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U. S. Tightens Blockade Of Russians

AIR SECRETARY CONGRATULATES PILOT



Secretary for Air, Stuart Symington, left, gives a hearty handshake to Capt. James Gallagher, of Melrose, Minn., upon completion of a non-stop, round-the-world flight in an Air Force B-50 Superfortress. Capt. Gallagher, pilot of the Superfortress "Lucky Lady II", made the historic flight in four days. At center is Air Force Chief of Staff General Hoyt S. Vandenberg. (NEA Telephoto)

LUCKY LADY CREW SLEEPS SOUNDLY THRU REVEILLE

FORT WORTH, Tex. March 3 (UP)—Reveille sounded as usual at the Carswell Air Force Base here today, but the 14 fliers who had just completed the first non-stop flight around the world snoozed on blissfully.

An Eighth Air Force officer at the base said he knew of no Army plans for the crew of the B-50 bomber "Lucky Lady II" except to give the men "sleep and still more sleep."

The plane "probably" will be returned to regular duty, but no official announcement has been made, he said.

The Big Boeing ship, which was refueled four times in the air during its 23,452-mile hop, landed here yesterday morning just 94 hours and one minute after it took off on the epic flight.

The trip was made in strict secrecy, and everyone, from Gen. Curtis LeMay, chief of the strategic air command, down to the buck privates who knew and kept the secret, was pleased with the result.

"In wartime," LeMay said, "such things would have to be done in secret. This was a good test to see how such things would operate."

The official log of the flight, with some deletions for what the Air Force called security reasons, showed that the crew was hopeful, nervous, and alert as they made history in the "Lucky Lady." The log was kept by Capt. James Gallagher, Melrose, Minn., the skipper, and 1st Lt. Arthur M. Neal, Visalia, Cal., second pilot.

The log reflected the occasional pessimism that the men felt even though they knew they were doing what none had ever done before. The bad moments seemed to come when extreme fatigue had

Registrants For Selective Service

The following named boys have become 18 years of age during January and February and have registered for Selective Service with Local Board No. 36, Eastland, Texas. This board consists of registrants from Eastland and Stephens Counties:

Ocie F. Crestman, Oscar H. Lucke, Herman H. Dupuy, Jerald W. Page, Ramon Reulas C. Reinoso, Charles L. Burton, Jr., William G. McFarland, Cleveland E. Doyle, Robert E. Harper, Billy R. Burnett, David L. Williams, Williams M. Clements, Otis M. Lee, Robert J. Carothers, John T. Smith, John L. Ernst, Jr., Charles Andrew Wendt, Robt. L. Cutshall, Glen E. Yates, Patrick Louis Crawford, William Brian Boyett, Marvin Munn Rose, Robert Ivy Tyrone, Homer Wayne Curry, John Paul Hanna, Lee Roy Hargrave, Floyd Junior Rice.

caught up with the crew.

Neal's sense of humor appeared in the log when he wrote: "By the looks of the inside of this airplane, we have enough food to last for 30 days instead of five. Only one thing is lacking—a frying pan and some bacon and eggs."

Neal seemed to have summed up the feeling of the entire crew when he wrote at the end of two days: "Last comment—this is one sweet airplane!"

WASHINGTON, March 3 (UP)—American-based heavy and medium bombers could roam the globe at will in a war without much fear of fighter interception of anti-aircraft guns.

The leadership of the United States Air Force is positive on this point today. These men regard the dramatic, non-stop flight of a B-50 bomber around the world as a convincing demonstration of the Air Force's offensive capacity.

Refueled in the air four times by B-29 Superfortresses converted to tankers, the B-50 dubbed "Lucky Lady II" flew an estimated 23,452 miles. It landed yesterday at Carswell Air Force Base, Fort Worth, Tex., on the same runway from which it had taken off 94 hours earlier.

What the four-engine B-50 medium bomber did without a hitch, a six-engine B-36 heavy bomber presumably could do easier.

The implication, which air force generals have emphasized since World War II ended, is that forward bases, however desirable, can be done without if the fortunes of war should make that necessary.

Added Support Urged For Drive

According to Comanche Trail finance chairman, George I. Lane, there is still not enough interest being shown in the annual Scout budget drive. Reports up to this morning show that the total collected is still slightly under \$1,000 with the original goal set at \$1,600.

Lane is urging all captains to complete the checking of lists and help wind up the drive as quickly as possible.

He attended a meeting of the Rotary Club sponsored Troop 6 held last evening at the newly renovated Boy Scout cabin. With the cooperation of local merchants, actively interested in the Scout movement, a new roof has been provided for the cabin. Material for the roof was donated by E. M. Grimes.

Other improvements include extensive plastering, new ceiling and better heating facilities.

Cisco Robberies Solved By County Sheriff's Office

The sheriff's office solved a car theft and drug store burglary in Cisco in record time last night and left this morning for Fort Worth to return the two youthful offenders to Eastland.

A Buick automobile was reported missing by M. P. Herring Jr., of Cisco while almost at the same time, Cecil Elliott's Drug Store reported the theft of five wrist watches, two pocket watches, some candy and \$11.40.

Local authorities reported the Local authorities reported the car theft to Fort Worth police late last night. A report to the county sheriff's office informed that the two youths of Cisco were picked up. They admitted, both stealing the car and breaking into the store. Charges of auto theft and burglary have been filed.

The bulk of the missing property has been recovered. M. P. Herring Jr., owner of the stolen car went with officers to Ft. Worth to reclaim his automobile.

C. K. Hill of Sweetwater had been detained in Amarillo for similar forgeries. He faces forgery charges in many towns in the area and had previously been charged with vagrancy, auto theft and swindling.

Discuss Finance Plans For Show

A meeting to determine financing and other details of the Eastland County Dairy Show was held yesterday at the Chamber of Commerce offices. Local officials and interested merchants discussed plans for the April 15 program.

It was decided that financing will be handled through the sale of advertising in the premium list catalog.

H. J. Tanner will consult with A. Z. Myrick, president of the Eastland County Dairy Association in Cisco today. An agricultural expert from Texas A. & M. will be at the show to conduct the proceedings.

Talks on various phases of dairy cattle raising will be given by A. & M. representatives. Cash prizes and blue ribbons will be awarded to the winning entries.

\$120 Contributed To Red Cross Drive

With the annual Red Cross drive a little over two days old, \$120 has been collected in Eastland thus far, according to Earl Woody, county treasurer for the campaign. The quota for Eastland is \$1500 with the county goal set at \$6,000.

Largest donation received was \$50.00 from A. H. Rhodes of Eastland. Other contributions include A. & P. Food Stores, \$20.00; Mrs. J. D. McRae, \$15.00; George L. Davenport, \$10.00; Royal Crown Bottling Co., \$5.00; J. E. Lewis, \$5.00 and Buda B. Butler, \$5.00.

World Day Of Prayer To Be Observed Friday

Friday March 4th, has been designated by Christians the world over as World Day of Prayer.

The theme of this year service is "The Lord Is My Keeper." Psalm 121:5, and was chosen by Dr. Doris Hsu, acting president of Hwa Nan College of Foochow, China.

Eastland Churches are uniting in their co-operation and will hold services at the First Christian at 2 P. M.

The service is inter-denominational and inter-racial and all are invited to attend. If for any cause you are unable to attend the service the following prayer is the prayer that the Christian people over the world will use in their services. Let your voice and heart join in worship by praying this prayer.

DAILY PRAYER OF HIGH RESOLVE

Infinite God, yet tender Father of us all, we bow before Thee in adoration. In differing speech we utter our praise, confess our sins, declare our vows of consecration. Thou understandest all.

Forgive our generation the sin of walled up thinking, and give us grace to expand our caring from narrow domestic and national walls to the vast human family, until children now paralyzed by fear may feel the loving touch of mothers far away.

In hatred of war and its killing we are united. Hold us to a new high unity, our Father, and in that unity give us grace to change our behavior that wars may cease and Thy Kingdom come. Grant us strength to melt our pride into humility, to change our race and class prejudice into fellowship, to turn our selfishness into sharing. Rewrite into our hearts the sure knowledge that Thine is the Kingdom and Thine the power.

