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Former Postmaster, George W. Smith, 82, Buried This Week

Born in Northern Missouri, He Drove Cattle From Texas To Kansas When 15

Familiar citizen for many years an done of the community's most enthusiastic story tellers in his more healthful days, George W. Smith, eighty-two years old January 9, was buried in Sonora cemetery Monday afternoon.

Mr. Smith (he was "George W.") to nearly all of his friends) died Sunday afternoon at four at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. L. Taylor. He had been ill for several months and his eyesight had been failing for several years but until a year or so ago he had been able to come to town each day.

Missouri-born, Mr. Smith first came to Texas in 1869 when he was only fifteen. He helped drive cattle from Texas to the Cherokee Nation in the spring and summer and in the winter worked in lead mines in



GEORGE W. SMITH

southwest Missouri. When he came to Texas to live he settled in Brownwood, then went to the Denton section. Later, as a young man, he was city marshal in Denton for ten years.

It was after quite a few years work on the Morris Ranch, near Fredericksburg, known for its thoroughbred horse stock, that he came to Sonora in 1905. He had also done photography in Abilene and other West Texas towns so followed that trade in a building George Allison let him build where the A. & W. Drug Store is today.

From about 1914 to 1918 he was postmaster here. The government's business was carried on in a small green structure where the NEWS office is now.

Mr. Smith was a close friend of the late George Trainer and as long as he was able made frequent visits to Mr. Trainer "to spin yarns with him," as he said it. The two men would talk and recount stories and "tales" without number. Each was a good story teller and each enjoyed the companionship of the other as they went down through the years.

On January 19, 1879, Mr. Smith was married in Denton to Miss Catherine Backus who died sixteen years ago last month. They had twelve children, one of whom died when a baby and another of whom—Torah—was Mrs. E. S.

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RICE FOOTBALL PLAYER DOING SUMMER WORK HERE

A new member of the geophysical crew of the Magnolia Petroleum Co., working on the Whitehead Ranch, is R. R. Royal of Houston, who will be a senior at Rice Institute next year.

Mr. Royal played in each of the Rice football games last season and has "lettered" for the Owls the last two years. He plays halfback. He is majoring in physical education work at the Houston institute.

New Pharmacist at A. & W.

Harry R. King of San Angelo began work today at the A. & W. Drug Store. He was employed at a drug store in San Angelo. Homer Lytle, who has been employed at the A. & W., left this week for Del Rio where he will work for the Texas Drug Co.

New Minister Tells of Value of Prayer

The Rev. R. F. Davis Enjoying Sutton County Climate

Choosing as his subject, "Prayer," the Rev. R. F. Davis, new pastor of the Methodist Church, Sunday morning spoke to his first congregation in Sutton county.

The Reverend Mr. Davis and Mrs. Davis came here Thursday of last week. Roof work, papering and painting has not been completed at the parsonage so they have been unable to unpack all of their household goods and to arrange them in the parsonage.

Before his sermon the Reverend Mr. Davis expressed his pleasure in coming to Sonora to assume a new charge. He has been preaching in the southwest for seventeen years. He contrasted the climate of Sonora and Sutton county with that of Alpine and Brewster county.

Prayer, according to the pastor, will be an essential in the establishing of the correct relationship between himself and members of the church here. He described the necessity of the petitioner being "in tune with God" before answer to prayer might be expected.

"Prayer must have behind it the right motive," he explained, "and God will not answer any prayer unless it does originate of a right motive. Nor will God do for us what we can do for ourselves for that is why we have been sent here.

"We, as Christians, will not have very rich Christian experiences until we are convinced of the truth of 'thy will be done' and until we give God the right-of-way. As we work together in our new relationship here let us seek to know more of how to pray."

The Reverend Mr. Davis' sermon was based on the eighteenth chapter of Luke, particularly the sixth, seventh and eighth verses of that portion of the scripture.

Excellent Screen Plays To Be Shown

Dog Story 2 Days—Then Famous Dance Team To Entertain

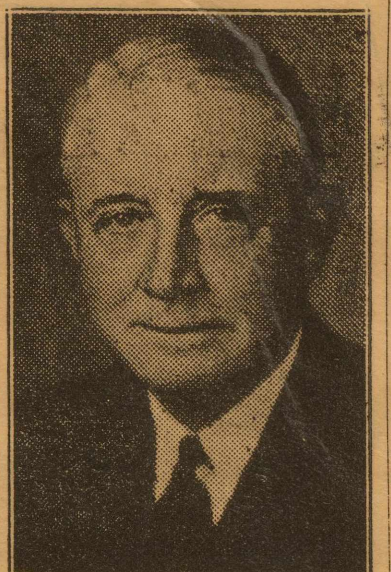
Screen entertainment that has been hailed as extraordinary is being offered today and tomorrow by Hix Hall, manager of La Vista Theater, when he presents "The Voice of Bugle Ann," featuring Maureen O'Sullivan, Lionel Barrymore and Eric Linden.

The picture is based on the novel by that name written by MacKinlay Kantor which was published originally in the Atlantic Monthly. Linked with a dog interest, the picture's theme will prove of unusual appeal to the picture-loving citizens of Sutton county.

"Follow the Fleet," synopsizing screen offering starring America's famous dance duo—Ginger Rogers and Fred Astaire—is to be shown both Sunday and Monday. Such song hits as "I'm Putting All My

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BANKER AT HEAD OF BOARD OF EXPOSITON



President of the First National Bank, Dallas, Nathan Adams is truly a busy man these days for he is also chairman of the board of directors of the Texas Centennial Central Exposition—the official name of the Dallas production which opened Saturday.

GOV. ALF M. LANDON, REPUBLICAN NOMINEE



With only nineteen votes opposing, the Republican National Convention, in session at Cleveland, Ohio, nominated Governor Alf M. Landon, of Kansas, for the presidency.

Governor Landon is an out-of-doors man. He likes to slip away from official cares in Topeka, donning high-top

boots and corduroy trousers, for a day in the oil fields. But the duties of his office allow him little time for this diversion. So, two or three times a week, he calls for his horse and takes a canter along quiet country roads in the neighborhood of Topeka. Above he is pictured with his favorite mount.

Over Half Million Pounds Wool Shipped Monday; 31 1-2c Top

Thirty carloads of livestock and wool comprised early-week shipments from Sonora to points north. Eleven cars of stock was included in the thirty-car lot.

C. D. Stokes, buyer for Winslow & Co., Boston, purchased through the Sonora Wool and Mohair Co., Sonora, 232,000 pounds of wool which was shipped to Boston Monday and Tuesday of this week. The price paid was said to have been 31½ cents for top wool and 31 cents for bottom, for the 8-month clips. This shipment was contained in six carloads.

Fifty-one ranchmen from Sutton, Edwards, Kimble and Crockett counties will share in the distribution of \$71,591.20, the total value of the wool sold.

Other shipments of wool sold privately and shipped to Boston, it was said, included 250,000 pounds, Sol Mayer & Son's clip; one car from the Allison Bros. ranch; one car from the Sol Kelly ranch.

Livestock shipments were reported from the herds and flocks of Aldwell Bros., Roy Hudspeh, J. O. Taylor, Juno, and others.

The Sonora Wool and Mohair Co. reports more than a million and a half pounds of wool in the warehouse remaining unsold.

With weather conditions favorable to shearing the Sutton county wool crop will soon be finished. Less than 15 per cent remains to be sheared. It is estimated that approximately 150,000 pounds of wool is yet to be stored.

Shipments of wool Monday from other points in the district, as reported by the San Angelo Morning Times, were as follows:

The 85,000-pound clip of Arthur Henderson, Kickapoo, to Murphey Campbell, representing S. Silberman & Sons, at 33 cents; the 17,000-pound clip of Joe Eddy Hall, Water Valley, at 32 cents.

Albert Schneider purchased Joe Funk's clip of approximately 30,000 pounds from Arden through the Joe B. Blakeney warehouse at 33 cents a pound. Through Blakey, Charles F. Angell secured 10,000 pounds of wool raised by Mrs. R. C. Small near Twelve Mile bridge, at 32½ cents.

J. F. Baker of Hills & Oglesby here bought 40,000 pounds of Runnels and Concho county wool at Ballinger through Stallings & Herring. Prices ranged from 28½ to 30½ cents per pound.

Henry D. Allen, representing Charles J. Webb Sons Co. shipped 80,000 pounds of 12-months wool bought from J. T. Davis of Sterling City at 33 cents per pound.

HISTORY OF DEMOCRACY TO BE COMPILED

C. G. Appleman, Austin, representing the Democratic Historical Association, is in Sonora today. Mr. Appleman, with four other representatives, is touring Texas, gathering data for a forthcoming history of Texas Democracy. He estimates a year's time as necessary for the completion of the work.

Station A Sonora Team Loses To Miles

Sunday Clash With League Team First Defeat in Months

Even league-leading baseball teams must have their off-day when errors are numerous and they just aren't what they ordinarily have been during the time they have chalked up a huge number of consecutive victories over other teams of the league.

That was the Station A Sonora team Sunday afternoon when it lost one game and won another while playing with the Miles team of the Concho Basin League. The first game was won by a 24 to 4 score and the second lost by an 8 to 5 count. Six errors behind the pitching of "Lefty" White were largely responsible for the defeat.

The Station A Sonora team's first game Sunday (the one they took from the Miles nine) was their fortieth consecutive victory in league play last season and this.

Acknowledged winners of the first half of the Concho Basin League race for this season, the Station A team meets the "runner-up"—Ellis Parts, San Angelo—in two games here Sunday afternoon. Miles plays at Lowake the same afternoon and Eola tangles with Rowena.

