will want great expansion in this field, including power-development, land conservation, and so on. Congress will give him part but not all of what he asks. Other budget requirements, such as national defense, will have a strong bearing on the final result.

Inflation: There will be more talk than effective action. Few believe that significant change, either way, will take place.

There is one fact that should be kept in mind. Mr. Truman is pledged to a big-spending policy—and he is also pledged to a balanced budget. To achieve this goal, business must be kept operating at a peak level, as at present. So, the administration cannot afford to step too hard on business. It will probably attempt to maintain a difficult and delicate balance between more and more government on the one hand—while seeking to keep enterprise reasonably happy on the other.

Mr. Truman was heir to the

New Deal and, in essence, he is continuing it. Practically all the personalities have changed since he took office, and so have some of the policies. But the basic New Deal ideas are still there—a fact which the President made crystal-clear during his campaign, whether one likes it or not.

Search the Scriptures—

By Martelle Petty THE LORD GOD IS A SUN The basis for our lesson this week is found in Psalm 84: 10-12, where the psalmist declares, "I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God, than to dwell in the tents of wickedness. For the Lord God is a Sun and a Shield; the Lord will give grace and glory; no good thing will he withhold from them that walk uprightly. O Lord of Hosts, blessed is the man that trusteth in Thee."

Certainly, mere words cannot convey a correct conception of God but the Bible, abounds in such similes and metaphors, as the one quoted above designed to give us some idea of God's divinity. The psalmist here shows the

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power and benevolence of God by saying, "The Lord God is a Sun."

The sun is the source of light. The physical light reveals beauty and wealth and exposes the evils lurking in dark places. God is the author of physical light. Not only this but God is the only source of Spiritual light that men can see by He is the source of all that is good.

The sun is the source of power. We are told that coal and petroleum and other things that furnish light for our homes and power for industries are from the sun. Just so, God is also the author of all the ideals that illumine the mind, the ambitions that enrich and the spirit of sacrifice that makes one give his life for what he believes to be right.

The sun is the source of physical warmth. It gives us the warmth of spring to drive away the frosts that still linger from

winter. Even so does God, amid the chilling winds of life's winter give us the warmth and comfort of His eternal love.

The sun maintains all life. Remove the sun for a few days and all life on earth would be gone. Without God, the Great Eternal Sun—there would be no life either physical or spiritual. "Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me."

Mrs. W. H. Nessmith returned Sunday from Colorado City where she had been for the past three weeks at the bedside of her father-in-law who was very ill with pneumonia. His condition is improving rapidly.

Durwood Elrod left Tuesday for Houston where he will have a medical check-up. The metal brace he has worn on his neck for several months was removed

recently and he hopes to be able to work the first of the year.

Weldon Blackwelder of Palestine spent the week end with his mother, Mr. J. R. Blackwelder, and other relatives.

