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Seniors On Last Lap Of High School Careers

Baccalaureate Services Sun.; Commencement Thurs., May 21

Eighteen seniors of Ozona High school are entering the final phase of their high school careers looking to graduation exercises on Tuesday evening, May 21.

Senior examinations will start today of this week, while regular examinations for other students will be Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

Baccalaureate services will be held next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

Rev. Eugene Slater, pastor of the Ozona Methodist Church, will preach the baccalaureate sermon. The program for this service includes the processional by Miss Ruth Gradyon, congregational singing of the hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy," and Scripture reading by Rev. Slater. The Junior High school choir under the direction of Miss Rebecca Anderson will

Education in a Modern Democracy will be the theme of Commencement exercises Thursday evening, May 21, to be presented by the Class of 1942 under the direction of Miss Hazel Kirbie. The program, to be developed by class members, places special emphasis on self reliance, economics and responsibility in a Democracy.

Diplomas are to be presented by Judge Charles E. Davidson.

The class of 1942 includes Mary Brown, Dorothy Capps, Bill Brown, Lloyd Coates, Gem Ella Wiley, Claude Everett, Dan Gerhart, Mary V. Graham, Billy Haney, Floyd Hokit, Adele Keeton, Shirley Lemmons, Norma Lovejoy, Mary Faye Lucas, Garrett Williams, Carl Thurman, Wayne and Byron Williams.

Dr. Tandy Is Commissioned In Medical Corps

Ozona Physicians To Report To El Paso On May 26

Dr. H. B. Tandy, who has been practicing medicine in Ozona for the past nine years, has been commissioned a captain in the U. S. Army medical corps and will report for duty at El Paso May 26.

Dr. Tandy is a former reserve officer in the Medical Corps, having held a reserve commission for several years. He recently made application for a commission for the duration and received notice of his acceptance and commission this week. Orders to report on May 26 came the following day.

Dr. Tandy will be stationed at William Beaumont General Hospital in El Paso, one of the best military hospitals in the country. Mrs. Tandy and the children will continue to make their home in Ozona while Dr. Tandy is serving with the armed forces.

Pupils Appear In Recital Tonight

Twenty-one pupils of Miss Ruth Davidson will appear in a piano and violin recital to be given in the High School auditorium Thursday evening, May 14, at 8:30 p. m. Pupils to be heard in recital are: Johnson, Sandra Augustine, Russell, Ann Harvick, Rosend, Mary Ann North, Aron Hoover, Jo Nell Coose, Benjamin Phillips, Ann West, Cora Phillips, Marie Williams, Ray Charles Davidson, Jane Aune, Edith Lou Piner, Lillian Semann, Azalea Robb, Jim Adcock, Muggins Davidson, Doris and Mary Louise Perner.



CALLAN GRAHAM

Callan Graham Seeks Election District Attorney

Incumbent by Appointment Candidate For Office

Callan Graham, a practicing attorney in Junction since 1935, announced his candidacy for District Attorney of the 112th Judicial District this week, subject to the action of the Democratic primary July 25, for his first complete term. He was appointed by Governor Coke Stevenson on January 1, 1942, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Weaver H. Baker. The present appointive term will end on December 31, 1942.

Mr. Graham was born in Val Verde County, but has lived in Kimble County practically all his life. He was graduated from the Junction High School and attended the University of Texas, where he studied law. He served three years as county attorney of Kimble County, retiring voluntarily to private practice in 1939.

In offering his announcement, Mr. Graham makes the following statement:

"I believe that my experience as County Attorney and the experience that I have thus far had as District Attorney of this district, coupled with the familiarity with the duties of the office which I will gain during the remainder of this year, qualify me to hold the office for a full term. My record during the 4 months that I have held the office shows that 12 felony cases have been presented and 11 convictions had. I have endeavored to expedite the handling of the criminal docket as much as possible, and to save the various counties as much expense as is consistent with an efficient administration of the affairs of the office. My only promise is that I will put forth every effort toward a strict, fair and impartial enforcement of the criminal laws of the State, without favoritism and in such a manner as to merit the respect and confidence of the people. On this basis I solicit the vote of the people of the district, assuring the voters that their support will be sincerely appreciated and repaid by constant devotion on my part to the discharge of the duties of the office."

Draft Officials To Attend 14-County Meet In San Angelo

Members of the Crockett County board of the Selective Service System, the appeal agent, Paul Perner, and the board clerk, Mrs. Coralie Meinecke, will attend a meeting of draft officials to be held in San Angelo Friday evening of this week.

Selective Service boards and employes from 14 West Texas counties in this area will attend the meeting, to be held in the district courtroom beginning at 7:30 p. m. The meeting has been called by Major Orville S. Carpenter of state selective service headquarters in Austin.

A general discussion of selective service problems, particularly recent changes in the policy of registration (Continued on Last Page)

Grade School To Graduate 22 In Exercises May 20

Pan-American Patriotic Theme To Be Developed In Program

Twenty-two pupils of the eighth grade will receive certificates of promotion to high school at commencement exercises for the grade school graduates to be held Wednesday evening, May 20, in the High School auditorium.

Under the direction of Miss Zelma Scott, the class will present a patriotic program with a Pan-American theme, titled "Democracy for the Americas, A Way of Life." The presentation will be made before a setting of the flags of 21 Pan-American Republics. Miss Ruth Graydon will be the accompanist.

The program will open with "The Star Spangled Banner," with Rozelle Pharr and Margaret Russell as drummers. Rev. Eugene Slater will pronounce the invocation, to be followed by a song by the class, "Land of Hope and Glory." The program will be unfolded by a succession of speaking and musical parts. Diplomas will be presented by Judge Charles E. Davidson.

Jo Nell Coose and John Fussell are class valedictorians, having tied for top scholastic honors, and Myrtastine Hokit is salutatorian. Other members of the class are Azalea Babb, Doris Bean, Doris Busby, Muggins Davidson, Mozelle Haire, Peggy Jeffreys, Billie Jo Leatherwood, Dick McDonald, Benny Gail Phillips, Mildred Porter, Pierce Reese, Buddy Russell, Billie Rose Schwalbe, Carlton Smith, Charles Lee Snyder, Earl Tillery, Lavern Tillery, Palma Trull and Lois Nell Williams.

Expects County To Go Over Top In USO Drive

Scott Peters Chairman Of Drive Here For Quota Of \$450

Although no whirlwind solicitation campaign will be made, Scott Peters, Crockett County chairman for the United Service Organizations' \$30,000,000 drive for its 1942 recreational program for men in the armed forces of the United States, expressed confidence as the campaign got under way this week that this county would go over the top on its quota as readily as it did in last year's campaign.

Crockett County's quota this year remains the same as last, \$450, Mr. Peters said. This amount was readily subscribed last year and no doubt will be reached without difficulty this year, Mr. Peters declared.

The USO drive got underway throughout the nation on May 11. The funds derived will be used to supplement the constantly expanding program of recreational facilities and service to the men of the Army, Navy and Marines both in this country and in battle stations abroad. The USO was initiated last year with a total budget of \$65,000,000.

EQUALIZATION MEETING

The Crockett County Commissioners Court will hold its first meeting as a board of equalization on June 1. At that meeting, too, a group of oil men, representatives of companies operating in this county, will appear before the court to present evidence on oil and pipeline valuations in the county. The group appeared before the court at its meeting here Monday and arranged for the hearing at the June 1 meeting.

Mrs. Larry Abers of Laredo is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne West.

Russians Land Back of German Lines



Submarines of the Russian Black Sea fleet are shown landing marines on territory held by the Germans. Rubber rafts are used to put the marines ashore where they go to work in the rear of the German lines. Caption accompanying this photo from Moscow does not say so, but it is likely that this action took place in the Crimea.

Registration For Sugar Rationing Books Totals 2645

43 Had Too Much Sugar To Get Book; 741 Stamps Removed

A total of 2,645 persons in Ozona signed up for the No. 1 War Ration books, entitling them to purchase sugar at the rate of a half pound per person per week, at the recent registration here, according to a compilation of results of the registration announced by C. S. Denham, chief registrar in the sugar sign-up.

Out of the total rationing registration, only 43 persons had so much sugar on hand that they were unable to get the ration books. Families with more than 6 pounds per person were denied ration books until the excess amount of sugar is used up at the rationing rate.

Mr. Denham reported that a total of 741 stamps were removed from books issued. Stamps were removed for each pound of sugar in excess of two per person on hand at the time of registration.

In a letter of appreciation to the forty or more registrars who assisted in the consumer sign-up, Mr. Denham said that everything was found in good order after the four-day registration period. "It is my personal opinion that there was not a more capable, willing and cooperative group of workers in the nation than our group in Ozona," the registration chief wrote. "Of course, all were happy to give of their time and effort in the interest of our country."

ROAD ESTIMATES PAID

Public Construction Co. was ordered paid \$41,986.35 on its April estimate of completed work on the 19-mile paving project on Highway 163 south from Ozona when the Commissioners Court met Monday. Julian Montgomery, consulting engineer on the project, was allowed \$6,700.45 engineering costs to May 1.

Water Works Hill Undergoes Transformation With Beautification Program On Properties

An improvement program which is transforming the water works hill here into a place of beauty is making rapid progress under the direction of Joe North as chairman of the board of directors of the Water Control and Improvement district.

Removal of all loose surface rock and rubbish and smoothing of the grounds around the tanks and other equipment has added much to the appearance of the plant and surroundings and at present the program includes razing of the old stone building, former pumping plant of the water works, and cutting of a new, straight road up the hill.

The new road, continuing directly through the site of the old building, has been cut for a loop around the plant grounds, and eventually may be opened to connect on top of the hill with the

Latin-American Youths Entertain At Rotary Meet

Insight Into Community Center Program Gained By Group

What amounted to a demonstration of some of the results of the work of the Latin American Community and at the same time furnished a very entertaining program for nearly seventy Rotarians and their guests was presented by a group of youths of the Latin American settlement in the Community Center Monday night, the occasion being a ladies night meeting for the local club.

The program was preceded by a supper of Mexican foods prepared and served by the Latin American Mothers Club.

