



# RE-ELECT KING FIKE DISTRICT ATTORNEY

For A

## Second Term

His Record During His First Term As

District Attorney Is:

53 Cases Tried; 51 Convictions; Only 2

Acquittals

On this basis of qualification, experience, and the record made, your support is solicited.

in Lubbock Monday and Tuesday, where Gene will enter Texas Tech this fall.

Mrs. C. R. Foster, Mrs. J. K. Richardson, and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates attended the Allen golden wedding anniversary at Gruver Sunday.

Mrs. Lester Goodman, Cleburne, Texas, is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Robinson.

Mrs. Bess Brown, Las Vegas, Nevada, came Tuesday evening for a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. M. Brown.

Mrs. M. C. Reynolds, Mrs. C. Dortch and Doris accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ted Reynolds and family to Amarillo last week for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Louis Lee visited relatives in Dalhart the first of the week.

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#### LOCAL NEWS

Jimmie Arnold is on the sick list with the mumps this week.

Miss Louise Mixon, Gate, Oklahoma, arrived Saturday for a 10 day visit with Miss Angie Taylor.

E. G. Gilmer was called to his home in Pampa Monday by the illness of his wife.

M. E. Seig, Wichita, Kansas, has moved to Stratford and will be associated with his brother, Jack Seig, in roofing and steeple jack

work.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Henderson and children, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Gill, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson spent the week end in Ordway, Colorado visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Thompson of San Diego, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pendleton and daughter, Lubbock, and Mrs. Pendleton's mother, Mrs. Raines of Dallas, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton Monday. They were enroute to the Colorado mountains for a few days vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Harrison and M. H. Harrison were visitors

## Re-Elect

# JOHN ALDRIDGE

## District Judge

### Second Term

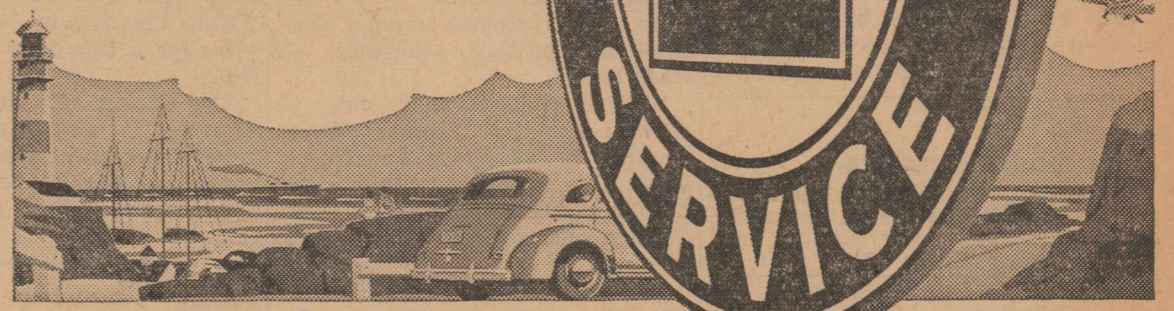
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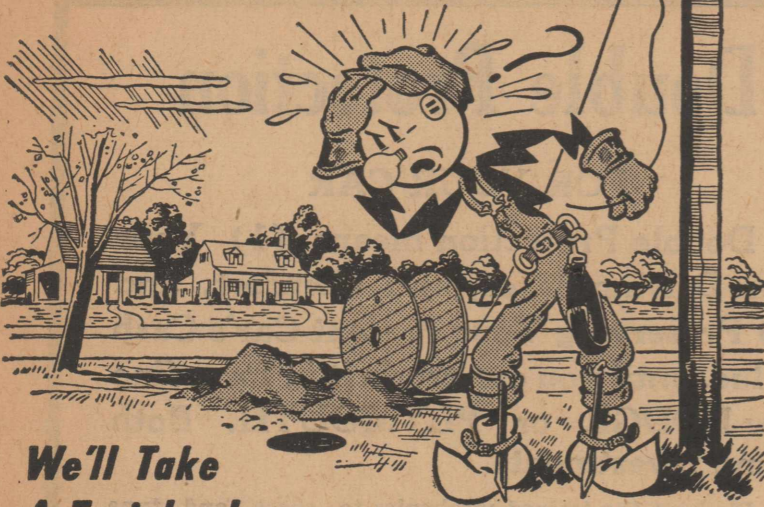
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**LOCAL NEWS**

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Fred Wright and granddaughter, Paula, from Morse, visited the T. D. Chisum family Tuesday. Lelah Price returned home last

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week after spending several weeks in Camp Waldemar, Calvert, and Houston, Texas. Jean Price is still in Calvert visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. A. W. Klawetter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neff, Boise City, visited in the W. C. Martin home from Thursday until Sunday of last week.

Billie Trent and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tillery, Maxwell, New Mexico, are visiting Mrs. Cora Coffman this week.

