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## Baseball News

The Lions will play Claude at Clarendon Sunday and then be at home for two games playing Panhandle and Canyon here. It is hoped that the park will be completed for these home games.

Spotting the Amarillo Buckhorns 6 runs in the first two innings last Sunday the locals were never able to catch up and lost 11 to 8. Andy Gies of Amarillo homered in the first inning, and Junior Hill and Bobby Everett parked a couple of home runs for Hedley.

## W. S. C. S.

The WSCS met at the First Methodist Church Monday, April 30, at 3:30 with nine members present.

The business meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Henry Moore. The list of new officers for another year were read as follows: president, Mrs. T. O. McFarland; vice president, Mrs. Leon Reeves; recording sec., Mrs. W. Pierce; co. sec., Mrs. W. L. Stewart; treasurer, Mrs. M. Thornberry; sec. statutes of women, Mrs. R. Springer; sec. spiritual life, Mrs. Jack Bumley; sec. missionary education, Mrs. C. L. Johnson and Mrs. Carl Morris; sec. Christian social relations, Mrs. Frank Alexander; secretary and student, Mrs. Henry Moore and Mrs. B. B. Moore; children, Mrs. Frank Story; sec. supply, Mrs. John Tate; literature and publications, Mrs. A. W. Atkinson; reporter, Mrs. J. B. Mason.

Mrs. T. O. McFarland, leader of the program brought the devotionals, "Prayers for Healing," sung as he sang Luke 4 and Psalm 103. "I Love Thy Kingdom" was sung and a prayer was given. Mrs. Kendall, Mrs. Carl Morris gave a discussion on customs of the protestant church and their religion from the Psalms. Mr. Tate and Beauty are in S. S. Sunday.

The meeting was closed with Mrs. McFarland reading the prayer from the Pentateuch. Monday, May 7, at 3:30 we will begin our study, "Near East Panorama" by Gloria M. Wyner.

Mrs. Laura Cawthon of Delta, La., is visiting here.

Mrs. Hodges and Mrs. Kiker of Post visited in the Rev. O. L. Jones home last week.

## Christian Church

Minister Jimmy Mitchell of Clarendon will preach Sunday afternoon at 4:00.

Sunday School at 3:15

## Assembly of God Church

T. E. Gibson, Pastor  
Sunday School: 10 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.  
Midweek Prayer Service, 7:30 p. m.  
Thursday  
Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p. m. Sunday

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## District Tournament

In Tuesday's games of the district baseball tournament held here, Estelle defeated Carey 22 to 11, and Hedley won over Kirkland by 13 to 3. Wednesday afternoon Estelle won the tournament by defeating Hedley 12 to 8.

## FFA Boys Win

The Hedley FFA team, directed by W. L. Davis, went to Lubbock last week end to take part in judging contests for Area II, consisting of 34 counties. 55 FFA chapters were represented in the contests.

The Hedley boys were very successful in the contests, winning 1st in crops judging and 3rd in dairy products.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kutch are moving to Clovis.

Johnnie Ray Everett of Austin has been visiting home folks.

Mrs. Vergil McPherson and children visited in Pampa and White Deer last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hunnicutt, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kirkpatrick, C. L. Johnson and Obe Holland attended a Legion zone meeting at Shamrock Tuesday night.

## Attends Convention

Houston, Tex., Apr. 28—Dr. D. H. Cox, osteopathic physician of Hedley, attended the 51st annual convention of the Texas Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, which was held at the Shamrock hotel, Houston, from Apr. 26 to 28.

Osteopathic research, surgery, structural diagnosis and postural defects were among the subjects discussed at the three day meeting.

## Farm Bureau Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Donley County Farm Bureau will be held in the County Agents office in Clarendon Tuesday night, May 8th, at 7:30.

## Birthday Party

Mrs. Vergil McPherson entertained her daughter Kathleen with a birthday party April 26th on her 4th birthday.

Games were played, then followed the opening of the many nice gifts.

Refreshments of cake, punch and favors of stick candy, balloons and suckers were served to Susan Cox, Patsy Stuckey, Cecilia Hogard, Sarah Spalding, Patricia Houdashell, Charlene White, Altha Brown, Rusty Mosley, Doyle Baggett, Gary Alexander, Jimmy Boivier, Jon and Pat Leggitt, Anthony Stone, Jimmy Gilbreth, Carolyn McPherson and the honoree, Kathleen McPherson.

