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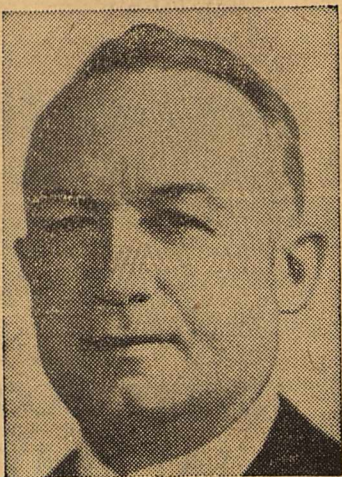
FOURTH WEEK

250 Delegates To Be Here Tuesday For Methodist Church District Meet

BISHOP A. FRANK SMITH NAMED MAIN SPEAKER

Over two hundred fifty delegates from 34 Methodist Churches comprising the San Angelo district, will meet here Tuesday, November 15, for a district church conference, according to the Rev. W. H. Marshall, local pastor.

The Most Reverend A. Frank Smith, Methodist bishop from Houston, and presiding bishop of the Southwest Texas Conference, will be the principal speaker in the morning session, and the Reverend Fred J. Brucks, superintendent



Bishop A. Frank Smith

of the San Angelo district, will preside at the meeting. All meetings will be held at the Methodist Church here.

Reports on progress of churches in the district for the first half of the conference year and plans for new buildings, improvements, and other church work will be discussed. Five elected delegates are expected to represent each church.

Two young people are expected to represent each church at a Methodist youth meeting held in conjunction with the conference. Youth meetings will be held in the Baptist Church, through the courtesy of that church, Rev. Marshall said.

Members of the Women's Society of Christian Service and the Wesleyan Service Guild will serve lunch to delegates in the basement of the Methodist Church. The conference will be formally opened at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning and will end at 4 o'clock that afternoon.

Mobile X-Ray Unit Coming Here December 13-15

A mobile X-ray unit, sponsored by the Sutton County Tuberculosis Association, County Health Association and the State TB Association, will be in Sonora Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, December 13, 14, and 15.

The decision was made Thursday morning at a meeting of the county groups with Mrs. M. R. Pike, state TB representative from Austin.

Mrs. Pike said that it is hoped to x-ray 1,000 chests of people over 14 years of age. She pointed out that it is not necessary to remove one's clothes to have the x-ray made, that it costs nothing, that the process takes but a minute, and that there is no charge.

Mrs. Pike also stated that results of the x-rays are made known to the subject's family physician and to no one else.

Present at Thursday's meeting were Mrs. Tom Ratliff, Mrs. J. F. Howell, Mrs. Jack Mackey, Mrs. George Barrow, Mrs. C. F. Browne and the Rev. Stanley Hauser. Further details will be published next week.

Broncs Play In Ozona Saturday

The Broncos will not play football tonight, but will go to Ozona tomorrow night, Saturday, to take on the Ozona Lions in their next-to-last district game at 8 o'clock.

Although the Broncos are expected to take this one, the Lions are playing before a homecoming crowd, and are also smarting from two successive Bronco defeats in as many years. The two factors might combine for an upset.

The Sonora boys are in good shape for the game and have spent this week working on their running game.

Mrs. Ella Wallace returned last weekend from Christoval, where she had been receiving treatment for the past three weeks.

Drive safely! Observe stop signs.

"Lest We Forget"



Infantry Reserve Company To Be Organized Here

An infantry reserve training company, a part of the Organized Reserve Corps, will be organized in Sutton County, it was decided at a meeting held Wednesday night at the court house.

Meeting with the group of army veterans were Colonel McNab and Lt. Col. Wright of the Austin office. Those attending were Dr. C. F. Browne, Louis Davis, Norman S. Davis, Lea Roy Aldwell, Tom Darrow, Andre Truden, Howard Millican and Clint Langford.

Col. McNab pointed out that it is not necessary to be a veteran to join the Organized Reserve Corps. Veterans are invited to join, however, and will be enlisted at the rank that held last during the war.

The training company will be organized with 3 officers and 12 enlisted men, and will meet twice a month. Members will be paid for the equivalent of a day's pay for each of the two-hour meetings.

Age requirements are between 17 and 35 years. Those interested in the organized reserves are asked to see Tom Darrow.

Plans Advanced For TS&GRA Meet In San Antonio

Plans for the 34th Annual Convention of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association are well advanced, Sayers Farmer, Junction, Association President, has announced. The convention will meet in San Antonio, November 28-30 with headquarters at the Plaza Hotel.

"We are expecting a good attendance," Farmer stated. "The men selected to speak to the convention are interesting speakers and they will discuss topics vital to all of us in the ranch business."

The list of speakers is not yet complete, but those who have accepted invitations to appear on the program are Congressman Ed Gossert, Wichita Falls; Howard Vaughn, Dixon, California, President of the National Wool Growers Association; Col. Homer Garrison, Director, Department of Public Safety, Austin; Dave Savage, Superintendent, Southern Great Plains Experiment Station, Woodward, Oklahoma; and J. M. Jones, Salt Lake City, Secretary, National Wool Growers Association.

Farmer urged that all who have not made hotel reservations do so at once as rooms are still available at the headquarters hotel.

Lions Roar

A panel discussion on what the school system and the community expect of each other was held Tuesday following the Lions Club luncheon in the basement of the Methodist Church.

T. M. Harvey, school journalism teacher, was chairman, and Miss Tris Scott, Lloyd Swindle represented the faculty. Inez Chalk and Jack Ratliff were student representatives and Clay Puckett was citizen representative. Following the discussion a question and answer period was held.

Joseph Vander Stucken announced plans and committee appointments for the ex-students homecoming and new Elementary School dedication to be held Friday, November 18.

Colonel McNab of Austin spoke briefly on the Organized Reserve Corps program sponsored by the Army.

Guests included Miss Scott, L. P. Bloodworth, Col. McNab, Lt. Col. Wright, and A. C. Eberholt of Abilene.

4-H Boys Plan Lamb, Calf Show January 21

Plans are rapidly being completed for the Third Annual Sutton County 4-H Club Show and Sale to be held Saturday, January 21, 1950 on the court house lawn.

This will be the first show at which both lambs and calves will be shown. Tentative judges are J. A. Gray, San Angelo, lambs, and A. L. Smith, College Station, calves. Both are animal husbandmen for the Texas A&M Extension Service.

Members of the show committees are Edgar Glasscock, chairman; Bill Wade, C. T. Jones, Jr., and S. M. Loeffler.

At present, the boys are feeding 11 calves and 120 lambs. A sifting committee will cut down on this number some, and each boy will be allowed to sell one lamb at the sale.

Twenty members voted Wednesday night at their meeting to try to send entries to the following shows: January 27: Southwestern Livestock Exposition at Fort Worth; February 1: Houston livestock show (if some outstanding calves develop); February 17: San Antonio Show; March 2: San Angelo Lamb Show. The boys also voted to buy coveralls with the club name on the back. The club also has a new sign to hang over the exhibits at livestock shows. Dave Locklin donated the material and Pomer Gist painted the sign free of charge.

SANTA CLAUS, WITH LIVE REINDERR, REAL WHISKERS, COMING HERE DEC. 24

Word was received just before pre-stime Thursday that Santa Claus and his live reindeer pulling his sleigh will appear in Sonora Christmas Eve, Saturday, December 24, from 1:30 until 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon. In a wire from the North Pole, Santa said his reindeer will pull his sleigh through Sonora streets and that he will distribute candy to the good children of the county. Santa added that he has a handsome set of home-grown whiskers. His reindeer will travel to Sonora in refrigerated vehicles since they are not used to the warm climate of this section.

A collection is being taken up to help defray expenses of the trip. Anyone wishing to help can see S. M. Kerbow.

All Sutton County families are urged to put a ring around the date -- December 24 -- and to plan to be present.

Ranchmen Asked To Cast Votes In PMA Election

Sutton County ranchmen were reminded this week that they have only until November 22 to cast their ballots for community Production and Marketing Administration committeemen for this county.

In general, an eligible voter is an operator, owner, tenant or sharecropper on a ranch or farm that is participating in any program administered during 1949 through the county and PMA committees. This includes the Agricultural Conservation Program and Federal Crop Insurance Program. Husbands and/or wives of such eligible voters are also eligible to vote and to hold office.