Mrs. M. C. Reynolds and grandson, Bobby Reynolds, left Saturday for a ten day visit with her sons, Harry and Paul Reynolds, at Nogal, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Gamble, Clayton, New Mexico, are here vis-

iting in the home of Mrs. Osa Gamble. They, with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kendrick went to Boys Ranch Sunday where they enjoyed a visit with friends, and had a lovely picnic lunch.

Mrs. B. M. Golladay and son, Chester, Amarillo, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Golladay Tuesday.

Howard Gibbons and Homer Smith were in Texhoma, Sunday at a ball game.

Mrs. H. J. Gryder went to Amarillo Tuesday and had her tonsils removed. She came home Wednesday night.

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**District Attorney**

**69th Judicial District**



FLOYD H. RICHARDS

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For the next four and one half years he was in the army; first as a Bombardier where he flew forty combat missions in the European Theatre of Operations, and later he was appointed Trial Judge Advocate (Prosecuting Attorney) at Midland Army Air Field.

He has now returned from the army, opened a law office in Dalhart and announced as a Candidate for District Attorney of this District.

We believe he has earned the promotion he asks. His experience as County Attorney and Trial Judge Advocate has qualified him for the advancement.

Your Vote and Support will be appreciated.

(This Ad Published and paid for by the friends of Floyd H. Richards).

**Local News**

Hodge Halle, Hedley, was a visitor Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Halle. He was enroute to Kit Carson, Colorado.

John and Kenneth Pemberton, and Bill Reed are attending the rodeo at Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson, Beeville, Texas, spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton, and Mrs. C. A. Wilson.

Miss Rita Burkstresser, Carlsbad, New Mexico, is here for a visit with

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**PHILCO CAR RADIOS and AERIALS**  
**RCA RADIO TUBES**

**Walden Electric Co.**  
 Phone 111

Mrs. C. V. Collins and other relatives.

Mrs. Zella Tackle visited her mother, Mrs. M. B. Green, in Hereford Friday.

Hardy Coffman is the owner of a new jeep.

J. L. Hass returned to Hot Springs, New Mexico Tuesday where he is building a home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Pronger, Jr., left Thursday morning for Cheyenne, Wyoming, and will tour Yellow Stone Park before returning. Their daughter, Ann, is staying with her aunt, Mrs. Harold Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pendleton left Sunday morning for a vacation in the mountains.

Mrs. H. P. Ballengee, Mexico City, arrived Thursday of last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kelley left Wednesday morning for Springdale, Arkansas to visit Mrs. Kelley's brother, Elmore Gladish, and family. They will also visit Mr. Kelley's brother at Ponca City, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pendleton are enjoying a vacation at Red River, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reeder, Bushland, visited relatives and friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Hester, Conlen, have returned from their honeymoon spent at Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates and Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Cooper were visitors in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Marshall, Texhoma, were visitors here Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Van B. Boston returned Thursday of last week from a fishing trip to Lake City, Colorado.

Mrs. Lee Ellen Bonar and Kathryn were in Amarillo Sunday and Monday on business.

B. A. Donelson and Conde Donelson are in Colorado this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Martin were in Dalhart Thursday attending the

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Senator Allan Shivers is the only candidate for lieutenant governor who has the experience and qualifications that are so badly needed to properly preside over the Texas Senate, the lieutenant governor's chief function. Allan Shivers gained this experience through 12 years of service as a senator, interrupted only by two years overseas duty with the Army. He is also the only war veteran seeking the lieutenant governor's office.

livestock auction. Mrs. J. T. Gibbons has been confined to her home for the past two

weeks, suffering from a badly burned foot, but reports it is slowly healing again.

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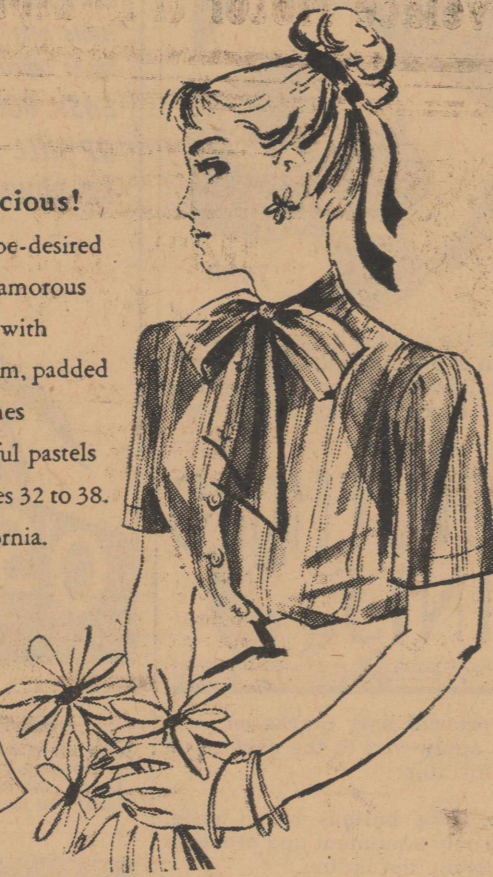
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Hershey's COCOA 1/2 Pound Box	10	No. 1 PECANS Pound	39
Rockwoods BAKING CHOCOLATE 1/2 Pound Bar 2 For	27	SPINACH White Swan California No. 2 Can 2 For	35
P.E.A.S Mission No. 2 Can 2 For	29	Ranch Style BEANS Tall Can 2 For	21
SOY BEANS No. 2 Can 2 For	9	GREEN BEANS Wapco No. 2 Can 2 For	31

