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MEMPHIS, HALL COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 10, 1951 \*\*\* TEN CENTS \*\*\* NUMBER 50

## Concert Memberships Available Until Fri.; Sales Now In Progress

Friday will be the last day for persons to purchase memberships in the Hall County Mutual Concert Association for the concert year 1951-52.

A nonprofit organization, the purpose of the association is to bring outstanding and talented artists to the city for concerts. These artists will be furnished through the Pryor-Menz Concert and Lecture Service of Council, Iowa.

Division chairmen, captains and workers have been selling memberships this week and reports indicate that this year's campaign will be a complete success, according to Mrs. Joe DeBerry, president of the association.

Tuesday, the total of memberships sold was ahead of last year's total sales.

At least three outstanding musical and entertainment events will be scheduled for next season in Memphis and an equal number in Wellington and Clarendon.

Memberships in the Hall County Association will be good for all nine events.

Mrs. Joe DeBerry stated that a wide variety of presentations will be scheduled for Memphis. It is probable that a dramatic offering and a dance attraction will be booked along with a third musical number.

Among the attractions available are the Demi Tasse Players of New York in a program of one act plays; Lillian Moore, famous dance-humorist; Grace Hoffman, brilliant young New York contralto; John Anglin, Martha Flowers and Kelley Wyatt in a program featuring negro spirituals and hits from "Porgy and Bess"; Leslie Chabaly, Metropolitan Opera tenor; William Masselos, one of the country's most outstanding pianists; Hal and Ruby Holbrook in a series of dramatic sketches and the New York Wind Ensemble, ten instrumental artists.

## YARD RULES ANNOUNCED FOR CONTEST

Points on which yards will be judged in the city-wide clean-up and beautification program sponsored by the City Federation of Women's Clubs and the Chamber of Commerce were announced this week by Mrs. T. J. Dunbar, chairman of the Yard Contest committee.

Forty points will be allowed on the overall appearance of a yard. Twenty points allowed for permanency including shrubs and evergreens, twenty points for continuous color harmony, ten points for lawns and 10 points for special features including ornaments and yard additions.

The yards will be judged twice, the first time around June 15 and the second time in September, Mrs. Dunbar stated.

Out of town judges will be employed and the points scored on the first judging will be kept and points earned in September will be added to them. Two classifications will be used to check yards. One as yards in the most outstanding group and the second will include newer yards showing the greatest improvement in the shortest length of time.

"All of the yard owners cannot be prize winners, but all of us can help make a contribution toward the beautification of our home town and this is worth all of our efforts," Mrs. Dunbar said.

The Chamber of Commerce will furnish first, second and third place prizes in each classification and ribbons will be awarded to the honorable mention winners.

Any person who wants to enter the contest should contact Mrs. Dunbar at phone 182 or the Chamber of Commerce phone 444.

The Chamber of Commerce plans to make this program an annual affair.

## High School Coaches, Principal And Four Other Teachers Resign Tues.



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### 32 Teachers Named To Local Schools For '51-52 Year

Seven teachers of the Memphis Independent School District resigned at the Tuesday night meeting of the school board according to Superintendent W. C. Davis.

Most of the teachers resigned to accept positions elsewhere, Davis stated.

Charles D. York, head football and track coach here for the past three years, resigned to accept a similar position at the high school in Brady, Tex.

York was given a new contract in March. He is a graduate of Texas Christian University and taught mathematics. During World War II he was a submarine repair officer in the navy.

## Approved School Plan Already In Operation

A working contract is expected to be awarded by members of the Memphis Independent School Board to an architect firm at a meeting of School Board members tonight, according to Superintendent W. C. Davis.

School Board members met Tuesday night to consider plans for the proposed school improvement program which was approved by voters in an election last Saturday by a majority of ten to one.

criticisms invited from the public, Davis said.

"This step will be taken in order to insure the best school plan for the community," he stated.

Intense interest has been manifested since announcement of the proposed program by both parent-teacher associations and by citizens. Very little opposition was voiced either before or since the election.

## GIRLS TIE AS-LEADERS OF SR. CLASS

Dual valedictorians of the 1951 Senior Class were announced today by High School Principal Ray C. Newton.

"Joan Edwards and Patsy Sue Hays tied for honors as valedictorian of this year's seniors," Newton said.

Thomas Messer is the salutatorian for this year and Scotty Grundy was named high ranking boy of the Seniors.

All of these awards are based on three year scholastic averages Newton added. Awards will be recognized at the senior graduation exercises.

Grundy's awards carries a scholarship.

## Little Theatre Cast Works On Production

The Memphis Little Theatre cast is now in the fourth week of work on Fay Kanin's popular play, "Goodbye My Fancy," the last public production of the 1950.

The play, under the able direction of Ethel Hillhouse, promises to be one of the best comedies the club has ever presented.

In the words of Robert Garland, New York Journal-American critic: "Fay Kanin has written an ardent, adult play with laughter on the surface and underneath, a fierce, almost frightening cry for common-sense."

"Goodbye, My Fancy," is a fine new feather in the cap of Broadway. A hit a palpable new hit."

The cast, in order of their appearance on the stage, is as follows: Ginny Merrill, Patsy Hays; Amelia, Beryl Davis; Clarisse, Nancy Stanford; Mary Nell Jeanne Way; Miss Shackleford, Gladys Power; Janitors, Ed Monzingo and Barney Burnett; Telephone Man, Jackie Gilbert; Susan, Pat Goodnight; Grace Woods Ida Anisman.

Agatha Reed, Mary Helen Sexauer; Ellen Griswold, Myrtle Howard; Prof. Birdshaw, Hattie Dem Thompson; Carol, Ann Spoon; Jo, Eudine Gable; Dr. Pitt, John Shadid; James Merrill Irvin Johnson; Prof. Dingley, Haskell Howell; Matt Cole, Lewis Saied.

## Wilson Named Head Of FHA Loan Office

Earl W. Wilson, who has been temporary superintendent of the Farm Home Administration in Hall County, has been appointed permanent head of the local office, it was announced this week.

He replaced Bob Land, who was transferred to Brownfield. Wilson has been in Memphis several weeks carrying on work in the FHA office.

He announced that farmers in this area who have lost their '51 wheat crop or their '50 cotton crop may be eligible for a disaster loan from the FHA. Information concerning available loans may be obtained from Wilson at the FHA office, located in the old Hall County bank building.

Olin Cooper has been named office manager for the FHA office.

## SCOUTS TO SELL CAKES, PICK UP CLOTHING SAT.

Boy Scouts of Troop 35 will launch two campaigns Saturday in Memphis. One will be a cake sale to be held in the downtown area to raise funds for troop use and a drive to collect old clothing for Gorean and Asia refugees will be held.

Scoutmaster Ted Myers said "We would like for the citizens of Memphis to gather all their old clothing, roll them in a bundle and place them on the front porch where we can pick them up Saturday."

"Any kind of clothing will be welcomed, but winter clothing in particular is needed," Myers said.

The local group will pick up the clothes and send them to the national headquarters in New York where they will be processed and sent to foreign countries.

"The Scouts will try and pick up this clothing between 9 a. m. and 3 p. m. Saturday, so please cooperate and fix up your old clothing," Myers stated. This is not only a local project but Scouts throughout the nation are to collect old clothing Saturday.

A booth will be set up on the square Saturday and cakes, donated by Scout mothers and friends of the boys will be sold. The Scouts will deliver cakes to various firms around the square.

## Estelline Coach DuVall Accepts Quitaque Job

Coach Leroy DuVall of the Estelline High School this week resigned to accept a position as coach with the Quitaque High School next year.

DuVall coached the Estelline Bear Cubs to successful seasons in football, basketball and baseball.

Mrs. DuVall will teach at Quitaque also.

## Continental Begins Extra Bus Service

Additional Dallas-Denver thru bus service thru Memphis was announced this week by Continental Trailways Bus System.

A fourth daily Silverliner schedule began operations May 1 with departure from Memphis northbound to Amarillo Colorado Springs and Denver at 9:45 a. m., and southbound to Wichita Falls and Dallas at 10:17 a. m.

## Pioneer Resident N. A. Hightower Dies At Home

N. A. Hightower, 65, a resident of Hall County for more than 61 years, died at his home west of Memphis last Thursday afternoon. He had been in ill health several months.

Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon at the First Methodist Church conducted by Rev. Rollo Davidson and Rev. Roy Shahan. Burial was at Union Hill cemetery, Lakeview.

He is survived by his wife two sons, Dr. N. A. Hightower Jr. of Austin and Dr. Harold Hightower of San Angelo; three brothers, Walter of Memphis, C. A. of Brier and Falconer of Pecos; three sisters, Mrs. S. M. Reed of Austin, Mrs. J. R. Snider of Wichita Falls and Mrs. J. M. Poole of Kittredge, Colo.; and one grandson.

Hightower was born in 1885 at Wayland, Tex., in Stephens County and the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hightower. He moved to Hall County in 1890 with his parents. He was married in 1915 to Miss Lattie H. Boone. He was a member of the First Methodist Church, of the Masonic Lodge A. F. & A. M., Knight Templar and Shriner.

Funeral bearers were Henderson Smith, Alvis Gerlach, Tom Luttrell, Troy Thomson, Charlie Meacham, Bob Roberts, C. S. Compton and T. B. Rogers.

## A Good Thing—Ministers Commend Law Officers Work

Members of the Memphis Ministerial Alliance voted to commend the local law enforcement officers of our city and county government in their efforts to eliminate law violations, especially in regard to the liquor situation, at their regular meeting Monday at the Presbyterian Church.

Members of the Alliance asked to be quoted that, "Every citizen who wants to have a better city and community in which to live and rear families, is urged to give public officials support in efforts to correct law violations."

The ministers stated that they believe that heavier penalties, even to the maximum, should be given to those who persistently are apprehended and tried as violators.

The Alliance is also sponsoring a church service in the county jail to be held each Sunday at 2:30 p. m. These services are rotated each week to the various churches represented in the Alliance.

Pastor Burr Morris was host at the breakfast meeting Monday morning.



**TO JAPAN**—David Horace DuVall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace DuVall of Lakeview recently spent his boot leave visiting here. He left last Thursday for California. He sailed for Pearl Harbor and Japan.

## 16 Estelline Seniors To Graduate Next Fri.

Sixteen seniors will graduate from the Estelline High School next Friday evening at 8 p. m. commencement exercises are held in the school auditorium.

Highlight of the program that evening will be awarding of diplomas by Clinton Richburg, Principal R. B. Tucker will present the candidates for diplomas.

Ben H. Guill, former Congressional Representative from Pampa will give the address that evening. He will be introduced by C. O. Gregory.

Edward Cooper, valedictorian, will give the address, "Youth Accepts the Challenge." The invocation will be by Rev. R. L. Self and the benediction by Rev. A. W. Cooper.

## Hedley Resident Buried Monday

Mrs. W. G. Ballard, 56, a resident of Hedley for more than 24 years, died at her home last Friday in Hedley.

Funeral services were held at the Hedley First Baptist Church Monday conducted by the Rev. O. L. Jones. Burial was at Rowe cemetery in Hedley.

She is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Bob McLaughlin of Memphis and Mrs. A. V. McDaniel of LeFors, and three grandchildren.

Born in Alabama in 1894, Mrs. Ballard was married in 1916 in Wichita Falls. She and her husband moved to Hedley in 1927. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Pall bearers were Ray Moreman, W. M. Biffle, Alfred Johnson, M. W. Mosley, Leland Potts, and W. H. Moffitt. Flower bearers were Wanda Lee Moore, Gene Bailey, Viena Hansard, Charline Sargent, Charline Johnson and Ruby Riley.

Funeral arrangements were under direction of Murphy-Spicer.

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LAURENCE'S COMMENTS  
By J. C. W.

trying to dig out wild decided it was too much job, and changed the idea rid of the rye by such and just had the front dug up, removing the rye and dead grass roots, and the Bermuda. Wanted to some other kind of lawn grass, who had tried it, dis me from getting away Bermuda. In driving over I found very few lawns doing good. Evidently the dry during fall and winter out a lot of the grass, but a chance to do its stuff. kind of flowers and where (Continued on page 8)

**PERSONALS**

Mrs. W. L. Patton of Amarillo is visiting here with her son, Roy Patton and family, and with Mrs. Bess Crump.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Brooke and children of Dallas spent the week-end here with Mrs. Donna Lane.

