

County 4-H Club Camp June 13-14

The Sherman County 4-H Boys and Girls annual camp will be held June 13th and 14th at Bivins Ranch, located in the east part of Sherman County.

Recreation at the camp will include swimming, ball games and a short program will be given Friday evening. The boys and girls will enjoy camp-fire cooking, and open air sleeping conditions.

The camp will be open to 4-H boys and girls, their parents, club sponsors and interested local people. Boys from Stratford will play the Texhoma boys baseball, which promises to develop some heated competition as these towns each have a junior ball club organized.

Herring-Pronger Nuptial Vows Read Sunday

Miss Jimmie Herring, daughter of Mrs. H. B. Herring, Tyler, became the bride of Alfred Pronger, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pronger, in a wedding solemnized at 4:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the First Baptist Church in Tyler with Rev. Bailes, pastor, officiating.

The bride is a graduate of the Tyler High School, Sam Houston State Teachers College at Huntsville, and was employed as a teacher in the public schools of Tyler.

The groom graduated from Stratford High School, Texas A. & M. College at College Station, and served in the U. S. Army for four years.

Following a honeymoon trip to points in West Texas the young couple will make their home in Stratford, the groom being associated with the Pronger Bros. ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pronger, P. J. Pronger, Miss Mildred Bennett and W. L. Pendleton attended the wedding.

Ted Reynolds Building Home In Stratford

Ted Reynolds has purchased the Harris house in the northeast part of Stratford which is being wrecked this week. The lumber will be used in building a modern home for Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds at this location.

Albert's Grocery Burglarized Saturday Night

Albert's Grocery was entered Saturday night and all small change left in the cash register was taken.

Church News

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Howard Whatley, Pastor
Sunday
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship Service 11:00 A. M.
Training Union Visitation 5:30 P. M.
Training Union 7:00 P. M.
Evening Worship Service 8:00 P. M.
Wednesday
W. M. S. 3:30 P. M.
Bible Study and Prayer Service 8:00 P. M.
Choir Rehearsal 8:30 P. M.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bible classes 10:00 A. M.
Morning services 11:00 A. M.
Evening services 7:30 P. M.
Wednesday evening services 8:00 P. M.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning worship 11:00 A. M.
Evangelistic service 8:00 P. M.
Bible study and prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8:00 P. M.
Everyone is invited to attend these services.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. H. A. Nichols, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Sunday morning services 10:55 A. M.
Evening worship at 8:00 P. M.
Junior League 6:30 P. M.
Intermediate MYF 6:30 P. M.
Senior MYF 6:30 P. M.
Young People's choir practice Monday evening at 8:00 P. M.
W. S. C. S. Wednesday at 2:30 P. M.
Choir practice Wednesday night at 8:00.
Thursday night Intermediate play night 7:30 to 8:30 P. M.

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Demand For County Spraying Unit Increases

The demand for using the county spraying equipment is increasing rapidly as we move into the hornfly season for livestock. Over 1,500 head of cattle have been sprayed during the past week and calls at the county agent's office for using this equipment are building up fast.

The county makes this sprayer available to the livestock men and farmers for spraying cattle, barns and weeds at a minimum cost for maintenance and operation under supervision of the county agent. Two men can operate the machine and spray from 150 to 200 head of cattle per hour where suitable pens for handling the livestock are available, or approximately three acres of weeds per hour can be sprayed.

For spraying cattle for hornflies and lice control the Extension Service of Texas recommends three sprayings during the normal fly season in the Panhandle, one additional treatment may be required occasionally.

First treatment now or as soon as hornflies begin to infest your cattle. Apply DDT wettable dust mixed in water at .2 percent strength in spray form, with 250 to 300 pounds pressure. Usually takes about three quarts to 1 gallon to spray a cow.

Second treatment in 2 to 3 weeks using double strength or 4 percent strength DDT wettable dust mixed in water. This treatment will kill the flies and lice and should protect the cattle through the balance of the dry summer weather.

Third treatment should be made when flies come back in late summer or early fall using the same mixture as applied in the second treatment above. This treatment should clean up any lice present and protect the cattle to cold weather or when the normal hornfly season is over.

Saleman In Truck Wreck Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Salesman escaped with minor injuries Sunday afternoon when the steering rod of their truck came loose causing the vehicle to overturn. The accident occurred on U. S. highway 54 south of Dalhart.

Commissioners Meeting Monday

The County Commissioners' Court met in regular session Monday for a routine meeting devoted mostly to paying the county's expenses for the month of May.

Stucco Roxy Theatre Walls

Tile walls of the Roxy Theatre have been stuccoed this week. Tom W. Hodges did the stucco work.

Hank Says:

The other day I heard of a fellow who I feel sorry for, during the past few years he has made so much money and has expanded so fast with various interests that the strain was too much for him, he went crazy. But you know, I kinda' envy him at that, I think I had rather take a chance on going crazy by worrying over having too much than to go crazy by worrying over how I am going to get it.

Worry, worry, worry,
Hank Sherrad.

Bridal Shower Given For Mrs. M. Mauldin Saturday Afternoon

Mrs. Mack Mauldin, the former Miss Lenoir Alexander, was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. D. B. Grimes Saturday from 3:00 to 6:00. The house was beautifully decorated with home grown roses. Punch and cookies were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Jimmie Jackson, Mrs. M. L. Matthews and Miss Wanda Jean Bryant.

Warm weather encourages growth of bacteria in milk. Clean milk cooled quickly gives quality.

Lions To Aid 4-H Club Boys And Girls

Stratford Lions will defray the expenses of a 4-H club boy and girl to the annual encampment held in College Station this year, it was decided at the meeting Monday night.

Formerly a 4-H club girl has been sent to College Station by the Sherman County Home Demonstration Club ladies and a 4-H club boy has been sent to the encampment by the Sherman County Farm Bureau. The Lions club program will make possible trips for additional members of the 4-H clubs to be selected for outstanding work in their club and community.

Revival Meeting Will Close Sunday

Revival services at the Church of Christ will continue through Sunday with H. Lester Parker, Minister of the Scott Street Church of Christ, Dalhart, presenting the gospel messages.

Services are conducted daily at 10:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M. The general public is invited to attend.

Lions Club Committees To Be Named

Newly elected officers of the Stratford Lions Club were installed at the meeting of the club Monday night. Appointment of committees will be made at the meeting at the Palace Cafe Monday night of next week which will probably be the last meeting of the club until after the harvest season.

Orval Blades Building Apartments

Orval Blades has secured housing units from the Dalhart air base which he has moved to a location in the west part of Stratford on U. S. highway 287. He plans to remodel the buildings into 8 three-room apartments.

Davis-Seig Wedding Saturday

Mrs. Jack Davis and Jack Seig were married in a quiet ceremony with Rev. Howard Whatley officiating, in the parsonage of the Baptist Church Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Seig will make their home in Stratford, the groom having bought lots west of the A. W. Allen resident where he will erect a 6 room brick and tile home.

Mrs. Seig was reared in Sherman County. Mr. Seig entered the roofing business in Stratford in 1934 and continued to make annual visits here until he entered naval service. Following his discharge, he chose Stratford as his home.

Roy Mitchell Remodels Home

Roy Mitchell has moved a two-story building to lots he owns in northeast Stratford which he is having remodeled into a modern home for him and his wife.

Legion Entertained Thursday

American Legion members were entertained with a covered dish luncheon by the Legion Auxiliary in the club room at the courthouse Thursday night. Following the luncheon the game of "42" was enjoyed by about 20 members and guests.

Equalization Board Meeting Continued

Sitting as a state and county board of equalization, the Commissioners' Court disposed of several tax problems while in session Friday, giving a great deal of their time to utilities and oil company taxes.

The board will sit in a second session June 20, at which time those who oppose the raising of taxes will have an opportunity to appear.

The purpose of the equalization board is to equalize the tax valuation of all land in Sherman County which for many years was valued according to its distance from a market.

Leon Guthrie Building New Modern Home

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Guthrie are building a new tile and brick home north of the L. N. Lee residence. The new home will include four rooms and a bath.

Kirkwood Car Damaged At Intersection

Mrs. Earl Kirkwood and children were shaken Monday when a Colorado tourist ran through the stop signal at the intersection of U. S. highways 54 and 287 and plowed into the Kirkwood car. Mrs. Kirkwood and children sustained only minor injuries although the car was damaged extensively.

Spurlock News

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sweny and Carol went to Canyon Thursday after their son who has been attending college there.

Vernon Carter went to Canyon Thursday after his brother, Dwayne, who has been attending college there.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyle Carter brought their niece, Virginia, home from Canyon Wednesday. She has been attending school there.

Jim Sweny is now employed by the Shamrock Oil and Gas Co.

