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Truman Calls Special Session Of Congress

Well...
I Dunno,
But...

We'd like to call to your attention the service that the Ranger Daily Times is giving its readers. The main story in today's paper broke about 3 o'clock this afternoon and through the efficient service of the United Press was coming in on our wires a few minutes later.

We'd like to point out that this news about the special session will not make other afternoon papers reaching Ranger and is being made known to Ranger through the service of the Ranger Daily Times.

We'd sure like to see some programs promoted for the Pup games, and we believe the fans would like it, too. Not knowing the players too well and with their numbers difficult to read anyway, we can't tell who it is that's doing what.

The boys put up a good fight Wednesday night but they didn't have a chance against a team that was almost as big as our Bulldog first string.

And Hodges put on a good show during the half, even if they did have 13 players on one side and 11 on the other.

Well, the old nag that we were telling you about yesterday beat city employees who were after him to the draw. He wound his way to the vacant lot by the C. D. Hartnett Wholesale Grocery company and just laid down and died.

Paul Macdonald, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Macdonald, is in something of an exclusive class at SMU in Dallas. Of the over 7,000 students in the university there are only 92 that are there on a scholarship, and Paul's one of 'em. He won the scholarship on an academic basis, having had an average of 97.7 for his four years of high school work.

Somebody asked us this morning how the total precipitation this year compared with last year. So we figured it up.
We began keeping records of the rainfall on the 20th of March 1946 and from that time on through December a total of 25.78 inches fell.

From March last year through the same date in October as of today a total of 18.63 inches fell. This year from March 29 through this date a total of 6.86 has fallen. Total rainfall for this year, including January, February and all of March, which months were not included in the above figure for this year, is 10.75.

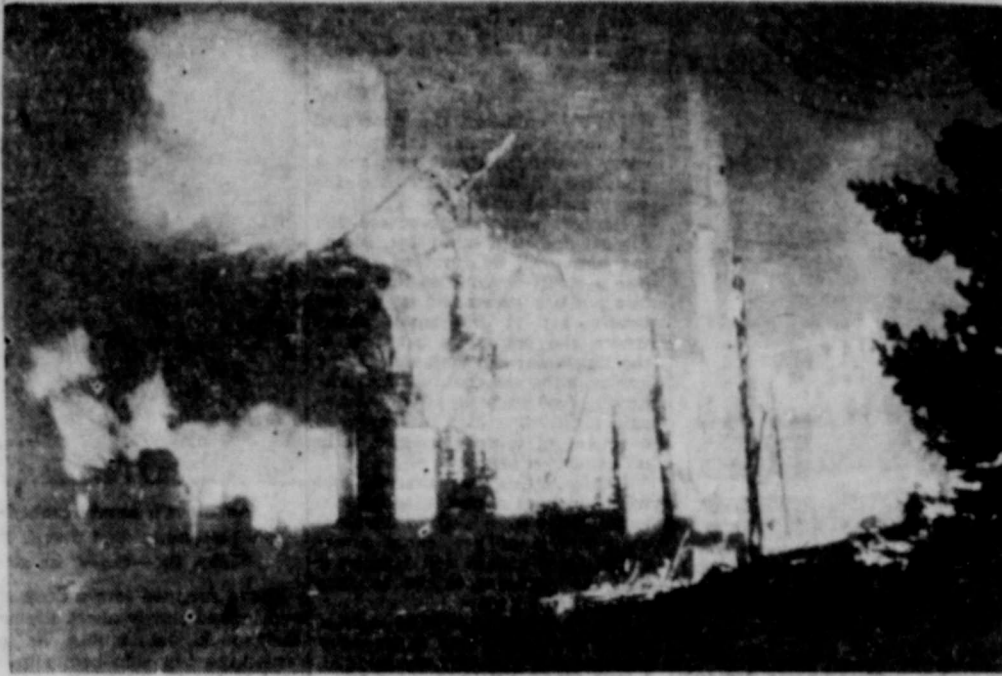
The past five months this year we have had 2.47 inches of rain as compared with 7.68 inches for the same period last year.
And not a cloud in the sky!

Prepared To Ration Gasoline If Necessary

NEW YORK—Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey said today it was prepared to ration gasoline on a "strictly local basis" in any eastern states where a shortage may develop, but that the supply situation was improving and that few, if any, of 25,000 Esso and Colonial Beacon service stations in the area will be affected. "The motoring public probably will not feel it at all," a company spokesman said. He said that some local shortages had developed because of mild weather, which has resulted in an unusually large demand by motorists.

FORT WORTH LIVESTOCK
Cattle 2500. Uneven and about steady. Two good loads 617 lb. Heifers 13.20. Medium and good beef cows 13.25-15.50. Bulls 11-16.
Calves 2100. Mostly steady. Good and choice fat calves mostly 15-19. Stocker steer calves 15.50 down.
Hogs 500. Butcher hogs steady to 25 higher. Sows strong to 50 higher. Top 28. Sows 25-26.

Summer Homes Destroyed By Fire



One of the many summer homes near Cape Porpoise, Maine, goes up in flames as one of the worst forest fires in the history of the state roars through the forests. (NEA Telephoto).

JUDGE GIVES JURORS CHARGE IN ROSS CASE

By United Press
LA GRANGE—District Judge J. R. Fuchs today told a district court jury hearing a murder charge against Dr. Lloyd I. Ross that the San Antonio surgeon is presumed to be sane until proven otherwise.

The trial of Harvard-educated Ross was in its closing phase. Final arguments began, to last three hours and 15 minutes for each of the state and defense, and the jury of 11 farmers and one mechanic was expected to receive the case during the later afternoon.

In his charge to the jury, immediately preceding final arguments, the judge told them they should determine whether Ross was sane or insane last May 25, the date upon which he is alleged to have murdered Mrs. Willard York and three members of her family on a country road near New Brunfels.

The defense has built its case solely upon testimony that Ross was of unsound mind. "His sanity is a fact to be decided by the jury," said the judge. "To be a defense, it 'insanity' must be of such degree as to deprive the defendant of sense of right or wrong.

"If he is capable of reasoning and knowing the consequence of his act, he will be responsible for his act."

Fuchs told the jurors to return one of the following verdicts: Guilty of murder with malice, penalty, death or imprisonment any number of years more than two.

Guilty of murder without malice—penalty, imprisonment up to five years.

Not guilty—release.

Not guilty by reason of insanity—commitment to a state hospital for the insane.

TAYLOR SAYS REDS FEW IN SCREEN ACTORS GUILD

By United Press
WASHINGTON—Actor Robert Montgomery said today that the Screen Actors Guild has "had a very small minority" of Red members who were "well organized and very active."

The gray-suited and handsome actor told the House Un-American Activities Committee, however, that the guild in 1946 adopted a resolution designed to answer "charges" that it fostered "foreign ideologies."

Montgomery, pro-trayer of sophisticated and tense psychological roles on the screen, was the first of "big name" witnesses on the fourth day of the committee's public investigation of Hollywood Communists.

Breckenridge Downs Pups By 35 To 0 Score

In a return game played at Ranger Wednesday night the Breckenridge Junior Hi team defeated the Ranger Pups by a score of 35 to 0.

Breckenridge took an early lead, scoring in the first part of the first quarter and two more touchdowns, with the extra point scored each time, wound up the first half with the score 21 to 0. The Pups put up a better fight in the second half but were unable to hold the larger Breckenridge team. Two more touchdowns plus two more extra points brought the total score to 35 to 0.

Ranger threatened to score in the last few minutes of the game with the ball resting on about the 8 yard line when the whistle blew.

Officials were J. Royce, W. Royce, and Johnny McClendon.

RJC Ex-Students Association To Be Organized

Dr. G. C. Boswell stated today that organization of ex-students of Ranger Junior College will take place tonight following the Ranger-Hillsboro game in Ranger and all ex-students are requested to remain in the grandstands after the game.

This is the first time that an attempt has been made to organize and it is hoped that all ex-students will cooperate.

ATTENDANCE AT FAIR BREAKS ALL RECORDS

DALLAS, Texas, Oct. 23—Texans have something new to brag about this week, as their State Fair of Texas set a new all time high attendance record. When the gates swung shut Sunday midnight on the 62nd anniversary show, count showed that 1,763,921 persons had been to the Fair during its 16-day run.

This is 128,935 more visitors than attended the 1946 Fair which itself broke all previous records.

The new record upholds Texas' claim to having the world's biggest state fair. Biggest single day was the middle Sunday, Oct. 12, when 221,320 visitors swarmed over the 187-acre grounds and through the mammoth exhibit halls. Attendance went past the 100,000 mark on eight out of the 16 days of the Fair.

Simultaneously with the close of the 1947 season, R. L. Thornton, president of the big statewide institution, announced that the Fair would take bids immediately on construction of a new \$700,000 Automobile, Aviation and Recreation Building, to be ready for next year's Fair.

Top Fair officials also are contemplating visits to the East and West sections of the country to bring even bigger exhibitors and entertainment attractions to the Fair in 1948. This year every square foot of exhibit space was sold months before opening date of the Fair, but Exhibit Director Fred E. Tennant Sr., and directors of the institution have their eyes on some additional big national firms.

Top attractions this year, according to most visitors, were the \$1,500,000 art show of world-famed masterpieces loaned by New York's Metropolitan Museum; the livestock show, the Quarter Horse Show—biggest ever held in the nation—and the Broadway production of "Annie Get Your Gun" starring Mary Martin. The Fair also had more big free events than ever before.

To California's challenge that they are going to take away Texas' title to the biggest state exposition, State Fair officials this week pledge that they mean to keep the title in the Lone Star State.

Rotary Meets On Wednesday

The regular meeting of the Rotary Club was held Wednesday at noon in the Blue Room of the Gholson Hotel with the president, R. A. Tunnell, presiding.

C. E. May, Jr., was in charge of the program and gave a classification talk on insurance. A. L. Carr who was recently elected to membership in the club was initiated with Dr. G. C. Boswell directing the initiation ceremony.

STOCKMEN'S MEETING AND BARBECUE WAS BIG AFFAIR

Everyone at the barbecue and meeting of the Eastland County Livestock Association at the City Park in Eastland last night had a good time.