A choral group, known as Los Troubadores, a junior music group affiliated with the Texas Federated Music Clubs, was directed by Mrs. H. B. Tandy in a group of patriotic, folk and popular songs. Twenty-five Mexican boys and girls were included in this group of splendid singers, whose numbers were greatly enjoyed by Rotarians and their guests.

Two kindergarten music pupils of Mrs. Neal Hannah, Paulita Cisneros and Elva Vitela, were presented in piano numbers.

Groups from Los Troubadores chorus formed a dance troupe which entertained with folk dances. This group is directed by Miss Frances Sprawls.

Miss Mary Riddle, deaconess at the Community Center, spoke briefly on the work of the Center, expressing appreciation for the cooperation of the group of women who are assisting in the program.

Mother's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Adams included Mrs. Adams' mother, Mrs. R. E. Colvard of Strawn, Texas, her brothers-in-law and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Oglesby of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Groosclose and children of San Angelo, and Mr. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Adams of Hico.

HARRELL LOT PURCHASED AS CHURCH SITE

County Buys Back Old Lot; Building Fund Campaign Starts

When and if a new Methodist Church is built in Ozona to replace the building destroyed by fire here on March 8, it will be located on the George Harrell lot, just south of Mrs. W. E. Smith's residence, and the new structure will follow modern church architecture.

At a church conference held in the High School auditorium Sunday morning, a report from the building and finance committee named by the board of stewards was heard and all of its recommendations with the exception of the site were approved.

The church membership voted to purchase the Harrell lot, 100 by 200 feet on the southeast corner of the block, for a consideration of \$4,000. The committee had recommended the Dollye Coates lot a block north at \$5,000. Although actual details of the purchase await completion, it was understood that Mr. Harrell had agreed to terms of the sale and that title to the property would be conveyed.

The committee's recommendation that the old walls and site be abandoned and that the site be sold to the county for a consideration of \$1,000 and the further consideration that the county assume responsibility for clearing the site of the ruins of the old church was adopted after discussion. This deal was accepted by the County Commissioners in session this week, the court agreeing to purchase the property at the stipulated price, payment being made with a time warrant bearing 3 per cent interest and payable May 11, 1943. The lot was originally purchased from the county for a consideration of \$1,000 to be used as the site for a church.

Recommendation by the committee that W. T. Strange, Jr., of Lubbock be employed as architect and instructed to prepare plans for a gothic sanctuary and educational building to harmonize was also accepted by the congregation. Mr. Strange is a member of the architectural firm which designed and supervised construction of the new high school building here. That claims for priority rating for constructing the church building be prosecuted at the earliest possible moment was also endorsed by the membership.

The membership further agreed to immediate launching of a building fund, the nucleus of which would be the \$16,000 insurance money now in hand. The goal of the building fund will be \$50,000 estimated cost of the new building, to be built up by voluntary gifts from members and friends.

The building and finance committee, named at the Quarterly Conference May 8, is composed of Scott Peters, chairman, Pleas Childress, L. B. Cox, Jr., Tom Harris and Eugene Slater.

Knitters Asked To Complete War Sweaters By May 25

Mrs. Roy Henderson, chairman of knitting for the Red Cross British relief production program in this county, has asked that all knitters who are making garments complete them and turn them in to her by May 25. Present plans call for shipment of the chapter's quota, 90 sweaters, about June 1.

Mrs. Henderson also announced that she still had a quantity of yarn on hand and asked that persons who would like to make some garment this summer call her for the necessary yarn.

A call for help was also received from Mrs. Hugh Childress, production chairman of sewing. Mrs. Childress says that she has garments cut and ready for sewing and has called for volunteers to sew the garments.

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THE SUPREME TEST

In a recent speech before the American Society of Newspaper Editors, Donald M. Nelson made these thought-provoking remarks: "Our free institutions are meeting their supreme test."

"Our enemies say that free institutions are inefficient; therefore they have abolished them. They say free labor cannot serve a war economy efficiently; so they have destroyed free labor and made every worker a slave. They say free industry cannot be as useful in a war economy as state-controlled industry; so they have put all industry under tight controls and made of every industrialist a servant. And they say that a free press is a hindrance to a nation which is fighting for its life, so they have destroyed the free press and made of every editor a lackey."

"It is up to us to prove that they are wrong—by showing that our free institutions, our free labor, our free industry and our free press, give us more strength than they can muster through all their controls. We shall prove it in the way of free men, by... showing that free men driven by their own loyalty and determination are better than slaves driven by their master's lash."

The free institutions of this country must meet this supreme test or perish. There is no middle ground. No one who knows the history of this nation doubts they will meet it. There has been delay and waste. There has been stupidity in government and industry and in labor. But these are little things, lost in the picture of American achievement.

All our freedoms depend on one another. Without freedom in industry we could not have freedom of labor. Without freedom of the press we could not have free, representative government. Dictatorship, by its very nature, must be all-encompassing. It must destroy all freedoms—for all freedoms are its enemy.

We will win this war in the way of free men. And while we are winning it, we must make sure that

MORE THAN GUNS...

When total war hits a nation, it means far more than steel and aluminum, airplanes and tanks, machine tools and auto industry conversion. It means hard work and sacrifice on the part of everyone—farmers and the people who make civilian goods as much as those who work in the more spectacular war industries.

The men and women who man the civilian front have the task of supplying the American people, as well as a large part of the rest of the world, with necessary food and clothing. There is the task of keeping the best-fed and best-equipped army in the world—an ever-growing U. S. Army—in the field.

And that is no easy task in these days of scarcities—scarcity of raw materials, scarcity of labor and scarcity of time.

There is really an enormous job, for the average American in the Army needs almost double the food and clothing he gets in civilian life. The average male civilian in this country eats 125 pounds of meat a year. The soldier gets 160 pounds. The civilian drinks 150 pounds of milk, but the soldier drinks 120 pounds. The civilian wears two pairs of shoes a year, the soldier three. The civilian gets one pair of trousers, the soldier five.

These manufacturers and producers of "non-essential" goods are making it their job to see to it that the civilian population—millions of whom are manning the production front—do not suffer for want of essential food and clothing and that our soldiers have the highest quality of everything necessary to make them the strongest army ever known.

When the war is over we will have a world in which men can still speak their minds, still do the work they want, still operate their own businesses. That is the kind of world we are fighting for, a world in which every man, no matter what his origin, is free to go as far as his abilities can take him.

RUBBER FOR AMERICA

Hope for the American motorist is found in the ambitious synthetic rubber program which is being developed by the oil industry.

W. S. Rodgers, president of the Texas Company, says that the automobile is so interwoven with our national economy that its necessary civilian use should and must be continued. The government's current synthetic rubber plans call for the creation of a supply which will be almost entirely absorbed by military needs. Therefore, the oil industry has appointed a committee "to make recommendations for increasing the announced programs so as to include some rubber for what we consider essential civilian use." Commenting on this, Mr. Rodgers said, "I have a great deal of confidence in American ingenuity, and I would not be surprised if we should soon find some satisfactory solution to this rather difficult problem."

Very great progress has been made in increasing the wearing ability of synthetic rubber for

THE GLAD HAND



WHERE IS HE NOW?...

A favorite cartoon in Great Britain before the war was of Col. Blimp, a pompous and stupid army officer who was always making dumb remarks. But the British hadn't supposed he would be in command at Singapore.—Kansas City Times.

TEXAS WOMEN—INTREPID DEFENDERS OF THE HEARTH

As women all over the country today are taking on themselves tasks formerly exclusive to men—aircraft manufacture, ambulance driving, munitions-making—in their zeal to speed up the nation's war effort, they are but following in the footsteps of Texas women who a century and more ago displayed a hardy spirit of adventure and courage in emergencies of frontier life which would have amazed their sisters "back home."

Several incidents of Texas feminine gallantry are recounted by one of their number, the famous Mary Austin Holley, cousin of Stephen F. Austin, father of the new nation, in her book, "Texas," published in 1836. A copy of the now rare first edition of this volume is in the University of Texas Library's voluminous Texas Collection.

A TEXAS RIFLEWOMAN

The use of the rifle... is not confined... to the ruder sex exclusively," Mrs. Holley wrote. "Mrs. M... the Texas Diana, has killed with the rifle eighty deer and one buffalo. Her canting husband wanting industry and capacity, she was compelled thus to support him and her children. She now lives along with her children in the prairie near Chocolate Bayou."

Advertisement for 'THIS BUSINESS OF Living' by Susan Thayer, featuring an illustration of a woman and a dog.

"Inspiration For Gossip"

"Do you know what they're saying about the man down at the new airplane plant?" my neighbor asked me breathlessly the other day, her face flushed with the excitement of the awful news she bore!

"No," I said calmly and perhaps a little coolly, "I don't, and even if I did, I wouldn't believe it."

"Oh, but I heard it direct from a woman who got it from a friend"

"Who got it from another friend," I interrupted.

"But how did you know how many people it came through?" she asked in surprise.

"Because all the disturbing stories that are going around these days follow the same pattern. They never come direct from the people to whom the thing happened. And when you try to trace them back, and back to their source, somewhere along the line they simply evaporate."

"Then you don't think it's all true?"

"Of course not," I scoffed. "In fact, the chances are that not one word of it is true! You know that today the chief target of the Nazi propaganda office that has wrought such havoc in Europe is our own United States. All of the many tricks these people have for setting group against group—fac-

"She was an illiterate woman, having never been to school in her life; but the same independent spirit which placed the rifle in her hand for the support of her family, prompted her to study and improve herself by learning to read, after which she taught the same to her children; a great blessing for a poor family, where schools were formerly so rare."

"The mode of her education, in the use of the rifle, will show how natural it is that we should find, in a wild unsettled country, many females in her circumstances and of a daring spirit, who are acquainted with its use. The same bold mind which, in different circumstances, would make such a female a polished lady, would lead her, here to acquire the accomplishments of 'wood-craft'; so much are we the creatures of circumstance."

"Her father came from Mississippi with his family in a keel-boat. Having to 'put in' along shore frequently on the way, and to go hunting in order to provide food for the party, she, then a young girl, took, at last, the habit of carrying the rifle, and thus learned the use of it. She is a strong active woman not yet thirty. When she hunts, not being able to lift a whole deer, she divides the animal with a 'tomahawk' into quarters, tying two of them together, and thus suspending them on each side of her horse."

