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Texas Wool Suits First Family



Gov. and Mrs. Allen Shivers, photographed in the Governor's Mansion at Austin, display all-Texas additions to their spring wardrobe—the first suits made of cloth woven from worsted yarn spun from Texas-produced wool in the New Braunfels plant of Pioneer Worsted Co. This plant, the only worsted factory south of the Mason and Dixon Line, has a capacity of 7,000,000 pounds of raw wool per year. The suits, of midnight blue gabardine, were made especially for the Governor and his lady.

Mrs. Katie Young Celebrated Ninety-Third Birthday

Mrs. Katie Young, mother of C. B. Young, Silvertown, celebrated her ninety-third birthday Sunday, April 1, at the home her son, J. T. Young, in Tulla, Texas.

Forty-one relatives and friends were present to help her celebrate. At the noon hour lunch was served buffet style. A beautiful birthday cake decorated with white and pink roses with ninety-three years in pink, were used as the center piece.

In the afternoon pictures were made of the group and honored guest. Grandmother Young received many gifts and lovely flowers from her many friends.

Among relatives and close friends attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Young, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ellis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Guy

Young and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chandler and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Young and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young, Mr. and Mrs. Dickey Young, Mrs. Helen White, Mrs. Ida Ellis and Otho Ellis, all of Tulla.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Young and Mrs. Mattie Perry, of Silvertown; Mr. and Mrs. Dock Young, of Turkey; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Driskill and boys, of Happy; Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Covington and Kenneth, of Hereford.

ATTEND WORKERS MEETING

Among those attending the Floyd County Baptist Workers meeting at the Calvary Baptist Church in Floydada Tuesday were: Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Ward, of Decatur; Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod, Mrs. L. K. Gilkeyson, Mrs. Buster Wilson, Mrs. G. R. Dowdy, Mrs. A. D. Arnold, Mrs. Jim Bomar, Mrs. Ray C. Bomar and Mrs. O. C. Allard.

Valvarie Honea is Bride of Sergeant William Self

Miss Valvarie Honea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Odus Honea of Quitaque, became the bride of Sgt. William Self, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Self of Silvertown, in services read Friday, March 30, at Weatherford, Texas.

The bride accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Self and Sgt. Self when they left last Thursday to return the sergeant to his post at Corpus Christi, following a 30 day furlough which he spent with his parents at Silvertown. The senior Mr. and Mrs. Self returned home Friday following the marriage, and Sgt. Self and his bride visited several days in Dallas with his sister before reporting to Corpus Christi. For her wedding the bride chose a royal blue satin dress which she wore with beige accessories.

Both Sgt. Self and his bride were born and reared in Briscoe County. He is a graduate of Silvertown high school and entered military service in July, 1948. He served for a year on Guam, and landed in Korea on August 2, 1950. He was wounded in action in Korea on September 24, 1950, and was returned to the states for recovery. He has been in the Naval hospital at Corpus for some months, and had not completely discarded his crutches when he was home on furlough.

He reported back to duty April 2, and the couple will be at home in Corpus until he is transferred. Quitaque Post.

Former Publishers of Briscoe County News Visit in Silvertown

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hohn and son, Collin, of Loveland, Colorado, visited in Silvertown from Wednesday until Saturday morning with their many friends. The Hohns are former owners of the Briscoe County News, having published the paper for a period of twelve years before moving to Colorado, where they owned a newspaper and gift shop. They sold their Colorado property last fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Hohn also visited for quite sometime at the News office, and reviewed some of their experiences in Silvertown in the newspaper game, as well as in Colorado. Mr. Hohn was very complimentary to the News of the job being well done, and the rebuilding of a newspaper plant that is a credit to Silvertown.

Rev. Frank Beauchamp Conducting Revival at Sterley

Rev. Frank Beauchamp, former pastor of the Silvertown Methodist Church, is conducting a revival meeting at Sterley, Texas this week. He invites all of his friends to attend any of the services. There have been some from Silvertown who have already gone to hear him this week.

The revival will continue throughout the week. Morning services 10:30 a. m.; evening services 7:45 p. m.

March of Time Study Club Met April 5

The March of Time Study Club met in regular session in the club room on Thursday, April 5.

The president presided during the business session and was hostess for the program.

One of the most interesting programs of the year was given by Mrs. Alice Bundy whose topic was "Garden Lore."

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Tidwell and son, Mike, of Hobbs, New Mexico, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hutsell.

Mrs. Lela Kellum and Mrs. J. T. Wimberly made a business trip to Frederick, Oklahoma Saturday.

Baptist Revival Will Start April 20 and End April 29

Rev. G. A. Elrod, local pastor of the First Baptist Church, announced this week that their revival meeting will start, Friday, April 20, and continue through April 29.

Rev. Carl Grissom, of Crosbyton, will do the preaching. George Owens, of Quitaque, will lead the singing.

Mrs. C. C. Garrison will play the organ and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar serve as pianist.

The time of services and other arrangements for the revival will be made at a later date.

Two School Trustees Were Elected Here Saturday

Voting was considered light in Saturday's trustee election, two were elected for the Silvertown Independent School District and one for trustee at large.

Following is the names appearing on the ticket and votes received: Gordon Montague, 66; Johnnie Burson, 13; Bill Edwards, 32; J. M. Shy, 25; Lowell Calloway, 43.

Trustee at large: elect one—R. M. Hill, 75; H. Roy Brown, 12; Tom Smith, 1.

KFLD Floydada Radio Will go on the Air April 13

Floydada radio station KFLD will go on the air Friday, April 13th, according to an announcement received this week by the News. First broadcast will be at 6:45 a. m. on 990 kilocycles.

The station is owned by Marshall Formby, Ed Holmes and Byron Robinson, and will be under the management of Jes Stanton.

Staff members are: Wayne Robinson, commercial manager; Pat Jetter, Chief Engineer and announcer and Jack Clark, staff.

Irrigation Belt Baseball League is Organized

A baseball league to be known as the Irrigation Belt Baseball League has been organized and will start playing Sunday afternoon. Member communities taking part in the league will be Silvertown, Tulla, Vigo Park, Umbarger, Nazareth and Hart.

An exhibition game will be played in Silvertown Sunday between the local team and Vigo Park. The game will be called at 2:30. The first regular league game will be played in Silvertown April 29—Silvertown Vs. Umbarger.

A fifteen game schedule has been arranged and the final play-off will be about September 23. Shorty West is manager of the local team. 20 new uniforms have been secured for players. In Silvertown the teams will play at the high school park.

The 1925 Study Club Met April 4 at the Club Room

The 1925 Study Club met April 4, in the club room with Mrs. Cleat Miller, hostess.

Roll call was answered by fifteen members with "Women in Science."

The book review, "Sweeper in the Sky", was given by Mrs. C. D. Wright and was greatly enjoyed.

P. T. A. Officers Will Be Elected at Meeting Thursday Night

The executive committee met Tuesday afternoon, April 10, for a regular meeting. Several items will be presented at the business meeting at the regular P. T. A. meeting Thursday night, April 12. Officers will be elected Thursday night also. We expect a good crowd.

Be Sure to Have a Social Security Number First

Are you going to work on a new job? Is your job now covered by social security? Are you going to change to defense work?

If your answer is "yes" to any of these questions be sure to have a social security account number card before you report for duty. That's the advice of John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo Social Security Office, as many employers will not consider a worker for a job if he doesn't have his social security card available.

"The social security account number," Sanderson says, "identifies the worker's old-age and survivors insurance account. The employer needs this number to report the wages of his workers. If a number is missing on a wage report then the person who earned the wages may get no credit for them. That can mean reduced old-age insurance payments to the worker when he reaches age 65 or over and has to quit work. The same is true of survivors insurance that might be payable to his family if he should die at any age."

The 1950 amendments to the Social Security Act bring in newly covered groups who will be reported for the first time. Household workers, self-employed and regular agricultural workers are among this group.

Amateur Roping to be Held at Silvertown Arena April 15

There will be held at the Silvertown roping arena April 15, at 2 o'clock, an amateur jack pot roping. Also ladies barrel races. Entrance fees will be returned. There will also be some bucking horses if any of the boys are interested.

