

## 35 Years Ago

Bob Glasscock was in from his ranch Wednesday trading.

Jim Alford was in town Tuesday from the Bryson ranch trading.

W. T. O. Holman was in from his ranch Tuesday for supplies.

Sam Hunter left on Monday for Cuero on a visit.

Born on Tuesday, May 4th, 1905 to Mr. and Mrs. Dock Joy, a boy.

Miss Fannie Adams is visiting her uncle, A. P. Belcher, on the ranch.

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Born on Friday, April 28, 1905, to Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Newell, a girl.

Joe Trainer of the goat firm of Green & Trainer, was in Sonora Wednesday trading.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Tillman were in from their ranch Wednesday the guests of the Commercial.

J. L. Noguess, who ranches in the Mayer neighborhood, was in Sonora Monday trading.

Bud Dail and Ed Pfeister were in from their ranches on the Llano Tuesday trading.

Mrs. Ed Pfeister was in from the Sawyer ranch Tuesday visiting her sister, Mrs. W. F. Decker.

Capt. Coffman, having sold out his sheep interest in the Sonora country, left for Sherwood this week on a visit to friends.

When you go to San Angelo call on Eddie Maier at the Favorite Saloon. He will treat you O. K.

Less Carmichael arrived home Thursday from a business and pleasure trip to Del Rio, San Antonio and San Angelo.

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Mr. Kenneth Logan, of Knowhere in particular, was in town today, with a load of freight.

Prof. J. V. Morris, assisted by Madame Gardner, will give a moral amusing and instructive entertainment at the Jackson Hall, Monday night.

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Q. But if I do not have enough money to buy a Defense Bond, what can I do?

A. Buy Defense Postal Stamps, on sale almost everywhere. Your post office, bank, department store or druggist has them, or can get them for you, at 10 cents upward. Save enough stamps to exchange for a Defense Bond.

## Board Receives Resignations Of Two Instructors

Two resignations from the Sonora school faculty were announced Wednesday by Noble Prentice, superintendent.

M. D. Lattimore, principal of the L. W. Elliott Elementary School last year, has accepted a position at Educational Director of the Polytechnic Baptist Church in Fort Worth. He and Mrs. Lattimore will return next month to Sonora for a short visit with friends.

R. A. King, dramatics teacher in the High School last year has enlisted in the Army Signal Corps at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey. Word from him listed his address as Company C, 4th Battalion.

The School Board will meet tonight to consider filling these vacancies, and to plan the school calendar for the coming year.

Blanch Lavon Taylor and Betty Sue Allen are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Palmer West in Eldorado this week.

## B. W. Hutcherson Has Served Twelve Terms

Eight sheriffs have worn the badge of law enforcement during the 51-year history of Sutton County, their terms of office from two to twenty-four years.

First sheriff in the county was J. P. McConnell, elected in 1890. J. L. Davis came next, being elected in 1892 with a salary of \$300 a year, and served until 1898 when E. S. Briant was elected to office. The salary was raised to \$400 a year.

Briant is on record as the only sheriff in the history of the county who was wounded, and the only one who killed a man. While in office, a gun duel with Bill Carver resulted in his being wounded and Carver's being killed. Davis was sheriff fourteen years.

John Allison, Tom Almon, Bob Martin and Bill McCombs each served one term following Briant, and then B. W. Hutcherson was elected in 1915. With the exception of one term in which he was not a candidate for office, Hutcherson has been sheriff since that year. He has served a total of twenty-four years and is now in his thirteenth term.

Mrs. H. C. Atchison's mother, Mrs. A. Brunneman of Harlingen, arrived Sunday from San Antonio. Mrs. Brunneman plans to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Atchison for the rest of the summer.

Guests in the J. F. Howell home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Sam B. Hammond and children, Robert, Jack and Alice Louise of Itta Bena, Miss Mrs. Howell and Mrs. Hammond are sisters. The Hammonds left Friday and will return to their home via Houston, Corpus Christi, and other coastal cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Locklin and Connie Mack, and Mrs. Rose Thorp left the first of the week for the Yellowstone National Park and other places of interest. They plan to be gone two weeks.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Friday, August 1  
William Bryan Johnson

Saturday, August 2  
Snook Reiley  
Priscilla Pfeister

Sunday, August 3  
Jerry Neil Shurley

Monday, August 4  
Lois Lou Lomax  
Elmer Wilson

Tuesday, August 5  
Mary Lou Neuerburg

Wednesday, August 6  
Lois Morris  
Joe David Ross

Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Jones, Jr., and Wesley Sawyer left last week-end for Seboise, Me., where they will spend several weeks in their summer home.

## Want to Help "Keep 'em Flying"?



Throughout the country young men are responding to Uncle Sam's call for U. S. Army Aviation Cadets. Above, at the New York Army Building, a pair of prospective Aviation Cadets are interviewed by officers to determine their qualifications for the flying school. One of them is obviously attracted by the national slogan, "Let's Go, U. S. A. Keep 'em Flying."

## Construction Of Municipal Power Plant Progresses

The foundation for the Municipal Power Plant has been completed, and the workers on the project are now removing the concrete forms, Alvin Morris, supervisor of the work announced Monday.

Mr. Morris stated that he expected to have the foundations for the three diesel engine-generator units poured by the latter part of this week. These foundations will be concrete slabs of about four cubic yards each.

Bill Wilson of the Universal Electrical Construction Co. of Alabama reported Monday that about eighty per cent of the power poles for the distribution system had been set and framed, that further progress on the distribution system awaited delivery of materials made difficult to obtain by the national defense program.

Mr. Wilson stated that the company expects to receive the three diesel engine-generator units August 31.

### SHELTON EUGENE MANGUM

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mangum of Kerrville and has been named Shelton Eugene. The baby weighed 7 pounds and is a great grandson of Mr. and Mrs. D. Q. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Batts Friend were in San Antonio Monday.

## Trainer Returns, Describes Stirring Flag Presentation

J. H. Trainer, president of the Sonora Lions Club, and Mrs. Trainer returned Monday night from the twenty-fifth Annual Convention of International Lions Clubs held in New Orleans July 22 through July 25. C. C. McLaughlin, president of the Eldorado club, and Mrs. McLaughlin accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Trainer on the trip.

Eighteen thousand Lions representing six foreign countries and every state of the Union registered for the convention.

The most impressive part of the program, Mr. Trainer stated, was the presentation of the flags of the nations represented at the convention. Each flag had an honor guard of an American soldier and a sailor, was led by a girl of the nation the flag represented. Impressive, too, said Mr. Trainer, was the enthusiastic response with which the Chinese flag was received, an enthusiasm provoked by American sympathy for China in her war with Japan. Mr. and Mrs. Trainer returned from the convention by way of Fort Worth, stopped there for two days to visit with Mrs. Trainer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray.

Preston Prater was dismissed from a San Angelo hospital Tuesday. Mr. Prater underwent a tonsillectomy and appendectomy last week.

## Aluminum Drive Nets 350 Pounds

The "Aluminum for Defense" drive in Sonora had netted a gross of about 350 pounds gross of aluminum Monday. The greater part of this was obtained by the house-to-house drive conducted Saturday.

The aluminum will be shipped to San Angelo where the aluminum from seventeen counties will be collected.

The canvassing Saturday was done by the local troop of the Boy Scouts, Dr. Boughton, Ben Cusenbary, and the San Angelo Telephone Co. loaned pick-ups for the canvassers to dump their aluminum in.

The "Aluminum for Defense" drive was sponsored by the Committee for Civilian Defense, and all proceeds from the drive will be available to that organization.

Judge Johnson, head of the drive in Sutton County, stated that recognition was due Dr. I. B. Boughton, Mrs. Earl Duncan, Mrs. Glen Reaves, Ben Cusenbary, Joe Berger and Theodore Virgin for helping in the drive. He said that the entire community was to be commended for helping with the drive.

### ATTEND ENCAMPMENT

Jewel McGhee, Billie Coburn, Dorothy Stapp and Pauline Allen, members of the Junior Girls Auxiliary and their leader, Mrs. Lee Hart, attended the Girls Auxiliary Camp at Mrs. Boehme's ranch near Carlsbad, Texas, last week. They started at 10:00 o'clock Tuesday morning and closed at 2:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

## County's Fodder Yield Increased Sharply Since '37

According to H. C. Atchison, county agent, almost 1,500 acres of range in Sutton county have planted in feed crops in the last three years. Before 1937, practically no fodder was grown in Sutton County; this year over two and a half sections of land are devoted to the raising of feeder crops.

