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LISTEN TO LUKE

This column has been called in many times to come to the aid of the poor taxpayers in our national and international problems that we have to take in our stride. It is the President's effort to solve the ERP with his recovery program which will solve all the ills of the world. While the people of America are Ho-Hum about the differences of opinion regarding corporate taxes, the connection between the President's program and the political attack on corporate profits, though not apparent, is real nevertheless.

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Local Wool Sales Bring 75 Cents Pound

Some local wool has moved out of the Sanderson Wool Commission Co. warehouse at 75c, according to John T. Williams, owner and manager. Williams sold 1-4 million pounds of 12-month wool at this price and about 3-4 of the 8-month wool on hand was handled at 60c, but the remaining 1-4 of the 8-month wool is still unsold. According to Williams, there is still much of the 12-month wool on hand which most of the growers would be glad to sell at that price, but the buyers are still continuing to pick the clips in most cases.

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Favorable Comment Given Eagle Band At Del Rio Clinic

Although failing to win the trophy at Band Festival and Clinic in Del Rio Saturday, the Sanderson Eagle Band under the direction of Paul Brake, won very favorable criticism on the adjudicator's comment sheets. The march played as a contest number was mentioned as being unusually well-rendered by the Eagles. One comment noted "This band shows considerable smoothness and polish over the group you had last year." The intonation, interpretation, general effect and stage deportment were given good ratings.

The lack of basses was noted by all critics. Supt. C. G. Bradford complimented the members of the band on their excellent behavior throughout the trip. The twelve school bands participating in the clinic included Brackettville, San Felipe, Comstock, Eagle Pass, Sonora, Carrizo Springs, Crystal City, Fort Stockton, Pearsall, Marathon, Uvalde and Sanderson. The trophy for the outstanding band was won by Fort Stockton.

Following the clinic sessions in the morning, a barbecue was served at noon and then 100 of the top-ranking band members were chosen from all of the participating bands in a two-hour rehearsal for the all-star concert given that night in the auditorium.

Those accompanying the band members and their director included Supt. and Mrs. Bradford, W. W. Walker, Mesdames Hugh Rose, J. W. McKee, W. H. Savage, W. C. Cargile, James Carline, G. H. Mayfield and Miss Betty McMillan.

Miss Barbara Mason of Crane is here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Mason.

Karen Ann Winn of Jenice is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Farley.

Mrs. Ben Estes is teaching school here in the absence of Mrs. Anna B. Winston, who is confined to her home with the flu.

Ben Estes left Tuesday for San Angelo on business.

TERRELL COUNTY PIONEER BURIED IN SAN ANTONIO

Funeral services were held in San Antonio Saturday afternoon for William Archibald Cochran, father of Carl Cochran of Sanderson. He had been in failing health for several weeks and his son had been called to his bedside earlier in the week. He died Friday evening.

Rev. E. P. Shirkey, pastor of the Travis Park Methodist Church and Bev. Board pastor of the Beacon Hill Presbyterian Church were in charge of the services which were held from the Porter Loring Chapel. Burial was in San Antonio. Mr. Cochran resided in Terrell County for many years, his son now residing at the ranch home southeast of town. He moved to San Antonio in 1926. He was the commissioner of Precinct 1, Terrell County for several terms. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cochran, their son, Bill, and their daughter, Mrs. E. E. Harkins, returned from San Antonio Saturday night.

Other survivors are his widow, Mrs. Daisy Cochran, who was formerly Miss Daisy Harrell, a son, Dr. Layton Cochran, and a daughter, Miss Ruby Cochran, all of San Antonio.

STOLEN CAR RECOVERED HERE LAST WEEK

A 1941 DeSoto coupe, reportedly stolen from Los Angeles, California, was recovered here last week by the sheriff's department. The car was found here in possession of a soldier, Frank Farkas. Investigation showed that the service man had been AWOL from Chanutte Field, Illinois, since June 1948. The car was identified as one belonging to Mrs. Ruth Wayne of Los Angeles. Farkas was taken to Del Rio Tuesday by a United States marshal. He is charged with violation of the Dyer Act.

TRAINING SCHOOL FOR SCOUT AND BROWNIE LEADERS

Mrs. J. C. Kern, training chairman of the Girl Scout Council, has announced a training school for February 22 and 23. The school will be open to anyone desiring to attend but will be particularly for the Girl Scout and Brownie leaders and prospective leaders. Mrs. I. A. Searles of Midland who is the volunteer trainer for the area, will be in charge of the school. She will give the course on "Group Leadership" and eight hours will be devoted to each group during the two-day period. Certificates will be presented to those completing the course.

