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persons desired to name it Casafuerte in honor of the victory of Mexico. According to the records it was to be made a cañada, and created the capital of Texas because it was the first civilized settlement founded in the province by families from the Canaries.

... San Juan San Fernando was founded are contained in the "Recopilacion de Leyes de los Reinos de las Indias." Mrs. Maccheroni said that the city was established and governed according to these laws. According to these laws the new settlers were created hidalgo and were given a municipal government with detailed instructions for laying off the town.

Orders were given by the Spanish governor issuing grants of land to the colonists, the size of each family receiving two parcels of land. It was necessary to make two separate measures of the lands, one to show the lands clear and free from timber and another to record the land along the San Antonio River in order to take into consideration the windings of this stream. The head of each family received a grant of the cleared land which extended from the limits of the presidio, or garrison, in a line north and south, the 1,680 varas of land being divided equally among them. In addition, each received a "sede," or lot, of land along the banks of the river, some of which were larger than others, due to the meandering of the stream. The four single men were reckoned in this order as one family, and accordingly received one share of land between them.

DO YOU KNOW THAT—

Laws for the payment of old age pensions were passed in 14 states in 1923 and 1924, making a total of 29 states with such laws.

More than 75 hunters were killed during the deer-season—yet stilling.

It wasn't the late John Dillinger's wooden gun but an \$1,800 bribe he paid that got him out of the "escape proof" Crown Point jail.

Uncle Sam now owns more than \$1,000,000,000 worth of gold which is more than one-third of the \$21,540,000,000 in gold in the world.

The average price received per acre for farm land last year by 12 Federal Land Banks was little better than \$20.

Consumption of meat ranges from 46-pounds in Italy to more than 200 pounds in America.

There are 20 times as many murders in the United States as in Great Britain.

It costs the people of the United States \$10,000,000,000 a year to "take care" of their criminals.

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Silver Dome of New Observatory Glistens in West Texas Mountains; Telescope Will Be Finished in 1936

A great shining dome, a bright silver thimble turned upside down on a hill, shining at sunset like a light in a window—that is McDonald Observatory in the lonely West Texas mountains now that the steel work is finished and the smooth dome frosted with aluminum paint.

The steel skeleton was finished last the other day, after three months of work by a crew of sky-scraper and steel workers.

After they got started another crew worked behind them putting on thin steel sheathing, inside and out.

The dome is 62 feet across. The whole edifice rises 75 feet above the ground. It has 34 windows and four aluminum doors. The shutter that rooster comb affair on top, that will open to let the big telescope see out—weighs 16 tons.

The polar axis that will support the telescope's secondary mirror is a concrete pillar will weigh 11 tons. A structure built on magnificient proportions that observatory, the whole dome itself turns on wheels at the touch of an electric button.

The big 82-inch mirror is being ground daily at the telescope makers in Cleveland, O. Eighty-two inches is right. Hereafter it has been said that the mirror will be 80 inches. But it will be larger. Here is what happened. The Warner and Swasey Company of Cleveland had the contract for both telescope and the building. The 80-inch mirror will be on a New York concern, ordering a disk 81 1/2 inches in diameter, to give them a window—that is McDonald Observatory in the lonely West Texas mountains now that the steel work is finished and the smooth dome frosted with aluminum paint.

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ARCHIVES OF BEXAR

When Business of the Texas Government, From 1727 to 1835, Was Centered in San Antonio.

The following is one of a many islands, their sea voyage by means of weekly articles taken from an overland trek to the Bexar Archives at the University of Texas. This collection, consisting of the first, officially recognized, historical documents of the Texas territory, is the most complete and authentic record of the Texas territory ever assembled. It is the result of the work of the Bexar Archives, a project of the University of Texas, which has been in progress since 1917. The collection consists of 40,000 pages of original Spanish and Mexican documents, including the original Spanish and Mexican records of the Texas territory, from 1727 to 1835. The collection is the most complete and authentic record of the Texas territory ever assembled. It is the result of the work of the Bexar Archives, a project of the University of Texas, which has been in progress since 1917. The collection consists of 40,000 pages of original Spanish and Mexican documents, including the original Spanish and Mexican records of the Texas territory, from 1727 to 1835.