Sandra and Judy Saunders, Judy and Jodeena Pate and Billy Wiggins sent gifts.

## Church of Christ

Regular services of the church include the Sunday morning services at 10 and 11, the Sunday night service at 7:30 and the Wednesday night service at 8:00.

## Receives Cap

A Hedley girl, Miss Sarah Ann Rains, was among the 23 student nurses of the Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo who received their caps in a ceremony last Friday night in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Amarillo.

Dr. Winsett gave the welcome to the students, and Dr. Arouson made the principal address.

Zelma Hershey, Senior student nurse, portrayed Florence Nightingale, founder of modern nursing, and gave the charge to the students.

A reception in the parish house was given immediately after the ceremony.

Those attending from Hedley included Messrs. and Mesdames Charles Rains, Clyde Bridges, Hobart Moffitt and Alva Simmons.

## First Baptist Church

The Associational Youth Meeting at the First Baptist Church last Saturday night was well attended. A most inspiring song service under the direction of Bro. Young Tucker of Leslie was enjoyed, followed by a good program. After the services the ladies of the church served cake and cokes to all present.

The revival at the Baptist Church closed last Sunday night after a week of services. The results of the meeting were spiritually profitable to the church and all that attended the revival. The baptismal services were held at the close of the Sunday night service.

## American Legion

Next week is regular American Legion meeting. This will be a business meeting only. Several items of importance are to come up, so come out. Meeting time is 8 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Moffitt spent Sunday in Memphis.

Mrs. Si Wood of San Diego, Calif., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pickett.

## "Neighborhood Gossip"

By Lowery Johnson

### FOLKS I'LL TELL YOU:

You know me and my Grandpa was prowling around one time, and he says, "Son, do you see them coon tracks meandering down the creek in the sand?" He says, "Them coon tracks was made by a one eyed boar coon with a crooked tail." And you know I was marveling at his deductions and I was telling Grandma how smart he was and what he could tell by just looking at coon tracks. And she says, "He ought to know all about that durn coon, he ketches it in a trap last week."

My Verse Today  
What has become of the land of the free  
That we have loved these many years,  
Some thing must have gone amiss—  
And seems to be slipping its gears.  
Shure we played heck for awhile  
And spent the Country's money,  
Now that we are all in a jam  
There's nothing about it, that's funny.

## Seniors Honored

The women of the Baptist Church entertained the Senior Class with a banquet given May 1 at eight o'clock in the dining hall of the educational building. "Going places" was the theme carried out in decorative effects and program. The centerpiece was a miniature train passing through country lanes of wild plum bloom to a station also set in wild flowers. The favors were tiny suitcases in white each bearing a green pennant. These held colored mints.

The "conductor" for the occasion was L. E. Blankenship. Mrs. Chas. Rains "welcomed passengers" and Wendel Penick responded for the Seniors. "A Stop for Special" was a group of the girls chorus who came in singing bearing garlands of old fashioned flowers which they hung on the backs of the Seniors' chairs. The girls were given corsages and the boys buttonhole souvenirs. The chorus then sang "Memories." This part of the program was under the direction of Mesdames Alva Simmons and Bill Seales.

After dinner Mrs. O. L. Jones, wife of the Baptist pastor, read "good wishes" to the class as "Train Announcer." "Stop, Look, and Listen" was the title of the after dinner address by Rev. O. L. Jones. Group singing closed the program.

Those present were Wendel Penick, Bobby Baker, Orelia Sanders, Dolores Read, and Mary Lou Greer, Seniors; and Messrs. and Mesdames A. L. Davis, A. B. Truitt, J. M. Baker, W. L. Davis, J. R. Ward, Oscar Patterson; Mesdames Davenport McGeehee, and Duncan, and Misses Myrtle Hall, Norma Brookerson, and Elvaree Moore; and Messrs. and Mesdames Chas. Rains, L. E. Blankenship, and Rev. and Mrs. O. L. Jones. Those helping were Mesdames Bill Seales, Alva Simmons, Frank Murray and Otis Owens.