In this chill hour of the world's winter of indecision, grant to all mankind the shining courage to follow the difficult road of the Man of Galilee, the Christ of Calvary—our Lord. AMEN.

Check Forger To Face Trial Here

A check forger who is being held in Breckenridge will be moved to Eastland tomorrow for subsequent hearings on forged checks passed in Carbon, November 5, 1946.

C. K. Hill of Sweetwater had been detained in Amarillo for similar forgeries. He faces forgery charges in many towns in the area and had previously been charged with vagrancy, auto theft and swindling.

Sheriff J. B. Williams is issuing a warning to all county merchants to be on the lookout for "hot" check artists. He said the sheriff's office had been flooded with cases of these violations. Williams urges the complete cooperation of merchants in asking for proper identification before cashing checks from strangers. Many of these forgeries can be averted, he said, with slightly more care.

New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. John Beatty of Wichita Falls are the parents of a son, born in a Wichita Falls hospital, March 2. They have named the youngster David Carl, for his grandfather, who is J. Carl Johnson, of Eastland. Other relatives the new arrival has here include two great-grandmothers, who are Mrs. N. T. Johnson, East Sadosa Street and Mrs. Fronia Grubbs of South Daugherty St.

The mother is the former Miss Dorothy Lou Johnson. Mrs. Carl Johnson has been with her daughter several weeks, and Carl left for Wichita Falls upon arrival of the message of the baby's arrival.

RUMMAGE SALE

The W. S. C. S. of the First Methodist Church will sponsor a Rummage Sale, Saturday, March 5th in the Rust Building on the West Side of the square. They plan to start promptly at 8 a. m. and close at 5 p. m.

NEWSPAPER INCIDENT INCITES COMMANDER TO FILL LOOP HOLES

BY WALTER RUNDLE
United Press Staff Correspondent

Kingfish's Son Nervous Over Senate Debut

WASHINGTON, March 3 (UP)—Without so much as a Bible to inspire him or a single reference to pot likker and pone, the son of the Kingfish delivered his maiden speech in the United States Senate.

"Delivered it, hell," his old man would have said, "he read it."

Young Russell Long of Louisiana looks like his father. But the resemblance ends there. The late Huey Pierce Long's boy spoke with an ingratiating smile. He gently urged upon his colleagues the virtues of unlimited Senate debate. It was his debut as a speaker before a national audience and the 30-year-old Long was nervous.

On the Senate floor and in the press galleries were some of the old timers who had watched the Kingfish's antics before and during the early years of the Roosevelt New Deal. Huey Long hit the Senate with the impact of a heavy tank. When he smiled in debate it was at the discomfort of his opponents on in pity at their ignorance and remote chance of salvation. The Kingfish was a mighty man with the scriptures. He strove to bring the word to his Senate colleagues on more than one occasion, among them the June night in 1935 when he filibustered on his own for 15-1/2 hours against enactment of the National Recovery Act.

"I want a Bible," Huey told his clerk before that Marathon performance. It arrived shortly on his desk in the Senate chamber, a well bound, modest book of about the size of an average novel.

"That ain't no Bible," Huey shouted at the messenger. "I want a big Bible, the biggest . . . Bible in town; I'll need it to convert these sinners."

Cardinal Turns Grave Digger

NEW YORK, March 3 (UP)—Francis Cardinal Spellman, Roman Catholic Archbishop of New York, laid aside his vestments today to help dig graves at Calvary Cemetery where a seven-week-old strike has held up the burial of 1,020 bodies.

The Cardinal, undaunted by taunts of "strike breaker" from officers of the United Cemetery Workers (UCW), said he would lead 100 seminary students through the picket lines to assist him with the task.

"This is the most important work I've had in my 10 years in New York," he said. "We'll do the best we can."

Spellman declared that the food, tobacco and agricultural workers of America, with which the UCW is affiliated, is a "well-known Communist dominated union," and that he believed the strikers were misled. The strike, he said, was a "moral issue."

Some 250 members of the union, gravediggers, gardeners, mechanics and chauffeurs went on strike at the Calvary Cemetery, Maspeth, N. Y., on Jan. 13. They demanded that their six-day work week be reduced to five days for the same pay—\$59.40. Negotiations bogged down when the church refused to offer more than a 30 cents a day raise.

SOME ROOSTER!

DUNCAN, Okla., March 3 (UP)—Seventy-eight-year old C. Z. McClain was recovering today from injuries received yesterday while chasing a rooster. The bird turned on him and knocked him against a barbed wire fence. The doctor took 14 stitches in his nose and face.

FRANKFURT, March 3 — (UP) — American troops tightened their blockade of eight Russians in the Soviet Repatriation Mission's headquarters today, sealing off the street against all bystanders and traffic.

The blockade was tightened after one of the Russians appeared at the gate this morning, asked for a newspaper and was obliged by a Lieutenant of military police on guard to prevent anything from reaching the Russians.

The American Lieutenant who broke his own blockade was continued on duty under orders not to repeat the incident, but the officer in charge, Provost Marshall Col. S. A. Wood, was extremely provoked.

"I don't want any airlift starting here," Wood snapped after his troops ordered photographers to move away from the front of the blockaded building and stand across the street.

"I want to be sure no one comes here and throws things over the fence to them. From now on they get nothing—nothing."

The newspaper handed the Russian was a copy of the U. S. Army publication, Stars and Stripes which bannered yesterday's non-stop globe-girdling flight by an American B-50 bomber.

Entries To Show Should Be Filed By March 10th

R. B. Thomas, Jr., general chairman for the Tri-County Livestock Show in Ranger, March 8 and 9 stated today that no entry blanks are being mailed to possible contestants but that he has asked that all who plan to have entries in the show, notify him before March 10.

He reminded that there are to be exhibits in sheep and goats, swine, dairy and beef cattle, horses and poultry.

The exhibits are open to all junior exhibitors in Eastland, Palo Pinto and Stephens counties but adult exhibitors from anywhere may enter their prize animals or poultry.

The show will be staged at the show barn at the Jaycee Rodeo arena and guests at the show will be honored at a barbecue during one of the show days.

Ford Cold To Union Demands

DETROIT, March 3 (UP)—A Ford executive indicated today his company would refuse the contract demands of the United Auto Workers (UAW) for a wage increase and welfare benefits because of "the economic situation."

John S. Bugas, vice president in charge of industrial relations, said the union's demands would have to be paid for "by Ford customers."

Bugas outlined the company's attitude in a letter to UAW president Walter P. Reuther and Ken Bannan, UAW director at the Ford plants.

"We're convinced that too many of them (Ford customers) would not stand for that," Bugas said. "Food prices and other costs of living are dropping and workers are being laid off."

HAVE BABY SON

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilson, Jr., 710 West Patterson Street are the parents of a son, born, Feb. 27, in a Ranger Hospital. They have named the infant, Howard Eugene. Grandparents of the youngster are Mr. and Mrs. Maco Williams of the same address and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wilson of the Flatwood community.

Jury Picked In Williams Trial

CLEBURNE, March 3 (UP)—A jury was selected yesterday for trial of Edgar J. Williams, who is charged with misappropriating \$1,000 from the Joshua Bank in which he formerly was a cashier. The shortage was discovered after the death of Angus McMillan, owner of the bank, last summer.

Williams, accused of embezzling some \$27,000, had been an employe of the bank for 15 years. He will be tried on only one of the cases filed against him.

THE WEATHER

EAST TEXAS—Fair this afternoon, tonight and Friday, except occasional rain in extreme south portion Friday. Rising temperatures. Gentle to moderate mostly northerly winds on the coast, becoming variable tonight and Friday.

WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy this afternoon, tonight and Friday. Rising temperatures.

GROSS UNDERSTATEMENTS

BY MAKVIN GROSS

Could be that when the bluster of March and the rains of April have drifted off, Eastland will boast a first class golf course. As discussed at Tuesday's meeting of the Quarterback Club the proposition appears to be one that will benefit everyone and harm not a bit. Local golf fans have promised almost unlimited support if the Quarterback Club will keep things rolling once in operation.

