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TEXAS BUSINESS CLIMBED UPWARD TO 95.1 FIGURE IN APRIL WHILE NATIONAL SLUMP IS SHOWN BY U. OF T. ECONOMIST

Austin, Texas, June 5.—In contrast to a national slump, Texas business climbed upward during April, Dr. F. A. Buechel, University of Texas economist, said today.

Charting Texas business on the team defeated the Olsen-Steam

basis of employment, pay rolls, runs of crude oil to stills, freightcar loadings, department store sales, and game was featured with errors. electric power consumption, Dr. Buechel, statistician for the Univer-

horizontal during that period, and took an upward movement last month, Dr. Buechel said. He pointed to a number of elements which could contribute toward sustained business recovery:

An abundance of cheap credit. Vast supplies of surplus raw materials both agricultural and min-

business spending. A more realistic and cooperative approach to the consideration of economic problems by industrial leaders and government officials.

Ardmore's Boosters Visited Henrietta

A motorcade of some twenty cars filled with enthusiastic boosters from Ardmore, Okla., passed thru Henrietta Wednesday about 2:30 p. m. on a good will tour and advertising their Fair and Rodeo, sponsoring an unusual "Rodeo" to be held in the Carter County Metropolis, June 16-17-18th.

number of rope performances and talks were given on the streets of our city and invitations were extended to all to attend their cele-

Miss Opal Roderick

Miss Opal Roderick, student at Denton, who has been seriously ill from a tooth extraction for the past two weeks is reported to be slightly improving, but is still in the Denton hospital.

MARIE MOORE IS

Edna Marie Moore, little 8 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis B. Moore is improving nicely following an operation for acute appendicitis, performed last Thursday night in the Scottish Rite hospital in day. They will soon return

Edna Marie has been in that hos- appointment as Postmaster.

WON OVER OLSEN-STELZER

Foncie's Beauty Shop Softball team defeated the Olsen-Stelzer game was featured with errors.

sity Bureau of Business Research, them up second place for the sea-

of 95.1 for April compared with 94.4 in Mesch and 93.2 in April last year. National business has slumped continuously during the past five months, but Texas has remained horizontal during that remained has a second place for the season. These league games are played each Tuesday night at Hapgood Field, and everyone is invited to attend and to boost their favorite team. tend and to boost their favorite

MISS OTHELLA PARSONS RECEIVES B. S. DEGREE

Miss Othella Parsons has just received her B. S. degree from Sul Ross College at Alpine.

Miss Parsons is a graduate of the eral.

Accumulated needs which have developed since 1930 as a result of under consumption and low level of mother, Mrs. Ollie Parsons, who has just returned from her school in

Redford, Texas, have enrolled for summer work in the University of Southern California in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Hatfield will accompany them to California, and while there they will visit the World's Fair at San Francisco.

Farmers of Texas Received \$27,006,000 Cash Income In April

Austin, Tex., June 5.—Texas farmers received \$27,006,000 in cash income during April, a fourth more than in April last year, and nearly per cent above the five-year average, University of Texas business statisticians said today.

For the first four months of 1939, farm cash income has totaled \$77,-956,000 a gain of more than 5 per cent above the \$74,127,000 for the Opal Roderick

Slightly Improved

Corresponding period last year, Dr.
F. A. Buechel, assistant director of the University Bureau of Business Research, raid.

Marked differences are noted in various sections of the state, however. For the most part crop reporting districts devoted to livestock growing fared well because of heavy shipments of cattle and calves, while areas dependent largely on cotton IMPROVING FROM OPERATION come showed unfavorable comparisons.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fleming Dallas, following the attack Thurs- their home in Kress where Mr. careful. Fleming has recently received

Prominent Clay **County Pioneer Died**

Mrs. J. T. Fields, 75, prominent Clay county pioneer, passed away at her home here at 11 p. m. Saturday, after two weeks serious illness.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 3 p. m. at the First Baptist church, with Rev. Earl Paton, of Gainesville officiaing. He was assised by Rev. E. L. Moody, pastor of that church.

Interment was in the Bluegrove cemetery beside her husband, who passed away last June. Funeral ar-

Active pallbearars were Messrs. Alvis Van Houten, Ambrone Douthitt ton. Alvis Van Houten, Ambrowe Boundard, Henry Nutter, Clyde Suddath, Arthur Slagle, of Henrietta, and Frank thur Slagle, of Henrietta, and Frank watched by the oil Fraternity.

she came to Clay County in 1872, locating at Bluegrove, where she

neer Association.
Mr. and Mrs. Fields would have celebrated their golden wedding anniversary had Mr. Fields lived until March.