BLUFFING THE INDIANS

Mrs. Holley tells of another undaunted Texas woman whose isolated farm was plundered by foraging Indians. She remonstrated, "gently at first, then vehemently." The ranging savages would not desist. She buckled on her breastplate of courage, if not of righteousness, and with her children and women servants, all her household around her sent for the chief, and very boldly expostulating with him, commanded him to depart on the instant at the peril of his tribe; or by a signal she would call in her whole people, numerous and formidable, and exterminate his race. She was no more troubled with the Indians.

"Living in a wild country under circumstances requiring constant exertion, forms the character to great and daring enterprise," Mrs. Holley reminded. "Women thus

situated are known to perform exploits, which the effeminate natives of populous cities might tremble at. It is not uncommon for ladies to mount their mustangs and lead with their husbands, and with them to camp out for days on the excursions to the sea shore for fish and oysters.

"All visiting is done on horse back, and they will go 50 miles in a ball with their silk dresses, and perhaps in Philadelphia or New Orleans, in their saddle-bags, Hardy, vigorous constitutions, free spirits, and spontaneous gaiety are thus induced and contain a rich value the blessing not to squander it away, in their search for the luxuries and refinements of polite life."

"Women have the capacity for greatness, but they require occasions to bring it out. They require, perhaps, stronger motives than men—they have stronger habits to break through of indolence and habit—but, when roused, they are quick to discern and unshrinking to act."

100 YEARS AGO IN TEXAS

"Broils—A young man named Flournoy Hunt was killed near Harrisburg on Saturday last, by a pistol shot by a young man named Black. Mr. Black has surrendered himself to the civil authorities. The quarrel occurred at the track! It will be recalled that no less than three persons have been killed in broils at race tracks within three years: Mr. Sims of Nacogdoches, Mr. J. Vance of Houston and Mr. Hunt at Harrisburg. Terrible, indeed, is the sport which is so often staked with blood."—Telegraph and Texas Register, Houston, May 11, 1842.

In a modern army a motorized division of ground forces also will use as much as 75,000 gallons of gasoline in 24 hours.

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ALLAS—Because the straw-
preserving and canning sea-
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tor Max L. McCullough of the
of Price Administration ad-
housewives today to avail
selves of their sugar allow-
for canning and preserving.
any person who has been is-
a War Ration Book may ap-
the printed form or by letter
the local ration board for a can-
sugar allowance," Mr. Mc-
ough said. "Specific forms
this purpose will be provided
but in the meantime, a let-
of application will do."
explained that such an appli-
letter should give clearly
name and address of the appli-
list the number of persons
the applicant's family and the
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nds of sugar yearly for pre-
ing and canning.

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can climb to an altitude of
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viction of guilty parties to
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County may claim the re-
ward.

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Sheriff, Crockett County

**Behind The Scenes
In American Business**
By John Craddock

NEW YORK, May 11—PERIL-
OUS—Most notable quote of the
week was this, by Senate Military
Affairs committeeman after hear-
ing seven high-ranking government
officials, in closed session, spell
out the rubber situation: "actually
perilous from a military stand-
point!" . . . These, the strongest
words yet uttered on the subject,
were given firm backing by the ac-
tion of officials in urging the Sen-
ate committee to recommend the
most drastic step that has been
proposed in the U. S. toward com-
mandeering private physical prop-
erty and hurling it into the war
drive, namely the legislation au-
thorizing requisitioning of autos
and tires. . . Admittedly it's the
need for saving rubber that lies be-
hind the car-requisitioning propos-
als. Some members said they ex-
pected "nothing drastic" in the
way of requisitioning in the near
future, but you can paste it in your
hat that the threat of drastic mea-
sures is definitely here "from now
on."

PARTING OF WAYS—Appar-
ently we've reached the stage
where still-expanding industrial
production—almost all of it war
work—can no longer produce sim-
ilar gains in retail business. While
heavy production hums, retail
trade for several weeks has fallen
steadily behind the pace it had
maintained ever since the days
when the upswing was called a
"defense boom." National depart-
ment-store sales gains have run
merely 15, 13 and 8 per cent ahead
of corresponding 1941 weeks, late-
ly—and this means less actual
movement of goods across coun-
ters because prices are about 19
per cent higher, on the average.
Some stores say the customer slow-
up was especially noticeable right
after the OPA price-freezing or-
der, as though shoppers were
waiting for the May 18 reductions.
But those reductions will scarcely
be worth waiting for, probably av-
eraging out to less than one per
cent.

Before Japs Cut Burma Road at Lashio



Two years ago when Lashio became the buzzing hive of industry as the jumping off place for the fleet of trucks that fed China's war machine over the Burma road, this rail line was laid from Mandalay to Lashio. Supplies were run over the line by train, and then transferred to trucks for the run into China. The Japs flanked the British-Chinese armies battling about Mandalay, and the Burma road has been cut at that vital junction. Lashio was taken by the Japs in one of the swiftest drives in their whole starting campaign.

TIPS ON THE TIMES—United Aircraft, which itself has passed back \$26,000,000 in savings on government war jobs after achieving mass-production economies, reports further savings in voluntary kick-backs from its subcontractors, one of which is cutting the price \$2,250,000 on one airplane engine part alone. . . "Production sol-
diers" of industry are leaping in-
to action right alongside "regu-
lars" to help service equipment
and keep motorized units rolling
in high. . . Three Pennsylvania
coal mines, abandoned for years,
have been re-opened, and a new
one is being dug in Kentucky.

REMOTE PATROL—Far from the ocean-prowling U-boats whose extinction soon will be their assign-
ment, Navy sub-chasers are to be turned out, ultimately at the rate of one a week, by the Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing company's new shipyard now rising on the shore of Lake Michigan near Chicago. These will be the first all-steel anti-sub patrol craft built in the midwest. Other Great Lakes yards are turning out the regular wooden ones, 110-footers, but the Navy needed a company with long experience in working heavy steel, and these 50 sleek, diesel-powered avengers will be built by workers who in peacetime pioneered modern streamlined trains. Although almost all present employ-
ees of the car works will work on the ships, several thousand men will have to be engaged from outside and trained in shipbuilding crafts. It was pointed out that many skilled workers, including welders, riveters, electricians, pipe and frame fitters, sheet metal workers, joiners, painters, plumbers and cabinet makers are readily adaptable to shipbuilding.

THINGS TO WATCH FOR—Clothes made from peanuts. W. B. Jester, president of the National Peanut Council, says they are a definite early future prospect, and that you won't be able to tell the difference between a "peanut wool" suit and one made of Scotch wools. . . Rubberless but never-

CITATION BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Crockett County Greeting:
Scott Peters, Administrator of the Estate of Ernest Zips, Deceased having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Ernest Zips, Deceased, numbered 124 on the Probate Docket of Crockett County, together with an application to be discharged from said Estate.
**YOU ARE HEREBY COM-
MANDED,** That by publication of this Writ for twenty days before the return day hereof in a News-
paper printed in the County of Crockett you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on or before the May Term, 1942, of said County Court, commencing and to

be holden at the Court House of said County, in the town of Ozona, Texas, on the 18th day in May A. D. 1942, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the town of Ozona, this 20th day of April A. D. 1942.
(SEAL) GEO. RUSSELL,
Clerk County Court Crockett County.
A True Copy, I Certify.
Issued this 20th day of April, A. D. 1942.
GEO. RUSSELL,
Clerk County Court Crockett County, Texas. 3-4tc

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Ozona Baptists Attending Southern Baptist Convention

The Southern Baptist Convention, composed of churches from 18 southern states, is in progress this week in San Antonio. The annual convention gets under way today with the W.M.S. and Pastors' Conference, today and Friday, and the Convention proper will open Saturday and continue through May 20.

Ozonans attending are the Rev. and Mrs. Clyde Childers, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hoover, Mrs. George Bous and Louise Beat. Other members of the local congregation are expected to attend some of the sessions of the Convention.

From 6,000 to 30,000 persons are expected to be in attendance at the Convention sessions. Dr. W. W. Hamilton, president of the Baptist Bible Institute at New Orleans, La., is president of the Convention.

Dr. and Mrs. G. L. Neersta are in Houston this week where Dr. Neersta is attending sessions of the State Medical Society meeting. After the medical meeting, Dr. and Mrs. Neersta and daughter, Annie, expect to spend a week's vacation before returning to Ozona.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Clyde Childers, Pastor
 Schedule of services:
 9:45 Sunday School
 11:00 Morning Worship
 8:30 Evening Worship
 Our Sunday School service will be dismissed promptly at 10:50 which will allow our people 30 minutes to find their places at the High School for the Baccalaureate service.

The pastor and Mrs. Childers will be out of town until next Wednesday attending the Southern Baptist Convention in San Antonio. Rev. Eugene Slater will preach at the evening hour next Sunday at our church. All of our people are urged to be present for this hour.

There will be no regular services at our church next week since it is the week given over to the activities which mark the closing of this school term.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Eugene Slater, Minister
 Calendar of Services
 Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Baccalaureate Service, 11:00 a. m.
 Young People's Meeting, 8:00 p. m.
 Evening Service (Baptist Church), 8:30 p. m.

W. O. Cloudt, Jr., of Rock Springs, visited Elizabeth Coose during the week.

A WEEK OF THE WAR

SUMMARIZING INFORMATION ON THE IMPORTANT DEVELOPMENTS OF THE WEEK MADE AVAILABLE THROUGH MONDAY OF THIS WEEK

The Office of Price Administration announced amounts of gasoline that motorists in 17 Eastern Seaboard States will be granted upon presentation of rationing cards from May 15 to July 1. After July 1 another rationing system will be placed in effect.

Preliminary figures showed 123 million persons, approximately 91 percent of the total population, registered for sugar rationing. Nearly seven million persons were refused War Ration Book No. 1 because they already held more than six pounds of sugar. The OPA also reported persons or businesses needing a typewriter may rent a used machine or a new portable directly from any dealer.

Production and Conversion

The War Department said the Chicago Ordnance District is about to produce more tanks and tractors monthly than it produced in the entire World War I period. The Maritime Commission reported U. S. shipyards delivered 36 merchant vessels in April. Fifty-one vessels, double the January number, were launched during the month.

