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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

## SMOKE

FROM THE MOUNTAIN

Just what was Mary Lee Ford screaming about Monday in the store? Something seems to have startled Mary but the customers got a big laugh.

From the looks of some of these roads and ruts around the country this week, practically anybody could be arrested for "drunken driving" since zigzagging is supposed to be one symptom of that malady.

IF YOU WANT TO KNOW: Who the curious are in Santa Anna, stop by the Recreation Building two afternoons a week. Participants on the inside might consider passing the hat to such an appreciative audience.

One thing we learned about not publishing the softball schedule last week is that the readers notice what isn't in the paper. The real reason for the omission was because of make-up games and the rains put together last week made everyone rather undecided what to do next. It looked like it would turn out to be softball in boats or hip boots.

Is Reg proud? Now he has a big new Stetson hat to go with his cowboy boots. We are wondering if his hat fits any better than his boots.

If you are going to do your spooning, we'd advise the couples NOT to stand under a light post to do it, because Mr. Teague has good ears. It just happened he was repairing some wires one evening on top of one of these poles and overheard a conversation you'd give a pretty penny to learn more about.

In keeping with the newly acquired dignity of a college graduate, Tom Wallis is sporting a brand new mustache.

## Farmers Produce Formally Opens

Mrs. M. B. Cannon of May Manager of Firm; Opening Continues Through Sat.

Mrs. M. B. Cannon of May arrived yesterday to become manager of the Farmers Produce Co., which is having its formal opening this week. The Produce house opened Wednesday for Trades Day and will continue the opening through Saturday.

Mrs. Cannon, who has been in the produce business in May for the past two years has had a great deal of experience in this line of work. The firm here is located in the tin building across from the City Hall, and the building has been remodeled, repainted and refurbished for the new business.

Only the most modern and up-to-date equipment has been installed for the handling of cream, eggs, poultry and other produce. Completely equipped for testing cream, weighing and grading eggs and other new equipment necessary for the firm has been purchased.

## Miss Golston Graduates From Sealy Hospital

Commencement Exercises Held at Nurses Residence May 29

Graduation Exercises for Miss Emily J. Golston, who completed her nurses training this spring at the Sealy Hospital were held at the Nurses Residence, Saturday, May 29 at 8 p. m.

The class address was delivered by Dr. E. D. McDonald and diploma was presented by Dr. R. E. Sealy.

The complete program is given as follows: Invocation, Piano Solo, Miss Teal; Class Address, Dr. McDonald; Duet, Misses Wood and Patterson; Dialogue, Misses Harwell and Todd; Floriole; Salutatory Pledge, led by Miss Olga Neal; Presentation of Miss Miss Catherine...

## Attorney Hired To Collect City Delinquent Tax

### Law Provides Local Unit May Sue for Money

John Williamson of Coleman Secured as Attorney; Will Begin Work June 15

In accordance with the new law recently passed by the Texas legislature, the City Council voted unanimously at its meeting Thursday to hire a City Attorney who will collect delinquent taxes.

The attorney selected was John Williamson, practicing attorney of Coleman, who will be given positive instructions to collect these taxes. His work will begin June 15.

Previous to the passing of this law, the city taxes were the last paid, the state, county and school districts taking precedent over the city taxes. Thus often the city taxes were not paid as promptly as other taxes and often not at all, leaving the city in debt. The city could not sue for delinquent taxes, because out of that collected, other tax units had to be paid.

Now, however, the new law specifies that each tax unit is a party to a suit and all lien holders are also parties to a suit and thus the city can now file suit for collection of these taxes without first taking out the taxes for other units.

When property is sold for collection of taxes, the money is divided among the tax units.

J. Frank Turner, E. P. Swamy and Mayor E. D. McDonald are members of the City Council.

## Ranger Reunion Planned for 1st Week in August

Ex-Rangers Invited by Lions Club and Mayor; Home, Community Center Plans Complete

Plans for the annual ex-Ranger Reunion are now being made, with the date definitely set for the first week in August. Invitations from the Lions Club and the Mayor, E. D. McDonald, have been written to Maj. George Black of Comanche, secretary of the ex-Rangers.

The committee working on plans for the entertainment to be given the Rangers of the '70's includes Dr. E. D. McDonald, Mrs. J. R. Banister, and J. J. Gregg.

Santa Anna several years ago was voted the permanent home of these heroes and since that time, with the exception of last year when they met at the Centennial, the Rangers have held an annual reunion here.

Plans have been fostered for a Museum and Home here for the Rangers, and although it is not definite what plans will be made for caring for the relics and museum, whether here or in another city, definite plans are complete for the erection of a Memorial Building to be built in Santa Anna for the Rangers to use as a meeting place for their reunions and will be used as a community center building by the people of Santa Anna and trade territory during the entire year. In this way the people of the community will be benefited by the building and still can provide for the ex-Rangers.

Refreshments at Queen Sat.

All attendants at the Queen Theatre Saturday will be refreshed with a free ice cream cone as they enter the show, after paying the regular price of admission.

Diploma, Dr. Sealy; Class Song, student body; Benediction. Following her graduation Miss Golston returned to San Angelo where she will continue her nursing on private duty.

## Social Security Officer to Speak Tuesday to Lions

George Clark from Austin Office Will Speak to Public at 12:40

George Clark, Representative from the Austin field office of the Social Security Board, will be here all day Tuesday, June 15, to interview public officials, civic leaders, employers and employees on phases of the Social Security Act, it was announced today by J. T. Garrett, Secretary of the Lions Club.

The public may meet Mr. Clark all day Tuesday in Mr. Garrett's office to clear up any questions about the social security.

Clark is on a tour of the Austin district, which includes this county, in an effort to bring about better public understanding of the provisions of the Social Security law.

In a letter to the Lions Club, the Social Security Board official said one of the purposes of his visit here would be to enlist the support of local officials and civic groups in a campaign to assign social security account numbers to every worker covered by the old-age benefits section of the law. Although the majority of workers have their cards, it is believed that there are yet many eligible employees who have not applied for numbers.

Since applications for account numbers may be filed through the local post office until June 30, it is pointed out that employees who have not yet applied should do so now. After June 30, it will be necessary to communicate with the Austin field office in order to establish a social security account.

Plans are being considered for a public meeting at which Clark will explain the entire social security program. He will meet with the Lions Club at 12:15 p. m. Anyone interested in hearing his talk may come to the Lions Club meeting at 12:40 Tuesday.

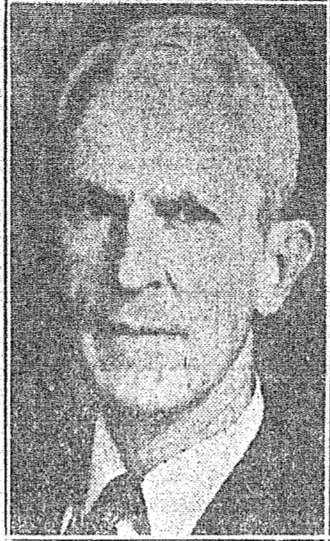
## IS YOUR HOME TOWN RECEIVING YOUR SUPPORT?

Your community looks to the merchants and business men to supply money for all types of entertainments and projects which will benefit the citizens. They support the municipal band which is for the benefit of your children; they back the Trades Day Association, which in turn gives purchasers bargains and puts on the Fall Fair; they give their support to new firms who plan to come here soon to aid the farmers and ranchers; those who belong to the Lions Club support the Boy Scouts and are always raising money for some benefit to you.

How do you return this assistance? Do you back them as well as they are backing you? Do you take your money out of town to spend it or do you spend it here with the business men who give the town their support and time and money?

Spend your money with Home Town Folks. They are the only ones who will ever help you or your town, because they are interested in the progress of the city and the foreign merchants are not. All they want is the money, which if spent here would help more people. You are not helping the home town merchants alone when you trade at home. You are helping yourself. THE MORE YOU SPEND AT HOME THE BETTER THE TOWN WILL BE. ARE YOU GIVING SANTA ANNA YOUR SUPPORT?

## TO CONDUCT 6TH ANNIVERSARY SALE



ROGER HUNTER



J. L. BOGGUS

J. L. Boggus Co. and Hunter Brothers will stage their 6th annual celebration as members of the Red & White Unit Friday, Saturday, and Monday. The two men pictured above are members of the advisory board of the Coleman Unit of the Red & White Stores. Their stores are charter members of the Unit.

## Funeral Services for Mrs. Hyman Held Yesterday

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Turney Buried at Whon After Tragic Death

Funeral services for Mrs. Fred Hyman of San Antonio, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Turney of Whon were held at Whon Thursday evening at 5 o'clock at the First Baptist Church. Rev. Edwin Wilson of Comanche, pastor of the First Baptist Church there officiated.

Mrs. Hyman was the victim of a tragic shooting at her home in San Antonio June 8 when a doped Mexican entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman, shot and killed Mrs. Hyman who had answered the doorbell and then turned the gun on herself.

Mrs. Hyman lived in Whon the greater part of her life. She was only 18 years and 8 months old at the time of her death, having been born Oct. 8, 1918. She completed her high school education at the Thomas Jefferson High School in San Antonio; there she met her husband and she was married in January 1936. She was the former Hope Turney.

Surviving her are her husband, Fred Hyman; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Turney; three sisters, Mrs. Anson Oden of San Antonio; Virginia Belle Turney of Whon; Patricia Turney of Whon; a brother, Rex Turney of Whon.

Other relatives surviving are the following aunts and uncles: Mrs. Floyd Miller, San Angelo; Mrs. W. H. McGonagle, Hobbs, N. M.; Mrs. Jack Black, Whon; Mrs. Max Prater, Coleman; Mrs. Cleve Fox, San Mateo, Cal.; Jack Shields, Borger; Sam Shields, Marshall; and Dwight Shields, Whon. Many out-of-town relatives, relatives of the father, Burt Turney, also survive. List of names of these was unavailable.

Interment was made in the Whon cemetery.

Softball League Standing

	W	L	Pct
Firemen	7	0	1000
Baptist Adults	5	2	715
Cross Roads	4	3	572
Phillips Drug	4	3	572
Rose Gin	4	3	572
Young Baptists	3	4	429
Whon	1	6	143
W. O. W.	0	7	000

## Softball Teams Meet Coleman In Recreational Activities; To Begin Leagues This Week at Parks

Tap Classes, Expression and Music Progressing With Instruction in the Melton Building; Library Open Every Day

The girls and boys softball teams, under the direction of F. E. Brown, who is in charge of the playground activities of the recreation project, met the Coleman girls and boys team

## Red & White Begins Annual Sale on Friday

Local Stores Celebrate 6th Anniversary Today, Saturday and Monday; Both Firms Old Business Houses

Hunter Brothers and J. L. Boggus Co., in cooperation with the Coleman unit of the Red & White Stores, are celebrating their sixth anniversary in business here Friday, Saturday and Monday with an anniversary sale. Both are charter members of this unit.

The sale, which is the largest of its kind staged each year by these stores, has reduced prices and unusual bargains throughout the three day event, beginning June 11 and lasting through June 14.

Although these two firms have been in the Red & White unit for six years they are not new businesses in Santa Anna.

Hunter Brothers store came into existence many years ago as a store owned and operated by L. W. Hunter, father of the present owners. He established the business in 1886, and continued in the store until 1920 when his sons, Roger, Lee and Archie Hunter, took over the business.

Since that time the three brothers have stayed in business together in the same location in which their father began. The building however has been enlarged and improved within the last few years.

Hunters became a Red & White store in 1931 when the first store of the Coleman Unit was established. Roger Hunter is on the advisory board of the Coleman unit.