Bob Sweny left Saturday for Adrian where he has accepted a job with a construction crew.

Mrs. Vernon Morris was taken to the Loretta Hospital in Dalhart Friday where she underwent an appendicitis operation. She is recovering nicely and is expected home in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Oma Ellison, Billie Ann and Don went to Amarillo Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Meritt Sweny and Ina Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Sweny were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Miss Mary Simpson is expected home from Washington, D. C. about the 13th. She will visit in the home of her mother, Mrs. E. M. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Dortch, Maxine, Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Kelly and family spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cartrite.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cartrite spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cartrite.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Dovel and family of Electra, Texas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hudson Monday evening.

The Southside Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Guy R. Sweny Tuesday afternoon. The lesson was on basket weaving under the direction of the Home Demonstration agent, Miss Dixon. Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Meritt Sweny, Oma Ellison, Luther Browder, N. W. Hudson, Arthur Cartrite, Hubert Richards, and Misses Dorothy Dixon, Billie Ann Ellison, Ina Fay Sweny and Carol May Sweny.

June 16 To 21 Is Stratford Clean-Up Week

Stratford's Clean-Up week opens Monday, June 16, and will continue through Saturday, June 21. Trash placed in alleys in trash cans or neatly placed to be easily hauled away, will be hauled to the dump grounds by truckers hired by the Stratford Lions Club, who will continue their work until the cleaning up of the town is completed, according to Leo Smith and Kenneth Kendrick, members of the Lions Club committee assigned to make arrangements for the hauling program.

DDT SPRAY PROGRAM

Lions are busy making arrangements with the County Commissioners Court for use of the county sprayer to spray all the alleys in the city with DDT as a polio preventative measure.

Cooperation Requested

Cooperation of citizens in placing trash to be hauled from their residences as well as the business district is urged. Repeated delays of the program have caused many citizens to lose interest. In view of this lost interest Lions Club members urge citizens to have their trash in readiness to avoid missing the opportunity to have it hauled away when the trucks start running Monday morning.

Constructing Stone Cemetery Gate Entrance

Construction of the Lions Club sponsored stone entrance gate for the Stratford Cemetery became a reality Tuesday morning when W. D. Ellis placed the concrete foundations for the structure. Designed by W. W. Sandefur, the entrance gate will be built of red, gray and white stone, with a 14-foot clearance space in which steel gates will hang.

Stratford Wins Over Keyes

Stratford won an easy baseball game over Keyes Sunday afternoon. Although there is some dispute over the official score, the score book shows Stratford won 18 to 9.

Owen Hudson, Ellison, Tillery, Wells, Gunzelman, N. W. Hudson, Allen, Edward Brannan, Wickstrum and Donelson played during the game.

Stratford Laundry Installs New Equipment

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hawkins have installed a new 54 inch mangle and a Meadows shirt press in the Stratford Laundry.

Miss Harding Attended MYF Abilene Assembly

Miss Ruby Dell Harding attended the Young People's Assembly of the Methodist Church held in Abilene last week. She returned with a delegation to Borger Saturday where she was met by her mother, Mrs. Ralph Harding, Mrs. J. G. Cummings and Mrs. Ernest Cummings.

Elevator Office Repainted

The interior of the office of the Stratford Grain Company at the frame elevator is being repainted this week.

McKibbin Building Apartments

James C. McKibbin, Etter, is moving a building from the Dalhart air base to lots purchased in east Stratford which he will remodel into apartments.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the many kindnesses shown us by our friends during our recent bereavement.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cowdrey

City Taxes Equalized Friday

Tax valuations of most property in Stratford was raised about 35 percent at the meeting of the City Tax Equalization Board in session Friday.

Little change was made in recently constructed property which has been rendered at a higher valuation than improvements made several years ago.

It is hoped that the additional taxes will check-mate the growing demand on City tax funds for additional improvements for a rapidly growing little city.

Flower Vases Are Cemetery Problem

Vases and jars in which flowers are placed on graves memorial day present a problem for the caretaker as the leaving of many of these containers on graves after the flowers have perished take from the beauty of surrounding improvements. Relatives and friends who wish to keep the vases should either visit the cemetery for them or notify Arthur Folsom of their desires for the disposal of the vases and jars.

New Ladies Club May Be Organized Next Thursday

A meeting will be held in the County Home Demonstration Agent's office at the Courthouse Thursday, June 19, when the agent and the expansion committee of the Sherman County Home Demonstration Club will hold a hearing upon the request of several ladies in this locality for the organization of a new home demonstration club.

All ladies interested in joining a home demonstration club are invited to be present at 2:00 P. M. when a new club will be organized if there is a sufficient number of ladies present.

Leroy Judds Injured In Car Accident

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Judd were injured Friday afternoon when their car was side-swiped by a truck driven by Harry Bramblett of Amarillo. The accident occurred on U. S. 287 about 8 miles south of Dumas. Leroy is suffering from a broken arm and leg injury, Mrs. Judd has a leg injury, while their year-old baby and Mrs. Judd's ten year old brother escaped without injury.

T. J. Chisum Buried At San Jon

T. J. Chisum, father of T. D. Chisum, passed away at his home in San Jon, New Mexico May 29. Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chisum has returned from San Jon where they attended funeral services.

Continues Cemetery Beautification

Arthur Folsom, caretaker of the Stratford Cemetery, points with pride at the clean appearance of the cemetery in comparison to its former appearance when the Stratford Cemetery Association was organized.

Although recent wet weather hindered mowing of the grass, shrubs and evergreens planted in the cemetery this year are growing rapidly. Flowers have been planted in several sections. Stone curbs and grave coverings have been added during the year.

Harber Tourist Court Under Construction

H. L. Harber, Dumas, has purchased lots on U. S. 287 just across the street from the Midway Cafe and is moving buildings from the Dalhart air base which he is remodeling for a tourist court he hopes to have completed in the near future.

Rural people make up only 18 percent of the country's entire population.

PAMC Offers Driving Course

An instructor's course in driving

will be offered at Panhandle A. & M. College, beginning Monday, and extending through June 20. An Oklahoma State Highway Patrolman will use a special equipped car with dual controls for teaching the

course which will be offered eight hours a day during the five day period.

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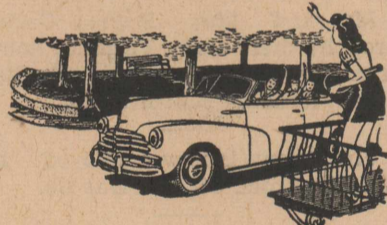
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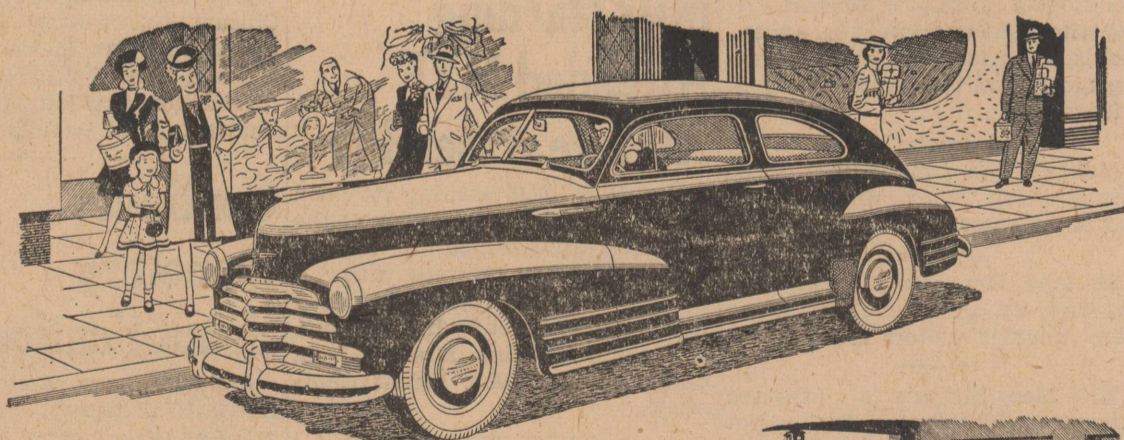
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MEAT CUT Quiz



Q. What is the name of this cut of meat?

A. This is a blade pot-roast of beef.

Q. Where does the cut come from, and how is it identified?

A. The blade pot-roast comes from the regular chuck or shoulder section of beef. It lies between the rib roast and the neck. It may be identified by the thin blade bone and the back-bone.

Q. How should this cut be prepared?

A. Blade pot-roast is a less-tender cut which should always be braised to produce tender and juicy meat. For additional flavor, the meat is browned evenly in 2 to 3 tablespoons of lard or drippings.