Several new features characterized this plan. Hitherto the arrangements for the settlements had been worked out by the missionaries, orders had been issued by the viceroys and all families brought into the territory of Mexico. Under the new proposal, orders were issued by the King of Spain, in the suggestion of Marquis de San Antonio de Aguayo, and the colonies were to be brought from the face of the country.

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Might consider some trade.
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Mr. R. T. Ansell of Houston spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. E. W. Hanley. Mr. Ansell was accompanied by Mrs. Mamie Reed, who spent the day with her sister, Mrs. E. O. Booth.

Twenty-five members of the local BYPU attended the monthly meeting in Glidden on Monday night. They were awarded the mileage banner and the percentage of attendance banner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Leedy were visitors in Columbus on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Scholer spent Sunday in Ott Spring.

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meeting has been postponed until February, the fourth.

One of the graduates of St. Wendel, Woodstock, is spending a few days with his family and friends in Eagle Lake.

Betty Ney accompanied by George Kezelsky and a couple from East Bernard went to Austin last Sunday.

Elmer Reese, Betty Ney, Johnnie Bates, Gladys Edith Hanson, Catherine Holman, Madeline McElhinney, and the members of the Study Club members on last Friday.

We've heard that Herbert is a regular authority on fourth grade Arithmetic.

Evelyn Mae will even admit that she likes Ray now.

Herman has had hard luck getting his date, but most likely she'll give in.

Charley really should be in the first grade, anyway.

We'll just let you all in on a little secret: Marvin had better be careful to brush those blonde hairs off of his coat from now on.

Frances still says that thirteenth is a lot of money.

The Minstrel

A large cast is rehearsing every night for the big minstrel to be given Friday night, Feb. 1 at 8 p. m. The proceeds will be used to buy tickets for letter men on the football team. Admission prices will be 15c and 25c. At the High School Auditorium.

Last Monday the Sophomores held a class meeting, deciding to have a grand old hay ride Friday, if the weather is fine.

BE AT THE HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, FRIDAY-NIGHT, FEBRUARY 1st.

Theodore Roosevelt to His Son

Theodore Roosevelt's eldest son, a student in Harvard, got into a street brawl in which the students and police of Boston engaged. Roosevelt was provoked and we think the time propitious to reprint the letter the Colonel wrote his son:

"My son, what means all this noise in the papers about your taking part in a rowdy fight with officers of the law on Boston Common? Is it true that you, supposed to be a decent young gentleman, son of a gentleman, have been engaged in this brutal, vulgar, unlawful fight? Is this what you went to college for? Have you lost the inheritance of honorable, Christian instincts? Don't you know that such conduct is not merely vulgar, but wrong? When men of the humblest ranks of life are set to keep the peace, do you know that you are expected to fight the law? It is quite mainly, it is right, to beat the officers of law, like the most lawless denizens of the dives! Is that the sort of man you wish to be? Which will make you fit to become a useful citizen, to deserve well of the state and to rule men?"

My son, did you forget your father? Do you know that when you hold to a considerable degree his honor in your keeping? Your father, Theodore, has been chosen by the Wharton following an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. Alice Varley and little son, Freddie, spent last Sunday visiting relatives at Sheridan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rahn and children of El Campo spent the week-end here with the family of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Daily.

Miss Joyce Norwood former school teacher at Clusterville, this year teaching in the school at Magpie, spent the week-end here with the family of her sister, Mrs. E. R. Mooney.

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| Roast | Lb | 10c | Beef or Veal | Lb | 05c |
| Tender Veal | Lb | 10c | STEAK MEAT | Lb | 05c |
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C. E. Schram, with the Humble Oil Company, was a visitor in Eagle Lake Saturday afternoon. Mr. Schram, who has been on a big near Yokum, spent a few days visiting relatives near Garwood. Mr. Schram is a graduate of the London oil area, near Henderson, the headlight office.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hopy had as their Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Puller, all of Houston.

Mr. Frank Arnold of Garwood was over Monday to hear the speaker's explanation of the federal housing plan and proposition.

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