This is the first roping of the season and neighboring towns and communities are invited by the local boys to attend, and it is expected that a large crowd will be here.

A special feature at the rodeo during the evening will be a colored boy bronc rider. Also the Brahma bull riding boys should afford many laughs.

"The Jackpot" Showing at Palace Theatre April 15, 16

From beginning to end this is one of those delightful pictures that sets out to do nothing but entertain and succeeds admirably with the aid of excellent performances, a hilarious script and well-timed slapstick. It's pure fun and nonsense throughout. The picture is based on a theme that appears to have everlasting appeal for the screen—the quiz program and its lucky winner. It takes some healthy swipes at radio, but it's all done in fun.

Its cast is headed by James Stewart, and supporting cast are Barbara Hale and James Gleason.

Next week's program appears on page two. The show opens at 7:15 and starts at 7:30.

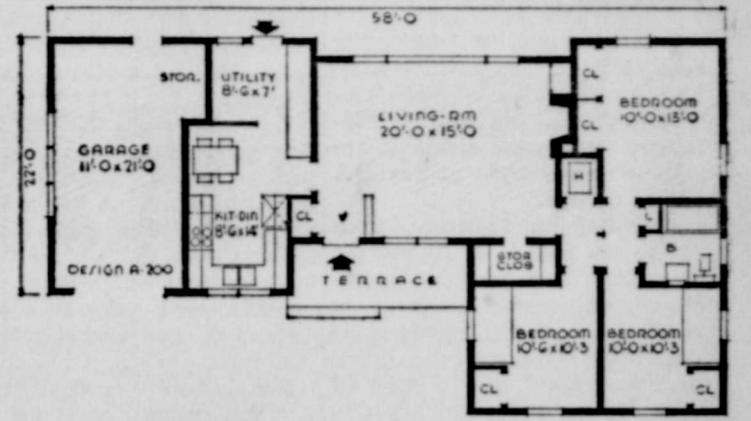
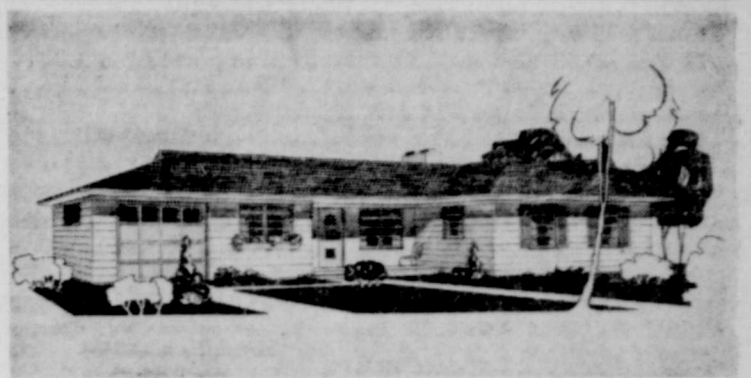
Study Club Members Visit Girl's Ranch Monday April 2

On Monday, April 2, seven members of the March of Time Study Club spent an enjoyable day visiting Girl's Ranch close to Whiteface, Texas.

The group left about nine o'clock for Lubbock where it ate lunch at the Hilton Hotel. Then the ladies went on to Girl's Ranch and spent a few hours visiting. The weather was wonderful and the group enjoyed the trip very much.

Mrs. Wade Welch was called to Tucumcari, New Mexico, last week on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Rhoda Stalcup.

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Design A-200. Laundry equipment and storage cabinets are located in the utility room at the rear of the kitchen while the heating unit is centrally located next to the fire place chimney in the bedroom hall. To compensate for the lack of a basement, additional storage is provided in the garage and in the large storage closet. An insulated concrete slab is laid on a gravel fill for the first floor.

The combination living dining room overlooks a front terrace

and a large picture window opens to the rear yard. The horseshoe kitchen in front also allows space for kitchen dining.

A folding partition can be substituted for the partition separating the front bedroom to open them into a daytime playroom.

Asphalt shingles on a hip roof and wide siding are shown for exterior finish.

The floor area is 1129 square feet, the cubage 12,425 cubic feet, excluding the garage.

For further information see your local lumberman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Douglas, of Lubbock, were visitors in Silvertown Monday. They were the guests of Mr. Douglas' sister, Mrs. T. R. Whiteside.

Mrs. Copeland, of Mangum, Oklahoma, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. G. Olive.

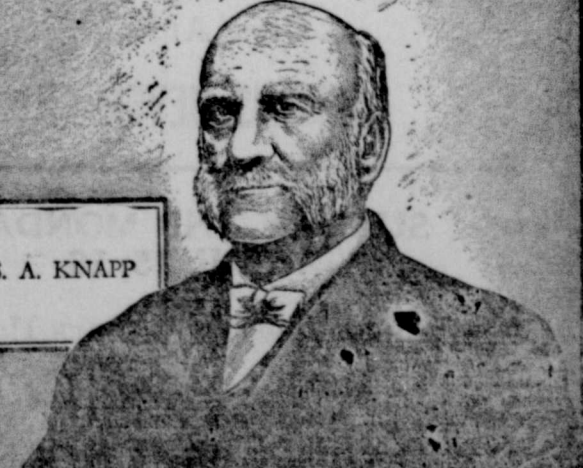
Mrs. Carroll Garrison visited Monday in Plainview.

T. C., and Carl Dean Bomar were business visitors in Amarillo Saturday. While there they visited Mrs. Bruce Bursleson, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Anthony and grandbaby, of Canyon, visited briefly Sunday with her mother, Mrs. W. A. Dickerson. They were returning from a trip to Austin.

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DR. S. A. KNAPP

When Dr. Seaman A. Knapp came to Texas in 1903 to conduct the first successful farm demonstration on the Walter C. Porter farm on Poetry Road near Terrell, he fathered the nationwide system of agricultural extension work which today has county agricultural agents and home demonstration agents throughout the nation and has done much for the development of our agriculture. In Texas today there are such agents working in 252 of our 254 counties. That first demonstration of methods to combat the boll weevil, which was threatening to wipe out Texas cotton, was successful. (The merchants of Terrell had put up a \$1,000 bond to protect the landowner in case it failed.) The federal government took over the work in 1904 and started the expansion which has developed into one of the most successful adult education programs in the world. A strong believer in the value of demonstration, Dr. Knapp always reminded his followers: "What a man hears he may doubt, what he sees he may possibly doubt; but what a man does himself he cannot doubt."

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TOM M. MARKS

"If you can't teach old dogs new tricks, I'll try the pups," declared marketing county agent Tom M. Marks in 1907 after the farm demonstration in Jack County, Texas, had made a disappointing show of their own grown under demonstration methods. The next year newspapers were full of praises of a group of Jack county farm boys who had unusual corn yields in Mr. Marks' corn club. Thus the farm youth work in Texas was born. Today there are 113,514 4-H club boys and girls in Texas working in the 4,505 clubs directed by county agricultural and home demonstration agents. This year-around program is developing new leaders for our agriculture of the future. Marks' "pups" are learning new tricks and taking them back to their parents.

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HERE IS A TIMELY THOUGHT WHICH WE WISH TO REPEAT

"THREE GATES"

If you are tempted to reveal a tale to you some one has told about another, make it pass, before you speak, three gates of gold.

These narrow gates: First, "Is It True?" Then, "Is It Needful?" In your mind give truthful answer. And the next is last and narrowest, "Is It Kind?" And if to reach your lips at last it passes through these gateways three, then you may tell the tale, nor fear what the results of speech may be.

—From The Arabian.

FISH BY THE ACRE IS POSSIBLE IF PROPER "FEEDING" IS CARRIED OUT

Farmers can grow fish by the acre of water just as they grow beef by the acre on grassland. This is the opinion of R. E. Callender, extension specialist in wildlife conservation of Texas A and M College.

According to Callender, from 300 to 500 pounds of fish to the acre have been produced annually in well-managed fish ponds and he adds, many of the more than 100,000 farm and ranch ponds in Texas, which are maintained primarily for stock water, are suitable for growing fish.

Callender points out that an acre of water has a "carrying capacity," just as an acre of grazing land does. The amount of food produced in the water will depend upon the fertility of the land over which the water flows. Fertile land means a fertile pond of water.