Mrs. Donna Lane visited in Childress and Wellington with relatives from Sunday until Wednesday.

Jack Hightower of Waco spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hightower.

Mrs. L. M. Thornton returned home from Fort Worth last week-end where she had visited her daughter, Mrs. T. M. Paulsel and family. While visiting, she and her daughter went by air to Detroit and drove an automobile back to Fort Worth. Mrs. Paulsel and son brought her to Memphis.

Orville Finch of Dalhart visited his brothers, Frank and Howard Finch, here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Merrell spent the week-end in Kansas City, Mo., with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Triggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Roberts and family of Lubbock visited here over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Massey attended the Firemen's convention in Shamrock Tuesday. From Shamrock they went to Amarillo to attend a plumber banquet Tuesday evening in the Herring Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Richardson of Wheeler, Mrs. Nettie Richardson of Rochester, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carey of White Deer visited with J. S. Ballard here last Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Lindley has returned home from the Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

**-BIRTHS-**

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Walls of Tell announce the birth of a son, Mark Arthur, born April 28. He weighed 8 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hickey announce the birth of a daughter, born May 5. She has been named Dayna Beth and weighed 7 pounds and 10 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stilwell of Los Alamos, N. M., are the parents of a girl, Virginia Naomi. She was born April 30, and at birth weighed 6 pounds and 10 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bloxom of ... announce the birth of a daughter, Sanda Kay, born May 7. She weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen, Jr., announce the birth of a son, Larry Wayne, born May 9. He weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces.

**Methodist WSCS Meets Monday**

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church held its regular meeting May 7 at 3 o'clock in the church sanctuary.

The following officers were installed by the pastor, Bro. Rollo Davidson for the next church year beginning in June:

Mrs. Frank Foxhall, president; Mrs. W. H. Monzingo, vice-president; Mrs. Hall Nelson, recording secretary; Mrs. Mac Tarver, promotional secretary; Mrs. Louis Goffinett, treasurer; Mrs. W. F. McElreath, spiritual life secretary; Mrs. R. S. Greene, missionary education and service; Mrs. Charles Dryden, christian social relations; Mrs. Bess Crump, local church activities; Mrs. Rufus Grisham, student work; Mrs. Geo. Payne, children's work; Mrs. W. F. Ritchie, youth work; Mrs. O. M. Gunstream, supply work; Mrs. D. B. Kennedy, literature and publications; and Mrs. C. T. Vickers, status of women. Meses. Goffinett, Grisham, Dryden and Gunstream were unable to attend the meeting.

Mrs. Broome gave a fitting Bible reading and devotional.

After a monthly business session where reports were made on the link visitation meetings, which are progressing with enthusiasm, and the society's yearly report, the meeting closed. During the business session it was announced that one third of the offering taken at the United Council of Church Women's luncheon, would remain here for service and two-thirds would go to the state and national organization for migrant workers.

Others present besides the above-named, were: Meses. Anna Dickson, T. J. Hamton, C. E. Hankins, A. C. Hoffman, Myrtle Phelan, C. R. Webster, Rollo Davidson and Miss Martha Perkins.

**Memorial Service Planned May 27**

A joint memorial service to service men will be held Sunday afternoon, May 27 at the cemetery by the Simmons-Noel Post, American Legion, and the Durrett-Brown Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and their auxiliaries.

An appropriate program has been arranged and the public is invited.

Henry Clay is credited with saying "I'd rather be right than president".

**HOSPITAL TO HONOR DONORS**



Patients of the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children watch Colonel Alvin M. Owsley point out names of persons who have left bequests to the institution during the last year. Col. Owsley, former diplomat to three European countries and past national commander of the American Legion, will give the principal address of the hospital's 1951 Memorial Services honoring its benefactors. The special services will be broadcast over Texas Quality Network May 20 at 3:30 p. m.

**Notaries Public To Be Appointed For Hall County**

Reappointment of qualified notaries public of Hall County will be made May 20 by Secretary of State Ben Shepperd according to information received from County Clerk Sybil Gurley.

Each reappointed notary must qualify with the County Clerk, June 1, file oath and bond and pay the statutory filing fee to the clerk in order to serve for the new term, June 1, 1951 to June 1, 1953.

After all reappointed notaries have qualified, the clerk will forward certificates of qualifications and filing fees to the Secretary of State. Individual notaries are not to send money to the state office.

Persons applying through the County Clerks for notary appointments for the first time will receive appointments, effective on the date of qualification. A certificate of Appointment on each person applying for the first time will be sent to the Secretary of State for approval and then return to the County Clerk, after

which the person will be notified to appear within 10 days to qualify before the Clerk.

In instructions received from Shepperd, he stated, "An applicant must be 21 years of age or older and a resident of the county in which he intends to act as a notary. It is important that the exact name of the applicant be given and that this name be used on all documents signed by the person. He must also give his correct mailing address."

**Scouts Plan Camping Trip**

Scouts of Troop 35 are to meet at 5:30 Friday afternoon at their troop hall before leaving on an overnight camping trip southwest of Memphis, according to Scoutmaster Ted Myers.

Scouts are to bring bedrolls, cooking gear and equipment. All Scouts and Explorer Scouts not present at the Monday meeting should plan to go, Myers said.

Naval Day, October 27, was designated in honor of Theodore Roosevelt, whose birthday falls on that date.

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**Mrs. M. J. Crump Observes 100th Birthday Friday**

Mrs. Bess Crump of Memphis and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Crump and children, Carolyn, Eddie and Tommy of Friona, went to Fort Worth Thursday to be with Mrs. M. J. Crump, who celebrated her 100th birthday Friday.

Mrs. Crump makes her home with a daughter Mrs. Wootie Clonts, in Fort Worth and is a former Memphis resident.

Among relatives of Mrs. Crump who reside in Memphis are a daughter, Mrs. Claude Frather, a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bess Crump, a brother, Bill Chancey, and a sister, Mrs. Mattie Hammond. Mrs. Crump has 27 grandchildren, 42 great grandchildren and eight great great grandchildren.

The first use of the abbreviation U.S.A. was to stamp approval on barrels of gunpowder made at a mill near Frankfort, Pennsylvania, for Washington's Army.

The song "Maryland, My Maryland" was written as an appeal to that state to secede from the Union.

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# Cotton Earns Farmers \$21 Million Each Day

Cotton meant approximately \$21,095,000 in cash income to Cotton Belt farmers each working day during the 1950 growing season, the National Cotton Council reports.

Cash value of cotton lint and seed in the 14 major cotton-producing states totaled \$2,320,440,000, making cotton America's greatest cash crop.

**Texas Farmers**

Farmers in Texas made approximately \$6,220,700 each working day last season, accounting for 29.6 per cent of the combined cotton farm income of the top 14 states. Mississippians totaled \$2,862,730 per day and accounted for 13.6 per cent of the total cotton income while Arkansas producers earned \$2,351,400 daily,

per cent; Tennessee, \$851,820 and 4 per cent.

Missouri farmers made \$545,820, claiming 2.6 per cent of the combined cotton income; Oklahoma, \$494,090 and 2.3 per cent; New Mexico, \$405,590 and 1.9 per cent; and North Carolina, \$385,910 and 1.8 per cent.

Cotton in Arizona brought the highest value per acre, averaging \$381.50 for the 1950 season, the Council notes. California was second in value per acre at \$377, followed by New Mexico grossing \$260.

**PUSHBUTTON REWINDS HOSE**

An automatic oil hose rewind for fuel oil trucks—one that is operated by a pushbutton at the nozzle end—is being developed by an oil company. When he finishes loading the customer's tank, the driver-salesman merely pushes a button and guides the hose back to the truck. The device is expected to speed up deliveries.

The American Submarine was first used during the American Revolution.

## MAYOR McGUP By John Jarvis



## Deaver Tells Lions That Jury Service Is Patriotic Duty

John Deaver, local attorney, discussed jury service before members of the Memphis Lions Club Wednesday. Timing his speech during Jury Service Month he gave a background of freedoms enjoyed by this nation.

"Trial by jury is one of the greatest freedoms we may enjoy," Deaver said. "And it is a privilege to know that a decision will be reached in our courts by a cross-section of opinion."

Recognizing that jury service is not pleasant, and is often times a tiresome duty, he pointed out that it is a price the citizen must pay if he is to retain all the freedoms which have made the nation what it is today. The attorney stated that jurors must have a correct viewpoint of life in order to settle differences fairly.

"Jurors must have open minds as they listen to both sides of the case," he explained. "They must not judge hastily, but listen to the evidence carefully, and weigh the different angles before reaching their verdict. True justice is the province of the jurors work."

"Let's have a reversal of thinking when we are asked to serve on a jury. Remember this is the price we are paying to keep our freedoms," he concluded.

**RECORD MARKETING EXPANSION**

Capital expenditures of companies on marketing in 1950 reached a record of \$281,000,000, according to estimates. This compares with \$253,000,000 in 1949 and a yearly average of \$247,000,000.

William Henry Harris, the oldest U. S. president, died at the age of 96.

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HENRY ZWEIFEL  
Republican National Committeeman of Texas

Republicans of Texas are preparing to launch an all-out fight to restore to the state and people of Texas their valuable tidelands properties which a ruling of the United States Supreme Court has given to national control and ownership.

This campaign will be part of a militant program Texas Republicans plan to lay before the people in the immediate future Henry Zweifel, Republican National Committeeman for Texas, said.

"Texas tidelands belong to Texas," Mr. Zweifel said, "regardless of whatever ruling the Supreme Court has made. Texas Republicans are firmly resolved to restore them to their rightful owners, the people of this state."

"The Government of the United States recognized the right of Texas to retain her public lands when our state agreed to come into the Union. The agreement is part of a treaty between two sovereign nations, the United States and the Republic of Texas."

"How did the Supreme Court get around this treaty? By making use of a little known legal clause known as the 'equal footing' clause."

"The 'equal footing' clause has long been held to refer only to political and sovereignty rights, never to property rights."

"The exercise of this clause to attempt to legalize a great property steal is, as a matter of fact, the most dangerous aspect of the whole tidelands question. It menaces every state in the Union."

"Under the 'equal footing' clause the national government can legally expropriate any state or private property it sees fit to seize."

## May Draft Call Gets Ten Men From This Area

Ten registrants from this area were called for induction Wednesday according to Mrs. Frances Starkey, secretary of the local draft board.

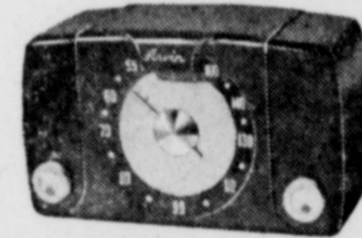
Those reporting include Maurice E. Thaxton, Chalk; James O. Dixon, Alaska; Kenneth R. Hitt, Childress; James O. Hume, Plaskka; Billy R. Goff, Tell; Bennie L. Porter, Paducah; Kenneth D. Jett, Wellington; Reginald W. Cole, Paducah; Wayne O. Crabtree, Turkey and Ray F. Roland, Wellington.

Mrs. Starkey reported that no call for physical examinations or for induction for June have been received.

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### CHAPTER DELEGATES GO AREA MEET

Memphis F. F. A. chapter delegates to the XI F. F. A. convention in Paducah, Ky., Saturday. Purpose of the meeting is to select the area vice president for the coming year, and to select the area XI nominee for the coming year.

Stargel is the nominee for the Greenbelt District and will compete against nominees from the other four districts. This year, F. F. A. and agricultural activities, as well as other non-F. F. A. activities and answer questions on the Future Farmer examination and parliamentary procedure.

Delegates then will vote to elect the winner. Other matters coming to the area and State convention will be brought up by Warren, state vice president.