After the pot-roast is browned a small amount of liquid (1/4 to 1/2 cup) is added, the meat is covered and allowed to simmer 3 to 4 hours or until it is tender.

nish his or her own linens. Meals may be secured in the college dining hall.

Temporary Dentures Eliminate Long Wait for New Plates

Nearly every person today can have artificial dentures immediately after he has had his natural teeth extracted, it is reported in the Journal of the American Medical Association. No longer is it necessary for the average person to go through the embarrassment of appearing in public without teeth while his permanent dentures are being prepared, according to an article by Dr. Frank C. Hughes, professor of prosthetic dentistry at Indiana university, Indianapolis.

As a matter of fact, Dr. Hughes pointed out, the dental process of installing immediate dentures is so effective from an appearance standpoint that no one outside the immediate family need ever know about the patient's false teeth.

"The old practice of extracting the teeth and telling the patient to go into seclusion and come back next fall for dentures" is all but obsolete," Dr. Hughes said. In addition to eliminating the embarrassment of a long edentulous (toothless) period, immediate dentures act as a splint which promotes faster healing and eliminates considerable pain, he said.

Hotbed Seed

Seeds may be sown in hotbeds or cold frames to furnish plants for early garden crops. You can save several weeks by growing them in this way. Hotbed soil should be free of disease and weed seeds. Soil should be of a texture which will allow good germination and will not crust or bake. The soil should be firmed over the seed. This allows better ventilation, easier pulling of plants, root pruning, and the control of "damping-off" and some other diseases by allowing stirring of the soil between the rows. Watering should be done not too often, but thoroughly enough to wet about three or four inches of soil. Ventilation should be given on warm bright days to keep the plants stocky. Such plants as cabbage can be hardened off by leaving the covers off at nights when there is no danger of frost. Tomatoes, peppers and eggplant should not be exposed to as much cold as cabbage.

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(By Earl Bond)

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missed the covered dish supper at
the last meeting. There's things
this town's lacking in but it isn't
good cooks. There was plenty of
everything for seconds and thirds.
I tried my best to get an early chow
pass, but no dice. The mess ser-
geant was tough, so I had to buck
the line with the rest of the boys.
By the time I got through I was
listing heavily to the starboard,
and wallowing out of control in a
heavy sea. I was eventually towed
home, suffering many casualties
at the forty-two table. Yes sir, it
was a highly successful evening for
the twenty who were present.

I have news of another big feed
just over the horizon. Hanson
Post No. 52 is holding an interpost
meeting in the Crystal Ballroom of
the Herring Hotel Tuesday night,
June 23.

This promises to be a big affair,
with probably some dancing after-
ward, so bring your wife, girl friend,
or reasonably accurate facsimile,
and lets make a good showing at
that meeting. If possible, notify
Walter in advance if you are going
so he can make reservations.

We had a very brief business ses-
sion at the last meeting, and decid-
ed to omit the first meeting in July

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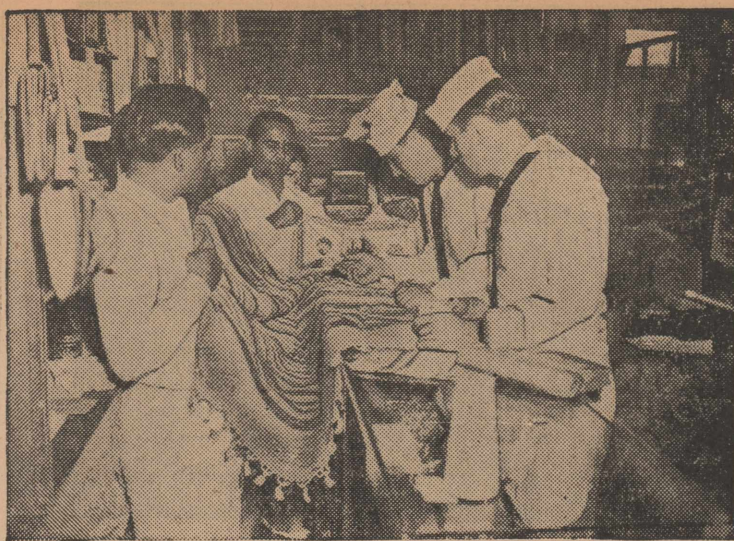
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A BIT OF SHOPPING IN PANAMA



Naval Reservists on a training cruise of the USS Wisconsin spend part of their liberty ashore in Colon, Republic of Panama, selecting presents for the folks back home. They are among 600 Reservists from the Third, Fourth, and Ninth Naval Districts recalled to active duty, voluntarily, for two weeks of training aboard the "Wiskey." The cruises give the Reserve sailors a chance to learn of the latest developments aboard this mighty warship. As a part of the Wisconsin cruises there are two days of liberty in Panama for sightseeing and shopping. Many of the men bring back perfumes, lingerie, alligator skin luggage, white shirts, summer suits and other items which are obtainable at prewar prices. (Official Navy Photograph)

due to harvest. Another piece of
business was discussed which would
profit the American Legion consid-
erably, but has met with outside op-
position, so we may have to aban-
don that venture.

Our steel contractor must be off
on an extended fishing trip. Work
on our building is at a standstill,
and has been for some time, waiting
for that gentleman. I'd like to see
some activity on that lot again.

There has been some discussion
over the coffee cups of a plan to
raise some more funds for our build-
ing. Last week, in reply to a
query, Governor Jester announced
that wheat growing along the high-
ways could be harvested for any
charitable organization. Yester-
day I tried to contact Mr. Lott,
District Highway Engineer, to see if
we could qualify as a charitable or-
ganization, but was unable to
reach him. There are hundreds of
bushels growing along the roadsides
in Sherman County that would help
our building fund a great deal if we
could harvest it. By next week I
hope to have the lowdown, and if
approved we're going to be asking
some of you to please donate the
use of your combine to harvest this
wheat. We are also in position to
accept any cash contributions you
may wish to make. Some of you
have donated previously, and said
you would give more when we got
something started. Well, we're
started now, but a long way from
finish. So if you have some dollars
that are wearing thin from the
friction of your pockets, we can
provide a safe, comfortable home,
free from over crowding for those
poor dollars of yours.

Arkansas Educates Midwives To Reduce Infant Mortality

In an effort to reduce childbirth
mortality and provide better pre-
natal care for mothers where medi-
cal facilities are not available, Ar-
kansas currently is teaching some
1,500 local midwives modern meth-
ods of child delivery. The American
Public Welfare Association reports
that nearly 70 per cent of all the
nonwhite births in Arkansas are
attended by midwives. The midwife
training plan, under direction of the
state board of health, is operating
as an interim program until ade-
quate medical facilities and more
doctors can be provided.

Under direction of experienced
nurses, local midwives are given
classroom instruction in prenatal
care, child delivery and postnatal
care in seven sessions. The course
of instruction supplements regular
supervision given by local health
departments. Dieticians and other
state experts assist in instruction.
Most of the midwives are be-
tween 60 and 80 years of age,
though an increasing number of
younger women are becoming in-
terested in the program. Visual
aids and practical demonstrations

are used extensively by the instruc-
tors since many of the midwives,
who must register with the state,
do not know how to read or write.

Overweight Aggravated by Worry and Fear, Doctor Says

Overweight is aggravated by emo-
tional tensions, such as worry, fear
or insecurity, which lead to an in-
creased intake of food, according to
Dr. S. Charles Freed of San Fran-
cisco, who questions the belief that
obesity results from glandular dis-
turbance.
Writing in the Journal of the
American Medical association, Dr.
Freed deplors the fact that "over-
weight is discussed only occasion-
ally, and education of the public in
this regard is sadly neglected, al-
though the prevention or treatment
of obesity has a far greater benefit
in increasing the life span and com-
bating degenerative changes than
that of practically any other disease
or dysfunction."

He states that "while there might
be doubt as to the shortening of life
by such factors as smoking, tobacco,
alcohol and exercise, there is unani-
mous agreement of all authorities
that overweight has a decided ef-
fect on decreasing the span of life.
Statistics overwhelmingly show that
overweight not only results in an in-
creased death rate but also is re-
sponsible for the earlier develop-
ment of cardiovascular-renal (per-
taining to the heart, blood vessels
and kidney) diseases, diabetes and
even cancer."

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ESTATE OF J. L. KIRKWOOD, DE-
CEASED.