Here are Callender's recommendations for fertilizing fish ponds.

As first choice, he suggests using a mixture of 400 pounds of cottonseed or soybean meal and 200 pounds of 20 percent superphosphate to the surface acre of water for one year. Broadcast half of this amount over the pond early in the spring, and apply the rest in 100-pound applications at four to six week intervals.

Callender's second choice is 500 to 600 pounds of any high grade fertilizer such as 4-12-4 or 5-10-5. Apply half of this early in the spring and follow with 100-pound applications at three or four week intervals until the amount for the year is broadcast in the pond.

Horse and cow manure also may be used as fishpond fertilizer. Apply 500 pounds to the acre at monthly applications, using two to three tons a season.

Weather-damaged alfalfa hay also makes a good fishpond fertilizer when applied at the rate of 500 pounds to the acre at monthly intervals.

Callender warns that the fertilization program should be completed before extremely hot weather arrives. A heavy application of fertilizer late in the season may cause the fish to suffocate by bringing about a rapid decay of submerged vegetation which uses up the free oxygen supply in the water.

He suggests that farmers contact their county agent for more information on fertilizing fishponds.

Jessie Lovvorn, of Lone Star community was a business visitor in Silvertown last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cross McDaniel, of Tulia, visited relatives in Silvertown Thursday.

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Cahow, Believed Extinct Since 1625, Is Caught

NEW YORK—The cahow bird, believed extinct for 326 years, has been rediscovered. He has just been in hiding from people and rats these past three hundred years.

Dr. Robert Cushman Murphy, chairman of the department of birds of the American Museum of Natural History, discovered the bird after a perilous 15-day trek over small islands off Bermuda. He caught five and took their pictures as proof of their existence.

The bird has been widely believed to be extinct since 1625, when a famine struck the islands and settlers killed them by the wagon-load for food.

Tells of Capture

Mr. Murphy told reporters how he rediscovered the cahow, accompanied by his wife and two ornithologists.

"I had done quite a bit of work in petrels, the bird family to which the cahow belongs. I had long suspected the existence of the cahow. I got in touch with Louis L. Mowbray, curator of the Bermuda aquarium, who said he suspected the same thing and would be glad to help us look for one."

Murphy and his wife, Grace, flew to Bermuda. Using a diesel-powered launch, they probed the wave-washed coasts of many islands looking for the cahow.

It was dangerous work. The waters around the islands are full of reefs. The coasts rise steeply out of the water. High waves churn dangerously all around the sheer coral ledges.

Finally, five days after the expedition began, Murphy wrote a note of victory in his diary: "Jan. 23. Cahows! Bermuda . . ."

Three hundred years hadn't changed the habits of the cahow. It still nested in deep burrows of limestone rock—some as deep as 11 feet.

Cahow Is Ugly

"Using a bamboo pole equipped with a noose, Mowbray succeeded in fishing out the first cahow," Murphy said. "At this point, the cahow was photographed for the first time in history."

If the cahow was once inhibited by zealous hunters, it has lost all fear of man during its long absence. One was picked up and passed from hand to hand. The bird stood the inspection well. "Apparently he was quite unafraid of the presence of human beings," Murphy said.

The bird, it appeared, could well have hidden away all these years because of self-consciousness. It isn't very pretty, or else it just doesn't photograph well. Its photograph looks like a bad combination of penguin, owl, parrot, and jaybird.

Dr. Murphy described the rediscovery of the cahow as "most exciting" to the scientific world.

Cable Car Stalls Over 600 Foot Chasm; Twenty Saved

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil—Augusto Goncalves, an electrician, risked his life to save 20 fellow passengers from a stalled cable car that dangled 650 feet above a mountain chasm for more than seven hours.

Goncalves slid down a rope from the car after it stalled when one of its two cable tracks broke.

He then rigged up an emergency hand powered car which he propelled out 900 feet along the unbroken cable and rescued those remaining in the car four at a time. He made a total of five trips while thousands watched from the ground fearing the remaining cable might snap.

The passengers said panic rolled through the car as it suddenly swayed dangerously and halted when the car was halfway across the chasm between Urica and Sugar Loaf mountains.

The railway runs on two cables from the ground to Urica mountain and then to the top of Sugar Loaf, a 1,000 foot peak at the entrance to Guanabara bay. The line gives passengers a spectacular view of Rio de Janeiro and its harbor.

Candy Store's Booby Trap Wounds Boy Customer, 13

GARY, Ind. — A booby trap rigged up by a candy store operator seriously wounded a 13-year-old, Gary boy and a policeman recently.

The boy, Burl Wade, was shot in the chest. The policeman, William Sneed, in the hand.

Willie White, operator of the store, told police he rigged up the trap after his store was burglarized. A .38 caliber revolver was mounted on a metal bracket fixed to the inside of the door and set to fire the moment the screen door was opened a few inches.

The boy had gone to the confectionery to buy some candy. When he opened the screen door he was shot.

Officers feared for a while that a gunman had gone berserk in the store. It wasn't until they fired shots at it, threw tear gas bombs, and accidentally set the store on fire that they discovered it was empty.

Indiana law forbids booby traps.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Beth Joiner, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Davenport, visited Mr. and Mrs. Felix Wakefield Sunday.

Mrs. Arlie Barnett and children, of Lubbock, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Davenport over the week end.

Mrs. J. W. McCracken and Mrs. Wayne McCutchen were visitors in Tulia Thursday.

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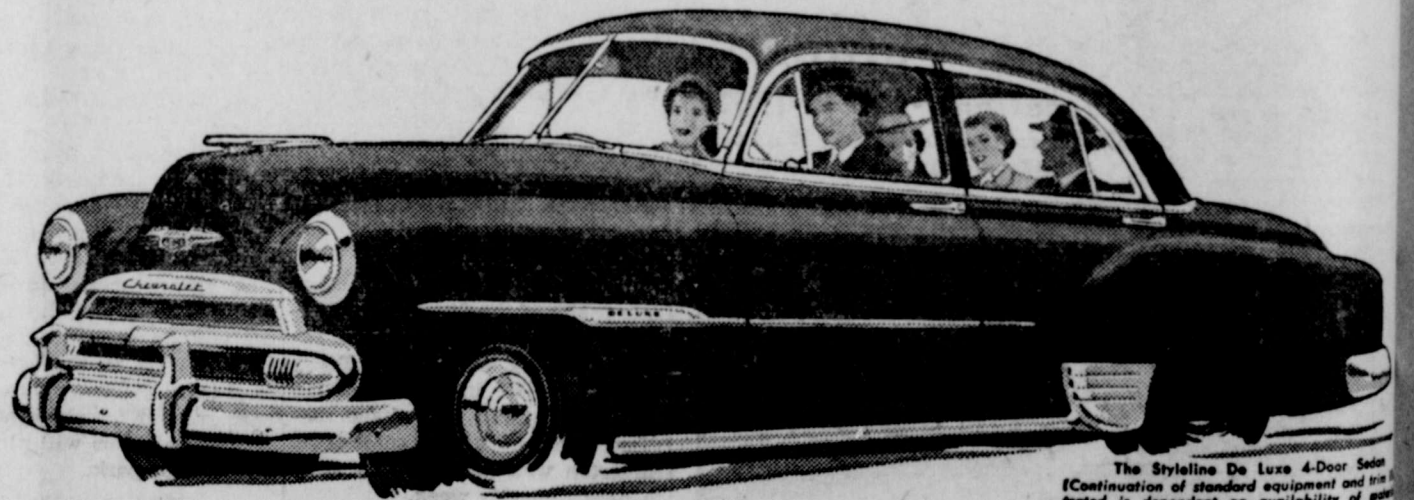
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Love Story Ends When Romeo Is Sent to Prison

CANEA, Crete—The final chapter in Crete's modern "Romeo and Juliet" story, which made the headlines of newspapers throughout the world, was written recently when "Romeo" was sentenced to two years in prison.

A five-judge court convicted Costas Kefaloughianis, 32, of having carried away the daughter of a rival clan leader. In addition, he was fined 2,000,000 drachmas (\$167). Costa and Tassoula Petracoogori, the girl he wooed and carried away, were embittered by the verdict.