Voters in Sutton County are choosing a three-man committee to represent them in the local administration of national farm and ranch programs. The election is being held in the local AAA office until November 22, when the committee will be named. Committeemen serve for one year only unless reelected.

One of the newest and most time-saving fasteners is the new snap fastener which is hammered rather than stitched on. They are well-suited to sport or work clothes, and the little gadget to hammer them on comes with the fastener.

School Dedication, Barbecue, Parade, Game, Dance Slated Friday

\$35,000 Added To Hospital Grant; Final OK Soon

DIRECTORS APPOINT COMMITTEE TO OPERATE ODOM RANCH

Final approval of building plans for the Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital are expected any day, it was reported at the regular meeting of the hospital directors Monday afternoon. The announcement came following a report by L. W. Elliott, vice-president of the hospital, and architect John G. Becker of San Angelo on final plans and specifications. Becker said that state and federal agencies had requested 73 minor changes in the plans, and that all these had been made. Becker added that he had been informed that final approval would be forthcoming quickly.

The long delay in approval, however, has been most beneficial to the hospital, for during the wait the federal government has increased its aid to the hospital from 33 1/3 percent to a minimum of 50 percent, and possibly 54 percent. On the basis of an increase to 50 percent, the added grant will mean over \$35,000 more federal aid for the project. Estimated cost at present is \$210,000 for the two-story structure.

To date, according to Mrs. Henry Decker, secretary of the association, \$51,559.30 has been pledged by Sutton County citizens and \$37,545.30 of this has been paid. Directors are urging that pledges be paid as soon as possible, so that work will not be held up after final approval is secured.

The directors appointed a ranch committee composed of Robert Halbert, Fred T. Earwood, Joe F. Logan, Bryan Hunt, and Ben F. Meckel, to receive land and livestock on or about December 1, employ a foreman and operate the ranch.

Under the terms of the will of the late Roy Hudspeth, the Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital is to receive the 12,461-acre Hudspeth ranch known as the Odom ranch, about 20 miles west of Sonora. The hospital was also left the residue of the estate and a cash grant of \$50,000 was made prior to Mr. Hudspeth's death.

Building site is on the G. G. Stephenson addition adjoining the east city limits next to the Castle Courts.

Iraan Outclasses Broncos 40-12 Friday Night

Although the Sonora Broncos gave all they had and were scoring at the end of the game, the Iraan combination of Huddleston, Cox, and Dempsey plus a field to run in, was too much and the Braves walked over the finish line 40-12 last Friday night at Iraan.

Generally conceded to become district champions, the Braves lost no time in asserting their superiority. They were out of the Broncos' class in every department. The Braves opened up with an eighty-yard touchdown march in the first period with the redoubtable Huddleston doing most of the work.

Taking advantage of Iraan's two-safety man defense, Huddleston took Henderson's punt in the first quarter on his own five, faked to the other safety and went 95 yards to a second score. In the third quarter it was Huddleston again, going around left end this time.

Sam Cox, Iraan quarterback, added another score on a line plunge to make it 26-0.

Sonora was still in there trying and making what breaks they got. In the third period Berlanga took an Iraan kick on the Sonora 20 and moved to the 35 and a first down. Kring carried on a handoff from Henderson and went to the 46. Rudy Bittle went to the Iraan 43 and another first down. Bittle, Kring, Berlanga and Henderson each took a crack at the Braves' line and moved to the 10, where a pass, Henderson to Kring, was good for the score.

Iraan's Elmer Thurman caught a Sam Cox pass in the end zone for another Brave score in the third. The toss from the 11 found Thurman after a previous pass attempt to Bill McCarver had fallen incomplete. Dempsey's pass to Thurman was good for a convers-

Formal dedication of the new Elementary School building, plus a homecoming celebration for ex-students, free barbecue, parade, Sonora-Menard football game and dance after the game, is planned for next Friday, November 18, according to Joseph Vander Stucken, general chairman of the program and president of the Ex-Students' Association.

Vander Stucken said enough barbecue for 1,000 persons will be prepared and will be served on the school grounds near the gym.

The program will open Friday morning with registration at 9 o'clock and inspection of the building. At 11 o'clock, dedication program will be held in the high school auditorium, and it is hoped that Judge L. J. Wardlaw, former Sonora citizen and early-day teacher here, will be the main speaker. Judge Wardlaw is now living in retirement in Fort Worth. Following the barbecue, a parade is planned for 2 o'clock, and plans are to have bands from surrounding high schools attend.

The parade, which will probably have several floats, will start at 2:30 o'clock. Following the parade, festivities will be suspended until 7:30 o'clock, at which time the Sonora-Menard football game will start.

After the game a dance will be held at the Sonora Wool and Mohair Company warehouse with Harrison's Texans probably furnishing the music.

Committees appointed to handle the largest celebration Sonora has seen since the Old Settlers' Reunion in 1941, are:

Joseph Vander Stucken, general chairman. Food: B. M. Halbert, Jr., Ford Allen, Alfred Cooper, George D. Chalk and Frank Bond. Invitations and registration: Mrs. L. E. Johnson, Betty Rankhorn, Mrs. Carl Cahill, Mrs. J. C. Stephen, Mrs. Annie Sharp, Clay Puckett.

Entertainment: A. E. Wells, H. V. (Buzzie) Stokes, Mrs. Ben H. Cusenbary, Mrs. George H. Neill. Dance: Edwin Thompson, George D. Chalk, Mrs. W. R. Cusenbary. Parade and float: Ross Hay, Rex Lowe, Louie Martin, Mrs. Rip Ward, Mrs. Tom Ratliff.

High School students will be appointed to aid all committees. Patrons and friends of the schools as well as ex-students are cordially invited to attend the celebration and barbecue.

Sutton Voters Turn Down Nine Amendments

Sutton County voters kept pretty well in line with voters in other parts of the state Tuesday when they turned down all but one of ten proposed amendments, and that one, Number 7, passed by only 6 votes.

Returns from precinct three, totaling 15 votes, were not complete. In the race for the 21st district representative on the state board of education, Dr. George Morgan, San Angelo, was far ahead of his two opponents, Gordon Griffin of Brownwood, and John T. Rowntree of Lampasas. Morgan got 61 votes, Griffin 17, and Rowntree 11.

Unofficial returns on the amendments follow:

	For	Against
No. 1	40	98
No. 2	10	120
No. 3	35	105
No. 4	27	102
No. 5	30	100
No. 6	25	105
No. 7	67	61
No. 8	42	87
No. 9	61	67
No. 10	51	78

ion point, leaving the count 33-6, Iraan.

Early in the fourth period, a 50 yard pass from Cox found Dempsey on the 30. He was in the clear, then away for the goal behind effective blocking. The kick was good.

The fourth quarter found a revitalized set of Broncos moving in for action. They substituted passes for the ground attack used throughout the first three quarters.

The Henderson to Bittle pass combination started clicking as Kring and Berlanga found sure footing on the ground. Berlanga carried the ball to the 12 late in the fourth period. Kring took it from there and added six points to the trailing Bronco score.

The conversion attempt failed, leaving the final score 40-12.

Drive slowly through School zones.

... Son of
a gun ...

Well, the charter members of the Sutton County Big Game Hunting Association, Joe Hull, O. C. Ogden and Bill Drennan, returned from their initial foray into the wilds of the Northwest seaboard bearing trophies of the hunt. A daddy elk and two mama elks. But we don't know which is the more newsworthy, the trophies or the driving record set the first day of the trip, nearly 1,000 miles in a day.

The country is pretty rough in the Oregon mountains. A kill made one day generally required most of the next day to be packed out. In spite of that, Hull said, there were plenty of hunters. In fact, there were so many red hats in the town where they were based, that Hull felt people were staring at his Sutton County-style hat, and purchased a red one. He's still wearing it, and we know darn well people here are staring at it. That hat should be sent to the Bureau of Standards to be used as a world-wide criterion for red.

—(?*½\$*?)—
Certainly glad to note that the amendment to place women on juries was defeated. Imagine a big case coming to trial in District Court -- a long list of petit jurors, or perhaps jurors. What would happen? Bendixes (or should we say Bendices) would grind to a halt; stoves would be turned off; local cafes would have to install nurseries, and business would be disrupted.