The league standing as of Monday, June 8, was:

	W	L	Pct.
Sonora	13	1	.928
San Angelo	10	6	.625
Miles	7	5	.583
Eola	6	6	.500
Veribest	6	10	.375
Rowena	5	9	.357
Lowake	1	11	.083

E. S. Long was a business visitor in San Antonio Sunday and Monday.

Hallums Make Large Business Property Investment Here

Six Tourist Cottages Being Built By Service Station Opening Monday, June 15

A total investment of \$12,000 in new business property has been partially completed by R. L. Hallum who will have the formal opening of his new service station Monday.

The station, selling Humble gasoline and oils, is an attractive one of stucco construction near the Lowrey Draw bridge. Construction work was begun early in April. Concrete drives and approaches lead to the station proper where four electric, purchase-recording pumps have been installed. A dual unit will replace two of the pumps on the outer serving ledge within the next few weeks.

Work was started this week by Jack Wise, general contractor, on six modern tourist cottages alongside the service station property. Each will have private bath and garage. They will be built along lines similar to those of the station and will have concrete floors and entrance drives.

Mr. Hallum said this week that two additional tourist cottages may be built later.

Besides Mr. Wise, the general contractor for the station and cottages, the following have been employed in the construction of the property completed this week:

Plumbing, Gilmore Hardware Co.; concrete work, G. W. Archer; stucco and plastering, Ted Schultz; wiring, O. K. Rankhorn.

The new station will be the only Humble one in Sutton county offering car washing and greasing service. Loyal as are the many employees of the Humble Oil and Refining Co. and the Humble Pipeline Co. in Sutton county, they have not heretofore been able to buy these particular services from business houses selling their employer's products.

Mr. Hallum will operate the station and tourist cottage business but is in partnership with his brother, Asa, operator of a business on the North Llano river, in the ownership of the property. R. L. Hallum has been in business here since 1929, with a station located two blocks from the new one.

New Lion Officers To Take Charge at Program June 29

Club Contributes \$10 To Help in Taking School Children To Dallas "Sing-Song"

Sonora Lions who comprise the "new administration" to direct the Lions Club for the twelve months beginning July 1 are to be officially given their new work at a Ladies' Night program Monday, June 29.

Such was the decision of the club at its Tuesday luncheon. No luncheon of the club will be held the day after the Ladies' Night dinner.

A group of Junior Choral Club children entertained with songs at the luncheon. They were directed by Miss Rena McQuary who, with several other adults, is taking seventeen Sonora children to the Central Centennial Exposition in Dallas this week-end.

The Lions club assisted to the extent of \$10 Tuesday noon in the transportation expenses of Junior Choral Club children who are to sing in the massed chorus in Dallas Saturday morning.

In the afternoon Dr. Joel Shelton secured \$26.50 from business and professional people for the same purpose. The group had \$19 for the trip.

Sonora pupils who are making the trip are:

Dannie Friess, Peggy Reming, Edith May Babcock, Mary Gwer, Jolyn Wyatt, Jamie Trainer, Wayne White, Glen Richardson, O. L. Richardson, Elizabeth Taylor, Ray Wallis, Stephenson, Katherine Cartwright, Billy Cartwright, Patsy Gilmore, Peggy Gilmore, Willie Nell Hale, Wilford Berger, Billy Shurley, Betty Grace Vehle.

Adults who are accompanying (Continued on Page 8)

Two-Day Event On Llano River Again Successful One

Camp Allison Barbecue Guests Hear Speaking Wednesday; Dances Both Nights

Another successful Camp Allison Barbecue, sponsored for many years on the Llano river at Camp Allison, passed into history early Thursday morning with the last tones from the instruments of Joe Buzze and his men, Waco orchestra.

A large number of Sutton and Kimble county people, as well as many from a distance, attended the celebration both days. Dancing the second night lasted until Thursday morning about four o'clock.

Addresses were made Wednesday afternoon by L. J. Wardlaw, Forth Worth attorney and former Sonora citizen, H. L. Winfield of Fort Stockton, Judge Joe Montague, Coke Stevenson of Junction, and several Junction individuals who are candidates for office in Kimble county.

Mr. Wardlaw is chairman of the Sanitary Livestock Commission and Mr. Winfield a candidate for



L. J. WARDLAW

state senator in the twenty-ninth legislative district embracing twenty-seven counties.

About 800, it is estimated, enjoyed the free barbecue Wednesday noon under the excellent shade afforded by the massive pecan trees forming the grove across the road from the dance platform and refreshment stands. "Ladies and children first" was the policy as at all West Texas affairs of the kind. Candidates for office and men already in office did the serving.

Matched goat roping contests Wednesday afternoon were won by Cash Taylor, deputy sheriff of Sutton county, Big Turney and Tom McKee.

A horse race matched between Hilltop, horse owned by Willie Miers, and a bay horse owned by Tuffy Taylor of Junction was won by the Sutton county steed which out-distanced easily the Kimble county horse. The race was a 250-yard one. Another race between a sorrel horse belonging to Harold Evans, Sutton ranchman, and another sorrel belonging to Andrew Fay of Junction was won by Mr. Evan's horse.

Thursday Alfred Schwiening, "generalissimo" of the Camp Allison Barbecue for many years, was receiving the congratulations of his friends on the success of the biennial community affair.

BARTON COUPE WRECKED AT BRIDGE END WEDNESDAY

Severe cuts and bruises were suffered by James (Brother) Barton early Wednesday morning when the coupe he was driving crashed into an end of a highway bridge twelve miles this side of Junction.

Mr. Barton said Wednesday afternoon that he was attempting to avoid hitting a car coming toward him at a rapid rate of speed. He drew over to one side as far as he could, not believing that he was close to the bridge as he really was.

The Barton car was being driven about forty or fifty miles an hour, it was said. It was badly damaged in the wreck.

Stanley Mayfield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed C. Mayfield, is home from San Antonio where he has been attending school.

"Deep Ellum" Negroes, Cowboys and Old-Time Fiddlers To Cavort in National Folk Festival Next Week

Dallas, June 10.—They are going to tell nursery rhymes and fairy tales in Roy Bean's saloon at the Texas Centennial!

Stories about the Spanish conquistadors, cattle rustlers, Indians, Texas bad men and more especially how Texas bluebonnets dropped out of the sky during an Indian battle and brought peace among warriors, will be related there by story tellers of the National Folk Festival.

The festival will present an eight-day program at the Exposition all next week.

One Man Supreme Court
For years Roy Bean was known throughout the length and breadth of the land as the "Law West of the Pecos." He was a supreme court by himself. He recognized no higher judicial authority. He alternated between slinging rough drinks over the bar of the front room and dispensing stony justice in the rear room.

The Bean bar and court room at the Exposition is an exact reproduction of the old balliwick in the Pecos country. Its museum shows the judge's bar equipment and the empty beer keg and roughly hewn board that served as his judicial desk.

Lumberjacks from Michigan, sailors from Connecticut and Galveston and Cherokees from North Carolina will vie with cowboys, Mexicans, Indians, Negroes and Germans of Texas in a jamboree of entertainment during the National Festival Week.

Fiddlers From Many States
Old-time performers on the dulcimer and other instruments strange to the modern day will be presented along with square dancers, Sacred Harp Singers from the crossroads all over the south;

Kiowa, Tigua and Cherokee dancers, singers and actors in a folk play from Santa Fe.

There will be fiddlers from nearly every state in a fiddlers' festival.

Enthusiasts for the old-time music, dancing and legends, the participants will continue almost without let-up from ten in the morning to midnight. Besides the main performance in the Amphitheater, there will be sporadic gatherings of fiddlers, square dancers and story-tellers in Judge Roy Bean's Saloon, around a chuck wagon and at the Texas Rangers' Ranch-house.

Now You Shall See Spinning
In the Hall of Horticulture will be a display of handicraft, includ-

ing such diverse things as whaling equipment, patchwork quilts, paintings done by Kiowa Indians and hand-made instruments. Here, too, Mrs. Cinderella Kinnaird, 82, Willow Springs, Missouri, will show girls who can't sew or darn how their great grandmothers spun cotton into cloth, then wove their homespun clothes and comforts.

Negroes from Dallas' "Deep Ellum" and Elm Thicket will do the cake walk, East Texas negroes will sing spirituals as they do in their camp meetings and canebrake churches, and a chorus of 1,700

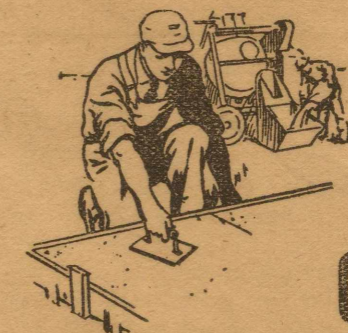
negro children from a Dallas high school will sing while old-time slaves recall plantation days.

Acadians and Creoles from Louisiana, miners from Pennsylvania, cowboy singers from Colonel W. T. Johnson's 6-Bar Ranch, here for his rodeo, and singers of British ballads from Austin will be on the program.

"A statesman is supposed to be familiar with all public questions." "Yes," replied Senator Bak'box, "but not necessarily with all the answers."—Southwestern Amba-

rador. Go to college, but don't stop when you get there.—Dean E. V. White.