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**LOCAL NEWS**

Mrs. J. L. Turner was brought home from Northwest Texas hospital in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wisdom and children left Saturday for a visit in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

J. P. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. James Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cameron, returned Saturday from a vacation in the mountains of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garoutte have returned to Stratford from Albuquerque, New Mexico.

J. H. Yates, Texhoma, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cummings, and E. F. Spurlock returned Wednesday evening of last week from a visit to Lake City, and Canon City, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Steel are visiting his father, A. L. Steel, in Weatherford, Texas.

**Spurlock News**

There were 31 attending Sunday School and preaching Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Huckabee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sweny and family.

Carl Sweny spent Sunday visiting Letha Gayle and Donna Federic.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hudson and Sue were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Guy Sweny was a Dalhart visitor Saturday.

Miss Ina Faye Sweny is at home after attending school at Denton

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Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hudson and Clyde of Stratford, Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Foreman and Janet, Miss La Vaye Roye spent Sunday afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hudson and Sue, and Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Hudson and Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Spurlock and Kaye attended a family reunion at Gray, Oklahoma Sunday. The reunion was to celebrate Mrs. Spurlock's great grandmother's, (Grand Mother Freeman's) 60th birthday.

**NUMBER 724  
NOTICE TO DEBTORS  
AND CREDITORS**

TO THOSE INDEBTED TO, OR HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM A. HUBBARD, deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed sole and independent Executrix of the Estate of William A. Hubbard, deceased late of Sherman County, Texas, by L. P. Hunter, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 24th day of June A. D. 1946, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said Estate to present them to her within the time provided by law at her residence in Stratford, Texas where she receives her mail. Dated July 1, A. D. 1946.

JANE POOLE, Executrix of the Estate of William A. Hubbard, Deceased.  
39-4tc.

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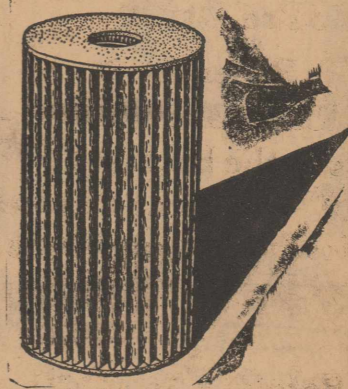
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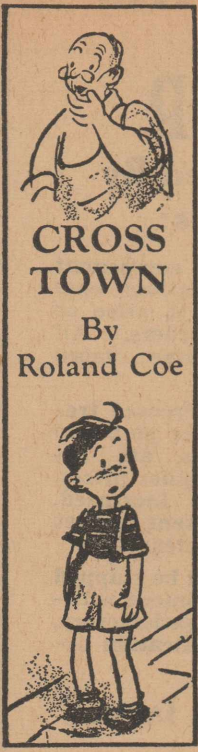
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**BOBBY SOX**  
By Marty Links



"Let's see it again—I still don't believe a woman can possibly resist Gregory Peck for two hours!"



**CROSS TOWN**  
By Roland Coe



"Don't worry, Mom—it's only my teddy bear."

**NANCY**



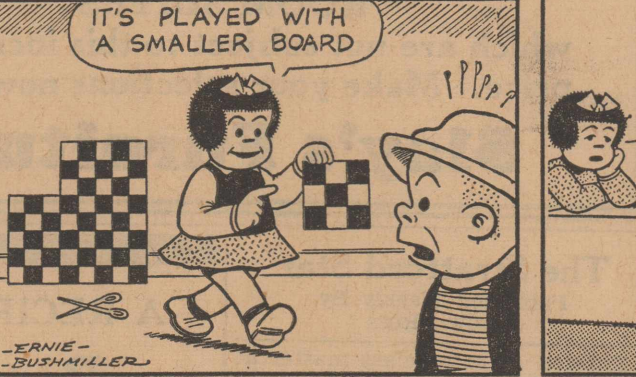
I WISH HE'D LEAVE—I'VE BEEN HUNTING FOR HOURS