DEL RIO GUADALUPE TEAM TO PLAY VFW BASKETBALL

The Del Rio Guadalupe basketball team will play the VFW quintet here Saturday, February 12 at 8 p. m. in the local high school gym. The local team has recruited the aid of Ross Stavley, Harold Haynes and David Thompson on their team and they expect to turn in a good performance with the Guadalupe team.

Rotary Installed On Wildcat In Terrell County

A showing of gas in a water well which was being drilled several months ago has caused renewed interest in the oil and gas possibilities in the extreme northeastern part of Terrell County. Western Oil and Gas Co. of Midland No. 1 O. J. Hoge, wildcat is replacing cable tools with rotary after drilling to 4,090 feet in black shale. It is scheduled to explore around 5,700.

No. 1 Hoge is 660 feet from the north, 1,980 feet from the east line of section 29, block 161, GC & SF Ry Co. survey, 35 miles south of Sheffield. It is one mile southwest of Mid-Kansas No. 1 M. H. Goode, which in 1931 encountered 6 1/2 million cubic feet of gas daily from 5,606 to 6,120 and drilled to 9,140 feet. The rig was moved off location last week on the Humble No. 1 J. C. Mitchell deep-test well in the northern part of the county after no showing of oil was obtained after drilling to around 12,500 feet.

NATIONAL HEART WEEK TO BE FEBRUARY 14-21

AUSTIN, Feb. 10—Throughout the United States the week of February 14-21 will be observed as National Heart Week, and Dr. George W. Cox has announced that the State Health Department will cooperate to the fullest extent in stressing to the public the necessity for full information and intelligent action in attempting to control this nation's major killer, heart disease. From a national level, heart disease is the leading cause of death and yearly takes a greater total number of lives than the next five leading causes of death combined. One of every three deaths in the United States is due to diseases of the heart and blood vessels, and it is estimated that one out of every twenty persons suffer from some form of heart or blood vessel disease.

A great amount of research in the causes and treatment of the heart diseases has established the fact that some of them can be materially helped by certain drugs, or even surgery, and it has been proved beyond doubt that the heart patient who places himself under competent medical care, has by far the best chance of survival. In many instances the patient can, under competent care, lead an almost normal life, with only certain restrictions as to activities and indulgences which might adversely affect his condition. "Consult your doctor for a physical check-up at least once a year," Dr. Cox advises. "If heart disease occurs, he will have an opportunity to find it, and begin proper treatment in the early stages, thus assuring you a better chance to finish a normal, comfortable life span."

SANDERSON TO PLAY MARFA IN ROUND-ROBIN

The last game of the round-robin series to be played in Sanderson was played with the basketball and volleyball teams of the Blackwell school of Marfa Thursday evening of this week. The last game of the series will be Monday evening with Sanderson playing Blackwell in Marfa. Marathon is leading the series play to date and the next contender is Marfa. The district tournament will be played February 25 and 26 with the winner of the series naming the place for the tournament.

The condition of Mrs. P. C. Coates, who underwent a major operation last Thursday in a Del Rio hospital, is reported to be satisfactory.

FIRE DEPARTMENT LAUNCHES BUILDING PROGRAM FOR NEW FIRE HOUSE

Protacio Benevides Dies Thursday In Cesspool Accident

Protacio Benevides died of asphyxiation by drowning about 9 o'clock Thursday morning in an accident at Harrell Dairy. Benevides, with another Mexican, was digging a new cesspool adjacent to one that had been abandoned for several years. He was in the hole which was about 9 feet deep when the cement wall of the abandoned cesspool collapsed. The sand and gravel with the refuse in the pool covered the body about 18 inches. The body was pinned to the side of the hole from the waist down by the weight of the sand and refuse.

Several attempts to remove him from the hole failed and final resort was by dipping the liquid out of the hole and digging the refuse away from the body before it could be taken out. The process lasted about 3 hours and was shortly before 12 noon Thursday that the body was recovered. Survivors include a wife and three children.

Court of Honor For Boy Scouts Friday Evening

In recognition of Boy Scout Week, a Court of Honor for the local Boy Scouts will be held at the Scout Hut Friday evening at seven-thirty. A set of colors will be presented to the troop by the Clarence Halley-Mulkey Post of the American Legion at that time. The boys will be given recognition for the advancements and merit badges which they have earned. The public is invited to attend the meeting.