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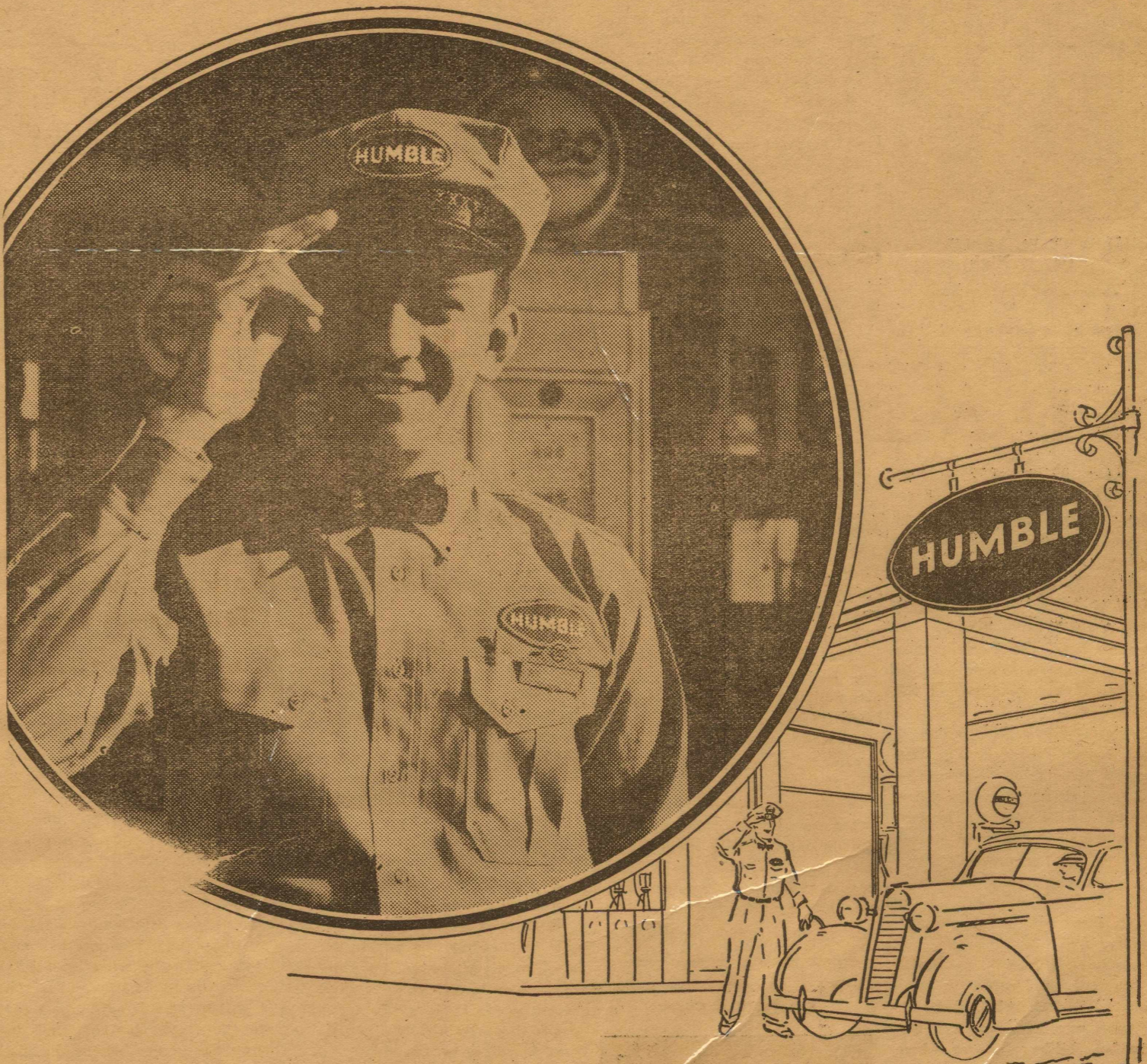
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**Frederick Steiwer, Republican "Keynoter,"
Graduate of the University of Oregon**



Senator Frederick Steiwer, keynoter and temporary chairman of the Republican National Convention at Cleveland this week, is a native Oregonian, serving his second term in the United States Senate. He was elected in 1926 and re-elected in 1932, after a colorful career as district attorney and state senator in Oregon.

Senator Steiwer's forceful protests over the seizure by the Black Committee of copies of private telegrams sent by individuals helped bring the committee's methods to the attention of the nation. The storm of protests which followed

did much to cause abandonment of these methods.

Although an eloquent speaker, Senator Steiwer is better known for the logic of his addresses than for their oratorical effect. He is considered a student of national and international affairs. His common sense is a fundamental characteristic.

Senator Steiwer is a member of the more important committees of the Senate, including the Rules Committee, Banking and Currency and Appropriations Committees. He is an Episcopalian, a Mason, Rotarian, an Elk, and a member of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars.

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Frank Decker A Visitor Here
A guest in the home of Henry Decker this week was Frank Decker, Mr. Decker's brother who lives in Sherman. He also visited his other brother, Jim Decker. Mr. Decker was reared here but has been here only for occasional visits during the last fourteen years.

A pessimist tries to remember what every other one knows he should forget.—Dean E. V. White.

RHINELAND USED TO MARCHING TROOPS

Has Been Battlefield Periodically for 2,000 Years.

Washington.—The cadent tread of heavy Nazi army boots on the cobbles of picturesque towns in the Rhineland recently echoed around the world because of its effect upon international relations. But to many residents of those towns, history was merely repeating itself. Periodically for 2,000 years the Rhineland has been a battlefield.

"The Rhineland's location, its productive soil, its mines, and above all its Rhine, have made it Germany's 'Main Street' and 'Promised Land' rolled up into one 10,000 square miles," says the National Geographic society.

"Small wonder that many have coveted it. Caesar crossed the Rhine as well as the Rubicon. Attila the Hun disturbed its peace, and Clovis fought along its banks. Charlemagne established the capital of his empire at Aachen in the Rhineland. Napoleon's regiments swept triumphantly through. Pursuing the double eagles of the Hohenzollerns went the French Tricolor in 1918. And now the Swastika waves from bridges, fortresses, medieval town halls, and dormer windows of quaint peaked houses.

Garrisoned by Americans

"A list of the flags which have flown in the Rhineland would not be complete without the Stars and Stripes. For four years a garrison of Americans kept the 'Wacht am Rhein' at Germany's Gibraltar, the old fortress of Ehrenbreitstein opposite Koblenz (Coblenz).

"The Rhineland, now transformed from a demilitarized into a danger zone, embraces the territory west of the Rhine up to the boundaries of France, Belgium, and the Netherlands, and a 50-kilometer (31-mile) strip along the east bank. This is an important slice of Germany. The Rhineland, indeed, has been the dominant factor in the commerce, history, legend, music, and literature of the German people.

"Although it rises in Switzerland, empties through the Netherlands, and has lost part of its west bank to France, the Rhine is essentially a German river. It winds 800 miles from Alps to ocean, creating picturesque scenes and prosperous activity wherever it goes. From Bingen to Koblenz it pours through a steep gorge of rocky crags crowned with robber-barons' ruined castles, blown up by the French more than a century ago.

"Thereafter it broadens, bearing an increasing horde of steamers and tugs, and flows into the Netherlands as a spreading belt of greenish water almost a mile wide. Probably no other river in the world has been made to serve man more efficiently, for a system of canals and dredged channels enables it to carry a tremendous traffic of tourist steamers and barges burdened with coal, ore, and bulky freight.

Famous Towns and Cities.

"Some of Germany's greatest cities and illustrious towns are strung along the Rhine like jewels of a necklace. They include Mainz, 'the Golden,' market for sparkling Rhenish wine; Koblenz, with its riverside shaded promenade so familiar to many American soldiers; 'Köln (Cologne), Rhineland's metropolis, with Germany's finest Gothic cathedral which was 600 years a-building; and Düsseldorf where art flourishes beside iron, steel, and chemical works.

"One of the most famous towns of its size in the world is Heidelberg, with the oldest college in Germany. This city now is an important medical center, although patients are outnumbered by visitors who come to see the university and the restored ruins of elaborate Heidelberg castle.

"Many medieval ruins have been repaired sufficiently to serve as youth hostels for the numerous students on walking tours through the Rhineland.

"The Rhineland was for centuries the stronghold of the Franks, the virile Teutonic tribe which furnished the name and much of the population of France. Now a southern segment of the Rhineland is French territory, including the Rhineland city, Strasbourg."

Something's Awry at Gretna Green

Edinburgh.—The blacksmith at Gretna Green soon may be out of a job.

His job is to marry couples over the anvil at the old Gretna Green smith and in slack times to show people over the famous "marrying" premises.

Now a committee of inquiry has been formed here to study "irregular" Scottish marriage laws and many fear it will mean the end of Gretna Green marriages.

It was believed that the romance of eloping to Gretna Green with angry parents in pursuit would die with the mail coach days. Instead, the glamor of Gretna Green ceremonies has survived and the automobile has revived business.

INSTRUCTOR TO BE ONE OF EDITORS OF MAGAZINE

Graduate of the University of Texas, Jack Spratt, professor of political and social sciences in San Angelo College, last week resigned his position to become associate editor of the Southwestern Sheep and Goat Raiser.

Mr. Spratt, who has been teaching in the San Angelo institution eight years, is a native Texan, having been born at Pecos. His father is a physician who lives in Iraan now.

Until his acceptance of the position with the publication Mr. Spratt has been conducting his campaign for the office of state representative.

H. M. Phillips is editor and publisher of the semi-monthly magazine which is the official publication of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association. It is described by Mr. Phillips as "a medium of contact with its (the association's) members and reaches more than 4,000 sheep and goat men in the Southwest."

AFTER ALL, CURIOSITY IS GUIDE TO "FINDING OUT"

It was one of mother's busiest days. Her small son, who had been playing outside, came in with his pants torn. His mother helped him change to another pair but in an hour or so he was back, his pants torn again.

"You go right upstairs, remove your pants and mend them yourself," his mother ordered.

Sometime later, she thought of him and went upstairs to see how he was getting on. The torn pants were lying on a chair but there was no sign of Johnnie. Returning downstairs, she noticed that the door to the cellar, usually closed, was open, and she called down, loudly and sternly, "Are you running around down there without any pants on?"

A deep voice answered, "No, ma'am, I'm reading the gas meter."

—Southwestern Ambassador.

Some want to begin at the bottom and work down, others at the top and work up. — Dean E. V. White.