Girls singing in the chorus were Jane Mosley, Willie Owens, Norine Gibson, Wanda Moore, Wanda Lou Saunders, Vinona Hansard, Wanda Hansard, Sandra Youree, Peggy Spear, Pat Murray, and Joyce Sanders. Nancy Nash played accompaniment on the piano. This banquet was unique in the history of banquets in several ways,—one way—there was not a single empty place. All invited guests were present.

D. C. Powell and family of Turkey visited in the C. R. Hunsucker home last week.

Corky Hunsucker, Jerald Peters, and Foy Page of Lubbock spent Sunday in the Hunsucker home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Blackwell and Mrs. Hershell Malone visited in Hillsboro last week.

Horace Clay underwent an operation Tuesday at Groom.

Pvt. Chas. N. Johnson was at home for the week end from Camp Carson, Colo.

Sarah Ann Rains was at home from Amarillo last week end.

T. O. McFarland was called Wednesday to the bedside of his brother, Frank McFarland of Flint, Texas, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. C. L. Johnson has returned from a visit to Vernon.

## Lions Queen Contest

The District Convention of the Lions Club met in Hereford April 30. The high spot of interest in the meeting was the Queen Contest in which the district winner was named. Thirty-two girls from out-lying districts were named contestants. Some of these were college girls from Amarillo, Canyon and Lubbock. The winner of Hedley's local contest, Miss Patsy Usrey, high school junior, was among the thirty-two entrants; and though late in arriving was named one of the five highest ranking contestants—receiving finally second place in the contest.

Since Hedley Lions Club was not too well represented, the Hedley contestant had few boosters. This speaks well for the personality of young lady who represented the local club, and we are very proud of her as a winner. To win second place in a contest involving so many Plains Country college beauties was indeed a triumph.

Many social events were given honoring the beautiful guests of the Lions Club. The local representatives attended only one—the Governor's banquet at which Miss Patsy Usrey sat among the guests of honor. The banquet hall in the Jim Hill Hotel was a splendid scene that evening. The beautiful flower decorative scheme was designed and carried out by the Western Floral Shop owned and managed by a former Hedleyan, Mrs. Lake Dishman. Leighton Noble and his band furnished music for the occasion.

Among those attending from Hedley were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rains, Sara Rains, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Messer, Patsy Usrey, Pat Pritchard, Carolyn Reeves, Mrs. Ray Moreman, Jerald Sims and Clifford Johnson. Miss Pat Pritchard won second place in the local contest here several weeks ago. Mrs. Moreman was official chaperone for the young ladies who attended from Hedley.

## Church of the Nazarene

Evangelistic services will be held at the Church of the Nazarene Friday and Saturday nights and at the morning and evening hours Sunday. These services will be conducted by six students from Bethany-Peniel College and a number from Pampa.

Roy Bevers underwent an appendectomy in the Groom hospital Monday night. He is reported doing nicely.

Mrs. V. C. Waddell underwent an operation in the Groom hospital Tuesday.

Billy Gene Tate has enlisted in the navy and is now stationed in the U. S. Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif. His wife has gone to Hemet, Calif. to be near Billy while he is in training.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ward visited in Cooper last week end.

Leroy McKee of Plainview visited here last week end.

Alva Simmons made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

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## Lions Roar

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Last week's meeting was held at 7 p. m. on account of the revival at the Baptist Church. Next weeks meeting will be back at 8 p. m. which should give everybody time to get there on time. Come out for a good program and a good feed.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Wiggins of Borger announce the arrival on April 30 of a fine little son, weight 7 lbs. 9 oz.