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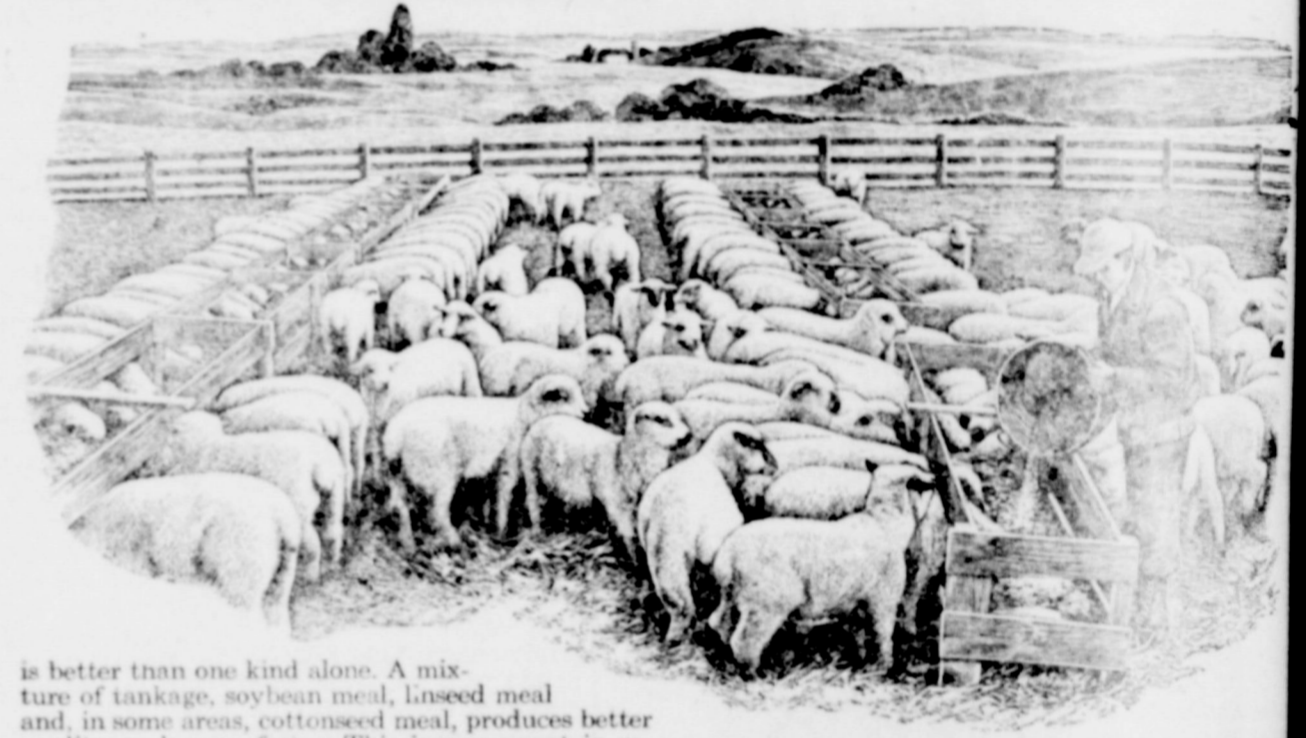
Their Future is in the Balance

Meat animals are what they eat! It takes a balanced ration to keep them healthy, growing and gaining. Successful livestock men know this. Hundreds of controlled feeding experiments prove it. Morrison, the great feeding authority, states—"Lamb on unbalanced rations require 46% more corn and 15% more hay for each 100 pounds of gain!"

Balanced rations for hogs show spectacular results. Anyone can make a lot of fat and a little lean with corn and water. But that's the slow, expensive way. It takes a pile of corn to do it. But with corn balanced with proteins and minerals and vitamins hogs can be fed to market weights in six months or less. Think of the corn you can save—11 bushels of corn alone will make 100 pounds of pork, but only 6 1/2 bushels of corn plus 35 pounds of protein supplement will do the same job faster.

Scores of feeding trials prove that a balanced ration pays with steers and lambs, whether on the range or in the feedlot. In fact, the same basic principle applies to all livestock and poultry. Forage and other homegrown feeds, properly balanced with proteins and minerals, make more and better meat pounds at less cost.

Continuous research affords new and exciting means of using available materials in improved rations for livestock. At first, tankage alone was used to add protein to hog rations. It did a good job. Then research proved that a combination of proteins



is better than one kind alone. A mixture of tankage, soybean meal, linseed meal and, in some areas, cottonseed meal, produces better quality pork even faster. This improvement in rations makes for more efficient and economical use of proteins. But what about vitamins and minerals? Here, too, many advancements in techniques of supplying these nutrients have been made. Dehydrated alfalfa, milk solids, vitamin oils, and some synthetic sources provide essential vitamins and other factors. Mineral balance is necessary, too. Salt, the universal need, supplies sodium and chlorine. Steamed bone meal supplies calcium and phosphorus, and other major minerals. With these, alert research men now are combining other known essential elements, such as cobalt, manganese, iron, iodine, copper, and magnesium, to turn slow gainers into fast gainers.

Soda Bill Sez: You can't make money last unless you make it first! What America needs is less soiled conversation and more soil conservation.