This increase of forage production has been due largely, Mr. Atchison stated to the fact that Sutton County ranchers are beginning to use silos. Before the ranchers in this county began the use of silos, they lost much of fodder they cut before they used it.

In 1937 there were only two silos in the county; one on the S. S. Bundy ranch and one at the Ranch Experiment Station. This year there are over thirty.

This year should set an all time record for forage crops in the county. Many ranchers have planted feed this year for the first time, and the excellent rains have helped produce good crops.

The most popular crops, Mr. Atchison stated, are cane and hegari. The hegari bears some grain; the cane produces a greater yield per acre, and both are rich in food value.

H. V. Stokes was in San Angelo Monday.

## OF INTEREST TO TAXPAYERS: COMMISSIONERS PREPARE PETITION

The county's ad valorem property tax in Sutton County may be raised radically—thirty cents per \$100.00. But not if the taxpayers will make an effort to do something about it.

And what to do about it? Read the petition asking the governor to call a special session of the legislature to allot funds to defray the bonded indebtedness incurred by Sutton and other counties in the building of county roads that have since been accepted as state highways. Each of the county commissioners has a copy of the petition, and one has been left at the First National Bank.

This year, for the first time since 1932, the Texas Legislature adjourned without allotting funds to reimburse the counties for their expense in constructing county roads that have since been accepted as state highways. If a session of the legislature is not called to make that allotment, it will cost the taxpayers of this county \$14,522.

In the years 1919 to 1924, before the establishment of the State Highway Department, Sutton County voted \$300,000 in bonds to pay for the construction of the San Angelo, the Del Rio, and the San Antonio highways. When the State Highway Department was established, it accepted these three county roads as state highways.

In 1932 the state legislature agreed to reimburse the counties for the highways they (the counties) had built and turned over to the State Highway Department. This reimbursement was to cover only the expenditures for construction; the counties were expected to pay for the rights of way and all incidental expenses. It was calculated that Sutton County had spent almost 80 per cent of the \$300,000 on construction. Therefore, the state agreed to pay the approximately \$240,000. One cent of the four cents per gallon excise tax on gasoline has been set aside to repay counties for their road construction expenditures.

Sutton County officials plan to have enough money in the sinking fund created to pay the bonds before the date of their maturity. The bonds will mature thirty years after the date of their issuance; that is, between 1949 and 1954.

When the 1940 session of the Texas legislature adjourned, the state had allotted the county enough money to pay the state's share, eighty per cent, of the bonded indebtedness. But the 1941 session has adjourned recently without making any allotment to the counties.

This simply means that if the legislature is not called to session to make the allotment, Sutton County will have to pay an additional \$14,500 in taxes this year.

Members of the county commissioners court have prepared a petition to the governor asking him to recall the legislators, recommend the allotment of funds. Citizens and taxpayers of Sutton County are asked to sign this petition. Petition forms are to be found at the First National Bank, and each of the county commissioners has one.

Judge Alvis Johnson has requested that all who wish to do so sign the petition immediately as it is to be forwarded to the governor Saturday.

## Lions Sign Road Bond Petition At Tuesday Meeting

At the regular weekly meeting of the Lions Club Tuesday noon, the offeratory was given by Rev. R. M. Deskins of Tucson, the guest of J. D. Lowrey.

The Sutton County Ramblers, a string band, entertained the club with a short concert. Members of the band are Vernon Morris, John A. Martin, Jr., and Travis Glasscock.

Travis Glasscock, a new member of the club was recognized and presented with a membership pin by Loin W. E. Caldwell.

A petition was signed by the Lions asking the governor of the state to call a session of the Texas legislature to discuss the bill whereby the state assumes the responsibility for paying bonds issued by the counties to finance the construction of roads that have since been accepted by the State Highway Department as state highways.

President J. H. (Jodie) Trainer read a letter addressed to him by Felton Jones, past president of the club, in which Lion Felton thanked the members for their cooperation during his term of office. Lion Trainer also announced that the local post of the American Legion had donated twenty-five dollars to the club.

Clayton White returned this week from San Antonio where he has been attending a furniture school. Clayton is employed by the Wood Furniture Store.

### BARKER'S TWO-YEAR OLD WINS MATCH AT MASON

Bobo, Granville Barker's two-year old racing horse, beat Jimmy Grey, owned by Tuffy Tayloh of Junction, in a quarter mile matched race at Mason Friday.

Barker has had the two-year old about a year. During that time, he has entered Bobo in eight races. In the eight matched and purse races, Bobo has won six times.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam B. Hammond and children, who are visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Howell, spent last week in Villa Acuna. Miss Marguerite Howell accompanied them.

## Sol Kelley Pays Top Price At Sale

Paying \$600 for a yearling Corriedale ram, bred by Malcolm Moncrieffe of Big Horn, Wyo., Sol Kelley set what authorities said was a new high price for Corriedales in the United States Wednesday at the Third Annual San Angelo Sheep Show and Sale.

In Tuesday's Corriedale sale, Mr. Kelley purchased 85 head of yearlings for a total of \$6,397.50. For 40 yearling ewes he paid an average of \$81.11 per head. For 45 rams, he paid an average of \$70.05.

G. H. Davis bought 8 Corriedale rams, bred by C. F. Lampman and Son. For the 8 head of rams, Mr. Davis paid an average of \$42.75.

Wallace Dameron judged the Rambouillet class at the sale and H. T. Espy won second place in the Delaine yearling ram division.

A. H. Floyd and H. M. McElroy of Eden were in Sonora Saturday acting as representative of the fifth annual West Texas Ram Sale and Sheep Show that is to be held at Eden Monday, August 4, through Wednesday.

Cleve Jones, Jr. finished filling a 175 ton silo Wednesday.

At the San Angelo Livestock Auction Monday, fat yearling calves sold for as much as \$10.50 per hundred pounds. Veal calves and stocker steer calves brought as much as \$12.00 per hundred-weight.

Miers Savell is training his horse Straight Up, at Mason. Jess Barker is the trainer.

### Vicars Return

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vicars returned Wednesday from Virginia where they attended a family reunion at the home of Mr. Vicars' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Vicars. They stopped over at Galveston on the return trip to fish on the Gulf.

Mr. Vicars reports that he caught a twenty-five pound ling, and twenty-two kingfish.

Jean Saunders spent Sunday in the Dante Reiley ranch.

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By BOYCE HOUSE

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Furthermore, Texans are fortunate in that they do not have to spend long days of travel to reach Mexico but can climb on a train or a bus or get aboard the family automobile and, in a few hours, be south of the Rio Grande.

Your columnist is just back from such a trip. (It was the second visit to the Southern Republic, the other being two years ago by rail). The adventure begins when you cross the International Bridge at Nuevo Laredo after having fill-

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WARREN WILLIAM

ed out a travelers' card for each member of the party above 15 and having arranged (for a nominal amount) a bond that you will bring your car back. Inspection of baggage is quickly and politely done and you soon find yourself rolling through a wild, but interesting, landscape on the world's longest straightaway—45 miles. Every so often you cross a bridge over some creek—each has a name, as Arroyo of Death or Arroyo of Hot Eye, a name that no doubt stands for a story.

You swing across the slants of Mamalique Pass, a fine piece of engineering, and arrive in Monterey, 145 miles south of the border, a city of industry and modernity, at the foot of famous Pack-saddle Mountain. We drove around much of the city, admiring the beautiful homes, fronts flush with the sidewalk—fronts that are dyed rich green or deep purple or intense scarlet; the shops full of silver, tapestry and basketry, and the cathedral with its bells.

After a night at the Hotel Ancirra, the journey is resumed. Mile after mile of changing scenes un-reel; with luncheon at the white, new Cerro Gordo Hotel in Vicotria. As you glide along, you see a mother walking through the bright sunlight, her shawl extended to shield two small children as well as herself; a procession of pilgrims, all in white, headed by men transporting two church bells suspended from poles; babies carried on the backs of mothers; a man (stow-away, perhaps) hanging from the back end of a bus; men, each carrying a machete, the knife that is almost long enough for a sword and is used to chop one's way through the jungle; and cornfields high up on the mountain side and to the very tops, at unbelievable angles.

