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RANGER, TEXAS, THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 1957

City-Wide "March" on Cancer Set Friday

Trash Trucks to Leave at 8 a.m.

Teams to Distribute Tracts; Seek Funds

WHAT'S...



COOKING?

By NORMAN WRIGHT

When it comes to a final showdown, the taxpayers will probably be called upon to dig down and fork over another \$47 million for the Republicans to run the postal service from now until the end of June in their accustomed manner, and for some people to send you some more advertising circulars at your own expense.

One of the big troubles with the postal service, among other things, is that too much money comes off the top before they ever get down to actually handling the mail.

It is just like the Old Age Pension program. The taxpayers put up millions of dollars to help take care of the old folks, but by the time the administrators get through taking money off the top for their own high salaries, and for well paid secretaries who even have secretaries of their own, and for all other administrative expenses, they are down to talking in such terms as \$2 and \$3 a month when they get ready to dish out the remaining pennies to the old folks, saying that's all there is, there just isn't any more.

Out of the many millions of dollars appropriated annually for operation of the postoffice department, only a very few thousand are used for actual handling of the mail. All over this country there are thousands of pork-barrel jobs that have been created in regional postoffices that never were heard of before. Millions of dollars are paid out to administrators whose sole contribution to the service is to dream up new ways of spending more money. Vast office forces have been created in order to award the favors, and this drain upon the postal budget has been too much to stand the gaff.

We know of one young man who never earned a dime in his life except what his father paid him for hanging around the family business. But this young fellow got hold of an old Ike button back during the days when Henry Porter and some of them in Texas were buying the presidency for the general, and he wore that old Ike button around town all during the campaign.

As a result of such unwavering loyalty the lad was given a \$20,000-a-year job in a regional postoffice, and his sole contribution to the United States Mail since that time has been to fall in love with his office secretary and divorce his wife, and he has spent the last four and a half years in court battles involving custody of the child. But he still has that \$20,000 job!

There are thousands of just such useless jobs that are draining money away from the postal service that might well be used for actual distribution of the mail, but it seems that these button-wearers must be looked after at all costs.

Summerfield decided he would save some money while back by cutting down his glue bill and smeared so little paste on one batch of stamps that it cost him \$43,000 before he could recall the issue because it wouldn't stick.

Just ask your hometown postmaster any day to let you see (Continued on Page 2)

Buck Wallace, general chairman of the city-wide clean-up campaign, said all trash trucks would leave at 8 o'clock Friday morning from the same place they left last Friday which was the Elm Street Fire Station.

Wallace said they had about the same number of trucks and men lined up this week as they had last, but in order to pick up all the remaining trash piles that are yet strewn about the city, the trucks and men would have to get at it early and stay with it until late in the afternoon, he said.

When asked what would be the program in case of rain, Wallace said he just didn't know, but he supposed the only thing that could be done would be to wait until Monday or Tuesday to do the work.

"We want all the rain we can get," Wallace said, "but maybe it will do all the raining it is going to do at night this time so we can finish with this hauling job. Nobody is more anxious to get it over with than we are."

In case Friday is a pretty day and the trucks have an opportunity to work full time, all of the trash piles should be removed by nightfall. However, Wallace wishes to announce now that if anybody is missed Friday, simply call the Police Department and a special city truck will be right out to remove your trash.

If it rains all day Friday, though, don't expect any trucks at all.

"Everybody connected with the clean-up campaign is still talking about its huge success. Many of the committeemen are wondering where in the world all this stuff came from, pointing out that there will be at least 100 loads more than for any previous clean-up day ever held."

Anyway, Ranger residents got to work and did one of the most outstanding jobs ever pulled off here in getting rid of junk and cleaning up around their lawns and alleys and shrubs and trees, and it should be enough to last for another year at least.

All Shrub Buyers Asked to Pick Up Their Plants Now

All Ranger people who ordered shrubs from ABC Floral a n d Garden Shop during the recent Plant-A-Shrub campaign, are asked to please call for their plants at once as all shrubs have arrived, including both Nandinas a n d Crape Myrtles.

These plants cannot possibly remain out of the ground over the week-end, it is said.

Most people have already called for their shrubs and have them safely planted and watered, but a few uncalled for plants remain to be picked up, and they should be called for before dark, today.

Infant Grandson Of Ranger Couple Dies At Lubbock

Gravestone services for Jon Keith Sanders, 2-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Sanders, 1504 Ave. O, Lubbock, were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday in Tech Memorial Park under the direction of Sanders Funeral Home.

The Rev. Houston Walker, pastor of the Arnet-Benson Baptist Church, officiated.

The infant died at 5:30 p.m. Sunday in the Methodist Hospital.

Survivors include the parents, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Taylor of Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Sanders, Mineral Wells.

David Wharton Is Dis't. Singles Champ

David Wharton, of Ranger High School, won District Championship in 7-AA tennis singles at the Interscholastic League Meet held last Saturday at Sweetwater. It is announced, Being District Singles Champ is quite an honor in the stiff competition provided in District 7-AA.

Ranger Editor Named Judge In Paper Contest

Norman Wright, editor of the Ranger Times, has been selected as one of three judges in the annual newspaper contest held each year by the West Texas Press Association. The WTPA presents a trophy each year to a member newspaper that has done the most outstanding job in community service.

The contest is open to all WTPA weeklies and semi-weeklies. Entries consist of complete copies, tear sheets, clippings, or scrapbook representing news and editorial coverage of the community service or project upon which the entry was based.

Judging of the entries is done by a panel of three—a chamber of commerce manager, a professor of journalism and a working newspaperman.

Mrs. Leon Wells Funeral Services Held 2 p.m. Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Leon Wells, 61, were held at 2 p.m. today, Thursday, at Killingsworth Funeral Chapel in Ranger, with the Rev. R. Herman Boyd, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Ranger officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery under direction of Killingsworth Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wells was found dead at her home Monday morning by two grandsons who were living with her. Death was a result of natural causes.

Mrs. Wells was born Dec. 2, 1895, and moved to Ranger in 1925 from Stephenville, having lived here ever since. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Thomas Hilbert of Tampa, Fla.; Mrs. Fred Brock of El Paso; Mrs. R. C. Lavarett of Stockton, Calif.; and Mrs. L. C. Aypher of Mineral Wells. There were 14 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Edwin E. Varner In Navy Armada

Edwin E. Varner, aviation electrician's mate first class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Varner, of 709 27th St., Ranger, and husband of the former Miss Patsy Robinson of 611 Griffin Road, was aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Bennington when it participated in the largest amphibious operation to be held in the Far East since the end of World War II.