Quotes of the Month

It's cheaper to warm water with fuel in the tank heater than with corn in a steer. E. T. Robbins, University of Illinois For proper nutrition of brood sows, feed good quality alfalfa hay liberally, ground or otherwise. Use at least 15% in mixed rations for sows, or self-feed the hay in a rack. Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Station A flock of 300 hens will consume 17 tons of water annually. If possible to install, running water in a laying house will save a lot of walking, carrying and plain hard work. M. A. Seaton, Kansas State College A phosphorus supplement fed to ewes in amounts to satisfy their requirements would increase their vitality, help maintain their weight during the winter, and increase the percentage lamb crop. Farm and Home Science, Utah

How good are you kids at knowing the names of the animals used to help you play games?

Illustrations of a baseball player, a football player, and a tennis player with text explaining animal-related terms like 'steer', 'pigskin', and 'lamb'.

By-products that meat packers save every day increase livestock values, make stockmen more pay.

Martha Logan's Recipe for BAKED HAM SLICE. Cover a 2-inch-thick slice of ham with honey or orange marmalade. Add 1 cup water or fruit juice. Bake in a covered pan in a slow oven (325° F.) about 25 to 30 minutes per pound (about 2 hours).

"It takes a big tractor to pull a heavy-duty plow" advertisement for Farm Equipment Co. featuring illustrations of large and small tractors and text describing their utility in farming.

MERRY MAZE advertisement featuring a maze illustration and text.

First Calves Forecast Production advertisement by Marvin Koger, Animal Husbandman, New Mexico A & M. Experiment Station. Includes a table of calf weights and a summary of the study's findings.

Swift & Company advertisement: UNION STOCK YARDS, CHICAGO 9, ILLINOIS. Nutrition is our business—and yours.

Dec. 8. — With the cold weather each year reported, several deaths are reported, resulting from gas fumes in improperly ventilated homes or quarters.

Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a warning in respect emphasizing that it is safe to sleep in a tightly closed room with a gas fire burning if there are no gas fumes in the room. If the air soon becomes vitiated, it is better to get up and open a window to breathe.

When occupying a room in which a fire is burning be sure to have at least one window open. "If the weather is not permit leaving a window open in the room occupied, it is safe by opening a door to a adjoining room, where a window can be opened."

Cox said he was prompted

to issue this warning early in the season because of the fact that thousands of new residents in the state have come from districts where they have been accustomed to burning coal, wood or oil, and they do not know the dangers of gas fumes in improperly ventilated homes.

"Occupying a room heated by an open gas flame, and at the same time keeping the room tightly closed, may prove disastrous the very first time it is tried," Dr. Cox said. "It is better not to risk it even one time. Always be sure that your room has plenty of fresh air, but be doubly sure when you have a gas fire burning."

**WILLIE GRIGSBY HOME ON TWO-WEEKS LEAVE**

Willie Grigsby, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Grigsby, left today for San Diego for reassignment following completion of boot training there. He has spent the past two weeks here on leave. Young Grigsby enlisted in the navy two months ago.

**TERRELL COUNTY LISTED IN TEXAS DROUGHT AREA**

According to a recent story in the Dallas News Texas is well into its third year of drought with 200 of the state's 254 counties included in the drought list. Terrell County is on the list.

The drought has struck at many industries. Many acres of fall wheat and oats are drying for want of moisture. Texas nursery stock growers have suffered very heavy losses and acute shortages of many plants prevail with the soil too hard to take out young plants for handling and shipping.

Dairymen in areas where they are having to haul water because stock pools have dried up report growing distress. Inadequate pastures are forcing them to feed costly processed grains.

Farmers in all sections of Texas report short crops. Cows and calves arriving on the market show the effects of the prolonged drought over south and west Texas.

Lack of water is proving a real source of worry in many cities of the state with new wells, lakes and reservoirs being provided to relieve the acute shortage. Coleman has been hauling water by train for several months from Brownwood.

Amarillo and the Texas panhandle are the only areas of the state reporting normal-plus precipitation for the eleven months of 1948. Showers and late rains in southeast Texas relieved the drought in that area but not be-

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fore much drought damage had been done to agriculture.