Women, with carriage as erect as a Casa Manana showgirl, are carrying pots on their heads, hands at their side, and they turn their heads to look at the passing car. Men are bearing heavy loads of wood or even a small log on their backs, the burden being held in place by a leather strap that passes around the forehead. Even little children have miniature loads. An old man with some fruit trudge by on his way to market. There are little towns every few miles on the mountain slope and you think of life being lived with such a hamlet as the center and with many perhaps never venturing more than 25 miles away.

And so late in the afternoon into Valles to spend the night.

As exciting as a moving picture was the recent achievement of Madie Greenock, Texas-bred filly owned by Col. R. B. George of Dallas, president of the Thorough-

## Infantile Deaths In Summer Months Should Be Decreased

Austin, July 29, 1941.—"The lives of thousands of Texas babies are being saved this summer by intelligent parental care during hot weather. However, many more infant deaths could be avoided if parents would have a keen realization of the value of simple common sense precautions," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

Records of the State Health Department's Bureau of Vital Statistics show that 2,506 babies died of diarrhea and dysentery during 1940, many of them occurring during hot weather. The infant death rate for diarrhea and dysentery in Texas is too high, as can be seen from the above mortality figures. Public health officials cannot solve the problem alone; parental cooperation is the real key to its solution.

The following suggestions, if followed by parents of infants, would go far in further reducing deaths from diarrhea and dysentery:

1. Whenever possible, infants should be breast-fed for the first 6 or 8 months. When bottle milk is used it should be boiled or pasteurized.
2. Drinking water for the baby should always be boiled.
3. Personal cleanliness should be the rule for every member of the household. Those handling milk or food should be particularly careful.
4. Any member of the family or visitors showing symptoms of disease, no matter how slight, should be kept away from the baby. They should not be allowed to handle any of the food intended for him.
5. The house should be screened

bred Horse Association of Texas. Madie Greenock was the longest shot in the Starlet Stakes at Hollywood Park, but finished in a dead heat with another two-year-old, and they shared the purse each receiving \$6,000. There were 14 in the race and because the "stars" had all the more noted jockeys, Trainer Johnny Zoeller had to use the filly's regular exercise boy, Pete Martinez. Colonel George's filly paid \$46.60 on a \$2 ticket. She is the daughter of George's famous Greenock and That's Mine, by Phalaros.

to protect not only the baby, but all household food, from flies.

Every home should be provided with a sanitary or fly-proof toilet or sewage disposal facilities.

7. Every home should have a safe water supply.

While most of the above suggestions are applicable at all seasons of the year, the following precautions are important in hot weather:

1. The baby should be kept as cool as possible;
2. He should be kept clean;
3. Clothing should be reduced to the simplest essentials;
4. He should be protected against insects;
5. He should not be over-handled;
6. He should be kept in the open as much as possible;
7. Water should be increased internally and externally;
8. He should not be overfed; and finally, if there are signs of illness, the family physician should be consulted promptly.

Jean Rudicil of San Angelo is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Reile on their ranch.

G. H. Davis is driving a new Plymouth, purchased from the Elliott-Taylor Motor Co.

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# SOCIETY NOTES

Parties...Clubs  
Future Events

Mrs. Raymond Morgan, Society Editor

## Six Are Hosts At Steak Fry Sunday

A steak fry was given Sunday evening at the Simmons Park on the Ozona Highway by Nonie Hutcherson, Marion Elliott, Elizabeth Elliott, Guggie Marion, A. W. Awalt and Robert Allen Sommins.

Those invited were Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Moffit, Reggie Trainer, Doris Keene, Katha Lea Keene, T. A. Williams of San Antonio, Jo Nell Miers, Lem Eriel Johnson, S. H. Stokes, L. M. Rouche and Beth Reeves.

## Mrs. R. A. Halbert, Ada Steen Win High At Club Party

High club score was won by Mrs. Robert Halbert and Miss Ada Steen won high guest Monday afternoon when Mrs. Rip Ward entertained the Just Us Club at her ranch home.

Mrs. Earle Duncan, Mrs. Hix Hall, Mrs. J. F. Howell and Mrs. Paul Turney were presented the slam and deuce awards.

Cake and ice cream were served by the hostesses to Mesdames Duncan, Hall, Halbert, Howell, Turney, C. A. Tyler, J. A. Cauthorn, and Miss Steen.

## George E. Smiths Hosts At Swim Party Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Smith were hosts to a group of friends Saturday evening, when they entertained with a swimming party at the Sonora Swimming Pool.

Those attending the affair were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Cy Ogden, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Allen and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cashes Taylor and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rouche, Mrs. Palmer West and daughter of Eldorado, Miss Tina Ann Taylor, Miss Beth Reeves, Mrs. Wilson, Oscar Wright, L. M. Rouche, Miss Imogene Nixon and Miss Joy Winters of San Angelo.

Alvin Morris returned Monday morning from San Angelo where he has had an infected hand treated. He went to San Angelo Friday of last week, was in the hospital there one day.

## Dance And Party Given For Guests At Howell Home

Honoring her cousins, Robert, Jack and Alice Louise Hammond of Itta Zena, Miss, Miss Marguerite Howell entertained with a watermelon feast and dancing party Thursday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Howell.

Mrs. Howell and Mrs. Sam B. Hammond served refreshments to Sammie Jeanne Allison, Mary Jane Evans, Geraldine Morrow, Wanda B. Cook, Hilda Mae Luckie, Nancy Christie, Eugene Shurley, Flora Jean Hildreth, Gene Wallace, O. L. Richardson, Sidney Awalt, Don Nicholas, Wilfred Berger, George S. Schweining, George D. Wallace, R. W. Wallace, Glen Richardson and the hostesses and honorees.

## Baptist Missionary Observe Royal Service Program

A Royal Service program was observed when the Baptist Missionary met at the church Wednesday afternoon for their regular weekly meeting.

Mrs. C. D. Crumley was leader and the women opened the meeting with a song.

At the social hour which followed the program, Mrs. Louis Bennett and Mrs. Joe Lancaster were hostesses. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Alfred Cooper, Mrs. Crumley, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Lee Hart, Mrs. Lancaster, Mrs. P. D. Fullingim and Mrs. Pearl Martin.

## Swimming Party Given Thursday By Miss Trainer

A swimming party was given Thursday evening by Miss Jamie Trainer at the Sonora Swimming Pool. After swimming the guests returned to the home of the hostess where refreshments were served and various games were played.

Attending were Misses Pat Gilmore, Marjory Reba Nisbet, Peggy Gilmore, Addie Thorp, Jean Cory, Edith Mae Babcock, and Margie Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Moffit are visiting Mrs. Moffit's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trainer. They also visited in San Antonio Monday.

## Many Sonorans Celebrate Birthdays Over Week-End

### TWO GIVE PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Seales honored J. R. Hudson and Mrs. Wylie Ezell Sunday at an all day picnic at the Llano River.

A barbecue dinner was served to the guests.

Present were Mrs. D. Q. Adams, Oscar and Eugene Adams, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Bergstaller of San Antonio, Mrs. Sibe McKee, Viola Nell, Betty Jo, Virginia and Mary Al Adams, Mrs. Willie Andrews, Thelma Andrews, Charles Louie Andrews, Vernon Davis, Buckie Bodie, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Ezell, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Duke, Mr. and Mrs. Seales, Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Stephenson and Mary Ellen, Mr. and Mrs. Gilliam Littleton of San Angelo, Curt Allison, Mrs. L. L. Gulley, Jack McNutt, J. R. Hudson, Son Allison, Bill Daniel, Raymond Shroyer and George Pauley.

### MARVIN LEWIS COCKERHAM

Marvin Lewis Cockerham was honored with a birthday party Tuesday afternoon, July 29, in the City Park of Sonora. He was two years old and received many gifts.

Those present were: Mozeall Lanier, Sammy Ray Lanier, Sonny Lanier, Roger Wright, Houston Wright, Maxine Cross, Dorothy Cross, Armilda Odom, Clay Odom, Delma Ray Odom, Misses Pauline Allen, Mary Evelyn Massegee; Mesdames E. E. White, F. H. Cockerham, Lee Hart, Juanita Lanier, Bob Odom and W. E. Wright.