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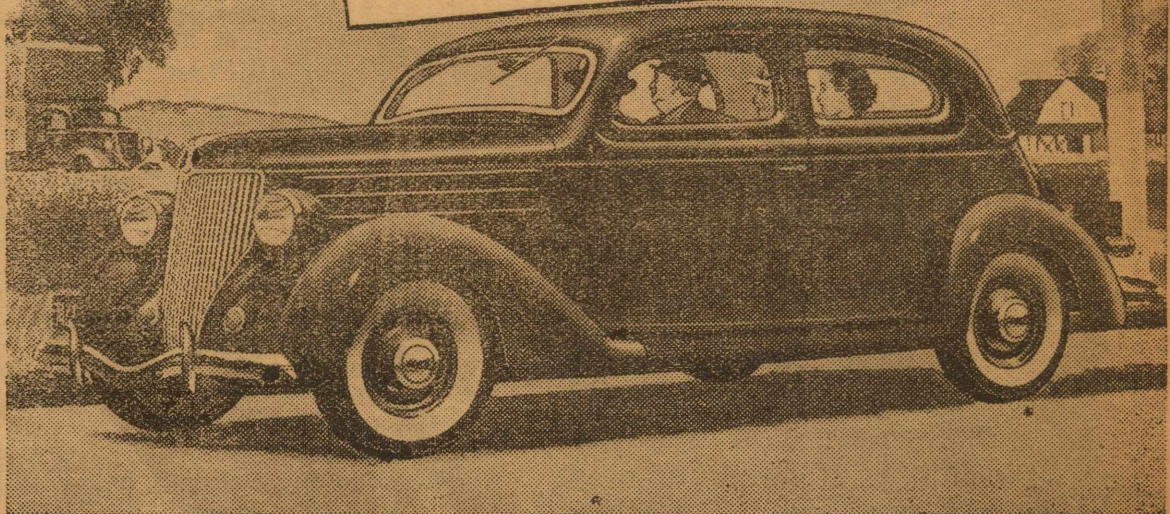
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the federal government has definite concern. * * * State governments were unable to cope successfully with kidnaping because kidnapers worked on a nation-wide basis. Blackmailers using the same methods should be dealt with in the same way that has solved practically every major kidnaping case in recent years.

**Bridge Club
 Entertained By
 Mrs. Dan Cauthorn**

A most delightful courtesy was the bridge party given Saturday afternoon at the clubhouse of the Sonora Woman's Club by Mrs. Dan Cauthorn.

Members and guests of the Queen of Clubs were present. The clubhouse was lovely in its adornment of summer cut flowers of pastel shades.

Ice cream and cake were served to:

Mesdames Sterling Baker, Hix Hall, Sam Hull, Vernon Hamilton, Duke Wilson, R. C. Vicars, George H. Neill, John Fields, Henry Decker, W. P. McConnell, Jr., J. A. Ward, Jr., Bryan Hunt, W. C. Warren, Rip Ward, Edgar Shurley, W. A. Ezell, Ernest McClelland, R. A. Halbert, Joel Shelton, Hilton Turney, E. F. Vander Stucken, M. Haynie, Miss Ada Steen.

Mrs. Hamilton won high guest award, and Mrs. J. A. Ward, Jr., high club. Mrs. Wilson was presented second high.

**Reunion
 at Roosevelt
 Sunday Morning**

An all-day affair was that Sunday at the home of Mrs. Joe F. Logan's mother, Mrs. G. A. Goodall, at Roosevelt.

Mrs. Goodall has twelve children and all of them were present for the occasion.

Other than Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Logan, Sutton county ranch people, the following were present:

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Goodall of Salinas, California; Mr. and Mrs. James Watson, Pear Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Loff Watson, Paint Rock; Mr. and Mrs. Marion Goodall, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Adams, both of Mertzon; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Goodall, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lawler, Miss Eunice Goodall, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ragsdale, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Goodall, all of Roosevelt; Bobby Goodall of Houston.

**Party Given
 at Clubhouse
 Friday Afternoon**

Mrs. W. J. Fields, Jr., and Mrs. John Field were hostesses at a benefit party Friday afternoon at the clubhouse for the Woman's Club.

The playing room was beautiful with a variety of summer cut flowers.

Cookies and punch were served to:

Mesdames E. F. Vander Stucken, Sam Hull, George H. Neill, Mike Murphy, Ernest McClelland, Hilton Turney, A. C. Elliott, Dan Cauthorn, R. C. Vicars, H. V. Stokes, B. M. Halbert, Jr., Rip Ward, William Allison, Edgar Shurley, Collier Shurley, O. G. Babcock, Joe H. Brasher, E. B. Heinze, Richard Vehle, Frank Williams, R. K. Muckleroy, N. T. Poindexter, G. H. Davis, John Hamby, J. C. Morrow, Henry Decker, W. D. Wallace, W. C. Warren, Joel Shelton, I. B. Boughton, Hix Hall, Joe Hull, George D. Chalk, Leonard Caldwell, Miss Lydah Archer, L. C. Matthis, Marie Watkins, Edythe Carson, Nina Roueche.

Mrs. Morrow held high score and Mrs. Decker, second high.

Mrs. Joe H. Brasher visited her mother and sisters in Kerrville Monday.

Mrs. R. A. Halbert and Mrs. Clyde Gardner visited in Mertzon Sunday.

Mrs. O. O. McCurdy of Vernon is visiting her sister, Miss Sally Wardlaw.

Mrs. Tom Driskell visited her mother, Mrs. L. E. Holland, in Junction last week.

Mrs. Hub Hale and daughter, Willie Nell, returned this week from a visit in Fort Worth.

**FRANCE FEARS AIR
 RAID ON CHARTRES**

Airport Near Old Cathedral Mark for Bombs.

Chartres, France.—The towers of the famous cathedral of this little city of the Beauce overlook a great military aviation field beyond the River Eure and the vista is disquieting.

The proximity of the cathedral and airdrome worries inhabitants of this town. Throughout the land there is a consciousness of the importance of the cathedral of Chartres, comparable as an architectural monument to the Parthenon or St. Peter's. The airfield will be a target for enemy bombs when the war Europe fears actually materializes. All of the bombs may not fall on the aviation field.

Even with the example of the bombardment of the cathedral of Reims before them, inhabitants of Chartres are loath to believe that any aviator deliberately would drop a bomb on the cathedral itself, thus threatening the finest early Gothic spire in France, which adorns the southern side of the main facade, or the finest late Gothic spire in France, which occupies its northern angle. But no direct hit would be necessary to destroy a treasure even greater than that of the body of the cathedral itself, because there is literally nothing like it anywhere else, with one minor exception, the Thirteenth century glass which is the unique glory of the cathedral.

Glass Not Duplicated.

Except for a few panes at Bourges, there is no Thirteenth century glass in France except the tremendous wealth constituted by the 24 windows of Chartres, which still hold their old glass, whose beauty modern science has never been able to duplicate. The glass is priceless, literally, for there is no standard by which it can be compared. It is (except for those fragments at Bourges) all there is in the world.

Experts estimate that an ordinary bomb exploding 750 meters from the cathedral will shatter every one of those irreplaceable windows. The aviation field is only 1,500 meters away. The chances that any intensive bombardment of the air field will blow in the cathedral's windows are thus good.

Alarmed by this prospect, the committee for the preservation of French art engaged Achille Carlier, an expert, to work out a plan for the dismantling of the windows of Chartres and storing them safely away within an hour—the time it would take a bombing plane—reported as it crossed the frontier—to reach Chartres.

Precaution to Be Costly.

Carlier has worked out his plan, but it will cost \$30,000. As all preparations must be made in advance and the French government is not likely to pay until the emergency has arrived, there is the danger that the plan might fail.

During the World war it was decided to take out and store the windows of the cathedral. The work required five months. This time a delay of five months—or even five days, or five hours—might prove disastrous.

There are 5,478 panels of Thirteenth century glass at Chartres, divided among 37 low windows, 34 high windows, and the three great rose windows of transepts and facade, with their lancettes, one of which is the "Tree of Jesse," one of the most famous individual stained-glass windows in the world, whose fame is perhaps only rivaled by the Virgin on the right-hand aisle of the church, far down by the choir.

**Italy Organizes Troupes
 for Unemployed Actors**

Rome.—The government has come to the aid of unemployed actors by organizing 12 first-class dramatic companies.

Other traveling groups also are to be organized. Another assistance to actors has been provided by model contracts drawn up with government approval by the Theater and Cinema federation.

A bureau for organization of the theatrical season has been established. Besides adopting regulations for financial arrangements between impressarios and theaters, it will direct region enterprises.

**Discovers America
 Has Best Dancers**

London.—American girl dancers are still way ahead of their English sisters, declares Mistinguette, darling of the French music halls and owner of these "million-dollar legs."

In London for a brief visit, Mistinguette, at sixty-five years, is still the same gay, vivacious person who for so long has been the idol of Paris and other world cities.

"I am looking for some 'attractives,' some English girls, for a new revue in which I am to appear in Paris next month. But I have not been lucky," she sighed.

"The girls are pretty, certainly, but they have not got that gaiety, that élan, that sex appeal that American dancers have."

**El Paso To Assist
 State School There**

**Needs of "School of Mines" Told
 at Dinner For President**

Billy Penick, a student at the College of Mines and Metallurgy, arrived here Saturday to spend the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Penick.

El Paso, June 10.—El Paso business men recently voted to raise \$5,000 annually to aid the College of Mines and Metallurgy, a branch of the University of Texas, in increasing its enrollment.

Dr. D. M. Wiggins, president of the college, who was guest of the business men at a dinner held in



DR. D. M. WIGGINS
 President
 College of Mines and Metallurgy
 (Branch of University of Texas)
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his honor, listed the needs of the college as follows:

Additional water for beautifying the campus; music, including bands, glee clubs and orchestra; a unified, sound athletic program.

He set a goal of 1,000 as the enrollment the college should have in the next two years.

A campaign directed at filling the two new dormitories for next year was discussed. The group of business men agreed with Dr. Wiggins that the name of the college should be changed to emphasize the institution as a liberal arts school as well as a mining and metallurgical college. Committees were appointed to devise plans for raising funds and for obtaining cheaper water rates for the school.