### Mrs. Vena Kulp To Head VFW District Group

Mrs. Vena Kulp of Memphis was elected president of District Two at the annual meeting of the VFW and Auxiliary held in Paducah last weekend.

Other Memphis members elected include Mattie Ora Jones, chaplain, Edna Crowder, conductress, and Leila Scott, secretary.

Mrs. Kulp will be installed as president in June in VFW ceremonies held in Dallas. The other officers were installed at the Paducah meeting.

Members attending from Memphis included Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kulp, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jones, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Scott, John McCauley, Edna Crowder, Dorothy Vandevanter, Wilda Trent and Ona Rasco.

Towns represented at the district meeting were Tullia, Silverton, Floydada, Plainview, Herford, Canyon, Clarendon, Wellington, Childress, Paducah and Memphis.

Only once in the history of the United States (1835) has this country been entirely free from debt. Virginia colonists bought wives on the wharf at Jamestown in 1620 for 100 pounds of tobacco per wife.

### YOUR brain budget

1. Did (a) Martha, (b) Josephine, (c) Mary or (d) Ruth lose her son and find him in a debate?
2. Is (a) Avalon, (b) Aragon, (c) Echelon, or (d) Pentagon a province of Spain?
3. Which of these streets is associated with newspapers: (a) Baker, (b) Fleet, (c) Main, (d) Scarlet.
4. Would you find a ghoul (a) in a graveyard, (b) on a dance floor, (c) in the sea, or (d) in the woods?
5. Did (a) Dostoevski, (b) Turgenev, (c) Shaw, or (d) Tolstoy write "Man and Superman"?

- ANSWERS
1. (c) Mary; the mother of Jesus.
  2. (d) Fleet Street (London).
  3. (a) Baker Street (London).
  4. (b) on a dance floor.
  5. (d) Tolstoy.

### Hedley Lions Club Elects New Officers

HEDLEY.—Newly elected officers for the Lions Club were announced last week and the 1951 officers and directors will be installed at the first meeting in July.

W. C. Bridges was elected president; B. C. Johnson, first vice-president; Carl Morris second vice president; H. H. Hall, third vice president; Lion tamer, J. W. Noel; tail twister, R. M. Saurders; and directors, W. N. Pool, W. H. Moffitt, J. H. Koeniger and F. M. Murray.

### Public Hearing Stated May 25 For City Budget

A public hearing on the budget fixed by the Memphis City Council for the fiscal year 1951-52 will be held at 2 p. m. at the City Hall, Friday, May 25.

Any taxpayer of the city may attend and participate in the hearing. Final Changes in the budget are up to members of the City Council and Mayor S. C. Harrison.

The boys are holding their teachers will give a check on all Area VI Star Farmers' applications. Star Farmers from the Memphis area are Don Beasley, Troy Coy Smith, and Raymond Smith.

The teachers meeting area Lone Star Farmer will be selected as well as the nominee of the Anderson-Clayton cotton partnership award.

Two voting delegates from this will be Don Beasley and Smith.

The millions of Buddy Poppies to be sold under the sponsorship of the Veterans of Foreign Wars throughout the country, during the week prior to Memorial Day, are made by disabled veterans in government hospitals. Buddy Poppies are assembled by hand. After the petals and stems have been joined, a copyright label is affixed to each Buddy Poppy. This label testifies that the flower is a genuine V.F.W. Buddy Poppy, made by a disabled veteran.

### Violations in Court

City court convened last night and more than \$600 in fines were assessed by Judge M. O. Goodpasture.

Violations tried were the result of a staged last month by members of the sheriff and city police at Ford's Cafe on Street.

Williams, operator of the cafe, was charged with possession of a gun for sale and pleaded guilty and paid a fine of \$200 court charges. W. W. Shaw, pleaded guilty to possession of a gun and was fined \$400 plus court charges.

Book Washington and the members of the Constitutional Convention 96 days to frame the constitution.

### Wanted-Rattlers From Rattlesnakes All You Can Get!

Have you been killing any rattlers, lately? Save the Rattlers on the Rattlesnakes' Tail—We Need 'Em!

Along about this time of the year the deadly Texas rattlesnake crawls forth from his winter quarters to become a menace to all that gets in his path. Hundreds are killed each year, and are usually left on the spot. If he is a real large one the horny interlocking joints at the end of the tail, known as rattlers, are sometimes cut off and displayed as trophies of the kill, and sometimes as proof as to the size of the snake.

Of course, you are urged to

kill rattlers you see this Spring, but regardless of size, please cut-off the rattlers and send them to the Electric Times in Abilene. We need hundreds of them, and will gladly accept each and everyone.

And there is a very nice prize awaiting the employees of any WTU office or department that send in the greatest number of rattlers — just that end section of the tail—not the entire snake. Eudora Hawkins of the WTC public service department, will present to the winners a 'delicious devil's food cake covered with a half-inch coating of fudge icing.

What are we going to do with all the hundreds of rattlers we receive? They will be given as souvenirs to the delegates at the annual national convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs which will convene at the Shamrock Hotel in Houston, Texas May 13. There will be delegerat

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FLOUR Yukons Best; 25 Pound	2 <sup>00</sup>	POLK SALAD Old Fashioned; bunch	10c
MEAL Yukons Best, 5 Pound	41c	CHILI Kimbell's No. 2	59c
LAY MASH Yukons; 100 Pounds	4 <sup>85</sup>	SARDINES Tall Cans	20c
CUDAHY'S — PURITAN; Tender PICNIC HAMS Whole — Pound	45c	PINKNEY'S SACK SAUSAGE Pound	29c
ROUND STEAK Pound	85c	BEEF ROAST Chuck Pound	59c

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COLORADO CUT WAX BEANS - TIN	17c	BLACK STRAP MOLASSES - QUART	45c
CHERRIES RED No. 2	23c	SALE TUNA - Flat Tin	25c
IMBELL'S APPLE JELLY Jar	23c	MIX CORN PUFFS - BOX	17c
DIAMOND SPINACH - Tin	16c	MARSHMALO WHIP - GLASS	25c
UNCLE WILLIAM CORN - NO. 2 TIN	17c	GRAPEFRUIT FOR	25c
APPLES Winesap	Per Lb. .... 10c	OLD PAL DOG FOOD - 4 TINS	35c
Gold Bar ICE CREAM 1/2 Gal. ....	69c	LY LO - Box	20c
K. B. MEAL - 5 lbs. ..	43c		

# Society News

## VFW Auxiliary Installs New Officers Thurs.

In an impressive candlelight ceremony, officers of the Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars were installed, April 26. The meeting was held in the Odd Fellows Hall with Kathryn Jones serving as installing officer.

Officers installed were Vena Kulp, president; Dorothy Vandeventer, senior vice president; Lena Pearl Gunstream, junior vice president; Edna Crowder, chaplain; Mattie Orah Jones, treasurer; Maudell McCauley, secretary; Pinky Godfrey, conductress; Lelia Scott, Patriotic instructor; Peggy Fowler; Wilda Trent, historian; Ona Rasco musician; Glennie Bradley, Maudell McCauley and Betty Rose, trustees; Anna Margaret Moss, Anlius Ayers, Sylvia Moore and Jerry Putts, color bearers.

Lelia Scott, retiring president, was presented a past president's pen and Anna Margaret Moss was given a secretary pen for her three year's service to the organization.

Dainty refreshments were served to members and guests from an attractively appointed table covered with a hand embroidered linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of iris and tulips. Mrs. Kulp, incoming president, and Mrs. Scott, retiring president presided at the refreshment table.

## Clarendon UCCW Guest at Local Fellowship Meet

The United Council of Church Women of Memphis entertained Clarendon church women to celebrate May Fellowship Day Friday, May 4.

A luncheon held at the Methodist Church was the scene of fellowship between the two councils, with the tables beautifully decorated by the Methodist women with ivy entwined about potted pansies.

An offering was taken to support the local, state and national work of the United Church Women, as explained by Mrs. O. P. Alexander, president of the Memphis council.

The group, which well-represented the various churches of both communities, then moved to the Presbyterian Church for the program.

Mrs. Burr Morris led the worship on "Women at Work" after a word of welcome by the president, Mrs. Mac Tarver and Mrs. Gayle Greene sang a duet, "O Master, Let Me Walt With Thee." The principal speaker of the day, Mrs. Millard Word of Clarendon, brought a most inspiring message on "Fellowship with God." His original poetry and personal experiences added much to the talk.

Ministers and their wives were guests also.

## Piano Pupils of Mrs. Ward Attend Amarillo Meeting

A group of pupils from the piano class of Mrs. Conley Ward attended the National Guild audition held in Amarillo last week.

The following pupils attended: Beverly McDaniel, Elizabeth Grundy, Gloria Harris, Ouida Pearl Massey, Don Cox, Betty Lemons, Bobby Lemons, Judy Lemons, Linda Fields, Mattie Lou Copeland, Dorothy Jo Copeland, Karen Eddins.

Mrs. Ward will present pupils in recital Friday evening, May 18 at 7:30 in First Presbyterian Church. The public is invited.

## If You Wash for Twins

Two to make ready?

When there is a pair of babies in the home, Mother needs to be a quick change artist. She has to keep up with their daily double demand for clean clothes. And she must also have time for all of the other duties that go with bringing up babies. Since the youngest set demands not only comfort but entertainment, Mother must plan her days' activities carefully.

And the one household tool that figures most prominently in her plans for a happy household is the family washing machine. It is vitally essential to the health and happiness of every family. With this indispensable "helper" at her disposal, the modern mother is able to supply the constant demand for clean clothes and still have plenty of time and energy to devote to raising her family.

It is a good idea to wash babies bibs and tuckers daily to keep them clean and sweet-smelling.

Put wet diapers and sleeping garments to soak immediately after use in a container half full of cold water, to which two table-spoons of borax have been added. A two-gallon enamel pail with a cover is the best container to use.

To avoid double-trouble, carefully select your twins' garments. Buy wardrobes for your "carrage set" that are designed for complete and easy laundering. Always buy baby clothes with finished seams. Raglan sleeves give babies more freedom. And dresses and gowns that open all the way down the front are easier to put on and simpler to iron. Avoid buying fussy garments trimmed with frills and laces around the neck band. They are irritating to young, tender skins. Never starch baby clothes.

Cotton wrappers, knit shirts, and flannel nighties are easy to



Twins are a double delight, but there's double the laundry, too. It's easy to keep up with the frequent wardrobe changes of this busy duo if you have an electric washing machine. The modern washer takes the labor out of laundering, and is essential, in times like these, to the health and happiness of the American home.

wash in the washing machine. They should be washed in the same manner as any other cotton. In time, flannel may take on a pebbly appearance, but this will not mar its softness and warmth.

Daily laundries of tiny dresses and slips will keep them fresh and dainty and like new. Always use a mild soap or detergent and wash for a very short period.

to direct our music. He will visit with us in consideration of a permanent place as music and education director of our church.

**THE METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rollo Davidson, Pastor  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 10:55 a. m.  
Subject, "Mother"  
Evening Worship, 7:45 p. m.  
Subject, "How Does God Guide Us?"  
Methodist Youth Fellowship,

7:00 p. m.  
Children's Meeting 7:00 p. m.  
Prayer Service at the church  
Friday morning, 9:45  
The chimes will call you to this service.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
C. H. Browning, pastor  
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.  
Lesson topic, "The First Missionary's Work." H. K. Melton, supt.  
Regular morning worship, 11:00

a. m. Pastoral message  
Evangelistic service, 8:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting  
8:30 p. m.  
C. A. service Friday 8:30

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## Churches

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Bedford W. Smith, Minister  
9:45 a. m.: Bible School  
10:50: Mother's Day special worship service and sermon by the minister. Flowers will be presented to the youngest and oldest mothers and the mother who has been a Christian the longest. Lord's Supper.  
7:00 p. m. Sunday: Two C. E. groups meeting  
8:00: Sunday evening worship. Missionary speakers, Mr. and Mrs. Fairbrother, who are going to do missionary work at Assam, on Tibetan border. Mrs. Fairbrother is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Bare, former missionaries to Tibet.