### CONNIE MACK LOCKLIN

Mrs. Dave Locklin entertained her son, Connie Mack, with a birthday party Saturday afternoon at the City Park. Sunday was Connie Mack's fifth anniversary.

Lemonade and birthday cake were served and small fortunes were given to the guests as favors. About 25 guests attended.

## CSM Poem Written By Sonoran's Sister

"The Weaver" was written for and published by the Christian Science Monitor in a recent issue. Peggy Young Clark of Fort Worth, author, is a sister of Mrs. W. C. Gilmore of Sonora.

### THE WEAVER

Day after day the fair child watched,  
At the master-weaver's loom;  
Row upon row the pattern grew  
And its beauty filled the room.  
Offer she said, "I too shall weave,  
I shall watch and learn from you."  
Wisely the master smiled assent,  
While his busy shuttle flew.

Once when he left his loom and work  
To attend some evening chore,  
Venturing, she began to weave,  
Though her feet scarce touched the floor.  
Suddenly then he heard her cry,  
As she hastened to his side,  
"Oh, I have marred your lovely cloth;  
And the woof has come untied!"

Gently he wiped away her tears,  
Took her hand and went to see;  
There by the lighted lamp they laughed  
At the harm that seemed to be:  
"Only an empty shuttle, dear!  
(In the dark you could not know);  
That was illusive weaving, child—  
Doing nothing—to and fro."

Years had passed by; she came  
once more  
To the master-weaver's loom.  
All of her gay young eagerness  
Was enshrouded in dull gloom.  
"Most of my brave, fine dreams,"  
she said,  
"Now but end in tears and strife,  
Tangled in bitter memories  
Of a fruitless, wasted life!"

Softly the weaver spoke to her,  
Of the Father's wise design,  
Likened it to his simple craft,  
As unfolding, line by line.  
Turning, he smiled triumphantly,  
And she raised her eyes at last,  
"Woven with empty shuttles, dear,

### IRWIN WILLMAN HONORED

Mrs. Erwin Willman entertained a group of friends Sunday evening at a lawn party to honor her husband on his birthday anniversary. A barbecue supper was served.

Games were played and the honored guest received gifts from Messrs. and Mesdames George E. Smith, Lewis Rouche, R. W. Boehme, Ford Allen, Cecil Allen and children, C Ogden, Cashes Taylor; Miss Beth Reeves and L. M. Rouche.

### FIFTEEN HONORED

A barbecue supper was given Sunday evening at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Halbert, Jr., to celebrate the birthdays of the following persons: Hugh Pascal Allison, Freddie Fields, Phillip Dennis, Mrs. John Fields, Mrs. Sam Karnes, Fred Simmons, Alice Karnes, Mrs. Mack Cauthorn, Mrs. Dan Cauthorn, Tom White, Mrs. Raymond Morgan, Mrs. Redman Hume, John I. King, Lexie Hightower, and Mrs. Joseph Vander Stucken.

Present were Messrs. and Mesdames Lloyd Earwood, Mack Cauthorn, Sam Allison, John Fields, Frank Bond, Joseph Vander Stucken, Bryan Hunt, Jack Neill, W. R. Cusenbary, Henry Decker, Dan Cauthorn, Fred Jeffers of San Angelo, H. V. Stokes, W. B. McMillan, eLea Allison, John A. Ward, Jr., Bill Fields, B. M. Halbert, Jr., Fred Simmons; Misses Alice Karnes, Olene Casbeer of Lampasas, Mrs. Redman Hume of Dallas, Mrs. Lexie Hightower of Mertzon; Raymond Barker, Alton Hightower, Louie Trainer, George E. Allison, E. Z. Nimitz of San Angelo, W. L. Miers, Frank Bond, Charles Lee Cusenbary, Bill Decker, and John Allen Ward.

## Mr. and Mrs. McKee Are Hosts To Club

Mrs. Sibe McKee was hostess to the Nine of Spades Club at her home Thursday evening. Vases of gladioli and brides bouquet were used as floral decorations.

High club score was held by Mrs. Dennis Duke and Mrs. L. E. Holand and was awarded a consolation prize. Jim Decker received high guest award.

Lemonade and cake were served to Mrs. Duke, Mrs. Pat Carroll, Mrs. Bill Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Decker, Mrs. L. E. Holand, Mr. and Mrs. Sibe McKee, and Eugene Adams.

Is the dark, unhappy past!"

Quiet, she went her way again,  
With a peace no words could tell;  
Humbly she prayed, "Dear God  
of love,  
Let me learn this lesson well:  
May I not weave with emptiness  
Of the things that used to be;  
Teach me to weave the seamless cloth  
Of the present, full and free!"

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Burgstaller and Mary Al Adams are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Q. Adams. The guests are from San Antonio.

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## Pastime Club Meets With Mrs. Babcock Thursday Afternoon

Mrs. O. G. Babcock was hostess to the Pastime Club Thursday afternoon at her home. Three tables of members and guests attended.

High club was won by Mrs. V. L. Cory and Mrs. Earl Lomax had high score for the guests.

Mrs. Babcock used vases of summer flowers to decorate the party rooms and served lemon chiffon pie and punch at the end of the party.

Mesdames W. D. Wallace, Rita Ross, Cory, W. E. Caldwell, Joe Berger, Tom Sandherr, J. M. Trainer, Lomax, Rose Thorp, Rosanna Hildreth and John Bunnell were present.

## Methodist Society Meets At Home Of Mrs. Hutcherson

The Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. B. W. Hutcherson Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Rosanna Hildreth led the study on Federated Missionary Work. The devotional was read by Mrs. Hutcherson and the topics of discussion were given by Mrs. G. H. Davis and Mrs. W. E. Caldwell. Musical numbers were played by Mrs. L. K. Brown, who also rendered the benediction.

At the social hour Mrs. Hutcherson was assisted by Mrs. Fred Nichols who acted as co-hostess.

Present were Mesdames Hutcherson, George Hamilton, Caldwell, John Lowrey, Matthews, Davis, Nichols, Rose Thorp, J. W. Trainer, John Kring, Brown and Hildreth.

## Jo Alice McDonald, Mary Elizabeth Walk Honored At Party

Miss Jo Alice McDonald and Miss Mary Elizabeth Walk of Del Rio were named honored guests Wednesday afternoon when Mrs. Josie McDonald and Mrs. W. P. McConnell, Jr. entertained with a swim party at the Sonora Swimming Pool.

After swimming, the guests were served supper, buffet style on the hotel lawn.

Attending were Misses Katha Lea Keene, Doris Keene, Jo Ann Marion, Mary Gwen Wyatt, Willie Nell Hale, Marjorie Davis, Nonie Hutcherson, Libbye Jo Wallace, Nettie Adair Reiley, Elizabeth Elliott and the honorees; S. H. Stokes, Wampus Espy, Basil Taylor, Marion Elliott, O. L. Richardson, Jr., Dock Simmons, Reggie Trainer, James D. Trainer and Wesley Sawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Wheat and children, Francis and Gus D., Jr., are vacationing in Colorado.

## Mrs. Robert Rees Entertains Club

Two tables of members and guests of the Blue Monday Club were entertained by Mrs. Robert Rees at her home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Sandherr won high club and high guest was received by Mrs. John Bunnell. Summer flowers were placed around the party rooms.

Iced watermelon was served by the hostess to Mesdames B. C. McGilvary, Sandherr, W. E. Caldwell, Lee Labenske, Harvey Morris, Bunnell and Joe Trainer.

## Tally-Ho Club Is Entertained By Mrs. W. P. Truitt

Mrs. W. P. Truitt was hostess to the Tally-Ho Club Friday afternoon at her home. Two tables of members and guests attended.

High club was won by Mrs. Howard Kirby, and Mrs. Rae Eastland had high score for the guests. Mrs. Truitt used vases of cut flowers to decorate her home.

Pineapple ice and angel food squares were served at refreshment hour. Present were Mesdames Jimmy Taylor, Eastland, A. A. Murray, Kirby, Dewitt Lancaster, Harold Friess, and Rip Ward.

## Scout Work Judged By Mrs. Ball At Meeting Wednesday

Wednesday afternoon, the work of the senior class of Girl Scouts was judged by Mrs. John Ball, when they met at the city park.

