The Devil's River News

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FIFTY-SEVENTH YEAR | Sonora, Texas, Friday, September 5, 1947 | FORTY-SIXTH WEEK

Gets Two Years On Check Count

DIVORCES GRANTED TO FOUR AT MONDAY COURT

W. S. Campbell, pleading guilty to a forgery charge before Judge J. B. Randolph Monday in the 112th District Court here, was sentenced to two years in the State Penitentiary. Campbell was charged with passing a forged check to R. V. Sewell, drawn on an Ozona account.

J. A. Townsley was also indicted by the grand jury, but will not be tried until the next term of court. He also faces charges of forgery.

Silverio Ramon, held since last April on a charge of murder, was not indicted and paid a fine in Justice of the Peace court for drunkeness. Jesus Mendez was fined $500 on an assault charge in County Court.

Divorces granted included Loy Gulley vs. Jewel E. Gulley, Frankie R. Franks vs. Verna Jo Franks, Rosa Galinda Ortiago vs. Augustine Ortiego and Remedias H. Reyes vs. Enrique G. Reyes.

Mrs. Wilborn Dies Following Crash

Funeral services for Jackie Wilborn and his mother, Mrs. F. E. Wilborn, who died last week as a result of injuries received in a head-on automobile-truck collision near Ralls, were held Saturday at Olney.

Mrs. Wilborn died in a Fort Worth hospital Friday while her son was killed instantly. Her husband, pharmacist at the Corner Drug Store, was readmitted to a hospital in Fort Worth for observation. The accident occurred Thursday, August 23.

The Lions Roar

Tuesday, September 16 has been designated as 100 percent day for the Lions Club and all members are urged to attend. A special program has been arranged.

Guests at the Tuesday meeting included Aubrey Loeffler, here on leave from the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, H. R. Ray, band instructor at the High School and J. Wray Campbell, local auto court owner.

Appointed to the attendance committee for 100 percent attendance week are F. L. McKinney, chairman ,John A. Martin, Jr., and J. C. Stephen.

Midshipman Loeffler gave an organ recital on the program Tuesday which was exceptionally well received. Last year Loeffler, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Loeffler, was invited to play the organ at the National Cathedral in Washington, D. C.

Congratulations

To These New Parents

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. (Shelly) Lowe are the parents of a daughter weighing 6 pounds and 4 ounces. The girl was born Tuesday morning in a San Angelo hospital and has been named Jo Ann. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Libb Wallace of Sonora and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. Lowe of Houston. Great grandmother is Mrs. Ella Wallace of Sonora.

Sutton Veterans Cash In $15,075 TL Bonds Here

Sutton County veterans of World War II swarmed into the First National Bank Tuesday and Wednesday to cash in $15,075.95 in terminal leave bonds.

By Thursday morning 68 local veterans had taken advantage of the law recently passed by the congress enabling them to get their terminal leave pay. The money meant an average of $221.75 for each of the sixty-eight as compared to a state average of only $165.66.

Funeral Services Held Wednesday For Sutton Pioneer

FORMER MERCHANT HERE DIED IN SAN ANTONIO

Funeral services for James E. Grimland, 81, pioneer ranchman and former resident of Sonora, were held from the First Methodist Church at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Services were conducted by the Rev. Walter P. Carmichael. Pallbearers were Arthur Stuart, R. D. Trainer, L. E. Johnson, Joe Berger, Joe Logan, George Edward Allison, Bryan Hunt and Joseph Vander Stucken.

Mr. Grimland died in San Antonio Tuesday where he had lived since 1939. He was born in Prairieville in Kaufman County, March 3, 1866. His parents, Yern and Inger Grimland, were natives of Norway, but married in Texas.

Mr. Grimland, one of 14 children, received his education in the public schools and attended a business college. He followed the mercantile business for 25 years. Before his retirement he was considered one of the most active men in Sutton County, being county treasurer for a number of years.

Mr. Grimland was a member of the Methodist Church and the Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include the widow; two daughters, Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson, Sonora, and Mrs. H. N. Sneed, Seattle, Wash.; and three sons, Fred, Lawrence and Jack Grimland. Also surviving are five sisters, five brothers, seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

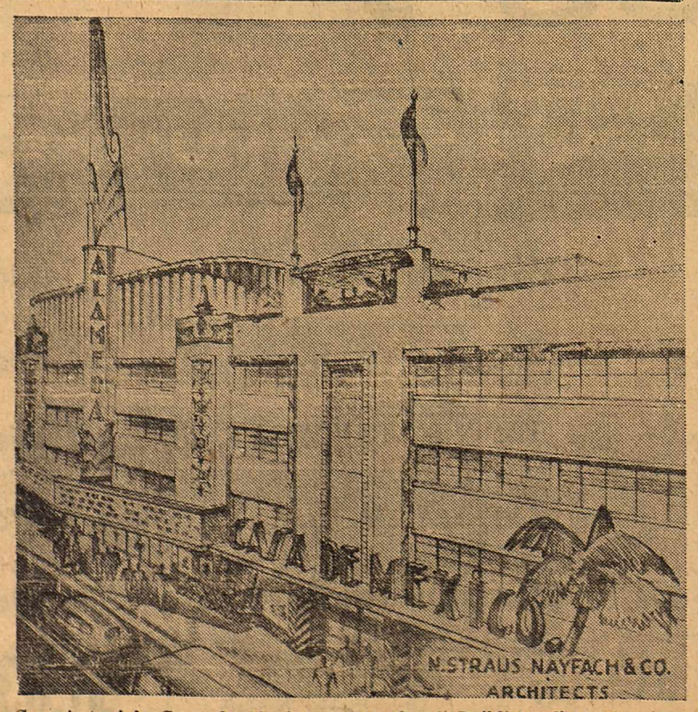
Mrs. Havens Buried Here Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. Mandy C. Havens, 82, were held at the Baptist Church Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. The Rev. J. E. Eldridge officiated. Pallbearers were V. F. Hamilton, W. R. Barnes, Lewis Roueche, Neil Roueche, A. P. Prater and Clyde Bricker. Interment was in the Sonora Cemetery.