In fact much of the equipment has already been purchased—just waiting for the O. K. of the club to start things moving. And that O. K. doesn't seem to be too long in forthcoming judging from the enthusiasm of members.—A new secretary-treasurer, Wyndie Armstrong, took over office at the meeting.

The question of baseball in Eastland is as yet undecided. Scholastically the high school will field a nine in 8A competition playing a round robin schedule. But as for participation in the Brazos League things are still a mystery. A league meeting was to have been held last evening so perhaps things will commence to clear a bit.

Meanwhile Coach Siebert and his track worthies have been conducting drills in the gymnasium waiting for some of the mud and cold to subside. Siebert is banking heavily on his 220 man, Jim Smith to garner some points in the sprints. Lack of suitable local track forces the Maverick thin clads into competition on foreign fields.

Deadline for candidates for city commission to file their names is March 5 but up to this morning not a candidate has appeared on the scene. This recalcitrance could mean many things and then again perhaps the potential candidates are putting some heavy consideration into the matter—we hope somebody wants to run.

Heard of one community that surpassed their Red Cross quota the first day of the drive. County officials aren't looking for that speedy response to the \$6,000 county goal but do anticipate topping the quota without too much difficulty. Committees are already plunged into heavy duty soliciting funds.

Reports indicate that work on the new club house at the football field is just about completed. A few odds and ends like some stoves and a coat of white paint remain to be added but the bulk of the operation is complete. Now that long haul from the gym to the practice field will be eliminated for the 1949 football Mavericks. More credit to a fine community spirit, which can get things done and fast—once started.

Eastland Marine In Mediterranean

Sgt. Connard N. Ellis, USMC, son of M. C. Ellis of 1008 West Patterson, St., Eastland, Texas, is touring the Mediterranean while serving aboard the light cruiser USS Manchester with the Sixth Task Fleet, under the command of Admiral Richard L. Conolly.

The Manchester is participating in a good-will tour which will afford the crew the opportunity to make visits in Italy, Greece, France, Turkey, and Gibraltar.

Ussery Now With Warren Motor Co.

J. C. Ussery, 512 S. Lamar, is now affiliated with the Warren Motor Co., as trim shop workman. Ussery recently moved here from Breckenridge with his wife and two children. He was formerly associated with Jim Hulse's trim shop in Breckenridge and previously operated his own shop in Haskell.

Ussery spent 42 months in the Army Medical Corps and infantry with one year's service in the European Theatre.



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THE MAVERICK

High School Notes
BY THE STAFF

CO-ED MEETS

The Co-Eds met at Jimmie Black's Tuesday. Pat Rushing, the new president, called the meeting to order. We discussed the Co-Ed party members plans to have before graduation. Barbara Martin has already had a "Coke" party for the club and Prudie has had a slumber party. We planned a shower for Norma Noble to be

held Thursday night.

Delicious refreshments of cake "cokes" sandwiches, pickles, and cheetoes were served to Betty Gay Allen, Jeanne Greene, Gay Nell Whitley, Audrey Brown, Bobbie Shero, Betty Ferguson, Pat Rushing, Fern Justice, Norma Noble, Nancy Harkrider, Nell Frost, and the hostess, Jimmie Black. The meeting was adjourned.

ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

E. H. S. had an assembly program last week that we really enjoyed. It was a Hammond Organ Concert sponsored by the National Transcribes Society for the Blind, Inc. of Palo Alto, California. Jack Crowell, a graduate of the Polytechnic High School of Los Angeles, played the organ, and Harvey Rainville of Boston played the piano. The things they have accomplished in these fields are remarkable, and the students really enjoyed the program.

Contributions were made last Friday toward the fund for Books for the Blind. Thank you for coming Jack Crowell and Harvey Rainville.

BAND NEWS

The people in band classes, particularly the fifth period, are really working these days. Contest numbers are plowed through for the deadline is not far away. The clinic last Saturday was enjoyed and perhaps some were profited by it. We hope many were—they should be—but you know these lazy people.

Several enacts have been contested and many changes made in a few days. Perhaps there is ill feeling—we hope not—but cheer up, you may make that first chair someday.

The band contests are going to be held in San Angelo this year and the members are looking forward to it because they like trips.

JUNIOR SPOTLIGHT

We did not have to look long for a spotlight this week. No sir! We heard a cute girl with a newly acquired Southern accent in the hall and stopped our spotlight on a certain Betty Bennett, alias Eve Tyler, the Southern widow in the play. (Look out Leonard!)

Betty has no special food, she just likes plenty of it—and we do not blame her! Besides eating we know she has lots of pep and likes to dance—to the music of Frankie Carle's orchestra. Maybe we spoke too soon, however, it says right on my notes that she "likes to loaf," but I'm sure no one will hold that against her.

You could have seen this cute "I" blond headed, hazel eyed girl in the show when the movie "When My Baby Smiles At Me" with Dan Dailey was showing because that is her favorite and Audie Murphy is her favorite actor.

Up on the hill—Betty thinks "Teach" Wolozyn is a swell teacher and she is a member of the Socialite Club, the Commercial

Club, and has a good part in the play.

We think this cute specimen of personality "plus" will have a happy life and we certainly hope she will.

WHAT DO YOU LIKE BEST?

One day last week we asked a few of the students of mighty E. H. S. what quality they liked best in one of the opposite sex. These are their answers:

George Lane—Pretty face and pretty hair (he only thinks of looks. Do you?)

Betty Grimes—Courtesy.

Murray Herring—A girl not too talkative (is Prudie or isn't she?)

Prudie Hardeman—Friendliness.

Bob Vaught—I don't like 'em fickle.

Catherine Cooper—Unconceited.

Jimmy Spaulding—Personality.

Pat Brown—Personality is tops.

G. W. McBee—I like them perky.

Tommye Jo Archer—Poised with a sense of humor.

Jerry Fuller—Pleasing personality.

Mozelle Pullman—Personality.

Doug King—Courteous and well-behaved.

Janiel Day—Personality.

Tommy Velasco—Pleasant personality.

No personality heads the list! Better live up everybody.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Beginning this week there will be a new addition to the "Round-Up" it is going to be a "Dry Your Eyes" column for the broken hearts caused by a disappointing love affair. (Ahem).

My assistants and I will try to help solve your problem if you will scribble your wailings on a piece of paper and give it to the nearest member of the Round-Up staff; they in turn will deliver it to the proper authorities.

Sincerely,
Jo Jo.

WHAT'S WHAT IN SPRING CLOTHES

Spring clothes are coming in about now and most girls like to know what the current fad is before they go shopping. Here are some hints, fellow females, concerning your spring wardrobe.

It seems the fashion designers are calling their own bluff before they previously intended to, as a glimmer of hope rises for girls who like to show off their well-groomed gams. (legs to you less-moderns.) It's true, the long hemlines are slowly but surely rising to a shorter length.

Straighten those shoulders unless you want to look like a "sad sac." The new styles are without shoulder pads. That means no more soft shoulders for your yearny heads, boys.

As for material designs, stripes and soft prints seem to lead. Confidentally girls, you can now wear stripes and polka-dots and be quite chic.

Colors are still the same, with soft, pastel shades of blue and lime-green topping the list.

Be sure to include at least one nice sun-dress in your selections because they're coming in stronger than ever this year.

SUB-DEBS

Heidi Throne was hostess to the Sub-Deb Club at their last meeting in the home of Mrs. Sam Butler. A business meeting was held and several things were discussed. The meeting was adjourned and refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, candy, "cokes" and fritos were served to Gene Griffin, Sarita Seale, Zena Grisom, Gayle Parrach, Claudine Lasater, Ann Day, Mrs. Glen Boyd, and hostess, Heidi Throne.

YEA FRESHMAN !!!

— W. F. COYOTE NEWS "GUS AND GERTRUDE STEP OUT"

Although Gertrude was slightly amazed at Gus's actions on their last date, she has a strange fascination for him and asked him ov-

er for Sunday dinner.

Determined to impress Gertrude, Gus brushed up on his etiquette and arrived at Gertrude's house with Emily Post's book tucked in his hip pocket. He was thoughtful enough to bring Gertrude's mother the best box of \$1.00 candy that can

be bought.