The undersigned having been
duly appointed Executrix of the
Estate of J. L. Kirkwood, deceased,
late of Sherman County, Texas, by
L. P. Hunter, Judge of the County

Court of said County on the 26th day
of May A. D. 1947, 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 prescribed by law at
her residence in Stratford, Sherman
County, Texas where she receives
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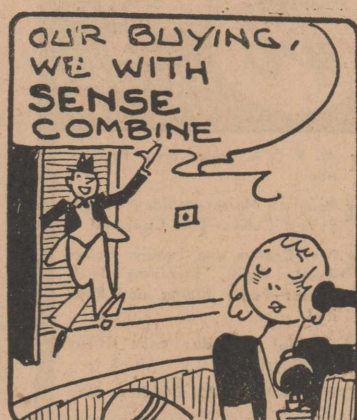
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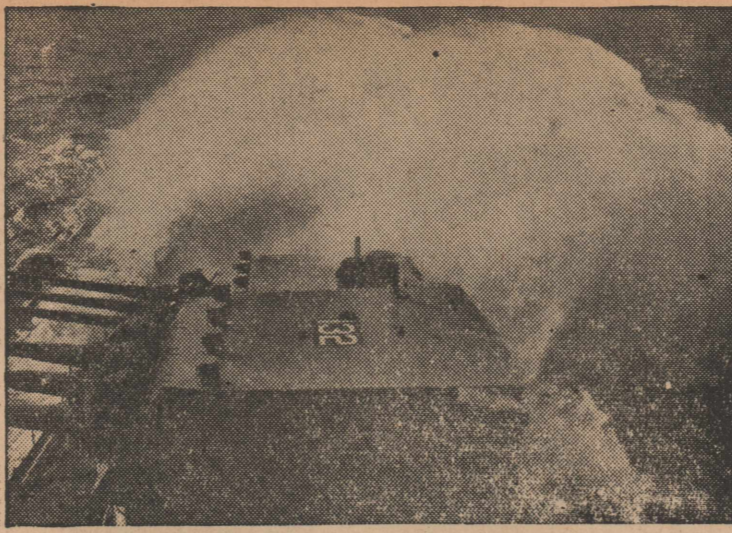
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Terrible Atomic Bomb Weapon Has Limitations

As everyone knows, when the first atomic bomb was exploded in New Mexico that scientists were in very serious disagreement as to just what the results would be. One physicist of standing was of the opinion that it might very well start a chain reaction which would literally destroy the earth. Later, when the bomb was used for military purposes in Hiroshima and Naga-

saki, very little was known as to its possible effect on human and plant life. This ignorance was partially dissipated by studies of the results in Japan made after the war. Then came the Bikini tests, which were designed to clear up many a point which still puzzled the experts. Little by little, facts showing just what the atomic bomb can and cannot do, in its present form, have been made available. This information is the result of the most careful and thorough research, much of which was made for the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission which is starting the colossal job of developing some kind of a plan for

THE MACON MAKIN' KNOTS



The USS Macon, one of the several ships of the United States Navy assigned to the expanding training program for veterans and non-veterans of the Naval Reserve, takes a wave over the bow on one of the two-week training cruises. Reservists from many Naval Districts take a fortnight out of their civilian life to keep themselves abreast of modern Naval developments by means of the active duty cruises of such craft as the Macon.

control and use of atomic energy in all possible forms. In a recent issue, the United States News carried an excellent summing up of the material which has so far been made public.

First of all, the theory that the bomb could totally destroy great centers of population, or that a series of strategically placed bombs could virtually eliminate the United States as a strong and functioning nation, is not supported by the scientists. Deaths at Hiroshima mostly occurred within a radius of 1,000 yards from the center of the blast. Practically no deaths occurred outside an area of 3.1 square miles. And, within that area, about half of the people survived, and virtually all of these have completely recovered from injuries and illness sustained. However, the bomb did kill 80,000 people at Hiroshima, by blast, by radiation, and by fire and drowning.

Stories to the effect that the bomb caused permanent sterility, fatal radiation sickness and induced cancer have not been substantiated. In most cases radiation sickness passed in a matter of weeks and the only result of the bomb now appearing on Japanese survivors is disfiguring but not serious scar tissue on faces and bodies. Temporary sterility was common, but disappeared shortly.

Plant life in the Hiroshima blast area show some signs of abnormality, such as white leaves caused by radioactivity. But the profusion of growth seems about the same as before.

At Bikini, nearly 5,000 animals were exposed on target ships during the two bomb tests. The air burst killed some 20 per cent of these, ten per cent by radioactivity and ten per cent by blast. The underwater explosion was much more lethal, more than 60 per cent of the animals perished, largely by radiation. According to the U. S. News, "Many of these died from lack of prompt treatment." Surviving

animals were definitely affected, and were restless and irritable for a week or two. Some developed leukemia. Studies made of sick animals, it is said, have resulted in an effective treatment for radiation sickness.

From the information thus gained, the scientists have projected what an atomic attack used on Hiroshima) bursting in the air would be lethal over some 3.1 miles. That amounts to 2 per cent of the area of Detroit, 4.3 per cent of Washington, D. C., and 0.9 per cent of New York. It is forecast that deaths would be proportionately less than in Japanese cities, due to superior American building construction.

An underwater burst in the harbor of New York, the forecasts go on, would cause few immediate deaths. But radiation sickness would soon kill people in the path of the spray. Streets and buildings touched by the spray might remain radioactive for years, and could be used only for very brief periods of time. The size of the area thus made unfit for ordinary use would, of course, be determined by the extent of the spray of contaminated water.

Summing up, the scientific view seems to be that the atomic bomb is the most terrible weapon yet devised by man, but that, so far at least, there is nothing to indicate that it could wholly or even largely destroy life on this planet. However, it must be remembered that the bomb is very much in its infancy. It has an extremely low efficiency, much less than one per cent of the mass actually explodes, and all the rest is harmlessly dissipated. If means are ever found whereby the entire mass can be exploded, the effects of a single bomb may be multiplied hundreds or thousands of times. Thus, the present bombs may simply be the forerunners of infinitely more powerful instruments of destruction, precisely as the Wright's crude and toy-like airplane was the forerunner of the great aircraft of today.

There are atomic physicists, some of them at the very top of their profession, who believe that, atomic power may be developed to where it could effectively eliminate animal and perhaps plant life from whole sections of the world. But, apparently, it is far from that peak of lethal efficiency now.

Purse Cause of Watch Trouble of Many Women

According to the nation's watch repairmen, the curse of an ailing watch is a woman's purse. The reason why women have at least twice as much trouble with their watches as men, according to a survey by the Jewelry Industry Council, is that men don't have purses in which to cache their watches. Of course, it isn't the purse itself, it's what's in the purse.

When a watch repairman opens a woman's watch he does it with mingled horror and fascination, wondering what the watch's innards will reveal this time. Usually a woman is surprised when he tells her that the delicate mechanism is covered with a green residue from the perfume in her purse. She doesn't see how it's possible; the case on her watch is drum-tight. However, tight as the watch case fits, the volatile oils of the perfume she carries in her purse often get into the watch as vapors and congeal on the moving parts.

It's also difficult to try to explain how face powder, tobacco dust and divers other substances manage to get into her watch and clog the works.

Deaf Smith County Raising Sugar Beets

Sugar beet acreage in Deaf Smith County will reach the 1,600 acre mark this year. County Agricultural Agent Hugh L. Clearman reports that farmers in

the county are in the process of planting about 1,600 acres to the crop and practically all of them have applied commercial fertilizer to sugar beet fields.

In many cases, says the county agent, barn yard fertilizer was applied to cropland during the winter to put land in good shape for sugar beet production.

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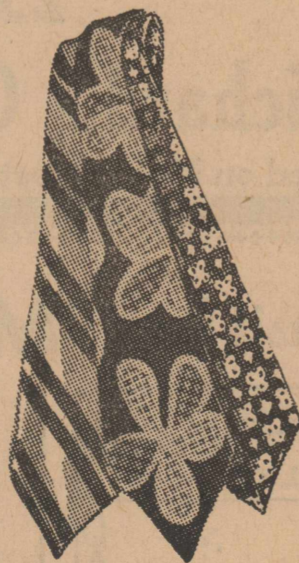
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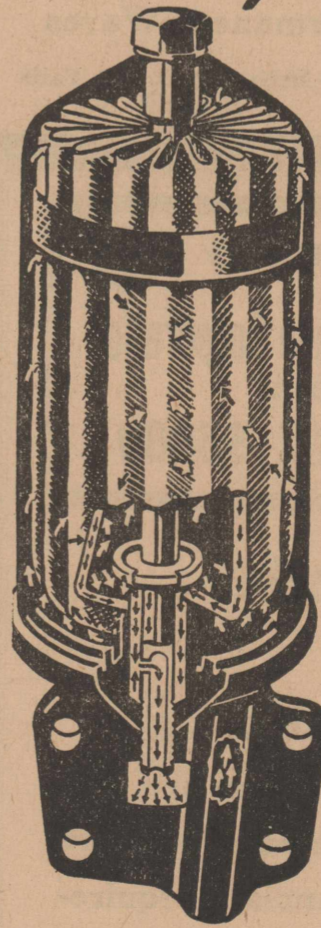
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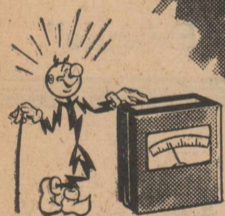
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The promotion will introduce nationally the Bond-a-Month Plan for bank depositors with banks through out Texas participating in the plan. Under the plan, which is intended to reach farmers, ranchers, professional men and women, self-employed persons, small business men and others, the depositor authorizes the bank to issue bonds to him monthly. The purchase price is charged against the depositor's checking account and the bonds are delivered by the bank each month.