Survivors include, one daughter, Mrs. David A. Greer, five sons, Ernest, Henry, Louis, Will and Edgar Fields; ten grandchildren. All were at her bedside when the end came.

Former Henrietta Boy Wins Honors

Howard Lebus, son of Mrs. Frances Lebus, of Gladewater, formerly of Henrietta, nephew of Mrs. Geo. Cunningham and Mrs. Lee Street, and brother of Mrs. Raymond In- Fife Brothers gram was voted popular and most handsome boy in the Gladewater Senior Class. He was one of the 12 picked as the most outstanding members of the 1939 class, graduat-

most outstanding and making the highest grade in that subject. He plans to devote his life to engineering. He was vice president of his by Mr. Bob Fife, accompanied class and plays in the Lions Official Band of Texas. He expects to accompany this Band to the Lions Club Convention in Philadelphia in

DEATH BELL READY TO TOLL AT AUSTIN TELLING OF

The State Highway Department has a large bell at Austin which will Falls, and Drs. C. J. Sherrill a toll the news that another person and has been killed in an automobile acson, Charles, temporarily looking cident, as the news is phoned, wired after interests at Charlie, were guests in the Garrison home Friday. They will soon return to day. They will soon return to

Texas traffic death toll for April deaths were listed as unreporting was set at 90 fatalities as state police today rounded up statistics. At least 21 more persons are alive

Shallow Test To Be Made West of Town

J. E. Farrell and associates of Fort Worth, drilling in the northeast corner of section 12 T. & N. O. Railway servey, about 4 miles southeast of Henrietta are now past the 3,500 ft. mark and according to Geologist, Carl J. Brian, the formations are looking good. This body, test is on a 3,000 acre assembled test is on a 3,000 acre assembled

rangements were in charge of The No. 1 and is located on a seisomograph shot high formerly leased to the Superior Oil Company of Hous-

Gus Blakely and associates, spudded in on a new location Thursday, 1350 feet south and 150 feet east of lived until 1917, at which time she moved to Henrietta. She was a member of the Baptist church and a member of the Clay County Pioed 1200 feet in the event a pay sand is not encountered at a lessor depth.

This test is about four miles west of Henrietta and 600 feet north of the Wichita Falls Highway.

Col. L. T. Burns, had his third deep wildcat apparently ready for the pay off Monday. His No. 1, C. L. Wynn drilled 5 feet of good rich sand from 4397 to 4402 feet.

This well is in block 34 H. Williams survey, about twelve miles south and slightly west of Henrietta.

The Burns-Consolidated Numb 1 Scaling, in section 6, H. T. survey, abstract 879, is prepari drill the plug to test the sand ed up at 4430 to 4464 feet.

Entertain Kiwania

Kiwanian D. O. Daniels charge of the program at the w ly Kiwanis luncheon Thursday. ing May 30th.

Howard majored in chemestry and was given a medal for being the entertained with several musical numbers, including "A Birds" numbers, including "A Bi View of Old Kentucy Home," hand-saw medley of popular s

Lee Fife made a s Those present were J. Merrill, Rev. E. L.

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figure of 120 deaths, Colonel Homer

Actual fatalities occuring dimi March were 106, but 14 addition

pital for the past 18 months for treatment for infantile paralysis, but was the first attack of appendicitis.

Mr. Ed Bevering of Charlie made from the four corners of the state. The total is somewhat below the day. He reported everything product well below the official March 1939 exact the heaviest traffic toll."

At least 21 more persons are anyway today because more people are driving safely. Colonel Garrison stated also that "weekend trips generally well below the official March 1939 exact the heaviest traffic toll." The total is somewhat helow the ing safely. Colonel Garrison stated April, 1938 figure of 94 death and is also that "weekend trips generally ce House

ward rapildly for Manana in Worth this mer, opening July 21 some of the "behind the scenes" events in connection with the great show in previous years come to

When the grand opening of the Fort Worth Frontier Centennial was being broadcast over a national hookup in 1936 by Merle Tucker, a group of Indians were giving a war-song and war-dance but they were due for a scene in "The Last Fron-tier," so the director of that show hed them off. As the sudden silence descended, the quick-witted Tucker assured the many thousands of radio listeners, "A peculiar thing about this particular war-dance that the Indians stop right in the

An oriental dancer în Casamana, enraged at something a girl dramatic critic had written about him, made serious threats, so she was given a police whistle and, at the first toot, all eight members of the sing-ing "Peppers" were in readiness to reduce the "Yellow Peril" in America by one. Fortunately (for the Oriental,) it was not necessary for the toot to be tooted.