3:00 p. m. Monday: Meeting of the Woman's Council, Circle No. 1 at the church.  
7:45 p. m. Wednesday: Bible Study.  
All welcome to the services.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Arthur Burr Morris Minister  
For Sunday, May 13, 1951:  
10:00—Sunday Church School  
11:00—Morning Worship. Sermon, A Mother Stayed to the End.  
5:00—Westminster Fellowship  
6:00—Evening Service. Sermon, Serving God Today.  
Monday Evening, 6:30—Sunday School officers' and teachers' meeting.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Roy Shahan, pastor  
Bible School meets at 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.  
Sermon text, "What Manner of Child Shall This Be?" Luke 1:66.  
Training Service 7:00 p. m.  
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.  
Sermon subject, "The Song Angels Cannot Sing." Rev. 14:1-8.  
Tuesday—The Men's Brotherhood meets at 7:30 p. m.  
Wednesday—Officers and teachers meeting 7:00 p. m. Prayer service and Bible study 7:45 p. m. Choir practice 8:30 p. m.  
We will have Pascal D. Harris of Dallas, Texas, with us Sunday

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## WEEK-END SPECIALS

SUGAR, Pure Cane, 5 lb. 48c; 10 lb. . . . .	95c
MEAL, Aunt Jemima, 5 lb. bag . . . . .	44c
FLOUR, Gold Medal, 10 lb. bag . . . . .	99c
COFFEE, Folgers, 1lb. 88c; 2 lb. . . . .	1.74
TEA, Liptons, 1/4 lb. 32c; 1/2 lb. 63c; 1 lb. . . . .	1.25
CRISCO or SPRY, 3 lb. bucket . . . . .	1.10
CRUSTENE or MRS. TUCKERS, 3 lb. . . . .	99c
SALT, Mortons Round Box . . . . .	10c
POWDERED or BROWN SUGAR, 1 lb. box . . . . .	14c
PICKLES, Kuners, Sour or Dill, qt. Jar . . . . .	38c
EGGS, Fresh Country, doz. . . . .	44c
DOG FOOD, Ideal or Red Heart, 2 cans . . . . .	31c
MODART SHAMPOO, Jar . . . . .	44c
WHITE KARO, Pint Jar . . . . .	22c
SPAGHETTI or MACARONI, Skinners, box . . . . .	11c
P'NUT BUTTER, Peter Pan, Glass . . . . .	35c
CRACKERS, Krispy, 1 lb. box 29c; 2 lb. . . . .	51c
VANILA WAFERS, Sunshine, box . . . . .	16c
SOAP FLAKES, all kinds . . . . . box	34c
LUX or CAMAY SOAP, 2 bars . . . . .	17c
CLOROX, qts. 18c; half gallons . . . . .	33c
TOILET PAPER, Scot Tissue, 2 rolls . . . . .	25c
KLEENEX, 200 size 17c; 300 size . . . . .	25c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, Welch 24 oz. bottle . . . . .	38c
ORANGE JUICE, 46 oz can . . . . .	37c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 46 oz. can . . . . .	29c
PIMENTO — 4 oz. can . . . . .	13c
ARMOURS TREET, canu . . . . .	47c
SOUP, Campbells, all 19c cans . . . . .	17c
SPINACH, HD, No. 1 can 15c; No. 2can . . . . .	17c
KRAUT, Kuners, can . . . . .	12c
CORN, Our Darling, No. 1 cans 15c; Lg. cans . . . . .	19c
PINEAPPLE, Flat Cans 17c; No. 2 cans . . . . .	32c
FRUIT COCKTAIL, Lg. cans . . . . .	39c
PEACHES Lg. cans, HD . . . . .	32c
LEMONS, Lg. Sunkist, doz. . . . .	34c
CABBAGE, nice head, lb. . . . .	7c
NE WPTATOES, Texas lb. . . . .	10c
SQUASH, nice Texas, lb. . . . .	10c
CUCUMBERS, nice fresh; lb. . . . .	11c
FRESH TOMATOES, carton . . . . .	27c
CELERY, Green Pascol, stalk . . . . .	16c
CARROTS, nice bunches . . . . .	6c
FRESH GREEN ONIONS, bunch . . . . .	8c
PORK CHOPS, nice fresh lb. . . . .	52c
SLICED BANCON, Corn King or Gold Coin lb. . . . .	51c
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Plants & Tips on Gardening

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Scouts to Perform Indian Dances At Park Grounds

Open house will be held by Scouts of Troop 35 for parents and friends Monday night and the Scouts will perform a full dress ceremony around the council campfire, according to Scoutmaster Ted Myers.

The Scout Indians will perform the Snake Dance, Hopi Dance and the Grass Dance. While the dances are in progress the Scouts also will pass the peace pipe. Scout arrowmen will perform the Flaming Arrow ceremony after the dance.

All parents are invited, and the dance ceremony will be open to the public. It will be held on the park grounds at 8 p. m.

The flag of the 11 Confederate States of America was known as the "Stars and Bars."

want to be ready to plant zinnias, marigolds, tithonia, etc.

It is time to plant cannas. Use them for tall backgrounds.

Transplant phlox with dirt on roots if possible as it is getting late to move them.



UNEXCITED BY \$100,000 . . . Mrs. Sylvia Geis and husband, John, Effalo, Mo., receive congratulations by phone for inheriting \$100,000 from estate of Betty Green Wilks, "world's wealthiest woman."

Major McCanne To Sail May 14

Major Lee McCanne, SA, of the Naval Air Corps, told his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne of Lakeview, in a telephone conversation Saturday that he was sailing aboard the USS Sicily on May 14 for a foreign country, possibly Korea.

He has been stationed at the Naval base in San Diego, Calif., since volunteering for service approximately four months ago.

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Officers of UDC Chapter Elected For Second Term

The complete staff of officers of the Winnie Davis Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy were re-elected for a second term at a meeting held Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. O. R. Goodall.

Officers re-elected at this time were Mrs. R. E. Clark, president; Mrs. L. G. DeBerry, first vice president; Mrs. Frank Wright, second vice president; Mrs. Glynn L. Thompson, recording secretary and press reporter; Mrs. Herlie Moreman, corresponding secretary and treasurer; Mrs. O. R. Goodall, historian; Mrs. C. W. Broome, parliamentarian; Mrs. J. H. Norman, registrar.

The pledge to the flags and the devotional were given after which Mrs. Frank Wright and Mrs. Henry Youngblood presented the program. Mrs. Youngblood discussed "Vicksburg" and Mrs. Wright talked on "McLean House."

During the social hour the hostess served a delicious salad plate to Meses. R. E. Clark, L. G. DeBerry, J. A. Odom, C. W. Broome, T. J. Hampton, Henry Youngblood, Herlie Moreman, Frank Wright, Glynn Thompson and J. H. Norman.

Brice Church To Observe Homecoming

Homecoming services will be held at the Brice Baptist Church Sunday, May 20, members announced this week.

An all-day service is being planned with dinner served at the noon hour.

The public is invited, and all former members of the church and former pastors are urged to attend the service.

Roy Alvin Massey Joins Air Forces

Roy Alvin Massey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Massey, has joined the Air Forces and left Monday from Waco to report to San Antonio for basic training.

Massey was a student at Baylor University at the time he volunteered and has completed two years of college work. He graduated from Memphis High School with the class of 1949.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bevers of Rogers, N. M., visited in Lakeview over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bevers.

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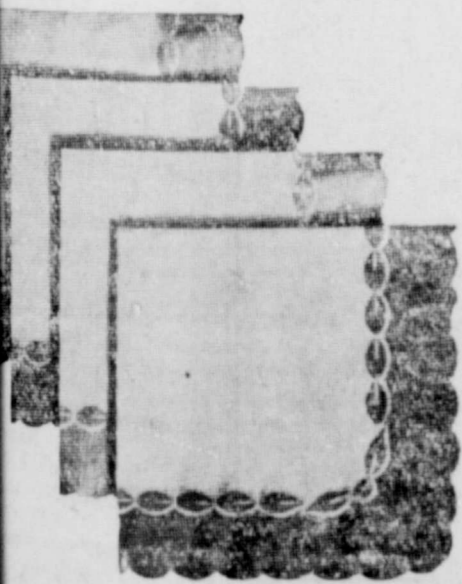
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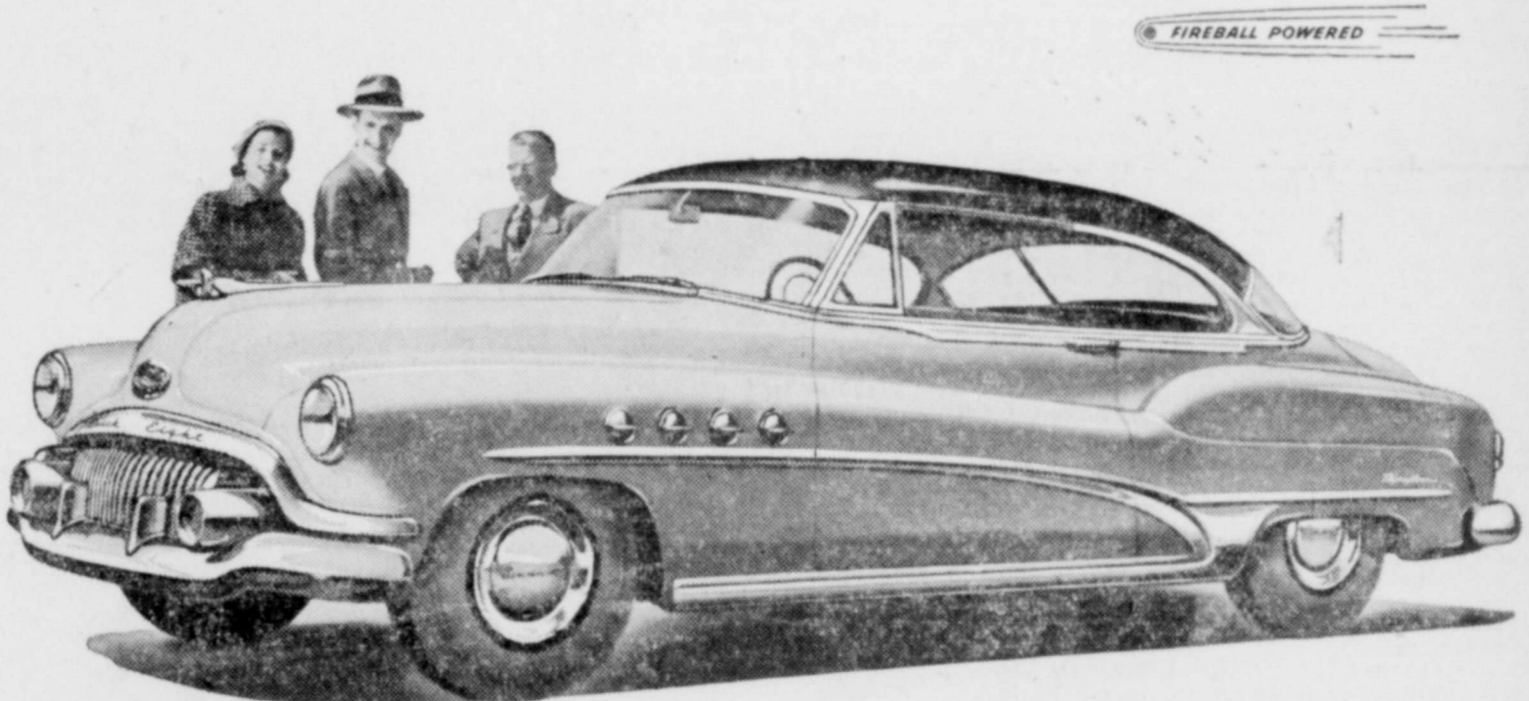
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THE GREAT CONTROVERSY

There's a Little of General MacArthur in All of Us, And History Shows Symptoms Behind His Dismissal Have Existed in Various Forms for Many Centuries

By W. P. SCHOENTGEN WNU Managing Editor

There is a kind of universality about Douglas MacArthur that communicates itself to many men, something of the same stuff that leads nearly everyone to believe in his own heart that he can run a newspaper and play Hamlet with a deathless genius.