DISTRICT COURT TO CONVENE WITH LIGHT DOCKET

An extra light docket is on the agenda for the spring term of District Court when it convenes next Monday morning according to District Clerk Ruel Adams. Grand jurors were dismissed for the term Monday evening after an all-day session which resulted in the return of no bills of indictment. The list of petit jurors for Monday's court has not been released.

Methodist Adult Class Has Organizational Meet Monday Night

The adult Sunday School class of the Methodist Church had a business and social meeting in Fellowship Hall Monday evening. A duet was sung by Mrs. D. E. Hill and Mrs. C. E. Yeates and Carolyn Kern played two piano solos. Martelle Petty, minister of the Church of Christ, gave an inspirational talk, basing his remarks on "The New Hypocrisy." The officers of the class were elected to include J. A. Gilbreath, president, Mrs. L. E. Arledge, vice-president, and Mrs. E. W. Martin, secretary. The organization of the class will be completed at a later date. The class teacher, Mrs. L. H. Gilbreath, presided at the meeting and led the closing prayer.

In the social hour which followed cake and iced drinks were served to Messers and Mesdames W. D. O'Bryant, R. H. McCarter, Wayne Watkins, Martelle Petty, J. D. Mhy, Mesdames I. B. Rusk, H. A. Finger, J. L. Blackwelder, E. W. Martin, L. H. Gilbreath, J. W. Pate, J. C. Kern, Irvin Robbins, Rev. R. A. English and Don Smith.

Rev. Clifford Spencer attended the Pecos Valley Workers Conference in Crane Tuesday.

At a meeting of the local volunteer fire department last Wednesday plans were submitted for a new building to house the fire trucks and equipment. The organization voted to go ahead with the building and James Caroline, J. A. Gilbreath, Bob Kerr and Albert Welgand were appointed as the building committee.

The need for the new building was brought out once again this year when cold weather prevailed and seriously threatened to hamper the activities of the volunteers by freezing the water pumps and lines on the two trucks. Every effort was made to keep them thawed out in case of a fire, and the final resort was to move the trucks to two of the local garages in hopes that they would not freeze there.

Any fire could have been a serious fire during this time as it is impossible to keep water from freezing unless the trucks are in a heated building. A serious fire could also have taken away the twenty-five per cent good fire credit it was brought out. This saving is now available to all the property owners in Sanderson because of the efforts of the firemen in the past. This good fire credit has meant an actual saving of \$3,000 to all property owners in Sanderson who are carrying fire insurance. It is hoped that this saving may continue through the endeavors of the firemen, with the help of the citizens, by keeping sufficient equipment on hand at all times.

The present plans for the building are that it will be 24 feet by 34 feet with 10 feet walls of hollow tile and a concrete floor raised about 3 feet above surrounding ground level as a safeguard against possible high water. There will be a sheet rock ceiling with insulation and a sheet metal roof. This will enable the trucks to be heated in severe weather with a minimum amount of heat.

The proposed location for the building is on a lot 30 feet by 50 feet just south of Hal Tyler's Repair Shop. The lot has been offered for sale to the firemen by the Kerr estate. The firemen this week are sending out letters seeking contributions in their annual drive for funds and it is hoped that enough will be raised by these contributions to supplement the amount now in the treasury to pay the cost of the new building which is estimated to be around \$3,000.

The firemen are appealing to every citizen as well as the insured property owners to aid them in maintaining the best assurance against heavy personal and property losses by fire — a well-equipped fire department.

PET PETROSKY CONTINUES TO IMPROVE

Pete Petrosky, who was seriously injured in a car wreck two weeks ago is reported to be convalescing satisfactorily in a Del Rio hospital. His mother is at his bedside.

SANDERSON P-TA POSTPONES LECTURE

The lecture which was to be sponsored by the Sanderson P-TA next Tuesday evening has been called off due to the inability of the lecturer, Mrs. Jack Little of Dallas, to come to Sanderson at that time.

NEW ASSISTANTS FOR BROWNIE LEADERS

Mesdames A. J. Hahn and S. R. Ord are assisting Mesdames Dick Sullivan and J. A. Gilbreath with the Brownie group of Girl Scouts.

