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Home Manufactured Wares Shown By H-Demonstration-4-H Clubs Sat.

Thirty-five "firsts" were given in the Home Demonstration 4-H Club Exhibits in the District Court room Saturday, when women and girls of these two organizations held a clothing and canned goods exhibits.

First prize winners were Mrs. W. B. Duncan, Mrs. R. L. Clemons, Mrs. R. A. Bertrand, Mrs. M. Meeks, Mrs. Raby Davis, Mrs. Paul Alford, Mrs. George Moore, Mrs. H. Nolte, Mrs. George Bamburg, Mrs. O. C. Gossett, Mrs. M. E. Rodgers, Mrs. W. Melton, Mrs. Pete Powell, Mrs. H. E. Clemons, Mrs. W. O. Smith, Mrs. W. N. Weeks, Mrs. G. Perryman, Mrs. B. C. Patton, and Mrs. H. Berry. A number of these ladies won two or more first prizes, including Mesdames Duncan Bertrand, Moore, Davis, Bamburg, and Gossett.

Second Prizes and place winners included Carcen Club, Mrs. H. H. Berry, Hood Springs Club, Mrs. George Moore, Mrs. A. Robinson, Mrs. George Bamburg, Mrs. W. B. Duncan, Mrs. Pete Powell, Mrs. L. Meeks, Mrs. Raymond Meeks, Mrs. M. E. Rodgers, Mrs. H. Nolte, Mrs. G. Perryman, Mrs. John Bell, Mrs. B. D. Wilson, Mrs. A. Denny, Mrs. O. C. Gossett, Mrs. W. O. Smith, Mrs. J. W. Thompson, and Mrs. B. C. Patton. A number of these also won two or more "seconds" as there were 33 second places.

Third place winners, no prizes, included Mesdames Denny, Duncan, Wilson, Davis, Bertrand, Clemons, Powell, Nolte, Gossett, Bamburg, Smith and Rogers; all being prize winners in either the first or second division.

Ladies who took third places, and who had not placed in either of the above divisions were Mrs. F. R. Wilson, Sam Chambers, Mrs. Bundrant, Louis Hill, and Dick Payne.

Exhibits included snap beans, blackeyed peas, tomatoes, diced carrots, pieced cotton quilts, peaches, beets, red and green pepper relish, tomato casup, fig preserves, peach preserves, pear preserves, orange marmalade, watermelon rind preserves, honey, grape jelly, plum jelly, sour cucumber pickles, hooked rugs, sweet pickled watermelon rind, pickled beets, cucumber slices, green tomato pickles, tomato juice tomato preserves, mustard grape juice, cucumber relish, red pepper relish, pears, berries, tame plums, sweet pickled pears, hooked mat, plum preserves, pickled watermelon rind, were the first prize winners, and many others were exhibited in the second and third classes. Miss Sidney Gale Gibson, Home De-

monstration Agent, and Mrs. Pete Powell, president of the H. D. Council, were in charge of the exhibiting. Misses Sally Jones and Mary Inez Scott, H. D. Agent at Hamilton, and assistant agent of McLennan county, respectively, were the judges for the exhibits, the judging being done Friday.

Merchants who responded in donating the prizes were Mayes Studio, Painter's, N. Pederson, Leaird's, Kiger's, Davis Variety, C. Bauman, R. E. Powell, The News, Oscar Gloff, A & P, Arnold's, Washburn's, Wm. Cameron Co., Gatesville Drug, Heuser, Hord & Parks, Barnes Lumber Co., Jim Martin, Dick Thompson, W. T. Hix, Byrom & Walker, Rogers and Britain, J. P. Dowell, Bakers Cafe, Alvis-Garner Co., Ethma Beauty Shop, Gatesville Laundry, Messenger, McClellan Bros., E. R. Black, Flentge Drug, Horne's Baker, Joe Hanna, Benson's, Morton Scott, Davidson's, and Red & White.

INTERESTING PROGRAM

An interesting program was given by County Agent Guy Powell, as Dr. Pain, representing Dr. Painsless Clinic, who presented Stephen F. Austin Freeman and Raydell Hastings, both colored, in a series of tap dances.

Others on the program were the pupils of Miss Nona Diltz, and included Bertha Lillian Stewart, Helon Walley, Helon Chamlee, Nell Goodall, Sarah Hinson, Yvonne Davis, Katherine Word, Lalla Rook Martin, and Nettie Jone Thomson. A trio was given by Nell Goodall, Helon Chamlee and Belva McCoy.

Following these numbers, three 4-H Club girls gave readings and included Freda Beatty, Flossie and Jewel Melton. C. E. Alvis Jr., assisted the County Agent in furnishing the music for the tap numbers.

TURNERSVILLE HIGH OPENS NEW GYM WED. NITE; THREE GAMES

Turnersville High School's new gym will be opened Wednesday night, October 28, with three basketball games scheduled for the "opener" including Flat Senior Boys vs. Turnersville Senior Boys, Flat Senior Girls vs. Turnersville Senior Girls, and Flat Junior Girls vs. Turnersville Junior Girls.

The gym is the newest addition to that school's new "education plant," maintained by the Turnersville School District, and the independent school districts of the county are all becoming better equipped to take care of the demands of their students and their patrons.

A small admission will be charged for the night's program.

DOC'S SANDWICH SHOP PUTS ON "STRETCHER" MORE COUNTER SPACE

Doc's Sandwich Shop, has pushed the kitchen back and extended the counter approximately its former length.

After modernizing this shop, Doc Rutherford has had an increasing business and the spot is proving a popular hang-out for "coffee and" addicts, not to mention "sandwiches" and other nickel nick-knacks.

Largest Poultry Show Of R. I. Reds on Earth Closed in Dallas 22nd

Roy Chamlee, with 8th prize in the old, hen class at the National Rhode Island Red Club of America's meeting at Dallas at the Texas Centennial, put the county on the map in the "chicken" world.

At this show exhibitors were on hand from every part of Texas, besides Kansas, Oklahoma, California, Connecticut, Indiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Illinois, Massachusetts, Florida, Iowa, Maryland, Michigan, Nebraska—really a National Show.

Every first place ribbon was won by a Texas breeder and the Champion Red was won by W. C. Simpson of Aubrey, Texas, who exhibited a cockrell which took this prize.

Included in the exhibits were 6 cocks, 24 hens, 4 old pens, 27 cockrels, 44 pullets and 12 young pens.

To place at all with this kind of competition is "something to write home about" and Mr. Chamlee is certainly in line for congratulations.

SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS MUST GET THEIR REPORTS IN THIS WEEK

County Superintendent J. M. Witcher announces that the State Department requires that all reports from the various school bus drivers of the county must be in this week. This must be done in order that they may get their pay. Mr. Witcher stated that if ONE failed, no bus driver would get any money until they were all in the office.

This is necessary because the complete report of the first month's bus driving will be the basis for four and one-half months' pay, which will be made to the drivers in advance. Should the bus only have run three weeks, the driver should estimate the fourth week so that the report may be gotten in. Adjustments will be made at the end of the 4½ month period according to Mr. Witcher.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH IS TO HOLD LAST QUARTERLY CONFERENCE TONIGHT

Rev. J. H. Baldridge, presiding elder of the Gatesville District, will conduct the fourth and last quarterly conference at the First Methodist Church in this city tonight, Tuesday, October 27, at seven o'clock.