During Casa Manana rehaersals,

there was a man who was hired to do just one thing and that was to yell "Quie," which he did five times louder than the talk he was complaining about.

And perhaps the most vivid sentence written about the 1937 Casa Manana was that of Jack Gordon of the Fort Worth Press: "The old Southern mansion is so realistic that the milkman leaves a pint of milk on the front step each morning that the milkman leaves a pint of milk on the front step each morning."

John Naylor, conservative and widely-informed oil editor of the Ft. Worth Star-Telegram comments that State Railroad Commissioner Jerry Sadler "struck a chord" in sympathy with the feeling of most Texas producesrs" in suggesting that, after 60 days, all Texas wells run wide open because other states are not prorating to the extent that as is oil from out-of-state is ng brought into Texas. Naylor "The large majority of Texroducesrs have felt for a long a la Texas." that the operators of this State the industry, making price mization possible, while some iers have not been willing to corate but have taken advantage he situation to skim the cream

We Call For and Deliver

The walls Fair Ranch



It couldn't happen anywhere except on Sally Rand's Nude Ranch at the California World's Fair, but here's "Randy-Dandy," a young donkey born at the Exposition rancho, getting a bath. The feminine ranchers of the Gayway, who do their daily chores in so little clothing, are Barbara Knowlton (left) and Eleanor Blaise.

olding an umbrella over the "Los memjores hot dogs en Mexico" "The best hot dogs in Mexico."

Mexico has more dogs—not speak—the animals while their eyes were ing now of "hot dogs"—than you rapturous and their tails wagged can imagine, and all of them are ecstatically. hungry-looking. One beautiful lady d leave a gradually dwindling in our Lion's group felt such pily for the "skinny dogs" that we avoided the reproach in her gaze more to keep the situation togetheh. we guiltily at our box lunches in Vagrant memories from south of the little park at the foot of the pyramid of the Sun. In vain, we "belive-it-or-not": The only explained that—at best—only two e-it-or-not": The only or three of the creatures could be co City's leading res-d, in large type, "Chili, desperately hungry again the next

The Best for Less

day. So we went on short rations An eating stand borethissign: and were rewarded with a radiant smile as the lady fed bread, bananas, candy, ham, oranges and pie to

Mr. and Mrs. Tom J. Green spent

LOCAL LADIES ATTEND O. E. S. SCHOOL IN VERNON

Six members of the Henrietta Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, attended the O. E.S. School of Instruction in Vernon Monday. They were Mesdames Rex Gates, Cad Powell, A. E. McMillon, M. S. Miller, Tommy Welch and A. V. Atkip

Prof. and Mrs. Morris Gilbert and son, of Bluegrove, were visiting in Henrietta yesterday. Prof. Gilbert will attend N. T. S. T. C. at Denton this summer.

Miss Edna Mae Davis of Buckners Orphans Home of Dallas, is a guest this week of her sister, Miss Corrine Davis, and the Moody family. Miss Davis graduated this year and was Salutatorian of her class.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Blakely and daughters, Misses Billie Dan and Buth sport the first of the week at

Ruth spent the first of the week at Camp Waldemar near Kerrville. Miss Ruth remained for the summer six weeks recreation courses.

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WHY GO TO COLLEGE?

This is a question that has been argued for lo these many years. The question like all of its type is no nearer solution today than it was in the early days of American Colleges. You can still hear fathers saying such outmoded phrases the following, "I ain't going to send my "by to college. They don't give them buthing' but book larning. I want to get something practical. I don't see no sense in book larning, noh ow; I didn't have none, and I guess I am getting on alright." said the enemy to good schools and the enemy of his children.

That kind of man must be made to see the absolute necessity of educa-tion. "Thars oil in that thar land; thar's gold in them thar hills."

Of course that man might get by, make a living, be kind to his family, and be a good provider, but the law should step in and educate that man's children and not allow them to grow up in ignorance

It would be unwise to send every child in Texas to college. The outcome of such a plan would be to flood the market with college graduates, or to cause a great deal of heartaches to students who, lacking the ability to graduate, failed out. It is far better not to send a student to college who is weak in school than to send him, and force him to stand the disgrace of failing out of school. This has a more telling effect on his character than if he does not go. Business colleges provide an excellent opportunity for students who do not desire the purely cultural fields, but who are adept at the practical side of life.