The War Front

The War Department announced the planes which recently raided Japan were U. S. Army bombers. The attack was made in clear weather, in the middle of the day, and at low altitudes. The selected targets "were accurately attacked with demolition and incendiary bombs." The Department said Japanese broadcasts admitted that between 1,000 and 4,000 casualties and fires which raged for 48 hours were caused by the raid, the Department said.

The Navy Department said 21 Japanese warships were sunk or damaged in the battle of the Coral Sea with relatively slight losses to U. S. forces. U. S. losses will be reported when the information is without value to the enemy, the Navy said, but all Tokyo claims of damage inflicted were declared without foundation. The Navy reported the torpedoing of 10 more merchant vessels off the Atlantic Coast.

Army and Selective Service

First regulations were issued for the Army Specialist Corps which was set up to make available to the Army specially skilled persons not otherwise eligible for active duty. Officers and Specialists will make up the Corps. Officers' pay will range from \$2,600 for Second Lieutenants to \$9,000 for the Director General, and Specialists' pay will range from \$1,800 to \$3,500. The Department said construction has been started on

flight strips adjoining highways in a strategic area on the Atlantic Seaboard. The War Department said it cannot answer individual inquiries as to Army casualties or the whereabouts of Army personnel.

Selective Service Headquarters said occupational questionnaires to determine civilian skills will be mailed not later than May 27 to men of the first and second registration who are not already in the armed forces.

NAVY

Navy Secretary Knox reported Navy personnel now totals 500,000 compared with 140,000 in the Summer of 1940. He said the Navy will include one million men by July, 1943. The Senate sent to the White House a bill authorizing an increase of 200,000 tons in the U. S. Submarine Fleet. The Navy said two new aviation technical schools will be constructed — at Memphis, Tenn., and Norman, Okla. — to train 10,000 men every six months.

California "Dimout"

The OGD ordered a "dimout" of the California Coast from the Oregon border to Santa Marie, Calif., for the duration of the war, in order to keep the coastline clear of any lights that could be seen by lurking submarines. The order affects 48 cities and towns in nine counties.

Prices and Consumer Credit

OPA said it will not tolerate wholesale evictions of war workers by landlords attempting to evade maximum rent regulations by bringing in new tenants at higher rents. Beginning May 18, retail prices may not exceed highest levels charged by each seller during March and every retail store must display publicly the ceiling prices for "cost-of-living" commodities.

The Federal Reserve Board ruled installment purchases must be liquidated within 12 months and placed new limitations on charge accounts. Loans of \$1,500 or less to be met in one payment must mature within 90 days. The Board also made down payments, ranging from one-fifth to one-third the purchase price, mandatory on all products.

War Bonds and Taxes

The Treasury reported War Bond sales during the first six business days of May were 21 per cent greater than in the same period in April and totaled more than 25 per cent of the Nation's May quota of \$600 million. Treasury Secretary Morgenthau, in a letter to Congress, said the time has come to lower personal exemptions under the individual income tax to \$600 for single persons, \$1,200 for married couples, and \$300 for each dependent.

DAUGHTER TO BAGGETTS

Mr. and Mrs. James Baggett are the parents of a daughter born in San Angelo hospital Wednesday morning. The baby weighed eight pounds.

Cemetery Paving Plan Abandoned In Favor Of Gravel

Paving of the main street in Cedar Hill Cemetery, under consideration by the Commissioners Court, was abandoned when the Cemetery committee reported at the court meeting Monday that the Public Construction Co., now engaged in paving of 19 miles of Highway 163 south from Ozona, could not do the work because of pending government work.

The committee requested that the work be done with county road machinery and that gravel be used instead of caliche.

Penmanship Awards To Sixteen Pupils

Penmanship certificates, awarded by the W. S. Benson Co. of Austin, have been awarded to sixteen pupils of Ozona Junior high school as a result of penmanship samples submitted by the teacher, Miss Zelma Scott.

Junior certificates were awarded to Bernard Lemmons, Martha Jim Goodman and Fredda Surguy. Final certificates were given to Bill Hoover, Sue Beasley, Max Word, Azalea Babb, Morelle Haire, Myrtastine Hokit, Pierce Reese, Ann West, Jimmy Choate, Jo Nell Oden, Palma Trull, Muggins Davidson and John Fussell.

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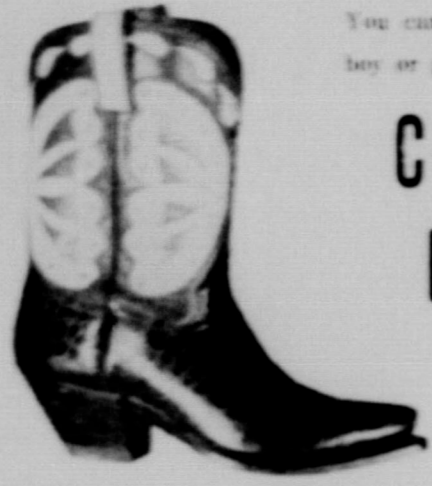
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(Re-election)

For County and District Clerk:

GEORGE RUSSELL

(Re-election)

For District Attorney, 112th Judicial District:

HART JOHNSON,

Fl. Stockton

CALLAN GRAHAM.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1:

SAM HOUSTON

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:

ROB MILLER

(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 2:

CHAS. BLACK

(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 3:

J. W. OWENS

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For Commissioner, Precinct 4:

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Social Activities

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Music Club Winds Up Year's Program With Reports Of Officers, Chairmen and Installation Of New Officers

Ozona Music Club wound up its program of the current season at an annual meeting of the club today afternoon at the home of Charles Williams, with Mrs. Clayton as hostess.

Annual reports of officers and committee chairmen were heard. Officers installed and committed for the coming year named: Neal Hannah, retiring president; Mrs. Elton Smith, president; Mrs. H. B. Tandy, vice president; Mrs. Hubert Baker, recording secretary; Mrs. M. Johnson, treasurer; Mrs. Neal Hannah, corresponding secretary; Mrs. S. M. Harvick, parliamentarian, and Mrs. Bryan McDonald, auditor. Retiring officers are Mrs. Neal Hannah, president; Mrs. V. I. Pierce, vice president; Mrs. J. M. Dudley, recording secretary; Mrs. Elton Smith, treasurer; Mrs. Eugene Slater, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Rex Russell, parliamentarian, and Mrs. L. B. Cox, Jr., auditor.

The day's program number was the theme with variations from Haydn Symphony No. 29 given by Mrs. Rex Russell and Mrs. Madden Read.

Attending were Mrs. Elton Smith, Mrs. H. B. Tandy, Mrs. Eugene Slater, Mrs. Hubert Baker, Mrs. L. B. Cox, Jr., Mrs. L. B. Townsend, Mrs. M. Johnson, Mrs. Madden Read, Mrs. J. M. Dudley, Mrs. Rex Russell and Mrs. Neal Hannah.

phone; Mrs. Bryan McDonald civic and church music and defense chairman; and Mrs. H. B. Tandy, sponsor of junior clubs.

New officers of the organization were installed with an impressive candle lighting ceremony, the new officers lighting their candles from those of the retiring officers. The new officers are Mrs. Elton Smith, president; Mrs. H. B. Tandy, vice president; Mrs. Hubert Baker, recording secretary; Mrs. M. Johnson, treasurer; Mrs. Neal Hannah, corresponding secretary; Mrs. S. M. Harvick, parliamentarian, and Mrs. Bryan McDonald, auditor. Retiring officers are Mrs. Neal Hannah, president; Mrs. V. I. Pierce, vice president; Mrs. J. M. Dudley, recording secretary; Mrs. Elton Smith, treasurer; Mrs. Eugene Slater, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Rex Russell, parliamentarian, and Mrs. L. B. Cox, Jr., auditor.

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Annual Reports Heard At Woman's Club Meeting

The Ozona Woman's Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. M. Baggett. Yearly reports were read, and Mrs. W. E. West presented the club with a history book of the club for the past two years. She read a report that was given to the district convention in 1921 which was amusing as well as interesting.

Mrs. M. Johnson gave a discussion of Ecuador. She said that the sidewalk cafes, cool drinks, and the appetizing food set the atmosphere of the South American tour.

Highlight of the program was Miss Elizabeth Fussell's report from the National Federation Convention.

Those present were Mrs. A. W. Jones, Uvalde; Mrs. M. Johnson, Mrs. P. T. Robison, Mrs. Hubert Baker, Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Mrs. Lee Childress, Mrs. Max Schneemann, Mrs. W. E. West, Mrs. George Bean, Mrs. W. R. Baggett, Mrs. Carl Colwick, Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. A. C. Hoover, Mrs. Stephen Perner, Miss Elizabeth Fussell.

School Exhibits, Installations Mark Final P.T.A. Meet

Inspection of the annual school exhibits and installation of new officers of the organization for the coming year were features of the final meeting of the Ozona Parent-Teacher Association for the current season Monday afternoon in the grade school building.

The school exhibits were arranged by the different grades in their home rooms. In addition to the elementary grades exhibits, pupils of the manual arts and science and home economics departments of the high school arranged exhibits in the hallways. Girls of the home economics department were hostesses at the exhibit at the social hour following the P.T.A. meeting.

After the exhibit, members of the Parent-Teacher Association met in the math room of the elementary building for its business session. Annual reports from officers were heard and Mrs. Clyde Childers installed the new officers after they were introduced by Mrs. Strick Harvick, retiring president.

New officers installed were Mrs. Byron McDonald, president; Mrs. Strick Harvick, first vice president; Mrs. W. R. Cabaness, second vice president; Mrs. A. O. Fields, third vice president; Miss Zelma Scott, secretary; Mrs. Chas. Coates, treasurer; Mrs. Marbury Morrison, parliamentarian; and Miss Wayne Augustine, historian. After the installation ceremonies, the new president, Mrs. McDonald, spoke briefly on plans for the coming year.

Joint Party For Two Bridge Clubs

Mrs. John Henderson, III, and Mrs. Joe Sellars Pierce, III, entertained the Ace Club and the Twentieth Century Club in the home of Mrs. John Henderson, Jr., Saturday afternoon. Spring flowers decorated the room, and frosted punch and cake were served.

High club prizes were awarded to Mrs. Sid Millsbaugh, and Mrs. Bill Baggett, Mrs. Jack Wilkins and Miss Posey Baggett received second high awards, and Miss "Mac" McWilliams won bingo.

