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THIRTY-FIRST WEEK

The ATCHISON, TOPEKA and SANTA FE enjoyed one of its best days last Friday when the First Grade students rode from Eldorado and the Sixth Grade students got on and rode back to Christoval.

However, from all reports, it will not be the AT&SF which declares a dividend, but the company which manufactures the paper drinking cups for trains.

Some quick action by TOM DARROW averted what might have been a serious accident at the Sixth Grade picnic. LEROY TURNER got into difficulties in the swimming pool, and TOM went after him, clothes, shoes and all, and everything turned out all right.

Plans are underway for a big time on Saturday, May 28 and Sunday, May 29, when THE SONORA RACING ASSOCIATION will stage a roping on Saturday night and several match races on Sunday afternoon at the local oval. Details next week.

Spring shearing is keeping most ranchers busy these days. From all reports, the clip will be a very good one this year, in spite of a poor summer.

The drawing for a washing machine and bicycle which was to have been held at Parque Libertad May 5, was postponed until July 4. Reason for this was to allow time to sell more tickets, since proceeds will be used to beautify the park. Tickets can be bought at the Home Hardware & Furniture or the News office.

The BERGER-SIMMONS roping match, which was reported in these columns a couple of weeks ago, will be fought to a finish Sunday afternoon at Ft. Terrett station. Several big-time promoters vied for this match, but Sloke Turney entered the highest bid.

In the first match, neither contestant was able to halt a goat in flight, so it was called a draw. Sunday, however, the boys will go until one of them ropes a goat. This may take some time, but in case nothing happens by night-fall, the match will be continued at the Sonora arena under the lights.

We have been advised by L. P. Bloodworth, Berger's trainer, that Berger has been getting in some good practice lately, and should be in top condition. Berger has chosen a Percheron as his mount. We also have reports that Dock Simmons is quickly rounding into top shape, and that he expended \$100 for practice this week.

Sloke will also put on his regular matched and jackpot ropings Sunday.

It won't be long until the Sonora Swimming Pool is open for the summer. Of course, with all the rain and cloudy weather, it may well be that summer just won't get here this year. Coach Edwin Thompson will be in charge of the pool and swimming lessons, since Rex Lowe will attend the University of Texas to work on his master's degree.

Rex has taught around 100 Sonora children to swim and leaves a good record for Ed. The city is planning some improvements on the pool, all designed to make a cleaner and more attractive establishment.

Looks like the question of right-of-way for Highway 277 from the Del Rio bridge to Highway 290 is about settled. It will probably angle over to the Neil Rouché station then go straight down to the Duke Wilson residence and join 290. In the future, the route may be changed slightly, but no right-of-way money will be wasted since the Highway Department has accepted the 60-foot street from Rouché's to Wilson's as is. Any change that is later made will leave the big curve from the bridge to Rouché exactly where it is, and that's the only land where right-of-way will have to be bought at this time.

The local Highway Department boys have informed us that they would like to start a softball league for the summer. According to Dayton Cain, a department employee, the department has plenty of good players and might even lend some to another team to help start the league. The Fire Department can raise a good team easily and SOAG would like to hear from other interested players or prospective team managers.

Visitors in the J. A. and Rip Ward homes over the weekend were Mrs. J. A. Ward, Sr. of San Angelo and Mrs. Alma Bromby and daughter, Jackie, of Los Angeles, California.

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Regional Soil Conservation Awards Will Be Made In Sonora On May 26

Sonora will be the scene of a program of awards for soil conservation work done during the past year on Thursday, May 26, according to E. B. Keng, Sutton County conservationist. The program will begin with a luncheon honoring the visitors, with the Sonora Lions Club serving as hosts for the occasion. Following this, the presentations will be made.

The awards come as a culmination of the past year of work in soil conservation, and are for the participants in soil conservation work in Region 2 of the state, of which Sutton County is a part. The prizes are made possible through the annual gift of the Ft. Worth Press, which amounts to \$13,000 each year. This is the fourth annual presentation of the prizes.

For the purpose of making the awards, the state is divided into five regions, and both regional and state prizes are given. The regions are divided into districts, and the districts are divided into conservation groups, the groups being made up of the individual farmers or ranchers. Prizes are awarded in all classifications listed above.

The winner of the district award in the "Save The Soil And Save Texas" program was the Atacosa County District and the highest group was the Salt Branch Group in the Brown-Mills District. These state awards were made at a banquet in Ft. Worth on April 30, at which Novelist Louis Bromfield, long noted for his conservation

work, was the principal speaker. At the same time, awards for Region 5, in which Tarrant County is located, were presented. Other Regional awards will be made at special celebrations in Jacksonville, Amarillo and Corpus Christi during the month of May.

In Region 2, awards will be as follows: Districts, (1) Middle Clear Fork, (2) Toyah-Limpia, (3) Mitchell County and (4) Concho; Groups, Barstow Conservation Group No. 2; Best Farmer, Nick Jurecek, Eldorado; Best Reclamation Farmer, E. P. Hurd, Abilene; Unselfish Service, Hiram Phillips, editor, TS&GRA magazine, San Angelo; Essay Writers, (1) Nelda Willey, Lohn, (2) Hugo Walter, Fredericksburg, (3) Nelta Neal, Fredericksburg and (4) Evelyn Walter, Fredericksburg.

Weldon Owens, of the Press, will make the awards, which will total more than \$1,200 for the region. The prizes consist of both cash awards and plaques. Following the presentation of awards, Paul Walsler of Temple, state conservationist, will make the principal address.

Visitors and conservationists from a triangle of Abilene, El Paso and Bandera are expected to be present for the ceremony. Joseph Vander Stucken, one of the two West Texans on the Board of Directors of the State Association of Soil Conservation District Supervisors, was instrumental in bringing the presentation ceremony to Sonora.

LIVESTOCK SHIPPING ON INCREASE DURING WEEK

Shipping of livestock increased this week, as lambs moved toward feeder and livestock markets. Among shipments were Edgar Shurley, 313 lambs, and a shipment of 2,700 lambs, headed for St. Jo and Chicago, and including lots of Mrs. Louella O'Leary, Ed Mayfield, Ben Meckel, Collier Shurley and Edwin Mayer.

Purchases during the week included 800 from Jap Holman by Bledsoe Livestock Co., and lots of 260 from Moore and Neill and 350 from Travis Glasscock by Armour and Company. Prices were 22½ and 23½ for these lots.

SONORA COURTS TO BUILD NEW OFFICE AND STATIONS

Work was started this week on two buildings, to be located on the new Highway 290, and which will house the offices of the Sonora Courts, the bus station, a cafe and a service station.

Owners of the buildings are Rex Dullnig and Kurt Herweck, and the buildings will replace the present bus station, Sonora Courts office and Humble service station, now located on Concho Street.

The bus station and service station will be located in one of the buildings, the offices and cafe in the other. The service station will continue to handle Humble products.

Contract for the buildings was let to the Warner Construction Company, of San Angelo, and work is expected to be completed in approximately 60 days. The buildings are to be modern in structure, and will be built of concrete tile.

Record Senior Class Graduating Tuesday

First Graduation Ceremony To Be Held Tonight

JUNIOR HIGH STUDENTS MOVE INTO HIGH SCHOOL

First graduation ceremony for the year will be tonight at 8 o'clock at the high school auditorium, when members of the Junior High School become high school students.

Professional for the event will be by Marilyn Mittel, invocation by Joe David Ross and the welcome address by Oscar Carpenter. Following a class song, readings by Johnnie Johnson, Rita Renfro and Bobby Scott and a piano solo by Billy Scott will be given.

Presentation of Lions Club awards will be by Lion President Herman Smith, and elementary awards will be presented by Principal Rex Lowe. Presentation of the class will be by High School Principal W. W. Wendt, and reception of the class will be given by Superintendent A. E. Wells.

Following another class song, the recessional will be played by Nancy Eaton.

Members of the graduating class are Betty Sue Allen, Maxine Ballard, Oscar Carpenter, Kay Chalk, Patsy Drennan, Nancy Eaton, Wilbur Griffin, Nina Hardin, Nina Jennings, Johnnie Johnson, Nettie Kisselburg, Lois Lu Lomax, Jack Mackey, Herbert McKee, Wanda Merriman, Dorothy Miller, Marilyn Mittel, Bobby Gene Prater, Rita Renfro, Joe David Ross, Bobby Scott, Billy Scott, Pearl Woll and Charlene West.

CROP ACREAGE DATA IS NEEDED BY MAY 27

All data on Sutton County crops in 1941 and from 1945-49 inclusive must be in the local AAA office by Friday, May 27, according to Mrs. Alma Ogden of that office. This data will be used to prepare possible allotments for crops if the producers of the nation vote to institute crop allotments for 1950.

Notice of the nation-wide referendum will be given in advance, and each producer will be notified before they are asked to vote what his allotment for the year will be.