At the table, Gus remembered to help Gertrude to be seated, but barely caught himself before he threw his leg over the back of his chair. This habit must be remembered as a social error. Also never bite down on the silverware. This

is not only bad manners but also hard on the silver. After dinner, Gus and Gertrude went to the basketball game.

Conduct at a basketball game should always be civilized. Gus lost his temper and grabbed a bottle to throw at a referee, but

then he thought better and put it down before he gave Gertrude a double brain concussion. The game was very thrilling and Gus got so excited he almost tore Gertrude's sleeve off.

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VIC FLINT

BY MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE



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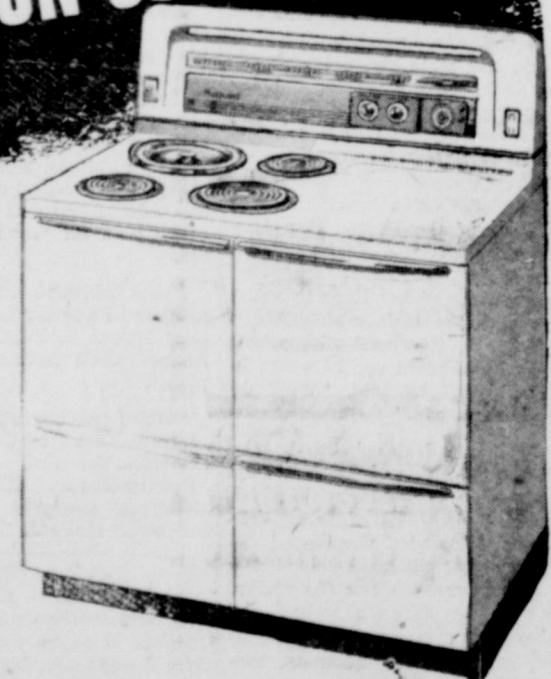


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Take It Easy, Judge

SAVANNAH, Ga. (UP)—"Ray Lax, Judge," said the man as he stepped to the front of the court. "Oh, Im not upset," said Judge Emmanuel Lewis, who had had a hard day. He was informed that Lax was introducing himself.

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XXXII

JUST how Carter managed to persuade Susan that it was wise to let Merry have her way, Merry herself never knew. She walked warily, thought twice before she spoke, and kept out of the way as much as she could. Once or twice Susan came to dinner with her eyes slightly pink from tears and her voice trembled when she looked at Merry. But within a week or a little more, she had come around to their way of looking at it, and Merry, with her heart singing, made her plans.

A golden morning late in February, with herself and Andrew in the front seat of her own car and Lizzie beaming like a dusky goddess in the back, found them driving toward Marshallville. Merry drew a deep breath of relief and tried not to remember the look in her mother's eyes as she had stood on the steps of Clelio Lindo and watched them drive away.

"It is the best thing," she told herself, her hands clenching tightly on the wheel. "It's got to be. Having me underfoot all the time just kept making her remember things, and that made Carter jealous. He's crazy about her and she likes him, and they have a right to be alone."

As the miles sped beneath the wheels, and the sun came out, lifting the fog and revealing the greening landscape, her spirits rose. She was going home! And that was enough to make her want to sing for joy. . . .

THE mellow old house looked forlorn and neglected as they drew up to it in the late afternoon, but Merry jumped out and jingled the keys joyously as she ran to unlock the front door and Lizzie and Andrew, beaming happily, followed her with the luggage.

"It's too cold and damp for us to stay here tonight," Merry de-

clared when they had stowed the luggage in the house and stood looking about the dust-sheeted furniture, the stripped beds. "You run on over to your son's and spend the night, and I'll go to the hotel, and in the morning we'll get things started."

Lizzie and Andrew exchanged a swift glance and Andrew said, "Yesum. Us drop you off at de hotel, and pickk you up in de mawnin'."

Merry nodded as she turned the key in the lock and went back to the car with them. She was welcomed at the hotel with pleasant warmth and had dinner served in her room, since she was too tired to risk running into any of her friends. She hesitated for a moment with her hand on the telephone, about to call Tip, and then thought better of it. She was tired; and she wouldn't admit that she was a little shy of seeing him again.

She fell asleep almost as soon as she got to bed and slept dreamlessly until almost nine o'clock the next morning. She tumbled out of bed, thrilled by the pleasantly important prospect of an awful lot of work that had to be done that day.

She was having an enormous breakfast in the dining room when a bell-hop came to tell her her car was waiting. She finished and ran out into the warm sunshine where Andrew, his black face split by a white grin, was waiting for her.

"Where's Lizzie?" she asked as she tumbled into the car. "Dave taken her on to de house, Miss Merry, whilst I pickk you up," said Andrew cheerfully.

"Oh, Andrew, isn't it a frajorous morning? Oh, Mrs. Lewes' camelias are out. Aren't they heavenly?"

"Sho' is a fine mawnin', Miss Merry. Ain' no place in de world better'n Marshallville, in de world," said Andrew, and beamed. Merry perched on the edge of

the seat, smiling delightedly like an excited puppy at the scents that, to her, made up the real world "home." She had never known until that moment just how terribly homesick she had been.

ANDREW turned in at the gate set in the low brick wall surrounding the old house, and, startled, Merry saw smoke rising from the chimneys; saw two men working on the unkempt lawn, the overgrown shrubbery; all the signs of activity about the place.

"Dave bring Lizzie ove', and a frien' o' his whut ain't workin' come along to fix up de grounds," Andrew explained.

As Merry fished for the keys, the front door swung open and Aunt Jane stood there, with Lizzie right behind her, and both wore smiles that rivalled the golden morning.

Merry flew into Aunt Jane's arms and they wept together and laughed at each other and Lizzie also shamelessly wiped away a tear. Aunt Jane said huskily, "Welcome home, child."

"But how in the world did you get here? And how did you get in?" Merry marvelled when the first transports of delight were over. Lizzie laughed richly.

"I slipped de lock offen 'de front do' 'fore me an' Andy taken yo' to de hotel, honey. Den us come back hyeh and work awhile. An' den dis mawnin', us telefoamed Miss Jane an' she got he'se'f a taxi and come right out."

"I came down a couple of days ahead and spent the time with some friends. Lizzie and I thought you'd like having us all here together when you came back home, child," said Aunt Jane gently.

"You're all lambs and I love you to pieces," said Merry huskily, and dashed the tears from her eyes childishly with the back of her hand. "I'll run upstairs and get into work-clothes and be right back. Oh, glory, isn't it frantic to be home again?"

"Francie is probably the word—I wouldn't know," grinned Aunt Jane. "In my day, we'd probably have said 'dee-light-ful,' only it's been so long I wouldn't remember."
(To Be Continued)

Installment Buying Controls Due To Be Eased

WASHINGTON, March 3 (UP)

Government controls over installment buying will be eased Monday, giving purchasers more time to pay for automobiles and other durable goods.

The relaxation was ordered by the Federal Reserve Board. The action marked the first softening of consumer credit controls since they were reimposed last Sept. 20 at the height of the price rise.

Here is the way installment buying will be affected:

Automobiles—Under present regulations, consumers must make a down payment of one-third of the purchase price and pay off the balance within 18 months. Under the new order, consumers still will have to make a one-third down payment, but they will be given 21 months to pay the balance.

Other durable items such as furniture and appliances—at present, a down payment of 20 per cent is required and the balance must be made up within 15 months. Under the new rules, the down payment will be cut to 15 per cent and the time for making up the balance is extended to 21 months.

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NOT SO FREE, AFTER ALL

PONTIAC, Mich. (UP)—Chas. Purcell, 41, and Timothy McLean, 33, took Judge H. Russell Holland literally upon their acquittal of burglary charges in May, 1948, when he told them they were "free to pursue their life of crime." In October, they were arrested for burglary and were convicted in January.

Fire Trucks Exempt
SAVANNAH, Ga. (UP)—It's your tough luck if you tangle with a fire engine, city court ruled in voiding Bell Johnson's suit for damages. Johnson was struck by a flying wheel from a truck. But fire trucks perform a governmental function," the court said.