MARTA CASTRO BORN HERE TUESDAY MORNING

A little daughter weighing six pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Castro Tuesday morning. She was named Marta. This is the fourth child for the Castros and they are all girls.

Dudley Harrison has recovered from a recent illness and returned to the ranch.

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Economic Highlights

Nothing that could be called alarm is disturbing the business world. However, there is a great deal less unquestioning belief that the postwar boom is going to continue for an indefinite period.

A good many of the signs are pointing downward now. There was a noticeable drop in employment during the last months of 1948, and jobs are nowhere near as easy to find as they once were. As 1949 opened, prices were lower than at the beginning of the preceding year — the first time that has happened in 10 years. One automobile manufacturer announced a substantial cut in production, due to the fact that new cars were piling up in their dealers' warehouses. In a long list of lines consumer resistance is noticeable, and a buyer's market is setting in. In almost all lines, more and more consumer caution has been evident. Savings are down, and installment purchasing has increased. In enterprises which live on luxury spending — entertainment, vacation travel, furs and jewelry, etc. — the drop in business has been relatively heavy.

This poses a question which only time can answer. Is the decline from the postwar peak simply a normal and inevitable adjustment following an avalanche of spending for goods which were completely unobtainable for years? Or is it the start of a serious business setback that could run into a real depression? Most of the economists still favor the first view. But they still have their fingers crossed.

One theory holds that a depression of the extreme type, such as that of the '30s, is no longer possible, that the government is now geared to immediately prime the pump and through spending and various controls keep the machine ticking at a good rate until normal economic forces for the better could take over again. But that is strictly a theory, and no one really knows how it would work out in practice. Few people are willing to bank on it for their economic salvation.

The change in the business picture, small as it has been, seems to be making itself felt in some congressional circles. As an example, a considerable list of lawmakers, including many on the Democratic side, look with little favor on more taxes, either on individuals or corporations, on the grounds that they might act as a deterrent to production and plant-expansion. There is also a strong sentiment against the complete repeal of the Taft-Hartley Act and a return to the Wagner Act, because of the danger of another wave of strikes and other labor-management disputes might result. This sentiment, incidentally, seems to be shared to some extent by members of Mr. Truman's family.

Search the Scriptures —
 By Martelle Petty

The Importance of Little Things
 The language in James 3:5 reads thus: "Even so the tongue is a little member and boasteth great things. Behold how great a matter a little fire kindleth." This verse contains our thought for the week—the importance of attending to the small things of life.

Big things in this world are produced by little things. Ideas, habits and impressions planted in the hearts of men and women are like initials carved in a tree; they grow and widen with age. These little things are like seed dropped into the ground, which germinate for a time and then spring up much larger than we ever expected.

Just begin to offer a little criticism and the first thing you know it has grown into an outright gossip. Then take a little social drink with others, it will not bother you. Friends, how many drunkards ever planned to be such? Who ever had this as his ambitions? No one, of course, but still we have a lot of drunkards. Why? Simply because they do not realize the importance of the little things.

A mother and father who drink and play cards should not be surprised to find their children in beer parlors and gamb-

ling houses. "Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart from it." Proverbs 22:6. The best way to teach them is by example. Someone has well said, "If we would pay more attention to the high chair there would be more cobwebs on the electric chair."

Yes, there may be many things which seem small and trivial to us but in reality are little acorns that will produce massive oaks — some day.

The things we regard as mole hills today may loom up before us tomorrow as mountains blocking our way to the eternal city of God.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reininger of Del Rio, former residents, came through Sanderson Wednesday en route to Marfa to attend the wedding of their niece, Rosemary Blumley, in that city Saturday.

Mrs. Charlie Murray returned Wednesday from Del Rio where she had visited her son, A. E. Murray, and family for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Farley and Eloise spent the week end in Del Rio with her father and sister, Miss Edna Winger of Chicago, Illinois, returned to Sanderson with the Farleys for a visit.

Mrs. Ola Elliot of Coolidge, Arizona, has returned to her home after a visit with her father, B. M. Doak, who has been ill. His condition is much improved.

THE AMERICAN WAY



The Un-Streamlined Model

Mrs. I. B. Gross, who has been ill in an El Paso hospital for two weeks has recovered sufficiently to be moved to her home in that city and her condition continues to improve.

Guests in the D. L. Duke home last week end were their son, David, of San Antonio, their daughter, Doris, of Sul Ross College, and W. H. McCullar of Georgetown.