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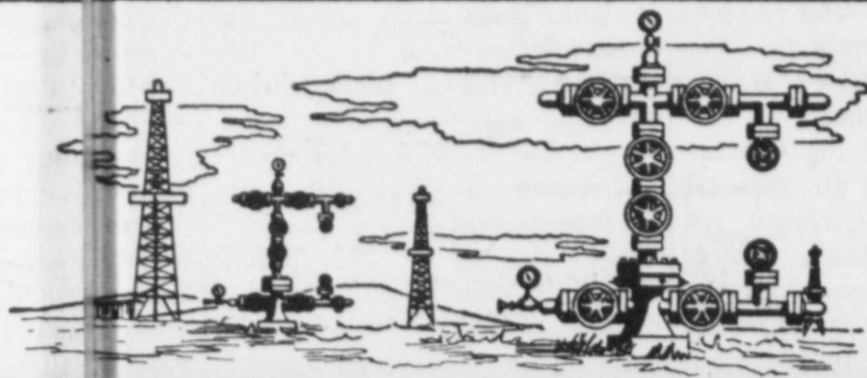
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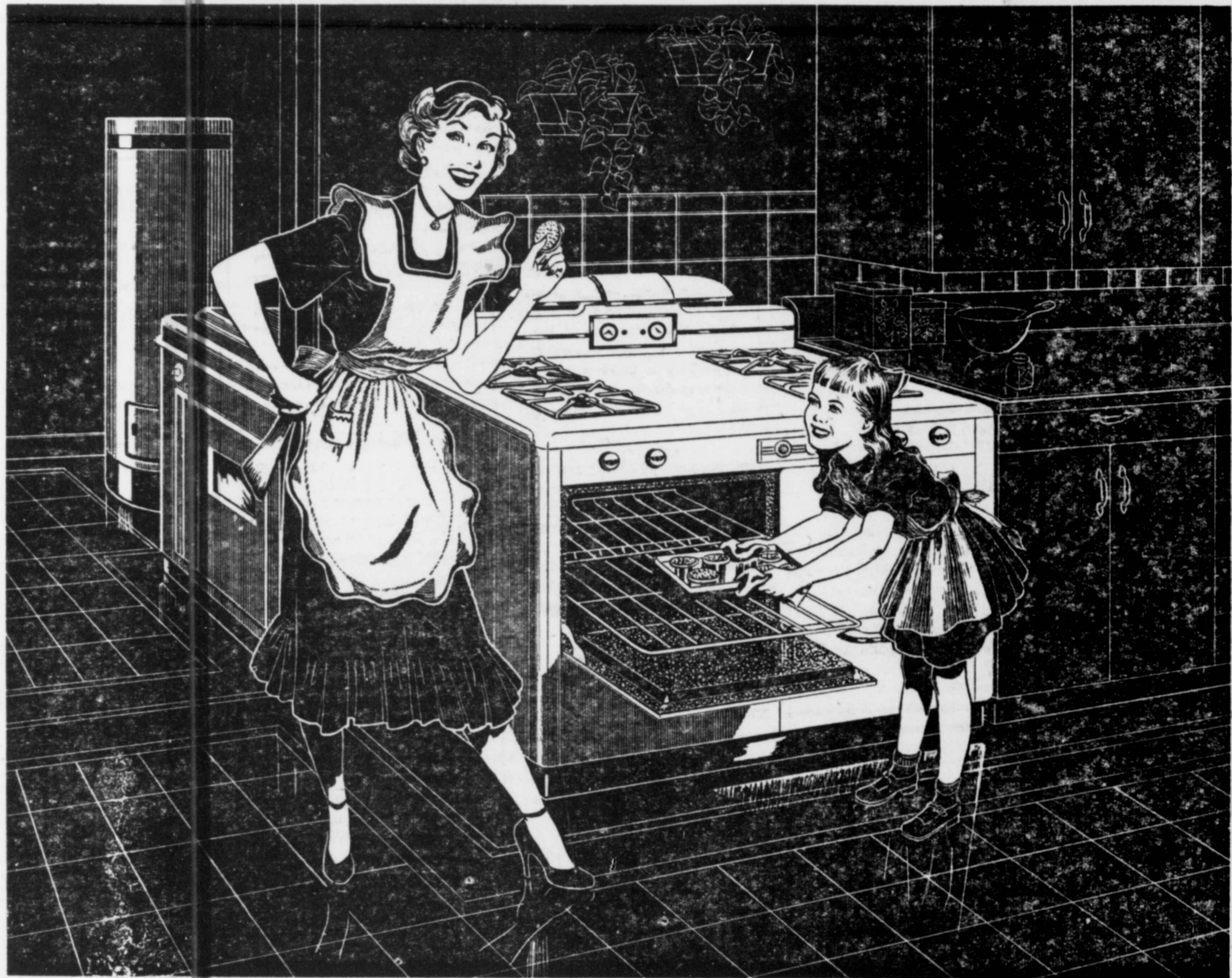
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