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Smallpox Scare in Rio Grande Area

EDINBURG, March 3 (UP)—A minor smallpox scare gripped the lower Rio Grande Valley today, after enough vaccine for 4,000 persons was dispatched to Starr County.

Two smallpox cases have been reported within a week, the last victim being a 30-year-old pumper from Rincon. He was reported doing nicely at Grandview Hospital in Edinburg. The other case was at Rio Hondo in Cameron County.

Enough vaccine for every school child in Rio Grande County was rushed to the Starr County seat yesterday, and Dr. Robert Hale, director of the Hidalgo County health unit, said all 160 residents of Rincon have been vaccinated.

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Texas Day Program At Music Study Club

Members of the Music Study Club heard songs of the South and Southwest on a Texas Day program highlighting Texas cowboy songs, their origin and history delightfully presented by pupils from Junior High School under the direction of Mrs. Harry Walter.

Mrs. T. E. Richardson, president, presided over the business session, in which Mrs. Johnnie Hart was elected to membership. The group elected Mrs. T. E. Richardson as delegate and Mrs. Marene Johnson as alternate to



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the convention in Dallas, beginning March 26th. They also allotted a donation to the Red Cross.

Mrs. M. D. Murdock was program leader and explained the Basic Science Bill and asked the group lend their assistance to the Medical Association in helping to get the bill passed.

Present were Mesdames Richardson, T. E. Holmesley, Don Parker, W. E. Brasher, Prentiss Jones, Albert Gleason, Grady Pipkin, D. L. Kinnaird, Iral Inzer, H. T. Weaver, W. S. Poe, Murdock, J. C. Koen, Gayland S. Poe, D. E. Webb, Joe Stephen, M. W. Cummins, E. K. Henderson, Guy Patterson, A. F. Taylor, Robert Clinton, Allen D. Dabney, J. E. French, Harry Walter and the student group appearing on the program were Lonnie Young, Don Webb, Gay Poe, Jana Weaver, Wayne Cummins, Mary A. Henderson, and Nancy Clifton.

The group will meet again March 16, for a program on International Relations. Mrs. Bob Vaught will be the leader.

Zeta Pi Chapter Holds Meeting

Members of the Zeta Pi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the club room of the American Legion Building, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Mattie Doyle, president, presided over the business session and Mrs. Marene Johnson led the parliamentary drill and talked on the story of Blood, telling the different types and the importance of being informed about the formation of the types. She also reviewed a pamphlet titled, Blood magic for all.

Present were Misses Catherine Cornelius, June McKee, and Mesdames Pat Miller, Robert Clinton, Charles Cline, Frank Sayre, Dan Kralis, J. T. Cooper, Gayland Poe, Bill Walters Jr. Milton Fullen, R. D. Estes, Johnson H. E. Hickman and Mattie Doyle.

New Comers Club

The New Comers Club met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Virginia Flournoy, 204 West Plummer.

Ollie Churchman, president, conducted the business meeting and new officers were elected as follows: Fernie Green, president Sarah Brock, vice-president, Polly Smith, Secretary and Treasurer and Ollie Churchman, reporter.

Frances Brewer was awarded the surprise package.

Refreshments of orange cake and coffee were served to Meses. Bulah Monk, Sarah Brock, Margaret Powers, Henry Lee Wright, Connie Lee Beggs, Polly Smith, Franis Brewer, Jeannette Whisenant, Bee Rhea, Oletha Barker, Fernie Green, Eunice Evans, Mike Duggan, Velma May, Veda Hurst, Ollie Churchman, and two new members, Ann Fagan and Mildred Pittman, and one visitor, Sue Tullis, and the hostess, Virginia Flournoy.

Eighteen children were served hot chocolate and cookies. The next meeting will be with Velma May, 211 South Ammerman, March 16. A covered-dish luncheon will be served at 11:30 A. M.

Mrs. Barber Fetes Bobby With Party

Honoring her little son, Bobby on his 8th birthday, Mrs. Lewis Barber entertained a group of children in her home at 108 New Street, and at the Majestic theatre matinee Wednesday afternoon.

The children accompanied Bobby home from school and were served ice cream and blue and white birthday cake. Present were Paul, Terry, and Larry Gattis, Charles Rushing, Michael Manning, Clinton Ray Humphrey, Jirmie Waller and Mesdames Eldred Gattis and Eli Rushing, who assisted Mrs. Barber in entertaining the children.

The White Sands National Monument in New Mexico is an area covered with miles of pure white gypsum and sand dunes.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Conard Reaves and little daughter, Rinda are the guests this week of Mr. Reaves parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elen Reaves.

Miss Mary Ann Wilson is recuperating at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson of Dallas, following a stay in a Dallas hospital. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Dick Hunt and the daughter of the former, Miss Marion Hunt.

Visiting in Mrs. Hunts home last Sunday were Mrs. Henry Swiftell of Fort Worth, Mrs. Roy Townsend of Eastland and a grandson, Bob Hunt, of Norman Okla., who is also the son of Mrs. Susan Hunt of Ranger, and Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Kliener Jr., are the parents of a son born March 1, in a Ranger hospital. He has been named R. W. Kliener Jr., and is the sixth son in the Kliener generation to bear this name.

Mrs. Milton Fullen, Mrs. Frank Sayre and Mrs. H. E. Hickman were Fort Worth visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker and Mrs. Ida Plummer visited relatives in Fort Worth Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Cline, Mrs. Frank Hightower and Mrs. Edward Adelsten enjoyed a trip to Fort Worth Wednesday.

More Safety in Height HUNTINGTON, Ind. (UP) — Edgar Hensel, a steepjack, performs better with an audience. Suspended by a sling, he drew a large crowd when he painted the front of a building here. Later he went inside to paint a room, fell from a ladder and fractured his right leg.

MOVE TO SEND BASIC SCIENCE BILL BACK TO COMMITTEE FAILS

By O. B. Lloyd, Jr. United Press Staff Correspondent AUSTIN, Tex., March 3 (UP)—An attempt to ship to controversial "Basic Science" bill back into committee for further study was beat down today by the House.

A 72-56 vote killed a motion by Rep. Sam Hanna of Dallas to recommit the bill to the committee on livestock and stock raising.

It was the first test vote of the 51st session on the measure recommended for passage last week by the House committee on public health.

"We've gotten along in this state," Hanna told the House, "for over 100 years without this bill."

The Dallas legislator said he was "not trying to jock this bill out of the legislature—I just want to send it back to committee."

The "Basic Science" bill, authored by Rep. Ed Hughes of Newton and sponsored by the Texas State Medical Association, would require examinations in six subjects of all practitioners of the healing arts.

The measure has been opposed by chiropractors, who charge that the bill is aimed to eliminate their practice.

Hanna described the bill as "so complicated that some of my veterinarians think it might put them out of business."

He said he knew of "one time a chiropractic license bill was sent to the committee on livestock and stock raising."

Hanna was challenged by Rep. Lamar Zivley of Temple, whose motion to kill Hanna's effort gained a 16-vote margin.

Rep. Abraham Kazen of Laredo termed Hanna's move "a device to put off a vote (on the bill) until the Senate votes on it and take the heat off."

A companion bill is sponsored in the Senate by Sen. Walter Tynan of San Antonio, and has received approval of a Senate committee.

The measure, termed by the Medical Association as a "minimum standards" bill, gained 13-6 approval of the House committee last week.

The House flare-up followed return to the lower chamber of a proposed constitutional amendment which would permit the Texas electorate to decide whether it should lower its voting age from 21 to 18.

The Senate, at the same time, picked up the Tideland Battle ball with introduction of a bill appropriating \$100,000 for a war chest fund to be used by the attorney general.

The money will be used in fight-

ing federal action seeking to prove government title to Texas' submerged lands.

The measure, introduced by Sen. John Bell of Cuero, was sent to the Senate finance committee where approval was virtually assured.

Similar legislation has cleared the house committee on appropriations.