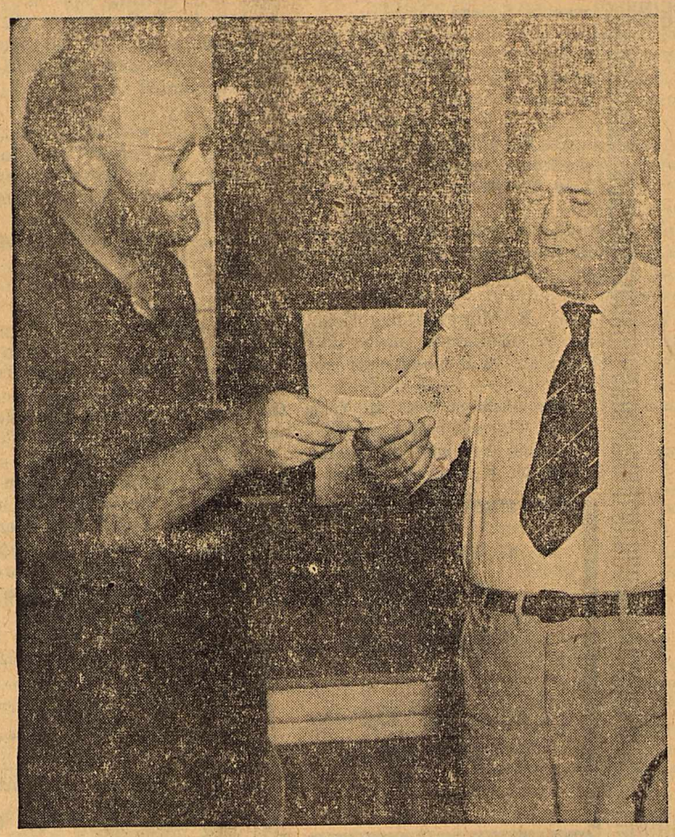
Mrs. Havens was born in Grayson County February 7, 1865 and had resided in Sutton County for the past several years. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. C. R. Reese, Mrs. W. L. Lakey and Mrs. Wilson; and one son, Howard Havens; four sisters; 21 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

George Barrow was in Dallas this week on business.

Texas' New International Building



San Antonio's Casa de Mexico International Building, first structure in the nation built specifically to house firms doing business with Latin American countries, now is in final stages of completion. Consul General of Mexico was the first tenant.



PERMISSION TO VISIT Denison, Tex., during that city's Diamond Jubilee Celebration, Sept. 1-6, is being presented here by Jubilee Chairman Judd Sampson of Denison to Congressman Sam Rayburn of Bonham,, Tex., right, former Speaker of the U. S. House of Representatives.

Mr. Rayburn will visit Denison on Katy Day, September 6, and will be aboard the Katy's 1870 vintage train when it re-enacts the arrival of the first train into Texas from the North. The event actually occurred December 25, 1872.

Sonora College Students Leaving To Resume Fall Semester Studies

Frances Jane Drennan left Saturday, August 30 for Houston, where she will spend the next three years training at the Jefferson Davis Hospital School of Nursing.

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Clayton Hamilton will return to Southwestern University for his second year. His major is business administration.

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Helen Martin will attend San Angelo Junior College beginning September 15. This is her first year.

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Marjory Ann Dameron begins her senior year at Texas Tech in Lubbock, majoring in government. She is a member of the Koshari Club.

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Colleen Aderholt is attending Draughons Business School in Dallas.

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Dickie Street will go to Georgetown September 15 to enroll at Southwestern University as a freshman.

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Mary Lu and Eugene Neuerburg are both juniors at Texas University and both are majoring in business administration.

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Marguerite Howell is a Texas University senior and her major is history. She is a member of the West Texas Club, The Y and the Del Rio Club.

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Harold Briscoe is a second term sophomore at the University of Texas and is majoring in petroleum engineering.

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Jimmy Cusenbary will go to Lubbock September 15 where he will enroll as a freshman at Texas Tech. His major will be animal husbandry.

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Cynthia Milton is a freshman at Sul Ross College in Alpine. She is majoring in business administration.

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Attending Sul Ross College, Gilbert Teagarden will be a sophomore this year. His major is business administration and he is a trumpet player in the Sul Ross College orchestra.

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Martha Jo Moore will go to Sul Ross College as a sophmore transfer from Texas University. Her major is home economics.

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Katherine and Hazel Caldwell left August 29 for Abilene, where they will take a ten months' course at Draughons Business College.

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Alain Boughton will leave about the middle of September to enroll at Rice Institute. He will major in chemical engineering.

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Ethel Mae Alley is a sophomore at Texas University. She is a major in physical education.

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Edith Eldridge will go to Hardin Simmons in Abilene as a junior speech and dramatics major.

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Eugene Alley will receive his BA degree in animal husbandry in February. He is president of the West Texas Aggie Club.

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Josette Boughton is a senior at TSCW in Denton and her major is journalism. She belongs to the Philomathion Literature Society, Journalism Club and Cercle Francais.

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Richard Boughton is a student at Texas A&M, where he is studying architecture.

INJURED IN FALL

Mrs. Boyd Lovelace is recovering from effects of a fall Saturday morning on a downtown sidewalk. Her daughter, Mrs. Don McGara of Station B is here with her.

LAST MINUTE NOTICES

After October 1, the library will be open Saturdays only from 2 o'clock until 5 o'clock. Until then the library will be open Saturdays from 3 o'clock until 6 o'clock.

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Enrollment in dancing classes taught by Mrs. Vestel Askew will be held this week. A studio has been built in the garage of her home, the former Ben Cusenbary residence. Mrs. Askew also announced that this year she will conduct classes in ballroom dancing for adults.

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The American Legion Auxiliary will hold its next meeting Monday night at 8 o'clock in the basement of the Baptist Church.

Wesley Sawyer has been in Dallas this week attending the gift show.

Bode Beats Burrus In Matched Roping

Andy Bode of Carta Valley beat John Burrus of Ozona in a six-calf match, half of which was run off Saturday night and half Sunday afternoon, with a total time of 144.9 seconds. against Burrus' 166.8.

The night roping was judged a success and will be followed up Saturday night with a second night roping.

James Count won one of the Saturday night jackpots with an average time of 14.3. John Burrus was second with 15.4 and Lloyd Mitchell third with 16.3.

In the other jackpot Lloyd Mitchell of Rocksprings was first with 13.6, Glen Chadwick second with 15.2 and John Burrus third with 16.4.

Three jackpots and a matched roping were held Sunday afternoon. In the matched contest, Lloyd Mitchell beat Cliff Lowrey of Del Rio, with a total time of 125.8 seconds against 136.8. Lowrey, Bode and John Merck of Sonora were the winners of the jackpots.

FIRST LOAD OF SUTTON OIL LEAVING MONDAY

The first load of oil from a Sutton County well will leave here Monday or Tuesday in a tank truck owned by W. D. Kring. The oil, now stored on the J. S. Holman ranch, was produced from two wells on Holman's property. Kring will make delivery to a San Antonio refinery.

Sixty feet of oil-cut mud was recovered by Lloyd S. Parker of San Benito No. 1 Meta B. Reick, wildcat in extreme southeastern Sutton County, on a 90-minute drillstem test Wednesday from 2,710-30 feet. Drilling continued. The operator picked the top of the Palo Pinto at 2-710 feet.

No. 1 Reick had cored from 2,718-30, recovering nine feet of lime with pinpoint porosity and some signs of oil and gas. A slight show of heavy oil with a little asphalt was logged from 2,310-22 feet.

The scheduled 4,100-foot test is 2,310 from the north, 1,980 feet from the east line of section 26-C-GH&H, on a Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Co. farmout, five miles west of Roosevelt.

