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Storm Dead 151; Mass Service At Woodward

Well... I Dunno, But...

Through the special efforts of the National Editorial Association you will find in today's Times an unusual number of pictures of the area swept by the tornado Wednesday night. Extra packages of telephoto mats are being sent out by the service to which the Times is a subscriber.

You will also find in one of the pictures on the front page a Ranger woman, Mrs. Aubrey Jamieson, the former Kenneth Wier, daughter of Dr. A. K. Wier. Mrs. Jamieson is with the American Red Cross and is in the stricken area to distribute blood plasma to the injured.

The plasma was flown to the area via Braniff air freight.

George Rogers told us this morning that he was just a few jumps ahead of the storm Wednesday, having been near Canadian just shortly before the storm struck.

Yep, he says he's glad he didn't tarry in that country.

And still no telephones, but they tell us that Cisco is getting phone service through the fact that some of the operators over there broke the strike and went back to work.

This brought out the pickets directed by picket captain. They tell us that the picket girls were pacing up and down before the two offices in Cisco, one on E Avenue and Seventh street and one on E Avenue and Eighth street.

There are 45 employees of the company in Cisco and those that didn't go back to work are divided up into picket teams that picket for two hours, then are relieved by another team. This goes on day and night. No hair pulling has been reported yet, we understand.

Tomorrow is the second anniversary of the passing of Franklin Delano Roosevelt, and not too far from the second anniversary of the ceasing of hostilities in the war—that is hostilities with guns and such. But we wonder just how long it will be before we have actual peace.

What a sad sight it would be to the great statesman if he could sit among the conferences of the world today.

The Ranger Jaycees have added their voice to that of others giving support to a bill now before the Texas Legislature to keep the bathe-tub TEXAS from being sent to the scrap heap.

The bill calls for the appropriation of \$100,000 to save the ship and tie it up at the San Jacinto battle ground about 30 miles from Houston. It is felt that maintenance and upkeep can be obtained from admission fees charged those interested in visiting the ship.

The Jaycees sent letters in support of the bill to all representatives and senators of this area, asking their support of the bill.

Rip Galloway is looking for a thief, but the thing about it is that he doesn't know whether the thief is some friend playing a trick on him or a real thief that meant business.

Just a day or so ago both Galloway and Mrs. Ven White were out of the Chamber of Commerce office at the same time and when Galloway returned he found that his brief case had disappeared from the office.

Evidently, the thief was a very considerate one and just plain wanted a brief case, because who ever it was stopped long enough while they were to remove all of Galloway's papers from the case and place them neatly in a big Manila envelope.

Anybody knowing the whereabouts of the case would really be helping a fellow man by contacting Galloway.

Atabrine for Sale
SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—Sudden ending of the Pacific war left Uncle Sam with \$1,748,000 worth of atabrine—the malaria fighting drug—on his hands in northern California depots. The regional War Assets Administration office offered the drugs for sale to the highest bidder.



A tornado-wracked building casts a deep shadow across what is left of the main street of Higgins, Texas. The tornado ripped through the Panhandle town, leveling one-half

and leaving 27 dead and 150 injured. This photo taken in downtown business district. (NEA Telephoto).

UNION ASKS MEETING OPEN TO PUBLIC

WASHINGTON (UP)—Union leaders today proposed open-to-the-public peace negotiations in the five-day old telephone strike and said they would appeal directly to President Truman if the plan were rejected by management.

With present conciliation efforts completely hogged down, the National Federation of Telephone Workers proposed the new approach toward a master settlement in a memo to Secretary of Labor Lewis B. Schwellenbach. It demanded that union, government and individual telephone company representatives be brought into immediate joint conferences "for the first time" with the doors wide open to press and radio.

There was no immediate comment on the unions new proposal from either government or management sources.

LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH — Cattle 500. Slow and weak. Medium and good slaughter steers and yearlings 18.00-23.00. Medium and good cows 13.50-15.50.

Calves 300. Slow and weak. Good and choice fat calves 19.50-21.50.

Hogs 400. Good and choice 180-300 lbs 25.25 to mostly 25.50 paid by all interests. Good and choice 180-300 lbs 25.25 to mostly 25.50.