At least that was the consensus of opinion of a large number of those present asked that question.

There was an abundance of as good barbecue as you ever ate, regardless of where and by whom prepared, and there were better than 600 people from all over the county present to enjoy it.

Scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m., three long lines had assembled at 7:10 p.m. and were moving toward the serving stands.

Following the meal Fred Brown of Eastland, acting as master of ceremonies, spoke briefly, introducing the officers of the Livestock Association and those in charge of the evening's program. He then introduced Virgil T. Seaberry, who gave a brief history of the Association, stating that the barbecue was an annual affair and extended an invitation to those present to be present at this time next year.

The next and only other speaker introduced by Brown was Dr. C. M. Patterson of Eastland, who spoke for fifteen minutes on diseases of livestock that had proven very costly to stockmen, offering some suggestions as to feasible methods for treating and eradicating such diseases.

J. A. Johnson, Jr. Dies; Funeral Plans Pending

Virge Johnson received word early this morning of the death of his nephew, J. A. Johnson, Jr., in Oakland, California. Death occurred around midnight according to the conversation with J. A. Johnson, Sr. The Johnsons formerly made their home in Ranger. Funeral arrangements had not been made at the time of the call and members of the family here are awaiting further word from California.

Young Johnson was critically injured in a head-on automobile collision several weeks ago but recent word was to the effect that he was improving and physicians had stated that he would recover.

Price Of Cotton Clothes, Textiles May Decline

By United Press
WASHINGTON—The Bureau of Agricultural Economics said today that retail prices of cotton clothing and textiles may drop next year and predicted that farmers' receipts from this year's cotton crop would hit two billion dollars for the first time in 25 years.

The bureau said retail stocks of cotton goods, piling up as a result of a sales decline, are approaching pre-war inventories. "The increased supply of cotton textiles may cause somewhat lower prices, both wholesale and retail," the bureau said.

March Of Dimes Meeting Called For Tuesday

A meeting to organize forces for the March of Dimes drive in Eastland county has been called by R. V. Galloway of Ranger for Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Commissioners' courtroom in Eastland.

The annual drive is in support of the Infantile Paralysis Foundation and all who are connected with the work of the drive are urged to attend the meeting Tuesday.

Doctors On Trail Of Oxygen Intake To Prolong Life

ST. LOUIS (UP)—Better health and longer life for middle-aged people may be achieved by maintaining the proper level of oxygen consumption in the body.

Physicians, working at St. Louis City Infirmary in co-operation with Washington University, believe old people may be able to ward off the so-called "old age" diseases "if the proper level is achieved."

On the basis of their study of 1,000 persons, the investigators think the ideal oxygen consuming rate occurs during the first ten years of life. The rate then falls until the age of 24 and remains stable until age 45.

Then, according to their findings, is when the trouble begins. They speculate that a dropping rate of oxygen consumption indicates threat of a degenerative disease.

When the rate begins to climb again after age 45, the doctors believe, it may be due to the body's fight against a degenerative ailment such as cancer or heart disease.

The gerontologist—physicians who study aging processes of the body—therefore try to maintain oxygen consumption at the 24-year age level. With special diets and medical care they already have reported "some progress."

Lapel Flowers Cheer Lives Of Commuters

NEW YORK (UP)—Commuters who came into the city from Little Neck, L. I., arrive at Pennsylvania Station perked up and ready for the day's work because of Richard A. Thompson and his boutonieres.

From the first of June to heavy frost for the last six years, Thompson, a commuter himself, has handed out small flowers to his fellow passengers. He has no special reason for doing it, except, he says, "I get a great kick out of it."

"It's wonderful to see what a flower will do to a fellow who comes along feeling down in the dumps or half awake," Thompson said. Thompson grows the boutonieres, mostly carnations, dwarf zinnias and marigolds, in a 20x20 plot at his home.

Small Fry Make Hay
NEW YORK (UP)—Ninety boothblacks employed by the Union News Co., at Grand Central Terminal went on strike and for its duration small boys equipped with homemade shoe-shine boxes swaped a harvest outside the rail road station.

Actor Says Hollywood UnAmerican



Screen actor, Adolph Menjou said that Hollywood is a hot bed of "UnAmerican, anti-capitalistic, Anti-free enterprise" activities. He made this statement from the witness stand of the UnAmerican Activities Committee hearing in Washington. (NEA Telephoto).

U. S. PLANNING ANSWER TO RED CHARGES

By United Press
LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y.—The United States prepared today to answer Russia's war-mongering charges in the United Nations with a count-charge that Russia is hindering peace-making with an anti-American propaganda campaign.

The American answer probably will denounce Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Y. Vishinsky for his attack on present and former members of President Truman's cabinet. It also will emphasize that the United States government harbors no desire for war and will defend freedom of the press.

Permanent UN Delegate Warren Austin was ready with the United States' reply as delegates of the 57 United Nations met for a rough and tumble debate in the political and security committee of the General Assembly.

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Says Russia Wants To Get Along With U. S.

LONDON—Konni Zilliacus, a leftwing member of Commons who saw Premier Stalin eight days ago said today that Stalin told him the nine nation common front "does not in any way change" Russia's desire to improve relations with the United States and Britain.

"The policy of the Soviet Union remains as it always has been, the improvement of political and economic relations with all countries, beginning with the United States and Great Britain," he quoted Stalin.

Zilliacus said Stalin told him Russia was ready to meet the U. S. and Britain halfway "regardless of any differences in economic and social systems." Zilliacus led a party of eight laborites who recently made an unofficial tour of Eastern Europe and Russia. They say Foreign Minister Molotov as well as Stalin.

GUARD MEET POSTPONED
Bruce Harris announced today that the National Guard meeting which was to be held tonight at the Chamber of Commerce at 7:30 has been indefinitely postponed due to the Ranger Junior College Homecoming game with Hillsboro Junior College.

OPENS NOV. 17 WILL DISCUSS HOME PRICES FOREIGN AID

WASHINGTON—President Truman told congressional leaders today he was calling a special session of Congress November 17 on the European aid crisis.

The announcement was made by House Speaker Joseph W. Martin, Jr., after the leadership met with the President for an hour.

Martin told reporters the President was acting on his constitutional authority to call Congress back.

Martin said the session would be called to take up the domestic price problems as well as foreign aid.

He said he did not intend to call committee into session ahead of time.

"They will come back in the normal way to consider these questions," Martin said.

Just before the congressional meeting began Senate Republican Leader Robert A. Taft of Ohio said if a special session was called, it would be impossible to assure that it would be limited to foreign aid problems. Taft said calling a special session was strictly Mr. Truman's responsibility.

Martin told a reporter that the legislative leaders dismissed suggestions that the foreign relief crisis could be handled—without congressional action—by the Export-Import Bank, the Commodity Credit Corporation and the RFC. He said such actions would be "violations of the law."

Rep. Jesse Wolcott, Michigan Republican, said that the President would ask Congress for a new appropriation for foreign relief. The President, Wolcott said, would give details at his press conference later.

Oil Belt Club Names Officers

AUSTIN, Oct. 22—The Oil Belt Club at the University of Texas has elected the following officers:

Billy Houston Boggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Boggs, of Cisco, president; Raymond Frank Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Thomas of 2101 Humbleton, Cisco, vice president; Miss Mary Lynn Johnson, daughter of Blake Johnson of 212 West Sixth Street, Breckenridge, secretary; Stanley Cain Kirk, son of Mrs. Cain Kirk of Breckenridge, treasurer; and Carolyn Ducker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ducker of Gholson Hotel, Ranger, reporter.

Burning Ship Being Abandoned

By United Press
NEW YORK—The Coast Guard reported today that rescue vessels had been dispatched in answer to an SOS picked up from the Dutch steamer Kneri, on fire 15 miles off Port Au Prince, Haiti. Passengers were reported taking to lifeboats and the ship reported all hands abandoning ship.

Will Introduce More Labor Laws

By United Press
BOSTON—Rep. Fred A. Harley, Jr., R., N. J., co-author of the Taft-Hartley labor law, said today he will introduce in the next Congress a measure which would make it a federal offense "to interfere with anyone who wants to go to work."

The Weather

Considerable cloudiness and colder.
Temperature at 1:30 p.m. today
Maximum 86
Minimum 66
Hourly Reading 86
Temperature for the last 24 hours ending at 8:00 a. m. today
Maximum 85
Minimum 69

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(NEA)—A team of Department of Agriculture experts has handed the Senate and House Committees on Agriculture a bumper crop of recommendations for what might be called a guaranteed full employment and guaranteed prosperity bill for farmers.



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Many of these proposals are not new. They were conceived and first put into practice after the major farm depression of the 1930's. Others were wartime controls, put in effect to get production of most-needed crops.

An organized effort to raise rural standards of living is proposed. A first step is to raise the income of roughly half of the six million farm units that produce less than \$700 crops a year.

How much the government is responsible for raising these standards is debatable. The argument in its favor is that if the country is to have an abundance of farm products, every farm unit must be made to produce its share. The problem is one of national interest.

But the same question arises on land conservation. Why should the government make payments to save the soil? The manufacturers must pay for upkeep of his factory and machinery. It follows that the farmer should be made to take care of his "factory."

Finally, it is recommended that the parity formula be revised so that the costs of farm labor, new machinery, autos, electricity and other modern conveniences be included in the index of things the farmer buys.

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—Everybody in the southwest is talking about Dutch Meyer's latest brain child. Coaches of other sections are inquiring about it. Since the Texas Christian strategist developed Sammy Baugh and Little Davey O'Brien, his ideas naturally are of considerable interest to coaches throughout the country.

Zeke Hamilton, who long wrote sports for The Fort Worth Press, sends along the lowdown. Meyer's something different is a streamlined spread—a brand new, up-to-the-minute model of a very old-style mode of attack.

Meyer's newest opens up the game for the spectator, whereas the T keeps the people in the stands completely in the dark as to the whereabouts of the ball until the play has fully developed.

TUCS head man points out the disadvantages of the T from the standpoint of the customer. "Not only does the T hide the ball from the fans, but too often the straight stuff from this formation produces either a dull pile-up or pops a back running all alone in the secondary."