County Group To Austin Monday

Sutton County delegates including County Judge George Wynn, County Commissioners Dave Locklin, Dantes Reiley and Dan Cauthorn, Mayor Tom aRtliff, J. F. Hamby and A. B. Hightower, and delegations from Del Rio, Menard, Brady and Fort Worth, will appear Monday morning before the State Highway Commission in an attempt to secure a direct paved route from Sonora to Fort Worth through Menard and Brady.

Judge Wynn will present a map showing the feasability of the new road and outlining the territory which would be served by it. The proposed route would mean a saving of about 26 miles of road driving.

Sonora Tackles League Leading Ozona Sunday

LOSE TO EOLA, BEAT COLTS OVER WEEKEND

The strongest rivalry in the Concho Basin League will be revived Sunday when the league-leading Ozona team invades Sonora to try to revenge a 2-1 defeat given them in Ozona last June. Ozona hasn't lost a league game this half, but did drop three games to the San Angelo Colts a few weeks ago. Sonora has beaten the Colts twice.

In last Sunday's game, Sonora lost a hard one, 8-7 in 14 innings at Eola. Millican and Smith pitched for Sonora. Monday Sonora beat the San Angelo Colts 9-8 with Millican and Brown doing the pitching. Patrick got a triple in this game.

The Ozona game will begin at 3 o'clock at the school diamond.

CONCHO BASIN LEAGUE

How They Stand

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Ozona	7	0
Veribest	6	1
Eola	6	1
Bronte	3	2
Ellis Parts	3	3
Miles	3	4
Sonora	3	4
Robert Lee	2	4
Maverick	2	5
Dodgers	2	5
Lowake	1	4
Eldorado	0	5

Opens Boot Shop

George Friday, owner of a Midland boot shop for 18 years, has leased the shoe repair department of the Wauson Saddlery and will take orders for custom made boots in addition to doing shoe repair work. Wauson will continue to manufacture saddles and other riding equipment.

PERSONALS

H. J. Lowrey, pharmacist for the past two years at the Sonora Drug Co., has retired and will make his home in Lubbock.

Visiting in the Ray Baker home over the week-end were Mrs. Baker's nephew, Woodrow Walston, and family of Menard.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Savage took a trip over the week-end to Big Bend Park and the Davis Mountains.

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Opening Day Of School Exercises Slated Monday

RESERVED SEASON TICKETS TO BE ON SALE MONDAY

High School and Elementary Schol students, teachers and parents who wish to come, will assemble Monday morning at 9 o'clock in the High School auditorium for opening day ceremonies. Main speaker on the program will be the Rev. Stanley F. Hauser, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church. Scripture will be read by Minister John M. Burnett of the Church of Christ and a prayer will be offered the Rev. Walter P. Carmichael, pastor of the Methodist Church.

Mack Alexander, principal of the High School and coach, will introduce the High School faculty, and Rex Lowe, principal of the Elementary School, will introduce members of the elementary school faculty. Several musical numbers will be given by H. R. Ray, band director, accompanied by Miss Mary Ann Dorsey, music teacher.

Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock reserved seat season tickets will go on sale at the First National Bank on a first come, first served basis. A platte of the reserved section will be on hand for the convenience of patrons wishing to pick out special seats. Price for the reserved season tickets will be $6. General admission prices have not been decided yet, pending the outcome of a meeting Saturday afternoon at the High School of the district coaches and superintendents. Also to be discussed at this meeting is eligibility of any players of whom there is any doubt.

Scout Building Fund Passes $12,500 Mark

Donations to the Boy Scout and Girl Scout building fund crawled ahead this week, passing the $12,500 mark, as 15 more donors added their money to the list. Donations this week were received from E. E. Sawyer Co., W. H. Karnes, Mrs. Frank Lee, F. M. Ballard, P. K. McIntosh, A. E. Wells, Mrs. Maysie Brown, Clarence Valliant, San Angelo Telephone Co., E. B. Keng, Collier Shurley, Ben Cusenbary, Adkins Plumbing Shop, H. B. Wauson and W. C. Anthony.

Large Crowd Sees Swim Exhibition

A large crowd of parents and well wishers was on hand Monday night when Rex Lowe, swimming director of the Boys and Girls Summer Program, put on the first swimming meet and exhibition since the program was inaugurated two years ago. Assisting him as judges were A. P. Prater, Blake Yager and Mack Alexander.

Winner of the free style dash for senior boys was Wayne Ogden. Girls intermediate dash winner was Nancy Neill and boys intermediate dash winner was Rusty Drennan.

Winner of the diving contests was Joe D. Cook.

Exhibitions of lifesaving techniques were given by Wayne Ogden and James Wall. Judges in the races were Herman Smith, Gordon Smith ands John Eaton. Prize awarded the winners, except Ogden who is a member of the football team, were donated by H&P Clothiers, Ratliff Store, Home Hardware and Furniture Company and the Devil's River News.

Other exhibitions were given by Jane Neill, Nancy Neill, Wayne Ogden, Bill Ratliff, Shannon Ratliff and Carnie Sue Wyatt.

BACK FROM MARFA VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peeples and daughter, Carlene, and Blanche Lavon Taylor have been in Marfa visiting Peeples' sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cherry Bryant. From Marfa they came to San Angelo by plane where Mr. and Mrs. Peeples went on to Dallas for a few days. Carlent and Blanche Lavon returned to Sonora.

Mrs. Susie Blanton, Mrs. Ben Martin and Mrs. Rip Ward are in San Antonio for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pearson of Beaumont have been visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Kelley.

Misses Cynthia Milton, Jean Sproul and Maydelle Herring of Eagle Pass have been visiting in Sonora.

ATTEND BANK CONFERENCE

George H. Neill and Howard Millican will return tonight from Austin, where they attended the Sixth Bankers' Convention. The meeting was held Tuesday through today.

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Return From Kansas

Mr. and Mrs. Batts Friend and son, Benny, returned last week from a trip to Fort Riley, Kansas, where they delivered a horse. They were gone about a week.

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46 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Lis Moss were in from the ranch Monday trading.

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Ben Sharp, the young stockman, was in Sonora Tuesday.

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Born on Tuesday, April 25th, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. Don Cooper a boy.

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O. T. Word, the well known stockman, returned from the Territory Thursday.

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Carl Gunzer, the stockman, was in from his ranch Tuesday attending to some business.

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W. H. Huggins has leased the R. W. Callahan place adjoining town and will move next week.

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Tom Adams was in from the Llano Thursday for supplies and attending to some business.

Sheriff Howze of Concho County arrived in Sonora Thursday and left Friday with Kilpatrick, who is charged with killing Thornton a month or so ago.

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Forrest Beman and Charlie Fields returned last week from Talpa, where they received about 158 head of thoroughbred cattle, Red Poll and Durhams, for W. J. Fields. They were in charge of E. Rainey of Maynor.

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Mrs. M. A. Woodward, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. S. Holland, for the past few months, left for her home in Coleman Manday. Mrs. Holland accompanied her.

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There will be a meeting of the fire department Thursday night at 8:30 at the County Clerk's office. The object of the meeting is to reorganize and other important business will be transacted. A full attendance is requested.