THREE IN RANGER AID PEOPLE IN STORM AREA

James Smith, Ranger short wave radio operator, Miss Pauline Cook, Western Union operator in Ranger and W. W. Gilley of Cleburne who is here for night relief operator at the telephone office during the strike, turned angels of mercy Thursday night and early Friday morning when through their efforts 47 messages were sent out of Ranger for the Red Cross and individuals in the tornado swept county.

Smith, who is emergency coordinator for the short wave radio operators in North Texas was standing by when the operator at Berger contacted him and asked his aid in getting the messages out to their destinations.

Smith began taking the messages about 10:00 o'clock last night and at 1:30 called Miss Cook who went to the Western Union office and began sending out the messages. Gilley gave Smith an open telephone line from his home to the Western Union office while the messages were coming in and being sent out.

Smith stated that some of the messages told of deaths in the

Funeral For Mrs. Stuard To Be On Saturday

Funeral services for Mrs. Jackie Stuard will be conducted Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the First Baptist Church with Rev. David C. Ham, assisted by Rev. H. B. Johnson, officiating. Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery with arrangements by Morris Funeral Home.

Mrs. Stuard who died at the Ranger General Hospital Thursday morning, April 10, 1947, was born in Stephens County on December 16, 1918.

Survivors are her husband, R. L. (Joe) Stuard, the following sons and daughters, R. L. Stuard, Jr., Doyle W. Stuard, Nina Bell Stuard, Georgia Ann Stuard, Ola Stuard, Claudia Faye Stuard, Jacqueline Stuard; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Miller of Ranger and the following brothers and sisters, O. D. Cunningham of Ranger, O. D. Cunningham of Ranger, Taylor of Brownfield, Doug Franklin, Henry Hamilton, Till Wheat and Andrew Beck, all of Morton Valley and Bob Wymer of Ranger.

Flowers Go Plastic

GAINESVILLE, Fla. (UP)—The University of Florida's experiment station has found a way to dehydrate botanical specimens and preserve them indefinitely in transparent plastic. The process is adaptable to manufacture of plastic book ends, lamp bases, candleholders and other gift shop items with real floral adornments.

storms, some told of injuries but about half of them were from people in the area to relatives all over the United States telling them that they were safe.

The messages were sent out of the stricken area by Tom Elles of Pampa who had taken a portable short wave set into Higgins for the purpose of aiding in the emergency. He gave the messages to Ray Samberson at Berger who sent them on to Smith. The call number of the portable station is W51ZV; Samberson's is W5BFA and Smith's is W5ECE.

Smith explained this morning that short wave operators are allowed to operate their stations on the assigned frequencies through the fact that they do emergency work. All normal types of communications being destroyed by the storm, the short wave radio is the only way that messages can get out of the area. As coordinator, Smith organizes the operators in North Texas in case of emergencies such as has just occurred.

All telegrams going out under the setup were sent collect.

Aid Program May Be Extended To Include Korea

MOSCOW (UP)—Secretary of State George Marshall is prepared to initiate an economic aid program for southern Korea to make it economically independent of the Soviet zone if the Russians persist in their refusal to take joint action, it was learned today.

Marshall's attitude was revealed after he sent a note to Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov warning the Soviets of unilateral U. S. action in Korea if they refuse to reconvene the joint commission charged with starting Korea on the road to independence.

Alternative plans were understood to be something of a combination of the U. S. Proposal to aid Greece and Turkey, plus the principle which prompted the United States and Great Britain to merge their zones in Germany when the Russians blocked economic unity.

Miss Kirk Chosen To Sing In Opera Martha Chorus

Miss Lillian Jo Kirk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Kirk, has been selected as one of sixteen students at Hardin-Simmons to sing in the chorus in the coming presentation of the opera Martha.

The opera will be under the direction of Giuseppe Bambaschek, director of the New York Metropolitan opera which will be presented on May 1 and 2. The chorus has some of the most important music in the opera and the solo parts will be taken by members of the faculty.

Business Denies Blame Burden Of High Prices

WASHINGTON (UP)—American business demanded today that government and labor accept their share of responsibility for the spiraling cost of living and cooperate toward lower prices.