"The winged T is somewhat better for the spectators because it lends itself to more wide stuff. Interference, laterals and stuff that can be seen and followed from the stands."

"But my modernized spread opens up the game as wide as the Pacific Ocean."

Trained observers say Meyer's new spread may sweep the collegiate football world just as his passing patterns did after Baugh and O'Brien piloted the Horned Frogs to championships.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

TODAY'S BEST JUGGLING ACT



Light Demand Forces Peanuts Into Agencies

Peanut digging and picking went forward actively in the south western states during the past week under favorable weather conditions, the Production and Marketing Administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture reports.

Movement of farmers' stock peanuts was going largely to Com-

modity Credit Corporation at government support prices. Shellers bought little, as shelled goods found slow demand with a rather weak undertone to the market. Most carlot trading went at 16 1-4 cents per pound for shelled No. 1 Spanish, with some pool cars at 16-1-2 cents, and distress cars as low as 16.

Peanut crushing continued at a seasonally low rate. Oil sold strong at 21 cents per pound, basis prime crude f.o.b. the mill, and meal remained about steady at \$88 to \$89 per ton in bagged carlots.

Peanuts in the southwestern states and in the Virginia-Car-

olina region suffered some damage recently from hot, humid, rainy weather. Many stacked peanuts became discolored, while under or unstacked fields were even more seriously damaged.

NEWS FROM EASTLAND

Mrs. E. R. Morton returned Sunday from Denver where she visited her husband who is with the Forney Manufacturing Company. She returned by plane.

Mrs. J. P. Majors of Sweetwater, Mrs. M. S. Goldman of Big Spring and little Patti Lee Perkins of Fort Worth were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Perkins, 610 South Seaman Street, Wednesday. Patti Lee is the granddaughter of Mrs. Goldman, great granddaughter of Mrs. Majors and an only granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perkins.

Mrs. Sid Arther, Jr., who underwent surgery at the Eastland hospital Sunday, is reported as doing fine.

Ocie Hunt is ill in the West Texas Clinic, Ranger. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt reside on South College street.

Mrs. Clifford Henderson returned recently from Cooper, where she attended a family reunion. Mrs. Henderson resides with her daughter, Mrs. S. L. Bourland and family.

Mrs. Gene Petros has been in Mineral Wells the past week receiving medical care.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hertig are Mrs. Hertig's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alex K. Powell of El Paso, and her aunt, Miss Mary Lulie Hogg of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Maud Braly is in Fort Worth visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Perryman and Mr. Perryman who has been ill, but is improved.

Guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Brown is Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. R. L. Parker of Ft. Worth, who is spending the week.

RED RYDER



ALLEY OOP



BY V. T. HAMLIN

BY FRED HARMON

This Is Happy By PEGGY DERN

THE STORY: Happy Beardon, walking cheerfully through the early morning rain, looks for an address given her by an employment agency. Finding it, she is about to enter the building when a grim-looking young man rushes out, almost bumping her over. Before she catches her breath, he takes her by the arm and wheels her into a nearby restaurant. "Nobody has any business grinning like a cheshire cat before he's had at least a cup of coffee," he says. The young man turns out to be Steve Landers, hard-bitten war correspondent and prophet of doom. And—oddly enough—the very person Happy was on her way to see about a job. When Steve expresses dismay at the prospect of a cheerful secretary, Happy tells him: "I'm sure the agency can find you somebody grim and middle-aged and—scared to death of the future. Then she looks before he can stop her."



As Steve's hand reached out, a long furry paw, steel-tipped, shot out and raked Steve's hand from wrist to fingertips.

HAPPY unlocked the door and pushed it open. Instantly a furry avalanche struck her, and a plaintive voice scolded her for staying away so long.

Happy's arms encompassed the big cat and held him close, soothing him until he rumbled gently, like a small dynamo in her arms. She put him down and he padded beside her to the small closet where she put away her hat; to the tiny bathroom where she hung her dripping raincoat, and here umbrellas. And then he sat down beside his feeding dish and ordered a saucer of cream; ordered it in no uncertain terms.

Happy filled the saucer, and when he bent above it, lapping it happily, she went back to the closet, slid out of her damp street clothes and into a red housecoat that did pleasant things for her thick brown hair.

The rain and the wind outside made the apartment seem very pleasant and cozy. Happy relaxed, curled into a big chair, and Timmy, reptile with cream, leaped on her lap.

Happy could not rid her mind of Steve Landers. Soberly she thought of his anger, his bitterness. That was what looking on at a world war could do to a man who was inherently decent and almost painfully sensitive.

She was so absorbed in her thoughts that she was not conscious of the opening door; and when an angry voice spoke above her head, she jumped so violently that Timmy, his dreams disturbed, dug his claws painfully in her knee.

"A fine thing," said the angry voice. "Sitting here dozing, with your door wide open so that anybody could get in."

HAPPY scrambled awkwardly to her feet, spilling the outraged Timmy, and stared incredulously into Steve Landers' twisted, thin face.

"How—where—" she stammered. "How? The door was unlocked and I walked in—anybody could have done the same thing," Steve told her. "Where did I get your address? From the agency, of course. They said that you were exactly the sort of secretary I needed, so what could I do? You're my secretary, it seems."

Happy laughed a little. "Well, you don't sound very pleased about it," she said lightly. "Will you sit down?"

"Of course," said Steve, and moved toward a chair—and almost stepped on Timmy. He drew back with a gesture of distaste, and Timmy returned it in full measure, growling deeply. "I hate cats. Get him out of here."

"I'll do no such thing!" Happy said stormily. "She bent, scooped the cat into her arms, and stroked him tenderly as she looked up into Steve's face.

"Oh, well," said Steve largely, "let him stay. I suppose we'll have to."

"Naturally," said Happy aloofly, and set down again, the cat in her lap. But Timmy was eyeing the stranger with frank hostility and refused to relax.

"So then you found this place who has been ill, but is improved. Mrs. L. C. Brown is Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. R. L. Parker of Ft. Worth, who is spending the week.

Steve dropped into a deep chair and looked slowly about the room, as though cataloguing its contents: the big sofa-bed, slip-covered in bright chintz; the two big armchairs, one in a matching chintz, the other in a warm ruby-red that echoed the predominant color in the chintz; the small gateleg table, tucked neatly against the wall nearest the kitchenette.

"I like it here," said Steve, a note of surprise in his voice. "It's—cozy, and if I knew what a home looked like, I'd probably say this was home-like."

Happy glowed. "I'm so glad you like it," she said eagerly. "It's the only home I've ever had."

Steve's eyebrows went up a little. "The only home you've ever had? Don't tell me you were a foundling!" His tone was derisive, almost bitter.

"No; I was born in the second-floor back bedroom of a theatrical boarding house in Brooklyn. Aunt Kate Callahan's boarding house. If you'd ever known anything of very small-time vaudeville and cheap musical shows, you'd know about Aunt Kate. She's—pretty wonderful."

"Go on," Steve said and some of the tenseness had gone out of his voice. "Was she really your aunt?"

"Oh, no—no more than she was everybody's who ever lived at her place," said Happy. "My mother was young and pretty—and terribly stage-struck—but she never got to be famous. She sang and danced in the chorus and once she and my father went out with a vaudeville act. But my father died when I was a year old. Mother came back to New York and worked at anything and everything—and Aunt Kate looked after me. But the cards were stacked against Mother, and when I was six she died. After that, Aunt Kate was my family."

"Quite a story," said Steve, and his voice was almost gentle. "So then what?"

"Oh, then I went to school, and helped Aunt Kate, and grew up and went to business school, and got a job," she explained succinctly. "And one of Aunt Kate's boarders made a hit in Hollywood and sent for Aunt Kate to come out and keep house for her. And that was that."

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Wayne County, which forms the northern corner of Pennsylvania, has 110 lakes.

and made yourself a homey little spot out of it and stepped out on your own," contributed Steve. "No stage aspirations?" he asked curiously.

"None whatever!" said Happy firmly. "I like to eat regularly and occasionally have a new frock. I'm much happier as a secretary!"

"As my secretary you'll probably wish you'd gone in for trading the boards and spouting Shakespeare," said Steve a trifle wryly. Then he shrugged his thin shoulders and drawled, "I seem to be getting sober—a revolting thought. What have you got to drink? I'm not fussy!"

"Coffee, tea, or milk," she answered quietly. "He shrugged, and shivered a little.

"Oh, well, I don't suppose it's too far to the local dispensary," he said.

"Mr. Landers—honestly, don't you think you've had enough?" she protested impulsively.

He stared at her, halfway between surprise and annoyance. "Of course not," he snapped. "I'm beginning to remember. And when I begin to remember, it's time for another drink."

"You can't keep running away like that."

"Well, a miniature philosopher!" he sneered.

Happy flushed and stood up, still holding Timmy in her arms. "I'm sorry, Mr. Landers," she said calmly. "I'm afraid we wouldn't work together very well. Not if you have to stay half drunk all the time."

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Steve reared to his feet, his eyes blazing, watching the blood on his hand.

"Why, the—the—" he strangled. But the look in Happy's eyes silenced him, and he regarded the cat with unwilling respect.

"I'm sorry he scratched you, but he doesn't like strangers and he resented your reaching for me," said Happy quietly, and waited for him to go.