Costa, who took to the hills as a guerrilla fighter in World War II, protested that "the verdict was unfair and he would, therefore, be compelled to do what he had done during the occupation. He did not elaborate, but it was regarded as a hint that he might try to escape.

Bride Is Upset

In Athens, his 19-year-old bride, who is expecting a baby, wept. "I'm all upset. If he has to serve his time in Crete, of course I'll return to be with him."

She vowed she never would give up her husband despite the old family feud and the objections of her father, a member of parliament, who is a power in the Liberal party of Premier Sophocles Venizelos.

Politics was a factor in the "Romeo and Juliet" case. Costa's brother, Manuel, head of the Kefaloughianis clan, is a Populist (Royalist) member of parliament. Costa insists that his arrest violated a pledge by Premier Venizelos that Costa would go free if his marriage in a monastery chapel on Mount Ida received the blessing of Archbishop Spyridon of Athens. The archbishop gave his blessing when the honeymooners flew to Athens in September.

Violence threatened for several days after Costa had seized Tassoula from the main square in Candia, Crete's capital, as she came out of a movie and whisked her to a mountain cave. Troops and police joined irate Petracoogori clansmen in the hunt, but they never found the couple.

Love From Afar

After about a week in seclusion, the two made their way to the monastery and were married. Then they flew to Athens.

Costa said he had loved Tassoula from afar for years, but that bad blood between the families had made it impossible to ask her father for her hand. She said she had not loved Costa at first, but that his daring and boldness impressed her and "my love developed as I was with him in the mountains."

"Above all," she said, "his behavior and respect were beyond reproach."

In his final argument, the chief defense attorney stressed that kidnapping a prospective bride was not a new practice.

"Here in Crete, Sparta and the ancient Greek land," he said, "it is a common practice and tradition for strong men to steal their brides."

There is no appeal from the court's verdict, given under an emergency Greek law.

Phosphate Rocks Yield Vital Uranium, Commission Reports

WASHINGTON, D.C. — A new process of extracting bomb-making uranium from phosphate rocks as a by-product of fertilizer production was announced recently by the atomic energy commission.

With the new development, uranium in phosphate deposits "can be extracted economically in the production of highly refined fertilizer known as triple superphosphate," the commission said.

It has been known for some time that uranium occurs "as a very minor component" in the phosphate deposits in the northwest and in Florida.

"Considerable research work has been done to develop a process whereby uranium can be extracted economically from these very low-grade sources," the A.E.C. said.

"It is hoped that the new process will open up this new source of uranium. The process is classified secret and cannot be described."

Laborer's Wish Comes True, But Loses His Job for Ride

CHICAGO, Ill.—All his life Robert Leachman, 23-year-old railroad laborer, wanted to drive a freight train. He realized his dream recently—a ride in the cab of a big diesel locomotive. The trouble was, he took the ride alone.

Leachman saw a shiny new passenger diesel standing unattended on a siding in the railroad yard. He climbed aboard and ran his hands over the controls. The locomotive took off. Leachman, terrified, yanked every lever he could see.

"I couldn't stop," he said. "Then I prayed."

A block away from the take-off, the diesel, going 30 miles an hour, emitted a loud roar and a gongola but came to a stop. The round-house foreman accepted Leachman's resignation on the spot.

Pre-historic Mammals Took Refuge in Florida

Florida may have been a late ice-age refuge for North American mammals. Here, in a relatively temperate climate, creatures found haven during the centuries when ice inundated their normal habitats. Into this "ark" man, newly established in the New World, occasionally ventured. This is a conclusion which may be drawn from a systematic study of fossil bones recovered near Melbourne, Fla., which has just been reported by Dr. C. Lewis Gazin, Smithsonian Institution curator of vertebrate paleontology. Two bone deposits near Melbourne came into prominence about 25 years ago when remains which were unquestionably human, but differing in no major respect from human remains of today, were found associated with fossil bones of creatures extinct for more than 10,000 years. The human remains were studied at the time, but a complete study of the animal bones was delayed. Dr. Gazin has found representatives of 50 mammal types. More than half of these animals are extinct and have not existed since the close of the last ice age or the beginning of the present era. Some of the fossil record shows, had died out earlier in the north, and the Florida forms may be considered as refugees from the ice. Other forms were probably native to the area. Still, Dr. Gazin believes, this fauna hardly can have survived the last ice-age period. Otherwise, instead of becoming extinct some of the species would have migrated north again into more suitable environments.

New Theory Found For Cancer Formation

A "deletion" theory of the formation of cancer was described by Harold P. Rusch, M.D., director of the McArdle memorial laboratory for cancer research in the University of Wisconsin medical school. The theory is based on studies of cancer formation induced by a class of chemicals called azo dyes, according to Professor Rusch. These cancer-forming chemicals have been shown to "delete" protein from the livers of test animals, destroying the tissue cells' ability to carry out some of the specialized functions of normal liver cells. The affected cells, however, can still grow and multiply—and, according to the theory, they are the cancer cells. "Most of the infectious diseases are curable," Professor Rusch says. "Diabetes can be controlled; yellow fever was conquered in a few years; in the recent war DDT quickly stopped the spread of typhus; other problems have been worked out by science—why not cancer?" "Simply because the key has not been found. Bacteria and viruses responsible for infectious diseases have been isolated, studied, and often the disease reproduced in animals. With these methods it is possible to survey the inhibiting effect of a large number of compounds."

Sleeping Pills

It might be a good idea to attach a label, "BEWARE, DANGER!", to each bottle of sleeping pills. Unless prescribed by a doctor, they can become a dangerous habit. Too often they are taken merely because one can't go to sleep the minute he lies down and he doesn't want to wait for natural sleep. Before long they become a habit—and a very bad one. How much simpler it would be if one would check his bedding when he first has trouble getting to sleep. His whole trouble may be in the fact that his bedding is lumpy and worn and doesn't allow for complete relaxation. It would be a much simpler, and safer, remedy for sleeplessness if he would invest in good bedding. Unless there is something physically wrong, good bedding will lure sleep much more quickly and effectively than artificial sleeping aids.

Face Foliage

The earliest Pharaohs wore chin beards. Later Egyptian rulers, smooth of face, looked with distaste on barbarians—bearded ones—among their Greek, Arab, and Syrian neighbors. Yet these same lords of the Nile donned artificial beards and wigs for public appearances, as insignia of kingship. Alexander the Great banned beards for his warriors so that enemies would have no chin whiskers to grab for advantage in close-quarter combat. Another Great, Peter of Russia, levied taxes on beards to put them out of fashion. In the end, stronger measures were required, since the tax only marked the poor from the rich who paid up rather than shave.

Ancients Tried A Trick or Two

Today we all recognize the fact that cheerful colors in our surroundings and clean, smoothly painted surfaces have a definite effect on our morale and outlook on life. Among the ancients, only the ecclesiasts and temple physicians concerned themselves with the effects of color. The high priests dictated the choice of color used in the temples for the splendor and devotion it aroused in the worshippers. The physicians applied colored salves and compresses and ordered their patients to wear clothes of certain hues.

Texas Venture

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R. E. DICKSON
"He Made Water Walk"

On the rolling plains of West Texas, where an annual average rainfall of 20 inches creates the most serious problem for agriculture, Ray E. Dickson will be long remembered as "the man who made water walk." In his 36 years as superintendent of the Texas Experiment Substation at Spur, this Texas A. and M. researcher led the way to full use of the country's precious rainfall through development of syrup-pan terraces. He learned and then preached that the rainfall of the plains country was sufficient, if properly conserved. He proved that water conservation is the quickest way to soil saving. On the basis of his pioneering much of the work of the national Soil Conservation Service was established.

IRRIGATED AGRICULTURE PLACES IMPORTANT

Irrigated farming now occupies an important place in Texas agriculture. During the nine-year period, 1940-1948, the area under irrigation increased from 1,045,000 to 2,885,000 acres, according to figures cited in a new publication recently released by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Most of the expansion in irrigated land resulted from the development of wells by individuals and partnerships. Wells accounted for 1,369,000 acres, while an increase of 463,000 acres resulted from utilizing surface-water supplies.