The rainfall in Terrell County is far below normal. Some ranchmen have not had any precipitation in two years. As one ranchman said, "Four inches of rain in eighteen months coming in showers and drizzles has not helped very much."

Local ranchmen have been feeding for months. Flocks have been reduced by sales and moved to pasturage where possible but the feeding must go on. If available sorghum is being used as roughage and sugar content and the prolonged feeding has forced the ranchmen to try to find a substitute for the costly alfalfa hay which was fed to their sheep by the thousands of bales last winter.

Various types of meal mixed with salt and custom-mixed feed and pellets will probably make up the bulk of the local feed bill during the hard months that lie ahead.

**PECOS 4-H CLUB GETS \$6 PER POUND FOR CHAMP STEER**

4-H Club work has always proved rewarding in knowledge and experience gained but take it from the sixty members of the Pecos County 4-H Club, it can also result in sudden wealth. Several local boys including Billy Gene Hill, Montie Wallace, Jr., Malone Mitchell, Jr. and David Mitchell belong to the club.

The club added more than \$5,000 to their coffer last Thursday when their steer Texo reserve champion of the International Livestock Exhibition at Chicago was sold for \$4 a pound. W. T. Posey, Pecos County Agent, said they will use the fund to expand club activities.

Texo began his show winning career in October when he was chosen Grand Champion of the Texas State Fair, where he was shown by Sim Reeves Jr., of Fort Stockton. At that time he was purchased by Wiley Akins, manager of Burrus Feed Mills, Fort Worth, for \$2 a pound which placed the purchase price well over \$2,000. Young Reeves plans to use his prize money for his college education.

Mr. Akins, manager of one of the world's largest feed mills, has always been intensely interested in 4-H work. Recognizing

the fine quality of the steer, he said, "This animal is too fine to be slaughtered. Instead, Burrus Feed Mills is giving him to the boys and girls of the Pecos 4-H Club is the belief that he will win even greater honors for them."

The Pecos club named the steer Texo.

Akins proved to be a true prophet for on November 30 Texo became champion Hereford of the international show.

That same day he was also selected reserve champion, top honors going to an Aberdeen Angus steer owned by C. E. Yoder of Muscatine, Iowa.

On December 2, Glenn McCarthy, fabulous Houston oil man, caused a whirlwind of excitement when he bought the Angus calf for \$10.75 a pound and Texo for \$4 a pound. In addition, McCarthy paid 77 cents a pound for the champion carlot of 15 steers.

McCarthy announced that he would serve the champion animals at the opening of his new hotel in Houston which will be on March 17, St. Patrick's Day.

**Former Sanderson Man Gets National Publicity in Mag**

O. T. Schupach, Jr., known in California as "Tex Mooney", received national publicity in the December 4 issue of the Saturday Evening Post. Schupach is employed as a bouncer in a vast Los Angeles dine-and-dance emporium and according to the author of the story is one of the best in the business. Schupach does a little picture work on the side.

The story deals with the tactics of the "persuaders" and shows several pictures of "Tex" in action evicting some trouble-makers.

Schupach went to school in Sanderson graduating in 1936. He attended Sul Ross and West Texas State Teachers College and later played professional football with the Cleveland Rams.

He is the son of O. T. Schupach of Marathon and a brother of Mrs. W. E. Stavley of Sanderson.

Rev. and Mrs. R. A. English and children returned last Friday from Arlington where they visited Mr. English's mother. Rev. English entered the Harris Memorial Hospital in Fort Worth for a clinical examination while on the trip.

Miss Marinell Gates of Sul Ross College, spent the week end here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gates.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Stumberg were visitors in San Angelo to the TS&GRA convention this week.

Miss Winnie Mansfield has returned after a visit with her sister, Mrs. James Hooten, in Del Rio.

Charles G. Riggins returned Tuesday morning from a business trip to San Antonio.