J. L. Boggus has operated his store in the Red & White unit for six years. However he has been in the grocery business for the past 11 years, beginning a store in 1926 in the tin building where the Panhandle Refining Co. is now located.

In February, 1931 the store was moved to the present location in the modern brick building and has been there since that time. The store formerly opened to customers as a Red & White store in June 1931.

Mr. Boggus is also a member of the advisory board of the Coleman Unit and a charter member of the group.

Working in the store with Mr. Boggus are Roscoe Hosch, Odell Box and Davis Thigpen. Assistant in the Hunters store is Garland Close.

## Rhodes Killed As Gun Fires Accidentally

### Tractor Firm Will Locate Here In July

Franz Freeman Will Establish Business to Handle Tractors, All Implement Parts

A tractor and implement house will be established here by July 15 by Franz Freeman, now of Coleman, who will move with his family to Santa Anna and put in a complete line of farm implements and parts.

Allis-Chandler Tractors will be handled, with all parts for tractors also being carried. Mr. Freeman will stock parts for combines, threshing machines, plows, and other implements and will give service to all farmers such as they have been receiving in the other towns where they have been going for these implements since there was no implement house here.

Mr. Freeman, who with his brother, Macon, has been in business in a similar firm in Coleman, has had much experience in the business. His location here has not definitely been decided.

## Danish Missionary To Greenland To Preach on Sunday

Rev. Erick Hecksher to Speak June 13 at Baptist Church

Rev. Erick Hecksher, native of Copenhagen, Denmark, and recent graduate of Southwestern Seminary at Fort Worth will speak Sunday morning at the local Baptist Church, telling his life story and his plans for missionary work in Greenland. He will arrive Saturday in his specially built trailer which he says he will use instead of an igloo as a residence when he reaches his new field. He is the son of a former ship captain of the Dollar and other steamship lines and has traveled over much of the civilized world, having crossed the Atlantic nine times. He spoke before a small group the past week and they asked for a Sunday morning engagement before the whole church. He will be accompanied this trip by Mrs. Hecksher, who was a spring graduate of Baylor University. Few men have had the deep experiences that Mr. Hecksher has had, even though he is a young man. His messages are said to be most gripping and earnest, and large crowds are expected to hear him Sunday at eleven.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Bailey of Kansas City, Mo. visited this week with Mrs. Minnie B. Pinney and Mrs. Sherman Gehrett. Mr. Bailey is a cousin of Mrs. Pinney and Mrs. Gehrett.

Robert Wisbert of Lumberton, N. C. is visiting in the A. Hefner home here and with relatives in Brownwood.

Little Miss Dorothy Jean Burage of Albany spent two weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Harvey recently.

## Dr. Board Is Staff Member of Hospital

Dr. Paul Board and family arrived last week from Dallas to take up his work here on the staff of the Sealy Hospital.

Dr. Board completed his internship at Methodist Hospital in Dallas last year and is a graduate of the Galveston Medical School, a branch of the University of Texas, and comes highly recommended.

At the present time he is living with his wife and baby at the home of Judge Woodruff.

Howard Kingsbery, a member of the State Agricultural Committee is in Atlanta, Georgia to attend sessions of the southern division of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration. The group will discuss proposed points in the 1938 Farm Program. Mr. Kingsbery joined the other committeemen at College Station.

Read the Advertisements.

## J. D. Rhodes Dies of Gun Wound as Pistol Discharges

Francis Pace Released on Bond After Signing Statement for Sheriff Mills

J. D. Rhodes, 34, resident of Coleman County for many years and a farmer on the Weaver Ranch north of Santa Anna, was accidentally shot and killed Wednesday morning about 9 o'clock on Main Street in front of Walker's Pharmacy. Francis Pace, 16 year-old boy, resident of Santa Anna, was holding the gun which accidentally discharged.

Pace was above the drug store, where he lived and was handling his 32 automatic pistol when the pistol discharged, the bullet passing through the window of the room and striking Mr. Rhodes, who was crossing to the south side of the street from the north side.

Dr. E. D. McDonald was called immediately where Rhodes fell and pronounced him dead. The bullet was removed some minutes later after a thorough examination had been made. Sheriff Frank Mills of Coleman arrived at the scene only a few minutes after the accident and took charge of the investigation.

Signed statements by Pace, given to Sheriff Mills, declared the shooting accidental. Pace was released on bond pending investigation of the grand jury.

Surviving Mr. Rhodes are his wife, three small children, a daughter and two sons; two brothers, David and Ernest Rhodes of Santa Anna; four sisters, Mrs. Henry Bowden of Mullin; Mrs. Bob Pipe of Bangs; Mrs. Jack Early of Santa Anna; Miss Clara Rhodes of Bangs; and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Rhodes of Bangs.

Funeral services for Mr. Rhodes were held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at Bangs at the Church of Christ. Brother Pat Salyer, reader, was in charge of the services.

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**QUEEN THEATRE**

PHONE 44

Sat., June 12  
BOB STEELE in  
"Gun Lords of Stirrup Basin"  
"DICK TRACY" Serial  
Episode No. 1  
Everyone Attending the Show from 12:45 till 4:30 will receive an Ice Cream Cone FREE

Sun., Mon. & Tues.,  
June 13-14-15  
BETTE DAVIS in  
"Marked Woman"  
With HUMPHREY BOGART

Wed., June 16  
VICTOR MOORE in  
"We're on the Jury"  
With HELEN BRODERICK

Thursday, June 17  
One Day Only  
ANN DVORAK in  
"Racing Lady"  
HARRY CAREY

Read the Advertisements.

THE SANTA ANNA NEWS

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ISSUED FRIDAYS AT SANTA ANNA, TEXAS
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J. J. Gregg Owner

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South Texas Press Association
Heart of Texas Press Association

Notices of entertainments where a charge of admission is made, obituaries, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, and all matter not published as news items will be charged for at the regular rates.

Entered at the post office at Santa Anna, Texas as second class mail matter.
Subscription Rates
Coleman County ... year \$1.00
Outside County ... year \$1.50

New Firms Promise Aid In Trade at Home Campaign

With a public scales already established and operating, a new grain elevator to be opened next week and a tractor and implement house planned for Santa Anna, we really can begin to see our town as an up and coming city, competing with neighboring towns in practically every line of service and merchandise.

Monday a representative of a tractor firm was present in the city and learned from farmers and city residents that all of the tractor and implement business was going to Coleman and Brownwood and other towns since there was no firm here to meet the needs of the farmers.

Plans are definitely made now to establish such a firm here in July. Tractors and all farm machinery parts will be stocked. The grain elevator, operated by George Rhone, will open its doors next week and will draw scores of farmers to Santa Anna who have had to go to other cities for this service.

The public scales which began operation about three weeks ago, was another innovation which has been needed for several months since the old scales were condemned. The city lost many purchasers because of the lack of a public scales, but with the expensive, new scales installed farmers from this section are finding it more convenient to stop in Santa Anna.

Citizens of this city and trade territory as a whole are welcoming these firms, for they will be an incentive to increased trading in this district.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

Marriage Licenses
Garland C. Smith and Florence Harnes.
Ernest Duncan and Gladys Morris.

Charles J. Evans and Cathleen Connelly.
Irven Taylor and Juanita Morris.

John W. Turner and Janice Vaughn.
William D. Pitts and Lou Dell Green.

A. C. Cox and Mrs. Nettie Lee.
Warranty Deeds

J. P. Morris to J. I. Henderson, parcel of land in Coleman County, being 288 acres out of Mary McCarty survey No. 107; first tract, block No. 3 of subdivision of Mary McCarty survey No. 167; second tract, being block No. 4 of subdivision of Mary McCarty survey No. 167. For \$8,000.

J. G. Shelton and wife, Alice Shelton, to county school trustees of Coleman county, certain tract of land in Coleman county, being 3 acres out of W. T. Dunlavy survey No. 259, being northeast corner of 83 1-3 acres of land out of said survey. For \$300.

W. I. Mitchell to R. L. Steward, tract of land described as block No. 17, 18 and 19 of subdivision of block No. 12, survey No. 90, Coleman county school land.

New Cars Registered

Chap Eeds, Santa Anna, Dodge two-door touring sedan; Eugene Pofhan, Santa Anna, Chevrolet deluxe sport sedan; A. H. Schreiber, Santa Anna, Chevrolet town sedan; William McCall, Coleman, Ford tudor; C. W. Hemphill, Coleman, Dodge two-door sedan; Carl Lohn, Coleman, Ford fordor; Bruce Snodgrass, Coleman, Chevrolet master sedan; W. H. Watson, Coleman, Studebaker sedan; R. L. Allen, Leaday, Plymouth two-door sedan; Neal Shore, Coleman, Plymouth four-door sedan; O. Blankenship, Santa Anna, Chevrolet sedan; Joe C. Stevens, Coleman, Plymouth two-door sedan; Bill Murphy, Coleman, Plymouth two-door sedan.

EXPOSITION EXPOSURES
GERALDINE ROBERTSON
STAR OF 'CAVALCADE' IS UNDER CONTRACT TO M-G-M
STANLEY GRAHAM
UNIQUE SHOWMAN WHO OBTAINS PUBLICITY, WAS ONCE A BIG GAME HUNTER IN AFRICA.

Eureka News

Everyone is all smiles over the big rains we have had the past week.

A large crowd attended preaching Saturday night but the crowd was rather small Sunday night. There was no Sunday morning service on account of the rain.

There were nine present at the W. M. U. Monday afternoon. Brother and Mrs. Coulson met with the union.

R. L. Carr of Freer is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holland and family were visitors in the Drue Vinson home Monday night.

Miss Juanita Alexander of Santa Anna visited Miss Mary Jo Gregg over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bouchillon and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bouchillon and children visited Mrs. R. N. Bouchillon Monday.

Charlie May Medcalf visited relatives at Echo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Medcalf and sons of Coleman visited in the Willie Griffith home Monday.

W. H. Casey went to Corsicana Saturday to work in the oil field there.

Ruby Jean Aschenbeck is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. George Bland of Line.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bouchillon Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Brinson and Mrs. Thelma Hubert attended the show in Coleman Friday night.

Teacher: Willie, define the word "puncture."

Willie: A puncture is a little hole in a tire usually found at a great distance from a garage.

It is all right to sleep tight, but don't try driving your car that way.

Americans may be pretty smart, but if they are why do inventors always try to turn out fool-proof machinery?

The man who always has a half-hour to spend usually insists on spending it with somebody who hasn't.

What one does with his money is more important than the size of his income.

As a man thinks so he is, therefore some men never are.

Dr. Taylor Will Address County Laymen Thursday

Group to Meet at Gouldbusk Next Thursday at 8 p. m.

Mr. Louis Newman, President of the Associational Laymen's Brotherhood of Coleman County, has announced that Dr. Thomas H. Taylor has been secured as guest speaker for the Laymen's meeting at Gouldbusk Thursday evening, June 17. Special music will be furnished by the Gouldbusk Quartet and a large group from

Demonstrator Stories

Many letters are being received from poultry people stating that their chicks and poulters are crippled and that their feet have the appearance as though they might have walked through fire, according to Geo. P. McCarthy, Asst. Extension Poultryman. Small blisters form on the feet and the toes turn up. The effected birds walk on the ball of their feet without aid of the toes. This disease is commonly known as Sod Disease, and usually effects the chicks during the first few weeks of their life.

Close examination reveals the presence of blisters between the toes or possibly small scabs on top of the toes and the lower part of the leg. The whole foot is usually swollen and is very tender to touch. In a course of two or three days the blisters rupture and a thick, heavy scab forms on the feet. If the chick survives, the scabs



An exciting serial by Sophie Kerr...