Nearly 1,000,000 acres were developed between 1946 and 1948, almost three-fourths of which came from wells developed in the high plains area.

In 1948, 3,000 Texas farms were partly or wholly dependent upon irrigation for their production. Approximately 10 percent of the total acreage harvested in 1948 was from irrigated land. And crops from irrigated land accounted for nearly 30 percent of the

total farm value of all principal crops grown in Texas that same year.

Miscellaneous Publication 59, which gives the historical development and the present status of irrigation in Texas, is available from the Publications Office, College Station, Texas.

CONTROL OF POISONOUS RANGE PLANTS IS PRACTICAL

Control of many poisonous range plants is practical with herbicidal sprays such as 2,4-D and 2,4,5-T, according to Dr. Omar E. Sperry, professor of range and forestry, Texas A and M College System.

In tests conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, control costs, when applied on large acreages, ranged from \$2.00 to \$4.00 per acre.

For lasting benefits, Dr. Sperry emphasizes that lighter stocking of ranges, deferment of poor-condition ranges and isolation of heavily infested areas should be practiced along with the spraying of poisonous plants.

Effective kills of bitterweed, rayless goldenrod, peavine, loco,

SIXTEEN MORE INDUCTED INTO ARMY THIS WEEK

Childress, April 8.—An addition of 16 Childress area young men were inducted into the army this week, according to the local draft board office, that also announced 60 men had also been sent to take pre-induction physical examinations.

Also sent for induction were three young men transferred from other draft boards to Childress.

Called up for active duty with the army were James A. Montgomery of Lakeview, Donald G. Gibbs of Paducah, Leo Ray Phillips, Billy G. Stewart and Robert P. Ellis, all of Memphis.

William C. Mercer and Edward H. Wesley of Silverton; Johnny R. Bryant, John W. Trimble, Jr., and Billy J. Graham, all of Wellington.

Louis Holiday, Dumont; Bobby G. King, Turkey; Clyde E. Wells, Lazare; and Eldon L. Patrick, Quitaque.

From Childress were Emmett Austin Beal, Floyd A. Brittain. The transfers sent to the induction station were Walter A. Russell of Childress, Roosevelt Shrubs of Shamrock and Billy C. Hamby of Wellington.

It was also announced that a call of 20 for induction in May had been received as well as a call for 40 for pre-induction physicals.

Mrs. V. R. Gardner, of Amarillo, spent the week end with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier.

T. C. Bomar made a business trip to Clovis, New Mexico, Monday.

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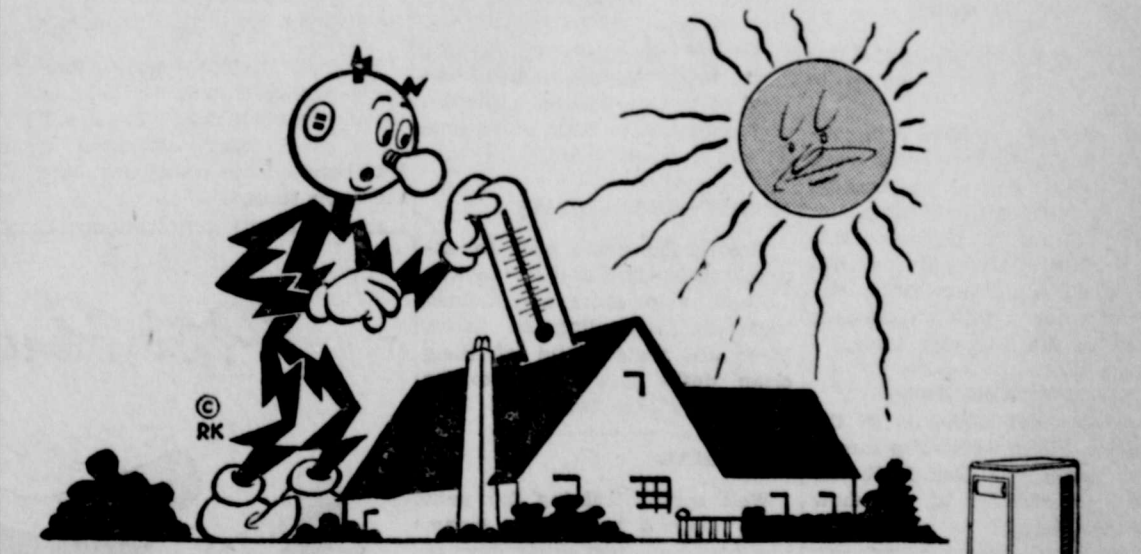
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PLAIN STUFF?

Don't throw your mouth into high gear until you are sure your brain is turning over.

The man who asks advice is usually wiser than he who offers it.

Before judging a man by his associates, we might bear in mind that Judas Iscariot travelled in pretty good company.

Narrow minded people are like narrow necked bottles—the less they have in them, the more noise they make in pouring it out.

The best way to keep a boy from eating too many green apples is to feed him plenty of ripe ones.

There is no future in any job—the future is in the man.

A motorist forgot that little boys don't remember the real traffic dangers around them when they are excitedly playing games, so Tommy won't be at school today—or tomorrow—or ever. Tommy might have been your son. He might have been any one of the three thousand little boys and girls whose lives will be cut short by automobile wheels this year. So that these tragedies may become fewer, your help is needed. Drive carefully, extra carefully near schools. Remember that little heads rarely give thought to danger, and that little feet turn quickly. So drive carefully, won't you? And let kiddies grow up to enjoy life.

The Senior Class of '51 has made a donation of \$50.00 to be used for the purchasing of an electric scoreboard for the gymnasium. This is not enough to purchase the scoreboard but it is a start and with this and other donations or monies raised in some way we may be able to get this some day soon. A good scoreboard will cost about \$300.00. We think that the donation by this senior class is a very good school spirit and we are glad to have such students in school.

THIRD GRADE NEWS

The third grade lost a pupil this week. Donald Payne moved to Tahoka.

The third grade have a discovery table for their science class. They have several interesting items on their discovery table. The hope to learn to recognize different kinds of birds, insects, reptiles, rocks and plants by becoming familiar with specimens placed on the discovery table.

SEVENTH GRADE NEWS

Clayton Dale Elkins is in the Silvertown Clinic with strep throat. Pat Redin and Don Leadbetter were seen together at the show Saturday night.

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The junior class wishes to take this opportunity to thank the girls who served and the mothers who took time out to help with this banquet.

MRS. PORTER IS RECOGNIZED

June H. Porter, high school teacher, has just received a book in which one of her poems has been printed. The book is "National Poetry Anthology for 1951." Contributors are teachers and librarians in schools and colleges throughout the United States. It is published by the National Poetry Association, Los Angeles 34, California. Mrs. Porter's poetry has been published in six anthologies and several periodicals.

END OF SCHOOL

As the days grow longer and the sun brighter everybody goes to thinking about baseball, fishing, swimming, and the end of school. But with the end of school do the students think of the subjects that they may be failing, the ones that they are behind in.

There are just six more weeks of school end if you are behind in any subject now is the time to catch up, instead of waiting until the last week.

MEET THE JUNIORS

Joy Nell Chitty started school here in the first grade and is now a junior in high school. She has been in the Pep Squad for three years and Basketball for three years.

Joy is a member of the F. H. A. She plans to graduate next year. She wants to go to a business college.

SPRING IS HERE

Darrell McWilliams
Well folks spring is definitely here. Sunday afternoon, as I sat on the porch in front of my house enjoying the warm weather, I could look around over the town in several different directions, and see people playing baseball. To me this is a sure sign that spring is here to stay. If it will only start raining now and drown some of the green bugs, so that the farmers can make some wheat every one will be happy.

SENIOR-JUNIOR DISTRICT TRACK MEET WAS HELD AT CHILDRESS

Silvertown entered both a junior team and a senior team in the district track meet at Childress. Here are the results.

Senior Track: Milton Thornton, 3rd, high jump; 4th, pole vaulting.
Junior Track: Freddie Hamilton, 1st, 100 yard dash; 1st, 50 yard dash; 1st, high jump; 1st, broad jump.

Dr. Leadbetter: 2nd, high jump.
Roy Dean Henderson: 1st chinning.
Red Stevenson: 4th, hundred yard dash; 4th, chinning.