Others attending were Mrs. Bill Childress, Mrs. Early Chandler, Mrs. Edwin Bowers, Mrs. James Childress, Mrs. Dempster Jones, Mrs. Buddy Moore, Mrs. Jack Baggett, Mrs. Pleas Childress, Jr., Miss Catherine Childress, Miss Mary Alyce Smith, Miss Betty Bratcher.

Mrs. Lee Childress Friday Club Hostess

Mrs. Lee Childress was hostess to the Friday Bridge Club when it met in her home Friday afternoon. Mrs. Joe Davidson won high, Mrs. Hudson Mayes, bingo.

Others present were Mrs. Early Baggett, Mrs. Carl Colwick, Mrs. Tom Harris, Mrs. S. M. Harvick, Mrs. John Henderson, Jr., Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mrs. Vic Pierce, Mrs. W. E. Smith, Mrs. J. M. Baggett, and Mrs. Ben Robertson.

LAS AMIGAS CLUB

Las Amigas Club met with Mrs. Richard Flowers Friday afternoon. Mrs. Bill Baggett won high, and Mrs. Arthur Kyle, bingo. Others attending were Mrs. Rex Russell, Mrs. L. B. Sikes, Mrs. A. O. Fields, Mrs. Hubert Baker, and Mrs. Oscar Kost.

Pair Honored At Swim-Supper For Grades Graduates

Miss Doris Bean and Miss Benny Gail Phillips were honored when Mrs. Carl Colwick entertained members of the eighth grade with a swim and supper at her ranch home Monday afternoon. The class enjoyed a country school closing in which Doris Bean was the winner.

Those present were Myrtastine Hokit, Doris Busby, Mozelle Haire, Jo Nell Coose, Doris Bean, Benny Gail Phillips, Palma Trull, Mildred Porter, Peggy Jeffreys, Lavern Tillery, Lois Nell Williams, Billie J. Leatherwood, Billie Rose Schwalbe, Dick Lee McDonald, Carlton Smith, Pierce Reese, Earl Tillery, Buddy Russell, John Fussell, Charles Snyder, Mrs. Byron McDonald, Mrs. George Russell, Mrs. C. E. Davidson, Jr., Mrs. George Bean, Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mrs. J. A. Fussell, Miss Zelma Scott, and Buddy Phillips.

Mrs. Seahorn Is Victory Club Hostess

The Victory Club met with Mrs. Pon Seahorn in the home of Mrs. Buddy Moore, Friday afternoon. Mrs. Hugh Gray won high club, Mrs. I. G. Rape, high guest, and Mrs. A. E. Deland, traveling prize.

A salad plate was served to Mrs. Audra Moore, Mrs. Deland, Mrs. M. A. Rannion, Mrs. Ray Dunlap, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. W. R. Cabaness, Mrs. J. A. Fussell, Mrs. B. B. Ingham, Mrs. Rape, Mrs. John Bailey, Mrs. B. C. Flowers, Mrs. L. B. Townsend, Mrs. M. Johnson, Mrs. W. R. Baggett, and Mrs. P. T. Robison.

Mrs. C. M. Tandy, of Abilene, mother of Dr. H. B. Tandy, is here for a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Tandy and children.

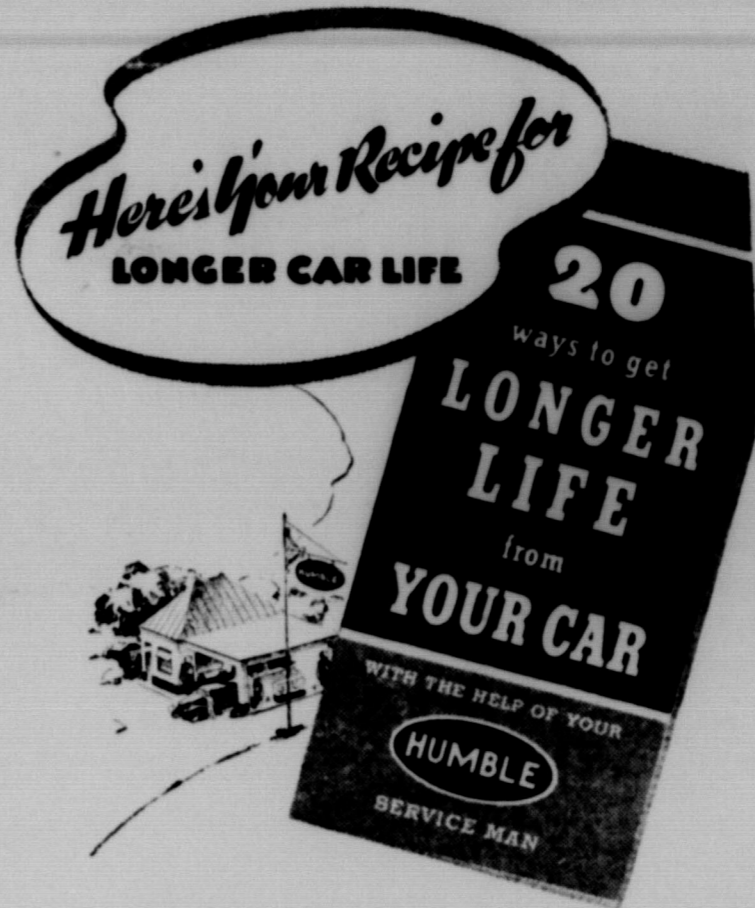
Hendersons Hosts To Forty-Two Club

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson were hosts to their forty-two club Tuesday evening. Defense stamps were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Massie West high club, Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Mayes, low club, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Perner, high guest, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Childress low guest.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Oberkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Hillery Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Bascomb Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Ste-

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by Joe Marsh

RUMMAGING through my desk the other day, I came across some snapshots of friends of mine made back in 1933.

If you don't think time flies . . . if you don't think this world ever changes . . . you ought to look at the women's hats and dresses in those pictures taken 9 years ago!

It gave me quite a start . . . and then it set me to thinking . . . and rememberin'! Lots of things sure happened in 1933. A new administration in Washington . . . the turning point of the depression . . . and the coming of Repeal.

I remember the re-legalization of beer. It came before Repeal, when Congress amended the old Volstead Act to allow legal sale of "21" beer.

What talk and arguments they had in those days! One argument I remember well . . . was that beer would do a lot to help bring back prosperity. I wondered at the time whether that argument could be proved.

I thought about that again, the other day. I decided to check up and find out.

Well, I found out plenty. I found out that legal beer has paid more than 3 billion dollars in taxes since 1933. It has made more than a million new jobs.

According to one of the reports I've seen, beer has put more than 15 billion dollars into general business circulation. Goodness me, that's a lot of money.

Beer is sold today in every state in the Union. Every state benefits from beer's jobs and taxes. And I guess there's no denying that beer did do its share in bringing back better times.

I'm glad it did, too, because beer is such a pleasant, appetizing beverage. And it stands for moderation and moderate people . . . it's not likely to get you in trouble.

Joe Marsh

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ADELE KEETON, born to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Keeton Sept. 12, 1924. Freshman year—Press club, H. E. club, pep squad. Sophomore year—Press club, band, pep squad. Junior year—Vice-president of press club, assistant editor, H. E. club, historical society (secretary), band, pep squad, treasurer of Junior class. Senior year—President of press club, editor of Lion's Roar, president of H. E. club, secretary of historical club, band, pep squad, and senior play.

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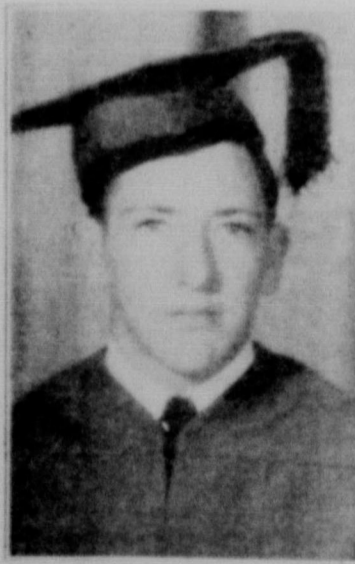


CARL THURMAN, born to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thurman Dec. 18, 1922. Freshman year—Football. He played basketball his freshman year and came out for 1941-42 junior year.



DOROTHY CAPPS, born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Capps Oct. 16, 1924. Freshman year—H. E. club, band, pep squad. Sophomore year—Press club, band, pep squad, band, H. E. club, press club, historical society. Senior year—Band, press club, H. E. club.

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BYRON WILLIAMS, son of Mrs. Charles Williams, born Nov. 2, 1923. Freshman year—Football (reserve), basketball, tennis, band, press club, Boy Scout. Sophomore year—Football (lettered), basketball (lettered), tennis, band, press club, Boy Scout. Junior year—Football (lettered), basketball, track, band, historical club, Boy Scout. Senior year—Football (lettered), basketball, historical club.

SENIORS PRESENT "VITALIZED" COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Once again the graduation season approaches, and more than a million high school seniors will graduate in 1942. In recent years, an increasing number of schools have enriched their programs through new and improved practices. Some schools have based their programs around the theme of guidance, personal growth, and individual differences; but Ozona's so-called "vitalized" program has incorporated these themes into an interpretation of the Educational Policies Commission's volume on "The Purpose of Education in American Democracy."

The students, with everyone participating, are presenting the story of modern education, its aims, its struggles, its achievements. Here will be a message for the people of Ozona, the story of their own public schools, a democratic institution of a freedom-loving people. Here in language clear and colorful, the seniors are trying to show what a good school tries to do: how it helps children grow into healthy maturity, good workers, good neighbors, good citizens.

Guidance is one of the crucial problems in education. Every day brings some new challenge and some answering development in American education. Every year adds its quota to the record of significant progress. Schools have far to go before they fully guarantee the right promises of the democratic tradition. But those who work in the schools, along with the parents and adults whom they serve, still press forward, hopefully, steadily, and eagerly.

"This program deals with the objectives of education classified in four major areas: 1) the objectives of human relationships; 2)

the objectives of economic efficiency; 3) the objectives of civic responsibility. The program interprets what this school is doing to achieve these purposes. The entire exercise has been written as a correlation to the class room activities.