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The following party left on Tuesday on a fishing trip to Devil's River: Mrs. L. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lewallen, Ed Teoff, F. A. Stradler, J. McClure, Geo. Dunagan and Alvin Dunagan. Rev. A. R. Watson and E. Lee left on Wednesday to join them.

John McKee and John Woolford were in from the ranch Tuesday trading. John says everything is doing well down his way.

Bert Turney of Rockwood, Coleman County, is in Sonora on a visit to his brother, Frank.

Fred Millard was in from the ranch Wednesday on business and paid the Devil his dues.

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Beavers are still reported in fairly large numbers in 42 Texas counties, being found mostly along the Pecos, Rio Grande, Colorado, and Llano Rivers and other streams in the Edwards Plateau.

U. S. imports of honey are three times as large thus far in 1947 as compared with a year ago. Cuba, Canada and Chile are the leading exporters.

At present prices of cotton and cottonseed, no grower can afford to lose the one bale out of seven which insects normally steal.

The best reason for knowing enough to come in out of the rain is not to keep from getting soaked but to avoid being struck by lightning.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Kokernot returned to Houston Tuesday after a short visit with Mrs. Kokernot's mother, Mrs. O. G. Babcock.

One ton of farmers stock Spanish peanuts (unshelled) will produce an average of 600 pounds of oil, 900 pounds of meal and 400 pounds of hulls and foreign material.

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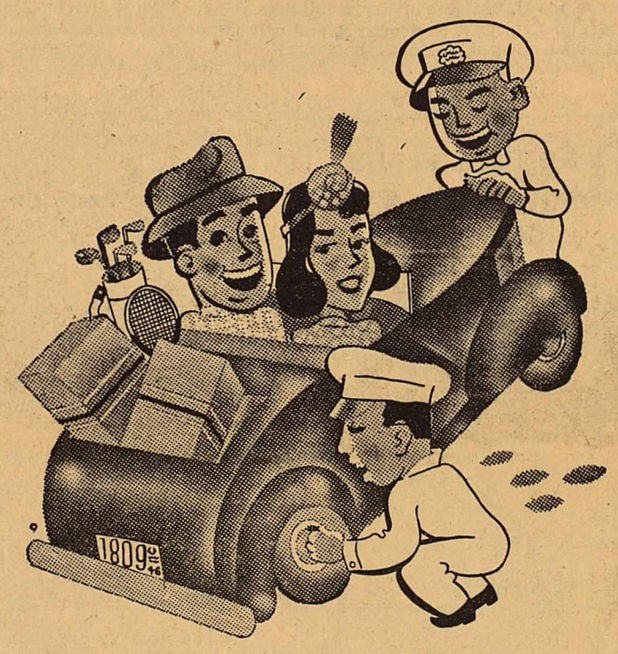
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A veteran may get up to a total of 500 dollars worth of correspondence courses. No subsistence allowance is paid for correspondence courses.

Only schools which have a contract with VA and which are approved by the state in which they operate may be paid for veterans' courses under the GI Bill.

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About 25 per cent of the veterans who have entered educaation or training have terminated their courses, VA reports.

The great majority of these veterans are eligible for additional GI study---if they want to take it some time in the future.

There are many reasons for terminations, VA found. These include ill-health, lack of housing, financial problems, scholastic difficulties, employment opportunities and personal problems.

Q. Does Veterans Administration help the disabled veteran get a job after he finishes his training?

A. Yes.

Q. Must a disabled veteran go to a vocational school or may he go to a liberal arts college, a high school, or similar institution under the Vocational Rehabilitation Act?

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A Texas Ranger On Duty

Stories of West Texas . . .

by N. H. Kincaid

The strains of Old Dan Tucker stopped abruptly and the surprised fiddlers forgot to lower their bows. Startled dancers stumbled as the men tried to swing their partners clear while their hands sought the revolvers at their waists.

But the lone trooper in the doorway was unarmed and made no move towards self defense. In his handshands was nothing but a white handkerchief.

"D'you want anyone here, Hall?" called Joe Sitterlie, one of the dancers whose wedding festivity this was.

"Yes," the red headed lieutenant answered. "I want seven men. I want you and Deputy Sheriff William Meador, David Augustine, Jacob Ryan, William Cox, Frank Heister and Charles Heissig, charged with the murder of Phillip Brazell and his son, George, indicted this day."

During the ensuing uproar Lee Hall was pushed with the surging crowd onto the gallery. Trigger fingers of 16 Rangers, stationed strategically around the house, came into position.

"All right, men," Hall called to these troopers without shifting his gaze from the scene before him. "They're moving out women and children, then the fun begins. You with the shotguns sweep the porch; the rest shoot to kill, when I give the word."

But Deputy Meador, corrupt public official with a private grudge and now half drunk on bridal liquor, had lost his nerve. And the others were looking on his leadership. So Hall disarmed him, using both hands. As some of his men came inside to help, the remaining feudists were soon stripped and the Rangers were walking arsenals.

And thus did Lee (Red) Hall and his Rangers usher law and order into DeWitt County in Dec. 1876. And not a shot was fired. By 1879 his company had captured 420 offenders in Southwest Texas, most of whom were murderers, and had done so with practically no violence.

The Frontier Battalion of Texas Rangers, reorganized in 1874, served along the Texas border west of the Colorado. Lee Hall, gentleman from North Carolina and peace officer of Denison and Sherman, inherited a company whose exploits had already made frontier history. He was soon a captain and remained a Ranger throughout his life. At his death in 1911 the San Antonio Express said, "He has made more bad men lay down their guns and delivered more desperadoes into the custody of the courts, using his own gun less, than any other officer in Texas."

A man is born a Ranger and a Ranger never dies.



A LOOK AT THE BOOK

By DR. BOB JONES, JR.

PRESIDENT OF BOB JONES UNIVERSITY Greenville, South Carolina

"What shall this man do?" (John 21:21). This is the question which Peter asked Jesus about John. Christ had revealed to Peter that when he became an old man, he would be led out and put to death for the sake of the Gospel. Peter, turning around, saw John approaching and asked the question about the Lord's plan for the life of the other and younger disciple. The answer which Christ gave to his question is worth our attention. "If I will that he tarry till I come, what is that to thee?" (John 21:23). Peter's responsibility was not to be concerned about John and his relationship with the Lord but about his own personal obedience. It was Peter's duty to follow Christ and preach the Gospel wherever he might be sent. It was his obligation to live for his Lord day by day until the time came when he should die for him.

Christ on the other hand had a different plan for John. He was to stay in Jerusalem to administer the affairs of the local church there and finally be sent by a Roman order to the Isle of Patmos, where as an old man, he was to receive the vision of the Revelation.

The Master wanted Peter to have the thrill of the experience of a missionary ministry and to preach the Gospel to the Gentiles and to go home by way of a martyr's death. The Master wanted John to catch a vision of the end times that he might set it down for countless generations yet unborn to read. Peter's responsibility was to go out and preach and die. John's responsibility was to tarry at Jerusalem and later to set down the Revelation from his exile at Patmos.