Olympic Plans Well Along

New York City, June 10.—Teams already chosen to represent the U. S. at the Berlin Olympics this summer include basketball, boxing, fencing, feminine gymnastics, marathon walking, wrestlers and yachting. Trials to be held during June and July embrace thirteen other sports, including baseball trials at Baltimore July 1 to 12, in the hope of sending over a team to demonstrate the great American sport in a series of games with a French team.

W. J. Blackwell, Jr. and Rosalie Blackwell of El Paso are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wardaw.

Miss Grace Draper and Miss Nola Draper visited Mrs. I. J. Fields in Melvin Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Prater, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Prater, went to San Antonio Wednesday.

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Society Notes

NINA ROUECHE, Society Editor

Parties . . . Clubs
Future Events

Bridge Club
Entertained By
Mrs. Frank Bond

The Sonora Night Club was entertained Thursday of last week by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond. Club members present were: Mr. and Mrs. George H. Neill, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Stokes, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Decker. Club guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. John Hamby, and Mrs. Gordon Stewart, who won second high score. An attractive salad plate was served. Mr. and Mrs. Stokes won high score.

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Party Given
Monday Night
For Recent Bride

Among the attractive social events of this week was a party Monday night at the clubhouse of the Sonora Woman's Club, announcing the marriage of Miss Lois White of San Angelo to Jack Pfister. Hostesses were Mrs. George D. Chalk, Mrs. David L. Locklin and Mrs. W. R. Barnes. The Centennial color scheme was used throughout the party, in tallies, refreshments and table appointments. Seasonal cut flowers were used in decorating the clubhouse where bridge and forty-two were played.

White cake, iced in blue, was served with cherry sherbet to: Mesdames Sam Hull, L. E. Johnson, W. E. James, Hix Hall, R. C. Vicars, Ed C. Mayfield, A. W. Awalt, Joe Berger, Sterling Baker, G. H. Davis, W. J. Fields, Jr., John Fields, R. A. Halbert, B. M. Halbert, Jr., John Hamby, J. Franklin Howell, Joe Hull, E. B. Heinze, Maysie Brown, Edgar Shurley, J. W. Trainer, Hilton Turney, Allen Adkins, Dan Cauthorn, E. F. Vander Stucken, J. C. Morrow, T. C. Murray, J. T. Penick, Preston Prater, Miers Savell, Joel Shelton, J. L. Guthals of San Angelo, G. G. Stephenson, B. C. McGilvray, Will Ross, Ernest McClelland, Lee Labenske, Thelma Briscoe, Beulah Pfister, Misses Mildred Labenske, Doris Russell of San Angelo, Lydah Archer, Elizabeth Caldwell, L. C. Matthis.

Mrs. Pfister was given several lovely gifts. High score for bridge was won by Mrs. Morrow, and Mrs. Hamby won second high. Mrs. Berger won high in forty-two. The bride, a graduate of San Angelo High School and a business college there, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. White of San Angelo. She has been employed by a San Angelo attorney. Mr. Pfister, son of Mrs. Beulah Pfister, is a graduate of Sonora High School and San Angelo Business College. They were married recently in Ozona, and are living in an apartment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Prater.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Prater and daughter, Charlotte, of Melvin, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Awalt and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Prater.

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Planning of Summer Menus Should Take
Advantage of Available Fresh Foods

Denton, June 10. — Although canned foods constitute an important part of the diet and the highest quality is available, perhaps we would have a better appreciation of them later if at this time of the year we look to the fresh foods more in planning our meals.

Menus
Breakfast: Blackberries, cream, plain muffins, bacon, milk.
Luncheon: Chipped beef on toast, fresh spinach, Waldorf salad, cherries and cream, cookies.
Dinner: Stuffed pork chops, scalloped potatoes, cucumber lettuce salad, orange charlotte.
Breakfast: Fresh pineapple, bran waffle, coffee.

Luncheon: Sandwich (cream cheese, olives, bacon, toast), potato chips, ginger ale salad, cookies, tea.
Dinner: Broiled steak, baked potatoes, creamed onions, fresh pea-celery salad, peach shortcake.
Stuffed Pork Chops
Slit thin pork chop and fill with bread dressing. Put edges together with toothpick. Place in baking dish and bake in oven. Baste with water or seasoned meat juice.

Orange Charlotte
One and one-third tablespoons

gelatine, 1-3 cup cold water, 1-3 cup boiling water, 1 cup sugar, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 1 cup orange juice, whites 3 eggs, 1/2 pint cream. Soak gelatine in cold water, dissolve in boiling water, strain and add sugar, lemon juice, orange juice, chill in pan of ice water, when quite thick, beat with wire spoon until frothy. Then add whites of eggs beaten stiff and fold in whipped cream. Line a mold with sections of oranges, turn moisture, smooth evenly and chill.

Cream Cheese Sandwich
Spread evenly on toasted or plain bread cream cheese that has been worked to a smooth consistency (milk may be added) add chopped olives and crisp bacon.

Short Cake
One-fourth cup butter, 1/2 cup sugar, 1 egg, 1/4 cup milk, 1 cup flour, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons baking powder. Cream butter, add sugar gradually, and egg well beaten. Mix and sift flour, baking powder, salt, adding alternately with milk to first mixture. Beat thoroughly and bake in buttered round tin. Cool, spreading thickly with sweetened peaches. Cover with whipped cream if desired.—Texas State College for Women.

Francis-Jacobs
Marriage in San
Antonio, Nine Today

This morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Francis in San Antonio their daughter, Elizabeth, became the bride of Robert W. Jacobs.

The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Bolton Boone, pastor of Woodlawn Methodist Church, San Antonio, and was



MRS. ROBERT W. JACOBS

before an altar formed of ferns and daisies. A Mendelssohn wedding march was played by a sister of the bride, Mrs. S. B. Fowler of Cotulla.

Miss Francis was reared in Marble Falls, Texas, and after being graduated from the high school there studied at Baylor College and Southwestern University, specializing in piano. Summer work in piano was taken at Westmoorland College, San Antonio, and in the Reuben Davies School of Music, Dallas. For six of the last eight years she has taught piano in Sonora.

Mr. Jacobs is the son of W. R. Jacobs of Sedalia, Mo., where he was reared. He was graduated from the School of Journalism, University of Missouri, in 1926, and then came to Texas where he was employed as classified advertising manager of the San Angelo Standard-Times and business manager of the Big Spring Herald. In 1934 he became associated with George Baker in the ownership of The Fort Stockton Pioneer and The Devil's River News. He is a member of Theta Kappa Nu, national social fraternity.

After the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs left for a trip to Dallas and central Missouri. They will be at home July 1 in Sonora where they will live in the J. A. Cauthorn residence.

Miss Alice Sawyer, who has been attending the University of Texas returned home Monday night with her mother, Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, and her brothers, Edwin and Wesley.

Miss Callan
and Seth Lancaster
Married in Junction

Sunday morning the Rev. D. Dickey of the Presbyterian Church in Junction performed the wedding ceremony uniting Miss Reba Callan to Seth Lancaster.

Miss Callan wore a navy triple sheer suit with white accessories. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Callan of Humble Station B. She attended high school here and in San Angelo.

Mr. Lancaster, a graduate of Sonora High School, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Lancaster, and is employed at the Hamilton Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lancaster are living in an apartment at the home of Mrs. George B. Hamilton.

Mrs. Lancaster's sister, Mrs. Cecil Craven, and Mr. Craven were the only attendants.

Armer Earwood who has been attending school in San Antonio is home for a summer visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Earwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Guthals returned to their home in San Angelo Monday night after a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Beulah Pfister.

If it's printing, see the NEWS.

Barbecue
Given Saturday
By Elizabeth Elliott

Honoring her guests, L. C. Harlow of San Angelo and Pearson Gilbert of De Rio, Elizabeth Elliott was hostess at a barbecue Saturday noon at the ranch of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Elliott.

Those enjoying the swimming party and barbecue were: Joyce McGilvray, Jo Ann Marion, Kathryn Brown, Joe Nell Miers, Wesley Sawyer, A. W. Awalt, Marion Elliott, Web Elliott, Richard Vehle, Lloyd McGhee.

ALDWELL CAR WRECKED IN
ACCIDENT WEDNESDAY

The sedan belonging to Roy E. Aldwell and driven by Mr. and Mrs. Aldwell's son, Lea Roy, was badly damaged early Wednesday morning when it crashed into a bumper gate on the Camp Allison road leading to the highway.

Young Aldwell and companions, Dewitt Lancaster, Jack Brown, did not see the gate because of heavy dust on the road being used by travelers to and from the Camp Allison Barbecue celebration.

Neither of the young men suffered injuries of consequence.

Buy old newspapers at the NEWS office.—adv.

Archer-
Greenhill Wedding
Announced Thursday

Miss Lydah Archer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Archer, and Henry Greenhill announced their marriage of May 9th today. They were married in Eldorado. The Rev. H. Quinn of the Baptist Church performed the ceremony.

Miss Archer is a graduate of the Sonora High School.

Mr. Greenhill, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brantley of McCamey, is employed at the Gulf Service Station.

They will live in an apartment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Brasher.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Jones left Sunday for San Angelo.

Mrs. R. K. Muckleroy was a visitor in San Angelo Monday.

Jack Long of San Angelo is visiting his father, E. S. Long, this week.

Miss Audrey Rankhorn visited in Brady Sunday with Miss Gladys Short.

Mrs. W. N. Hardy of Terrell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Penick.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vicars left Thursday morning for Wise, West Virginia, where they will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Vicars.



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Outstanding feature will be a bull fight to be staged with all the colors of the Spanish celebrations with the exception of the fact that the bulls will not be killed. Otherwise the bull fight will be a faithful reproduction of a Mexican presentation. The fiesta is planned by the El Mina Shrine band with the endorsement of the Galveston chamber of commerce.