Wooden shoes or skippers have been completed and Marjory Reba Nisbet and Addie Thorp tied for first honors while Margie Crowell won second.

The girls will begin work on armguards to be used in their archery program at the next meeting. Mrs. Gray Bean, leader, met with the scouts.

Marjory Reba Nisbet, Addie Thorp, Margie Crowell, Sammie Jeanne Allison, Jean Cliff Johnson, Willie Lee Williams, Edith Mae Babcock, Marguerite Howell, Wanda B. Cook, Lila D. Chalk, and Geraldine Morrow attended the meeting.

Freddy Adkins is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. D. E. Lynch in Fort Worth. Mr. Adkins plans to be gone a month.

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NEW YORK, N. Y. — "IT'S TRUE! that director W. S. Van Dyke II is a major in the U. S. Marine Corps and commander of the Second Battalion at the Marine Base in San Diego," says Wiley Padan. "Van Dyke directed M-G-M's 'Rage in Heaven' during his furlough."

**Contracts Let For Flying School**

Austin, July 31.—Contracts for the Basic Flying School to be located between Sherman and Denison have been awarded in the amount of \$5,069,086, Governor W. Lee O'Daniel, Chairman of the National Defense Committee for Texas, was advised today by the War Department.

The basic contract was given to the R. F. Ball Construction Company of Fort Worth and to the Central Contracting Company of Dallas in the amount of \$3,087,681. This contract covers the construction of general housing, streets, railway, water supply, sewers and sewage disposal plant, electric transmission and other utilities. Approximately 135 buildings will be constructed.

The second contract, covering construction of the landing field, including clearing, grubbing, grading, excavation of top soil, seeding and paving of runways, taxi strips and aprons, has been awarded to Gifford-Hill and Company of Dallas in the amount of \$1,981,405, the Governor was advised.

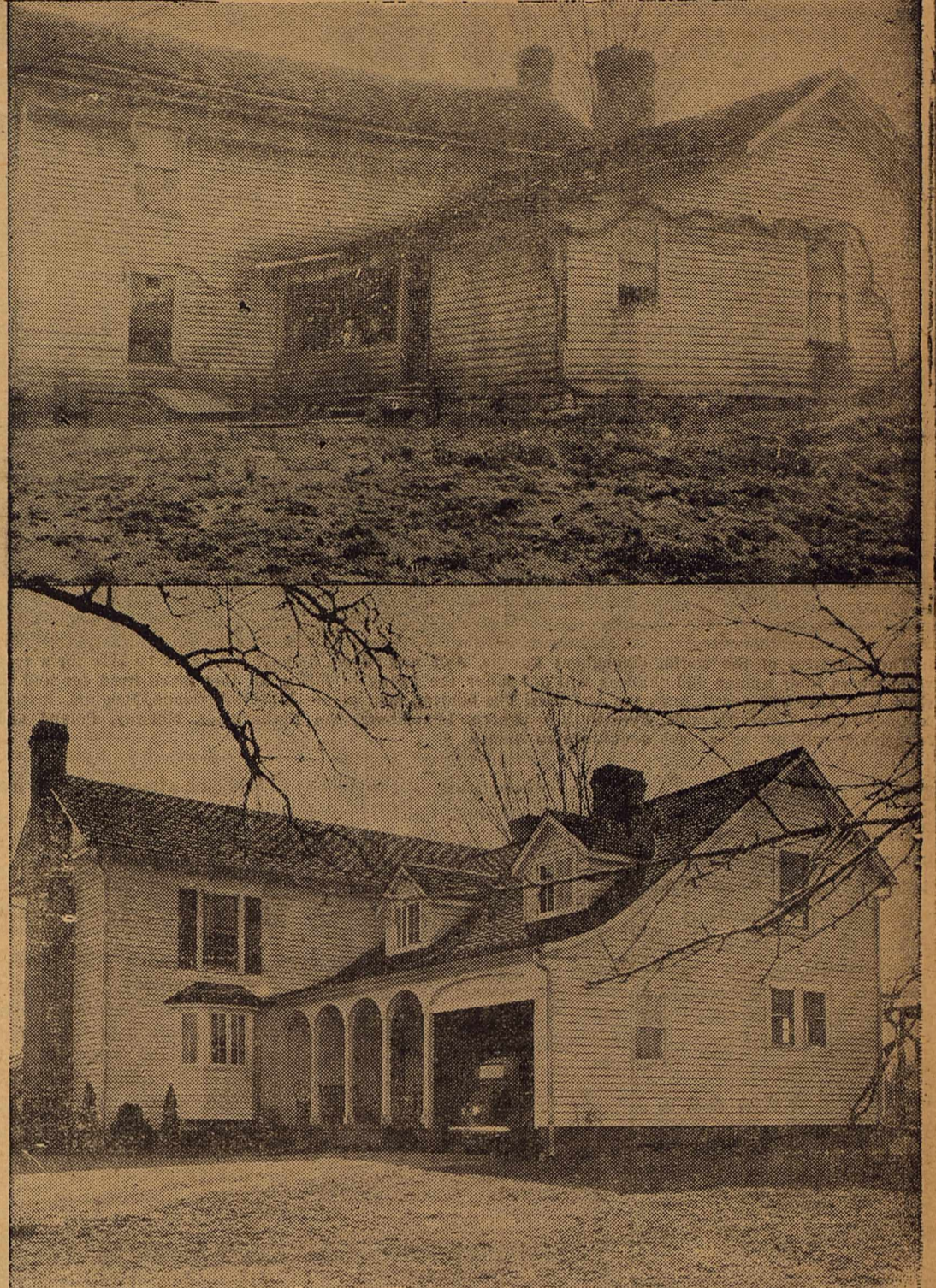
The school is located on a 1273 acre tract approximately six miles from the cities of Sherman and Denison.

Miss Nell Adams was called to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. John Crawford, who underwent a major operation at Beeville. Mrs. Crawford is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar D. Shurley and Bill returned this week from a four week visit to Canada and through the Eastern states. While in Canada they visited Mrs. Shurley's brother, Edward B. Tipton, Jr., and Mrs. Tipton, who was the former Miss Gertrude Babcock of Sonora. Mr. Tipton is a pilot officer in the RCAF in Ottawa.

Jack McDermitt and sons, Jack, Jr., and Jim Bob, of St. Louis, Mo., are visiting relatives here. They are grandsons of George Allison and will spend several weeks here. Mr. McDermitt returned home last week.

**Remodeling Of Older Homes Is Quick Method Of Obtaining Houses Needed For Defense Workers**



These photographic indicate dramatically how America's huge investment in home ownership may be safeguarded by a wise modernization and repair program. Repairs too long neglected jeopardize the value of properties, whereas repairs and improvements pay am-

ple dividends not only in family comfort but in dollars and cents as well. This transformation is amazing, yet there are thousands of older homes scattered over the country which can be similarly treated and restored to value.

size can play an important part in the defense housing program. They may be modernized and converted into apartments, suites, and rooms to take care of defense industrial workers. Title I of the Federal Housing Administration's program provides for convenient monthly payments over a period of several years to repay the cost of repairs and alterations.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wallace and sons, R. W. and George D. left Monday on a vacation through N. Mexico Arizona, Utah, Wyoming, and Canada.

In San Angelo Sunday was Miss Jo Nell Miers.

Miss Nettie Adair Reilley was in town Wednesday visiting friends.

**HENS DO THEIR PART**  
Texas hens are doing their part to meet the country's food emergency.

June shipments of Texas eggs totaled 346 cars as compared with 182 cars a year ago, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

Of the total movement, 287 cars went outside the state, chiefly to New York and California.

Forwardings of poultry—chickens and turkeys—fell off considerably, from 42 cars in June, 1940, to 29 cars last month.

The Eastern States are expected to get much of Texas' oil through the proposed pipelines from the vast East Texas fields.

Texas produces the majority of the world's helium.

Wayne Crawford of the Wm. Cameron Lumber Co. will leave Saturday on his vacation.

**"My Sister and I"**



A poignant story is told. A story that needs few words but tells why the Allies—Australia, Belgium, British Commonwealth, Czechoslovakia, Free France, Greece, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland and Yugoslavia—are fighting on against aggression and for world freedom. These two children are French refugees who have lost their parents and await their assignment to new homes—homes that will be orphanages.