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For Supplies	4.0 cts.
For Transportation	2.0 cts.
For Taxes	1.5 cts.
For Other Business Expenses	1.9 cts.
Total spent out of each average dollar	98.8 cts.
Remaining as Earnings for Swift	1.2 cts.
Total	100 cts.



Management's Role in Modern Farming

by O. R. Johnson
 University of Missouri, Columbia

Better farm management can give startling results. If managed as well as the best 20% of the farms are managed, output of the average acre could be doubled. In most areas the output of pasture land could be increased three or four times. Our cleverest feeders get 60% more out of their feed than do average feeders. Production per cow, sow or hen could be increased 50% to 100% if animals and methods as good as those used by the top 20% of our farmers were employed by all farmers.

There are two ways of achieving higher production per acre without increasing costs. The most practical method is to raise the level of management efficiency without increasing present working forces per farm. The other method is for the farm family, with modern power and machinery, to farm more acres. This second method has obvious limitations. For there would not be enough acres to go around without eliminating many farm families. Do we want larger farm units and reduced farm population? Many think not.

However, many farmers are now faced with adopting either one or the other of the above methods. Farmers must meet today's high operating costs and still maintain living standards without forcing prices beyond the reach of the average consumer. Consumers cannot be expected to support, indefinitely, inefficient farm output by paying the high prices such inefficiency demands.

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Because your business of farming and ranching is so closely related to our business of meat packing, we believe you are interested in an accounting of Swift & Company's operations in 1948. On this page we tell you how much money we received, how we spent this money, and how much we earned for services performed.



Wm. B. Traylor

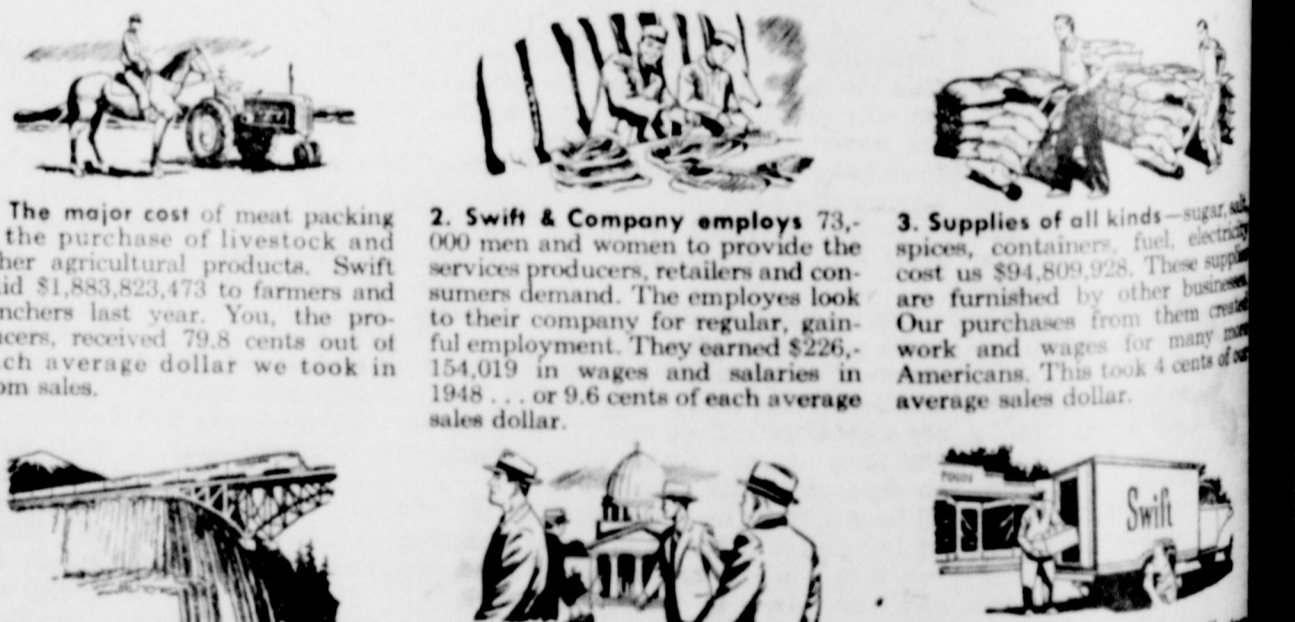
The past year was reasonably profitable to both producers and Swift & Company. That's the way it should be in America. A fair profit to producers means better living and insures a sound program on farms and ranches. A fair profit to

business in cities and towns helps maintain purchasing power and markets for the products which you and Swift have to sell.