The powerful armada of 60,000 men and 75 ships took part in the "Beacon Hill" operation from March 14 to April 1, according to the Fleet Home-Town News Center of Great Lakes, Ill.

HERE WE GO AGAIN

Ellen Mae Coyett was omitted from the list of names given the Times to print in the Honor Roll for the 4th Six Weeks Period. She is a 2nd Grade student at Hodges and made all A's and B's.

GIVE TO CANCER FUND

More than any other disease known to man the successful treatment of cancer depends on early detection and prompt remedial action. Tens of thousands of people in this country have been successfully treated because their condition was discovered in time and counteraction started at once.

That formula is emphasized in this year's nationwide cancer fund drive—the gist of which is, "Fight cancer with a check-up and a check."

It takes money to run the Cancer Crusade, since there is a vast amount of research yet to be done involving hundreds of men and women devoting all or most of their time to the work—the only way to find the many answers regarding this great killer. Conquest of disease is largely a matter of research.

Last year Ranger gave \$661 to the Cancer Crusade and it is hoped at least that much money can be raised again this year. As always women campaigners are taking the lead. Scores an dozens of them will be calling house-to-house all over Ranger Friday, so that everyone will have an opportunity to contribute something. The downtown area will also be canvassed thoroughly.

In Texas last year \$208,000 was put to work on this vital work, a sum that seems piddling compared to the pressing nature of the research to be done. Nevertheless, a great deal of progress has been made, and every dollar helps.

Research being done by medical science has already wiped out almost every known killer disease, with cancer alone being the last big one remaining. A cure for it, too, will eventually be discovered, and the money each of us contributes to the cause will hasten the day when the disease is conquered forever.

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CONVENTION SPEAKERS—American Legion vice commander Hilton Lambert, left, and district commander Cyrus B. Cathey of Hamilton will speak at the District 17 convention of the American Legion and Auxiliary in Breckenridge this weekend. A number of Ranger Legionnaires plan to attend.

Ranger Legionnaires To Attend Meeting

Legionnaires from Ranger and Eastland County and Auxiliary members will join Legionnaires from all over the 17th Congressional District Saturday and Sunday, April 13-14 at Breckenridge for their annual Spring Convention of The American Legion.

Registration will begin promptly at 1 p.m. Saturday, April 13, at The American Legion Home, 611 E. Walker St. A star party for all registered Legionnaires, with plenty of refreshments, will follow registration from 3 to 5:30 p.m. Saturday night at 9 p.m. the official Convention dance will be held for all visiting delegates and their wives.

The convention will open Sunday morning with a joint meeting of the American Legion and Auxiliary promptly at 10 a.m. The Honorable Drew S. Clifton of Fort Worth, former chairman of the Department Child Welfare Committee and an expert in that field, will address the convention. Other distinguished speakers on the morning program will be Vice Commander Hilton Lambert of Snyder and District Commander Cyrus B. Cathey of Hamilton.

Lunch will be served to all delegates at 12:15 p.m. The food will be good and the money raised.

Separate business sessions of the Legion and Auxiliary will convene immediately after lunch. District Commander Cathey will preside over the Legion session and Mrs. Jane White, district president, will preside over the Auxiliary session. Commander Cathey will award citations to the following: Patsy Cathey, who has exceeded her quota for 1957; Albany, Annan, Baird, Bee-Kendrick, Combs, De Leon, Dickie, Pascoe, Clifford, Strawn and Swartz. At the close of the business session, district officers, including executive committee and vice-committee will be elected, as well as delegates to attend the National Convention of The American Legion to be held in Atlantic City, New Jersey, in September.

Crackdown on Safety Stickers To Start Tuesday

According to press and radio reports, the Texas Highway Patrol has been ordered to crackdown on all motorists who are caught without safety inspection stickers on their windshields beginning Tuesday.

Monday, April 15, is the last day to obtain the very necessary stickers if one wishes to drive without violation of the law.

It is said there are literally thousands of vehicles throughout the state yet to be inspected.

No accurate count is available on the number of vehicles not yet inspected in Eastland County, but automobile dealers and garages report the response has been pretty good and it is believed there are not too many yet to go.

Last Rites for Mrs. Baldersee Held 4 p.m. Today

Funeral services for Mrs. E. C. Baldersee Jr., 67, were held at 4 p.m. today, Thursday, in the Second Baptist Church of Ranger with Rev. E. L. Seabrook officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery under direction of Killingsworth Funeral Home.

Mrs. Baldersee died at 12:16 p.m. Wednesday at Ranger General Hospital. She was born Feb. 12, 1890, and had lived in Eastland County for 30 years.

Survivors include her husband; one son, R. C. Baldersee Jr., of Refugio; four daughters, Mrs. L. A. Williams of Arlington, Mrs. B. J. Duncan, Mrs. D. H. Duncan and Mrs. Mary L. Parks, all of Ranger; three sons, Mrs. A. J. Hansen of San Angelo, Mrs. Nellie Baines of Ballinger and Mrs. Walter Vile of Sulphur, Oklahoma, and 10 grandchildren.

Palbearers were Marcus Matthews, Fred Matthews, J. D. Nichols, Carl White, Walter Mitchell and Clyde Rodgers.

Eastland County Pecan Field Day Set for April 26

The annual Eastland County Pecan Field Day will be held at Rising Star Friday, April 26. The program, sponsored jointly by the County Extension Service and the Rising Star Chamber of Commerce, will include a morning session at the American Legion Hall where experts in various phases of pecan culture will speak, and a series of demonstrations in the Pecan orchard of C. E. Smith in the afternoon. County Agent J. M. Cooper will be in charge.

Speakers will include L. G. Rosenberg of the U. S. Pecan Experiment Station, Groesbevel, B. G. Hancock, Texas A&M College; T. E. Denman, Texas Agriculture Experiment Station, Stephenville; and J. W. Foster, entomologist, Weatherford.

The newly organized Eastland County Pecan Growers Association will have a business meeting early in the afternoon when proposed constitution and by-laws will be considered. Oscar Schaefer, Rising Star, is president, and Freddie Coopes, Ranger, and B. H. Froese, Ranger, are vice-president and secretary, respectively.

The program will be open to pecan growers in Eastland and adjoining counties, any of whom may become members of the association.