Farm real estate values for the country as a whole increased two percent during the four months ending July 1, 1947.



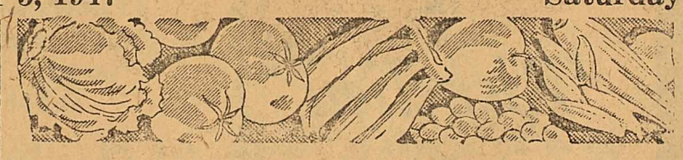
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Robert Kelleys Entertain With Barbecue Supper Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Kelley entertained with a barbecue Saturday night at their ranch. Guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Harry Pearson, L. W. Elliott, F. L. McKinney and Ann, Will Pearson and children, L. C. Harlow, Sr., L. C. Harlow, Jr., Robert Kelley and David Harlow of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Swails, former Sonorans, were in town for a visit Thursday.

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P-TA ADOPTS PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT AS PROJECT

Procurement of school ground equipment was approved as the year's project Wednesday afternoon when the executive committee of the Parent-Teachers Association met at the High School.

The program committee, meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. L. Carpenter, worked up a program for this year's study subjects, speakers and programs for meetings. Those attending the meeting were Mrs. Arthur Carroll, president, Mrs. W. W. Wendt, Mrs. Ben Mittel, Mrs. W. T. Hardy, Mrs. Joseph Vander Stucken and the hostess.

PASTIME CLUB MEETS AT HOME OF MRS. REES

The Pastime Club met at the home of Mrs. Robert Rees Thursday afternoon. The house was decorated with cut flowers. High guest prize was won by Mrs. George Barrow. Mrs. Joe Berger and Mrs. John Bunnel tied for high club prize.

A salad plate was served to Mesdames C. E. Stites, O. G. Babcock, Robert Kelley, Lawrence Nichols, H. V. Morris, R. V. Cook, Rose Thorp, Bunnell, Berger, Barrow, and Miss Emma Hamilton and Mr. Rees.

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Mrs. Simmons Feted With Bridge Party

Mrs. Robert Allen Simmons was honored with a bridge party by Mrs. Auther Simmons, Mrs. Hillman Brown and Mrs. Joe Hull at the Brown home Thursday night. As the guests arrived they were met by the honoree and hostesses. Mrs. Reginald Trainer presided at the bride's book.

Mrs. Louie Trainer won high score prize and Mrs. George Wynn won slam prize. Mrs. Simmons and Mrs. Trainer were both presented with a gift.

A salad plate was served to Mesdames Edwin Sawyer, Cleve Jones, Jr., E. E. Sawyer, Kateie Brasher, C. E. Stites, Adolph Stuermer, John Bunnell, Joe Berger, W. W. Wendt, Seth Lancaster, A. D. Adkins, H. V. Morris, O. G. Babcock, A. P. Prater, E. B. Tipton, Jr., A. W. Awalt, O. C. Ogden, Violet Morrow, Johnny Hamby, Russell Davis, P. J. Taylor, L. E. Johnson, R. C. Vicars, Wynn, E. B. Keng, Harold Friess, J. T. Ratliff, A. E. Prugel, E. D. Shurley, R. D. Trainer, L. M. Roueche, Jr., H. C. Kirby, Dewitt Lancaster, J. F. Howell, Hix Hall, H. J. Greenhill, V. F. Hamilton, George H. Neill, A. E. Wells, W. R. Cusenbary, Bryan Hunt, Bill Fields, Sam Karnes, Clayton Bray, Jack Mackey, John Hull, Sterling Baker, S. H. Stokes, Thomas Thorp, Raymond Morgan, W. F. Berger, L. P. Bloodworth, Trainer, Dorothy Norris, C. E. Brown, Jr. and Reginald Trainer and Misses Alice Karnes, Mary Belle Bein, Nettie Reiley and Mary Lois Hull.

HIGH SCHOOL GROUP ENTERTAINED WITH DANCE

Misses Betty Sue Allen, Patsy Drennan, Rita Renfro and Wanda Lee Merriman were honored with a wiener roast Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Allen. Entertainment consisted of playing games and dancing. Cut flowers were used for decoration and favors were balloons with fortunes inside.

MISS MOORE ENTERTAINS THURSDAY WITH BARBECUE

Miss Martha Jo Moore entertained with a barbecue and dance Thursday night at the W. L. Miers ranch. Guests were Misses Mary Lu Neuerburg, Marguerite Howell, Jerry Morrow, Frances Drennan and Cynthia Milton and B. M. Halbert, III, O. L. Richardson, Glen Richardson, George D. Wallace, Sanford Trainer, R. W. Wallace, J. W. Pepper, Eugene Alley and Sid Awalt and Messrs and Mesdames H. T. Espy and S. L. Sharp.

Billy Bierswale, Ann Bierswale, Ted Holecampf and Bill Stewart of Junction; Jean Sproul and Bill Oglesby of Eldorado; Bennie Lipscomb of Runge; Gene Shurley and Jo Collyns of San Angelo and Gordon Stewart.

MR. AND MRS. TRAINER FETED WITH BARBECUE SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thorp, Miss Mary Belle Bein and Clyle Clemens honored Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Trainer with a barbecue chicken supper at the Simmons park Friday night. The music for dancing was furnished by a string band.

Guests were Messrs. and Mesdames Raymond Morgan, James Wilson, James D. Trainer, L. M. Roueche, Jr., Virgil Savage, S. H. Stokes, S. L. Sharp and Robert Allen Simmons and Dock Simmons, Wayland Stubblefield, Nelson Stubblefield, George Creagh, Craig Miller, Sanford Trainer and Harold Briscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Byrd have had as their guests for a week Mrs. Byrd's mother, Mrs. P. N. Winstead and sister, Nancy, of Amarillo.

Those attending were Nancy Eaton, Lois Lu Lomax, Kay Chalk, Johnny Lois Johnson, Joe David Ross, Oscar Lee Carpenter, Joe Richard Morrison, Herbert McKee, Jodie Minnick, Wilburn Griffin, Charles Griffin, and Joe Renfro. Also Mesdames Bailey Renfro, Dick Morrison and daughter, Janet, and Gomer Minnick.