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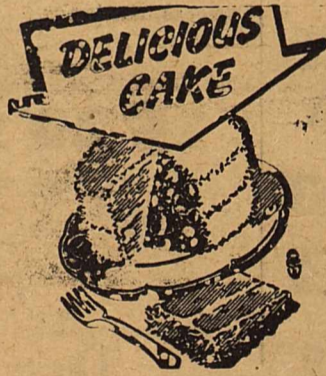
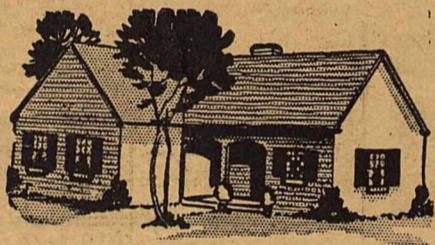
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**Charges Filed**

Charges have been filed against Mr. and Mrs. Herb McKee at City Cafe in Sonora for serving the best cooked food and the coldest beer in town. They have been pleasing West Texas with their cooking for the past 16 years, so when in Sonora visit the—

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### Army Erecting Regimental Chapters

Austin, July 30.—Erection of 49 regional chapels in eleven Texas Army Camps, under a program now being carried out by the Constructing Quartermasters, was praised by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel in a communication today to the Chief of Chaplains of the United States Army, Washington, D. C.

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**MEET THE STARS**  
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 By ETHEL VINE \*\*\*\*\*



The girl who made the world Maisie conscious, is actually not unlike her breezy blonde screen character with a heart of gold. For Ann Sothern is a graduate of the school of hard knocks and can take the world in her stride.

She is said to be one of the most competent young actresses in Hollywood possessing a versatile talent. She is now at work in "Ringside Maisie." She will also star in "Panama Hattie." In her latest picture, "Lady Be Good" she appears in a singing role. Her Maisie pictures, include "Maisie," "Congo Maisie," "Gold Rush Maisie" and "Maisie Was A Lady." She also recently had the feminine lead in "Joe and Ethel Turp Call on the President."

Born in North Dakota, the daughter of Annette Yde, concert singer and W. L. Lake, a Seattle broker, she was raised in Minneapolis. While in Minneapolis High School she won first prize for a musical composition. Later she attended the University of Washington and during a visit to Los Angeles took a screen test which turned out to be sufficiently good for her to appear in several bit parts.

Ambitious, she decided to try her luck on the New York stage and subsequently was featured in "Smiles" with Marilyn Miller and in the road show companies of "America's Sweetheart" and "Everybody's Welcome." She was now given the lead in the touring company of "Of Thee I Sing," which led to a screen test for "Let's Fall in Love." It was at this time she changed her name from Harriette Lake to Ann Sothern.

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The chapels, which will be available to Protestants, Catholics, and Jews alike, will cost approximately \$1,000,000 when completed, the Governor was advised. Each chapel will have a movable altar, so constructed as to be adaptable for use by the several religious groups. A series of doors and panels in the altars will provide the essential requirements for each kind of service.

"The religious program as planned by the United States Army to reach every man in the service seems to be of the highest importance," Governor O'Daniel said.

"While no attempt is being made to force religious observance upon any man, it is significant that the tradition of a God-fearing American Army is being maintained in sharp contrast to the materialism of the totalitarian states. This activity will doubtless receive the approbation of American citizens generally and will bring great satisfaction to the hearts of the mothers and fathers of our soldiers."

Tom Sandherr is the owner of a new Plymouth.

### THIS WEEK...

Acting Secretary of State Welles said present Japanese activities directed toward Indo-China endanger "peaceful use by peaceful nations of the Pacific . . . jeopardize the procurement by the United States of essential materials such as tin and rubber . . . necessary for . . . our defense program . . ." He said the safety of other areas, including the Phillipine Islands, also is endangered.

The President issued a statement that the United States has been letting oil go to Japan "with the hope—and it has worked for two years—of keeping the war out of the South for our own good, for the defense of Great Britain and the freedom of the seas.

Mr. Roosevelt told his press conference events in the Far East are bringing to the American public a greater awareness of the whole world situation. But as yet, he said, the public is not sufficiently cognizant of the perils of the situation, any more than it realizes the dangers of the war in the West.

Secretary of War Stimson said production of vital items has been increased with the cooperation of American industry during the past "100 crucial days" as follows: light tanks, 475 per cent; medium tanks, 477 per cent; training planes, 55.7 per cent; bombers, 17.3 per cent.

The War Department said Army expansion has progressed faster in the past year than the manufacture of modern weapons, but since it is more important to know how to employ a weapon tactically rather than to know how to fire it, "little training value is lost by the substitution of a stove pipe for a mortar or an oak bough for a machine gun." If a company has fewer guns than men, the guns are rotated so each man has a chance to

learn how to handle them.

The War Department said it is giving four types of tests to discover a trainee's ability and to help find the "right" place in the Army for him. Selective Service Headquarters announced that 752,572 twenty-one-year-olds registered on July 1.

**HIGHWAYS—**  
 Congress passed a \$320,000,000 defense highway bill for construction of roads and experimental airplane landing strips, and to pay states for damages from Army and Navy maneuvers.

**AID TO BRITAIN—**  
 Federal Loan Administrator Jones announced the RFC has authorized a loan of \$425,000,000 to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to pay for war supplies Great Britain ordered before the Lend-Lease Act was passed. Mr. Jones said Great Britain has put up collateral which includes securities of U. S. corporations, capital stock of 41 British owned U. S. insurance companies worth \$500,000,000, and the earnings of U. S. branches of 41 British insurance companies which have net assets of approximately \$200,000,000. The loan matures in 15 years and bears interest at 3 per cent per year.

**POWER—**  
 OPM Director General Knudsen named J. A. Krug, OPM Power Consultant, head of a special power

unit to assure an uninterrupted supply of electrical energy by reducing consumption in non-defense industries, and, if necessary, by rationing power where shortages are threatened.

Mr. Krug said vast "power pools" will be created to insure adequate supply of electricity for aluminum and magnesium plants now under construction. He said one has already been formed for aluminum plants in Tennessee and others are being considered for Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana, the southern sections of Kansas and Missouri, and for the Northeastern section, including the New England States, New York, eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

**OIL—**  
 Defense Petroleum Coordinator Ickes requested a voluntary cut of 33 1-3 per cent in motor fuel consumption in the Atlantic Coast

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## Store Wide Specials

Friday, Aug. 1, Saturday, Aug. 2

### Grocery Department

COFFEE—Del Monte 1 lb. can <b>26</b> <sup>C</sup>	2 lb. can <b>52</b> <sup>C</sup>	Paper Napkins, Assorted Colors, 2 Packages <b>17</b> <sup>C</sup>
TEA—McCormell's—Glass Free 1-4 Pound <b>22</b> <sup>C</sup>	1/2 Pound <b>42</b> <sup>C</sup>	1 Pound <b>82</b> <sup>C</sup>
Preserves, Tak-A-Taste Assorted, 2-pound jar <b>39</b> <sup>C</sup>	Jelly, Silver Star Assorted, 2-pound jar <b>23</b> <sup>C</sup>	Grape Jam, Pure Seedless 2-pound jar <b>23</b> <sup>C</sup>
Tic-Tic Relist—It's Good 11 1-4-oz. jar <b>14</b> <sup>C</sup>	Pickles, Sour or Dill quart <b>14</b> <sup>C</sup>	SALAD DRESSING—Miracle Whip 1/2 Pint <b>14</b> <sup>C</sup>
Catsup, Heinz, Pint Bottle <b>22</b> <sup>C</sup>	Tuna, Del Monte, Shredded 2 Cans <b>35</b> <sup>C</sup>	Shrimp, Wet or Dry Pack 2 Cans <b>29</b> <sup>C</sup>
Oysters, Blue Plate 2 Cans <b>29</b> <sup>C</sup>	Macaroni, Spaghetti or Vermicelli, 3 Boxes <b>10</b> <sup>C</sup>	Beans, Pintoes, CRC, 10 Pounds <b>43</b> <sup>C</sup>
	SHORTENING—Creamy Crustene 4 pound carton <b>63</b> <sup>C</sup>	8 pound carton <b>1</b> <sup>25</sup>
	FLOUR—Prairie Rose 24 pounds <b>64</b> <sup>C</sup>	48 pounds <b>1</b> <sup>24</sup>