The Methodist people are urged to be present, and especially are the church officials requested to attend.

DISTRICT FOURTEEN BAPTIST RALLY MEET IN WACO FRIDAY, 30TH

Baptist from District 14, containing 220 Baptist Churches in nine counties, including McLennan, Coryell, Hill, Navarro, Limestone, Freestone, Leon, Bosque, and Falls, gather in Waco Friday. The rally is one of 17 such meetings held thruout the State prior to the General Convention which is to convene in Mineral Wells Nov. 10.

It is not known at this time who, but a number of leaders from this county are expected to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Haniel and family and Mrs. John Teinert of Copperas Cove were Gatesville visitors Wednesday.

Inclement Weather Cuts-Out Main Speakers at Teachers Association



Of the eight constitutional amendments which will be submitted to the voters of Texas on November 3, at least three are worthy of an affirmative vote, while two are subject to justifiable criticism.

The amendment of greatest importance would increase the governor's salary from \$4,000 to \$12,000 a year.

For many years the small salary paid State officials, and particularly to the chief executive, have been subjected to criticism, but this is the first opportunity in several years to correct this evil.

The practical impossibility of the governor maintaining his household in a manner fitting to his position in public life on \$4,000 the twelve month is apparent. The result of the small compensation offered, the governor has been that only men of wealth seek the office, or that those without wealth who are elected are forced to obligate themselves by contracting debts for living expenses while in the executive mansion.

Only three states in addition to Texas pay their governor as little as \$4,000. They are North Dakota, Tennessee, and South Dakota. Salaries paid governors by other States, range from \$4,500 for the smaller ones to \$25,000. New York and New Jersey pay the top salaries, \$25,000 and \$20,000, respectively.

A glance at neighboring States shows Texas to be on the bottom of the list in the Southwest in the amount paid annually to the chief executive. New Mexico pays \$4,500, Oklahoma pays \$6,500, Arkansas pays \$6,000, Louisiana, \$7,500. No two of these states have a combined population as large as that of Texas.

Eight States, in addition to New York and New Jersey, pay \$10,000 or more. They are California, Illinois, Massachusetts, Nebraska, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Virginia. The net debt of each of these States with the exception of Nebraska and Ohio, which have no State debts exceeds the net debt of Texas. Of all this last, only Illinois, Pennsylvania and Ohio have larger populations and larger per capita wealth than our own State.

Lieutenant Governor Woodul, who is campaigning over the State for the amendment, calls attention to the fact that the mayors of larger cities receive substantially larger salaries than does our chief executive. City managers in some of our larger cities are paid \$14,000 and \$16,000. The federal judges in Texas and member of Congress are paid \$10,000 a year, the former having life-time jobs.

It must be remembered that the constitution which fixed the salary for the governor and other state officials was written in 1876—sixty years ago, when \$4,000 was equivalent to a

Headliners for the Coryell County Teachers Association meeting which was held in the Gatesville high school auditorium Saturday morning were conspicuous by their absence, due to bad weather, and these included A. M. Tate, Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction, and Miss Edgar Ellen Wilson, also Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction. Virgil Jones, president, presided.

Minutes of last meeting were read by Miss Minnie Johnson, after the meeting had been called to order, the other parts of the program being as follows:

Patriotic Songs, led by L. A. Holmes; Invocation, P. T. Lemmons; "Forward Look of the Association," Virgil Jones; "Gatesville's Place in a County System," Ernell W. Brooks; Announcements, J. M. Witcher.

Interscholastic League Executive Committee

Group meetings were held in the high school, intermediate and primary divisions, after which the teachers again assembled in the auditorium, at which time the Executive Committee of Coryell County Interscholastic League was named and includes the following directors:

Director General, C. D. Boyer, Oglesby; Declaration, J. D. Carter, Evans; Debate, E. D. Shelton, Gville; Extemporaneous Speaking, C. A. Barton, Killean; Spelling, Mrs. Carl Eubanks, Gatesville; Ready Writers, Mrs. J. P. Reesing, Gatesville; Rural School, Supt. J. M. Witcher, Gatesville; Athletics, Virgil Jones, Turnersville; Music Memory, Margaret Dixon, Gatesville; Picture Memory, Mrs. A. E. Whisenhunt, Gatesville; Girls Athletics, Sidney Pruitt, Gatesville; Choral Singing, Lesie Humes, Oglesby; Rhythm Band, Mrs. Mable Balch, Levita; 3 R's Contest, Supt. J. M. Witcher, Gatesville; and Story Telling, Mrs. Cloy Reister, of Turnersville.

Each director will choose his own assistance, according to the Association's verdict.

much larger sum than today.

Indeed, it seems that there can be little criticism to this amendment, and in the interest of good government the electorate is urged to vote for it on the third of November. The cost of the proposed increase to State officials' salaries will be less than a half a cent each to the voters.

Of the three corresponding amendments, but one is subject to criticism.

This one would amend Sec. 21 of Art. IV to make the Secretary of State appointive by the Governor at a salary of \$6,000. At present the Secretary of State is appointed by the governor for a two-year term at a salary of \$2,000. Before saying more about this amendment, let us proceed to the next two.

Another amendment would increase the salary of the Attorney General to \$10,000 per annum. The salary under the present clause is \$2,000 plus fees not to exceed \$2,000.

The last amendment in this salaries of the Comptroller of Public Accounts, Treasurer, and Commissioner of the General Land Office to \$6,000 in each case.

Amending Section 21, Art. IV (Continued On Last Page.)

MARKET REPORT

(As of October 26)

Mohair	40c to 50c
Wool	28c
Wheat	90c
Corn, ear	80c
Corn, ground	85c
Oats, loose	43c
Oats, sacked	45c
Cream, No. 1	24c
Cream, No. 2	22c
Cottonseed, ton	\$30
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SPORTS

Defeated 25 to 0 last Friday night by the Mart Panthers the Gatesville High Hornets are virtually out of the district running.

Playing on the muddy, rain-soaked field the Hornets were decisively outclassed by the combination of Sandig and Rogers, speedy Panther backs, who ripped through the Hornets line and ran them ragged down the sidelines.

Outside of these two spark plugs the teams were fairly well matched. The adverse playing conditions on the field, helped Mart's defense formation and enabled them to stop the Hornets with ease. Playing an eight man line, the Panthers successfully stopped every Gatesville sweeper play at the time of scrimmage,

and the muddy field kept the Hornets from passing.

Striking quickly in the first quarter, Mart scored twice to establish an early lead and had no trouble from then on to hold their supremacy. Starting from their own 38 yard line, Smyth, Rogers and Sandig ripped off two first downs to place them on Gatesville's 23 yard line. From there the elusive Sandig circled the Hornet left wing and behind perfect blocking, stepped easily across the goal line. Capt. Brady converted the extra point for the Panthers.

