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BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

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THURSDAY, MAY 25, 1950

Contract Let To Build New Bank Home

Perry Whittemore, vice-president and cashier of the First State Bank of Silvertown, announced Wednesday that the bank had let a contract for the erection of a modern bank building to be 25x100 feet in size and located at corner of Main and Commerce streets facing east on Main street. Mr. Godfrey of Memphis, Texas, is contractor. The building will be fitted with two vaults, one for the use of the bank's business and the other for customers.

The construction will be of brick and concrete with steel reinforcement. When the building is completed it will be summer and winter air-conditioned.

Mr. Whittemore said they hoped to have the building completed within sixty to ninety days. Work on the foundation was underway Wednesday as men moved dirt getting ready to pour the foundation.

Officers for 1950-1951 were installed by The 1925 Study Club Wednesday afternoon, May 17, in the club room, with Mrs. R. G. Alexander, outgoing president, as installation officer.

1925 Study Club Install Officers For 1950-1951

Officers for the coming year are Mesdames Tom Bomar, president; Obra Watson and Cleat Miller, vice presidents; Alton Steele, secretary; R. M. Hill, treasurer; Avis Cowart, corresponding secretary; T. R. Whiteside, parliamentary and custodian; Roy Coffee, reporter; G. R. Dowdy, federation counselor.

Standing committees: Yearbook, Clyde Tunnell, Grady Wimberly and A. H. Jackson. Library, W. Coffee, Avis Cowart and G. A. Elrod. Flower, R. M. Hill and Bob Dickerson. Safety, Clyde Wright. Mrs. Avis Cowart was hostess and leader for the day.

Mrs. O. T. Bundy reviewed "The Big Eye" by Max Ehrlich. Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Crow, Mrs. B. D. Fannin and Mrs. Ethel Hulsey visited with their aunt, Mrs. J. H. Moore, in Amherst last Wednesday.

Waking Picture Emphasizes Lay Witness



MEMPHIS, TENN. — Warner Sallman's striking picture, "Feed the Poor," presents the challenge of evangelism to laymen. It will have wide distribution on the cover of the all-laymen issue of The Christian Worker, a monthly magazine published by the National Council of Churches. Writers of the daily editions of this devotional guide are many occupations including: teachers, nurses, farmers, editors, merchants, manufacturers, labor leaders, engineers, doctors.

ROAD BOND ELECTION

The question has been asked whether or not the town of Silvertown is a part of and pays tax in Road District No. 7, and will be subject to the Road Bond Tax issued, if the Road Bonds carry at the election to be held on Saturday of this week. The answer is yes. The town of Silvertown embraces only one section in the entire Road District No. 7, yet it will pay just about one fifth of the entire tax levied with which to pay the bonds. The tax valuation for Silvertown last year was \$618,391.00, on this the citizens paid a tax of \$1.50 per hundred valuation, and a good part of this tax was for street care and improvements.

If the bonds carry, they will likely be set up on a basis of three years, so that they will be fully paid within that time, this being done the tax for the payment of the interest and principal will not be more than thirty cents on the one hundred dollar valuation. The most of the country lands are assessed on an average of about seven or eight dollars, which would not be much of a tax per section.

The people living along the Main street in Silvertown where this pavement is proposed to go, (in addition to the mile and one half going east from Johnnie Lanham's N. W. Corner,) have put up signed checks amounting to the sum of \$2,600 payable if and when the road pavement starts, to the Cemetery fund, which is very badly in need of help; thus a vote for the bonds will be a vote for improvement of the cemetery, and a vote for good roads.

Yours very truly,
CLYDE WRIGHT.

Memorial Day, Tuesday, May 30—Stores Will Close

According to an agreement reached by the merchants in Silvertown early in the year on what holidays they will close, Tuesday, May 30, Memorial Day, is the first holiday that the stores will close. In the past it has been the custom in Silvertown to spend the day at the cemetery working and cleaning the grounds.

ELDER L. R. BAILEY WILL FILL PULPIT AT CHURCH OF CHRIST IN SILVERTOWN

Elder L. R. Bailey and family and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, of Hale Center, were Sunday dinner guests in the Oner Cornett home. Mr. Bailey will serve the Church of Christ at this place as minister. Everyone is invited to attend their services.

Mid-Plains Rural Telephone Co-Op—Attention

The Mid-Plains Rural Telephone Cooperative was organized during the first part of February at Tulla. The application for the loan has been made and is on file awaiting approval in Washington, D. C.

In order that the directors can make a complete map showing where applicants are located in the district, the directors and officers would appreciate your getting your application in with \$5.00 membership fee as soon as possible. What does this \$5.00 fee go for. It is to be applied on the member's equity, which will be between \$25 to \$50.00, estimated to be \$30.00 to \$35.00, when the loan is approved. If the loan is not approved the \$5.00 will be returned, less incidental expenses, which are being held to a minimum, as the attorney, engineer, officers and directors are receiving nothing for their work and are getting no car mileage.

This will be a dial telephone system and not an REA plug-in type telephone and altogether independent of the REA. The REA poles will be used for the telephone line wherever possible. The additional poles will be set in the fence lines and not 10 feet out in the property as indicated on the application.

Contact the following directors and officers for additional information: Clyde R. Bradford, Odie Hudson, Victor L. Harmon, Bruce Fields, Bayard Sadler, Clayton Devine, Henry Hamblin, M. I. McGehee, John Arnold, Roy Stockett, and Newt Redmon.

We need the cooperation of everyone in the district covered, regardless of how near or how far from town they live.

Publicity Directors.

ELDER ARNOLD BANKS AND FAMILY WILL MOVE TO FARM NEAR LOCKNEY

Elder Arnold Banks has completed his year's work as minister for the Church of Christ, and will shortly move to their farm near Lockney. Both Mr. and Mrs. Banks taught in the Silvertown school during the year just closed.

DAN MONTAGUE'S CONDITION SLIGHTLY IMPROVED

Dan Montague, who is a patient in the St. Anthony hospital, Amarillo, for the past week with a heart ailment, is reported to be slightly improved. He has been seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Smith, of Beverly Hill, California, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Garvin Sunday. Mr. Smith is Mrs. Garvin's uncle.

Three Day Rodeo Will Open Here Friday Night

Bond Election In Dist. No. 7 to be Voted On Saturday

The voters of Road District No. 7, will have the opportunity Saturday, May 27, to vote on the Road Bond Election which has been called by the Commissioners Court for that date.

The order calls for the issuing of bonds in the amount of \$16,000, to pave approximately one and one half miles beginning at a point on State Highway 207 at the southwest corner of the town section of Silvertown and terminate at the cemetery gate. Also beginning at a point on Main street in Silvertown, said point being at the intersection on the south edge of Blocks Nos. 62 and 63; and runs to the edge of the town section south.

There will be four voting boxes Saturday, and the polls will open at 8 o'clock a. m., and close at 7 p. m. Three voting places at the courthouse and one at the Rock Creek Church of Christ building.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of the County, and who are resident property taxpayers within said Road District No. 7 of Briscoe County, Texas, who own taxable property within said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election, Saturday, May 27.