THERE'S ONLY ONE

Rachel Vincent's fascinating story told in superb style by a famous writer. Learn what happened when this 20-year-old girl met her mother for the first time. Don't miss a 'single installment of "There's Only One" as it unfolds serially in this newspaper. A real fiction treat.

This serial story will begin in this newspaper on Friday, June 25th. Don't fail to read it each week.

One Year Ago

(Taken from the files of the Santa Anna News, June 12, 1936)

Miss Alice Hays and Miss Eunice Wheeler returned home last Wednesday after spending a week in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mulroy and children left Sunday for Mississippi where they will visit Mr. Mulroy's mother.

Mrs. Kent Martin and son, Tommie Chap, returned to their home in Abilene Sunday. They were accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chap Eeds and Elizabeth who spent the day with them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ford and Miss Mary Lee Ford left early Friday morning for Dallas to attend the wedding of Miss Glenda Ford to Mr. John Lacy. William Earl Ragsdale, who has been enrolled in Hardin-Simmons at Abilene, returned home last week-end for the summer.

Oscar Cheaney and Fire Chief George Johnson are in Fort Worth this week to attend the State Firemen's Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther McGlothing of Nixon are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McGlothing and Elbert McGlothing. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McGlothing and children visited them last week-end in Nixon.

Say you saw it in the News.

Ten Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the Santa Anna News, June 10, 1937)

Wilbourn Weaver who has been attending Baylor University at Waco spent several days here last week-end.

Miss Virginia Rogers, daughter of Mrs. G. F. Barlett, returned home last week-end from Kansas City, Mo., where she spent the past year in the Kansas City Art Institute.

S. W. Childers had an emergency operation for appendicitis at the Sealy Hospital Sunday.

Mr. Maurice Barnes is home from Medical College at Galveston and will spend the summer here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Barnes.

Mrs. Carl Ashmore of Abilene is visiting relatives here and at Rockwood.

You seldom heard anyone complaining of indigestion in those days when there was more bending over a washtub and a bucksaw.

LOVELADY'S MAKE TRIP

Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Lovelady and children left this week for Los Angeles, Cal. for a two weeks' visit with Dr. Lovelady's sister.

They will travel through El Paso and Phoenix, Ariz. on the trip out, coming back the northern route through the Grand Canyon.

FILL THE TANK ONCE and drive all day!
Image of a Ford V-8 car.

FORD "60" OWNERS REPORT 22-27 MILES PER GALLON

THE 60-horsepower Ford V-8 is writing remarkable mileage records on American roads. Private owners and fleet operators alike report averages of from 22 to 27 miles on a gallon of gasoline.

You can fill the tank of your Ford "60" and drive all day—300 to 400 miles—without stopping again for fuel. Besides costing less to run than any Ford car ever built, it sells at the lowest Ford price in years. That's double economy!

The "60" delivers V-8 smoothness and quiet at speeds up to 70 miles an hour. It is built into the same roomy body as the famous "35"—with the same modern features of comfort and dependability that makes the 1937 Ford V-8 unquestionably THE QUALITY CAR IN THE LOW-PRICE FIELD.

Ford V-8 "60"

FORD V-8 \$529 at Southern Factory. Prices include freight and tax. Dealer's price includes delivery, license, and title.

This price is for the 60-horsepower V-8. Includes above, equipped with front and rear fenders, spare tire, windshield wipers, sun visor, door compartments, and 228 tires.

\$25 A MONTH, other usual accessories extra. See your local Ford V-8 dealer. Ford V-8 dealers in the United States. Ask your Ford V-8 dealer about the new program plan of the Universal Credit Company.

The Choice of Millions KC BAKING POWDER
Double Tested - Double Action
Manufactured by baking powder specialists who make nothing but baking powder - under supervision of expert chemists.
Same Price Today as 45 Years Ago
25 ounces for 25c
You can also buy
A full 45 ounce can for 45c
Highest Quality - Always Dependable

# NOTICE FREE

During this sale we are going to give absolutely free one 12 1-2 ounce can of Red & White Tomato Juice with the purchase of six cans of assorted Red & White merchandise listed below. Buy several cases Red & White canned goods during this sale and get your free Tomato Juice.



This mammoth food sale starts on **FRIDAY, JUNE 11 AND ENDS MONDAY JUNE 14**

Visit your favorite Red & White store during this sale.

... and take advantage of the wonderful bargains on merchandise of unsurpassed quality.

<b>PEARS</b> Red & White; fully cored, heavy syrup 9 to 11 halves, No. 2 1/2 cans	<b>21c</b>
<b>PEACHES</b> Red & White, 7 to 9 mammoth halves, halves or sliced, No. 2 1/2 can	<b>20c</b>
<b>PINEAPPLE</b> Red & White, sliced or crushed, No. 2 can	<b>18c</b>
<b>SPINACH</b> Red & White, fancy California No. 2 can	<b>14c</b>
<b>PEAS</b> Red & White, sifted early Junes No. 3 seive, No. 2 can	<b>18c</b>
<b>CORN</b> Red & White, yellow cream style, Country Gentleman, No. 2 can	<b>15c</b>
<b>BEANS</b> Red & White, fancy green cut. Don't confuse with standard quality	<b>17c</b>
<b>PINEAPPLE JUICE</b> Red & White 12 oz. can	<b>9c</b>
<b>TOMATOES</b> Try these strictly fancy full ripe tomatoes, No. 2 can	<b>12c</b>

<b>Pork &amp; Beans</b> No. 1 tall cans Blue & White, packed in rich tomato sauce	<b>6</b>
<b>Tomatoes</b> No. 2 cans Standard hand packed.	<b>3 FOR 25</b>
<b>Spinach</b> South Texas, No grit Crystal pack brand No. 2 can	<b>3 FOR 25</b>
<b>HOMINY</b> Goblin Brand No. 2 1-2 can	<b>2 FOR 19</b>
<b>SALMON</b> Ben Hir brand Good quality Cooking No. 1 tall can	<b>2 FOR 23</b>

<b>Pickles</b> Del Dixie Brand Grown and packed in Texas. They are fresh and crisp. Sour or dills. Packed in regular size Mason jars. Quart	<b>17c</b>
<b>Corn</b> Iowa Club Extra Standard No. 2 can	<b>2 FOR 23</b>
<b>Tuna</b> All White Meat Regular 1-2 flat can	<b>14</b>



Fancy Orange Pekoe, imported tea, satisfaction guaranteed, why pay more. 1-4 lb. pkg.

**19c**

## FLOUR

Most every housewife knows that there is no better flour manufactured than Red & White, and but few that will anything near compare with it in quality, having been selected three successive years by Miss Hogue in her cooking school.

**48 pound sack \$1.74**

## Kraut

Kumars brand. Packed in the shade of the Rocky Mountains where it is grown under irrigation. Extra heavy pack

**15c**

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## SOAP

Red & White, White Laundry, Giant Bars

**6 for 25c**

Red & White sausage, pure meat, no cereal added. Packed in treated sheep casing.

**3 for 25c**

## Grape Juice

This is pure grape juice, unsurpassed quality, none better, but it's so cheap. Pint bottle

**19c**

## PEAS

Thrift, fresh blackeyed No. 1 tall can

**10c**

## BEANS

Blue & White, Mexican style, No. 300 medium tall can

**9c**

## SYRUP

Steamboat No. 10 can

**63c**

**1 pound 18c**

**23c**

Baked by the Supreme Bakeries in an altitude ideal for baking, which enables these cakes and crackers to maintain the dainty freshness that is hard for other crackers to do.

## Soap Chips

Fine for washing machine or dishes. Large 5 lb. box

**39**

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## Lady Godiva

Fine Milled 3 for

**13**

## FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

<b>LETTUCE</b> Firm, Crisp 2 for	<b>9c</b>
<b>BANANAS</b> Golden Fruit pound	<b>5c</b>
<b>LIMES</b> "Mexicoes" for a refreshing drink each	<b>1c</b>
<b>POTATOES</b> No. 1 Red Triumphs 10 pounds	<b>27c</b>
<b>APPLES</b> Fancy Saps, lunch size each	<b>1c</b>

## Corn Flakes

Fresh and Wholesome Large box

**12**

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## Peaches

Heavy Pack No. 10 can

**47**

Fresh ground to suit your need whether you use pot, percolator or silex. A blend for any occasion. 1 lb. package

**17c**

## Marshmallows

Red & White Fresh and Fluffy 8 oz. pkg.

**9**

## Sun Spun

SALAD DRESSING PINT JAR

**25**

## Baking Powder

GOLD LABEL Guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction 2 pound tin

**22**

## Matches

BLUE & WHITE Strike any place Carton, 6 boxes

**19**

Vacuum packed from the choicest coffees known. Perfectly blended, as fresh as the day it was roasted. Perculator or drip grind. 2 lb. tin

**60c**

## Oats

Mothers Premium

**27**

## QUALITY MEATS PRICED LOW!

<b>CHEESE</b> No. 1 Full Cream pound	<b>20c</b>
<b>JOWLS</b> Salt Cured pound	<b>16c</b>
<b>BRAINS</b> Fresh pound	<b>12c</b>
<b>STEAK</b> Fancy Forequarter pound	<b>18c</b>
<b>ROAST</b> Home Killed, forequarter pound	<b>17c</b>
<b>LIVER</b> Fresh pound	<b>15c</b>
<b>BACON</b> Swift's X brand, sliced pound	<b>33c</b>

## FLAV-R-JEL

Six Fruit Flavors 3 for

**14c**

## ICE CREAM SALT

MORTONS 4 lb. pkg.

**9c**

## CLEANSER

RED & WHITE Large can

**2 FOR 9c**

# RED &

# WHITE

## TOILET PAPER

Blue Cross, Extra Soft Carton 3 rolls

**21c**

## MILK

Red & White, Sweet in any climate 4 small cans

**15c**

Baptist Column

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. T. H. Upton, Gen. Supt. Training Union at 7:15 p. m. A. B. Lightfoot, Gen. Director. Preaching Services at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. R. Elmer Dunham, pastor.

Hear Hecksher Sunday Morning

Elsewhere in this paper will be found a full announcement of the sermon scheduled for Sunday morning by Rev. E. B. Hecksher, who was with us at the morning services the past Sunday. He related the story of his life, from the giving up of his share in his fathers fortune made as a ship captain and stock owner in the Dollar Steamship lines, to his recent completion of his degree at Southwestern Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth and his plans for going to Greenland as a missionary, along with his talented wife who last week completed her degree work at Baylor University. Those who heard him Sunday were so moved that they felt the whole church should have the same privilege, so he was invited to come back. Come early to get a good seat and hear this man tell of his life's work and preach a great gospel sermon. By all means hear Hecksher!

Happy to Welcome a Young Christian At the evening services Sun-

day little Miss Mary Joyce Hill made a public profession of trust in Jesus Christ and united with the church for baptism. We are thankful for her young life thus early given to God. We will have a baptismal service Sunday evening and others awaiting baptism are asked to be ready at this time. Both services Sunday were outstanding spiritually and all who attended were conscious of God's presence. Rev. and Mrs. J. P. King of Brownwood were guests at the morning service.

Good By Comparison

The Vacation Bible School got off to a good start Monday in spite of the rain and very muddy roads. The registrations exceeded the first day of last year by 17 pupils. The second day the registrations were 45 ahead of the same day last year, with a total attendance of 131, as against 98 in attendance a year ago. Two hundred by Thursday is the goal set, with a picnic for Friday afternoon if the goal is reached.

Moving the 400 Movement Up a Week

Hundreds of visits were made in the "Up to 400 with Upton" movement of last week in Sunday school, only to have a really abundant rain to fall and continue to fall. So the move is set forward for this Sunday. All the ones hindered last week are urged to contact absentees and come right along Sunday with 400. Our Goal is 500 on the 27 of June. This is the first step.