"Too much emphasis cannot be placed on the value of U. S. Savings Bonds as an investment," according to an announcement on the June-July promotion by Nathan Adams, Dallas, State Chairman of the Texas Advisory Committee on Savings Bonds. "These securities are backed by the full credit of our nation, the return is stipulated and guaranteed without risk of market fluctuations. The widespread ownership of Savings Bonds creates financial reserves at a time when our national income is the highest in our history, thus building a backlog of purchasing power when the buyers market has returned in full.

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Texas has a state goal of \$30,000,000 in all Savings Bonds during the July and July promotion which is pointed at spreading the national debt among the greatest possible number of citizens in the Treasury's debt management program.

A good ration for cows nursing feeder calves is equal parts of yellow corn chops, wheat bran, ground oats and cottonseed meal.

Chemistry Largest Segment Of American Manufactures

Industry in which chemistry plays an important part, either in the processing of raw materials or in the manufacture of products wherein the raw material itself undergoes chemical change, now represents the largest segment in the nation's total manufacturing enterprise, surpassing such basic industries as food, and iron and steel, according to the New York Trust Company.

The chemical industry, says the study, serves almost every one of the 72 basic industry groups listed by the department of commerce, and in 1944 the products of the chemical process industries reached a value of about 22 billion dollars.

The ultimate consumer seldom recognizes his own dependence on the chemical industry for food, shelter and clothing, it was said. The plastic cases and luminous hands of alarm clocks, the chemically produced ammonia used in refrigerator cars transporting fresh fruit from Florida or California, the electrical insulation in homes, the anti-knock fluid in gasoline which makes it possible to drive cars with high-powered motors, the vinyl resin in the binding layer of safety glass, nylon and rayon used in clothing, chemo-therapeutic agents and anesthetics in the field of medicine, all testify to reliance on an industry whose past phenomenal growth may be more than matched in the future by the realization of its still vast potentialities.

Freezing Rolls

If you plan to freeze rolls ahead of time for a party or for unexpected company, it's better to freeze the shaped rolls rather than to freeze the dough in a large ball or in a sheet, according to Dr. Faith Fenton, who has conducted research on frozen cooked foods at Cornell. She reports that some of the frozen unbaked rolls used in their experiments were excellent after eight weeks' storage. As to whether the rolls should be allowed to rise or not to rise, Dr. Fenton says that fully-risen rolls that were thawed before they were baked tended to lose volume and flatten out during thawing. The half-risen rolls did not rise completely and also flattened out and had a coarse texture. The rolls frozen before rising were excellent when all precautions were used. These included keeping the rising period to a minimum and not storing the rolls too long.

Advise Early Purchase Of Sugar

The estimated record wheat crop

coming up is due to affect the distribution of sugar to Texas store shelves.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has urged the nation's homemakers to cash in their sugar stamps numbers 11 and 12 as soon as possible. While the total year's supply of sugar for the nation, estimated earlier at about 6,800,000 tons, remains unchanged, the distribution of the supply is another

question, USDA says. The large wheat crop is expected to create a difficult transportation problem. In another month, there will not be enough box cars to carry both wheat and sugar.

Due to that situation, the No. 12 sugar stamp in housewives' ration books was made good in advance. Grocers can accept both Stamp 11 and Stamp 12, and will continue doing so until October 31.

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Leslie H. Parker, H. L. McMahon and David McBryde left Monday for a fishing trip in Colorado.

Mrs. L. F. Denney visited her husband ill in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kelp were in Dalhart Saturday, where Russell was having dental work done.

Stanley Ullom made a business trip to Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. Brooks Spence and Mrs. Franklin Baber, Texhoma, were visitors here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Ross and daughter took Mrs. Mynola Ross to Dallas Saturday for a medical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Graves and children, Hot Springs, Arkansas, arrived Monday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Koontz.

Bernis Holt was a business visitor in Amarillo Monday.

W. L. Pendleton returned Monday night from Tyler, Texas where he attended the wedding of Alfred Pronger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lollis and Mrs. Dean Cluck visited in the Diehl home Saturday.

Miss Catherine Hester has returned home from West Texas State College at Canyon for the summer holidays.

G. L. Taylor was a business visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.

Lamoine Palmer was a business visitor in Amarillo Monday.

Eual Butler, Orval Butler, and Laurel Harman were here Sunday for a visit with their uncle, L. P. Hunter. They were on their way home to Missouri after a visit in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Townsman and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Jackson were visitors in Dalhart Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Chester Plunk and Ernest Lovelace were business visitors in Amarillo Tuesday morning.

T. L. Taylor and Bozo Gammill returned Sunday from a business trip to Texarkana.

James Smith and J. A. Hamby, Texhoma, were visitors here Monday.

W. R. Treece of Cimarron County was a business visitor here Monday.

Van Boston and Ernest Palmer transacted business in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Burns were business visitors in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Kelp and Mrs. J. T. Gibbons visited in the Tom Gibbons home in Texhoma Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton returned Monday from a visit in Beeville, Texas with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hawkins transacted business in Dalhart Saturday.

day.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steel, Lubbock, spent the week-end visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates, Miss Evelyn Cooper and Mrs. H. J. Cooper attended the ball game in Keyes Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Harding and Ruby Dell were visitors in Dalhart Sunday afternoon.

William Martin, Houston, arrived Tuesday for a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Martin.

Mrs. John Kimbrel was brought home Saturday from Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Mrs. Otis Vickers is visiting with her mother in Hereford this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl were in Alva, Oklahoma Thursday of last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stacey visited in Guymon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Golladay had as visitors Saturday Mrs. Golladay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nobles and her brother, R. L. of Chillicothe. Sunday, they all went to Dalhart where a family reunion was held, 23 members of the family being present.

Mrs. Jess Mulherin and children, Amarillo, came last Thursday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Rose Keener.

Mrs. Arthur Milton and daughter, Miss Jeannie Huggins, have returned from Albuquerque where they attended the wedding of a friend and the graduation of Mrs. Milton's niece, Miss Barbara Stallard.

Mrs. A. C. Jackson and daughters, Eleanor and Barbara and son, Terry, Lubbock, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee were business visitors in Boise City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus P. Rainey, Lubbock, were visitors here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbons, Mrs. Rennie Hamilton and Mrs. Butts, Texhoma, were in Stratford Monday.

Mrs. Cone Donelson, who recently underwent an operation in an Amarillo hospital, was brought home Wednesday.

Mrs. E. W. Butler visited in Canyon with Mrs. J. W. Norvell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Martin attended the races and rodeo at Sunray Saturday and Sunday.

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Bill Bagley, Abilene—a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Richards, T. L. Taylor, arrived Sunday to work on the Taylor ranch during the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bomer.

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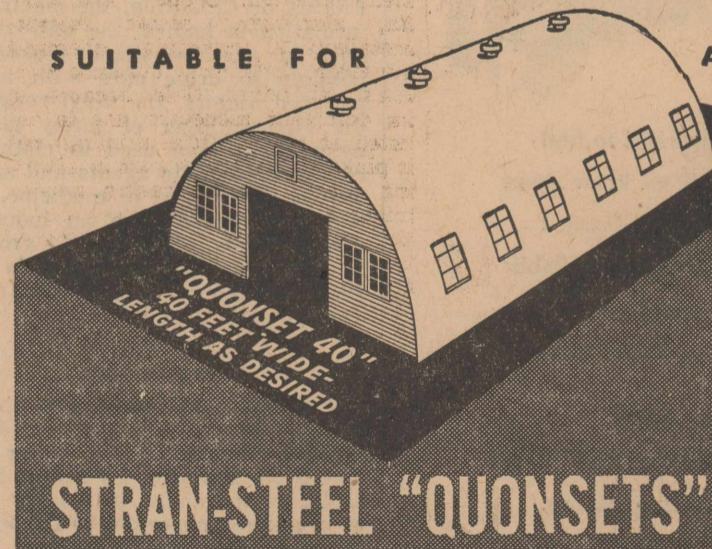
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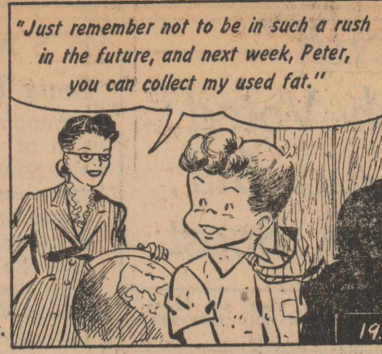
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Local News

Tom Pugh, Texhoma, visited in
the Dick Diehl home Saturday.