Qualified voters are urged to keep this election in mind and go to the polls and vote on the issue.

William E. Autry, Jr., Promoted to Corporal—Serving in Germany

Tempelhof Air Base, Berlin, Germany, 28 April, 1950—William E. Autry, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Autry, has recently been promoted to Corporal in the United States Air Force.

At Tempelhof Air Base in Berlin, former air center of Nazi Germany, Autry is on duty as an Air Policeman. He is a graduate of Silvertown High School and entered the Air Force in August, 1948.

After completing basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, Autry was assigned to Germany in December, 1948 for duty with the Berlin Airlift. For duty in Europe he is authorized to wear the cupation of Germany ribbon with Berlin Airlift device.

TRY A NEWS WANT AD

"Key to the City" At Palace Theatre Sunday and Monday

"Key to the City" with Clark Gable, Loretta Young, Marilyn Maxwell, Frank Morgan, James Gleason, Lewis Stone, and Raymond Washburn.

During a mayor's convention in San Francisco, a committee meeting at a Chinatown night club ends in chaos when Clark Gable, a tough and uninhabited mayor of a northwest city, accidentally sets off a chain reaction on an "atom dancer's" balloons. Gable and Loretta Young, a serious minded prim mayor, are jailed and a photographer snaps Loretta's picture before they are sprung. After another unintentional brush with the law, Clark and Loretta discover that opposites attract opposites, and love blossoms.

See program for the week on page two.

Seniors Left on Trip Friday Night After Graduation

The senior class of the Silvertown High School left Friday night immediately after graduation exercises on their senior trip to New Orleans, Louisiana and other places of interest. All the senior boys made the trip and all the girls but two. The group went by chartered bus and were accompanied by four teachers, Mrs. Jackie Wingo, Mrs. Parker, Pat Goodwin and John Loran.

They plan to be away one week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyon, Sr., of Quitaque, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lyon, of Amarillo, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyon, Jr.

The Silvertown Roping Club have completed plans to hold a three day rodeo, starting Friday night at 8 o'clock promptly. Shows will be held Saturday night at 8 o'clock and Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. Jay Wise will furnish the stock and bring his portable bucking chutes, which will be placed in front of the roping chutes for use in the show. Several riders have entered for the show already, and more are expected, Mr. J. W. Brannon, Jr., stated Wednesday morning.

The Silvertown Rodeo Club are giving away \$1,400.00 in cash prizes during the three show. Other premiums will be given by individuals: A belt buckle set of sterling silver enlaid with gold will be given to the best rider, three events. A pair of handmade boots will be given to the best average roper, two events. A belt and buckle set will be given to the first rider thrown.

Local sponsors of the rodeo are expecting a good fast show each day with plenty of excitement.

The merchants and business men of Silvertown donated \$117.00 in cash to the Rodeo fund.

Tuesday morning 15 cars left Silvertown on an advertising tour traveling to Quitaque, Turkey, Matador, Roaring Springs, Dickens, Crosbyton, Ralls, Floydada, Lockney, Plainview, and Tulla, where the Caprock Band played music and Jack Strange did the announcing. Square dancing was also given at each stop as part of the entertainment.

There will be two big dances Friday and Saturday nights sponsored by the roping club, and music will be furnished by Cliff and Joy and the Caprock Playboys.

Hugh Stodghill made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.



When Poppies Pass

By Helen Harrington

Remember the men who can't forget the shattered earth, the bursting sky, the smoking waves, the flame-fired jet, and silent graves where buddies lie.

Remember the men whose wounds run deep in heart and mind and flesh, the men who carry pain, alone, to sleep and wake to lonely pain again.

Remember the men who must recall the landing barge, the rotting beach, and Danger looming gun-barrel tall and Peace, a knife-point out of reach.

Remember the men who cannot speak or, speaking, cry from blades of grass, "For us the suns of spring are bleak . . . Remember us . . . when poppies pass."

REMEMBER THEM

Wear A Buddy Poppy

MEMORIAL DAY, MAY 30

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VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

Roy McMurtry Home From Lubbock Hospital

Roy McMurtry returned from Lubbock last Saturday after having been confined to the hospital for several days, as the result of an accident, when a horse he was riding fell with him breaking both arms and causing severe head injuries. He is reported to be recovering satisfactorily.

W. L. McMinn and sons, Bud and Henry, went to Tyler, Texas Sunday to be at the bedside of Mr. McMinn's brother, J. W. McMinn, who is seriously ill. They returned Tuesday afternoon and reported his brother's condition unchanged.

Cantrell to Service Radios at Seaneys Hardware

R. L. Cantrell of the Cantrell Radio and Electronic Engineering Service, of Tulla, will come to Silvertown to take care of your radio service in this community. He can be found at Seaneys Hardware and Appliance Company every Tuesday, where service or repair will be made. When radios need more service than can be given here he will carry them to the Tulla shop where A. M. and F. M. or television service can be given.

Robert Hamilton, of Quitaque, was a business visitor in Silvertown Monday.

The Vacation Bible School Guide will be taught, Friday, May 26, 7:30 p. m. All who are going to teach or help in this school in any way are urged to come Friday night and hear this book taught.

Preparation day for the Bible School will be Wednesday afternoon, May 31, 3:00 p. m. All parents are urged to send their children so they can be registered that afternoon. There will be a parade following the registration.

The school will open Thursday, June 1, 3:00 p. m., and will continue for one week from 3 to 6 p. m. each day.

There will be a picture the last night of the school.

Mary Lou Belling returned from Tularosa, New Mexico, where she has been visiting friends for the past week.



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Rotary Hoe Cuts Cotton Production Man-Hour Costs

College Station, May —Next to harvesting, cotton chopping and hoeing are the greatest man hour consumers in the production of a cotton crop. In central Texas, for example, 22 percent of the man hours required to produce a cotton crop are spent on chopping and hoeing. According to Fred C. Elliott, extension cotton work specialist of Texas A. and M. College, cotton producers can reduce this time consuming operation by using rotary hoes and at the same time increase their income from cotton.

He says many farmers last year reported that they made savings up to 60 percent on these two items through the use of the rotary hoe. Figures taken from Elliott's 1949 annual report shows that almost 7,000 cotton producers in 81 Texas counties used the rotary hoe last year.

In commenting on the value of this tractor equipment for early weed control, he says one of the most common mistakes made by the tractor operator is that the ground speed of the tractor is too slow.

For best results, he says the tractor should be operated in third gear at speeds up to 5 or 6 miles per hour. The picker wheels should be set so they will break the surface crust to a depth of one-half to three-fourths of an inch. This not only breaks up the surface crust but also tears up the soil so that seedling weeds and grass are exposed to the action of the sun and wind before they have a chance to come through the ground or before their root system becomes established.

He reports that most farmers slow down the tractor because they are afraid that they will cover up the cotton plants or tear up the soil to an extent as to cause damage to the young plants, however tests, he says have proved that this is not true if the rotary hoe is properly adjusted.