Seriously speaking, we have no objection to having the ladies on juries, nor have we heard objections voiced by anyone in town. We rather think the ladies themselves defeated the issue and probably for the reasons stated above.

—(?*½\$*?)—
Travel Dept: Alfred Schwiening went to Tulsa last week where he purchased three Angus bulls and two cows at a dispersal sale. . . . Clint Langford attended a chicken-culling -- whatever that is -- at Fredericksburg.

—(?*½\$*?)—
Cleve Jones bought 43 calves from Alfred Schwiening at 24 cents, average weight over 500 pounds; Jones also purchased 92 lambs from Schwiening at 21½ cents, averaging just under 73 pounds.

Robert Halbert sold to Woodbury College, Los Angeles, through R. H. Whitten, a bull calf for \$2,800, shipped October 31. Halbert also sold C. L. McHatton, Sparta, Ill., 13 yearling and 5 heifer calves, and 2 bull calves for \$8,200. All this stock was Halbert-bred Polled Herefords.

—(?*½\$*?)—
Through a mistake, the name of Esther Chavez, high school sophomore, was omitted from the honor roll last six weeks. Esther made all A's and one B during the first six weeks and is an honor student.

Joe Allen Gatlin and Jean Gatlin received their Bobcat awards at a recent Cub Scout meeting, although their names were left out of the News' story. Congratulations to them and we hope they go far in Scouting.

—(?*½\$*?)—
Glenn Reeves has bought a 550-acre stock farm near Mayfield, Arkansas, and will move there in January. Reeves said the farm adjoins a 10,000-acre tract of free grazing land and is 12 miles from the Oklahoma border. A creek runs through the middle of the farm, and 360 acres have been proven for soft coal. Reeves plans to stock the place with sheep and a few cattle.

INJURES HAND IN WRINGER

Mrs. George Brockman was reported improving Thursday following an accident Tuesday in which she caught her left hand in a washing machine wringer at her home in San Angelo. Mrs. Brockman is the mother of George Brockman, Jr., local ranchman, and a sister of E. F. Vander Stucken. She suffered severe lacerations of the hand and was hospitalized. Her daughter-in-law is with her and expects to bring her to Sonora Monday.

YOUR HEALTH

Emphasizing the urgent need for parental supervision of all phases of child health, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer said today, "Much of the impaired eyesight of advanced years could be prevented if sufficient interest in

early life were applied and a correction by means of temporary glasses made when required."

Parents, Dr. Cox asserted, should be watchful for danger signals in the child such as frowning, squinting, persistent headache, eyeache, and watery eyes. If the youngster reads too closely or too far away from the face, that situation may

also be significant of trouble.

"No child likes wearing glasses, nevertheless, it is the obligation of those responsible for the future of young folks to have their eyes examined by a reputable specialist if there is a suspicion that normal vision does not exist. It is much better for a child to wear glasses for a few years during early school

Notice

Effective November 1, 1949, I have bought out the interest of Tom Ratliff in the Ratliff - Davis Insurance Agency. The new firm name will be The Davis Insurance Agency.

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Louis Davis

The Davis Insurance Agency

Soil Conservation District News

News of Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District
Prepared by Local SCS Personnel

The Edwards Plateau SCD Board of Supervisors approved soil and water conservation plans totaling 10,720 acres at their monthly meeting last week, at the Court House in Sonora. These plans covered land owned by E. D. Shurley, Herbert Fields and W. B. McMillan.

Applications for assistance were approved for 29,887 acres. These included Valliant Brothers, Clarence Valliant, Ranch Experiment Station, John Cauthorn and G. H. Davis. These applications will be developed into soil and water conservation plans.

Those present for the meeting were J. M. Vander Stucken, Joe Brown Ross and Edwin Sawyer. Also present were Clint Langford, County Agent, and E. B. Keng, District Conservationist.

Sam Karnes feels that the cheapest way to get seed for reseeding bare areas on his range is to grow the seed himself. He plans to do this by planting a small area of deep soil to some of the better native and introduced grasses. Karnes will have a continued source from which seed may be gathered each year.

Karnes showed SCS personnel where K.R. bluestem and slender grama grass seed had scattered 1/4 of a mile from the location in which it was seeded this last spring.

Jim Rieck, Edwards Plateau Soil Conservation District cooperator, has a small area of "dramatic erosion." "Dramatic erosion" is erosion of a very noticeable type. In August of 1948, an accidental

fire on the Rieck ranch burned about 100 acres of heavy cedar on hilly range. This stripped several hills of protective vegetation and litter exposing the soil to rain and running water. As soil was washed away, rocks became more

noticeable as if they were growing. The same "growing rocks" are noticed on hill sides where grasses are kept very short by over grazing and where no litter can accumulate to protect the soil. This sheet erosion isn't spectacular, but it is costly.

The "dramatic erosion" on Rieck's ranch was the results of sheet erosion. This came about through a series of events which were not anticipated.

Rieck fenced the burned area to enable special treatment as reseeding and dferments to be practiced. Because the fence was put on the section line, a portion of the burn was outside of the small trap. It is this small, burned slope across the fence that is the source of the "dramatic erosion."

As water drains off this slope it runs through the fence into the deferred trap where grass acts as a seive. There against the fence and toward the draw is evidence to prove the destructive power of running water on unprotected soil.

Soil from the slope has washed in covering the grass inside the fence with three to four inches of dirt. Two bottom wires of the fence have been buried.

The sudden change from the white, stony slope to the dirt covered grass is almost unbelievable. By his planting of K.R. bluestem, sideots grama and deferment of the trap, Rieck is saving much of what little soil there is on the hillsides where the burn occurred. The contrast between the treated trap and untreated slope should serve as a guide and warning to us all.

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Undergoes Operation

Mrs. Lloyd Earwood is recovering in Santa Rosa Hospital in San Antonio from an operation performed recently.

A. H. Walker, pasture specialist at Texas A&M College, was here last week to look over the range program at the Experiment Station.

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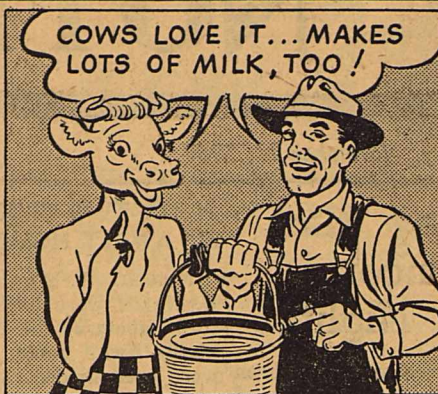
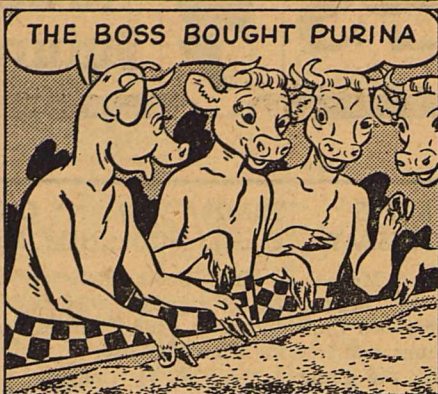
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WTCC Planning
Formation Of
Water Ass'n.

Formation of a West Texas domestic water association composed of the directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will be the leading item on the agenda for the 32nd annual WTCC directors meeting to be held in Fort Worth Nov. 22. Official call for the meeting has just been made by President John D. Mitchell of Odessa.