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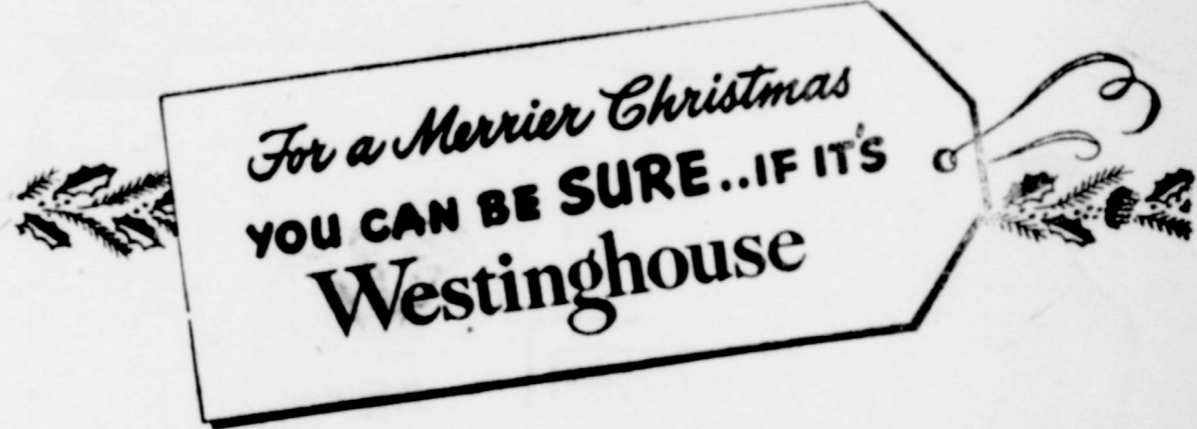
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### Agricultural Program For 1949 Outlined By Representative

The 1949 Agricultural Conservation Program is open to every rancher in Terrell County. Those who have a conservation problem on their ranch are urged to participate in the program. Full information is available at the County Agricultural Conservation office at Sanderson.

Herbert A. Brown, chairman of the County Agricultural Conservation Committee, advised that within the limits of funds available, assistance is available to all ranchers who participate in the program. Conservation practices carried out must meet the requirements for such practices.

It should be understood, says Mr. Brown, that the funds which this county receives for conservation work represents the national interest in conserving soil and water in this county. The county committee is charged with the responsibility of seeing that the funds are used to get maximum conservation for each dollar spent.

The conservation practices

which have been approved for national use in conserving soil and water have been drawn up by the county committee, state FMA committees, state technical committees and the Agricultural Conservation Programs Branch County practices have been selected and adapted by community and county committeemen.

Assistance under the program is intended to encourage additional conservation and not to help ranchers with customary operations, Mr. Brown states.

Practices that may be carried out in Terrell County under the 1949 program are:

- Construction of terraces for which necessary outlets and waterways are provided.
- Construction of diversion terraces to control excess water.
- Drilling and digging wells for livestock water.
- Construction of earthen dams or reservoirs for livestock water or erosion control.
- Construction of concrete or rubble masonry dams or drops for livestock water or erosion control.
- Elimination of destructive vegetation on noncrop pasture and range land.

Reseeding range or pasture land by deferred grazing.

Establishing or improving permanent pastures by seeding adapted pasture grasses, pasture legumes or mixtures of grasses and legumes.

Application of potash and superphosphate.

### Rattle of the Rail

J. W. (Smoky) Daniel, passenger engineer on the run between El Paso and Sanderson, retired on pension on November 27 after 46 years in the engine service.

Fireman T. L. Billings of Del Rio is now on the 7:59 a. m. yard engine here.

Engineer J. L. Malone has been assigned to the yard engine in El Paso.

J. F. Tronson, roundhouse foreman, was in San Antonio several days last week.

W. E. Cotermarsh and W. A. Nunn, engineers, and Fireman G. L. Strother, have been assigned as instructors on the Diesel engine now operating on this division.

Engineer F. L. Cochrane has been assigned to passenger runs of train 1 and 2 between El Paso and Sanderson vacated by engineer J. W. Daniel.

Engineer G. C. Wilson returned Tuesday from El Paso where he had gone on account of sickness in his family.

Fireman L. C. Baird was assigned to a regular freight run here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Berkley are visiting in Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. G. H. Mayfield was an Alpine visitor Thursday.