THE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Grady Adcock, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00
Morning Service 11:00
Childrens and Young People's Meeting 7:00
Evening Service 7:30
WSCS every other Monday at 3:00

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. G. A. Elrod, Pastor
Preaching 8:00
Training Union 7:00
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30
W. M. U. Monday 2:30
Junior G. A.'s Monday 4:00
Brotherhood Monday 7:50

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00
PREACHING
Each Second Sunday 11:00
Each Fourth Sunday 3:00
Auxiliary every 1st and 3rd Monday in the homes of the members.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Arnold Banks, Evangelist
Sunday Bible Study 10:00
Sunday Communion and Preaching 11:00
Sunday Young People's Meeting 7:00 P. M.
Monday, Ladies Bible Study 4:00 P. M.
Wednesday, Prayer Meeting 7:30 P. M.

Life in Prison Can Be 'Funny,' One Girl Claims

NOTRE DAME, IND.—Life in prison?

Aw, it's not so terrible. But that depends upon which side of the bars you may be. However, life in prison can be very funny, according to an inmate of Stateville prison at Joliet, Ill.

The "inmate" referred to is a tall blonde of 21 with a slow smile and soft voice. She is Jane Ragen, and why life in prison may not be so tough for her is due to the fact that she is the daughter of Joseph Ragen, the warden at Stateville. She is a senior at St. Mary's college here.

There's nothing really unusual about her home life, Jane asserts. A police guard or two outside the Ragen apartment, meals cooked and served by convicts, wardens and other minions of the law as frequent house guests—but nothing unusual.

"It's just ordinary to us," says the girl who has spent her life in prison.

Jane and her brother, Bill, a 20 year old student at St. Ambrose college in Davenport, Iowa, were born and brought up inside prison walls.

Mother Went as Bride
With a straight face, Jane explains, "my mother went to prison as a bride."

For the last 15 years, the Ragens have lived in their 10 room apartment in the administration building at Stateville. Previous to 1935, Ragen was warden at Menard prison in Chester, Ill.

Not that living inside prison gates put a damper on Jane's childhood. She and Bill played cops and robbers in back of the prison with the neighborhood kids with just as much zest and more authenticity than most. Their wooden guns were handmade for them by the convicts.

The convicts were good to the children, Jane recalls. Bill, in his preschool days, had one favorite who dressed and undressed him each morning and evening. No one else could touch him.

The day this convict was to be released on parole, Mr. and Mrs. Ragen took a short trip. The convict requested leave to stay on in prison until the Ragens returned. For who would dress Bill if he wasn't there?

Jane, who is majoring in English and minoring in journalism at St. Mary's college, says her main ambition, in addition to working on a newspaper, is to write a book about life in prison. It will be a comedy.

Except for the time that James Stewart, Richard Conte and Lee J. Cobb were dinner guests of the Ragens during the filming of "Call Northside 777" at Stateville, Jane says prison life isn't too exciting.

No Spectacular Breaks
There haven't been any spectacular prison breaks as far back as Jane can remember.

"There may have been a couple of attempts, but mother and I were always in Chicago, shopping, when they happened."

The only time Jane can recall coming near a prison "break" was the night at dinner her mother was describing an expensive tablecloth she had seen that day in Chicago. One of the waiters, a Texan who was in prison because of an affinity for other people's belongings, hovered over the table, listening closely to Mrs. Ragen.

Finally he leaned over confidentially and said, "Well, now, Mrs. Ragen, if you'll just let me out for a day, I'll be glad to get that tablecloth for you."

Mrs. Ragen refused the offer. But it gave Jane the idea for a comedy on prison life. And, when you think about it, it's not a bad idea.

Missing Trash Baskets Irk New York's 'Finest'

NEW YORK.—Who'd steal wire trash baskets? Seemingly a good question, but New York has the answer. More than 316 such baskets have been stolen from the streets.

The police, red faced and hot under the collar, said it had them beat.

The city, in a burst of tidiness, put out 4,800 shiny new trash baskets. They were big—34 inches high, and heavy—45 pounds. They were to stand on crowded streets. The police watched them as if they were filled with emeralds. Still they disappeared.

"I ask myself who would be wanting baskets," said one officer. And I tell myself—hah! Apartment house superintendents.

"So I scout around behind apartment houses and what do I find? Cats. Laundry. Milk bottles. Baskets, but legal ones, bought and paid for. Not our baskets. Not hide nor hair of them."

You can get plenty of tips from sidewalk detectives:

"Out of towners take 'em. Use 'em to burn leaves."

But who burns leaves in February or March?

"Bird fanciers are doing it. The baskets would make wonderful parrot cages."

Would there have been 316 larcenous parrot keepers in five weeks?

POLITICAL COLUMN

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries the Briscoe County News has been authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices set above their names:

FOR SHERIFF AND TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR:

Raymond K. Grewe
Frank Gillespie
Glynn Morrison
W. R. (Bill) Hardin

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK:

Dee McWilliams.
(Re-Election)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

Annie J. Stevenson
(Re-Election)

FOR COMMISSIONER OF PRECINCT NO. ONE:

H. A. (Dick) Bomar.
(Re-Election)

FOR COMMISSIONER OF PRECINCT NO. 3

Alton Steele
Fulton Gregg

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NUMBER FOUR:

Milton Dudley

FOR COUNTY JUDGE AND EX-OFFICIO COUNTY SUPT.

J. W. Lyon, Jr.
(Re-Election)
Robert Hamilton

DISTRICT ATTORNEY 110th JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF TEXAS

John B. Stapleton

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE 120th REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT OF TEXAS:

Harold M. LaFont
(Re-Election)

FOR CONGRESS 18th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

May 6th Special Election
LeRoy LaMaster

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:

C. D. Wright

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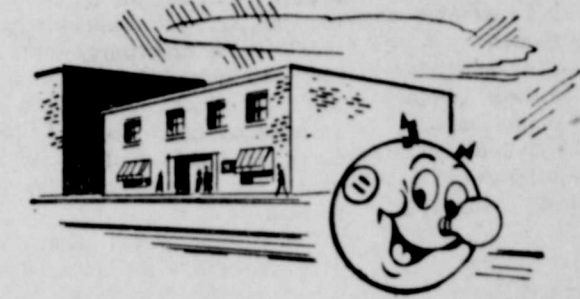


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Kirby Grant in

TRAIL OF THE YUKON

SUNDAY AND MONDAY,
MAY 28, and 29

Clark Gable, Loreta Young in

KEY TO THE CITY

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY,
MAY 30 and 31

Spencer Tracy, James Stewart,
Valentina Cortesa

MALAYA

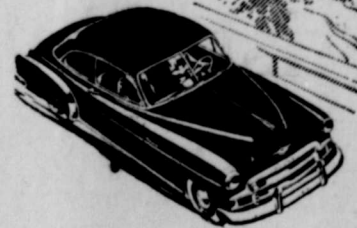


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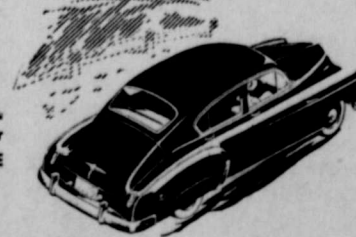


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Of America's 19,000,000 veterans of all wars and campaigns, nearly 100,000 were in Veterans Administration hospitals at the end of April.