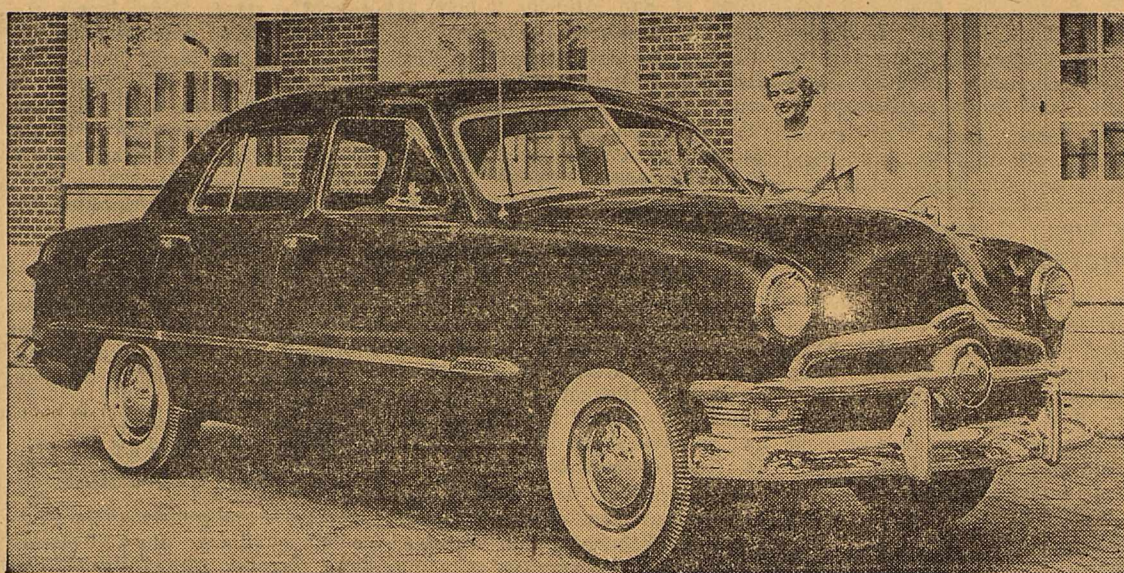
Business meeting will begin 1:30 p.m. in the Worth Hotel ball room where this and other matters important to the welfare of West Texas will be discussed. At a meeting of the executive board in Abilene Sept. 26, it was decided to submit the formation of the domestic water group to the board for final consideration.

Purpose of the proposed association would be fostering local districts or authorities to bring about construction of multi-city dams to serve the needs of drought stricken West Texas towns, according to Manager D. A. Bandeen.

After the business meeting the annual banquet, to be held at the Texas Hotel, will be addressed by Secretary J. A. Krug of the Department of Interior. Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth Star-Telegram publisher, will be master of ceremonies.

There of the Fort Worth meeting will be water, with a slogan of Dam West Texas or West Texas is Damned.

A campaign to build attendance to the banquet now is under direction of Max Bentley, organization director. Local directors and chamber managers have been en-



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NOTICE

I am not responsible for any debts incurred in the name of the Sonora Baseball Team by anyone other than myself.
Pat Lyles.

Ralph Tipton arrived in Sonora Thursday night from Texas A&M College for a few days' visit with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Tipton.

listed to build attendance from each West Texas city.

Happy Birthday

Friday, November 11—

Mrs. Tom Bond

Frank Nichols

Saturday, November 12—

Mrs. Carrie Wyatt

Lynn Morris

Dave Locklin

Tony Adams

Sunday, November 13—

Johnnie Dale Merck

Mrs. John Hull

Mrs. Finis Hamby

Monday, November 14—

Tuesday, November 15—

W. B. McMillan

J. T. Eugene Shurley

Robert Trainer

Wednesday, November 16—

Mrs. Pedro Crowell

Thursday, November 17—

Earl Lomax

Mrs. Babe Caffey

Mrs. Susie Blanton, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. V. Weber in Pewaukee, Wisconsin, returned here recently to spend the winter.

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John Parks arrived home from a trip to Bell County, where he had been with a bunch of horses.

Mrs. C. J. Nichols and Mrs. M. R. Huffman were in San Angelo this week shopping and visiting friends.

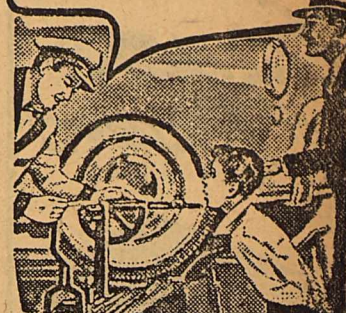
Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Word are in Brownwood this week taking in the Carnival and visiting their daughter, Miss Nettie, who is going to school there.

Mike Sharp, Jr. was in Sonora last week shaking hands with his friends. Mike has just arrived from Roswell, N. M., with about 5,000 sheep belonging to Cauthorn and Hamilton of San Angelo. He is on his way to the Glasscock ranch on Devil's River.

Ira Word arrived home Tuesday from the Territory, where he had been looking after O. T. Word and Son's cattle interests.

Walter Whitehead and W. H. Lightfoot were in from the Whitehead ranch Tuesday.

Lum Adams was up from the Mayfield ranch Saturday for a load of supplies.

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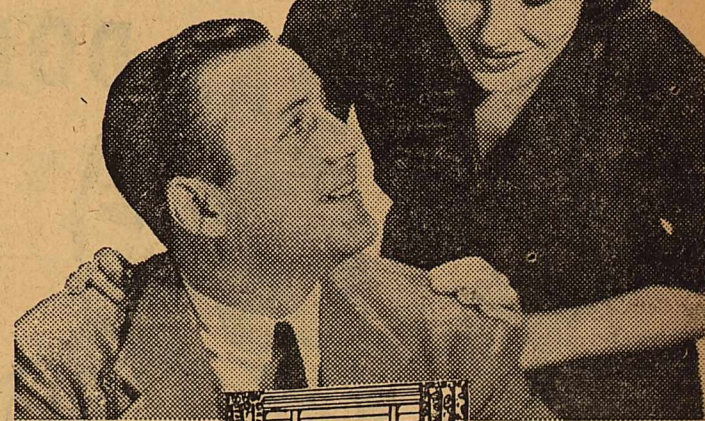


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TO IDLE HOUR CLUB

Mrs. J. F. Howell entertained members and guests of the Idle Hour Club Tuesday afternoon at her home. Mrs. Sterling Baker won high club, Mrs. Rip Ward second high, and Mrs. Howard Millican won the bingo prize. Mrs. Belle Steen won high guest prize.

Arrangements of mums were used for decorations, and coffee and a salad plate were served to Mesdames Baker, R. C. Vicars, L. E. Johnson, Jr., J. F. Hamby, E. E. Sawyer, Frank Bond, W. R. Cusenbary, Steen, Millican, P. J. Taylor and Rex Dullnig.

W.M.U. HOLDS MISSION
STUDY WEDNESDAY

The Women's Missionary Union met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. Eldridge for a mission program. Mrs. Lawrence Nichols was in charge of the program. Mrs. Eldridge gave the devotional and the group sang, "Christ For the Whole Wide World."

Mrs. T. F. Kenner recited a poem. It was decided to divide the group into three study circles, and Mrs. W. O. Crites, Mrs. R. G. Nance, and Mrs. B. H. Crites were each named in charge of a circle.

Mrs. Alfred Cooper dismissed the group and coffee and cookies were served to the following: Mesdames Bob Odom, Eldridge, J. P. Smith, Pearl Crites, Cooper, Jeth Lancaster, D. R. Branscum, Katie Brasher, Boyd Moore, Kenner, B. H. Crites, Bill Drennan, W. O. Crites, Londo Granthum, D. H. Holbrook and Jack Drennan.

Attends Auxiliary Luncheon

Mrs. J. F. Howell attended the District 4 meeting of the Tom Green Eight-County Medical Society and Auxiliary luncheon in San Angelo Thursday. Following the luncheon Mrs. J. C. Sturges reviewed the book, "The Doctor Wore Three Faces."

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MRS. MAYFIELD HOSTESS
TO THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Ed C. Mayfield was hostess to members and guests of the Thursday Bridge Club this week at her home. Cut flowers were used as decorations and a sandwich plate and coffee were served to the following: Mesdames H. V. Morris, Sim Glasscock, Lee Patrick, R. G. Nance, J. W. Trainer, Robert Rees, John Bunnell, O. G. Babcock, Joe Berger, Susie Blanton and B. C. McGilvary.

Mrs. Berger won high score, Mrs. Babcock won low, and Mrs. Bunnell won the bingo prize.

JAY WRAY CAMPBELL
HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Jay Wray Campbell was honored on his eleventh birthday Wednesday with a dinner party given by his mother, Mrs. J. Wray Campbell at the Sonora Country Club. The centerpiece on the dinner table was an arrangement of autumn flowers. Following dinner at the club, guests returned to the Campbell home for a bingo party.