NANCY---HOW ABOUT ONE GAME OF CHECKERS?--- THEN I'LL GO HOME



OH, SLUGGO--- I INVENTED A NEW KIND OF CHECKER GAME



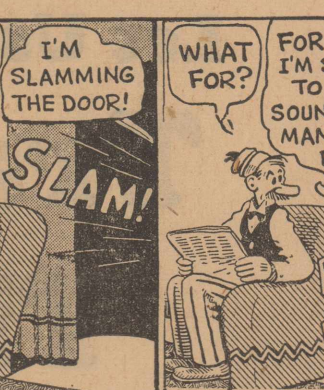
IT'S PLAYED WITH A SMALLER BOARD

By Ernie Bushmiller

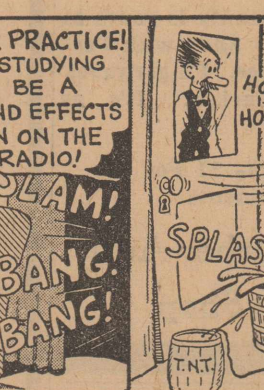
**MUTT AND JEFF**



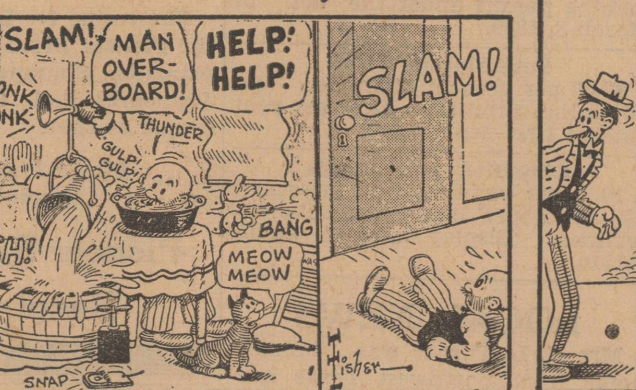
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JEFF WHAT ARE YOU DOING?



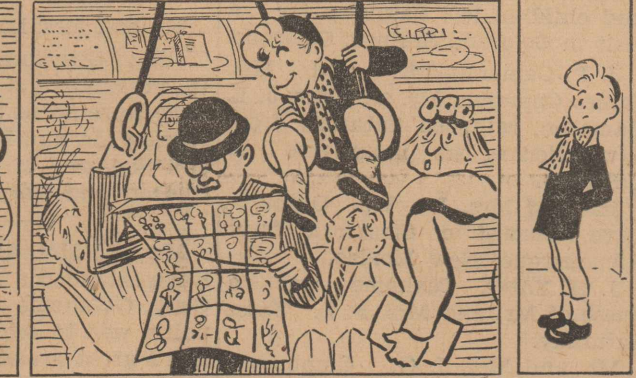
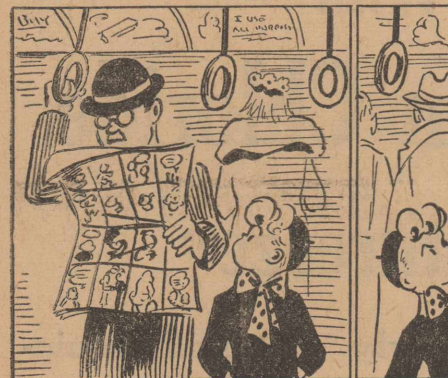
I'M SLAMMING THE DOOR!



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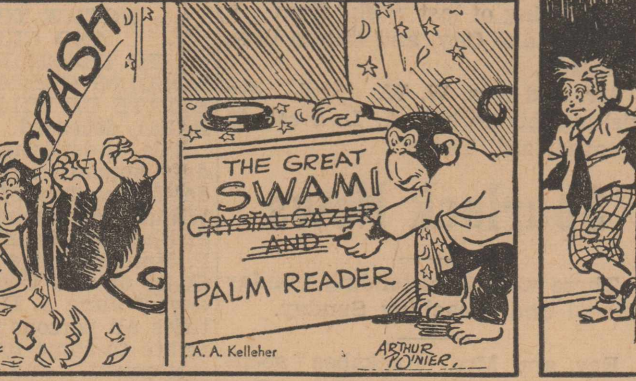
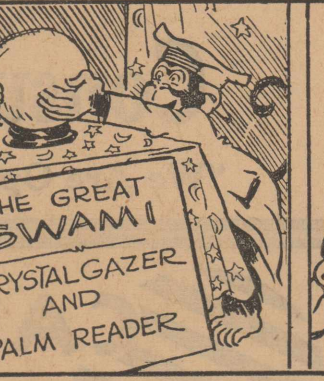
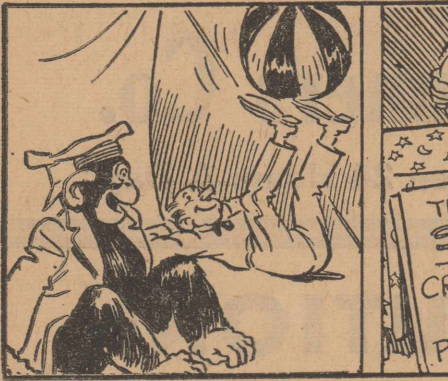
By Bud Fisher

**LITTLE REGGIE**



By Margarita

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**REG'LAR FELLERS**



RUN DOWN TO THE FISH MARKET AND GET ME SOME FISH, PINHEAD— ANY KIND— SO I WON'T HAVE TO GO HOME EMPTY HANDED!