The wage-price crisis is developing rapidly here. Business and industry spokesmen reacted sharply to President Truman's statement that further wage increases would be warranted if prices did not come down. The President said, in effect that it was up to business to turn the price tide.

Routed in Texas
ELKHART, Ind. (UP)—The Riverside Laundry Company reports a burglar went to work on its safe but gave up in a hurry. A tear gas cartridge was attached to the lock. The shell exploded and the thief beat a quick retreat.

COACH QUILTS; TO TAKE PLACE AT COMANCHE

Coach Jimmie Marshall stated today that he has resigned from the post of head coach of Ranger High School and will leave Monday to take up his duties as head coach at Comanche.

Marshall submitted his resignation to the board at their regular meeting last night. He stated today that he was offered such an attractive proposition at Comanche that he felt that he could not refuse it.

Dr. G. C. Boswell stated today that the coach has not been replaced but that Coach Onis Warden will take over direction of spring practice now in progress and will complete the high school practice before starting Junior college practice.

It was stated that members of the board of trustees had not had time to give sufficient study to the replacement to make any decision at the meeting Thursday night.

U. S. To Keep Bomb Until Right Control Planned

WASHINGTON (UP)—The United States reaffirmed today that it will keep the atomic bomb until the world accepts an atomic control plan so tight that no country could even be suspected of violations.

The promise came from Frederick H. Osborn, American delegate to the United Nations Atomic Energy Commission. He said an atomic treaty with loop holes would be worse than no treaty at all, because it would let international suspicions continue to grow. Osborn's statement, delivered to the New York Junior League, came after he rejected a new Soviet demand for early destruction of America's atomic bombs.

Boxing Matches To Be Held At Eastland Tonight

A series of boxing matches will be held tonight at 8:00 o'clock in the Eastland High school gymnasium and the public is invited to attend.

Among those who will participate are Jim Smith of Eastland, with five knockouts, Billy Tabor of Cisco with four knockouts, Bobby Fisher of Morton Valley, Don Johnson of Cisco, Paul Mosely of Cisco, Paul Tankersley of Morton Valley, Doug King of Eastland, Wayne Hays of Cisco and the exhibit bout with Jackie Turner of Abilene, an outstanding 118 pounder.

Checks cashed by Boston banks during 1946 hit an all-time high of \$26,536,813,000.

Commissioners Choose Lucas As Eastland Mayor

C. T. (Charlie) Lucas, Eastland businessman and veteran member of the Eastland City Commission, was chosen chairman of the board of commissioners following the organization of the board after the election Tuesday, April 1. Lucas and John W. Jackson are holdover members of the board. Dan Childress, A. J. Blevins, Jr., and C. G. Uffelman are new members. Childress was chosen City Treasurer and Blevins Assistant Treasurer. The place of City Secretary is filled by the city manager.

Lucas, whose title is that of chairman of the board, will doubtless be referred to as mayor by Eastland citizens as this has been the custom for a number of years.

Lucas has been a successful man in Eastland for the past 19 years during which time he has enjoyed the confidence of the hundreds of customers whom he has served and is still serving. And despite the fact that he is kept busy several hours per day with his private business, he has found time to devote many hours to the welfare of his fellow citizens as a city commissioner for the past 12 years.

Lucas was elected to an unexpired term on the commission in June 1935 shortly after C. W. Hoffmann was named mayor and has served continuously since and the people of Eastland are fortunate that he was willing to accept the added responsibility as chairman of the board of commissioners since his long experience on the commission better qualifies him for the position of mayor.

Lucas is a past president of the Eastland Chamber of Commerce, member of the Masonic Lodge and of the Eastland Lions Club.

Lack of Service To Reflect In Phone Bills

Most Americans whose telephone service has been impaired by the strike will get refunds, Bell Telephone subsidiaries announced today.

The refunds generally will be made to subscribers with manual telephones who have been unable to use them during the strike. The strike has not affected dial system customers, and they will receive normal charges for service.