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Who's Who In 1955

Adele Keeton—Head of "Elizabeth's Gambling Tavern" of New York City. Ex-wife of "Louie the Lug," she is now Mrs. Trigger Fuller. Her home address is 310th St. just above Sloppy Joe's.

Mary Faye Lucas—Beloved wife of Adrain X of Hollywood, who followed in the footsteps of his famous father, Adrain I. Mr. and Mrs. Adrain are the proud parents of Thurley Dimple, the darling of the screen.

Dorothy Capps—Private secretary to John D. Rockefeller III. She attended University of Minnesota, University of Texas and she was the only woman to ever attend Texas A & M and Oxford University. Her address is Park Avenue, New York.

Gem Ella Dudley—Broken hearted, because of her indefinitely-postponed engagement to Captain James Stewart of the air corps and of Hollywood, she is now an old maid school teacher of Zeno, Texas.

Mary V. Graham—Cuban dancer featured with "Dan the Rumba Man" and his Cubateasers. Married to Don Juan in 1943, she is now the mother of Maria Elena, Rita Rita, Rosita, and Don Juan, Jr. Her present address is Villa Arcana, Mex.

Norma Lovelace—World's Famous Tennis Champion. Married to Senator Byron Williams of Texas, who hates tennis and probably his wife. This couple was joined in holy matrimony in 1948 and their marriage has been blessed with one child, Fluvellen Coop Williams. Mrs. Williams can be found at any of these addresses—The Society Club, the Seniors' Club, The Country Club, The Dine and Dance Club, all in Washington, D. C.

Mary Lee Brown—Distinguished Red Cross nurse during the second world war. She was awarded the Distinguished Service medal for her bravery in the battle of India. She is the widowed wife of Captain High Clouds, who was killed in action "over there." She is now head of the Red Cross of America and her address is 210 Lexington Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Claude Everett—Sixth wife of playboy, Tommy Manxville. Her husband gave her a beautiful yacht for a wedding present in which Mrs. Manxville has made several excursions up the Pecos River. She is the stepmother of her children and is the mother of one child, Lynn Manxville. Mrs. Manxville's present address is Reno, Nevada.

Carl Thurman—Pratfallweight champion of the world. Joe Louis. (Continued on Page seven)

A Tribute To Band Director Pingelton

The time most close when teaching and studying meet part. That time has come for the Seniors of OHS; and it seems worse this year as we part with our sponsor, Mr.



CYRIL PINGELTON

Cyril Pingelton, who has gone to help our Uncle Sam slap the Japs off the map.

Mr. Pingelton was born in Panshandle, Texas, May 15, 1918. There he attended grade school and high school. He started playing the trombone when he placed high school. His ability to play this instrument proved to be an asset in his later life. In his junior year at Panshandle High he received national recognition in Madison, Wisconsin, at the Hardin-Simmons University, where he studied for four years. He became a member of the famous cowboy band which made trips representing the school. One summer this band spent a month in Mexico. They went to Utah, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, and many other places to play for rodeos. They also went to Washington, D. C. Tickets had been bought for them to go to Europe in 1936, but due to the conflict which seemed to be getting worse and worse, this trip was postponed.

Mr. Pingelton brought his trombone that he used in both high school and Hardin-Simmons to Ozona with him. Marshall Sweeten, one of the members of the Junior band, has been using this horn. As Mr. Pingelton said, "It is a good thing that horn can't talk." It has been in all kinds of condition—from being smashed flat by a drunk, to being stolen and misplaced by a Negro." It has been on all the trips with Mr. Pingelton. It would be a pleasure to sit and listen to the tales that this trombone could tell.

The Seniors of '41 and '42 consider it an honor to have had a man who will soon be a member of Uncle Sam's armed forces as a sponsor for the past year. He has been very cooperative and has worked hard to make every thing we did a success. It is with deep regret that the Seniors bid farewell to the best sponsor that a Senior class ever had. We realize that Mr. Pingelton resigned his position as our director and sponsor because of his interest in our welfare. By tending his resignation, Mr. Pingelton made it possi-



MARY FAY LUCAS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lucas, born August 31, 1925. Freshman year—Pep squad, twirler, H. E. club. Sophomore year—Press club, pep squad, twirler. Junior year—H. E. club, historical society, press club, band, twirler. Senior year—Band, H. E. club, historical society, press club, senior play.



BILL CARLSON, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carlson, born May 28, 1925. Freshman year—Basketball, band, tennis, football. Sophomore year—Football, tennis, band, basketball. Junior year—Basketball, band, track, tennis. Senior year—Football, tennis, band, basketball, tumbling, senior play, boys quartet, historical.

Summary Of The Seniors' Fishing And Camping Trip

Dawn broke gray, and the elements made every effort to put a damper on the Seniors Thursday morning; but they did not see the dawn and were too full of enthusiasm to let wind or weather change their plans. After all, the time had come to make the trip—so why wait? There was little interest in morning classes; in fact, a few failed to make it.

By 2 p. m. baggage, cots and covers were loaded onto the three trucks along with boat, motor, and groceries—not to mention Bubba, the cook, and all the girls. One over-size sponsor managed to climb aboard the last truck, but the others were left to try and catch up—which they did before we got far from town.

The ride was rough but no one seemed to mind—this was fun. Claude met the caravan at the fair city of Pandale where we stormed to the biggest store in town to get cokes and a look at each other. Gosh, but everybody looked funny! "S'wonderful" what the wind can do to modern girls' looks. The boys didn't care how they looked, but the girls made efforts to regain their glamor—if any!

Upon our arrival at the camp site we found a newly cleaned camp ground under beautiful dense trees. Thanks to Mr. Rufe Everett. Within a few minutes the trucks were unloaded and the cots were put up on a big concrete slab under the largest mulberry tree we had ever seen.

Then the crowd scattered. Some went fishing and some prepared to take a swim in the swift running, chilly Pecos. Others put the boat in the water and proceeded to explore the river. Bubba, the cook, proceeded to prepare the evening meal. He first made a big pot of coffee and offered some to Mr. Carson and Mr. Lovelace, who made terrible faces and spit out the first swallow. The cook looked astonished—he didn't know the Pecos was salty. He was immediately shown the big spring near the camp.

The Mighty Stanley got near the river in an attempt to help with (Continued on Page Seven)

ble for the board to elect another director before the shortages of qualified band masters was too acute.

This senior edition of the Lion's Roar is dedicated to Cyril Pingelton with our very best wishes for his happiness. With this, the whole student body joins the Seniors in saying, "Goodbye, Mr. Pingelton, hurry back to us for we all really miss you."

CLASS HISTORY

The Seniors of 1941-42 are quite proud of the fact that ten of the eighteen members of their class started out in the kindergarten together in 1939 and have attended Ozona schools all the way through. This class was the first class to use the kindergarten building which is being used now. Mary Faye Lucas, Adele Keeton, Dorothy Capps, Floyd Hokit, Stanley Lemmons, Wayne West, Bill Carlson, Gem Ella Dudley, Lloyd Coates and Byron Williams are those ten students who have grown up in Ozona schools. In 1931, Tennessee sent one of its pupils, Billy Hannah, to join this class in the first grade. When these students reached the fifth grade, Mary V. Graham came in from the ranch where her mother had been her teacher and joined this class in their first year in Junior High School. With the beginning of the term 1939-40 we find two girls have joined this class, Norma Lovelace, coming from San Angelo, and Mary Lee Brown, who has gone to Ozona school all the time except for one term in Crane, but joined us in the 8th grade. Four pupils have been added to the class this year. Garrett McWilliams came from Austin to attend school here as a senior. Dan Gerdes came from Utopia. Carl Thurman, who came to Ozona from Sonora and started to school here in the second grade, joined us this year as did Claude Everett coming from Del Rio and starting in the ninth grade.



WAYNE WEST, born May 25, 1925 to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. West. Freshman year—President of Freshman year, football letterman. Sophomore year—Vice president of press club, football letterman. Junior year—Football letterman, president of historical club, president of class, assistant editor of annual, band, track. Senior year—Football captain, historical society, president of class, band.

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NORMA LOVELACE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Lovelace. Born Oct. 18, 1924. Sophomore year—H. E. club, pep squad. Junior year—H. E. club, pep squad, historical club. Senior year—H. E. club, pep squad, historical club.

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FLOYD HOKIT, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hokit, born Oct. 7, 1924. Freshman year—Basketball, tennis, football (reserve), track, vice president of class. Sophomore year—Letter in football, president of class, track, basketball, tennis. Junior year—Letter in football, vice president, tennis, track. Senior year—Letter in football, tennis, senior play, vice-president of class.

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CLAUDE EVERETT, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufe Everett, born Feb. 9, 1923. Sophomore year—H. E. club, declamatory, pep squad. Junior year—H. E. club, press club, declamatory, pep squad, historical club. Senior year—H. E. club, press club, band.

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Former heavyweight, managed to stay in the ring two round with Carl. He is married to Wee Bonnie Baker and the couple have been blessed with eight "little" Thurmans.

Stanley Lemmons—Priest in St. Paul's Cathedral in Houston, Texas. Father Lemmons was educated at Yale University, St. James Seminary, The Shrine of St. Cecilia, and St. Peter's Mission in Rome. His address is Houston, Texas.

Wayne West—Leader of "The Lost Expeditionary Force" in South Africa. Mr. West left on the expedition five years ago to find the only living animal that produces rubber. He never came out of the jungle. Surviving are the widow, the former Hedy Lamarr of Hollywood and four children, Rose Margaret, John James, Sue Ellen, and Percy Sylvester.

Floyd Hokit—Director and producer of "The Most Beautiful Girls in the World" show which consists of girls picked only by Mr. Hokit. He has been married three times but at present he is unattached. His ex-wives were Lana Turner, Ann Sheridan, and Rita Hayworth. His present address is Los Angeles, Cal.

Garrett McWilliams—Current heartthrob of the feminine population of the U. S. Mr. McWilliams played the title role in "For Whom the Wind Blows." Garrett is now engaged to "Pickles" O'Hara of Dry Dust, Arizona. He can be reached at Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studio of Hollywood.

Dan Gerdes—World-wide news commentator for the New York Globe. He broadcasts every Sunday night over the Nation Broadcasting Company for Ponds. Mr. Gerdes is married to Brenda Frazier, the New York Deb. At the present Mr. and Mrs. Gerdes are honeymooning in Havana, Cuba.