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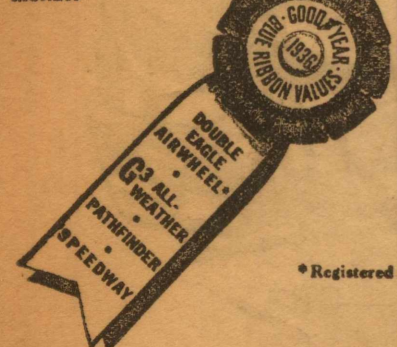
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Lights of New York

By L. L. STEVENSON

The publicity seeker—and his name is the well-known legion—is one of the banes of the life of a New York newspaper man. Hardly a liner arrives but that an individual, or some one representing some one else, comes to the ship news reporters with the suggestion of a "good story." Experts in their line, the ship news men are quick to weed out the phonies. Occasionally one slips through and that encourages others. Ship news photographers are equally besieged. Reporters assigned to City Hall get their full share of the publicity hounds, phonies visiting there daily in the hope of wangling a line or two of print. All big trials, of course, attract them in numbers. Last year, many made the journey to Flemington, N. J., and obtained tickets to the Hauptmann trial not only because of interest in the proceedings but in the hope of mention.

Many of those whose earnest desire is publicity are meal tickets for press agents. They don't care much what is said about them so long as they get into the papers. So the press agents dig up ancient gags and attach names of their clients. Or they manufacture bright stuff and accredit to some one who never had an idea—save seeing his name in type. Many actors, fortunate enough to have engagements, do not depend on the press agent of the show but employ press agents of their own. Radio performers do the same. With them, however, it is strictly business. But they have stern competition with a lot of amateurs.

That yearning for publicity has been capitalized by others than press agents. Night clubs frequented by columnists, other scribblers and photographers play to such a clientele. All sorts of courtesies are extended to the ladies and gentlemen of the press because their presence draws a class of trade willing to spend money, and that balances up whatever may be consumed "on the house."

Down in Miami recently, George Ade, Bruce Barton, John N. Wheeler and Grantland Rice called on Carl Fisher, who developed Miami Beach and who lost his fortune in the development of Montauk Point. In the course of reminiscences, Mr. Fisher told a story of Barney Oldfield with whom he was closely associated in the old days. Oldfield was racing on a small track on a bad day with not more than a thousand persons present. The greasy track and a blowout caused him to crash through the fence and kill or severely injure two spectators. Later Oldfield informed Fisher that if every man, woman and child, who had shaken hands with him since that accident and told him they were present when it happened, had been truthfully there there would have been such a large and lucrative crowd he never would have had to drive again.

Another press agent yarn just bobbed up. It seems that the publicity man of a well-known night club was eager to get in touch with one of the editors of a weekly magazine in the hope of landing a radio spot for one of his clients. For three weeks he haunted the editor's office with no success. Worn out and in despair, he went to the club that employed him one evening and began to soak up his boss' liquor. While so doing, he met a pleasant companion and they drank together until 3 a. m. As they were parting, they exchanged names. You've guessed it—the drinking pal was the editor and not once had the client's name been mentioned!

The doorman of an East side apartment house told me of the cranky tenant whose tempers for six months or more kept the entire staff in an upset state. Nothing could please him—he had a complaint concerning everything that was done or left undone. To make matters worse, he never tipped. From porter to superintendent, all willingly would have attended his hanging. Recently, he surrendered his lease and moved to the country. On his departure, he left an envelope for each employee. In each, was a final complaint, one that fairly blistered. But with it was a \$50 bill. The currency turned out to be real, and all employees of that house are still going around a trifle dazed.

Bus top eavesdropping: "If I was her, I wouldn't go anywhere with him any more. When he takes her out, he treats her just as mean as he does his own wife."

Minnesota's Timber-Cut Sets a Seven-Year High
St. Paul.—Twenty thousand axes produced a miniature thunder in Minnesota last winter, with the timber business better than it has been in seven years.

The temperature has touched 50 below zero; swamps and tote roads are strong enough to bear the tractors in this modern woods raid.

M. J. Thornton, state surveyor general, estimated that 50,000,000 board feet of timber was taken, a 350 per cent increase over the average cut of the last five years.

BABYLONIANS FIRST TO TRY INFLATION

Ancient Tablets Give Line on Business Methods.

Chicago.—Texts from thousands of ancient Assyrian and Babylonian clay tablets, the longest series of business records available, are being pieced together into a remarkable picture of business and banking in the Tigris-Euphrates valley 2,500 years ago by Dr. Waldo H. Dubberstein of the Oriental Institute of the University of Chicago.

Forerunners of such modern practices as old-age annuities, long and short-term credit, price-fixing attempts, and government hoarding of precious metals, with resulting "inflation," are clearly evident from Doctor Dubberstein's work. He has compiled price-charts for standard commodities, in terms of shekels, for a period of more than 200 years, 625-425 B. C.

"Various kings from the great administrator Hammurabi, about 2000 B. C., to the scholarly Ashurbanipal, 668-626 B. C., attempted to fix prices at low levels," Doctor Dubberstein said. "Their decrees and their lists of prices show them attempting to create prosperity for the people and a feeling of good will by announcing low official prices for staple commodities and at times setting wages for skilled and unskilled labor. Hammurabi even decreed the fee for surgical operations on man or beast."

Fall to Fix Prices.
"But the truthful commercial documents of those remote centuries make it apparent that royal efforts in behalf of fixed prices were not successful. The economic life of the nation could not be bound by artificial price levels, and the period of the late Babylonian history which is most flourishing shows no record of royal interference in price setting.

"Copper, lead, silver and gold all served as money at various times during the long centuries of monetary development in the Tigris-Euphrates valley.

"Wealth had become concentrated in the larger cities, where the banking business was chiefly in the hands of a few important families. These firms were not mere 'money lenders' but bankers in every sense of the word. They commonly lent money at 20 per cent per year.

Old Age Annuity.
"An interest-bearing note or a share in the income of a popular temple could be a valuable legacy left to a dutiful son or daughter. An annuity arrangement for old age comparable to those offered today was known. The recipient of the annuity turned over his properties or the income of specific properties, in return for which he was guaranteed a certain minimum income in food and clothing for the duration of his life.

"Centuries of experience in legal matters had developed a standard, incontestable form of document for every possible form of government. "Land renting and leasing was a profitable and extensive business. "The legal aptitude and general shrewdness of the Babylonian business man is attested to by thousands of carefully, often cleverly worded tablets.

"As the three thousand years of ancient Babylonian economic history are pieced together, there is discernible throughout the ages a gradual increase in prices of nearly all staple products as well as in real estate and rents. Fluctuations appear, yet the general trend is upward."

New Attempt to Scale Mt. Everest Is Being Planned

London.—The state of the weather around the top of Mount Everest in June will decide whether the mountain will at last be conquered this year.

Essential conditions for the success of the fifth organized attempt to scale the 29,002-foot peak of Everest were explained by Eric Shipton, member of Hugh Rutledge's expedition, whose advance party left London for India.

Success or failure, he pointed out, depends largely on the time factor. Nature permits only a brief period during which conditions make possible an assault on the summit.

"Some time in spring," said Shipton, "we expect to reach the top of North Col, where we shall place Camp Four, at the height of 23,000 feet. For many months in the year terrific blizzards sweep over this region, but if we can get a period of comparative quiet between the winter weather conditions and the coming of the monsoon, we shall have an opportunity to reach the summit."

Razed Too Soon

Barnard, Mo.—Barnard school patrons celebrated prematurely, causing their children to have to attend classes in churches and store buildings for three months. Patrons gave vent to their happiness over passage of bonds for a new school by razing the old building. The election was held illegal.

Boys in Quilting Club

Toledo, Ohio.—Eight boys who box, wrestle and play handball at school have found a new sport—they have joined a quilting club.

35 YEARS AGO

Glass Sharp the sheepman came in from his camp on Dry Devil's river Wednesday on a visit to his family. Glass says he has a tough time hauling water to his sheep.

Mart White one of the old-time sheepmen was in town this week. Mart says that the Devil's river country is dryer now than it has been for ten years.

W. A. Miers the sheepman bought from L. B. Harrington the Williamson ranch on the head of the Nueces in Edwards county for \$850.

Clay Mann returned from a trip around the country Friday and reports having had a good time. He will leave for Austin in a few days.

Burl Thurman the handsome young stockman from Edwards county was in Sonora Thursday.

Frank Bihl the jolly stockman from the eastern part of the county was in Sonora this week to attend court.

Abe Mayer manager for F. Mayer & Sons T-Half Circle Ranch was in Sonora Friday.

Bob Martin and Johnnie Johnson the cattlemen were in Sonora Tuesday.

W. G. Parrin a stockman from Comstock was in Sonora several days this week getting acquainted.

R. F. Halbert sold to W. A. Glasscock last week, 200 coming 2-year-steers, at \$19 a head.

Political ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following candidates have announced themselves as candidates for the office indicated, subject to the action of the Democratic primary election July 25, 1936:

For Senator, 29th Legislative District:
H. L. WINFIELD
BENJAMIN F. BERKELEY

For Sheriff-Assessor-Collector:
E. W. HUTCHERSON
C. T. (CLEVE) JONES

For County Judge:
ALVIS JOHNSON

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MRS. A. J. SMITH

For County Clerk:
J. D. LOWREY

For Commissioner, Precinct 3:
C. W. ADAMS

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NAVAL AIR CHIEF



Capt. Arthur B. Cook, commander of the aircraft carrier Lexington, who was selected by President Roosevelt to direct the navy's drive to lift its air force on a par with any naval armada in the world. He will advance to the rank of rear admiral when he assumes his new post.

A. D. Richey Buys Out Partner
The interest of J. L. Williams in the Self Serve Grocery at Eldorado was purchased last week by Mr. Williams' partner, A. D. Richey, who also owns stores of the same name in Sonora and Big Lake. Formerly he had a store in Talpa.

"I should never have made my success in life if I had not bestowed upon the least thing I have ever undertaken the same attention and care that I have bestowed upon the greatest."—Charles Dickens.