For many thousands of these, the war truly will never end. They are doomed for the remainder of their lives to remain charges of their government—grim reminders of the tragic price of war.

A grateful nation has seen to it that these heroes—some bedfast for life, others destined to spend the rest of their days in wheel chairs or on crutches—get the best of medical care. Modern hospitals and highly trained doctors and nurses see to their physical needs, thanks to the American tradition that it is the obligation of government to "care for him who shall have borne the battle."

Much as it provides in the way of physical care for its sick and disabled war heroes, the government cannot give them the extra comforts they need to make their drab lives more bearable, and

to remind them that they are not forgotten. That is an obligation which must be assumed by their grateful fellow citizens as an expression of gratitude for the sacrifices they have made, and in recognition of the patience and forbearance with which they are carrying the burden of their handicaps.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars has gladly met this challenge by lending a helping hand in their battle against doubt, boredom, bitterness, and despair. In addition, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, through its service officers in every community, makes sure that the dependents of hospitalized veterans are cared for.

When you are asked to buy a Buddy Poppy, remember that every penny contributed by the American people in this campaign will be spent during the next twelve months for veteran welfare work exclusively. Most of what you give for a Buddy Poppy will be spent right here in our own

community—for the benefit of our own needy veterans and their dependents.

The contribution you make through the purchase of a Buddy Poppy will be spent strictly for these patriotic purposes:

- For the aid, relief and comfort of disabled and needy veterans, their dependents, their widows and orphans.
- For maintenance or expansion of the V.F.W. National Home for widows and orphans of veterans at Eaton Rapids, Michigan.
- For hospital or individual assistance and entertainment for needy veterans and service patients, and their dependents.
- For rehabilitation, welfare and service work, including liaison service with the Veterans Administration.
- For necessary expenses for military funerals of deceased veterans.
- For acquisition, improvement and maintenance of burial plots and the decoration of graves of veterans and servicemen.

REMEMBER THE MEN WHO CAN'T FORGET—BUY A BUDDY POPPY!

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**VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS
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Devotion to Duty Keeps Cart-Pusher On 15-Hour Shift

NEW YORK, N. Y.—This is the story of George Kuscinkas, his heavy handcart, and devotion to duty.

George, who is 56, started walking, and pushing his handcart before him. That was at E. 10th street, Manhattan. Fifteen hours later a detective found him, pushing ever onward, at 229th st. and White Plains rd., the Bronx.

On a straight route the distance would be nearly 13 miles. George, for reasons beyond his control, had sort of zigzagged. Police estimated that the cart and its burden weighed 630 pounds. And George had done it all without food.

He didn't exactly carry out his assignment, which was to get a load of artists' materials over to 328 E. 23rd st. But even his temporary employer gave him credit for a hard try. He also paid George \$25, which, with \$5 chipped in by impressed photographers and reporters, made George richer than he'd been for a long time. And the employer said he regretted that the way he wrote "23rd st." looked like "234th st."

George, who is 5 feet 7 inches tall, came here 35 years ago from Lithuania. He never did find much success. The best job he ever had paid \$45 a week, and that was during the war. Still, he kept going.

George, who is jobless, was offered a chance to earn a little money making a delivery. Having had nothing to eat for two days, George said yes. George's new employer gave him a slip of paper, showed him the handcart, and George started off.

Detectives said George showed dismay only once. When, at 239th st., he learned that he had missed his goal by miles, he exclaimed: "Do I have to walk downtown again?"

The answer was no. He was taken home, with his burden, in the police car.

Little Cult Prepares Against H-Bomb Day

ROCKPORT, MASS.—In a little cottage a group of five women and four men meet often. They have a common purpose. It is an avowed determination to save a spark of humanity from extinction by hydrogen bomb blasts.

Here, looking eastward from Rocky Cape Ann, the little cult meets under the leadership of a man known among some of the countryside as "The Zoom." He has been quoted as saying he is from Newark, N. J., where he reportedly was known as Jack Goldie.

A newsman who went to see him quoted him as saying the world would be seared with obliterating blasts a few years hence and that the cult would retire to the sanctuary of a cave on that fateful day.

"Here we design the new civilization," Goldie—or the Zoom—is quoted as saying. "From these men and women will spring the new, brave breed of men. All but we shall perish. We want no weapons, no slaughter. We shall be vegetarians."

The words are strikingly reminiscent of those of another cult leader who, under the name Krishna Venta, has been promoting a similar plan for atomic bomb survival in the far west.

Ghost of 'Man in Gray' Haunts Famed Theater

LONDON, ENGLAND.—Very few people will admit they believe in ghosts, yet few can resist a ghost story. The loudest scoffers are often the most ardent listeners.

There is the ghost of theater royal, Drury Lane. He walks only by day. He has been seen only between the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m.

He makes no noise, he utters no shrieks, ghastly groans or blood curdling yells. He troubles nobody, he takes no notice of anyone. He just walks his round like the gentleman he appears to be.

He is a purely "local" ghost. He is seen in only one part of the house and always moves in the same direction in his walk—counterclockwise.

He comes quietly out of the wall of a room on the upper circle level (now used as a bar), walks across it, through a glass door, turns left into the upper circle, ascends the stairs, walks right round the back, down the stairs on the other side, through another door and through the wall again in the room—also a bar—which is on the opposite side of the theater to that from which he appears. That is all there is to it.

So far as can be ascertained he has no regular days nor regular hours, beyond his limitation of 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Sometimes he is seen frequently. Sometimes months elapse. There is no sort of warning. He just walks.

Nor does he dislike company. He has been seen by members of the audience when a matinee has been in progress.

He has been seen by cleaners busy with their jobs of scrubbing and sweeping, he has been seen by all sorts of people.

VISIT RELATIVES IN HEREFORD SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier and mother went to Hereford Sunday where they attended a family party at the home of Mrs. Brookshier's father, H. C. Doak and daughter, Mrs. Mary Ellen Woolrey, and to enjoy the day with her brother, R. A. Doak and wife and two daughters who were there from Eugene, Oregon.

Mrs. Coza Donnell left Sunday for Kerrville, where she will visit her sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sedwick.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Washington, of Tulia, visited Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Martin.

Mrs. Keith Tiffin and son, Doyle, left Friday for Corpus Christi and Brownsville, where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. R. M. Haverty was able to move to her home Monday. She has been in the Plainview hospital for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Lowery and children spent Sunday at the Palo Duro Canyon.

Mrs. Riley Yates and Mrs. Doyle Stephens were visitors in Lubbock Monday.