TRUMAN AND MACARTHUR TALKED AT WAKE ISLAND ... but the result was only an uneasy truce ...

have your own strong, definite and perhaps impassioned answer to each of those questions. And according to your answers, you align yourself on one side or the other of the MacArthur controversy—the great American schism of 1951.

It is a basic division, a schism of the soul and spirit; and the rock upon which the split has occurred is a military man, a soldier, yes, even a 71-year-old general.

Military Men's Drama That in itself is not unusual. It is, in point of fact, a fairly sound historical tradition that great epochs of man's development are likely to turn upon the personality of a military leader, probably because it is easy for the public to focus its attention upon a man who can be identified with the drama of danger and physical action, and with the glamour of military triumphs.

General MacArthur follows vigorously in that tradition. It has been his peculiar destiny to help lead this nation in smiting tyranny both right and left within the past decade, striking the right at Japanese imperialism in World War II and to the left at Communist efforts at domination in Korea and the Far East.

Thus he has become a political symbol, having stood as the spearhead of America's often inept and fumbling but always intense desire for a peace that patently will not be had for the asking but which may come if we fight hard enough for it.

Whether the principles he has advocated are right or wrong, it is MacArthur the symbol, not MacArthur the man, around which the controversy, then, too

That stirred up a great civil controversy in Rome, too. Was Caesar right in his principles and policies concerning the Roman empire, or were the men who deposed him by liquidating him right? It might be argued that Rome, under Caesar, reached its peak of dynamic expansion and that its decline began after Caesar's death in 44 B.C. But regardless of the truth of that position, the split over the aims and policies of Julius Caesar marked an epochal turning point in the history of the Roman empire.

Without attempting to make any invidious comparisons, a number of historic parallels to the MacArthur case become apparent from a quick glance at the records.

There is a superficial resemblance, for instance, between the firing of MacArthur by President Truman and Calvin Coolidge's dismissal of the late General "Billy" Mitchell for defying orders. Mr. Coolidge made it clear, however, that he was in sympathy with the

cause of aviation which Mitchell was personifying. But he also made it plain that, sympathy or no sympathy, he could not overlook the insubordination of which General Mitchell was found guilty.

An Assist to Air Power The violent closing of Billy Mitchell's career, we know now, marked the turning point of the controversy over the future of military aviation, and the pioneering general did much to advance U.S.

Bruce was the storm center of a raging controversy much of his life, while he held to and fought for his ideal of a free and independent nation. He settled that issue himself, however, by decisively defeating the English forces under Edward II at the battle of Bannockburn in June, 1314, and assuring the continuance of Scotland as an independent kingdom.

Every student of American history knows of the quarrels and differences of opinion that flared after President Abraham Lincoln put General Grant in charge of the Union armies. Some members of Lincoln's own cabinet not only refused to support but actively opposed Grant's appointment.

It was, in a sense, a MacArthur situation in reverse.

Grant's Problem And when Grant took command in March, 1864, he found he had to fight not only the enemy but the torpor and passivity of his own generals in the field. The military issue at stake that time was whether or not Meade, Hooker, McClellan and others in the string of Union generals were right in fighting a defensive war, avoiding battles wherever possible, and choosing more often to retreat than to fight.

Grant favored action and offensive contact with the Confederate armies. Over the protestations of his subordinates, he decided to attack wherever possible and carry the war to the enemy.

The ultimate surrender of General Lee and the Army of Northern Virginia at Appomattox proved the rightness of Grant's strategy. But Grant, who went on to become President of the United States, albeit not an especially popular one, remained the center of a maelstrom of violent opinions all his life.

So the MacArthur story is by no means a new one. Call his actions and utterances in Korea insubordination, or call them an honorable defense of his own principles, they have basic meaning for us as a dramatic illustration of the grim fact that the United States has to choose between two basic and different courses in this battle against the evils of communism.

One way is going to be right, the other wrong. We say that the nation, in its collective mind, has split over the issue of which is the best way to deal with Communist aggression in the Far East.

But it is not, it cannot be, a fatal split. The doubt that has been lurking behind our thinking and our attitude on the question of how best to fight the monstrosity of world communism has been brought plainly into the open and is clearly defined.

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That is the great service that President Truman and General MacArthur have unwittingly performed for the nation and the free world. They have managed to get all the cards on the table.

The answer, still to be found, is there somewhere.

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THE MIDDLES By Bob Karp



Comments—

(Continued from page 1) to set or plant them is the next question that has to be settled. Guess it will be a compromise as usual—that is, to let the matter slide until next spring. Right now everyone wants some more rain. The last one didn't last many days due to wind and warm weather.

That's all for this week.

High School—

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clude Mrs. Dorothy Gurley, Mrs. Reba Stroehle, Mrs. Garner Lee, Mrs. Bessie Newton, Mrs. Bonnie McMillan, Mrs. Clarence Morris, Mrs. Linda Estes, Mrs. Sophie Stilwell, Mrs. W. C. Davis, Miss Alma Bruce and Miss Maud Millam.

Members elected to the high school faculty include Weldon McCreary, Perry I. Keyser, Mrs. Verna Deberry, Mrs. Jeanette D. Irons, Mrs. Pansy Srygley, Mrs. Roy Guthrie, Miss Neville Wrenn, Miss Ira Hammond, Miss Laura Mai Hightower and Miss Iris Smith.

Superintendent Davis complimented all the teachers and stated that those who resigned had done a fine job this year and that the school system hated to lose them, but wished them success in their new positions.

The world is in a muddle, and no one seems to know what to do... But all seem to think Russia is getting ready to try to take over the world... And "Nero

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Work in Progress On Triangle Park

In cooperation with the city-wide clean-up and beautification program which is being sponsored by the Federated Clubs of Memphis, work is in progress to reclaim and beautify the triangular parkway north of the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad station.

Landscaping plans are being carried out and water has been piped to the park area. The centrally located concrete basin is to become a lily pool circled by graveled foot paths. Mrs. Boyd

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Rogers is directing the program. Under direction of Scoutmaster Ted Myers, Scouts of Troop 1 are assisting in setting out and grass turf. After restoration is completed the park will be named and dedicated. At present four names are being considered. They are Park, Oasis Park, Triangle Park and Welcome Mat Park. Suggestions are invited and anyone interested in helping to donate bulbs or shrubs to beautify the park is asked to call Mrs. Frank Rogers, phone 321. The Chamber of Commerce is helping to defray the cost.

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## Editorial

### YOUR SUPPORT

Did you ever try to do a job by yourself and you just could not seem to accomplish it until someone came along and gave you a little help?

Support, whether it be moral or physical, is the making of many projects in our lives. It is the making of many projects in our home, in our city, in our country.

Yet, how sparingly we give our support. Too often we adopt the attitude that, "Oh well, I don't care what they do, so I won't interfere."

It isn't a matter of interfering! Everything that is accomplished has the support of some people. That is why the wrong projects are accomplished or enabled to gain control sometimes because they have support to win over the others who aren't supported.

If you aren't lost among all this support and un-support what we are leading up to is this:

For our state and national Senators and Representatives to fight for what we believe and want, they must have our support.

Not only must they have it in spirit and good wish but in visual means. When they are trying to defeat or pass a bill which we are in favor of or against, if they have no evidence to present other members of the lawmaking body in Austin or Washington, they are seriously handicapped when the opposition, who always has support, flashes his letters, wires and evidence to show why the bill or law should go his way.

This is partly the reason why bad laws are passed, one of the reasons why Texas lost the Gulf Tidelands, why big time crime is so powerful now . . . because we, the little fellow, the guy who stays home, did not support our own representatives to the government enough so that they could defeat and control the subversive interests at work.

Think of this idea of support the next time you read of some tax you think is too high or some law that doesn't sound right to you. Did you help pass it by not supporting your side?

It is your support, your vote, your voice which can bring about the changes that this country so direly needs . . . don't be lulled into passive resistance by believing you are only one among many . . . if enough of the ones act . . . the many will be no more.

### Press Paragraphs—

#### QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

##### You Can Help

In outlining how individuals can aid in the national security program, J. Edgar Hoover, Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, says:

"Espionage may be generally defined as the obtaining of confidential information regarding the national defense and furnishing it to unauthorized persons to the detriment of the United States or the advantage of a foreign power.

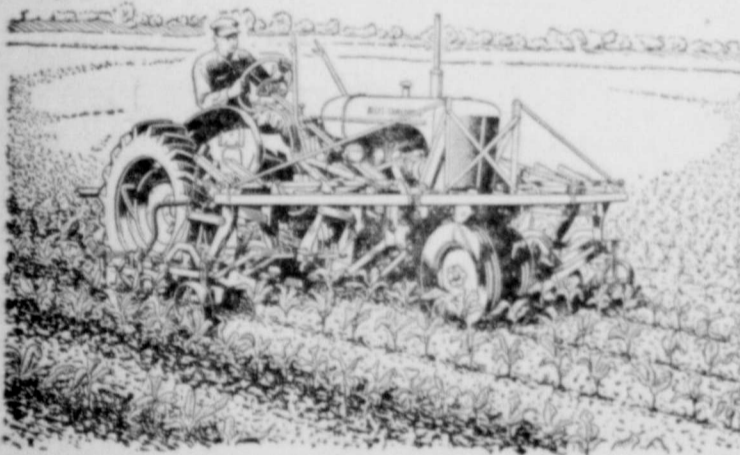
"Sabotage is any act designed to destroy or damage national defense materials—to impede production, injure plant premises, to destroy utilities, or to produce

defective national defense goods

"Under the term 'subversive activities' would be activities on the part of any individual or organization which are intended to forcibly overthrow the American government or to give aid to its enemies.

"The public should be alert to report all information directly to the FBI which relates to the following specific matters: 1. Allegations of espionage, sabotage, or subversive activities. 2. Foreign submarine landings. 3. Suspicious parachute landings. 4. Possession and distribution of foreign-inspired propaganda. 5. Theft or unauthorized possession or purchase

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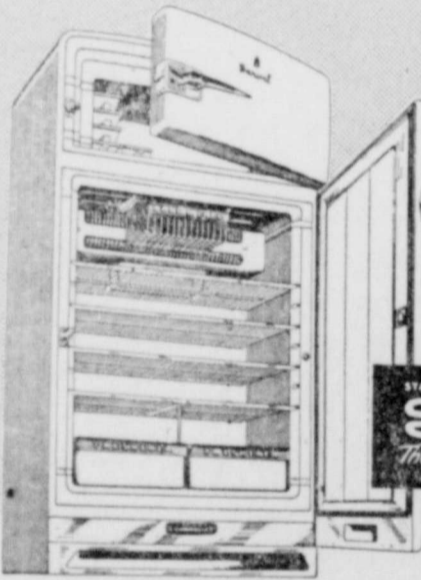
"By making their information available to the FBI and the other interested agencies of the government, without attempts at evaluation or to draw conclusions, private citizens, law enforcement agencies and patriotic organizations will not only be safeguarding the rights of the innocent but also be making their own important contribution to the nation's general security program."

##### Grass Roots Opinion

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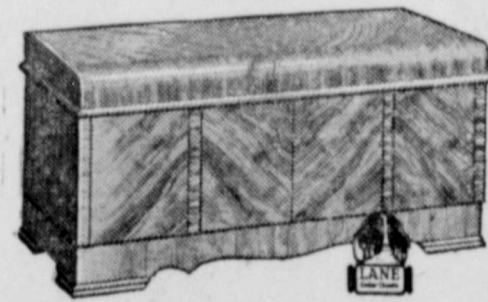


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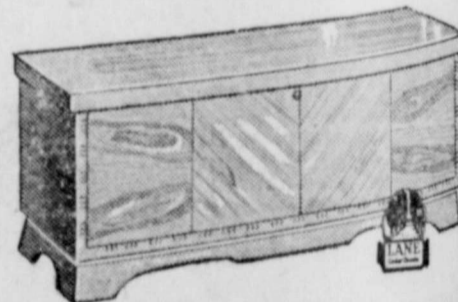
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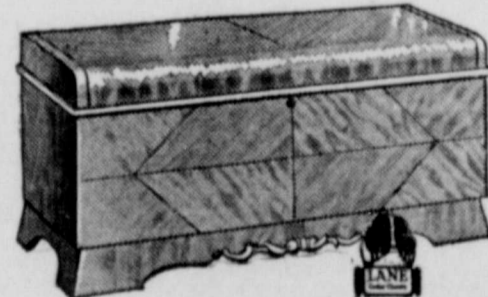
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Mrs. H. B. Marks in Memphis Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morrison and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Brewer of Memphis visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stroghmeyer in Dimmitt, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murdock and family and Billie Hartman of Memphis spent Sunday in Floydada with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Howard and Children and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Malloy and boys attended the rodeo last Friday and Friday night in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hodges carried Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Marks to Denton Friday for a three weeks visit with their daughter, Nell. The Hodges returned home Sunday.

