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STUDENTS BID UNIFORMS FAREWELL

DENTON, Feb. 1.—"Goodbye Uniforms!" is the glad cry of students at Texas State College for Women, where the uniform clothes that have been a regulation of the school since its founding in 1903 have just been discarded by a student government and faculty vote.

Attempts to keep the uniform in style through the years resulted in such a variety of changes and regulations that enforcement of them with 2500 girls proved confusing and impracticable. Now students may wear any clothes they like, and the girls are in a flurry to substitute gay-colored hats and accessories and suits for the navy and white that has held sway over the campus for so long.

Table with columns for COUNTY, OIL, OTHER, and THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS. Includes counties like RUSK, CASS, NUEDA, LIBERTY, TITUS, WINKLER, CHAMBERS, DUVAL, HARRIS, ECTOR, SPADINA, WARD, GRAY, COOKE, FRANKLIN.

Washington, D. C.

BY DR. JAMES E. POPE, EDITOR'S NOTE—Dr. Pope's opinions are his own, and his articles do not necessarily always reflect the editorial policies of this paper.

MONEY FROM WASHINGTON

New York's Mayor La Guardia comes to Washington and bluntly informs a few Finance Committeemen that his city—the largest and richest on this hemisphere—will not be able to care for its unemployed and unemployables without substantial aid from the Federal Government.

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yet along with such routine chores as warding off man-scalping Indians, outwitting man-eating insects, and surviving epidemics, they managed to achieve homes and subsistence for and instill principals of rugged citizenship into their large and ever increasing families—and at the same time supported their Government?

COUNSELOR TURNS CRITIC But alas, for once Old Timer failed me! Instead of answering our burning questions in the way we wanted them answered, he proceeded to trot out one—or several—of his own.

It seems that Old Timer, too, was going inquisitive of late and had started grappling with weird and difficult problems. Or perhaps he wanted to put my not too young mind through some additional stimulating mental gymnastics with a view to athleticism for the development of gray matter.

Anyhow, after he had finished meeting question with counter question we found ourselves trying to figure out just how we stood, if, indeed, we were still standing. But more specifically, we were puzzling over the phenomena of our Old Timer's adroit and specious economic or fatalistic reasoning, or questioning—or something—and just what had seized upon and rendered him unable or unwilling to think or reason except in terms of the past.

I can never be quite sure then, why he persisted in awaking memories of the triumphant days of sideburns and bustles, or bawl at me about past interludes and progress from corsets and hoopskirts to scanties, from bicycles-built-for-two and Biyan's 16-to-1 frenzy of the roaring '90's to the Model-T, then through the era of profiteers in pending disaster, which ushered in the Lost Tribe of Hoover, to the happy-days-are-herere-gain reign of the New Deal, with almost everybody receiving relief—or being hopeful, still. It was all too much for me, but here is the preamble to the question Old Timer left sticking in my mind.

SOFITIES—OR SOFT SOAP? Old Timer roared when I asked him if it were true about us subsisting on too much soft food, or soft soap, and perhaps going morally flabby. The rub is, he seemed to blame it all on me. Say now, I'm no believer—yet. Still I imagine I could catch a fleeting gleam of pride in his eye—something strangely reminiscent of teacher's ill-disguised enthusiasm of long ago when I, for once recited well.

Old Timer charged into me with something to the effect that our father's had grubbed the stumps, cleared the farms and made homes, then left everything for us to carry on—but we don't. They had builded cities, schools and churches, launched the greatest and richest nation on earth, and gave to us a veritable empire flowing with milk and honey—only to have us go modern and elevate our noses at both milk and honey because they are suspected of interference in our efforts at reducing.

Our worthy ancestors accomplished everything without tools or machines, save of the very crudest sort, and without cash markets for a thing they produced; they achieved all this in the very teeth of political and economic oppression from abroad, and they had no kind-hearted government to furnish even occasional relief. They did not have relief, or scarcely anything else, in those days, yet they made a miracle of what we call America, and left it to us as a priceless heritage.

Then why—now that we have gasoline plows, tractors, machinery, stream-lined automobiles, powerful radios and electric refrigeration—in fact everything under the sun—must we go prodigal and flunk at feeding ourselves? Why is it, while persistently indulging in unheard of luxuries to a degree illaudable, and with educational advantages thrown in, we can exist now only by and through the love and charity of a beneficent Uncle Sam?

One noted physician declares that man's future will depend very largely on what he decides to eat. Files are capable of carrying germs of tuberculosis.

The Rest of The Record By James V. Allred

Throughout the history of Texas the General Land Office has been one of the most important state offices. Its importance has increased tremendously during the past few years due to oil development in practically every county in the state.

Along the Gulf Coast of Texas numerous domes have been discovered and the submerged coastal lands belonging to the State have become potentially very valuable. Under the law the Land Commissioner has the right to lease these lands for oil development. Of course, he does not have to lease them unless he wants to.

During the past year the new Land Commissioner, Mr. McDonald, has leased hundreds of thousands of acres of land, much of it along the coast. In nearly all instances he has leased this land for a very small cash consideration, and providing for a bigger royalty if oil should be discovered; but the trouble is that the State is taking a gamble on whether oil will be found or not.

It seems to me that if we are going to gamble on oil being under our land we ought to gamble the whole thing rather than to sell 13-16 of the oil, for instance, for two or three hundred dollars with no requirement for immediate drilling. The only reason for leasing land with a big overriding royalty is that we should know two things: first, that oil is certainly under the land, and second, that it is going to be developed immediately.

Now in practically all the cases where the Land Commissioner has leased these submerged lands for from one hundred to two, three or four or five hundred dollars, he has not required immediate drilling and in most cases no drilling has been done, even though some of the leases are over a year old. On the other hand, he has been offered hundreds of thousands of dollars in cash and the usual 2-16 royalty. For instance, one cash bid was \$69,000.00 with 2-16 royalty. In other words, the company bidding \$69,000.00 was willing to gamble that \$69,000.00 for 14-16 of the oil if it should be discovered. The Land Commissioner, however, awarded a lease for \$310.00 with a 3-16 royalty. In other words, the people who got that lease got a 13-16 gamble for \$310.00, where we could have received \$69,000.00 for a 14-16 gamble.

The Senate Investigating Committee is going into all these matters during this week, and I will try from time to time to give you some of their discoveries.

Better Register Your Car in Home County

Austin, Texas, Feb. 1.—Steps will be taken immediately by the Highway Commission to prevent a repetition of last year's widespread frauds in the registration of motor vehicles, Robert Lee Bobbitt, Chairman of the Texas Highway Commission, said today following a conference with Julian Montgomery, State Highway Engineer, and Representatives of the Texas Good Roads Association.

"The Highway Commission already faces a serious curtailment of its federal aid funds and the road program of Texas needs every dollar available for construction and maintenance," Bobbitt said. "It would be a serious blow to our plans should any substantial amount be lost through these corrupt practices. It should be the concern of every honest citizen and of honest county officials to assist us in stamping out these frauds."

Unconfirmed reports have reached the Highway Commission to the effect that owners are being offered discounts from the regular fee as an inducement to register their vehicles outside the counties of their residence. The initial report stated that a 20 per cent reduction was being offered to residents of Harris County. Last year discounts ranging from 20 to 35 per cent were offered as a small

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group of counties engaged in cut-throat competition for motor vehicle registration fees.

"It is our intention to take drastic steps if necessary to curb this vicious practice," Bobbitt said. "We intend to go the full limit of the law in seeking that the interests of a large majority of the counties and the citizens of the state are protected from these illegal operations."

"The general law is specific in stating that motor vehicles must be registered in the county of the owner's residence. It also provides that vehicles not registered in the county of the owner's residence are, in fact, not registered and their owners if apprehended, will be required to re-register them and pay the regular fee. They also will be subject to a fine of \$200 for operating an unregistered vehicle. It is our present intention to investigate fully all the reports coming to our attention and take what ever action is required. Vehicles found to be illegally registered will be reported to the Highway Patrol and be required to re-register. The Highway Patrol also has the authority to file complaints charging operation of illegally registered vehicles."

"Last year the highway fund was robbed of several hundred thousands of dollars through this racketeering. We found on investigation that a small proportion of the counties were issuing plates at fees below those prescribed by the law. We also found instances where the counties had issued scrip to machinery and supply companies in payment for goods with the understanding that the scrip would be accepted in payment of registration fees. To induce motorists to violate the law, the holders of this scrip discounted it as much as 35 per cent."