Sheriff Gets Bill For Lynching

New Orleans, June 10.—Because testimony showed that a sheriff's deputies took part in the lynching of Freedy Moore, negro, three years ago, a jury in the Federal Court awarded his parents \$2,500 damages against the sheriff and his bondsmen for neglect of duty in not preventing the lynching. Anti-lynching advocates hail this solution of the lynching problem, instead of suing the county. In Indiana 36 years ago, a widow won \$4,000 from a sheriff and his sureties in a similar action.

WANT ADS

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Week by Week in TEXAS HISTORY

Week of June 7

1836—On June 9 three commissioners were sent to Matamoros under the flag of truce to see if all the Texas prisoners had been released. They found the prisoners held in custody in violation of the flag and treaty so they sent a letter to General T. J. Rusk setting forth the situation.

1839—The law requiring the President of the Republic of Texas and his cabinet to reside at the new seat of government after the first of the succeeding October was passed on June 8.

1844—The American Senate, after long discussion of the treaty of annexation, rejected it on June 8 by a vote of 16-35.

1846—Between June 8, 1846 and Nov. 4, 1851, Henry McCulloch commanded six different companies of Texas rangers.

(By T. S. College for Women)

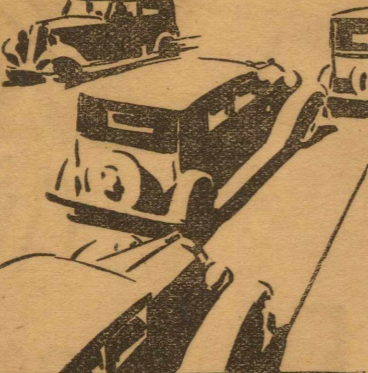
Nixon Child Operated Upon "Doing nicely" was the report Monday afternoon of the condition of Edwin Nixon, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Frank Nixon of Mason, who had his tonsils removed that morning. The Reverend Mr. Nixon was here Tuesday afternoon to conduct the funeral of George W. Smith. Their son, Weldon, came here with him.

The best idea is worthless if the creator is not willing to back it with faith and energy. — Southwestern Ambassador.

A sense of humor is the real fountain of youth.—Southwestern Ambassador.

TRAFFIC TIPS

by the NATIONAL SAFETY COUNCIL



PARKING SINS

Parking accidents furnish an important contribution to the motor vehicle death and injury toll. Also careless parking gums up the traffic flow and adds to the confusion on our highways. Here are the most common sins of the careless parker:

1. In his usual hurry, he parks too far from the curb. On narrow streets such action invites crashes and just about spoils one lane of traffic.
2. Quite often, at night, he turns off his lights, increasing the danger of collision.
3. Frequently he double-parks; which is unfair and in most communities, forbidden.
4. He parks too close to intersections, obstructing the vision of both motorists and pedestrians.
5. He gets out on the left-hand side rather than the curb side of his car.
6. Lastly and most important, he too often fails to signal when parking or pulling away from the curb.

Valuable Wall Paper—in 1936 Chicago, Ill., June 10. — When stocks nosedived in the depression, the Union League Club of Chicago invited members to contribute "worthless" stock certificates to paper a private dining room. It took \$1,000,000 worth to cover the walls. So many stocks have now "come back" that the club is soaking the certificates off the walls, returning them to pleased former owners.

BRITAIN WILL ADD 50 SHIPS TO LINES

Luxurious New Vessels Will Cost \$150,000,000.

London.—Within the next two years a fleet of 50 luxurious ships, worth at least \$150,000,000, will be making their first voyage over the routes of the British empire. Several of them will go into service this year.

This new chapter in shipping may be said to have started with the maiden voyage from Southampton to the Cape of the New Union Castle motor ship Stirling Castle, and the launching of ships now on the stocks is to be followed by the laying down of other keels which will keep the unemployment barometer from rising.

Nearing completion on the Clyde are two steamers for Bombay and a fruit-carrier passenger motor ship for Jamaica. On the Tyne are a passenger and fruit carrier motor ship for New Zealand and a similar vessel for South Africa.

The Blue Star line is having three refrigerated cargo and passenger ships of 11,000 tons each built at Birkenhead, while the Orca, a 24,000-ton passenger ship, is being built for the Orient line at Barrows-in-Furness.

Belfast, which is making a bid to continue as the center of the world's busiest shipbuilding firms, is constructing no fewer than eight passenger ships, all of which are destined for the Empire routes.

These include the 25,000-ton Athlone Castle for the Union Castle's Cape run; two passenger and cargo motor ships of 15,000 tons each for the same company's around Africa service; an 11,000-ton motor ship for Melbourne and a 10,000-ton cargo and passenger motor ship for the Lamport and Holt line.

500,000 Fewer Phones in World Than in '33

Paris.—There are 32,496,000 telephones in the world, which is 500,000 fewer than in 1933, according to the latest statistics. The major part of this decrease is to be found in North America, which at present possesses 19,000,000 instruments, an average of 10.4 a hundred persons. Europe, however, has suffered a decrease of only 200,000, from the 11,000,000 telephones which were in operation in 1933. However, the number of European telephones still remains small, for statistics show that there are only two telephones per hundred persons.

France, which has 38,000,000 inhabitants, has 1,350,000 phones and occupies third place on the European list after England and Germany. The proportion in France is 3.2 per hundred persons, whereas England has 4.8 per cent and Germany 4.5 per cent.

Denmark, Sweden and Switzerland lead by a long way in the European telephone world, for Denmark has ten phones per hundred inhabitants, Sweden 9.5 and Switzerland 8.8.

South America has only 0.7 per cent, Australia 0.8 per cent and Asia only 0.1 per cent. China has only 147,000, which is about three telephones per 10,000 inhabitants.

Prevention of Paralysis Is Hoped For in Test

Washington.—With disclosures of details of the recently discovered nasal spray to be used for the prevention of infantile paralysis, thousands of parents today look to the United States public health service for initiation of tests on human beings.

A result of two years experimental work by Dr. Charles Armstrong, medical scientist of the public health service, the new solution contains picric acid, water and a pinch of salt. Thus far efficacy of the nasal spray has been tried only on monkeys.

Doctor Armstrong announced tests soon would begin on human beings. It is known the solution is harmless, but its power against infantile paralysis germs has not yet been tested.

In his report to the health service, made known recently, Doctor Armstrong revealed he had tried the solution himself and found no ill effects. He warned parents against concocting homemade solution of the ingredients.

Armstrong's theory is based on science's definite knowledge that infantile paralysis germs make their way into the human body through the nasal passages and the mouth. Picric acid, a powerful astringent, closes tightly the pores of the nasal passages.

Professors at Purdue Put Meter on Readers

Lafayette, Ind.—Some people can separate good readers from poor readers merely by watching how rapidly the pages of a book are turned, but a tachistoscope-chronoscope is used by two Purdue university professors. Dr. Otis C. Trumble of the education department and R. B. Townsley of the electrical engineering school discovered that excellent readers absorb writing in the terms of phrases, good readers in terms of words, and poor readers, who often take 300 times as long as the highest classification, spell out each word, letter for letter.


Seeks Commissioner of Agriculture Office



CLIFF DAY

Cliff Day, 47, Hale county farmer, has announced candidacy for office of Texas Commissioner of Agriculture. A native Texan, Day has farmed for 25 years. He is married and has six children. A year ago he sprang into national prominence when he led 4,500 farmers in an orderly visit to Washington in interest of national farm program. He was chairman last year of state cotton advisory board, chosen by farmers of the state.

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igation have spent \$100 in time and red-tape to decide, after all, that Miss Hallett is entitled to a new hat.

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- (June 8 through July 4, Revised to June 1)
- JUNE 6—NOVEMBER 29—DALLAS—Central Exposition.
 - JUNE 7—CORPUS CHRISTI—Exposition and Water Carnival.
 - JUNE 11—FAYETTEVILLE—Centennial Tomato Festival.
 - JUNE 11-19—FORT STOCKTON—Waco Carnival.
 - JUNE 13—WOODVILLE—Tyler County Homecoming.
 - JUNE 15-16—HILLSBORO—Centennial Produce Market.
 - JUNE 16—MATAORDA—Centennial Pilgrimage to Episcopal Church.
 - JUNE 18—NORMANGE—El Camino Real Centennial Celebration.
 - JUNE 18-20—MENDOTA—Menard County Centennial Celebration.
 - JUNE 19—BEEVILLE—"June Tenth" Jubilee.
 - JUNE 19-20—ELECTRA—Oil Exposition and Centennial Jubilee. WHEELER—American Legion Pioneer Celebration.
 - JUNE 19-21—PORT ARANSAS—Texas Turbon Rodeo.
 - JUNE 19-22—GALVESTON—Oleander Festival.
 - JUNE 20-21—BROWNWOOD—Centennial Regatta.
 - JUNE 23-24—MT. PLEASANT—Milk Festival.
 - JUNE 24-27—SHINER—Centennial of Agriculture.
 - JUNE 25—CHILDRESS—"Texas Under Six Flags" Pageant.
 - JUNE 26-28—MIDLAND—Rodeo and Fair.
 - JUNE 28-30—BALLINGER—Golden Anniversary.
 - JUNE 29—TEMPLE—Pioneer Day and Birthday Celebration.
 - JUNE 30—PORT ARTHUR—Centennial Revue.
 - JULY 1-4—BRADY—July Jubilee and Centennial Carnival. MART—Centennial Homecoming.
 - JULY 1-5—FREETPORT—King Fish Rodeo.
 - JULY 1-DECEMBER 1—FORT WORTH—Texas Frontier Centennial.
 - JULY 2-4—PECOS—Wild West Rodeo.
 - JULY 2-4—STAMFORD—Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo. FALFURRIAS—American Legion Rodeo. CANADIAN—Anvil Park Rodeo and Cowboy Reunion. BASTROP—Centennial Pageant and Celebration. TERRELL—American Legion Centennial Celebration. OZONA—Crocket County Rodeo and Stock Show. JUSTIN—American Legion Centennial Celebration.
 - JULY 3-4—ROCK SPRINGS—Livestock Exhibit and Rodeo. COTULLA—Centennial Celebration. LUBBOCK—Veterans' Centennial Celebration.
 - JULY 3-5—EAGLE PASS—Border Jubilee. BORGER—West Texas Pageant. RODEO.
 - JULY 4—MATHIS—Centennial Reception. CLARENDON—Centennial Celebration and Pioneers Round-Up. BELTON—Historical Celebration and Rodeo. BOWIE—Pioneer Pageant and Celebration. KERRVILLE—Historical Celebration. McALLEN—American Legion Celebration. CISCO—Golden Jubilee Celebration. SLATON—Silver Anniversary Celebration. COMFORT—Rodeo and Pageant. BANDERA—Centennial Rodeo and Barbecue.

