

Happy Birthday

Friday, February 24—
Judy Dell Mann
Gene Schultz
Mrs. Joe F. Logan
Mrs. Arch Crosby
Saturday, February 25—
Mrs. Jack Ellingson
Henry Wyatt

Mrs. Tommie Seals
Mrs. Tommy Thorp
Sunday, February 26—
Mrs. O. L. Carpenter
Charles Lee Cusenbary
Edward Archer
Bobby White
Monday, February 27—

Tuesday, February 28—
Russell Ward Johnson
Frank Smith

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kring are moving to Mason, where he will be employed. Mrs. Kring will leave Monday for a visit in Rochester with her mother, Mrs. H. M. Thomason, before going to Mason.

Master Sergeant and Mrs. Harold Saunders of Bergstrom Field, Austin, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Saunders, over the weekend.

46 Years Ago

(From the copy of Feb. 27, 1904) 96 in the shade on Wednesday, Feb. 24, 1904. Sonora is a pretty warm town any way.

The Roping Contests
Sonora has again given evidence of her superiority over the inland towns of West Texas.

Beginning with the 24th the same old town was found in the same old place dispensing hospitality with a generous and free, liberty loving hand. The only trouble seemed to be the housing of the visitors. The hotels had to turn people away to the boarding houses and residences of friends for shelter.

Roping is not an approved method of amusement by stockmen, and this is a stock country, never the less the damage is done and the stockman lets the dead past bury its dead -- with the assistance of the buzzard and enjoys seeing a contest at a game he knows more about than any other sport.

The event that attracted this large crowd to Sonora was the three steer roping contests between Paul Perner and Bruce Drake of Ozona and John Driver and Tom Barksdale of Sonora, the purse being \$500. The contestants are amateurs and that they are evenly matched is evidenced by the statement that the contest was a tie with the exception that one of the steers was tied contrary to the rules.

Clarence G. Brown, manager of the Sonora division of the Sonora-San Angelo Telephone system, has gone on a visit to his home in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lowrey were in from Abe Mayer's ranch Wednesday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stokes. Mrs. Lowrey will visit Mr. and Mrs. Stokes for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Adams of London, Kimble County left for their home Monday after spending about a week in Sonora visiting friends and relatives.

Jackson Hall was the scene of three highly enjoyable and large-

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ly attended hops this week. Wednesday night the crowd was not large but Thursday night was an over flow affair and Friday night the dancers were almost as numerous.

Prof. H. Day of Boston, Mass. arrived in Sonora Tuesday with the intention of traveling through Texas on a pleasure trip. But after a few days, stay he decided to remain here for a while, and will in all probability take charge of the band.

E. F. Vander Stucken, president and general manager of the general mercantile firm of E. F. Vander Stucken, returned Sunday from a purchasing and business trip to St. Louis, New York and eastern markets.

Bert Bellows is building himself a four room residence to cost about \$500.

R. L. Caruthers of the Eldorado Paper was in Sonora Thursday for the roping and dance and had a very pleasant time. Mrs. Caruthers accompanied him to see that he behaved himself.

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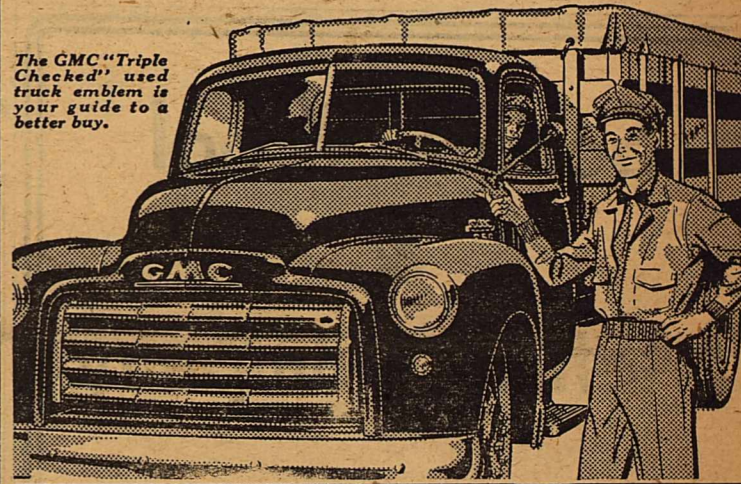
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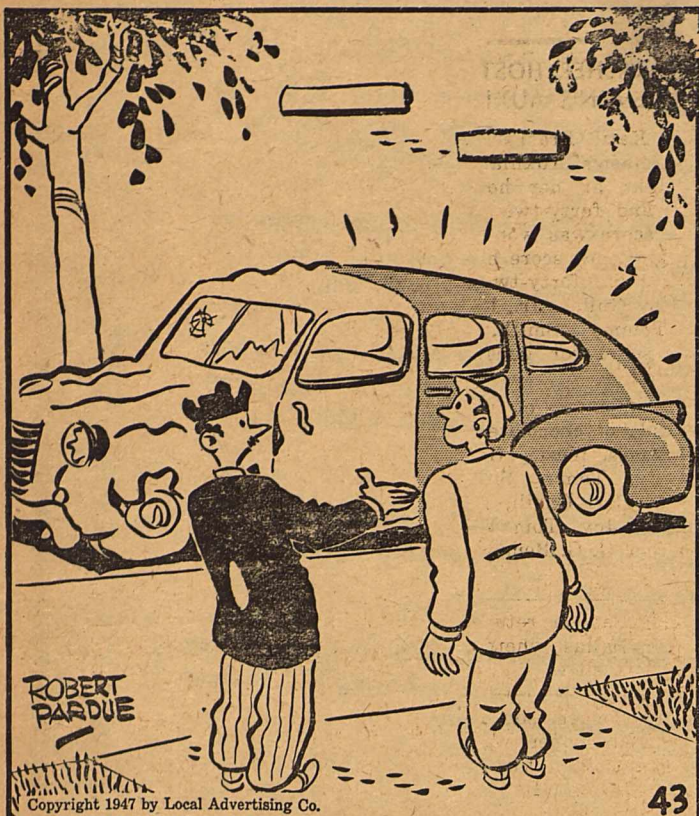