Bobbitt recalled that the legislature at its regular session last year refused to amend the law to permit a wider latitude in the registration of motor vehicles.

"In addition to this, the legislature passed a provision that authorizes the Highway Department to take over or supervise the registration of motor vehicles in counties where it has cause to believe the law is being violated. It is our intention to use this power to the fullest extent in protecting the interest of the state and of other counties against fraudulent inroads by a few unscrupulous officials and racketeering promoters. If these abuses are permitted to continue, the state and honestly administered counties will be robbed of hundreds of thousands of dollars. By authorizing the Highway Department to take over or supervise the registration of motor vehicles, the legislature has condemned these practices. Backed by this direct authority from the legislature we believe the practices will be efficiently and expeditiously handled."

A CCC camp in Wyoming has worked on 17 different fires in coal beds, either extinguishing them or making good progress.

An Englishman has patented in the United States, a camera, which not only takes moving pictures, but can be used to project them on a screen.



Gaylord J. Stone, president of Universal Mills, who will be host to four hundred Southwestern business men when they meet in Fort Worth, Jan. 12-14, for the purpose of observing the sixteenth anniversary of the founding of the mills.

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### NOBODY'S BUSINESS

By Julian Capers, Jr.

**AUSTIN**—Two principal questions emerged from the first week's work of the Senate investigating committee which is probing the conduct of the affairs of the State Land Office and its administration by Land Commissioner Bill McDonald. These paramount questions are:

(1) Is the policy of leasing State lands for mineral development on a basis of high cash payments and the usual one eighth royalty to the State advantageous to Texas; or is the newer method followed by McDonald—leasing these tracts for a nominal cash payment of about \$1 per acre, and a higher royalty (if oil is discovered)—a better way?

(2) Has there been irregularity in the granting of vacancy claims filed with the Land Office, including the favoring of certain claimants over others less favored, and the use of influence to obtain approval of claims?

Regarding the first question, evidence already introduced and the testimony of McDonald himself are not a variance. The Land Commissioner admits, and his records show, that he has consistently accepted bids of \$1.00 an acre cash, and promises of higher royalty payments, and rejected cash offers ranging up to thousands of dollars, plus the usual one eighth royalty, on promising tracts. He stoutly defends this policy, declaring that it will bring in many times as much money to the State, in the long run, as the cash offers. The opposite view is taken

by Gov. Allred, whose activity caused the probe, and by some members of the committee, which includes Senators Holbrook, Collier, Hill, Stone and Wienert.

**Many Witnesses Heard**

McDonald has also denied any irregularity in the conduct of his office. He cited what he described as precedents set by previous Commissioners for his action in renewing the KMA tract lease to the Venmex Oil Company, in Wichita county, after the lease had lapsed. He later cancelled this renewal, after Gov. Allred complained vigorously, and hired a lawyer to file suit for the State to cancel the lease.

After McDonald's opening testimony, the committee called witnesses whose testimony was designed to show that large profits were made by successful bidders who bought state leases for \$1 an acre, and quickly transferred them to others for large profits. The testimony also brought out details of how one group of bidders, headed by I. E. Harwell, of Burkburnett, bought five Jefferson county submerged tracts for a total payment of \$1 an acre, then traded on and one-half of the tracts to a driller, who is putting down an 8,000 foot test well, costing around \$100,000, in return for the interest in these leases. An interesting sidelight was the identification by Harwell of a geologist, whose name he gave as Joe Dawson, of Houston, who was shown by Harwell's books to have a one-fourth interest in certain valuable leases, but whose interest was carried on the books under the name of "brokerage." Harwell said "for some reason, Dawson preferred not to have his name used." He said Dawson was the son of a close friend of his and was given the 25 per cent interest for aiding the group in selecting the tracts upon which they made bids.

special session of the Legislature be called to take corrective steps.

Meanwhile, Austin was buzzing with a report that County Judge Roy Hoffheinz, of Harris County, a youthful former legislator with a brilliant record, is being urged to announce as a candidate against McDonald. The reports here assert Hoffheinz has been pledged the support of many County Judges and school organization officials, who have sided with Gov. Allred in his criticism of McDonald's policies.

**Stevenson Announces**

Coke Stevenson, of Junction, the only two-term speaker of the House of Representatives ever had, ended speculation about his candidacy for Lieutenant Governor by filing and paying his \$100 fee to Van Kennedy, State Democratic Secretary. "No man in Texas is authorized to accept a penny as a contribution to my campaign fund, nor to obligate men on any promise" said Stevenson. Serving his fifth term as legislator, Stevenson has won the admiration of many persons in Austin as a presiding officer of great skill, fairness, and tact. He is a conservative on tax matters, but has been an outstanding friend of the public schools, urging economy in government but standing for liberal appropriations for education. Regardless of the outcome of this race, Stevenson will carry into the campaign the best wishes of the capitol press gallery, because of his cooperation and courtesy to the newsmen. The only other announced candidate for Lieutenant Governor is Ex-Senator Walter Woodard of Coleman, although both Senators of Eastland and Nelson of Tahoka—the latter an advocate of the one-house Legislature—are expected to announce.

and children of Odessa visited Sunday in V. V. Brown's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Foster and children from Union visited in E. H. Green's home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lee and children were dinner guests in R. A. Whitley's home, Sunday.

We are expecting you Friday night, February 4, to come to P-T. A. as Mrs. Weaver our District President will be here.

Messrs. J. A. Trolinger, H. N. Key, and D. A. Key, also Messdames D. A. Key and C. J. McLeRoy are on the sick list.

Ex-Students are urged to be present at local school auditorium, Wednesday night, Feb. 9. A contest is on for four weeks. Be sure and investigate. Dues 25c.

The Live and Learn Leaders Club will meet with Mrs. Richard Whitley, Thursday, February 10.

We wish to thank everyone who helped to make the pie supper a success. A total of 15.50 was made, and we are sure these high school girls will enjoy learning to sew. At least we hope so.

**HIGHWAY 84 WORK MAY START SOON**

County Judge P. W. Goad reports that he has been authoritatively informed that the hardsurfacing of highway No. 84 from Tahoka to Post at an early date is being planned provided sufficient funds are found available. That matter will probably be determined by the state highway commission within the next two weeks.

A WPA project has been submitted to the state highway commission and is now pending before that body. If sufficient funds are in sight, it is contemplated that work on the highway will begin within the next 60 days.

It is to be hoped that the commission will find it possible to begin work, for No. 84 east of town is getting in rather bad condition. The heavy traffic this fall, the meager rainfall recently, and a few high winds have made the surface bumpy and rough. Many of our citizens are becoming rather impatient at the delay in the construction of this important highway, and they will be grateful to the highway commission if it can speed up the matter. —Tahoka News.

**THAT CHERRY TREE**

George Washington, so we have read,  
Was quite a truthful lad;  
He once chopped down a cherry tree,  
Then 'fessed up to his dad.

But, strange to say, that cherry tree  
Has lived throughout the years  
And furnished to a wondering world  
Millions of souvenirs!

A strong conviction of this mind  
Would force one to confide—  
"If young George told the honest truth,  
Then someone else has lied!"

—Althea M. Bonner.

Mrs. Mattie Paul and son Kenneth, of Big Fork, Montana, were here this week visiting her brother, Mayor L. C. Wines and family. This was the first time they had seen each other in 56 years, as Mrs. Paul married in Missouri, and moved to the northwest, the rest of the family coming to Texas.

Mrs. Rudolph Moorhead and sons Tommie and Durwood went to Ft. Collins, Colo., Sunday where Tommy will enter Colorado Agriculture College to study Forestry.

Arnett Bynum, employee of a plumbing concern at Odessa, was up this week end to visit his family, and look after business matters.

At least 5,000 to 8,000 persons die of malaria in the United States each year.

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**Evidence Not All In**

What recommendations, if any, the committee will make regarding the changes in the land laws and their administration, will of course, depend upon study of the records, after all of the witnesses have been heard. Obviously, no judgement can be formulated until all the evidence is in. If the committee then deems emergency action necessary, it can recommend to the Governor that a

**Notes**

Legislators visiting Austin this week expressed concern over a growing "racket" which they say has sprung up in dry counties throughout the State, and will require legislation to correct. In several counties which recently have outlawed beer or whiskey or both, in local option elections, drugstore operating with medicinal prescriptions permits, they declare, are selling as much whiskey as package stores formerly sold. One West Texas druggist, in Austin this week to obtain a permit declared in a hotel lobby that "he had two doctors lined up to stay in his store, one night and one in the daytime, and sell prescriptions for two-bits each."