Sparklers were given as favors. Eleven attended.

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A symphony orchestra has been formed in the ranch country of West Texas to meet the cultural needs of San Angelo, a city of 55,000 population.

Under the direction of Dr. Eric Sorantin, internationally known symphony and opera conductor, the San Angelo Symphony Orchestra will give its first concert of its initial season Monday, November 14. Sixty-five musicians will make up the orchestra for three scheduled performances this year.

Underwritten by local businessmen, the symphony society here in San Angelo is similar to organization of the Dallas Symphony and other civic symphony orchestras throughout the country. The San Angelo Symphony Society Friday had counted some 200 patrons in its first concert campaign.

Dr. Sorantin, who heads the music department of Our Lady of the Lake School in San Antonio, has secured the services of some 20 musicians from Baylor and Hardin-Simmons Universities and from San Antonio for the season. Together with a local group of 45 musicians, the newly formed symphony orchestra is hard at work for its first concert.

At the age of twenty Dr. Sorantin was appointed conductor of the well-known Linz Philharmonic Orchestra in Austria. Since then he has made an outstanding success as conductor of leading orchestras. He has been conductor of the Vienna Symphony, Wagnerian Opera, Nashville Symphony Orchestra, Chicago Little Philharmonic Orchestra and the San Antonio Civic Opera.

FETED MONDAY WITH
SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. H. V. Morris was honored with a surprise birthday bridge party Monday evening by Mrs. Nellie Allen and Mrs. Robert Kelley at the home of Mrs. Kelley. Mrs. G. G. Bennett presented the honoree with a birthday cake.

FORTY-TWO CLUB MEETS
AT AWALT HOME TUESDAY

Mrs. A. W. Awalt and Mrs. R. G. Nance were hostesses Tuesday to members of the Forty-two Club at the Awalt home. Mums and iris were used in decorating the game rooms.

Mrs. Lee Labenske won high score, Mrs. O. G. Babcock won the traveling award and Mrs. H. V. Morris won the bingo prize.

A salad plate was served to Mesdames Babcock, J. W. Trainer, Rose Thorp, Lawrence Nichols, John Bunnell, Joe Berger, Morris, Robert Rees, Jim Cauthorn, R. V. Cook, Robert Kelley and Labenske.

NOTICE

The Ranchero Square Dance Club will meet Monday night, November 14, at 8 o'clock at the Episcopal Parish House, according to Mrs. J. M. Vander Stucken, secretary.

FIREMEN'S AUXILIARY
HAVE PARTY WEDNESDAY

Members and guests of the Firemen's Auxiliary met Tuesday night, October 25, at the station for their bi-monthly bridge and Forty-two party. Mrs. Gomer Minnick was hostess and a shower was given for Mrs. Loy Gulley, Jr. Miss Christine Legg won high bridge score for guests, Mrs. Lee Patrick won high for members and Mrs. E. T. Smith won low. Mrs. Artie Joy won high forty-two score and Mrs. Tom Womack won low.

A sandwich plate and cakes were served to the following: Mesdames E. T. Smith, Tommy Smith, Katie Brasher, Ford Alleh, Bill McGilvary, Artie Joy, Wesley Granger, Loy Gulley, Jr., Tom Womack, G. G. Bennett, Jack Hite, Carl Cahill and Lee Patrick. Guests included Miss Christine Legg, Miss Emma Hamilton and Mrs. R. L. Martin.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames W. O. Crites, Katie Brasher, Rose Thorp, Bennett, Joe Hull, Leonard Caldwell, Robert Rees, J. W. Trainer, R. G. Nance, B. C. McGilvary, O. G. Babcock, Joe Berger and John Bunnell.

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SONORA WOMAN'S CLUB
ELECTS FOUR NEW MEMBERS

Mrs. Scott Roberts discussed flower arrangements to the Sonora Woman's Club Thursday afternoon in the clubhouse.

Mrs. M. E. Genrich, president, was in charge. Elected to membership in the club were Mesdames J. W. Neville, Herbert Fields, Robert V. Kelley and Edwin S. Mayer.

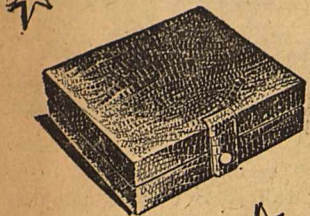
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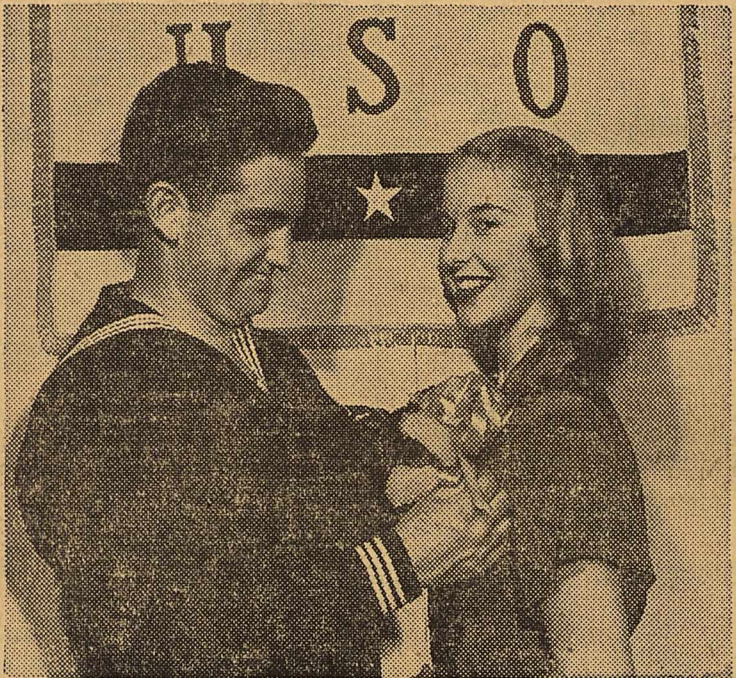
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A LOOK AT THE BOOK
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"In the beginning God." Thus the book of Genesis begins. "A coffin in Egypt." Thus it ends. What a contrast! Here we are reminded of the destructive power of sin, for the God who was in the beginning had created a beautiful world, planted a lovely garden and made man and put him in the garden. But sin entered and death by sin. All Adam's children had in them from that day the seed of death. So appropriately the book of beginnings closes with a mournful tribute to the power of sin over human flesh for "in Adam all die."

But the coffin in Egypt is a reminder of happier things as well. It speaks of faith. Joseph believed that God was going to do the thing which He had promised—that He would give Israel the rich and lovely land east and north of Egypt. He believed it so firmly that he gave orders for his body to be embalmed after the Egyptian fashion and placed in a coffin that it might be in readiness to be taken by his people in the time when God should fulfill His promise.

Joseph had done his job well in Egypt. He had received honors and fame, but he had a hope of glory

from the ranch country

Son of a gun



Making good grass grow where nothing but cedars and brush grew eleven years ago is being done on the 7,300 acre Shield Ranch in the Bee Cave community of Travis County, says Travis county agent Elmo Cook.

In 1938 when the range improvement program started, ranch manager Horace Eckols says the ranch was carrying 1,000 goats, 30 cattle and 200 sheep -- none were too thrifty. Today 2,000 goats, 200 beef cows, 1,500 sheep and 25 to 35 head of horses are cared for with grass to spare.

Here is what Eckols told Cook happened. A brush eradication program was started in 1938 and was completed in 1947 when 1,500 acres, mostly cedar, were bulldozed.

With conservative stocking, natural re-seeding of native tall and short grasses made good headway more lasting than that which had been his during his lifetime. That hope was of a time when God should make of His children a great nation. Though he had been honored in Egypt and ruled there under Pharaoh's appointment, he remembered his heritage in Canaan. The Egyptian coffin in its temporary resting place in the land of Goshen spoke of this hope.

For three hundred years it rested in Egypt, but there came a day when Israel began her long march toward the land which God had promised her and when that day came the mummified body of Joseph went along and the carved Egyptian coffin did not remain in Egypt but came at last to rest in the cave of Machpelah with the dust of Abraham and Isaac and Jacob.

but Eckols helped nature by sowing 2,000 acres in 1946-'47-'48. He used a cyclone seeder and planted sidecoats grama, big and little bluestem, dallis, buffalo and bermuda grass. All of these except dallis can now be found in abundance in the areas where they were originally planted.