Those who have had land in cultivation in any of the above years, regardless of how much or in what crop, are asked to report the facts to the AAA office. There is no limit on crops which are grown for the producer's use, as the allotment applies only to marketable items.

Mrs. Ross Hay and son, Don, visited relatives last week in Ft. Worth. They returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wynn, Mrs. E. E. Steen and Mrs. Pearl Martin went to San Antonio Sunday where they visited a few days.

27 Seniors To Receive Diplomas In Final School Event Of The Year

STATE EXECUTIVE TO TALK ABOUT SAFETY

Chief speaker at next Tuesday night's Commencement Exercises for the 1949 Sonora High School graduating class will be Colonel Homer H. Garrison of Austin, Director of the Department of Public Safety and Chief of the Texas Rangers.

Garrison, 47, has been a law enforcement officer more than half his life. Twenty eight years ago, at the age of 19, he became a deputy sheriff of Angelina County, deep in the heart of the piney woods section of the state. After ten years as a county peace officer, he joined the Texas Highway Patrol when it was formed in 1930. Step by step he advanced through the ranks of the department to finally occupy his present position.

In addition to his duties with the Department and Rangers, Garrison has found time to serve as President of the International Association of Chiefs of Police. First Vice President of the Pacific Coast International Association of Law Enforcement Officials, Vice Chairman of the Enforcement Committee of the President's Highway Safety Council, Chairman of the State and Local Officials National Highway Safety Committee, Chairman of the Police Section of the National Safety Council and President of the Texas Police Association. In addition, he serves as a Steward in the Methodist Church and is a member of the Rotary Club.

In December, 1945, Garrison received a War Department offer to serve on General MacArthur's staff as Civilian Advisor for the reorganization and control of the Japanese Police Force. In refusing, Garrison said, "I am flattered . . . but the law enforcement task in Texas is more than enough to tax any capacities that I might have. I don't know how badly I might be needed in Japan, or how much I might be able to accomplish there. But here in Texas, where my interests and duties lie, I do know what needs to be done, and how to go about doing it."

Garrison, who stands six feet, two inches and weighs 210 pounds, is noted for his quiet, friendly manner and ready smile. His success formula: Pick good men, train them properly, work as a team and shoot square with everybody. How far such standards have brought him is easily seen.

Donna Ann Gholson Breaks Arm

Donna Ann Gholson, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gholson, suffered a broken arm Saturday afternoon while playing. She is reported to be doing satisfactorily.

Mrs. A. W. Awalt visited in Junction on Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Preston Prater.

JAMES HUNT, JANE NEILL NAMED HONOR GRADUATES

Twenty seven members of the 1949 Senior Class of Sonora High school will gather in the football stadium at 8 o'clock on Tuesday night, May 24, for ceremonies which will end in the receiving of their diplomas. From there, some will go to college, some to work, some into marriage, and all of them into the realization - some 10 to 15 years from now - that Tuesday night ends four of the best years of their lives.

The Processional will be by the Bronco Band, and the singing of "America" will follow. Invocation will be by the Rev. Bomer Gist, the Salutatory Address by Jane Neill and presentation of the Senior Class gift, by Class President George Hamilton, will follow that. Acceptance of the gift will be by Supt. A. E. Wells.

Chief address of the night will be given by Homer Garrison of the State Department of Public Safety, and will be followed by the Valedictory by James Hunt.

Awards and presentation of the class will be made by Principal W. W. Wendt, and acceptance of the class will be by Supt. Wells. Presentation of diplomas will be by Bryan Hunt, president of the Board of Trustees.

Benediction by the Rev. Stanley Hauser and Recessional by the Bronco Band will close the program.

The Baccalaureate for the High School will be Sunday night, May 22, at the Sonora Baptist Church, and will begin at 8 o'clock.

Invocation will be by the Rev. Bomer Gist, and the address of the night will be by the Rev. J. E. Eldridge. Other parts of the program include a violin solo by Leon Brown and songs by the audience. Benediction will be by the Rev. W. H. Marshall.

Members of the graduating class are: Olga Bernal, Delfina Brown, Mary Jim Caldwell, Lois B. Hill, Maxine Chalk, Olga Chavez, Joyce Johnson, Jane Neill, Alice Reynolds, Nina Smith, Betty Spoon, Vita Urias, Bobby Allen, Derrell Alley, Elias Avila, Hayden Barker, Amador Castillo, Braulio Galindo, Bobby Granger, George Hamilton, James Hunt, J. W. Joy, Joe Kile, Delma Odom, Wayne Ogden, Johnny Smith and Scotty Walters.

The 1949 graduating class is the largest in the history of the school, nineteen being the former high. This is accounted for by the population and improved economic conditions in Sonora, and school officials may look for further increases until the year 1976, when the nation's population will level off.

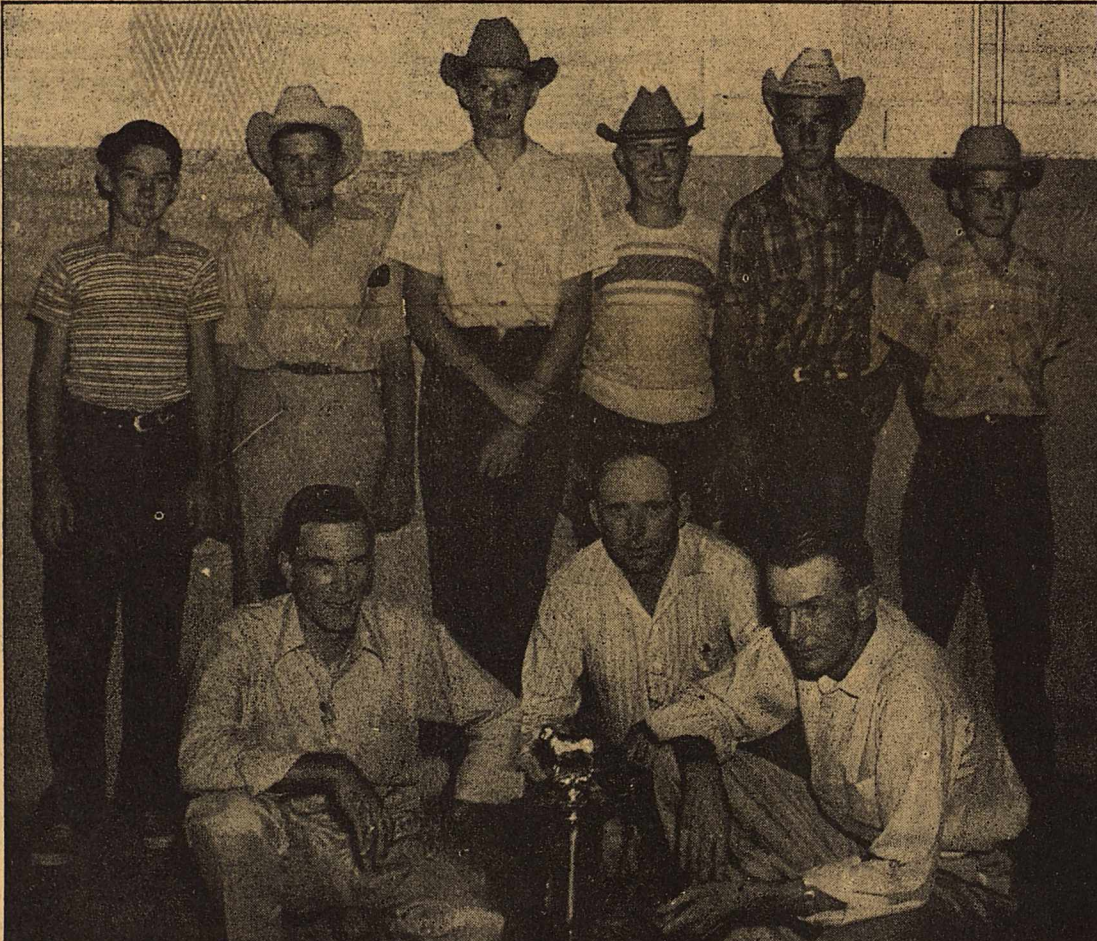
with a continuing demand. However, none have a very long wait, if any.

Dealers say that the used car market is still good, although business is transacted at a lower financial level than formerly. The prices for used cars have dropped steadily during the past three months, and have taken a stiff drop in the past 30 days. This is attributed to the fact that potential buyers of the barely-used cars decided to hold off for a few extra months, hoping that they might be able to buy a new car for what they formerly were asked for a six-months old model.

This waiting has brought the used car prices down, and dealers say that buyers can now get a better bargain in used cars than since before the war, if they shop around and choose wisely. However, dealers expect the used car market to pick up shortly, as indicated by the excessive sales of six and seven-year old models over the two and three-year old cars. Buyers who formerly were in the market for a new-used car now buy the older models, hoping to use them for two or three years, and then buy a new car, rather than buy a used car of later vintage and driving it some six or eight years.