BASEBALL STARTED MONDAY

Baseball started Monday afternoon, workouts will be held at the old baseball field. There will be a game Friday afternoon at 2:30 between the school team and the town team.

The baseball district has been split this year. Matador, Turkey, and Silvertown is in the upper half. Estelline, Lakeview, Hedley and Carey will be in the lower half. The playoff for this half of the district will be held at Turkey, the winner there will play the winner from the other half. Flo-mont has been moved to another district this year. There will be other games scheduled other than the district games.

DISTRICT VOLLEYBALL AND SOFTBALL MEET HELD AT QUITAQUE LAST FRIDAY

Silvertown attended a district meet at Quitaque in volleyball and softball. Both boys and girls entered. The boys won second place in volleyball. They were defeated in the final game by Quitaque. They also won second place in softball, being beaten by Kirkland in the final game by a score of 10-6. The girls won second in baseball, they were defeated by Matador in the final game.

There didn't seem to be many at school Monday. It seems every one took a holiday for April fools day.

Nosey wonders why all the sophomore class are limping and groaning so this week. We wonder if it could be because of the trip to Claud Crossing Monday.

Nosey wonders what Mr. Lowrance does over the week end. He isn't ever in town and he doesn't go home.

Well! It looks like Tommy has competition after all. It seems Sandy is making a big play for Jack.

Millie and Carl, Betty and Bob were in Plainview at the show Sunday night.

Joe and Wayma were together at the play Friday and the show Saturday.

Nosey has been kinda' ill the past week, so there isn't much news to report. She would like for all of you to contribute any bits of gossip that you might have to this column.

Pat and Mary Lou were the only couple at the banquet last Thursday night. (We certainly must have lots of bashful boys in SHS?)

Almost every high school student were in Quitaque Friday. (No points off, kids!)

QUESTION

What did you think of the junior senior banquet?

Answers:
Mrs. Porter. Very, very nice and the decorations were realistic.
Roy Hyatt. Pretty nice banquet.
Ted Vardell. Sensational, colossal, and the chicken was good.
Bobbie Baird. No comments.
Mr. Lowrance. Very nice and the food was good.
Buford Clemmer. Oh. It was O. K.

The Junior class. It was a lot of work, but we did it for a great purpose (the seniors.)

The Mothers. We were delighted to help out.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Williamson, Jr., of Childress, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver Monday.

PERSONALS

Mrs. R. C. Guest, of South Plains, visited Tuesday with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Esdell Hutsell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Comer and children, of Amarillo, have moved to Silvertown to make their home.

Mrs. Avis Cowart visited Mrs. Bruce Burleson in Amarillo Saturday.

The well-managed fish pond will produce from 300 to 500 pounds of fish per acre of water.

A fertilization program for the fish pond will make such yields possible.

During the nine-year period, 1940-1948, the area under irrigation in Texas increased slightly more than one million to 2,885,000 acres. Wells accounted for 1,369,000 acres of the increase.

Approximately 10 percent of the total acreage of cropland harvested in Texas in 1948 was irrigated, and crops harvested from this acreage accounted for nearly 30 percent of the total farm value of all principal crops produced.

Herbs such as sanise, caraway, coriander, cumin and marjoram can be used by the homemaker to add flavor to cooked foods as well as salads.

Texas 4-H club members will be represented for the fourth consecutive year in the 1951 International Farm Youth Exchange Project. Steve Lilly, Nacogdoches and Billy Roy Whitaker, Panola county are the 1951 exchanges.

Research workers of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station have found that practical control of many poisonous range plants can be obtained by using herbicidal sprays such as 2,4-D and 2,4,5-T.

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PERSONALS

J. A. Guest, of Brownfield, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edell Hutsell this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown attended the Floyd County Workers Conference in Floydada Tuesday.

Mrs. J. W. Davis, of Lubbock, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Weaver visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Williamson, at Dumas, recently.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Seaney Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Adcock and daughter, Jerry Sue, of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adcock, of Amberst; Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Cogdill, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Byrd, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Paschal Garrison and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brown and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bomar and Roy Beth, of Lubbock, spent the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Bomar.

ATTEND SEVENTH DISTRICT FEDERATED CLUBS CONVENTION IN AMARILLO

Those from Silverton who attended the Seventh District Federated Clubs Convention which met in Amarillo Tuesday were: 1925 Club, Mrs. T. C. Bomar, president; Mrs. C. D. Wright, delegate, Mrs. Gordon Montague, Mrs. W. Coffee, Jr., and Mrs. Grady Wimberly, members.

Mrs. J. W. Lyon, Jr., president of March of Times Club. This club received honorable mention for outstanding work among junior clubs of the seventh district.

Mrs. Edell Hutsell, Mrs. L. D. Griffin, Jr., Mrs. Carl D. Bomar, Mrs. Eugene Riddlehuber, Mrs. Donald West, Mrs. O. C. Rampley and Mrs. L. S. Youngs, represented the Century of Progress Club.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bomar over the week end were: Dr. and Mrs. W. L. McClendon and son, Max, of Childress; Mrs. N. M. Lawler and Mrs. Bess Carter, of Goodnight.

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WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Weaner Pigs — See Roy E. Henderson. 15-2tp

NOTICE !

Attention is called to all property and resident owners by the City of Silverton that the month of April is clean-up month in the city. You are asked to gather up all your rubbish and trash that you are unable to burn, so that the trash man can haul it off. Your co-operation will be appreciated by the city management. 14-2tc

NOTICE !

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WATCH — Blackboard at office for bargains. H. Roy Brown. 5-tfc

YOUNG JERSEY milch cow for sale. See J. C. Fowler. 15-1tp

FOR SALE—One 9 foot G. M. Frigidaire. Been used 18 months. See Mrs. W. N. West 15-4tc

FOR CUSTOM Posthole Digging and fence building see Willard Wilson, Route 1, Silverton. 10-10tp

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Money to loan on Farms and Ranches at 4½ Interest. See H. Roy Brown. 23-tfc

WANTED—Listings on irrigated and dry land farms and ranches. H. Roy Brown, office phone 46, residence 85. 45-tfc

FOR HIRE—Grass and Small Grain Drill. F. F. A. Chapter or G. H. Bunch. 10-tfc

AUTOMOBILE Insurance. See Roy Teeter. 7-tfc

FOR SALE—One pair of Love Birds and cage. See Kenneth Garvin. 14-2tp

Turkey Dry Cleaners! Leave clothes at City Shoe Shop for Turkey Dry Cleaners. Pick-up Tuesday and delivered Saturday afternoon. 3-tfc

If you want to sell a farm, see Roy Teeter. Phone 87-R. If you want to buy a farm, see Roy Teeter, Phone 87-R. 44-tfc

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mack Walker and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Arnold of Elliott, visited Mrs. A. C. Arnold in Melrose, New Mexico, Monday afternoon and Tuesday.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Glenn McWilliams returned from Fort Worth last Monday where she had been with her sister, Mrs. Pete Howard, who underwent surgery at Harris Hospital. Mrs. Howard was doing fine at the last report.

Mrs. Roy McMurtry returned Saturday morning from Amarillo where she had been with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Bruce Burleson, who suffered a paralytic stroke last week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Ward, President Emeritus, of Decatur College, were week end guests of Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod. Dr. Ward spoke at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning on Decatur College.