The matter of picking a career is an unfortunate feature of our system. Many parents make the mis-take of deciding what little Morti-CAN'T BE ELECTED PRES mer will be when he is cutting his first teeth. And in spite of the development of all his talents in a field other than the one which they had chosen, they send him to college when he reached the proper age to study in his chosen line. He does poorly in his work. They send him letters scolding him for not taking advantage of the splendid opportunities offered him. Do you call it an opportunity to take castor on. Perhaps the subject they have chosen for him is as distastful to him. He become disgusted with the outlook and their attitude. He is allowed to continue in the his new work. Only a happy worker can be a satisfied worker. Parents should remember this fact when they first peep over the edge of the cradle at two day old Junior, and old for the place. If Garner is nominated he can't be elected."

To the June graduate,—go to college and if you are not sure what you want to take—make a judicious roof.

Dr. A. B. Edwards recently dress-led his home up with a nice new you want to take—make a judicious roof.

CASAMANA (



Miss Fay Cotton and Miss Grey Downs Who will be the 1939 Queen?

Former Congressman Maury Maverick, mayor of San Antonio, speak-ing at Houston Monday said, "We think that Labor should get together for the good of the country and the good of itsself. For a long time I have thought the CIO and the AF L should poin together in one big business organization. But the rail brotherhoods are separate and everybody gets along with them. So why shouldn't the AFL and the GIO divide the field."

Maverick said what the country needs is a "vigorous, trained, manual or the state of the said what the country needs is a "vigorous, trained, manual or the said what the country needs is a "vigorous, trained, manual or the said was a said what the country needs is a "vigorous, trained, manual or the said was a said what the country needs is a "vigorous, trained, manual or the said was a said was

ture, (not to old or too young,) for the presidency in 1940. All the people who hate Pres. Roosevelt and love Nazism and Facism are supporting Garner. Mr. Garner is too

CAN'T BE ELECTED PRESIDENT J. L. Lamb Is Now In Charge Hanagan's Cream Department

-Clay County Leader.

Jimmy Hanagan, proprietor of Hanagan Bros. Poultry & Cream Station, is ever alert to keep the asian of the times and in order to be in of the times, and in order to be in position to better serve his continually increasing number of patrons, he has secured Mr. J. L. Lamb to take complete charge of his cream

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and he will be and promptly serv patron of this population And, incidentally,

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Mr. Lamb invites you to bring in your cream, assuring you of prompt service.

NOTICE!

June 10th is the deadline or the last day of this year to qualify as a Notary Public.

LAWRENCE NUCKOLLS County Clerk.

Mrs. O. B. Wilkes, of Frederick, Okla., is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Albert Greer and Dr. Greer.

the street.

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NN HAPGOOD HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. L. B. Hapgood entertained at her home Wednesday from 4 to 6 honoring her daughter, Ann on her

Various games were enjoyed on the lawn, and in the "Duck Fight" contest, William Cratus Arthur was awarded the prize.

cream and cake with fancy candy plate favors were served to Martha Ashinhurst, Felix Ashinhurst, Barlow Weaver Jr., Andrew Smith Jr., G. Robert Smith, Billie Wayne Garrison, Betty Ann Welch, Frances Jo Welch, Katherine Boger, Ann Lerner, Betty Frances Davies, Evelyn Graves, Betty Graves, Anna Marie Kosanke, Jennene Douthitt, Joanne Douthitt, Mary Anna Wat-son, and the honoree, Ann Hap-

The lovely home of Mr. and Mrs.
Philo H. Boddy was the scene Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock of an elaborate June wedding uniting Miss Clara Vaughn and Representative Houston McMurry. The impressive Houston McMurry. The impressive Sonata," during the ceremony. Paul E. Martin, of Wichita Falls, former pastor of the First Methodist church here and a special friend of the families, in the presence of close friends and relatives of the couple.

A decorative setting for the wedding featured white Calla lillies, chosen flower of the bride, arranged in fan shape in front of a stately background formed of woodwards fern and lillies against a mantlepiece banked with fern and flanked with with a beautiful train. It was fashpalms and bouquets of the Calla

white Calla lillies decorated the piano and the same flowers were noted throughout the reception suite in

The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Vaughn of Henrietta. She is a graduate of the and nephew of the groom, was best Henrietta high school and of North man.
Texas State Teachers college, Denton from which she received a Bachelor's degree with major in art. For the last several years she has been a popular members of the Electra public school faculty. For her wedding she was exquisitely gowned in a white chiffon floor length model ioned with a seed pearl yoke and long full sleeves sherred at the hand An attractive arrangement of and a full circular skirt. She carried a prayer book and shower bouquet of lillies of the valley.

Mrs. Macon Boddy of Austin attended the bride as matron of hon-The pre-nuptial music was furn-ished by Miss Margaret Leudi of some white chiffon frock with shir-Vernon, pianist, who was dressed in red yoke and sleeves and accordion

wore white ac-

pleated SK. vore white accessories and carried an arm bouquet of white Calla lillies knotted with white satin ribbon.