Gene Autry To Lubbock Rodeo

LUBBOCK, Tex. (UP)—Gene Autry, western star of screen and radio, has been engaged to appear here with his horse, Champ, Jr., and his troupe of rodeo performers at the annual Boys' Club benefit rodeo sometime in June. Autry's show, identical with that put on in New York's Madison Square Garden, will be one of seven to be presented in the United States, excepting those in California.

CEMETERY TO BE EXTENDED TO PROVIDE MORE GRAVES

WOODWARD, Okla. — Dazed and sorrowing Woodward prepared today to bury its tornado dead at mass funeral services, as fatalities in the Texas-Oklahoma border area rose to 151.

Grave diggers were put to work in the municipal cemetery after a special session of the mayor and city council. Afterward, Mayor R. A. Bosch announced plans for mass funeral services probably within the next two days, depending on the weather since no building large enough for indoor services is available.

The council decided also to condemn additional acreage adjoining the cemetery tract. The mayor said burial of the storm dead would fill up or overflow the present acreage.

A second day of water famine increased the hardships of citizens and rescue workers.

Water was being hauled also at Higgins, Texas, where the storm death toll climbed to 43 today, with reports that 37 had been identified. Six unidentified bodies from the Higgins storm were being held at Pampa, Tex.

Preparations were started for reconstruction of Higgins, a town of 750 population. No undamaged buildings were left in the town. Most were demolished. Glasier, Tex., a community of only 140 population, probably will not be rebuilt, survivors there said.

Gov. Beauford Jester left Austin for a tour of Texas storm-stricken communities.

Winter Wheat Crop Expected To Break Record

WASHINGTON (UP)—Prospects of the biggest winter wheat crop in history today strengthened this country's potential ability to pour needed grain into world shortage areas.

The agriculture department's latest forecast said the winter wheat crop, constituting about 75 per cent of the total wheat crop, will reach an estimated 972,000,000 bushels, 100,000 bushels more than last year's record 873,000,000 bushel yield.

The Association of American Railroads said it would do everything in its power to move the grain from farm to market.

Wallace Blasts Truman's New Foreign Policy

LONDON — Henry A. Wallace said tonight that President Truman's new foreign policy is leading the world down "a one way road to war."

Wallace made the charge before a sellout audience of 3,000 at the Central Hall of Westminster, site of the First United Nations general assembly.

Wallace's address was the first in a whirlwind series he is making in Britain, Scandinavia and France. He expressed grave alarm over President Truman's program of fighting Communism with dollars in Greece and Turkey and said the present American foreign policy would produce not only another world war but a new economic depression.

The Weather

Partly cloudy, little change in temperature this afternoon and tonight. Saturday partly cloudy, warmer.
Temperature at 1:30 p.m. today
Maximum — 72
Minimum — 58
Hour's Reading — 72
Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a.m. today.
Maximum — 82
Minimum — 43

Blood Plasma Flown To Tornado Area



R. E. Joimer, state relations officer of American Red Cross, Austin, Texas, received request for blood plasma to be shipped to Amarillo for stricken area. Dorothy B. Smith, assisted in expediting shipment of 800 pounds plasma via Braniff airfreight. Mrs. Kenneth Jamieson right, will distribute plasma, assisted by Virginia Tucker, left. (NEA Telephoto).

Woodward, Oklahoma, Residential District Levelled By Tornado



Aerial view of residential district of Woodward, Oklahoma town. (NEA Telephoto).

Widespread Devastation Wrought By Tornado



One hundred fifty persons were injured and 27 are known dead at Higgins, Texas, after a tornado ripped through the small Panhandle town. This aerial view of the business district clearly shows largescale devastation which resulted. (NEA Telephoto).

LIBRARIANS 14 Libraries Urged As Possible Aid In Promoting Peace

CHICAGO (UP)—Public libraries should be one of the foremost defenses of peace, according to Lionel McClovin, of Westminster Public Library London, said his tour from Australia to America for the Library Association of Great Britain has convinced him that good public libraries in parts of the world which now lack them would "do much to promote world peace."

"Libraries make possible mutual understanding among the common men from whom peace must come. Libraries do this by increasing the common man's enjoyment, lessening his gripes," McClovin said on a stop here.