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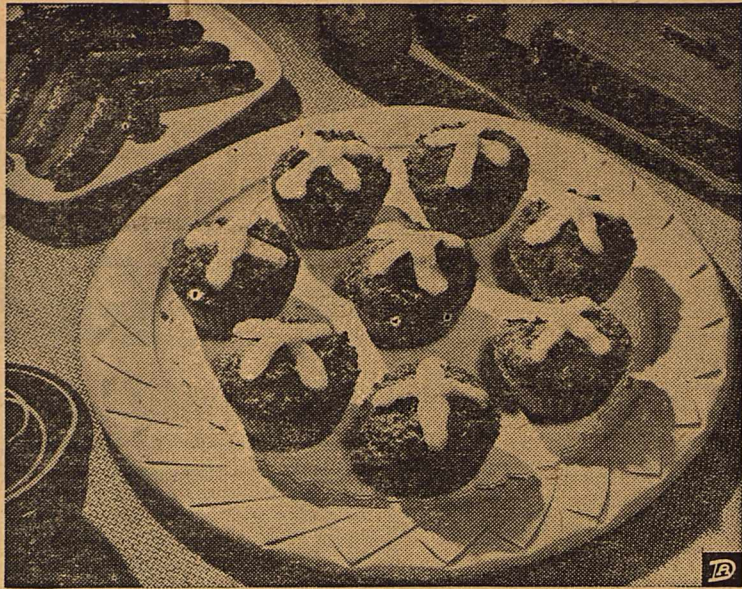
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These quickly made spicy cakes with cross of white icing offer an easy way to put the popular hot cross bun on the Lenten menu.

For centuries hot cross buns have been served on the Lenten table, but never have there been so many interesting and easy ways to make them. Hot cross buns may be created from a kneaded yeast dough, a beaten batter, or muffin-type batter. The delicious and spicy cake-like buns pictured here are the latter kind. They will be your choice to make when time is short, or when you plan to serve them for tea or dessert.

Spicy gems are made from quick coffee cake batter, with just the right seasoning of spice and sprinkling of currants to resemble hot cross buns. They are excellent hot from the oven, but they are almost as good the day after. These gems are budget-wise too, for they need no spread to make them taste extra good.

Because spicy hot cross gems are made with enriched flour, they provide the same B-vitamins and iron which make all enriched breads such economical "health" foods. Serve these gems as luncheon bread, or for dessert with apple sauce, baked pears, or stewed dried fruit.

SPICY HOT CROSS GEMS

- Topping**
- 2 tablespoons fine bread crumbs
 - 2 tablespoons enriched flour
 - 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
 - 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
 - 2 tablespoons sugar
- Mix all together until crumbly.
- Batter**
- 1 1/2 cups sifted enriched flour
 - 1/2 cup sugar
 - 2 teaspoons baking powder
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 5 tablespoons melted shortening
 - 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
 - 1/2 teaspoon allspice
 - 1 egg
 - 1/4 to 1/2 cup milk
- Sift together flour, sugar, baking powder, salt, cinnamon and allspice. Beat egg, add milk and melted shortening. Add to flour mixture and beat smooth. Fill greased muffin pans one-half full. Sprinkle with topping. Bake in moderately hot oven (400 degrees F.) 20 to 25 minutes. Makes one dozen two-inch muffins.

Typewriter Repair At News Office

SAN ANGELO FAT STOCK SHOW & RODEO MARCH 2-5

PROGRAM:

- Grand Opening Parade March 2 - 10:30 a.m.
- Rodeo Performances Daily - 2:00 p.m.
- Fat Lamb, Pig, Hereford and Brahman Judging - March 2
- Breeding Sheep, Angus Cattle and Fat Steer Show - March 3
- Boys' Fat Stock Sale March 4 - 9:30 a.m.