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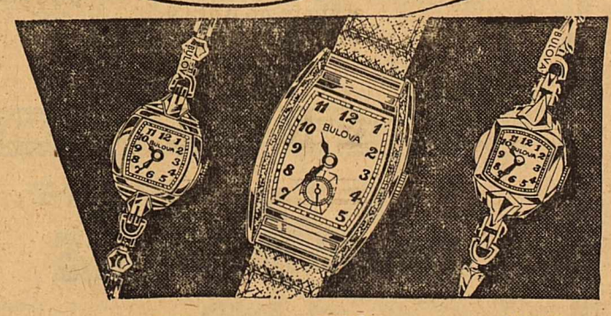
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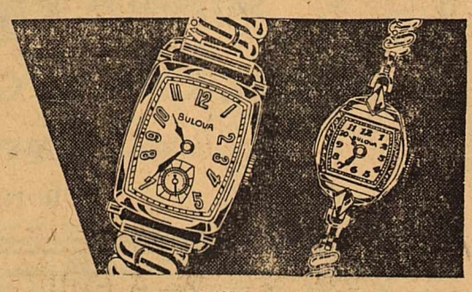
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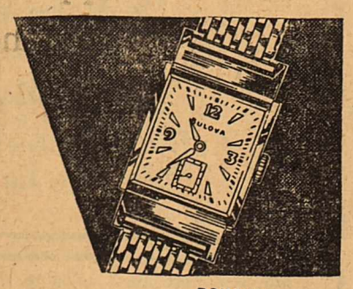
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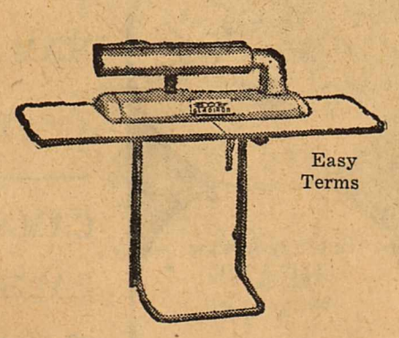
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MRS. WINSTEAD HONORED WITH BRIDGE PARTY

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Cake and ice cream were served to Mesdames C. W. McBride, C. T. Jones, Jr., Sam Karnes, Bill Fields, S. H. Stokes, C. E. Brown, Jr., L. P. Bloodworth, Jr., Ray Shaver, Halbert, Trainer and McMillan.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. McDonald and daughter, Norma, of Del Rio visited Mrs. Josie McDonald last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Mobley of Midland and Gilbert Teagarden visited in the Lewis Roueche home over the weekend.

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Personals

Mrs. Helen Arnold and Miss Zula Dufner returned Monday from Fort Worth, where they had been over the weekend.

Mrs. A. H. Adkins underwent a tonsilectomy in San Angelo Saturday.

Freddie Adkins and Oscar Drennan were in San Angelo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McBride of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Halbert over the weekend. Mickey and Pat McBride, who have been here for three weeks, returned to Dallas with their parents.

Mrs. Roger Clendennen and daughter, Debbie, have returned from a five weeks' visit with relatives in Los Angeles.

William Lewis Clendennen returned last week from a trip to San Francisco.

Schools, colleges and other public institutions will have another opportunity to acquire surplus machine tools without cost as the result of WAA's latest donation program. Lathes, reamers, magnaflux inspection units and other special purpose machines suitable for shop training and vocational education totaling 83 items have been set aside as gift items for eligible institutions who apply. A complete listing and application instructions will be furnished on request fro mthe Priority Claimants Division, Grand Prairie Office. The program opens August 29 and closes on September 20.

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Six crawler type tractors, all used and some in need of repair, are being ofered at fixed prices to veterans of World War II and federal agencies through the Grand Prairie office of War Assets Administration until September 15. Five of the machines are at Amarillo Army Air Field and the other is at Red Rixer Arsenal near Texarkana. In addition, a self propelled road roller at Red River Arsenal and a crawler type ditcher at Amarillo are included in the offering.

The wise poultryman raises at least 10 percent more pullets than he intends to house so that he can cull out the poor birds.

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Veterans' News

Q. I would like to appear before the Rating Board in my own behalf. May I do this?

A. Yes, but a definite appointment should be made and you should be there at the time for which the hearing is designated.

Q. May a veteran receive compensation from Veterans Administration and State benefits for old age?

A. Yes. There is no restriction as far as VA is concerned.

Veterans whose training or education is interrupted in the middle of a month may not expect subsistence payments until the end of the month following that interruption, the Veterans Administration has reported in answer to numerous inquiries.

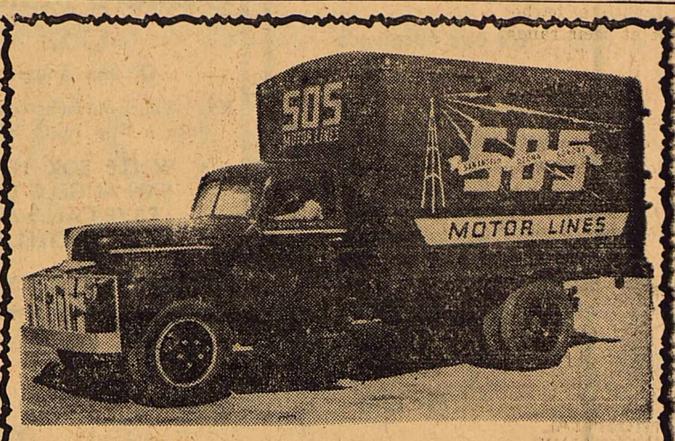
VA said that most veterans' accounts are on a current basis but that veterans whose training is halted in the middle of a month usually receive subsistence payments about four or five weeks from the date of the official termination of that training. All records of a veteran's interrupted training must be received before an account may be certified for payment.

Veterans are asked to notify VA immediately if their training or schooling is interrupted or if there is any other change in training status.

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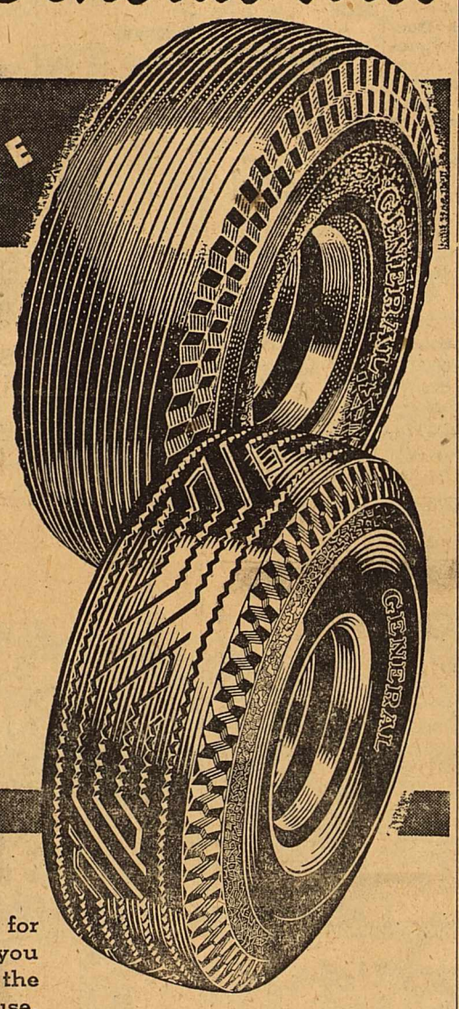
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Leaving For Oregon

Lea Roy Aldwell left Thursday for Oregon, where Mrs. Aldwell and son, Edward, have been visiting. They will return here next week.

Holvey Enochs underwent an operation in San Angelo Sunday and is reported recovering. He is expected home next week.