### TEXAS STARTS DRIVE AGAINST POLIOMYELITIS

Texas from the Rio Grande to the Panhandle are girded for a statewide drive to strike back against poliomyelitis which thus far in 1948 has stricken more

than 1600 persons in more than 150 counties.

Gov. Beauford H. Jester proclaimed the period from Thanksgiving Day to Christmas as Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation Month as Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation Month as a statewide organization headed by Dana X. Bible University of Texas director of athletics, swung into action to secure financial support for the institution which cares for young children stricken by polio and other crippling diseases.

Chairmen in key counties throughout Texas are assisting

Mr. Bible in bringing the story of the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation to the people of the state, says Ross Boothe, president of the foundation.

Equipped to care for 110 crippled children, the Gonzales foundation uses the water from the warm natural springs and modern medical facilities and trained technicians to assist those who have been crippled to regain their health. It is supported largely by the contributions of Texas citizens, says Mr. Boothe, and any child suffering from a crippling disease may ob-

tain admission and treatment, he declared.

A number of statewide organizations are cooperating in the campaign for financial support, Boothe reported.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

### Yes Sir, Insomnia's Contagious!

When Bud Swanson had trouble sleeping nights, and tried to get over it by turning up the radio full blast, he started an epidemic of insomnia all down the block!

Folks finally dropped a hint to Bud that he close the windows or turn the radio a little lower. Bud did—and that was the quickest cure for other folks' insomnia I've ever heard of!

Not that any of us object to the radio, or swing bands, or anything else that helps another person relax of an evening. (Myself, I like

a glass of beer with a bit of cheese before I go to bed. I can't speak for you.)

From where I sit, good neighborliness means nothing more than simply respecting the other person's tastes and rights—without forcing your own tastes or opinions down his throat. And that goes for Bud's radio, my glass of beer, or whatever temperate pleasure you happen to enjoy.

Joe Marsh

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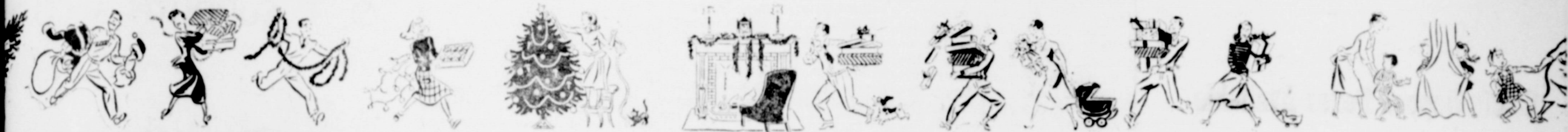
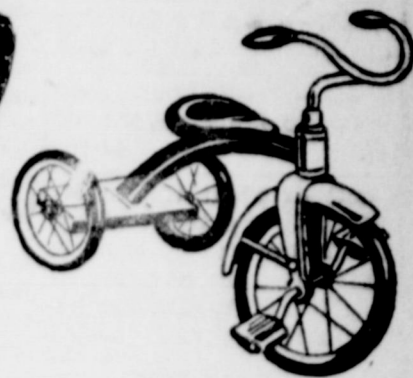
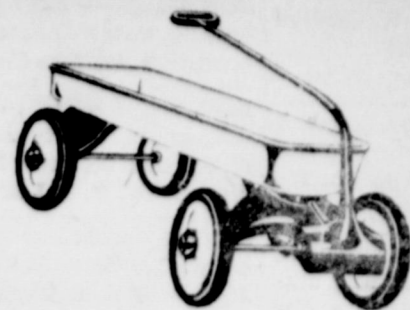
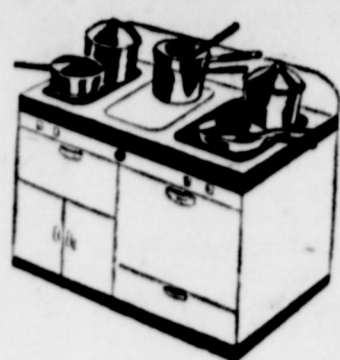
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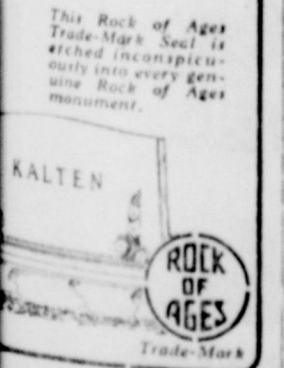
**Funeral of Miss Marie Powell**

Funeral of Miss Marie Powell to William G. McRichardson was announced by her mother, Mrs. Powell of Dallas this

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display of toys for children is planned. Hot chocolate, coffee and cake will be served. Everyone in the community is invited to inspect the nice array of gifts offered for sale by the shop.