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Beginning early Friday morning in Ranger, scores of Ranger housewives and mothers will make a house to house canvass of the city for the purpose of distributing literature which gives valuable information that everybody should know about cancer, and for the purpose of collecting funds for the American Cancer Society to aid in the continuing research program that will ultimately end in finding a cure for the biggest killer disease known on earth today.

Mrs. A. N. Larson is general chairman of the drive in Ranger, with Mrs. T. C. Wylie and Mrs. Gene Herweck assisting as co-chairmen.

West of Railroad Tracks: Mrs. P. M. Kaykendall, Mrs. James Townzen, Mrs. W. H. Clem, Mrs. John Robinson, Mrs. A. W. Brazda, Selden Brown (downtown section) and Mrs. Gertrude Dunn (colored section).

Each of these team captains have been given certain areas in the city, and all of them have selected their volunteer workers who will make the house-to-house canvass in their particular areas.

The informative literature which they will distribute should be read and studied carefully by every person in Ranger as a means of guarding against cancer and detecting its symptoms. Also, each person contacted will be asked to contribute to the cancer research program and it is hoped that the money raised last year, which was \$661 in Ranger, will be far surpassed this year.

The house-to-house campaign will take place during the day, and all are asked to leave some sort of contribution with somebody in the household in case they themselves are not to be at home.

Sealed fruit jars have also been placed in all the cafes and drug stores throughout the city, and in other places of business, and citizens may also make contributions to the campaign by dropping their donations into the jars.

Anyone wishing to contribute by mail may do so by addressing their letters to Cancer, in care of the local Postmaster.

As a part of the campaign this year, everyone is asked to go to a church of their choice Sunday and offer a prayer for the success of the entire nation-wide campaign which is being conducted during the entire month of April, and they are also asked to pray for the people who are not victims of cancer and who are fighting to overcome the disease.

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Stubby Warden Condition Said To Be Serious

Dr. E. M. Kaykendall this morning described O. C. "Stubby" Warden's condition as "very serious" although not believed at this time to be "critical," following an auto mishap about 1:00 a.m. Thursday below Ranger Hill near Russell Creek.

Warden, principal of Hodges Oak Park Elementary School in Ranger, was returning to Ranger from straw when his 1956 Buick left the road and turned over at least four or five times, according to officers who said there were indications on the roadway where it had somersaulted at least that many times. The steel top of the car was wrapped around the car body almost flat.

Officers said as near as they could reconstruct the scene, Warden must have dazed off temporarily while his front wheels struck a soft shoulder and he lost control of the vehicle.

Warden was taken to West Texas Clinic and Hospital where he was placed under oxygen, unconscious.

Early this morning (Thursday) Dr. Kaykendall said a preliminary examination revealed that Warden had a fractured skull and several broken ribs. Warden, who had regained consciousness, also complained of severe pains in the neck and back. Dr. Kaykendall said, but technicians had not yet had an opportunity to study x-rays to determine the full extent of other injuries.

Geo. L. Minnick Is Doing Painting At Teen Town

George L. Minnick, an independent paint contractor, answered the call of the Teen Town Mothers Club to volunteer his services in painting the two ends of the Teen Town building, and finished one end last Saturday.

Since nobody else showed up to assist, Mrs. David Pickrel, president of the Mothers Club, convinced her son David Jr. that he should also volunteer and help with the work. Between Minnick and Dave, Jr., the two got the old paint scratched off and Minnick applied the new paint. He hopes to finish the other end of the building this coming Saturday, weather permitting.

Minnick lives at the Glen West place on Highway 80 East.

Fine Arts Group Leaves Friday For Trip to Mexico

Forty-three students from the department of Fine Arts at Ranger Junior College will leave Friday morning, April 12th, at four o'clock for a four-day trip to Monterrey, Mexico.

Faculty members and students making the trip will include Dean and Mrs. H. A. Lotzwick, Mrs. J. P. Morris, Miss Waidline, Mrs. Dr. and Mrs. Price Ashton, and Mrs. Peggy Theberge, Mrs. P. J. O'Donnell, Richey Theberge, Rita Theberge, Michael Theberge, Jody Beal, George Boynton, B. B. B. Cametson, Ronald Darnell, Jimmy Everett, Jack Florence, Roger (Continued on Page 2)

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Ranger Schools To Observe Four Easter Holidays

When the Public Schools of Ranger close for the day of Thursday afternoon, April 18, they will not take up again until Tuesday morning, April 23, in observance of the Easter Holidays, according to Superintendent G. B. Rush.

Although the schools will celebrate a 4-day holiday, they will actually miss only two days of school, Friday, April 19 and Monday, April 22.

Easter is always a break in the school year that is welcomed by both students and teachers alike, it being the first one after Christmas.

It is hard for most people to realize but when school takes up again after the Easter holidays, there will be only about six more weeks remaining in the school year. And at least the last two of those six weeks will be taken up with frenzied end-of-school activities that will make the time pass mighty quick.

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Weather Reports

Partly cloudy and continued mild Thursday and Friday. High both days about 55. Low Thursday night 55.

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Gas Range—

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setting you desire.
"Make certain the height of the broiler pan is adjustable. Some models offer up to ten different positions, others swing out, one is equipped with a simplified elevator that allows meats to be raised or lowered as broiling or use of rotisserie requires.
"The AGA further recommends that the homeowner keep in mind the importance of careful shopping. She should read labels, compare prices, investigate features. Recent surveys indicate that gas range buyers are influenced by convenient time-saving features. Among the most wanted are:
"Top-burner heat controls, separate simmer burners, top-burner safety pilots, timed shut-off burners, 'burner-on' indicators, giant and super-giant burners, new low-heat pilots, automatic 'on-off' clock controls, thermostatic timed shut-offs, 'oven-ready' indicator lights, removable rack guides, chrome oven liners, retained heat ovens, chrome cooking tops, warming shelves and compartments, lift-up cooking tops, double ovens, built-in meat thermometers, rotisseries, deep-well cookers, griddles and deep fat fryers.
"If the homemaker shops wisely, her new gas range will provide years of pleasure and cooking satisfaction and many more hours of leisure time."