Bob Gram of Memphis visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lotter-

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Clarice Howard visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Koeninger Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burnett and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooper visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Harris Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hignight and Shelby visited in Shamrock Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Palmer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Wilson and girls of Goodnight visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joan Murdock.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Foster and family visited in Memphis Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spry.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Burnett and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Burnett

## VET PROBLEMS AND ANSWERS

Q. I received a \$10,000 GI home loan, of which VA guaranteed 60 per cent or \$6,000. I understand the maximum guarantee is \$7,500. If I ever sell my home, could I buy another with a second GI loan, guaranteed for \$1,500—the difference between what I used and the maximum?

A. No. The 60 per cent or 7,500 maximum guarantee is a one-time guaranty. For your second GI loan, you would be bound by the law's previous maximums of 50 per cent up to \$4,000 guarantee. But your present GI guarantee already is greater than \$4,000 so you would not be entitled to second GI loan.

Q. My father, a World War I veteran, died in 1940, leaving a U. S. Government Life Insurance policy to my mother. Recently she died, leaving me the proceeds of the policy as an inheritance—about \$4,000. If I apply for a pension, would that be considered as reportable income?

A. Yes. All inheritances are to be considered as income, regardless of their source. The only condition under which you would not report the insurance as income would be if your father had left the insurance to you and you had received payments directly from V. A.

Q. Does VA exercise control or supervision over schools training veterans under the GI Bill?

A. No. The law specifically prevents VA from controlling or supervising schools. Supervision is entirely a responsibility of the States.

Q. My father served 45 days during the Spanish-American War. Would he be entitled to VA outpatient medical care, or is there some minimum period of service he must have had in order to be eligible?

A. If your father served any time between April 21, 1898, and July 4, 1902 (or July 15, 1903, if service was in the Moro Province), and was discharged under other than dishonorable conditions he may be entitled to VA's outpatient medical care—regardless of his length of service. But he

must get VA's prior approval for such care.

Q. In 1944, I was discharged as an enlisted man in order to accept a commission in the Army, and I still am on active duty as an officer. Would I be entitled to GI Bill schooling on the strength of my discharge as an enlisted man?

A. No. A discharge from one active status for the purpose of immediately assuming another active duty status—without a definite break in between—does not constitute a discharge within the meaning of the law. Therefore you would not be eligible for GI Bill educational benefits.

Q. I am attending school under the GI Bill. Would I be entitled to additional subsistence for my five-year-old daughter, even though she is being raised by my parents and is not dependent on me for support?

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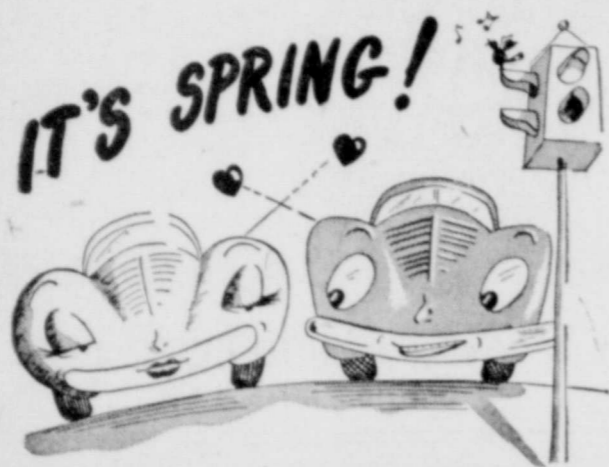
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Earl DuVall spent the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace DuVall. Benjamin has been elected vice president of the Mary Elizabeth Society for the coming year at WTSC where she is attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne, their daughter, Mary and Mary Jo Davenport were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Barron.

Mr. and Mrs. Lance Leggett visited Mr. and Mrs. McQueen Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Hillis spent the week end here with Mrs. Hillis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted

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Ellis D. Mahone visited over the weekend here with his sister, Mrs. David Davenport and in Memphis with his sister, Mrs. Tomie Potts.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne and Mary visited in Memphis Sunday night with Mrs. Minnie McCanne.

Mrs. Ted Montgomery left Monday for Weimert, Texas for her mother, Mrs. A. G. Smith, who has been visiting relatives there.

Mrs. Jessa Cook and Mrs. Leo Brister and son, Bobbie of Shamrock visited Mrs. Brister's parents Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Favors Monday.

Mrs. W. C. Skinner returned home Tuesday night of last week from Paris where she attended the funeral of her brother, Steve Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. James Skinner spent the week end in Carlsbad, N. M. with Mrs. Skinner's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weatherston and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Melton and Marilyn. Bill is employed in the Potash mines in Carlsbad.

H. R. Lee and daughter of Wydon were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Luttrell.

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Mr. and Mrs. Olton Pate and son, Ronald attended the Santa Rosa Roundup in Vernon Saturday night.

Mrs. C. J. Nash of Dimmitt is visiting in the T. W. Luttrell home.

Mrs. Jennie Wansley spent Saturday night with Mrs. E. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Melton and family of Groom visited friends and relatives here Friday of last week.

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Sharon Ann Duren was carried to a local hospital Friday of last week with a throat infection, but was able to be brought home Saturday night.

Mrs. Joe Melton and daughter of Lorenzo visited Sunday with her sisters, Mrs. S. J. Melton, and Mrs. F. J. Schillinger. Also with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Melton.

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Mrs. George Craft entertained members of the 1913 Study Club on Wednesday afternoon, May 2, at her lovely country home in Brice. During the business session, with Mrs. R. S. Greene, president presiding, Mrs. Ace Gailey introduced plans for launching a "Youth Conservation" program in Memphis. Mrs. Gailey was asked to present her plan to the City Federation at the next meeting.

The program was a biography, "The Life of Ralph Waldo Emerson" by Dr. Ralph Rush, which was given in a most interesting manner by Mrs. Byron Baldwin. She opened her discussion with Emerson's famous quotation, "No thing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm."

In this review new perspectives sharpened the image of Emerson the poet, the essayist, the adventurer in ideas, the keen observer of his contemporaries and one of the most complete embodiments of the spirit of his age.

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During the social hour delicious refreshments were served to the following members, Meses. Byron Baldwin, Frank Foxhall, T. M. Harrison, Brown Smith, E. M. Wilson, Bray Cook, A. L. Gailey, D. L. C. Kinard, Mac Tarver, Ben Fisch, H. A. Finch, R. S. Greene, Gene Lindsey, R. C. Walker, Lewis Foxhall. Two guests, Mrs. Billy Malesworth of Clarendon and Mrs. Don Grady of Brice.

The final meeting of the year will be a luncheon in the home of Mrs. R. S. Greene Thursday, May 24, at 1 o'clock.

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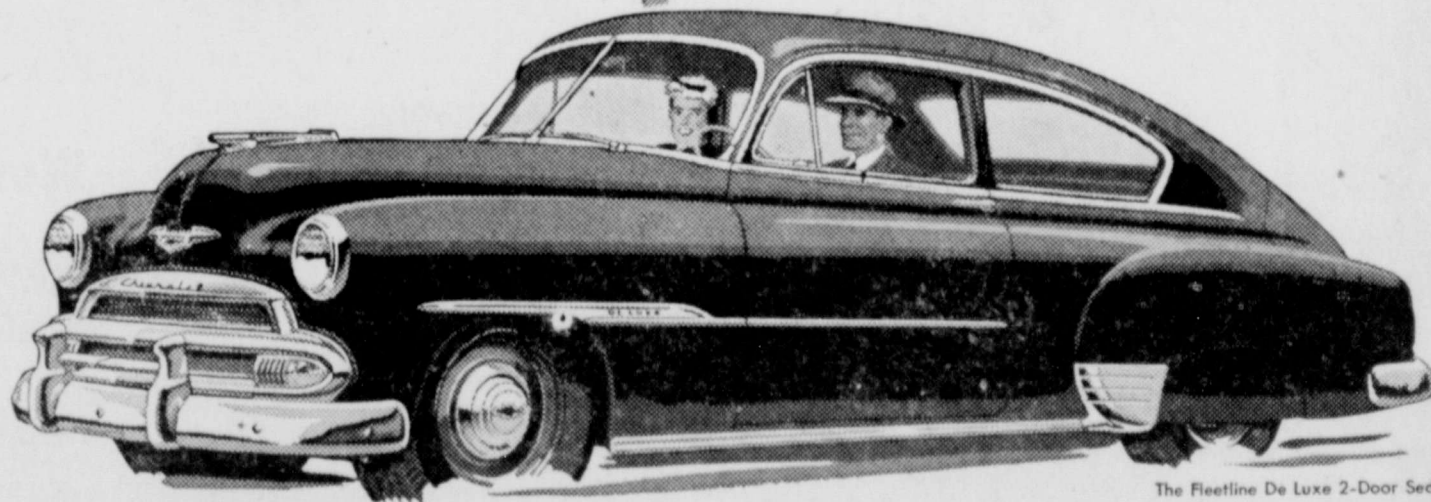
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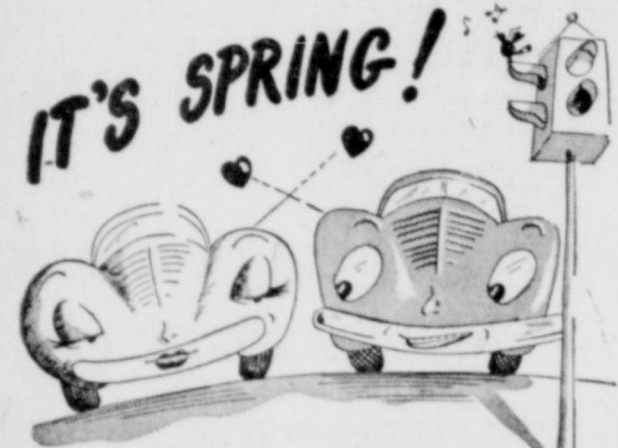
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# LAKEVIEW

D. H. Davenport, Sr. left last week to be with her parents, D. H. and B. E. Davenport in Excelsior Springs, Mo. East DuVall spent the week here with her parents, Mrs. Horace DuVall. Benjamin has been elected vice president of the Mary Elizabeth club society for the coming year at WTSC where she is attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne, their daughter, Mary and Mary Jo Davenport were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Barron.

Mr. and Mrs. Lance Leggett visited Mr. and Mrs. McQueen Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Hillis spent the week end here with Mrs. Hillis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted

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Montgomery.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harris visited in Dumas over the weekend.  
Ellis D. Mahone visited over the weekend here with his sister, Mrs. David Davenport and in Memphis with his sister, Mrs. Tomie Potts.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCanne and Mary visited in Memphis Sunday night with Mrs. Minnie McCanne.

Mrs. Ted Montgomery left Monday for Weir, Texas for her mother, Mrs. A. G. Smith, who has been visiting relatives there.

Mrs. Jess Cook and Mrs. Leo Brister and son, Bobbie of Shamrock visited Mrs. Brister's parents Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Favors Monday.

Mrs. W. C. Skinner returned home Tuesday night of last week from Paris where she attended the funeral of her brother, Steve Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. James Skinner spent the week end in Carlsbad, N. M. with Mrs. Skinner's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weatherton and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Melton and Marilyn. Bill is employed in the Potaash mines in Carlsbad.