The groom is the son of Mrs. R. H. McMurry of this city. He is a graduate of the Henrietta high school and attended State University at Austin where he majored in law. He has practiced law in Henrietta for a number of years and at the present number of years and at the present time is a member of the State islature, serving as representative of the 110th district.

Rush McMurry of Wichita Falls, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McMurry

Reception Held

Following the wedding an in-formal reception was held in the Boddy home, during which time the guests were ushered into the dining room which was decorated with white Calla lillies and feverfew in keeping with the bride's chosen

Mrs. Tom Schaffer of Abilene and Mrs. Sine Christian presided at the refreshment table, which was covered with a handsome lace cloth and centered with an elaborate arrangement of the chosen flowers. The individual cakes served were topped with Calla lillies.

Go to church Sunday.



ess, beauty, flattering fit, onal service, smartness of ind shades - they don't appen" in hosiery. The for Claussner's qualities beauty and good wear begin the selection of high grade s...continue through every sufacturing process. That's nufacturing process. That's y they're sheerer and better rear! Make a smart play loveliness the summer ough — stock up with Clauss-at these special Anniversary

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MRS. GLEN Y HOSTESS TO AUMEDINY

Mrs. Glen Younger was hostess to summer on his Master the American Legion Auxiliary Friday afternoon, June 2, at 3 o'clock instead of Mrs. Claude Vaughn, as formerly announced.

at which time she and Mrs. Glen Yaunger gave interesting reports of thein istrict Convention held in Wichita Falls, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and ap-

Mrs. C. L. Snearly talked on the "Student Loan Fund," for the 13th District of which this Auxiliary is "Superintendent F. W. Bisherdson.

a part.
1978. B. A. Weaver gave an inter-

esting talk on "Fidac."
Mrs. W. I. Howard was named as

a member of the building committee. The president appointed a Nom-

inating committee, composed of Mes dames C. L. Snearly, A. L. Mallick and Andrew A. Smith.

The July meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Claude Vaughn, 1819 Speedway, Wichita Falls.

Following the business session a social hour was enjoyed during which time the hostess, Mrs. Younger served an ice course with dainty wafers to Mesdames C. L. Snearly, Andrew A. Smith. Barlow A. Weaver, I. B. Kimbrough, Ben Ingram, W. I. Howard, W. E. Edwards, Tom J. Green, Earl Nutter, A. L. Mallick. Lois E. Cummings, O. A. Tate and L. E. Hightower. J. F. Hightower.

PERSONALS

-Clay County Leader

Miss Mary Thurmond of Amarillo and father, Mr. J. F. Thurmond at Decatur are guests this week at Mr. Thurmond's daughter, Mrs. R. J. Brown and family.

Charles A. Schicht, B. D. Taber, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Buckley, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Oheim and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Alexander of Dallas will be week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ikard

Miss Geraldine Thaxton is spending the week with Mrs. Alma Sikes

in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Slagle spent Sunday in Ft. Worth where they met Mr. Slagle's mother, who was returning home from a visit with her son, Jess Slagle and family in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Millsapps spent Sunday in Ft. Worth. Mrs. Glen Younger and son, Jim-my, and Mrs. R. T. Younger spent

the weekend in Dallas. Mrs. R. T. Younger remained for a longer visit with relatives.

Mrs. Mae Puckett is visiting her

son, Howard, in Amarillo.

Mrs. G. M. Richardson and Mrs.
Alma Sikes, also Mr. Robert Mournoy Jr. of Fort Worth were guests
Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Luther

Mr. August Witte, of Dallas, spending his vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Witte. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Symons made a business trip to Ft. Worth

Mr. Clay Waller, of Weatherford, visited relatives here this week and looked after interests at the ranch.

Miss Mary Belle Jones of Fort Worth is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Paul J. Merrill and

Mrs. Clyde Freeman and niece of Ennis, attended the funeral of Mrs. J. T. Fields in Henrietta Mon-

> Fleming Garage Byers, Texas

Texaco Gas and Oils GENERAL REPAIR

Miss Mina Franke, w teaching at Rosco, Texas, is he for the holidays. She orders her Leader changed to the local P. O.

Mrs. Ben Ingram, president, presided during the business meeting sided during the business meeting at which time she and Mrs. Glen

Carrol Haralson of Geraldine, wedding of Representative Houston at home from her school in Part which time she and Mrs. Glen

Carrol Haralson of Geraldine, wedding of Representative Houston at home from her school in Part which time she and Mrs. Glen enroute to Denton to work on his Masters degree

Buster Gentry left Sunday for A. & M. at College Station for the summer term.