Presby'rian Church

M. L. Womack, Minister Sunday School, 10 a. m., J. T. Oakes, Supt. Services at 11:00 a. m. and 8 p. m. Christian Endeavor 7:30 p. m. Vesper Bible Hour first and third Tuesdays in each month. Mother's Club third Thursday in each month. Women's Missionary Society Mondays after second and fourth Sundays.

They Prayed and It Paid

At the Seminary Evangelistic Conference last week the 1200 to 1500 preachers in attendance were called to prayer when it was learned that the Senate committee handling the Race Gambling repeal bill was in deadlock and it seemed would report the bill out unfavorably. Such fervent, united and soul-stirring prayers have seldom been heard as were poured out from burdened hearts at this time. Before the morning services adjourned, very soon after the prayer period, a telegram came that the deadlock was broken and the bill reported out favorably. More prayer and much work on the phone helped steady a few wobbly senators and the bill was passed. Prayer pays in this day. One preacher, Rev. G. B. McLane of Muldoon in Gonzales Association testified to his prayer being answered after he began praying for the town's new dance hall to be given to his church for revivals and Sunday school rooms. In six months this new hall was the property of his church and two wonderful revivals were held in it. Prayer pays.

Workers Conference Program Calvary Church Tuesday, June 15 Theme "Evangelism"

10 a. m. Devotional, Rev. Coalsou, Eureka. 10:20 "What the Other Associations are Doing" Rev. J. P. King, Dist. Missionary. 10:40 Address "What Our Association Should Do In This Campaign" Rev. F. R. Dill, Associational leader of Evangelism. 11:00 Echoes from State Evangelistic Conference at Fort Worth. Three to five minute talks by pastors who attended. (Brethren, please be ready). 11:20 Prayer for Revivals. (Not an address but a prayer period). 11:30 Sermon, Dr. J. M. Bradford, of Brownwood. NOON Lunch served by Calvary Church 1:30 Board meeting. Report on District and Association Mission Receipts by Churches and McCorkle fund. 1:45 Oral reports from all churches. Conversions, additions, missions and other important points. 2:00 Inspirational closing address, Rev. Melvin Shaw, Rockwood and Burket.

Church of Christ

Reports Made at Annual Meeting of Church of Christ BOSTON, Mass., June 7—Progress of Christian Science expressed in the organization and

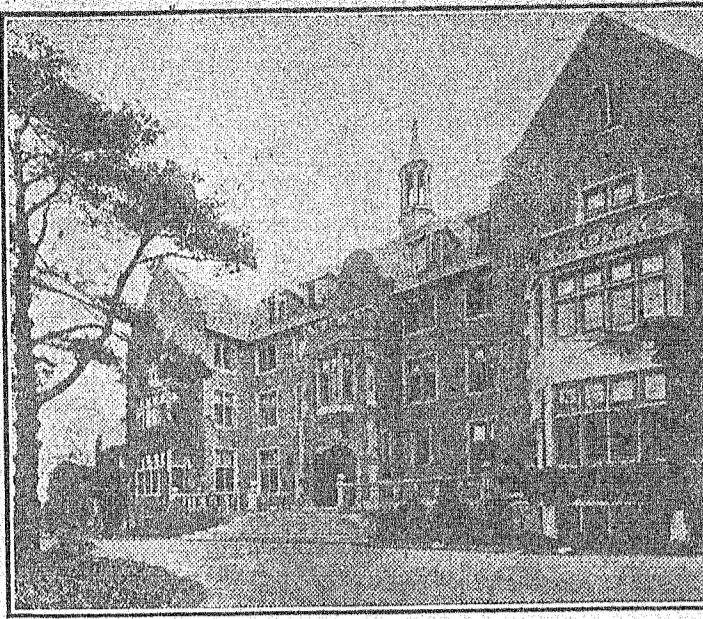
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Exterior view of the Sanatorium of The Christian Science Benevolent Association at Brookline, Massachusetts.

Christian Church

Alan Lynch, Pastor Sunday, June 13. Meeting from 10 o'clock to 11:45 for worship, Bible study, and preaching. Pupils to Intermediate study graded lessons. Young People's class study "Training for Service," taught by J. C. Scarborough.

Evening preaching service at 8 o'clock.

Board meeting second Sunday in each month after evening service.

The Woman's Council had an interesting meeting last Monday afternoon. The women's organization has adopted the name "Woman's Council" as it seems to meet the need better than the old name of "Ladies Aid Society."

All women of the church automatically become members of the Council. Interesting meetings are planned. Mrs. A. L. Oder, Mrs. Alan Lynch, and Mrs. Kirkpatrick have been appointed to arrange programs for the next three months. A year book will be gotten out later on.

Mrs. Freeman conducted an interesting Bible lesson last Monday. The Council is serving the Lions this month and the cooperation of all members is asked.

The program for Monday, June 14 is as follows: Devotional: Mrs. E. W. Marshall. Special Song.

Hidden answers from "Look-out," Mrs. Alan Lynch. Study of lesson from Genesis.

SOFTBALL TEAMS

(Continued from page one)

Coleman only by a close score of 6 to 5.

The teams which have been organized only a short time work out regularly. A return game by Coleman is planned in the near future. All boys interested in joining the team should contact Mr. Brown at the grammar school on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 4 o'clock.

Those who played in the girls game Thursday night were Roxie Lane, catcher; Mickie Parker, pitcher; Elizabeth Morris, 1st base; Johnnie Ruth Brown, 2nd base; Annie May Nickens, 3rd base; Bunt Porter, short stop; Ruth Morris, left field; Melba Dean Holt, center field; Louise Oakes, right field; rover was played by a Coleman substitute.

Boys who took part in the Friday game were: Billy Pieratt, pitcher; Freddie Garza, catcher; Adrian Speck, center field; Elmer Lewallen, rover; Joe Fisher, left field; Lee Schattel, 3rd base; Billy Beard, right field; Wardlaw, 1st base; Charles Wristen, short stop; Windell Rowe, second base.

The softball league will begin next with teams playing from the grammar school park; Weaver Park, and high school park. The recreation project is sponsoring other activities for the young people and for adults.

Tap dancing classes are being conducted on Monday and Friday afternoons with Mrs. Ethel McCall of Coleman teaching.

Tuesday and Thursday afternoons are devoted to singing in groups. These classes are in charge of Mrs. Willhoit of Coleman.

Expression is taught on Wednesday afternoon and Friday morning by Mrs. Ruby Fulton of Santa Anna.

A full time librarian, Miss Josie Baxter, has been employed in the City Hall. Hours are from 10 to 11:30 a. m. and 1:30 to 5 p. m. every day in the week.

The public is invited to take advantage of all of these activities.

EXPOSITION EXPOSURES



PRAISES FIESTA



D. A. BANDEEN

West Texans to Go in Droves to New Fiesta

West Texas provided the greatest attendance of any section at the Fort Worth Frontier Centennial last year and no doubt will flock this year to the Fort Worth Frontier Fiesta by the tens of thousands, declares D. A. Bandeden, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

"We regard the show with personal interest and pride because it is presented in Fort Worth, the gateway into the West Texas empire," he said. "The development of Fort Worth into the amusement center of the Southwest means a great volume of tourist travel through West Texas cities."

Bandeden pointed out that the West Texas Chamber of Com-

merce Building last year at the Fort Worth exposition was visited by 700,000 persons and an even greater number is predicted this season when the WTCC will present "West Texas, Old and New" with approximately 150 cities having displays in the building.

Methodist Church

J. Virgil Davis, Pastor. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. C. B. Verner, General Supt. Morning Worship 11 o'clock. Sermon Topic, "When People Pray."

Young People's Devotional Hour, 7:00 p. m. Miss Rhea Boardman, President. Evening Service 8:00 o'clock. Sermon, "Christ A Man of Sorrow."

W. M. S. meets Monday 3:00 p. m. Mrs. Tom M. Hays, president.

Epworth League Program Sunday, June 13

Subject: "When a Man Works in Peru." Scripture: Prov. 3:27. Song: "Jesus Calls Us." Introduction by Leader, Emma John Blake.

Talk: "The Other America," Dan Blake.

Talk: "In the Land of Peru," Rhea Boardman.

Talk: "The Apra Movement in Peru." Prayer: Rev. J. V. Davis. Song: "Are Ye Able?"

Advancing age seems to stiffen all joints except those in the tongue.

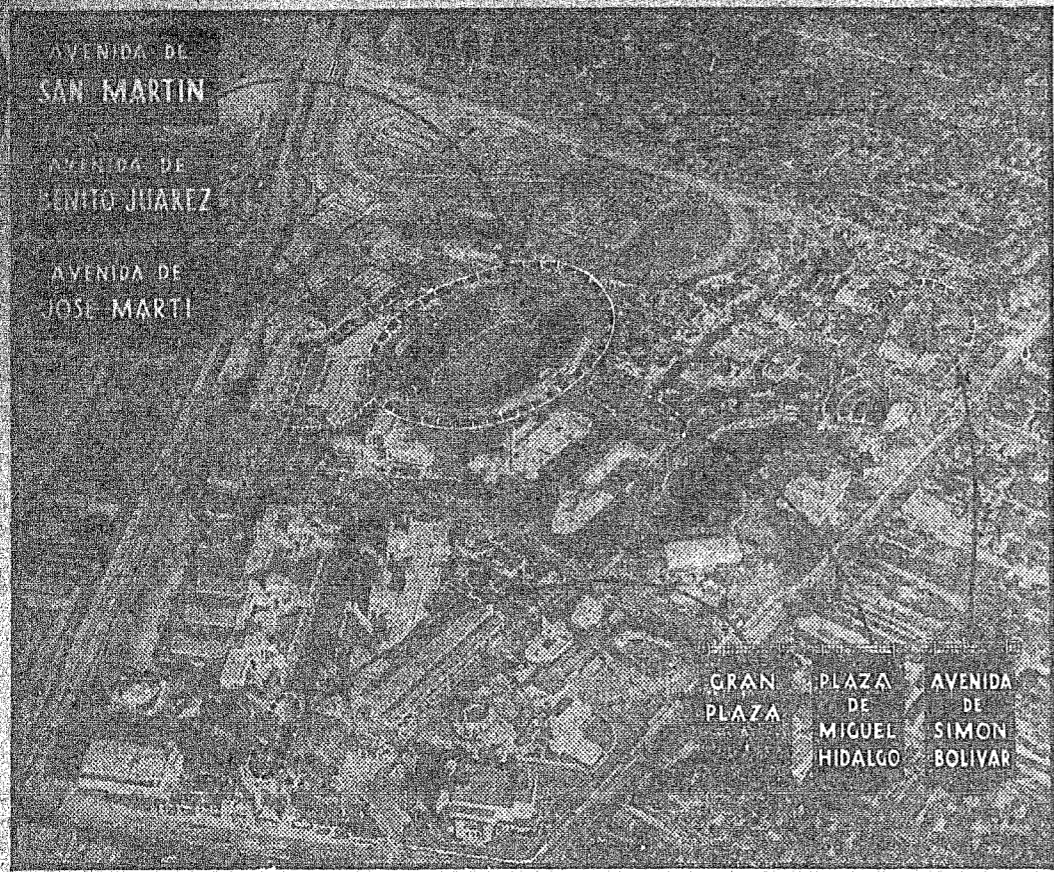
The biggest coward in the world is a man who is afraid of a new idea.—Sherman Ferry.

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### The Rogues' Gallery



"Hello," She Said, Jumping Into the Pool. "Hahzit," Gurgled Your Correspondent.

### Local Happenings

Billie Baxter has returned home from Texas Tech to spend summer vacation.

Robert Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hunter, is home for his vacation after attending the University of Texas the past year.