Miss Carolyn Evans of Valentine was a week end guest in the home of her cousins, Messdames Harvey and Charles Rogers. Robert Joe Dishman, who enlisted in the navy two months ago, arrived Sunday after completing boot camp training at San Diego to visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Dishman, Sr., for twelve days.

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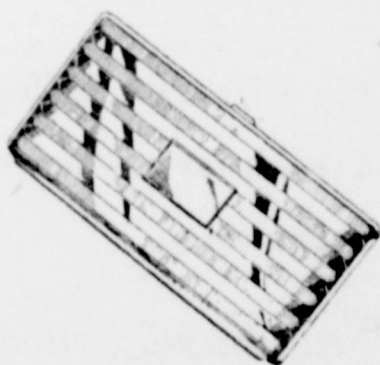


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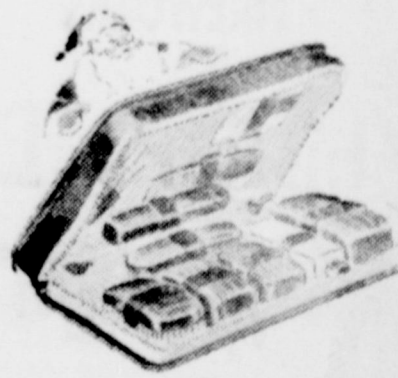
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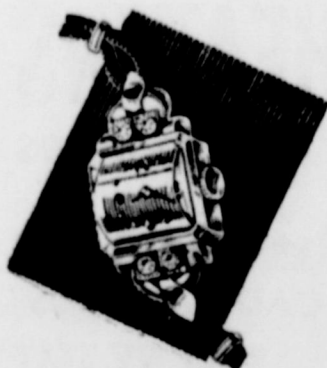
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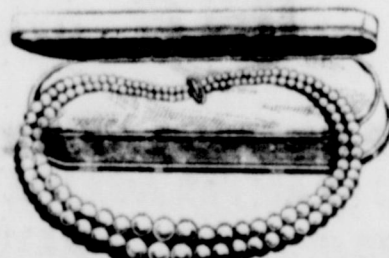
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### Listen to Luke

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and trash removed. This adds so much to the appearance of one's property, they look at it and wonder why the clean-up wasn't started sooner. This column did a little of the above-mentioned work this week and noted such a change for the better. Leaves were raked and burned and dead weeds and trash accumulations raked and when we got through we wondered how we stood the ugly sight for so long.

This town needs a good painting. One of these days I plan to sit down and think all these things out at once, but in the meantime I will just mention clean-up and screen the pits before next summer. If you think I'm wrong about the suggestion just ask your doctor. I intend to raise more Cain than I have about screening for I'll tell the world I don't want those flies in my soup. You fellows, out there, join me in this and we will get people screen-conscious or we will make it very unpleasant for them.

The problem of trying to get everybody to do as much of their trading at home as can possibly be done has become more complicated with the announcement from a representative of the Southern Pacific railroad that the payroll of the company here last year was more than a million bucks.

The merchants here are for the trade at home idea, but we wonder if they are awake to the opportunity of selling more merchandise if they would only carry more complete stocks. If the business men of Sanderson will practice what they preach and do their trading here and let the people of this trade territory know their needs can be supplied, they would get the biggest part of the business that is now going elsewhere.