Used cars on Sonora lots ranged from a Model A Ford, priced at \$75, to a 1948 Windsor Chrysler sedan, worth considerably more. Dealers say that their stock of used cars is cleaner now, and priced lower, than at anytime for years.

All dealers agree that the catching-up process will be a slow, gradual one, because of the strong market for cars in the country. And all look for a wait of a year or so before the prices of new cars take any appreciable drop.



WINNERS OF THE all-round trophy in the 1948 Sonora Wool & Mohair Show were the Menard County 4-H boys shown above. The award, presented by the National Farm Loan Association, will be awarded again this year.

Pictured above are: front row, A. E. Prugel, Sonora, Secretary

of the National Farm Loan Association, R. Q. Landers, Menard and R. E. Nolan, Menard County Agent. In the back row are members of the winning Menard County team. The team members are Dudley Andrews, M. D. McWilliams, Carl Menzies, Lewis Ran-

som, Fritzie Landers and Jackie Landers.

Kin Of Sonorans In Ft. Worth Flood

Several Sonorans have relatives who lost property in the recent Ft. Worth flood, although none were injured nor lost in the disaster.

Chief among these was Mrs. Lee Martin, whose mother, Mrs. Mary Barton lost her house when it was engulfed in 17 feet of water. Mr. and Mrs. Martin are in Ft. Worth to be with Mrs. Barton.

A close call was recorded by Mr. and Mrs. Barton L. Smith and family who had moved away only three weeks from a spot which harbored 17 feet of water during the flood. They moved to high ground, and were not disturbed when the city was flooded. Mrs. Smith is a sister of Tom Darrow of this city.

Sgt. James Fuller and his family had a narrow escape when they were awakened early Tuesday morning and warned to leave their home. One foot of water was on the floor at the time. When Sgt. Fuller went back to get some clothes and food for his baby, he was met by five feet of water in the house, and nearly washed away by the force. Fuller is the brother of Mrs. Birl Davis of Sonora.

Others having relatives in the city included Mrs. Tom Darrow, Mr. and Mrs. Hay, W. W. Wendt,

SUTTON COUNTY GETS RAIN FOR FIFTH STRAIGHT WEEK

Sonora and Sutton County received rain for the fifth straight week as light rains were recorded on Monday and Wednesday of this week. The moisture was barely enough to record, but did put the county in the "Wet" column again. Storms and tornados again took their toll in the state this week, as at least 10 persons lost their lives and scores were injured. Property damage ran well over \$7,000,000 during the week.

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C. C. Stroud, Mrs. Mattie Thorp, and E. B. Keng. All were reported as out of the danger area at latest reports.

Sonora motorists who have their hearts set on a new car might be wise to wait some three to six months before making the purchase, according to information received through a survey of car dealers in the city this week. Those who are without an automobile and are planning to buy a good used car to tide them over for a few years would be smart to jump in and make the buy now, say the dealers.

These conclusions are arrived at by a study of the figures on car production and prices for the first quarter of 1949. In preparation for the Spring selling season, the automotive industry has stepped up passenger car production one-third since January 1, 1949. March output was tentatively put at 405,000 cars and 115,000 trucks and buses. This 520,000 total was the second highest March production in history - exceeded only in 1929.

The figure brings the total for the first quarter of 1949 to 1,056,000 cars (14 percent above the 1948 rate) and 322,775 trucks and buses (28,000 below last year's rate, but far above that of any pre-war year).

With the approach of the industry's normal market condition - in which demand for and supply of vehicles are in balance - manufacturers are stepping up their sales and advertising programs and pushing for maximum production efficiency, in an effort to hold their competitive positions.

No Auto Price Drop Seen In Sonora

Among Sonora dealers, estimates from 90 days to one year were given as the time necessary before the normal - or buyers' - market is with us again. Even then, say the dealers, the price of new cars will take no immediate drop, for these reasons:

First, nearly 13 million cars, and two and one-half million trucks, are over 10 years of age. In 1941, only 5 million cars and 1 million trucks were that old. This leads the dealers and the manufacturers to believe that today's normal market is of unprecedented strength, even with the passing of the "seller's" market.

Second, the need for motor vehicles remains at a very high level, as is evidenced by the fact that scrapping of old cars is only half the pre-war rate. This is shown further by the fact that sales of replacement parts continues at a record pace and level.

Third, there are more people than ever before who can afford cars. The population of the nation has risen 13,000,000 since 1941. Employment is up 20 per cent. The "disposable" income of individuals is up \$107 billions - 116 per cent above the 1941 total.

At the time of the survey, there were 11 new and 15 used cars in Sonora. The new cars were all sold, waiting to be picked up. There have been 66 new cars received in Sonora during the first four months of the year, and some

125 to 150 more are expected before the year is out. Most dealers expect a few "extras" in addition to their regular quota. All major producers have plans to increase their output over 1948, estimates ranging from five to 20 per cent. However, the present Ford strike, unless settled quickly, might throw the plans out of kilter. With Fords withdrawn from the market, the new car market in the eastern part of the nation, which has loosened up considerably in the past two and three months, again has tightened up. Dealers who might have had an extra car on their show room now find the potential Ford purchaser asking about it.

The Ford strike has also brought back a war-time phenomenon which had virtually disappeared since the first of the year - the black market. The present-day version of the black market deals only with new cars, and is not as devastating as it formerly was. Premiums of \$200 and \$250 are being asked and received for new cars with no waiting, while before the Ford dispute, the ready cash could bring a new car off the used car lots at list, or thereabouts.

In the matter of trucks, the heavy unit market has been caught up for some time, and discounts of from 10 to 18 per cent are being allowed from list price when a dealer wants to move the trucks out in a hurry. The market for one-half, three-quarter and one-

ton trucks remains fairly steady, drop.

43 Years Ago

Ira Word had on the Kansas City market Oct. 10th, 302 cows, weight 753 pounds, brought \$2.40.

J. L. & R. W. Davis sold to Fred Millard of Sonora 64 cows with calves at \$18 per pair.

C. F. Adams and family, who have been spending several days at Del Rio, arrived home Monday.

Payne Rountree was in from

the ranch Wednesday for supplies.

Miss Mrytle Williamson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Williamson who has been attending school at San Angelo, was in Sonora this week. Her uncle, W. W. Williamson, left for his home near Owensville Thursday.

John Hurst, the well driller and his assistants, Lum Heflin and Henry Huffman, were in from the Whitehead ranch Wednesday for supplies of all kinds.

John McCoy was in from the Cauthorn ranch Wednesday visiting his family.

Hugh Yoas of Sonora bought

from H. E. Sharp 60 head of stock cattle at \$12 for grown and \$6 for calves.

With this issue of the News starts out on its 17th year. A long time in which much has been accomplished and much still to do. Like the housewife, the newspaper's work is never done. The News thanks the people for past favors and will endeavor to make more money for you in the future.

Mrs. Hub Hale recently spent the weekend in Rocksprings visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Whitworth. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Logan were recent visitors in Abilene.

Judging Teams Visit Kerrville

Members of the Sutton County 4-H wool and mohair judging team attended the District 6 and 7 elimination judging contest, which was held in San Angelo last Saturday, May 14. Although not a member of either district, the local team competed in the judging for practice.

Scores were kept on the Sutton County lads, and they finished fifth in the judging. Corky Schwiening, a member of the team, finished third in individual competition. Other members of the team were Oscar Carpenter and Joe David Ross.

The Sutton County wool and mohair and grass judging teams will enter the District 11 elimination judging, which is to be held in Kerrville on Saturday, May 21. The first and second place teams of this meet will be entitled to enter the state meet, which will be at Texas A&M College on Monday, June 13.

Those planning to make the trip to Kerrville include Tyree Hardy, Frank Adkins, John Mittel, Derrel Alley, Joe David Ross, Oscar Carpenter and Corky Schwiening. They will be accompanied by County Agent Clint Langford.

Weekly Swing of Southwest Farm Markets

Uneasiness marked most trading at southwest farm markets this week, despite stronger prices for some livestock, feed and grain, reports the Production and Market-

ing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Uneven prices ruled southwest cattle markets last week despite smaller receipts and steady to higher dressed meat values. Calves and vealers advanced 50 cents to \$1 at most markets, but other classes saw losses as well as gains of 25 to 50 cents.

Southwest lamb markets tended toward the lower side last week

until Monday's advances of 25 cents to \$1 erased earlier losses. Higher dressed lamb prices plus smaller receipts influenced these gains. Ewes held steady to firm. Cotton lost 75 cents to \$1.25 per bale since Monday a week ago in moderately active trading.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Archer and son, David, spent Sunday in San Antonio.