Russell Hale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hale, is spending summer vacation at home. He has been a student at the University of Texas this year.

Brownlee Hunter is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hunter. He is a student at Baylor University.

Armenta Ragsdale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ragsdale, returned home from Mary Hardin-Baylor recently to spend the summer.

Miss Pearl Traylor, teacher in the schools at Colorado, Texas, is home for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Donham Jr. of Altus, Okla. are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Donham Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Martin and son, Chap, visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. Chap Eeds.

Mrs. Glenn Gill and little daughters, Leona Mae and Glenn Lee, and Edgar McNutt returned to their home at Whon Wednesday after visiting with homefolks in Goldthwaite for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kelley went to Waco last week to attend the graduation exercises at Baylor University, where their granddaughter, Miss Elizabeth Kelley, received her

Miss Elizabeth Richardson of Rockwood returned Monday to Abilene to attend summer school at McMurry College. She will receive her degree there this summer.

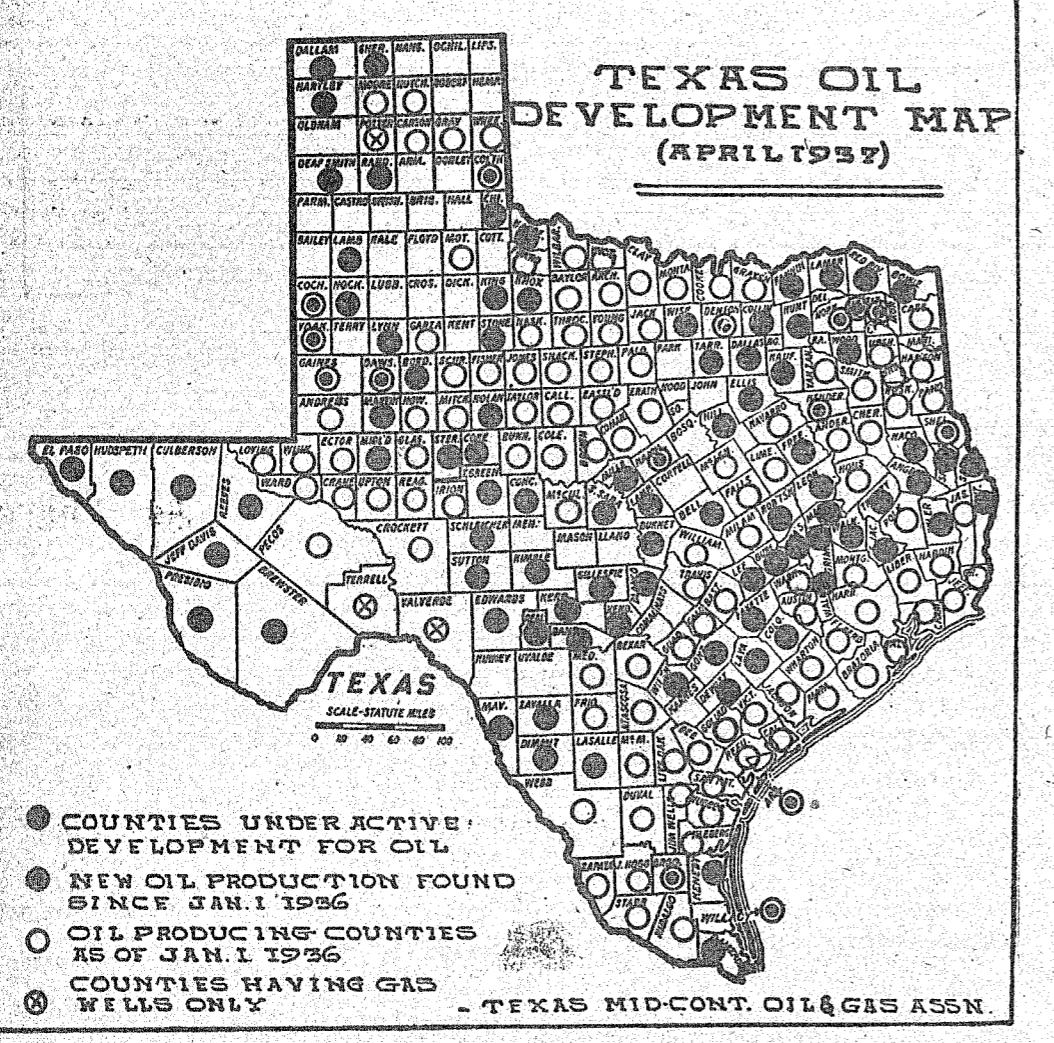
George Johnson, Fire Chief, is in Port Arthur to attend the State Firemen's Convention.

W. H. Thate will return tonight from a week's fishing trip in Mexico. He went with friends from Brownwood, leaving last Sunday.

Miss June Heffington and her mother, Mrs. George Heffington of Richardson, Texas are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Gregg. Mrs. Gregg and Miss Heffington were roommates at the Texas State College for Women, Denton, and both were majors in journalism. Miss Heffington is also attending the Texas State Press Convention with the Greggs this week-end in Brownwood.

Half the unhappiness in the world is due to the failure of plans which were never reasonable and often impossible.

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### HOLLYWOOD'S WOMAN OF MYSTERY

By JOHN LARDNER  
Interview for MovieScope, Your Favorite Fan Magazine.

Lila Vernons smile when they pass Lila Vernon on the street. She arouses the maternal instinct in them. Little babies gurgle and stretch out their hands toward her. She reminds them of their mothers. Schoolgirls stare at her with worshiping eyes. To them she is a big sister, beautiful, fine, and brave.

Lila Vernon is all these things to all these people—daughter, mother, big sister. She is the Woman of Many Sides. Which is the true side? Who is Lila Vernon?

I decided to find out.

At the gate of the Offloff-Standard studio I was met by a cool, grave girl with blue eyes and a goitre. She introduced herself. She was Lila Vernon's secretary.

"Come this way," she said. "Lila is waiting for you."

"Oh, is she?" I said with a little scream of excitement. My heart beat faster.

"Here we are," said the secretary at last.

We stood on the edge of a lovely private swimming pool, filled to the brim with crystal-clear water. The tiles of the pool were mother-of-pearl. At one end was a springboard of inlaid mahogany.

A trill of girlish laughter sounded not far away. From a door in the studio bounded a tall, free, gazelle-like figure, clad in a bathing suit of gold lame, a white dressing gown with a gold monogram, gold sandals, and a rubber cap which hid the famous nicotine-blonde curls. If it hadn't been for her smile and those unmistakable eyes—are they blue, green, red, or yellow?—I might not have recognized Lila Vernon.

"Hello," she said, jumping into the pool.

"Hahzit," gurgled your correspondent.

This was the most dangerous woman in Hollywood! This was the sombre, sophisticated siren of six continents! This was Lila Vernon (born Bridget Flaherty in Erie, Pa.)!

I rubbed my eyes. Why, she was just a merry, unspooled kid!

"Who are those people in the pool?" I asked the secretary. "And those dogs, who are they?"

"That's the household staff," explained the young lady. "Lila is a true democrat. Her servants are her pals."

I uttered a low bray of excitement. Then I produced pad and pencil. Lila, noticing the gesture from the pool, smiled her frank, open smile at me.

I saw I had no secrets from this woman.

"You want to interview me, don't you?" she said. "You think the public wants to hear more about poor little me. Do you mind if I go on with my regular morning routine? You can just ask me questions while I work. McGillicuddy, bring the fan mail."

The secretary went away and I moistened the point of my pencil.

"What is marriage?" I asked Lila Vernon, with a faint squeal of interest.

"Marriage!" her laugh was like water rippling over a bed of pebbles. "I have no time to think of marriage now. You mustn't believe all the things you hear. Hugh—"

she waved her hand toward her husband—"is all I need. He makes me happy. I shan't marry again for ages. Besides," she added coyly, "no one has asked me."

We laughed together at this.

"You must want to know what sort of life I live," Lila went on, changing her smile for an expres-

sion of bewitching earnestness. "My life is my own—but it is also my public's. Whatever they ask about me, I tell."

So she told. And I listened, spellbound, to this warm, fragrant, homely, simple record of one woman's life.

When not working, she is up with the lark. A family gathering, a plunge in the pool, her fan mail, and then off to the bowling alleys.

She has other hobbies. She sews, stuffs owls, collects pewter, and paints miniatures on pinheads.

"And then my children," she told me. "My children come first of all. They mean everything to me. Early in the evening, before they go to bed, I have a romp with Susan and little what's-his-name. What is the child's name, Hugh?"

"Leonard," said her husband.

Lila Vernon's eyes grew big with affection.

"Yes, little Leonard," she said. I watched, fascinated, as mother love came rolling out of every pore in that beautiful face. "Little Leonard, who must be three years old now, or six or something."

There was silence in the studio garden as we thought of the little tyke, growing up like other children in the mad, bright town of Hollywood.

This, I thought, is the real Lila Vernon. Mother-wife-artist.

The secretary came back, followed by a small motor truck full of mail.

"My fans," she told me, her eyes shining with gratitude, "spend \$2,000 a month for stamps to send me letters. Read a few, McGillicuddy. Not too many, I have a headache."

The secretary's eyes shone with loyalty as she ripped open the envelope. She read a letter:

"You have been hurt enough, Miss Vernon. You have a greater sensitivity and a deeper versatility than any actress on the screen. We all love you here in Kalamazoo."

Miss Vernon choked down a sob or two, possibly three.

"Read on," she said. "This is the most beautiful hour of my day."

"To what purpose," read the secretary, "does this meaningless figure appear on the horizon of movieland? Lila Vernon's looks and mentality are sufficient proof of the idiotic trend in Hollywood. Confronted with her saccharine and feeble attempts to act, the public—"

"That's enough," said Lila Vernon. "Throw it away. Burn it first, and then throw it away."

I looked with admiration at this woman. In her countenance there was sorrow and reproach, but no anger. She stood a moment, lost in thought. Then she spoke. Her voice was silvery. Her forehead was clear.

"My first duty to my public," she said. "Desperately shy by nature, I fight my shyness for the sake of the people who love me. I must go to theaters and previews because the producers ask it. But I whisk in and out, disguising myself with a pair of dark glasses or a heavy beard. I'm abnormally sensitive.

And sensitive she looked, as she stood there poised on the edge of the pool. Her eyes, were they blue, green, red or yellow?—looked toward the horizon, seeing and yet not seeing.

That was the last glimpse I had of her.

That was the true Lila Vernon. As I left the studio a shoe whizzed past my ear from behind. Lila had thrown it. It was her playfulness, the playfulness of the woman and the artist who is still a girl. I picked up the shoe and threw it back, narrowly missing the loveliest jaw in Hollywood.

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The Americans are the kind of people who fight for their liberty and then proceed to gradually surrender it little by little to the federal government.

### Pioneer Cowboys Eager to Attend Stamford Event

STAMFORD, June 10.—Veterans of the range and trail who crowded the Indians and buffaloes from Texas plains and established a great cattle empire are turning eager eyes toward Stamford as the time approaches for the Eighth Annual Texas Cowboy Reunion on July 1, 2 and 3.

The round-up of pioneer cowboys and cattlemen to renew acquaintances, revive memories of the old west and keep alive customs and traditions of the early day cattle country is the original purpose for which the Reunion was organized in 1930.

The oldtime cowboys have their own organization, known as the Texas Cowboy Reunion Association, which holds its meetings each year as guests of the Texas Cowboy Reunion, Inc. Membership of the association now numbering 1,400, is limited to men who were actively employed on ranches 35 years or more ago.