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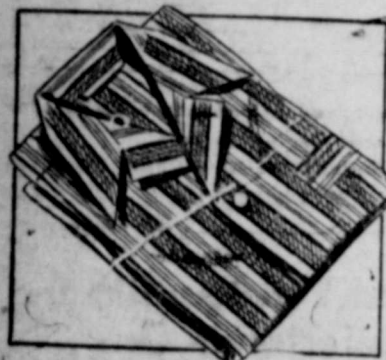
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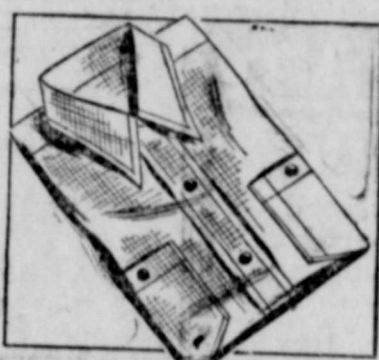
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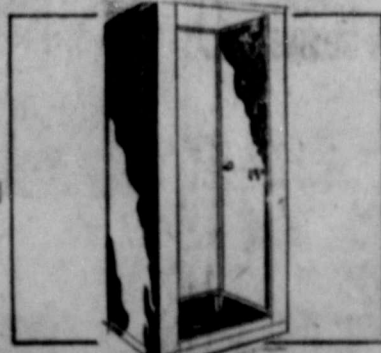
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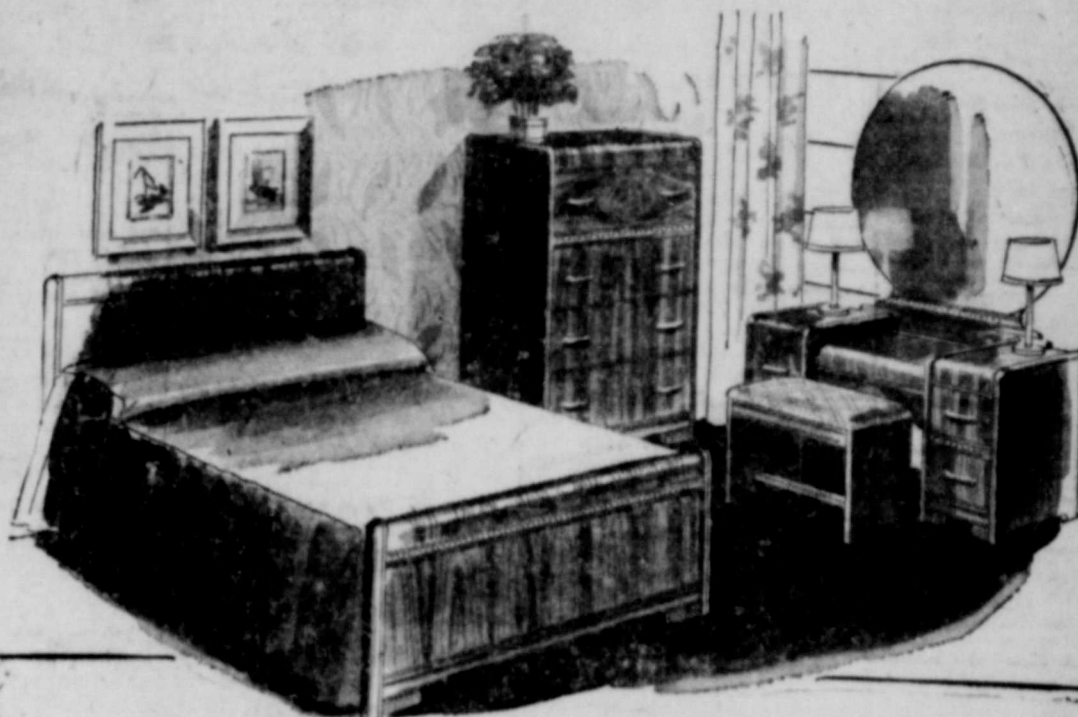
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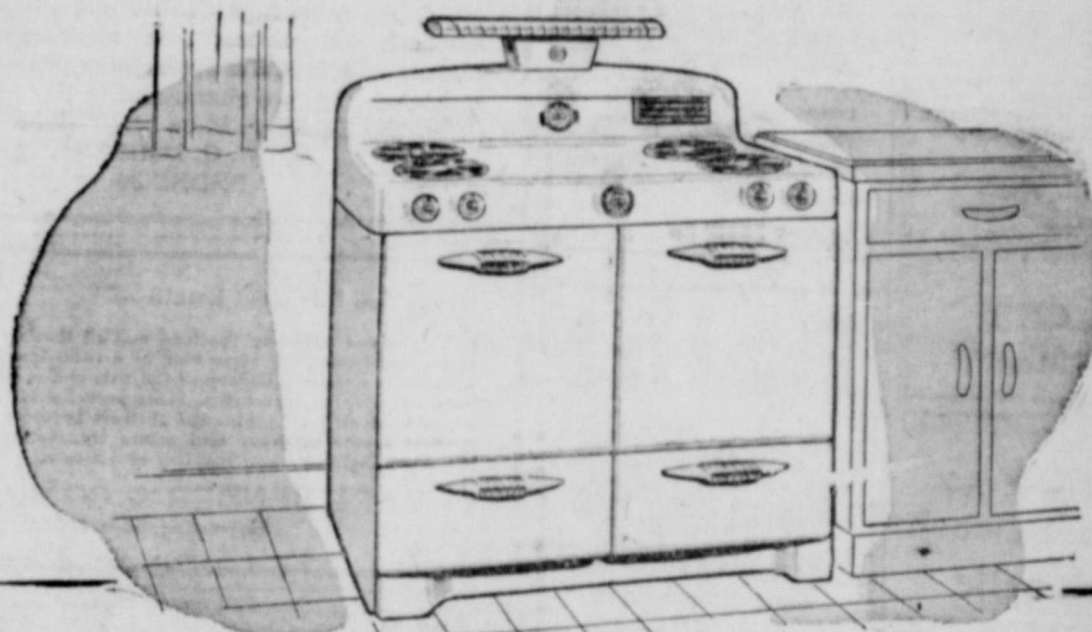
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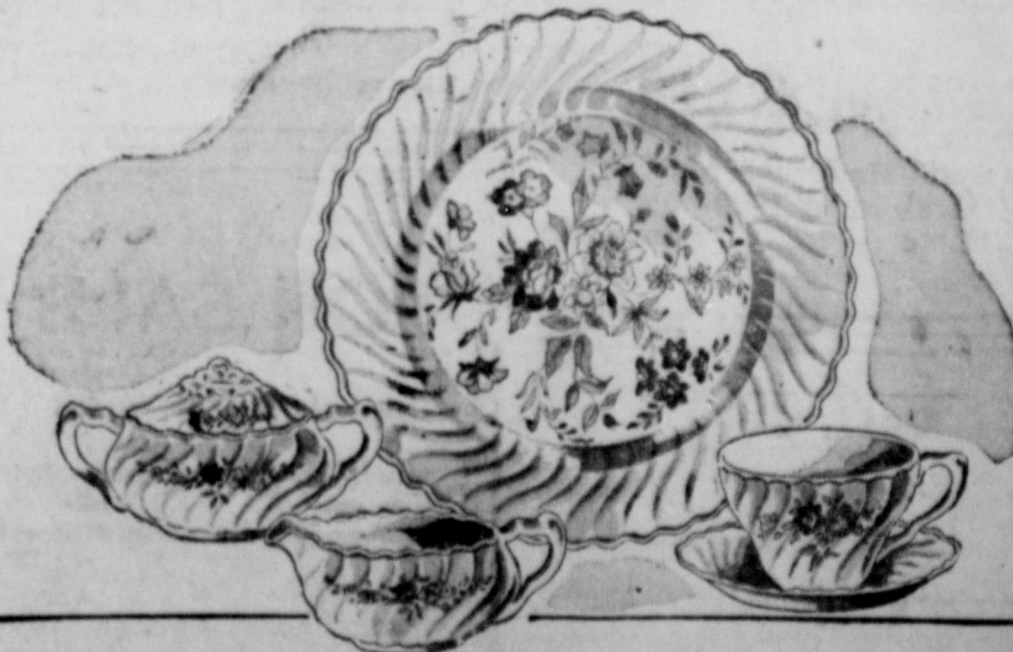
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WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D. C.—(NEA)—A team of Department of Agriculture experts has handed the Senate and House Committees on Agriculture a bumper crop of recommendations for what might be called a guaranteed full employment and guaranteed prosperity bill for farmers.



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An organized effort to raise rural standards of living is proposed. A first step is to raise the income of roughly half of the six million farm units that produce less than \$700 crops a year.

How much the government is responsible for raising these standards is debatable. The argument in its favor is that if the country is to have an abundance of farm products, every farm unit must be made to produce its share. The problem is one of national interest.

But the same question arises on land conservation. Why should the government make payments to save the soil? The manufacturers must pay for upkeep of his factory and machinery. It follows that the farmer should be made to take care of his "factory."

Finally, it is recommended that the parity formula be revised so that the costs of farm labor, new machinery, autos, electricity and other modern conveniences be included in the index of things the farmer buys.

SPORTS

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

NEW YORK—(NEA)—Everybody in the southwest is talking about Dutch Meyer's latest brain child. Coaches of other sections are inquiring about it. Since the Texas Christian strategist developed Sammy Baugh and Little Dovey O'Brien, his ideas naturally are of considerable interest to coaches throughout the country.

Zeke Handler, who long wrote sports for The Fort Worth Press, sends along the lowdown. Meyer's something different is a streamlined spread—a brand new, up-to-the-minute model of a very old-style mode of attack.

Meyer's newest opens up the game for the spectator, whereas the T keeps the people in the stands completely in the dark as to the whereabouts of the ball until the play has fully developed.

TCU's head man points out the disadvantages of the T from the standpoint of the customer. "Not only does the T hide the ball from the fans, but too often the straight stuff from this formation produces either a dull pile-up or pops a back running all alone in the secondary.

The winged T is somewhat better for the spectators because it lends itself to more wide stuff. Interference, laterals and stuff that can be seen and followed from the stands.

But my modernized spread opens up the game as wide as the Pacific Ocean. Trained observers say Meyer's new spread may sweep the collegiate football world just as his passing patterns did after Baugh and O'Brien piloted the Horned Frogs to championships.

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TODAY'S BEST JUGGLING ACT



Light Demand Forces Peanuts Into Agencies

Peanut digging and picking went forward actively in the south western states during the past week under favorable weather conditions, the Production and Marketing Administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture reports.

modity Credit Corporation at government support prices. Shellers bought little, as shelled goods found slow demand with a rather weak undertone to the market.