He declared he expected to sell \$500 worth of prescription whiskey weekly. Under the liquor control act, only the most nominal supervision of drugstore prescription sales of liquor is exercised by the Liquor Control Board, and the Law makes such typical abuses possible. Dry legislators are citing the situation as showing a need for stricter regulation, while wets use the same situation as an argument for unrestricted sale by the drink. Dries have been successful in voting out five counties recently where it had been legal, and observers here declare abuses now extant threatens to bring Statewide prohibition within a few years, if continued.

**PLAINS**

Mrs. Gertrude Taylor and boys visited in Brownfield, Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Winnie Mary McLaren visited her sister, Mrs. Olan Cox, a few days last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Odis Lusk on the 24th a boy. We have not learned the young fellow's name yet.

Mrs. S. McDonnell was called to Arrey, New Mexico, Saturday to be at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Whitehurst, who has pneumonia.

Joe Ellison, L. D. Camp and M. E. Dumas made a business trip to Roswell, N. M., Friday.

Mrs. Bettie Criswell and Mrs. Mary Lackey were Brownfield shoppers, Friday.

Mrs. Charles Rockhole was a Lubbock shopper, Friday.

J. B. Ellison spent Thursday night with Pete Proctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cotten were Brownfield visitors, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Webber of Plainview spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Morris.

J. S. Webber is visiting his sister, in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Raymond Bookout and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Bill Blankenship.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fitzgerald and daughter of Tokio visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fitzgerald Sunday.

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**GOMEZ**

We are sorry to learn the home of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Fulton's was destroyed Monday night, caused from an oil stove fire.

The South Side Club met in their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. B. H. Bartlett, Friday afternoon, January 28. Needlework featured the evening's entertainment. The hostess served delicious refreshments to ten members and one new member.

We understand Mr. Day is recovering from pneumonia.

Kenneth Furr was on the sick list last week.

Quite a group from this community attended the Associated Baptist Sunday School Rally at Brownfield, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Vivian McLeRoy of O'Donnell was a week end guest of the home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Broughton

Page started to work Tuesday at Boot's Cafe. She wants to see all her friends there.

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ENGLISH LITERATURE THEME FOR MAIDS AND MATRONS CLUB, TUESDAY

Another of Brownfield's charming entertainers, Mrs. J. M. Telford, was hostess to the Maids and Matrons Club, Tuesday afternoon.

MESDAMES WINGERD, TEAGUE AND MISS FITZGERALD TO BE HOSTESSES

For the February 8th meeting of the Music Club, Mesdames Wingerd, Teague and Miss Olga Fitzgerald will be hostesses.

LUBBOCK AND BROWNFIELD MUSIC CLUBS IN CONFERENCE

The Brownfield members of the Music Club met in conference with officers and a retinue of workers from the Lubbock Music Club, Sat. Jan. 29, at 4 o'clock, on Mezanine floor of the Hilton Hotel.

HONORING MRS. HUDGENS, A SEXTET OF HOSTESSES PAY FAREWELL COMPLIMENTS

Mesdames Ralph W. Carter, W. R. McDuffie, Clyde Cave, R. L. Bowers, I. M. Bailey and Stricklin are entertaining with a tea Saturday afternoon, February 5th in compliment to Mrs. Claude Hudgens, who is soon going to make her home in Levelland.

DISTRICT P.-T. A. PRESIDENT TO MEET WITH GOMEZ, FEB. 4.

Mrs. Lee Fulton, President of County Council will entertain the District President, Mrs. E. A. Weaver of Snyder, Friday, Mrs. Weaver will address the organization at 7:30 p. m., when a clever program will be heard, prepared by Gomez's capable teachers.

HARMONY P.-T. A. PROGRAM FRIDAY, JANUARY 28

Mrs. Joe A. Davis, president of the Parent-Teachers Association of the Harmony school, directed a very pleasing and instructive program, Friday evening, January 28, at seven-thirty o'clock.

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LIBRARY NOTES

WATCH FOR LIBRARY DAY. Do you wish to be a good conversationalist, to improve your vocabulary, to know and understand people better?

Do you want to know of the great men of our country, what they have done and what they are doing? Do you wish to know the problems facing our country and its people? Wouldn't you like to know more of the music, art and literature of the world? Then cultivate the pleasurable and profitable habit of reading.

Visit the Library and select what you wish from the books of fiction, mystery, history and education.

W. M. U. NEWS

The Baptist Missionary Societies will meet Monday at two o'clock. Lottie Moon Circle with Mrs. Grady Wright; Annie Long Circle with Mrs. J. C. Green; Regan Circle with Mrs. Alfred Mangum; Lockett Circle with Mrs. Stewart.

METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Rev. R. T. Breedlove was the teacher for the Methodist Missionary Society last Monday when they met for study at two o'clock at the church.

The society will have the next meeting on Tuesday, but will meet Monday and put in a quilt. Every member is urged to come and help quilt Tuesday. During the quilting Bro. Breedlove will give the lesson.

Jim Graves of the Corner Drug is in bed with flu.

FEDERATED MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING

The Federated Missionary Society met at the Baptist Church, Monday afternoon with thirty-one present.

An inspiring and interesting program was rendered, after which a social hour was enjoyed with Valentine games. Valentine motifs were carried out in the refreshments.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

The sermon subject for Sunday morning will be: "What Happens At Death?" Some of the questions that will be answered in that connection are as follows:

- 1. Where does the spirit of man go at death? 2. Is man conscious between death and the resurrection? 3. Will the spirits see, know, and talk with each other after death? 4. Will the body be literally raised at the resurrection? 5. Will there be a second chance? 6. Will all men be saved? 7. What is the final punishment of the wicked, and how long will it last? 8. How many people will be saved, and just what will be their reward.

The public is cordially invited.

THE BAPTIST CHURCH

The tabulation of the religious census taken by the Baptist church, shows that there is 1106 people living in Brownfield, Baptist by preference, who are not in Sunday School and church. The Baptist church extends to them an invitation to attend all its services.

- Sunday School 9:45
Preaching 11:00 and 7:30
B. T. U. 6:30
Mid Week Prayer Ser. 7:15
Monday Night Young Peoples Meeting 7:00

You need the church and the church needs you. Go to church Sunday.

Avery Rogers, Pastor

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Church school opens at 9:45, preaching begins at 11:00, the subject—"The Zeal of a Christian," a sermon for church members, especially backslidden. Troop 49 of the Local Scouts will attend in a body for the service.

The evening services begin with the Hi-League, Miss Althea Lundstrum, Counsellor, at 8:00. Seniors meet at 6:45, Eleanor Gillham, leader. A good attendance and a good service will make both a success. The pastor preaches evenings at 7:15. You are cordially invited to be present.

Saturday afternoon, January 29, the pastor of the Methodist church united Mr. Clarence Heald of Plainview and Miss Minnie Mae Williams in marriage. Mr. Heald is employed by the Texas Utilities Company, and his bride is a former Union community girl. We wish for them the happiness they deserve in their new home.

WEDDING

On January 29th, Mr. H. M. Cooper of Olton, Texas, and Miss Nova Kerrick of Brownfield, were united in marriage. The ceremony was read by Elder Killion of the Church of Christ.

The happy couple left immediately for Olton where they will make their home.

WOODMAN CIRCLE

Brownfield Woodmen Circle No. 462 met Monday night in Odd Fellows hall, at call session for presentation of gifts to Mrs. Jennie Stewart.

Among those who helped Mrs. Stewart were Mrs. Jennie Lundbloom, District Manager from Amarillo, was present. Mrs. Cornelia Moore presented her with a beautiful birthday cake.

Refreshments was served of cold drinks and cake. The team will meet for practice on Friday night, February 4th, at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Jennie Lindbloom of Amarillo, district manager of Woodmen Circle met with Brownfield Grove No. 462 January 28th. The Grove was opened with, Guardian Cornelia Moore presiding.

Effie Smith, Guardian. Laura Smith, Advisor. May Howell, Secretary. Cornelia Moore, Post Guardian. Serena Warren, Attendant. Stella Jackson, Assistant Attendant. Ruth Moore, Banker. Mary Neill, Chaplain. Thelma Blair, First Auditor. Laura Brown, Second Auditor. Hellen Mangrum, Third Auditor. Grace Barret, Inner Sentinel. Bernice Weldon, Outer Sentinel. Viola Brown, Musitioner. May Cook, Captain. Cornelia Moore Reporter. Mrs. Jennie Lindbloom, Acting as Installing Officer and Mrs. Viola Mullins as Installing Attendant.