What's Cooking—

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his latest postal bulletin which is issued weekly from Washington. You will note that each bulletin contains a long list of items that have been declared obsolete, amounting in a year's time to multiplied hundreds of thousands of tons of printing that must be scrapped because somebody wants to change a couple of lines in a form.
It is staggering to think of the millions and millions of dollars that are being wasted needlessly not only in the postal department but throughout the whole of this government by public servants who are bent upon bankrupting the nation.
Remember how shocked virtually everyone was when federal expenditures for fiscal 1934 came to \$6,694,000,000? That was the first year in which the late FDR was responsible for the budget and supplemental appropriations, which included "pump-priming" in an effort to turn the depression tide and for leaf-raking to aid the unemployed.
Today such figures put one in mind of the good old days. With some fluctuations, the Roosevelt budgets hovered around the same level until we began building up our defenses in fiscal 1941. In 1942 expenditures came to \$34 billion. The wartime peak was 1945 when \$98 billion was spent.
Under free-spending Truman outgo remained around \$33 billion annually until the Korean war in 1953 pushed the budget to \$77 billion.
Ike promised to reduce government costs and did for a time in such microscopic amounts that nobody ever knew about it. Now the man asks for \$72 billion for fiscal 1958, the highest peace-time budget in the history of mankind.
Under such a budget, actual spending, the experts say, would amount to \$86 billion including all un-budgeted items.
And by-the-way, what ever happened to that raise of \$2 a month they were going to give the old folks here awhile back? Guess they must have forgot all about that. Anyway, somebody has got to economize somewhere. We always did say they couldn't afford to let those old folks have an extra \$2 a month. It would corrupt their morals and send their souls to hell as sure as they were turned loose with all that extra cash.

Fine Arts—

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Flowers, Teddy Henderson, Keith Hodo, Butch Kallneck, Claude Koenig, Joe Lawson, Ronald Miller, Dan Mitchell, Doug Roark, Carol Sandlin, Tommy Stark, Tommy Sutton, Lloyd Trubensack, Alton Williams, Brent Waldrop, Hazel Adams, Donna Blackwell, Marie Chambers, Charlotte Clark, Jackie Cornelson, Dorothy Dawe, Thelma Edwards, Elpidia Gonzalez, Joyce Herring, Mary Hinds, Sonja Irwin, Gay Nell Loper, Mary Maddux, Shirley Matlock, Geneva Martin, Doris Nabers, Barbara Nichols, Zelma Phillips, Patsy Shaffer, Betty Wells and Mary Lou Wright.
The group will travel by bus and car to Garner Park in Uvalde. After a picnic lunch the musicians will turn full sail toward Laredo, Texas. Rooms at the beautiful Gran Hotel Anclira have been reserved for the stay in Monterey. Educational tours, shopping, sight seeing, and bull fighting will crowd the planned entertainment of the coeds.
Students making the trip were required to attend two orientation classes. The eligibles include members of the chorus, band, and Rangemans.
Returns trip is scheduled for Monday, April 15.

Olden Teachers Get Contracts

OLDEN — The Olden Independent School District Board has announced that a number of teachers have been given new contracts for next year.
Mrs. Christine Haley, Miss Nannie Almon, Miss Eunice Hamilton, Gene Woods, Elizabeth Vaught and Gilbert Copeland were teachers getting new contracts. Travis Hilliard, superintendent, previously had been given a new contract.
Also signed for the coming year were Tom Sharp, custodian, Mrs. Jessie Holladay, librarian, and Mrs. Nina Lockhart and Mrs. Doris Cooper, lunch room employees.

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Here's the Way to Stop A Thief

Few burglars can pick a simple lock, but they find a new victim every 80 seconds because of lost keys, wrong locks, and locks that simply aren't used.
A lock is good protection against a burglar only if you use it correctly, reminds an article in the April issue of Better Homes & Gardens magazine. Keep your doors locked whether you're inside or outside.
If there is an eye window in your front door, use it when the doorbell rings. If there isn't, install an auxiliary chain lock, so the door can be opened a few inches without leaving you vulnerable. Never unlock your door and open up blindly when a stranger rings the bell. Many a thug has talked open a door by posing as a telegraph messenger, delivery boy, salesman, or passer-by seeking direction to another address.



JIMMIE COLE

The Youth Revival at the First Baptist Church will get under way Friday night with Jimmie Cole doing the preaching, and Jackie Neeley will lead the music. The youth led and directed revival will be of rich value and experience for adults. Be on hand at 7:30 Friday night.
Jimmie Cole was Youth Pastor several years ago when a student at Ranger Junior College. Jimmie was quarterback on both the High School and College teams. Let's give Jimmie a big turn-out for each service. He is a senior Ministerial student in Hardin-Simmons University.
The message Friday night, "Old or New?"
Saturday night "The Battle At The Cross."
Young people from all faiths are invited, bring your friends and come along.
Miss Ann Robinson will be at the Piano and Miss Mary K. Rush at the Organ.
Youth officers will have charge of both the Sunday School and Training Union April 14.

Whenever you leave the house, make sure the door is locked. You may think it is, yet be sadly mistaken, the article says. A common type of burglar pretends to be a door-to-door salesman. While giving his sales talk, he releases the night latch, hoping that when the lady goes out later, she won't notice and he can walk in. Even with a "dead bolt" type lock, which can be unlocked from either side only with a key, the fake salesman may jam some paper or cotton into the strike, so that the bolt will fail to hold when closed. Or he may even use a specially built, short screwdriver hidden in his hand to loosen a screw which anchors the lock's cylinder. Once this vital screw is loose, he can return later and take off the whole lock.
Another mistake some people make, after locking a door, is to leave a spare key in too obvious a spot outside. Burglars appreciate, too, a back door with a glass pane, making it easy to reach inside and turn the lock after breaking the glass. If you have a door like this, use a dead lock which opens or closes only with a key, inside or out.

Recently, Purina research workers asked poultry staff men in 9 leading poultry states to estimate the total amount of feed required—to grow a pullet in their states. Shown here is the average of the figures they supplied, compared with Purina feed requirements based on records of thousands of pullets raised at the Purina Research Farms.

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Carolyn Bell Circle Presents WMS Program

The Carolyn Bell Circle presented the Royal service program to the WMS of the First Baptist Church Tuesday morning. Mrs. J. B. Houghton was program leader. Mrs. Carl Eakin gave the devotional and Mrs. Houghton, Mrs. Galloway and Mrs. Frank Arradale gave short talks.

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Mrs. Glenn West Is Guest Speaker At Young School P-TA Meeting

The Young School Parent-Teachers Association met Tuesday night at 7:30 in the school auditorium with Mrs. E. T. Gore, president, presiding.