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Many Dead In Woodward, Oklahoma, Tornado



In upper photo nurses attend injured while survivors search the church for missing relatives on the crowded church floor. Church was used to take care of injured which overflowed to Woodward City Hall. In lower photo injured victims are placed on tables in Woodward City Hall as supply of cots was exhausted. Man in right drinks milk while awaiting first aid.

The first sea-going officer commissioned by the United States was Coast Guardsman Hopley Yeaton, who was appointed by George Washington 156 years ago.

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BY MERRILL BLOSSER



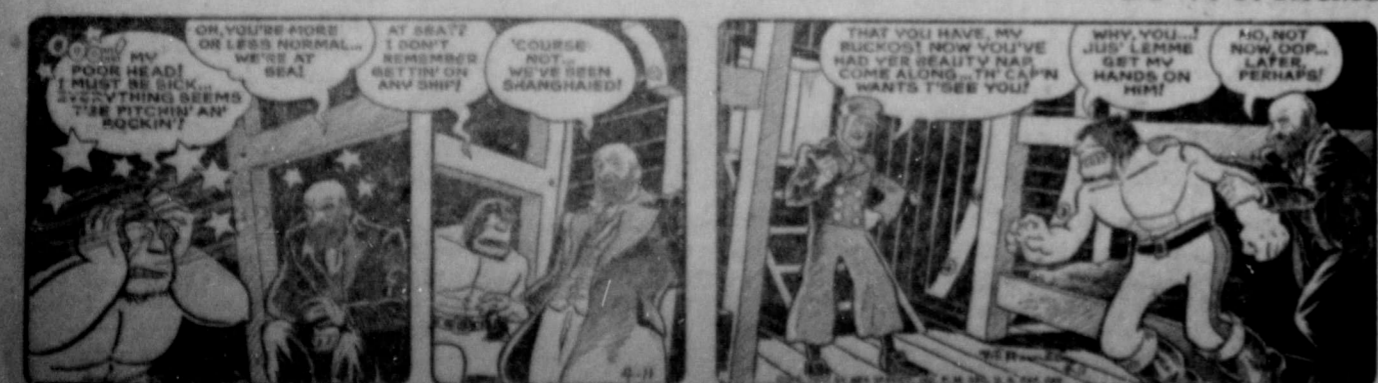
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 ther, Hilbert McGaha and Mrs.
 McGaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Love and
 son Thomas, of Ranger, attended
 services at the Church of Christ
 Sunday.

A large crowd attended the
 singing at the Baptist Church
 Sunday afternoon. There will be
 singing each second and fourth
 Sunday nights, and each first Sun-
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Mrs. Ann Love is on the sick
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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Love and
 son Don of Odessa are visiting his
 mother, Mrs. Ann Love, this week.