A jeep and trailer were used finally to get out a mixture of seed, superphosphate and barnyard manure during rainy weather. The mixture was placed in stump holes and other depressions.

Cook says the ranch is owned by Fred W. Shields of San Antonio and cites this ranch as an example of what can be done to improve range vegetation when a well planned improvement program is carried out.

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1/2 teaspoon cloves
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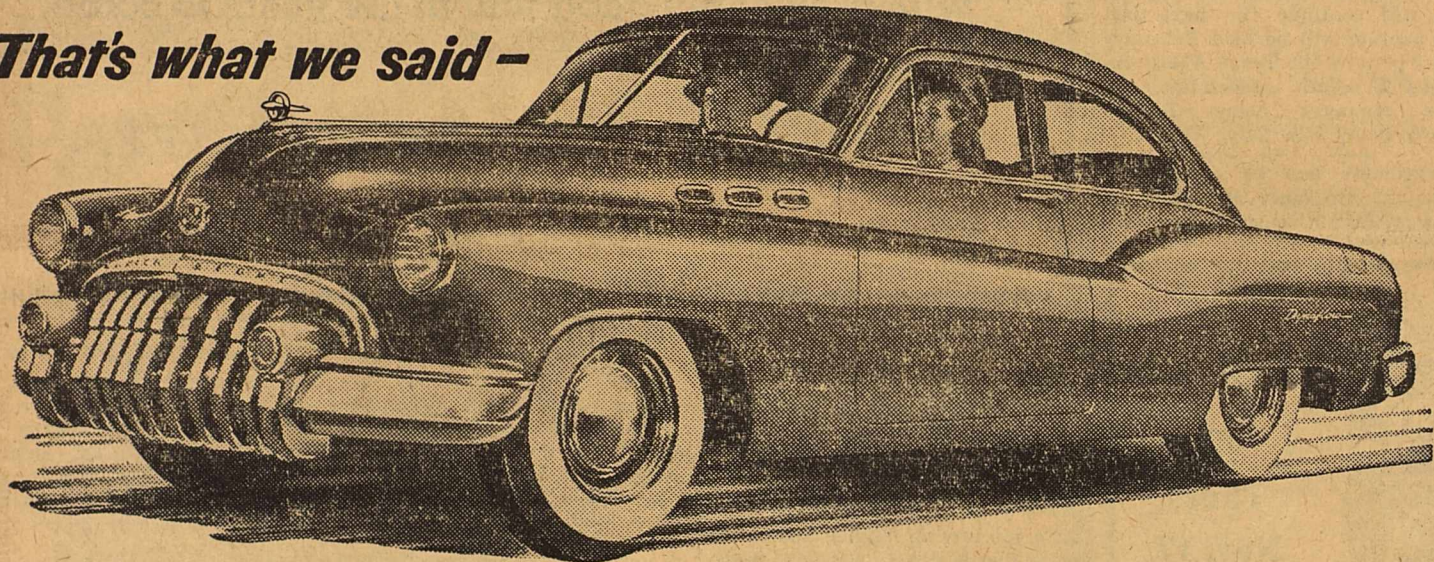
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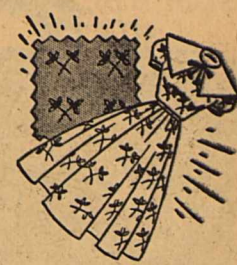
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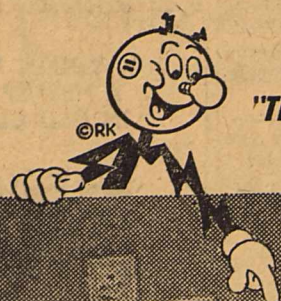
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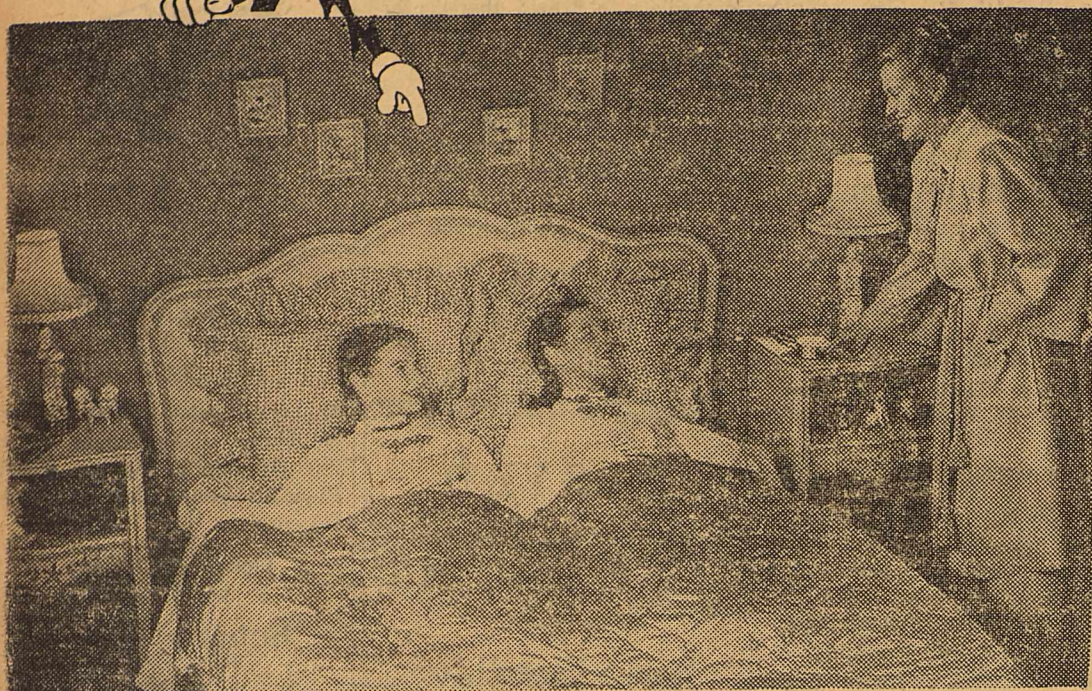
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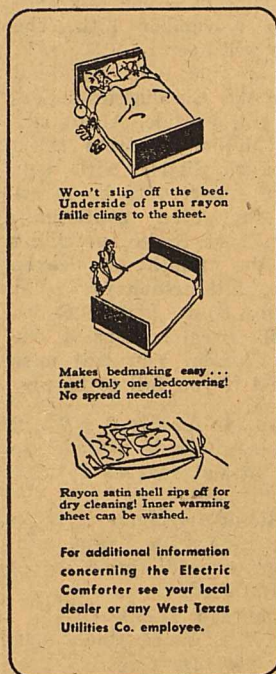
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Judging of Hereford carload and pen division will take place Sunday, January 29. Other Hereford judging will begin at 8 a.m. January 30 and will continue next day. Polled Herefords will be judged January 30, starting at 8 a.m.

The Hereford auction will start at 2 p.m. January 31, conducted by the American Hereford Association, Jack Turner of Kansas City, Mo., sales manager. The Polled Hereford auction, beginning at 2 p.m. February 1, will be conducted by the Texas Polled Hereford Association, of which Henry Fussell of Dallas is secretary.

Judging of Shorthorns will start at 8 a.m. February 1 and the auction will begin at 10 a.m. next day, conducted by the Shorthorn Club, Clinton K. Tomson of Chicago, sales manager.

Judging of the Brahms will be held on January 30, commencing at 8 a.m. This breed entered competition in Fort Worth for the first time last year.

There will be three groups in the pens of three bulls, a new division in the Aberdeen-Angus competition: for yearling bulls, senior bull calves and junior bull calves, with champion and reserve champion pens being chosen. There will be a like competition for pens of five. Aberdeen-Angus pen judging will be held January 29, starting at 2:30 p.m.

Other Aberdeen-Angus judging will start at 8 a.m. January 31 and will continue the next day. The auction will be held February 2 at 2 p.m. by the Texas Aberdeen-Angus Breeders Association, the sales manager being Tommy Brook, Camp San Saba, Texas.