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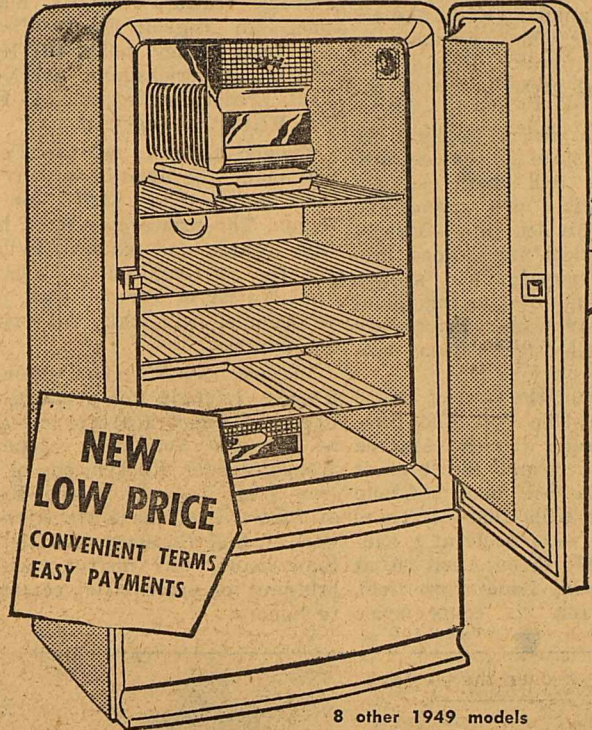
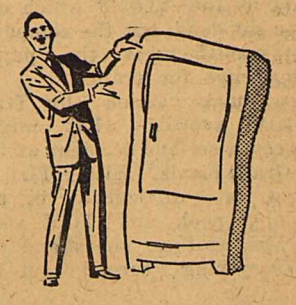
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West Texas Utilities Company



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CRISCO, 3 Lb. Tin	89c
HUNT'S SPINACH, No. 2 1/2 Can	18c
RED & WHITE SAUER KRAUT, 2 - No. 2 1/2 Can	25c
VAN CAMP'S -- RED KIDNEY BEANS, No. 2 Can	16c
RED & WHITE -- FANCY TUNA, Solid Pack, Can	55c
BRIMFUL PEACHES, Gal. Can	69c
MISSION PEAS, 2 - No. 2 Cans	33c
OXYDOL, Large Box	29c
TIDE, Large Box	29c
DREFT, Large Box	27c
CAMAY, 2 Reg. Bars	19c
LUX, 2 Reg. Bars	19c
FAB, 2 Large Boxes	49c
SUPER SUDS, 2 Boxes	49c
SURF, 2 Large Boxes	39c
RINSO, Large Box	29c
COFFEE, FOLGERS -- 2 LB. TIN	\$1.07
BANANAS, lb	15c
CORN ON COB, 2 Ears	9c
OKRA, Fresh, lb	35c
Pineapple, Fresh,	39c
SQUASH, 2 lb	17c
CUKES, 2 lb	19c
Turnips & Tops	10c
A Complete Line of Vegetables	
SEVEN STEAK, lb	49c
Butter, Creamery, lb	60c
Canned Biscuits, Fresh,	13c
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Good Winter, Spring Seasons To Aid In Sutton Range Restoration

The next few months will afford ranchers in the Edwards Plateau an excellent opportunity to revive and improve their ranges. With a good spring season in the ground more grass seedlings are showing up. With a little care, they will help provide real range improvement. Pasture deferments and rotated-grazing practices should pay far more dividends this year than during many of the past less-favorable years.

Grass, the basis of the livestock industry, is a living thing and needs to be managed as such. Grass plants live through their leaves and should have at least half of each year's leaf growth left to insure healthy, vigorous plants and provide reserve feed for winter use. Allowing grasses to maintain themselves in this manner also insures a steady flow of new replacements. Without new grass plants to replace the old ones, the range is soon denuded.

The favorable weather to date has started many grass seedlings on their way, and a great increase in grass cover should be had this year. Young grass plants are greatly relished by grazing animals. Under heavy, year-long grazing the seedlings of the better, higher-forage producing grasses (the bluestems, sidecoats grama, lovegrass etc.) seldom have a chance to survive. Many years the weather is unfavorable, so that when conditions are good as they now are, ranchers should give their grass seedlings a real break.

The true value of any range is based on the amounts of the taller, higher feed value grasses. The recent rains will not materially alter the present range conditions, but with good management practices, the basis for future years, grass production can be laid. By allowing seedlings to become established, by leaving adequate grass growth to remain ungrazed and by allowing the more desirable grasses to make a seed crop later, ranchers can provide good range insurance for the future.

With West Texas weather what it is, a balance between livestock numbers and grass production is vital. Maintaining such a balance means fluctuating numbers from year to year, but will help provide all the essentials necessary to a high producing, improving range. Livestock prices being what they are makes it even more favorable for ranchers in the Edwards Plateau to adjust stocking rates to a safe balance and allow for pasture deferments and rotated-grazing practices.

The Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District is helping ranchers work out many of these problems in order to improve range conditions, provide for greater livestock production, protect topsoil and make the maximum use of moisture. By accomplishing these things, ranchers will assure themselves of a sound, more stable and ever-greater ranching industry.

Happy Birthday

Friday, May 20—

Marianne Askins

Saturday, May 21—

Mrs. Harold Powell

Mrs. Ford Allen

Alton Cobern

Kathryn Webb

Sunday, May 22—

Monday, May 23—

Sam Karnes

Mrs. Cecil Allen

Martha Jean Valliant

Mrs. W. D. Wallace

Mrs. Beulah Pfister

Tuesday, May 24—

Miers Savell

Tommy Fambrough

Bernard Frank Mullins

Mrs. John Reiley

Wednesday, May 25—

Thursday, May 26—

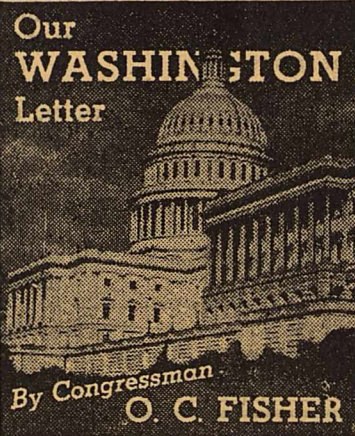
Mrs. Arthur Carroll

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Voight of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Mont Merriman over the weekend.

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By Congressman O. C. FISHER

Our WASHINGTON Letter

Prospects for inclusion of mohair in the revised long-range agriculture program appeared brighter last week after hearings were concluded on the subject. The House Agriculture Committee is expected to report an over-all measure in the near future.

Appearing with me before the Committee last week to plug for the mohair producers were Ernest Williams, Secretary of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association, along with Jake Mayfield of Del Rio, Casey Jones and Bryon Wilson. The latter two represent the National Wool Growers' Association.

Briefly, we requested that mohair be given the same or comparable treatment with wool, cotton, etc., and that it be defined in the new law -- if one is passed -- as a form of wool.

Representative Bob Poage, of Waco, a member of the committee, was particularly helpful in developing our case and announced that in his judgment mohair should be included in the program.

We also testified before the Subcommittee of the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee in support of my bill to amend the Wool Products Labeling Act so as to require labels of fiber contents to be attached to all upholstery.

The law now exempts upholstery from the labeling requirements and this loophole has been taken advantage of by some furniture manufacturers and dealers. Some of them advertise furniture as being "mohair" which actually contain but a small content of mohair. This practice hurts the reputation of mohair, permits unfair and fraudulent competition in the trade, and is obviously misleading to the consuming public.

I feel confident the bill will be favored by the Committee.

Among our Texas visitors last week were two Air Force officers enroute to Europe. Captain William P. Riddling of San Angelo, who helped bomb the Nazis into submission and who was formerly Personnel Officer at Bolling Field here, is going to Frankfurt where he expects to be stationed for three years.

Captain Riddling was more recently stationed in Oklahoma and

also at the Air Base in San Marcos. His wife and two children will join him later.

Heading for an assignment in Greece was Lt. Curtis Lloyd Utterback of Bracketville. He will be senior officer of an Air Force contingent to be stationed at Salonica and will be attached to the United Nations there. His tour will last for one year. Mrs. Utterback, the former Dottie Goble of

Waco, will likely remain in Texas because of the unfavorable living conditions in Greece at present.

Lt. Utterback, who left Baylor Medical School to take a permanent Air Force commission and embark on a regular army career has flown 3,700 hours and for the past two years has been an advanced instructor at Randolph Field.

Among others in the Capital

last week was Reserve Lt. Breuts Kenley of San Angelo, who concluded a two week's "refresher" course for the Navy in firearms research.

Mrs. Maud Dabney, also of San Angelo, came by to see us. She is enjoying a visit with relatives and friends on the Potomac.