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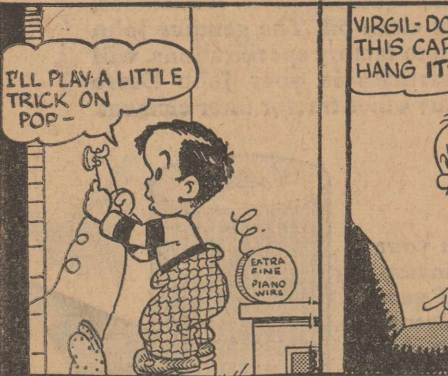
I SAID THAT'S ALL WE'VE GOT— TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT!



OKAY, SIMON LEGREE—I'LL TAKE 'EM ALL!

By Gene Byrnes

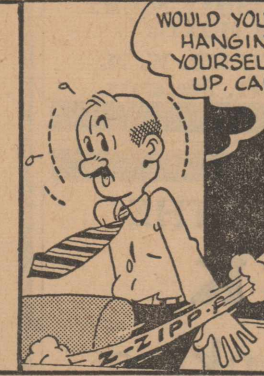
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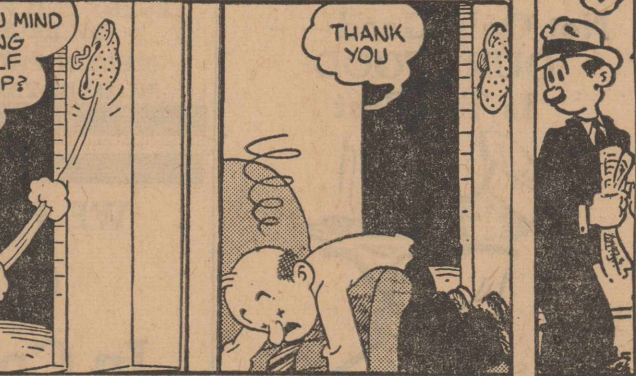
I'LL PLAY A LITTLE TRICK ON POP—



VIRGIL—DO YOU EXPECT THIS CAP OF YOURS TO HANG ITSELF UP?



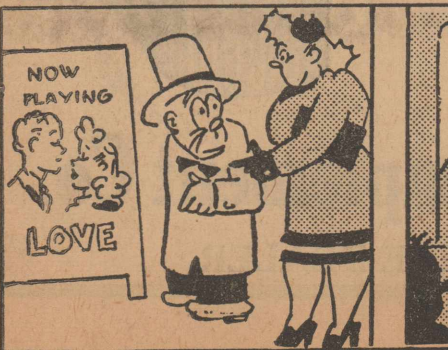
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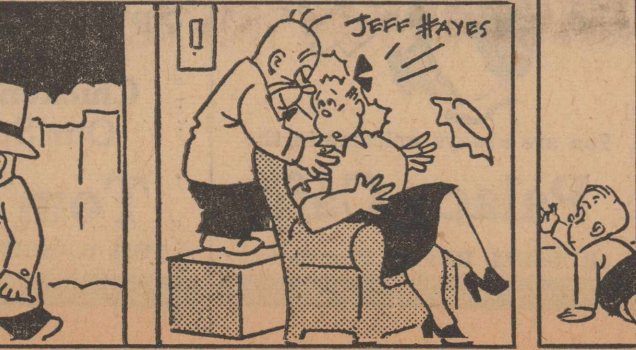
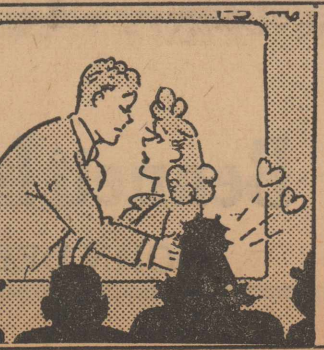
WOULD YOU MIND HANGING YOURSELF UP, CAP?