Chicago. (UP)—The best way to remove warts is to freeze them off. Dr. Herman V. Allington of Oakland, Calif., told a group of doctors here that the warts can be removed by simply swabbing them with liquid nitrogen. There is little pain and no scarring, Dr. Allington said. The warts disappear in about three weeks.

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NEWS FROM Desdemona

Desdemona, Mar. 2 — Mr. and Mrs. Homer Joe Sparkman of Freer are the proud parents of a baby girl born Feb. 24, 1949. The little lady is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sparkman and great granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abernathy.

Earl Abernathy left Thursday to visit with his daughter of Hamlin.

Mrs. H. D. Martin has returned home after a weeks visit with her daughter at Kerrville.

Mr. Earl Parks of Kermit spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Abel and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Joiner.

The Desdemona Basket ball

girls lost out in the district tournament the past week-end, losing to Priddy by only one point.

Mr. Ora Fuque has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Erwin visited this past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd More.

Miss Margie Brown of Ft. Worth visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Brown this past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Quinn of No. Trees, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hammond are visiting with the Buck Reads family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Tom, Jr. of Ft. Worth visited their grandmother, Mrs. Iva Buchan Sunday afternoon.

Desdemona High School will have Bob Shelton Mar. 8. Come and bring your friends to see Bob and his gang — A whole evening of good music and fun. Remember the date, March 8th.

Mr. N. R. George and Mr. A. W. Gorley of Limestone, Pa. spent ten days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Heeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Alread and son, Larry, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C.

Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Houser and son spent the week-end with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Kay of Permott.

Mrs. Kizzie Camel who has been a patient in the Gorman Hospital for the past week was able to be at home Monday.

The Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, Feb. 24, with Mrs. Buddie Stacy. Eight members answered roll call with various topics of interest. Mr. Matby gave an interesting article on the Early Customs of the Country of Greece. Delicious cherry pie and coffee were served from a table decorated with chopped cherry tree with the axe laying near by.

The following members were present: Mmes. Cora Sparks, M. Foote, Dorothy Tidwell, Tom Stacy, Della Ryah, Jim Heeter, Pearl Maltby, Lucille Johnson. The next meeting will be Mar. 8, with Mrs. Cora Sparks. Miss McCoy is expected to be present.

A nice program was rendered Monday night by the grade school pupils at the P. T. A. Social. "Sugar Plum Tree" was given by Doris Craig; the fourth and fifth grade pupils gave "Little Friends Far and Near", a piano number. "Rumors Are Flying" was given by Nell Grimshaw; and Buttons and Bows was given by the fourth and fifth grades.

After the program, a '42 party was enjoyed by eight tables of players Watch for the date of the P. T. A. play.

Strong Man on Job CHENEY, Wash. (UP) — School officials do not have to worry about Sutton Hall on the Eastern Washington College of Education campus next quarter. They believe it will be the most orderly on the campus. Students elected Herman Pein, Pacific Coast intercollegiate boxing champion, sergeant-at-arms.

There are three types of tea: black, green and oolong. The difference is controlled in processing. Black tea is fermented, green is unfermented and oolong is semi-fermented.

Area OIL News

By Buena Van Winkle March 2nd, 1949.

R. H. Patterson No. 1 Brown drilling at 732. They have an underreaming job to shut off some unwanted water before they can go much further, it looks like right now.

J. & J. Oil Co., N. 1 Jones are drilling ahead at 2882. They are expecting to really hit the pay off tonight sometime, and it seems now that it will really be at the 2900 foot level where this reporter predicted it all the time—I dug up my old reportings on those other wells near this location and worked from those findings using the difference in elevations, etc. Another ten years at this reporting job and I may be an oil man—or woman yet. They topped the Marble Falls formation and broke out of the shale at about 2880-82, and anything can happen from now on, but as we mentioned above, they do not expect too much to be found much under 2900 feet.

National Cooperative Refinery Association No. 1 Krell have at last recovered all the tools and are now tackling the problem of shutting off some more of that troublesome inflow of water which has dogged this operation from start to finish. Both Mr. Lee and Mr. Hedrick are in town and they seem hopeful.

National Cooperative Refinery Association No. 1 McFatter have moved and rigged up and already set surface pipe. They will begin to drill ahead either tonight or in the morning, we are pretty sure. This operation will be watched with more than usual interest, because from all the shows which have been apparent in adjacent operations the National Coop., may have the center of the little puddle of oil which we talked about as being somewhere in the

area and to be found in the Desdemona Sand.

Luling Oil and Gas Co., No. 1 Moate have gone back in and opened up the hole and applied 8000 more gallons of acid, attempting to really make a well out of this. It has been very weak so far, and has been making continuous intermittent heads ever since it was put on pump. They tried putting an intermitter or clock on the pump attempting to catch the rhythm of the heads and recover more oil that way, but it has not been to satisfactory, so now they have treated again, and are bailing and swabbing at the present time. R. H. Patterson, Mrs. Patterson,

Jimmie Rosenthal and Mrs. Rosenthal were in town today about the No. 1 Jones Well. Jimmie is one of the partners of J. & J. Oil Co., and Mr. Patterson has one of his rigs on the operation, so they are all interested in making a well on the Jones. They all lunched with this reporter in the Gorman Hotel Coffee Shop.

Wallace Reiley, production man for Luling Oil and Gas Co., is in town seeing to the re-treating of the Moate well. Others back for the week are: Mr. Bourland, Wichita Falls; Roy Coffey, Sinton; A. B. Taylor, Austin; F. D. Glass, Jr., Austin; Gus Clemens, San Antonio and Eastland; Mr. Hedrick, Kan-

Hatcheries are big business in Illinois, the nation's leading chick-producing state. About 450 commercial hatcheries produce a total of 100,000,000 baby chicks each year.

John Ericsson used Theodore Timby's revolving turret on his Monitor. He did not claim the invention, but many attribute it to Ericsson, nevertheless.

sas (National Coop.) and Mr. Lee also from Kansas and with National Coop.

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How can you be SURE that he is competent to treat you? HERE in Texas, we have an amazing situation. It is like putting the cart before the horse. We have carefully required by law that the members of nearly every trade or profession prove themselves qualified in their field before practicing in it. Our plumbers, teachers, veterinarians, attorneys, all must meet minimum standards. And yet we have no minimum standards for those who minister to our ill, whose job is to insure our health. Your active support is needed for a law which will abolish ignorance from the sick room, protect patients and save lives. As things stand now in Texas, you cannot be sure that the man who treats you is qualified to do so. Regardless of whether he is a doctor of medicine, osteopath, chiropractor or naturopath, you cannot be sure that he has fundamental background in such things as human anatomy, disease, effect of drugs and so on. If he is not qualified, he can cause suffering and death. Eighteen other states have faced this same problem and have answered it by passing laws which require that all practitioners—regardless of their branch of the healing art—meet minimum standards in the sciences which everyone admits are basic to all forms of healing. No such legal protection is guaranteed the people of Texas today. We must demand this protection. A just, practical law to protect the health of Texans is now pending before our State Legislature. It is called "The Minimum Standards Bill." It simply requires that everyone who wishes to practice a healing art must first prove that he possesses at least the fundamental knowledge in the sciences which are basic to all forms of healing. He must pass an examination given by a qualified and impartial board of science teachers, appointed by the Governor at regular intervals. Examination will be in these six basic sciences: Anatomy, Physiology, Chemistry, Bacteriology, Pathology, Hygiene and Public Health. The only purpose in a Minimum Standards Law is to improve the health standards of the people of Texas, to protect Texans from quackery and to safeguard our sick rooms from incompetence. For your health's sake, urge your State Legislators to vote for the Minimum Standards Bill. YOUR INQUIRIES ARE WELCOMED: If you would like to have additional information regarding the Minimum Standards Bill, write or phone the secretary of this society. Eastland - Callahan County Medical Society

School News . . .

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To make amends, Gus found a dime he didn't even know he had and bought Gertrude some peanuts. Gus ate most of them but he thought was nice, anyway. After the game, Gus and Gert went to the dance. Gus introduced his boy friends to Gertrude (Boys are always introduced to girls. Just say the name first.) and they seemed to like her a lot. In fact, they liked her so much Gus didn't get another dance with her that night. After the dance was over, Gus recovered his date and they (ahem) went home. At the door this time Gus held both of Gertrude's hands. He's getting braver all the time.