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Celebrity Parade

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GEORGE BURNS and Gracie Allen return to NBC Thursday night, Sept. 4, but with Gracie altering her traditional "dumb-but-sharp" role. This season, Gracie will be just plain dumb, a change of characterization which will offer wider opportunity for Gracie to get in trouble each week.. For instance, George might ask Gracie: "What's your brother's picture doing filed under 'C'?" To which she'd reply: "Well, George, Willie's in the Navy in the submarine fleet, so I had to file him under C." See?



Gracie Allen

Tetley In Movies

Walter Tetley, heard as the comical nephew "Leroy" on NBC's "The Great Gildersleeve,," is being screen-tested for a role in an M-G-M picture which starts shooting soon. Tetley is to play a character similar to that of his radio role.

Hawk Returns

Quipstar Bob Hawk has returned to his Monday night CBS comedy quiz after a short Colorado vacation during which Col. Stoopnagle pinch-hit. Hawk, the quip-and-query man, subtracted a few days from mountain climbing and trout fishing to hurry to New York and enter the twenty-first annual summer edition of the World and National Contract Bridge Championship which is sponsored by the American Contract Bridge League.



Bob Hawk

Mexican Visit

Among the outstanding musicians that Latin America is borrowing these days from the United States is Alfred Wallenstein, conductor of the Los Angeles Philharmonic Orchestra. He has been invited to conduct the Mexico Symphony Orchestra at the Palace of Fine Arts in Mexico City on Sept. 12 and 14.

Between Broadcasts

Henry Morgan, the sinister "voice" on NBC's Thursday night "Mystery in the Air," starring Peter Lorre, boards a chartered plane directly after each Thursday broadcast and flies to La Jolla, where he arrives just in time to enact roles in La-Jolla summer theater productions.

The New "Cookie"

Norma Jean Nilsson, outstanding nine-year-old Hollywood actress, is the new "Cookie Bumstead" on the "Blondie" program Sundays over CBS. Norma started her career when she was three and a half, singing and dancing at women's-club and charity affairs and broke into radio at the age of five via Arch Obler's "Free World Theater," becoming the youngest child to hold membership in the American Federation of Radio Artists.



Norma Jean Nilsson

"Isolde" Debut

Soprano Mary Bothwell, now concertizing in Europe, recently made her debut in "Tristan and Isolde" quite unexpectedly. Sir Adrian Boult, the conducter, heard her concert in Holland and immediately engaged her for the "Isolde" role at London's Albert Hall.

Valiant Policeman

Patrolman Paul Boulais of the Hackensack, N. J., Police Force, is typical of the law enforcers who receive the Award of Valor each week for outstanding feats beyond the call of duty, on the Tuesday NBC drama series, "Call the Police!" Boulais received the honor for the single-handed capture of an armed hit-and-run driver attempting to flee on foot from the scene of a crash in which two persons were injured.



Paul Boulais

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dixon were in San Antonio last weekend attending the bowling meet.

Buyers of farms have paid cash in more than half the farm purchases made in each of the last three years.

In 1946, the commercial production of mushrooms in this country reached 63 million pounds, over twice as much as in 1938.

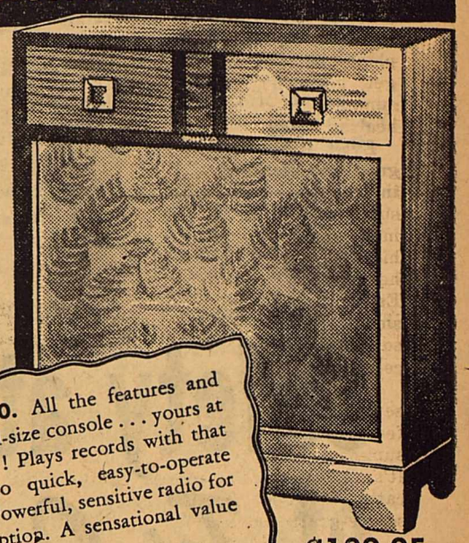
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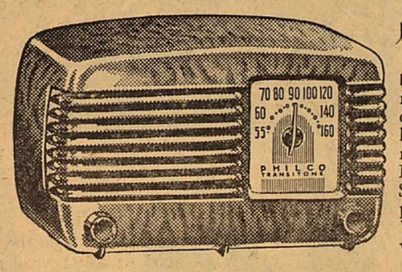




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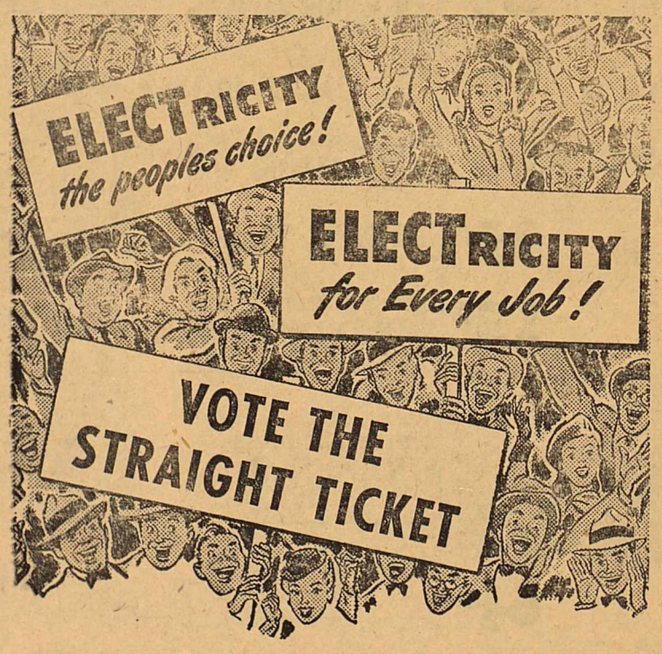
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Veterans' News

Q. How much time do I have in which to complete my education under the GI Bill?

A. Your education must be completed 9 years after July 25, 1947.

Q. I have a service-connected disability, and would like to know how long I will be eligible for admittance to a hospital.

A. Hospitalization, medical treatment, domiciliary care, and out-patient treatment are avilable to you during your entire lifetime.

Q. To what benefits is a man with a yellow or blue discharge entitled.

A. A yellow discharge from the Army is dishonorable and the veteran is not entitled to VA benefits. A yellow discharge from Navy service may be dishonorable or other than dishonorable. If dishonorable, the veteran is not eligible for benefits. If other than dishonorable, the veteran is entitled to file a claim and Veterans Administration will determine whether the claimant is entitled to benefits. The same procedure applies to blue discharges from the Army.