The Grove was closed by our new Guardian, Mrs. Effie Smith. Mrs. May Cook served fresh roasted peanuts.

WEST WARD PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION TEA, THUR.

Mrs. Frank Wier, President of the West Ward P.-T. A. with her coterie of efficient ladies in her organization planned and outlined a very pleasing program, Thursday, January 27.

The association and guest speaker, Mrs. H. F. Goedeke, State Parliamentarian, presented the needs of correct rules and laws for use in all club work.

Following a lovely program, the principal speaker gave her helpful message.

A silver tea service was used during the social hour. When the guests were entertained in the dining room of the Home Economics Department. Pretty colored tableware added to the decorations. Mesdames Baze and Jacobson presided and poured tea. Dainty pastries were made by pupils in Home Ec. classes.

This was a most outstanding social as well as educational affair, and was a compliment to the efficient President of this school group.

Mrs. Spencer Kindrick was called to Brady last Friday night, where her brother was hurt in an automobile accident.

Mrs. Geo. Phillips and baby son of Plainview was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips, over the week end.

Encourage the highway patrol in the performance of their duties.

TO CELEBRATE CONVERSION OF JOHN WESLEY

At a meeting at Lubbock early this week, plans were outlined by the Lubbock district to celebrate the conversion of John Wesley at a little chapel in London, England. Most every pastor of the district was in attendance.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

D. H. Beebe, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching Service 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service 7:15 p. m.
A welcome awaits you every Sunday.

Littlefield Camp Death Being Investigated

LITTLEFIELD, Jan. 31.—Justice of the Peace M. W. Brewer today conducted an investigation into the death in a tourist camp of Alvin Elliott, 25, of Levelland.

Chief Deputy Sheriff Sam Houston said Elliott's woman companion, who was found ill in the camp yesterday, said Elliott told her he was ill and that they went to the camp. He became ill, Houston quoted her as saying, while they were enroute to Lubbock.

Brewer's verdict awaited a report from the state toxicologist's office.

Among those home the past week from school, were Mattie Jo Gracey and Evelyn White, of A. C. C., Abilene.

Mesdames Claude Hudgens, Clyde Cave and Ralph Carter, were in Lubbock, Wednesday.

Mrs. Clarence Hudgens and Don accompanied by Mrs. Jack Stricklin, were Lubbock visitors, Monday.

Mrs. W. T. Graves, mother of Kyle Graves and Mrs. Arch Evans, a cousin of Stephenville, Texas, are guests in the Graves home.

Burns Cast in Lead of Epic "Wells Fargo."

Bob Burns, the Arkansas drawler who has made millions laugh in pictures and on the radio with droll stories about the folks back home, goes serious for the first time in "Wells Fargo" Paramount's brilliant story of empire building which opens Sunday at the Rialto Theatre.

Cast with Joel McCrea and Frances Dee in the leading roles, Burns plays the part of a philosophical frontier character who helps McCrea break the first trail from St. Louis to San Frisco in the early days of the Gold Rush. It's a new Burns—in "coon-skin" hat and leather jacket and, according to reports from Hollywood, a greater Burns.



Burns' entry into the august ranks of the screen's great player comes a little more than a year after his entry into pictures. For years a vaudeville and carnival actor, Burns was discovered in New York by Bing Crosby when the latter was casting for Rhythm on the Range. Burns was given a comedy role in that picture and "clicked" immediately. There followed "The Big Broadcast of 1937," Mountain Music and "Waikiki Wedding," and Burns was on top as a funny man. His fame was augmented on the radio where he appears with Bing Crosby and on his own and he stands now one of the big names of the air and celluloid.

Housekeeping Is Biggest Business



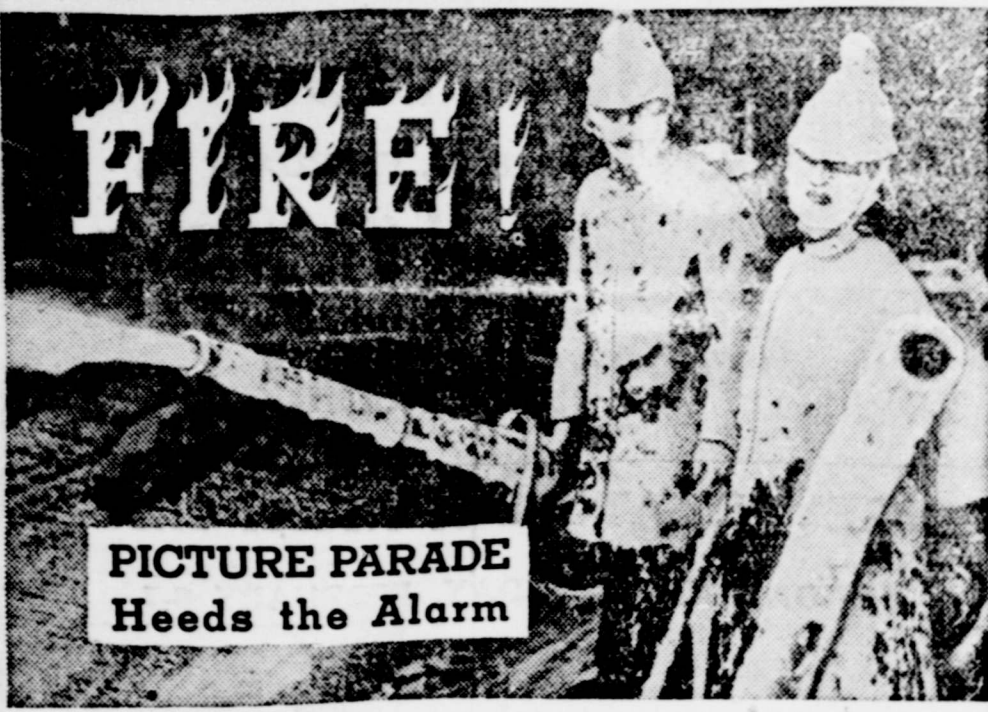
HERE'S a fair representative of the nation's biggest business—homekeeping. It even tops banking and railroading, according to the United States Department of Labor. And yet the homemaker belongs to no union; has formed no organization; she works as an individual year after year without wages, without her day off and too often without a vacation. Seldom does she have a maid to assist her, and rarely does her husband so much as offer to wash the dishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Richardson of the Gomez community have moved to Big Spring to make their home.

Robert Kirksey, market man at Chisholm grocery is in Abilene this week on business.

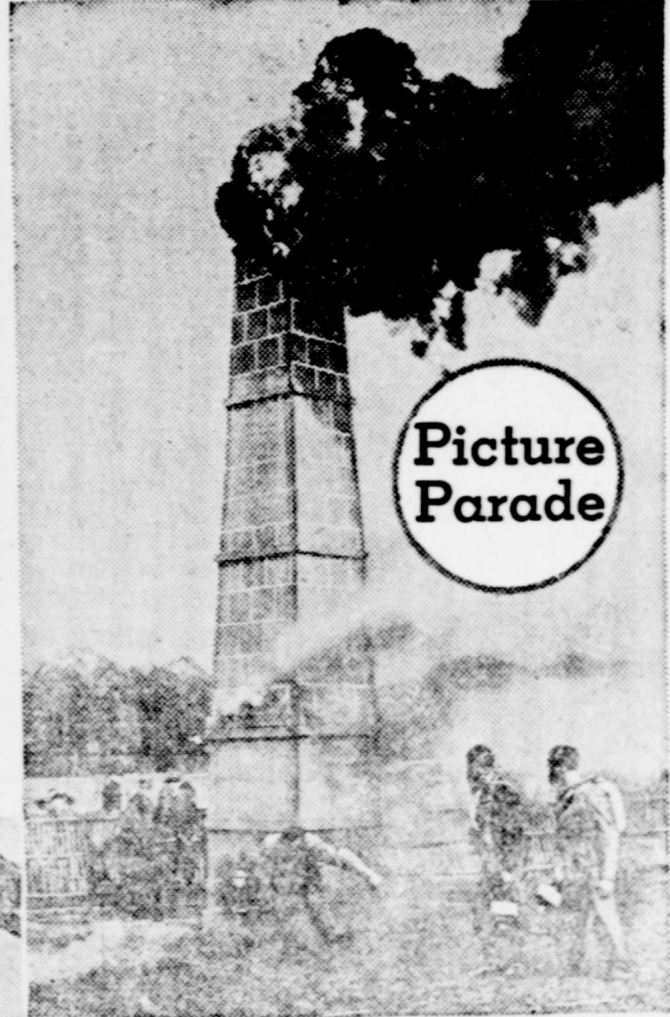
Brownfield Cash Grocery advertisement with price list: Apples 12 1/2c, Oranges 15c, SPUDS 15c, PECAN PIECES 38c, MEAL 22c, POST TOASTIES 25c, Cooking Oil 85c, Potted Meat 5c, OATS 19c, SYRUP 55c, COFFEE 27c, Crackers 17c, Sausage 5c, COFFEE 18c, SOAP 18c, Cigarettes 15c, Beef Roast 12 1/2c, Beef Ribs 10c, JOWLS 10c, STEAK 14c