Peanut crushing continued at a seasonally low rate. Oil sold strong at 24 cents per pound, basic prime crude f.o.b. the mill, and meal remained about steady at \$88 to \$89 per ton in bagged carlots.

lina region suffered some damage recently from hot, humid, rainy weather. Many stacked peanuts became discolored, while undug or unstacked fields were even more seriously damaged.

ANSWERS

Mrs. E. R. Morton returned Sunday from Denver where she visited her husband who is with the Forney Manufacturing Company. She returned by plane.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues and answers. Clues include 'European Ruler', 'Before', 'Evil', 'Greek letter', 'Lair', 'Chemise', 'Despot', 'Game', 'Anger', 'Cubic meter', 'Height', 'Operatic solo', 'Lieutenant', 'Cloy', 'Show', 'displeasure', 'Heredity unit', 'Vegetable', 'Game', 'Portent', 'Height', 'Lieutenant', 'Lieutenant', 'Lieutenant'.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS BY MERRILL BLOSSER

Comic strip panels showing characters talking about a 'Vegetarian Villa' and a 'Ducky'.

This Is Happy By PEGGY DERN



As Steve's hand reached out, a long furry paw, steel-tipped, shot out and raked Steve's hand from wrist to fingertips.

THE STORY: Happy Beardon, walking cheerfully through the early morning rain, looks for an address given her by an employment agency. Finding it, she is about to enter the building when a grim-looking young man rushes out, almost bowling her over.

HAPPY unlocked the door and pushed it open. Instantly a furry avalanche struck her, and a plaintive voice scolded her for staying away so long.

Steve dropped into a deep chair and looked slowly at the room, as though cataloging its contents: the big sofa-bed, slip-covered in bright chintz; the two big armchairs, one in a matching chintz, the other in a warm ruby-red that echoed the predominant color in the chintz; the small gate-leg table, tucked neatly against the wall nearest the kitchenette.

"How—where—" she stammered. "The door was unlocked and I walked in—anybody could have done the same thing," Steve told her. "Where did I get your address? From the agency, of course. They said that you were exactly the sort of secretary I needed, so what could I do? You're my secretary, it seems."

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RED RYDER

Comic strip panels for Red Ryder featuring a horse and a cowboy.

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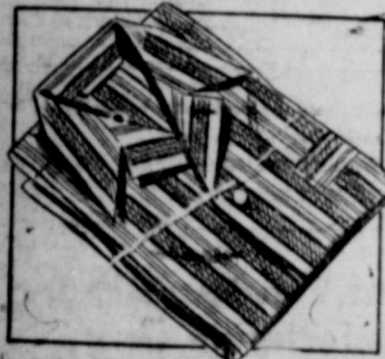
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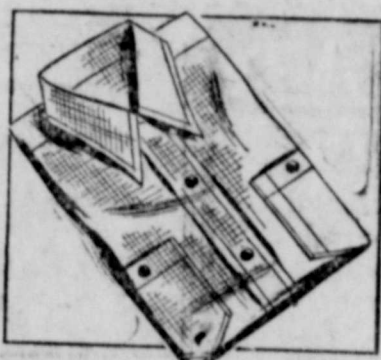
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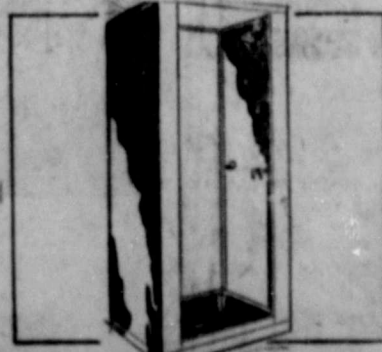
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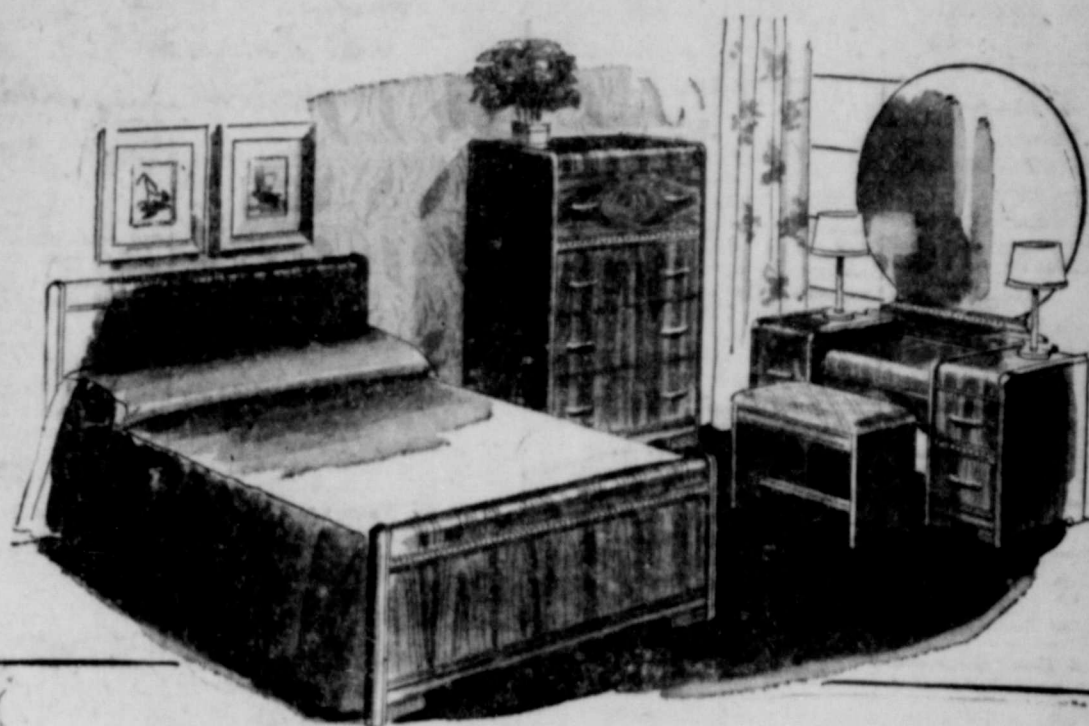
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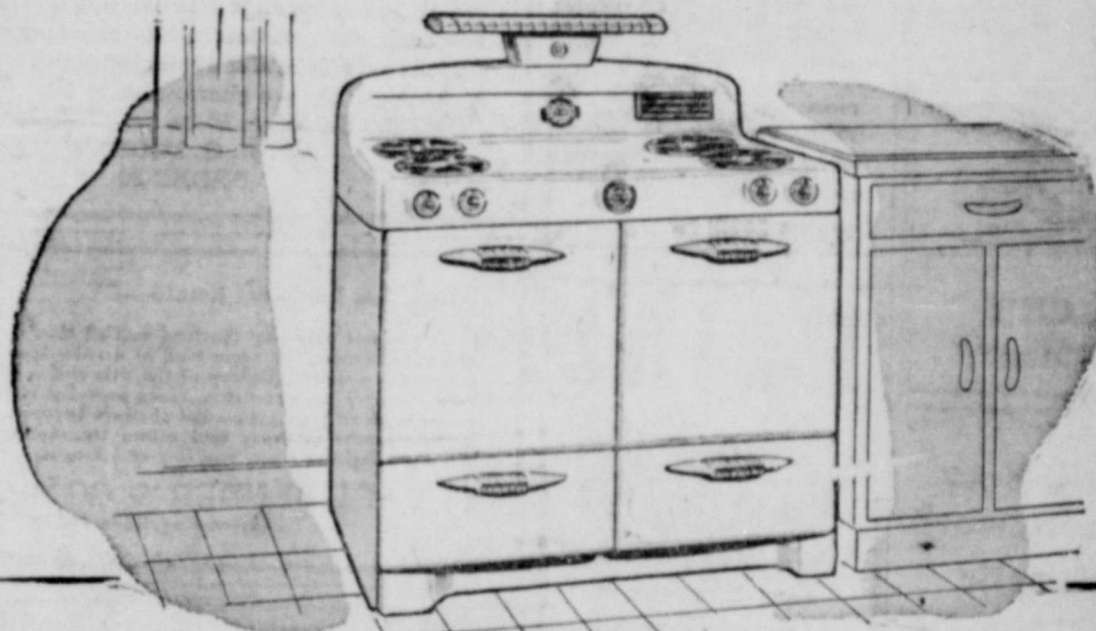
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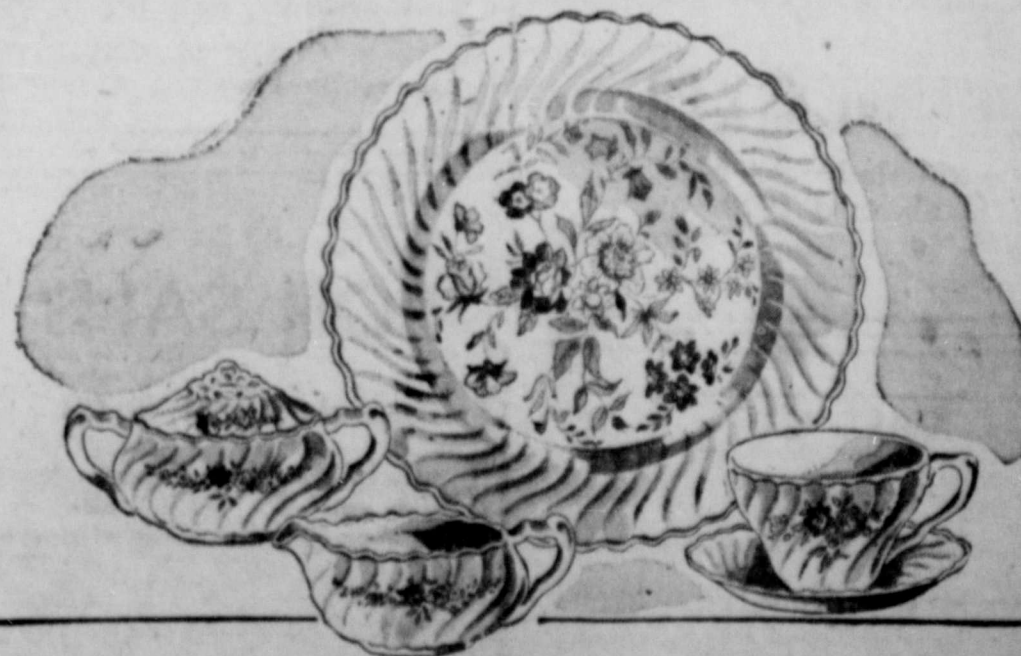
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Although printed on flimsy newspaper stock in March, 1836, the document is in a fair state of preservation. It was framed under supervision of Dr. William E. Howard of Dallas who contributed the cost of the framing.