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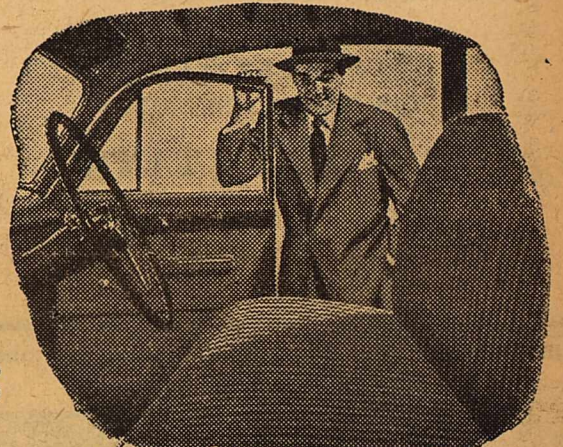
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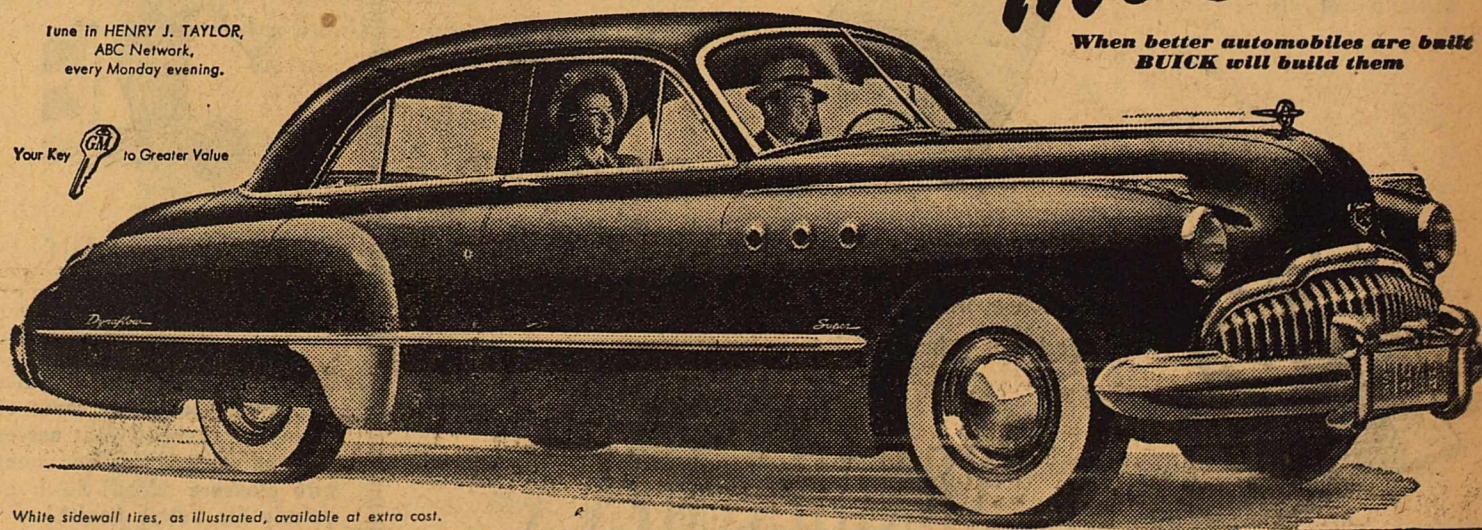
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Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Chappell became the parents of a daughter Saturday afternoon in a San Angelo hospital. The baby weighed 8 pounds and 5 ounces and has been named Burma Kay.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. F. White of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. John Bedner of Eola.

A son, Ronny Gene, was born at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night in Sonora to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Berry. The boy weighed 8 pounds at birth.

Grandparents are Mrs. Eddie Hooker of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Berry of Sonora.

**MRS. LABENSKÉ ENTERTAINS
PASTIME CLUB ON FRIDAY**

Mrs. Lee Labenske entertained the Pastime Club Friday afternoon at her home.

Arrangements of wild flowers were used for decorations, and ice cream, cake and punch were served to Mesdames Robert Kelley, O. G. Babcock, Joe Berger, John Bunnell, R. V. Cook, H. V. Morris, Lawrence Nichols and Rose Thorp. Mrs. Kelley won high score.

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**THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB
MEETS WITH LOGANS**

Dr. and Mrs. Joe B. Logan were hosts last week in their home to the Thursday Bridge Club.

Mrs. F. L. McKinney won high club prize and Mrs. Sam Logan won high guest prize.

Supper was served to Messrs. and Mesdames Russell Davis, L. P. Bloodworth, Louis Davis, Hillman Brown, F. L. McKinney and Sam Logan. Also Mesdames Seth Lancaster, Dorothy Norris and Howard Millican and Web Elliott.

**JOE FIELDS HONORED
WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY**

Mrs. J. G. Fields honored her son, Joe, on his 8th birthday with a party given at their home Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Seth Prater and Mrs. P. B. Amarine assisting.

Angel food and chocolate cakes and soft drinks were served to Lynn Kirby, Robert Trainer, Rex Ann Baker, Polly Templeton, Johnnie Mae Hollmig, Lomalea Bridges, Barbara Wilson, Johnny McClelland, Bernie Sue Potts, Allen Wall, Tommy Love, Linda Wardlaw, Wallace Anthony, Joy Lewis, Bill Lewis, Neva West, C. W. West and La Verne Fields. The guests played games and balloons were given as favors.

**Sonora Music
Club Installs
New Officers**

Members of the Sonora Music Club met Thursday night at the Parish House of St. John's Church for a picnic supper. The calendar committee, Mrs. George Barrow, Mrs. E. D. Shurley, Mrs. James Wilson and Mrs. D. L. Locklin, served as hostesses.

Guests were husbands of the club members, and also Mrs. M. S. Jones of Fluvanna, Mrs. Phil S. Hurst of Atlanta, Ga., and the Rev. and Mrs. Stanley Hauser.

Following the supper new officers were installed by Mrs. Shurley. The officers are: president, Mrs. George Barrow; first vice-president, Mrs. Louie Trainer; second vice-president, Mrs. J. C. Stephen; recording secretary, Mrs. Jack Ellingson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. P. B. Moody; treasurer, Mrs. D. L. Locklin; critic, Mrs. Sterling Baker, and parliamentarian, Mrs. E. E. Sawyer.

A sing-song was held after the installation of officers and the retiring president, Mrs. A. E. Prugel, was presented a gift for her service during the past year.

The meeting was closed with the entire gathering singing, "Should Old Acquaintances Be Forgotten."

**HOME MAKING STUDENTS
PICNIC IN CHRISTOVAL**

Members of the Home Making classes of the high school, accompanied by their teacher, Mrs. Margaret Simmons, and Mesdames John Eaton, Ben Mittel and Bill Drennan, spent the past weekend at the Christoval park. The group was driven up to the park on Saturday morning by Club Father Yank McKnight, and spread a picnic lunch which all members brought with them. Remainder of the meals were cooked by the girls.

While at the picnic grounds, the girls went swimming, and to a dance on Saturday night. They were brought back in the school bus by Rex Lowe on Sunday afternoon.

**FIRST GRADE STUDENTS
TAKE TRAIN RIDE HOME**

To celebrate the completion of their first year in school, members of the first grade of the Sonora school, together with their teachers, room mothers and parents, took a train ride from Eldorado and had a picnic in the City Park last Friday.

The 39 students of the first grade were carried to Eldorado in cars that morning, and caught the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe in that city. They were met at the Sonora station by the same mothers who had carried them to Eldorado, and the picnic followed. The kids finished out the day at school, with no complaints.

In addition to the students and teachers, Mrs. W. W. Wendt and Mrs. S. A. Bridges, those attending the picnic included: Room Mothers Mesdames Cleve Jones, Jr., Russell Davis, Dan Cauthorn and Ted Letsinger and Mesdames Earl Smith, T. R. Chappell, F. M. Ballard, Wesley Sykes, Hugh Shaw, A. L. Bolt, Russell Franks, Frank Potmesil, Edgar Glasscock, and Harry Kiser, Miss Katherine Davis and Eugene Robinson.

**SIXTH GRADERS HOLD
CLASS PICNIC, OUTING**

Thirty five sixth grade students, accompanied by class sponsors and parents, spent the afternoon at Christoval on Friday, May 13. The students caught the train here, rode to Christoval and spent the afternoon swimming and motor boat riding.

After a picnic supper at the Christoval park, Principal Rex Lowe drove the group back to Sonora in the school bus. Sixth grade sponsors are Miss Tris Scott and Miss Katherine Davis.

Parents attending the outing included Messrs. and Mesdames Tom Darrow, Harold Friess, George Barrow, Rip Ward and Mesdames Arthur Carroll, Harold Schwiening, W. O. Crites, Joe Brown Ross, E. R. Foster and L. C. Hardesty.

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**Piano Pupils In
Saturday Recital**

Mrs. O. L. Richardson will present her piano pupils in a recital Saturday night, May 21, at 8:15 o'clock in the High School auditorium.

Those to appear on the program are Darlene Barrow, Billy Scott, Marilyn Mittel, Maxine Ballard, Jan Vander Stucken, Jo Bess Vander Stucken, Cherry Ann Pitts, Addah B. Wardlaw, Linda Wardlaw, Barbara Schwiening, Nancy Eaton, Marilyn Valliant, June Rose Lyles, Bert Adams, Tommy Ray Adams, Carol Logan, Nancy Bess Wilson, Carolyn Hall, Georgia Sue Norris and Mary Adele Wilson.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY HELD FOR
TWO SONORA SIX-YEAR OLDS**

Nanette Stokes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Stokes, and Charlie Howell, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Howell, who each celebrated their sixth birthdays Tuesday were honored by their mothers at the Bill Fields home with a party.