Advertisement for Hudson 112 car: TODAY WE ANNOUNCE A NEW "LOWEST PRICED" CAR NEW HUDSON 112. THE BIGGEST CAR THE LOWEST PRICE FIELD HAS EVER SEEN! THE SMOOTHEST RUNNING! THE STURDIEST! THE SAFEST! YET ONE OF THE MOST ECONOMICAL! A Better Deal for Your Dollar \$694



PICTURE PARADE Heeds the Alarm

THE fire alarm used to be a signal of almost inevitable disaster. But that was before science took a hand in the fire-fighting business. Today you'll find ingenious devices helping save lives and property, plus giving the spectators a better show. In London, for example, the fire fighters shown above gave a good imitation of a snowstorm when they demonstrated modern "firemanship" with chemical foam. The stunt worked all right, but the men were so lathered up they looked like ghosts. Chemical foam is now used universally; it's far better than water.



Picture Parade

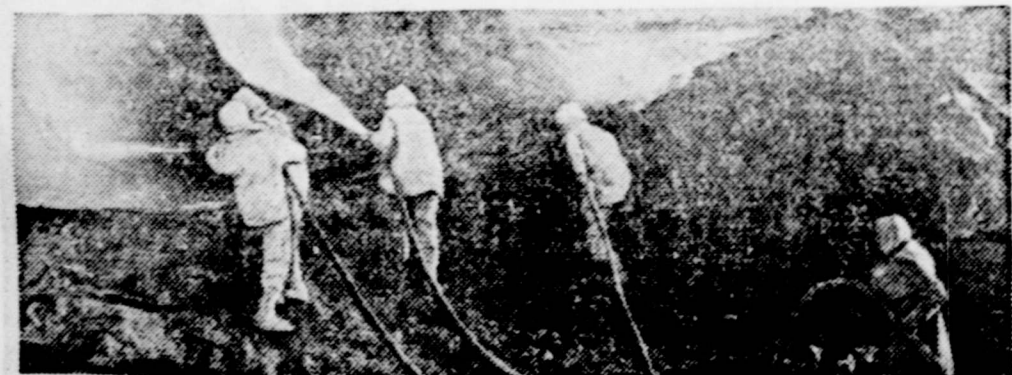


Fire fighters have borrowed life saving ideas from sailors, soldiers and aviators. The breeches-buoy, which has rescued countless victims in maritime disasters, now helps decrease the death toll from fires. Similarly, gas masks help both firemen and victims avoid asphyxiation. Even parachutes are used to evacuate burning buildings. The life net is being replaced by these more modern devices.

Making the bomb serve a peace-time purpose, an Italian inventor tossed special explosives into a burning chimney and extinguished the flame. Above picture shows him making a getaway after this dangerous mission. Below: modern city firemen carry their hose lines into the air with mammoth fire towers. The flames don't have a chance!



These two Los Angeles firemen enjoy their card game in new asbestos pyjamas, which permit firemen to contact flame without injury



Asbestos pyjamas at work, fighting an oil derrick fire.

One of the biggest men in the packing industry in Texas told this writer only this week that "Lamb County farmers produced a high grade of hogs," and his company would encourage the raising of many more Lamb County hogs. His remarks indicated that hog raising would also be profitable. One of the things we have been continually urging is more hogs on every farm in Lamb County,

and less hogs on the highways.—County Wide News. You tell the "biggest" man in the packing industry to come down to Terry some time and see our herd of shoats, John. We claim to put some pork in the pot down here. In fact, Terry stands either fourth or fifth in hog production in Texas. Also, John, we have a plentiful supply of the other hogs you mention, but

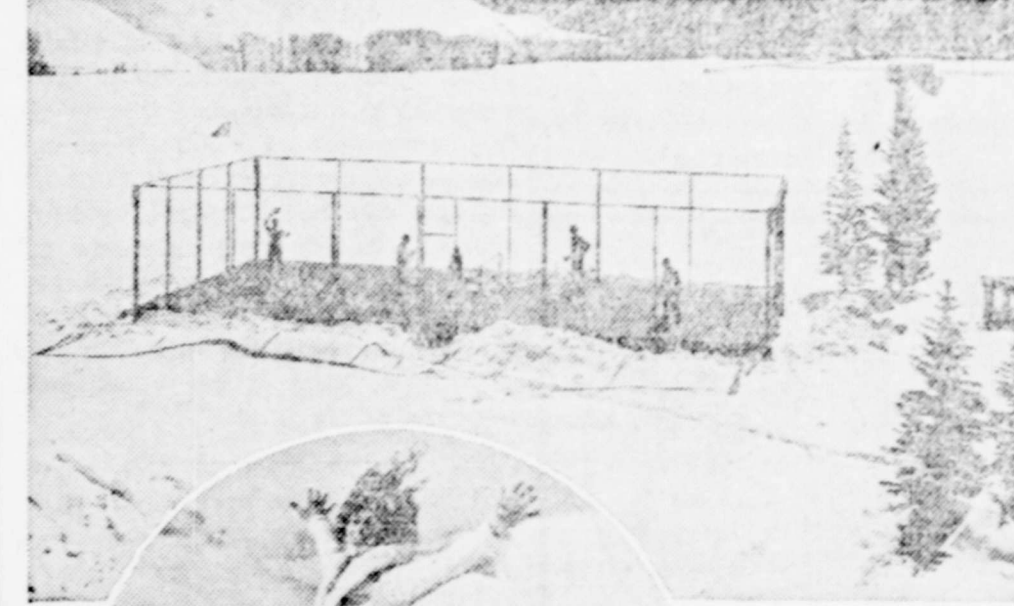


Picture Parade

SNOW and cold weather used to send people indoors. Today more and more sports lovers head for hills and skating ponds with the first nip of winter, making the current cold season a record breaker for transportation companies and sporting goods manufacturers. Skiing, which originated in Scandinavia and spread slowly in the United States, has suddenly become the king of American winter sports. When winter enthusiasts aren't skiing they may be skating or bobsledding. At Sun Valley they swim in an outdoor heated pool.



Outdoor winter swimming and skiing in "shorts" is all a matter of acclimating one's body to the temperature.



At Sun Valley and other resorts they also play paddle tennis during the winter, unmindful of heavy snows surrounding the wood court. But skating is—and always will be—the favorite sport of millions. Picture at left shows a champion figure skater at Arosa in the Grisons, Switzerland.