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As retiring partner in the Ratliff - Davis Insurance Agency, I wish to extend congratulations and best wishes to Louis Davis in his new venture.

In selling out my interest in the firm, I feel that it is being taken over by one who is qualified, experienced and capable, and who will give the business his undivided attention.

Our association has been a pleasant one, but other interests have prevented my taking as active a part in the agency as I would have liked.

I have therefore sold my interest to Louis, and with it, all of my good will in the years to come.

TOM RATLIFF.

Sat.
Nov. 12



Thru
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Nov. 17

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6 For \$1.57	6 For \$1.45	6 For \$1.30	6 For \$1.40
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6 For 29c	3 For 5c	6 For 51c	6 For 76c
12 For 55c	6 For \$1.06	12 For \$1.00	12 For \$1.47
24 For \$1.05		1 Case \$1.93	24 For \$2.84

FRUITS & VEGETABLES	CLUB STEAK, lb
PEARS, 2 lb 25c	CHUCK ROAST, lb 49c
CARROTS, 2 Bunches 15c	Swift's Brookfield Sausage, lb 49c
YAMS, lb 10c	WISCONSIN
APPLES, Delicious, lb 10c	LONGHORN CHEESE, lb 49c
ORANGES, Texas, lb 10c	COLOR EASE
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Weekly Swing of SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

Southwest farm markets developed a mixture of higher and lower price trends during the past week, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Dressed meats sold mostly weak to \$3 lower than last Monday in New York.

Sharply increased cattle and calf numbers at southwest markets last week contrasted with moderate decreases at midwest terminals. Cows and stocker calves lost up to 50 cents or more at Texas markets, but cows advanced at Oklahoma City. Other classes showed little change. Denver sold cattle steady to 50 cents down.

Sheep sales doubled the week before at Texas and Oklahoma terminals but fell off slightly at other markets. Price trends were fairly firm most of the week, with narrow net changes. San Antonio's goat market showed only minor changes.

Small lots of 12-months wools sold in Texas, and a good volume of territory wool moved in Boston. A large volume of mohair sold in Texas at 47 1/2 and 67 1/2 cents.

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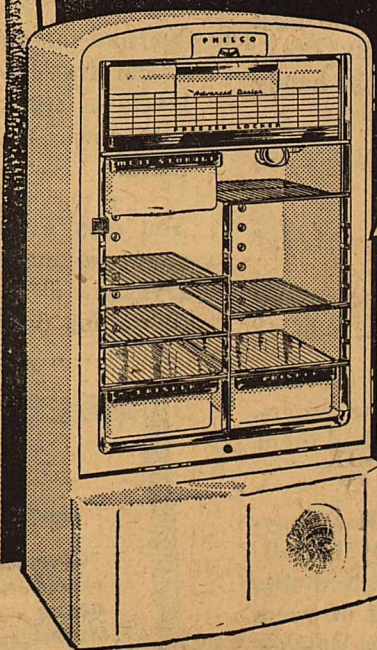
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and Commander Dennis, in Washington, D. C.
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San Antonio Plans First Livestock Show

The first annual San Antonio Livestock Exposition, to be held in the Alamo city February 17-26, will officially open the new \$2,000,000 Joe Freeman-Bexar County Coliseum.

Named after its originator, the modern structure is located on a tract of 170 acres two miles east of the business center of San Antonio.

The property is under the management of a Coliseum Advisory Board appointed by the Bexar County Commissioner's Court. The Advisory Board was established by an act of the state legislature and upon appointment was removed entirely from politics.

With a total attendance capacity of 12,000, the all-purpose structure is complete with heating, ventilation, day-light lighting, centrally controlled system of spotlights, radio and television circuits and a modern overall public address system.

The premises include adjacent horse, cattle, sheep and swine barns in addition to corrals for rodeo stock, which will all be used by the San Antonio Livestock Exposition during its ten day stay in February.

Quarter Horse To Be Featured At Livestock Show

There were more than 350 entries last year in the quarter horse show, setting a record for the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show and the Fort Worth exposition is looking forward to another outstanding show. General dates are Jan. 27 through Feb. 5.

The name, quarter horse, goes back to early days and comes from the speed that this horse displayed at a short distance, usually a quarter of a mile. A quarter horse's temperament adapts him to the handling of cattle and to rodeo contests and general pleasure use.

Quarter horses will be in two classes—halter and performance. Performance, in turn, has two divisions—cutting horse and roping horse competition. This is an innovation which was begun last season.

Roping and cutting will be divided into two classes, junior (foals of 1946 or later) and senior (foals of 1945 or before), another innovation made a year ago.

There will be the usual halter classes for yearlings, two-year-olds, three-year olds, four-year olds and older, for stallions and

mares. There will also be a halter class for geldings. All geldings are required to show in the performance class.

A new procedure will be instituted at the 1950 show: the dividing into two classes of aged mares—a class for maiden mares and a class which have produced one or more foals.

In halter classes, in response to requests from a great number of exhibitors, all stallions and mares 3 years old and older (except mares that have produced one or more foals) must be brought into the arena under saddle and shown at walk, trot and canter and will be judged on way of going and manners. No penalty will be given unless the entry is very fractious or has a poor way of going. Then the entries will be called to the center of the arena, saddles removed and judging for conformation will take place.

The quarter horse show is approved by the American Quarter Horse Association. The judge will be Orville B. Burtis of Manhattan, Kansas, who operates the Davis Ranch, well-known for its good cattle and quarter horses.

Closing date for entries is Jan. 5. Horses must be on grounds Jan. 26, which is a day ahead of the opening of the Stock Show, the reason being that, beginning at 10 a.m. on opening day, quarter horse performance judging will be held. Premium lists are now being prepared and will be mailed in the near future.

Mrs. Margaret Tipton returned Wednesday from Christoval, where she has been for the past two weeks receiving medical treatment.

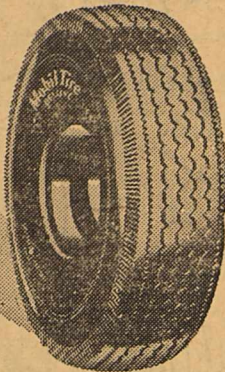
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Rub chops with mustard; sprinkle with salt, pepper, seasoned salt, and flour to taste. Brown in a heavy skillet with onion and green pepper rings, water, and lemon rind. Bake in a slow oven (about 325 F) for 45 minutes.