Walf Cousins of Dallas, former West Texas cowhand, is president of the organization and will preside at the July meeting at which new officers will be elected. Chas. E. Coombes, Stamford, secretary, reports

that 34 new applications for membership already have been received. Majority of the new registrants usually do not apply until a few days before the meeting. Payment of dues to date is on a par with last year.

Payment of the membership fee of \$1 a year is required before the coveted oldtime cowboys' badge is issued. The badge entitles the wearer to free admission to the cowboy rodeo with grandstand seat at all performances, a chuckwagon dinner at noon each day of the Reunion, and admission to the cowboy square dance each night.

The oldtime cowboys have their own bunkhouse, a unique stone structure, engraved with scores of cattle brands. This building on the Reunion grounds serves as their headquarters and meeting place. Funds are being raised for enlarging this building. The fund now amounts to \$1,000 and two registered bulls will be sold at auction during the Reunion and the proceeds added to the bunkhouse fund. One of these bulls was donated by John M. Gist of Odessa, a past president of the oldtime cowboys, and the other by A. J. Swenson of Stamford, former treasurer. Other donors to the fund were T. J. Hendrick of Abilene, \$500, and the Texas Cowboy Reunion, Inc., an equal amount.

### WANT-ADS

- LOST: Fair horn rimmed glasses in Santa Anna Tuesday afternoon. Finder return to Charles Hale. 24p
- FOR SALE CHEAP: Gentle Shetland pony, first class condition. Safe for smallest child. R. Elmer Dunham. Phone 163. 24-24c
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### Home Demonstration Notes

Mrs. Jess York, bedroom demonstrator of the Trickham Home Demonstration Club, is working over her northwest room into a complete, comfortable, and attractive bedroom.

There are 2 windows and 2 doors in the room to give sufficient ventilation, light, and sunshine, all of which are essential to a clean, sanitary bedroom. The windows and the outside door have good screens to keep out flies, mosquitoes, and other troublesome insects.

Mrs. York has added a new bedroom suit to her room that consist of a bed, bedside table, dresser, bench, and chest of drawers. She also plans to add some book shelves and a magazine rack to give a place for books and magazines to be kept.

Her bedspread is a tufted one made with natural colored thread on unbleached domestic in a plaid design. Her curtains are to be of thin material to soften the light entering the room and still let in plenty of fresh air. Mrs. York has 2 hooked rugs she plans to use on her floors which she has refinished with oil.

The woodwork has been stained dark oak and the walls are papered with a light, floral patterned paper. The closet has been papered inside and a rod, shelves and a shoe rack added to furnish adequate storage for her clothes.

To keep clothes looking nice and in good condition one must have a closet that furnishes storage for all types of clothing, says Dorris Jean McKee, wardrobe demonstrator of the Brown Ranch 4-H club, who lives close to Fisk.

Dorris Jean began her wardrobe work in January by taking an inventory of her clothing and making out a wardrobe plan of the clothing she would need to buy in 1937. Later she made a kitchen apron, a kimono, and a slip, and a sport dress.

In April she decided to do something about her clothing storage. In her bedroom was an old fashioned wardrobe where she put her clothing. The wardrobe was large enough to store all her things in but it needed some work on it. She removed the old varnish from the outside and gave it a new coat of varnish to make the outside attractive. The inside was painted with white enamel to make light and easy to keep.

A rod for hanging dresses, coats, etc. was added and above this a shelf for hats. A shoe rack was placed in the bottom of the wardrobe for her shoes. There is a drawer at the bottom in which to put folded garments. Since Dorris Jean has worked over her wardrobe she now has adequate storage for her clothing.

#### SHORTAGE OF LAYING HENS IN PROSPECT FOR FALL AND WINTER MONTHS

COLLEGE STATION — A heavy shortage of laying hens, with a corresponding increase in egg and poultry prices, is in prospect for the fall of 1937 and the early part of 1938, according to George P. McCarthy, assistant poultry husbandman of the Texas A. and M. Extension Service.

McCarthy said that high feed costs and low prices for poultry products has resulted in the heaviest culling program in recent years. The unfavorable price picture has also resulted in a decline in the purchase of baby chicks. McCarthy pointed out that commercial hatcheries have reported a 35 percent decline in the sale of baby chicks.

With better egg prices in prospect, McCarthy urged that poultrymen give their pullets every chance to come into early production and to maintain production. "Poultrymen who feed their pullets properly during the summer and give them every opportunity to develop will be well repaid during the fall and winter," he said.

Not much chance exists of any unforeseen increase in the number of laying hens before well into 1938, according to McCarthy. June and July chicks have never proved profitable, and commercial hatcheries have suspended operations for the summer.

#### FORDS REMAIN AT A & M

Seth Ford, distinguished student for the spring semester at A & M College, enrolled for summer school this week. He is a senior and will receive his degree in agricultural education in February of next year.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ford will return to Santa Anna in August for a visit, before returning to school in September.

#### West Texas Have Gardens in Spite of Unfavorable Conditions

County home demonstration agents in West Texas are frequently called upon to devise means whereby vegetables can be grown in spite of unfavorable conditions.

The alkaline condition of the water used for irrigation along the river in Presidio county makes it difficult to grow vegetables, but 32 4-H club girls in this section have 300 row feet of greens, beans and carrots each, which are doing nicely. The vegetables are planted on mounds above the water line so that the water will filter through the soil before reaching the plants.

From a back yard of asparagus bed of 18 crowns, Mrs. B. H. Yancy of the Pullman club in Tom Green county has been supplying her family with fresh asparagus. The plants were set out two years ago and were well fertilized, and this year supplied a surplus for canning. The bed was laid out so that in summer the asparagus ferns make a screen which hides back fences and a chicken house.

Club girls in Hudspeth county have prepared six small plots for gardens which are irrigated with water hauled from a surface tank. Two subirrigation systems have been established in the county.

One of these, on the J. Moseley ranch, consists of 26 rows of tile each 21 feet long and underlying an area of 1,538 square feet. The other, on the E. Love ranch, is made of 20 lines of tile, also 21 feet long. In both cases, each row of subirrigation tile is equipped with a separate hydrant.

#### West Texas Terracing and Contouring Program Carried On Well Into Year

Dry weather, which has held back planting in part of the state, is being utilized by many West Texas farmers and ranchmen to terrace and contour their fields and ranches. County agricultural agents report that in many cases farmers are calling on them to run terrace lines and are planting on the contours established by the lines with the expectation of terracing in the fall.

Real county, which recently employed its first county agricultural agent, had no terraces until the new agent ran lines on a 16 acre field belonging to R. L. Henderson of Camp Wood.

The county agricultural agent of Tom Green County, with his assistant, ran terrace lines on 9,686 acres on 94 farms during the first four months of the year. During the same period, farmers who had learned to operate levels through attendance at terracing schools and demonstrations ran lines on 11,524 acres on 65 farms.

In Runnels county, the county agricultural agent, together with farmers who have learned to operate levels, has run lines on approximately 20,000 acres on more than 100 farms since the first of the year. Terraces have been constructed on 80 percent of these farms. County equipment has been busy, and was used recently to construct terraces on a 240 acre farm. These terraces cost 41 cents an acre.

#### TRICKHAM H. D. CLUB

The Trickham Home Demonstration Club met June 3 at 2:30 p. m. at the club room with 15 members and 6 visitors present.

Each member answered the roll call with her favorite party refreshments.

Topics discussed were: "The art of making Good Tea," by Mrs. Carl Sheffield; "Easy Sandwiches and Suitable Punch Recipes for Large Groups," by Mrs. Jess York; "Ice Cream and Sherbets," by Mrs. C. F. Shield. The following ladies gave interesting talks on the "Home Food Supply Program," Mrs. Gordon Stearnes, Mrs. Oscar Boenicke, Mrs. A. H. Dean, Mrs. Will Mullis.

Mrs. A. H. Dean was elected as a delegate to the Short Course to be held some time in August.

#### Residents Return from Trip

Mrs. Ira Nichols and daughter, Elva, and Mrs. Lulu Meuth and daughter, Alice, have just returned from a three-weeks auto trip to Austin, Houston and Galveston.

While on the trip they visited relatives. One of the highlights of the trip was a boat ride in the Gulf.

The young people of America are sure to surpass their fathers in one respect. They're going to be bigger eaters.

### Uncle Jim Says



"Locust trees help stop gullies and are a cheap source of fence posts."

The use of trees to stop the growth of gullies is becoming popular over the State, according to C. W. Simmons, farm forester of the Texas A. and M. Extension Service. The trees not only retard erosion, but offer an additional source of farm income.

In humid sections of the State, Simmons finds that the black locust makes a quick growth, holds the soil together, and provides fairly good fence posts within a reasonable time. About 10 years is needed to produce serviceable posts from this tree on average soil.

In general, it is always best to plant trees which are known to be locally adapted. There are three species of pine and some 27 varieties of hardwood which are of commercial value in Texas, Simmons says. In sections where none of these are adapted, Simmons recommends planting such post yielding trees as cedar, mesquite, bois d'arc and black locust.

County agricultural agents have available detailed information regarding the planting of forest trees under the agricultural Conservation Program, which carries provision for payment for this type of agricultural conservation.

#### Rally Day Is Scheduled for County 4-H Clubs

The Rally Day of the Coleman 4-H club girls, sponsored by the County Home Demonstration Council, is to be held on Saturday, June 19th, from 9:30 a. m. to 4:00 p. m., at the City Park in Coleman. Each girl will wear her sport dress for the judges at 10:00 a. m. All aprons, gowns, and kimonos that the girls have made will be put on display at the Replica by the Exhibits Committee of the Council composed of: Mrs. J. T. Henderson, New Central, Chairman; Mrs. L. F. Wireman, Leaday; Mrs. Curtis Moore, Bowen; and Mrs. C. H. Abbey, Indian Creek.

Each girl and any other persons attending the Rally Day is to bring a picnic lunch and eat on the grounds at 12:00 p. m. The Council is to serve lemonade and Mrs. Ben Dunn, Coleman Independent chairman, Mrs. I. V. Sewell, Junction, Mrs. Paul Riddle, Indian Creek, and Mrs. Marshall Tune are to have charge of making and serving the lemonade.

At 2:00 p. m. there will be a style show and each girl will wear her dress for the group to see. The council is furnishing prizes and these will be presented at the conclusion of the style show. In the demonstrators group the prizes are:

1. Well equipped sewing kit.
2. Manicuring set.
3. Good Grooming Kit.

In the Cooperator group the prizes:

1. Scissors.
2. Manicuring set.
3. Good Grooming Kit.

The public is cordially invited to attend the Style Show at 2:00 p. m.

These plans were made when Coleman County Home Demonstration Council met Saturday afternoon, June 5, at the New Moore Hotel, with 24 people present representing 15 of the 22 clubs in the county.

Mrs. Luther Edens, Gouldbusk, Chairman of the year book committee, announced that her committee wanted all program suggestions sent in to her or the Home Demonstration Agent. They are ready to begin work and the suggestions should be sent in soon.

At the May council meeting it was decided that the Council would put out a Home Demonstration Club Cook Book. All arrangements for putting out the book are in the hands of the Finance Committee, Mrs. Claude Alvey, chairman told the council the set up and plans at this meeting. She appointed the following committee to handle the advertising for the book:

1. White Chapel—Mrs. Luther Kolder, Mrs. Carl Smith.
2. Live At Home—Mrs. R. E. Alvey, Mrs. Sanford Tune.

3. Coleman Independent—Mrs. Ben Dunn, Mrs. Frank Gillespie.
4. Bowen, Mrs. Curtis Moore, Miss Net Hagler.
5. Junction—Mrs. I. V. Sewell, Mrs. John Pearce.
6. Indian Creek—Mrs. C. H. Abbey, Mrs. Floyd Jameson.
7. Silver Valley—Mrs. J. W. Brown, Mrs. Walter Everett.
8. New Central—Mrs. J. T. Henderson, Mrs. Josephine Nalley.
9. Rae-Echo—Mrs. Harry Dibrell and Mrs. Pearl Sackett.
10. Voss—Mrs. C. S. Calahan, Mrs. J. H. Pitts.
11. Leaday—Mrs. L. F. Wireman, Mrs. Prentice Ransburger.
12. Brown Ranch—Mrs. J. H. Roberts, Miss Mattie Lee Taylor.
13. Gouldbusk—Mrs. L. H. Edens, Mrs. Joe Brooks.