By Len Kleis

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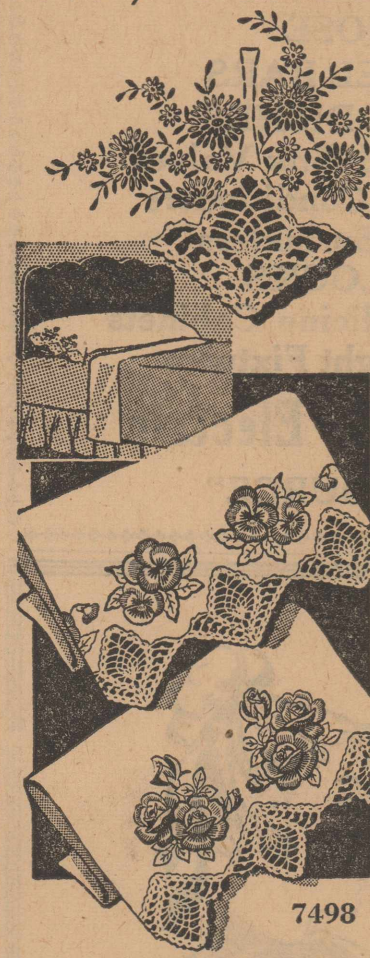


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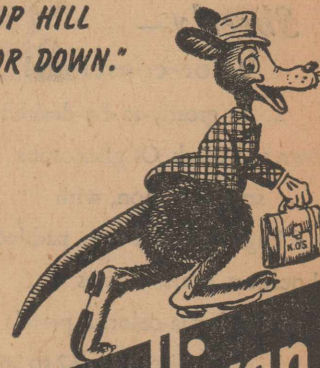
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To avoid cloudy iced tea never pour hot tea over ice or place it in the refrigerator. Let the tea cool in room temperature first.

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When washing hollow handled knives do not allow them to remain too long in water as this might loosen them.

To clean a soured sponge, rub fresh lemon into it thoroughly. Rinse several times in lukewarm water.

Tins which are not badly stained can be polished well with brown paper that has been moistened in vinegar.

Colored chenille spreads should never be washed with other cottons even if they are color-fast. It is important, too, that the machine or tub be well washed first, for lint from other cotton clings to the chenille tufts and gives them a dull look you won't like.

Use old shower curtains to make aprons, bibs, place mats, or sash curtains for the bathroom.

Hang up towels to dry immediately after using them to prevent mildew. Never put a damp towel in the laundry bag or leave it in a heap on the bathroom floor.



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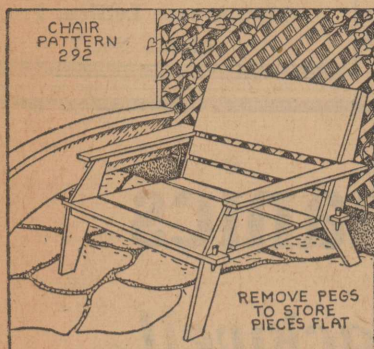
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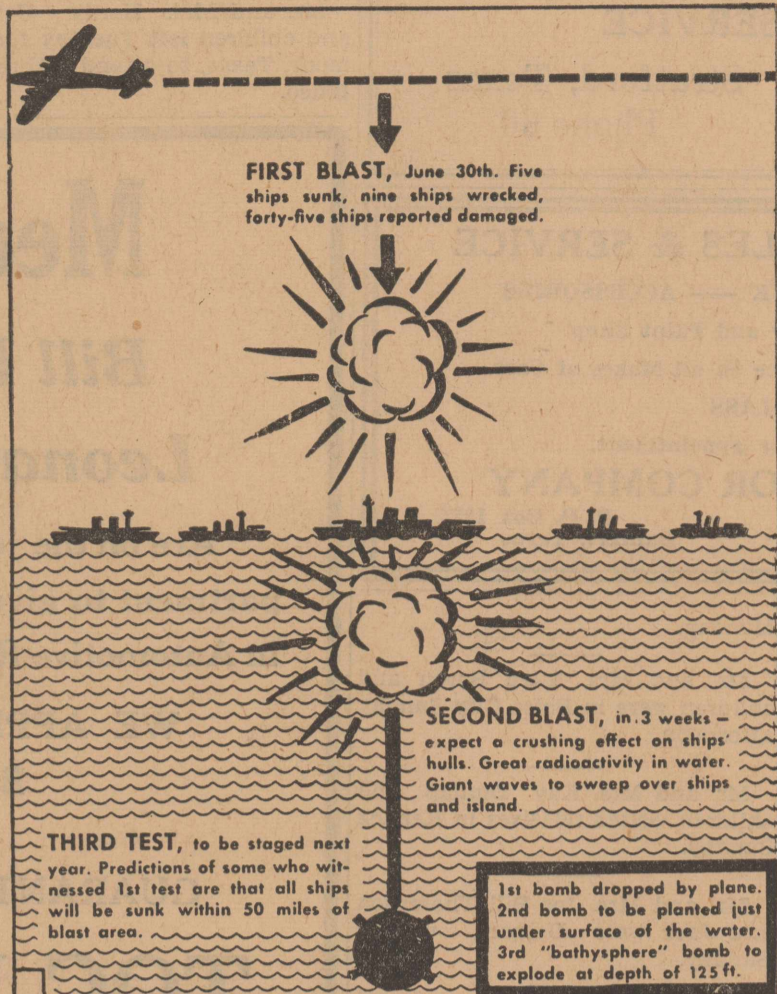
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ENDLESS ARGUMENTS RAGE

World Awaits Second Test of Atomic Bomb



By WALTER A. SHEARD WNU Correspondent.