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THURSDAY, NOV. 10 SATURDAY, NOV. 12
CLOSED FRIDAY, NOV. 11



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FANCY DELICIOUS -- 2 1/2 IN. MINIMUM	ONIONS, White, 2 lb	19c
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PICNIC HAMS, 1b	COLORED OLEO, 1b
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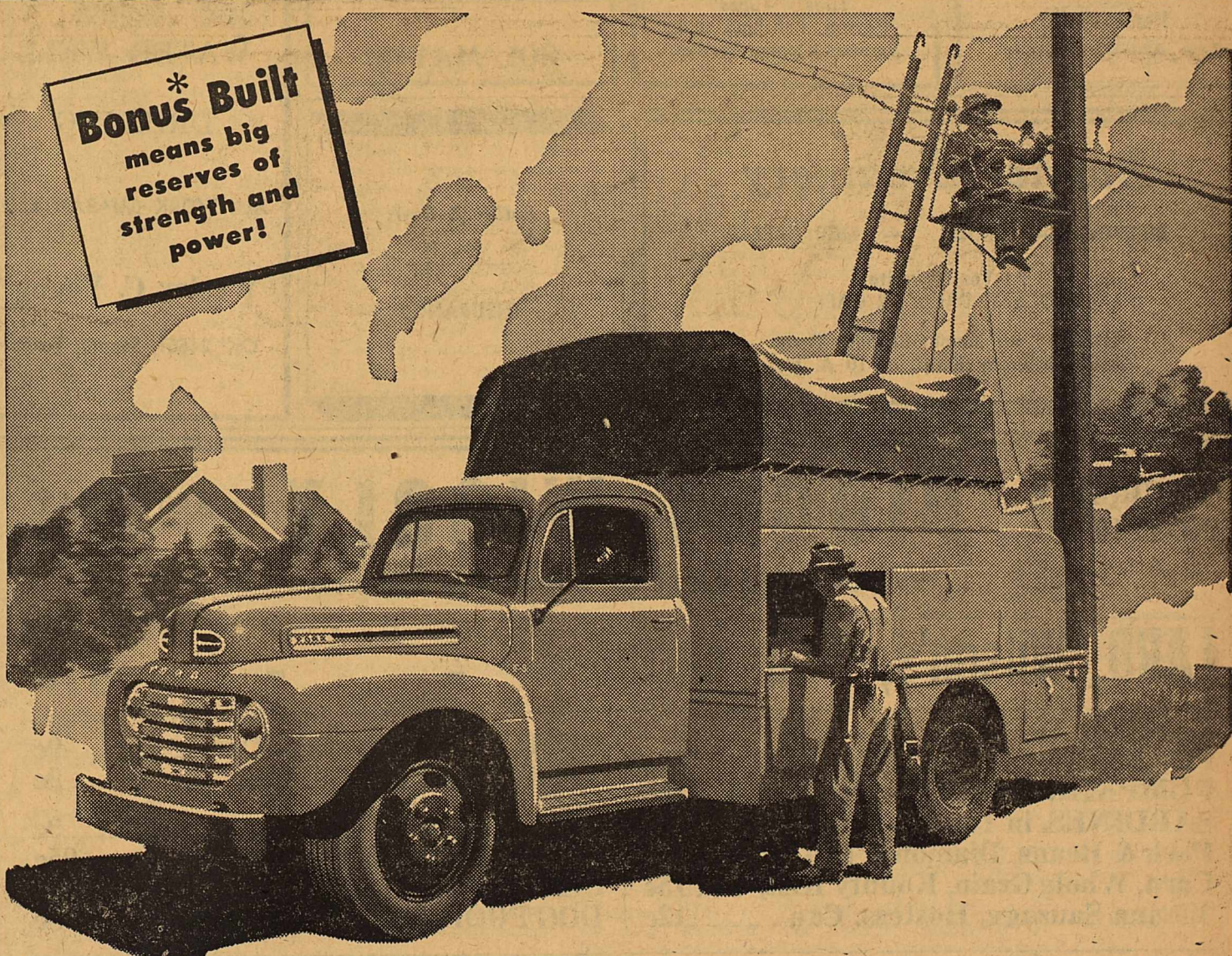
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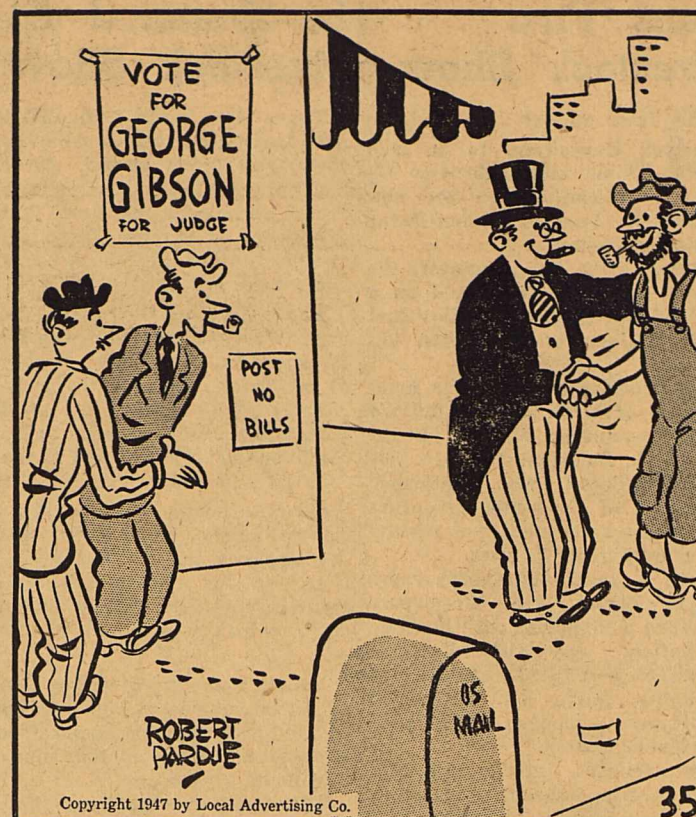
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PEARS, No. 2 1/2 Can	33c	PEAS, Diamond, Tall Can	9c
PUMPKIN, Royal Glen, No. 2 Can	10c	DIAMOND	
SARDINES, in Tomato Sauce, 1b Can	19c	PINTO BEANS, Tall Can	9c
Pork & Beans, Diamond, Tall Can	10c	HERSHEYS, Box of 24 Bars	95c
Corn, Whole Grain, Kounty Kist, Can	15c	CHEWING GUM, All Kinds, 20 Pkg.	79c
Vienna Sausage, Hostess, Can	12c	DOG FOOD, Top Kick, 1b Can	8c

FLOUR, Kimbell's Best, 25 lb. Bag - - \$1.65

SWEETHEART		RICE, Blue Beauty, 12 Oz. Box	10c
SOAP, 4 Bars	33c	TREND, Large Box	23c
SUPER SUDS, 2 Large Pkg.	45c	C.H.B.	
BLEACH, Durox, Qt. Bottle	14c	PICKLES, Whole Dill, 24 Oz. Jar	25c

Fruits & Vegetables

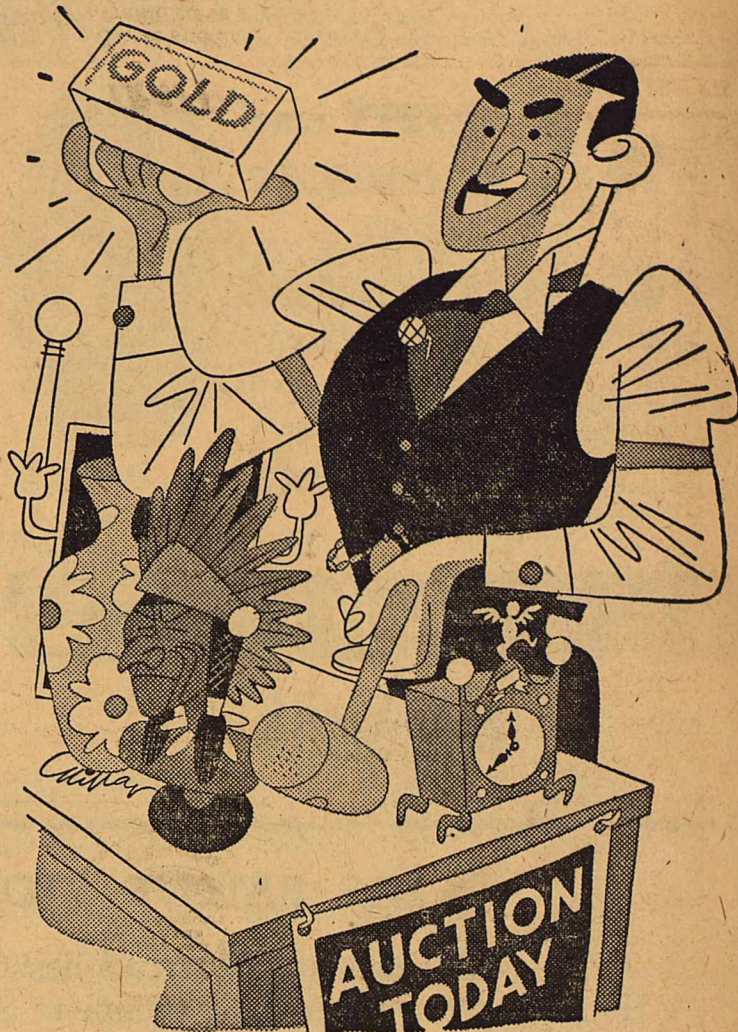
CELERY, Good, Stalk - 16c
CRANBERRIES, 1b - 25c
BELL PEPPER, Fresh, 1b - 9c
CUCUMBERS, Long Green, 1b - 9c
BLACKEYED PEAS, Fresh, 1b - 12c

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CALF SWEETBEADS, 1b - 39c
PICNIC HAMS, Certified, 1b - 44c
ROAST, Baby Beef, 1b - 42c
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