Mrs. Alvey is asking this committee to meet with her on Saturday, June 12, at 3:00 p. m. at the New Moore Hotel, to discuss details and make further plans. Every member of the committee is urged to be present at the meeting as it is of utmost importance.

Mrs. Alvey also appointed the

following committee to have charge of selecting and arranging the recipes in the book. The committee is made of Miss Virginia Dibrell, Rae-Echo; Mrs. Marlin Smith, White Chapel; Mrs. Oscar Boenicke, Trickham.

The meeting of this committee will be set later.

Mrs. Raymond McErath, Coleman Independent, reported that 30 Coleman county Home Demonstration Club women attended the Soil and Water Conservation meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce at Brownwood on May 11. Dr. Knapp of Texas Technological College at Lubbock was chairman of the meeting.

The final arrangement for the Countywide Bedroom Tour to be held, June 22 to 25 were made by the council. Mrs. Willie Henderson, chairman of the Tour Committee, announced the following times and places.

June 22—Precinct 1 meet at the New Moore Hotel by 1 p. m.

June 23—Precinct 2 meet at the home of Mrs. R. R. Lovelady, bedroom demonstrator, Santa Anna, at 1 p. m.

June 24—Precinct 3 meet at the home of Mrs. J. W. Rob-

erts, bedroom demonstrator, Brown Ranch club at 2:00 p. m. June 25—Precinct 4 meet at the Bowen School house at 1:30 p. m.

The council is offering four prizes to the bedroom demonstrators who score highest on their rooms. The prizes are:

1. Small bedroom desk or writing table.
2. Bedroom chair.
3. Bedside table.
4. Magazine rack.

The council extends an invitation to the general public to attend as many of the tours as possible to see the improved bedrooms.

Mrs. Harry Dibrell, Rae-Echo, chairman of the committee to investigate suitable places in the county for the annual Encampment on Wednesday and Thursday, August 4-5, at the Edmundson Park, 8 miles north-east of Coleman on the Burkett Highway. The committees to have charge of the arrangements will be appointed later.

The next meeting of the council will be on Saturday July 3, at the New Moore Hotel at 1:30 p. m. At this time three delegates to the Texas Home

Demonstration Association meets at Short Course, August 16-19 will be elected by the Council from the candidates presented by each of the clubs in the county. Each council member will introduce the candidate from her club and read a brief summary of her qualifications to the council. The qualifications should be written down so as to take up as little time as possible.

#### BROTHER OF FORMER RESIDENT DIES

Word has been received of the death of Taylor Bond, Cross Plains banker, who died at his home there Tuesday.

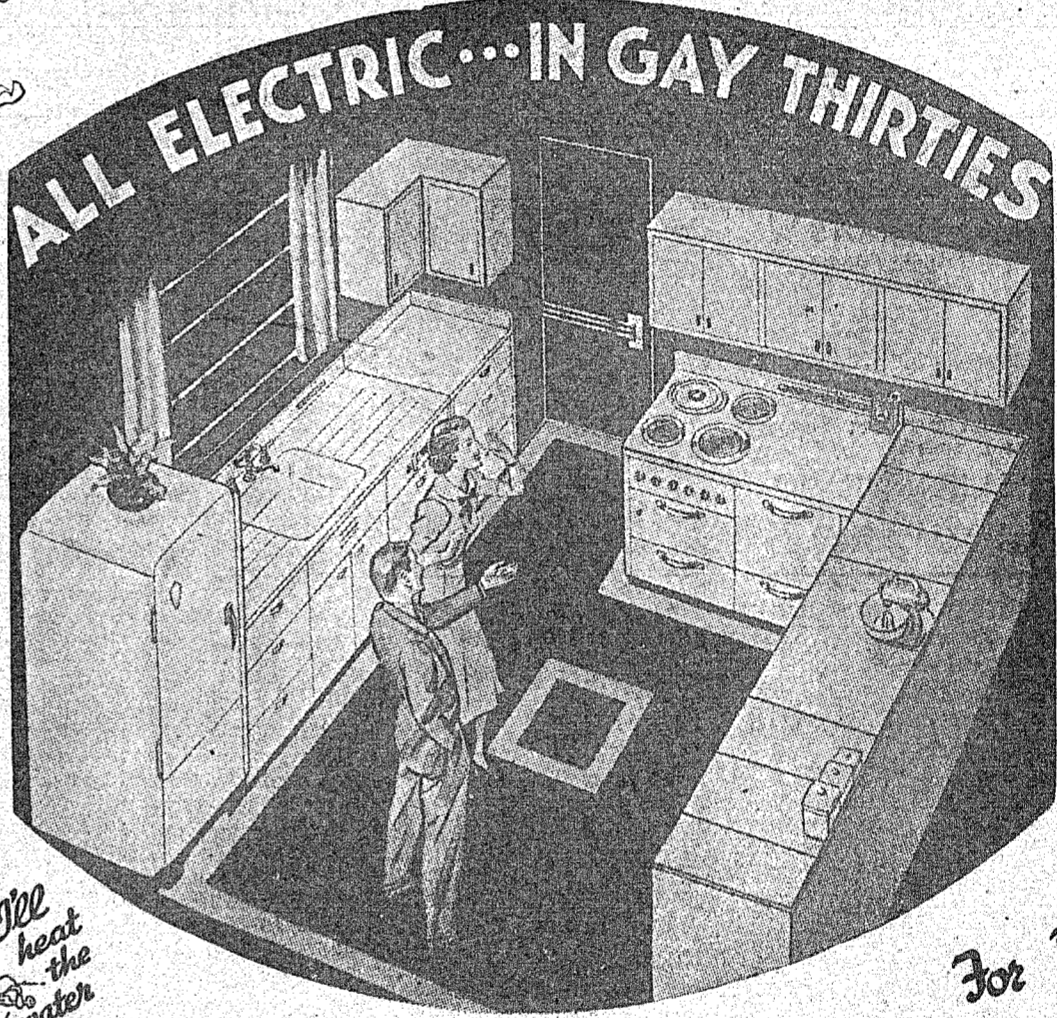
Mr. Bond was a brother of Parker Bond of Abilene, formerly of this city, who was well known here.

When money talks the average man doesn't stop to investigate the truthfulness of its remarks.

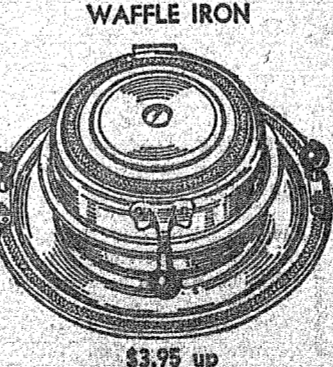
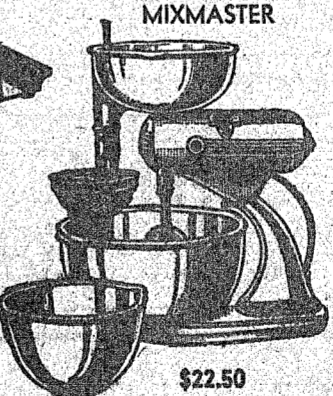
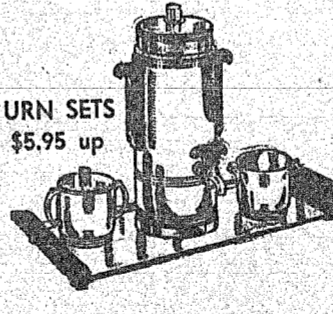
There are still a lot of old-timers who can remember when meals were opened with a blessing instead of a can-opener.

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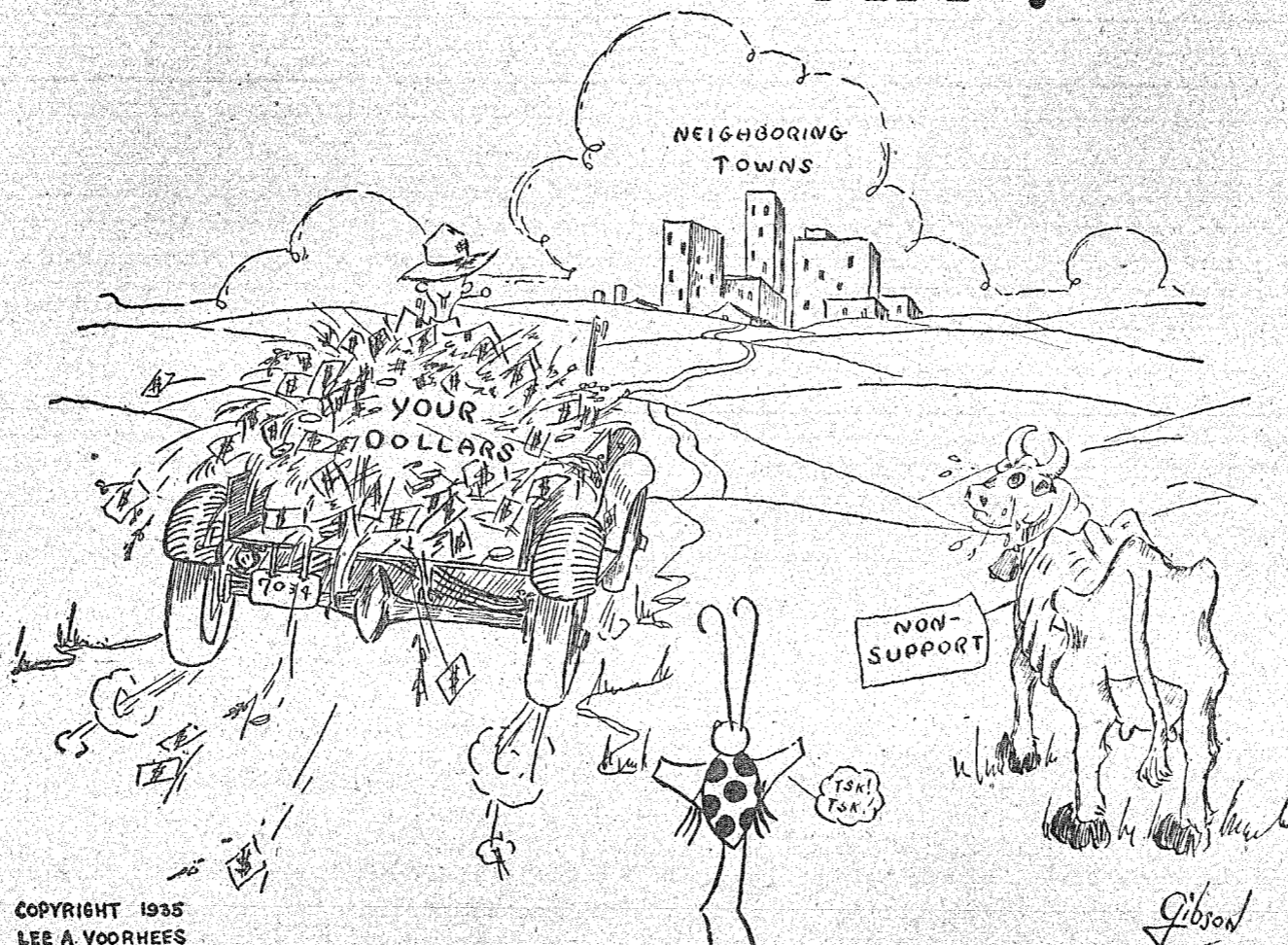
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SOCIETY

Miscellaneous Shower Honors Recent Bride

Mrs. W. E. Routh, Mrs. H. V. Standley and Miss Mattie Ella McCreary entertained at the McCreary home Saturday afternoon, June 5, with a miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Audas R. Smith. Mrs. Smith is the former Miss Annie Louise Watkins.