Mrs. Glenn West, guest speaker, used as her subject, "We the People Go Forth to Serve our Schools."

Merriman Bible Study Meets

Ladies of the Merriman Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. A. E. Dawson. Mrs. Dawson led the devotional taken from the 47th chapter of Genesis and Mrs. Ruby Ainsworth led the opening prayer.

Mrs. J. D. Johnson Presents Program To 1947 Club

Mrs. Bill Anderson was hostess to members of the 1947 Club Tuesday afternoon when they met in her home.

Following a short business meeting presided over by the president, Mrs. Charles Milliken, Mrs. J. D. Johnson brought a most interesting program entitled "Culture Is What We Do When We Don't Have To Do Anything."

Mrs. Deffebach Reports On WSCS Conference

The WSCS met in the First Methodist Church Monday afternoon for a business meeting in which Mrs. A. W. Brazda presided. Officers and circle leaders gave reports.

Mrs. Arthur Deffebach, who along with Mrs. A. J. Ratliff represented the local WSCS at the annual conference held in Fort Worth, gave a very interesting report on the conference. The theme for the conference was "Spirit of Christ for All of Life" and the theme song was "Christ for the World, We Sing."

Mrs. R. Herman Boyd gave the devotional, "Justice and Peace for All People," using as her scripture Isaiah 51:1-4. She also read the poem, "Lead Us Oh Father" and gave the closing prayer.

Next Monday's program will be on Mental Health. Mrs. James Townzen will be in charge.

LOOK WHO'S NEW



TIMES LOOK WHOS NEW
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gains of Stephenville are the parents of a 7 pound 11 ounce girl born at 4:54 a.m. April 7 in the Ranger General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kerr of Mingo are the parents of an 8 pound 10 ounce boy born at 2:25 a.m. April 10 in the Ranger General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wooten of Puente, Calif., are the parents of a baby girl, Debra Lynn, born at 6:08 a.m. March 29 in Los Angeles. She weighed 8 pounds 9 1/2 ounces. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horton of Ranger and Mrs. Mary Wooten of Terminal, Calif.

ATTEND BEAUTY SHOW

Mrs. Isetta Smith attended a beauty style show in Abilene Sunday.

CALL 224 FOR CLASSIFIED ADS

Henry Hensley Funeral Rites This Afternoon

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 4 p.m. for Henry Jesse Hensley, 86, in the Hanner Funeral Home Chapel in Eastland with Lonnie Brennan of Ranger officiating.

Mr. Hensley died Wednesday in Midland after a lengthy illness. He had farmed in Eastland County for many years until his health failed last year. He moved to Midland to live with a son in November.

Born March 26, 1871, Mr. Hensley is survived by three sons, W. E. and Frank, both of Eastland, and Jesse of Midland; one daughter, Mrs. C. H. Tankersley of Morton Valley; 22 grand children and 17 great grandchildren.

Charlie Burnett Nabs 8-Lb. Bass

Charlie Burnett, porter at West Texas Clinic and Hospital, a n d sweeper-outer at the Commercial State Bank, was all smiles Wednesday night when he came to town with an 8-pound bass which he had caught after dark, near the dam at Lake Leon. The fish measured 22 1/2 inches and was truly a whooper.

Frosts Plan Open House On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Frost of Morton Valley will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday with an open house at their home.

Their six children will assist them in the celebration. They are Major D. C. Frost of Washington, D. C.; Charlie Frost of Wichita Falls; Mrs. R. A. Sneed, Odessa; Mrs. A. B. Norris, San Antonio; Bobby Earl Frost of Florida and Fred Frost of Odessa.

All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to visit the Frosts on their special day.

Mary Martha Class Meets

The Mary Martha Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. H. B. Hamilton April 2 for a business meeting and social. Mrs. O. R. Gaffner presided and the opening prayer and devotional were led by the class teacher, Mrs. Ruby Springer. Mrs. Cinda Lucilla Duncan was chosen as pupil of the month. Mrs. E. L. Higginbotham gave the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. Springer, Hargrave, Gaffner, F. V. Bourland, Isetta Smith, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McGowan, and Mrs. Hamilton.

Women's Activities

April 11
The Rho Pi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet with Mrs. Clara Landers Thursday, April 11, at 7:30. Inez Harrell will speak on "The Collector" and each member will tell of their most prized possession.

April 15
The 1920 Club meets Thursday, April 18 with Mrs. G. B. Rush as leader. Mrs. E. P. Brasher, Sr. and Mrs. A. W. Brazda will answer roll call with house furnishings. Mrs. T. J. Anderson will give a Political Profile of Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt and Mrs. M. L. King will speak on Margaret Chase Smith.

April 18
The AAUW will meet with Mrs. Saunders Gregg Thursday, April 18. Roll Call will be answered with a Texas wild flower. Mrs. A. P. Thomas, Jr. will speak on Creative Design in Flowers.

April 23
Mrs. Tom Hestand will be hostess to the 1947 Club Tuesday, April 23. Mrs. Pat Thomas will speak on "Culture Is Personal and Individual."

Jess E. Meroney Suffers Heart Attack

Jess E. Meroney, formerly of Ranger and now manager of the Chamber of Commerce at Olney, has suffered a severe heart attack, it has been learned here. According to Mrs. Meroney, he will be confined to the hospital for at least two weeks if he recovers normally.

ATTENDING CHIROPRACTOR SEMINARY
Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Green are attending a Chiropractor seminary at the Texas Hotel in Fort Worth.

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Letter to Editor

Editor Ranger Times
Dear Sir:
I often read Mr. Boyce House's 'I Give You Texas' and I will admit Mr. House is pretty accurate in many historical events of the oil boom period...

who slapped the Count, it was a stage hand at the Connellee Theatre at the time, and it was me. I slapped the Count and I believe I can find many Eastland citizens who will verify this...

self rather tough and went about strutting like a domineer rooster with a chip on his shoulder hoping someone would knock it off, which frequently happened, too often.

The stone house Mr. House is speaking about in the April 4 issue of the Times was the old Holcomb house 3 miles north of Eastland on the old Ranger-Eastland road. My nephew, A. D. Webb, now of Big Springs, Texas, and I, were there within a few minutes after the man supposed to have been Blackjack, the owner of the cabaret and gambling establishment, was shot.

I was going by the dead man's hands which were slender, almost feminine, while Blackjack's hands were rather large. And I should know as much about that as anyone since I still carry a caulflower ear where Blackjack's flat came in contact with it in a fight at this same stone house.