The Sam Houston case is in the Great Hall of the Museum. It contains many important exhibits of the Texas revolutionary period.

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NEWS FROM

STAFF

ROUTE NO. 2

Mrs. M. O. Hazard, Cor.

STAFF, Oct. 21—Mrs. Mary Pope has been seriously ill for the past week at the home of her son, Tom Pope. Her many friends are greatly concerned about her condition and wish her a speedy recovery. Her children and grand children have been to see her. Among them were: Mr. and Mrs. John Pope of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rodgers, son and daughter of Anson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mitchell of Strawn, Clifford Pope, of Leuders, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Pope of Anson, Mrs. F. A. Pope of Anson, Mrs. Kyle Blackley of Abilene, Mrs. Dawson Blackwell of Abilene and Royce Pope of DeLeon.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Eoles of Eastland were guests Saturday night of Mrs. Eoles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Little.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard were business visitors in Eastland and Ranger last Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Atkins and children, Elizabeth, Joe and Ben Walters of Abilene, were guests over the week-end of Mrs. Atkins' sisters Mrs. Floyd Crowley and Mrs. C. L. Henderson.

Sunday school and preaching services were all attended at the Baptist church here Sunday morning and evening. The pastor, Rev. Paul Stephens of Abilene, did the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hazard and son Donald of Gorman were visitors over the week-end of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hazard and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Parker.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Stephens of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crosby were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lawrence in Oildon last Tuesday evening.

John M. White was in Eastland on business last Wednesday.

R. A. Parker, who has been quite ill for the past two weeks, is able to be up and out.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nelson were Eastland visitors last Thursday.

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NTSC Planning Big Homecoming

DENTON, Tex. (UP)—Plans are nearing completion for what promises to be the most gala homecoming in the history of North Texas State college Nov. 14-15, to be highlighted by a football game between NTSC and the University of Houston.

Activities in which more than 3,000 ex-students are expected to participate are slated to begin Friday, Nov. 14, with a pep rally at 7 p.m., with sorority and fraternity open houses and an informal dance to follow.

Saturday's events will include more open houses and a parade. The NTSC football team will be presented between halves of the football game.

A free barbecue and a business meeting of all ex-students will be held at 5:30 p.m., and a stage show, movie and dances will fill the evening's program.

Any Tea Bags To Swap?

NEW YORK (UP)—The New York Herald Tribune announced receipt of a letter from Mrs. John E. Jackson of Salem, N. Y., revealing that she is a tea bag tag collector and asking to hear from other tea bag collectors. Mrs. Jackson said she had collected 1,300 cardboard tags from individual tea bags in the 48 states, Canada, Alaska and Bermuda.

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Taft Drum Beater



Rep. Clarence J. Brown, above, Ohio Republican, will manage Sen. Robert A. Taft's presidential campaign—if and when Taft tosses in just in the ring. Brown has said he believes Taft is strong enough to either win the GOP nomination himself, or else pick the man who does.

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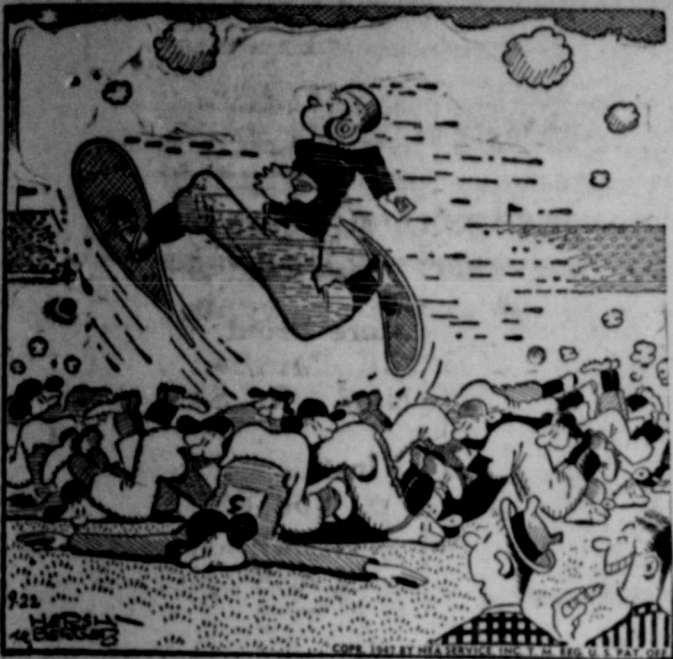
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FUNNY BUSINESS



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Star Farmer Of America



Ray Cinnamon, 19, of Graber, Oklahoma, has been named Star Farmer of America at the American Royal Livestock Show in Kansas City. Ray raises wheat and beef cattle in addition to hogs, sheep, and oats. (NEA Telephoto).

Mrs. Joe Lohman and mother, Mrs. Eaton visited her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Eaton and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Eaton and family in San Angelo over the week-end.

M. J. Keith visited his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Taylor of DeLeon, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leazar and daughter of Southland spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold.

Helen Able is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ruth Baker at Oil Center, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kay and family of Fort Worth spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Houser.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sparkman, Homer Jo Sparkman, Johnnie Dixon, Morban and Dot Roberts, had supper with Rev. and Mrs. Grayson Tension at Iredell last Sunday night and attended church. Rev. Grayson is pastor of the First Baptist Church at Iredell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Jones of Roanoke spent last week in the home of their son and family, Cliff Jones.

Dr. C. A. Powell, pastor of the Baptist church at Rule, did the preaching and Rev. Ben Crots conducted the singing in a two weeks revival meeting at the First Baptist church in Cisco which closed Sunday night with eight coming for baptism.

Mrs. Walter Agnew, who has been under treatment at Graham hospital, is improving nicely and was moved to her home, Sunday.

Mrs. Rex Moore has returned from Dallas where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dossett.

Mr. Abott, who has been ill since March, is still very ill.

Mrs. McCorkle of Nimrod visited in Cisco Monday afternoon.

Mrs. E. McCracken and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, spent the past week-end in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Gorman Pollard transacted business in Abilene, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tillie Gardner of the Cook Community, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Gardner, Monday.

Ovel Stuard, who was seriously injured in a car wreck near Brownwood on September 13, is now recovering in the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Stuard of 208 East Seventh street, Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hart of the Corinth community, attended church at the First Baptist church here Sunday night.

Dr. and Mrs. D. Ball and children, Mary Martha and D. Ball, Jr., went to Dallas Friday for School Day at the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nance returned Wednesday night from Galveston where they spent several days attending the Automobile Dealers Association meeting.

NEWS FROM DESDEMONA PHONE 17
Mrs. Doey Williams, Cor.

DESDEMONA, Oct. 21—The Magnolia Gasoline Department held a safety meeting at the high school gymnasium Monday night. Visitors were: Mr. McCormack of Midland, Magnolia Petroleum Company safety director for the West Texas District; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Simmons of Electra. Mr. Simmons is superintendent of Magnolia Petroleum, natural gas department, at Electra; Mr. and Mrs. Lee McGuire and daughter, Mrs. Raymond Stark and son, Mrs. Bill Stark, Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Roberts, Mrs. George Riley, Bill Wilson, Victor Grabowsky of Oldes; Bill Gattis, Oscar Avery, the former with the Eastland Police Department and the latter highway patrolman for the Texas Department of Public Safety and Miss Bobbie Jene Lane of Eastland.

From Desdemona were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller, son Mark and daughter Elane, Mr. Miller's mother, Mrs. C. J. Edinger of Flint, Michigan; Mr. Miller is

plant foreman and was master of ceremonies, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Joiner, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Brightwell, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sparkman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Roberts, and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold. Several interesting talks were made and pictures shown. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Paul Arnold is now an employee of the Magnolia Petroleum company at Kermit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Read is on a week's vacation and visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Townsend of Austin, and son Mr. and Mrs. Phil Read of Austin.

Mrs. Raymond Anderson of Stephenville is visiting her mother, Mrs. Irea Buchan and sister, Lillie.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Able and Mrs. John Arnold were in Ranger, Sunday.

Homer Jo Sparkman of Fort Worth spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sparkman.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ervin of Abilene were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore, Saturday and Sunday.

Neil Malthy of Kingsville is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Malthy.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore were in Stephenville Monday night visiting their son Junior, who is attend Tarleton College.

Mrs. Bertha Northcutt of Stephenville and Mrs. Opal Yardley visited their aunt, Mrs. Howard Williams, Monday.

Mrs. Z. G. Christian is a patient at the Gorman hospital.

NEWS FROM CISCO

CISCO, Oct. 21—Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bailey went to Ranger Wednesday evening for a visit with his parents.

Mrs. Ben Kay and daughter, Greta, went to San Saba Friday for a week-end visit.

Mrs. Emory McBeth and daughter, Susan, of Mount Pleasant, spent the week-end with friends and relatives here.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Nance returned Wednesday night from Galveston where they spent several days attending the Automobile Dealers Association meeting.

Dean George of Kerrville is visiting his aunts, Mrs. Bean and Mrs. Billman.

Campus Chat Given Award

DENTON, Tex., (UP)—The Campus Chat, weekly newspaper of North Texas State College, has been awarded the highest rating of Peemaker by the Associated Collegiate Press, national rating agency for college publications.

Where? Why?



Barney Hagen, 31, a contractor from Billings, Montana, gets on the phone in New York to see what he can do about straightening out his marital problem. He was wed by proxy to Eileen Frances Green, of England, and flew to New York to join his bride in a hotel suite. He found on arrival however, that the immigration authorities had sent his bride to Ellis Island for lack of a suitable visa. (NEA Telephoto).