### PRODUCE DEPARTMENT

Oranges, California Red Ball, Dozen <b>23</b> <sup>C</sup>	Lemons, California Red Ball, Dozen <b>17</b> <sup>C</sup>	Apples, Gravenstein—New Crop—large, dozen <b>29</b> <sup>C</sup>
Onions, Colorado, Yellow 3 Pound <b>10</b> <sup>C</sup>	Beets, Carrots and Radishes 2 Bunches <b>05</b> <sup>C</sup>	SPUDS, U. S. No. 1 10 Pounds <b>21</b> <sup>C</sup>
Tomatoes, Nice Vine Ripened, 2 Pounds <b>13</b> <sup>C</sup>	Bell Pepper—Fresh 2 Pounds <b>09</b> <sup>C</sup>	Okra, Fresh Green Pod 2 Pounds <b>07</b> <sup>C</sup>
Peas, Fresh, Cream 2 Pounds <b>07</b> <sup>C</sup>	SQUASH, Yellow 2 Pounds <b>07</b> <sup>C</sup>	Lettuce, California, Large Head <b>05</b> <sup>C</sup>

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Beef Roast, Swift's or Home Killed, pound <b>23</b> <sup>C</sup>	Beef Steak, Young and Tender, pound <b>27</b> <sup>C</sup>	Sliced Bacon, Repeat or Corn King, pound <b>30</b> <sup>C</sup>
Pork Sausage, Our Special Pound <b>18</b> <sup>C</sup>	Assorted Cold Meats Swift's, pound <b>27</b> <sup>C</sup>	Gandy's Butter Pound <b>38</b> <sup>C</sup>
Summer Sausage Pound <b>25</b> <sup>C</sup>	Cooked Tongue, Swift's Premium, Can <b>29</b> <sup>C</sup>	

### Hardware Department

Fountain Sprinklers Crown, each <b>1</b> <sup>00</sup>	Padlocks, Master, 10c up to <b>1</b> <sup>25</sup> each	Shoe Soles, Tacks free with each pair per <b>15</b> <sup>C</sup> <b>20</b> <sup>C</sup> <b>25</b> <sup>C</sup> <b>30</b> <sup>C</sup>
Steel Telescope Fly Rods, 9-foot, each <b>1</b> <sup>50</sup>	Lawn Chairs, While They Last, Each <b>2</b> <sup>69</sup>	Royal Ruby Ware, Candy & Relish Dishes, Each <b>05</b> <sup>C</sup>
Artistic American Glass Three-Toed Bowls—Each <b>10</b> <sup>C</sup>	Liquid Veneer, 12-ounce Per Bottle <b>43</b> <sup>C</sup>	

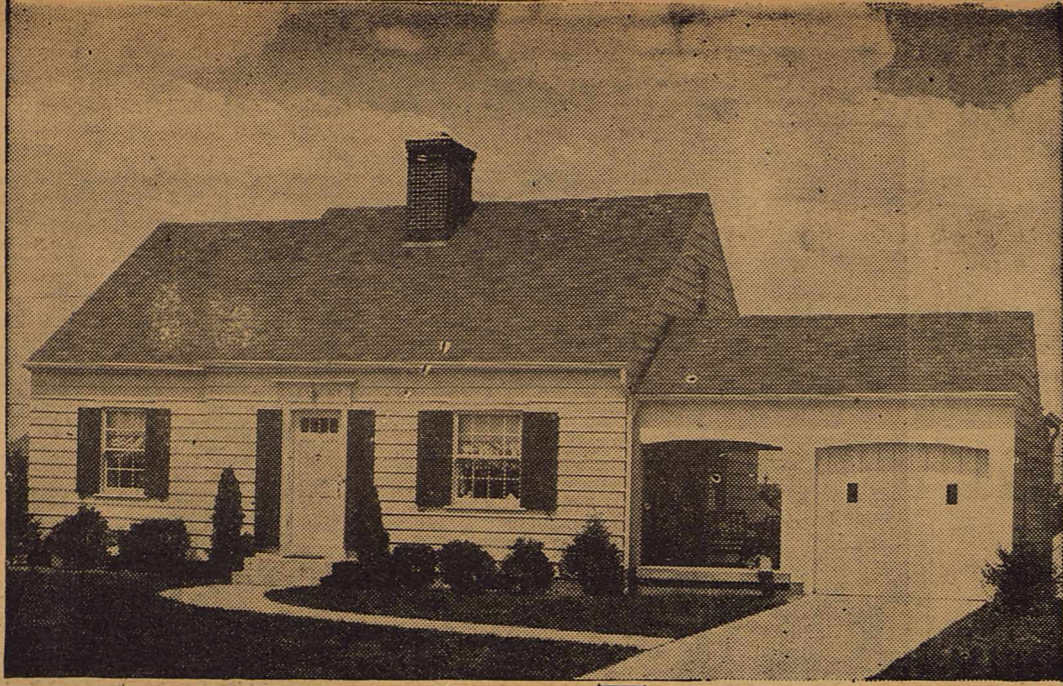
### Dry Goods Department

Shirts, Mens Work—\$1.35 Value, each <b>1</b> <sup>19</sup>	Prints, Fast Color, Reg. 15c Yard—now <b>10</b> <sup>C</sup>	Honey & Almond Cream Reg. \$1.00 Value <b>49</b> <sup>C</sup>
Hair Oil, Red or Clear 10c Size, 2 For <b>15</b> <sup>C</sup>	Griffin, All-White 2 For <b>15</b> <sup>C</sup>	Socks, Mens Fancy, Short or Long Tops, pair <b>10</b> <sup>C</sup>
Domestic, Bleached, 36-inch wide, yard <b>10</b> <sup>C</sup>	Shoes, Mens Work—\$2.00 Values, pair <b>1</b> <sup>79</sup>	Prints, Fast Color, 20c Values 2 Yards <b>35</b> <sup>C</sup>
Kleenex, All Colors Large Size <b>28</b> <sup>C</sup>	Kleenex, All Colors, 200 Size, 2 For <b>24</b> <sup>C</sup>	Ladies Oxfords, \$2.75 Values, pair <b>2</b> <sup>49</sup>
Union Suits, Mens BVD, pair <b>69</b> <sup>C</sup>	Shirts, Mens Dress Sanforized, Each <b>1</b> <sup>00</sup>	Cotton Batts, 2 1/2-pound Good Quality, each <b>49</b> <sup>C</sup>
All \$1.00 Yard Silk Reduced to <b>79</b> <sup>C</sup>	Tooth Powder, Colgates 2 Can Deal <b>36</b> <sup>C</sup>	Luncheon Cloth, 50X50 6 Napkins—95c Value <b>69</b> <sup>C</sup>
Ladies Brassiers, Sizes 32 to 36, each <b>25</b> <sup>C</sup>	Gloves, Mens Work 65c Values, pair <b>49</b> <sup>C</sup>	

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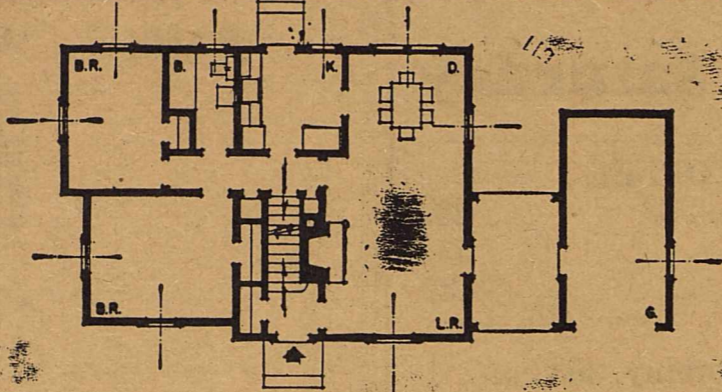
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White clapboard is one of the most popular exterior construction materials, and this neat one-story house shows the reason for this popularity. The trend toward separating the attached garage from the house by means of a breezeway or covered porch is illustrated here. The interior plan is conventional with the combination living room-dining room being the only departure from the familiar pattern.

Valued in the Midwest at \$6,700, this property was financed with a Federal Housing Administration insured mortgage of \$5,800. Average monthly payments on a 20-year mortgage of this amount total approximately \$37 exclusive of local taxes and hazard insurance. The cost of a similar property will vary in other localities.