Mrs. W. R. Gamble returned home
Tuesday from a visit with her sisters
in Chillicothe, Texas.

Mrs. S. J. Calvird and Mrs. Don
Wilson visited in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carter, Dalhart,
were Sunday guests of their par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Lee.

Cone Donelson and Dick Diehl
were Dalhart visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cook are here
for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. O.
Cook.

O. K. ADAMS BUYS

ROCK ISLAND CAFE

O. K. Adams has bought the Rock
Island Cafe from Mrs. Beulah Mulin-
s. He took over management of
the business Friday.

Tung Oil

Chinese tung oil was first called
"Chinawood oil" by Marco Polo
back in the 14th century when he
found it used in the making of fine
lacquers and enamels in the course
of his travels in ancient Cathay.
Today in this country it is called
either "Chinawood oil" or "tung
oil" with the latter designation pre-
dominating. Prior to World War II
tung oil, which was widely used in
the paint, varnish and lacquer indus-
try in this country in the formula-
tion of many specialized finishes,
was practically cut off from inter-
national commerce, due to the
activities of the Japanese in China.
Following the Japanese occupation
of China, this country's imports of
tung oil progressively dwindled,
until, by 1942, they had fallen from
175,000,000 pounds of oil in 1937 to
8,000,000 pounds.

Industrial Metals

The chief industrial metals and
minerals are mineral fuels, such as
coal, oil and gas; iron ores; iron-
alloy metals: chromium, manga-
nese, molybdenum, nickel, tung-
sten, vanadium, copper, lead, zinc,
tin, aluminum; minor metals;
metallurgical minerals; chemical
minerals; fertilizers; ceramic min-
erals; abrasives. Gold because of
its dominant monetary use is not
listed as an industrial mineral, but
it plays an important part in afford-
ing means of purchasing needed
mineral supplies. The most essen-
tial minerals for modern mechan-
ized war are oil, coal, iron, non-
ferrous metals, iron-alloy metals,
mercury, antimony, platinum, sul-
phur, asbestos, graphite, magne-
site, mica and industrial diamonds.

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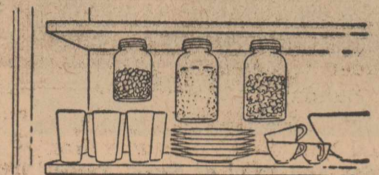
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FIXING UP the HOME
By Diane Greeter

How to Store Dry Foods

COFFEE or jam jars with screw
tops and pint or quart mason
jars make handy receptacles in
which to store rice, cereals, spa-
ghetti and other dry foods in cup-
board and pantry space which could
not otherwise be used.

Fasten the jar tops, with nails or
screws, to a permanent position on
the bottom of a wooden shelf. Then,
when the jar has been filled, it can
be screwed into place, hanging from
the bottom of the shelf. Large jars



can be placed at the back and a row
of small jars for spices and con-
ditions can make up a front row.
You will find the foods stored in
this way handy to get at and easy
to keep in order.

The space under the jars can be
used for dishes or for other pack-
aged foods. This arrangement
stretches the space in cupboards
and pantries and puts everything
in place so that it is unnecessary
to lift one package from another
when removing items from the
shelves. If you have trouble identi-
fying some of the items, such as
salt and sugar, flour and baking
powder, scissor off a part of the
package label and put it along the
glass at the bottom of the jar
before filling.

This same arrangement can be
employed under a shelf over your
gas range for spices and condiments
that are used often. The jars can
be decorated if you wish with de-
calcomanias or stripes of color-
ful paint to match your kitchen de-
coration scheme.

Gold Helpful Anesthetic

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Experience to date continues to
confirm the safety and benefit of re-
frigeration anesthesia, according to
Drs. Lyman Weeks Crossman and
Frederick M. Allen of New York who
first demonstrated the advantages of
this type of anesthesia. Writing in
Journal of the American Medical as-
sociation, the physicians state that
the "trial period of surgical refrig-
eration may be measured from the
first publication of experiments on
animals and clinical cases in 1937 or
better, from the adoption of the meth-
od on the surgical service of the
City Hospital in 1941."

Experiments have demonstrated
that cold serves as a shockless anes-
thetic in surgery, preserves injured
tissue and restrains infection until
the patient is strong enough to un-
dergo an operation. Moreover, it
reduces pain and swelling.

Drs. Crossman and Allen point out
that "in cases of severe trauma (in-
jury) of limbs, refrigeration serves
preeminently to gain time in an
emergency by preserving the in-
jured part for days or weeks until
the patient gains sufficient constitu-
tional strength to withstand ampu-
tation. A secondary benefit, how-
ever, is reported as the development
of secondary circulation during the
time thus gained, so as to permit
a lower level of amputation. This
may make the difference between an
emergency amputation high in the
thigh and an amputation just above
the knee a few weeks later. This
difference has practical importance
for the patient's subsequent walking
and earning ability."

Pelting raindrops speed up soil
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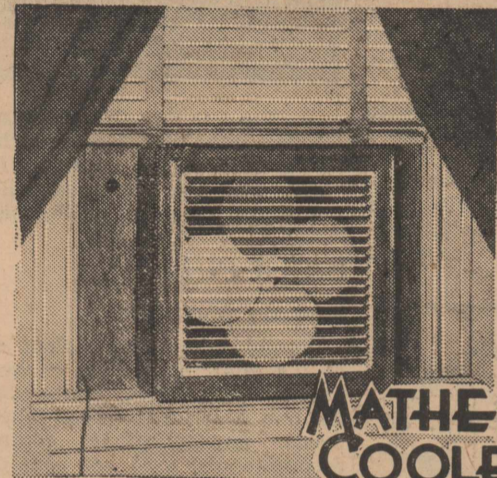
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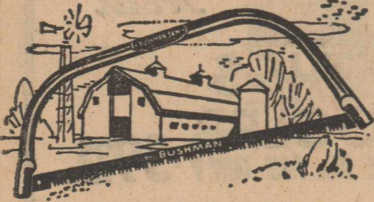
A General Quiz

The Questions

1. How many railroad ties are there in a mile of track?
2. Was the Civil war the only war between the states?
3. What were the first words ever recorded on a phonograph?
4. Some flowers open only at night. What pollinates them?
5. How big is the mouth of the Statue of Liberty?
6. What is the temperature on the surface of the sun?
7. What was the first daily newspaper in the world?
8. Can American eagles be tamed?
9. When was the mint established in Philadelphia by congress?
10. Does water freeze from the top down or the bottom up?

The Answers

1. Approximately 3,000.
2. No. Georgia and North Carolina went to war in 1810 over a boundary dispute.
3. "Mary had a little lamb" in the voice of Thomas A. Edison.
4. Moths.
5. It is 3 feet across.
6. Approximately 10,000 degrees.
7. The Frankfurt Zeitung, which appeared in Frankfurt, Germany, in 1615.
8. Yes, they have been tamed and trained to hunt as falcons.
9. April 2, 1792.
10. Water in a pond freezes from the top down; in a refrigerated skating rink, from the bottom up. It depends upon where the water is the coldest.



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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Agriculture Fund Slash Voted; Truman Signs Greek Aid Bill; ICC Grants Train Fare Boost

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The Rt. Rev. Father Flanagan, founder and head of Boys' Town, Nebr., talks with Japanese children at the Church of Oura in Nagasaki. Father Flanagan currently is travelling through Japan to study conditions of the Japanese children and to hold services for American military personnel on the islands.

FARM FUROR:

Stormy Weather

Possibly the most violent storm of the year, according to the economic and political barometer, is the one which was raised when the house appropriations committee recommended a 32 per cent cut in department of agriculture funds for the coming year.

Slashing more than 383 million dollars from the amount asked by President Truman, the committee opened the floodgates for a deluge of protests from Clinton Anderson, secretary of agriculture, and Democratic congressmen, who claimed they would fight the action right up to next year's elections, if necessary.

Declaring that the reduction "directs a sharp cut at the interests of the American farm family and the general welfare," Anderson said that the "greatest harm" would be to the soil conservation program, the farm price support program and programs designed to help veterans and low income families become better established.