Three plays later Mart's superstar, Sandig, tucked Baker's punt under his arm and unlimbered a beautiful 50 yard gallop down the sideline for the Panther's second marker. Captain Brady failed to convert the extra point.

In the second quarter the Hornet line settled down and be-

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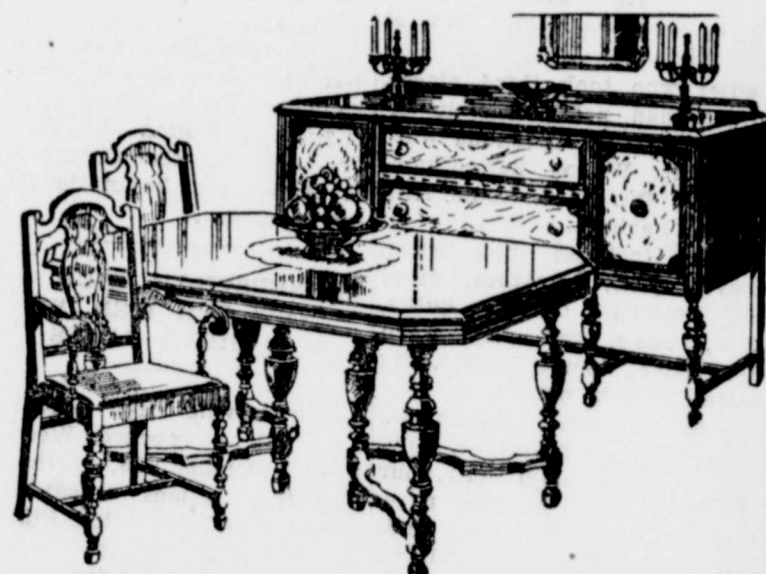
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gan to play ball. Twice the Panthers penetrated the Hornet twenty but were tackled viciously and fumbled, both errors being recovered by Gatesville.

The half ended with both lines playing good defensive ball and neither able to gain.

Shortly after the start of the second half, Rogers, speedy Panther fullback skirted left end from his own 45 yard line and

stepped across pay dirt to make the score 19 to 0. The try for the point failed. Two plays later Sandig uncorked a fifty yard run down the sidelines for the Panther's last score.

From there on the game was mostly a putting duel with neither team threatening to score.

Mart seems to be the class of the district, unless Itasca comes up with an extra strong

team, which is doubtful.

The Panther eight man line proved too much for the Hornet offense. If the game had been played on a dry field the score might have been different, for Hornet passes would have pulled that line backer into his rightful position and then probably the sweeper plays would have gone somewhere. As it was,

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SPORTS—

they were smothered by the line of scrimmage and got nowhere at all.

Gatesville only made three first downs to the Panthers eight but in spite of that the lines were fairly evenly matched. All four of Mart's scores came from long runs from scrimmage, except the return punt, Sandig and his sideline running proved too much for the Hornet linebackers. All his advance publicity was true, he was as good as they said and demonstrated so last Friday night.

The Hornets were simply outclassed, in which there is no disgrace. They at least played differently from the Clifton game fighting hard up to the last play. Experience is one of the great teachers, the Hornets have not gone to school long enough. Such a team playing together two years could easily win the district, but they lack the knowledge and cooperation to do so now.

The guard and tackle play of the Hornets stood out on the defense. Williams, Voss, King and Taylor all played good defensive ball, while Wallace played an alert game at center. Few gains were made through the center

of the line.

Baker played his usual consistent game from his halfback post. In spite of the heavy, soggy ball he successfully got off every kick and kept the Hornets out of danger several times.

West defeated Clifton 19 to 0 last Friday night which does not look so good for the Hornets. West was considered one of the weakest teams in the league and their defeat of Clifton was one of the biggest upsets in central Texas football.

The Hornets were doped to defeat West easily but conditions are changed now. Supposedly a "breather" the game has now assumed serious proportions and is no more than a toss-up.

Gatesville, with two losses, is definitely out of the district running and will do well to win their remaining games. Hamilton and West remain the toughest opponents on their schedule. They have a chance to bet West but Hamilton will probably prove too much for them. Advance reports state that Hamilton has one of their traditional slugging kicking teams, with the fans aiding from the sidelines with their blood-curdling yells. It is already promising to be a very lovely game.

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GATESVILLEITES ATTEND THE BAYLOR HOMECOMING AND BALL GAME

Despite the inclement weather, several enthusiastic former Baylorites attended the Homecoming and Baylor A. and M. football game in Waco Saturday afternoon. Due to the rain and mud the program was called off, but the game, which is always the climax of the homecoming, was played.

Attending From Gatesville were Dr. Otis Ray, Troy Jones, Johnnie Bradford, Dr. and Mrs. Kermit Jones, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Jackson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schloeman and family, Harry Jones, Jack Roach, Mr. and Mrs. Mat Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Chapman, Miss Louise Carl, Mrs. Byron Leaird Sr., Mrs. F. W. Straw and son Jack, Byron Leaird McClellan.

CORYELL COUNTY RURAL RECREATION ASS'N. HOLDS MEETING

The Coryell County Rural Recreation Association held its regular fourth Thursday night meeting last Thursday evening in the recreation hall of the local CCC Camp. Various games and contests were directed by Mrs. W. E. Hayes and Miss Otha Berry.

The next meeting will be held the third Thursday night in November, at the CCC Camp. The public is cordially invited to meet with them.

RADIO EVANGELIST TO SPEAK HERE WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2

Rev. J. A. Lovell, radio Evangelist of Dublin, Texas, will speak on the courthouse lawn here by means of his loudspeaker on

Wednesday, November 2, at 2:30 o'clock. He also states that he will have some good sacred singing.

Rev. Mr. Lovell has just returned from a three months' tour of California, and states that he will bring a good message to the people of this county.

TOPSEY H. D. CLUB

The Topsey Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday afternoon, October 21, at the home of Mrs. Ed Fowler. There were 21 members and ten visitors present. A business meeting was held and refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be on November 4, at the home of Mrs. Nick Hornsby.

—Hammermill Bond typewriter paper can be had at News office.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. George Bean
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Mrs. George Bean entertained Thursday with a bridge luncheon at her home on South 14th st. A Hallowe'en motif was carried out in the house decorations. Mesdames A. L. Chollar and D. D. McCoy were recipients of high and second high score prizes and Mrs. L. S. Holmes received the traveling prize.

A delicious three course luncheon was served the following guests: Mesdames Harry Flentge, A. L. Chollar, I. F. Johnson, Jr., George Painter, D. D. McCoy, L. S. Holmes, R. L. Saunders, O. N. Hix, B. K. Cooper, B. B. Garrett, and Frances Caruth.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Straw
Entertain Owl Club.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Straw entertained members of the Owl Club at their lovely home on Leon street. Bouquets of roses furnished the decorations throughout the party rooms, and games of 84 were played during the evening.

A delicious salad plate was served the following: Messrs. and Mesdames Jeff Bates, E. G. Beerwinkle, D. R. Boone, T. R. Mears, Edgar Franks, D. I. Glass, C. E. Jones, Luke Walker, Tom L. Robinson, John O. Potts, and Mesdames Pleas Walker, Byron Leaird Sr., and Mrs. John Powell.