DRESSES COMPLETED

The second year homemaking girls have completed the construction of dresses for children. They

are very attractive with their gay colors, appropriate trimming and pockets. The girls did not forget the poem they read on "Pockets" by Susan Adger Williams when selecting their patterns. The poem follows:

POCKETS
A child should have a pocket—
Supposing on the road
He runs across a beetle,
Or a lizard, or a toad?
However will he carry them?
Whatever will he do
If he hasn't got a pocket
To put them into?
A child should have a pocket
On which he fairly dotes!
Not one, or two, but many
In his little waistcoats—
And one will be for money
He finds on the roads,
And one for cakes and cookies—
And one for hop toads!

REPRESENTATIVES TO R. J. C.

The senior class elected Betty

Gay Allen and Richard Bourland as representatives in the Ranger Junior College Coronation.

Betty Gay is very attractive with blond hair, blue eyes, and 5 ft. 4 1/2 inches tall and weighs 115 pounds. She is an active member of the Co-Ed club and is very popular. Betty Gay was a senior duchess. She is going to wear a yellow net dress.

Richard Bourland is 6 foot, weighs 165 pounds, brown hair and brown eyes. He is a very active "senior and very popular."

"A LITTLE HONEY"

The mighty junior class will now give you a report on their class play to be given in March. Rehearsals have been on every day and the students (midst English we might add) managed to struggle and memorize their lines. The play itself is reported to be coming along nicely and promises good entertainment. The following cast was chosen for the twelve parts:

Tom Corning—Stanley Stephen. Diana—Nancy Freyschlag. "Scots" Caroline—Jane Hart. Jerry—Jeanie Howard. Albert—Gary Wingate. Roger Minton—Leonard Quates. Martha Minton—Janelle Patterson. Eve Tyler—Betty Bennett. Dolores Megglehammer—Cuva Williams. Grandma Thornton—Jesse Whaley. Mrs. Simmons—Virginia Wright. Sure Shot Man—Bill Sikes. The promoters are Maxine Lambert and Beth Hurt. The junior class hopes to have good luck in selling ads for the play. By the way high school lovers don't forget the Heartbeat column, buy an ad for that. Are you excited about the play?

DOGIE CORRAL.
Well hurrah! For the girls at last have gotten to take part in the sports world of Junior High. They have a volleyball and baseball team well under way. It now seems that the boys are deserting flip-flop for baseball. . . Tennis has gotten a start too!

HAVE YOU NOTICED!
Everyone looking for Spring "around the corner." The good program South Ward put on Friday. Less locker banging and gossip in halls—PEACE! Full detention halls. 8th grade laboring late over Math tests. New Safety books given to us by the business men of Eastland—Thanks a lot!! Bobby Jack Pittman winning the Slogan Contest—Congratulations. The very nice Washington Day

program Mrs. W. Taylor gave. The bett haircuts—TERRIBLE! Maxine Ward back in school. That Don Martin has been sick.

CLASSROOM CHIT-CHAT

The Seventh grade is improving their Math after having early classes from 8:30 to 9:00. They are coming up from C to A. Sixth grade is doing lots of interesting things in science, with tests over visual education movies.

NEW FACES IN JR. HIGH

Julia Banta, Raymond Coats, Tealand Gary, Joe Prevelt, Alton Dunlap, Edward and Joan Liles, Charline Clack, and Ferne Burdick, we are glad to have all these swell kids and give them a hearty welcome!

Why we like Junior High? Glen Crews: "Because I can get a drink every forty-five minutes."

DEDICATIONS

"Pretty Balay" to Gay from "Buttons and Bows" to Shirley from "Near You" to Venna from "Brush Those Tears From Your Eyes" to Pete from Jackie. "I May Be Wrong But I Think You're Wonderful" to someone in the 8th from Lonnie (GAY?) "You Were Meant For Me" to Neil from Carolyn. "You Call Everybody Darling" to Don Juan from Girls of J. H. S. "Always" to Lonnie from Laquita. "I Love You For Sentimental Reasons" to Ledoit from Sylvia. "Little White Lies" to Joe and Lonnie from ? "Little Bird Told Me" to a certain boy in the 8th from Mabel.

Not All Thert but Good
PORTLAND, Me. (UP)—Successfully operating a watch repair business here are: Robert Venner, who has only one good hand; his brother Harry, who has only one good eye; Gerard Breault, who has only one leg. More than 300,000 babies were born in New York City during the past two years.

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TEXAS NEWS BRIEFS

By United Press

AMARILLO, March 3 (UP)—Amarillo today had its first announced candidate for mayor since the incumbent, Lawrence Hagy, definitely bowed out of the race.

Ed R. Mayer, prominent Texas oil and gas man, announced his candidacy yesterday.

LUFKIN, March 3 (UP)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Dr. J. R. Nutt, retired pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lufkin, who died here yesterday after a long illness.

He was 78. Dr. Nutt, who came to Lufkin as pastor of the Baptist Church in 1920, served until forced to retire due to ill health 22 years later.

AMARILLO, March 3 (UP)—Widening of highways 87 and 287

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between Amarillo and Dumas was recommended yesterday by the highway committee of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce.

QUITMAN, March 3 (UP)—Mrs. Jewel Rogers will stand trial here May 9 on charges of forcing Mrs. Viola Gilbreath of Quitman to eat strychnine following a dispute on a Mineola street Jan. 8. Mrs. Gilbreath died in Mineola hospital.

The trial was postponed yesterday when the Wood county defendant was too ill to appear in court.

DALLAS, March 3 (UP)—The First National Bank of Dallas today awaited word that its \$21,500 bid for control of assets of the bankrupt Southern Aircraft Corp.

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of Garland had been approved. The Dallas bank was the sole bidder yesterday for control of the defunct company's \$508,000 in secured lines. The Garland Aircraft plant had the second largest payroll in Dallas county during the war years.

Proves His Theory
ESSEX, Mass. (UP)—On his 98th birthday, Arthur M. Norton demonstrated his theory of longevity, which is hard work and good habits, by getting out and shoveling several inches of snow from his front walk.

MARKETING with Marjorie
Windy March! In like a Lion... out like a Lamb! And if you do the Lion's share of your food shopping at A&P—like a lot of other smart housewives—you'll find a wide variety of choice foods at mid-as-a-lamb prices!
MIND THE GRIND!
There are scads of different coffee-makers—percolators, drip, vacuum and regular coffee-pots. And whichever kind you use, coffee should be properly ground for it. That's why I recommend A&P COFFEE. When you buy, the fresh coffee beans are ground just right for the way YOU make coffee. Factory ground coffee can't give this individualized service, and that's one reason A&P COFFEE tastes better. Try it and see!
BREAK BREAKFAST MONOTONY!
Serve A&P GRAPE JUICE. It's the pure, undiluted juice of purple-ripe Concord Grapes. So refreshing—a royal treat for a few pennies a glass! Keep a bottle in the refrigerator. Serve it in tall glasses with ice and soda to make a hit with the young crowd. In pints or quarts at A&P.
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Want absolutely fresh bread every time? Get MARVEL BREAD at A&P. The Freshness Date is right on the wrapper. MARVEL has the rich, yet delicate taste of bread made with the finest ingredients and baked to perfection. Try it for golden toast, delicious sandwiches, or just plain buttered!
'SPECIALLY GOOD FOR LENT!
Pea Lentil's called, and it's plenty good. Heat 1/4 cup cooking oil, add 1 cup chopped onions, 1 garlic bud, chopped, 2 tbsps. minced parsley, cook until onions are lightly browned. Add 1 can (8 ozs.) tomato sauce, 1 cup water, 1/2 tsp. salt, thyme, 1 tsp. salt, and dash of pepper. Gradually add 1/2 cup ANN PAGE MELLOW-WHEAT FARINA. Cook over low heat 5 mins., stirring constantly. Serve hot with grated cheese. 4 to 6 servings.