Joe Douglas has returned from a

Superintendent F. W. Richardson left Monday for Austin to do some work on his P. H. D. degree. Mrs. J. G. McAlpine of Chicago,

is a house guest of her sisters, Mrs. John Firestone and Mrs. Mug

Miss Bessie Dean was a guest of Miss Ida Covey in Montague Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Zirel Cones of Pampa, spent a few days this week with Mrs. Cone's mother, Mrs. Carrie Lechner and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rush and

Vichita Falls, W. C. Mc- Altus and Bulle Jean of Wichita Falls, were who had made all guests of Mrs. R. H. McMurry there home with Carrol Haralson of Geraldine, and family, Sunday, to attend the Miss Billie Mae alwell is a g

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Black Eyed Peas, lb.	60
Carrots, 3 bunches	_ 100
Lettuce, large, firm hd.	50
Tomatoes, fresh, lb	50
Turnips, bunch	5
Squash, lb.	5
Celery, each,	
Lemons, large, dozen	
Pineapple, fresh, 2 for	
Corn on the Cob, dozen	29
Bananas lb.	5
Hominy, No. 2	50
Corn, Country Gentleman, No. 2	100
Spinach, No. 2, 3 for	250
Salmon, 2 for Racon, sliced, lb.	190
Mixed Sausage, 2 lbs.	
Cheese, full cream, lb.	

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Have you been attending the big P.T. A. Financial union revival? Report Is Given Out

This pretty weather makes you ant to go fishing and swimming.
Try as hard as he may, Jack Garner just can't get that Maverick

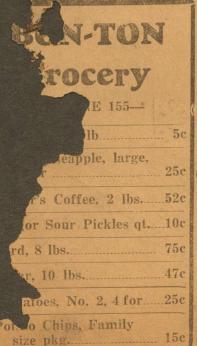
Vernon Has the Spirit to Do You must hand it to Vernon—it is interprising little city. Has a ve Chamber of Commerce and an alert Mayor, through whom an invitation was wired to the King and the companying so much time the ead of spending so much time the olitically minded in the East.

We learn that the Fife Revival i progressing nicely. To date there are been about 35 additions to the prious churches as a result of this eeting. Twenty-nine joined the sptist last Sunday, four the Meth-list, and 3 the Christian. Dr. Fife an able preacher and knows how so after the sinners.

None hundred and seven Jews were refused a permit to land at Havana and were sent back to Ham-burg Germany. We thought they greed to send all Jews to Pal-

roopš were ser to day to quell a e Fruit Packa, to Texar-

> Bryant Carson, niece s Wright, who attend-re this past term has to the home ofher parents ta Falls for the summer.



-Clay County Leader

past two years:

Larance cash on hand	
Sept. 1, 1937\$	59,46
Dues and Magazine drive	51.46
Two Ward School programs.	56.08
District School "Play"	88.75
Jr. and Senior Banquet	48.15
Alumni Banquet	26.25
Total\$	330.14
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Expenditures:	
Screens for 3rd Grade Rooms	8 4.70
(Remainder pd. by donations;	\$6.00
Rooms for having most	
present at PTA	10.0
Playground equipment	22.0
Rhythm Band instruments	9.9
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	Rhythm Band instruments	9.9
	Vaccination for Small Pox	8.7
	Welfare and First Aid	7.4
	Maps for Ward School	50.3
	Silverware	30.0
-	Wiring Ward School	104.8
t	Miscellaneous	7.6
-	Total Total	\$255.6

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Sept.	1, 19	38		9	374.49
Respects	ully	subn	nilted,		
	Mrs.	Tom	Welch,	Tre	as.
	Mrs.	John	Kosan	ke,	Pres.

Cash on hand Sept. 1, 1938\$	74.49 70.00
Dues, Magazines, donations	50.10
Total\$1	94.59

Expenditures: High School Choral C H. S. Choral Club Record	
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Refinish Piano for H. S	5.5
Curtain, H. S.	
T. B. Tests	
Miscellaneous 7 Yr. Bool	
Room Count	
First Aid & Welfare	
Total	\$111.8
Balance cash on hand	
June 1, 1939	\$82.7
Respectfully submitted	
Mrs. A. F. McMi	

Miss Agnes Hanagan of Ponca City, Okla., is spending her vaca-

Mrs. John Kosanke, Pres.

DR. PAUL L. MYERS Consulting Chiropractor Miss Kathleen Staber—Business anager. Miss Wanda Williams
—Technician

Dr. PAUL L. MYERS

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MISS GENEVIEVE DUGGER —Clay County Leader

We wish to submit the following financial report of the Henrietta recetnly elected Henrietta High tarent-leachers Association for the School Band Sweetheart for the

tugger is 15 years old, and the hearietta High School next year.

the Band will give a Band Concert from 7 to 7:45 Saturday evening on the Courthouse lawn.