The 32 per cent cut would eliminate the Agriculture Adjustment administration by July 1, 1948. Currently, the AAA is carrying on its basic program of promoting soil conservation on 3,500,000 cooperating farms by paying farmers for following practices intended to increase soil fertility and, hence, to increase production. The proposed fund slash would mean that farmers this year would be paid about 50 per cent of what they previously had been promised.

In answering the criticism, the house appropriations committee said that its recommended cuts are "selective" and reasonable—based on actual farm needs.

AID BILL:

To Stop Reds

The 400 million dollar Greek-Turkish aid bill, spearhead of the so-called "Truman doctrine," has been passed by congress and signed into law by the President.

What the Difference?

It's easy to confuse the Greek-Turkish aid bill and the general foreign relief bill, also passed by congress. Here are the differences:

1. The aid bill provides 400 million dollars to Greece and Turkey alone to strengthen those nations against the inroads of Communism.
2. The foreign relief bill earmarks 350 million dollars to stave off starvation and sickness in Austria, Greece, Italy, Hungary, Poland, China and Trieste.

Target of much criticism from certain elements in congress, the measure was opposed principally on the grounds that it represented a national course which eventually

would render the United Nations meaningless.

Mr. Truman, however, defended the plan with the contention that the United States, in extending aid to Greece and Turkey, "is helping to further aims and purposes identical with those of the United Nations."

He added that "we intend to make sure that the aid we extend will benefit all the peoples of Greece and Turkey, not any particular group or faction." The bill empowers the President to provide the Turks and Greeks with financial aid and military equipment for the purpose of keeping the gates of the Near East closed to Communism.

TRAVEL PAY:

Train Fares Up

To offset increased operating costs, Interstate Commerce commission authorized an approximate 10 per cent increase in basic passenger fares for 60 railroads operating east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio and Potomac rivers.

The change will boost one-way passenger rates from 2.2 to 2.5 cents a mile in coaches and from 3.3 to 3.5 cents a mile in sleeping and parlor cars. There will be an increase of about 15 per cent in coach round-trip rates and about four per cent in Pullman round-trip fares.

In granting the increase, ICC noted that those railroads which requested the new rates incurred a deficit of 54 million dollars from passenger train operations last year.

HOUSING:

Unfounded Hope

Popular belief that any substantial reductions in the cost of new housing will occur in the near future is not founded on realities.

That assertion was made by James C. Downs Jr., president of the Real Estate Research corporation, who explained that besides being geared to a high national debt, housing costs, like prices of other hard goods, are directly affected by the large demand for American capital and production by other countries.

"The housing shortage today is worse than a year ago," he said, "and it will continue to grow progressively worse for some time."

He pointed out that increased earning power has put a greater number in the market for new homes, but at the same time builders are afraid to start new construction because of high costs. The theory that prices would drop kept many persons from buying or building homes last year, Downs said.

POLIO MENACE:

Not Too Bad

Although it is yet too early to know definitely what course the disease will take this year, the infantile paralysis situation in this country appears considerably better than in 1946, according to public health service officials.

Last year a total of approximately 25,000 polio cases marked that twelve month period as the second worst in history. The worst was 1916 when 27,363 cases were recorded.

Income Tax Slash Likely for 1948: Knutson

Rep. Harold Knutson (Rep., Minn.), original advocate of the "20 per cent across the board" income tax reduction plan, is holding to his contention that congress will vote an income tax cut this year.

Further, the chairman of the house ways and means committee "sees no reason" why another slash shouldn't be made in 1948. The Republican program calls for more tax cuts, Knutson declared and he intends to see that they are made.

IT'S WONDERFUL:

Long Time Peace

Announcing the immediate abolition of capital punishment in Russia, Soviet authorities explained the move on the grounds that it was made possible by Russia's growing strength, the people's patriotism and the certainty of peace "for a long time."

Said the Moscow radio: "The international situation during the time after Germany's capitulation and Japan's capitulation shows that the cause of peace can be considered secure for a long time in spite of attempts by aggressive elements to provoke war."

Meanwhile, Herbert Hoover looked on the other side of the mask to charge Russia with attempting to bleed the United States through relief channels and blaming her for the economic paralysis of Japan and Germany.

He declared that further relief will remain necessary as long as the Soviets continue their obstructionist tactics and demands for reparations, thus blocking peace treaties with the two countries and keeping their economies paralyzed.

NO POTATOES:

Wheat Is Cheaper

A paradox in potatoes, whereby thousands of bushels of the tubers have had to be destroyed in this country because starving Europe refused to take them, was described to the international emergency food council by John W. Gannaway of the department of agriculture's potato branch.

Because spring potatoes rot so rapidly unless refrigerated, the only way they could be shipped to Europe would be to dehydrate them. The U. S. offered to give the potatoes to European countries for the cost of dehydration.

Gannaway said the offer was turned down because foreign governments can buy American wheat for six cents a pound. One pound of dehydrated potatoes, equal to about 10 pounds of raw product, would have cost 14 cents.

RETRIBUTION:

Black Curtains

Forty-nine guards and foremen of the Nazis' infamous Mauthausen prison, convicted by an American military court for the slaughter of more than 700,000 persons of all nationalities, died on the gallows in the Landsberg prison yard in the largest mass execution in the history of American war crimes prosecution.

Two days were required to complete the black-curtained proceedings. Twenty-two men were hanged on the first day, 27 on the second. The group was part of the 61 Mauthausen guards convicted at the Dachau trial a year ago. Twelve received life imprisonment penalties, 49 the death sentence.

French Honor



Vincent Auriol, president of France, decorates opera singer Lily Pons with the rosette of the Legion of Honor. The French-born artist has been making a concert tour of France.

Crest of the News

... SCIENCE ...

NEWEST PLASTIC to hit the market is a revolutionary water-sealed fabric, translucent in appearance and silky to the touch but possessing remarkable strength. Because it is waterproof it may be used in kitchens and bathrooms for shower curtains, drapes, bathinette covers, table covers, bibs, aprons and for a multitude of other purposes. The new material is immune to most acid and alkali stains and may be laundered easily.

SCHIZOPHRENIA, the hitherto unmapped world of the unbalanced personality, may be opened to exploration by use of a new drug called mescaline. Experimenters report that they have been able to produce visual hallucinations, particularly in neurotic patients, by administering mescaline. They say the drug may be an important factor in arriving at an understanding of schizophrenia, the psychologists' term for a split personality.

A "SILENT" AIRPLANE, labeled one of the major aviation developments in recent years, has been produced by scientists. Its five-bladed propeller, revolving more slowly than the conventional type, reduces noise to a minimum. Demonstrated at Langley field, Va., the plane made scarcely any more commotion passing 300 feet overhead than a glider. The new aircraft is said to be the first one in which all noise eliminating methods have been applied.

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Try waxing your bureau drawers. Scrub the drawers with soap and water first, however, to be sure no musty odors are left in them. When applying the wax, use a clean cloth, and apply as much as the wood will take without becoming sticky. The application of wax to bureau drawers will close the wood pores and give a hardwood finish to soft woods.

If you have a job that keeps you on your feet all day, try placing a powder puff in the heel of your shoes.

When ripping snap fasteners from discarded clothing, keep the pairs together by punching a small hole in a card and snapping the fasteners in this.

When sending things to the cleaner, if possible tell him the history of spots on the garments to be cleaned.

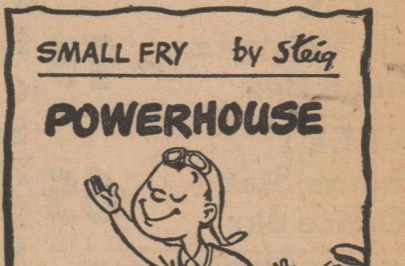
Pin hankies on the line along the top of the sheets. They will dry faster, and the extra pins will help keep the sheet from blowing away. This also saves line room for other pieces of clothing.

To clean black or dark blue felt, use a teaspoonful of ammonia mixed with half a cup of cold tea.

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Lesson for June 15

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JUDAH'S APPROACHING DOOM

LESSON TEXT—Jeremiah 36:2, 3, 28-31; II Kings 24:1-4. MEMORY SELECTION—The fear of the Lord prolongeth days; but the years of the wicked shall be shortened.—Proverbs 10:27.

The decline of a nation from strength and glory to weakness and shame is always a sad thing to contemplate. Still worse is the evident cause of such decay in the sinfulness of the people and their stubborn rejection of God's mercy and grace.

The religious reforms in Judah under Josiah were only temporary in their effect on the people; partly because of their own insincerity, and partly because Josiah was soon killed in battle. Yet God did not leave his wandering people without good counsel, for it was in those days that the great prophet Jeremiah ministered. He had been the helper of Josiah in his good purposes; now he continued to plead with Judah to submit themselves to God and to his will.