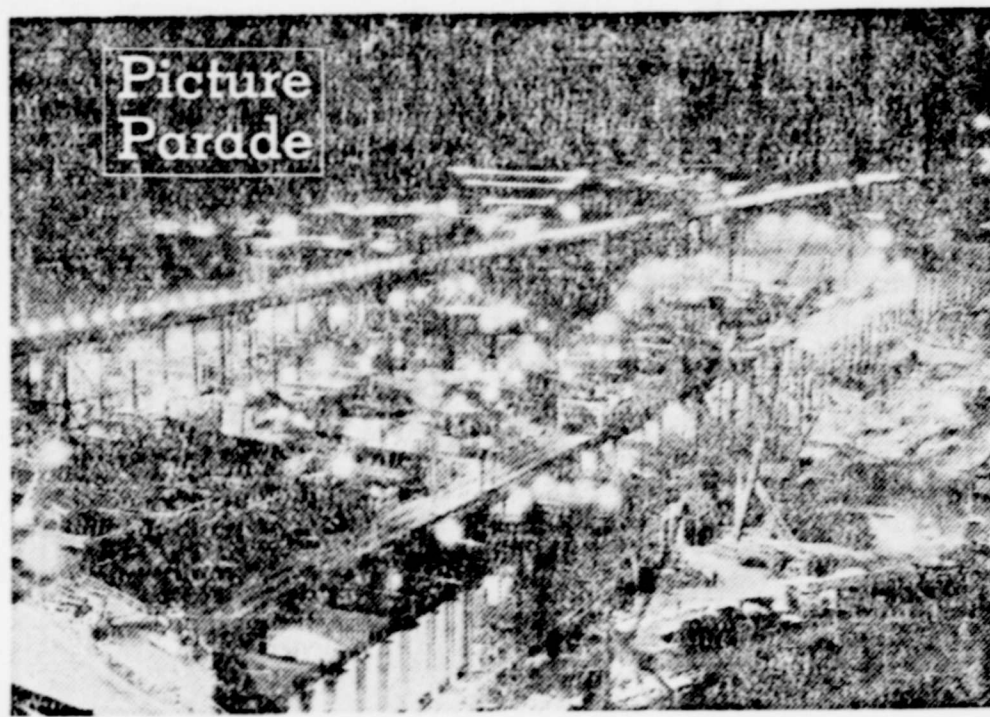


Bobsledding is far and away the most thrilling winter sport, though its American popularity is not great. The above picture was taken on the celebrated Cresta run at St. Moritz, Switzerland, which is three quarters of a mile long and has a drop of 514 feet. Average speed is 45 miles an hour with a maximum speed of 60 miles. Maintenance of bobsledding courses is expensive, necessitating telephonic communications from top to bottom, frequent glazing of the runway and construction of the famous sharp curves. Though bobsledders have sometimes been killed or injured while enjoying their favorite sport, the game is seldom dangerous for cool-headed participants who take the curves in stride, braking where needed to keep the sled balanced. Bobsledding's closest kin is the toboggan, a popular U. S. winter plaything. Picture at right shows the game of curling on the Palace ice rink at Gstaad in the Bernese Oberland, Switzerland. The Swiss, always foremost in winter sports, are making a strong bid for American tourist trade this year, boasting that the American dollar now buys 42 per cent more in Switzerland due to devaluation of the franc. American motorists who bring their own cars get a 30 per cent rebate of gasoline if they stay within Swiss territory three days.

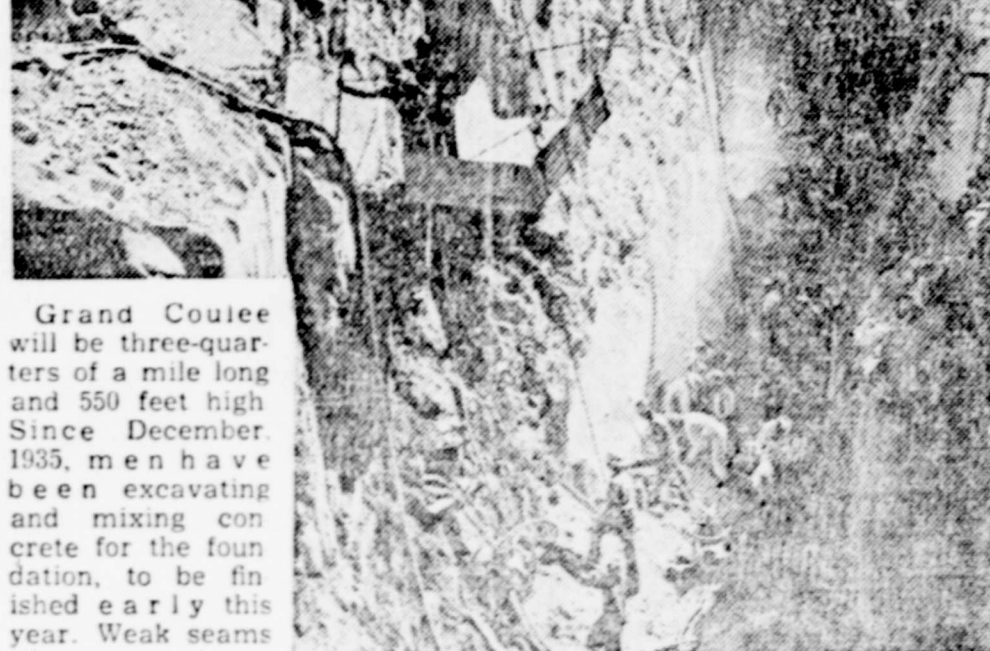


Editor Jack Stricklin issued a special Historical-Prosperity Edition of the Terry County Herald, Brownfield, on Dec. 17th. It took 52 pages of the Herald to tell the story of progress that had been made in Terry County. The edition was probably the largest ever produced by any weekly newspaper on the South Plains, considering the number of inches of reading matter and advertising. The Herald has an over-size page which naturally carries more material for the benefit of the readers than the average newspaper.