Only other paper in the Southwest to receive the award was the Daily Texan (publication of the University of Texas). The two papers were among seven in the nation to receive the Peemaker rating.

The Campus Chat had received the award three times previously. Soybeans provide almost half of the total value of the nation's oil crops.

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A-Pen Window Cleaner 20-oz. Bot. 21c
Bouillon Cubes Herb-Ox 10c
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White House Milk 3 Tall Cans 35c

MINCE MEAT 8 oz. Pkg. 17c
CHERRIES No. 2 Can 25c
POTATOES No. 2 Can 10c

Karo White Syrup No. 1 1/2 Glass 20c
Ann Page Salad Dressing Pt. Jar 31c
Shortening Snowdrift 3 1-lb. Jar \$1.05
Nestle Butter Cookies 7-oz. Pkg. 19c
Nabisco 100% Bran 1-lb. Pkg. 21c
Asst. Flavors Kre-Mel Pkg. 6c
Eight O'Clock Coffee 2 1-lb. Bags 77c

Sultana Raisins 4 1/2-oz. Jar 39c
Darby Barbecue Sauce 5-oz. Bot. 10c
Law & Ferris Sauce 5-oz. Bot. 33c
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NEWS FROM GORMAN

GORMAN, Oct. 22 — Lee Roy Barbee of Tacoma, Washington, returned to his home there after a months vacation spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hade Barbee.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kenworthy returned to their home in Kokomo, Indiana, after a visit with his sister, Mrs. Hattie Thomson. Mrs. Thomson returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sutton were in an automobile accident Sunday afternoon near Lampasas. They were returning from Austin. Both were injured quite a bit but neither is thought to be seriously. Mrs. Sutton will be released from the hospital Wednesday and return to Gorman.

Funeral services were conducted at the Christian Church Wednesday afternoon for R. B. Love known as "Uncle Bob" to his many friends and neighbors. He passed away at his home Monday evening after a long illness. Besides his widow he is survived by two sons, Cody of Gorman and Selwin of St. Louis; two daughters, Florence of Columbus, Ohio, and Imogene of San Francisco.

P. S. Pullig celebrated his 21st birthday last Sunday. His daughter, Mrs. Loma McKnight and grandson, Clay McKnight and his wife, all of San Antonio were present to help him enjoy the day. His daughter, Miss Della, his son, Hulon Pullig both of Gorman were also present. Mr. Pullig is very active for his age and still maintains his interest in his home and community. His wife passed away a few years ago and he makes his home with his daughter, Miss Della.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene White, their daughter and grand-daughter of Mount Vernon, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinney of Ft. Worth; Mrs. and Mrs. Odie Kinney of Stamford and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Shugart of DeLeon all spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Andy Kinney.

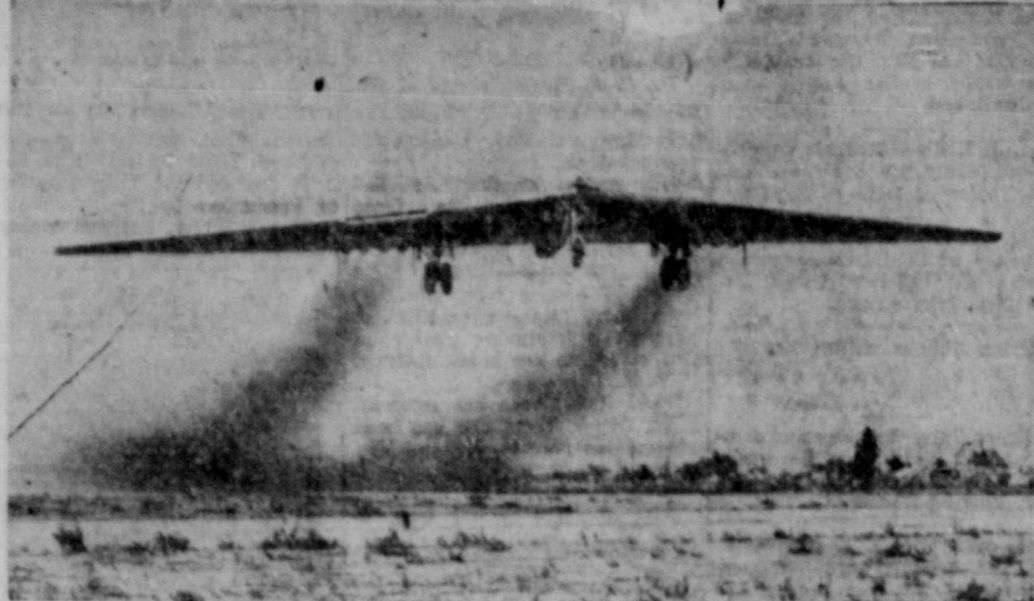
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rider and children of Cisco spent Friday with his mother, Mrs. Nettie Rider.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Norton of Weatherford were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Brummett.

Roy Townsend of Big Spring and Mrs. Clara Cockrill of Abilene were Gorman visitors Monday.

Mrs. Marvin Blais, Mrs. Z. O. Mehaffey and Mrs. Walter Davis shopped in Brownwood last Thursday.

Jet Powered Flying Wing



Heavy plumes of smoke pour from eight giant engines as the 44-ton jet-powered "Flying Wing" takes to the air. The wing was on its maiden flight, with Northrop's Chief Test Pilot Max Stanley at the controls heading for the Muroc, California Army Air Base, after completing a series of test runs. (NEA Telephoto).

Foreign Trade Convention



Just prior to his address to the delegates of the 34th National Foreign Trade Convention, the Honorable Ramon Beteta, Secretary of the Treasury of Mexico, has an earnest conversation with Nelson A. Rockefeller, left, Chairman of the Board, Council for Inter-American Cooperation, Inc., and President of International Basic Economy Corporation. (NEA Telephoto).

Heartsease

Mr. Big
A more logical title would be: "Mr. Pig".
The little, "big" guy.
He who puffeth out his cheeks, who sticketh out in the stomach, who relieth the eye, and sayeth loudly:
"Look at me! I'm the smartest and the biggest. I can tell you when to jump, frog. Look me over... I'm the big guy!"
Such an ass. I would say such a fool except that I might be in danger of Hell fire.
Such a ludicrous object for silent laughter, contempt, disgust... the big, little guy rolling happily in his misguided egotism.
Losing so much... giving so little... gaining so little.
Selling himself for a mess of pottage.
Poor sap.
Having such a swell time.
One of the people who worship his own graven image.
One who worships his own shrine.
The one the other guys hate and sometimes knuckle down to.
The big, little guy who goes through the world, cowardly at heart, bluster outside... a complete phoney.
Is it any wonder the big, little guy's heart's a shriveled, dried up affair? And his stomach so large?

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

"Take Pen in Hand"
This column has been running for so long that its readers, in towns like ours all over the country, are beginning to "take pen in hand" and write us what they think.
Some of them take me over the coals for what I say—like the column I ran on planting alfalfa. Others write, "I liked your column yesterday, but..." All of them have different points of view.
From where I sit, that's the way it should be. Everybody's entitled to an opinion—and it's those very differences, and friendly criticisms,

day.
Miss Ozella Pulley spent the week-end in Baird with Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Stubblefield.
Junior Jackson, who is attending A&M College, was a week-end visitor at home.
Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Robinson and children of Almagordo, New Mexico, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester McDonald part of last week.
Mrs. Dessie McComas of Leveland spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Graves Clark.
Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Craddock and Mrs. Stella Reynolds were in Snyder Monday attending the funeral of Mrs. Reynolds' nephew.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Murphy of Waco visited Mrs. Hattie Thomson Sunday. Mrs. Rose Murphy and son Hubert visited Mrs. Thomson Thursday.
Mrs. Taylor Henley and son spent a few days last week with her mother in Ballinger.
Mr. and Mrs. Benton Hooker are in Handley, spending some time with their son, Lester and family.
Mrs. Bob Boucher, E. H. Jones and Jimmie Ellison visited friends in Kautland Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Todd and Tina spent Sunday in Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. Bernad Campbell.
Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McMillan enjoyed the Dallas Fair Saturday.
Mrs. S. W. Fields passed away at his home Wednesday morning after a long illness.
Church Loses Good Book
BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (UP)—Whoever took the Book certainly needs to study it. A large Bible was stolen from the pulpit of Cavalry Chapel here. Members of the congregation said it was valued at \$20.
TULSA, Okla. (UP)—R. M. Pettrio, a restaurant owner, says high grocery prices are forcing him to close his business on Friday, Saturday and Sunday of each week.
Harvest or hormone sprays are effective in reducing losses of apples by dropping.
Nebraska's 3-cent cigarette tax yielded almost \$1,250,000 during the first quarter of the 1947-48 fiscal year.
Weather Keeps Wires Hot
NEW YORK (UP)—During the hot spell in August, the New York Telephone Company reported it received 107,752 calls in a single day from persons who wanted to know about the weather. The all-time record—143,942 calls in a day—was set in September, 1944, when a hurricane hit the city.
Whittle, Says Parson
READING, Pa. (UP)—Relax and try your hand at whittling, said the Rev. Howard B. Bars, to a Lions Club group. It's a good way to prevent a nervous breakdown, according to the minister, who's been whittling since he was "that high."

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Because birth certificates seldom are available for such a distant date, reasonable proof should be available from a family Bible, insurance policy, or some public record.
Information should be sent immediately to Eli Sanger, Sanger Bros., Dallas 2, Texas, and must arrive not later than Saturday, November 1.
Wrong Kind of Stars
NEW YORK (UP)—Three men who were using a telescope on a rooftop to study the wrong kind of stars were fined \$25 on disorderly conduct charges. Police said the men, Domenick Sabemini, 25; Martin Cangioli, 27, and Louis Ricebone, 27, had the telescope trained on the dressing room windows of the Radio City Music Hall.

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NEWS FROM RISING STAR PHONE 45

RISING STAR, Oct. 22 — Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Harris and Mrs. Woodrow Harris and daughter spent the past week-end in San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Paulk and family of Waco spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Tom Steel and husband. Mrs. Arthur Cannon has the sympathy of her many friends in the passing of her mother last week at Brownwood. Mrs. M. L. Harris of Little Rock spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Jenkins. Mrs. Cobb, wife of Pastor Cobb of Rising Star, is ill in a Dallas hospital.