Mrs. Glen Gray Hostess
To Friday Club.

The Friday Contrict Club was entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Glen Gray on South 7th street. Roses and ferns were attractively arranged throughout the party rooms and centered each table.

In games of bridge Mrs. H. C. Adams was recipient of high score prize. At the conclusion of games the hostess served refreshments of peach meringues and coffee to the following: Mesdames Durward Shepherd, Jim J. Brown, Peyton Morgan, Louis Neuman, Lorraine Webb, H. C. Adams of Oglesby and Miss Lindsay Belle Dickie.

Gartmans Entertain
Thursday Evening.

Mr. and Mr. A. W. Gartman entertained with a bridge party Thursday evening at their home on Waco street. The party rooms were attractively decorated Hallowe'en fashion.

In games of bridge Mrs. Kirby Perryman won high score prize for women and R. W. Ward, high score prize for men.

Refreshments were served the following guests: Messrs. and Mesdames Troy H. Jones, R. W. Ward, B. K. Cooper, Francis Caruth and Kirby Perryman.

Capt. Alvin Moore, commander of the local CCC Camp, spent the week end in Dallas.



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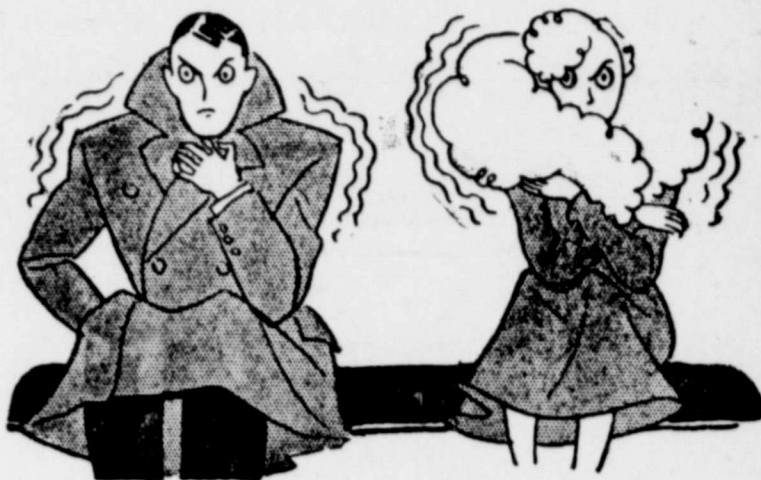


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Mr. and Mrs. Chick McCallister and daughter Gene Baker and Mrs. McCallister's parents, Mr. and Ms. Ida Taylor of Hamilton were Centennial visitors last week end.

H. A. Biffle, employee of the Community Public Service Co., left Sunday with his family for Clifton where they will spend a two weeks' vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Biffle.

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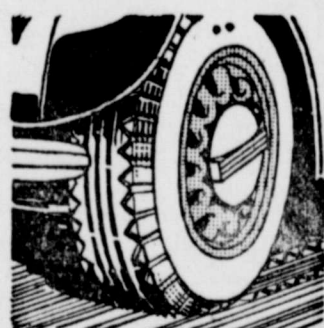
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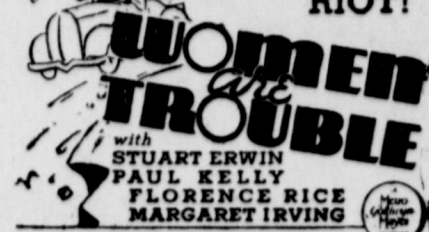
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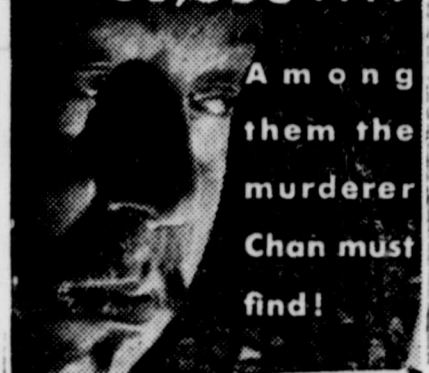
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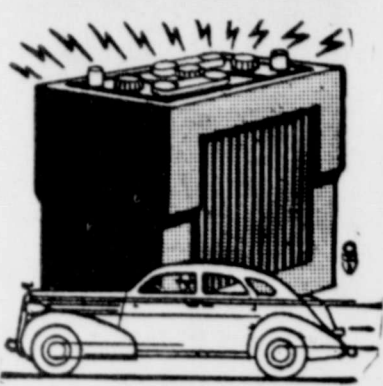
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WILL NOT CORRECT LAW THIS SESSION

Austin. — Governor James V. Allred announced a few days ago that he would not open the subject of correcting the present Old Age Assistance Law until after the Third Called Session of the 44th Legislature passes a revenue measure.

Old age assistance checks can not be sent out Nov. 1 unless the Legislature provides additional funds.

YOUR CHILD AND THE SCHOOL

By Dr. ALLEN G. IRELAND
Director, Physical and Health Education
New Jersey State Department of Public Instruction

Safety Posters

I am writing this while attending the National Safety Congress. Safety-minded men and women are here from all over the whole country, some 12,000 of them. The slogan this year is "The New War on Accidents."

A prominent feature of the "new war" is child education, with the emphasis on safety education in the schools. There is speech making and discussion together with all the usual profundities of conventions, but what impresses me is the safety poster exhibit. This is a contribution of the New Jersey school children for the sponsor of the Congress this year in the State of New Jersey. Hundreds of posters covering all phases of safety education are on display. They represent the pick among thousands for only the best were sent to the exhibit.

My thoughts, however, keeps returning to the fundamental issue. What proceeds or what is behind the making of a poster. A child may finish a poster condemning hitching rides and fifteen minutes later be on the streets looking for a truck. No! The poster can be only a device. It may serve to give emphasis, but the instruction leading up to it still remains the most effective means of preventing accidents. It is what the pupil learns about safety not about art that keeps him safe.

In his next article, Dr. Ireland explains the necessity of proper attention to the child's first teeth.

—News Want-Ads Get Results

TWO-THIRDS HAVE APPLIED

Austin, Tex.—Total applica-

tions for aid received by the Old Age Assistance Commission reached 212,000 in number this week.