The Times has made every effort to obtain and keep a complete stock of everything for the office. All we don't have we get on a short notice. This plug is not intended to be a selfish move to better our own conditions, but we know some of the business firms who want local business and depend on it for their existence are getting the bulk of their office supplies from out of town without so much as giving the local dealer a chance to bid on it. Listen to Luke, what is sauce for the goose will work on the gander. If you think a million and a half

### GOOD GOVERNMENT AWARDS



**TEXANS HONORED FOR PUBLIC SERVICE:** Governor Beauford Jester, right, and County Judge Earl Sharp of Longview, left, were among the ten winners in the nation selected by the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce to receive Good Government Awards for 1948. Governor Jester, whose award was presented by John Ben Sheppard of Gladewater, past president of the U. S. Junior Chamber, was cited for his administrative ability and his leadership in the tideland fight. Judge Sharp, who received his award from Melvin Evans of Wichita Falls, president of the Texas Jaycees, was honored for combating juvenile delinquency and for his public service to Gregg County.

bucks spent in Sanderson won't help you don't know your business.

Let's start the New Year right by getting the merchandise that the people demand and then telling them about it so that they won't have to run off to some other town to buy everything they need. You merchants let me know if you think I'm right. I'll stick with anybody who is willing to work for a better town and community.

An outstanding West Texas editor and columnist, Harry P. Hornby, Sr., of the Uvalde Leader News, signed off with "30" last Friday night at his home in Uvalde. Mr. Hornby founded the Uvalde Leader in 1898 — recently celebrated the 50th anniversary of the newspaper along with his 50th wedding anniversary — and has been actively engaged in the management of the newspaper continuously since that date. His column — "Going Around", was widely read and his editorial opinions were respected in the newspaper fraternity.

West Texas has lost a valuable citizen and an enterprising publisher in the death of this pioneer business man who was born in England and came to America at the age of 13.

H. P. Hornby, Jr., will take up the work of his father and continue the publication which recently inaugurated a bi-weekly policy, publishing Tuesdays and Fridays.

Railroad efficiency experts have figured out the cost of each "toot" of a steam whistle. Re-

cently the experts stated that a toot now costs two-thirds of a cent, whereas, a few years ago each toot represented the expenditure of only one-third of a cent.

Mrs. A. D. Ross of Dryden was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Dunagan of Fort Stockton were visitors here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Corder went to Marfa Monday for Mrs. Corder to have dental work.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Goode were Del Rio visitors Friday.

Mrs. P. V. Coreoran returned Monday from Fort Worth where she had visited for nine days.

Mrs. Lee Grigsby spent several days in San Antonio last week.

Mr. and Mr. O. H. McAdams returned Tuesday from a trip to Waco and San Antonio where they visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Kettler, and attended to business matters.

### Coming Attractions Princess Theatre

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY—**  
"Fighting Father Dunne"  
Pat O'Brien

**SUNDAY & MONDAY—**  
"On An Island With You"  
Esther Williams, Peter Lawford

**TUESDAY—**  
"If Winter Comes"  
Walter Pidgeon, Deborah Kerr

**WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY—**  
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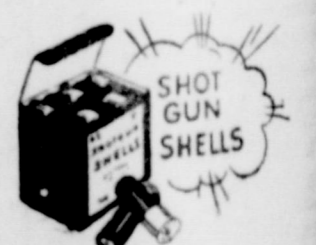
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### NEEDS FOR Hunting

I have purchased the stock of guns and ammunition from Sheppard's and will carry a complete stock of all the needs for the hunter. Anything not in stock will be ordered for our customers and only the best grade of merchandise will be in our stock.



SHOTGUNS



SHOT GUN SHELLS



RIFLES



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GUN CASES

Clayton Stubblefield

### LOMA ALTA SERVICE STATION

### NOTICE

Sanderson Chapter 136, O. E. S. will observe Christmas Tuesday, December 21, when gifts will be exchanged following the regular meeting. All members and visitors come and bring a gift and join with us in the Christmas celebration.  
Pearl Northcut, W. M.

### NOTICE

The Sanderson Culture Club will meet Thursday afternoon, December 16, in the home of Mrs. T. R. Arrington. Each member is requested to bring a gift for a needy family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Anderson and Barbara were Del Rio visitors Monday.

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