Miss Francine Merritt gave two readings, "Husbands for Sale" and "Advice to the Bride," Alice Anna Guthrie played a piano solo, and Patsy Jean Whitley and Fredna Watkins entertained with a tap dance.

Since the groom is a scout executive, the scout motif was used. The bride's book, which was woodcraft and leather-laced, was decorated with a gold scout emblem. The bride found a treasure by following the markings to the end of the trail, a scout tent covering many beautiful and useful gifts.

Mrs. Cheney is Named Honoree at Surprise Shower

Mrs. C. T. Conley and Gorda Jones honored their mother, Mrs. M. E. Cheney who is leaving for Houston for the summer, at a surprise handkerchief shower at the home of Mrs. Conley Saturday afternoon at three o'clock.

After the guests had assembled Mrs. Cheney was sent for and little Mary Ann Jones brought the gifts into the living on a beautifully decorated wagon. The honoree expressed her surprise and appreciation for the gifts.

A color scheme of yellow and white was carried out in decorations and refreshments. Delicious ice cream and cake was served to Meses, Henry Campbell, Mary Kirkpatrick, W. S. M. Conley, George Smith, Sam Brown, Joe Cheney, Tom Preas, Jim McGee, Paul VanDalsen, Ruby Simmons, Clarence Gilbert, S. K. Morelock, G. O. Herring, Misses Jimmie Oakes, Jennie B. Conley, Maxine Conley, Mary Ann Jones, Joyce Morelock, the honoree, Mrs. M. E. Cheney, and the hostesses, Mrs. C. T. Conley and Gorda Jones.

The citizen who let the recent election ruin his peace of mind is now getting the same effect through worrying how we can keep out of war.

Rex Golston Jr. Honored at Party

Honoring her son, Rex Golston Jr., who was home for a few days from A and M College, Mrs. Rex Golston Sr. entertained Monday night with a party, inviting his friends and former classmates of the high school here.

The evening was spent in dancing while the young people talked over old times.

Punch, ice cream and cake were served to the following guests:

Robert Hunter, Russell Hale, Garland Close, Jesse Brown, Bill Mitchell, A. D. Pettit, Vernon Ragsdale.

Misses Beth Barnes, Mary Alice Mitchell, Francine Merritt, Rhea Boardman, Mary Lee Combs, Bess Inez Shield, Fay Nickens, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wheeler, Mrs. J. T. Oakes Jr.

Rex Jr. left Tuesday morning for A and M where he will enter summer school.

James E. Harvey of Cisco to Wed Greenville Girl

Announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss Lucine Lewis of Greenville to James E. Harvey of Cisco, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Harvey of Santa Anna, was made recently at an informal tea given by the prospective bride's mother, Mrs. R. M. Lewis at the home of Mrs. V. G. Forrester of Greenville.

The wedding will take place June 16 at 10 a. m. at the home of the bride's parents. The announcement tea was attractive in its bridal appointments, the home being decorated with a profusion of cut flowers, with blue and white, the chosen colors of the bride-elect predominating.

The reception room was adorned with jasmine, cornflower and senecia. In the dining room the banquet styled table was laid with a mosaic lace cloth in natural shade. Center-piece and appointments were exclusively of crystal.

Guests were served punch, coconut balls, toasted nuts and mints. Announcement of the approaching nuptials was made by little Miss Nancy Buster, who presented each guest with a scroll which read: "Lucy and Jimmie, June 16."

More than 60 guests called during the afternoon to offer best wishes to Miss Lewis.

TEA WILL HONOR MISS LENA BOYD WED. AFTERNOON

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., will entertain with a tea Wednesday afternoon from 5 to 6:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Clinton Lowe, honoring Miss Lena Boyd, missionary, who has recently returned from India.

All friends of Miss Boyd are invited to attend the tea and others who would like to meet the honoree are extended an invitation.

An average of 116 National Youth Administration boys have terraced 104,161 acres of farmland on 640 different farms in the thirteen counties of the Lubbock district, A. V. Bullock, district supervisor, reported to J. C. Kellam, acting state director.

When a man says the answer to an argument is as clear as mud he means that it covers the ground.

The Rogues' Gallery



Of Course We Have Lady Members, Real Peaches, and Not One Knows Where Paraguay Is, Either, and They Think That Chaco is Chewing Gum.

Being an economist and a humorist simultaneously today may seem rather incongruous to many but not to Stephen Leacock. He is one economist who can still see the bright side of life and, what is more, write humorously about it.

OUR IGNORAMUS CLUB

By STEPHEN LEACOCK EVER since we started in our town our new Ignoramus club, of which I'm the secretary, I am stopped on the street by people asking, "What is it? What is it? How do I get in?"

People got into the Ignoramus Club, you see, on their brains, or at least on their minds, the kind of minds they have. We do it by question and answer, just by questioning the people who want to get in and seeing if they have the right qualifications.

He got in. That is exactly what the Club wants. You see it started from the idea that the world is all yeworried and preoccupied about peace and war, and nations who live God knows where, and economics and unemployment. People just grab for their paper in the morning and see who's in the Polish corridor, and what's in the Saar Basin and whether the plebiscite among that Last will keep them Lats or turn them into Slats.

It's too much. We think the world's going crazy. Our President, McSorley, put it that way. "Going crazy!" he said, just like that, snapping his fingers, "going crazy!" And McSorley's fine. It's silly about his ever having been in an asylum, because he wasn't. It wasn't an asylum at all, just a place! McSorley could have had the biggest law practice in town, but he was too versatile for it. He still has his office, and rows and rows of books in calfskin. He sits there most of the day, working puzzles. So of course, when we started the Ignoramus Club he was just the man for President.

Well, we have got together on the basis of complete ignorance of all kinds of foolishness. We didn't know where the Polish Corridor is and we don't care. Ask us where Manchukuo is and we just laugh! Just break out silly and laugh! You see, we don't know where it is and if you told us we'd forget it tomorrow and think it was somewhere else. In fact we are just like everybody used to be before the world went crazy.

At the last meeting somebody asked one of our lady members something about Flandin. Do we have ladies? Well, do we! What do you think we are, professors? Of course we have lady members, but we don't have any ladies. We have a few, but they are just like everybody else, and they think that Chaco is chewing gum.

think that Chaco is chewing gum. Perhaps you saw in the papers the other day the story of how a man said to a girl at a dance, "I'd like to ask you for a dance but I must confess I'm just a little stiff from Polo," and she said, "Oh, that's all right, I don't care where you were born." Well, that girl is one of our members: She qualified on that remark.

What did the lady say about Flandin? Oh, she said that tablets like that were all right if you couldn't sleep. As a matter of fact some of our members seem to get into the club just in time. They look sick and worn out when they come in, and in a week or two they quit worrying about the Polish Corridor, and they think the Belgia is the name of a movie star and they're all right.

What do we do at the meetings? Come round some time and see. We have lunch meetings and evening meetings, too; generally have a paper or a discussion, anything, as long as the members don't know anything about it and don't care. We're having a lunch on Disarmament Wednesday. And of course in a way we're a "service" club. At least we're pledged to do something for the kiddies. We had a smoker for them, last time—you know, to raise money for the Scouts, great little fellows! But we lost out on it; the cigars cost too much. We had to borrow out of the little fellows' savings bank to get even. But we'll fix it all later. As McSorley said, "Boyhood is sacred." We'll see they get their money back. We can raise it from their parents. We're just starting up a Summer Camp for Underfed Kids. Some of us are going out next Saturday to see how the food is, and if there is fishing for the kiddies.

But come to any of the meetings and you'll see. The best thing we've started yet is our Legion of Humor. No, not honor, "Humor." It's a yellow ribbon the color of spilled egg; it goes on the lapel of the coat. Whenever any statesman or politician makes a special speech, the thing called a "vital pronouncement," we send it to him. But come round some time.

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Indians of Early Ohio

Believers in Witchcraft The Indians of Ohio, firm believers in witchcraft, generally attributed sickness and other misfortunes to this cause, and were in the habit of murdering those they suspected of practicing it.

When a redskin became so sick he was in danger of death, it was usual for his tribesmen to place him in the woods alone, with no one to attend him except a nurse or a doctor, such as they were. According to the rules, no one was allowed to visit the sick person except those who provided him with medical attention.

Although visitors of the sick were thus restricted, when the person died, anyone and everyone could attend the funeral at which there was usually lamentation that would put to shame some of the hysterical carrying-on of today.

More peculiar was the manner of burial. For instance, in the lid of a coffin made for a Shawnee chief holes were drilled through his eyes and mouth to let the good spirit pass in and out.

Over the grave they laid all sorts of presents in the belief that these would be taken by the good spirit during the night. And sure enough these trinkets had all disappeared during the night being removed by the hands of an "evil spirit" called in human body—Clayton High Dancer.

Superior Breeding and Care of Cattle Stressed by Texas Farmers and Ranchers

Superior breeding and care of beef cattle are being emphasized by West Texas farmers, ranchmen, and 4-H club boys in reports of their cattle raising turned in to county agricultural agents.

Approximately 100 head of registered Hereford bulls have been purchased by ranchers in Reeves and Ward counties during the past two months. These bulls will supplement approximately 200 head of registered Hereford bulls purchased in 1936, and with this breeding stock it is believed that the area surrounding Pecos will soon be developing Hereford cattle of superior breeding.

Adam Wilson, Jr., Kerr county ranchman, has 114 calves out of 118 cows this year, or a little more than a 97 percent calf crop. He attributes this record to the excellent care given during the winter and during the breeding season in March and April.

All of the eight pastures and traps on the Wilson ranch run to the ranch headquarters where the cows are fed in groups of 12 in the corrals. All of the cows are dehorned, so they eat peacefully together in the troughs where the feed has

been weighed according to the number to be fed.

During the past season, 16 McCulloch county 4-H club boys exhibited a total of 65 beef calves at three major stock shows in the State and won 41 awards, totaling \$754. These 65 calves brought these 16 boys \$1,334.82 in net profits in addition to the \$754 prize money.

William Curtis Henderson, 11 year old Coleman county 4-H club boy, sold four calves this year for a total of \$425. Above feeding cost, he cleared between \$30 and \$35 on each calf.

There are approximately 18,000,000 tons of usable cellulose in the unused stalks of the average American cotton crop, according to estimates of the All-South Development Council.

Our idea of an optimist is the fellow in an old Model T who thinks the toot of his little horn will cause a big truck to move over.

Lady (to guide in Yellowstone Park): Do these hot springs ever freeze over?

Guide: Oh, yes. Once last winter a lady broke through the ice and burned her foot.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Routh-Gaston are visiting Mrs. Routh's family, Mrs. T. T. McCreary, Miss Mattie Ella McCreary and other relatives.

SOFTBALL SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

MONDAY Cross Roads vs. Firemen; Baptist Young People vs. Whon. TUESDAY Phillips Drug vs. Rose Gin; W. O. W. vs. Baptist Adults. THURSDAY Phillips Drug vs. Whon; W. O. W. vs. Cross Roads. FRIDAY Rose Gin vs. Baptist Young People; Baptist Adults vs. Firemen.

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