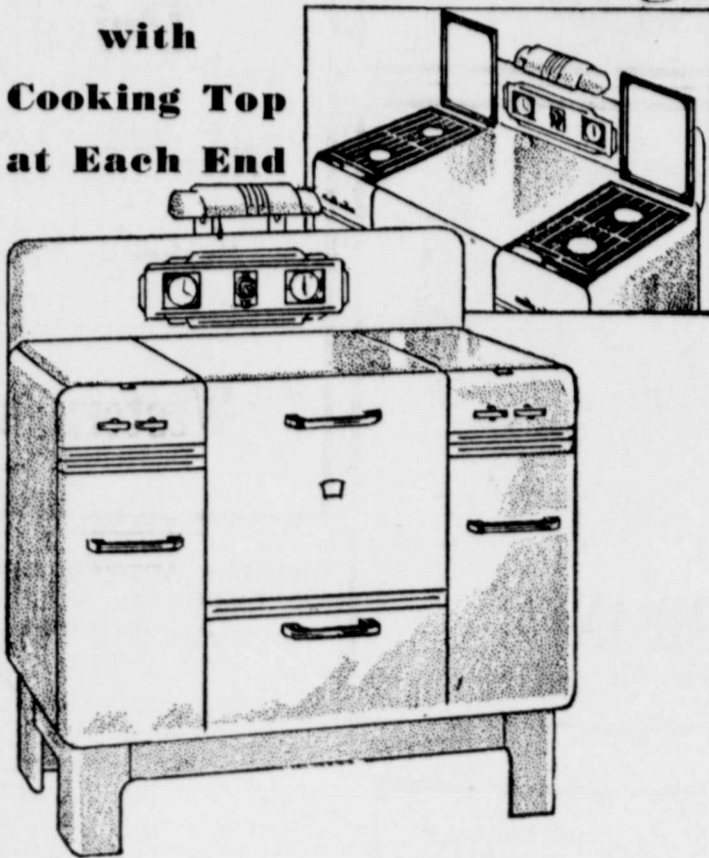
As it has been estimated that approximately 300,000 Texans are 65 years of age or over, more than two-thirds of the aged

population of the State have applied for assistance. About 150,000 are expected to be eligible under the present liberal law.

LISTEN, FOLKS!

Florence Gas Range

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Cooking Top
at Each End



Here is a Gas Range designed in the mode of tomorrow, offering the utmost in cooking convenience.

Smartly styled, with rounded corners and graceful enameling, it is finished in a gleaming porcelain throughout.

A two-burner cooking top at each end and affords extra space for utensils over the burners and a large work table in the center. These are illuminated by a shaded electric lamp above the backguard.

The unusually large oven, fully insulated with rock wool, has porcelain linings that are rust-proof and easily kept clean. A safety pilot light burns while oven burner is on. Heavy steel wire oven racks, of non-sagging construction, slide out on porcelain rails to safety stop without tipping.

An automatic electric lamp illuminates the oven when door is opened. Combination thermostat control and oven burner gas cock are conveniently located on the backguard together with an electric clock and accurate timer. Oven thermostat is of the extra-sensitive liquid bulb type, extremely accurate.

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Come in today! See these new beautiful heaters: circulating, radiant, and cabinet types, in various sizes. Each one carries a FACTS TAG, applied at the factory, which will tell you everything about the heater and what it will do.

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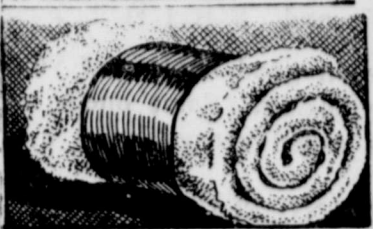
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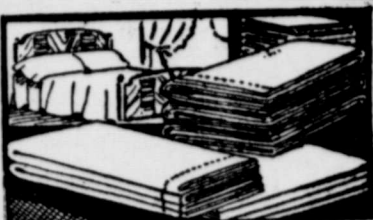
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Snowy white, good quality sheet—priced special for this sale.

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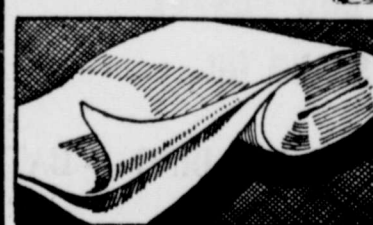
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PILLOW CASES
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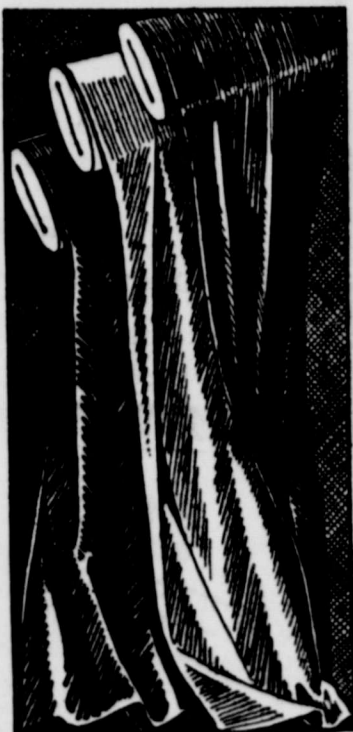
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SMART FOR FALL



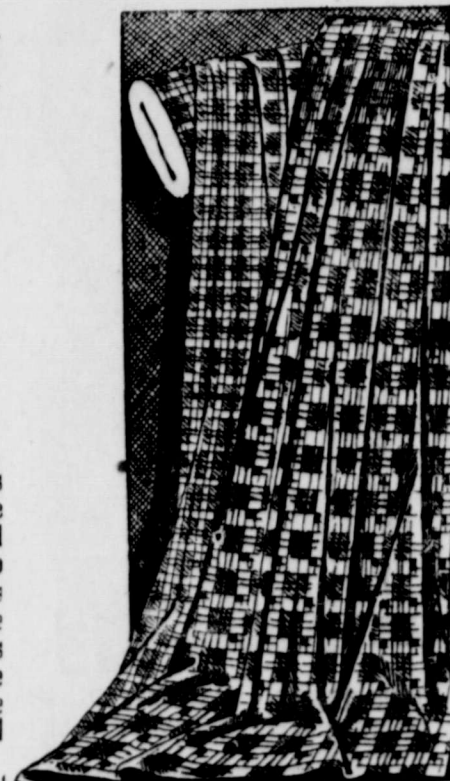
Plain Colored
Novelty Weave
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For your new dress this Fall there is no smarter material than velveteen. We have a fine selection of solid colors to choose from, and they are trimmed in contrasting colors; it makes a very smart dress.

NOVELTY PATTERNS

IN WASH
FABRICS
19c to
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An all silk hose that will give you plenty of wear in popular new fall colors. Regular length and knee length.

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A good quality heavy weight union suit, in all sizes, at a very special price of—

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MEN'S WORK SHIRTS
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Triple stitched, cut full and roomy. Made to give good service and satisfaction.



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Sanforized overalls that do not shrink. Triple stitched and reinforced at all points of strain.