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Denton, June 10.—White is tops for summer year. You see it taking first place in all ranks of the fashion world, and particularly among women of the south. We especially point out the new white silk crepe ensembles that are being unpacked daily by fashion shops.

Dresses are mostly of the one piece style with very short sleeves or a tiny shoulder cape effect. Skirts are pleated and the pleats stitched down to the neckline. Color contrast is achieved with belts, pocket flaps, or trick lacings down the center of the chest. The jackets are either hip length or belted swagger type, with fairly wide loose sleeves. Huge wild blazing checks in as many as four colors make stunning jackets, and you can also wear them with cotton or linen dresses as well as the more dressy frocks. Solid bright colors in grass green, scarlet, old gold and even violet contrast other dresses that use the same colors for bows and neck bands.

All white ensembles use chiffon ascots, scallops or pointed edgings of the white silk as trim. Some three piece white crepe outfits feature printed silk blouse tops with short sleeves, and use the printed

silk for cuff facing and color bands on the jacket.

White palm beach is a smart material for the new summer suits, and silk linen ranks high with its non-wrinkle qualities. For those casual "round the neighborhood" frocks, girls at Texas State College for Women suggest French seersucker—a new material with all the daintiness of handkerchief linen, yet as wearable and cool as old batiste.

Sonoran Buys Bull in Midland

Dock Friend was in Midland Tuesday where he bought a five year herd bull from E. B. Dickson.

Comet On Its Way, Amateur Says

Delphos, Ohio, June 10.—Using a small home-made telescope, Leslie C. Peltier, local draftsman and amateur astronomer, has discovered five comets in eleven years. His latest find, subject of congratulations from Harvard University Observatory, is 120,000,000 miles away and heading for the earth. Harvard astronomers calculate it will come within twenty million miles in July, then swerve away, but will be brighter than any comet since Halley's in 1910.

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Former Postmaster— (Continued from page 1)

Long at the time of death. He had twenty-three grandchildren. Children who survive are:

George E. Smith, Mrs. H. L. Taylor, Mrs. J. S. Holman, Mrs. R. D. Trainer, all of Sonora; Fred G. Smith, Mertzon; Roy T. Smith, Austin; Jeff B. Smith and Delma F. Smith, both of San Antonio; Will G. Smith, Carlsbad, N. M.; Ota M. Smith, Brownwood. All of the children were with their father when he died.

Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. S. P. Martin of Bangs, was here for the funeral. Others from out-of-town who were here for the funeral included J. F. Johnson, a favorite nephew of Mr. Smith, who lives in Austin, and Mrs. R. L. Wilson, a niece of Mr. Taylor.

Two sisters—Mrs. S. W. Coleman, Muskogee, Okla., and Mrs. Willa Cole, Mound City, Mo.—also survive. A brother, Fred A. Smith, died in Missouri in April. He was ninety-five years old and the last Confederate veteran living in Jasper county, Missouri.

Services were conducted at the Baptist Church by the Rev. Frank Nixon, former pastor here, who now lives in Mason. Mrs. B. C. McGilvray and Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot sang a duet. Pallbearers were:

MacK Cauthrn, J. D. Lwrey, W. D. Martin, M. C. Puckett, L. E. Johnson, J. D. Wallace, Roy E. Aldwell, Paul Turney.

"DO WE NEED PRAYER" IS SUNDAY MORNING SUBJECT

Sunday morning at 10:50 o'clock the Rev. R. F. Davis, pastor of the Methodist Church will speak on "Do We Need Prayer." At the evening hour, 8:30, the subject will be "Count Yourself Something."

This announcement was made Thursday afternoon by the Reverend Mr. Davis who said: "If you are a Christian, we need your help; if you are not a Christian, we want to help you."

Herbert Fields Recovering

Resting better was the condition of Herbert Fields, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fields, yesterday. He has been ill several days.

Newspapers, in bundles for packing, for wrapping, for underlaying; 10 cents a bundle. At the NEWS office.—adv.

New Lion Officers— (Continued from page 1)

the children are Miss McQuary, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Richardson, Mrs. Henry Wyatt, Mrs. Hub Hale and Mrs. W. C. Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Berger.

A tap dance number was given by Faye Louise Weatherby of San Angelo, a sister of Mrs. W. J. Fields, Jr. Bobbie Jean McQuary, a sister of Miss McQuary, gave a reading.

John Irving King was a guest at the luncheon. New club members introduced were the Rev. R. F. Davis, formerly of Alpine, and Richard Joiner of Station A. W. C. Warren, N. T. Poindexter and Edwin Sawyer were appointed as a committee to investigate the matter of erecting a gate or cattle guard, or both, at the Sonora cemetery.

Charles Cusenbary, was a guest of his father, W. R. Cusenbary, at the luncheon.

Excellent Screen— (Continued from page 1)

Eggs in One Basket," "Let Yourself Go," and "Here Am I, But Where Are You?" are featured.

Jackie Cooper, famous child star of other years and now an adult actor of no mean distinction, will be seen in "Tough Guy" Tuesday night only.


"Three Musketeers," will be the screen play offered Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. Hall has had the picture billed before but was unable to secure it. He says that it will positively be shown the two days next week.

CHIGGERS "ON VACATION" DURING THE EXPOSITION

Dallas, June 10.—Grass at the Texas Centennial Exposition, which opened here Saturday is chigger-proof.

Chemicals that instantly kill old fashioned "red-bugs" have been sprayed on 2,500 cubic yards of bermuda grass used in decorating the grounds, A. L. Simpson, supervisor for the Dallas Park Board, said today. The process will be continued during the Exposition, so that visitors will not be required to resort to old-time remedies for killing the pests.

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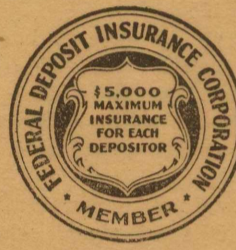
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SHOP EARLY—FREE \$2.50 basket of GROCERIES Saturday afternoon at five. Ask us when you buy \$1 worth of groceries. You must be here at 5 o'clock!

Friday and Saturday Specials

SUGAR — Pure Cane	20 pounds	95c		
LIMIT: 20 pounds to customer, with \$1 or more groceries				
SUGAR — Pure Cane	10 pounds — to customers only	49c		
PRESERVES—Ma Brown, 4-lb. jar	65c	TOMATOES—No. 2 can	6c	
GRAPE JAM—Ma Brown, 4-lb. jar	45c	TOMATOES—No. 1 can, 5 cans	24c	
PINEAPPLE TIDBITS—can	7c	GREEN BEANS—No. 2 can	8c	
PINEAPPLE—crushed, tall can	7c	PEARS—Castle Haven, No. 2 can	8c	
SHORTENING — 8-pound carton	for		82c	
SARDINES—flat can, 6 cans	25c	CAKE FLOUR—large box	27c	
POTTED MEAT—6 cans	19c	OATS—K-B, 3-lb. box	17c	
RAISINS—seedless, 4-lb. package	27c	MARSHMALLOWS—1-pound package	14c	
RAISINS—seedless, 2-lb. package	15c	CRACKERS—2-pound box	16c	
ONIONS — Bermuda	10 pounds		8c	
BEETS—3 bunches for	5c	PRUNES—gallon can	24c	
CARROTS—3 bunches for	5c	PEACHES—in syrup, No. 2 1/2 can	14c	
LETTUCE—California, head	3c	APRICOTS—No. 2 1/2 can	18c	
Everything else in Vegetables that the market affords				
APRICOTS—No. 1 can				10c
FLOUR — Golden Crown — Guaranteed To Satisfy	48-lb. sack	\$1.65;	24-lb. 85c	
FLOUR — High Patent	48-lb sack	\$1.33	24-lb. sack	67c
TEA—in cellophane bag, pound	35c	MACARONI, VERMICELLI or SPAGHETTI—your choice, 2 packages	7c	
TEA—half pound bag	20c	JELLO—2 packages	9c	
GRAPE JUICE—quart	29c	BLACKBERRIES—2 cans	19c	
GRAPE JUICE—pint	15c			
CIGARETTES — Camels, Chesterfields and Lucky Strikes — Carton			\$1.45	
SYRUP—Uncle Bob's, gallon	54c	SOAP FLAKES—5-pound box	35c	
SYRUP—Uncle Bob's, 1/2-gallon	29c	HY-PRO—bottle	17c	
SOAP—P & G or Crystal White, 5 large bars	17c	BLUING—15-ounce bottle	9c	
GOLD DUST—large package	17c	LYE—Camel's, 3 cans	19c	
LUX—small, 2 packages	17c	OXYDOL—large package	17c	
SUPER SUDS—3 packages	19c	RINSO—small, 3 packages	19c	
MEAT SPECIALS				
ROUND STEAK—pound	22c	DRY SALT JOWLS—pound	12c	
T-BONE STEAK—pound	20c	SLICED BACON—pound	29c	
BABY BEFE ROAST—pound	14c	FRESH COUNTRY BUTTER—pound	25c	