Lloyd Coates—Director of Philadelphia's Twelfth Symphony Orchestra. He studied music in Hungary, Austria, and Italy. Mr. Coates returned to Europe for his first performance. His wife is the former Miss Margaret Russell of Ozona, Texas. Their present address is Miami, Fla.

Bill Carson—Head of the English Department of Harvard University. He attended school at New Mexico Military Institute, Texas A & M, University of California, Oklahoma, Florida University, and the University of New York. His recent book "Why Men Should Not Marry" has caused nation wide attention. His present address is Boston, Mass.

Billy Hannah—Author of the famous novel "How to Make Love." Dr. Hannah received his degree from Oxford University, and he has traveled extensively all over the world. His wife is the former Mary Ferner. They have six children—Tony, Lovena, Roger, Elmer, Myrtle, and Homer. Their home is located in Lubbock, Texas.

Byron Williams—United States Senator from Texas. He promoted the famous liquor bill. The Senator was married to Norma Lovelace in 1948 and they have one daughter. In the last meeting of the Senate he held a "ribuster" which lasted three days. He was taken utterly exhausted to his home and placed under the care of a physician. Senator Williams is the right hand man of the president.



GEM ELLA DUDLEY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dudley. Born May 10, 1925. Secretary of class, four years; twirler, four years; band, four years; letter in volleyball three years; tennis, three years; member of historical club, two years; press club, three years; H. E. club, two years; yell assistant, one year; pep squad, four years; activity editor of annual, one year; salutatorian, member of senior class.



BILLY HANNAH, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hannah, born Jan. 18, 1925. Freshman year—Football, basketball, track, tennis, band. Sophomore year—Football, basketball, track, tennis, band. Junior year—Football, basketball, track, tennis, band. Senior year—Football, basketball, tumbling, band, president of historical society, boys quartet, tennis, senior play.



MARY LEE BROWN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mary Williams, was born March 4, 1922. She was a member of the H. E. club her senior year.



GARRETT McWILLIAMS, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McWilliams, born May 23, 1924. Glee club '39, Spanish club '39, '40, '41, '42, band '39, '40, '41, '42, forum club '40, '41, athletic club '40, '41, '42, football '40, '41, '42, football manager '41, boy's quartet '41, '42, Senior play '42, reporter of Senior class '41, '42, press club '41, '42.



STANLEY LEMMONS, son of Mrs. Ben Lemmons born August 12, 1925. Freshman year—Press club, football, tennis, Boy Scouts. Sophomore year—Football, tennis, Boy Scouts. Junior year—Football, tennis, Boy Scouts. Senior year—Football, valedictorian.



DAN GERDES, son of Mr. Carl Gerdes, born Jan. 16, 1925. He played softball his freshman and sophomore years and baseball his Junior year. Dan moved here this year.



MARY A. GRAHAM, daughter of Mrs. Joe Graham. Born Oct. 12, 1924. Sophomore year—H. E. club. Junior year—H. E. club, pep squad. Senior year—H. E. club.



LLOYD COATES, born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coates Feb. 21, 1925. Freshman year—Letter in football, bouncer of class. Sophomore year—Letter in football, bouncer of class. Senior year—letter in football, senior play.

Notes From The Seniors' Bookmarks

A novel that casts a spell: "Islandia" written of an imaginary land, is a book of unique character. By Austin Tarper Wright 1913 pub. New York: Farrar and Rinehart.

Every man has his Islandia. For most it is but a childhood dream, or a fantasy mothered by discontent; but Austin Wright had the essential nerve to pursue his dream and he sought it firmly in his two hands. For it is not another Utopia, it is as real as any country on the map, rather small, occupying the southern promontory of the South Pacific. Its 3,000,000 inhabitants are white, intelligent, simple in their culture, and highly emotional.

Essentially, it is in the comparison of a simple, agrarian way of life with our stormy, complex civilization that Islandia finds its great power and distinction. It is for each reader to decide whether the Islandian life is better than ours. The cards are stacked against the American way of life by the very origin of the book as a dream-compensation for personal lacks. But none the less, it is a unique, brilliantly conceived and brilliantly executed book which one reads with avid excitement despite its great length.

Recommended: John Steinbeck's heroic tale, "The Moon Is Down," a narrative of great dramatic intensity, "Napoleon's Invasion of Russia," Eugene Tarple's admirable account of that ill-fated venture, a superb historical novel, "Don Pedro and The Devil," Elmer Miss recreates the drama of Pedro's conquest, "The Nazi Underground In South America," by Hugo Frenander-Artacho, a survey of German and Japanese penetration of the Latin republics; Mr. Bruce Hutchison's revealing picture of our northern neighbor, "Canada: Her Past and Present."

Highlights Of '41 And '42 For The Seniors

- Sept. 20, 1941—Football game, Ozona 19, Rankin 0.
- Sept. 27, 1941—Football game, Ozona 26, Junction 8.
- Oct. 4, 1941—Football game, Ozona 20, Big Lake 13.
- Oct. 11, 1941—Football game, Ozona 34, Rock Springs 7.
- Oct. 16, 1941—Supper given by Senior room mothers.
- Oct. 17, 1941—Football game, Ozona 7, Minard 0.
- Nov. 1, 1941—Football game, Ozona 12, Mason 6.
- Nov. 11, 1941—Football game, Ozona 12, Sonora 0.
- Nov. 22, 1941—Football game, Ozona 6, Eldorado 5.
- Nov. 26, 1941—B-District game, Ozona 21, Benito 6.
- Jan. 22, 1942—Football banquet.
- Feb. 27, 1942—Dinner given for Seniors by Mrs. Charles Coates.
- March 4, 1942—Dinner given by Mrs. W. W. West. Theatrical party by Mrs. Gertrude Perry.
- March 27, 1942—Senior play, "Early" given by Mrs. J. M. Dudley.
- March 30, 1942—Senior party given by Mrs. McWilliams and Mrs. Hannah.
- April 14, 1942—Press club banquet.
- April 24, 1942—Seniors honored at dance by high school mothers.
- April 29, 1942—Band concert.
- April 30, 1942—Junior-Senior banquet.
- May 1, 1942—Wiener roast given by Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Hokit.
- May 4, 1942—Band picnic.
- May 7, 1942—Senior Trip.

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May 12, 1942—Senior picnic given by Mrs. Charles Williams.

May 15, 1942—Senior picnic given by Mr. and Mrs. Keeton, Mr. and Mrs. Lovelace, Mr. and Mrs. Lott.

May 21, 1942—Commencement. Senior dance given by Mrs. Lemmons.

Bill and Billy, together with Mary A. Mary Lee, Claudie, Dot, Faye, and Norma were the first to get in swimming. After a few minutes the girls decided the water was too swift to swim back across to camp so the boy suggested we wade back across the rapids. The boys had on their shoes, but of course we were bare footed. The softness of the Hindu on spikes is something compared to the punishment those beautiful rocks at the bottom of the Pecos gave us. We fell down and bounced among the waves and rocks while the boys laughed and we cried with pain and fear that we would wash completely away. Claudie was the only smart one—she merely swam back across like a duck and stood on the bank and laughed at us while we took the "easy" way back!

By the time we got back to camp, supper was called. The cook had prepared a nice supper for all twenty-two of us, but the first twenty took it all. It was a few minutes before all of us had eaten twice as much as we needed.

We then prepared our beds and the men and some of the boys went fishing. The ladies started a forty-two game. Claudie and Floyd played the victrola while others of us attempted to go to sleep, which was impossible. Then some of the fishermen came back. Mustard and Boochie had caught a big cat fish—fully five inches long! Bill and Billy decided it was too peaceful, so they got their horns and played their loudest and worst. By 2 o'clock it appeared that we would get some sleep. Notwithstanding the fact that Dot, Claudie, and Floyd were still playing the victrola. Then the last of the fishermen came in with quite a few nice fish and all went to bed except Mr. Lovelace. He said something to Red and started to his bed, but several said that they were hungry. In three minutes that a dozen or more were broiling bacon over the fire and making sandwiches. By 3:30 the second evening meal was over and again all went to bed. Things were quiet and peaceful for fully ten minutes when Red grabbed his surnet and played "Reville" over and over. Then he played "Blues in the Night." He said, "His mamma done tel' him" and he played it again. Wayne pleaded with him to stop, but the artist would be heard. At the end of each number Wayne would cry out, "Look—I gotta get some sleep." Where upon Red would play another. Dot, Claudie, and Hokit were still playing the victrola.

As the gray dawn appeared over the hills, the wind began to blow and the rain came peppering down. The rain put a stop to the music, but it got the cook up and he began to rattle pots and pans. It was no use, sleep was out of the question. The wind shook nice juicy mulberries down in our faces, in

FINIS

It is all over. The last notebook is checked. The last grades are averaged. My room, that has rung with laughter, and lessons, and my earnest exhortations for the whole year.

Stands empty now. Bright and still in the cloudy day light. They are all gone—all my Seniors that I have loved so dearly. On the board. Printed unevenly. Stands a single sentence. To show what the graduates feel—"When we were a bunch of kids, And below it the date. In my desk lie two red-checked papers.

The folks at camp were agreeably surprised at our early return and no doubt wondered why we went at all. Well, even we didn't know that—except we wanted to see the Judge's famous place of business. After this trip we were really ready to sleep, which we did, except for a few smart children, we will let Red tell us why. Morning found us all ready to return to our wonderful homes. I say wonderful homes because the beds were so soft, the modern conveniences so enjoyable and the nights so quiet and peaceful.

There will be no more watching Dorothy's shining eyes lifted to mine in class— No more encouraging Adele's charming essays— No more trying desperately to get Floyd to recite. My task is ended. Next year another teacher takes my place. And my work stands to be judged. —Adapted from Kathleen Eiland's poem.

our hair, and, in fact, all over us. Someone put his shoe on only to find it full of mulberries. The sandwich eaters were not among the first to breakfast but they finally came around. Two of them were a little later than the others. They had gone for a sunrise swim in the spring. The greater part of the morning was spent sitting in Doc trucks (under tarp) playing checkers or trying to find a dry place. A 19-

le before noon the sun came out. This started a boat riding excursion wherein Mustard was motor operator and Stanley played the part of co-pilot. Shading his eagle eyes with one hand, he scanned the deep. The first few trips were uneventful but the last trip carried the full crew and all passengers to the bottom which was fully three feet below the angry waves on the surface. The dinner call paralyzed all boat traffic.