MEN'S COTTON GLOVES
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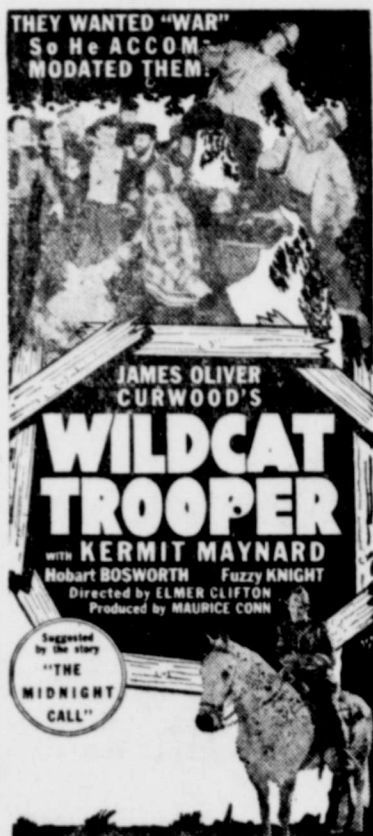


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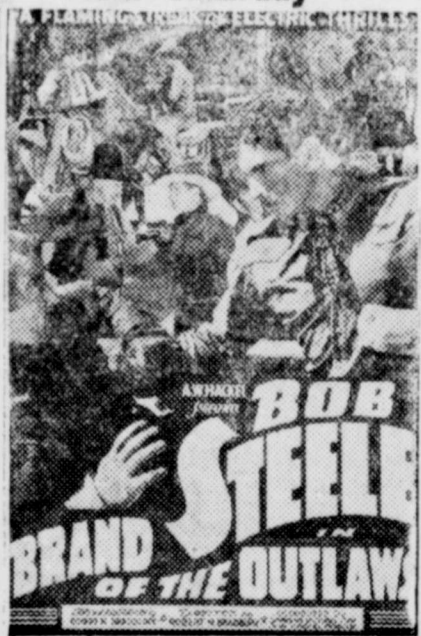
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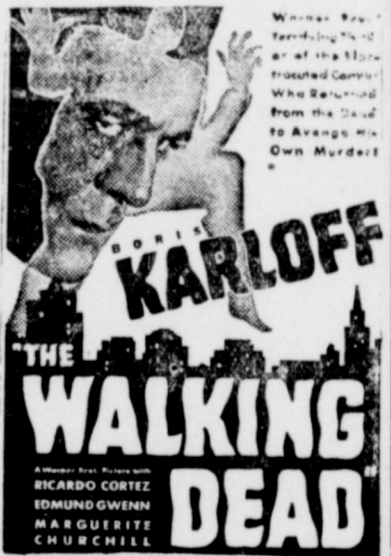
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and adequate compensation. But in this we will leave the final decision to the voter.

Of the other tentative amendments to the State Constitution which were proposed, at the regular session of the Forty-fourth Legislature in 1935, we will discuss one in particular.

Amending Sec. 26 of Art. III by adding thereto Sec. 26a limiting to seven the number of representatives in the Legislature any county may have unless that county exceeds 700,000 population, and providing that in the event a county attains a population of more than 700,000 it shall have one additional representative for each 100,000 above the 700,000.

This amendment, represents another effort on the part of the agricultural sections of the State to limit the representation of the great industrial cities in the Legislature, and is a continuation of a controversy dating to the time Washington and the founding of the Republic. Then, as now, the growth of great cities with huge concentrations of populations was met with determined efforts on the part of the sparsely populated rural sections to maintain the latter's dominance of the government.

In the last two decades such metropolises as Houston, Dallas, San Antonio, Fort Worth, Amarillo and other cities have grown amazingly and their representation in the Legislature has increased proportionately.

Why should the farmer or smalltown banker have political precedence over the factory worker or manufacturer? Let the cities have their representation in proportion to their population—no more, certainly no less.

Other amendments pending the voters' approval are:

Amending Art. III by adding thereto Sec. 48a providing for a retirement fund for persons employed in public schools, colleges, and universities supported wholly or partly by the State, and making provisions also for investment of the fund after it is placed in operation.

Amending Art. III by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 59 providing that the Legislature may provide or workmen's compensation insurance for State employees, and to provide for the payment of all costs, charges and premiums on such policies of insurance.

Amending Sec. 20 of Art. XVI to establish a State monopoly on the sale of liquor providing for sale by the State store in unbroken packages only, and providing for local option elections. (If adopted this would replace the current Sec. 20, which was adopted Aug. 24, 1935.)

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World Comment—

to make the Secretary of State appointive by the governor at a salary of \$6,000 has been criticised in the press of the State. It is argued that an appointive position, regardless of

its importance, should not carry the same salary as many of the elective offices, such as Comptroller and Treasurer. On the other hand, the Secretary of State is the executive assistant to the chief executive and as such should receive reasonable



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October 20, 1936

The Senate is working on the so-called Omnibus tax bill and has been during most of the past week. As I have already mentioned, this bill is essentially a concession to the great interests who are trying to stave off all taxes on great wealth. In this connection, there are two schools of thought. One is represented by the oil companies, the sulphur companies, the utilities and other large corporations who urge that the legislature adopt what they call a "wide base" taxation. By this they mean that they want all taxes spread out among the people as widely as possible. They do not agree that ability to pay should be a controlling factor. On the contrary, they suggest that we get the money from those groups who are in the poorest position to resist. Fundamentally, they favor the European tax system under which great palaces have been built by the rich while the government was largely supported by painful levies on the poor—where salt, matches, etc., are made to carry excessive tax burdens as a means of getting revenue from the low income group.

The other school of thought, and the one to which I subscribe, believe that ability to pay should be one of the guiding principals of taxation. That the government should look to those of its citizens who are making money for its chief tax support. In other words, I believe that we should go where the money is when we start out to look for taxes. In this connection, it is interesting to note that for a number of years the oil industry has actually made more money in Texas than all of our farms, but it pays but a small part of the total tax.

Another way of looking at whether the burden will fall on the people of Texas or of another state. Certainly the Omnibus tax would fall almost exclusively on the people of this State. I think that it is rather foolish for the people to pay all of their own taxes and pay taxes for the support of other states as well, but this is exactly what they are doing. Every automobile sold in Texas has included in the price a tax collected by the Michigan manufacturer and by him paid to that State, yet Texas continues to do nothing about it and even now considers the levy of millions out on our own people, while refusing to make any substantial increase in the tax on natural resources.

Yesterday afternoon the House sent over a bill raising the tax on crude oil 3 1-4 cents per barrel—a pitifully small increase but an increase nevertheless. Senator Will Pace of the State Affairs Committee very promptly and fairly called a meeting of his Committee to consider the bill. I am not a member of this committee, in fact, only two or three who have supported a natural resource bill are members, but I appeared with the author of the House bill, Mr. Reeder and asked the committee to report the bill. Instead, Senator Frank Rawlins of Fort Worth moved that the Committee hold the bill and take no action thereon. The reason for this action is that the majority of the Committee is opposed to any oil tax, and if the Committee were to report the bill favorable it would come before the Senate,

and if the Committee would make an unfavorable report we could get two members to sign a minority report and get the bill before the Senate, but we are denied even that opportunity and this is a thing that many of our people often overlook—the fact that the majority can often prevent even a vote on a measure which they do not favor. Of course, no tax measure can be introduced in the Senate—we can only amend the House bills. Then all House bills must be reported favorably by a Senate committee or a minority report of the committee must be accepted by the Senate before a bill can be considered on the floor of the Senate. After a bill reaches the Senate floor, there is always the possibility of the majority will put on the previous question, thus denying any amendments or debate.

I still hope to get my natural resource tax up as an amendment to the Omnibus tax, but will not be surprised if the previous question is put up before I am recognized for that purpose. In the meantime, the bill has been so amended that no one knows just what is in it and there is little doubt that a conference committee will write the bill. If the committee attempts to follow the wishes of the two houses as expressed by the amendments, we will probably get a tax bill, but if the committee brings back sales tax, which both houses have repudiated, I doubt if we get any tax.