C. D. Wright made a business trip to Quitaque Tuesday.

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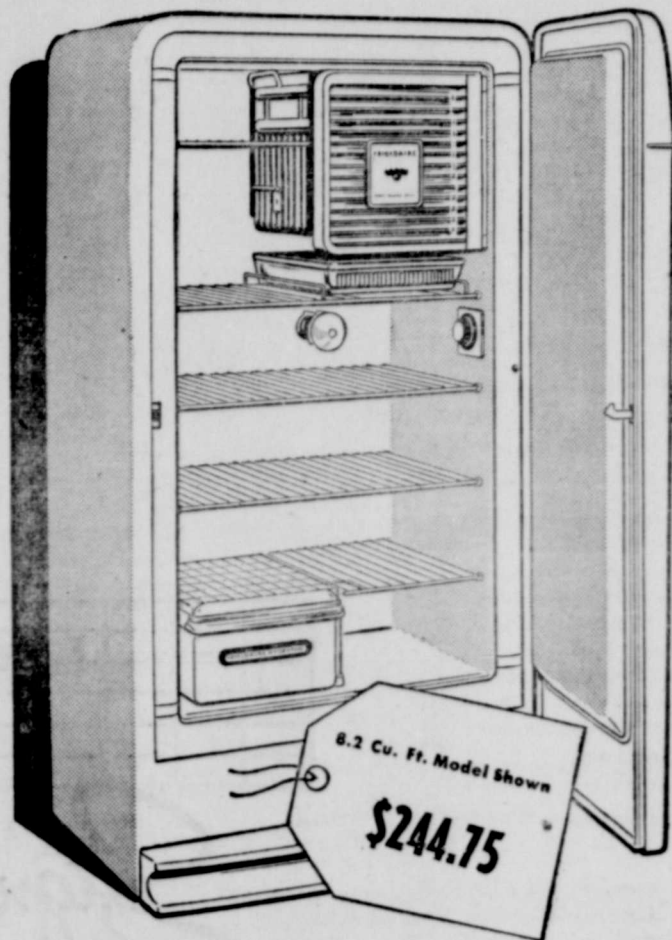
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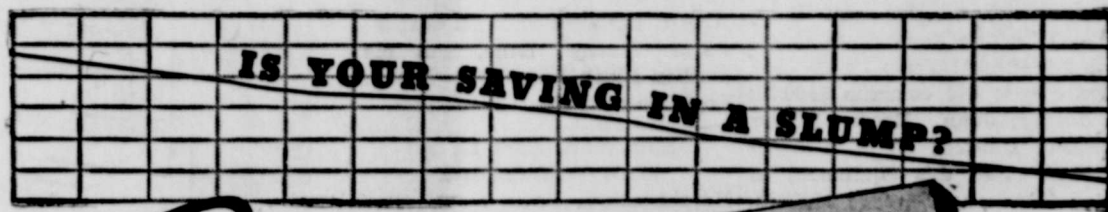
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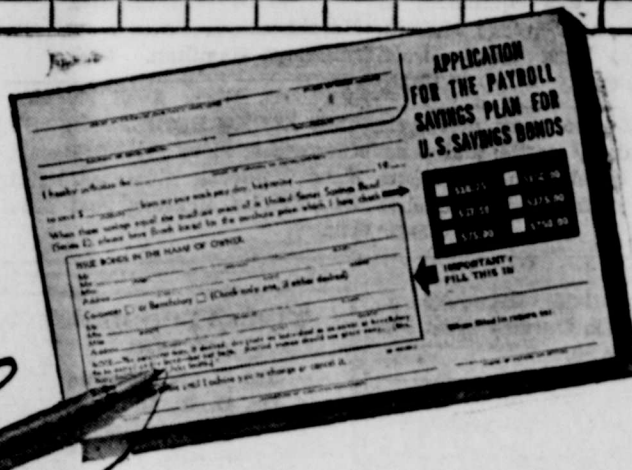
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Prisoner Works Two Years and Tunnels 70 Feet to Freedom

BALTIMORE — One of the most sensational escapes in American penal history was carried out successfully recently by Joseph Holmes, a Baltimore Negro serving 30 years for burglary in the Maryland state penitentiary.

During predawn darkness he crawled through a narrow, 70-foot tunnel that took him two years to dig.

Warden Edwin T. Swenson said, "It's the most fantastic escape I've ever heard of." He said it must have taken Holmes at least two years to burrow to freedom.

Swenson gave this version of the break:

Holmes loosened a piece of square slate, about two feet square, and bored through 10 inches of concrete before he reached dirt.

Then he burrowed at a downward angle for 10 feet, then leveled off under the massive stone wall and a dry moat, and then dug 30 feet up.

The tunnel emerged in a grassy plot with only a 7-foot fence between the opening and freedom. It was only a short stroll from there to his mother's home.

Near the middle of the tunnel was a small "room" about 3 feet wide and 6 feet high, formed by fresh water seeping into the small area. The sides were matted with odd pieces of clothing, apparently to prevent a cave-in.

Swenson estimated that Holmes clawed out the tons of dirt with bits of scrap iron, carried the dirt in his clothing back to his cell, then flushed it down the toilet.

Holmes, known as the "dinner-time burglar," was in his 10th year of the 20-year sentence. He had been in and out of prison since he was sixteen.

Colorful San Francisco Hotel Celebrates Birthday

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif.—The Palace hotel, once the wonder of the western world with 800 rooms and 9,000 cuspidors, recently celebrated its 75th birthday.

Built at a cost of five million dollars in 1875, the famed hostelry has a history of its own, as gaudy as the flamboyant era of the Barbary coast which once characterized San Francisco.

The first structure was destroyed in the San Francisco fire. It was rebuilt almost immediately.

The Palace now has 2,000 beds, 300 chefs in its kitchen and the same grand manner which attracted three generations of royalty and debutantes.

British Jet Spans Atlantic in 4 Hours and 40 Minutes

GANDER, New Foundland—The fastest crossing of the Atlantic in history—4 hours and 40 minutes—was made recently by a British twin-jet bomber. But the bomber's time was slower than the sun.

Strong head winds slowed the bomber which has a speed rated at better than 600 miles an hour. The sun made the swing in 3 1/2 hours—600 miles an hour.

The first jet aircraft ever to fly the Atlantic without refueling, the plane beat the best previous west-east record by 30 minutes. It is a possible addition to the U.S. air force.

The pilot, A. E. Callard, said he flew at an altitude of eight miles or more part of the way and averaged around 530 miles an hour for the first hour and a half. Heavy winds then cut down his speed.

Named the Canberra, the plane is the world's first jet bomber, and will be exhaustively studied by U.S. air force experts as part of the exchange of military information among Britain, the United States, and Canada.

The plane is 65 1/2 feet long and has a wing span of 64 feet. It has a pressurized cabin for high-altitude flight. Its maximum speed and ceiling are military secrets.

Germany's Patrick Henry Rattles Both East and West

BERLIN, Germany—Germans on both sides—east and west—were stirred recently when Hermann Joseph Flade, 18, defied a Communist death sentence with Patrick Henry sentiments.

"I love my freedom more than my life," young Flade told a Communist court in Russian controlled Dresden.

Flade, a Catholic from Bavaria, was tried as an "enemy of the state" for distributing leaflets last fall urging votes against the Communist controlled "national front" ticket, the only slate permitted in the east zone election. While being arrested Flade knifed a policeman, now back on duty.

Communist faithful packed the courtroom and a public address system carried his words outside the building.

Flade admitted that he handed out anti-Communist pamphlets, asserting that he opposed the Communist system and that he thought his nation was part of the democratic system. The charged prosecutor snuffed off the loud-speakers and the court imposed the death sen-

New Portable Device Measures Atomic Results

A new type army signal corps portable radium set used in detecting and measuring the effects of atomic explosions, has been chosen as the official instrument to be used by federal and state civil defense teams according to a letter issued by James J. Wadsworth, federal civil defense administration, to state governors throughout the country. The set, designated the AN/PDR-T-1 for "portable detector radium," was developed and designed to conform to signal corps specifications by the nucleonics branch of the Evans signal laboratory, one of three divisions of the signal corps engineering laboratories located at this post. In choosing the signal corps set, the letter stated, preference was given by a special civil defense radiological committee to those sets which "can be readily maintained, and will perform satisfactory under operating conditions which might be encountered in civil defense." Among agencies represented on the radiological committee were the atomic energy commission, the armed forces special weapons project of the department of defense, the United States public health service, the bureau of standards and the federal civil defense administration. Three requirements met by the signal corps set, the letter continued, were military specifications, suitability for immediate training and usefulness for low-intensity civil defense monitoring work.