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THURS-FRI.—June 15-16

Also

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Clinton McCoy of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with his moth-

er, Mrs. Nancy Griswold and family.

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new spuds, 10 lbs.	100
Lettuce	oc
Fresh Tomatoes, 3 lbs	25c
Fresh Pineapple, each,	15c
Green Beans, lb.	5c
Oleo, lb.	12c
Lemons, dozen	
Vienna Sausage, can	5c
Potted Meat, 2 cans	-
Oxydol, large	19c
Pineapple Juice, 3 for	25c
Jello, pkg.	5c
Coffee	
Break O' Morn, lb	15c
Cheese, lb.	15c
Post Toasties, large pkg.	.100
Post Bran, pkg.	.10

Meats and Groceries

EDUCAT HOMATONS	
FRESH TOMATOES per lb.	5c
FRESH PINEAPPLE — 2 for	25c
FRESH CORN, dozen,	35c
OXYDOL	19c
PURE HOG LARD, 8 lbs. (bring your bucket)	
NEW POTATOES, 10 lbs.	19c
MIXED SAUSAGE, 1b.	11c
BACON, SUGAR CURED 1b.	19c
TENDER SEVEN STEAK, 2 lbs.	35c
VEAL LOIN STEAK, lb.	25c
FRESH BRAINS, pork or Calf. 2 lbs for	25c
PORK SHOULDER ROAST — lb1	71/2C
PORK CHOPS — per lb1	71/2 c
BOLOGNA SAUSAGE — per lb.	10c
CHUCK ROAST — lb.	15c
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(By the Captain)

We hear much and read more these days in the larger papers about the government continually ing further into debt and how the national debt keeps growing larger and larger by leaps and bounds. But, do you ever read anything about the debts owing to our government by the foreign nations which were made during the world war? This foreign debt question has been completely wiped from the columns of our metropolitan papers, and we often wonder why payment of this immense sum is not urged along with all this talk about balanacing the national bud-

Governor O'Daniel gave his reg-ular Sunday morning broadcast from the Mansion in Austin at 8:30 o'clock and in his remarks stated that he felt much better since the Old Age Pension Bill liberalizing the pension law had been passed and signed and was now the law stated that since the senate had killed the House's two measures seeking statutory taxes, one including natural resources increased and the omnibus tax measure, which were both "now dead and out of the way," and the senate had passed its own Resolution No. 12, proposing submission of a general sales tax law to the people for a vote thereon, and that since the House and which is now the law by a vote of 130, it surely stands to reason that the House will now pass the senate resolution calling for the general sales tax. This week will general sales tax. This week will the following and signed and was now the law by a contraver.

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wondering just how much longer its armaments without entering

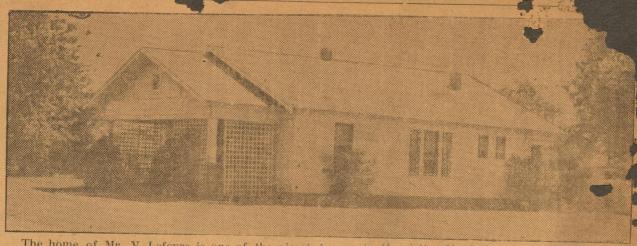
cal year is the largest in our peace time history. Yet this is hardly a drop in the bucket compared to what Europe and Asia are spending. that length of time, it's very proba-Great Britain's budget is close to ble that no other session has had the difficult problems to solve that 500,000,000. France's is about the same as ours. Italy's is \$611,,000,-000 and will probably be increased. Germany doesn't publish figures of this nature, but her arms expense

Lastly—hold your breath here—the U. S. S. R. has announced a defense budget running to the almost unbelievable sum of \$7,700,000,00. That is creating plenty of headaches among Russia's potential en-emies. And it comes as encouraging news to the European democracies, which hope to enlist "the bear

that walks like a man" as an ally.

These figures show why the standard of living abroad is steadOne of

etty Homes In Northwest Sec



The home of Mr. V. Lefevre is one of the nicest homes in Henrietta. Mr. Lefevre recently had a curb made all around the place and keeps his yard spick-and-span. In spite of the hot weather, the grass is always green. Homes like this make our little town an attract

general sales tax. This week will erica that we all love."—Paul G. American countries to attend Texas

The Industrial News-Review Senator Geo. Moffett. Writes Leader

argument.