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Mrs. Geo. Steel, Mrs. Ross Fuesell, Mrs. Curtis Smith, Mr. & Mrs. Guye, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Weldon Jaynes, Mrs. Hilton Lawless, Mrs. Tye Allen, Miss Eva Richardson and Mrs. Woody Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Wane Acker of Eastland spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Acker. Mrs. James Isbell of Gorman visited her mother, Mrs. Giles Lockhart, here Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McBeth and little daughter Sue of Overton visited his sister, Miss Vera McBeth and other relatives first of the week. Mrs. Irene Pressely and children of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sprayberry, first of the week.

I GIVE YOU TEXAS By Boyce House

Upon what little things, great achievements sometimes depend. Many years ago, there came to the mining rush town of Virginia City, the most famous humorist of the day—Artemus Ward. After the lecture that night, Ward and several newspapermen did a little celebrating which climaxed with Ward and a young and obscure reporter walking over the roof-tops in the business district. They were almost fired upon as burglars. The reporter was Mark Twain.

Did you ever hear the "rebel yell"? I. Hardin, secretary of the Kentucky Historical Society, wrote your columnist, asking for assistance in preserving the battle-cry of the Confederacy for posterity. The distinction of being the youngest member of a Chamber of Commerce goes to Vanessa Sharyl Bryan, one day old. Her father, Vance Bryan, a former Texan, is owner of the luxurious Jack Tar Courts in Hot Springs, Ark. Neal Estes, Carthage editor, stops his car at all railroad crossings. He said that he once drove across soon after a train had passed and his brother, an attorney remarked, "It's true that one train went by just a little bit ago but the railroad owns the line and it reserves the right to run a train every minute."

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Sherwood, of St. Louis, Mo., are doing their bit to keep the nation's birth rate soaring. Twice, in one year, Mrs. Sherwood has given birth to twins. All four children are girls. Left to right are Patricia Ann and Pamela Ann, celebrating their first birthday, and Mrs. Sherwood holding two-week-old Donna Jane and Diane Joan.

AUSTRALIA EYEING MANUS AS EMPIRE NAVY BASTION

By Dan L. Thrapp United Press Staff Correspondent LONDON (UP)—Manus island may be slated to become the British Empire's new Singapore on the Pacific. The island, in the Admiralty Group, northeast of Australia was the keystone of Gen. Douglas MacArthur's advance to the Philippines. The United States spent \$150,000,000 to make it a mighty naval base for the conquest of Japan. A proposal for development of the island as one of Australia's main Pacific naval bases will be made to the cabinet soon by Navy Minister W. J. Riordan.

Manus Island is north of New Guinea and the U. S. Navy made it a "Rude Pearl Harbor" in a jungle, semi-explored wilderness. Now it is envisioned as the main British base in the South Pacific, and may replace Singapore. Australian naval experts completed an inspection of the base late in August. Much American equipment remained there and some of it presumably will be incorporated into the Australian base. Details of cost involved in its conversion to Empire purposes are being prepared. "The major expenditure on Manus will be for housing of naval and other personnel," an Australian government news agency report said. "Many huts left there by the American navy were available to the Australian navy and there were two acres of concrete surface for boom defenses."

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a purification plant, would require overhauling. Manus was accepted by MacArthur as a site for his principal base in the Southwest Pacific during the New Guinea campaign. It was taken by First Cavalry troops fighting as infantry. Construction of a base and the necessary land communications and roads seem to be almost hopeless at first because of the over-luxuriant growth of lime and wood with the ever-precipitous rains which when heavy trucks and equipment had to be used.

But the engineers were equal to the situation. They found that the road, graded from the bottom of the hill and packed on gravel, would hold into fine, surfaced roads approaching asphalt in general utility. So the base was paved from the top and throughout the American tented dredges hauled from the "harbor" bottom the material to make the roads which made the base possible. A breakwater was made and paved similarly. Manus became such a mighty base that the United States Navy formally suggested it be leased for America's use after the war's end.

But Australia's ascending naval power needed bases, too, and the Australians pointed to their potential forces as an indication they would protect their own frontiers in the future.

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Australian naval expenditure this year will be double the annual pre-war allocation. The Commonwealth soon will add two aircraft carriers to its fleet. Both are to be of 18,000 tons, similar to the British Theseus and Glory. Battle maneuvers have been held with participating British carriers of Australia's east coast.

Making Nature Help SILVER CITY, N. M. (UP)—In early days in New Mexico, Silver City was 700 miles from the source of civilization's supplies in Colorado. All provisions had to be freighted by ox team. As the story goes, the teamsters would plant crops along the road on the way down to Silver City.

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PIGGLY WIGGLY

American Gothic
AUBURN, Ala. (UP) — Jim Prestridge, senior Alabama Polytechnic architectural student from Mobile, has his heart wrapped up in his work. On his registration card, Prestridge listed his church preference as "Gothic."



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SOCIETY

Mrs. DeMasters Hostess To Class

The Faith Class of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. V. M. DeMasters for the regular business meeting and social.

Mrs. O. L. Cantrell, president, presided over the business session, and Mrs. R. V. Robinson gave the devotional.

The following members were present: Mmes. Robinson, McBa Rchoy, D. C. Ham, Bruce Harris, A. G. Koenig, J. T. Belknap, Cantrell, Evis Landers, Lee Russell, J. D. Johnson, L. L. Bruce, class teacher, and the hostess, Mrs. DeMasters.

BAPTIST STUDENTS TO HAVE MEET

The annual Texas Baptist student convention will be held in



Fred S. Ferguson, left, president of NEA Service, Inc., bids farewell to Harlow Church, European manager of NEA Service and Acme Newspictures, at LaGuardia Airport, New York, after conferences on extensions of Telephoto service in Europe. Telephoto distribution of Acme newspapers has already been inaugurated in Sweden and additional extensions are contemplated. While in Cleveland, O., Church inspected the newly established Acme Electronics laboratory, set up to exploit electronic developments in the newspaper field.

Hit by Senor Cupid



Xavier Cugat, the rumba king, gives a peck on the cheek to his new bride, Hollywood starlet Lorraine Allen, after their Philadelphia, Pa., wedding. The 46-year-old band leader and his 28-year-old bride were married after his divorce from his ex-vocalist, Carmen Castillo, became final.

Ex-Politicians Team Up In Big Cattle Deal

BELVIDERE, S. D. (UP) — A former Democratic governor and from Waxahatchie, Texas, all landed at the airport enroute to Odessa, Texas. They were flying J-3 Cubs.

John E. Givens and A. C. Reed, from Graham, Texas landed here. They were flying a Cessna 120.

Leonard Pounds of the Ranger Flying Service went on a Solo X-Country to Odessa and return in a Cessna 120.

T. A. Smith and W. G. Middlebrook from Winters, Tex. were here Wednesday enroute to Dallas, Texas. They were flying a Taylorcraft.

a Republican lieutenant governor of South Dakota teamed up to make what is believed to have been the biggest cattle transaction in the history of the state.

Tom Berry, South Dakota's former cowboy governor, and his brothers, Cleve and Claude, sold 1,200 head of four year old steers to Donald McMurchie, Centerville, S. D., cattle buyer and former lieutenant governor.

The price for the 2,000,000 pounds of beef was \$25,625. It took 80 railroad cars to ship the steers from here to feeding lots in South Dakota and Illinois.

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A full program for the three days has been outlined with officers of the Baptist Student Union in charge.

Pollyanna Class Has Luncheon

The Pollyanna Class of the Young People's Department of the First Baptist Church was entertained at a noon luncheon Wednesday at the home of the teacher, Mrs. Hugh Smith.

Pattie Lou Kirk led the devotional & the luncheon which was attended by Eosta Anderson, Marciene Thomas Patsy Wheat, Loretta Culpepper, Peggy Robinson, Luetta Stephens, Wanda McKinney, Anita Faye Gryder, Leola Uwey, Marie Parper and Miss Kirk.

Personals

Mary E. McNeely of Killeen and Tom Ziegler of Odessa have been the guests of their mother, Mrs. M. D. Ziegler, who was slightly burned about the face and arms while burning trash last week. Mr. Ziegler flew his own plane to Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Eakin and son, Robbie Don, of Fayette have been visiting relatives and friends here.

Hospital News

J. H. Sanders has been removed from the West Texas Hospital where he underwent a tonsillectomy.

Mrs. C. H. Hyatt and baby of Eastland have been removed to their home in Eastland from the West Texas Hospital.

John Allen of Strawn has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital where he was a medical patient.

Mrs. J. B. Smith and baby of Eastland have been removed from the West Texas Hospital to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wesley are the parents of a baby girl born Friday, October 17, in the West Texas Hospital.

Patricia Ann Williams has been dismissed from the West Texas Hospital where she underwent a tonsillectomy.

Mrs. W. W. Baker and baby son have been removed to their home in Eastland from the West Texas Hospital.

Miss Anice Locke is a patient in the West Texas Hospital where she underwent major surgery Monday.

Beverly Brownlee underwent

an appendectomy at the West Texas Hospital Tuesday, October 21.

Mrs. H. C. Thompson is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mrs. W. C. Huff of Eastland is a patient in the West Texas Hospital where she underwent major surgery Tuesday.

O. M. Hunt of Eastland is a medical patient in the West Texas Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Meredith of Dal' are in the West Texas Hospital for physical check-ups.

Airport Activities



Speedy says--

S. H. Campbell and D. W. Barrow from Dallas, Texas have been visitors here at the airport. They were flying an Aerona.

Tom Zeigler from Odessa, Texas has been here visiting relatives. He was flying his Er Coupe.

W. G. Allen from Fort Worth, Texas landed here enroute to Big Springs, Texas. He was flying an Aerona Cruiser.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Smith from Dallas, Texas, landed here on their way back home from a short visit with their folks at Baird, Texas. They were flying a Luscombe.

Ped Stroops from Dallas, Texas landed here at the airport. He was flying a Taylorcraft.

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