Nanette's birthday cake was decorated in pink and white, with Charlie's cake in blue and white. Bags of assorted toys were given as favors.

The guests played games, and ice cream and cake were served to forty children.

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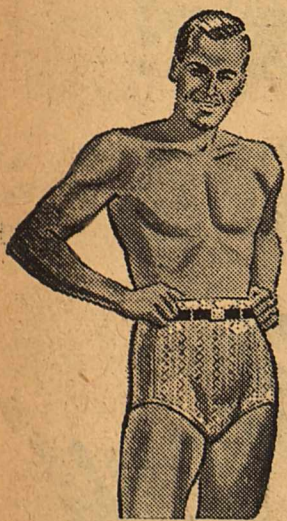
Recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. Joe B. Logan were Mrs. Logan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ottenhouse, of Batesville and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lindsey of Pearsall.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Trainer and son, Gil, left Saturday morning for Ft. Worth where they visited Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wilborn. They returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. S. T. Gilmore and Mrs. Gene Collier and daughter, Kay, of Georgetown visited friends and relatives here Friday.

Mary Lehne Prater, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Prater, is visiting with relatives in Sonora.

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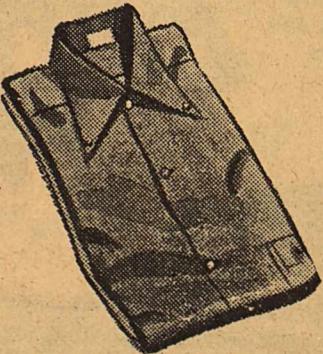


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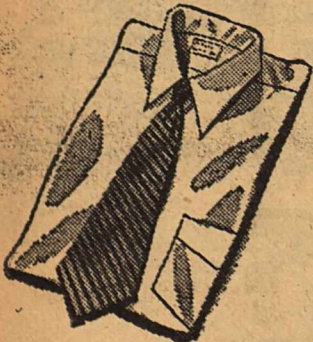
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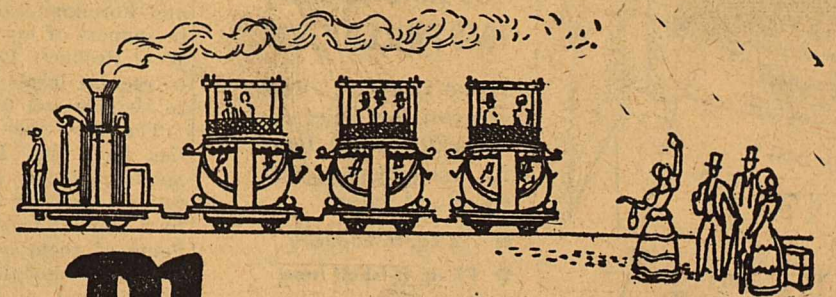
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A sandwich plate and cokes were served to Mesdames Jack Hite, Ervin Willman, J. A. Martin, Jr., Wes Granger, Gomer Minnick, Artie Joy, O. C. Ogden,

Dan Cauthorn, S. M. Kerbow, E. T. Smith, Tommy Smith, J. H. Brasher, G. G. Bennett, Tommy Thorp, Bill McGilvary and Lee Patrick.

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Broncos Win District 7-B Baseball Title

LOCALS MEET MARFA AT ALPINE SATURDAY

After coming within one point of district titles in football and basketball this year, the Sonora Broncos finally made it. Coach Ed Thompson's baseball Broncos tied for district 7-B honors with the Owls from Reagan County, then took the flag in a one-game playoff, held last week in Ozona.

The Broncos leave town this afternoon, headed for Alpine and Kokernot Field to meet the Marfa Shorthorns in a bi-district joust. The Marfa nine defeated the Alpine high schoolers in a playoff to gain the title to district 8-B. Only one game will be played to decide the bi-district championship, and the boys will hang up their gloves and spikes for the year. Baseball goes no farther than bi-district play in Class B.

The Broncos sewed up the game the first time they batted in Ozona, scoring four runs off right-hander Jimmy Davis, who had blanked them in their last meeting. All of the runs were unearned, coming after the Owls made two vital errors.

The locals scored again in the fourth, this time an earned run, to sew up the game and the title. Jack Henderson, loser of only one game during district play, kept the Owls under control throughout the game, and was never in danger after the first four Sonora runs had crossed the plate. Henderson struck out eight men while blanking the Owls.

A. Z. Joy hit two for three to lead the locals at the plate, while Davis, the Owls pitcher, got two hits to lead his mates. Only extra-base blow of the game was a double by Scotty Walters, Bronco short fielder.

THE CLINCHER

SONORA	AB	RH	PO	A	E
G. Henderson, 1b	4	1	1	7	0
J. W. Joy, 3b	3	0	0	1	5
A. Z. Joy, cf	3	2	2	0	0
Walters, ss	2	1	1	1	3
Hamilton, 2b	3	0	0	2	1
Alley, lf	3	1	0	0	0
Baldwin, c	3	0	0	9	1
H. W. Kile, rf	3	0	0	1	0
Henderson, p	3	0	0	0	0

Totals	27	5	4	21	10	3
BIG LAKE	AB	RH	PO	A	E	
Kelly, ss	3	0	0	0	1	1
R. Johnson, 2b	4	0	0	1	3	2
Shattuck, c	3	0	0	5	1	0
Davis, p	4	0	2	1	4	0
D. Johnson, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Roach, cf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Meroney, 1b	2	0	0	1	1	0
Day, 3b	2	0	0	1	2	1
Seals, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0

Totals 26 0 3 21 11 4

SUMMARY: Two - base hit, Walters. Earned Runs, Sonora 1. Strikeouts: Davis 4, Henderson 8. Base on Balls, Davis 1, Henderson 5. Hit by Pitcher, Roach and D. Johnson, by Henderson. Left on Base: Sonora 2, Big Lake 11.

MISSIONARY UNION MEETS ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

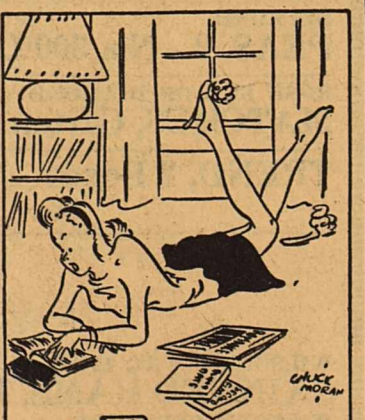
Topic of study was "Righteousness" when the Women's Missionary Union met Wednesday afternoon at the Baptist Church. The group sang a song which was followed by a prayer given by Mrs. R. C. Hall.

Those present were Mesdames R. G. Nance, W. K. Regeon, W. O. Crites, Lawrence Nichols, C. E. Brown, Alfred Cooper, J. E. Eldridge, Robert Buhrkuhl, A. J. Ward, Bob Odom, Hall and Miss Helen Ward.

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Installation of officers and pledge service were held by the Wesleyan Service Guild Tuesday night in the basement of the Methodist Church. Hostesses were Mrs. C. E. Scott and Mrs. Ariel Newton.

The minutes were read and approved with the installation of officers following: president, Mrs. Leonard Caldwell; vice-president, Mrs. Ellen Ray; and secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Thelma Briscoe.

The nominating committee was Mrs. S. M. Loeffler, Mrs. J. Wray Campbell, Mrs. Theo Cahill and Mrs. Newton.

Mrs. Malcolm Bollinger sang a solo.

It was decided that an outdoor social will be held June 13.

A salad plate, ice cream and

12 Kindergarden Students Graduate

Graduation exercises for members of Mrs. Gene Lightfoot's Kindergarden Class were held in the basement of the First Methodist Church on Thursday night, May 19.