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SOME PERTINENT FACTS FOR YOU TO CONSIDER
DUE TO the quota system your allotted acreage on certain crops has been cut—
BUT YOU can by proper fertilizing assure even higher production than you have realized in the past by making each acre yield more.
DUE TO extreme cold weather small grains often are seriously damaged—
BUT YOU can by proper fertilizing supply the plant with minerals which are salty and lowers the plants freezing point several degrees, thereby assisting the plant to survive cold weather as well as to supply the plant with sufficient nourishment to keep it alive and growing in the event it is damaged by extreme weather.
DUE TO the extreme early hot winds we often fail to make a good corn crop by about ten to fifteen days—
BUT YOU can by proper fertilizing plant earlier with less danger of cold weather, also making possible more rapid growth thereby assuring some fifteen or twenty days earlier maturity and greater yield thereby beating the hot winds and dry weather to the draw.
DUE TO the scarcity and price of feed, as well as the fact that it has proven otherwise successful winter grazing has proved to be one of the most important factors to the livestock industry—
BUT YOU can by proper fertilizing more than double your grazing as well as furnish the animals with essential minerals necessary for maximum development.
DUE TO the fact that your number of cuttings of alfalfa, etc., depends upon how fast the plant grows, the cuttings often range from two to seven per season—
BUT YOU can by proper fertilizing put sufficient growth on your hay crop to insure maximum yield at the same overhead.
DUE TO the fact that fertilizer was first used in sandy loam areas forty years ago in such states as Alabama, Mississippi, Georgia, etc. many people believe that the black land areas do not respond to fertilizer—
BUT YOU can by proper fertilizing realize as much increase in yield on black lands as has been realized on the loamy soils. Your County Agent, A.A.A. Administrative Officer or Soil Conservation Supervisor will tell you that more fertilizer is used in the Mississippi Delta—the richest soil in America—and the rich Western grain belt than in any section of the United States. The farmers who do not fertilize black land should properly post himself on the results realized by proper fertilizing in the Mississippi Delta, the Kansas grain area, the Nebraska and Iowa corn belt and the California and South Texas vegetable and fruit sections.
DUE TO the fact that some areas during the past several years have practically specialized in certain crops such as peanuts in Central Texas, maize and cotton in West Texas, flax, peanuts and maize in South Texas, etc. these good farmers are wondering what types they should use and how to properly apply their fertilizers on other crops as they find it necessary to plant their excess acreage during this period of acreage quotas and gear shifting, so to speak—
BUT YOU can by proper fertilizing realize just as much increase in yield on one crop as another, for after all, all crops are plants of some kind—their source of food (the soil) is the same. They ALL MUST have nitrogen, phosphorus and potash—and these are the basic elements in fertilizer. To be sure all crops might not respond equally to the same analysis fertilizer but various services at your command can advise you which analysis are best adapted to any particular plant according to the deficiencies of your local soils.
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NEWS FROM LONGBRANCH CARBON ROUTE 1

Mrs. G. W. Stowe, Cor.

Jerry Threet was here from Scranton Monday and hauled a load of cattle for S. N. Poe to market.

Mrs. V. G. Ghormley is home from the sanitarium and she and her new daughter, Joyce Genelle are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Brady Poe drove to Ranger Friday on a shopping trip, and were in Cisco Saturday where they visited with relatives.

S. A. Joiner, Jr., transacted business at Cisco Wednesday.

Henry Reed, Arthur Wright and George Stowe were attending to

business in Rising Star Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Vaughn and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wright Jr., drove out from Eastland and visited in the home of their parents Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Melton and their sons, Vag and Herbert were guests in the home of Mrs. Melton's sister, Mrs. Glen Sprawling and family at Pioneer Sunday.

Rev. Windle Lee, who preached here at his regular appointment Sunday morning was accompanied by his brother Byron Lee from Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bohannon had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Grady Rone of Carbon, George Stowe's sister, Mrs. Sarah Lee from Gracemont, Oklahoma and their brothers, W. H. and T. J. Stowe, of Bennington, Okla. were at the bedside of their sister, Mrs. J. W. Boatman, who is critically ill at her home in Cisco for a few days recently.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Poe and Mrs. and Mrs. B. B. Poe for a few days last week were Mrs. Tom Poe's niece, Mrs. L. E. Matthews and her husband; also her father, Henry Huffman, from Stamps, Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dudley were here from Cisco Saturday. They are planning to move back to Long Branch, where Mrs. Dudley will assist Mrs. Cloyd Walker take care of the store, recently purchased from the Sherrills. Mr. Walker, he stated will continue his farming activities after the building has been moved to its new site and remodeled and a new stock of farm supplies has been installed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Curtis drove over from Romney and attended Sunday school and church here, where they are members, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Been and their daughter, Mary Elizabeth, and Mr. and Mrs. Britt Dudley were in Cisco Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Reed and Mrs. Melba Carter were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Alford of Okra, after the five had attended church services at Long Branch.

NEWS FROM CARBON

Carbon, Mar. 2 — Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Ghormley announced the arrival of a baby girl born Feb. 22 at the Gorman Hospital. She weighed eight pounds and six ounces, and has been named Genell. The grandmother is Mrs. John Foley.

Bernice Mitchell and family his mother, Nettie Mitchell, went to Dublin Saturday on business.

Mrs. Ina Parten and family visited her mother, Mrs. Fenwick of Ballinger Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Woody and daughter, Jonnie, of Stamford, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Brown of Leuders visited Mrs. W. O. Hamilton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Cecil Tilly and children of Abilene spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. John Foley and relatives.

Mrs. Fred Foley and Mrs. J. T. Wilson and family spent the week-end with Tom Greer and family in Gorman.

Lennett Capers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Capers, is in the Blackwell Sanitarium with pneumonia and measles.

Mrs. R. D. Jackson of DeLeon visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McGregor last week.

Mrs. Tina Davis and son of Proctor spent last Friday night with Mrs. Nettie Mitchell and attended the play at the Carbon High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bennett of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Turner and children of Gatesville spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reese.

Richard Claud of Ft. Worth spent the week-end with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Claud.

W. W. Martin and wife were in Gorman on Saturday on business.

Bud Clack was in Mineral Wells last week on business.

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Bob Collins and family of San Angelo spent the week-end with his parents, Henry Collins and family.

Homer Pitman and wife of Flat Wood were visiting the sick at the Gorman Hospital Sunday.

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Mrs. George Wade of Sweetwater visited in the home of W. E. Moore and wife of Eastland and attended services at the Church of Christ in Carbon Sunday.

Buck Weston and family of Fluvanna spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. H. M. Weston.

Miss Carrie Tucher of Cisco is visiting her mother, Mrs. C. V. Ables and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Lenear visited her sister, Mrs. E. R. Butler and family and his relatives in Eastland Sunday and Monday.

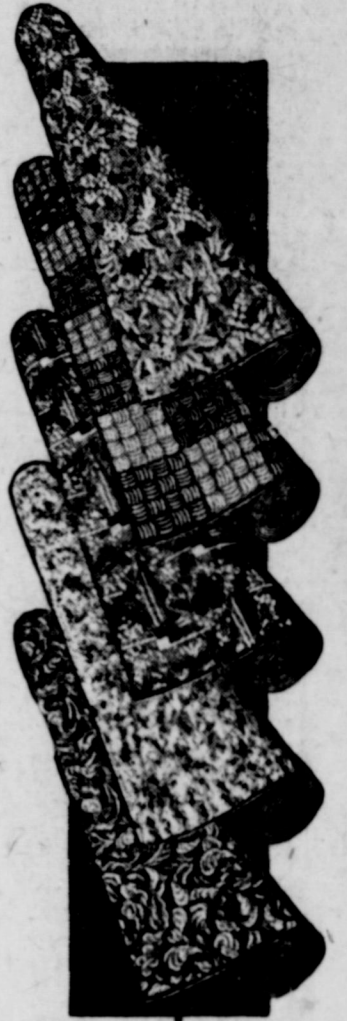
Miss Mary Green of Seymour visited her mother, Mrs. Bess Green of Eastland and Mr. and Mrs. Will McNeese Sunday.

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