Voice Disorder May Point To Grave Physical Ailment

An apparently slight speech or voice disorder, unless correctly diagnosed, may have the gravest physical implications, including cancer and bulbar palsy, the National Hospital for Speech Disorders, New York, reports.

In cancer of the larynx, for instance, hoarseness is the first symptom noted in the vast majority of cases. But because hoarseness is a common ailment, and causes no pain, the true meaning of this early symptom is often overlooked. Correct diagnosis and prompt attention to this voice change may literally save a patient's life, the National Hospital states.

Occasionally a speech or voice defect is among the first signs of some serious neurological disturbance, as in the case of a man of 65 who complained of difficulty in controlling the flow of saliva and also a "thickening" of his speech. Since at first the speech disturbance was slight, little attention was paid to the patient's complaints until speech became worse and he began to experience difficulty in eating and swallowing because of a progressive weakness of the muscles of the mouth and throat. When seen at the National hospital, his condition was diagnosed as progressive bulbar palsy, the disease from which Lou Gehrig died.

In young children, delay in speech development may indicate mental retardation of which parents are not aware. Difficulty in pronouncing certain speech sounds may point to a regional type of hearing impairment. Stuttering generally indicates strong psychic disturbances.

Physicians, teachers and parents should be alert to any speech or voice abnormality, the hospital warns, since in the majority of cases it is a symptom of some more basic psychic or physical condition.

Foam Rubber May Be Used In Upholstery Industry

Foam rubber, now available on the market, will probably in time revolutionize home and commercial upholstery, since it is extremely easy to handle and has proved satisfactory in use.

It is especially good for separate cushions, pads for dining and breakfast room chairs, and built-in benches. The cost of the rubber is the limiting factor at the present time.

Foam rubber does away with springs and the consequent time and labor involved in packing and padding to shape. It has been used successfully in the commercial field for the entire chair. It can be cut to shape with ordinary household shears and come in different widths and thicknesses. The upholstery material is applied directly over the foam rubber. The whole is lightweight and durable.

Moss, tow, and hair are the materials commonly used now for padding upholstery. The hair is the most resilient but is costly. The moss, known as southern moss or Spanish moss, is found along our coast from Texas to Florida, in eastern Virginia and southward to Brazil. It may be gray or black in color and varies in quality. That which is cured longer is darker in color and makes a cleaner and better upholstery fiber.

It has been found that foam rubber can be pieced by placing one and one-half inch adhesive tape lightly over the edge, holding closely together. Foam rubber can be built up into thicker cushions by using rubber cement around the edges or in strips.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Allred, of Amarillo, Mrs. Cecil Joslin and Linda Ann, of Plainview, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Judd Donnell. They were returning home from a trip to Wichita, Kansas and Rogers, Arkansas.

W. F. Tally was in Lubbock Tuesday on business.

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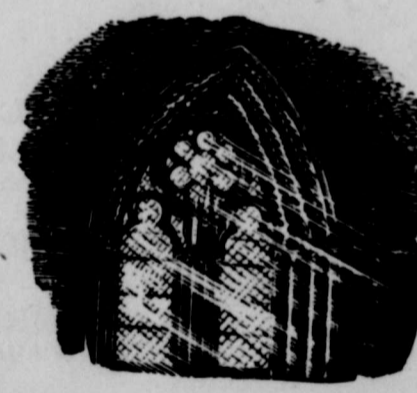
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PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Judd Donnell and daughters, Janice and Karen, visited relatives in Canyon Sunday.

Herschel Harrison, of Quemado, New Mexico, visited friends in Silvertown Friday night and Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Brannon underwent major surgery Saturday morning at the Tullia hospital. Her condition is reported as satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Blackshear and Jo Ann, Mr. and Mrs. James Patton, Pat, J. E., and Jerry and Mildred Bean, enjoyed an outing at Claude Crossing Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McKinney, Peggy and Paul Reid were visitors in Fort Worth and Dallas from Sunday until Tuesday night.

Claude Allison made a business trip to Vernon Friday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Allison were: Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bean and Delbert Matthews. Other visitors in their home over the week end were Gwin, Betty and Shirley Fitzgerald.

Mrs. Glen McWilliams underwent tonsilectomy at the Tullia hospital last Wednesday. Thursday she went to Quitaque and visited until Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Pauline Cagle.

Mr. W. L. and Bud McMinn left Sunday for Tyler to be at the bedside of their son and brother, Joe McMinn, who is seriously ill. Harry McMinn, of Whiteface, met them at Ralls and accompanied them to Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson and children and Mrs. Florence Fogerson visited in Canyon Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McElroy. In the afternoon they all went to the Palo Duro Canyon.

Supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hill last Wednesday night were: Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Minter and Gene, Mrs. Mattie Minter, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Tally and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Marian Summers, Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nance and Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brannon, Sr., Mrs. Saymour Brannon, Joe and Jerry, Imogene Neeley and Sue, Lester, Jack and Donald Paige, and Fred Brannon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack returned home with their son, Billy Joe Womack, of Amherst, last Thursday and visited until Sunday.

Ellie Mann, La Rue Gilkeyson, L. B. Garvin, Don Burson and Stanley Price, of Lubbock, attended the commencement services Friday night.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley and daughters Mary and Connie and Junis Mercer attended the graduation service Monday night at Texas Technological College. Their daughter Jeanne, was a graduate in journalism.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Doak and daughters, Mesdames June Fry and Eugene Nolin and small daughter, Linda, all of Eugene, Oregon, and father H. C. Doak, of Hereford, Texas, were over night guests in the R. E. Brookshire home Monday. H. C. Doak is Mrs. Brookshire's father, and R. A. Doak is her brother. The R. A. Doaks left Tuesday for Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, proceeding to their Oregon home later in the week.

Mrs. Melton Bell and daughter, Kay, of Berkeley, California, Mrs. Gay Whiticure and Mrs. J. R. Burson, of Plainview, visited Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Haynes last Thursday. Mrs. Haynes returned to Plainview with them and visited until Tuesday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Jasper were: Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Smith, of Beverly Hill, California, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Calloway and daughter, and Mrs. Edwards. Those that visited in the afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rowell and daughter, Mrs. U. D. Brown, Mrs. Edwin Crass, Mrs. J. L. Self and daughter, Mrs. Dick Garvin and son, Albert Poole and Jerry Baldwin.

Visitors in the Bill Edwards home Sunday afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. George Seane, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Garrison.

Miss Barbara Ann Gunter Will Receive Degree From Baylor

Waco, May 25.—Miss Barbara Ann Gunter a student from Silvertown will be among the 855 students to receive degrees at Baylor University's Spring commencement exercises Sunday, May 28.

President W. R. White said that 167 students have already received degrees without benefit of ceremony at the end of the Fall and Winter terms—making a total of 1,022 graduates during the school year.

Ten different degrees will be awarded. Totals for the year in each degree are: Bachelor of Arts, 453; Bachelor of Business Administration, 287; Bachelor of Laws, 132; Bachelor of Science, 49; Bachelor of Science in Physical Education, 22; Bachelor of Science in Home Economics, 12; Bachelor of Music, 31; Master of Arts, 40; Master of Science, 4; and Master of Music, 1.