In 1948, Swift & Company paid nearly two billion dollars for agricultural products. We processed and distributed nationwide this output of your land and labor . . . cattle, calves, hogs, lambs, dairy and poultry products, soybeans, cottonseed, peanuts and other products of agriculture. For these we paid out 79.8 cents from each dollar we received from the sale of our products.

HOW THE DOLLAR WAS DIVIDED

In America a business is operated to serve the public, and to earn a profit for its owners. In 1948, Swift earned \$27,889,210 net profit. That was an average of 1.2 cents out of each dollar we received from the sale of our products. Who got the balance of 98.8 cents? It went to people who work directly in the livestock-meat industry, to additional thousands in other businesses.



- The major cost of meat packing is the purchase of livestock and other agricultural products. Swift paid \$1,883,823,473 to farmers and ranchers last year. You, the producers, received 79.8 cents out of each average dollar we took in from sales.
- Swift & Company employs 73,000 men and women to provide the services producers, retailers and consumers demand. The employees look to their company for regular, gainful employment. They earned \$226,154,019 in wages and salaries in 1948 . . . or 9.6 cents of each average sales dollar.
- Supplies of all kinds—sugar, spices, containers, fuel, electricity—cost us \$94,809,928. These supplies are furnished by other businesses. Our purchases from them cost us work and wages for many more Americans. This took 4 cents of our average sales dollar.
- Transportation charges are a necessary item of expense, and a large one, too. Meats are moved an average of 1,000 miles from farm and ranch to market. During 1948, in distributing our products to cities, towns and villages, Swift & Company spent \$46,702,457 for transportation by rail and motor. This amounted to 2.0 cents of each average dollar of sales income.
- Government expenses—fire and police protection, national defense, roads, social security, public education, etc.—are all paid out of taxes. Swift's tax bill for the year was \$35,220,291. The Federal Government and each of the 48 states collected some of this amount. And taxes were paid in hundreds of municipalities where our plants and properties are located. Federal, state and local taxes took 1.5 cents of our average sales dollar.
- More than 200,000 retail operators look to Swift for a regular supply of meats and other Swift products. We help build retail trade by developing nationwide consumer markets. Our research laboratories and test kitchens also help create consumer demand. Depreciation, interest and other expenses common to every business, add to this total. All these cost \$46,314,000, or 1.9 cents of the average dollar of sales.

That's the story of the division of Swift's average dollar received from sales. Of that dollar, 98.8 cents went to other people or businesses. The 1.2 cents left is our return for processing, marketing and distributing meats and other products for millions of American families. Out of this return—or net earnings—our 84,000 shareholders, men and women who invested their savings in the Company, received dividends which took 7/10 of a cent of the average sales dollar. The balance of 1/2 cent was retained to provide for future needs of the Company.

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WEDNESDAY CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. J. C. KERN

Mrs. J. C. Kern was hostess for the meeting of the Wednesday Club at her home this afternoon. A bouquet of pink carnations was used on the piano in the living room and white stock on the table.

At the conclusion of the games Mrs. H. A. Finger held the traveling prize. Mrs. Hugh Rose, high scorer. Mrs. Bustin Canon, second and Mrs. S. L. Stumbers.

Officers of Girl Scouts

Officers were elected when the Girl Scouts met at the Scout Friday afternoon. Joy Ann is president; Colleen is vice-president; Colleen is secretary; Vivian Moore, Patsy Ord, sergeant-at-arms; Vannah Jo Nance, registrar; Patsy Vaughn, historian. The girls planned to make a basket for the bathroom and discussed a date for K. E. of the State Highway Department, to teach them first aid.

Twenty-two members were present.

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Study on China By Presbyterian Women Friday

The Women of the Presbyterian Church met at the home of Mrs. C. C. Mitchell for an all-day meeting Friday to present the foreign mission study course on China, using the book "Twilight or Dawn."

In the absence of Mrs. H. A. Smith who was the leader of the study, Mrs. J. D. Nichols led the group in prayer after the hymn, "Jesus Calls Us" was sung.

The chapters of the book were reviewed by Mesdames H. E. Schroegler, N. M. Mitchell, A. W. Pope, J. W. McKee, E. F. Pierson, J. W. Byrd, N. E. Charlton and S. A. Berkley.