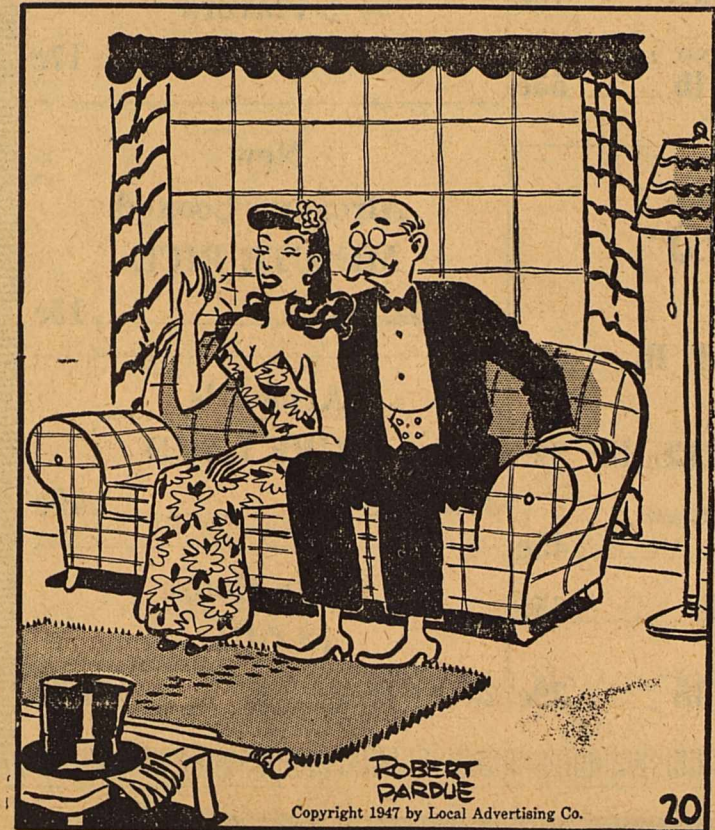
Invocation for the services was given by the Rev. W. H. Marshall, and the program consisted of songs and Pledge of Allegiance, the welcome, a flower drill, all by the whole class, and a violin number by Mrs. A. E. Prugel, who was accompanied by Mrs. D. L. Locklin.

Following the class farewell, diplomas were presented by Rev. Marshall to the twelve class members.

coffee were served to Mesdames Dick McCalmont, Pat Lyles, C. P. Davis, Maysie Brown, Ervin Willman, Sid Rogge, Clayton Hamilton, J. F. Howell, Caldwell, Ray, Briscoe, Bollinger, Loeffler, Cahill and Campbell.

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bers, all of whom were attired in caps and gowns.

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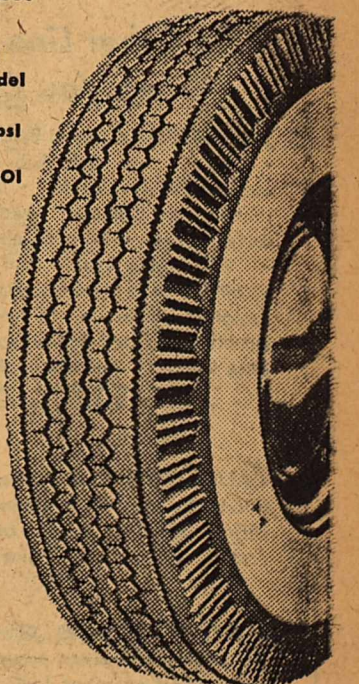
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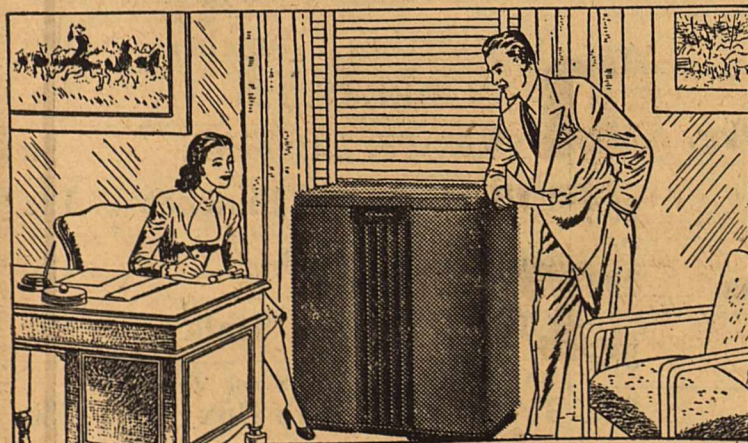
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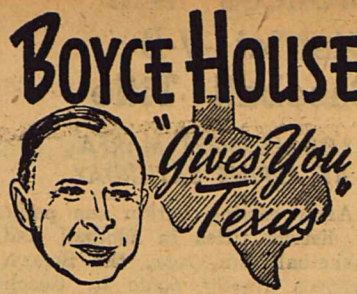
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Appropos of all the discussion of school matters, notably the Gilmer-Aiken bills, there comes to mind a story about Fisher Alsup, the Temple story-teller.

A good many years ago, it seems that Alsup was teaching a small school and he attended a county institute where the main speaker was bound to have been a very great man because he lived a long way off. This profound thinker told his audience, over and over, "Study the child; study the child."

When the meeting was thrown open for general discussion, the lanky Alsup arose and, in a tone, said:

"We have been urged to study the child, study the child. But in view of the fact that there are 67 of the children and only one of me, I suggest that they study the teacher; study the teacher."

Many years ago, when I was editor in Eastland, they used to hold wrestling matches. One wrestler had a German police dog which was tied in the back of the hall. As his owner was undergoing rough treatment in the ring, the animal would bark furiously and tug at the rope holding him. Had the rope given way, the dog would have torn his owner's adversary to pieces.

But the match recalled most vividly had quite a different spectator—the little daughter of one of the athletes. She sat in a ring-side seat and was perhaps four years old, with golden hair and blue eyes. The bout began and her father was getting the worst of it. He was flung to the mat and, as fast as he arose, he was flipped down again.

The little girl's countenance however was serene. I thought, "The innocence of childhood! It is well that she is too young to realize that her dad is being defeated."

Just then the father, who had been reeling, launched himself at his adversary, knocked him down, clamped on a headlock and began applying the pressure. The features of the other twisted into an expression of pain.

The little girl shouted, "That's it daddy; tear his head off and hit him in the face with it!"

Floridians Visit Here
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hamilton arrived Wednesday afternoon from Florida for a short visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Clendenen, before going to California, where they plan to make their home.

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About one to five per cent of buds on the trees actually turn out to be peaches. This year has seen a higher set of buds, and in many cases there are too many fruits to the tree. Now is the time to thin. This can be done by taking a piece of spray or garden hose 12 to 18 inches long, fasten it to a wooden handle and hit the branch a light blow with the hose. The fruit should be spaced four to six inches apart on the twigs and branches.

Pecan trees must be sprayed during the next three weeks to prevent casebearing damage. When the ends of the small nutlets turn brown, spraying operations should begin. The mixture is three pounds of 50 per cent wettable DDT, six pounds of wettable sulphur to one hundred gallons of water. Thoroughness in applying the spray solution under pressure is important, and the twigs of the trees must be wet thoroughly if good control is to be obtained.

In this wet spring, the battle between weeds and KR bluestem looks more favorable toward a final victory of the bluestem in the 15-acre field on the C. C. Smith farm near Uvalde, says County Agent D. P. Gallman.

This river bottom field was seeded to KR bluestem in February, 1948, but due to the dry weather, only a poor stand was made. Weeds of all kinds came up with the grass. And last summer, the only way you could find any grass was to rake the weeds back, says Gallman. The grass was completely covered with the weeds, but it kept growing under very dry conditions until last fall. After the rains, the grass headed out and made a fine seed crop.

At present, the KR bluestem has covered some parts of the field solid, and has held the weeds down. It's making another seed crop and the seedlings are plentiful. Smith says he is not going to mow the weeds or water the

Graduation For Elliott School Set For Monday

EIGHT STUDENTS TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

Graduation ceremonies for the L. W. Elliott School will be held in the school auditorium on Monday night, May 22, at 8 o'clock.

The program will be started with the invocation by Theodore Virgen, and will consist of songs by the Girls' Chorus and First Grade students, a reading by Alice Sosa, two piano solos by Nora Castillo and an address by the honor graduate, Leroy Castillo.

Lions Club awards will be made by the club president, Herman Smith, and school awards are to be made by Assistant Principal Carl Jones. Principal Lloyd Swindle will present the class, and Supt. A. E. Wells will receive the students into the high school.

Presentation of diplomas will be by Bryan Hunt, President of the School Board. Benediction will be given by Supt. Wells.

The 1949 graduates of the school are Natalie Tafolla, Nora Castillo, Michaela Mendez, Lionel Sanchez, Josephine Santos, Esperanza Salas, Leonardo Tafolla and Leroy Castillo.

grass. "If it will spread to a solid stand over the entire field and whip out the weeds, I'll sure be ready to recommend it to anybody for a good pasture grass," said Smith.

Besides this 15 acres, he is also planting 50 acres more of KR bluestem in rows on land on which level borders have been built.

Joe F. Brown has also planted 50 acres of this bluestem, and Seth Davenport and Oscar Vickery are planting 150 acres under irrigation, says Gallman. These plantings will be used primarily for seed production.

Texas Goats On Way To Bombay

INDIAN GOVERNMENT BUYS FOUR YEARLING BUCKS

The Sonora Experiment Station has received an order for four Angora yearling bucks which are to be shipped to Bombay, India. The order was placed some time last fall, when members of the visiting Indian inspection tour were at the station, but orders to ship the animals were received only this week.

The goats will be expressed to Dallas, where they will be loaded on a Delta Air Lines plane and start their long journey. How many air lines they will ride and how many times they will change ships is not known, but plans call for them to be in India before long.