Dr. Sculley Bradley, authority on American Literature of the University of Pennsylvania, will deliver the commencement address at graduation exercises in Municipal Stadium Sunday night. He and six others will receive honorary doctor's degrees.

Miss Gunter is a candidate for the Bachelor of Arts degree.

Wayland College Tightens Ban on Smoking

Plainview, May 25 — Students who smoke will be asked not to enroll at Wayland College, it was voted here this week by the college trustees.

This followed a recommendation by President J. W. Marshall. Trustees also backed a similar one which would bar the employment of any teacher who smokes, drinks, dances, or gambles.

"We are not infringing on students' freedom or asking them not to smoke," Dr. Marshall declared. "We simply are saying they are free to go to some other college if they want to smoke."

The trustees last year voted to ban smoking on the Wayland campus. Today's action goes further by requiring that no student, teacher or staff member of Wayland College smoke at any time or place.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bomar and Mrs. Freeman Tate spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Long near Channing, Texas.

Judge C. D. Wright who was recently appointed to the position of State Director of Texas Safety Council would appreciate receiving your safety suggestions, to be presented to the Texas Council and the Legislature.

Hereford visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wright Sunday were: Mrs. Wright's sisters, Mrs. W. E. Dameron and Mrs. Harry Seed, also Mr. Seed and their nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Cleave Nolen of Austin and Hereford.

Joye Reithmeyer, Clifton and Joe Stodghill, attended the Eddie Arnold show in Amarillo Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hammond of Fort Worth and Mrs. Mary Lou Bollins, of Lockney, who were students of T. W. C., Fort Worth, when Clyde Wright was associated with the college, visited her, their former hostess and assistant mathematics coach, last Monday.

Marsha Kay White spent the past week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Nelson, of Lubbock. Over the week end she visited relatives in Roswell, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hardie attended the graduation exercises Monday night, at Texas Technological College. Their daughter, Joyce Dell, was among the first of spring graduates.

Monday night guests of Mrs. M. O. Blackshear were: Mr. and Mrs. James Patton and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wilson, Keith Tiffin and Bobby Baird.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to sincerely express my appreciation to the many friends who have been so kind to me during my illness. For the food, cards and flowers which were deeply appreciated.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fortenberry and son, of South Plains, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John McCain.

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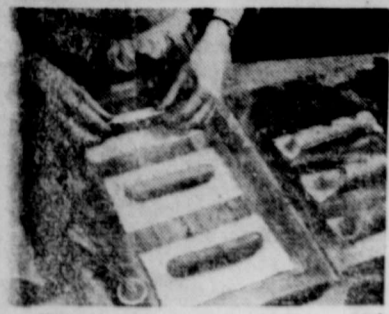
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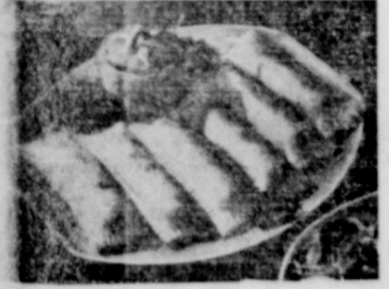


Wrap each wiener in corn meal pastry dough.

Hot Dog Round-Ups

- 2 1/2 cups sifted enriched flour
- 1/2 cup enriched corn meal
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 cup shortening
- 1/2 cup milk
- 6 wieners

Mix together dry ingredients. Cut shortening until mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Add milk and mix until dry ingredients are dampened. Roll out thin on lightly floured board. Cut into 6 rectangles. Wrap each wiener in dough, moisten and seal with lines of a fork. Break each "round-up" with a fork. Bake on baking sheet; sprinkle with catsup. Bake in a hot oven (450° F.) 10 to 12 minutes.



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Meat and Cheese Provide Many Substantial Entrees For Those Special Meals

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SERVINGS should be kept average rather than large since these recipes contain meat or cheese and are really quite substantial for a luncheon. With them, plan to have a light salad or a combination fruit salad and dessert.

- Sweetbreads a la King**
(Serves 4-8)
- 1 pound sweetbreads
 - 1 quart water
 - 1 tablespoon vinegar or lemon juice
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 4 tablespoons butter
 - 4 tablespoons flour
 - 2 cups milk
 - 1/2 cup diced celery
 - 2 chopped green peppers
 - 2 teaspoons grated onion
 - 2 tablespoons chopped pimiento
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1/4 teaspoon pepper
 - 6 slices toast

Wash sweetbreads and simmer 20 minutes in water, to which vinegar and salt have been added. Drain and separate into small pieces. Make a white sauce by melting butter, adding milk and cooking until thickened. Add celery, green peppers, onion, pimiento, salt and pepper. Add pieces of sweetbreads and heat thoroughly. Serve on toast.

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- *Liver Rolls with Sausage Stuffing**
(Serves 6)
- 6 large slices liver
 - 6 to 8 links cooked pork sausage
 - 1 cup fine dry bread crumbs
 - 1 small onion, grated
 - 1/2 cup hot water
 - Salt
 - Pepper
 - 6 slices bacon

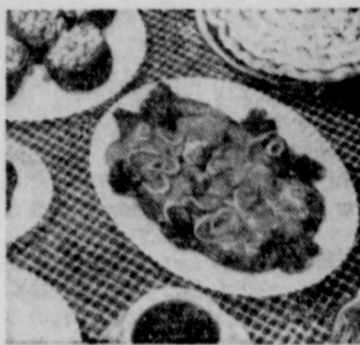
Pour hot water over the liver slices. Sausage left over from breakfast may be cut into pieces for sausage stuffing. If no cooked sausage is on hand, brown and partially cook the sausage first. Combine with bread crumbs. Season with grated onion, salt and pepper and moisten with hot water. Pile a teaspoonful of bread dressing on each of the scalded liver slices. Roll and wrap a slice of bacon around the outside. Fasten the ends with toothpicks. Place in a baking dish. Add one-half cup hot water, cover and cook slowly in a moderate oven for 45 minutes. Remove the cover during the last 15 minutes in order to brown the bacon.

- Potted Beef Steaks**
(Serves 6)
- 6 steaks cut from round or chuck
 - Flour for dredging
 - Fat for browning
 - 1 large onion, sliced



Hamburgers served on slices of tomato are a simple but effective main dish for a luncheon that you plan to be nourishing but not too filling.

LYNN SAYS:
These Kitchen Hints Save Time and Tempers
To keep bacon from curling while it is cooking, snip the edges with shears. Curling can also be prevented if the bacon is broiled between racks.
To keep the bones on a crown roast from burning, place the roast in a pan with the bones down, or spear their ends with pieces of fat.
To make fish firm and white, add a dash of lemon juice to the water in which it's boiled.



Potted beef steaks give a hearty luncheon dish that's full of flavor, and need only other light foods to accompany them. Keep servings average to small.