The hymn "Fling Out the Banners" and prayer by Mrs. Pierson closed the meeting.

At noon a luncheon consisting of Italian spaghetti, vegetable salad, pie and coffee was served to Mesdames E. J. Hanson, R. S. Wilkinson, C. C. Mitchell, H. E. Schroegler, A. W. Pope, S. A. Berkley, N. M. Mitchell, N. E. Charlton, J. W. McKee, E. F. Pierson, J. W. Byrd, Sid Harkins and J. D. Nichols. Mrs. J. W. Pate was a guest in the afternoon.

P-TA Meeting Thursday Night

The Sanderson P-TA met in the high school auditorium Thursday evening with Mrs. George Herzing in charge of the program. Following the invocation by Rev. R. A. English, the pupils of the fourth grade, directed by Mesdames A. A. Shelton, Janet Buck and O. H. Boulder presented the special numbers.

During the business session, a nominating committee was named to include Mesdames Jack Turner, Jimmie Caroline and Hugh Rose. It was voted to spend \$200 on film, two record players and records for the school.

Mrs. Shelton's fourth grade room was winner of the attendance prize.

The meeting was concluded with the showing of the documentary film, "The Home - A Democratic Unit for World Peace."

Rummy Club Meets Tuesday

Mrs. George Herzing was hostess for the regular meeting of the Rummy Club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Irvin Robbins held high score at the conclusion of the games.

The hostess served a salad plate with coffee and tea to

WEEK'S NEWS



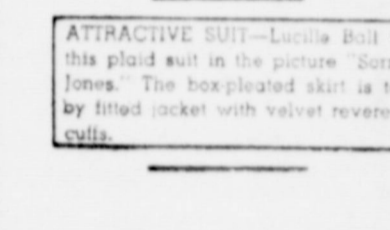
SINGING HOST—Gloria Marlowe sings a leading role and welcomes famous guest stars in radio adaptations of world-famous musical shows each Monday evening on THE RAILROAD HOUR (ABC, 8 P.M. EST MET. PST. 7 P.M. CST).

NEW SECRETARY OF STATE—Dean Acheson succeeds Secretary of State Marshall who resigned because of ill health. Acheson was a former Under Secretary of State.



BREATHES THROUGH TUBE—Due to a stoppage eight-months old, Bruce Thompson Newark, N. J. has been breathing since birth, through a tube emerging from his throat. He will be operated on soon.

NO BABY SITTER REQUIRED—With cut ever leaving home, nobody can now be assured of the right wave for her particular type of hair by following the exclusive Dial-a-Wave Chart in the new Rayve Home Permanent kit.



ATTRACTIVE SUIT—Lennie Bell wears this plaid suit in the picture "Sorrowful Jones." The box-pleated skirt is topped by fitted jacket with velvet revers and cuffs.

Carbon paper in varied weights at the Sanderson Times

Mrs. Austin Nance took her mother to El Paso this week for medical treatment.



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LUNCHEON FOR WEDNESDAY CLUB AT MRS. JIM KERR'S

The regular meeting of the Wednesday Bridge Club was postponed until Thursday last week and was at the home of Mrs. James Kerr.

The luncheon, which was served at one o'clock, buffet-style, consisted of baked chicken and dressing, giblet gravy, new potatoes, corn, combination salad, hot rolls, ambrosia with cookies and coffee. An arrangement of autumn leaves was used on the dining table.

Two tables were arranged for the players with Mrs. H. A. Finger holding high score at the conclusion of the games. Mrs. Austin Nance was second high and R. S. Wilkinson, low and Mesdames Nance and Herbert Brown won the traveling prize.

Members present included Mesdames Herbert Brown, J. W. Pate, R. S. Wilkinson, J. T. Williams, Web Townsend, H. A. Finger. Guests were Mesdames Lee McCue and Austin Nance.

Beta Iota Chapter Meets In Alpine

Mrs. O. H. McAdams attended the meeting of the Beta Iota Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma in the hospitality rooms of the Presbyterian Church in Alpine last Saturday afternoon, at which time contributions totaling more than \$320 were made to the chapter's scholarship endowment fund by the 31 members present.

The program included a talk by Mrs. Virginia Lee Link on "Legislation Needing the Support of Delta Kappa Gamma" and a drill on the Greek alphabet conducted by Miss Alice Cowan. The president, Mrs. Arthur G. Blucher, announced the next meeting on March 26, would be a joint meeting with the Alpine Classroom Teachers Association with Miss Lois Gray, field director of the Texas State Parent-Teachers Association, as speaker.