ABOARD USS APPALACHIAN OPERATIONS CROSSROADS.—Second or Baker test of the atomic bomb in Bikini lagoon, now tentatively set for July 25, will be like dynamiting fish in a pond.

Lacking will be the glamour of the army air force and precision bombing as the whole thing will be a navy show.

This second test also will lack the drama of the bomb burst and the atomic cloud, which is characteristic of atomic bombs exploded in air.

Naval scientists predict that force of the underwater blast will create waves of sufficient height, possibly 10 or more feet which will sweep over low-lying Bikini island, although this was also forecast in the first blast and did not materialize.

Precision Bombing. When it is considered that this bomb was dropped from a height of something like six miles and hit within a 1,000-yard circle, this reporter would consider that pretty good precision bombing.

Arkansas May Be Second Target Ship The Saratoga, which suffered only negligible damage in the first test, is that her commander, Capt. Donald MacMahon, knowing that she was slated for the second target ship made a wager with a friend in Washington, before bringing the ship to Bikini, that he would take her back to the East coast under her own power.

Target ship, or vessel nearest center of the blast, for the second atomic bomb test may be the over-age battleship Arkansas, it has been indicated by reliable sources although no definite announcement has been made by Adm. W. H. P. Blandy, commander of operations crossroads and the joint task force.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D. Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for July 28

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JESUS AND REVERENCE FOR SPIRITUAL VALUES

LESSON TEXT—Exodus 20:7; Leviticus 19:12; Matthew 5:33-37; Mark 7:5-8; 8:34-36. MEMORY SELECTION—But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.—Matthew 6:33.

Reverence is not an incidental thing which we may or may not choose to have in our lives. It is vital. Reverence toward God and the things of God will result in respect for all values in life.

I. Reverence in Worship (Exod. 20:7; Lev. 19:12).

The Lord rightfully expects from us a proper attitude toward him. If we worship him as we should, we shall find that other matters fall into their proper relationships.

It is never to be used carelessly, or for a frivolous purpose. All too often we tell jokes or stories which have no real purpose or meaning except to elicit a laugh, and in them we use the name of God.

The Hebrew word translated "vain" has the additional meaning of "evil" and "falsehood." Men are so bold that they may even use the name of God to support themselves in a lie.

II. Reverence in Words (Matt. 5: 33-37).

The Sermon on the Mount (so-called), from which this portion of Scripture is taken, is difficult to interpret to the satisfaction of all.

Others, who rightly interpret the passage as presenting the laws and principles of life in the kingdom of God, when it shall be fully set up on earth with Jesus as King, fail to make any application of those principles to life.

We who follow the Lord Jesus are not to swear by either things sacred or things that might be called secular. Perhaps he has in mind that our lives should be so true that men will not need to have any kind of oath to be assured of our sincerity and honesty.

Words which do not issue in works are worse than meaningless. They lead to acceptance of a formal religious system which is dangerous.

III. Reverence in Works (Mark 7:5-8).

Who will deny that much of the church life of our day has reached that same sad state of "much ado about nothing"—talk, talk, talk, and no honest disposition to deal with sin, or to seek holiness of life.

IV. Reverence in Will (Mark 8: 34-36).

Here true reverence shows itself in recognizing that God's will is "good and acceptable and perfect" (Rom. 12:1).

Following the Christ of Calvary calls for a willingness to say no to self (literally, to deny any connection with self-life) and to follow through with him on the path of shame and crucifixion.

Equally foolish is the one who supposes that this world has anything to satisfy the human soul.

Foolishly to attempt to hold one's life for self is to lose it. That painful loss has left brokenhearted, wrecked lives all along the path of man's history.

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ASK ME ANOTHER? A General Quiz

- 1. How many capitals did the United States have since the Declaration of Independence? 2. Where did Portland cement gets its name? 3. Did spaghetti originate in Italy? 4. The walls of what city came tumbling down because of the shattering effects of sound waves? 5. What former President was chief justice of the United States? 6. Who made the comment by song, "I'll never, never find a better friend than Old Dog Tray"?

The Answers

- 1. Nine. 2. From "Portland stone" which comes from England. It bears a close resemblance to Portland cement. 3. No. Marco Polo introduced spaghetti to Italy from China. 4. Jericho. 5. William Howard Taft. 6. Stephen Foster.