- LYNN CHAMBERS' LUNCHEON MENU**
- *Liver Rolls with Sausage Stuffing
 - Jullienne Green Beans
 - Chef's Salad
 - Hard Rolls
 - Butter Beverage
 - Fresh Berries
 - Cream
 - *Recipe Given

- 6 carrots
- 1 cup catsup
- 2 cloves
- 2 bay leaves
- Salt and pepper

Have butcher cut steaks from round or chuck one inch thick and then into individual servings. Dredge each with flour and brown on both sides in hot lard. Add sliced onion and carrots, spices, catsup and one cup hot water. Season with salt and pepper, cover tightly and let cook slowly on top of stove or in moderate oven until very tender, about one hour.

- Hamburgers De Luxe**
(Makes 6 patties)
- 1 pound ground beef
 - 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
 - 1/4 teaspoon pepper
 - 1 1/2 tablespoons finely chopped onion
 - 1/2 cup undiluted evaporated milk or thin cream
 - 1 tablespoon bacon drippings or other fat
 - Sliced tomatoes and onions

Mix all ingredients lightly and shape into six patties. Have fat hot in frying pan, add patties and brown for three to five minutes on each side.

- Grilled Lamb Patties with Pears**
(Serves 6)
- 2 pounds ground lamb shoulder meat
 - 1/4 cup dry bread crumbs
 - 1/4 cup undiluted evaporated milk
 - 6 strips bacon
 - 2 1/2 cans pears
 - 1/4 cup mayonnaise

Season lamb with 1 1/2 teaspoons salt and 1/4 teaspoon pepper. Shape lightly into six patties and wrap each with a strip of bacon, skewered in place with a toothpick. Place on preheated broiler rack 3 1/2 inches below heat unit. Broil six to seven minutes, then turn. Add pears to rack with a teaspoon of mayonnaise in center of each. Finish broiling an additional six to seven minutes.

- Cheese Egg Roll with Mushroom Sauce**
(Makes 4 Servings)
- 2 cups sifted enriched flour
 - 3 teaspoons baking powder
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 1/4 cup shortening
 - 1/2 cup grated sharp cheese
 - 1/2 to 3/4 cup milk
 - Butter
 - 5 hard cooked eggs, diced
 - 1/4 cup chopped, cooked spinach
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - Pepper

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cut or rub in shortening. Add cheese. Add milk to make a soft dough. Turn out on lightly floured board and knead gently 1/2 minute. Roll out 3/8 of dough into rectangle 8 x 12 inches and 1/4 inch thick. Spread with butter. Combine eggs, spinach, salt and pepper. Spread evenly over dough. Roll like jelly roll and place in greased loaf pan, 8 1/2 x 4 1/2 inches. Bake in moderately hot oven (400°) 25 to 30 minutes. Roll out remaining dough 1/4 inch thick. Cut into strips five inches long and one inch wide. Twist. Bake on ungreased baking sheet in moderately hot oven (400°) 10 to 12 minutes.

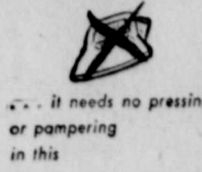
When freezing a parfait or a mousse mixture in a refrigerator pan, line the pan with waxed paper. When firm, the mousse may be removed simply by lifting out the paper.

To restore sweetness to old vegetables, sprinkle a little sugar into the water in which they are cooked. Vegetable stains can often be removed from the hands by rubbing a slice of lemon over them.

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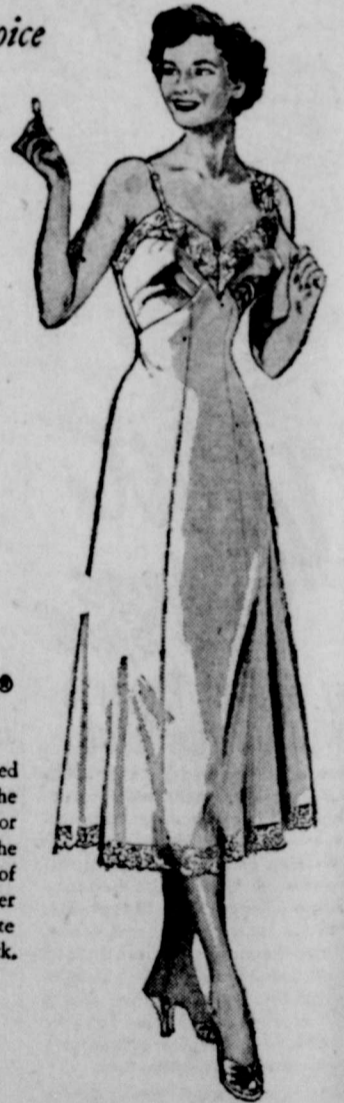
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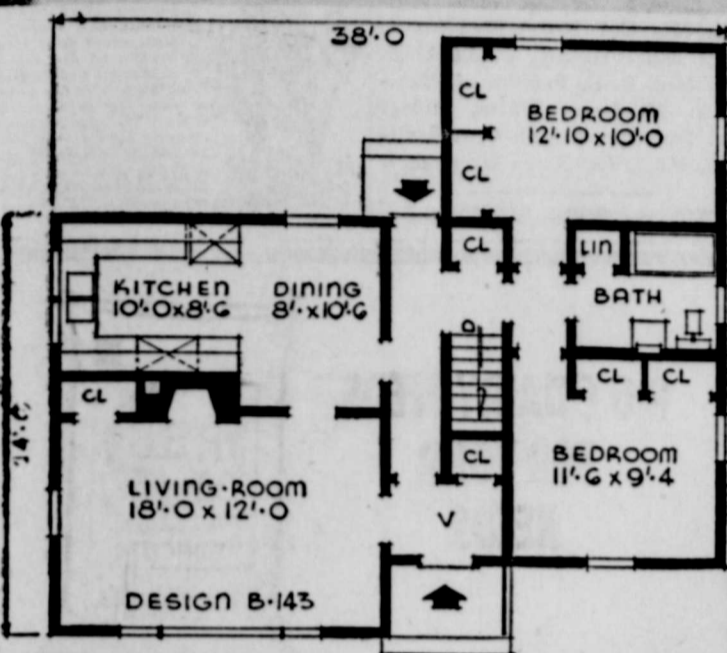
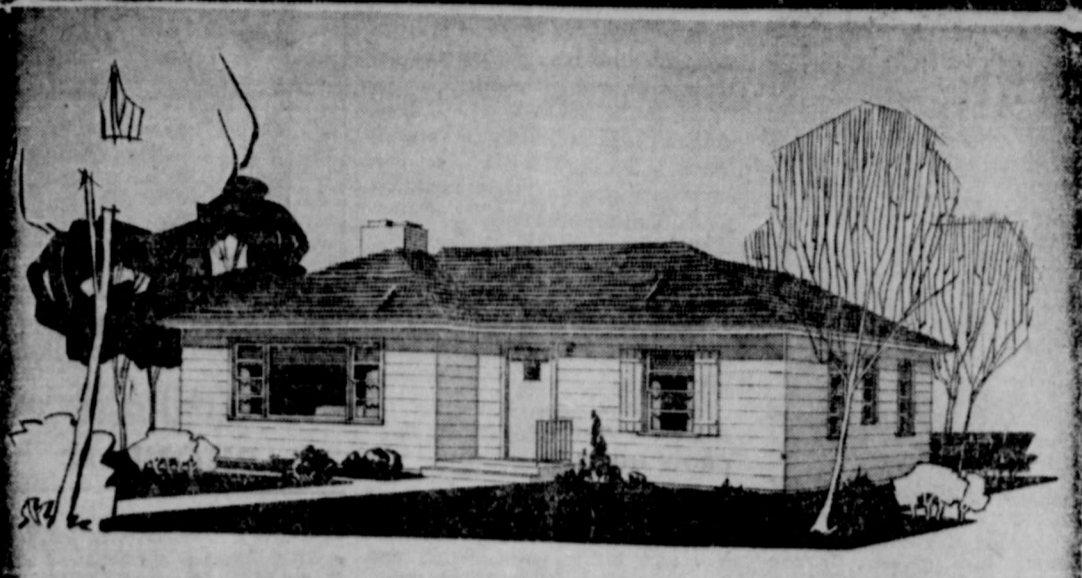