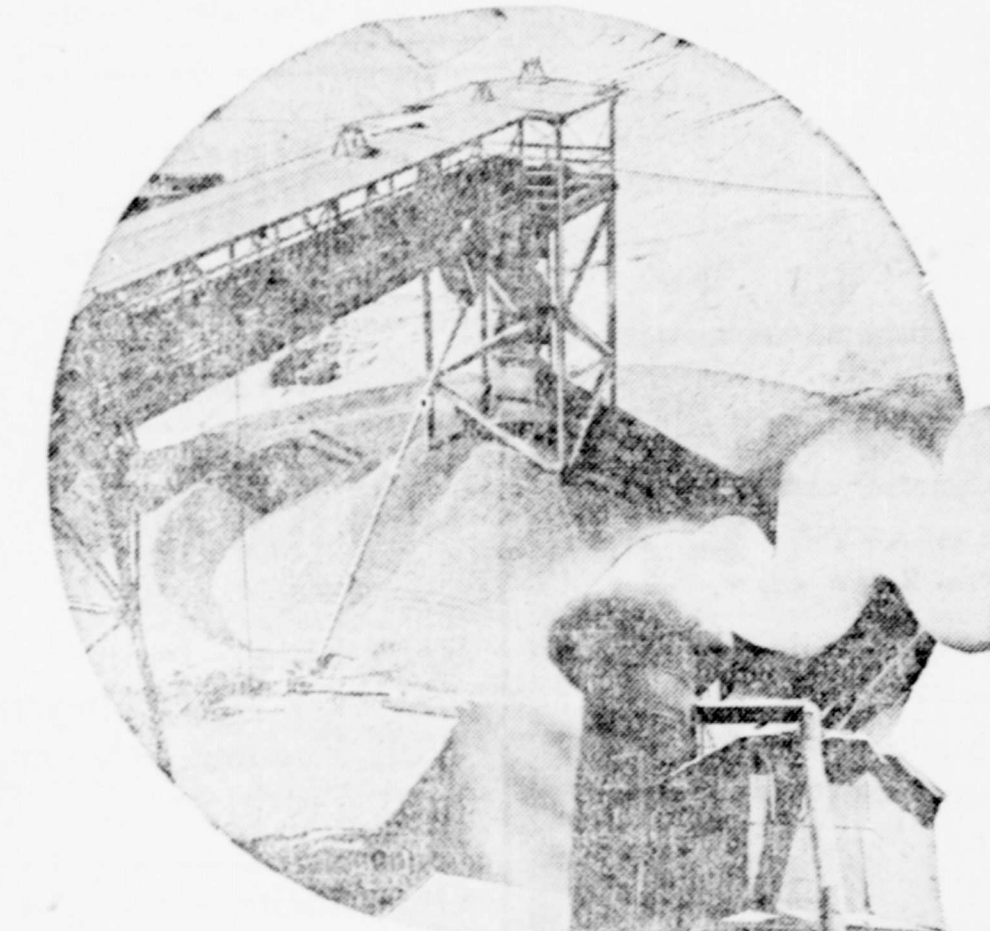
Uncle Sam Builds a Dam



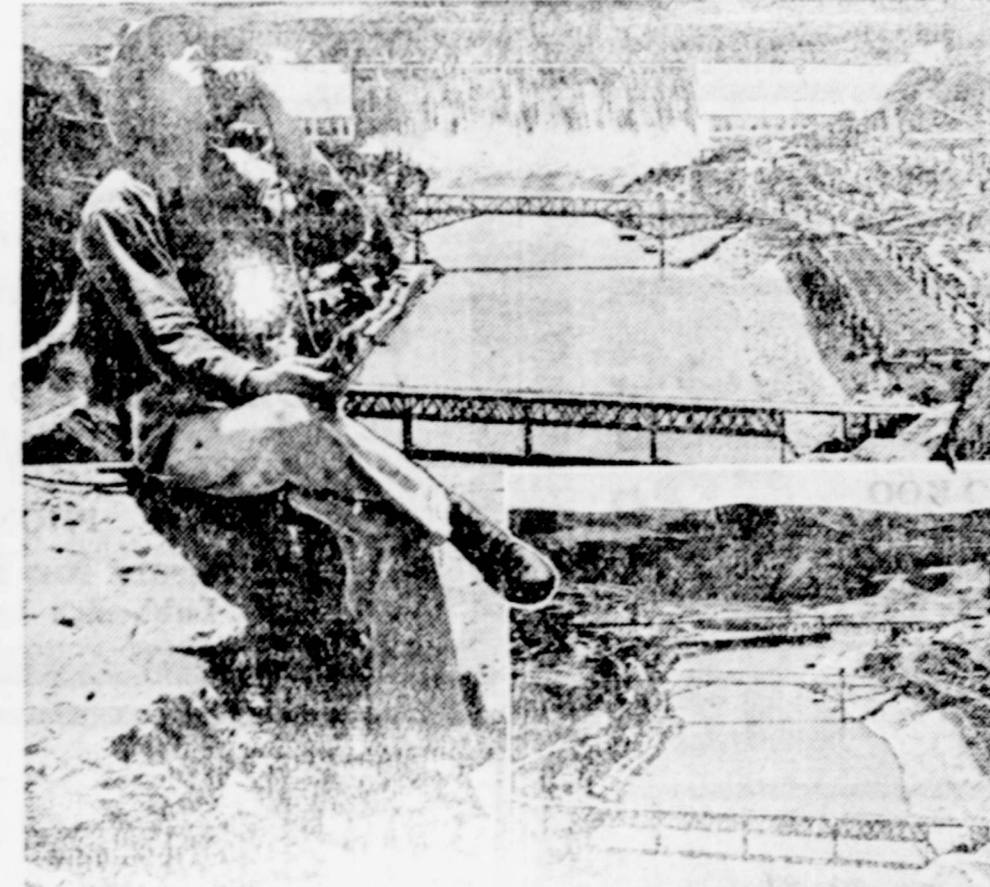
WORK goes on day and night at Grand Coulee dam on the Columbia river in eastern Washington, where the U. S. is building the world's most massive masonry structure.



Grand Coulee will be three-quarters of a mile long and 550 feet high. Since December 1935, men have been excavating and mixing concrete for the foundation, to be finished early this year. Weak seams of rock must be removed, since only the hard granite underlying the Columbia can be used for foundation purposes. Since three shifts a day are employed, the government has established a permanent community for workers.



A pile of three-quarter inch gravel is fed continuously from the screening plant above, dropping to a belt conveyor which carries it to the aggregate mixing plants at the dam site. Like the factory it is, the mixing plant (right) works 24 hours a day combining cement with sand, gravel and water making 8,000 cubic yards of concrete daily.



What is the most ambitious water power project ever undertaken? Grand Coulee takes shape. Grand Coulee dam, the largest masonry dam ever built, is being constructed on the Columbia river in Washington. It will be the largest dam in the world when finished, compared with the Boulder dam in Colorado. The dam will generate 2,100,000 kilowatts of power.



It's only a step from Grand Coulee homes to the dam site.

HARMONY

The Harmony P.-T. A. met last Friday night with Mrs. Joe A. Davis presiding. The program was as follows:

Opening song by assembly "Am I A Soldier of the Cross" Prayer by Mr. C. A. Wilhite. Two short plays by the fourth and fifth grades of Miss Velma McManis' room. Duet by Joe Merritt and Clea Garner. "Carolina Moon." Reading by Neva Joyce Moore. Music by Mrs. W. H. Dallas. Reading by Dorothy Fae Sexton. Learning Symposiune. Mrs. John Hyle, Mrs. John Garner and Mr. Joe A. Davis. Song by Mrs. Wilhite's pupils led by Ruth Hobbs.

"Preseverance" a talk by Miss Nellie McLeroy of Gomez. Mrs. Lee Fulton also of Gomez complimented our program and efforts here. She announced a school of instructions led by Mrs. W. R. Weaver to be held at Gomez auditorium next Friday night. We wish to thank the visitors, Mrs. Dallas, Miss McLeroy and Mrs. Fulton. Come again.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Coe and Mrs. Jesse Coe of Lubbock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Davis last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. L. C. Dulaney of Oklahoma City enjoyed the "History of Terry County Edition" we sent her.

We are sorry to have to report the death of Mr. Virgil Locke. The community sympathizes with relatives and friends.

Rev. Jesse Young, the Methodist pastor will preach next Saturday night at the school house.

SCUDDAY

Winter is really here at last, and we are already wishing for spring time.

Mr. Ed Stephens and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Dock Benton, Sunday.

Roy Sparkman and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Allman. Mrs. Allman's two sisters and families from Floydada also spent Sunday with her. We didn't learn their names.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Johnson of Lamesa and sister, Ola Mae Johnson of Lubbock, visited their uncle, J. E. Young, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson lost their three year old son, Doyle, Monday. He has been ill with pneumonia, and measles, since Christmas eve. He had been in the Lamesa hospital nineteen days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Young visited Mr. and Mrs. Duncan, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Duncan has been sick most of the fall, but is up, and improving slowly.

Archie Collins and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Collins, Sunday.

H. L. Allmon is the proud owner of a new bicycle, most all the boys have bicycles now around here. They want Santa to bring their dads one Christmas or sooner. We wonder why?

FORRESTER

Mrs. R. M. Finley came to pay her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Baldwin a visit, while waiting for her diploma as a operator in a beauty parlor.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Mathis was over to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Baldwin and sister, Mrs. R. M. Finley, which is paying a visit with the Baldwins.

Uncle Dave Mathis' wife was over Monday to pay Mrs. W. J. Baldwin a visit.

Mrs. Slim Chavis was operated on last Thursday at Lubbock, at the last report she was doing fine.

Durward Bryan is on the sick list. Mrs. R. M. Finley went to town Friday to visit her sister-in-law, Miss Finley.

Arnold Baldwin and Wincie H. Maness went to Seagraves this Monday on business.

Charley Warren recently lost his car by fire.

Mr. D. F. Mathis went to town Saturday to trade for him a tractor, as he has rented him another quarter section of land.

Well, we have on another cold spell last night it was 20 above here this morning.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of trying to express our thanks and appreciation to all the good friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness and words of sympathy in the sudden death of our dear husband and father.

We also thank you for the beautiful flowers.

May God bless you is our prayer. Mrs. S. J. Miller Mr. and Mrs. Garland Miller Mrs. F. N. Rutledge and children. Raymond Miller

A LONG FIGHT

DENTON, Feb. 1—Gamblers have evidently had a hard time ever since the beginnings of government in this state. An early law states that anyone connected with or employed by a gambling house shall be fined between \$100 and \$2,000. If the culprit should be permitting gambling in his or her house, the fine was from \$500 to \$1,000.

Have you noticed the new Neon sign of Piggly Wiggly grocery? Boy! it lights up this end of the burg and makes it look real citified.

Ed Thompson and family, who moved to Parker county last March have returned to Terry, and will rent a farm. Welcome back to good old Terry.

**Lynch Bill Dropped To Take Up Housing**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The senate dropped the four-week filibuster against the anti-lynching bill temporarily today to consider the administration's housing legislation. Despite general approval of objectives of the housing bill, senators disagreed over its wage provisions. Requires Prevailing Wages The bill, as originally passed by the senate, requires payment of "prevailing wages" fixed by the labor department on government-insured construction projects. This action was removed by a committee appointed to reconcile house and senate measures. Senator Lodge, author of the prevailing wage amendment, led an attempt to reinstate it. The house has approved the compromise bill, designed to hasten the flow of private capital into home construction. It would cut the down-payment on low-cost houses to ten per cent and would reduce

interest and service charges on government-insured projects. The Washington Redskins, professional football team, beat the Texas all-star team at Houston last week, 17 to 10. Pretty good score for a pick-up team to play against professionals who have worked together since last fall, we think. Thirty-one banks in 26 towns in 15 counties on the South Plains had total deposits of more than 28 million dollars, according to the bank call of December 31st. There will be a Texas-New Mexico baseball league this year, with Big Spring, Midland, Wink, Lubbock, Roswell and probably Clovis taking berths in it. Dr. J. D. Moorhead and son, T. B. were here this week from El Moro, N. M., visiting their son and brother, Rudolph and family. As soon as the Dr. gets his bow and arrow done, he'll give us an account of one of his hunting expeditions.