Columbus' Followers Found Peanut Crop

Spanish adventurers following in Columbus' wake found peanuts growing in South America—saw 16th century Peruvians roasting them, grinding them into butter and making confections, just as we do in the United States today. Thus it was that gold, silver and spices shared with "ground nuts"—novelty of the strange new world—space in the wind and wave tossed galleons struggling homeward. In sunny Spain they grew, flourished, became known as "Spanish" peanuts. Peanuts were carried along when the quest for rare metals, spices and ivory turned to Africa. Again they flourished, acquired a new name, "goobers," African dialect for ground nut. Finally they came here, this time in lumbering ships close packed with slaves, as food—the cheapest obtainable for human freight. Once planted in the south, peanut growing spread. So peanuts became a marketable commodity and Union soldiers, liking them, carried them north, where their popularity has never waned. The little brown nut was first cultivated in Virginia and North Carolina but gradually peanut growing pushed its way south. Today thirteen states in the south and southwest comprise the peanut belt, from where peanuts are shipped to every corner of our country.

Advance of Civilization

Some time ago Professor Daniel W. Hering, then of New York University, maintained that the railroads have had a great deal to do with the advance of civilization because they made people more time conscious, especially those who lived in rural sections. The way he explains it, during the days of early railroading most family clocks varied a great deal, sometimes as much as an hour. People governed their activities as much by the position of the sun as by the inaccurate clocks. But the advent of railroads changed all this because they operated on strict schedules that didn't vary more than a minute one way or another. Family timepieces were demanded that would allow trains to be caught on time, and soon people were regulating their movements by minutes instead of hours. The Swiss have reason to bless the railroads, for this development gave the watch-making industry the greatest shot in the arm it has ever had.

Whats That Again?

From the beginning of autumn, on Sept. 23, to the beginning of spring on March 21 is 179 days, but from the latter to the beginning of autumn is 185 days. Why is this? The nearer a planet is to the sun, the faster it travels in its orbit, measured in miles per hour. Because the earth is about 3,000,000 miles nearer the sun in early January than in early July, or orbital speed is greater during autumn and winter than in spring and summer. Hence, the time from the beginning of autumn to the beginning of spring is about six days shorter than that from the first day of spring to the end of summer.

Faithful Fido

Many instances of dogs waiting around railroad stations for the return of their masters have been noted. Some dogs have kept faithful watch for months, leaving their post only long enough to obtain food. One instance of this occurred some time ago in Japan, at the Shibuya station in Tokyo. This exhibition of faithfulness so impressed the Japanese that they built a statue of the waiting dog. In addition, thousands of miniatures of the statue were made and distributed to every school in Japan as a symbol of faithfulness for the small fry to gaze upon.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Attie Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Jackson, of Gail, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brookshier, of Electra, visited his brother and mother, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brookshier and Mrs. J. S. Brookshier, Sunday. His mother accompanied them home for a short visit.

Mrs. W. H. Tension and son, James, visited in Anton Tuesday with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Denison.

VISITORS IN A. H. CHAPPELL HOME SUNDAY

Visitors in the A. H. Chappell home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Chappell and children of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Chappell, Paula and LaWanda Reid; Miss Eunice Cox and Eddie Cox; Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Dowdy, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dickerson; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Arnold; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thurman and son, Mike; Mr. and Mrs. John Wheelock, and Ralph Clark.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Albert Hayter and Mrs. W. C. Womack, of Gordonville, Texas, visited last Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodges. Mrs. Hayter is a sister of Mr. Hodges and Mrs. Womack is Bruce's mother.

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VISIT FRIENDS IN CLOVIS
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grewe and son, Raymond Grewe and Miss Revanell Cook, and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Pomrenke, of Tulia, visited old time friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rickberg, in Clovis, New Mexico, Sunday. In the afternoon the young couples attended the Rodeo and Calf Roping that was scheduled at Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wright were business visitors in Plainview Wednesday.

Inventors Claim Gadget Turns Water Into Excellent Fuel

WASHINGTON, D.C. — A process for using ordinary water as a burner fuel is the latest invention of two Utah men.
George Jackson and William Daugherty, both of Salt Lake, said the device could be utilized as a room heater "or for commercial or industrial purposes, as in a boiler or other power plant."
In their patent application they stated:

"We have found that the operation of this unit as disclosed produces an extremely intense heat with complete combustion of the constituent products, resulting in no carbon deposits, oily film, smoke, or other objectionable features generally encountered in fuel burners as used heretofore."

One of the inventors said a pint of water could be "burned" to produce enough heat to warm a four-room house for four hours. He said this was based on experimental estimates, not on actual heating of a house.

A homemade burner unit can be made for about \$15, the inventors reported, but could offer no estimate as to what a commercial device would cost.

They said water was forced into the device, "preheated" by an alcohol burner, and the water then emerged in the form of jets of gas which burned and then apparently took over the running of the burner. The inventors said the alcohol burner was needed only to get the process going.

They said in their patent application they believe that the gases produced at the jets of the device are hydrogen and oxygen, and that these are generated as the water passes through a special system of coils in the apparatus.

If the device has commercial possibilities it could revolutionize home heating and industry.

SAN JACINTO NEWS

San Jacinto Community contributed \$60.21 to the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. McMurtry were in Dallas the past week for a check up at the clinic.

Mr. E. W. Preston is home and feeling very well. He was happy to have five of his six boys to visit him Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bullock and children visited in the Murray May home Sunday.

Mr. Roy Beasley was elected as trustee; E. W. Preston and Earl

Jones were re-elected. Chester Burnett was elected as county trustee in Saturday's election at San Jacinto.

Mrs. Eugene Malone and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bice and children visited the A. F. Brace home Sunday afternoon.

The Vigo church invites everyone to a party at Vigo school house Friday night, April 13. Pie and cocoa will be served.

Mr. Bernice May visited in the Earl Jones home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Buchanan of Brownfield, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown this week.

PERSONALS

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brooks Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. O. Riddell, Mrs. Olive London and Mrs. Pearl Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Brubs Bomar and family, have moved to Amarillo to make their home.

Mrs. John Pittman, of Amarillo visited several days last week at Mrs. Wade Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Winkler made a business trip to Plainview Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hutchison, father, Thurmon Hutchison, Estelline, were business visitors Silvertown Saturday afternoon.

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Love Is More Than a Match For Startled London Judge

LONDON, Eng. — Love was too much for a London judge. Police caught John W. Bryant, 25, on the roof of a seven story apartment building at midnight.

The charge: Being in a dwelling house for an unlawful purpose.

His explanation: "I had a spat with my girl friend. I wanted to be alone."
Comment by girl friend Joyce Kingsland: "We've made up now."

Decision of the judge: "Love is unfathomable. Case dismissed."

Hormone Rubbed in Scalp Grows Hair in Five Weeks

NEW YORK — Albert Roberts, president of the United Research Laboratories of Philadelphia reported recently a new hormone has grown hair on two men who had been bald for five years.

Each man, after five weeks of treatment, has hair about an inch long on the bald area—not fuzz, but apparently normal hair—with a total of about 20,000 hairs on each head and signs that more may come. This count is about a sixth of the normal amount for an average young man.

The two men experimented on were not identified, but Roberts said they were about 40 and 45 years old. Both had brown hair; the new hair was brown.

Roberts said that in experiments on animals it was necessary to continue small maintenance doses of the hormone to retain new hair grown on bald spots. He predicted this probably would be necessary for humans, too.

The hormone cream is white, odorless, and of the vanishing variety.

Roberts reported experiments on women were planned. To date he reported no bad reactions had been detected in either human beings or animals.

He announced the hormone would be made available from now on to research institutions, but would not be sold to the public. When it will be made available for medical or public use, depends on the results of research on larger numbers of bald persons.

Shrine Circus Lion Kills Tiger as Children Look On

DETROIT — While 3,000 horror-stricken children looked on at the opening performance of the Shrine circus, a lion and tiger tangled in a savage to the death fight.

The jungle beasts began to fight as Clyde Beatty, veteran animal trainer, was completing the final number of his act.

A lion, new to the show, suddenly jumped from his perch and pounced on a performing female tiger. He sank his teeth in her back.

Beatty fired blank cartridges at close range in a futile effort to drive the animals apart. The wounded tiger finally pulled loose and crept back to its cage. There it dropped dead.

Beatty said the tiger, Sheba, was one of the nation's top performing cats. He said the lion would remain in the act.

Later a troupe of bears, excited by the smell of blood in the center ring, had difficulty in performing their stunts. Otherwise the circus completed its program.

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