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 Young People's Meeting 6:00
 Evening Services 7:00
 Mid-Week Services Each Wednesday 7:30
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 10:45 a. m. Worship
 6:15 p. m., Young People's Meeting
 7:00 p. m. Worship

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 Evening Worship 7 o'clock

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 9:30 Church School
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EASTER STYLE SHOW SET MARCH 10 BY GIRL SCOUTS

An Easter Parade of misses to matron styles will be shown at the Cactus Hotel ballroom in San Angelo Saturday morning, March 4, at 10 o'clock. This style show is being sponsored by Girl Scout Troop 80 and will have adult models from several West Texas towns.

Sponsoring stores are Barnes & Co., Maurice Shop, Sturges and The Fashion Shop. Tickets will be on sale at the door.

Candace Cauthorn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cauthorn, received a broken toe Saturday, when a wagon wheel she and her brother, Dan Carter, were playing with fell on her foot.

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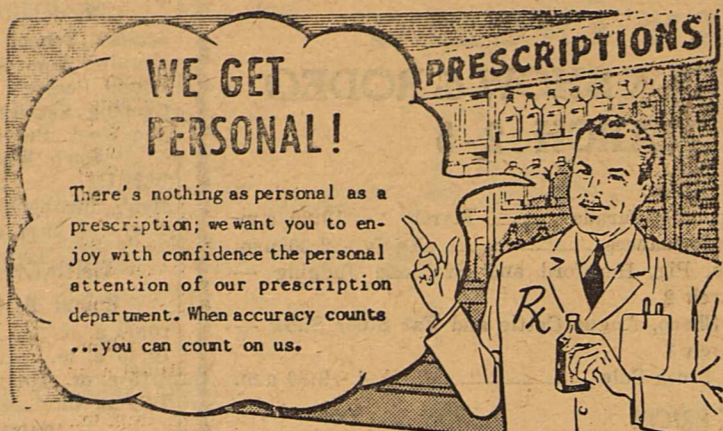
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Uncle Sam Says



The life of Abraham Lincoln, whose birthday anniversary we observe this month, provided an example of hope, courage and thrift which is just as important to you today as ever before. And this applies to all of my nephews and nieces. Together with all of that hope and courage each of you possesses, there must be the respect for thrift. And one of the safe, sure ways of saving is by investing in U. S. Savings Bonds. Each \$3 invested today will bring you \$4 in ten short years. **START SAVING IN 1950 FOR 1960.**
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YOUR HEALTH

If public health is to contribute to health and happiness in 1950, the people of the State need to gain a new knowledge of its significance and to convince their leaders of the importance of the support of the people, said Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

The State Department of Health is the state agency responsible by law for the health of all the people in Texas. The working out of this responsibility, however, must be a joint affair shared by all the people.

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FRIDAY FEB. 24

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SATURDAY FEB. 25

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- VIENNA SAUSAGE, Old Bill, Can 12c
- HOMINY, Jack Spratt, Tall Can 9c

- HEART'S DELIGHT PEARS, Heavy Syrup, Tall Can 22c
- CHILI, Gebhardt's, 1b Can 42c
- CATSUP, Hunt's, Large Bottle 19c
- SPINACH, Del Monte, No. 2 Can 15c
- STOKELEY'S TOMATO JUICE, 46 Oz. Can 31c
- SUGAR, Pure Cane, 10 lb 99c

FLOUR, Kimbell's Best, 25 lb. Bag - \$1.65

- PEAS, Diamond, Tall Can 10c
- PINTO BEANS, Diamond, Tall Can 10c
- Pork & Beans, Diamond, Tall Can 10c

- SWEETHEART SOAP, 4 Bars 35c
- TREND, Large Box 22c
- DOG FOOD, Tuffy, 1b Can 8c

Fruits & Vegetables

- STRAWBERRIES, Good, Box 29c
- LETTUCE, Fresh, Head 10c
- CARROTS, Long Smooth, Bunch 5c
- CABBAGE, Hard, Green, 1b 3c
- GREEN BEANS, Fresh, 1b 19c

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- FRYERS, Fresh Dressed, 1b 56c
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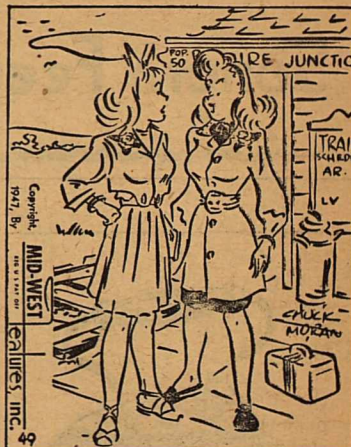
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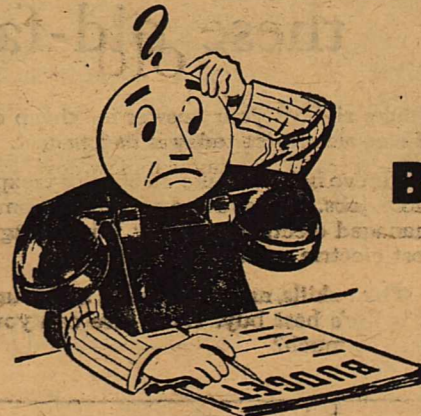
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