**DIRECTOR OF RURAL REHABILITATION PROGRAM**

Wilson Cowen, above, recently named Texas state director of the rural rehabilitation program, is the man directly responsible to L. H. Hauter, regional director of the Farm Security Administration, for the success of this phase of the Department of Agriculture's program in 47 counties in West Texas. Cowen, who resigned his position of county judge in Dallam county to accept this appointment, has long been a leader in movements to improve agricultural conditions in the Southern Great Plains, and is well versed in the problems faced by farmers in this area. "It is my sincere desire," Cowen stated, "to assist in administering the Farm Security Administration's rural rehabilitation to the end that the farmers in West Texas may derive the greatest possible benefit from it." Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McSpadden and grandson, Hal Wade, left Tuesday for Corpus Christi, for the benefit of Mrs. McSpadden's health.



WILSON COWEN

**Poll Tax Payments 200 Greater Than 1936**

While a few of us were hoping that Terry county would produce 3000 poll tax receipts this year, we had to fall far short of that number. Sam White, deputy collector says just 2485 paid their poll taxes, and there were 62 exemptions. With others there ought to be around 3000 qualified voters in the county anyway. Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jackson of the Union community were in town Wednesday. Mrs. L. M. Winger attended the P-T. A. District meeting at Lubbock, Saturday a. m. Mrs. Claude Garret and small son were the guests of Mrs. L. A. Rhyne, Tuesday. The first iron produced in this country was made into a quart pot, still in existence.

**ALLRED LEADS IN HOME TOWN GOVERNOR POLL**

In a poll of gubernatorial sentiment taken by the Wichita Falls Post last week there was a great leaning toward a Republican candidate with Governor James V. Allred showing a slight majority of votes as favorite, with Orville Bullington of Wichita Falls, second. The poll of sentiment on the 1938 Governor's race had space for two candidates named Allred and Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, and another space to insert any other person preferred other than the two mentioned. While Allred would be expected to lead any poll in his home town, especially since the poll required only a check mark for him, the fact that Bullington got many votes which had to be written in brought on much speculation. Likewise puzzling to both Thompson and McCraw camps was the fact that Railroad Commissioner Ernest O. Thompson, who has formally announced his candidacy, did not get a vote. Wichita Falls is also Tom Hunter's home town. This accounts for his ranking above McCraw. Clarence Farmer, old-age pension advocate, got 23 votes, probably because he had announced his candidacy for governor before the old age pension meeting in Wichita Falls. Here's the vote: Allred 375 Bullington 359 Ferguson 347 Hunter 86 McCraw 51 Walter Woodard 8 Walter Woodul 1 Clarence Farmer 23 One person who wrote his sentiments, in addition said: "Allred is entirely too big for his pants, and to me—I don't favor a woman at all. We need a governor that will stay on the job. These ball games, and corner stones and ribbon cuttings can be sponsored by some one who hasn't anything to do. I'll never vote for him for U. S. Senate." Mrs. Ferguson was not as popular in Wichita Falls as the two top candidates. Most of her votes came from out of town.



S. R. LEMAY Candidate for Superintendent of Public Institution

**PIGGLY WIGGLY**

WHERE FRIEND MEETS FRIEND Always First With the Lowest Prices

MARIGOLD, EXTRA HIGH PATENT FLOUR 24 lb. 79c 48 lb. 1.49

Catsup SUN RED 10c LG. 14 oz bot.

TOMATO JUICE LIBBYS 15c 2 CANS

PEACHES CAMPUS, sliced or halves, lg. No. 2 1-2 13c

TOMATO SOUP Phillips No. 1 9c 2 CANS

APRICOTS LIBBY'S IN HEAVY SYRUP — No. 2 can 15c

Soap P. & G. GIANT BARS, 5 FOR 19c

Oxydol LARGE BOX 20c

BROWN'S SEXTET SALTED CRACKERS 2 LBS 17c

Peaut Butter Sky-Way Full Quart 22c

Pickles DELTA — SOUR DILL 25 OZ JAR 14c

Rice FANCY — BLUE ROSE 23c 5 POUNDS

SYRUP KOO-KOO GALLON SIZE 52c

GOLDEN RIPE BANANAS Per Doz. 12c

BRIGHT AND EARLY COFFEE 1 lb pkg 18c

POST TOASTIES 3 LARGE BOXES 25c

BEEF ROAST lb. 12 1/2c

Bologna 2 lbs. 25c

Steak lb. 15c

OUR FAVORITE Oleo Pound 14c

Brownfield Friday, Saturday and First Monday Texas

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Baby Chicks from our Hatchery are as fine as you ever saw. They're Strong, Healthy and Well Formed—the type that grow fast into Real Producers.

Our Chicks Are Right—Our Prices Are Right. COME HERE FOR A SQUARE DEAL.

**Chisholm's Hatchery**

Custom Hatching and Baby Chicks

**Valentine's Day**

FEBRUARY, 14 GIVE HER FLOWERS THIS YEAR Cut Flowers, Corsages or Potted Plants DELIVERED ANYWHERE MRS. ROY BALLARD PHONE 290 Agent for Texas Floral Lubbock's Leading Florist

**DRUG SPECIALS**

- Nyal Aspirin, 100 for 29c
- Nyal Iron and Yeast Tablets 59c
- Nysyptal Mouth Wash 39c
- Pure Castor Oil, 3 oz. 19c
- Nyal Nazal Drops and Atomizer 59c
- Nyal Hot Water Bottle 89c
- Fountain Syringe 89c
- Ice Caps 98c
- Nyal Horehound and Honey Cough Syrup 25c and 50c
- Handy Hot Electric Heater \$1.19

**CORNER DRUG STORE**



JOHN WOODS Candidate For RAILROAD COMMISSIONER



R. A. (BOB) STUART Candidate for Railroad Commission

**SNYDER MEN FIND BURIED TREASURE; IT'S COUNTERFEIT**

SNYDER, Jan. 20.—Two Snyder men found more than 100 counterfeit dollars in a rusty lard bucket unearthed seven miles east of here Wednesday. O. D. Dial, minister of the Snyder Church of Christ, and Garland Fambro were digging around the foundation of a now demolished house in making excavations for a new building one and one half mile east of the Plainview school house when they came upon the corroded old pail. Besides the counterfeit dollar coins, of which there were slightly more than 100, they found plaster of paris molds for \$1, 50 cents, 10 cents and 5 cent coins. Although the bucket showed evidence of being buried several years, the coins were in good condition, and were good imitations of the genuine silver dollars. R. E. Johnson of Erick, Okla., was the guest of his sisters, Mesdames C. C. Cotter and Bob Carson, this week. There are 19,000,000 acres of land under irrigation in the west. Give one-eyed cars plenty of room.

**RIALTO**

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4-5

Boris Karloff IN

"WEST OF SHANGHAI"

PREVUE SATURDAY NIGHT 11:30

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6-7



PRODUCED AND DIRECTED BY FRANK LLOYD ASSOCIATE PRODUCER HOWARD ESTABROOK A PARAMOUNT PICTURE

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8-9

On the Stage JACK HOLT'S FOLLIES OF 1938 An All Local Talent Show That Is Going To Be Real Entertainment.

On the Screen John Boles IN

"SHE MARRIED AN ARTIST"

**RITZ**

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4-5

William Boyd As Hopalong Cassidy IN "TEXAS TRAIL"

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6-7

A Big All-Star Cast In One of the Biggest Fun and Musical Shows of the Year. "MERRY GO ROUND OF 1938"

**DIED**

The twenty-one day old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brown died Wednesday afternoon about two o'clock of whooping cough and pneumonia. Funeral to be at the Baptist church Thursday at ten o'clock.

Herl Roland of Anson, boyhood chum of Jim Smith, was here Wednesday to attend the Smith funeral.

Will McPhaul and Elbert Hughes of Galip, New Mexico, came in late Wednesday night.

"SEE WHAT SHE'LL DO—THEY SOON FOUND OUT"

"Step on her, big boy, see what she'll do!"

Said the girl to "Boy Friend," and away they flew. Now 100 isn't considered so fast these days, With a good car, and good highways, But in the best of families, so they say, Sad accidents happen every day. They came to a curve they didn't know was there— (They didn't even have time to breathe a prayer!) Both killed, car wrecked, loved ones grieving too— Just because a couple wanted to "see what she'll do."

Don't pass cars on hill, what's your hurry.



D. E. ERWIN, Dealer