H. R. Lee and daughter of Wydon were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Luttrell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hatter and son, Bobbie of Abilene were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Luttrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Olton Pate and son, Ronald attended the Santa Rosa Roundup in Vernon Saturday night.

Mrs. C. J. Nash of Dimmitt is visiting in the T. W. Luttrell home.

Mrs. Jennie Wansley spent Saturday night with Mrs. E. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Melton and family of Groom visited friends and relatives here Friday of last week.

Mrs. Velma Cannon, who has been visiting her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Davis and Jack in Glendale, Calif., also her nephew, Lee Jackson in San Diego, Calif., returned to her home in Memphis this week.

Sharon Ann Duren was carried to a local hospital Friday of last week with a throat infection, but was able to be brought home Saturday night.

Mrs. Joe Melton and daughter of Lorenzo visited Sunday with her sisters, Mrs. S. J. Melton, and Mrs. F. J. Schillenger. Also with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Melton.

Mrs. J. B. Duren and Sharon Ann, Mrs. Raymond Moore and Connie Maek were Childress visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rev and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Martin all of Memphis visited with Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Nase Monday night.

Mrs. N. E. Nase, Mrs. Baker Nase and son, Mike visited Mrs. Paul McCanne Tuesday morning.

William Henry Harrison held the shortest term of any U. S. president. He died one month after taking office.

### 1913 Study Club Mets in Home of Mrs. Geo. Craft

Mrs. George Craft entertained members of the 1913 Study Club on Wednesday afternoon, May 2, at her lovely country home in Brice. During the business session, with Mrs. R. S. Greene, president presiding, Mrs. Ace Gailey introduced plans for launching a "Youth Conservation" program in Memphis. Mrs. Gailey was asked to present her plan to the City Federation at the next meeting.

The program was a biography, "The Life of Ralph Waldo Emerson" by Dr. Ralph Rush, which was given in a most interesting manner by Mrs. Byron Baldwin. She opened her discussion with Emerson's famous quotation, "Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm."

In this review new perspectives sharpened the image of Emerson the poet, the essayist, the adventurer in ideas, the keen observer of his contemporaries and one of the most complete embodiments of the spirit of his age.

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emotional life than our ignorance of him has allowed us to suppose. Mrs. Baldwin stated.

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This book is the nearest thing to life and being that is a literary work of enduring value.

During the social hour delicious refreshments were served to the following members, Meses. Byron Baldwin, Frank Foxhall, T. M. Harrison, Brown Smith, E. M. Wilson, Bray Cook, A. L. Gailey, D. L. C. Kinard, Mac Tarver, Ben Fisch, H. A. Finch, R. S. Greene, Gene Lindsey, R. C. Walker, Lewis Foxhall, Two guests, Mrs. Billy Moleworth of Clarendon and Mrs. Don Grady of Brice.

The final meeting of the year will be a luncheon in the home of Mrs. R. S. Greene Thursday, May 24, at 1 o'clock.

Thomas Jefferson started the Democratic party in 1793 when he resigned from Washington's cabinet and formed his own political party.

Originally the dollar was subdivided into halves, dimes, and cents; there were no quarters.

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Press Paragraphs

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newspaper is there as their ear, and sometimes as their tongue."

RADFORD, VA., NEWS-JOURNAL: "The institutions founded by the early settlers of New England were distinguished by their practicality. Escaping as the Founding Fathers had, from a tyrannical government imposed from above, their first move on being faced with the problems incident to living together in a new country was to give everyone a voice in decisions. This reliance on the integrity and common sense of the individual lies at the base of the American way of life."

DUNDEE, N. Y., OBSERVER: "Since the abolition of the gold standard in 1933, there has been no easy method of computation, no fixed standard by which to measure the real value of the dollar. Every unnecessary expenditure by the government makes the matter — worse. We do not like to admit that our money is worth less than its face value, and so we say that prices have gone up, which indeed they have."

BOSTON, MASS., WEYMOUTH GAZETTE: "We need to purge ourselves from some of the social and economic opiates that have slowly poisoned our national blood stream. Then we should set about putting our governmental houses in order."

Memories—

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SEVERAL ROBBERIES TAKE PLACE SUNDAY MORNING — Burglars took \$20 from Meacham's Pharmacy, \$7.50 and two tires from the service station at Ninth and Main, and a spare tire and wheel from the automobile of Leon Bullard, officials reported today.

HEADLINES IN THE DEMOCRAT — Childress Fireman, Bob Sherman, Killed in Firetruck — Car Accident — Low Bid For Post Office is \$51,900 — Marilyn Shoppe Is Entered Saturday.

STRICTLY PERSONAL—Carl Denny of Childress spent Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. B. F. Denny. Dr. J. F. Tomlinson spent last week in Longview, Tom Parker of Wellington was here Monday on Business. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roundtree visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis of Brice Sunday.

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According to the government publication, the \$7,000,000 could be saved by having men in all three services wear uniform underwear, adapted to the climate in which they are serving.

—Graham Leader

OPPOSED TO SOCIALISM

Hearings on an application by milk producers in North Texas for a Federal marketing order have been in progress several days. The creameries generally oppose the application which is made by the NPTA, an association of producers.

Without arguing for or against the application, The Paris News will say that it has found, through press reports, a man who says he needs no government help in making a living. He is one of four dairymen who are not members of the association. He told the examiner:

"Eighteen years ago I bought 25 cows for \$800 on credit. Today I own one of the choicest farms in Tarrant County. I have one of the choicest herds. I have one of the finest homes. I drive one of the finest cars. And I have four children with college educations. Needless to say, I am proud of that. And the only thing the government has given me is opportunity. I am ashamed of my fellow men who ask for more. My conscience would thrash me unmercifully if I failed to oppose the strong arm of the Federal government when it reaches out to embrace and finally strangle... free enterprise and individual initiative. I can't conceive of intelligent men asking for that which we are battling to abolish on foreign ground today. I have to obstruct the trend of socialism in government."

This farmer said he was under no obligation to any milk processing plant, that none of them has ever bought him as much as an ice cream cone. He added that he had "done reasonably well for a man without education, and for that reason was proud of it." And

well he may be proud, and Texas should be proud to have a citizen who holds such beliefs and lives by them.

—The Paris (Texas) News

It is becoming more evident each day that this nation is in a state of emergency. Not so much from the attack by other nations as it is from within. It is sad to think that nothing can be done about it until 1952. If the Republicans nominate another "dud" like Dewey, our nation will suffer another four years years of "Emergency."

Burr Oak (Kans. Herald)

What the people of the United States really fear—and this is a real fear—is that their lives and their money shall be wasted by foolish leadership. Whatever the people are convinced it takes to defend themselves, whether it be universal military training or Atlantic Pacts or anything else, they stand ready to provide. But they don't want to proceed blindly; they don't want to commit national suicide. They know that a strong America is the best guarantee of a safe world.

Hagerstown (Md.) Herald

Government Integrity Essential The hard fact is that, while Washington has been weeping crocodile tears over inflation and scarcities it has been pursuing policies which make more infla-

tion and more scarcities inevitable. All the controls ever imagined by man will be effective if people lose faith in the integrity and actions of their Government—and if their Government keeps on spending their money like a drunken sailor for non-essential things. It is all very well to talk about national unity but unity must be earned, not just requested. It's time our Government quit frightening us.

Taft —Texan

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Grajeda and daughter, Terri of San Diego, Calif., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Miller over the weekend.

Mrs. O. Nations of Wheeler visited with the Misses Black Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Moreman, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moreman and Donnie Hughes attended the rodeo in Vernon Friday.

Bob Land, has been transferred to Brownfield— spent the weekend here with his family.

Mrs. Dutch Davis visited her daughter, Joanna in Wichita Falls Sunday.

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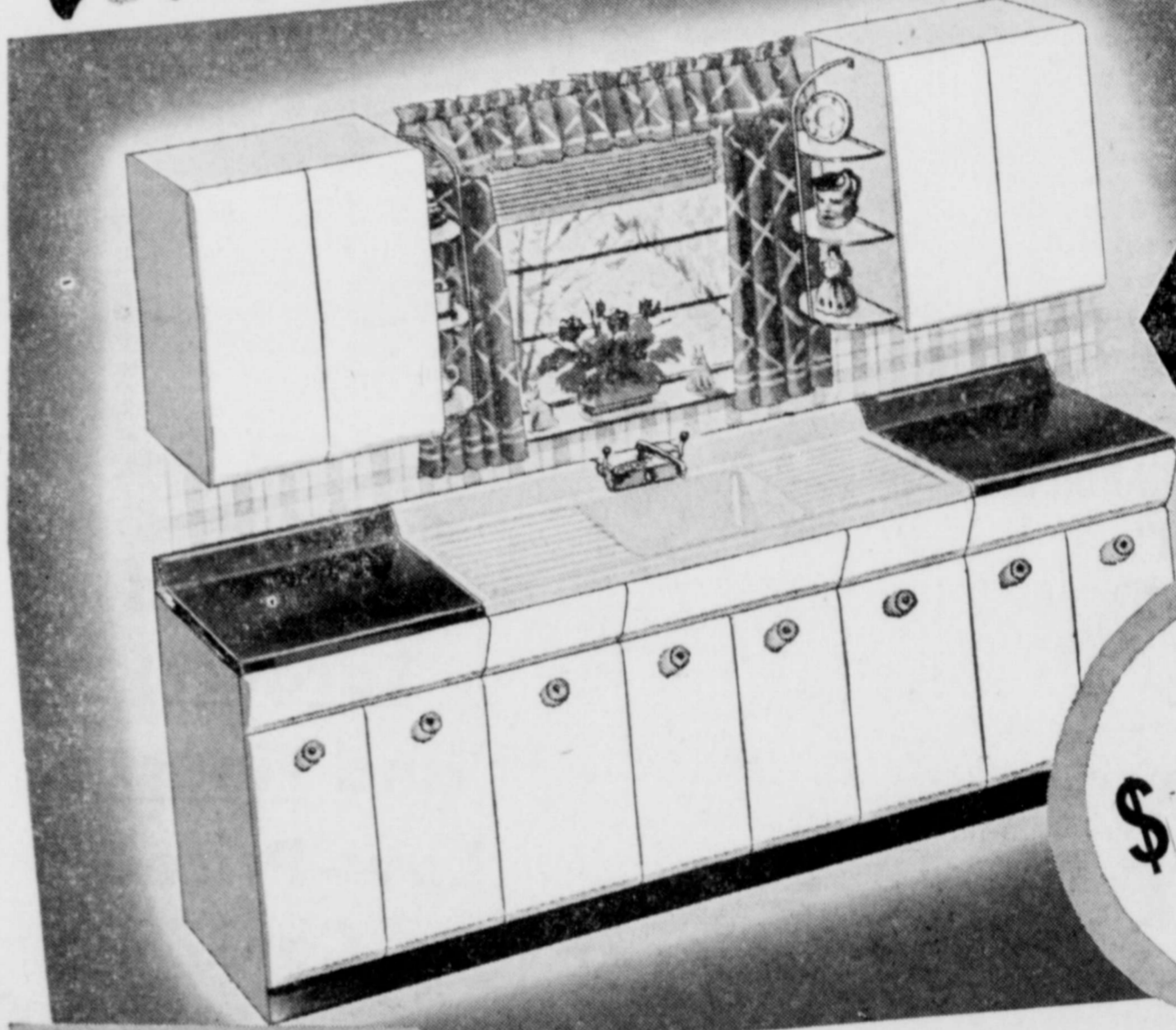
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REPORT FROM WASHINGTON

By CONGRESSMAN WALTER ROGERS
APPROPRIATIONS BILLS: — Communications Commission; \$1,420,000 from expenses of the General Services Administration; \$500,000 from general expenses of the Interstate Commerce Commission; \$1,050,000 from salaries and expenses of the Civil Service Commission.

PRICE CEILINGS: The price ceiling orders continue to confuse the public and create burdens that the people are going to resent. Many of the small merchants have found it impossible to provide the information required by some of these orders. It seems that many of the bureaucrats think that the average man has nothing to do but fill out forms and provide information for government employees to tabulate.