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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Trainer and Jamie were in San Angelo Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thomas. Mrs. Thomas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Trainer.

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States to avoid rationing. Congress passed a bill authorizing federal aid to private firms in constructing interstate pipelines, and Mr. Ickes recommended that the petroleum industry construct a \$70,000,000 pipeline from east Texas to the Atlantic coast with a daily capacity of 250,000 barrels. He also asked the industry to construct 40 to 50 large, high-speed oil tankers in addition to 139 now on order.

**CIVILIAN SUPPLY—**  
Price Administrator Henderson announced a tentative program to cut production in the automotive, domestic mechanical refrigerator, and mechanical household laundry equipment industries to make more materials available for defense. He said the cut will be offset by defense work these industries would undertake. OPM Director Knudsen

said the proposed shift should coincide with increased defense orders to the industry to avoid unemployment.

**LABOR—**  
President Roosevelt established a committee on fair employment practice in the Office of Production Management to prevent discrimination against defense workers or Government employees because of race, creed, or national origin. The six members represent the CIO, AFL, the newspapers and radio, and include two negroes.

OPM Director General Hillman announced that 800,000 AFL building trade union members have reached a stabilization agreement with the Government calling for no strikes on defense projects for the duration of the emergency and no stoppage of work because of jurisdictional disputes "or any other cause."

**LABOR SUPPLY—**  
Mr. Hillman told railroad officials and labor executives in Chicago that the 100,000 unemployed, skilled railroad workers could be shifted to defense work under a "voluntary labor priority" plan. Mr. Hillman said an estimated 1,000,000 workers will be needed by the aircraft industry by July, 1942, as compared with the 200,000 employed today. He said 555,660 will be needed by next July in the shipbuilding industry where 375,000 are now employed.

**NAVY—**  
Navy Secretary Knox presented

a special Naval ordnance flag to 14 companies who are ahead of production schedules of Navy contracts. He said firms who are "all out" for defense will be permitted to fly the flag and their employees will be allowed to wear in their lapels an "E," the traditional Navy mark of excellence. The Maritime Commission said the entire shipbuilding program is nearly sixty days ahead of schedule.

**PRICES—**  
Price Administrator Henderson asked the baking industry to reduce operating expenses instead of raising bread prices. He said ingredient costs have risen half a cent a loaf. Bituminous Coal Counsel Harr recommended maximum prices at 10 per cent above present minimum.

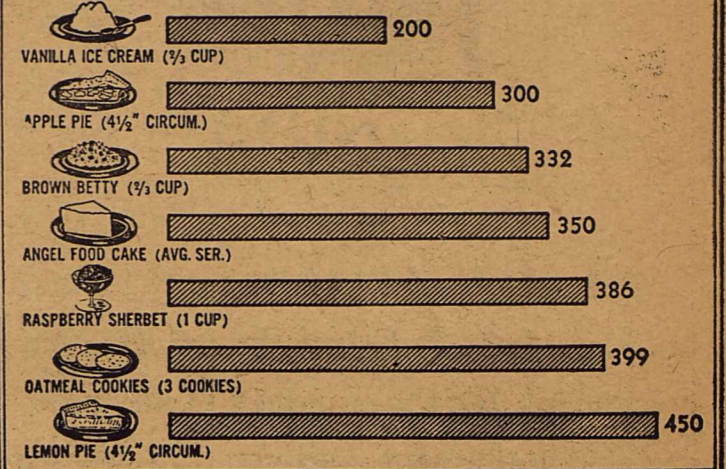
**AGRICULTURE—**  
OPM Associate Director General Hillman said agriculture will be represented in all of the recently created OPM commodity sections concerned with "commodities produced by agriculture or necessary to the production of agriculture."

**ALUMINUM COLLECTION—**  
OCD Director LaGuardia announced that on July 30 local aluminum collection committees will send materials collected in the voluntary program to concentration points in the large cities of the 48 states. He said the Treasury Department's state procurement offices will then offer the scrap to smelters having defense contracts, at OPACS prices.

Roland Aldridge of Ozona has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Collier on their ranch.

**Little Known Facts About Ice Cream**

**CALORIES IN POPULAR DESSERTS**



MANY people are not aware that most popular desserts are much higher in calories than ice cream.

According to figures recently compiled by the National Dairy Council, an average serving of vanilla ice cream, measuring approximately one sixth of a quart, provides 200 calories. Compare this with 450 calories for a piece of lemon pie or 350 for a serving of angel food cake.

Another mistaken idea about ice cream is that it is "full of air." Air is a necessary ingredient in ice cream, as without it a solid frozen mass would result. Ice cream that did not have air beaten into it would be like bread that had not risen. The principle is similar to that followed in the kitchen when air is beaten into eggs, whipping cream, or batters.

The combination of lobster or other fish and ice cream in a meal is still believed by many to be a cause of indigestion. Scientists have disproved this old belief, stating that if the fish is fresh no harm can result from the combination. Fish is often combined with milk in tasty sea food dishes. Ice cream, a milk product, can be served in the same meal with equal success.

Ice cream is a healthful food containing most of the nutritive elements of milk—proteins, minerals, and vitamins. Cream, milk and milk concentrates, sugar, and sometimes eggs, form the basis of all ice cream. The typical proportion of ingredients is about 80% cream and milk products, 15% sugar, 4.5% flavor, 0.5% stabilizer (usually gelatine).

About 4 1/2 billion pounds of milk are used each year to supply the cream and other dairy products used in the twelve hundred million quarts of ice cream which Americans eat annually.

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##### FOLGERS COFFEE

1 pound can	29c
2 pound can	55c
5 pound can	\$1.37

Cut Beans, No. 2 can 3 for	25c	Hominy, 303 can 2 for	11c
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Cocoanut, 1-pound package	18c	Apple Butter quart	19c
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Mince Meat, 3 packages	25c	Beans, Mex. Style can	07c
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Kraut, No. 2 1/2 can	11c	Peanut Butter quart	27c
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Spuds, Coblers, 10 lbs.	19c
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Knox Jel 5 box	23c	Pure Maid Peas can	07c
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Mince meat, 32-oz. jar	21c	Peanut Butter 16-oz. jar	15c
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Mothers Cocoa 2 lb. can	19c	Pimentos, 4-oz.	7c
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Shortening, your choice, 8-lb. crtn. \$1.17

Macaroni, Your	K C Baking Powder 25 oz.	18c
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Vermicelli Choice	50 oz.	32c
Spaghetti, 6 box	10 lb. can	\$1.08

Lady Peggy Salad Dressing 32 oz.	21c	Pickles, Dill or Sour, quart	13c
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8 oz.	9c	Pork & Beans, 16-oz. can, 2 for	13c
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Flour, Peerless, Fancy Pat (guaranteed) 48 pounds	\$1.25
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Rich Whip Milk—6 small cans	23c	Catsup, 14-oz. bottle	13c
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Extract, Vanilla, 8-oz. imitation	10c	Hypro, quart bottle	13c
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Meal, 20-pound sack	45c
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Oats, K.B. Cup and saucer	21c	Field Corn, No. 2 can, 3 for	25c
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Dried Fruit, your choice, reg. 25c package	21c	Toilet Tissue 6 Rolls	25c
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Pure Apple Cider Vinegar (bring your jug) gallon	23c
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Fly Spray, Fly Flit—It makes them stay dead (bring your jug) per gallon	85c
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#### MEAT DEPARTMENT

Sweet Cream Butter Pound	41c	Cheese, American 2-lb. box	59c
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Seven-Steak pound	25c	Mexican Hots lb	10c
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Banner Oleo 2 pounds	33c	Bologna Sausage 2 pounds	25c
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Approximately one-fifth more Texas-produced milk is being converted into staple dairy products now than a year ago.

Reports from the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reveal 151,027,000 pounds of milk were used during June in making 4,813,000 pounds of creamery butter, 1,870,000 gallons of ice cream and 1,946,000 pounds of American cheese.

Creamery butter manufacture was 20.9 per cent higher than in June, 1940, ice cream 38.6 per cent higher and cheese 14.9 per cent higher.

Butter and ice cream production were at the highest June peak on record, but cheese output lagged somewhat behind June, 1938, the report showed.

Miss Louise Briscoe visited in Houston last week-end.

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