Mrs. Will Underwood visited
 Tuesday in the home of her son,
 Alton Underwood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Blackwell
 attended services at the Church of
 Christ Sunday after having been
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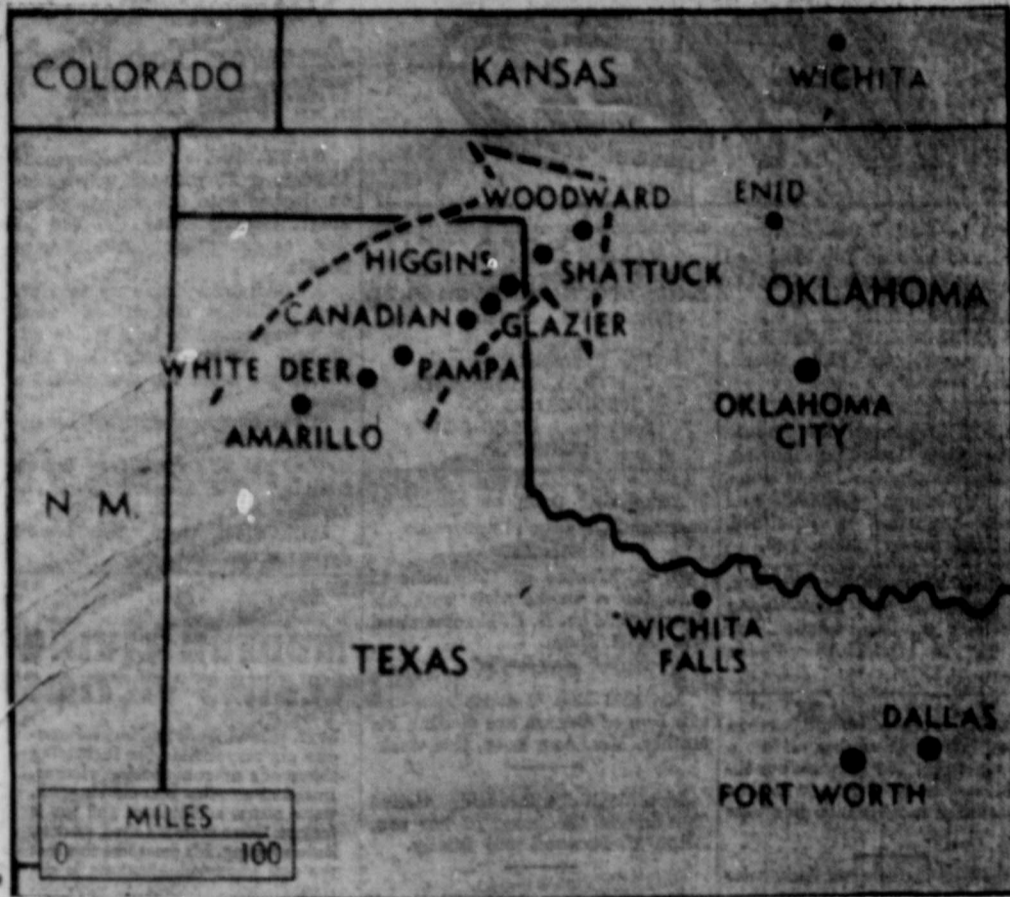


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Tornado Rips Through Texas-Oklahoma Panhandles



Oil tanks located in the railway yards at Woodward, Oklahoma, were ripped apart by the force of the tornado, flooding the railway tracks and station with oil. Note leveled railway buildings on far side of tracks. (NEA Telephoto).

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Members of the Wichita, Kansas, Red Cross as they prepared to leave for Woodward, Oklahoma, to help in the tornado stricken area. (NEA Telephoto).

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SOCIETY

Announcement Is Made of Marriage

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Mrs. Betty Gibson to Mr. Joseph C. Ownby. The wedding took place Saturday night at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Johnson with Rev. Johnson performing the ceremony. The couple will make their home in Ranger.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Frank Harry of Corpus Christi, formerly of Ranger, is here for a visit with her niece, Miss Anna Bell Kinney.

Morris Knight of Albuquerque, New Mexico, formerly of Ranger is transacting business in Ranger.

Hospital News

Bobby Neal, who underwent major surgery, is a patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. J. C. Moore of Texas City has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital where she received medical treatment.

Mrs. T. A. Weaver is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

W. H. Bradford is a surgical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. N. M. McCullum, who underwent major surgery recently in the West Texas Hospital, is in a critical condition.

Mrs. B. E. Sullivan of Caddo is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. Morris Underwood is a surgical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. F. E. Houx of Gordon is in the West Texas Hospital for medical treatment.

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every fifth man who mounts a ladder in his home suffers injury. Women have far fewer injuries, the experts say, because they are more careful and more agile. If there were no atmosphere, the average temperature over the earth's surface would be about 18 degrees Fahrenheit instead of the observed 60 degrees, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

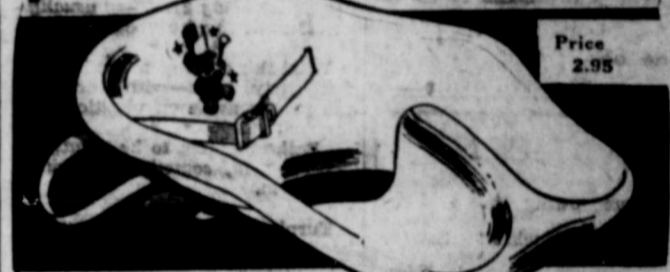


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