Not that I am criticizing Boyce House, I enjoy reading his column 'I Give You Texas' very much. It brings back some wonderful memories of a period when Liberty and Freedom had a meaning—not just words for politicians to bandy around with sugar-coated promises.

Mac Cheshire
Cisco, Texas
EDITOR'S NOTE: In another part of today's Times is another article by Boyce House concerning James McLaughlin, a noted Ranger figure during the oil boom. Mr. House recently sent us several new stories concerning Ranger, which will be released from time to time as their release dates come up.

Last Rites for James B. Gibbs Held Saturday

Last rites for James B. Gibbs, 89, of 714 Pershing Street, Ranger, were held at 4:30 Saturday afternoon at Killingsworth Chapel with Bro. J. E. Lamb, United Pentecostal Minister, officiating.

Mr. Gibbs died at Ranger General Hospital at 9:15 p.m. Friday. He was born in Ellijay, Ga., on May 12, 1867 and came to Texas in 1899. He was a retired farmer, and moved to Ranger in 1914.

Max Don Dooley Is New Kappa Psi

Max Don Dooley, University of Texas student from Ranger, is a new member of Kappa Psi, professional pharmacy fraternity, it is announced by the University.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS

By BOYCE HOUSE

A slender, active, gray-haired man who was living in retirement in Ranger a decade ago entertained this chronicler with his vivid memories of 56 years' service in the oil industry.

James McLaughlin was born in Pennsylvania where his father was an oil field teaming contractor. The lad, large and sturdy for his age, began to work around wells when he was only 11. Most of his long career was spent in the pipeline division.

Laying lines in early days was productive of difficulties for oil landowners. While a line was being built into the Cushing field in Oklahoma, an Indian and his family blocked the way with weapons. The man had an awesome record, it being said that, on one occasion, he was deputized to bring in three outlaws and he did—in a wagon, dead. Anyway, 'Mr. Mc', who had charge of the construction, persuaded him to allow the line to cross his land.

'Of course, we paid him a good amount for the right-of-way,' McLaughlin related. The man had not understood he was to be paid anything. Another time, also in Oklahoma, a big well came in and, for some

reason, it could not be shut in, so a line was being rushed to the scene. A landowner forbade the crew to cross his land.

'He was a giant of a man with piercing black eyes and he was certainly mad,' McLaughlin said. 'I kept my hands in my pockets so he couldn't see how bad they were trembling. He opened his mouth to speak but I said, 'Before you say anything, let me ask you a question: Suppose a big oil well had been drilled on your land and the oil was running down the creek and a neighbor wouldn't let a pipeline get to your well, how would you feel about it?' The man said, 'You're right!'

There was one occasion when a man attempted a shake-down. A line was going to cross the land of some of his neighbors and he came into town and told McLaughlin, 'Just pay me and I'll take care of my neighbors.' Mr. Mc listened courteously, said he'd like a little time to think about it. Meanwhile he had a bowl of fruit brought in and he and the other man chomped on big juicy apples and enjoyed a long social visit. Several hours went by quite pleasantly but McLaughlin said he still was not ready to answer, so the man left.

Two Gorman Men Complete Basic Combat Training

FORT CARSON, Colo.—Army privates Thurman W. McClearen, 18, and Welton R. McClearen, 22, of Gorman recently completed eight weeks of basic combat training with the 9th Infantry Division at Fort Carson, Colo.

Thurman, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McClearen, Route 3, worked for the Mahan Chevrolet Co. in DeLeon before entering the Army. Welton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. McClearen, Route 2.

Scranton School Is Accredited For Next Year

SCRANTON—Scranton Schools have been fully accredited for the coming school year.

That was the announcement made this week by Supt. Carl Elliott after receiving word from a state inspection team.

When he got home, he found that a big crew, working at top speed, had crossed the neighbors' land.

It was rumored that he was very angry but Mr. Mc didn't hunt him up to find out.

Brashear's Farm Bill Is Shelved In Angry Session

The Bill introduced before the Texas Legislature by Rep. Paul Brashear of Cisco which would abolish the office of State Agriculture Commissioner John White and all his present workers, was shelved Tuesday night in Austin when several hundred persons jammed the court of criminal appeals for a public hearing.

Brashear's Bill would substitute a 21-man board appointed by the governor to run the agricultural affairs of Texas.

At the beginning of the Tuesday night hearing Commissioner White served notice he had 300 people present who were ready to testify against Brashear's Bill and if they wanted to go ahead with the hearing under those circumstances, go to it.

After several heated arguments both for and against the measure, the whole thing was shelved for the time being which means that it will probably not come up again this session.

Last week, Brashear did not vote when the House approved SJR 4 which would pave the way for Texas to spend some money advertising its tourist attractions and industrial possibilities.

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Move Talked to Make All License Plates Same Cost

A suggestion has been made before the Texas Legislature to make all automobile license plates cost the same regardless of make or model of car—\$16 a throw.

This bright idea came from one Jim McGraw of Austin, research director for the Texas Research League, who said "one fee for all weights and uses is the most just and equitable" in arriving at a solution on how to obtain more money out of registration fees for automobile fees.

In other words, to make it "just and equitable" the old age pensioner who is trying to get along on \$40 a month and driving a 1938 Ford would pay the same fee as the 25,000-dollar-a-year man with a brand new 1957 Cadillac, or the fellow who owns a box-car size trailer truck.

Highway officials are seeking ways to raise more money which they say is needed for purchase of right-of-way since the Federal Government has gone into the road-building business.

Under the present system, counties now keep the first \$50,000 in registration money, and one-half of the rest up to \$175,000. All over that the state gets, and that isn't enough, they say.

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NEWS FROM STAFF

By Mrs. M. O. Hazard

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope had as their guests last week their son, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Powell and...

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Pope from San Collins were among those who were shopping in Eastland Saturday.

Walter Duncan has been quite ill this week in the Ranger General Hospital suffering from pneumonia.

Mrs. Sam Fonville from Desdemona spent the day Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Pope from Monument, New Mexico and M. E. Moore of Eunice, New Mexico were visiting with Dale's parents, the T. E. Pops from Wednesday through Friday.

Anson Little and Young sons, from Odessa have been visiting with Anson's parents, the J. L. Littles for the past several days.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pope were in Gorman, Desdemona and Stephenville recently on business.