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Although in the last two years maple syrup production in Maine has been curtailed by unfavorable weather conditions, normally the state's syrup production will reach 62,000 gallons with maple sugar adding another 15,400 pounds to the crop total.

An interesting phase of the Maine maple syrup picture is that approximately half of the state's production of syrup and sugar is processed and sold outside the state by a group of French Canadians operating near the boundary line in Piscataquis, Somerset and Aroostook counties.

For many years, these Canadians living near these boundary points have leased maple trees on wild lands owned by lumber companies and there manufactured syrup and sugar which is then auctioned off to out-of-state maple product concerns for resale.

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P.-T. A. Investigate Loud Speaker System For Local School

On May 11, the P.-T. A. held its last meeting of the year. An auditing committee, composed of Scott Smithee, Mrs. E. E. Minter and Mrs. Johnnie Burson, reported the treasurers accounts were audited and approved. Miss Anna Lee Anderson reported for the T. B. patch-test committee and read a letter to Dr. J. M. Shy from the Texas State Department of Health saying the State does not furnish patch tests anymore, but does furnish transportable x-ray units. It is recommended that the entire adult population have chest x-ray, which is much more accurate than the patch test. The committee reported that since no money was involved to secure the x-ray unit, and since citizens are paying a tax to support this service but not receiving the benefits, Dr. Shy was asked to secure the x-ray unit for Briscoe county.

Members of the P.-T. A. voted to investigate installing a loud speaker system in the high school auditorium. Committee appointed to do the investigating is composed of Gordon Montague, Aubrey Rowell, and Scott Smithee.

Total paid membership for this year was reported to be eighty-nine.

"Evaluation of the Year's Program" was a round table discussion conducted by Mrs. Florence McNeese, Mrs. Allison, Mrs. Montague and Mrs. Smithee.

An installation ceremony was conducted by the past president, Mrs. Cleat Miller, for the following newly elected officers:

Mrs. Claude Allison, president; Mrs. Alvin Redin, vice-president; Mrs. Lee D. Bomar, Secretary; Miss Anna Lee Anderson, Treasurer; Mrs. Bill Edwards, Parliamentarian.

VISITORS IN EDD THOMAS HOME

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Thomas Saturday night and Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watts, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Webster, of Silvertown; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Smith and son, Keith, of Ropesville, and Mr. and Mrs. Arch Ferguson and son, Joe, of Lubbock.

Mr. Ferguson showed moving pictures of their fishing, hunting and travel trips in United States and Hawaii.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ellis called Sunday afternoon.

WIMBERLY AND WHITESIDE TRADE RESIDENCES

Mrs. T. R. Whiteside said this week that she had traded her home in Silvertown to Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wimberly for their residence. The deal was closed last Friday, and they plan to make the change soon.

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Boy Scout Gets Gold Flash For Jamboree



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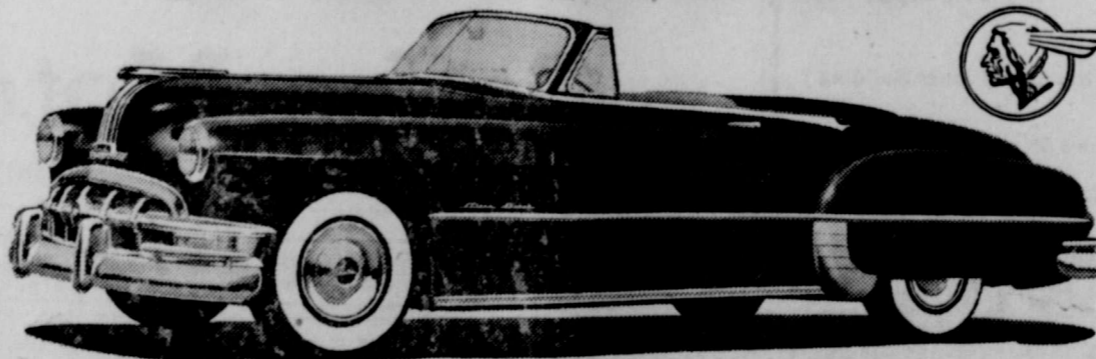
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Members present were: Mesdames Ruby McWatters, Margie Turner, W. A. Reid, Verna Allison, Eula Shelton, H. L. McWatters, Juanita Stephens.

Visitors were: Mesdames Hazel Johnson, Lola Shipman and Lillian Kesler.

The next club day will be in the home of Mrs. Eula Shelton, May 30.

RECENT VISITORS IN H. S. CROW HOME

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Crow were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nolen and daughter, of Graham, North Carolina; Mrs. C. F. Nolen, Fort Worth; Mrs. Ethel Hulsey, of Lubbock; and Mrs. B. D. Fannin, of Plainview. Mesdames Nolen, Hulsey and Fannin are Mrs. Crow's sisters, and Ernest Nolen is a nephew.

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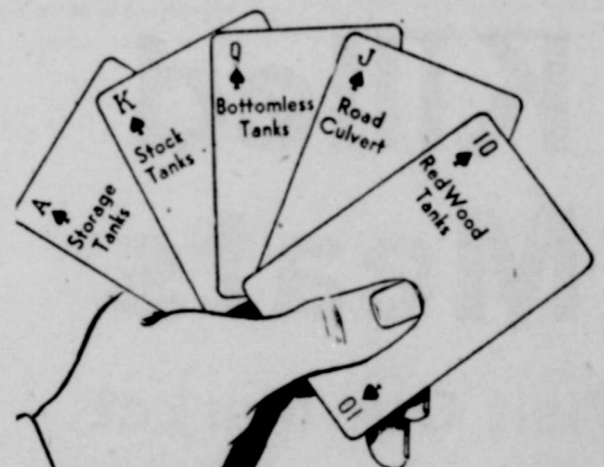


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