His efforts proved to be fruitless as far as Judah was concerned, for we see that

I. Judah Would Not Respond to God's Mercy (Jer. 36:2, 3).

God commanded his prophet to write down his words in order that the people might not only know the inevitable impending judgment, but especially be reminded of God's desire that they should turn from their evil ways and be forgiven.

One would have thought that they would have responded to such mercy with an immediate and grateful return to the Lord, but they did not.

Jeremiah, a unique man of great ability, was so tenderhearted that he has often been called the weeping prophet. Do not infer that he was a weak, emotional character, for he was strong in the Lord, and courageous in the face of rejection and persecution. He urged upon Judah the necessity of submitting to Babylon, to whom God had given power, and above all to the Lord, for a spiritual cleansing and revival.

Our second section brings before us the further sin of King Jehoiakim, who led his nation on to destruction. We see that

II. Judah Would Not Receive God's Word (Jer. 36:28-31).

At God's command Jeremiah and his scribe Baruch had prepared the scroll with God's Word upon it. One of the nation's leaders was moved by it, and through his urging, the scroll was brought to the attention of the king.

Jehoiakim, sitting before the fire, heard only part of it, and then in defiance of God he took a penknife and cut it up and burned it.

One cannot help but think of those in our day who call themselves modern thinkers, or liberals, who have also used their penknives on God's Word. They cut out of the Bible everything they do not like, and offer the hungry people the stone of their own philosophies in place of the Bread of life. Think what their judgment will be!

God's Word is not so easily gotten out of the way! The prophet was commanded to rewrite the scroll, and in it to declare the awful judgment of God upon the one who mutilated his Word.

To try to destroy God's truth by fire and violence is as fruitless as to try to tear the stars from the heavens or to keep the sun from shining. The wicked leaders of a great nation have tried that once more in recent years, and they now lie dead for their sins, with the nation a subject people, broken and all but destroyed.

One wonders why those who profess to serve the Lord will engage in such activity, even as one wonders at Judah, a favored people of God, refusing to receive his Word.

God is not willing to give up, and now tries chastisement. But we see that

III. Judah Would Not Recognize God's Providences (II Kings 24: 1-4).

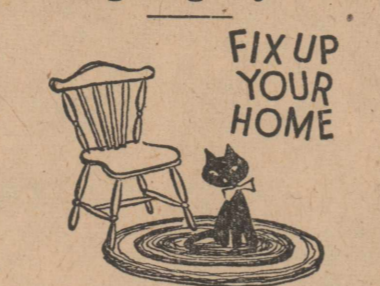
Jehoiakim had become the vassal of Babylon, but after three years he decided to try to throw off the yoke of his oppressor, Nebuchadnezzar. He was not able at the time to deal with the situation, and so he incited marauding bands from various other nations to harass Judah.

We see, however, that this came about at the commandment of God (vv. 2, 3). Evidently he was now using the distressing experiences of life to turn Judah back to him; but once again it proved to be in vain.

God does deal with men through what we call his providences, and these may include not only his mercies, but his chastisement. Trouble and sorrow may be God's means of leading us to the place of repentance and blessing.

What folly it is to disregard the hand of God in our daily lives, or to become embittered at the circumstances which are intended to bring us to God's place of blessing. Happy is the man or woman who, being reproved in this way, profits by the Lord's admonition (Heb. 12: 11).

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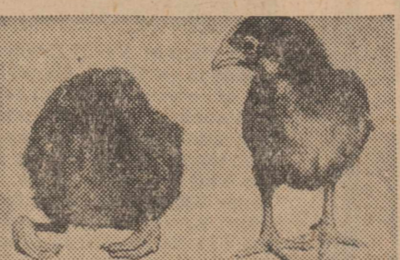
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Farm Topics

Baby Chick Need of Riboflavin Is Great

Curled Toe Paralysis Caused by Deficiency

Riboflavin, a crystalline yellow vitamin containing nitrogen and ribose, has proven necessary for growth of poultry. It is also important in connection with the formation of an enzyme responsible for



Chick at left is afflicted with curled toe paralysis due to riboflavin lack. Right, same chick a week later after being furnished this vitamin.—Photo, University of Missouri.

utilization of feed within the cells of the body.

Riboflavin is widely distributed in feeding materials. It is present in greatest amounts in milk products, yeast, live meal, alfalfa, cereal grasses and byproducts of the fermenting and distilling industry. Only a few grams are required per ton of mixed feeds.

Many poultry authorities have stated there is an advantage in using natural riboflavin concentrates in preference to synthetic riboflavin. The natural concentrate generally supplies other important nutrients aside from riboflavin.

When chicks are fed a ration low in riboflavin, they start squatting and develop a condition known as curled toe paralysis.

In the past the lack of riboflavin in feed ingredients has caused considerable economic loss. Baby chicks require greater quantities than older birds. Deficiency in laying flocks lowers egg production and results in inferior eggs or poor hatchability.

BURNING DESTROYS SOIL

When you burn straw, cornstalks and other crop residues on the field you lose valuable nitrogen and destroy organic matter vital to soil rebuilding and crop production. If the stalks of a 100-bushel corn crop go up in smoke 6,500 pounds of organic matter and 55 pounds of nitrogen



are lost. When you light a match to a mature sweet clover crop, you lose about 150 pounds of nitrogen and three to four tons of organic matter. It takes more effort to plow these materials under than it does to burn them, but an extra 10 to 20 bushels of corn per acre and a more fertile soil should be worth the extra trouble.

New Disease of Sweet Potatoes in the South

A new and distinctive disease of sweet potatoes known as "internal cork" has been the subject of intensive studies by Dr. C. J. Nusbbaum, South Carolina experiment station. Sweet potatoes affected with the disease are characterized by the occurrence of dark brown, corky spots of irregular shape and size. There are indications that it may be possible to develop resistant strains. The disease is caused by a virus but little else is known about it.

Farmers' Money Not All Increased Earnings

"What farmers do now with their liquid assets and credit will determine their financial position for the next two decades. It is imperative for farmers to recognize that much of their present money in fact is not increased profits. It represents the soil fertility sold off the farm, depreciation of buildings, fences and equipment. The money farmers now have, in large part, belongs back on their land—to restore soil—to modernize—" The Land.

Trapping Is Good Way To Control Moles

In the spring the activities of the common mole appear to be more noticeable. Unlike rodents, such as rats and mice, moles live chiefly on earthworms and insects. The mole is unpopular with farmers because his tell tale ridges and mounds disfigure the fields, ruin new seedbeds and damage gardens and lawns. Trapping appears to be the most satisfactory way yet found to control the mole.

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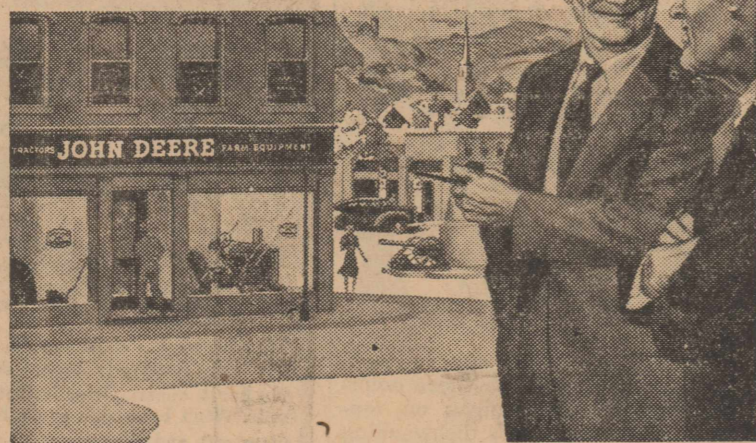
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The People Are Speaking

The American Legion commenced its pin-point campaign for Universal Military Training in mid-April with issuance of appeals of National Commander Paul H. Griffith and National Legislative Chairman John Thomas Taylor, and publication of the National Legionnaire as a field manual explaining all details.

At that time members of Congress were receiving ten letters and expressions against the American Plan of National Security (Universal Military Training) to one favorable.

In the space of less than thirty days the pendulum has swung to an exact opposite, that is the flood of expressions to members of Congress is now ten in favor of universal military training to one in opposition. The American people are now speaking.

This late result of concentrated effort bore out all reliable public polls of the Nation. But Congressmen were receiving communications from the pitiful minority who simply don't want the United States to have a security system of any sort. The reasons of this minority vary from honest conviction down to downright loyalty and adherence to foreign ideologies and plans. It is certain that the core of opposition to the American Plan of National Security is in the communist element of the Nation.

The question boils down to the simplest terms. Do the American people need or desire any sort of national defense system against the World of today?

If the answer is yes, then opposition to the Universal Military Training plan non-militaristic, civilian controlled and aimed to improve the youth of the Nation physically, mentally and spiritually.

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