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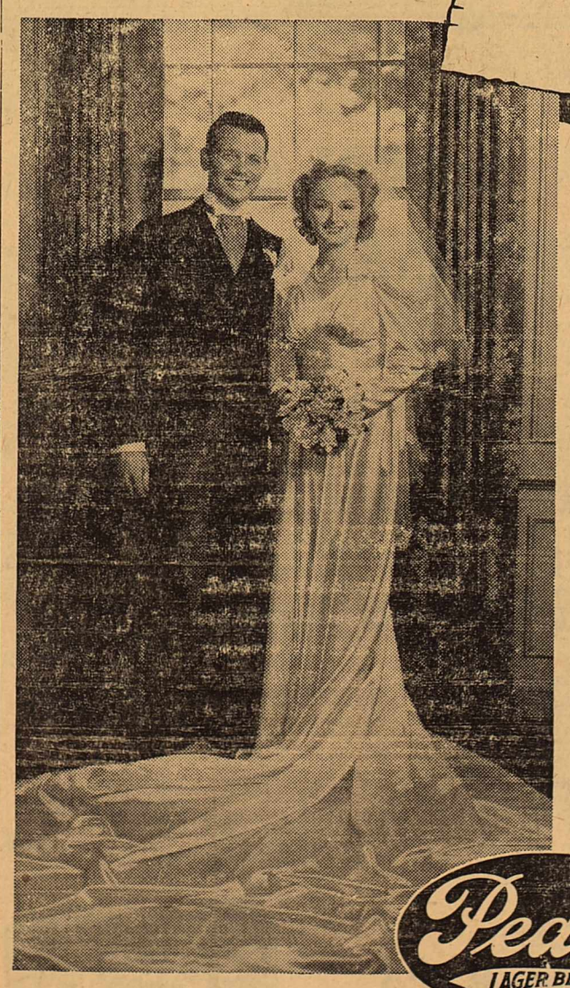
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Ranchmen of Culberson County believe a West Texas cattleman should put in some time keeping cattle in good shape in the summer as well as in the winter.

Guy Garren, who operates a ranch about 20 miles southeast of Van Horn, has been feeding cotton seed cake since the middle of July. He told County Agent Samuel T. Hastings, "Those cows have got to be in good shape and have plenty of milk if you're going to get good, vigorous calves. That summer cake helps them stay healthy.

Even when the grass is fairly good, says Garren, he makes money in the long run by doing a little supplemental feeding in the summer, since experience has shown him that supplement keeps a healthy cow and calf on his range. Especially now, when the grass is short, their weights won't fall off so badly when they're getting cottonseed cake.

County Agent Hastings says several ranchers have also tried feeding alfalfa hay during the summer months, in place of cake. It's keeping Culberson County cattle in good shape during the scarce-grass period.

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From all over Texas, Lone Star citizens are already responding to the campaign to raise $225,000 to bring the gallant old battleship TEXAS to a permanent berth near the San Jacinto battleground.

Contributions to the Battleship Texas Fund should be sent to Allan H. King, Treasurer, First National Bank, Houston.

Men who formerly served on the ship, which has been offered to the state by the U. S. Navy as a fitting memorial to those Texans who fought and died on the sea in World War II, have come forward to offer their services to the Battleship Texas Commission. The Commission, formed by authorization of the 50th Legislature, will begin September 15 the task of raising $175,000 for berthing the TEXAS near San Jacinto battleground and an additional $50,000 for one year's maintenance. It is believed that after the first year maintenance costs can be raised by sightseeing admission charges.

Just as in 1830, when the American public, aroused by Oliver Wendell Holmes' poem "Old Ironsides", saved the U.S.S. Constitution from the scrapheap, Texans have come forward to save the old TEXAS for posterity.

"Come on, TEXAS" became the rallying cry for the old battleship and her crew during World Wars I and II, and "Come on, Texas" is the motto as Texans respond to the campaign to save the ship the entire state is proud of. It was the crew of the battleship NEW YORK which first gave the cheer "Come on, Texas", when her sister ship lay hard aground off Block Island, in 1917. Just when it seemed that the TEXAS might be permanently grounded, with tugs and her own engines straining to no avail, the crew of the NEW YORK alongside started the cry "Come on, Texas." A moment later the old ship, then the recently commissioned pride of the fleet, quivered and came free to go on to a brilliant combat record with the U. S. Fleet.

SWING OF SOUTHWEST MARKETS

Most southwest farm products gained strength late last week and closed steady to some higher, according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

All cattle classes advanced 50 cents to $1.00 per hundred pounds at most southwest markets last week. Choice steers at Denver reached $32.50, a new all-time high, and the bulk of good fed kinds brought $27 to $30. Wichita paid $26 to $30 for good and choice club yearlings. Good fed steers and yearlings sold at $26.50 to $27 at Oklahoma City, and $23 to $24.50 at Fort Worth. Common and medium grades turned at $17.50 to $22.50 at San Antonio, and $15 to $21 at Houston.

Most sheep sold firm to 50 cents higher, but aged clases weakened slightly at some terminals. San Antonio paid $18 to $20 for medium to just good spring lambs, while Fort Worth gave $19.50 to $22.50 for medium to good kinds. Good and choice grades sold at $22.25 to $22.75 at Wichita, and $24 at Denver.

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Have been getting so many invitations to speak and it costs to jump around the state and my work suffers back in the office, so your columnist has had to begin to make a moderate charge (depending on distance) for speeches. We appreciate what we have to pay something for, as a general rule. Speeches made recently or soon to be made include: National Peanut Council; National Editorial Association; "ladies' night" of numerous civic clubs; annual dinners of the Chamber of Commerce in Lampasas, Tulia, Nocona and Schulenburg. Then the high school Commencement addresses range from Pecos to San Augustine with Bastrop, Midland, Santa Anna and Roscoe between.

Seen "The Jolson Story" yet? It's a mighty fine picture. Jolson wanted to get close to his audience, he wanted to see their faces, and he lived to sing.

Jolson sang because he wanted to--because he had to, because of some insistent demand within him, just as a bird sings or a flower blooms--because that is what the bird or the flower was created for.

A visitor in Hannibal, Mo., met an old-timer and asked him, "Did you know Mark Twain?" The native replied, "Yes, I did; and I know just as many stories as he did; the only difference is he writ 'em down."

Fritz Kreisler was going to give a concert and the newspapers wrote up the $50,000 Stradivarius he owned. On the night of the concert, he came out and gave a number superbly. He bowed again and again at the applause; then held up the violin and the audience applauded the instrument; then he snapped the violin into a dozen pieces. It was not the costly "Stra" but just a violin he had picked up for $5. It's not the instrument but the artist--brains, fingers and soul expressing itself through the instrument--that is most important.

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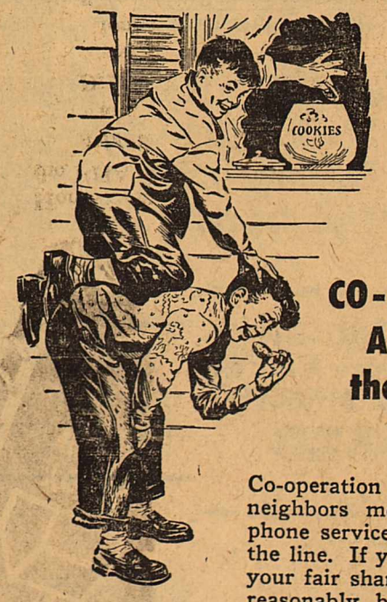
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