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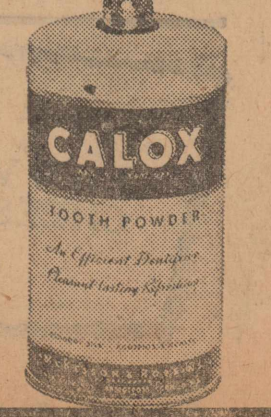
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**Kerrick News**

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Chenault are the parents of a baby girl, born Monday at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

Mary Taylor came home from Goodwell, Oklahoma Friday, where

she had been attending summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin O'Berg and children of Livermore, California visited in the home of Mrs. Minnie McDaniel last week. Mrs. O'Berg is Hosie McDaniel's sister.

Mrs. Joe Taylor and Marjorie Mathews returned home Saturday,

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Mr. and Mrs. Harbour were in  
Amarillo several days last week,  
visiting and looking after business  
interests.

Joe Taylor and Mary, and Mrs.  
Nina Fedric were Amarillo visitors

**Roxy Theatre**

STRATFORD, TEXAS

July 25 and 26

"Miss Susie Slagle's"

Sonny Tufts and Veronica Lake

July 27

"Stranger From

Santa Fe"

Johnny Mac Brown

July 28 and 29

"What Next Corporal

Hargrove?"

Robert Walker and Keenan Wynn

July 30 and 31

"Behind Green Lights"

Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Boren and  
children were in Boise City Sunday  
afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kay Dunlap and  
children visited relatives in Kerrick  
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bill Thompson  
and Jack were Dalhart visitors  
Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Vaughan went to  
Amarillo Monday, where she will  
spend several days this week.

Mrs. Mettie James and Lois and  
A. S. Taylor of Trenton, Tennessee,  
who visited relatives in Rankin,  
Texas, last week, have returned to  
Kerrick. Mr. Taylor will visit relatives  
here a few more days before  
returning to his home in Ten-  
nessee.

**LOCAL NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Vincent, who  
have been visiting Mrs. Vincent's  
parents, the W. G. O'Briens, have  
returned to their home in Wichita  
Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hendrix and  
family of Hotchkiss, Colorado, were  
guests Sunday in the home of Mr.

**WANT ADS**

CUSTOM PLOWING, Tommy  
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**NOTICE OF INTENTION TO  
ISSUE REFUNDING  
BONDS**

TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED  
PROPERTY TAXPAYING VOT-  
ERS OF THE CITY OF STRAT-  
FORD, TEXAS:

TAKE NOTICE that on the 20th  
day of August, 1946, the City Council  
of the City of Stratford, Texas,  
at the regular meeting place there-  
of in the office of the City Secre-  
tary, located in the City Hall, in  
said City, will pass and adopt an  
ordinance authorizing the issuance  
of the coupon bonds of said City in  
the principal sum of SIXTY  
THOUSAND DOLLARS, (\$60,000.00)  
for the purpose of refunding, can-  
celling and in lieu of an equal  
amount of indebtedness of said  
City represented by \$60,000.00 2 3/4%  
and 3% "City of Stratford, Texas,  
Sanitary Sewer System Warrants",  
dated June 6, 1945.

FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that  
the proposed refunding bonds  
shall bear interest at the rate of  
TWO AND THREE-QUARTERS  
PER CENTUM (2 3/4%) per annum,  
and shall mature serially over a  
period of years, the maximum ma-  
turity date to be the FIRST DAY  
OF NOVEMBER 1961.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE  
that the warrants proposed to be  
refunded and cancelled by the  
issuance of the proposed bonds are  
fully described in that certain  
resolution adopted by the City  
Council of said City on the 16th  
day of July, 1946, which resolution  
is recorded in Book 2 page 34 et  
seq., of the Minutes of said City  
Council, and to which reference is  
here made for a more detailed de-  
scription of said warrants, and  
such resolution is adopted by re-  
ference in respect of the description  
of said warrants and shall be con-  
sidered as much a part of this  
notice as if incorporated herein.

WITNESS MY OFFICIAL SIG-  
NATURE, this 16 day of July,  
1946, pursuant to authority confer-  
red by the City Council of the City  
of Stratford, Texas.  
G. E. GARLSON, Mayor,  
City of Stratford, Texas.  
41-3tc



Red or White SPUDS, 10 Pounds	39
Yellow or White SQUASH      Pound	8
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Green Beans      Pound	13

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Nabisco Shredded	14
Wheat	14
Best Quality ORANGE JUICE 46 Ounces	49
Sunsweet PRUNE JUICE Quart	33

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CHEESE, 1/2 Lb.      28

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Admiration, Pound      33

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**Brown's Food Store**

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Miss Alice Lorraine Mitchell,  
Dalhart, spent the week end with  
Miss Jerry Kelp.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl were in  
Amarillo Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Coffman  
and children left Tuesday for Sey-  
mour, Texas, to attend a three day  
rodeo.

Mike Burgess and J. L. Hass re-  
turned Saturday from a fishing  
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