Last Saturday the Senate accepted by a 15 to 14 vote an amendment offered by Senator Small which would have reduced the appropriation for old age assistance from \$25,000,000 to \$6,000,000. This would of course have required that three-fourths of those on the pension rolls be removed. I voted against this amendment. I realize that there are lots of people who are on the pension rolls who should

MISS CRYSTAL UPTON OF ABILENE CHRISTIAN COLLEGE HONORED

Miss Crystal Upton of Izora was present at a buffet supper in honor of new members of the Ellen H. Richards club at Abilene Christian college Thursday evening, October 8.

Forty-six new members were present at the dinner in the home economics department laboratories. In the receiving line were La Verne McGregor, president; Vivian Day, vice-president; and Eileen McReynolds and Ruth Green, who are also officers of the home economics club.

EWING SCHOOL CARNIVAL TO BE HELD FRIDAY NITE, OCT. 30

Friday, October 30, is the date set for a night of spooky entertainment, fortunes, stunts, games, program and refreshments at Ewing where the Ewing School Carnival begins at 8:30 p. m.

Proceeds from this program will go for the rhythm band and playground equipment.

The community urges that you be present.

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not be there, but I do not want to do an injustice to the good and worthy people. Nor do I believe that the House of Representatives will accept this amendment. In fact, I am afraid that the session will end with nothing done other than to transfer some funds out of one account into another.

The Senate has just rejected the Sanderford sales tax by a vote of 20 to 8. I voted "no", as I always have on a sales tax. I hope to get my natural resource tax before the Senate before we adjourn tonight.

W. R. Poage

YOUNG MEN OF TEXAS AND OKLAHOMA HAVE CHANCE TO JOIN MARINES

The officer in charge, United States Marine Corps Recruiting Office, recruiting district of Dallas, which includes the entire states of Oklahoma and Texas, announced today that authorization has been received to enlist a number of men during the month of November.

All enlistments are for general service and a period of four years.

The minimum age for first enlistment is 18 and the maximum, 25. Men qualified as musicians capable of reading music who play flute, piccolo, trumpet, trap drum, trombone, banjo, cornet, violin, bass drum and piano may be accepted up to 30 years of age.

All men accepted are transferred immediately after they enlist to the marine corps base, San Diego, California. They have an opportunity of enrolling in extensive educational courses maintained by the Marine Corps and affiliated with the International Correspondence Schools of Scranton, Pa.

Written application for enlistment may be forwarded to the officer in charge, United States Marine Corps Recruiting Office, Room 822 Allen Building, 1700 Commerce Street, Dallas, Texas. All applications will receive prompt attention.

MORE NAMES ON OLD AGE LIST

Tustin, Tex.—Reports from the twenty district offices of the Old Age Assistance Commission indicated this week that approximately 3,000 old people are filling applications each month.

Orville S. Carpenter, executive director, said that he expected this to be the minimum monthly receipt.



Rev. J. H. Baldridge at Hamilton Quarterly Conference Wed. Night

On Wednesday evening the First Methodist church of Hamilton held their last quarterly conference and included with this meeting an All Church Night. Among those present was, Rev. J. H. Baldridge, presiding elder of the Gatesville district.

At a business session church officials were elected or replaced for service during the remaining months of 1936 and to the 1937 conference year. Lewis Woodall, formerly of this city and son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Woodall of this city, was among the officers elected. Lewis will be the Adult Sunday School Superintendent for the coming year.

During the social hour the congregation complimented Rev. J. H. Baldridge with a gift shower and R. B. Miller made appropriate remarks concerning the splendid work Rev. Mr. Baldridge has done as the presiding elder of the Gatesville district.

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION MEET AT IRELAND OCTOBER 18

More than 100 Baptists were present at the regular meeting of the Leon River Associational Baptist Training Union at Ireland Sunday afternoon.

A most interesting and inspiring program was presented. Miss Emma Lera Gregory of Gatesville gave an educational talk on presenting more interesting Bible drills. Mrs. A. D. Honeycutt of the Gatesville B. A. U. provided, perhaps, the most interesting number of the program when she recounted her experiences in the B. T. U. work for the past forty years and of the difficulties encountered in promoting this work in Gatesville even before it was sponsored by the Southern Baptist Convention. The talk by Miss Maggie Richards of Jonesboro Junior B. Y. P. U. immediately following Mrs. Honeycutt's discussion furnished a most effective picture of the extent and of the results of B. T. U. training. Special music was provided by a male quartette from the German Bethel Church A. B. T. U. playlet, "State Mission Dollars," Presented by the Ireland B. T. U. concluded the program.

In the business meeting the association was divided into 4 districts and a group director for each was appointed as follows: Group one, Miss Ruby Lee Lawson, Ireland; group two, Miss Lois Welch, Gatesville; group three, Rev. Alvin Hopson of Mound; and group four, appointment postponed. Rev. C. A. Morton of Gatesville was named pastor-advisor of the associational union. The next meeting will be held on November 15 at the First Baptist Church of Gatesville.

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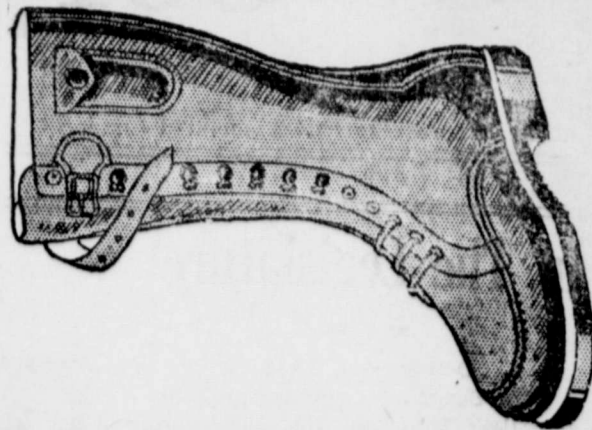