The goats will go from Bombay to an experiment station near that city, and will be used in a series of Indian Government breeding experiments. They will be crossed with the native goat of that country, in an effort to produce a goat bearing fine mohair. The Indian breeders are seeking a fiber which can be woven by hand, and their native stock does not provide this.

According to all statistics, it will be five or six generations, and some 20 years before final results of the experiments can be known. The present Angora was brought into being some years ago by just such experiments, crossing the native Texas (Spanish) goat with goats imported from Turkey and South Africa.

The Indian Purchasing Commission expects to purchase 15 additional goats in the future, also from the Sonora Experiment Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Elliott spent Monday in San Antonio on business.

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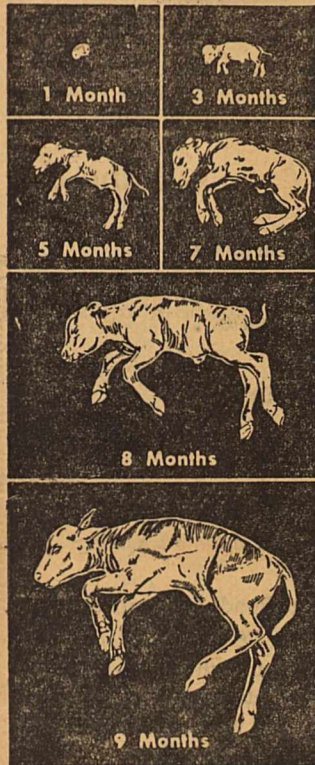
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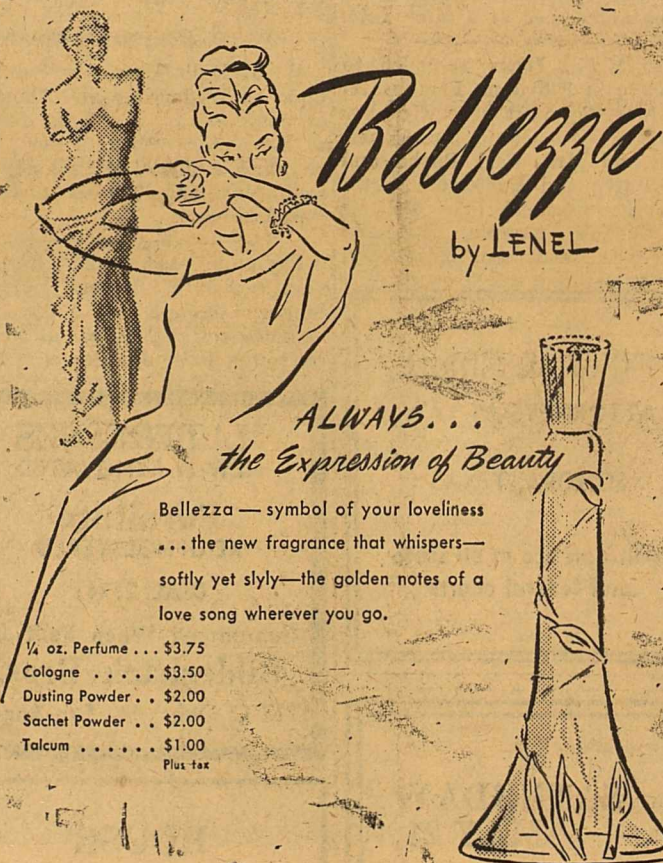
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Mohair Is Now Classed As Wool

Mohair will be defined as wool and will receive the same treatment as wool in any farm bill passed by the House of Representatives this session. This is the thought expressed by Ernest L. Williams, Secretary, Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association. He and Jake Mayfield, Del Rio, Association First Vice-President, returned last Friday from Washington, where they appeared before two House Committees in support of mohair.

A request that mohair be defined as wool and receive the same treatment was made before the House Sub-Committee on Agriculture by Congressman O. C. Fisher. Members of the Sub-Committee expressed opinions that it should receive the same treatment.

Congressmen Ken Regan, Pecos, Homer Thornberry, Austin, and Fernandez of New Meico, made short statements before the Sub-Committee in backing up Fisher's statement. Congressman Bob Poage of Waco is the second ranking Sub-Committee member.

Williams and Fisher appeared before the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Sub-Committee in support of Fisher's bill to amend the Wool Products Labeling Act. This bill would require manufacturers of upholsteries to indicate the amount of mohair in their fabrics and would prevent the present practice of representing and selling upholsteries as "mohair upholstery" when it contained as little as 12 1/2 percent mohair.

The Association representatives also visited with Senators Connally and Johnson and as soon as this bill clears the House, it will be introduced in the Senate by Johnson. Both Senators have indicated a desire to help on the mohair problem.

Eastern Star Elects Officers

The Order of the Eastern Star met Tuesday night at the Masonic Hall with Mrs. Jym Adamson, worthy matron, and W. P. McConnell, worthy patron, presiding. Each officer and each committee member for the past year was presented a gift and a small corsage, which were made by Mrs. Alma Ogden and Mrs. Dorothy Dullnig.

New officers for the coming year are: Mrs. Elvie Turney, worthy matron; Paul Turney, worthy patron; Mrs. Iva Dell Smith, associate matron; Bill Smith, associate patron; Mrs. Wilma Friend, conductress; Mrs. Netalie Baker, associate conductress; Mrs. Celeste Prugel, secretary, and Mrs. Alma Ogden, treasurer. The installation of these officers will be held May 31.

Mrs. Adamson gave a farewell talk in which she compared the year's work with an airplane flight that is coming in for a landing. She thanked members for their loyalty and devotion.

Following the meeting a memorial service was held. Those taking part were Mesdames Adamson, Juliet Driskill, Mamie Awalt, Reba Lancaster, Ches Kirby, Guila Vicars, Wilma Patrick, Lössie Mae Kelley and Jessie Johnson.

One person received the degree of the order.

Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served by Mrs. Adamson to thirty-one members.

ROPING, RIDING SLATED FOR FT. TERRETT SUNDAY

There will be a roping at Ft. Terrett station on this coming Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. In addition to the roping, there will also be bronc riding events. No gate fees are charged for this event.

Plans are underway to stage a team roping event on Sunday, June 5, at the Ft. Terrett Station between veterans in the Junction Agriculture School, and the Sonora students who attend that school.

Plans call for four men per team, and each man to rope two calves. Starting time for the event and members of the teams will be announced at a later date.

Mrs. M. S. Jones returned to her home in Fluvanna Friday after a four day visit here with her daughter, Miss Janie Sue Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barho and sons, Butch and Eddie, of Austin spent the weekend here visiting Mrs. Barho's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Henderson, and family.

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The men charged were Jimmy

LABOR STOPPAGE SLOWS WORK ON NEW HIGHWAY

Work on the new highway which will pass through Sonora was disrupted temporarily the early part of this week when 13 members of a labor crew walked off the job after seeking higher pay for their efforts.

Originally hired for 75 cents per hour, the wage specified by the contract when it was let, the men demanded 85 cents per hour, and were refused by representatives of the C. Hunter Strain Construction Company of San Angelo. Thirteen of the 14 men on the job then walked off, bringing work to a short halt.

Laborers from the bridge gang were borrowed to finish the job on which the men were working, and will in the future probably divide their time between the two jobs. Representatives of the Strain Company could not be reached for comment as the paper goes to press.

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Fruit Cocktail, Hunt's, Tall Can	20c
DINTY MOORE VIENNA SAUSAGE, Can	14c
HOMINY, Jack Spratt, Tall Can	9c
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LIFEBUOY SOAP, 3 Bars	29c			SUPER SUDS, 2 Large Boxes	47c
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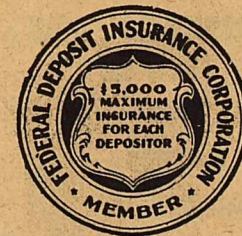
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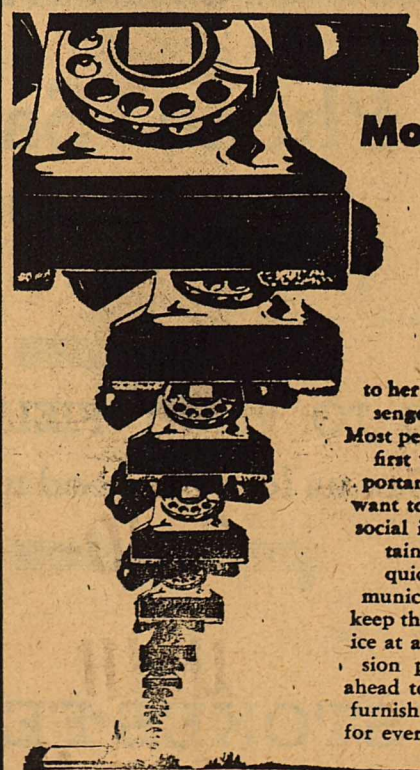
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