A Valentine motif was carried out in the refreshment and table decorations. Mrs. McAdams

and Miss Clemma Billingsley, both honorary members of the organization, presided at the tea table. Throughout the social hour Miss Marilyn Parker played violin selections. She was accompanied by Mrs. Graves Bogel.

SP SERVICE CLUB PLANS DANCE

The SP Service Club met at the Masonic Hall Friday evening and games of dominoes, forty-two and card games were enjoyed. Mrs. J. L. Newton was awarded a book and Mrs. Schulz, two bath towels and Mrs. W. F. Frazor was winner of the door prize, a box of stationery.

Coffee and cake were served to sixty-one guests. The club is planning a dance for Friday, February 18, at the Masonic Hall with music to be furnished by Cecil Brower and his western band from Odessa.

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CULTURE CLUB TO MEET NEXT WEEK

The Sanderson Culture Club will meet at the home of Mrs. E. H. Jessup Thursday afternoon, February 17, at three o'clock with the executive board meeting at two-thirty. Mrs. E. W. Hardgrave will be co-hostess.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation and thanks to our neighbors and friends for their thoughtful condolences, kind deeds and the beautiful flowers received during the recent death of L. H. Fletcher.

THE FLETCHER FAMILY
Tom Parsons of Alpine was a business visitor here Monday.

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"Tell you what," old man Peters says. "If those nine fellows ahead of you agree, you'll get the next one I get in." "No, thanks," says Duke. "I'll just take my turn."

But old Peters mails out nine postcards. And the other day he tells Duke his tractor will be in next week. "I simply wrote the facts to the fellows ahead of you. They decided it."

From where I sit, it's that spirit of understanding that helps make our democracy so great. Understanding for the other fellow's problems and respect for the other fellow's rights—whether it's his right to earn a living, his right to cast his vote against your candidate, or even his right to enjoy a moderate, friendly glass of beer or ale—if and when he chooses. Let's always keep it that way!

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The Story of a Horse

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY—
A Date With Judy
Wallace Beery, Jane Powell



KITCHEN MEMO
BY JEAN CLARKE

If you don't feel like turning on the oven to bake cookies, try *Grid-der* Cookies cooked over the top burner. Preheat griddle for three minutes with flame full on, then turn down to low simmer for entire cooking period. Best heat test is a drop of water which should dance, rather than steam, on the griddle surface. Put 1 egg, slightly beaten, into 1/2 cup milk. Add 1 cup raisins. Sift once 3 1/2 cups all-purpose flour, 1 cup sugar, 1 1/2 tsp. baking powder, 1/2 tsp. baking soda, 1 tsp. nutmeg, 1/4 tsp. salt. Work 1 cup shortening into dry ingredients with pastry blender until mealy. Then pour into this the milk, egg and raisin mixture. Mix. Wrap dough in wax paper, chill in refrigerator 1 hour. Roll out 1/4" thick. Cut with cookie cutter. Brown on slightly greased griddle on one side, then on the other. Makes 36 cookies.

THE AMERICAN WAY



Seein' What Ain't!

PERSONALS

Marvin Charlton of Kingsville returned to his home Tuesday after visiting in the home of his brother, N. E. Charlton. Mr. and Mrs. Charlton accompanied him to Del Rio where they spent the day with his son, Marvin, Jr.

Jimmie Caroline is in College Station this week attending a Water Works School at A & M College.

Jess Elrod left Monday for Houston where he will receive medical treatment for the next thirty days.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Horton spent the week end in Lamesa with his brother, Charles, and Mrs. Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Druse went to El Paso Monday for

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Mr. and Mrs. Garland Inmon visited Mr. and Mrs. Julian Olmstead in El Paso for the week end.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Pate and sons and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sudduth and Barbara were Fort Stockton visitors Sunday.

Miss Louisa Calzada left last Thursday for Acapulco and will also visit in Mexico City for about a month.

Mrs. George Neill of El Paso has been a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Erler this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Harris left Monday morning for Houston where Mr. Harris will receive a medical checkup.

Mrs. H. A. Smith was called to Lafayette, California, last week on account of the serious illness of a sister. Mr. Smith accompanied her on the trip.

Mrs. F. N. Harrell is undergoing medical treatment in a Del

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