Mrs. M. A. Abel and Mrs. Walter Duncan were in Eastland Wednesday doing some shopping.

The M. O. Hazards were also in Eastland Wednesday to do some shopping and attend to business.

Mrs. Jimmy Little and Ray Neal spent the day Monday with Mrs. Little's mother, Mrs. Vern Garrett at Kokomo.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Puryear and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Puryear from Weatherford visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Laceywell from Fort Worth were recent visitors in the T. E. Pope home.

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New Leaflet Tells How to Control Household Insects

COLLEGE STATION—Seldom can one observe a home and its surroundings without finding some form of insect life.

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Some cautions listed by the specialists concerning application of all solutions include: never spray near pilot lights or other open flames.

New patients in the Ranger General Hospital are Mrs. W. T. Edwards, Ranger, medical; Mrs. C. R. Harbin, Eastland, surgical.

New patients in the West Texas Clinic are: A. W. Warford, O. C. "Stubby" Warden, Mrs. L. D. Summers, Bill Ewing, and Floyd Dominguez.

Gorman Gatherings

Dr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Brogdon are home from a weeks stay in St. Louis where the doctor attended a state medical meeting.

Rev. M. A. Pennington is holding a spring revival in Desdemona beginning March 31 and ending April 7.

Those attending the services Monday night from Gorman First Baptist Church were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pullig, Mrs. Zesta Johnson, Mrs. Mollie Bennett, Mrs. J. N. Ellison, Mrs. R. E. Boucher, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gowan, Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Seay and Mother Seay, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hood, John Rodgers, Miss Joyce Rodgers and Miss Linda Lee Speck.

Mrs. George Blackwell, Mrs. Mollie Bennett and Mrs. R. E. Boucher were shopping in Fort Worth last Wednesday.

The "Texas Guide for Controlling Household Insects" is available from your county extension agent or the Agricultural Information Office at College Station.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jobe and son of Dallas spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Ella Jobe and visited in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Jobe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ellison spent the weekend with their son and family, in Abilene. The Gene Ellisons drove them home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Fannie Burket is home from an extended stay in San Antonio. We welcome you home Mrs. Burket.

Rev. Dan Turner of DeWitt was guest speaker at the First Baptist Church Sunday. He is to hold the spring revival here beginning April 14 and extending through April 21.

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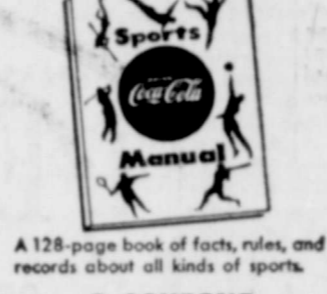
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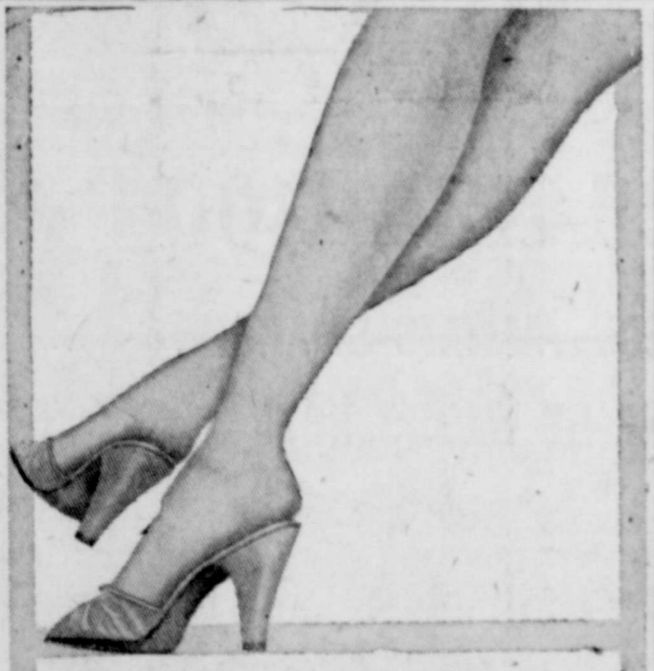
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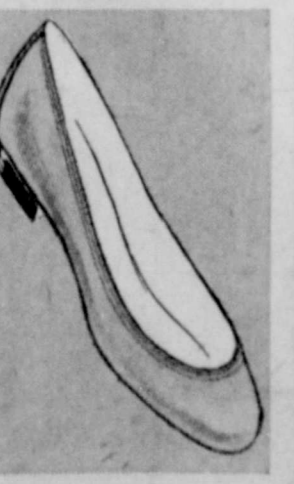
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Texas Electric Joins In Atomic Research

Formation of the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation by Texas Electric Service Company and ten other electric light and power companies operating in Texas, was announced Wednesday by J. B. Thomas, President of Texas Electric Service Company. Incorporation papers have been filed with the Secretary of State.

The purpose of the non-profit Foundation is to engage in research in the atomic energy field as applied to the generation of electric power. The program will not include an atomic energy power generating plant at this time. It will be directed toward the fundamental methods involved rather than toward the early use of atomic energy in steam-electric power plants of the participating companies.

"The eleven electric utilities which formed the Foundation will jointly carry on their research and development work in the nuclear field in a program designed to assure for Texas the benefits which develop from this new source of energy," Mr. Thomas said.

"The various companies, acting as a group, can be more effective in this research since many projects in nuclear research require expenditures which might be burdensome on a single company.

"The program of the Foundation is long range, since the natural gas now used by utilities in the Southwest is a particularly good fuel and will be competitive with nuclear energy for many years. The appraisal of problems of this nature will have a high priority in the program of the Foundation.

"The Foundation does not plan to request any government funds to support its nuclear research program. It hopes, however, to work closely with the Atomic Energy Commission in any program it undertakes.

"Atomic energy power plants now differ from present day power plants only in the substitution of this new energy as a heat source for the boilers which make steam to spin the turbo-generators. Development of this source of fuel will require much research before it can be economically feasible in Texas where electric power generating plants now utilize natural gas as boiler fuel. In the meantime, the research program will provide the necessary experience in utilizing this source of heat in the power plants."

Thomas is a member of the Board of Directors of the Foundation. W. A. Parish, President of the Houston Lighting & Power Company, is President of the Foundation. All of the companies supporting the Foundation are represented on the Board.