We all enjoyed an unusually good noon meal. Not the least of which was Mrs. Tom Everett's delicious gigantic hammy pie. These Everetts, they beat anyone we ever saw. Not content with providing us with a beautiful place for our camp, they brought us pie. Mr. Rufe brought us a nice fat kid; Tom brought his fishing lines and bait. Mrs. Everett furnished real potato salad. We say again, you can't beat the Everetts for real hospitality.

Friday afternoon was enjoyed in swimming, boating, and fishing. Mrs. Williams painted, Mrs. McWilliams worked on her Red Cross sewing, and Mrs. Dudley knitted.

Just before supper Miss Kirbie and Miss Meyers arrived at our camp. We were really glad to see both of them. They were all dressed up for the occasion and didn't look a bit like a school teacher. They were immediately the center of attraction. Ask Gem Ella if they weren't.

By night fall there were strong rumors about a trip to Langtry. After supper these rumors became facts. When we all loaded up with Mr. Pingelton and Mr. Lovelace and started for the bright lights of Judge Roy Bean's fair little city. We arrived in time to see the last lights turned out and a lonesome switch engine on the S. P. tracks was the only thing which seemed to be awake.

The folks at camp were agreeably surprised at our early return and no doubt wondered why we went at all. Well, even we didn't know that—except we wanted to see the Judge's famous place of business. After this trip we were really ready to sleep, which we did, except for a few smart children, we will let Red tell us why. Morning found us all ready to return to our wonderful homes. I say wonderful homes because the beds were so soft, the modern conveniences so enjoyable and the nights so quiet and peaceful.

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Driver License Rush Expected Unless Applicants Speed Up

AUSTIN — Nine hundred thousand Texas drivers' licenses have been issued under the new driver's license law since last October 1. State Public Safety Director Homer Garrison announced today.

This is considerably less than half the 2,250,000 licenses which are expected to be issued by the end of September, Garrison said, warning that an unmitigated rush will serve little in the summer unless the rate of applications is speeded up immediately. "The license law is in effect for only 100,000 licenses a month now, and is prepared to give rapid service," Garrison said. "If the applications continue to come in at their present rate, the number of applications each month will have to jump to 250,000 or 300,000 in July, August and September to meet the deadline."

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John K. Madsen, Utah Rambouillet Breeder, Dies Of Heart Attack

John K. Madsen, Mr. Pleasant, Utah, prominent American Rambouillet sheep breeder and immediate past president of the American Rambouillet Sheep Breeders Association, died at his home in Mt. Pleasant Monday of a heart ailment.

Mr. Madsen was well known to many ranchmen of Crockett County and surrounding area, having been among the many outstanding Rambouillet breeders to bring sheep here each year to the Crockett County stock show and sale. News of his death was conveyed in a telegram received here by J. W. Owens, Rambouillet breeder and former president of the Rambouillet Association, and Vic Pierce, another Crockett breeder, who succeeded Mr. Madsen as association president.

Funeral services are to be held at 2 p. m. Friday in Mt. Pleasant. Mr. Madsen was 50 years old. The widow, a son and two daughters survive.

Miss Ruth Graydon entertained members of the 4th grade piano class with a theme party Thursday to see "The Chocolate Soldier." Those attending were Miggins Davidson, Jo Nell Coone, Annela Rabb, Benny Galt Phillips, and Doris Bean.

Among services specifically excluded from the OPA's Maximum Price Regulation are professional, advertising, insurance, entertainment, transportation, and harbor dues.

BYRON WILLIAMS HONORED

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clayton, Mrs. Charles Williams and Miss Elizabeth Fassel honored Byron Williams with a barbecue supper, swim and dance at the Joe Clayton ranch Tuesday evening. An orchestra composed of Hubert Baker, Richard Miller, Earl McWilliams, W. V. Adwell and Joe Clayton furnished music. Fifty-five guests were present.

Half Of Scrap Metal From Farms Thought Collected

COLLEGE STATION—As salvage officials prepared to launch an all-out campaign to get more scrap metals collected, county USDA war board reports indicate that Texas farmers already have sold half the scrap from their farms.

The Texas USDA War Board is making a survey of the results of its state-wide campaign to get scrap iron off the farms and into the mills.

Reports from 156 counties as of March 31, indicate that 47,227 tons of scrap metal have been delivered by the farmers in those counties but that an additional 48,000 tons still remain on the farms.

Complete reports from 254 counties on the number of auto graveyards in the state show 1,857 graveyards with a total of 37,893 cars. This does not include auto graveyards in cities of 10,000 or more population, as the WPA made a separate survey in those cities.

Mrs. A. W. Jones is spending several days here this week visiting friends. Mrs. Jones is on her way to San Antonio where she plans to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. G. F. Nokes. Mr. Jones, who operated a boot and saddle shop here for a number of years, and who was in a similar business at Uvalde, recently passed away in that city.

An American engineer has just found ways to eliminate 150 different operations from the manufacture of a single ordnance unit, thus opening the way for war plants to produce the unit at a more rapid rate than formerly.

Mrs. Robert Meylin, Jr., of Belton, Miss., and Mrs. Bill Grimmer of Winfield, Iowa, are expected here this week-end to visit their parents, Judge and Mrs. Charles E. Davidson. Mrs. Mark Garver of Baltimore, Md., and her three-month-old son, Mark Davidson, are here visiting the Davidsons.

Price Ceiling Regulations Go Into Effect On May 18

DALLAS—The first effects of the over-all price ceiling will be visible to the consumer on May 18.

That is the day the retail ceiling goes into effect, and also the day when every person offering to sell a cost-of-living commodity at retail shall have marked the maximum price of such commodity in a manner plainly visible to and understandable by the purchasing public.

The maximum price may be marked on the commodity itself or on the shelf, bin, rack or other holder on container upon which the commodity is kept. Or the maximum price may be posted at the place in the business establishment where the commodity is offered for sale.

Under the regulations, the maximum shall be stated as follows: "Ceiling Price \$—.—," or "Our Ceiling \$—.—."

It might be noted, Office of Price Administration officials have said, that the seller may sell commodities at lower than the ceiling price if he desires.

Corporal and Mrs. Clifton W. Tallafarro were here for a visit with Corp. Tallafarro's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Tallafarro, over the week-end. Corp. Tallafarro is stationed at the Replacement Center at Kelly Field, San Antonio.

BASCOM GILES FINDS IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

AUSTIN—Bascom Giles, Commissioner of the General Land Office, recently announced the awarding to the highest bidder of 363 tracts of School Land which had

been advertised for sale by the School Land Board.

Commissioner Giles said after studying the numerous bids received that "this was the most successful sale of School Land held in recent years. The Public Free School Fund received the highest average price per acre and also the highest

average price per tract that was ever received in the State's history."

Commissioner Giles attributed a large part of the success of the sale to the advertisements run in newspapers; and he is, therefore, convinced that "it pays to advertise."



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A Statement to the VOTERS of Crockett County

In order to present clearly the basis on which I am making the race for the office of Sheriff, Assessor and Collector of taxes in Crockett County I am presenting this statement of my aims and purposes and the things for which I stand.

In the first place, I would make it clear that I am the candidate of no individual or clique. In other words, nobody is "running" me and nobody will have any special claims on me if you elect me to office.

I have belled no tigers nor tamed any lions, but I sincerely believe that I am capable of making the kind of sheriff that the people of Crockett County want and need. I do not believe that the people of this county need a pistol and blackjack totting sheriff to keep the peace. If you see fit to elect me sheriff I will not build a fence around the town to keep out the bad men. In my long years of residence here I have yet to see one here, but if they should choose to come I feel that I would be able to take care of them.

Of one other thing you can be certain . . . If I find a mad dog in one citizen's yard, I won't take him and deposit him in another's yard. Every citizen and every section of the town and county will get equal treatment at my hands.

If you think that I will make you the kind of sheriff you need and want, I will appreciate your vote. If you think otherwise, and cast your vote against me, I will think none the less of you and we will be just as good friends as we are now. If you elect me I will give my undivided attention to performing the duties of the office to the very best of my ability, but if I am not elected that fact will have no bearing whatever on whether or not I continue to get my three square meals a day. If I am elected sheriff, I will keep the peace myself and do my best to see that others do likewise.

And if I employ a deputy to assist in law enforcement work, I will not import a professional gunman. I believe we have citizens entirely capable of performing such duties and I will choose deputies from among our own citizenship.

Mike Couch
CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF, ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES CROCKETT COUNTY

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Draft Board Officials (Continued from Page One)

classification of registrants, will be held with representatives from state headquarters in charge. Clyde Vinson, chairman of the San Angelo local board, is in charge of local arrangements for the meeting.

Crockett county's board is composed of Bryan McDonald, Madden Read and Evert White.

COUNTY BILLS PAID

The following bills were allowed and ordered paid by the Commissioners Court in session here this week: Joe Oberkamp \$79.70; Ozona Drug Store, \$38.88; Burroughs Adding Machine Co., \$7.80; Public Sanitary Products Co., \$104.94; Gulf Oil Corp., \$7.50; Smith Drug Store, \$7.20; Ozona Boot & Saddlery, \$9.70; C. B. Hubbard, \$13.30; Clark & Courts Stationers, \$6.12; Maverick Clarke L. The Co., Stationers, \$64.21; Stock Co. Stationers, \$18.89; Hill Printing & Stationery Co., \$1.09; Geo. E. Barnard Stationery Co., \$379.75; Miller Firestone Service, \$145.31; Dr. G. L. Neuzer, \$24.00; North Motor Co., \$70.82; Earl Deland, \$5.74; Wm. K. Holt Machinery Co., \$26.74; Tallafarro Garage, \$58.85; Louis Donaho, \$1.50; J. A. Boyd, Sheriff, \$91.55; C. C. Luther, \$96.12; Humble Oil & Refining Co., \$192.24; Wilson Motor Co., \$22.73.

Local retailers must mark the maximum prices, i. e., the highest prices charged in March, 1942, on cost-of-living commodities offered for sale on and after May 18, under the OPA's over-all price ceiling.

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