DISBANDING OF CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY ADVISORY COMMITTEE: An example of unsound bureaucratic practices was seen this week when the NPA's Industry Advisory Committee was advised that it was too unwieldy and would be disbanded. This committee is composed of 28 representative business men from different parts of the United States.

POSSIBLE SHIFT IN JUDICIAL AND NEW SECRETARY OF STATE: This information is not confirmed and may never come to pass, but it is strongly hinted that a Supreme Court Justice is to retire and be replaced by the present Attorney General, Howard J. McGrath, and Mr. McGrath's place as Attorney General will be filled by Philip B. Perlman.



JURY SERVICE EXCUSES NIXED—Jury Service Month will be co-sponsored, in May, by the Texas Press Association and the American Citizenship Committee of the State Bar of Texas.

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Legal Notices

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF HALL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable 90-District Court of Stephens County, on the 20th day of April 1951, by W. B. Clint, Clerk of said Court for the sum of One Thousand, Three Hundred Eighty-nine and 30/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgement, in favor of The Independent-Eastern Torpedo Company in a certain cause in said Court, No. 14,546 and styled The Independent-Eastern Torpedo Company vs. W. W. Lamkin and Tag Oil Company, composed of W. W. Lamkin and L. L. Bailey, placed in my hands for service, I, E. S. Morrison as Sheriff of Hall County, Texas, did on the 30th day of April 1951, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Hall County, Texas, described as follows to wit: an undivided one-half interest in lots 17 and 18 in Block 96 of the Original Town of Memphis, Hall County, Texas as said lots are shown by the map or plat of said original town recorded in the deed records of Hall County, Texas and levied upon as the property of W. W. Lamkin and that on the first Tuesday in June 1951, the same being the 5th day of said said month, at the Court House door, of Hall County, in the City of Memphis, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said execution I will sell above Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. W. Lamkin.

Tidelands Case. It is further hinted that Dean Acheson is to be replaced in the near future by John Foster Dulles. Some of these hints may be realities by the time this news letter reaches many of you.

Witness my hand, this 30th day of April 1951.

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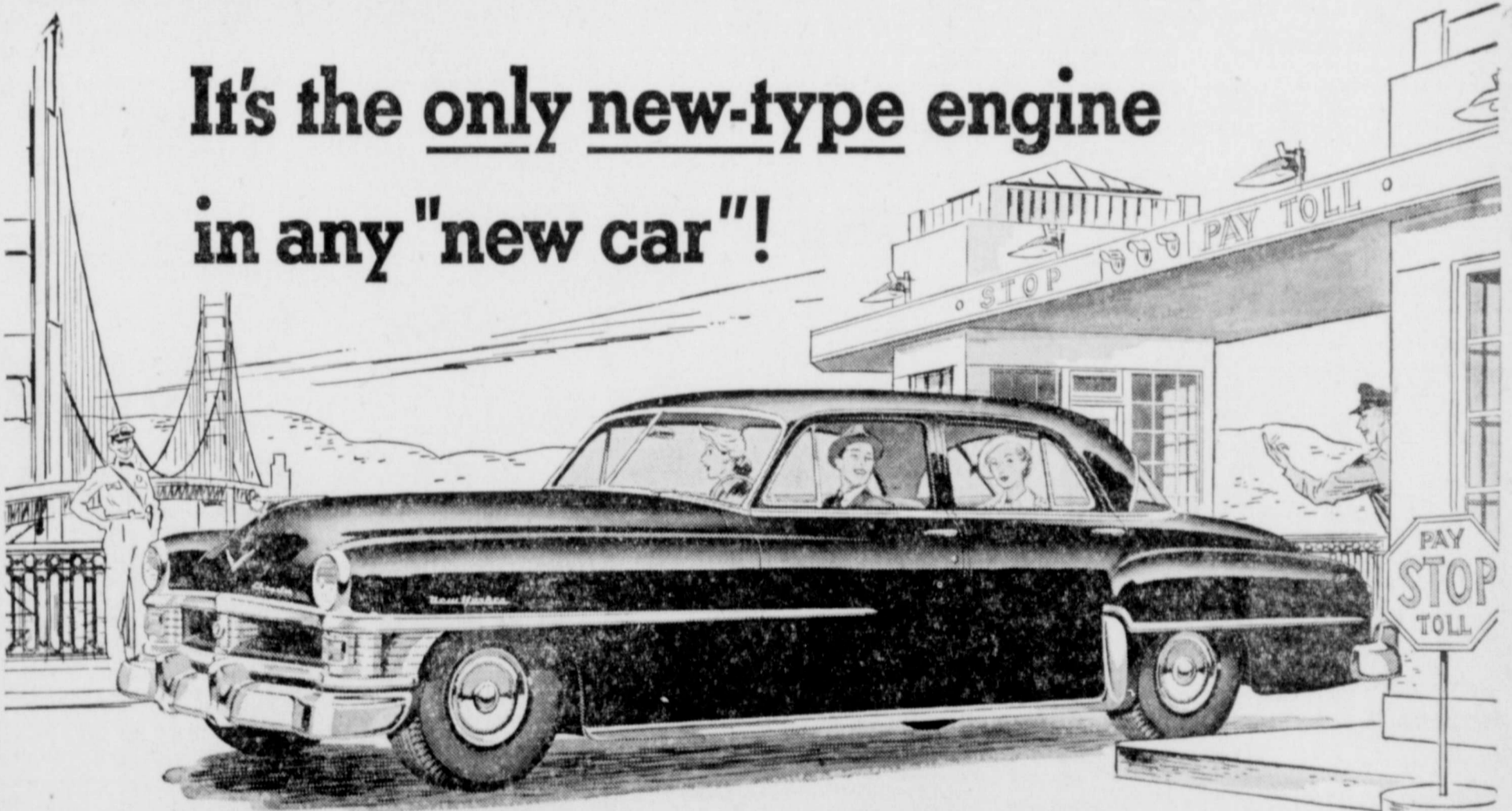
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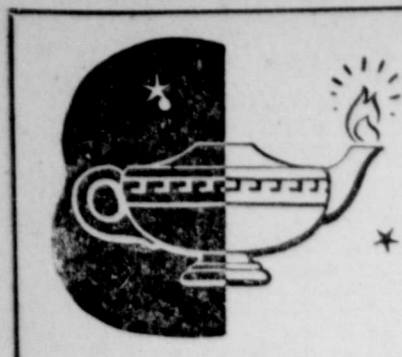


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# Pearls of Wisdom

Strung by J. H. R.

### Leather Wings

Just as the "duckbilled" platypus is a curiosity of the animal world so is the bat an interesting and strange little "beastie." Authority has it that bats are animals of the twilight and darkness ordinarily found in temperate and warm climates but also found in great numbers and of largest size in the tropics.

The body of the bat is much like a mouse.

He hangs head down 'neath the eaves of the house.

He sails through the twilight on leather wings.

Silent and weird like "ghostly" things.

(Tilly)

In all, about 450 species of bats have been recognized. They fall into two main categories; the large sized fruit-eating family and their smaller relatives, the insect-eating branch of the family-tree. The flying-fox bats, so called because of the fox-like shape of their heads thrive in the Oriental tropics as fruit-eater. The leaf-nosed bat, another fruit-eater is found in the Amazon regions where it often attains a great size with a wing spread of 28 inches. Still another leaf-nose bat is reddish-brown in color. During the day it remains hidden in caves or hollow trees but issues forth at night and, since it lives by sucking the blood of animals, it is given the eerie name of "vampire bat."

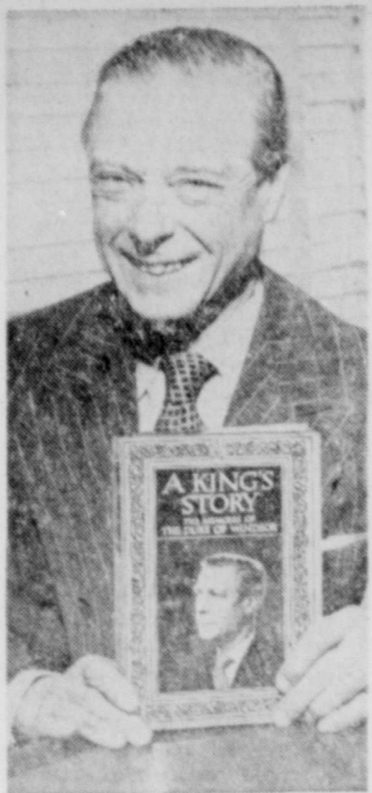
Because of the nocturnal habits of the bats, we associate their appearance with Hallowe'en, witches, and ominous portents. In truth, they are, in the main, harm-

less, devoted game little creatures. They are described as a group of wing-handed mammals which suckle their young for which they show a marked attachment. They have been known to submit to captivity rather than forsake their young ones. They are alert and easily disturbed; have a fine gray fur very like a mouse and, like the owl, sees best in the dark. In cold climates, they either migrate southward like birds or hibernate in old buildings, hollow trees, and caverns, and because of their taste for misquitos, they are real benefactors of mankind, rather than menace.

It is significant that the most interesting feature of animal life in the famous Carlsbad Cavern in southern New Mexico is a huge colony of bats, estimated to number three million in all. Just at twilight each evening through the summer, the Cave's feature attraction is the issuance from the entrance of this enormous cloud of bats. In fact, it was this cloud which whetted the curiosity of a cowboy, Jim White, and led him to explore and discover the great subterranean cavern at the foot of a cliff of the Guadalupe mountains.

So, when someone entertains a fear of our friend the bat or consigns him to the category of "ill omens", it just may be that the ones to be feared are the "bats in his belfry."

Benjamin Franklin was the first American ambassador to France. Comanche, a horse, was the only survivor of Custer's massacre.



THAT'S HIS STORY . . . Duke of Windsor shows first copy of his book, "A King's Story," presented to him by publishers.

### May 19 To Be Armed Forces Day

Governor Allan Shivers, Wednesday issued a proclamation designating Saturday, May 19, Armed Forces Day.

The proclamation, signed in the presence of high ranking Army officers and civilians cited the fact that the President had proclaimed that date and directed that it be observed with appropriate ceremonies.

Parades, military installation open houses, special speakers, displays of military equipment and fly-overs of Army-Navy and Marine planes will feature the observances in the various communities of Texas.

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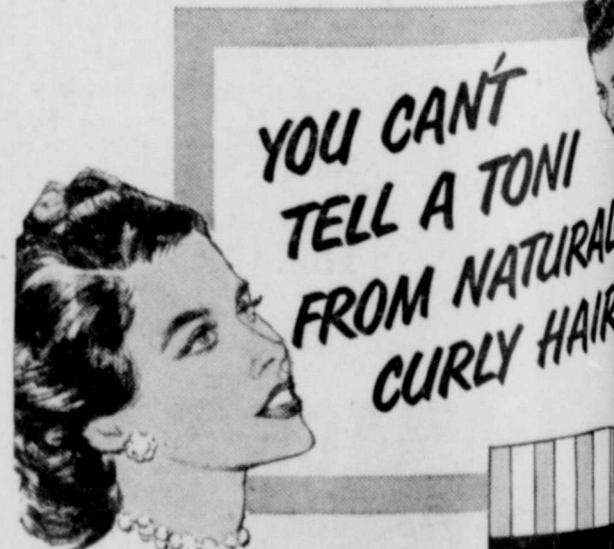


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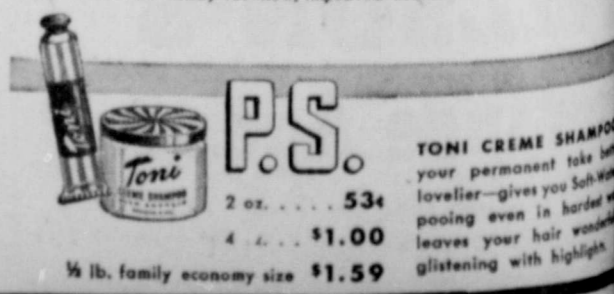
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