In addition to Texas Electric Service Company, other companies supporting the Foundation are: Central Power and Light Company, Community Public Service Company, Dallas Power & Light

Final Services For Mrs. Alford This Afternoon

Funeral services for Cordelia Cotton Alford, 67, will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. in the Hamner Funeral Home in Eastland with Rev. Carrol Herring, pastor of the Olden Baptist Church, officiating, assisted by Rev. Harvey Kimbler, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Eastland.

Mrs. Alford was born August 14, 1889 and died Tuesday while riding with some friends in Ranger. She had lived in Eastland 35 years and made her home at 107 West Plummer.

Survivors include five sons, W. H., R. L., C. G., and E. A. all of Dallas and Tommy of Eastland; one sister, Mrs. Sally Rosa of Johnson City and 18 grandchildren.

Burial will be in Eastland Cemetery.

Discovery Means More Income for Poultry Producers

COLLEGE STATION. - Adding a quarter's worth of molybdenum to 2,000,000 pounds of poultry feed can mean an extra \$18,000 worth of chickens at market time, scientists of the Poultry Science at Texas A & M College have discovered.

The extra two-bits would go for an ounce of molybdenum, one of the "trace" minerals in common supply, necessary for plant life, inexpensive and now proved capable of producing 15 percent larger birds than those whose diets lack the mineral.

This "add-a-quarter-and-get-back-\$18,000" story figures this way: It takes about 1,000 tons of feed to get 200,000 chickens to

market. Figuring a 15 percent increase in weight in the chickens getting adequate molybdenum in their feed, the live weight added would be 90,000 pounds. At 20 cents a pound live weight, this means an extra \$18,000 for somebody.

Poultry Science researchers have found that molybdenum has a high tolerance too, before becoming toxic. You have to feed about 10,000 times too much before it damages the birds, by causing a decrease in weight.

Molybdenum is only one of a number of minerals being checked out in research at Texas A & M to determine the effect of inorganics on poultry growth. During the past year scientists have tested the effects of adding aluminum, arsenic, barium, boron, cadmium, chromium, cobalt, copper, silver, iron, lead, nickel, silicon, titanium, tin, tungsten, and zinc to poultry diets - all with-

out significant response. Still to go are about 70 minerals and combinations.

The research is being conducted through funds provided by the Welch Foundation of Houston. The Foundation has provided \$320,000 to the college department for research on determination and isolation of new vitamins and minerals in unidentified growth factors affecting poultry.

Only this past week Cornell University, another national center of poultry research, confirmed

the work at Texas A & M College, which is considered one of the most significant steps in evaluating the place of minerals and their combinations in putting extra weight on poultry.

Research in this area of nutrition is expected to find applications in other areas - in livestock feeding and possibly in human nutrition. Already, an experiment to determine the value of molybdenum fed at different levels on growth of swine has been instituted at Texas A & M College.

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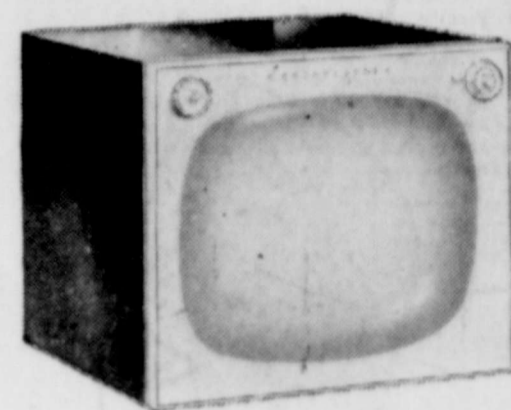
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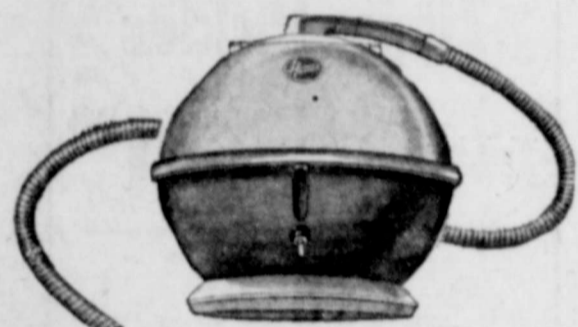
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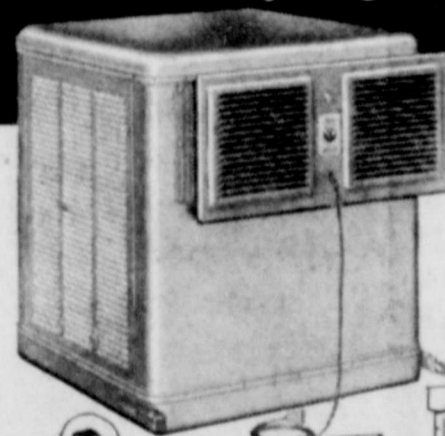


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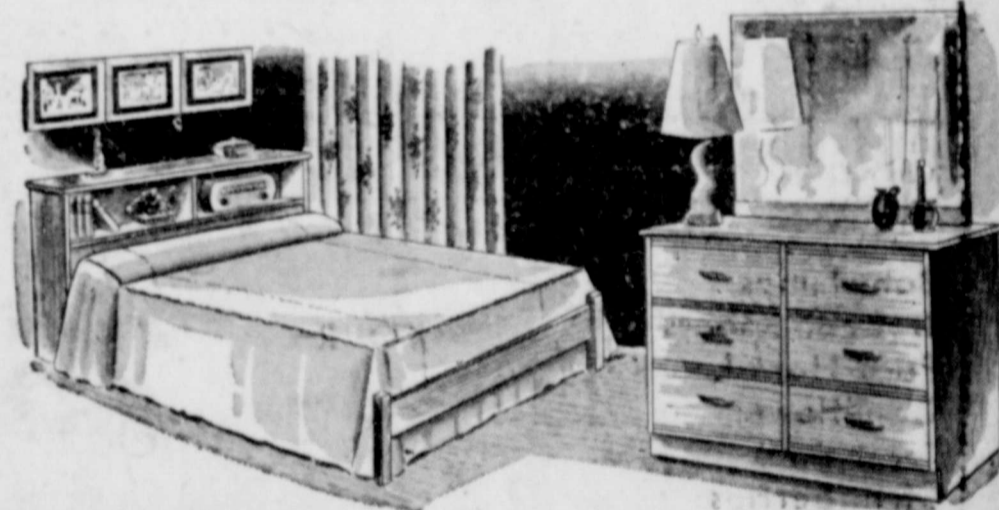
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