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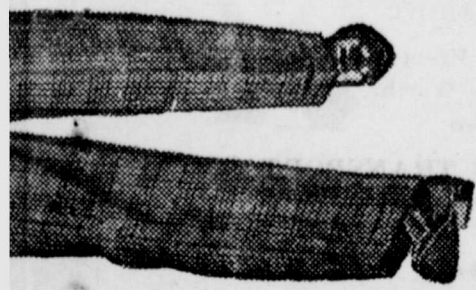
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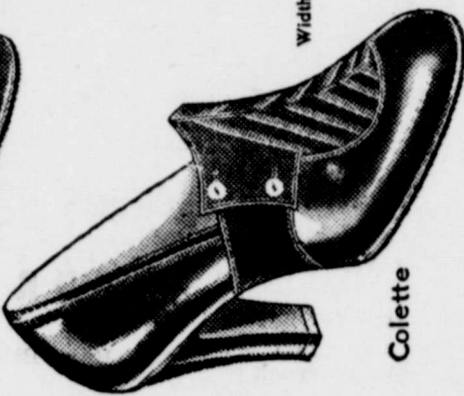
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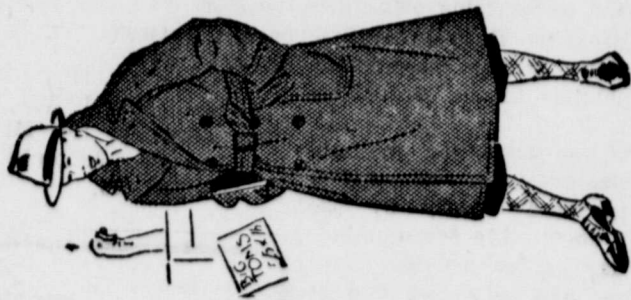
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It is the year 1757. General Montcalm is besieging Fort William Henry, defended by British troops and Colonial Irregulars. Some Colonials desert to defend their homes against the ravages of the French Indian allies. For helping them slip out, Hawkeye, a Colonial scout, and his Mohican friends, Uncas and Chingachgook, are put in prison, although previously they had saved the Colonel's daughters, Cora and Alice, from the Indians. Munro is forced to surrender the Fort. The Hurons begin to massacre the vanquished.

Chapter X

CAPTIVES

Callantly, but vainly, several unarmed British officers sought to cut the way of the infuriated Indians. They were cut down with tomahawks; scalping knives flashed in the air, as the Hurons began their grisly work of scalping the dead and wounded. In the barracks, the women, panic-stricken, huddled together, like sheep under attack by wolves.



The Massacre at the Fort

One woman sought safety in flight, rushing out of the barracks across the courtyard. She was pounced upon by a giant Huron who seized her by the hair, and began dragging her across the ground. Her shrieks brought French soldiers to the rescue, and a general melee ensued—the drink-crazed Indians no longer making any distinction between pale-face friend or foe.

Cora and Alice had barred the door to their room, and swung tight the heavy shutters. Alice had armed herself with a large horse pistol. Colonel Munro, with two other officers fully armed, was rushing to her rescue when Magua appeared. The treacherous Huron smiled grimly and fired. Munro fell, mortally wounded. Others in his band shot down the two officers. None now barred the way. The Hurons threw their weight against the barred door; it gave way. Alice fired, and the foremost Indian dropped. But the others swept into the room.

Heyward reached the scene in time to see the girls being carried off by the Hurons. Recklessly, he set out in pursuit. The Hurons scaled the barricade and disappeared into the woods. Montcalm, too, belatedly arrived and with his officers managed to put a stop to the massacre which had now become general. The ground was strewn with the bodies of men and women, indiscriminately slaughtered. Near the barracks Montcalm came upon the body of the dying Colonel Munro. He knelt to the ground and begged forgiveness.

Hawkeye and the Mohicans, too, were on the trail of Magua. When they came upon Heyward, the officer was wandering about aimlessly in the forest, his once faultless uniform in rags and tatters. Heyward's first impulse was to treat them as enemies; reassured by Hawkeye he consented ungraciously to join their party.

"However," he said, "I want you to understand that I still consider you a mutineer, and if we're ever under British jurisdiction again, I shall enjoy pressing charges against you."

Cora and Alice, captives at the Huron village, were surrounded by Indian warriors, met to decide

their fate. Magua claimed Cora as his squaw.

"And what of this one?" the Sachem asked, pointing to Alice. "This one like warrior," Magua said scornfully. "She die in our fire."

"We'll die together," Cora said defiantly.

Magua approached her and laid his arm on her shoulder. "I treat you well. You are daughter of little chief. I make you squaw of big chief."

"Why does such a big chief run from his enemies?" Cora asked calmly.

Magua patted her arm. "Good spirit—chief's squaw." And turning to the Sachem, he again made his demand, "This one my squaw."

"My son," the Sachem said gravely, "she is unwilling."

"But I have taken this woman," Magua argued heatedly. "It is for me to say."

"The Manitou has given us a law. It is for the law to say. She has a right to choose between you and fire."

Magua scowled. "Until the sun rises Magua wait for answer." And he stalked away. The girls, dragged back to the bark tepee where they were being kept prisoners, had to run a gauntlet of snarling crones, who clawed at their

POINTS OF INTEREST IN PENDING AMENDMENT GIVEN

Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 "Proposing an amendment to the Constitution authorizing establishment of Teacher Retirement System," is the second amendment on the ballot to be voted on November 3.

All persons employed in public schools, colleges, and universities supported wholly by the state will be eligible for membership. It is further provided that no person who has not taught twenty years in the state of Texas is eligible for retirement benefits, but will be entitled to refund of his part of the moneys paid into the fund. Recipients of retirement benefits are not eligible for any other form of pension or relief from the state.

The amount contributed by each person shall not exceed 5 per cent of the compensation received from the state during any one year and in no case shall it exceed \$180.00 per year. The per centage rate of contributions by the teacher will be set by law; whatever the amount, the state will match it. This method is known as a teacher-state contributory plan. It is a common and desirable feature both in business and in government.

A financially sound teacher retirement law can be enacted for the benefit of public education in Texas by exercise of legislative statesmanship, provided the teacher retirement is approved by the people on November. Without this approval no retirement plan for the teachers is possible.

Lets Talk about Clothes

TEXAS STATE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (CIA)

Denton, Oct., 26—A swing about city shops show that the world of fashion is emphasizing the spectator sports frock. Week end games and daily horse races further confirm the top billing of these frocks wherever smart women gather.

Tried and true tweeds now share honors with clan plaids or tartans. One plaid frock which has been noted at every outdoor event this season made its appearance at a recent game. It is a one-piece model with a circular skirt and shoulders worked out to an extended point. A collar band and tie of dark velvet with velvet are softening details.

Another spectator outfit popular with girls at Texas State College for Women (CIA) is a plain plaid coat dress fastened all the way down the front with black bone buttons and completed with a matching scarf. Further favor for plaid is expressed in a peaked brim hat of the same fabric with a jaunty quill.

A costume that will look well at any game is built around a honey colored wide velveteen sports jacket—made like a man's shooting jacket with large roomy pockets, half belt and leather brown felt hat and natural color cashmere sweater keep this costume in pleasant monotone.

An interesting commentary on sports wear was made in several shops where suede is one of the leading fabrics. There is a renewed interest in suede costumes ranging from skirts to vests and including entire suits. They are light, supple, and are the perfect type country clothing.

THIS WEEK IN TEXAS HISTORY

Week of October 25
1693—Mexico abandoned her Texas missions on October 25 because of the hostilities of the Indians.

1835—The General Council of Texas issued a proclamation to the United States on October 26 for help in the war for liberty from Mexico.

1835—The Americans and

Mexicans engaged in a battle near Mission Concepcion on October 28.

1842—The barge "Star Republic" arrived at Galveston on October 25. It was the first packet between Texas and New York.

1842—Colonel W. S. Fisher surrendered to the Mexicans under General Ampudia at Mier on October 26.

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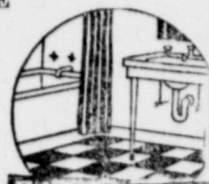


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