We are the richest country in the world, and our \$1,126,000,000 national defense bill for the next fiscal year is the largest in our peace time history. Yet this is hardly a drop in the bucket country in the bucket country in the world, and our \$1,126,000,000 national defense bill for the next fiscal year is the largest in our peace time history. Yet this is hardly a drop in the bucket country in the world, and our \$1,126,000,000 national defense bill for the next fiscal year is the largest in our peace time history. Yet this is hardly a drop in the bucket country in the source of the country in the world, and our \$1,126,000,000 national defense bill for the next fiscal year is the largest in our peace time history. Yet this is hardly a drop in the bucket country in the world, and our \$1,126,000,000 national defense bill for the next fiscal year is the largest in our peace time history. Yet this is hardly a drop in the bucket country in the world, and our \$1,126,000,000 national defense bill for the next fiscal year is the largest in our peace time history. Yet this is hardly a drop in the bucket country in the world, and our \$1,126,000,000 national defense bill for the next fiscal year is the largest in our peace time history. Yet this is hardly a drop in the bucket country in the world, and our \$1,126,000,000 national defense bill for the next fiscal year is the largest in our peace time history. Yet this is hardly a drop in the bucket country in the world, and our \$1,126,000,000 national defense bill for the next fiscal year is the largest in our peace time history. Yet this is hardly a drop in the bucket country in the world in the country in the world in the country in the world in the world in the world in the country in the world in the w

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ily dropping. In Germany, it is said, one-fourth of the entire national income goes for arms and public works, neither of which is edible.

Paul G. Hoffman says: "Like it one pen ions provide for the pend."

colleges without paying fuition. As long as we charge Texas boys

Vars Bates of Pyote is a guest of his parents, Mr. and

family had as their dinner guests Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock Mr. the mis. Dady Reaves and family

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Mr. Ed Fatheree is spending few days in Dallas.

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By Pierce Brooks.

The Governor has signed the bill establishing the Big Bend Park in Brewster County. This is one of the beauty spots of the world. Wind and water-carved shelters and caves in the limestone canyons and draws of West Texas were used by Indians. Here the members of the Press will find the first printing ried by Rev. L. G. Hagard at Methodist parsonage.

Chelf, curator of the Texas Memorial Museum, "The dry shelters have preserved a weolth of material by which the archaeologist can study these people. Not only their stone and bone tools, but their rope, twine, grass sandals, baskets, bags, mats, rabbit sking blankets, fishing lines and even tiny cactus spine hooks are preserved. Mummies are rare but are sometimes found."

Alvin Parish and Miss Nan Emma Isbell, June 1st.

Roy M. Alaman and Miss Ratta Maye Childs, Wichita Falls, June 1.

George Wilkerson and Miss Isbell, June 2.

The Legislature has not yet provided for placing some potatoes and meat on the barren dining tables of Texas needy old folk. They did spend several hours in a house hearing Wednesday night when San Intonio's winning officials, head-ed by Mayor-elect Maury Maverick, made a plea to prevent the Legislature from enterfering with home rule in the Alamo City. Civil Service for San Antonio's police and firemen, the terms of which are to be dictated in the bill, was the subject in controversy. More than a century ago from San Antonio came the plea of Col. Travis for help for his 181 defenders of the Alamo and now Maury Maverick and many others came to Austin to plead with the 181 Texas Legislators not to send any help to the Alamo City. end any help to the Alamo City, the dlow them to fight out their battle, which Mayerick and his n seem able to do, judged by e fact that they triumphed in rec elections over the mighty Quinn hine, known all over Texas just Tammany is known to the na-

> resting news from Lubbock: ber of Commerce letter from the following is extracted: it be long now—until the ress Association meeting in June 8, 9 and 10.

presume you have been plans for the side trip to Caverns immediately following closing session of the convention.'

Marriage License

Perry Joe Fraziër and Miss Lillie Mae Strickland, Wichita Falls, June of Byers, June 6th.

3. Married by Judge John V. Lyles in County Clerk's office.

Ophas Farmer and Miss Evelyn Harding, of Vashti, May 29th. Mar-ried by Rev. L. G. Hagard at Meth-

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idge Jno. V. Lyles in THREE NAMES ADDED Clerk's office.

Woodrow Walker and Miss Ern-

Clyde Odom and Miss Arlen Hulse

are spending the week in Shannon received this month.

TO OLD AGE PENSION LIST

ried by Rev. Paul J. Merrill, at the parsonage.

Three names have been added to the Old Age Pension list since last month, according to County Clerk, Lawrence Nuckolls.

There are now on the list in Clay County 325 aged receiving as stance from the Old Age Pension Mesdames John and Jim Gates fund. A total of \$4869.00 has been



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